AFSUMB EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEETING

14 October, 2017: Saturday: 8:00 am to 8:50 am

Room 401, Taipei International Convention Center, Taipei, Taiwan

MINUTES

A meeting of the AFSUMB Education Committee was held on 14 October 2017, Saturday at the Room 401, Taipei International Conventional Center, Taipei, Taiwan from 8:00 to 8.50 am. Prof. KY Leung, Chairman of the AFSUMB Education Committee presided over the meeting. The following members were present at the meeting:

Members of the Education Committee:

Prof. Yi-Hong Chou Immediate Past President of AFSUMB

Prof. WJ Lee President Elect of AFSUMB
Prof. Kanu Bala Vice President 1 of AFSUMB

Prof. YL Wan Secretary of AFSUMB

Prof. KY Leung Chairman of AFSUMB Education Committee

B. Absent with apology:

Prof. Masatoshi Kudo President of AFSUMB & Education Committee Member

1. Starting of the meeting:

Dr. KY Leung, Chairman of the AFSUMB Education Committee thanks all for attending this meeting, and, in particular, Prof. YL Wan for arranging the venue for the meeting.

2. Confirmation of the Last EdCo Meeting Minutes:

The Minutes of the Last Meeting of the AFSUMB Education Committee held in Bangkok 2016 was distributed earlier and was confirmed without any amendments.

3. Report on the informal meeting of EC during AFSUMB workshop in Beijing 2017

The summary of the informal meeting of EC during AFSUMB workshop in Beijing 2017 was distributed earlier, and there were no comments. The related matters would be discussed in the subsequent agenda items.

4. Report on AFSUMB Workshop in Beijing 2017

The workshop was held successfully in Beijing on 19 August 2017. A report was sent by the local organizer to Prof. Wan and Dr. Leung. A copy of the report would be sent to Dr. Musarrat Hasan for archiving in AFSUMB. Prof. Wan coordinated the reimbursement of the airfares of the AFSUMB supported speakers.

Prof. Bala suggested that, in the future workshops, direct reimbursement of the airfares to AFSUMB speakers would be preferred to teletransfer to avoid unnecessary deductions.

5. AFSUMB workshop 2018

This issue was discussed in the informal meeting during AFSUMB workshop in Beijing. By reviewing the hosting countries in the past workshops, it was decided to give the first priority to India and second priority to Indonesia.

Prof. Chou pointed out that the meeting held in Taipei 2015 was a symposium on advanced ultrasound technology, but not a workshop. The list of the workshops/ meeting was revised (attached).

6. AFSUMB workshop 2019

All societies would be invited to submit their proposals in due course if they are interested in hosting a workshop in 2019. The venue would be decided after discussion of the proposals in the AFSUMB meeting in Seoul in May 2018.

7. Reports from Thailand and India

Prof. Wan received reports from Thailand and India Societies. It was noted that the new President of MUST is Prof. Walailak Chaiyasoot and President-elect is Prof. Tuangsit Wataganara. MUST is interested in organizing AFSUMB Congress in future.

IFUMB held regular ultrasound CME meetings.

8. Vote of Thanks were given to:

- Prof. Jiang and his team of Beijing for organizing the AFSUMB workshop 2017
- All AFSUMB speakers and Council, in particular, Prof. YL Wan (Secretary) and Prof. Iwaki Akiyama (Treasurer) for their support and help.

9. Miscellaneous:

There was no other business. The meeting was adjourned at 8:50am. A group photo was taken after the meeting.

Prof. KY Leung

Chairman

Education Committee

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