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12th ANNUAL MEETING OF
Pakistan Society for the Study of Liver Diseases
14 - 16 December, 2018 - Movenpick Hotel, Karachi

Postgraduate Course
LIVING DONOR LIVER TRANSPLANTATION
Vanue: Ball Room C, Movenpick Hotel, Karachi

DAY 1: Friday, 14th December 2018

0900-0920	Tilawat and Welcome Address Session I: Basic Aspects
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Hours	Title	Speakers
0920-0940	Comparison of LDLT with DDLT: rationale, recipient selection and outcomes	Khalid Mumtaz
0940-1000	How to evaluate the donor's suitability	Najamul Hassan
1000-1020	Evaluation of the recipient	Muhammad Salih
1020-1040	How to evaluate the biliary anatomy in the donor and recipient	Rodrigo Vianna
1040-1100	Left versus right hepatectomy for LDLT: shifting the risk from the donor to the recipient.	Nancy Ascher
1100-1120	Controversy in the timing of liver transplant in alcoholic liver disease	Norah Terrault
1120-1140	Tea	



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Session II: Technical Aspects

Hours	Title	Speakers
1140-1200	LDLT for HCC	Rizwan Khan
1200-1220	LDLT: Vascular anastomosis during implantation and related complications	Faisal Dar
1220-1240	LDLT: Advances in anesthesia and critical care	Amir Iftikhar
1240-1300	LDLT for fulminant hepatic failure: practical considerations	Jan Ringers
1300-1400	Prayers and Lunch	

Session III: LDLT Outcomes

Hours	Title	Speakers
1400-1420	Short term donor outcomes: timely detection and treatment	Muhammad Arsalan
1420-1440	Infectious complications after liver transplant: How to recognize, how to treat?	Sunil Dodani
1440-1500	Biliary complications following living donor hepatectomy	Nancy Ascher
1500-1520	Impact of recipient and donor Obesity on the Outcomes of living donor Liver Transplantation	Khalid Mumtaz
1520-1540	Optimal Immunosuppression after LDLT	Bilal Hameed
1540-1600	Peculiar aspects of pediatric LDLT	Kamil Yalcin Polat
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Joint WGO-PSSLD Symposium Viral Hepatitis B and C: Lift the Global Burden Venue: Ball Room C, Movenpick Hotel, Karachi

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Hours	Title	Speakers
1600-1610	Welcome	
1610-1625	Epidemiology of hepatitis B and C in Pakistan	Masood Siddiq, President PSSLD
1625-1640	Concept of micro-elimination	Zaigham Abbas, Vice President PSSLD
1640-1655	Role of community based screening and treatment in elimination of hepatitis	Saeed Hamid, Chair WGO Hepatitis Interest Group
1655-1710	Challenges in the vaccination and treatment of hepatitis B	Wasim Jafri, Director WGO Karachi Training Centre
1710-1725	Modeling of HCV infection in Pakistan to scaling-up screening and treatment	Aaron Lim, University of Bristol, UK
1725-1745	How a developing country should adopt an objective-oriented strategy to eliminate hepatitis: Lessons from the developed world	Sheikh Mohammad Fazle Akbar (Japan)
1745-1805	Role of World Gastroenterology Organization to alleviate the burden of hepatitis B and C	Cihan Yurdaydin, President WGO
1805-1830	Discussion	
1830	Vote of Thanks and Dinner	



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DAY 2: SATURDAY, December 15, 2018

Session- I: HBV

Hours	Title	Speakers
0900-0920	Preventing mother-to-child transmission of HBV	Altaf Alam
0920-0940	Management of HBV in the immunocompromised host	Ghias-un-Nabi Tayyab
0940-1000	Chronic Hepatitis B infection with high HBV DNA and Normal ALT: to treat or not to treat	Robert Gish
1000-1020	Hepatitis B after HBsAg loss: occult infection and risk of reactivation and HCC	Norah Terrault
1020--1040	What is coming up for the treatment of hepatitis B	Wasim Jafri
1040-1100	Discussion	
1100-1120	Tea	

Session- II: State of the Art Lectures

Hours	Title	Speakers
1120-1145	Challenges in immunological approaches for the treatment for CHB and HCC	Fazle Akbar
1145-1210	What's new in AASLD 2018 hepatitis B guidelines	Norah Terrault
1210-1235	Developments in the treatment of hepatitis D	Cihan Yurdaydin
1235-1300	Simultaneous liver and multivisceral transplantation: indications and outcome	Rodrigo Vianna
1300-1400	Lunch	



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Session III- HCV

Hours	Title	Speakers
1400-1420	Non-invasive assessment of Fibrosis in patients with chronic hepatitis C	Amjad Salamat
1420-1440	Treating HCV G3 patients	Asghar Durrani
1440-1500	Is there a role of viral and host factors in choosing DAA regimens	Muzaffar Latif Gill

Session IV: Hepatocellular Carcinoma-1

Hours	Title	Speakers
1500-1520	Early detection of HCC through surveillance using biomarkers	Robert Gish
1520-1540	Systemic therapies for HCC	Zahid Azam
1540-1600	Stopping rules for TACE	Aman Nawaz Khan
1600-1620	Portal vein thrombosis in HCC: therapeutic options	Abdul Nadir
1620-1640	Tea	



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Session V: Hepatocellular Carcinoma-2

Hours	Title	Speakers
1640-1700	Extending survival with the use of targeted therapy in the treatment of hepatocellular carcinoma	Robert Gish
1700-1720	Pushing the limits of surgery in HCC	Abu Bakar Hafeez Bhatti
1720-1740	Down-staging of HCC before liver transplant: when and how	Nancy Ascher
1740-1800	Place of cyber-knife therapy in the treatment of HCC	Kamran Saeed

Conference Dinner and Cultural Evening

Hours	Title	Speakers
1900-2100	<p>Recitation from the Holy Quran</p> <p>Addresses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair Organizing Committee, • Chair, Scientific Committee • Patron • Past President • Past President, The Transplant Society • President, World Gastroenterology Organization • President PSSLD • Chief Guest <p>Distribution of Souvenirs</p>	<p>Zaigham Abbas</p> <p>Faisal Ismail</p> <p>Wasim Jafri</p> <p>Saeed Hamid</p> <p>Nancy Ascher</p> <p>Cihan Yurdaydin</p> <p>Masood Siddiq</p>

Dinner and Cultural Show



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DAY 3: SUNDAY, December 11, 2018

0800-1000	Free Papers Session VI
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Session VIII: NAFLD

Hours	Title	Speakers
1000-1020	Fatty Liver on ultrasound: Should I be worried and what should I do?	Altaf Baqir
1020-1040	Management of Alcoholic Hepatitis	Sadiq Memon
1040-1100	Current concepts of NASH management	Masroor Ahmed
1100-1120	Emerging therapies in NAFLD and NASH	Bilal Hameed
1120-1400	Gut and the liver	Mehnaz Shafi
1140-1200	Tea	



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Session IX: Potpourri

Hours	Title	Speakers
1200-1220	How to overcome sarcopenia in cirrhosis	Rustam Khan
1220-1240	Drug induced liver injury	Shahab Abid
1240-1300	Overlap syndromes in autoimmune liver disease	Qazi Masroor
1300-1320	Hemostasis and coagulation cut-offs for procedures in cirrhosis	Nadeem Tehami
1320-1340	Stem cell therapy for liver disease	Ying HAN
1340-1400	Closing Ceremony followed by lunch	

