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Come join us at Chennai, India in August 2018. Let us celebrate life with quality academics in sexual health care. Enjoy the academic feast at the 15th Congress of Asia Oceania Federation for Sexology (www.aofs2018.org) and cherish traditional Chennai hospitality.

Vaango Chennai (Vaango means welcome in local language Tamil)

Dr Narayana Reddy

Asia-Oceania Region Well Represented on WAS

The AOFS has three members elected to the Advisory Council of the World Association for Sexual Health. Professor Yuko Higashi (Japan) was re-elected to the Advisory Council, Dr Christopher Fox (Australia) and Dr Jeyarani Kamaraj (India) are newly elected to the Advisory. Professor Nam Cheol Park (South Korea) as the current AOFS President is also a member of the WAS Advisory Council. Professor Yuko Higashi and Dr Christopher Fox are also Co-Deputy Chairs of the WAS Sexual Rights Committee. Yuko, Christopher and Jeyarani are keen to see more activity from the Asia-Oceania region on the WAS stage. We wish them well for their term on the WAS Advisory Council.

Professor Ganesan Adaikan (Singapore), the immediate past Secretary-General and Treasurer, and Dr Narayana Reddy (India) did not stand for re-election of the WAS Advisory Council. The AOFS would like to acknowledge the dedication both members gave to the WAS Advisory Council.

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New Advisory Council for the WAS elected 2017

The General Assembly of the World Association for Sexual Health elected a new Advisory Council at the 2017 AGM for the next four-year term. Nineteen members were elected during the 23rd Congress of WAS in May at the Prague meeting. The Advisory Council also includes the Presidents of the Regional Federations as well as Past Presidents of the Association. The advisory Council also includes the 13-member Executive Committee.

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Jeyarani Kamaraj (India)

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Eli Coleman (USA) (1997-2001)

Marc Ganem (France) (2001-2005)

Eusebio Rubio-Aurioles (Mexico) (2005-2009)

Rosemary Coates (Australia) (2009-2013)

Kevan Wylie (UK) (2013-2017)

Photo of the 2017 Advisory Committee of WAS



Left to right: Jeyarani Kamaraj (India), Elna Rudolph (South Africa), Terry Humphreys (Canada), Erick Janssen (Belgium), Felipe Hurtado Murillo (Spain), Jaqueline Brendler (Brazil), Kevan Wylie (UK – Past President), Osmo Kontula (Finland), Ítor Finotelli (Brazil), Elsa Almas (Norway), Esther Corona (Mexico), Christopher Fox (Australia), Alain Giami (France), Pedro Nobre (Portugal – *President*), Sara Nasserzadeh (USA), Stefano Eleuteri (Italy), Yuko Higashi (Japan), Luis Perelman (Mexico), Patricia Pascoal (Portugal)
Absent: Patti Britton (USA)

Profile: Dr Pedro Nobre

Dr Nobre is a Professor of Psychology and Human Sexuality at Porto University, Portugal. He is a noted Portuguese researcher in human sexuality and now is the Director of Research Program in Human Sexuality or SexLab at Porto University.

Dr Nobre first became involved with the WAS as a participant in the World Congress meetings presenting research in 1999. He was elected to the Advisory Council in 2009 and was also appointed to the Scientific Committee. From 2013 he was Chairperson of the WAS Scientific Committee.

Dr Nobre stated, “the strength of WAS is in its global representation, together with the multi-disciplinary nature of its members and member organisations. This constitutes its unique distinctive characteristics. It is the oldest global organization in the field of sexual health. Born in 1978 it has been mostly concerned with sexual health and rights across the globe since then.”

Dr Nobre believes, “WAS should actively assume its role as a major global organization and bring together all other global and major regional societies in order to develop common strategies to achieve shared goals of good sexual health. To do this WAS needs to develop strategies to increase its membership especially from under-represented regions such as Asia and particularly Africa.”

Dr Nobre is supported by the Advisory Council. WAS is active throughout the world.

WAS President's Message

Dear colleagues,

It is with great pleasure that I share this message with you all as the new elected president of the World Association for Sexual Health (WAS).

