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Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the organizing committee and the society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons of Thailand, I would like to welcome you all to the 23rd WPATH Biennial Symposium “Transgender Health from Global Perspectives” on February 14th -18th, 2014, at the Anantara Bangkok Riverside Hotel, Bangkok, Thailand, the first WPATH Symposium to be held in Asia.

This is an opportunity to bring together diverse professionals dedicated to developing best practices and supportive policies worldwide that promote health, research, education, respect, dignity, and equality for transgender, transsexual, and gender-variant people in all cultural settings, which is the WPATH vision statement.

Apart from the scientific program, I hope you enjoy visiting Bangkok. Bangkok has had great success in combining the ancient and modern world together. It offers visitors the opportunity to experience fascinating glimpses of Thailand’s gentle culture amidst the bustle of a great dynamic metropolis. Thailand also has many tourist attractions, ranging from the mountainous North to the beautiful stretches of empty beaches to the East and the South of Thailand. I hope that you all do have an interesting and enjoyable experience during this symposium.

Sincerely yours,

Preecha Tiewtranon, MD
Associate Professor
Local Organizing Chair
23rd WPATH Symposium, Bangkok, Thailand

Dear WPATH friends,

It is my great personal pleasure to welcome you to the WPATH 23rd Symposium in Bangkok, Thailand. With its warm and friendly people, Thailand is known as the “land of smiles”. We’re so very fortunate to receive the world-famous Thai hospitality.

This is the first time that WPATH has convened outside of WENA (Western Europe, North America), and we couldn’t have found a more lovely location. This conference grew from the suggestion, by surgeon Dr. Stan Monstrey at the Oslo Symposium in 2009, that we ask Dr. Preecha Tiewtranon if he would be interested in chairing the next symposium. He accepted, and here we are!

This symposium is consistent with our strategic plan to become a truly international organization, and this year’s theme is “Transgender Health From Global Perspectives”. We are at a tipping point for our organization in size and influence. We are welcoming colleagues from nine countries in Asia and the subcontinent, as well as Australia and New Zealand, three countries in Latin America, one each in Africa and the Middle East, and an astounding 13 countries in Europe. We are even expecting four attendees from Iceland. We are gratified that the numbers from North America remain stellar. We expect a record-breaking number of attendees at this conference.

We offer the latest international science and research consistent with the global perspective theme. Our plenary speakers hail from Thailand (2) Europe (2), Australia and Canada, covering the following topics: Development of Sex-Reassignment Surgery in Thailand, with Preecha Tiewtranon MD; Experience of Uterus Transplantation From Mothers to Daughters, with Liza Johannesson MD, PhD; Co-Dependency as a Way of Life, with Louis Gooren MD; ICD Plenary, moderated by Gail Knudson MD; The Brain of Transsexual Persons, with Antonio Guillamon MD; and A Brief History of the Thai Kathoey: Behind the Myths and Stereotypes, with Peter Jackson PhD. We also have a special, four-part program organized by Board Member Sam Winter PhD and sponsored by UNAIDS, UNDP, WHO and UN Women, entitled “Trans People in Asia and the Pacific”, which provides unique opportunities for interaction between WPATH members and trans health workers in Asia.

The most important part of any conference is, of course, its people, and we have 450 delegates representing surgery, endocrinology, law, human rights, voice therapy, psychiatry, psychology, medical education and social work. One of the special aspects of WPATH is our interdisciplinary nature, and this conference is an opportunity for us to learn from, enjoy and network with colleagues from around the globe.

Aside from the exciting science and the people who are here, Bangkok is a glorious city. There is much to do—before and after the conference. The conference is situated at the beautiful Anantara Bangkok Riverside Resort and Spa, selected for its intimate setting away from the hustle and bustle, but with ample opportunity to see the sights.

We are very grateful to our local organizing committee: Ajarn Preecha Tiewtranon (Chair), Dr. Apichai Angspatt (Co-Chair), Mr. Pongsakorn Wittayaprichakul “Ake”, Ms. Thitima Singchoowong “Mui”, and our translator, WPATH member Dr. Varunee Faii Sangganjanavanich “Faii”. They’re a gracious and competent team.

We are also honored that Dr. Narong Sahametapat, Permanent Secretary, the Ministry of Public Health, will preside over the opening of the Congress.

I would like to add a special thanks to our Scientific Co-Chairs Drs. Vin Tangpricha and Stan Monstrey, and to our office staff, Executive Director Bean Robinson, Program Coordinator Jeff Whitman, and Executive Administrator Andrea Martin.

Welcome to Bangkok and the WPATH 23rd Symposium. Learn and enjoy!

With appreciation for all you do,



Lin Fraser EdD
WPATH President

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Transgender Health in Global Perspective

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**Special Session Series:
Trans-People in Asia & the Pacific**

This is a group of four sessions providing a chance for conference attendees to hear trans people from Asia and the Pacific talking about their work in trans health. We expect that up to around 20 individuals, drawn from as far afield as South Asia and the Pacific Islands, will share information about their communities, the cultural, social and legal environments in which they live, and the gender affirmative, general and sexual health and healthcare issues that concern those communities. They will also talk about some of the more interesting and important initiatives happening in each of these areas, in many cases with the involvement of, or input from, their communities. One session will focus exclusively on trans men's issues.

All sessions will schedule discussion time. Community partners for this series are: Thai Transgender Alliance; Asia-Pacific Transgender Network; and Global Action for Trans* Equality.

Support for this series is provided by UNAIDS, UNDP, WHO and UN Women.



