### **Society News**

#### South Asian Day - 2018

South Asia day was celebrated very successfully in Royal college, London on 6th July 2018. The theme of the Day was joining hands to achieve SDG 3 & 5, which was echoed from each and every participants with firm commitment. A brief documentary overview from each SARC countries was shown which added a special importance to the South Asia Day and all the participants enjoyed much.

Later A very high standard and informative scientific program was held. Which presented a very interactive 5 sets of pane discussion . Each panel was consisted of two moderators ,10 panelists of different countries and two Chair persons. The topics of panel discussion were

- 1. Using Safety as tool to improve quality care
- Violence against women in South Asia- Role of medical professional
- 3. Menopause- In context of South Asia
- 4. Demon of Gynaecological Cancer
- Rising Rate of C/S and its -consequences Highly morbid placenta way forward

The scientific session was followed by Valedictory, which was wonderfully conducted by Prof. Narendra Malhotra. The Valedictory session was chaired by Prof. Rubina Sohail, Prof. Rani Thaker and Dr Alison Bright. Also Prof. Rashid Latif Khan, Prof. Ferdousi Begum and Prof. Heera Tuladhar said few words. All the chairpersons expressed their firm support and commitment that RCOG and SAFOG will work together hand in hand for the respectful and standard care for women of South Asia countries.

South Asia Day was ended by presenting an amazing cultural program and Gala dinner. All the SARC countries had their own beautiful performance s. Which was really enjoyable and participants will cherish the day for ever.

#### **Monthly Seminar on Menopause**

Monthly ScientificSeminar on IMS recommendations on menopausal hormone therapy & influence of our cultural on osteoporosis will be held on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018 at 12:30 pm in BIRDEM Auditorium, Shahbag, Dhaka. Speakers were Dr. FarzanaDeeba, Associate

Professor of BSMMU & Dr. QumrunNassa Ahmad, Assistant Professor of Obs&Gynae Green Life Medical College. Chief Guest was National Prof. Shahla Khatun, Special Guest were Prof. SameenaChowdhury& Prof. Rahima Begum.

# Workshop on Female Pelvic Floor Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery.

A workshop on Female Pelvic Floor Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery was held on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> August 2018 at the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology of Dhaka Medical College Hospital. This workshop was organized by Obstetrical &Gynaecological Society of Bangladesh (OGSB) and FIGO. Three renowned urogynaecologist from abroad Prof. AJAY RANE from Australia, Prof. ALMIR J. AMIN – ONG MD from Philippine and Dr. JAMES, CHING HUNG HSIEH from Twain attended as foreign faculty and resource person & Prof. SayebaAkhter -Chairman VVF Subcommittee attended as local expertise.

**Monthly Seminar on** Tocolytics for management of extreme preterm labour

Monthly Scientific Seminar onTocolytics for management of extreme preterm labourwas held on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2018 at 1:00pm in the OGSB office. Speaker was Dr. RehanaYasmin from UK. Chairperson was Prof. LailaArjumandBanu, President-OGSB.

#### **CME** program at Rangpur

A CME program will be on 20<sup>th</sup> September 2018 in Rangpur Medical College, Rangpur at 10:00 am. Chairperson was Professor DrLailaArjumandBanu, President,OGSB, Co-chairperson-Prof Dr. Laila Husna Banu, President,OGSB,Rangpur branch,

Cervical Cancer Prevention; Activities in Rangpur Medical College Hospital presented by Dr. Sharmin Sultana, Associate Professor Obs and Gynae, Rangpur Medical College Hospital. Diagnostic Laparoscopy in Subfertility presented by Dr. Zobayda Gulshan Ara, Consultant, Obs and Gynae, M Abdur Rahim Medical College Hospital, Dinajpur. Glimpses into Daily Obstetric Practice at LAMB Hospital presented by Dr Beatrice Ambauen Berger

Consultant ,Gynae, LAMBHospital,. Parbotipur,. Dinajpur.

Participants were all the Gynaecologists of Rangpur division. Among them-All OGSB member of Rangpurbranch Gynaecologist of Dinajpur Medical College, LAMB Hospital, Kurigram and Gaibandha District. Teachers of different diciplines of Rangpur Medical College, Prime Medical College (PVT) and Community Medical College (PVT).

# Monthly Scientific Seminar on Updates on Severe Preeclampsia and Eclampsia

OGSB monthly scientific seminar was held on 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at 12:30pm. Topic was Updates on Severe Preeclampsia and Eclampsia. Speaker was Prof. Salma Rouf, Prof & Head Dept of ObGyn DMCH in the Fistula Conference Centre, 4th floor, Dept of Obgyn, DMCH.