I am deeply grateful for the trust that the WAS member societies and the new elected Advisory Committee (AC) members have deposited on me. I would also like to congratulate all colleagues who were just elected for the new WAS AC and send a word of recognition to the ones who have just completed their term.

Since my first experience with WAS, back in 1999 at the Hong-Kong Congress, I have been always impressed with the diversity, multicultural and multidisciplinary nature of this global organization.

I see WAS as the world's major umbrella organization in the field of sexual health /sexual rights, representing more than one hundred member organizations and several other global organizations from the five continents. Moreover, WAS is a truly multidisciplinary organization in line with the original spirit of Iwan Bloch when he first coined the term "*Sexualwissenschaft*" – the multidisciplinary science of sexuality, more than hundred years ago. This global representation together with the multidisciplinary nature are in my view the major strengths of WAS and constitute its unique distinctive characteristic.

WAS is also the oldest global organization in the field of sexual health, born in 1978 has been mostly concerned with sexual health and rights across the globe since then. Our mission statement summarizes this vision, emphasizing that WAS "promotes sexual health throughout human life spans all over the world by developing, promoting and supporting sexology and sexual rights for all".

In my view WAS should actively assume its role as a major global organization and bring together all other global and major regional societies in order to develop common strategies to achieve its common mission goals. In particular the strengthening of the strategic partnerships with WHO, PAHO and other UN organizations is crucial in pursuing these goals.

Besides this, WAS should strongly work towards increasing the global representation of organizational and individual members in cooperation with the regional federations, mainly from under-represented regions such as Asia-Oceania, Eastern Europe, Central America and particularly Africa.

WAS should also develop a consistent strategy to increase its global recognition and awareness across the globe. Initiatives such as the World Sexual Health Day and Youth initiatives together with a strong and ambitious media strategy play a central role in disseminating WAS' mission and goals.

On a more personal note, I see myself as someone who is always open to learn with others, break barriers, and build bridges. I hope these characteristics will be helpful in order to lead such a number of exceptional colleagues and organizations from all around the world, to accomplish WAS goals and mission.

Sincerely,

Pedro Nobre
President of the World Association for Sexual Health

Dr Pedro Nobre



Profile: Dr Christopher Fox

Dr Christopher Fox is the National Chairperson for the Society of Australian Sexologists. He is also a Senior Lecturer in Sexual Health (Sexology) at the Sydney Medical School, where he is the Pathway Coordinator for the Psychosexual Therapy Pathway in the Sydney Medical School's Postgraduate Program in Sexual and Reproductive Health.

Christopher runs a private clinic in psychosexual and relationship therapy in Melbourne. He has over 20 years experience in counselling and psychotherapy and for most of that time has specialised in the sexual wellbeing/health field. He works with men and their partners on issues of intimacy and sex with prostate cancer and believes everyone can have a healthy and enjoyable sex life.

Dr Christopher is a Clinical (Level 4) member of the Australian Counselling Association. He is the former President of the Victorian Branch of the Society of Australian Sexologists and also former Deputy Chair and Accreditation Officer of the National Council of the Society. He has worked as a practitioner, researcher and academic in counselling, public health and sexual health. He has previously worked with La Trobe University's Rural Health School, the University of Melbourne and the Australian Research Centre in Sex Health and Society. He was awarded a Fellowship of the Royal Society of Public Health for his contributions to health promotion and public health as well as a Licentiate in recognition of his skills in this area. He has appeared as an expert guest on national and local/community radio as well as other media outlets.



Dr Christopher Fox

Profile: Yuko Higashi

Yuko Higashi is a professor at Osaka Prefecture University in Japan, teaching Social Work and Sexual Health/Rights. She's a board member of Osaka Human Rights Association, Kansai AIDS Council (KAC), Japanese Association for Sex Education (JASE), and Japanese Association for GID. She's a co-founder of Sexuality Education and Empowerment (SEE). She had served as the co-chair of the Sexual Rights Committee for the World Association of Sexual Health for the last four years, and will serve again for the next four years as one of two vice-chairs. She's an Advisory Committee member of both AOFS and WAS.

