

# Commonwealth Dental Association 6th TRIENNIAL MEETING

Singapore, Saturday 5 September 2009

Suntec Singapore International Convention and Exhibition Centre  
In collaboration with the FDI

## Programme

### Morning

Workshop: *Challenges of Infection Control in Rural Dental Practice*

Speakers: - Professor Martin Hobdell  
- Speakers from the Organization for Safety and Asepsis Procedures

Presentations and working groups

### Afternoon

CDA Business meeting

Plenary debate

Election of officers

Installation of the President and CDA Officers for 2009-2012

Presentation of CDA Awards

Reception

### **Current CDA Officers (2006-2012)**

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| President                        | Professor Jacob Kaimenyi (Kenya) |
| President-Elect                  | Dr Hilary Cooray (Sri Lanka)     |
| Immediate Past-President         | Dr L K Gandhi (India)            |
| Executive Secretary              | Dr Sam Thorpe (Sierra Leone)     |
| Treasurer                        | Dr Anthony Kravitz (UK)          |
| Regional Vice-Presidents         |                                  |
| - Canada/Caribbean               | Dr Derwin Munroe (Bahamas)       |
| - East Southern & Central Africa | Dr Clement Luhanga (Botswana)    |
| - Europe                         | Dr John Hunt (UK)                |
| - Pacific                        | Dr Bill O'Reilly (Australia)     |
| - S E Asia                       | Dr How Kim Chuan (Malaysia)      |
| - West Africa                    | Dr Kofo Savage (Nigeria)         |

### **Ex-Officio Members of the Executive**

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| CDA Bulletin Editor | Prof DYD Samarawickrama (UK) |
| CDA Administrator   | Ms Ulrike Matthesius (UK)    |

### ***Triennial Meetings***

***CDA Triennial Meetings are usually held in partnership with National Dental Association meetings.***

***National Dental Associations wishing to host the CDA 7th Triennial Meeting in 2012 should write to Ulrike Matthesius, CDA Administrator, at [administrator@cdauk.com](mailto:administrator@cdauk.com).***

## NOMINATION FOR OFFICERS OF THE COMMONWEALTH DENTAL ASSOCIATION (CDA) FOR 2009-2012

The CDA is inviting all member associations to nominate individuals for office of the CDA in the next Triennium (2009 – 2012).

**The Officers will be elected at the CDA Triennial Meeting in Singapore, 5 September 2009.  
The Officers listed on page 2 are eligible for re-election except for the President, President-Elect and Immediate Past President**

The responsibilities and requirements for officers are as follows:

- **All Officers** must be on email as this is the main form of communication. CDA Executive Meetings are conducted electronically, by email.
- **All Officers** will participate in CDA Executive Electronic Meetings usually held at least 3 times a year. Each meeting takes place over a 7 to 10 day period.
- **CDA President** will maintain regular contact with all CDA Officers and chair CDA Executive electronic meetings.
- **CDA Executive Secretary** will maintain regular contact with the Commonwealth Foundation and the Commonwealth Secretariat and attend their meetings where possible. Also, will draft the Agenda for CDA Executive meetings and take an active part in the day-to-day running of the Association.
- **CDA Treasurer** will produce a financial report for each CDA Executive meeting and prepare an annual budget. Also, will actively fundraise and seek sponsorship for the CDA. Will look after the dispersion of CF funding for CDA projects.
- **CDA Regional Vice-Presidents** must be resident in their Region. They will send by email to the CDA Administrator regular news of events in their Regions for the CDA Bulletin. They will actively fundraise for CDA meetings, workshops or conferences held in their Region. Also, they will keep in contact with the National Dental Associations in their Region and help the Treasurer to bring in the subscriptions from the NDAs in their Region.

### Nomination Form

Please complete and send as soon as possible, *by 30 May 2009 at the latest*, to:  
Ulrike Matthesius, CDA Administrator, Email: [administrator@cdauk.com](mailto:administrator@cdauk.com), Fax: +44 20 7563 4577

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| National Dental Association |  |
| Contact Name                |  |
| Email Address               |  |
| Fax Number                  |  |
| Mailing Address             |  |

| Officer             | Name of nominee | Email Address |
|---------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| President-Elect     |                 |               |
| Executive Secretary |                 |               |
| Treasurer           |                 |               |

#### Regional Vice-Presidents

| Officer                      | Name of nominee | Email Address |
|------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Europe                       |                 |               |
| South East Asia              |                 |               |
| Pacific/Australasia          |                 |               |
| Canada/Carribbean            |                 |               |
| West Africa                  |                 |               |
| East Central Southern Africa |                 |               |