



Alumni Jaffna Medical Faculty

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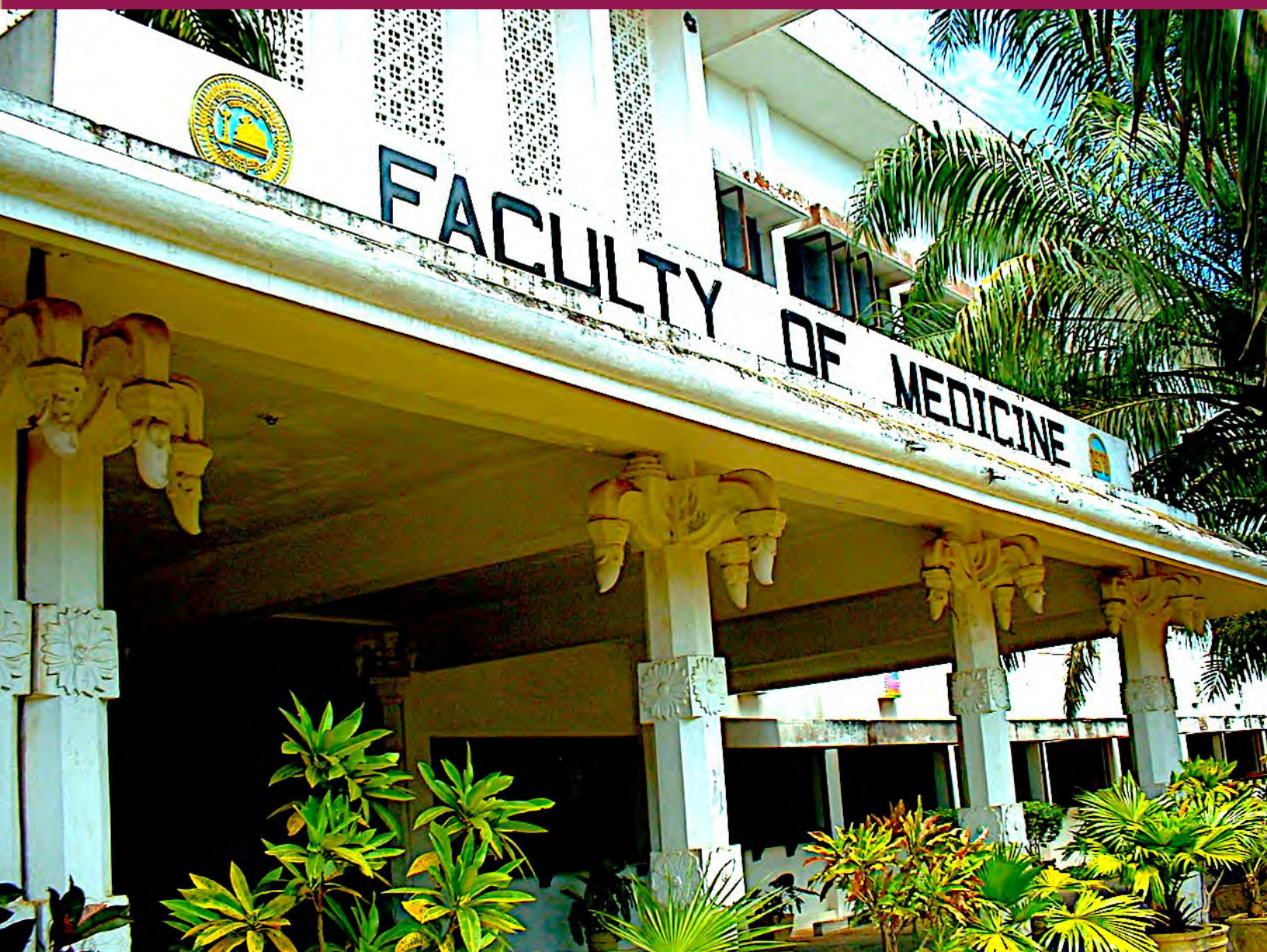
Jaffna Medical Faculty Overseas Alumni Joint Scientific Session & AGM-Cultural Event

Venue

Hoover Auditorium,
Faculty of Medicine, Jaffna Sri Lanka



July 18th & 19th, 2014



Chief Guest

Professor Jane Dacre, B.Sc. MBBS, MD, FRCP, FHEA

Professor of Medical Education, Director of Medical School,
University College of London UK

