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Ageing in the Asian century: new answers to old questions

The Organising Committee is pleased to welcome you to attend and participate in the upcoming RANZCP Faculty of Psychiatry of Old Age and 12th the Asian Society Against Dementia Conference 2018 will be held at Crown Promenade, Melbourne, Australia from Wednesday 7 to Saturday 10 November 2018.

The theme of the conference is 'Ageing in the Asian century: new answers to old questions' and will bring together renowned speakers from all over the world, which will give delegates the opportunity to share information and knowledge with experts in the area of dementia and aged mental health. There will be streams focusing on Dementia, Aged Mental Health and Basic Science, which will appeal to a wide range of practitioners working in the area of mental health and aged care.

Pre-conference workshops will be held on Wednesday 7 November 2018 and an Advanced Trainee Day will run concurrently with the conference on Saturday 10 November 2018.

Register Now.



Summary from the 11th Asian Society Against Dementia (ASAD) Joint Conference Fighting Against Dementia with Faculty of Medicine, Siriraj Hospital in collaboration with the Dementia Association of Thailand, and Medical Department, Ministry of Public Health during August 2-4, 2017 in Bangkok, Thailand.

The conference proved to be an important stepping stone for ASAD members and all participants to confront the challenges of dementia care in Asia.

The conference was well attended with 611 participants from 20 countries in and outside Asia. Dementia is one of the major causes of disability and dependency worldwide. It is overwhelming not only for the people who have it, but also for their caregivers and families with regards to healthcare and socioeconomic security.

Renowned 53 speakers shared up to date information and knowledge in different aspects of dementia research at the conference. This conference has convened one of the best ever scientific and social programs and has initiated promising dementia research and comprehensive plans for tackling dementia in clinical practice.

