

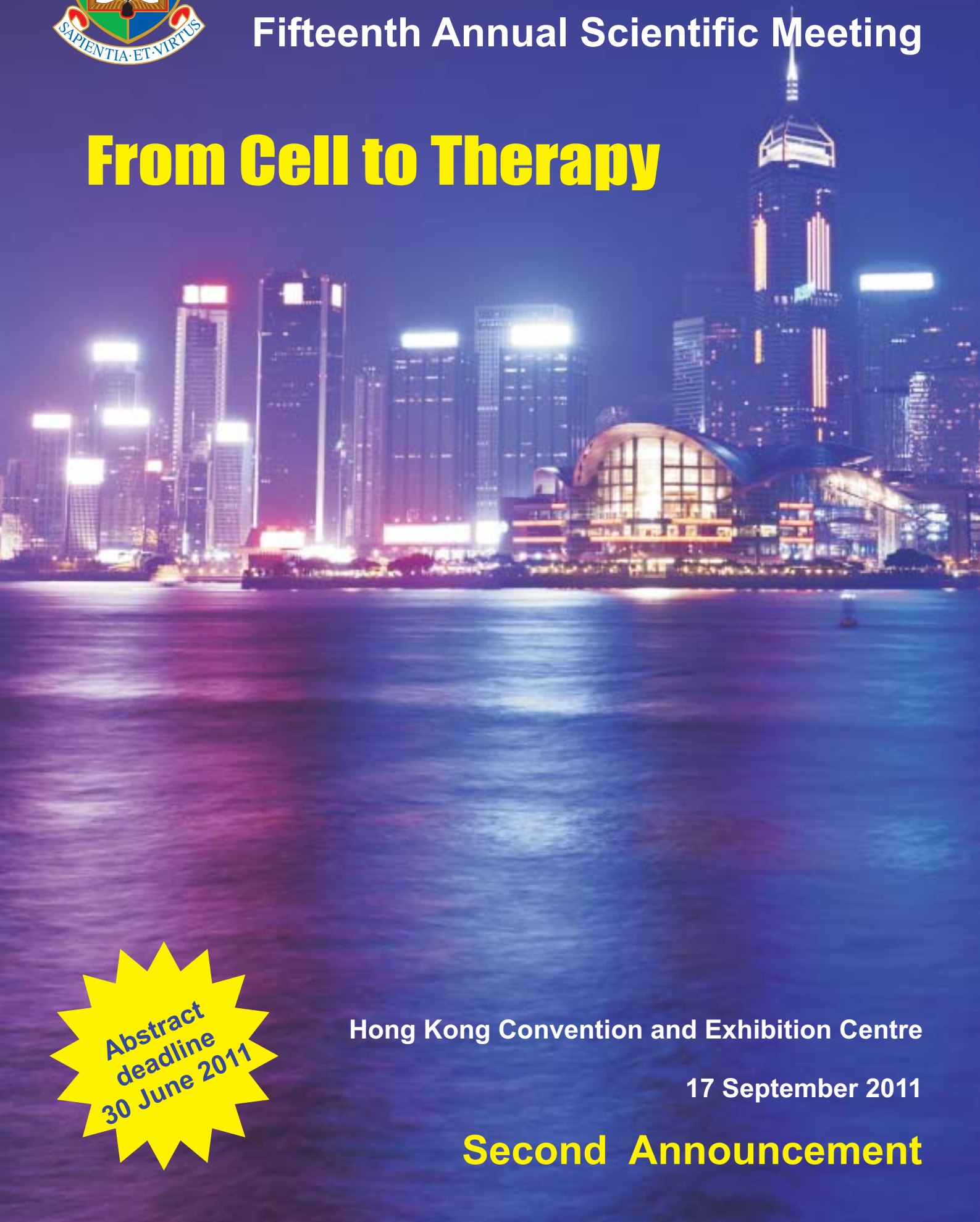


The Institute of Cardiovascular Science and Medicine

The University of Hong Kong

Fifteenth Annual Scientific Meeting

From Cell to Therapy



**Abstract
deadline
30 June 2011**

Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

17 September 2011

Second Announcement

Invitation

The Fifteenth Annual Scientific Meeting of the Institute of Cardiovascular Science and Medicine will be held on 17th September 2011 in Hong Kong. The theme of this year's meeting is: "From Cell to Therapy". Cardiovascular disease is a growing problem leading to morbidity and mortality, and carrying substantial long-term social and financial costs. The goal of this meeting is to present new research into both the underlying causes of, and novel treatments for, cardiovascular diseases. Through this meeting, we hope to stimulate new concepts and ideas for understanding cardiovascular diseases, and to encourage collaboration between basic and clinical researchers.

We are delighted to invite you to participate in this exciting meeting.

