



# Anaesthesia 2025



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62<sup>nd</sup> MSA - CoA ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC CONGRESS

# First Announcement

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Welcome to our upcoming congress where we will explore the latest advancements and discussions in the field of anaesthesia, perioperative safety, and perioperative medicine. Over three days during the congress, we will present seven plenary sessions, 18 symposium tracks and five in-congress workshops, organised across four parallel tracks.

## SYMPOSIA

We are pleased to share some of the scientific highlights that will be featured :

- 1. Airway Management:** High-risk airway clinics and HFNC preoxygenation applications
- 2. Neuroanaesthesiology:** Updates in care for the brain-injured patient and pharmacologic decision-making using frontal EEG
- 3. ERAS:** Enhanced Recovery After Surgery in paediatric surgery, plus prehabilitation for frail patients
- 4. Non-Operating Room Anaesthesia:** Perspectives from the other side (interventionist) – what's important and how we can work better together
- 5. Neuromodulation:** For acute and chronic pain management
- 6. Paediatric Anaesthesiology:** Best practices in regional anaesthesia for neonates and handling neonatal emergencies
- 7. AI Applications:** Perioperative safety and personalised pain management
- 8. Obstetric Anaesthesiology:** Optimising recovery after caesarean delivery and updates in managing major obstetric haemorrhage
- 9. Medicolegal Issues:** Debates on the role of apologising after medical errors and key updates from recent legal judgments affecting anaesthesia practice
- 10. Cardiac Anaesthesiology:** Oxygen reserve index and reducing inflammation in cardiac surgery
- 11. Perioperative Patient Safety and Outcomes:** Enhancement through leadership, human factors, personal well-being, and novel strategies in anaesthesiology and surgery

We look forward to your participation and insightful discussions.

## PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS

### 1. Awake tracheal intubation workshop

- Venue. : Hospital Canselor Tuanku Muhriz, UKM
- Capacity. : 30 pax

### 2. Regional anaesthesia workshop: High-yield peripheral nerve blocks every anaesthetist should know

- Venue. : Medical Academies Building, Putrajaya
- Capacity. : 30 pax

### 3. Medicolegal workshop: Updates in medicolegal trends and expert witness training

- Venue. : Medical Academies Building, Putrajaya
- Capacity. : 30 pax

### 4. Processed EEG Mastery Workshop

- Venue. : Medical Academies Building, Putrajaya
- Capacity. : 30 pax

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## **IN-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS**

1. Thoracic regional analgesia workshop\*
2. Transthoracic and transoesophageal echocardiography workshop\*
3. Patient blood management problem-based learning session\*
4. Case-based learning anaesthetic management of preeclampsia and eclampsia\*
5. Allied health workshop on airway management\*

*\*More information to follow soon!*

## **MSA YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARD**

## **MSA AWARD**

## **BEST E-POSTER PRESENTATION**

- BEST E-POSTER FOR RESEARCH / STUDY / AUDIT
- BEST E-POSTER FOR CASE REPORT / CASE SERIES

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## CONGRESS SECRETARIAT

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## REGISTRATION FEES

### Participant

Category	On or before 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2025 (Early Bird)	From 1 <sup>st</sup> June to 30 <sup>th</sup> July 2025	On-site / Event Day
<b>Local Delegates</b>			
<b>MSA / CoA Member / Allied Health Professional</b>	RM 1100	RM 1200	RM 1300
<b>Non-MSA/CoA Member</b>	RM 1300	RM 1400	RM 1500
<b>Overseas Delegate</b>	USD 450	USD 500	USD 550

Pre-congress Workshops (31 <sup>st</sup> July 2025)	On or before 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2025 (Early Bird)	From 1 <sup>st</sup> June to 30 <sup>th</sup> July 2025	On-site / Event Day
<b>Awake Tracheal Intubation Workshop</b>	RM 250	RM 270	RM 300
<b>Regional Anaesthesia Workshop : High-Yield Peripheral Nerve Blocks Every Anaesthetist Should kNow</b>	RM 250	RM 270	RM 300
<b>Medicolegal Workshop : Updates in Medicolegal Trends and Expert Witness Training</b>	RM 250	RM 270	RM 300
<b>Processed EEG Mastery Workshop</b>	RM 250	RM 270	RM 300

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## **ENTITLEMENTS**

- Physical attendance at all the Scientific Sessions at the Congress venue
- Food and beverages
- Name badge
- Certificate of attendance

## **PAYMENT**

All payments are to be issued in favour of “**Malaysian Society of Anaesthesiologists**”.

