

President Message

Dear all members and colleagues of the AOCC,

This is Prof. Dr. Zhanju Liu, working as the Director of the Department of Gastroenterology, Shanghai Tenth People's Hospital of Tongji University, and Director of Center for IBD Research of Tongji University School of Medicine (Shanghai, China).

I feel so honored and have been nominated as the President of the AOCC 2023. At this moment, I thank a lot all members of the AOCC for giving me this opportunity to serve for all members from the Asian areas and all colleagues from the rest of world.

In the past years, AOCC has done great work to guilde us in the diagnosis and management of IBD. AOCC has launched several committees and organized several conferences and academic seminars to improve our scientific and clinical skills in IBD, such as health education, early diagnosis, pathogenesis study, multi-center clinical trials, and new technical utilization. Moreover, AOCC has started further collaboration with other regional and international organizations such as ECCO and CCFA to improve our academic communications with the Western countries.

Welcome you to join the AOCC, and I am very happy to work hard with my colleagues and try our best to serve for you.

Sincerely yours,





Zhanju Liu, M.D., Ph.D., Center for IBD Research, Department of Gastroenterology Shanghai Tenth People's Hospital Tongji University School of Medicine Shanghai 200072 China

THANK YOU!

Dear AOCC Members and Colleagues,

On behalf of the organizing committee, we would like to express our deepest appreciation to all of you for taking your valuable time to participate in and support the 11th Annual Meeting of the Asian Organization for Crohn's and Colitis (AOCC 2023) in conjunction with the 6th International Meeting on Intestinal Diseases and Annual Congress of the Korean Association for the Study of Intestinal Diseases (IMKASID 2023) from April 13 to 15, 2023, at BEXCO in Busan, Korea.

Thanks to your support and dedication, the congress resulted in a huge success with 964 participants from 22 countries. This year, approximately 138 invited speakers and chairs participated. We hope you enjoyed our international festival and sharing your expertise with colleagues from around the globe.

If you would like to revisit the memories, photos from AOCC 2023 are available for download from the AOCC 2023 photo gallery.

Once again, we appreciate your active support and wish you continued health, happiness, and success in your endeavors.

Sincerely yours,



Joo Sung Kim, MD President of Awar Organization for Crohm & Collin



Seung-Jae Myung, MD

Congress President of the 11th Annual Meeting of the Asian Organization for Dishe's and Colles

President of the Korean Association for the Sturty of Intestrial Diseases



Report of the 11th Annual Meeting of the Asian Organization for Crohn's and Colitis

1) Overview

AOCC 2023 in conjunction with IMKASID 2023 was held as a face-to-face meeting away from the shadow of the pandemic. 964 participants from 22 countries participated with 106 invited lectures and 321 oral and poster presentations from 16 countries were given.

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TITLE	The 11th Annual Meeting of the Asian Organization for Crohn's & Colitis in conjunction with the 6th International Meeting on Intestinal Diseases and Annual Congress of the Korean Association for the Study of Intestinal Disease (AOCC 2023 in conjunction with IMKASID 2023)		
DATES	April 13 (Thu) – 15 (Sat), 2023		
VENUE	BEXCO, Busan, Korea		
THEME	ME Communicate. Collaborate. Create.		
WEBSITE	VEBSITE www.aocc2023.org		
HOSTS	The Asian Organization for Crohn's & Colitis (AOCC)		
	Korean Association for the Study of Intestinal Diseases (KASID)		

2) Scientific Programs

2-1) Invited

	No. of Sessions	No. of Lectures	
AOCC Plenary Session	1	3	
Clinical Forums 1-6	6	20	
	KASID-GEST Joint Symposium		18
	KASID-KSAR Joint Symposium		
Joint Symposia	KASID-JSIBD Joint Symposium	5	
	KASID-KSGE Joint Symposium		
	KASID-MISGKAI Joint Symposium		
KSPGHAN Symposium	1	3	
Basic Forum	1	3	
AOCC Education Forums	AOCC Education Forum 1 - Basic Course	2	8
AOCC Education Forums	AOCC Education Forum 2 - Advanced Course	2	
AOCC Forum	1	5	
RAPID Forum	1	4	
MDT Case Discussion	1	3	
Colorectal Neoplasm	1	3	
Small Bowel & Nutrition	1	3	
AOCC for Surgeons	1	4	



AOCC for Nurses 1 4 IUS Hands-on Training 1 3 Breakfast with the Masters 6 6 Luncheon Symposium 8 16 Total 38 106

2-2) Oral & Poster

#	Country	Oral Presentation	Poster Exhibition	Poster Oral	Total
1	Australia		1	7	8
2	China	4	63	5	72
3	France			2	2
4	India	3	7	4	14
5	Indonesia		2		2
6	Japan	2	11	13	26
7	Korea	8	108	22	138
8	Malaysia		4	1	5
9	Mongolia		2		2
10	Singapore		6	1	7
11	Sri Lanka		1		1
12	Taiwan	2	19	6	27
13	Thailand	1	3	1	5
14	USA		1		1
15	Uzbekistan		1		1
16	5 Vietnam		9	1	10
	Total	20	238	63	321

