



# Hong Kong College of Paediatricians

## NEWSLETTER

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## Message from the Editors

Now is the peak season for Influenza in our locality. Our Paediatric colleagues must have been very busy in tackling with the outbreak. Please stay strong, keep your body warm, get enough sleep and get your flu-shot if you haven't done so. The Editorial Board would also like to wish you a Healthy and Prosperous Year of Dog.

## Examination Committee

### Results of recent examinations

Date	Examination	Pass / No. of sittings	Pass rate
26 October 2017	DCH Clinical Exam	16/17	94%
14 December 2017	39 <sup>th</sup> Exit Assessment	2/2	100%

### 40<sup>th</sup> Exit Assessment

The 40<sup>th</sup> Exit Assessment will be held on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2018. The closing date for receipt of completed application forms and associated documents is **3<sup>rd</sup> April 2018**. Details of application and forms can be downloaded from the College website.

For all trainees who started their basic paediatric training on or after 1<sup>st</sup> July 2009, a proof of completion of a formal **Child Protection Course** within their 6-year Paediatric Training Programme should be submitted along with the application.

Dissertations submitted by Exit Assessment candidates will be considered for the **Best Dissertation prize (BDP)** which was created in 2015 and awarded annually to the best dissertation submitted for Exit Assessments. Case reports, however, will not be considered for the prize.

The BDP includes a cash prize of HK\$3,000 and will be presented at the College Annual Dinner in December.

## Committee for Subspecialty Boards (CSB)

The College would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the following colleagues who were endorsed respective qualifications at the Council Meeting of 17 January 2018 (subject to endorsement by Hong Kong Academy of Medicine):

(A) Colleagues who were certified as First Fellows in Subspecialty of Paediatric Respiratory Medicine (PRM):

1. Dr Chan Ching Ching, Kate
2. Dr Mak Chung Wai, Vivien

(B) Colleagues who were Board Certified in the respective Subspecialties:

**(I) Paediatric Immunology and Infectious Diseases (PIID)**

1. Dr Ho Po Ki, Polly
2. Dr Wong Sung Chih, Joshua

**(II) Subspecialty in Paediatric Neurology (PN)**

1. Dr Ho Chi Chung, Alvin
2. Dr Lau Wai Ling
3. Dr Lee Wing Cheong
4. Dr Yam Kwan Ming
5. Dr Yuen Chi Lap

## Scientific & Research Subcommittee

### 2018 Best Young Investigator Prize

To encourage research by colleagues, the Best Young Investigator Prize was created in 2015 to be awarded annually to the best paper published between 1<sup>st</sup> July of previous year and 30<sup>th</sup> June of the awarding year.

#### **Eligibility**

Entry into the Best Young Investigator Prize competition is voluntary.

Applicants must be members of the Hong Kong College of Paediatricians (including Associate Members, Members and Fellows) AND aged 46 years or under as at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2018.

The papers should be published in peer-reviewed print or electronic journals, and written in English or translated into English if they are written in languages other than English.

Only the first author **or** corresponding author is eligible to apply. One paper is eligible for only one submission, and each paper will be allowed to compete for only one prize.

If the paper has previously been awarded the Best Dissertation Prize of the College prior to publication, it will not be eligible for the Best Young Investigator Prize and vice versa.

The decision of the assessment panel will be final.

#### **Submission**

Submission deadline for the year 2018 Prize is 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018. Interested colleagues can email their papers (PDF or MS Word format) together with the Application Form (Appendix I) to the College Secretariat ([enquiry@paediatrician.org.hk](mailto:enquiry@paediatrician.org.hk)) **on or before 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018**.

The Best Young Investigator Prize will include a cash reward of HK\$5,000 and will be presented during the College annual dinner in December.

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## HM Lui Memorial Fund

The Hong Kong College of Paediatricians established the HM Lui Memorial Fund in Year 2001 to promote postgraduate study and research in liver diseases and related disciplines in children.

Applications are invited for the HM Lui Fellowship, which will be awarded to residents of Hong Kong SAR who are able to meet the following minimum criteria:

### The HM Lui Fellowship

The HM Lui Fellowship will be awarded to paediatricians for education, training and research in overseas countries **in any field of Paediatrics**, preferably liver diseases and gastroenterology in the year 2018. The applicant must be aged below 40 years; residents of Hong Kong SAR and are currently working in Hong Kong SAR.

The award of the Fellowship will consist of:

1. Round trip airfare (economy class) by the most economical route.
2. Monthly allowance of HK\$12,000-HK\$15,000.
3. Reimbursement of course fees and books up to HK\$6,000.