Friday, February 14, 2014

7:00 AM – 10:00 AM WPATH Symposium Registration: Surgical Pre-Conference Only

Surgical Pre-Conference Schedule *Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A*

- 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM Sessions I Moderators: Preecha Tiewtranon, MD, Stan Monstrey, MD
10:00 AM – 10:30 AM Break
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM Session II Moderators: Sanguan Kunaporn, MD, James Bellringer, MD
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM Lunch
1:30 PM – 3:00 PM Session III Moderators: Suporn Watanyusakal, MD,
Marc Bram-Bouman, MD
3:00 PM – 3:30 PM Break
3:30 PM – 5:00 PM Session IV Moderators: Kamol Pansritum, MD, Toby Meltzer, MD

Other Meetings:

- 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Vancouver Group Training. Louanna Atkinson, MSW, RSW,
Marie Carlson, RN, BSN, CRN(C), Tania Culham, MD, Marshall Dahl, MD,
PhD, Margaret A. Drewlo, MA, Cory J. Grandinetti, MA, OTR/L, Gail Knudson,
MD, Kelly Mattheis, MD, Dan Metzger, MD, Todd Sakakibara, MD, Mabel Tan,
RN, MScN, David Wilson, MD, Wallace Wong PhD. **Charoennakorn Room**
- 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM WPATH Symposium Registration: All Conference Attendees
- 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM Global Education Initiative Meeting **(Invitation Only) Thonburi Room**
- 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM IJT Editorial Board **Garden Room**
- 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM WPATH Outgoing Board Meeting **Lotus Board Room**
- 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Voice and Communication Committee Meeting **Thonburi Room
(Committee Members Only)**
- 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM Student Initiative Group **Charoennakorn Room**
- 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM Standards of Care Revision Meeting **Thonburi Room
(Committee Members Only)**
- 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM Welcome Reception/Poster Presentations/Photo Exhibit. **Grand Sala &
Riverside Terrace**

Poster Presentations

Photo Exhibit. Anslem Skogstad, Kristin Lyseggen.

Transgendered Mental Health Disparities. Sarah Paul.

Does the Transgender Population use the Internet as a Source of Cross-sex Hormones? A UK-based Study. Nick Mepham, PhD, Jon Arcelus, LMS, MSc, FRCPsych, PhD, Walter Bouman, MD, Mark Hayter, PhD, Kevan Wylie, MB, MD, FRCP, FRCPsych, FRCOG.

Cross-sex hormone usage in the transgender population: knowledge of side-effects. Nick Mepham, PhD, Jon Arcelus, LMS, MSc, FRCPsych, PhD, Walter Bouman, MD, Mark Hayter, PhD, Kevan Wylie, MB, MD, FRCP, FRCPsych, FRCOG.

Patient Satisfaction with Gender Identity Clinic Services: A UK Survey. Walter Bouman, MD.

Cohort Study of Patients referred to Glasgow Gender Clinic, 2009. Jazmeet Bindra, David Gerber, MBChB, MRCPsych, MBA.

Appreciative inquiry: A positive approach to research with families of transgender youth. Fiona Smith, RPN, RN, MN, PhD(c).

Sex reassignment surgery revision, 13 years experience. Kamol Pansritum, MD.

A comparison of eating disorder symptomology in transgender individuals, eating disordered patients, and control participants. Jon Arcelus, LMS, MSc, FRCPsych, PhD, Gemma Witcomb, PhD, Walter Bouman, MD, Amanda Davey, Megan Thurston, PhD, Caroline Meyer, PhD, Nicola Brewin.

Health, body dissatisfaction and eating disorder symptomology in transgender individuals. Gemma Witcomb, PhD, Walter Bouman, MD, Jon Arcelus, LMS, MSc, FRCPsych, PhD, Amanda Davey, Megan Thurston, PhD, Caroline Meyer, PhD.

How prevalent is self-harm in the transgender population? Walter Bouman, MD, Gemma Witcomb, PhD, Jon Arcelus, LMS, MSc, FRCPsych, PhD, Amanda Davey, Megan Thurston, PhD, Caroline Meyer, PhD.

The World's Largest Transgender Archives. Aaron Devor, PhD.

Occupational Therapy for transgender individuals. Kevan Wylie, MB, MD, FRCP, FRCPsych, FRCOG, Elizabeth Johnson.

A comparison of perceived social support and interpersonal problems among transgender individuals and a control sample. Amanda Davey, Jon Arcelus, LMS, MSc, FRCPsych, PhD, Walter Bouman, MD, Caroline Meyer.

Collection of gender identity data using electronic medical records: Survey of current end-user practices. Madeline B. Deutsch, MD, JoAnne Keatley, MSW, Jae Sevelius, PhD, Starley B. Shade PhD, MPH.

Understanding Transgender Health Needs: Barriers to Accessing Health Care. e shor, MPH, Roxanne Anderson.

Characteristics and experiences of trans people in Ontario, Canada who have been in prison: Results from the Trans PULSE Project. Ayden I. Scheim, Mooky Cherian, Greta Bauer, PhD, Xuchen Zong.

Functions of Self-Injury in a Transgender Sample. lore m. dickey, PhD, Steven R. Toaddy, PhD, Jodi Shipley.

Optimizing Services for Gender Dysphoria at the Sahlgrenska University Hospital (Gothenburg, Sweden): An international perspective. Gennaro Selvaggi, MD, PhD, MSc, FRCS, Stan Monstrey, MD, James Bellringer, FRCS, Anna Elander.

Pre-operative planning and titanium implant fixation for "bone-anchored penile epithesis". Gennaro Selvaggi, MD, PhD, MSc, FRCS, Rickard Branemark, MD, PhD, MSc, Anna Elander, Joacim Stalfors, MD, PhD.

Pregnancy After Transitioning: The Male-Gendered Experience with Fertility, Pregnancy, and Birth Outcomes. Alexis Light, Juno Obedin-Maliver, MD, MPH, Jae Sevelius, PhD.

Treatment of Paraffin-Induced Lipogranuloma of the Penis by Bipedicled Scrotal Flap With Y-V incision. Woong Jin Bae, MD, PhD, Hyuk Jin Cho, MD, PhD, Byung Il Yoon, MD, PhD, U-Syn Ha, MD, PhD, Yong-Hyun Cho, MD, PhD, and Dong Wan Sohn, MD, PhD, Sae Woong Kim, MD, PhD.