3) Participation by Country

No	Country	No. of Participants	No	Country	No. of Participants
1	Korea	700	12	Mongolia	9
2	Australia	10	13	Myanmar	2
3	China	48	14	Norway	1
4	France	1	15	Philippines	1
5	Germany	1	16	Singapore	15
6	Hong Kong	4	17	Sri Lanka	1



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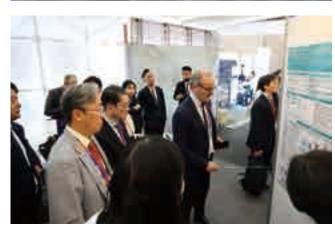
7	India	12	18	Taiwan	54
8	Indonesia	4	19	Thailand	7
9	Ireland	1	20	USA	12
10	Japan	60	21	Uzbekistan	1
11	Malaysia	8	22	Vietnam	12
		964			













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The 12th Annual Meeting of Asian Organization for Crohn's & Colitis



X/am, China / June 14-16, 3024

Welcome to AOCC2024

Dear colleagues, friends, and AOCC members,

It is a great pleasure and honor to extend my warmest invitation to you to attend the 12^{th} Annual Meeting of Asian Organization for Crohn's and Colitis (AOCC2024) to be held in Xi'an, "the China National Central City" from June $14^{th}-16^{th}$, 2024.

AOCC2024 is jointly hosted by China Anti-Cancer Association (CACA) Enterology Committee and Asian Organization for Crohn's and Colitis (AOCC), and organized by Chinese Society of Inflammatory Bowel Disease (CSIBD) under the umbrella of Chinese Society of Gastroenterology (CSG).

Although much advance in therapeutic management for inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) has been achieved by molecular targeted biologics and agents, the fundamental pathogenesis of the disease remains unclear. A better understanding of the pathogenesis of IBD is urged for clinicians and researchers to maximize the drug efficacy and improve healthcare quality. With the theme of "Facing Challenges of Inflammatory Bowel Disease" the Conference is to provide a comfortable forum to update knowledge and explore the innovations in the field of IBD, from basic research to clinical practice. It would offer you plenty of networking opportunities to meet and interact with the professors, researchers, colleagues and friends as well as sponsors and exhibitors.

This is also a great chance to experience Xi'an, the China National Central City and the Birthplace of Chinese Civilization. Being one of the ancient capital cities in the country, Xi'an will offer you with a variety of attractions to see and enjoy. You will be impressed by its rich history, preserved sceneries, culture and artistic life.

Looking forward to welcoming you all to Xi'an.

Yours sincerely,



Kaichun Wu

Congress president The 12th AOCC Annual Meeting

Past-President Chinese Society of Inflammatory Bowel Disease

Chairman
The Committee of Enterology
CACA



Zhanju Liu

Co-chairman The 12th AOCC Annual Meeting

President
Asian Organization for
Crohn's & Colitis



Minhu Chen

Co-chairman The 12th AOCC Annual Meeting

President Chinese Society of Inflammatory Bowel Disease

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Kran, China / June 14-15, 2024

General Information

Congress Name

The 12th Annual Meeting of Asian Organization for Crohn's & Colitis

Date

Jun 14 (Fri) to16 (Sun), 2024

Theme

Facing Challenges of Inflammatory Bowel Disease

Venue

Xi'an International Convention Center

Congress President

Prof. Kaichun Wu

Co-chairmen

Prof. Minhu Chen Prof. Zhanju Liu

Organizers

China Anti-Cancer Association (CACA)
The Committee of Enterology CACA
Asian Organization for Crohn's and Colitis (AOCC)

Hosts

Chinese Society of Inflammatory Bowel Disease
Xijing Hospital of Fourth Military Medical University

Abstract Submission Deadline

Apr 10,2024

Website

www.aocc2024.com





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Organization

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Kaichun Wu (Xi'an)

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Minhu Chen (Guangzhou) Zhanju Liu (Shanghai)

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Jie Liang (Xi'an) Ren Mao (Guangzhou)

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Yue Li (Beijing)

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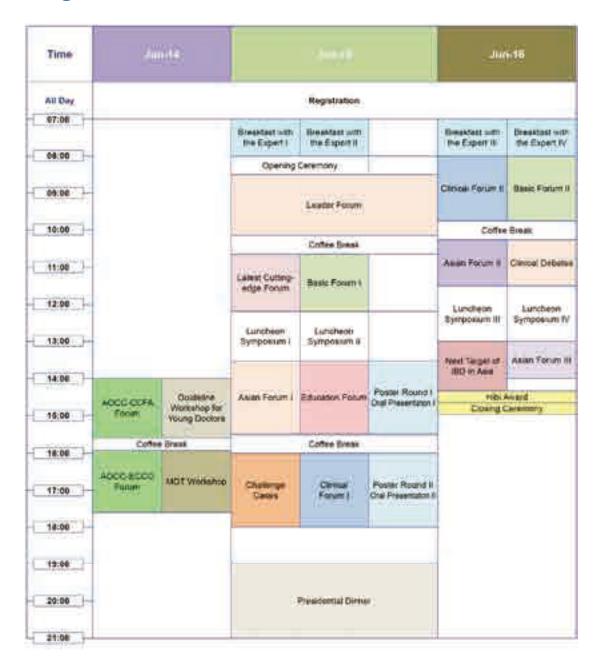
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K7an, China 7 June 14-15, 2014

