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17-18th May 2025



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16th May 2025

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1st March 2025

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1ST INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF ADVANCED MIS, ROBOTIC & ABLATION SOCIETY OF GYNAECOLOGISTS MALAYSIA - BY AMRAS-APAGE (YAG)

Redefining Gynaecologic Surgery MASTERING PRECISION

My dear colleagues,

Would you like to advance your clinical skills in minimally invasive and robotic surgery? **Join us at the 1st AMRAS 2025 International Congress!**

The program begins with 3 pre-congress workshop on Day 1 on 16th May 2025, offering dry-lab hands-on training and live surgery in Operative Hysteroscopy, vNOTES Surgery, and Robotic Surgery in Gynaecology. This will be followed by a two-day scientific congress featuring advanced and current topics in minimally invasive approaches for Gynaecology, Endometriosis, Reproduction, and Urogynaecology Surgery.

This is a unique opportunity to learn from renowned international and local experts in advanced minimally invasive and robotic surgery. You will also engage in interactive workshops and scientific discussions, gaining practical insights that will enhance your everyday clinical practice. Join us on this transformative journey to redefine gynaecologic surgery through innovation, precision, and collaboration. Together, we can shape a future where advanced technologies empower healthcare professionals to provide world-class care for women throughout Malaysia and beyond.

See you in Kuala Lumpur!

Best wishes,

Dr Sharifah Halimah Jaafar Organising Chairperson

1st AMRAS 2025 International Congress



Abstracts



Abstract Submission Deadline : 01 March 2025 Early Bird Registration Deadline: 17 January 2025 Acceptance Results Notification: 15 March 2025 Video Submission Deadline : 15 April 2025 *Late Submission will not be accepted.

Abstract Submission Guidelines:

https://tinyurl.com/amras2025abstract



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Best Video Award

- Cash RM 2000
- Free registration
 - Microwave ablation workshop (RM800)
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- Trophy & Certificate
- Opportunity to submit for publication in APAGE-ASURG or GMIT



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- Certificate



2nd Runner Up

- Cash RM 500
- Free registration
 - Microwave ablation workshop (RM800)
- Certificate

^{**} Please note that the award winners will be announced and receive the awards at the closing ceremony on 18 May 2025. If you are unable to attend, please appoint a representative to accept the award on your behalf. Otherwise, the award will be given to the next eligible recipient. Additionally, trophies and certificates will not be mailed.

Registration

CONGRESS REGISTRATION FEES						
Category	Early Bird Before 28th February 2025		Regular Before 30th April 2025		On-Site 1st May - 18 May 2025	
AMRAS & APAGE member	RM 800		RM 1000		RM 1200	
Non-Member	RM 1200		RM 1400		RM 1600	
International	USD 400		USD	USD 450		
MEDICAL OFFICERS / NURSES / PARAMEDICS / ALLIED HEALTH / UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS						
AMRAS & APAGE member	RM 500		RM (600	RM 700	
Non-Member	RM 700		RM 8	800	RM 900	
International	USD 200		USD	250	USD 300	
	ABSTRACT SUBMISSION					
Abstract	Abstract Su	Abstract Submission		n Deadline	Notification of Acceptance	
Important Dates	15th January 2025		lst Marc	ch 2025	15th March 2025	
PRE CONGRESS WORKSHOP (Only delegates who have registered for the main congress are eligible to register for the pre-congress workshop)						
Category	Malaysian/ AMRAS & APAGE members	International	Malaysian/ AMRAS & APAGE members	International	Seats	
Hysteroscopy	RM 600	USD 150	RM 800	USD 200	30 seats only	
VNOTES	RM 1000	USD 250	RM 1200	USD 300	10 seats only	
Robotic	RM 800	USD 200	RM 1000	USD 250	30 seats only	
	Malaysian - RM 150 / International USD 35					

^{**} Registration starts on 15/01/2025 via https://joinnow.my/amras2025/.

^{**} vNOTES application: Successful applicants will be informed via email before 15/3/2025.



Cancellation and Refund Policy:

Please be adviced that refunds are subject to an administrative fee of USD 75.00 for International candidates and RM 250.00 for Malaysian candidates.

Cancellation on or before 30th April 2025: 50% refund.

