

April 2013

Report from the Asian Regency of IFEA, 2013

- # The 9th World Endodontic Congress is going to be held in Tokyo on 23rd-26th May 2013. This Congress will become a good opportunity to disseminate professional information concerning endodontics internationally, especially in the Asian region.
- # Efforts have been made to increase IFEA members, including the HKES (Hong Kong) and ESP (Philippines) who resigned from IFEA membership in 2009. The ESP is supposed to rejoin IFEA in May this year.
- # The 17th Scientific Meeting of APEC (Asian Pacific Endodontic Confederation) chaired by Dr. Sung Kyo Kim took place in Seoul on 23rd-24th March 2013, resulted in a great success.
- # As of April 2012, there are four IFEA member societies/associations in the Asian Regency from four countries; India, Japan, Korea and Thailand.

1. Indian Endodontic Society (IES)

<http://www.iesonline.org>

- 1) Contact Person: Dr. K.S. Banga ksbanga@gmail.com
- 2) Board of Directors
 - President: Dr. Naseem Shah
 - President-elect: Dr Anil Kohli
 - Vice-presidents: Dr Gopikrishna, Dr Mitra Hegde, Dr Sharad Chandra
 - Secretary General: Dr. K.S. Banga
 - Joint Secretary: Dr. Sharad Kamat
 - Treasurer: Dr: Jaidev Dhillon
 - Editor: Dr. B. Suresh Chandra
 - Assoc. Editor: Dr Sanjay Miglani, Dr Vivek Hegde
 - Executive Committee: 14 members
- 3) Official Journal
 - Endodontology** is available online at: <http://medind.nic.in/eaa/eaam.shtml>
 - The Journal is an official biannual publication of IES. The latest issue was published in December 2012 (Vol.24, No.2).
- 4) Branches
 - IES has 16 chapters in different parts of the country.
- 5) Events
 - 20th IES National conference took place in Dubai on 6th-9th December, 2012. The 21st National conference of IES will take place in Hyderabad in Nov, 2013

2. Japan Endodontic Association (JEA)

<<http://www.jea.gr.jp/english>>

1) Contact Person: Dr. Hideaki Suda h.suda.endo@tmd.ac.jp

2) Members

JEA has 1,898 members as of 31st December 2011.

3) Board of Directors (Jan 2012 -Dec 2013)

President: Dr. Akifumi Akamine

Vice-presidents: Drs.Hiroaki Kukidome, Masaki Hayashi, Hidemi Kurihara

Immediate-past President: Dr. Masahiro Taguchi

Secretary: Dr. Katsuya Sakuma

Deputy Secretary: Dr. Takashi Matsuo

Treasurer: Dr: Masaru Igarashi

Editor: Dr. Hidemi Kurihara

Executive Directors: 10

4) Official Journal

The Journal of Japan Endodontic Association is published three times a year.

The latest issue was published in January 2013 (Vol.34, No.1).

5) Branches

The Association has three regional branches in the eastern, middle and western parts of Japan.

6) Events

The 33rd Annual Meeting of JEA took place in Tokyo on 16th -17th June 2012.

The 9th World Endodontic Congress of IFEA is going to be held in Tokyo on 23rd -26th May 2013 in conjunction with the 34th Annual Meeting of JEA and the 11th

Joint Meeting between JEA and KAE. For the newest information on the 9th WEC,

Please visit <<http://www2.convention.co.jp/ifea2013>>.

3. Korean Academy of Endodontics (KAE)

<<http://www.endodontics.or.kr>>

1) Contact Person: Dr. Sung Kyo Kim skykim@knu.ac.kr

2) Members

Currently KAE has 515 members.

3) Board of Directors (2012-2014)

President: Dr. Ho-Keel Hwang

President-elect: Dr. Yong-Beon Cho

Immediate-past President: Dr. Tae-Seok Oh

Secretary General: Dr. Jin-Woo Kim

Treasurer: Dr: Sang-Hyuk Park

Editorial Director: Dr. Il-Young Jung

Executive Directors: 10

4) Official Journal

The Journal of Korean Academy of Endodontics is published half-yearly.

The latest issue was published in March 2012 (Vol.13, No.1).

5) Events

The 41st Annual Scientific Meeting was held at SETEC, Seoul on 24th -25th March 2012 in conjunction with the 10th Joint Meeting between KAE and JEA. The 17th Scientific Meeting of APEC (Asian Pacific Endodontic Confederation) was held at Coex in Seoul on 23rd.24th March 2013.<See <http://www.apec2013.kr> for detailed information.>

4. Endodontic Society of Thailand (EST)

<<http://www.thaiendodontics.com>>

1) Contact Person: Dr. Uraiwan Chokechanachaisakul uraiwan.c@chula.ac.th

2) Members

EST has 1,460 members as of 4th May 2013.

