



Cancer Institute (WIA), Chennai
presents

IPOS ACADEMY 2020

**Theme: Enhancing Psycho-oncology Practices and
Researches in India**

WORKSHOPS

PLENARIES

SYMPOSIUMS

PRESENTATIONS

PANEL DISCUSSIONS

DATE: 31st Jan & 1st Feb, 2020

VENUE: GRT Grand, Chennai

About IPOS Academy 2020

Cancer Institute (WIA), Chennai in close partnership with the International Psycho-oncology Society (IPOS), has developed an Academy on the theme of Enhancing Psycho-oncology Practices and Researches in India. The objective of this Academy is to train the participants and professionals on evidence-based practices in distress management, application of psychotherapies, communication training and strengthening research pertaining to psycho-oncology. This Academy will be a combination of panel discussions, plenaries, symposiums and presentations in which participants will be encouraged to share their knowledge on the specified areas and will aid in facilitating research collaboration between the professionals from different institutions.

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This educational program meets the International Psycho-Oncology Society guidelines for educational content

FACULTY PROFILE

International Faculty



Dr. MAGGIE WATSON
INSTITUTE OF CANCER RESEARCH
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Maggie Watson is a Visiting Professor in the Department of Clinical, Health and Educational Psychology University College London and a member the Department of Genetics and Epidemiology Institute of Cancer Research, UK. She was previously the Head of Psychological Medicine at the Royal Marsden Hospital and led a comprehensive psychological and psychiatric service for oncology patients. Her post-doctoral research was at University of Oxford and Kings College Medical School London. She is the past President of the International Psycho-oncology Society. Dr Watson is the Editor-in-Chief of *Psycho-oncology: Journal of Psychological, Social and Behavioral Dimensions of Cancer*.



Prof. RICHARD FIELDING
HONOURARY PROFESSOR
THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG

Professor Richard Fielding, currently a Honourary Professor at the Division of Behavioural Sciences, School of Public Health, The University of Hong Kong is a clinical and health psychologist and was until June 2017 Professor of Medical Psychology in Public Health at the University of Hong Kong (HKU) School of Public Health. He was Lecturer, Senior Lecturer and Professor in the Department of Community Medicine, where he was Head of the Behavioural Sciences Unit. His work on health psychology has a particular focus on psychological and behavioural adaptation in a wide range of physical health problems, including heart diseases, cancer, respiratory epidemic behaviour, health-risk behaviour and chronic pain, and lifestyle and behavioural approaches to rehabilitation and health maintenance.



Dr. HARYANA DHILLON
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR
THE UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY

Haryana is an Associate Professor in Cancer Survivorship and Psycho-Oncology at the Centre for Medical Psychology and Evidence-based Decision-making (CeMPED) University of Sydney. She is a Director of the Cancer Council NSW Board, and former Member of the Clinical Oncological Society of Australia (COSA) and Council. Haryana is the chair of the Psycho-Oncology Cooperative Research Group's Scientific Advisory Committee and has leadership roles in supportive care and quality of life in the Australasian Lung Cancer Trials Group and the ANZ Urogenitary and Prostate Cancer Trials Group. Haryana co-leads a Cancer Survivorship Research Group based in the University of Sydney. She also maintains an active research interest in health literacy, communication in the cancer setting and patient education.

National Faculty

⊖ **Dr. Jayita Deodhar**

Professor & Phy (Psychiatry), Tata Memorial Hospital, Mumbai

⊖ **Dr. Brindha Sitaram**

Director, Centre of Psycho-oncology for Education & Research, Bangalore

⊖ **Dr. E. Vidhubala**

Director, Fenivi Research Solutions & Research Consultant, NCCC

⊖ **Dr. Soumitra S Datta**

Consultant Psychiatrist, Tata Medical Center, Kolkata

⊖ **Dr. Chitra Venkateshwaran**

Clinical Director, Mehac Foundation, Kerala

⊖ **Dr. Mahati Chittam**

Associate Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad

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REGISTRATION

	For Professionals/ Delegates		For Students/ Scholars	
	Early Bird (Before 5 th Jan)	After 5 th Jan	Early Bird (Before 5 th Jan)	After 5 th Jan
Only Workshop (Day 1)	INR 2000	INR 2500	INR 1500	INR 2000
Only Conference (Day 2)	INR 2000	INR 2500	INR 1500	INR 2000
Full Academy (Day 1 & Day 2)	INR 3000	INR 4000	INR 2000	INR 3000

Who can register:

- ⊕ Allied Healthcare professionals (Psycho-oncologists, Psychologists & Social workers) working with cancer population
- ⊕ Students and Scholars pursuing Psychology (Any speciality)

Registration fees include food (lunch and coffee break) for all delegates onsite during the two Academy days.

Payments onsite at the program venue will not be accepted.

Payment for registration should be made through NEFT/IMPS transfer only, to the below mentioned account

Bank Name: Andhra Bank
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Account Number: 149710011006017
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LIMITED NUMBER OF SEATS!

**Don't miss out on the opportunity to meet and
listen to experts in the field!**

Abstract Submission

1st December, 2019- 5th January, 2020

- Studies pertaining to Psycho-oncology (including cancer prevention) only will be considered as eligible
- The abstract text should not exceed 300 words (excluding title and affiliations).
- The abstract title should not exceed 25 words.
- Abstracts should be submitted in English only.
- Authors are responsible for proofreading and submitting an abstract without errors.
- An individual may be the submitting author on a maximum of two abstracts but can be co-author on any number of abstracts
- All the abstracts should include Introduction; Methods; Results & Conclusion.
- Figures and tables are not to be included in the abstract.
- The abstracts should be mailed to the corresponding email in word/pdf format.
- All abstract submitters must register for the conference.
- If the submitting author has a preference over the type of presentation (oral/poster), kindly mention it in the corresponding email at the time of submission. However, the decision of the scientific committee will be considered final.

Abstract submissions should be done through email to
psychooncology@cancerinstitutewia.org