Families with a gender-variant parent – effects on children and family dynamics. Silvano Barbieri, Jonas Björklund, Inga Becker, MSc, Birgit Möller, PhD.

“No Fear” – A prospective Case Study of a Male to Female Transsexual (2003-2010). Dorothea Nosiska, MD, PsyD, Ulrike Kaufmann, MD, Mick van Trotsenberg, MD.

Epidemiological and Social Demographic Characteristics of Gender Dysphoria in a Population of Adults, Adolescents and Childs at a Public Hospital in Brazil. Maya Foigel, Dani Mori Gagliotti, Alexandre Saadeh.

Saturday, February 15, 2014

7:00 AM – 4:00 PM WPATH Symposium Registration

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM **Welcome** by Lin Fraser, EdD, WPATH President. **Chaophraya Ballroom**

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM Plenary Talk **Development of Sex Reassignment Surgery in Thailand.**
Preecha Tiewtranon, MD - Introduction presented by Stan Monstrey.

Chaophraya Ballroom

9:00 AM – 9:45 AM Plenary Talk 2 **Experience of uterus transplantation from mothers to daughters.** Liza Johannesson MD, PhD - Introduction presented by Stan Monstrey. **Chaophraya Ballroom**

9:45 AM – 10:00 AM **Break**

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM **Concurrent Sessions 1**

Session 1 Presentations: **Surgery Session I.** Moderator: Apichai Angspatt, MD, Miroslav Djordjevic, MD, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom**

Reversal Phalloplasty in Regretful Male to Female Transsexuals After Sex Reassignment Surgery. Marta Bizic, MD, Svetlana Vujovic, MD, PhD, Dragana Duisin, MD, PsyD, Dusica Markovic, MD, Zoran Rakic, MD, PhD, Dusan Stanojevic, MD, PhD, Aleksandar Milosevic, MD, Miroslav Djordjevic, MD, PhD.

A Simple Safe Fast and Painless Hysterectomy. Burt Webb, MD.

Urethral reconstruction with a Antero Lateral Thigh Flap. Stan Monstrey, MD, Philippe Houtmeyers, MD.

Metoidioplasty – A 13 year Experience. Gunnar Kratz, MD, Johan Thorfinn, MD, PhD, Laura Pompermaier, MD.

Vaginal Hysterectomy as a Viable Option for Female-to-Male (FTM) Transgender Men. Juno Obedin-Maliver, MD, MPH, Alexis Light, Gene De Haan, Jody Steinauer, MD, Rebecca Jackson, MD.

Implantation of the Spectra AMS™ prosthesis in female-to-male transsexuals: surgical technique and preliminary results. Piet Hoebeke, MD, PhD, Anne-Françoise Spinoit, MD, Filip Poelaert.

Improved results after implementation of the Ghent Algorithm for Subcutaneous Mastectomy in Female-to-Male Transsexuals. Gennaro Selvaggi, MD, Henrick Bjerrome Ahlin, Anna Elander, MD.

Vaginectomy: Is it worth the risks? Burt Webb, MD.

The New technique of voice feminization surgery: Vocal fold shortening and recreation of anterior commissure. Hyung-Tae Kim, MD.

Session 2 Abstract Presentations: **Endocrinology and Aging**. Moderators: Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD, Mick van Trotsenberg, MD. **Thonburi Room**

Cross-sex hormonal treatment and body uneasiness in individuals with gender dysphoria.

Elisa Bandini, MD, Alessandra Fisher, MD, Giovanni Castellini, MD, PhD, Helen Casale, PsyD, Egidia Fanni, Laura Benni, MD, Naika Ferruccio, MD, Cristina Meriggiola, MD, Chiara Manieri, MD, Anna Gualerzi, MD, Emmanuele Jannini, MD, Alessandro Oppo, Valdo Ricca, MD, Mario Maggi, MD, Alessandra Rellini, PhD.

Endocrine treatment of transsexual persons: a multicenter prospective study using a standardized treatment protocol.

Katrien Wierckx, MD, Eva Van Caenegem, MD, Jean-Marc Kaufman, MD, PhD, Thomas Schreiner, MD, Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD.

Cross-Sex Hormone Treatment in Transgender Subjects and Somatic Co-Morbidity in a United States Sample.

Jamie Feldman, MD, Frederic Ettner, MD, Randi Ettner, PhD.

Informed Consent Hormone Prescription in a Community Health Center – “THInC” – Reviewing the implementation of Howard Brown Health Center’s Informed Consent

Hormone Protocol and Transgender Community Response. Kelly Ducheny, PsyD, Michelle Emerick, PsyD, Lisa Katona, MSW, Linda Wesp, FNP.

Selected Health Parameters and Attitudes About Primary Care in 57 Transgender Persons Presenting to a US Community Health Center.

Madeline B. Deutsch, MD, Vipra Bhakri, MPH, Katrina Kubicek, PhD, Johanna Olson, MD, Marvin Belzer, MD.

Bone in trans persons on cross-sex hormonal therapy in a multi-center prospective intervention study.

Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD, Katrien Wierckx, MD, Youri Taes, Jean-Marc Kaufman, MD, PhD, Thomas Schreiner, MD, Eva Van Caenegem, MD.

Metabolic profile of transsexual persons on cross-sex hormonal therapy in a multi-center prospective intervention study.

Katrien Wierckx, MD, Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD, Youri Taes, Jean-Marc Kaufman, MD, PhD, Thomas Schreiner, MD, Eva Van Caenegem, MD.

A Safe, Efficacious, and Cost-Effective Hormone Protocol for Treatment of M2F Transsexuals.

Jennifer Burnett, MS, MD, FAAFP.

Session 3 Abstract Presentations: **Mental Health, Psychiatry, Psychology I**. Moderator: Griet De Cuyper, MD. **Garden Room**

Taking care of gender variant children and adolescents in Italy. Lights and shadows of an uphill walk.

Damiana Massara, PsyD, Angela Caldarera, MA, Paolo Antonelli, PhD, PsyD, Maddalena Mosconi, PsyD, Fabiana Santamaria, PhD.

Reflections on Gender Variant Role Expression in Childhood within Social Contexts.

Domenico Di Ceglie, MD, FRCPsych.

Does elevated separation anxiety in feminine boys reflect prosocial tendencies rather than pathology?

Non-clinical evidence from Canada and Samoa. Paul Vasey, PhD, Doug VanderLann, Lanna Petterson.

Body Satisfaction in Young Gender Dysphoric Adults. Inga Becker, Susanne Cerwenka, PhD, Timo Nieder, PhD, Peggy Cohen-Kettenis, PhD, Griet de Cuypere, MD, Ira Haraldsen, MD, Hertha Richter-Appelt, PhD.

Physical Appearance and Body Image in Gender Dysphoria Subtypes. Tim van de Grift, MD, MSc, Ellis van der Putten-Bierman, Ira Haraldsen, MD, Griet De Cuypere, MD, Hertha Richter-Appelt, PhD, Peggy Cohen-Kettenis, PhD, Margriet Mullender, PhD, Baudewijntje Kreukels, PhD.

Developmental processes of positive emotions for trans* individuals: The interplay of interpersonal emotions and transition appraisal. Stephanie Budge, PhD.

Influencing factors on the decision process of the transition objective of transmen, An exploratory study of transmen in Germany and Switzerland. Nicole Metzger, BSc.

Transgender and Genderqueer individuals' mental health concerns: A moderated mediation analysis of social support and coping. Stephanie Budge, PhD, Jill Adelson, PhD, Kimberly Howard, PhD.

The Fox and the NeedleMobile: An Art Therapy Case Study of FTM Transition, Childhood Trauma, and Recovery of the Self. Jeff Brody, LMHC, ATR-BC.

Theories and Empirical Findings on the Nature of Cross-Gender Eroticism. Jaimie Veale, PhD.

Session 4 Abstract Presentations: **Legal Issues and Human Rights.** Moderator: Jamison Green, PhD. **Charoennakorn Room**

An Overview of Australian InTrans*igence –A Systemic Pandora’s Box. Belinda Chaplin, RN, BN(Hons1), Leonie Cox, PhD, Christina Campbell, PhD.

Ethical issues in the care and treatment of transgender children and adolescents. Simona Giordano, PhD.

“Blokes Don’t Cry, So Man Up” – A Trans*gressive Life in Queensland Jails. Belinda Chaplin, RN, BN(Hons1), Leonie Cox, PhD, Christina Campbell, PhD.

Special Presentation: **WHO Legal & Policy Program in Conjunction with ICD Field Testing.** Eszter Kismodi, JD, LL.M.

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM **Lunch**

1:30 PM – 3:00 PM **Concurrent Sessions 2**

Session 1 Mini-Symposia: **Pitfalls in Transsexual Surgery.** Organizer and Chair: Miroslav Djordjevic, MD, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

Pitfalls in Phalloplasty. Stan Monstrey, MD, PhD, Piet Hoebeke, MD, PhD.

Pitfalls in Urethral Reconstruction in FTM Patients. Miroslav Djordjevic, MD, PhD.

Pitfalls in MTF surgery. Marta Bizic, MD.

Session 2 Mini-Symposia, Sponsored by WHO/UNAIDS/UNDP/UN Women: **Trans-People in Asia and the Pacific: Cultural, legal and social environments.** Organizer and Chair: Sam Winter, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room B**

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **The Great TRANSformation towards a Holistic Approach for Healthier and Happier Trans Communities in Latin America and the Caribbean.** Interagency panel – John Snow Inc (JSI), Pan American Health Organization (PAHO), World Association for Sexual Health. Moderator: Lin Fraser, EdD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room C**

Sexual health of key populations. Rafael Mazin, PAHO.

Health needs of trans women and available health services in Central America: Findings from a 4 country assessment. Aysa Saleh Ramirez, JSI.

Building the capacity of health providers to deliver quality services to trans populations: A strategy that integrates sexual health and diversity. Esther Corona, WAS.

Session 4 Mini Symposia: **Transitioning in the early years: current practices and details of a cross cultural study to evaluate the practice.** Organizer and Chair: Herbert Schreier, MD. **Thonburi Room**

Difference in and rationale for approaches to the young child who presents as in the wrong body, in various clinics around the world. Herbert Schreier, MD.

The Mind the Gap Study Group: The Study details and rationale for the cross cultural design. Diane Ehrensaft, PhD, Shawn Giammattei, PhD.

Problems and Opportunities from examining the confounding variables e.g. culture, in approaches of these children. Herb Shreier, MD, Diane Ehrensaft, PhD.

Results of a qualitative transnational interview study looking at the practices of experienced therapists from around the world. Birgit Möller, PhD, Timo Nieder, PhD, Inga Becker, MSc, Herbert Schreier, MD.

Session 5 Mini Symposia: **Long-term cross-sex hormonal exposure of hormone-sensitive organs.** Organizers and Chairs: Mick van Trotsenburg, MD, Louis Gooren, MD. **Garden Room**

The breast. Louis Gooren, MD.

The prostate and the testicles. Piet Hoebeke, MD, PhD.

The uterus and the ovaries. Hans Trum, MD, PhD.

Critical appraisal of the arguments for and against removal of hormone sensitive organs and recommendations. Mick van Trotsenburg, MD.

Session 6 Mini Symposia: **Training American Psychiatric Residents on Transgender Care.** Organizer and Chair: Jack Pula, MD. **Charoennakorn Room**

Training Psychiatrists and Other Health Professionals in Trans Care. Dan Karasic, MD.

Gender Variance in Childhood and Adolescents: Training the Next Generation of Psychiatrists. Aron Janssen, MD.

Elevating the Standards of Transgender Psychiatry. Jack Pula, MD.