One of her main interests centers on research in HIV/AIDS and includes her work in the HIV/AIDS community since 1990. She's been the head of a research team on Sex Work and HIV funded by Japan's Ministry of Health, Welfare and Labour since 2006. She has also devoted herself to issues surrounding gender nonconformity/diversity and has been working for an NGO called

Trans-Net Japan since 1995. Additionally, she served as a consultant for gender identity clinics of two university hospitals and on the Guideline Committee of the Japanese Association for Psychiatry and Neurology.



Dr Yuko Higashi

WAS request for support in ICD-11 classification

Dear WAS Members,

We write to you today to urge you to support the inclusion of two key proposals for revisions to ICD-11; specifically, that there should be a chapter on Conditions Related to Sexual Health, and that diagnoses employed to facilitate transgender people's access to gender affirming healthcare, Gender Incongruence, should be among those placed in this chapter. Both proposals have been widely supported by those involved in sexual health, and more specifically in the provision of healthcare to transgender people. As we approach the final year before the ICD-11's anticipated approval, it has come to our attention that each of these proposals may now be under threat.

We strongly support these proposals; however, we are deeply concerned that, in the absence of the proposed chapter, sexual and gender diagnoses will remain in the mental disorders section. This would be a serious setback to our understanding of sexual health conditions.

To give our opinion the greatest impact, we hope you will spend a few moments to register your support today with WHO. Please click the following link to the ICD 11 Beta Website: <http://apps.who.int/classifications/icd11/browse/l-m/en>. You will then be asked to register and create a login profile (<http://apps.who.int/classifications/icd11/trainingvideos/>) and finally add commentary (<http://apps.who.int/classifications/icd11/trainingvideos/3rd%20video%20Comments%20and%20SAQs/3rd%20video%20Comments%20and%20SAQs.html>).

In addition to adding some words of your own, we strongly recommend that you include one or both of the following two paragraphs:

We (I) urge the World Health Organization to remain fully committed to inclusion of a chapter on Conditions Related to Sexual Health in ICD-11 in the version to be presented for approval at the World Health Assembly. We (I) also urge WHO member states to support the proposed chapter.

We (I) urge the World Health Organization to remain fully committed to locating the proposed diagnosis of Gender Incongruence of Adolescence and Adulthood within the chapter on Conditions Related to Sexual Health. We (I) also urge member states to support the proposed placement.

The deadline for the comment period is June 1, 2017. We, therefore, encourage you to share this widely with your networks and support the proposed chapter on Conditions Related to Sexual Health and placing the proposed diagnosis of Gender Incongruence of Adolescence and Adulthood within that chapter. Please take this action in support of sexual health before June 1, 2017.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Prof Kevan Wylie

Past President of WAS.

Below is a link to a recently published commentary which explains our position in more detail that was written by all of the Past Presidents of WAS:

<http://www.tandfonline.com/eprint/NI3nGiGKe2Y9urAFwmgI/full>

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Sunday 28 **May 2017**

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-03: DEVELOPING STANDARDS OF CARE FOR DISCRIMINATION-FREE SEXUAL HEALTH SERVICES (UNAIDS SYMPOSIUM)

THE ASIA PACIFIC TRANS HEALTH BLUEPRINT TOWARDS DISCRIMINATION-FREE HEALTHCARE
Joe Wong (Thailand)

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-04: THE ADVANCED RESEARCH OF SEXUAL SCIENCE AND RICH CHINESE SEXUAL ARTS (WORLD CHINESE SOCIETY FOR SEXOLOGY SYMPOSIUM)

RESEARCH ON THE CHARACTERISTICS OF SEXUAL PAINTINGS, SEXUAL SCULPTURES AND SEXUAL EXPRESSIONS IN CHINA
Mingming Li, Peicheng Hu (China)

CHINESE SEX HUMOROUS PHOTOGRAPHY
Lin Tao (China)

THE ADVANCED RESEARCH OF CLITORIS ORGASM AND VAGINAL CLIMAX
Qian Yang (China)

THE NEW TECHNIQUE FOR TREATMENT OF ED
Qinghua Wang (China)

