

40th Annual Scientific Conference of the Nutrition Society of Malaysia

Advancing Nutrition for a Healthier Malaysia:

Bridging Science, Policy, and Practice



29-30 JULY 2025





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Malaysian delegates:

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About the Conference

Malaysia continues to face growing concerns related to the double burden of malnutrition, with the persistence of undernutrition and the rising incidences of both obesity and noncommunicable diseases despite many efforts through various nutrition action plans. There also rising misinformation regarding nutrition. Advancing nutrition for a healthier Malaysia requires a holistic and collaborative strategy where policies and practices are Hence. science. this year's conference theme offers opportunities for multiple stakeholders including academics, health professionals, public and private sectors, and non-governmental organisations to forge a path towards better nutrition for all through good communication, policies and practices that are informed by science.

WHO should attend?

- Nutritionists in public and private sectors
- Dietitians in public and private sectors
- Nutrition researchers in academic and research organisations
- Nutrition undergraduates / postgraduate students
- Health professionals



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PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS



40th NSM Anniversary Lecture

Four Decades of Advancing Nutrition - Way Ahead for NSM

Dr Tee E Siong, Immediate-Past President, Nutrition Society of Malaysia



Keynote Lectures



Contribution of Asia to Global Health and Nutrition
Prof Christiani Jeyakumar Henry, Former Director, CNRC, A*STAR SIFBI, Singapore



Addressing Micronutrient Deficiencies: Lessons from Southeast Asia Geoffry Smith, International Life Sciences Institute (ILSI) Southeast Asia Region

Symposium speakers

Clinical Research in Nutrition

- Professor Vimal Karani, University of Reading, United Kingdom
- Assoc. Prof. Dr Razif bin Shahril, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
- Dr Divya Vanoh, Universiti Sains Malaysia

Nutrition from Womb to Tomb

- Assoc. Prof. Dr Sharifah Wajihah Wafa Bt Syed Saadun Tarek Wafa, Universiti Sultan Zainal Abidin
- Dr Loy See Ling, Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore
- Snigdha Misra, Monash University Malaysia

Public Health Nutrition

- Prof Cheah Whye Lian, UNIMAS
- Dr. Ahmad Ali bin Zainuddin, Institut Kesihatan Umum

Forum

Nutrition, Technology and Digital Health

Panelists:



Dr Maheshwara Rao A/L Appannan (Kementerian Kesihatan Malaysia)



Dr Khor Swee Kheng (Angsana Health)



Assoc Prof Dr Wong Jyh Eiin (Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia)