



**Registration**  
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## Pre-congress 01 | UH KDU

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**Hands-on Experience in Radiotherapy Contouring and Planning**

Time	Topic	Speaker
08.30 - 10.00	Radiotherapy contouring: CA Prostate	Dr Ashok Nikapota
10.00 - 10.30	Tea	
10.30 - 12.00	Radiotherapy contouring: CA Lung	Dr Anna Britten
12.00 - 13.00	Lunch	
13.00 - 15.30	Radiotherapy planning	Dr Ashok Nikapota/Dr Anna Britten

## Pre-congress 02 | Hotel Galadari

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**Master Class in Haematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation**

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Time	Topic	Speaker
08.00 - 08.30	Registration and opening remarks	Dr Buddhika Somawardana
08.30 - 08.55	HSCT in Thalassaemia	Dr Biju George
08.55 - 09.20	Conditioning regimens: Different approaches and why	Dr Auro Viswabandya
09.20 - 09.45	Haploidentical HSCT: Principles and challenges in limited resource setting	Dr Biju George
09.45 - 10.10	Challenges in the management of MDR bacterial infections in HSCT	Dr Mallikarjun Kalashetty
10.10 - 10.40	Tea	
10.40 - 11.05	Managing CMV infection: The new landscape	Dr Mallikarjun Kalashetty
11.05 - 11.30	Treatment of acute GvHD	Dr Auro Viswabandya
11.30 - 11.55	Treatment of chronic GvHD	Dr Hassan Alkhateeb
11.55 - 12.20	Graft failure, poor graft function and failing chimerism	Dr Annalisa Ruggeri
12.20 - 12.45	Critical and rare complications of HSCT	Dr Hassan Alkhateeb
12.45 - 13.30	Lunch	
13.30 - 13.55	Late effects of HSCT	Dr Emmanouil Nikolousis
13.55 - 14.20	HLA system and impact on donor selection: What's new?	Dr Neema Mayor
14.20 - 14.45	Quality Management of HSCT unit	Dr Emmanouil Nikolousis
14.45 - 15.10	Closing remarks and tokens of appreciation	Dr Buddhika Somawardana
15.10 - 15.30	Tea	

## Pre-congress 03 | Hotel Galadari

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**Workshop on Acute Oncology**

In collaboration with Sri Lanka College of Internal Medicine, Ceylon College of Critical Care Specialists and College of Anaesthesiologists and Intensivists of Sri Lanka

**Advanced Management of Oncological Emergencies: A Multidisciplinary Approach**

Time	Topic	Panel Members
08.30 - 09.00	A patient with B-ALL on hyperhydration	Discussions by an specialists in; • Oncology • Internal medicine • Critical care and Anaesthesiology
09.00 - 09.30	A patient with AML presented with neutropenic sepsis	
09.30 - 10.00	A patient with multiple myeloma and acute kidney injury	
10.00 - 10.30	A patient with non-Hodgkin lymphoma and acute heart failure	
10.30 - 11.00	Tea	
11.00 - 12.30	Small group discussions: Q & A with mini case scenarios	
12.30 - 13.00	Lunch	

## Pre-congress 04 | NCISL

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2024 at 8.00am

**Workshop on Hepatobiliary Oncology in collaboration with SLHPBA**

Live hepatic resection and interactive discussions on liver anatomy, radiology, anaesthesia, surgical techniques and oncology by a multidisciplinary expert panel

## Induction of the President, Inauguration of Annual Academic Sessions 2024

11<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2024 | HOTEL GALADARI, COLOMBO, SRI LANKA

**Dr Kumar Weerasekera Memorial Oration**

**"Mapping the distinctive challenges in cancer care in Sri Lanka"**

**Dr Chrishanthi Rajasooriyar**  
Consultant Clinical Oncologist  
Teaching Hospital, Jaffna

## Main Congress | Hotel Galadari

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Day 1

Time	Session	Topic	Speaker
08.30 - 08.35	Opening remarks		President, SLCO
08.35 - 09.05	Plenary 1	Unveiling the intricacies of PET CT for clinicians	Dr Sanjeeva Munasinghe
09.05 - 09.35	Keynote	Artificial intelligence: Mastering the unknown	Dr Pandula Siribaddana
09.35 - 09.55		Prostatectomy in early prostate cancer: To whom, when and how	Dr Kumaradasan Umashankar
09.55 - 10.15	Symposium 1 (Genito - Urinary cancers)	Radiotherapy in prostate cancer: Navigating the current evidence	Dr Ashok Nikapota
10.15 - 10.35		Castration resistant prostate cancer: Exploring treatment and sequencing options for maximum benefit	Dr Wong Siew Wei
10.35 - 10.50	Felicitations of Dr R S Jayatilake		Dr Sarath Wattegama
10.50 - 11.20	Tea		
			Dr Hassan Alkhateeb Dr Ashok Nikapota Dr Emmanouil Nikolousis Dr Biju George Dr Devinda Jayathilake
11.20 - 12.20	Symposium 2 (Case discussion)	Patient centred excellence in haemato-oncology	
12.20 - 12.50	Plenary 2	Surgical excision of cervical lymph nodes in thyroid cancer: Is more always better?	Dr Dileepa Mahaliyana
12.50 - 13.35	Lunch		
13.35 - 13.55		Advanced radiology in neuroendocrine tumours: Optimizing decision making and patient outcomes	Dr T Naidu
13.55 - 14.15	Symposium 3 (Neuro Endocrine tumours)	Medical management of neuroendocrine tumours in the modern era: Current strategies and clinical practice	Dr Sajeevan K V
14.15 - 14.35		Modern management of pancreatic NETs: An evidence-based approach	Prof Shailesh V Shrikhande
14.35 - 15.05	Plenary 3	Optimizing germ cell tumour outcomes: Balancing efficacy and side effects through risk-stratified treatment	Dr Brian Costello
15.05 - 16.05	Symposium 4 (Case discussion)	Collaborative strategies for optimizing lung cancer outcomes	Dr Dhammika Rasnayake Dr Anna Britten Dr Wong Siew Wei Dr Eranga Ganewatte
16.05	Tea		

