



Malaysian Society of
Gastroenterology & Hepatology



Annual Scientific Meeting of MSGH

in conjunction with

Endoscopy Workshop 2026



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UNIVERSITI
MALAYA

28th to 30th August 2026

Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Navigating the Changing
Landscape of
Digestive Diseases

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FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT

WELCOME MESSAGE



On behalf on the MSGH committee, it gives me great pleasure to welcome you to our GUT 2026 meeting themed “Navigating the Changing Landscape of Digestive Diseases”. The aim of the meeting is to provide practical updates on the rapid developments in all the subspecialty areas in gastroenterology and hepatology; from the newest techniques in endoscopy, the ever-increasing armamentarium of therapies in IBD, the evolving approach to hepatocellular carcinoma; to the paradigm shift in how we manage obesity. This is the second year we are combining GUT with a live endoscopy workshop conjointly organised with Universiti Malaya Medical Centre where participants will get a chance to interact with some of the best endoscopists in the region. The meeting will be held at the KLCC; our national landmark; with all the attractions it has to offer. Looking forward to seeing you in August!

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Organising Chair, GUT 2026 &
President, MSGH

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PROGRAMME SUMMARY

Date Time	28 th August 2026 (Friday)	29 th August 2026 (Saturday)	30 th August 2026 (Sunday)	
0730 - 0800	Registration	Registration		
0800 - 0830				
0830 - 0900	Welcome Address 4th Goh Khean Lee Distinguished Lecture	OPENING REMARKS	SYMPOSIUM 3 Hepatology	
0900 - 0930	STATE-OF-ART LECTURE 1	SYMPOSIUM 1 Inflammatory Bowel Disease		
0930 - 1000	Tea Satellite Symposium 1			
1000 - 1030	Tea Break	Tea Satellite Symposium 2	LECTURE 2 23 rd Panir Chelvam Lecture	
1030 - 1100	STATE-OF-ART LECTURE 2		Introduction to CPG Guidelines on IBD	
1100 - 1130	Malaysia Boleh - Best Endoscopic Video Competition	Tea Break	Tea Satellite Symposium 4	
1130 - 1200		LECTURE 1 26 th MSGH Oration	Tea Break	
1200 - 1230	Revisiting the Guidelines on Upper GI Premalignant Conditions	Lifetime Achievement Award	SYMPOSIUM 4 Conundrums in Cholangiocarcinoma: How to Approach	
1230 - 1300		Young Investigator Award		
1300 - 1330	Lunch Satellite Symposium 1	Lunch Satellite Symposium 2	Oral Poster Presentation	
1330 - 1400	Friday Prayers / Lunch		Lunch Satellite Symposium 3	
1400 - 1430	LIVE DEMONSTRATIONS	SYMPOSIUM 2 Update on the Latest Asian DGBI Consensus	Xcolon Cancer: Best Reel Award	
1430 - 1500			STATE-OF-ART LECTURE 3	
1500 - 1530			SYMPOSIUM 5 Metabolic Syndrome and GI Disorders	
1530 - 1600				
1600 - 1630			Tea Satellite Symposium 3	MSGH Graduation Ceremony
1630 - 1700			Tea Break / Booth Visit	Prize Presentation, Lucky Draw & Closing Remarks
1700 - 1730	Tea Satellite Symposium 2	MSGH Annual General Meeting		
1730 - 1900				
1900 - 1930				
1930 - 2000	PRESIDENTIAL DINNER <i>(By Invitation Only)</i>			
2000 - 2200				

Pre-Congress Workshops
27th August 2026 (Thursday)
 Venue : Universiti Malaya Medical Centre, Kuala Lumpur

- 1. Asian EUS Workshop**
Time : 0800 hrs - 1500 hrs
- 2. Luminal Therapeutic Workshop**
Time : 0800 hrs - 1500 hrs
- 3. Young GI Consultants Forum**
Time : 1500 hrs - 1700 hrs

PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS

27TH AUGUST 2026 (THURSDAY)

1. Asian EUS Workshop

Time : 0800 - 1500 hrs

Venue : Universiti Malaya Medical Centre, Kuala Lumpur

2. Luminal Therapeutic Workshop

Time : 0800 - 1500 hrs

Venue : Universiti Malaya Medical Centre, Kuala Lumpur

3. Young GI Consultants Forum

Time : 1500 - 1700 hrs

Venue : Universiti Malaya Medical Centre, Kuala Lumpur

DAILY PROGRAMME

DAY 1 - 28TH AUGUST 2026 (FRIDAY)

