

**FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**MALAYSIAN THORACIC SOCIETY**  
**ANNUAL CONGRESS 2024**



**29th August - 1st September 2024**

**Persada Johor**  
**International Convention Centre**  
**Johor Bahru, Johor**

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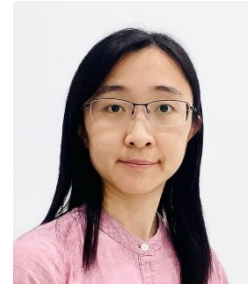
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## WELCOME ADDRESS FROM ORGANISING CHAIRPERSONS



Greetings from Johor Bahru!

On behalf of the Organising Committee, we welcome you to the Malaysian Thoracic Society Annual Congress 2024. With immense pleasure and a deep sense of pride, this is the first time the congress is being held physically in Johor Bahru, and it coincides with the second anniversary of the establishment of the Paediatric Respiratory Unit in Hospital Sultanah Aminah, Johor Bahru.

This annual congress is not just a gathering of medical professionals but a testament to the collaborative spirit and dedication that defines the Malaysian Thoracic Society. Our commitment to advancing knowledge, fostering innovation, and improving patient care has brought us together for this significant event.

This year's congress promises to be an enriching experience featuring diverse scientific and clinical topics, cutting-edge research, and invaluable networking opportunities. We have curated a comprehensive programme addressing the latest advancements in thoracic medicine, providing a platform for dialogue and exchanging ideas among experts from various specialties/places.

Our esteemed and well-known speakers and presenters will travel from different corners of the globe to share their insights and expertise with us. Their contributions will undoubtedly contribute to the depth and breadth of knowledge that we, as a medical community, can harness for the benefit of our patients.

We are incredibly grateful to the sponsors, exhibitors, and partners who have generously pledged their support for this congress. Your commitment to our cause is instrumental in making this event a success, and we are truly thankful for your collaboration.

To all the delegates, we encourage you to actively engage in the sessions, participate in discussions, and take full advantage of the networking opportunities available. The Malaysian Thoracic Society Annual Congress is not only a platform for learning but also a forum for building connections that can last a lifetime. In addition, we are confident that the Gala Dinner networking and entertainment this year will be an unforgettable experience that will last a lifetime. As we embark on this journey of exploration and collaboration, let us keep in mind the ultimate goal that unites us – the well-being of our patients. Together, we can push the boundaries of knowledge, inspire innovation, and impact thoracic medicine meaningfully.

Once again, a warm welcome to the Malaysian Thoracic Society Annual Congress 2024 in Johor Bahru. May this event be a source of inspiration, learning, and camaraderie for all of us.

Thank you.

*Liew Zheyi*  
Dr Liew Zheyi  
Organising Chairperson

*Lim Suat Yee*  
Dr Lim Suat Yee  
Co-Organising Chairperson



## PROGRAMME SUMMARY

Day 1: Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2024		Day 2: Friday, 30 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	
Time	Programme	Time	Programme
	<b>CONGRESS WORKSHOP (Includes Lunch)</b>	0700 – 0800	<b>REGISTRATION</b>
0800 - 1230	<b>Workshop 1</b>	0800 – 0810	<b>WELCOME ADDRESS</b>
	Multidrug Resistant Tuberculosis	0810 – 0850	<b>PLENARY 1</b>
0800 - 1230	<b>Workshop 2</b>		<b>SYMPOSIUM 1</b>
	Lung Physiology	0850 – 1005	<b>S1A – APSR Joint Symposium (Lung Cancer)</b>
0800 - 1230	<b>Workshop 3</b>		<b>S1B – Sleep Disordered Breathing</b>
	Paediatric Asthma		<b>S1C – Sleep Disordered Breathing in Children</b>
1230 - 1330	<b>LUNCH</b>	1005 – 1035	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
1330 - 1700	<b>Workshop 1</b>		<b>SYMPOSIUM 2</b>
	Multidrug Resistant Tuberculosis	1035 – 1150	<b>S2A – APSR Joint Symposium (Interstitial Lung Disease)</b>
1330 - 1700	<b>Workshop 2</b>		<b>S2B – Airway Diseases</b>
	Lung Physiology		<b>S2C – Pre-School Wheeze/Asthma</b>
1330 - 1700	<b>Workshop 3</b>	1150 – 1240	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 2A (AstraZeneca)</b>
	Paediatric Asthma		<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 2B (GlaxoSmithKline)</b>
1700 - 1730	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>	1240 – 1430	<b>LUNCH AND FRIDAY PRAYERS</b>
1730 - 1815	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 1A</b>		<b>SYMPOSIUM 3</b>
	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 1B</b>	1430 – 1600	<b>S3A – Interventional Pulmonology</b>
1900	<b>DINNER</b>		<b>S3B – Oral Presentation</b>
			<b>S3C – Neonatal Lung Disease</b>
		1600 – 1650	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 3A (AstraZeneca)</b>
			<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 3B (Menarini)</b>
		1650 - 1740	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 4A (AstraZeneca)</b>
			<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 4B (Sanofi)</b>
		1740 – 1935	<b>MTS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING &amp; COFFEE BREAK</b>
		1935 – 2200	<b>DINNER</b>



<b>Day 3: Saturday, 31<sup>st</sup> August 2024</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Programme</b>
0700 - 0800	<b>Fellow Session</b>
0800 - 0840	<b>PLENARY 2</b> <b>Debate: Controversy of GINA 2023 (MART/AIR)</b>
0840 - 1010	<b>SYMPOSIUM 4</b>
	<b>S4A – Tuberculosis</b>
	<b>S4B – Pulmonary Vascular Disease</b>
	<b>S4C – Lower Respiratory Tract Infection in Children</b>
1010 - 1040	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
1040 - 1210	<b>SYMPOSIUM 5</b>
	<b>S5A – Pleural Disease</b>
	<b>S5B – Pulmonary Infection</b>
	<b>S5C – Chronic Cough and Paediatric Bronchiectasis</b>
1210 - 1300	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 5 (Pfizer)</b>
1300 - 1400	<b>LUNCH</b>
1400 - 1500	<b>SYMPOSIUM 6</b>
	<b>S6A – Thematic Oral Presentation (Adult)</b>
	<b>S6B – Thematic Oral Presentation (Adult)</b>
	<b>S6C – Thematic Oral Presentation (Paediatric)</b>
	<b>S6D – Poster Presentation</b>
1500 - 1550	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 6 (GlaxoSmithKline)</b>
1550 - 1640	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 7A (AstraZeneca)</b>
	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 7B</b>
1640 - 1700	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
1930 - 2230	<b>GALA DINNER</b>

<b>Day 4: Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024</b>	
<b>Time</b>	<b>Programme</b>
0800 - 0840	<b>PLENARY 3</b> <b>New frontier in Pulmonology</b>
0840 - 1010	<b>SYMPOSIUM 7</b>
	<b>S7A – Research in Pulmonology</b>
	<b>S7B – Meet the Expert</b>
	<b>S7C – Potpourri</b>
1010 - 1040	<b>COFFEE BREAK</b>
1040 - 1130	<b>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM 8 (Menarini)</b>
1130 - 1230	<b>SYMPOSIUM 8</b>
	<b>S8A – Lungs on Fire</b>
	<b>S8B – Respiratory Jeopardy</b>
	<b>S8C - Paediatric Grand Ward Round</b>
1230 - 1320	<b>S9 - Debate</b>
1320 - 1330	<b>CLOSING CEREMONY</b>
1330 - 1430	<b>LUNCH</b>



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## REGISTRATION FEES

### Main Conference, 30<sup>th</sup> August – 1<sup>st</sup> September 2024

On or before 5 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	From 5 <sup>th</sup> August to 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	Onsite
<b>MTS Member (Ordinary / Affiliate)</b>		
RM 650	RM 750	RM 850
<b>Non-MTS Member</b>		
RM 700	RM 800	RM 900
<b>International Delegate</b>		
USD 230	USD 280	USD 330

### Congress Workshop, 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024

Workshop (Includes lunch)	MTS Member	Non-MTS Member	International Delegate
<b>Workshop 1</b> Multidrug Resistant Tuberculosis	RM 250	RM 300	USD 100
<b>Workshop 2</b> Lung Physiology	RM 250	RM 300	USD 100
<b>Workshop 3</b> Paediatric Asthma	RM 250	RM 300	USD 100

## CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

The Congress Secretariat must be notified in writing of all cancellations. Refunds will be made after the Congress. The refund policy is as follows:

Cancellation on or before 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024: 50% refund

Cancellation after 29<sup>th</sup> August 2024: No refund

## CPD POINTS WILL BE AWARDED



## **DISCLAIMER**

Whilst every attempt will be made to ensure that all aspects of the Conference as mentioned in this publication take place as scheduled, the Organising Committee reserves the right to make changes should the need arise.

## **ABSTRACT SUBMISSION**

Members should submit abstracts for free papers/poster presentation online at <https://2024.mts.org.my/>.

Please access our website for full details on how to submit abstracts. The closing date for receipt of abstracts is **7<sup>th</sup> July 2024**

## **CONGRESS VENUE**

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80000 Johor Bahru, Johor

Website: <https://www.persadajohor.com/>

## **HOTEL BOOKINGS**

### **Amari Johor Bahru**

82C Suasana Iskandar Malaysia

Jalan Trus Road, Johor Bahru City Centre

80000 Johor Bahru, Johor

Reservation link: <https://www.amari.com/#>

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### **Suasana Suites Johor Bahru**

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Reservation link: <https://suasanasuites.com.my/jb/booking/>

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### **DoubleTree by Hilton Johor Bahru**

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80000 Johor Bahru, Johor

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