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ANNUAL REPORT 2021-22

The 36th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the association was held on 12th December 2021 in Hotel Armada, Petaling Jaya.

1. MAAM Symposia Series on Primary Care Medicine 2022

Was held on 19th & 20th March 2022 at Four Points Sheraton Puchong in which 120 participants took part. It was a 2 day event with talks and workshops featuring renowned speakers. This event was carried out under our Society of Scientific Studies chapter in collaboration with Cleve Concept Sdn Bhd. Organising chairperson was Dr.Koh Kar Chai.

2. 2nd MAAM Dental CPD

Was held on 27th March 2022 at Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM) in which 35 participants took part. It was a half day lecture and half day workshop event featuring speakers & facilitators who are our own alumni. Organising chairperson was Dr.Hanisa Sabrina and assisted by Dr.Krishila Basil & Dr.Karishma.

3. 4th MAAM Abdominal USG Workshop

Was held on 10th April 2022 at Westlane Place, Petaling Jaya in which 35 participants took part. It was a half day lecture and half day workshop event featuring speakers & facilitators who are our own alumni. Organising chairperson was Dr.Apsara Panicker. This event was carried out in collaboration with Active Scientific Sdn.Bhd.

4. 2nd MAAM Golf Tour Penang

Was held on 16th April 2022 at Penang Golf Club in which 30 participants took part in the golf tournament in the afternoon. This was followed by a fellowship dinner at Indian Palace attended by 60 people. Organising chairperson was Dr.Manjit Singh (Roger). Next years golf tour has been planned in Cameron Highlands.



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5. MAAM Basic Suturing Worksop

Was held on 23rd July 2022 in Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM) in which 35 participants took part. It was a half day lecture and half day workshop event featuring speakers & facilitators who are our own alumni. Organising chairperson was Dr.Sekkapan Thannimalai. This event was carried out in collaboration with Bactiguard Sdn.Bhd.

6. MAAM Alumni Gala Dinner

Was held on 24th September 2022 in Royale Chulan Kuala Lumpur which was attended by 1200 Alumni. It was a mega event which also celebrated the 25 years of Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM). Past VC, CEO and Deans were felicitated during the event. The organising chairman was Dr.Sivasuthan.

7. Motivation Monday

This project in collaboration with student council of Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM) was started in May 2018 in which an alumni is highlighted every Monday on the alumni website, FB & Instagram page and whatsapp & telegram groups. It is also now displayed in MUCM. This project is being handled by Dr.Sivasuthan & Dr.Krishila Basil. This project has been going on successfully for 232 consecutive weeks now.

8. MAAM Sportivo

This project was started in January 2016 in which two alumni teams in pool and football were created to get Manipalites to get together. The project is still going strong into its 7th year in which the pool and football team play friendly matches on once a month or 2 months once basis. The teams have also taken part in invitational tournaments & had their in house tournaments.

9. Manipal Alumni Science & Health (MASH) Journal

MASH Journal (Volume 7 Issue 1) with 15 articles was published in June 2022. Volume 7 Issue 2 is being published in December 2022 with 10 articles. The editorial board is headed by Prof Dr.Nazmul. He is being assisted by the editorial board members Dr.John Emmanuel, Dr.Rasyid Sulaiman & Dr.Mila Nu Nu Htay. Our advisor was the late Dr.Philip George. Our journal which is a e-journal is indexed with Perpustakaan Malaysia.



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10. Alumni Homecoming

This is a sports project in collaboration with clubs & societies of Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM). The various alumni sports team goes back to campus to play a friendly match with the college team. The homecoming as follows :

- 12th February 2022 (Badminton)
- 23rd April 2022 (Tennis)
- 4th June 2022 (Basketball)
- 27th November 2022 (Football)

11. Alumni Masterclass

This is an academic project in collaboration with the Faculty of Medicine of Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM). Alumni from different specialities are invited to campus to deliver a guest lecture to the final year MBBS students. We have had 5 masterclass sessions in 2022 covering Cardiology, Ophthalmology, Orthopaedics, Family Medicine & Entrepreneurship.

12. Manipal Battle of FPL

This is a competition among Manipalites on the Fantasy Premier League which is done in collaboration with the MUCM Football Club. Top 5 winners are given prizes for the first half of the season and top 10 winners are given prize at the end of the season. This season is the 3rd year this competition is being held. We have 140 participants in this years competition.

13. Collaboration with Doctor Shield (JA Assure) & Affin Bank

Manipal Alumni is working in collaboration with Doctor Shield to provide medical indemnity insurance for its members at a special promo code and discount. Alumni is also working in collaboration with Affin Bank to provide special offers for its members.



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14. Membership

Our current official membership stands at 1256 members.

15. CPD endorsements

Our Society of Scientific Studies have been active in the area of CPD activities. Apart from organising its own CPD activities, the Society has been endorsing various CPD's as well in order for our doctors to accumulate the CPD points required for the annual APC. Organising chairperson is Dr.Koh Kar Chai.

Report by,
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