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM **Break**

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM **Concurrent Sessions 3**

Session 1 Mini-Symposia: **International community mobilization efforts for increased access to health care for transwomen: a global perspective.** Organizer and Chair: JoAnne Keatley, MSW. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

Danielle Castro, MA, Rena Janamnuysook, MBA, JoAnne Keatley, MSW, Amitava Sarkar, Maria Sundin, Leigh Ann van der Merwe, Jana Villayzan, MPH, Khartini Slamah.

Session 2 (3:30 PM – 5:30 PM) Mini-Symposia Sponsored by WHO/UNAIDS/UNDP/ UN Women: **Trans-People in Asia and the Pacific: General and gender affirmative health care issues.** Organizer and Chair: Sam Winter, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room B**

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **Interventions for Young People with Gender Dysphoria and Their Families in the UK.** Organizers and Chairs: Polly Carmichaels, PhD, Sarah Davidson, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room C**

Physical intervention in early puberty in the UK : Report from a research study. Russell Viner and Polly Carmichael, PhD.

A Young Person's Group for people experiencing gender dysphoria. Sarah Davidson, PhD, Elin Skagerberg, PhD.

Working with user groups. Polly Carmichael, PhD, Sarah Davidson, PhD.

A Parents' Group for families with a young person experiencing gender dysphoria. Sarah Davidson, PhD, Vicky Holt, MSc.

Session 4 Presentations: **Surgery Session II: Best of the Surgical Pre-Conference.** Moderator: Sirachi Jindarak, MD, Marlon Buncamper, MD. **Garden Room**

Session 5 Mini-Symposia: **Transgender in California's Prison System.** Organizer and Chair: Herbert Schreier, MD. **Thonburi Room**

Hopefully You Take Me Serious. My Name Is Ms. Jazzie Ferrari (Interviews & research on abuse and neglect of Transgender rights in US prison system). Kristin Lyseggen, photojournalist.

What is known about juvenile Transgender Teens in Prison. Herbert Schreier, MD.

Transgender, Gender Variant and Intersex Justice Project: Activism in the Transgender Communities. Janetta L Johnson, Coordinator at TGI Justice Project, Oakland, California.

Prisons and Criminal Justice - transgender rights to human rights. Cecilia Chung, Senior Strategist, Transgender Law Center.

Session 6 Mini-Symposia: **Pluralistic Identities, Queer Bodies, Multidisciplinary perspectives on increasing clinical needs.** Organizers and Chairs: Timo O Nieder, MSc, Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room D**

The social impact of living a genderqueer life. Joz Motmans, PhD, MA.

Dealing with genderqueerness in a psychotherapeutic setting. Timo O. Nieder, PhD.

An endocrinologists view on partial hormonal intervention. Guy T'Sjoen, PhD.

Queer bodies: surgical possibilities and limits. Marci L. Bowers, MD.

Session 7 Mini-Symposia: **Mental Health Assessment and Care Across the Lifespan.**
Organizer and Chair: Dan Karasic, MD. **Charoennakorn Room**

Psychiatric Assessment and Care Across the Lifespan. Dan Karasic, MD.

Assessment and Care for Gender Nonconforming Children and Adolescents and their Families. Diane Ehrensaft, PhD.

Psychotherapy Across the Lifespan. Lin Fraser, EdD.

6:00 PM **ANZPATH Reception** *Garden Room*

6:00 PM – 7:30 PM **Medicine and Research Committee Meeting** *Thonburi Room*

6:00 PM – 7:30 PM **Disorders of Sexual Development Committee Meeting** *Lotus Board Room*

7:00 PM – 8:30 PM **Film Festival.** Coordinator: Sam Winter, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

7:00 PM **CPATH Reception** *Charoennakorn Room*

Sunday, February 16, 2014

7:00 AM – 1:30 PM **WPATH Symposium Registration**

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM Plenary Talk 3: **Co-dependency as a Way of Life.** Louis Gooren, MD -
Introduction presented by Vin Tangpricha, MD, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom**

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM Plenary Talk 4: **ICD Plenary.** Moderator: Gail Knudson, MD.
Chaophraya Ballroom

Update of current ICD-11 revision and status report on field trials. Eszter Kismodi JD, LLM.

Gender Incongruence: Review of recommendations for ICD 11 diagnostic codes and controversies associated with child diagnostic code. Peggy Cohen-Kettenis PhD.

Highlights of WPATH involvement providing ongoing feedback toward ICD11 Revision -
Griet DeCuyper MD, PhD.

9:30 AM – 10:00 AM **Break**

10:00 AM – 11:30 AM **Concurrent Sessions 4**

Session 1 Abstract Presentations: **Surgery Oral Presentations Session III.** Moderator: Stan Monstrey, MD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

A new database tool analyze changes in sex reassignment surgery in 160 Swedish transsexual patients. Johan Thorfinn, MD.

What is new in Facial Feminization Surgery? Philosophy and Innovation. Daniel Simon, MD.

Removal of the corpora cavernosa remnants after male-to-female sex reassignment surgery. Marta Bizic, MD.

Patient's Satisfaction with Breasts, Psychosocial, Sexual and Physical Well-Being after Breast Augmentation in Male-to-Female Transsexuals. Romain Weigert, MD.

Solely penile skin is sufficient for vaginoplasty in male to female sex reassignment surgery. Hannes Sigurjonsson, MD.

A Multidisciplinary Comprehensive Care Model at the University of Michigan. Katherine Gast, MD.

Facial Feminization Surgery: Surgical Techniques and Analysis of Results in 200 patients. Luis Miguel Capitan, MD.

Cricothyroid Approximation for pitch elevation in male-to-female transsexuals: Medium and long-term outcomes. Georgia Dacakis, MEd, Gavriella Simson, Jennifer Oates, FSPAA.