"JIE NA CREAM" FOR FEMALE SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION (FSD) AND SEXUAL ORGANS HEALTH RESEARCH
Jianzhong Zha (China)

THE ANALYSIS OF THE PSYCHOLOGICAL EXPERIENCE FOR FEMALE SEXUAL ORGASM IN CHINA
Peicheng Hu, Rui Yang (China)

EVOLUTIONARY AND SOCIAL COGNITIVE MODELS OF JEALOUSY: A POPULATION - REPRESENTATIVE STUDY

Richard de Visser, Juliet Richters, Chris Rissel, Judy Simpson, Andrew Grulich (UK & Australia)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-01: SEXUAL MEDICINE

GAY AND BISEXUAL MEN ALTERNATE WAYS OF OBTAINING ERECTILE DYSFUNCTION MEDICATION AND THEIR REASONS FOR USE
Mohamed Hammoud, Fengyi Jin, Toby Lea, Garrett P. Prestage (Australia)

OFF-LABEL USE OF ERECTILE DYSFUNCTION MEDICATION TO ENHANCE SEX AMONG GAY AND BISEXUAL MEN IN AUSTRALIA

Mohamed Hammoud, Fengyi Jin, Toby Lea, Lisa Maher, Garrett P. Prestage (Australia)

WHO'S IN THE SPOTLIGHT? INTERROGATING SEXUALITY AND DISORDER IN ICD-11
Sam Winter (Australia)

IMPACT OF THE HEALTH-BASED APPROACH ON SOGIE IN JAPAN
Yuko Higashi (Japan)

BIASES OF VISUAL ATTENTION IN SEXUAL ANXIETY: AN EYE-TRACKING STUDY
YenChin Lin, Yungjui Huang, Yuanhsiung Chu (Taiwan)

ZINC INDUCES LIPOPOLYSACCHARIDE-MEDIATED UPREGULATION OF HUMAN B-DEFENSIN-2 IN HUMAN PROSTATE EPITHELIAL CELLS

Jun Hyun Han, Min Su Kim, Hae Jong Kim, Jaehyouk Lee, Soon Chul Myung (South Korea)

EFFECT OF VEIN GRAFT IN PEYRONIE'S DISEASE ON VASCULARITY
Dong Sup Lee, Seung-Ju Lee (South Korea)

INCONTINENCE AND SEXUAL FUNCTIONALITY... A PROBLEM?

Rochelle Hamilton (Australia)

THE LIVED EXPERIENCES OF ASEXUAL-SPECTRUM IDENTIFYING MALES

Scott Donatti, P. J. Matt Tilley (Australia)

GAY MEN, SEXUALITY AND MENTAL HEALTH AFTER PROSTATE CANCER

Gary Dowsett, Duane Duncan, Daniel Du Plooy, Andrea Waling, Garrett Prestage (Australia)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-02: LGBT – PART 2

MASCULINITY, FEMININITY, AND SEXUAL PREFERENCES IN SEXUAL ENCOUNTERS AMONG AUSTRALIAN GAY AND BISEXUAL MEN

Garrett Prestage, Steven Philpot, Iryna Zablotska, Johann Kolstee, Benjamin Bavinton (Australia)

BRIEF COMMUNICATIONS SESSION BC-2: SEXUALITY EDUCATION

WOMEN'S EXPERIENCES OF AND ATTITUDES TOWARDS SEXUALLY EXPLICIT IMAGES ON SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES

P. J. Matt Tilley, Dana Colman (Australia)

A RESEARCH ON SELF-PARTICIPANT SEXUAL HEALTH EDUCATION AMONG MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Dashuai Lian, Bei Yang, Nana Peng, Yesheng Wang, Zhenyun Huang, Fan Yuan, Zhenyu Pan, Xinrui Feng, Xiaobin Shen, Bei Wang (China)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-03: SEXUALITY EDUCATION – PART 2

THE FOUNDATION OF SEXOLOGICAL EDUCATION: BELIEFS, ATTITUDES AND VALUES

P. J. Matt Tilley (Australia)

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BRIEF COMMUNICATIONS SESSION BC-3: GENDER AND SEXUALITY

CHINESE WOMEN'S SEXUAL DESIRE IN THE PATRIARCHAL SOCIETY

Qian Yang, Peicheng Hu (China)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-1: SEXUAL HEALTH