Cancellation after 30th April 2025: No refund.

If no refund is required but a change in participant registration is needed, then the Secretariat must be informed in writing via email to secretariat@amras.org.my

^{**} Delegates who have applied for the AMRAS Membership / APAGE Membership (but have yet to receive confirmation of membership status from the respective society) will need to attach the proof of membership application payment as the Supporting Document upon congress registration to be entitled for the Members rate.

^{**} Malaysian Medical Officers / Nurses / Paramedics / Allied Health / Undergraduate Students will need to attach a letter from the HOD as the Supporting Document for verification upon congress registration.

^{**} Delegates who received a discounted price but are unable to provide proof of their AMRAS/APAGE membership or the correct category will be asked to pay the remaining balance upon notification. AMRAS reserves the right to deny entry if delegates fail to provide the required proof of AMRAS/APAGE membership or discounted category.

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Pre-congress Workshop 1 (Hysteroscopy)

Hands-On Diagnostic & Operative Hysteroscopy Workshop (AMRAS-SAYGE Certificate in Diagnostic & Operative

Hysteroscopy - Step 1) 16th May 2025

Picaso Hospital

Objective

- To understand the fundamentals in diagnostic and therapeutic hysteroscopy
- Perform hands-on skills in basic operative hysteroscopy

Description

This workshop will be a combination of lectures and practical stations. The lectures will provide comprehensive coverage on pre-operative planning, management of complications and relevant anatomy for hysteroscopic surgery. This will be followed by practical stations where you will practice navigation, hand-eye coordination, and also have a chance to perform tissue removal using simple forceps, morcellation and electrosurgery.

Course Director

Dr Angeline Wong Tze Yin, Malaysia Dr Ng Ying Shan, Malaysia

Faculty:

Dr Giuseppe Bigatti, Italy
Dr Lee Say Fatt, Malaysia
Dr Mohammad Haekal, Indonesia
Dr Yi-Chieh Li, Taiwan
Dr Ichnandy Arief Rachman, Indonesia
Dr Low Kah Pin, Malaysia

Time	Tentative Programme	
08:00	Registration	
08:30	Instruments, techniques and distension media in hysteroscopy	
09:00	Patient and OR preparation (Diagnostic & Therapeutic)	
09:30	Uterine and cervical anatomy in hysteroscopy / OPD hysteroscopy	
10:00	Setup and Techniques in TCR of myoma using the shaver	
11:00	Complications in hysteroscopy	
12:00	Demonstration / station assignments	
12:30	Lunch	
13:30	Hands-on workshop	
16:00	Exam	
16:30	Feedback & Closing Award of AMRAS-SAYGE Diagnostic & Operative Hysteroscopy Certification Step 1	

Pre-congress Workshop 3 (Robotic)

Robotic Surgeries in Gynaecology Workshop - in Collaboration with ASGRS (Asean Society of Gynae Robotic Surgery) 16th May 2025

Picaso Hospital

Course Director

Dr Tan Ee Ping, Malaysia Dr Sharifah Halimah Jaafar, Malaysia

Faculty:

Prof Dr Kim Tae Joong, Korea Dato' Dr Aziz Yahya, Malaysia Dr Rooma Sinha, India Prof Dr Joseph J. Noh, Korea Prof Dr Joseph Ng, Singapore

	Prof Dr Joseph Ng, Singapore	
Time	Tentative Programme	
08:20	Welcome & Opening - Introduction of ASGRS Prof Dr Kim Tae Joong, Korea	
08:30	Lecture 1: Transitioning to Robotic Surgery – What does it take? Dato' Dr Aziz Yahya, Malaysia	
09:00	Lecture 2: Avoiding Complications of Robotic Surgery During The Learning Curve Dr Sharifah Halimah Jaafar, Malaysia	
09:30	Lecture 3: Robotic Myomectomy: Optimizing Fertility Outcomes **Dr Rooma Sinha, India**	
10:00	Lecture 4: From Complexity to Clarity: Robotic Surgery in Deep Endometriosis *Dr Tan Ee Ping, Malaysia**	
10:45	Lecture 5: Robotic Hysterectomy: Indications, Techniques, and Challenges Prof Dr Joseph J. Noh, Korea	
11:15	Lecture 6: Recognizing and Managing Intraoperative Complications in Robotic Surgery Prof Dr Joseph J. Noh, Korea	
11:45	Lecture 7: Case-Based Learning: Handling Challenging Robotic Surgeries Dato' Dr Aziz Yahya, Malaysia Prof Dr Kim Tae Joong, Korea Prof Dr Joseph Ng, Singapore	
13:00	Robotic Assisted Hysterectomy	
13:30	Robotic Assisted Myomectomy	
16:00	Case discussion & Video sharing	