0730 - 0830	Registration
0830 - 0845	Welcome Address <i>Ida Normiha Hilmi</i> <i>President, Malaysian Society of Gastroenterology & Hepatology</i> <i>Course Director</i> Opening Video
0845 - 0915	4th Goh Khean Lee Distinguished Lecture The Evolution of Therapeutic Endoscopy in Asia: Lessons, Challenges and Future Directions
0915 - 0955	STATE-OF-ART LECTURE 1 EUS-Guided Gallbladder Drainage: Where Do We Stand? Advances in Cholangioscopy Technology: Imaging, Lithotripsy and Beyond
0955 - 1025	Tea Satellite Symposium 1
1025 - 1040	Tea Break
1040 - 1120	STATE-OF-THE-ART LECTURE 2 Step-by-Step Approach to the Management of Upper GI Submucosal Lesions Closing the Gap: Endoscopic Management of GI Perforation
1120 - 1220	Malaysia Boleh - Best Endoscopic Video Competition
1220 - 1250	REVISITING THE GUIDELINES ON UPPER GI PREMALIGNANT CONDITIONS Barrett's Oesophagus Gastric Intestinal Metaplasia
1250 - 1330	Lunch Satellite Symposium 1
1330 - 1400	Friday Prayers / Lunch

DAILY PROGRAMME
DAY 1 - 28TH AUGUST 2026 (FRIDAY)

- 1400 - 1700 **Live Demonstrations** (*Broadcast from UMMC*)
- 1700 - 1730 **Tea Satellite Symposium 2**
- 1930 - 2200 **President's Dinner** (*by invitation*)

**MSGNMA (GIA) Sessions - Details to be announced later*

DAILY PROGRAMME

DAY 2 - 29TH AUGUST 2026 (SATURDAY)

- 0800 - 0845 Registration
- 0845 - 0900 **Opening Remarks**
Ida Normiha Hilmi
President, Malaysian Society of Gastroenterology & Hepatology
Opening Video
- 0900 - 1030 **SYMPOSIUM 1 | Inflammatory Bowel Disease**
Enterocolitis in Asia: Distinguishing IBD from Infection and Other Mimics

Integrating IUS in Daily Practice: My Experience

Small Molecules for IBD: Present Practice and Future Frontiers

Case Discussion (*with interactive voting*)

Q&A
- 1030 - 1100 **Tea Satellite Symposium 2 (Abbott)**
- 1100 - 1130 Tea Break
- 1130 - 1200 **LECTURE 1**
26th MSGH Oration
Hepatitis B at a Turning Point: From Viral Suppression to Functional Cure
- 1200 - 1215 **Lifetime Achievement Award**
- 1215 - 1315 **Young Investigator Award**
Oral Poster Presentations
- 1315 - 1400 **Lunch Satellite Symposium 2**
- 1400 - 1600 **SYMPOSIUM 2 | Update on the Latest Asian DGBI Consensus**
Second Asian Consensus Report on Functional Dyspepsia (2025): Updated Recommendation

Hydrogen and Methane Breath Testing: The ANMA Monograph

DAILY PROGRAMME

DAY 2 - 29TH AUGUST 2026 (SATURDAY)

Chronic Constipation: Asian Consensus Perspective

Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD) in Asia: Consensus Updates

Practical approach to DGBI

Case 1

Case 2

Q&A

1600 - 1630 **Tea Satellite Symposium 3 (*Johnson & Johnson*)**

1630 - 1700 Tea Break / Booth Visit

1700 - 1900 **MSGH Annual General Meeting**

**MSGMA (GIA) Sessions - Details to be announced later*

DAILY PROGRAMME

DAY 3 - 30TH AUGUST 2026 (SUNDAY)

0800 - 0830 Registration

0830 - 1000 **SYMPOSIUM 3 | Hepatology**

Expert Dialogue: Updates on Malaysian Consensus in Hepatology

Malaysian Consensus on Early Detection of Hepatocellular Carcinoma and Management of Acute Variceal Bleeding

**HCC Video Presentation

MSGH-GAT Joint Symposium

When “Natural” Isn’t Safe: The Rising Burden of Herbal and Supplement-related DILI

Practical Integration of EUS into Hepatology Practice

Q&A

1000 - 1030 **LECTURE 2**

23rd Panir Chelvam Lecture

From Global Perspectives to Local Solutions: Addressing the Emerging Burden of IBD in Malaysia

1030 - 1040 **Introduction to CPG Guidelines on IBD**

1040 - 1110 **Tea Satellite Symposium 4**

1110 - 1130 Tea Break

1130 - 1300 **SYMPOSIUM 4 | Conundrums in Cholangiocarcinoma: How to Approach**

Approach to Hilar Strictures

Imaging and Role of Interventional Radiology in the Management of Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma

Endoscopic Management of Hilar Cholangiocarcinoma

Case Presentation (*Trainees*)

Q&A

DAILY PROGRAMME

DAY 3 - 30TH AUGUST 2026 (SUNDAY)

- 1300 - 1345 **Lunch Satellite Symposium 3 (*Pharmaniaga*)**
- 1345 - 1400 **Xcolon Cancer: Best Reel Award**
- 1400 - 1430 **STATE-OF-THE-ART LECTURE 3**
The Forgotten Pillar: The Role of Nutrition and Dietary Therapy in GI Diseases
- 1430 - 1600 **SYMPOSIUM 5 | *Metabolic Syndrome and GI Disorders***
Lancet Commission on Obesity: What It Means for Malaysia

Newer Pharmacotherapy and Its Role in MASLD: How Can We Optimise Care?

