

Application for the President-Elect position at ISSM

Curriculum Vitae

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Involvements in ISSM committees and activities

- Active ISSM membership since 2010
- Currently serving as Member-at-Large of ISSM
- Chairperson of various ISSM committees
 - Chair of Surgical Committee: 2023-current
 - Chair of the Membership Committee: 2021-2022
 - Chair of the Scientific Committee: 2018-2021
- Member of ISSM Leadership Committee: 2022-current
- Member of the International Consultation on Sexual Medicine Taskforce Committee: 2022-current
- World Meeting on Sexual Medicine (WMSM)
 - Scientific Convenor for the (hybrid) 22nd WMSM of ISSM @ Yokohama, Japan (2020-2021 during the heights of the COVID pandemic)
 - Chair of scientific subcommittee on Male Surgical (Dys)Function: 23rd WMSM of ISSM @ Miami, USA in 2022
 - Chair of scientific subcommittee on Male Surgical (Dys)Function: 24th WMSM of ISSM @ Dubai, UAE in 2023
- International Consultation on Sexual Medicine (ICSM)
 - Chair of the Peyronie's Disease, Male Genitalia Trauma and Reconstructive Committee for the 5th ICSM (Madrid, 2024)
 - Chair of the Prostate Cancer Survivorship: Sexual Health, Function and Rehabilitation Committee ICSM: 2017-2019 (presented at WMSM in Lisbon)
 - Committee member for Peyronie's disease, Priapism, Penile Reconstructive, and Male Genitalia at the 4th ICSM (Madrid, 2015)
- Committee member on the Audit Committee: 2016-2018
- Committee member on the Education Committee: 2012-2014

Recent achievements and contributions in ISSM

1. Recipient of the Special Service Award by the ISSM in 2021 (acknowledgement for being instrumental in the promotion of the ISSM worldwide and having provided outstanding services to ISSM).
2. Chair of the Scientific Committee for the 22nd WMSM (Japan). This meeting was postponed (twice) from 2020 to 2021 due to the COVID pandemic and became the first virtual (hybrid) ISSM meeting. The scientific program was constantly being updated over the 3 years to remain relevant with new scientific advances. Several initiatives introduced include engaging non-ISSM speakers on contentious contemporary topics, a combined WAS/WPATH/ISSM workshop, and the inclusion of more gender-diverse and geographical representations from regional affiliated societies in this unique hybrid meeting.
3. Chair of the Membership Committee in 2021-2022 where there was a significant increase in ISSM membership from 2089 (in 2020) to 2641 (in 2021) and 2618 (in 2022) members (approximately 25% increase in membership).
4. Member of the ICSM Taskforce Committee to advocate for equitable representation from various countries and regional sexual medicine societies.
5. Chair of the Peyronie's Disease, Male Genitalia Trauma and Reconstructive Committee for the upcoming 5th ICSM in Madrid.
6. Associate Editor of the Sexual Medicine Open Access (since 2018) and past Editorial Board member of the Journal of Sexual Medicine (2013-2015).
7. Contribute to the scientific programs on the last two World Meetings on Sexual Medicine (2022 and 2023) as the Chair of the Male Surgical (Dys)Function subcommittee.
8. Twice winners of the ISSM Emil Tanagho prize (2021 and 2023).
9. Through my role as the Secretary-General of APSSM, I have increased the APSSM-ISSM membership, promote ISSM-related activities within my region, and increase the education and awareness of sexual medicine for members (and public) among the APSSM countries. In 2023, I created the Education and Research Office in Sexual Medicine (EROS) to facilitate scientific collaborations and coordinate research projects among members in APSSM and beyond.