Pre-congress Workshop 2 (vNOTES)

Pre-Congress Hands On vNOTES Workshop (AMRAS-SAYGE Certificate in vNOTES - Step 1) 16th May 2025

Hospital Sungai Buloh

Course Director

Dr Chua Peng Teng, Malaysia Dr Sundar Gugan Santhana, Malaysia

Faculty:

Dr Tomonori Hada, Japan Dr Celene Hui, Singapore

Due to the advanced nature of this procedure, applicants for this workshop will be screened after initial application and successful candidates will be notified individually. Payment will only be required if your application is successful.



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Time	Tentative Programme	
07:30	Registration	
08:00	Introduction to vNOTES pre-congress	
08:15	Female Pelvic Anatomy: The vNOTES perspective & Approaches in vNOTES	
08:45	VANH (vaginally assisted NOTES hysterectomy)	
09:30	vNOTES ovarian surgery	
10:15	Live surgery	
12:30	Potential Complications & Troubleshooting in vNOTES	
13:00	Lunch	
14:00	Station assigment and briefing	
14:30	Hands on vNOTES stations: Hysterectomy	
16:00	Exam - Post Test	
16:45	Evaluations by examiners	
16:45	Feedback & Closing Award of certificate: AMRAS-SAYGE Step 1 vNOTES Surgery Certificate	

Tentative Programme (Day 1)

Main Congress 17th May 2025

Time	HALL 1		
08:00	Registration		
08:30	Welcome speech (AMRAS President / APAGE Chairman / COGAMM President)		
09:00	Official launching of AMRAS by YAB Minister of Health, Malaysia (TBC)		
09:30	Pioneers of Precision: Honoring Leaders in Minimally Invasive Surgery Appreciation ceremony: Celebrating our Partners in Education		
10:00	Plenary Lecture 1 - <i>Prof Lee Chyi-Long, Taiwan</i> Reviving Vaginal Surgery in the 21st Century		
10:30	Plenary Lecture 2 - <i>Prof Dr. Kim Tae-Joong, Korea</i> Innovations and Future Directions in Robotic Surgery in Gynaecology		
11:00	Tea break		
	HALL 1 HALL 2		
	Symposium 1: Techniques & Innovation in Gynae Minimally Invasive Surgery	Symposium 4: MIS & Gynae Oncology - A New Paradigm	
11:30	Entry Techniques in MIS: A Review of Laparoscopic Methods, Single vs Multiport Approaches, and vNOTES as an Emerging Technique	MIS in cervical carcinoma: Where are we now after developments in the LACC trials?	
	Dr Celene Hui, Singapore	Prof Dr Park Jeong-Yeol, Korea	
12:00	Gasless laparoscopy - Techniques and real world applications Dr Toru Sasaki, Japan	Panel forum: The boundaries & oncological outcome of MIS surgery for gynae	
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	Gasless laparoscopy - Techniques and real world applications Dr Toru Sasaki, Japan Controversies in the technique of morcellation of fibroid & uterine specimen	Panel forum: The boundaries & oncological outcome of MIS surgery for gynae malignancy Dr Badrul Zaman Muda, Malaysia Prof Dr Joseph Ng, Singapore	

Tentative Programme (Day 1)