Bariatric Endoscopy: Why the Time Is Now in Obesity and Metabolic Care

Recent Advancements in Obesity Care: A Surgeon's Perspective

Q&A
- 1600 - 1615 **MSGH Graduation Ceremony**
- 1615 - 1630 **Prize Presentation, Lucky Draw & Closing Remarks**

**MSGNMA (GIA) Sessions - Details to be announced later*

CONGRESS INFORMATION

CONGRESS SECRETARIAT

GUT 2026

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REGISTRATION FEES

Category	Before 25 th June 2026	From 26 th June to 23 rd August 2026	On-Site
Local Delegate (MSGH Member)	RM 800	RM 850	RM 950
Local Delegate (Non-MSGH Member)	RM 850	RM 900	RM 1,000
Medical Officer	RM 600	RM 650	RM 750
Medical Student / Allied Health Professional	RM 400	RM 450	RM 500
OVERSEAS DELEGATE	USD 350	USD 400	USD 500
PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS (27 th August 2026, Thursday)	Before 25 th June 2026	From 26 th June to 23 rd August 2026	On-Site
EUS Course	RM 100	RM 125	RM 150
Colonoscopy Course	RM 100	RM 125	RM 150
Young GI Consultant's Forum	Complimentary		

For online registration and payment, please log on to www.msgh.org.my

PAYMENT

Payment by cheque is to be issued in favour of “**Malaysian Society of Gastroenterology and Hepatology**”.

Payment can be made via telegraphic transfer to the following account:

Name of Account : Malaysian Society of Gastroenterology and Hepatology

Account No. : 80-0236652-5

Name of Bank : CIMB Bank Berhad

Address of Bank : Section 14, 24 Jalan 14/14, 46100 Petaling Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan

Swift Code : CIBBMYKL

*(Please return the remittance advice note along with the Registration Form either by fax or mail.
Document image by email is also acceptable.)*

CONGRESS INFORMATION

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

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

Cancellation on or before 31st July 2026 : 50% refund

Cancellation on or after 1st August 2026 : No refund

ENTITLEMENTS

Registered delegates will be entitled to the following:

- All scientific sessions
- All satellite symposia
- Admission to the trade exhibition area

LETTER OF INVITATION

The Organising Committee will issue a letter of invitation upon request. The sole purpose of the letter is to facilitate the delegate's travel and visa arrangements. The invitation does not imply provision of financial or other support.

CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

A certificate of participation will be issued to all delegates.

LIABILITY

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

CONGRESS VENUE

Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre

Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre, Kuala Lumpur

50088 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Tel: +603 2333 2888

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

DISCLAIMER

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

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS

1. Delegates are invited to submit abstracts for free paper and poster presentations. Six of the best submissions shall be selected for the Best Paper Award Presentations.
2. All presenting authors must register for the Congress.
3. Abstracts will only be accepted after payment of registration fees. If the abstract is subsequently not accepted for presentation, the registration fee will be refunded if cancellation is requested.
4. Abstracts must be in English.
5. The length of each abstract should not be more than 250 words.
6. The title (in bold full capitals) should be concise yet bear sufficient details to identify the nature of the study.
7. The name of the main author should be underlined. Institution from which the work originated, city and country should be included. Omit degrees and institutional appointments.
8. The body of the abstract should preferably be organised in the following sequence: Objective(s), Methodology (if pertinent), Results, Discussion and Conclusion(s). Abbreviations, if used, must be included in full at some point in the text. Abbreviate measurements (mm, kcal) as recommended in the Style Manual of Biological Sciences and System International (S.I.) units, should be used.
9. Drugs should be given in generic terms (in small letters) at first mention in the text, to be followed by the proprietary name (capitalised), if desired.

Deadline for Submission of Abstract: 15th July 2026

PRIZES

Best Oral Presentations

- 1st Prize - RM3,000
- 2nd Prize - RM2,000
- 3rd Prize - RM1,000

Best Poster Presentations

- 1st Prize - RM1,000
- 2nd Prize - RM750
- 3rd Prize - RM500

'MALAYSIA BOLEH' BEST ENDOSCOPIC VIDEO COMPETITION

1. Participant must be affiliated to a medical centre in Malaysia.
2. The format is as follows:
Powerpoint presentation consisting of
 - Brief introduction: 1 minute
 - Video: 4 minutes
 - Conclusion: 1 minute
3. Six of the best videos will be chosen by a panel to be presented at GUT 2026 and there will be a question and answer session for 2 minutes.
4. The judges will consist of three of the faculty members and cash prizes will be awarded to the best three videos.
5. Video submissions are to be sent to the secretariat at jeffongliew@gmail.com

PRIZES

Video Competition

- 1st Prize - RM2,000
- 2nd Prize - RM1,000
- 3rd Prize - RM500