The award of the Fellowship shall range from three (3) to twelve (12) months. Application must be made by nomination by the Head of the Department of Paediatrics or Hospital Chief Executive. The deadline of application is 31 March 2018.

Application forms are available on the College website at [www.paediatrician.org.hk](http://www.paediatrician.org.hk) or contact Ms Vanessa Wong, College Secretary of the Hong Kong College of Paediatricians, Room 801 Hong Kong Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong at Tel: (852) 2871 8773 / Fax: (852) 2785 1850 / Email: [enquiry@paediatrician.org.hk](mailto:enquiry@paediatrician.org.hk).

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## CME Category A Activities

Listed below are CME Category A activities organized by the HKCPaed, various paediatric societies and institutions, and selected paediatrics-focused topics. For the complete list of Category A activities, including continuous courses, and Category B activities, please refer to the homepage of the HKCPaed. The accuracy of the information has been checked according to the details submitted by the responsible organizers. The information below is abstracted from the College Web site on 5 Feb 2018. *Members and fellows are reminded to contact the enquiries listed below for last-minute alternations.*

Feb. 2018		
6 & 7 Feb.	Topic:	<b>HKCH Commission Training 2018: Multidisciplinary Management on Intestinal Failure</b>
	Venue:	Day 1: Theatre, QEH; Day 2: F4, Blk F, QEH
	Time:	09:00 - 16:00
	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 5 pts per day	Organizer:	Allied Health Services, Hong Kong Children's Hospital, HA
	Coordinator:	Ms. FONG

	Enquiry:	Tel: 35068186
7 Feb.	Topic:	<b>Dinner symposium on the management of intestinal failure in children</b>
	Venue:	Tang Room, Sheraton Hotel, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon
	Time:	18:00 - 2200
	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 2 pts	Organizer:	The Hong Kong Society of Paediatric Surgery
	Coordinator:	N/A
	Enquiry:	Email: <a href="mailto:hkpaedsurg@gmail.com">hkpaedsurg@gmail.com</a>
9 Feb.	Topic:	<b>Journal Club - Influenza surveillance and effectiveness of influenza vaccination in Hong Kong children</b>
	Venue:	Room 0056, Hospital Authority Building, 147B Agyle Street, Kowloon
	Time:	12:45 - 14:00
	Speaker:	Prof. LEUNG Ting Fan
Cat. A 1 pt	Organizer:	Research Office, Food and Health Bureau
	Coordinator:	Mr. Keith MUI
	Enquiry:	Tel: 3150 8978
23 & 24 Feb.	Topic:	<b>HK Children's Hospital Radiology Commissioned Training 2018: Paediatric Abdominal Ultrasound Bootcamp</b>
	Venue:	Lecture Theatre, 10/F Yu Chun Keung Memorial Medical Centre, Kwong Wah Hospital
	Time:	09:00 - 17:15
	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 5 pts per day	Organizer:	Department of Radiology, Hong Kong Children's Hospital, HA
	Coordinator:	Ms. LO
	Enquiry:	Tel: 3517 5253
1 Mar – 31 Dec	Topic:	<b>AHA Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) (2 days Identical course) - Day 1 &amp; 2</b>
	Venue:	A&E Training Centre, Tang Shiu Kin Hospital
	Time:	09:00 - 18:00
	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 6 pts per day	Organizer:	A&E Training Centre, Ruttonjee & Tang Shiu Kin Hospital
	Coordinator:	Ms. Ada YIP
	Enquiry:	Tel: 3553 3314
25 Mar	Topic:	<b>Neonatal Resuscitation Program Provider Course</b>
	Venue:	A&E Training Centre, Tang Shiu Kin Hospital
	Time:	09:00 - 17:30
	Speaker:	Various
Cat. A 6 pts	Organizer:	A&E Training Centre, Ruttonjee & Tang Shiu Kin Hospital
	Coordinator:	Ms. Ada YIP
	Enquiry:	Tel: 3553 3314



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## 2018 Best Young Investigator Prize

### Submission Form

Name (please <b>print</b> )	<input type="checkbox"/> Dr / <input type="checkbox"/> Prof _____		
College Membership:	<input type="checkbox"/> Fellow No. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Member No. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate No. _____
Date of birth:	_____ (day) _____ (month) _____ (year)		

Hospital/Institution	_____
Contact Telephone No.	_____
Email Address (please <b>print</b> ):	_____

Correspondence Address:	_____ _____
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Title of Research Paper	_____ _____
Date Published:	_____
Publication	_____

#### Declaration

I hereby declare that I am the first author or corresponding author of the research paper submitted.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Submission Deadline: 31 August 2018 (Friday)**