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JOINT SCIENTIFIC SESSION

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Friday July 18th

- 8.00 - 8.30 am:** Registration/ Tea and Coffee
- 8.30 - 8.40 am:** Introduction and welcome address by **Dr.S.Balakumar**, Dean Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna and **Dr.Alfred Norman**, President JMFOA- North America
- 8.40 - 10.15 am:** **Symposium 1** “Recent Advances in the Management of acutely ill patients.”
Moderators: Professor M.Sivasuriya, and Dr.Mrs.J.Ganeshamoorthy,
- 8.40 - 8.55 am: Early Recognition of Acutely Ill Patients. **Dr.Sri Sujanthi Rajaram**, Associate Professor of Medicine, New Jersey, USA
- 8.55 - 9.10 am: Acute Management of Trauma. **Mr.A.Kailainathan**, Consultant Surgeon, Colombo South Teaching Hospital, Kalubowila, SL
- 9.10 - 9.25 am: Sepsis and Septic Shock. **Professor. A.U.Abayadeera**, Consultant Anesthetist, Dept. of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo, SL
- 9.25 - 9.40 am: Management of Dengue Hemorrhagic fever. **Dr. S.Sritharan**, Consultant Physician, Ratnapura General Hospital, SL
- 9.40 - 9.55 am: Management of Pre Eclampsic toxemia. **Dr. K.Muhunthan**, Senior Lecturer, Consultant, and Head of Obstetrics and Gynecology Dept. Faculty of Medicine, Jaffna, SL.
- 9.55 - 10.15 am: Panel discussion.
- 10.15 - 10.45am:** Tea Break.
- 10.45- 12.15pm:** **Guest Lecture Series 1/ Chair-Dr.S.Anantharajah, and Dr.K.Ranjadayalan,**
- 10.45- 11.30am: Translating Advances in Genetic into day to day Clinical Practice. **Professor S.Kugathanan**, Atlanta, USA
- 11.30 -12.00pm: The growing burden of Diabetes in Northern Sri Lanka. **Dr. S.Sivansuthan**, Consultant Physician, Jaffna Teaching Hospital, SL.
- 12.00 -12.30pm: How to evaluate patients with Chronic Renal Diseases. **Dr. T.Peranantharajah**, Consultant Physician, Jaffna Teaching Hospital, SL.
- 12.30 - 1.30pm:** Lunch Break.
- 1.30 - 2.45pm:** **Symposium 2** “Life support training program in Jaffna Teaching Hospital.”
Moderators: Dr.R.Ganeshamoorthy, and Mr.M.Vetpillai,
- 1.30 - 1.45pm: Local Perspective: **Dr. D.Vasumathi**, Consultant Anesthetist, Jaffna Teaching Hospital, SL.
- 1.45 - 2.00pm: National view point: **Dr. Mrs.S.Hapuarachi**, Senior Consultant Neuro Anesthetist, National Hospital Colombo, and Chair, Board of studies in Anesthesia, SL.
- 2.00 - 2.15pm: The challenges ahead and our proposals: **Mr.M.Vetpillai**, Retired Consultant Surgeon and Senior Lecturer, Teaching Hospital, Jaffna, SL.
- 2.15 - 2.30pm: Future -Shall we achieve. **Dr.M.Sathialingam**, Consultant Anesthetist, Kent, UK
- 2.30 - 2.45pm: Panel Discussion - Members including **Dr. S.Balakumar**, Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Jaffna and **Dr.Bwani Paupathi Rajah**, Medical Director, Jaffna Teaching Hospital, SL.
- 2.45 - 3.00pm:** Tea Break

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- 3.00 - 4.00 pm:** **Guest Lecture Series 2 / Chair Prof.S.V.Parameswaran,**
3.00 - 3.30 pm: 'Rational Prescribing' **Dr.T.S.Navaratnarajah**, Senior Lecturer in Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Jaffna, SL
3.30 - 4.00 pm: 'Sports and Hearts' **Dr.M.Guruparan**, Consultant Cardiologist, Teaching Hospital, Jaffna, SL
- 4.00 - 5.00 pm:** **Audit/ Research/ Case Presentations.**

Day Session Ends.

- 6.30 - 7.00 pm:** **Arrival and Reception.**
7.00 - 7.15pm: **Inauguration.**
7.15- 8.00 pm: **Professor Hoover Memorial Lecture: 'Innovation in Medical Education" by Professor Jane Dacre,**
8.00 - 9.30 pm: **Dinner**

Evening Session Ends.