Involvement in the Asia Pacific Society of Sexual Medicine (APSSM)

- Chair of the Education and Research Office in Sexual Medicine (EROS): 2023-current
- Secretary-General: 2019-2023
- Chair of Scientific Committee: 2017-2019
- Member-at-large as Australia's representative: 2012-current

Involvement in other scientific organizations or professional bodies

1. International Continence Society (ICS)
 - Committee member for Working Group on the Terminology for Sexual Health in Men with Lower Urinary Tract and Pelvic Floor Dysfunction: 2018-current
 - Committee member for 7th International Consultation on Incontinence: Male Surgery for Urinary Incontinence chapter: 2019-current
2. Urological Society of Australia and New Zealand (USANZ)
 - Chair of Male Lower Urinary Tract (LUT) section: 2019-current
 - USANZ's representative to the editorial board of the International Journal of Urology: 2019-current
 - Chair of Andrology section: 2013-2019
3. Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (RACS)
 - Professional Standards Committee: 2021-current
 - Examiner for RACS Surgical Sciences Examination (SSE): 2012-2018
 - Ethics Committee (Professional Development and Standards Board): 2014-2018
4. Australia's representative and a founding member of these organisations
 - Asian Society of Men's Health and Aging (ASMHA)
 - Asian Society of Penile Surgery (ASOPS)
 - Asia-Pacific Society of Andrological and Reconstructive Urology Surgeon (AP-SARUS)
5. Advisory role
 - Prostate Cancer Foundation Australia (PCFA)
 - Cancer Council Queensland
 - Continence Foundation Australia (CFA)
 - Healthy Males (previously Andrology Australia)
6. Australian Government Department of Health
 - Advisor on the Panel of Clinical Experts (PoCE): 2019-current
 - Expert member of the Urogenital Clinical Advisory Group (UPCAG) for the Protheses List Advisory Committee: 2017-2019

CV: SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS, AWARDS AND PUBLICATIONS

A. Scientific Convenor for major international meetings

1. The 22nd World Meeting on Sexual Medicine of ISSM (Yokohama, Japan): 2021
2. The 17th Biennial Scientific Meeting of APSSM (Brisbane, Australia): 2019
3. The 67th Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Brisbane, Australia): 2014

B. Scientific Steering Committee member for major meetings (in the last 5 years)

1. Scientific steering committee for the 77th Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Perth, Australia): 2025
2. Scientific steering committee for the 76th Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Adelaide, Australia): 2024
3. Male Surgical (Dys)Function Committee for the 24th World Meeting on Sexual Medicine of ISSM (Dubai, UAE): 2023
4. Scientific steering committee for the 75th Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Melbourne, Australia): 2023
5. Male Surgical (Dys)Function Committee for the 23d World Meeting on Sexual Medicine of ISSM (Miami, USA): 2022
6. Male LUTS and Andrology Committee chair for the 19th Urological Association of Asia Congress (Sydney, Australia): 2022
7. Scientific steering committee for the 74th Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Gold Coast, Australia): 2022
8. Scientific steering committee for the 18th Biennial Scientific Meeting of APSSM (Taichung, Taiwan): 2021
9. Ex-officio for the 51st International Continence Society (ICS) (Melbourne, Australia): 2021
10. Scientific steering committee for the 73rd Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Sydney, Australia): 2020
11. Scientific steering committee for the 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting of USANZ (Brisbane, Australia): 2019

C. Awards (in the last 5 years)

1. The ISSM Emil Tanagho prize @ WSM 2023
2. Achievement Award – The Global Chinese Andrology and Sexual Medicine Association, 2023
3. The AZ Platinum Trophy for best scientific award @ USANZ 2023
4. World Chinese Urological Society Lifetime Achievement Award, 2022
5. The AZ Platinum Trophy for best scientific award @ USANZ 2022
6. The ISSM Special Service Award in 2021
7. The ISSM Emil Tanagho prize @ WSM 2021
8. Best Clinical Research Award @ APSSM 2019

D. Research Publications

1. More than 200 peer-reviewed papers and book chapters.
2. Current Google Scholar h-index at 37 with the corresponding i-10 index at 80.
3. Member of the Editorial Boards for more than 10 scientific journals listed on Medline/PubMed of which four are respective national journals (*International Journal of Urology; Turkish Journal of Urology; Investigative and Clinical Urology; and Indonesian Journal of Urology*) and five are appointed journals for major international organizations (*World Journal of Men's Health; Sexual Medicine Open Access; Translational Andrology and Urology; International Journal of Urology; and Asian Journal of Andrology*).