WOMEN'S NEED FOR INCREASED AWARENESS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE GRIEF AND LOSS ASSOCIATED WITH MISCARRIAGE

Jade Bilardi, Clare Bellhouse, Meredith Temple-Smith, Shaun Watson (Australia)

Tuesday 30 May 2017

PLENARY LECTURE

SEXUAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AT HARBIN MEDICAL UNIVERSITY CHINA: LESSONS LEARNED

Maryanne Doherty, Matt Tilley, Peng Tao (Canada, Australia & China)

BRIEF COMMUNICATIONS SESSION BC-4: MISCELLANEOUS

SEXUAL ACTIVITY IN THE ELDERLY JAPANESE

Chineko Araki, Hirohisa Imai, Hiroyuki Nakao, Hidehiro Sugisawa, Fusako Seki, Nanako Tamiya (Japan)

PORN LITERACY: RAISING SEXUALLY INTELLIGENT YOUNG PEOPLE

Naomi Hutchings (Australia)

SEXUALITY RESEARCH IN THE ERA OF HIV AND AIDS: ENHANCING OR DAMAGING HUMAN SEXUALITY?

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Sharful Islam Khan (Bangladesh)

BRIEF COMMUNICATIONS SESSION BC-5: TREATMENT

THE THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL IMPLICATIONS OF SEX THERAPY ONLINE

Dariusz Skowronski, Katarzyna Waszynska (Japan & Poland)

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-16: SEXUALITY EDUCATION AND THERAPY: PERSPECTIVES FROM SSSS MEMBERS (SSSS SYMPOSIUM)

25 YEARS OF SEX EDUCATION AND SEXUAL HEALTH OUTCOMES AMONG AUSTRALIAN ADOLESCENTS

Christopher Fisher (Australia)

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-20: GLOBAL SEXUAL HEALTH RESEARCH WITH VULNERABLE POPULATIONS: PERSPECTIVES FROM SSSS MEMBERS (SSSS SYMPOSIUM)

SEXUAL HEALTH AND VULNERABLE POPULATIONS IN PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Kelwyn Browne (Papua New Guinea)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-3: CLINICAL SEXOLOGY II

PARTY DRUG USE AND SEXUAL RISK BEHAVIOURS AMONG GAY AND BISEXUAL MEN

Mohamed Hammoud, Fengyi Jin, Lisa Maher, Garrett P. Prestage (Australia)

THE DISINCENTIVES OF PREGNANCY AND REQUESTS TOWARD HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS OF LESBIAN AND BISEXUAL FEMALES IN JAPAN

Yining Tu, Natsuko Kojima, Ikuko Iwamoto, Fumiko Miyazaki (Japan)

WOMEN VIEW KEY SEXUAL BEHAVIOURS AS THE TRIGGER FOR THE ONSET AND RECURRENCE OF BACTERIAL VAGINOSIS

Jade Bilardi, Sandra Walker, Meredith Temple-Smith, Ruth Mcnair, Julie Mooney-Somers, Lenka Vodstrcil, Clare Bellhouse, Christopher Fairley, Catriona Bradshaw (Australia)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-4: SEXUAL BEHAVIORS

SEXUAL FANTASIES IN INDIAN MALE

Pawan Rathi, Ganpat Vankar, Nishant Ohri, Amandeep Gill (India)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-06: AGE AND SEXUALITY

PORNOGRAPHY AS A SOURCE OF EDUCATION ABOUT SEX AND SEXUALITY AMONG A SAMPLE OF 15–29 YEAR OLD AUSTRALIANS

Angela Davis, Elise Carrotte, Margaret Hellard, Meredith Temple-Smith, Megan Lim (Australia)

DELAY IN APPROVAL OF OC IN JAPAN AND DECLINE OF SEXUAL BEHAVIOR

Maki Hirayama (Japan)

FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH SEXUALITY IN POSTPARTUM COUPLES