Session 2 Mini-Symposia: **Sex hormones and the brain: Dutch neuroimaging studies in individuals with gender dysphoria.** Organizer and Chair: Baudewijntje PC Kreukels, PhD. **Garden Room**

Brain structure and brain functioning of transgender adolescents. Sabine Hannema, MD, Henriette Delemarre-van de Waal, MD, PhD.

The chemo-signal androstadienone – sniffin’ the sex of the brain. Sarah Burke, MSc.

Gender identity development and the brain, a biopsychosocial model. Daniel Klink, MD, PhD.

Effects of cross-sex hormones on the brain – studies in transgender individuals. Baudewijntje P.C. Kreukels, PhD.

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **Affirmative Psychological Practice Guidelines for Working With Trans Clients.** Organizers and Chairs: Anneliese A Singh, PhD, lore m. dickey, PhD. **Thonburi Room**

Theoretical and Research Frameworks for APA Psychological Practice Guidelines with Trans People: A Resilience, Multicultural, and Social Justice Approach. Anneliese A. Singh, PhD, Sand Chang, PhD.

The Role of Advocacy in Using the APA Trans-Affirmative Psychological Practice Guidelines. lore m. dickey, PhD.

Applying the APA Guidelines for Trans-Affirmative Psychological Practice to Psychotherapy with Trans Clients. Michael Hendricks, PhD, Kelly Ducheny, PsyD, Walter O. Bockting, PhD.

Session 4 Mini Symposia: **How Young is Too Young? Clinical, Ethical and Surgical Management of the Transgender Early Adolescent.** Organizers and Chairs: Milton Diamond, PhD, Christine Milrod, PhD. **Charoennakorn Room**

Square pegs in round holes: The diversity of issues and needs for teens and their parents. Elizabeth Riley, PhD.

Medical Evaluation and Treatment of a Prepubescent Transgendered MTF Child. Richard Horowitz, MD.

How Young is Too Young? Ethical Concerns in Genital Surgery of the Transgender MTF Adolescent. Christine Milrod, PhD.

Surgical Management of the Transgender Early to Mid-Adolescent. Gary Alter, MD.

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM **Lunch**

1:00 PM – 3:00 PM **Concurrent Sessions 5**

Session 1 Mini-Symposia: **Global Perspectives on Voice and Communication: Introducing the Proposed WPATH Standing Committee.** Organizer and Chair: Viktoria Papp MA, MSc, PhD.
Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A

Voice and Communication in the Lives of Male-to-Female transgender people. Jennifer Oates, FSPAA, Georgia Dacakis, MEd.

An Overview of U.K Speech Therapy services. Christella Antoni, MSc.

Overview of Speech-Language Pathology Services in North America. Richard Adler, PhD.

Overview of Speech-Language Pathology Services in New Zealand, Australia, and Asia. Viktoria Papp, PhD.

Introducing the WPATH Standing Committee on Voice and Communication. Richard Adler, PhD.

Session 2 Abstract Presentations: **Mental Health, Psychiatry, and Psychology II.** Moderator: Griet De Cuyper, MD. *Chaophraya Ballroom, Room B*

An application of the Implicit Association Test (IAT) to the assessment of gender identity in transsexuals. Antonio Prunas, PhD, Diamante Hartmann, PhD.

Differences in the Impairment of Quality of Life between Male-to-female and Female-to-male Transsexuals. August Wee Cheng Kang.

Quality of life in trans persons: associations with sex reassignment treatment. Katrien Wierckx, MD, Gunter Heylens, MD, Piet Hoebeke, MD, PhD, Stan Monstrey, MD, Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD.

Variation in Measurement of Transgender Suicidality: 1997 to the Present. Noah Adams, MSW.

Identification of strategies for suicide prevention among trans people in Ontario, Canada: Trans PULSE Project. Greta Bauer, PhD, Jake Pyne, MSW, Rebecca Hammond, MSc, Robb Travers, PhD.

Gender Dysphoria and Psychiatric Comorbidity: A Descriptive Study. Chiara Michaela Crespi, PhD, MSc, Anna Gualerzi, MD, Giuseppina Zullo, Donato Munno, Luigi Rolle, MD, Chiara Manieri, MD, Mariateresa Molo, MD, Vincenzo Villari, Giorgio Rocca, Filippo Bogetto, Dario Fontana.

Increased incidence of sex reassignment applications with few regrets: A complete analysis of all applications during 40 years in Sweden. Cecilia Dhejne, MD, Katarina Öberg, Stefan Arver, Mikael Landén, MD.

Regrets After Sex-Reassignment Surgery and Request for Sex-Reconversion Surgery in MtF Transsexuals Case Reports. Dragana Duisin, MD, PsyD, Jasmina Barisic, Marta Bizic, MD, Svetlana Vujovic, MD, PhD, Miroslav Djordjevic, MD, PhD.

Implementing SOC 7 in an adult gender dysphoria clinic: a focus on readiness. Christopher McIntosh, MD, Wayne Baici, MD, Albina Veltman, MD, FRCPC, Raymond Fung, MD, FRCPC, Nicola Brown, PhD.

Choosing a surgeon: an exploratory study of factors influencing selection of an SRS surgeon. Randi Ettner, PhD, Tonya White, MD, Frederic Ettner, MD.

Empowerment and Advocacy: Using the American Psychological Association Practice Guidelines for Working with Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming People. Anneliese Singh, PhD, Iore Dickey, PhD, Kelly Ducheny, PsyD, Sand Chang, PhD, Michael Hendricks, PhD, Walter Bockting, PhD.

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **Legal Issues: Identity Documents and Access to Health Care.**
Moderator: Jamison Green, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room C**

Deciding Who Is Real? Decision Makers' Discourses on the Funding of State-Provided Gender Reassignment Surgery. Prof. Stephen Whittle, OBE, PhD, LLB, MA, BA.

Forth from USSR: Transgender Issues in the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS). Kirill Sabir.

Legal and Healthcare Access Conditions for Transgender People in Turkey. Prof. Dr. Sahika Yüksel, MD, Assist. Prof. Dr. Basak Baysal – Istanbul University Faculty of Law.

California Dreaming: Two Decades of Change in Health Insurance Law and Policy. Nick Gorton, MD, Jamison Green, PhD, Jason Tescher, MS.

Session 4 Mini-Symposia Sponsored by WHO/UNAIDS/UNDP/UN Women: **Trans-People in Asia and the Pacific: HIV and other sexual health care issues.** Organizer and Chair: Sam Winter, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room D**

Session 5 Abstract Presentations: **Primary Care and Nutrition.** Moderator: Jamie Feldman, MD. **Thonburi Room**

Access to Family and Emergency Medicine among Trans People in Canada's most Populous Province: Trans PULSE Project. Greta Bauer, PhD, Xuchen Zong, Ayden I. Scheim, Maddie Deutsch, MD, Rebecca Hammond, MSc.

Utilization of health services and health status of transgender patients at a community health center. Anita Radix, MD.

Integrating Trans Health Research and Patient Care using Electronic Health Records: Possibilities and Pitfalls. Jamie Feldman, MD, Katherine Spencer, PhD, Cesar Gonzalez, PhD.

Eating Disorder Psychopathology in Gender Dysphoria Individuals. Elisa Bandini, MD, Alessandra Daphne Fisher, PhD, Giovanni Castellini, MD, PhD, Davide Dèttore, PsyD, Helen

Casale, PhD, Egidia Fanni, Laura Benni, MD, Naika Ferruccio, MD, Valdo Ricca, MD, Mario Maggi, MD.

Psychopathological similarities and differences between Gender Dysphoric and Eating Disorder subjects: The role of the body. Elisa Bandini, MD, Alessandra Daphne Fisher, PhD, Giovanni Castellini, MD, PhD, Carolina Lo Lauro, Lorenzo Lelli, Helen Casale, PhD, Cristina Meriggiola, MD, Laura Benni, MD, Naika Ferruccio, MD, Carlo Faravelli, MD, Davide Dèttore, PsyD, Mario Maggi, MD, Valdo Ricca, MD.

Hormones and Medication Regimes. What Method is Best? Nathine T Goldenthal, MD, PhD, MPH.

Session 6 Mini-Symposia: **Approach to Gender Variant Behavior in Preadolescents and Adolescents.** Organizer and Chair: Walter Meyer, MD. **Garden Room**

Using GnRH analogues in Gender Non-Conforming Youth – The Los Angeles Experience. Johanna Olson, MD.

Puberty blockers: Stages, Ages, and Early Transitioners. Diane Ehrensaft, PhD, Stephen Rosenthal, MD.

Blockers in children with gender variance: Experiences and questions starting from a multidisciplinary approach. Karlien Dhondt, MD, Jolien Laridaen, Heidi Vandenbossche, Martine Cools, MD, PhD, Griet de Cuyper, MD, PhD.

Retrospective Study of the Treatment and Management of Childhood and Adolescent Gender Identity Disorder using Medroxyprogesterone acetate. Walter Meyer, MD, Mechibelle Lynch, MD, Mili Khandheria, MD.

Puberty Suppression in Gender Dysphoric Adolescents; the Dutch Approach. Annelou L.C. de Vries, MD, PhD.

Session 7 Abstract Presentations: **Public Health and Community Based Research.** Moderators: Robert Garofalo, MD, Maddie Deutsch, MD. **Charoennakorn Room**

Community Based Transgender Health Research. e shor, MPH, Roxanne Anderson.

Engaging and Retaining Transgender Patients in Primary/HIV Care Through An Informed Consent Hormone Protocol. Kelly Ducheny, PsyD, Michelle Emerick, PsyD, Lisa Katona, MSW, Linda Wesp, FNP.

Establishing Publicly Funded Sex Reassignment Surgery in San Francisco: Challenges and Progress. Barry Zevin, MD.

Safer sex decision-making and negotiation among trans men who have sex with men: Results from a qualitative study in Ontario, Canada. Ayden I. Scheim, Barry D. Adam, PhD, Zack Marshall, MSW, Robb Travers, PhD, Syrus Ware.

Transgender healthcare needs – taxonomy and growth. Bernard Reed, OBE, MA, MBA.

Multidisciplinary approach in trans people care: the experience of a Gender Team in a public Italian institution. Mariateresa Molo, PsyD, Damiana Massara, MD, Valentina Mineccia, PhD, Chiara Manieri, MD, Anna Gualerzi, MD, Massimiliano Timpano, MD, Luca Petruzzelli, Paolo Bogetti, Dario Fontana, MD.

The Burden of HIV among Transgender Women: Epidemiology and Interventions. Tonia Poteat, PhD, Sharful Islam Khan, MBBS, MA, PhD, Alfonso Silva-Santisteban, MD, MPH, Geoffrey Jobson, MA.

Barriers to Treatment Initiation and Engagement among Transgender Women Living with HIV. Jae Sevelius, PhD.

Transgender-specific predictors of uptake and adherence to ART and viral load among HIV+ transgender women. Jae Sevelius, PhD.

Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights Issues of Transgender People. Manisha Dhakal.

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM **Break**

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM **Concurrent Sessions 6**

Session 1 Abstract Presentations: **Surgery Session III.** Moderator: Satoru Yamaguchi, MD, Marci L. Bowers, MD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

A new database tool analyze changes in sex reassignment surgery in 160 Swedish transsexual patients. Johan Thorfinn, MD, PhD, Lovisa André, Laura Pompermaier, MD, Roger Gerjy, Gunnar Kratz, MD.

Male to female sex reassignment surgery at Karolinska University Hospital 2000-201. Hannes Sigurjonsson, MD.

Facial feminization surgery in male-to-female transsexuals, 485 consecutive cases in 8 years experience. Kamol Pansritum, MD.

Management of Rectovaginal Fistula Following Vaginoplasty. Christine McGinn, DO.