3) Board of Directors (Jan 2012-Dec 2013)

President: Dr. Kwanta Jaru-ampornpan

President-elect: Dr. Kallaya Yanpiset

Vice-president: Dr. Piyanee Panitvisai

Secretary: Dr. Pranee Hongskul

Academic Committee: Dr. Pairoj Linsuwanont

Deputy Academic Committee: Dr. Pavena Chivatxaranukul

Treasurer: Dr. Anchana Panichuttra

Deputy Treasurer: Dr. Piyanuch Chanajarunwit

Registrar: Dr. Chayanee Chatvanichkul

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Editor: Dr. Phumisak Louwakul

Deputy Editor: Dr. Thanomsuk Jearanaiphaisarn

Conference Administrator: Dr. Parichart Tangkrisanakajorn

Web Site Committee: Dr. Punyawee Werasopon

Foreign Affairs: Dr. Uraiwan Chokechanachaisakul

Committee: Dr. Patcharin Porkaew, Dr. Jaruma Sakdee

Advisory Board: 7

4) Official Journal

The Journal of the Endodontic Society of Thailand is published half-yearly.

The latest issue was published in December 2012 (Vol.17, No.2).

5) Events

The 1st Academic Meeting 2012, "Practical Facts for Success" was held on the 5th February 2012 in Bangkok. More than 200 members attended the Meeting.

The 2nd Academic Meeting 2012, "Controversy in Endodontics" and Annual Conference 2012 were held on the 19th and 20th of November 2012 in Bangkok, containing a half-day workshop on "NiTi Rotary Instruments", where more than 400 members attended.

The Executive Directors meetings took place five times in 2012 to discuss academic activities, strategic plans, annual budget and other agenda.

Hideaki Suda (IFEA Asian Regent)

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5. Endodontic Society of the Philippines (ESP)

[http:// www.endodonticsocietyphilippines.com/](http://www.endodonticsocietyphilippines.com/)

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The Endodontic Society of the Philippines is the only organization in the Philippines composed of Endodontic specialists, dentists, active in endodontic practice, faculty members teaching Endodontics as well as general dental practitioners interested in Endodontics.

The Society's varied activities are focused on continuing education program. Its members are very active in sharing their knowledge and skills in Endodontics not only domestically but also internationally.

Over two decades of growth, ESP has elevated and maintained the highest standard of care in Endodontics by the Professional Regulation Commission as a specialty of Dentistry in the Philippines.

The Endodontic Society of the Philippines, Inc. is committed to its fundamental and humane concept: We Share While We Care.

Calendar of Activities 2012-2014

1. July 15, 2012, 16th Biennial Convention and Induction Ceremony, Revolutionizing Endodontics in the Philippines, Unilab Bayanihan Hall, Pasig City,
3 foreign speakers and 1 Filipino Pediatric Dentist

2. August 6, 2012 Civic Action activity, ESP with PAGD at the St Paul Church in Makati City, 1/2 day activity
3. Oct 7, 1st Quarterly Seminar, Hi Tech Endodontics with Dr Jeeraphat Jantararat, Lecture Demo with Limited hands on activity, Bayanihan Hall, Unilab, Pasig City
4. Dec 4, 2012, 2nd Quarterly Seminar and Christmas Party, Dr Luigi Capati and Dr Grace Dey lectured on ? At the Crown Plaza Hotel in Pasig City
5. Jan-Feb 2013, ESP's 1st Modular Workshop, 7 day lecture and hands on course on Basic and Contemporary Endo, 14 participants at the UE Coll of Dentistry in Manila.
6. Mar 4, 2013, 3rd Quarterly Seminar, Challenging Molar Endodontics with Dr Philippe Guettier, 1/2 lecture series at the Bayanihan Hall, Unilab in Pasig City
7. PDA Convention, April 10-11, 2013 at the SMX Convention Center, Pasay City, Dr Elaine Del Rosario (CBCT in Endo), Dr Catherine Chia (Retx Endo Case Pres) and Dr Ida Vilorio (Shocking Tales in Dentistry, Save the Tooth and not the PJC) as lecturers. Prof Cheng Fei Zhang (2 part lect on Pulp Revascularization and Regeneration) as foreign guest lecturer in Endodontics.
8. July 14-15 annual convention of ESP which will host the ASEAN Endodontic Forum, 10 foreign speakers: Dr Ed Chow Debunking the Focal Infection Theory, Prof Ed Choi Lasers and Clinical Uses in Endo, Dr Ece Eden Endo Considerations in management of young trauma patients, Dr Chris Glass Achieving Endo Success, Dr Piyani Panitvisai Retx Endo Cases and Techniques, Dr Bernard Iskandar Reducing Microbes in Endo, Dr Dian Wahjuningrum Managing Biofilms in Endo, Dr Jeeraphat Jantararat, Regenerative Endo, Dr James Sagawa TMD and Cracked tooth, Dr Alex Moule Endo Management of traumatized Ant teeth. It is the goal of the forum to bring the ASEAN countries closer to each other to help one another towards progress in the region. 2 day activity at the Bayanihan Hall of Unilab, Pasig City.
9. Oct 8, 1st Quarterly Seminar, Simplifying Challenging Endodontics with Dr Patrick Caldwell 1/2 day Lecture Demo activity at the Bayanihan Hall of Unilab at Pasig City
10. Nov 2013, 2nd ESP Modular Workshop, 7 day lecture and hands on course on Basic and Contemporary Endodontics at the UE Coll of Dentistry, Manila
11. Dec 2, 2013 2nd Quarterly Seminar and

Christmas Party at the Crown Plaza Hotel, Dr Ida Vilorio and Dr Elaine Del Rosario as lecturers for Echo Lectures.

12. Mar 3, 2014, 3rd Quarterly Seminar

13. July 13, 2014, 17th Biennial Convention and Induction Ceremony. New administration will have a new calendar of activities.