(1) Membership

Life Membership Conferment

We are delighted to announce that Life Membership is conferred on the following members in accordance with Article 7 of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of HKDA Ltd. The Council would like to express our heartfelt gratitude towards their unfailing support for the Association.

Dr Au Yeung Kit, Herbert  欧阳嘉医学
Dr Chan Duh Yeu  陈杜宇医学
Dr Chau Hing Tai, Patrick  周庆泰医学
Dr Cheng Chun Chu  鄺镇柱医学
Dr Chiu Hung Leung, Albert  招雄亮医学
Dr Ghaw Ting Fong, William  吴鼎方医学
Dr Heung Wai Ming, Daniel  香煇铭 ( 香偉明 ) 医生
Dr Ho Che On, Norman  何志安医学
Dr Hui Ping Chiu, Robert  許炳超医学
Dr Kei Lee Hoi  祁理海医生
Dr Ko Yu Chun  高如春医生
Dr Leung Charn Ming  梁燿明醫生
Dr Mok Pe Chan, Patrick  莫比燿醫生
Dr Ng Kin Wai, Kevin  吴建華醫生
Dr Ng Kum Yuen, Gilbert  吴金源醫生
Dr Siu Tung Ming, Dominic  蕭東明醫生
Dr Wong Sau Ming, Stephen  黃守明醫生
Dr Wong Shui Kam, Graham  黃瑞銘醫生

Ordinary Membership

We would like to extend our warmest welcome to 11 Ordinary Members who newly joined the Association.

Dr Brezhnev, Sergey  布列佐夫, 谢尔盖
Dr Chan Koon Cheung, Stanley  陈冠章医学
Dr Cheng Wan Leung  郑温良医学
Dr Gohil Purvi Ankit  谷希尔, 波维
Dr Lee Kim Bing  李锦賓医生
Dr Lee Travis Hyunwook  李特华
Dr Liu Chi Wang  廖梓泓医生
Dr Liu Katrina  張书瑜医生
Dr Tse Chung Ming  谢忠明医生
Dr Yao Jie  姚傑醫生
Dr Zhu Shiwen  祝士雯醫生

(2) Proposed Amendment to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of HKDA Ltd (HKDA M&A) and Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM)

We are delighted to announce that the new draft of HKDA M&A has been finalized based on the results of the survey conducted in January 2019. To move forward, a briefing session open to all members for elaboration on the draft new articles will take place on 16 May 2019. Please note that the adoption of the new draft articles is subject to the passage of the special resolution during the EGM on 21 May 2019. Members should have already received the EGM documents around 26 April 2019. According to Article 56(b) of the HKDA M&A, all voting members of the Association who shall have duly paid up all fees for the time being payable to the Association shall be entitled to vote. Please do take part and vote in person or by proxy.
(3) HKIDEAS 2019

HKDA members who renew their HKDA membership and register for the participation category of ‘Dentist’ for the Hong Kong International Dental Expo And Symposium 2019 (HKIDEAS 2019) with payment before 15 May 2019 will be entitled to 5 cash coupons (valued at HK$500 each, totaling HK$2,500) for making purchase at the exhibition of the HKIDEAS 2019. Please refer to the detailed arrangement that we announced in the flyer distributed to members recently.

(4) Call for Nomination by FDI World Dental Federation

FDI World Dental Federation (FDI) is now inviting nominations for various available positions in its standing committees including Dental Practice Committee, Education Committee, and Membership Liaison and Support Committee.

Each nomination must be supported and submitted by the Regular Member Association of the nominee in writing. To meet the nomination deadline set by FDI World Dental Federation, members who are interested to be nominated to the FDI positions are required to submit all necessary documents by 2 May 2019 for HKDA Council’s consideration and endorsement. Please refer to the flyer that we sent to members for more details including nomination documents required and the important timeline of nomination, presentation and election.

**Important Time Schedule:**

(a) **Election Dates**

General Assembly B on **7 September 2019**, Sat (14:00-17:30) and Council C on **8 September 2019**, Sun (09:00-15:00).

(b) **Date of Presentation**

Eligible candidates will have the opportunity to make a three-minute PowerPoint presentation at Open Forum 2 on 4 Sept 2019, Wed (08:15-10:15).

**Note:** Candidates’ presentation files must be in PowerPoint format and sent by **3 August 2019** to Ms Maria Kramarenko of FDI (mkramarenko@fdiworlddental.org).

(5) Healthy Smile Cambodia 2019

HKDA is now recruiting volunteer dentists and 10 Form 6 secondary school students who are interested in studying dentistry to participate in our 2nd Cambodia Service Trip from 14 July to 17 or 18 July 2019. This 5-day volunteer service trip organized by our Professional Volunteer Service Committee aims at fostering exchange of dental knowledge and service between Hong Kong and Cambodia. Last year, our volunteer dentists and students had served over 1,000 patients by providing them with primary dental care service in rural area in Cambodia. To make the programme sustainable, we will carry out the programme again this year, targeting to serve 2,000 Cambodian students.