

# NEWSLETTER



HKSSH 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress | HKSSH AGM | New Council 2022-2024 | AADO/HKSSH Conjoint Scientific Meeting | Commemorative Book of HKSSH | IFSSH, IFSHT & FESSH Combined Congress London 2022 | APOA and ISAKOS Webinars |

UPCOMING: Saturday IHM | HKSSH EGM | Certificate Course (Module 6) | HKOA annual Congress | DGH Congress 2022

## 34th HKSSH Annual Congress

Our 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress was held successfully on 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 with AAHS as our guest society. This year it was a 1.5 days online meeting in the period of the local 5<sup>th</sup> wave of COVID pandemic. There were 10 hand experts from the US joined the meeting as speakers. Together with our local speakers, organizing committee members and participation from 112 participants, we had fruitful discussion about various nerve conditions of the upper limbs.

**The Hong Kong Society for Surgery of the Hand**  
**34<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress**  
**香港手外科醫學會第三十四屆學術會議**  
 19-20 March, 2022  
 (Virtual Meeting)

**Nerves:  
 From Roots  
 to Tip**

Guest Society:  
**AAHS**  
 AMERICAN ASSOCIATION  
 FOR HAND SURGERY

Speakers from AAHS:  
 Julie ADAMS  
 Kyle EBERLIN  
 Glenn GASTON  
 Jason KO  
 Amy MOORE  
 Peter MURRAY  
 Nash NAAM  
 Mark REKANT

**Pre-Congress Workshop**  
 Date: 18 March 2022  
 Theme: Peripheral nerve release, tendon transfer, brachial plexus reconstruction  
 Venue: Anatomical Skills Centre, Lab 1001, 1/F, HKU Li Ka Shing Faculty of Medicine, 21 Sassoon Road, Pokfulam, Hong Kong

**Pre-Congress Workshop is cancelled.**

For enquiry:  
 E-mail: hksshsecretariat@gmail.com





Congratulations to Mr. Charles Cheuk Sang Lam who won the best free paper presentation in this year congress.

### HKSSH Annual General Meeting

This year's AGM was held on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 at 17:00 following the annual congress. Due to the ongoing COVID Pandemic, the AGM was conducted in a hybrid manner. The president's report and financial report had been approved. The new Council was elected. Congratulations!

### AADO/HKSSH Conjoint Scientific Meeting

Date: 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2022

Venue: Zoom + Orthopaedic Learning Centre, PWH

This meeting targeted health care professionals who are working in Orthopaedics, operating theatre or related areas. The theme this year was nerve injury. 29 participants enjoyed the online talk about nerve injury management in the morning, and a hand-on workshop for external fixation of the forearm and ultrasound demonstration of nerves in the afternoon.



## The New Council (2022-2024)

### President

Dr KOO Siu Cheong Jeffrey Justin, *Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital*

### Vice-President

Dr YAU Leung Kai Edmund, *Queen Elizabeth Hospital*

### President-Elect

Dr CHOW Esther Ching San, *United Christian Hospital*

### Honorary Secretary

Dr YIP Ka Yan, Emily, *Tuen Mun Hospital*

### Honorary Treasurer

Dr. FOK Woon Man Margaret, *Queen Mary Hospital*

### Council Members

Dr LEE Syn Yuk Michelle, *Tseung Kwan O Hospital*

Dr TAM Ka Ki, *Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital*

Dr TSE Wing Lim, *Prince of Wales Hospital*

### 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemorative Book

The 35th Anniversary Commemorative book of HKSSH is now available for download at our website under the session of "History of the HKSSH". There are summary of the speech from our past presidents and memorable history and photos of our society.

Please visit our website at <https://hkssh.org> and have a look.



### IFSSH, IFSHT & FESSH Combined Congress London 2022

Date: 7<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup> June, 2022

It was the largest hand meeting in these 2 years under the influence of COVID pandemic. The meeting was held in a hybrid format. There were over 3000 participants. Due to the travel restriction in Hong Kong and some Asian countries, a recorded program of the previous date meeting was available for review by registered participants.

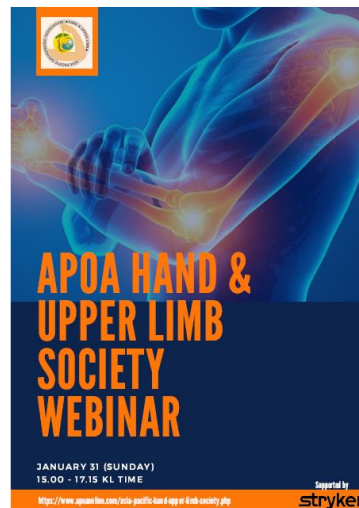
We hope in the near future we can participate this world wide meeting onsite and meet our friends from different hand societies soon.

### APOA and ISAKOS Webinars

HKSSH is the HK representative of these international committees / section to help organizing educational webinars for hand surgeons all over the world.

A webinar for "Advances in the Treatment of Joint Stiffness of the Elbow and Wrist" was held on 16<sup>th</sup> June 2022. It was presented by the ISAKOS Elbow Wrist & Hand Committee.

"APOA Hand and Upper Limb webinars" was organized by APOA Hand and Upper Limb Section. A series of webinars focused on education cater for basic and advanced hand and upper limb surgeons. They are now available on youtube and OrthoTV for review anytime.





### Saturday Interhospital Meeting

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2022

Format: Zoom

Topic: Complications of Hand Fractures

### HKSSH Extra General Meeting

This year's EGM will be held on 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 at 10:00 immediate after Saturday meeting. HKSSH members please reserve the date and details will be sent by email.

### Certificate Course (Module 6)

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2022

Venue / Format: to be confirmed

Time: 10:30-12:30

Course fees: Free of charge

The Module 6 of the certificate course was on "Fractures and Dislocation of the Upper Limb". Please pay attention to our future course announcement.

### HKOA Annual Congress

Date: 5<sup>th</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2022

Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

Theme: Off the Beaten Track. The unusual, the unexpected, the unmissable

Invited overseas speaker: Dr Shanlin Chen (China), Dr Wee Leon Lam (UK)

This year HKSSH will host a free paper session, a concurrent session and 2 plenary lectures in the HKOA annual congress. The theme of our concurrent session is "Congenital Hand".

### DGH Congress 2022

Date: 6-8<sup>th</sup> October, 2022

Venue: Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany

Theme: Children's hand, thumb and radial side wrist, mini-invasive procedures

HKSSH is the invited guest society for this German hand congress. We are much honour to be the speakers and share our knowledge with German hand surgeons and friends. Attendance is by invitation, HKSSH members who are interested to join please contact us at [hksshsecretariat@gmail.com](mailto:hksshsecretariat@gmail.com)

Prepared by  
Dr Emily Yip  
Honorary Secretary, HKSSH