## Main Congress | Hotel Galadari

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Day 2

Time	Session	Topic	Speaker
08.30 - 08.45	Recap Day 1		
08.45 - 09.15	Plenary 4	Unlocking the full potential of rectal brachytherapy	Prof Arthur Sun Myint Dr Sasi Krishna Kavutarapu Dr Kanishka De Silva Dr Mahilal Wijekoon Dr Prahlad Yathiraj
09.15 - 10.15	Symposium 5 (Case discussion)	Evolving paradigms of head and neck cancer treatment	
10.15 - 11.15	Free Paper Presentation		
11.15 - 11.45	Tea		
11.45 - 12.45	Symposium 6 (Case discussion)	Tailoring treatment: Personalized care in breast cancer	Dr Sajeevan K V Dr Buddhika Ubayawansa Dr Leela Siriwardana Dr Ramavath Devendra Naik Dr Roshana Constantine
12.45 - 13.15	Plenary 5	Radiotherapy for bone metastases: Highly effective; yet often overlooked	Dr Prahlad Yathiraj
13.15	Lunch		

## Post-congress | NCISL

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2024

**Live Workshop on Brachytherapy**

Time	Session	Speaker
09.00 - 14:15	Brachytherapy for distal rectal cancer in the era of organ preservation	Prof Arthur Sun Myint
14.15	Lunch	

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<b>Dr Buddhika Somawardana</b> Consultant Hemato- Oncologist NCISL	<b>Dr Nalika Karunaratne</b> Acting Consultant Intensivist NHSL	<b>Dr Yapa Udaya Kumara</b> Specialist in Internal medicine BH Beruwala
<b>Dr Chamila Liyanage</b> Consultant Anaesthetist LRH	<b>Dr Suranga Manigama</b> Specialist in Internal Medicine NIID	<b>Dr Anushka Mudalige</b> Consultant Intensivist CNTH
<b>Dr Dilshan Priyankara</b> Consultant Intensivist NHSL	<b>Dr Prabani Maddumarachchi</b> Consultant Paediatric Oncologist NCISL	<b>Dr Pradeep Siriwardena</b> Consultant Hemato- Oncologist NCISL
<b>Dr Lilanthi Subasinghe</b> Consultant Intensivist University Hospital KDU	<b>Dr Buddhika Vidanagama</b> Consultant Anaesthetist NCISL	<b>Dr Ushani Mayurika Wariyapperuma</b> Specialist in Internal Medicine & Lecturer University of Moratuwa
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<b>Dr Surchintha Tillakaratne</b> Consultant GI Surgeon & Lecturer University of Kelaniya	<b>Dr. Buddhika Dassanayake</b> Consultant HPB Surgeon & Lecturer University of Peradeniya	<b>Dr. Niroshan Atulgama</b> Consultant Surgical Oncologist TH Kurunegala

## Faculty- Main Congress

	<b>Dr Hassan Alkhateeb</b> Consultant Hematologist Mayo Clinic in Rochester USA		<b>Dr Anna Britten</b> Consultant Clinical Oncologist Sussex Cancer Centre UK
	<b>Dr Roshana Constantine</b> Consultant Histopathologist National Hospital of Sri Lanka		<b>Dr Brian Costello</b> Consultant Oncologist Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota USA
	<b>Dr Eranga Ganewatte</b> Consultant Radiologist- Interventional National Cancer Institute Sri Lanka		<b>Dr Biju George</b> Professor, Department of Haematology Christian Medical College of Vellore India
	<b>Dr Devinda Jayathilake</b> Consultant Haemato-oncologist National Cancer Institute Sri Lanka		<b>Dr Mallikarjun Kalashetty</b> Consultant Haematologist and Transplant Physician, Manipal Hospital, Bengaluru India
	<b>Dr Sasi Krishna Kavutarapu</b> Asso. Professor, Head and Neck Surgery Homi Bhabha Cancer Hospital India		<b>Dr Dileepa Mahaliyana</b> Consultant Surgical Oncologist National Hospital Galle Sri Lanka
	<b>Prof Umesh Mahantshty</b> Consultant Radiation Oncologist Tata Medical Center India		<b>Dr Neema Mayor</b> Head of Immunogenetics Research Anthony Nolan Research Institute UK
	<b>Major General (Ret) Dr. S. H. Munasinghe</b> Consultant Radiologist Sri Lanka		<b>Prof Arthur Sun Myint</b> Consultant Clinical Oncologist Clatterbridge Cancer Centre UK
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	<b>Dr Mahilal Wijekoon</b> Consultant Clinical Oncologist National Hospital Galle Sri Lanka		<b>Dr Prahlad Yathiraj</b> Consultant Radiation Oncologist Rela Institute and Medical Centre India

## Moderators

<b>Dr. Duminda Subasinghe</b> Consultant GI & HPB Surgeon Lecturer University of Colombo	<b>Dr. Malith Nandasena</b> Consultant General & HPB Surgeon, Lecturer USJIP	<b>Dr Yasiru Malinda</b> Consultant Clinical Oncologist TH Batticaloa
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