



Scientific Program

March 27th : Post Graduate Course

Post Graduate Course A
Interventional Hepatology; with Videos
 March 27th 9:00-16:00 Room B-2

Endoscopic Techniques 9:00-10:25	
9:00-9:15	Esophageal Varices (EVL / EIS) Moderator: J Sollano (Philippines) Hiroshi Yoshida, Japan
9:15-9:30	Gastric Varices (BRTO) Moderator: A Toyonaga (Japan) Shozo Hirota, Japan
9:30-9:50	Biliary Intervention for Post RFA / TSPL, Cholelithiasis and Bleeding in Cirrhotics Moderator: H Maguchi (Japan) Hiroyuki Isayama, Japan
9:50-10:15	Double Balloon Endoscopy in Biliary Problems Moderator: J Sung (Hong Kong) Hironori Yamamoto, Japan
10:15-10:25	Double Balloon Endoscopy in Cirrhotics Moderator: T Kawabe (Japan) Mayumi Kodama, Japan

Diagnostic Techniques 10:40-11:50	
10:40-11:15	Basics; Contrast / Virtual Sonography Moderator: M Kudo (Japan) Fuminori Moriyasu, Japan Takao Iwasaki, Japan
11:15-11:35	Subsegmental TACE & CT / DSA System Moderator: M Okazaki (Japan) Osamu Matsui, Japan
11:35-11:50	Fibroscan Moderator: H Saito (Japan) Ryota Masuzaki, Japan

Treatment Techniques (HCC) 13:30-16:00
A. RFA / MCT / PEIT

13:30-13:50	How to Introduce ? Moderator: A Saito (Japan) Toshihito Seki, Japan
13:50-14:15	How to Treat at Difficult Locations Moderator: Y Osaki (Japan) Shuichiro Shiina, Japan
14:15-14:35	How to Avoid Complications Moderator: T Seki (Japan) Ryosuke Tateishi, Japan
14:35-15:05	How to Treat Large Tumors / Metastatic Tumors Moderator: S Shiina (Japan) Masatoshi Imamura, Japan Yukihiko Koike, Japan

B. Intraarterial Treatment

15:05-15:25	TAE & Port for Infusion Moderator: O Matsui (Japan) Shuntaro Obi, Japan
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Post Graduate Course B
Recent Progress in Basic Hepatology
 March 27th 9:00-16:00 Room B-1

9:00-9:15	HAV / HEV Update; Endemic Area Moderator: S Mishiro (Japan) Subrat K Acharya, India
9:15-9:30	HAV / HEV Update; Non-Endemic Area Moderator: SK Acharya (India) Shunji Mishiro, Japan
9:30-9:50	HCV Replication Update Moderator: N Enomoto (Japan) Takaji Wakita, Japan
9:50-10:10	HBV Genotype Update Moderator: T Okanoue (Japan) Masashi Mizokami, Japan
10:10-10:30	HBV Mutant Update Moderator: O Yokosuka (Japan) Stephen Locarnini, Australia
10:30-10:50	HCV Treatment Update Moderator: ER Schiff (USA) Michael Fried, USA
10:50-11:10	HBV Treatment Update Moderator: M Peters (USA) Ching-Lung Lai, Hong Kong
11:10-11:30	AIH Update Moderator: S Kakumu (Japan) Michael Manns, Germany
13:30-13:45	PBC Update Moderator: M Imawari (Japan) Minoru Nakamura, Japan
13:45-14:05	Hepatic Fibrosis Update Moderator: K Okita (Japan) Norifumi Kawada, Japan
14:05-14:25	Portal Hypertension Update Moderator: M Kojiro (Japan) Shiv K Sarin, India
14:25-14:45	Transplantation Update Moderator: S Arii (Japan) Masatoshi Makuuchi, Japan
14:45-15:05	NASH Update Moderator: S Onishi (Japan) Howard Thomas, UK
15:05-15:25	HCC Update Moderator: K Tanikawa (Japan) Masao Omata, Japan
15:25-15:45	How to Publish ? Moderator: SK Sarin (India) Massimo Colombo, Italy Yun-Fan Liaw, Taiwan

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March 28th : HBV Day

Opening Ceremony
 March 28th 9:30-10:00 Main Hall

APASL Guideline
Current & Future Guideline of HBV Treatment
 March 28th 10:00-11:30 Main Hall

Moderators: YF Liaw (Taiwan), M Omata (Japan)

10:00-10:15	American Guideline Anna S Lok, USA
10:15-10:30	Entecavir & Nucs Ching-Lung Lai, Hong Kong
10:30-10:45	Tenofovir Marion Peters, USA
10:45-11:00	Future APASL Guideline Yun-Fan Liaw, Taiwan
11:00- 11:30	Discussion

Presidential Plenary 1
Hepatitis B
 March 28th 11:30-12:30 Main Hall

Moderators: S Locarnini (Australia), DJ Suh (Korea)

11:30-11:40	O-011 Hepatitis B Virus Genotypes Influence on Viral Replication and Liver Injury in Vitro and in Vivo Yasuhito Tanaka, Japan
11:40-11:50	O-023 High HBV Replication Associated with Poor Survival in HCC Patients with Triple Core Promoter Mutant Jaw-Ching Wu, Taiwan
11:50-12:00	O-034 HBx Stimulates the Mitochondrial Translocation of Raf-1 via Oxidative Stress Jun Chen, USA
12:00-12:10	O-063 A Phase III Comparative Trial of Telbivudine vs Lamivudine in Chinese Patients: Two-Year Results Jin-Lin Hou, China

Controversies in Management of Hepatitis
 March 28th 14:00-16:00 Annex

Part 1: First-line Drug ?

Moderators: N Leung (Hong Kong), R Guan (Singapore)

14:00-14:10	Lamivudine / Adefovir / Entecavir Ching-Lung Lai, Hong Kong
14:10-14:20	Telbivudine Jidong Jia, China
14:20-14:30	Clevudine Hyo-Suk Lee, Korea

Part 2: Whom & How Long to Treat ?

Moderators: LA Lesmana (Indonesia), W Jafri (Pakistan)

14:30-14:40	Decompensated LC / Severe Hepatitis Osamu Yokosuka, Japan
14:40-14:50	Limited Length George Lau, Hong Kong
14:50-15:00	End of Treatment Hiroshi Yatsuhashi, Japan
15:00-15:10	Normal ALT Takeshi Okanoue, Japan
15:10-16:00	Discussion A Chutaputti (Thailand), YF Liaw (Taiwan)

HBV Now in Asia
 March 28th 14:00-16:00 Room B-1

Moderators: M Mizokami (Japan), DS Chen (Taiwan)

14:00-14:15	Molecular Epidemiology of HBV in Siberia, Russia Vladimir Chulanov, Russia
14:15-14:30	HBV Genotypes in Asian Countries Jia-Horng Kao, Taiwan
14:30-14:45	Epidemiology and Recombination of HBV in China Jin-Lin Hou, China
14:45-15:00	New HBV Subgenotypes in Indonesia David H Muljono, Indonesia
15:00-15:15	HBV Genotypes in Turkey Hakan Leblebicioglu, Turkey
15:15-15:30	HBV and HCC in South Asia Subrat K Acharya, India
15:30-15:45	The Hepatocarcinogenic Potential of Hepatitis B Virus in Sub-Saharan Africa Anna Kramvis, South Africa
15:45-16:00	Difference of HBV Genotype in Vivo and in Vitro Yasuhito Tanaka, Japan