Program at Glance







New Board Members



Zhihua Ran
Professor of Medicine
Zhou Pu Hospital, affiliated to Shanghai University of Medicine & Health
Sciences, Shanghai, China

Dear colleagues,

I was honored to be elected as the new governing board member of AOCC in 2022. Since its establishment in 2013, AOCC has made significant progress and achievements in basic and clinical research of IBD in this area after more than one decade of development. Meanwhile, the AOCC organization is growing and improving gradually, with better regional representation. The annual meeting of AOCC, with cutting-edge academic knowledge, has attracted more and more attention from clinicians and researchers in this region, and has become an expected annual academic event. Since its establishment, AOCC has strengthened and attached importance to establishing collaborating with ECCO, CCFA, and other global IBD organizations. Each AOCC annual meeting invites international IBD experts to participate in academic exchanges, engages in East-West academic dialogue, and shares the latest international IBD basic and clinical progress. The AOCC-ECCO Joint Forum provides a platform for the exchange of the latest research achievements between the East and the West, and has also become a model for bilateral exchanges among international organizations. The AOCC-ECCO travel award provides a channel for cross regional communication among young scholars from both East and West. It's delighted to know that after years of continuous joint efforts, Intestinal Research, the official journal of AOCC finally has its first impact factor of 4.9 this year. These achievements were attained by the joint efforts of AOCC and regional IBD societies, and are commendable. As a member of the AOCC governing board, I am willing to contribute to the further development of AOCC.

Sincerely

Zhihua Ran



New Board Members



Masayuki Saruta
Chairman and Professor, Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology,
Department of Internal Medicine, The Jikei University School of Medicine

My name is Masayuki Saruta and I have just been appointed to the Board member of the AOCC. The AOCC is an important organization for the future development of IBD in Asia, and I also believe that it will become an even larger organization in the future.

I will do my best to make AOCC the world's leading IBD society.

Education/Post Graduate Training:

College/University: 1991-1997: MD: The Jikei University School of Medicine, Tokyo, JAPAN 2002-2005: PhD: The Jikei University School of Medicine, Tokyo, JAPAN (2002-2004: Department of Pathology, Tohoku University, Miyagi, JAPAN)

Residency: 1997-1999: Resident in Internal Medicine, The Jikei University School of Medicine Fellowship: 1999-2002: Fellow in Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Department of

Internal Medicine, The Jikei University School of Medicine

Teaching Activities- Hospital or Office-based:

2007- 2012: Instructor of Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, The Jikei University School of Medicine

2012- 2016: Assistant Professor of Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Department of Internal Medicine, The Jikei University School of Medicine

2016 Apr - present: Chairman and Professor of Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology,

Department of Internal Medicine, The Jikei University School of Medicine

Academic Research:

2005-2007: Researcher Post Doctor: Inflammatory Bowel Disease Center, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Los Angeles, USA.



New Board Members



Jae Hee Cheon, MD Severance Hospital, Yonsei University Health System

It is with great pleasure and a sense of profound responsibility that I became a governing board member of AOCC.

Having been involved in the establishment and operation of this esteemed committee, I am truly honored to witness the progress we have made over the years.

As we look back on our journey, we also acknowledge the invaluable contributions of the first-generation board members.

Now we should step into a new phase of growth with novel IBD treatment. I am wholeheartedly committed to leveraging my experience and dedication to take the AOCC to new heights. Our mission to advance research, innovating medical paradigms on IBDs is more important than ever, and I will do my best to make it a leading organization.

I extend my gratitude once more for this extraordinary opportunity. With the utmost regard and warmest wishes,

Jae Hee Cheon, MD

ECCO-AOCC Visiting Travel Grant Report

Awardee: Jun Miyoshi, M.D., Ph.D.

Department of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Kyorin University School of Medicine

Although I needed to postpone my visit to Städtisches Klinikum Lüneburg due to a global COVID-19 outbreak, I could finally visit and have an intestinal ultrasound (IUS) training there in August-September 2022. I thank everyone for supporting this great opportunity.

The purpose of my visit was to learn IUS for inflammatory bowel disease (IBD) in daily practice in Europe. Today ECCO and International Bowel Ultrasound (IBUS) Group collaborate and lead the field of IBS-IUS. Since we also started IBD-IUS in our facility, I would have liked to learn about the current situation as well as the IUS techniques and training system in the leading facility. During this visit, I realized that IBD-IUS is commonly used as a point-of-care manner in the clinical setting and contributes to clinical decision-making. I also could experience many IBD-IUS cases with educational feedback. I appreciate the mentorship and friendship of supervisors and colleagues in Lüneburg.

Jun Miyoshi

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