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### Chairpersons of Sections

- **Gynaecological Oncology**: Dr Tay Eng Hseon
- **Maternal Fetal Medicine**: Dr Yeo Seow Heong George
- **Urogynaecology**: Dr Ng Kwok Weng Roy
- **Co-opted Council Members**: Dr Chern Su Min, Bernard, Dr Han How Chuan, William, Dr Ho Tew Hong, Dr See Tho Kai Yin

### Subspecialty Sections

#### Executive Committee of the Sections of the College:

**Section of Gynaecological Oncology**
- Chairman: Dr Tay Eng Hseon
- Committee Members: Dr A Ilancheran, Dr Quek Swee Chong, Dr Yam Kwai Lam Philip
- Co-opted Members: Dr Chia Yin Nin, Dr Lisa Wong

**Section of Maternal Fetal Medicine**
- Chairman: Dr Yeo Seow Heong George
- Committee Members: Dr Arijit Biswas, Dr Mary Rauff, Dr Tan Hak Koon
- Co-opted Members: Dr Chang Tou Choong, Dr Lai Fon-Min

**Section of Reproductive Medicine**
- Chairman: Dr Loh Kia Ee Sheila
- Vice-Chairman: Dr Yu Su Ling
- Honorary Secretary: Dr Fong Yoke Fai
- Committee Members: Dr Cheng Li Chang, Dr Koh Chung Fai, Dr Suresh Nair, Dr PC Wong
- Co-opted Members: Dr Ahmad Amin, Dr Teh Heng Heng

**Section of Urogynaecology**
- Chairman: Dr Ng Kwok Weng, Roy
- Vice-Chairman: Dr Han How Chuan, William
- Committee Members: Dr Lee Lih Charn, Dr Lee Weng Soon, James
- Co-opted Members: Dr Chua Hong Liang, Dr See Tho Kai Yin

*Photo was taken at the 5th College of O&G Lecture & Dinner held on 12th November 2008.*
Continuing Medical Education

During the year, the College contributed actively to the Continuing Medical Education (CME) activities and lectures:

14 January 2008

HMDP Visiting Expert Lecture: "Current Fertility Treatment for Cancer Patients"

Speaker: Professor Gab Kovacs  
Chairpersons:  
Dr Roland Chien, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist  
Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology, Singapore General Hospital  
Dr Suresh Nair, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, Mount Elizabeth Medical Centre

16 & 17 February 2008

HMDP Visiting Expert Lecture: "Fetal Surveillance in Labour"  
(co-organised with the Obstetrical & Gynaecological Society of Singapore)

Speaker: Professor Sabaratnam Arulkumaran  
Chairperson: Dr Devendra Kanagalingam  
St George’s Hospital Medical School, London, United Kingdom

19 February 2008

Medico-Legal Symposium on "Urogynaecological Surgery"  
(co-organised with the Obstetrical & Gynaecological Society of Singapore)

Programme:
Lectures focusing on topics related to complications of mid-urethral tapes, pelvic organ prolapsed operations, Medico-Legal issues, etc.

Speakers included:
O & G Specialists—Dr Roy Ng, Dr Lee Lih Charn, Dr Seetho Kai Yin  
Partner from Rodyk & Davidson LLP—Mr Christopher Chong

11 – 13 April 2008

2nd Congress of the Asia Pacific Initiative on Reproduction (ASPIRE 2008) & the 6th Biennial Meeting of the Pacific Rim Society for Fertility & Sterility (PRSFS 2008)  
(co-hosted with the National University of Singapore & the Obstetrical & Gynaecological Society of Singapore)

The meetings were held simultaneously on the same days from 11 – 13 April 2008 at Suntec Singapore. The two-day event saw Asia Pacific’s top O & G experts and infertility specialists, scientists and researchers exchanging ideas and participating in the discussion forums and lectures. The theme "Art – Paving the Way for New Frontiers", the Congress Scientific Programme comprised a range of topics pertinent to clinicians and scientists involved in the management of, and research into, the rapidly developing field of ART.

17 – 18 May 2008

A series of Cognitive Institute Workshops  
(co-organised with the Obstetrical & Gynaecological Society of Singapore and Medical Protection Society)

Mastering Patient Communication  
The workshop provided practitioners a thorough grounding in the issues surrounding risk management and introduced practical preventive skills and techniques that practitioners can implement immediately to reduce exposure to litigation.

Mastering Adverse Outcomes  
Clinicians learnt an effective model for communicating with patients after an adverse outcome. The model addressed the patient’s needs without compromising the clinician’s legal position.

Mastering Difficult Patient Interactions  
A practical skills development workshop designed to give healthcare professionals competence in handling difficult patient interactions.

25 June 2008

Patient Centred Approach to ART

Speaker: Dr Jan Olofsson, M.D., Ph.D., Associate Professor  
Medical Director, Reproductive Medicine Area Asia Pacific, Schering Plough  
Chairperson: Dr Yu Su Ling  
Senior Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist  
Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology  
Singapore General Hospital

30 June 2008

Current Trends in Contraceptive Development

Speaker: Professor Gab Kovacs  
Professor of Obstetrics & Gynaecology (Monash University)  
Director of Obstetrics & Gynaecology (Eastern Health)Melbourne, Australia  
Chairperson: Dr Kang Wee  
Senior Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist  
Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology  
KK Women’s & Children’s Hospital

29 October 2008

Proactive Adhesion Prevention Strategies in Gynaecology Surgery: Focus on Risk Reduction

Speaker: Professor Alexander John Crandon  
Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist  
Mount Elizabeth Medical Centre  
Chairperson: A/Prof Tay Eng Hsiong  
Chairman Medical Board  
College of O & G, Singapore

12 November 2008

5th College of O & G Lecture & Dinner: "Sub-specialisation in O & G: Boon or Bane (Lessons from the RCOG Experience)"

Chairperson: Dr Chern Sui Min, President, Hong Kong College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists

The 5th College of O & G Lecture & Dinner was held on 12 November 2008 at the Pan Pacific Hotel in conjunction with the 4th Obstetrics Ultrasound Outreach Course and the inaugural College of O & G Scientific Congress 2008. This year, the College is honoured to have Professor Yung Yau Yau, President of the Singapore Medical Council, as the Guest-of-Honour and Professor Stephen C Robson, Distinguished Academician of the Academy of Medicine Singapore, to deliver the lecture on "Sub-specialisation in O & G: Boon or Bane (Lessons from the RCOG Experience)".