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POSICON 2021

VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

Dates: 23rd, 24th, 30th, 31st January, 2021



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Colleagues,

We are about to create history for POSI with the first-ever virtual annual scientific meeting. A few months ago, we could not have believed this. However, the COVID-19 pandemic has forced us to think about an alternative to a physical conference.

It is rightly said, 'Every adversity brings an opportunity'. The need of the hour is judicious use of available resources. The executive committee of POSI really deliberated over the situation arising out of unforeseen circumstances and came out with an innovative solution. The new option in the form of a virtual meeting will help us to save a lot of time and expenses on travel and accommodation.

To ensure the best learning, we have spread out the whole program over two weekends in the month of January 2021. We shall have 3 hours session each day for four days. Popular sessions like case discussion sessions, the best scientific paper sessions, and theme based symposia will also be the highlights of this meeting.

One of the advantages of the virtual meeting is, we can invite experts from various parts of the world. And we have a galaxy of experts for POSICON 2021. Though we shall miss the social aspect of the POSICON, we shall have the highest level of the academic program at par with other POSICONS.

Let's continue to move along the path of serving the children.

Let's be resilient and bounce back together to explore this opportunity.

Let's take all precautions to stay safe and healthy.

With regards,
Dhiren Ganjwala

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PROGRAM

Saturday, 23rd January, 2021 | 6.30pm- 9.30pm

- Theme based session** (1 hour) Congenital Vertical Talus
- Non operative management: [Mathew Dobbs](#)
 - Surgical management: when and how: [Hitesh Shah](#)
 - Management of non-idiopathic CVT: [Harold Van Bosse](#)
- Paper session** (1 hour)
- Case discussion** (1 hour) Diagnosis dilemma: [Alaric Aroojis](#), [Manoj Padman](#)

Sunday, 24th January, 2021 | 10.00am - 1.00pm

- Theme based session** (1 hour) Reconstruction options for septic sequelae
- Hip: [Ashok Johari](#)
 - Knee: [Fergal Monsell](#)
 - Ankle: [Sanjeev Sabharwal](#)
- Paper session** (1 hour)
- Case discussion** (1 hour) Controversies in the management: [Taral Nagda](#), [Thomas Palocaren](#)

Saturday, 30th January, 2021 | 6.30pm - 9.30pm

- Theme based session (1 hour) Fracture neck of femur: Preventing & tackling complications
- Coxa vara: [Ken Illingworth](#)
 - AVN: [Salil Upasani](#)
 - Non-union: [Sandeep Patwardhan](#)
- Case discussion (1 hour) Complications: How to prevent and how to manage?: [Ramani Narasimhan](#), [John Mukhopadhaya](#)

Sunday, 31st January, 2021 | 10.00am - 1.00pm

- Case discussion** (1 hour) Upper extremity problems: [Rujuta Mehta](#), [Premal Naik](#)
- Paper session** (1 hour)
- Theme based session** (1 hour) Neuromuscular conditions
- Preventing contractures in CP: [Kerr Graham](#)
 - Management of cavovarus foot: [Durai Nayagam](#)
 - How did we make Victoria a crouch free state: [Kerr Graham](#)

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION



Free papers

Free Papers are of 5 minutes duration + 2 minutes discussion. Please submit structured abstract (Introduction & Aims of Study, Methods, Results, Conclusion of Study) of < 500 words.



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Submit an unstructured abstract of < 250 words

ABSTRACT CATEGORIES

- Congenital (Including Clubfoot / DDH / Limb Deficiencies)
- Trauma (Upper Limb & Lower Limb)
- Infection (Acute / Chronic / Sequelae / TB)
- Developmental (Including Perthes / Coxa Vara / Genu Varum & Valgum)
- Metabolic / Syndromic / Skeletal dysplasias / Osteogenesis imperfecta etc.
- Spine
- Neuromuscular (Cerebral Palsy / Myelomeningocele / Muscular Dystrophies / Polio etc)
- Limb reconstruction (Upper Limb / Lower Limb)
- Sports
- Tumors (Benign & Malignant)
- Basic Research
- Miscellaneous (Innovative Techniques / New Ideas)

POSI BEST PAPER AWARD

From among the highest ranked papers, the first 10 papers fulfilling **ALL** of the following criteria will be selected for the Best Paper session:

Eligibility criteria for POSI Best Paper Session

1. The presenter should be a POSI member or should have applied for POSI membership at the time of abstract submission
2. The study should be largely his / her work
3. The work should have been done in India

GUIDELINES

1. Last Date for Submission: December 1, 2020.
2. Only registered delegates can submit an abstract.
3. Abstract submission is online. Please visit www.posi.in to submit abstracts. Abstracts sent by email will not be considered for evaluation.
4. A delegate can submit more than one abstract, but only one can be presented per delegate. If more than one abstract gets accepted, the presenting author may nominate a co-author to present the paper. The coauthor has to be registered for the conference. The co-author has to have been included at the time of abstract submission. No co-authors can be added later.
5. Do not mention name of Author(s) or Institution in the Title, Body of the abstract or in the images, tables and graphs. Mentioning the same will automatically disqualify the submission.

REGISTRATION DETAILS

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