Dr. Kathy L.F. Lee, Dr. Susan Leung, Prof. Ronald A. Li, Prof. Paul M. Vanhoutte

Fifteenth Annual Scientific Meeting Organising Committee

Letter of Invitation: A letter of invitation for the purpose of travel VISA application can be issued upon request. Please contact our Meeting Secretariat

Young Investigators Awards: Prizes will be awarded for the best presentations by junior researchers in the Oral Communications and Chaired Posters sessions. Applicants must be students and/or individuals within 5 years of receiving master/doctoral degrees in order to participate in the Young Investigators Competition.

Preliminary Programme

08:15 – 08:45	Registration
08:45 – 09:45	Oral presentations for Young Investigator Award
09:45 – 11:15	Coffee break, poster presentations for Young Investigator Award
11:15 – 12:15	Oral presentations for Young Investigator Award
12:15 – 13:30	Lunch symposium: <i>(Speaker and topic to be confirmed)</i>
13:30 – 13:45	Opening Ceremony
13:45– 14:45	<p>Symposium I:</p> <p><i>Dr. David C.W. Siu: A new approach to anticoagulation to prevent thromboembolic events</i></p> <p><i>Prof. Brian Tomlinson: The new NICE guidelines on the treatment of hypertension</i></p>
14:45 – 16:15	<p>Symposium II: Stem Cell Therapy</p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> <i>Prof. Ronald A. Li (Topic to be confirmed)</i></p> <p><i>Prof. Ofer Binah, Israel Institute of Technology: Molecular characterization and functional properties of induced pluripotent stem cells-derived cardiomyocytes from healthy and diseased individuals</i></p>
16:15 – 16:45	Coffee break, poster viewing and booth visit
16:45 – 17:45	Symposium III: Bradycardia and Heart Failure <i>(Speakers and topics to be confirmed)</i>
17:45 – 18:00	Closing remarks and Young Investigator Award ceremony
18:00	Annual General Meeting

Meeting Information

Date: 17 September 2011

Venue: Room N101 (New Wing)
Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre
1 Expo Drive, Wanchai, Hong Kong

Official Language: English

Abstract Deadline: 30 June 2011

Publication of Abstracts:

Abstracts will be published in the Journal of the Hong Kong College of Cardiology

CME accreditation will be applied:

1. CME Programme for Non-Specialist (Department of Health / Hong Kong Academy of Medicine / Hong Kong Doctors Union Ltd / Hong Kong Medical Association)
2. The Hong Kong College of Family Physicians
3. The College of Surgeons of Hong Kong
4. Hong Kong College of Paediatricians
5. Hong Kong College of Physicians

Registration fee:

Invited Speakers & Abstract Presenters:	free
Members of ICSM	HK\$50
Non-members:	HK\$200 (before June 30) HK\$250 (after June 30)

Meeting Secretariat:

Global Event Management

Suite 305, Hang Seng Building, 200 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong

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Website: <http://www.icsm-hk.org>

Fifteenth Annual Scientific Meeting

Institute of Cardiovascular Science and Medicine

Registration Form

Please complete this form in BLOCK letters			
Title (please tick ✓): Prof. <input type="checkbox"/> Dr. <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/>			
Surname:		Given Name:	
Department:			
Institution:			
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	Early registration Before 30 June	After 30 June
<input type="checkbox"/> Invited speakers & Abstract presenters	Free	Free
<input type="checkbox"/> Members of ICSM	HK\$ 50	HK\$ 50
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-members	HK\$ 200	HK\$ 250

The registration fee includes lunch. Please kindly indicate your attendance with ✓:

Lunch: yes no

Cheques should be crossed and made payable to: “**The University of Hong Kong**”.

The completed registration form with payment, where applicable, should be forwarded to the Meeting Secretariat: Global Event Management, Suite 305, Hang Seng Building, 200 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, Hong Kong.

Registration forms may also be submitted by e-mail: icsm@globalevent.hk, or through the website: <http://www.icsm-hk.org> (cheque to follow by post, with your name and institution on the back).

Abstract Submission Form

Preferred mode of presentation (please ✓): oral poster no preference

Competition for Best Presentation for Young Investigators Award: yes no

Instructions and Format

- 1 Title of the abstract should be typed in Capital Letters.
- 2 Authorship: initials followed by family name. Underline the presenting author.
- 3 List the address(es) / institution(s) of the authors.
- 4 Abstract should be typed within the box provided and describe the objectives, methods, results and conclusions.
- 5 All text must be in Times New Roman and no less than 10 points in size.
- 6 Applicants must be students and/or individuals within 5 years of receiving master/doctoral degrees in order to participate in the Young Investigators Award.

Abstracts must reach the Secretariat by E-mail (icsm@globalevent.hk) or through the Website (<http://www.icsm-hk.org>) before 30 June 2011.

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