Saturday July 19th

- 8.00- 8.30 am:** **Registration/ Tea and Coffee**
8.30 - 8.35 am: Introduction and welcome address by **Dr.R.Mathialagan**, President, JMFOA- UK and Dr. Mrs. V.Jeyaprakash, President, JMFOA- Australia
8.40 - 10.25am: **Symposium 3 "Medical Education in 21st Century."**
Moderators: Professors Jane Dacre, and K.Sivapalan,
8.40 -8.45 am: Opening Remarks: **Dr.P.Pillai**, Educational coordinator - JMFOA - UK
8.45 - 9.00 am: History of Medical Education in Sri Lanka. **Professor K.Sivapalan,**
9.00 - 9.15 am: 'The current curriculum and its challenges': **Dr.G Sathiadas**, Senior Lecturer and /Consultant Pediatrician, Faculty of Medicine Pediatric Unit, Jaffna, SL.
9.15 - 9.30 am: Bedside Ward Round Teaching. **Dr.S.Niranjan**, Associate Professor of Medicine, Griffith University School of Medicine, Senior Consultant Cardiologist, QLD, Australia
9.30- 9.45 am: Undergraduate and Post Graduate Assessment. **Dr.G.Ponnamperuma**, Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo, SL
9.45 - 10.00 am: 'Teaching across continents; The Histopathologist abroad.' **Dr.Ula. Mahadeva**, Consultant Histopathologist, St.Thomas Hospital, London, UK
10.00 - 10.15 am: Reminiscence of my time in Clinical Medicine & Medical Education in SL and the UK. **Dr.K.Ranjadayalan**, Senior Cardiologist, Newham, UIK
10.15 - 10.30 am: Panel discussion.
10.30 - 11.00am: **Tea/ Coffee Break.**
11.00 - 11.30am: **Guest Lecture Series 3/ Chair: Dr.Jasotha Sanmugarajah, Consultant Oncologist, QLD, Australia.**
'Challenges of Cancer control in Sri Lanka' **Dr.N.Jeyakumar**, Consultant Clinical Oncologist, National Cancer Institute, Maharagama, SL.

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- 11.30- 1.15 pm: **Symposium 4** "Primary Health Care- Promoting Physical, Mental and Social well-being."
Chair- **Dr.N.Sivaratna**, and **Professor Daya Somasundaram**,
- 11.30-11.45am: 'Developing Mental Health Services in a poor resource setting. Lessons learned and future directions.'
Dr.S.Sivajokan, Consultant Psychiatrist, Jaffna Teaching Hospital, SL
- 11.45 - 12.00pm: "Influence of changing demography on health care needs of the Northern Province." **Dr.V.Murali**,
Consultant Community Physician at Management, Development and Planning Unit, Ministry of Health,
Colombo, SL
- 12.00 - 12.15 pm: 'Universal Health Care: An achievable goal.' **Dr. R.Surenthirakumar**, Consultant Community Physician
and Senior Lecturer, Head of Dept. of Community and Family Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Jaffna, SL.
- 12.15 - 12.30pm: Quality Measures and Guidelines followed in Primary Care in the USA. **Dr.A.Somesan**, Florida, USA
- 12.30 - 12.45pm: Developing Primary Care in Jaffna: What can we learn from the UK model? **Dr.S.Sivakumar**, General
Practitioner, U.K
- 12.45- 1.15 pm: Panel Discussion includes **Dr.S.Selvakumar** from NZ and **Dr.Mrs.N.Chrishanthan** from Australia.
- 1.15 - 2.15pm: Lunch Break. Friday July 18th:
- 2.15 - 3.00 pm: Quiz: A light hearted quiz on medical topics and general knowledge. **Dr.R.Mathialagan**, President,
JMFOA- UK Handsome Prizes for the first three winners.
- 3.00 - 3.30 pm: Open Forum.
- 3.30- 3.35 pm: Vote of Thanks by Secretary Jaffna Alumni Association.
- 3.35 - 4.30 pm: Committee meetings.
- Day Session Ends.**
- 6.00 - 10pm: Banquette and Cultural Program.
- 6.00 - 6.05pm: Lamp lighting Ceremony.
- 6.05 - 6.15pm: Welcome speech & JMFOA: Review of the past 10 years. by **Dr.Mathialagan**, President JMFOA- UK.
- 6.15 - 6.30pm: Cultural Program.
- 6.30 - 6.40pm: President Speech JMFAA by **Dr.S.Raviraj**,
- 6.40 - 6.50pm: President Speech JMFOA-NA by **Dr. Alfret Norman**,
- 6.50 - 6.55pm: President Speech JMFOA-NZ by **Dr.S.Selvakumar**,
- 6.55 - 7.00pm: President Speech JMFOA-Australia, **Dr.Mrs.V.Jeyaprakash**,
- 7.00 - 7.15pm: Cultural Program.
- 7.15 - 7.30pm: Chief Guest Speech by **Professor Jane Dacre**,
- 7.30 - 7.45pm: Cultural Program.
- 7.45 - 7.50pm: Secretary Speech and presentation of last AGM minutes.
- 7.50 - 7.55pm: Secretary Speech Alumni- Jaffna Medical Faculty.
- 7.55 - 8.25pm: Recognition Awards.
- 8.25 - 8.30pm: Vote of Thanks.
- 8.30 - 10.00pm: Dinner.

Evening Session Ends