Payments can be made via bank transfer to:

Name of Account : **Malaysian Society of Anaesthesiologists**  
Account No. : **80-0021098-1**  
Name of Bank. : **CIMB Bank Berhad**  
Address of Bank : **Kuala Lumpur Main Branch**  
**11, Jalan Raja Laut, 50350 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia**  
Swift Code : **CIBBMYKL**

*Please submit the bank remittance note by email. Document image by email is also acceptable*

## CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

The Congress Secretariat must be informed in writing of all cancellations. Refund will be made after the Congress:

Cancellation before 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025 : 50% refund

Cancellation on or after 1st June 2025 : No refund

## LIABILITY

The Organising Committee will not be liable for the personal accidents, loss or damage to private properties of delegates during the Congress. Participants should make their own arrangements with respect to personal insurance.

## HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

### Shangri-La Kuala Lumpur

11 Jalan Sultan Ismail, 50250 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

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Website: [www.shangri-la.com/en/kualalumpur/shangrila/](http://www.shangri-la.com/en/kualalumpur/shangrila/)

Room Category	Room Rate Per Room Per Night	
	Single (with breakfast & internet)	Double (with 2 breakfasts & internet)
<b>Deluxe / Executive Room</b>	RM 560.00++ (RM 660.80 nett)	RM 610.00++ (RM 719.80 nett)
<b>Horizon Executive Room</b>	RM 700.00++ (RM 826.00 nett)	RM 750.00++ (RM 885.00 nett)
<b>Premier Selection Suite</b>	RM 850.00++ (RM 1003.00 nett)	RM 900.00++ (RM 1062.00 nett)

\* The agreed rates exclude 8% SST, and any other taxes and levies added (e.g. Tourist tax, city tax) at the rate applicable on the date of payment. The Statutory GST and any other taxes and levies added depend on the location of the Hotel and are subject to change upon request of local authorities

## DISCLAIMER

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



The Scientific Committee invites submission of abstracts in the following categories for presentation at the Annual Scientific Congress of the Malaysian Society of Anaesthesiologists (MSA) and the College of Anaesthesiologists, AMM:

1. Anaesthesia
2. Pain Medicine
3. Intensive Care Medicine

All presentations will be in electronic poster (e-Poster) format except for those selected for oral presentations for the following awards:

1. MSA Young Investigator Award
2. MSA Award

Please note that this is a fully physical conference and those whose abstracts are shortlisted for the various awards will have to present physically at the Congress.

The Scientific Committee will review each submitted abstract and a notification will be sent to the presenting author to inform him/her of the required format to be presented. Authors are required to submit their abstracts in an electronic format and must use the electronic template provided when submitting their abstracts. Please log-on to [www.msa.asm.org.my](http://www.msa.asm.org.my)

***Deadline for Submission of Abstracts : 1<sup>st</sup> June 2025***

## ***IMPORTANT NOTES FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS***

1. Abstracts are to be submitted in English.
2. You must obtain the relevant consent and approval before submitting the abstract.
  - You may be asked for more information during the assessment of your abstract.
  - You must ensure information regarding ethics approval and patient consent is readily available.
  - If you do not have the required consent or approval, your abstract will not be accepted.
3. Abstracts will only be considered for awards and prizes if they have not previously been presented at a scientific meeting or published in a journal.
4. Authors who have applied to compete in the MSA Young Investigator Award or MSA Award and whose abstracts are not selected can opt for the poster presentation if they choose to do so.
5. Abstracts must be accompanied by payment of registration fees. If the abstract is subsequently not accepted for presentation, the registration fee will be refunded to the author in accordance with the cancellation policy at the behest of the author.
6. The final selection will be under the responsibility of the Scientific Committee.

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## **MSA YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARD**

The MSA is proud to announce the Young Investigator Award for original work in the fields of Anaesthesiology, Intensive Care and Pain Medicine. This competition is open to Malaysians below the age of 40 as of 1st January 2025. The award is given in recognition of outstanding original work and consists of an honorarium of RM3,000 and a certificate of merit.

## **MSA AWARD**

The MSA recognises the importance of research in the advancement of the discipline and supports efforts to develop this activity. This award encourages medical investigators to participate in the proceedings of the Annual Scientific Congress and prizes are given to the researcher who have shown great achievement in research. This competition is open to both Malaysian and overseas medical practitioners. There is no age limit.

The prizes for the MSA Award (together with certificates of merits) are as follow:

- First Prize : RM 3,000
- Second Prize : RM 2,000
- Third Prize : RM 1,000

## **BEST E-POSTER PRESENTATION**

The prizes for the e-poster presentations (together with certificates of merits) are as follow:

1. Research / study / audit:
  - First Prize : RM 1,000
  - Second Prize : RM 750
  - Third Prize : RM 500
2. Case report / case series : RM 1,000