Main Congress 17th May 2025

	HALL 1	HALL 2		
	Symposium 2: Single Incision Laparoscopic Surgery	Symposium 5: Reproductive Endoscopy		
14:00	Single-site robotic total hysterectomy: Standardization of technique and surgical outcomes Prof Kim Tae Joong, Korea	Laparoscopic management of isthmocele Dr Yi-Chieh Li, Taiwan		
14:30	Tips for VANH with complete cul-de-sac obliteration Dr Tomonori Hada, Japan	Hysteroscopy in infertility management Dr Mohammad Haekal, Indonesia		
15:00	Tips & tricks for successful SILS Dr Sevellaraja Supermaniam, Malaysia	Pregnancy and adverse obstetric outcomes after hysteroscopic resection Dr Gladys Tanangonan, Philippines		
15:30	Tea break			
	Symposium 3: vNOTES Surgery	Symposium 6: Hysteroscopy techniques		
15:40	Looking up from below- Crucial pelvic anatomy considerations for vNOTES Dr Dr Ala' U'wais, Jordan	Office hysteroscopy: Expanding the scope of outpatient gynaecological care Prof Dr Bernard Chern Su Min, Singapore		
16:10	vNOTES hysterectomy: Guide to success Dr Noppamart Whangteeranon, Thailand	Endometrial polyp resection: Precision and safety in outpatient settings Prof Dr Aizura Adlan, Malaysia		
16:40	vNOTES: Overcoming technical challenges - Instruments, training and safety considerations, the Indonesian experience <i>Dr Ichnandy Arief Rachman, Indonesia</i>	Avoiding and managing complications in advanced hysteroscopic surgery. Dr Ng Ying Shan, Malaysia		
17:00	Close			
	Gala dinner			

Tentative Programme (Day 2)

Main Congress 18th May 2025

Time	HALL 1		
08:00	Registration		
08:30	Plenary Lecture 1 - <i>Dr Kuan-Gen Huang, Taiwan</i> Endometriosis as a benign cancer		
09:00	Plenary Lecture 2 - Prof Zhang Lian, China State of the Art and Future Prospect of HIFU Ablation in Gynaecological Disease		
09:30	Plenary Lecture 3 - Dr Giuseppe Bigatti, Italy Reducing the risk of Asherman's in Operative Hysteroscopy: practical points		
10:00	Tea break		
	HALL 1	HALL 2	
	Symposium 7: The Enigma of Endometriosis Management	Symposium 10: MIS & Urogynaecology	
11:00	The role of pre-operative imaging in decision making & surgical strategies Dr Sarah Mubarak, Malaysia	Robotic approach to pelvic organ prolapse repair Prof Jimmy Nomura, Japan	
11:30	Ablation vs complete excision of endometriosis - Pro & Cons Dr Prasanna Supramaniam, Malaysia	vNOTES in pelvic organ prolapse Dr Kensuke Tomio, Japan	
12:00	Fertility options for endometriosis with failed IVF Prof Dr Mukhri Hamdan, Malaysia	Ureteric and bladder injury in pelvic surgery: Prevention and repair Prof Dr Lim Pei Shan, Malaysia	
12:30	Strategies for prevention of recurrence of endometriosis Dr Sharifah Halimah Jaafar, Malaysia	Minimally invasive management of stress urinary incontinence Prof Jimmy Nomura, Japan	
13:00	Q&A	Q&A	
13:15	Lunch break		

Tentative Programme (Day 2)

Main Congress 18th May 2025

	HALL 1	HALL 2	
	Symposium 8: Navigating the Challenges of Endometriosis Surgery	Symposium 11: AMRAS AYS APAGE YAG Video Competition Session (Age 45 and below)	
14:00	Balancing ureteral safety in complex endometriosis cases: Insights from laparoscopic surgery Dr Wen Lu, China		
14:30	Precision in practice: Discoid resection for bowel endometriosis - A Malaysian Perspective Dr Tan Ee Ping, Malaysia	Video presentation competition	
15:00	Unfreezing the frozen pelvis robotically: Precision & Safety Dr Rooma Sinha, India		
15:30	Tea break		
	Symposium 9: The conundrum of Adenomyosis & AMRAS Video Competition sessition (Open to all)		
15:45	Improving the outcome of adenomyosis surgery - What does the future hold? Dr Aranya Yantapant, Thailand		
16:05	Microwave magic - A Gynaecologist's application and outcome for microwave ablation for adenomyosis <i>Dr Tan Ee Ping, Malaysia</i>	Video presentation competition	
16:35	HIFU - Selecting the right candidates for the best outcome Dr Sevellaraja Supermaniam, Malaysia		
17:05	Q&A		
17:15	Closing & Awards		