

Invitation to the 29th

WORLD CONGRESS

OF THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION (IASP)

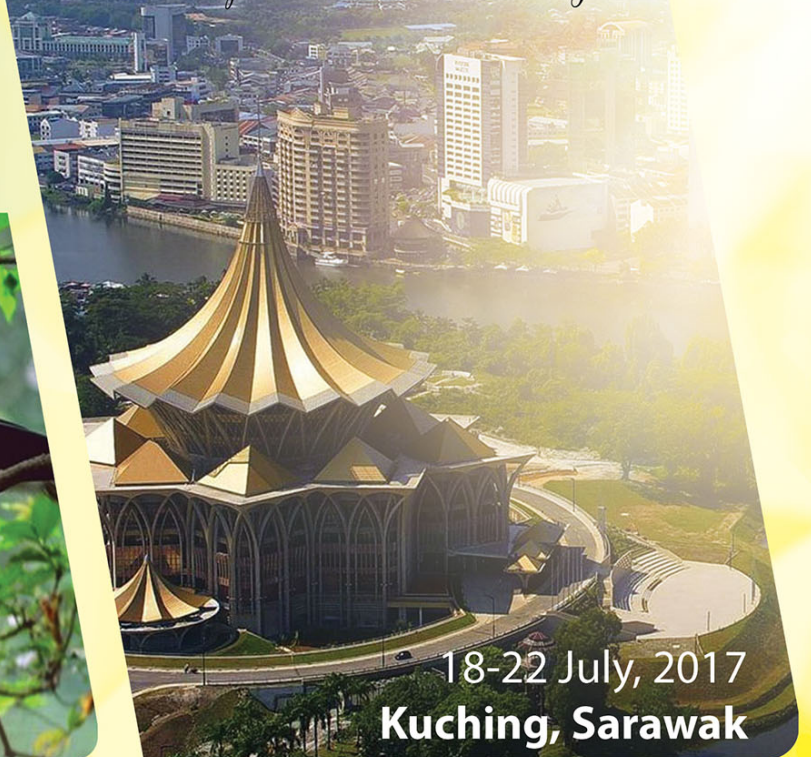
Revised 3rd announcement

“ Sarawak is known for its natural beauty ”

In conjunction with 21st

MALAYSIAN CONFERENCE

OF PSYCHOLOGICAL MEDICINE (MCPM)



18-22 July, 2017

Kuching, Sarawak

Dear Colleague,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee it gives me great pleasure to welcome you to the 29th World Congress of IASP, which will be held in Kuching the capital city of **Sarawak**, on the island of Borneo. It will be held from 18 – 22 July, 2017.

We have drawn up a comprehensive scientific program. Presentations would cover all aspects of suicide prevention – neurobiology and genetics, social and psychodynamic aspects, epidemiology, the role of technology, hotlines, culture and religion, and helping the bereaved etc.

With presenters and participants from practically every continent in the world, you will have a great chance of meeting and interacting with researchers and practitioners from all corners of the globe.

Additionally, **Sarawak** is known for its natural beauty, its fauna and flora and its unique culture. **Sarawak** is home to the orang utan, the hornbill and numerous other treasures of nature. That's just half of it.

So, Dear Colleague, come for the science, come for the sights, come to Kuching. For more information please visit our website: www.iasp2017.org

Looking forward to seeing you there.

Professor T. Maniam
On behalf of the Organizing Committee
29th World Congress of IASP

SPECIAL LECTURES

- Suicide among Refugees
- Suicide among the young – evidence-based approaches to prevention
- Motivation for suicidal behavior
- Restricting access to means
- Advances in biological treatment of suicidal persons
- Psychological treatment for suicide ideators/attempters

SYMPOSIA

- Asian Symposium, by prominent Asian speakers - covering Epidemiology, Culture, Policy issues, Evaluation of prevention programmes
- Social media in suicide prevention
- Neurobiology of suicide/neuroimaging studies
- Suicide in hospitals
- Psychodynamics of suicidal behavior
- Healthcare initiatives to achieve Zero Suicide
- Role of Religion
- Psychotherapy for suicidal individuals

Organizers



Co-organizers



Hospital Sentosa Kuching



Sarawak Branch

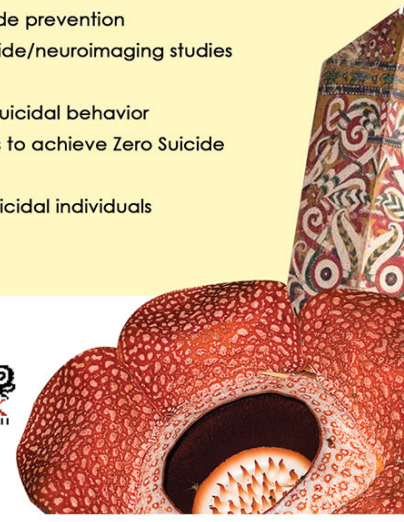


Kamal Fadzil Memorial Hospital

Supporting Agencies



SARAWAK





Early Bird Registration starts from 1st December until 31st May, 2017.
 Any registration from 1st June to 1st July, 2017, will be considered as Late Registration.
 On-line registration will close 1st July. Any registration from 1st July, 2017 will be done On-site.

Category of Delegates	Workshop	Early Bird (1 st December, 2016 to 31 st May, 2017)	Late/ Onsite Registration (Late: 1 st June to 1 st July, 2017)
Malaysian Delegates	RM300	RM1300	RM 1400



CONFERENCE FEE (Based on World Bank Economic Zones)

International Delegates (USD):					
Category of Delegates	Workshop	IASP Members		Non-members	
		Early Bird (1 st December, 2016 to 31 st May, 2017)	Late & Onsite Registration (Late: 1 st June to 1 st July, 2017)	Early Bird (1 st December, 2016 to 31 st May, 2017)	Late & Onsite Registration (Late: 1 st June to 1 st July, 2017)
Zone 1(USD) High Income	USD 150	610	640	640	690
Zone 2(USD) Upper-middle-income		510	530	530	585
Zone 3(USD) Lower-middle-income		400	425	425	480
Zone 4 (USD) Low-income		325	350	350	375
Students/ non-professional volunteers, bereaved persons		-	-	320	375

WORKSHOP

Workshop 1	Workshop 2	Workshop 3	Workshop 4	Workshop 5	Workshop 6	Workshop 7
Mindfulness Based Cognitive Therapy and Cognitive Flexibility	Suicide in Older Adults	Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for suicidal persons	Psychological autopsy	Gatekeeper training: The bridge between suicide and life	The solution focused approach to suicide prevention	Supervision in Psychodynamic Psychotherapy
Dr. Bergljot Gjelsvik (GBR)	Emmeritus Prof Diego De Leo (AUS) Prof Sylvie Lepierre (CAN) Prof Annette Erlangsen (DNK) Dr Reinhard Lindner (DEU)	Prof Ad JFM Kerkhof (NLD)	Dr. Lanny Berman (USA)	Kevin Briggs (USA)	John Henden (GBR)	Prof. Dr. Cesar A Alfonso (USA)

On-line registration begins 1st December 2016
 visit our website at www.iasp2017.org

- ALL FEES ARE INCLUSIVE OF 6% GOODS AND SERVICES TAX (GST)
 -Fees for Day Registration and Accompanying Person, please refer to our website.

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

Abstract for oral and poster submission: **15th February 2017** Proposal for Symposium/ Workshop: **NOW CLOSED**
 All presenters are requested to send in their slides, via email, by 4th July, 2017 to ensure technical compatibility.
 Abstracts submission and queries sendto: iaspsarawak2017@gmail.com