Tomoko Saotome, Nobuhiko Sukanuma (Japan)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-5: GENDER AND ORIENTATION

WHAT IS ACTUALLY GOING ON? A PILOT PARTICIPATIVE STUDY WITH IRISH TRANSGENDER YOUNG PEOPLE

Siobhán O'Higgins, Patrick Murphy, Maggie Kirkman, Karalyn McDonald (Ireland & Australia)

THE EFFECTS OF AGE PREFERENCES IN SEXUAL ENCOUNTERS AMONG AUSTRALIAN GAY AND BISEXUAL MEN

Garrett Prestage, Fengyi Jin, Steven Philpot, Phillip Keen, Iryna Zablotska, Johann Kolstee, Benjamin Bavinton (Australia)

A STUDY OF TRENDS OBSERVED IN SELF-IDENTIFIED 'ASEXUAL' PEOPLE

Pragati Singh (India)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-05: MISCELLANEOUS I

SEXUALITY EDUCATION AND HOOKUP CULTURE IN TAIWAN

Yu-Chia Chiu, Chun-Ming Shih (Taiwan)

FROM PHYSICAL SEX THERAPY TO ENTERTAINMENT: THE MOTIVATIONS OF WOMEN BUYING SEX IN AUSTRALIA

Hilary Caldwell, John De Wit (Australia)

SEX WORKERS WHO PROVIDE SERVICES TO CLIENTS WITH DISABILITY IN NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA

Rachel Wotton (Australia)

SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN SEXUAL SURROGACY, SEX WORK AND FACILITATED SEXUAL ASSISTANCE

Rachel Wotton, Saul Isbister (Australia)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-07: MISCELLANEOUS II

KISSING IS ASSOCIATION WITH THE SOURCE FOR MEETING CASUAL PARTNERS IN MEN WHO HAVE SEX WITH MEN

Eric Chow, David Priest, Sandra Walker, Vincent Cornelisse, Marcus Chen, Catriona Bradshaw, Tiffany Phillips, Christopher Fairley (Australia)

YOUNG MEN OR FAMILY DOCTORS: WHO INITIATES SEXUAL HEALTH DISCUSSIONS?

Meredith Temple-Smith, Archibald Collyer, Siobhan Bourke (Australia)

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WAS SESSION: WOMEN AND SEX

FEMALE MASTURBATION: PREVALENCE, CHARACTERISTICS & THERAPEUTIC IMPLICATIONS

P. Ganesan Adaikan (Singapore)

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-23: SEXUAL FUNCTION IN SOUTH INDIAN POPULATION PERSPECTIVE – A PROSPECTIVE COHORT STUDY (IAFS SYMPOSIUM)

SEMEN PARAMETERS AND SEXUAL FUNCTION IN SOUTH INDIAN MALE

Thangasamy Kamaraj (India)

UNEXPLAINED INFERTILITY AND SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION AMONG INFERTILE SOUTH INDIAN WOMEN

Jeyarani Kamaraj (India)

VAGINISMUS – PAIN IN SEX

K. J. Nivedhitha (India)

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-24: OPERATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR SEXUAL HEALTH AND ITS LINKAGES TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH (WHO SYMPOSIUM)

RESEARCH AND PROGRAM ON SEXUAL HEALTH AND SEXUALITY IN BANGLADESH: SUCCESSES AND CHALLENGES

Sharful Islam Khan (Bangladesh)

BRIEF COMMUNICATIONS SESSION BC-6: CULTURE AND SEXUALITY

ANTI-AIDS RELATED KNOWLEDGE AMONG HIGH MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS IN CHINA, A SYSTEMIC ANALYSIS

Dashuai Lian, Bei Yang, Nana Peng, Yesheng Wang, Zhenyun Huang, Fan Yuan, Zhenyu Pan,

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Jeyarani Kamaraj (India)

VAGINISMUS – PAIN IN SEX

K. J. Nivedhitha (India)

SYMPOSIUM SESSION SY-24: OPERATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR SEXUAL HEALTH AND ITS LINKAGES TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH (WHO SYMPOSIUM)

