



World Cancer Leaders' Summit

Cancer

Treatment for All

1 October 2018
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

2018 World Cancer Leaders' Summit Venue: Grand Hyatt Hotel

“Cancer Treatment for All”

With “Cancer Treatment for All” as a topic, the 2018 edition of the World Cancer Leaders' Summit aims to focus attention on the need to plan and implement national cancer control plan to develop the core infrastructure required to successfully treat and cure a growing population of cancer patients.

1st October – Summit programme

Master of Ceremony, Ms. Yasmin Yusuff, Radio presenter

09:00 – 09:30 Welcome and Keynote addresses

- **Prof. Sanchia Aranda, President**, Union for International Cancer Control (UICC)
- **Her Royal Highness Princess Dina Mired**, President-elect, Union for International Cancer Control (UICC)
- **Dr. Princess Nothemba (Nono) Simelela**, Assistant Director-General for Family, Women, Children and Adolescents at the World Health Organization (WHO)

09:30 – 09:45 Keynote presentation – The global landscape of cancer surveillance

- **Dr Freddie Bray**, Head of Cancer Surveillance Section, International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC)

Interviews and discussion panel conducted by Charles Goddard, The Economist

09:50 – 10:10 First Interview, Planning for action: Developing a national cancer control plan for Mexico

- **Dr. Abelardo Meneses**, Director General, National Cancer Institute of Mexico

10:10 – 10:40 Coffee Break

10:45 – 11:05 Second Interview, Planning for action: Cancer care in the Pacific

- **Dr. Paula Vivili**, Director, Public Health Division of Pacific Community (SPC)

11:10 – 11:55 Discussion panel – multi sectoral perspectives

- **Dr. Firas Raad**, World Bank Country Manager for Malaysia
- **Dr. Anil D’Cruz**, Director of Tata Memorial and UICC Board member
- **Mr. Thomas Cueni**, Director General of IFPMA
- **Mr. Eamonn Murphy**, Regional Director for Asia-Pacific, UNAIDS
- **Dr. Abelardo Meneses**, Director General, National Cancer Institute of Mexico
- **Dr. Paula Vivili, Director**, Public Health Division of Pacific Community (SPC)

11:55 – 12:25 Interactive session with the audience

12:30 – 13:50 Lunch

14:00 – 14:15 Keynote – Understanding and addressing inequities in cancer treatment and care

- **Dr. Saunthari Somasundaram**, President of National Cancer Society of Malaysia and UICC Board Member
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14:15 – 14:35 Interview, Implementation for impact: From legislation to practice in the Philippines:

- **The Honourable Dr. Susan Mercado**, Special Envoy of the President for Global Health Initiatives, Republic of the Philippines

14:35 – 15:15 Discussion panel – multi sectoral perspectives

- **Hon. Osei Assibey Antwi**, Mayor of Kumasi, Ghana
- **Ms. Kolleen Kennedy, President**, Oncology Systems and Corporate Executive Vice President, Varian
- **Mrs. Lynda Thomas**, CEO of MacMillan Cancer Support
- **The Honourable Dr. Susan Mercado**, Special Envoy of the President for Global Health Initiatives, Republic of the Philippines

15:15 – 16:00 Interactive session with the audience

16:00 – 16:25 Coffee Break

16:25 – 17:00 Closing addresses and Call to action

- **Dr. Christopher P. Wild**, Director of the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Reducing the global cancer burden: failure is success in progress

Call to Action:

- **Her Royal Highness Princess Dina Mired**, UICC President-elect

Closing address:

- **Mr. Olzhas Abishev**, Vice-Minister of Health of Kazakhstan
- **Dr. Lee Boon Chye**, Deputy Minister of Health of Malaysia



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