## XXII FIGO World Congress of Gynecology and Obstetrics

XXII FIGO World Congress of Gynecology and Obstetrics was held at Rio de Janerio, Brazil from 14-19th October, 2018. About 100 participants along with accompanying persons from Bangladesh attended the Congress. The participants registered themselves on 14th October. The Inaugural Ceremony began at 4:30pm on 14<sup>th</sup> October. It was a very gorgeous event. About 9000 participants from different countries took part. The inaugural session was followed by a welcome reception. Many of the participants presented paper in the conference in plenary, free paper and poster session. FIGO General Assembly will take place on 16th October and 18th October. From Bangladesh Prof.LailaArjumandBanu, President-OGSB & Prof.RowsanAra Begum, Immediate Past President were attended the General Assembly & given their valuable vote. The closing session held on 19<sup>th</sup> October at 1:00pm.

### **Monthly Scientific Seminar on Medical Ethics**

MonthlyScientificSeminar on Medical Ethics & Experience of recent FIGO World Congresswas held on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018 at 1:00 pm in Milon Hall of BSMMU. Prof. Firoza Begum welcomed everybody & stared the program. Speakers were Prof LailaArjumandBanu& Prof. Ferdousi Begum. Chief Guest was Prof. LatifaShamsuddin. Prof. LailaArjumandBanu chaired the session, Four hundred thirteen participants attended the program.

#### Monthly Scientific Seminar on FIGO Experiences

Monthly Scientific Seminar on Experience of recent FIGO World Congresswas held on 28<sup>th</sup> November 2018 at 12:30 pm in theLecture Gallery-401,Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College Hospital Speaker were Prof. RowshanAra Begum, Prof.

SameenaChowdhury, Prof. SayebaAkhter, Prof. SaberaKhatun, Prof. GulshanAra& Prof. Sehereen F Siddiqua. Prof. LailaArjumandBanu chaired the session.

# 44<sup>th</sup> AGM & 26<sup>th</sup> International Scientific Conference of OGSB

The 44<sup>th</sup> AGM & 26<sup>th</sup> International Scientific Conference of OGSB was held on December 7-9, 2018 at Grand Sultan Tea Resort & Golf, Dhaka, Bangladesh. About 1100 participants from home & aboard has attended the Conference. The theme of this year's OGSB conference was "Comprehensive Adolescent Care-Our Priority".

The Scientific session was held from 8:00 am till 5:00 pm simultaneously in 3 halls on 8<sup>th</sup>& 9<sup>th</sup> December 2018. There were plenary session, Update session on different topics of current interest. There was a memorial lecture. There were very important international session such as FIGO, AOFOG, SAFOG& SAFOM which was participated by renowned international faculty. There were also sessions Reproductive Health Issues, Symposium on different topics. There were also Free Paper, Video and Poster presentation by different Speakers.

In addition to national faculty, Prof. OunjaiKoranantakul, Dr. Rohit Bhatt, Dr. RohanaHaththotuwa, Dr. Milind Shah, Prof. HiralalKonar, Dr. P.K. Shah, Prof. AshmaRana, Dr. Dilip Kumar Dutta, Dr. IndranilDutta, Dr. NarendraMalhotra, JaideepMalhotra, Dr. Bhaskar Pal, Prof. AlokenduChatterjee, Dr. Pramathes Das Mahapatra, Dr. Sukanta Misra, Dr. IndraniLodh, Prof. Shyam Desai, Dr Anita Makins, Prof. Siddhartha Chatterje, Dr. PiyushaMilaniAtapattu, Dr. HarshaAtapattu, DrMrigankaMouliSaha, Prof. Gita Ganguly Mukherjee, Dr. Basudeb Mukherjee, Dr. Basab Mukherjee, Dr. Manor Din Shaiyed, Dr. U.D. P Ratnasiri, Prof. RubinaSohail& Prof. YousafLatif Khan presented various important topics of recent interest in the conference.

.A day long Pre Congress workshop on Advanced Endoscopic Surgery was arranged on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2018 as a part of 26<sup>th</sup> International Scientific Conference & 44<sup>th</sup> AGM of OGSBat OGSB Hospital, Mirpur, Dhaka. Dr. Kurian Joseph & Dr. RekhaKurian from India joined the conference as foreign guest. Key note speech delivered by Prof. TA Chowdhury& Dr. Kurian Joseph. He along with local experts did a variety of operations in the hands on session with live telecast from theatre to this conference room. About 15 participants registered for hands on 25 participants for plenary.