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BRIEF COMMUNICATIONS SESSION BC-7: SEX AND VIOLENCE

SEXUAL VIOLENCE PREVENTION "ACTION OF GOVERNMENT AND A LOCAL SUPPORT CENTER FOR SEXUAL ASSAULT VICTIMS IN JAPAN"

Reiko Ohkawa, Yuko Okajima (Japan)

IMPLICIT AND EXPLICIT ATTITUDES TOWARD BONDAGE DISCIPLINE DOMINANCE SUBMISSION & SADOMASOCHISM

Shu-Ling Yang, Chun-Ming Shih (Taiwan)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-9: MISCELLANEOUS

SEXUAL BEHAVIORS OF PREMENOPAUSAL WOMEN IN TAIWAN

Yin-Jou Chou, Chun-Ming Shih (Taiwan)

SELLING DRUGS AND SEX AMONG AUSTRALIAN GAY AND BISEXUAL MEN

Garrett Prestage, Mohamed Hammoud, Lisa Maher, Toby Lea, Fengyi Jin (Australia)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-7: SEXUALITY EDUCATION

KNOWLEDGE ABOUT SEXUALITY IN INDIAN URBAN MEN

Pawan Rathi (India)

ORAL PRESENTATIONS SESSION OP-09: ATYPICAL SEXUALITY

AN EMERGING RISK FACTOR OF SEXUAL ABUSE VICTIMIZATION: THE USE OF SMARTPHONE DATING APPLICATIONS

Edmond Pui Hang Choi, Janet Yuen Ha Wong, Daniel Yee Tak Fong (Hong Kong)

MODERATED POSTERS SESSION MP-8: CULTURE AND SEXUALITY

EXTRAMARITAL AFFAIRS IN CONTEMPORARY JAPAN: CURRENT SITUATION AND TRENDS

Alice Pacher (Japan)

CASUAL SEX IS NOT THAT CASUAL: SAFETY BOUNDARY OF HOOKING UP IN URBAN CHINA

Jue Ren (China)

COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF COMMITTED SEXUAL JAPANESE-MONOCULTURAL AND JAPANESE -WESTERN RELATIONSHIPS

Dariusz Skowronski, John Andrews (Japan)

CONTEMPORARY MASCULINITY AND SEXUALITY IDENTITIES AMONG YOUNG JAPANESE MEN

Dariusz Skowronski, John Andrews, Takahiro Ogawa, Katarzyna Waszynska (Japan & Poland)

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Elaine Harvey for help with preparation .

Christopher Fox for material on WAS.

Invitation to participate

Our region, Asia covers a wide area and many diverse cultures. In order to achieve our goals of increasing the sexual wellbeing of our region we need to unite through networking, education and participation in joint ventures. This Newsletter is one way for us to work together in sharing information on activities happening in the region and what individual sexual health professionals are doing.

We ask that all members of AOFS contribute to this newsletter by submitting their country's Sexology Conference and educational meetings information, information on special education/ professional development programs, outcomes of sexological or education programs, acknowledgement awards given to members of AOFS, fun activities held by members and anything else that you feel would be of interest to other members of AOFS. Photos are welcome. We are planning 3 editions per year.

Please send contributions to the Newsletter to Margaret Redelman at:

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The next AOFS Newsletter will be due in November.

Warm regards

Dr Margaret Redelman OAM, Australia

Regional conferences

2017

July 10-15

2017 IASSCS (International Association for the Study of Sexuality, Culture and Society) Conference Breaking Boundaries: Sexuality, Gender, Reproduction, Health and Rights
Hosted by the College of Public Health Sciences, Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand
www.iasscs.org/2017-iasscs-conference

September 8-10

33rd National Conference of Sexology (CSEPI)
Jaipur, India
www.sexconindia.com

14-16 September

8 th International Congress for Gender & Sex Specific Medicine 2017
Sendai, Japan
www.isogem.com

27-30 November

9th APCRSHR (Asia Pacific Conference on Reproductive and Sexual Health and Rights)
Hanoi, Vietnam
www.apcrshr9vn.org

2018

17-19 August

15th Congress of AOFS
Chennai, India