Ileal pouch vaginoplasty; the Charing Cross experience. James Bellringer, MD.

Sex reassignment surgery in Okayama University Hospital. Yuzaburo Namba, MD.

Long-Term Outcomes of Rectosigmoid Neocolporraphy in Male-to-Female Gender Reassignment Surgery. Thomas Satterwhite MD.

Feminization Laryngoplasty. James Thomas MD.

Session 2 Mini-Symposia: **ENIGI (European Network for the Investigation of Gender Incongruence) after six years of data.** Organizer and Chair: Griet de Cuypere, MD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room B**

ENIGI: first results of the follow-up study. Baudewijntje P.C. Kreukels, PhD, Tim van de Grift, MD, Peggy T. Cohen-Kettenis, PhD.

Sexual Health in Individuals with Gender Dysphoria: Findings from the ENIGI Study. Susanne Cerwenska, PhD, Hertha Richter-Appelt, PhD.

Characteristics of transsexual and transgender adults presenting with gender dysphoria at the University of Minnesota, Minneapolis. Walter Bockting, PhD, Cesar Gonzalez, PhD.

Evolution of QOL during sex reassignment therapy. Ira Haraldsen, MD, PhD.

Session 3 (3:30 PM – 5:30 PM) Mini-Symposia: **The WHO proposal for Gender Incongruence in Childhood, the arguments for and against.** Organizer and Chair: Sam Winter, PhD. **Garden Room**

Controversies in the identification and treatment of Gender Incongruence of Childhood; theoretical issues, pragmatic solutions. Annelou De Vries, MD, PhD.

Methodological weakness in Childhood Gender Identity ‘Desistence’ Research. Kelley Winters, PhD.

An alternative diagnostic framework, the proposal of the Buenos Aires experts’ meeting. Sam Winter, PhD.

Session 4 Mini-Symposia: **Current Research into Trans Masculine Life Experiences, Sexual Relationships, and Health.** Organizer and Chair: Aaron Devor, PhD. **Charoennakorn Room**

Sexual Attraction and Identity in Transgender Men (FTMs) One Year after Initiating Testosterone. Colt Meier, PhD, Seth Pardo, PhD, Sari Reisner, ScD.

US National Transgender Discrimination Study (NTDS) stress and health among FTMs: A gender minority stress model of health disparities. Sari Reisner, ScD.

Binders full of transmen: The effects of binders on breathing and speech. Viktoria Papp, PhD.

Transmasculine Individuals’ Partnerships Through Gender Affirming Transitions. Becca Keo, BS.

Session 5 Mini-Symposia: **Transgender Family Building: Clinical, Social, and Policy Perspectives.** Organizer and Chair: Erica Weiss, MD. ***Chaophraya Ballroom, Room D***

Erica Weiss, MD (Kaiser Permanente, San Francisco)

Kathy Hsiao, MD (California Pacific Medical Center)

Jamison Green, PhD (Transgender Law and Policy Institute).

Juno Obedin-Maliver, MD, MPH (University of California, San Francisco).

Maya Scott Chung, MPH (Laurel Fertility Care).

6:30 PM – 10:00 PM **Gala Dinner, The Grand Chao Phraya Dinner Cruise.**

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8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Plenary Talk 5 **The Brain of Transsexual Persons.** Antonio Guillamon, MD, PhD - Introduction presented by Walter Bockting, PhD.

Chaophraya Ballroom

9:00 AM – 10:00 AM Plenary Talk 6 **A Brief History of the Thai Kathoey: Behind the Myths and Stereotypes.** Peter Jackson, PhD - Introduction presented by Jamison Green, PhD.

10:00 AM – 10:30 AM **Break**

10:30 AM – 12:30 PM **Concurrent Sessions 7**

Session 1 Abstract Presentations: **DSM/ICD and SOC.** Moderators: Eli Coleman, PhD, Dan Karasic, MD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

Biopsychosocial characteristics in Chinese transgender : a pilot clinic study in Hong Kong. Greg Mak, PhD.

Deconstructing Dynamics of Categorization and Discursive Exclusion: Research Reflexivity and Ethics from a Trans* Depathologization Perspective. Amets Suess, MA.

New Diagnoses, Old Laws: The Clash of Titans? Mauro Cabral.

An exploratory investigation into the quality of life of patients with Gender Dysphoria at various stages during their transition: An Australian perspective. Jaco Erasmus, Fintan Harte, Harjit Bagga, Danny Davies, Suzy Cowling.

Scotland's Gender Reassignment Protocol. David Gerber, MBChB, MRCPsych, MBA, Kelly Muir.

The Impact of Medical Transition on Mental Health: Trans PULSE Project. Greta Bauer, PhD, Robb Travers, PhD, Misha Eliasziw, BSc, MSc, PhD, Rebecca Hammond, MSc, Ayden I. Scheim.

The impact of WPATH 2011 standards of care on the development of UK guidance on the treatment of gender dysphoria: the lessons learnt. Terry Reed, OBE, JP, BA(Hons), MCSP, SRP, GradDipPhys.

Session 2 Abstract Presentations: **Sexual Health and Social Sciences.** Moderator: Gail Knudson, MD. **Garden Room**

A satisfying sexual life after Sex Reassignment Surgery in a sample of Male to Female: a sexual therapy group according to the Sexocorporel Approach of Jean-Yves Desjardins. Patrizia Guerra, Mariateresa Molo, PsyD, Chiara Michela Crespi, PhD, MSc, Valentina Mineccia, PhD, Piero Cantafio.

Psychobiological correlates of sexual distress in MtF GD individuals without genital reassignment surgery. Elisa Bandini, MD, Alessandra Daphne Fisher, PhD, Giovanni Castellini, MD, PhD, Helen Casale, PhD, Egidia Fanni, Laura Benni, MD, Naika Ferruccio, MD, Valdo Ricca, MD, Mario Maggi, MD.

Sociodemographic and Clinical Features of Gender Dysphoria: An Italian Multicentric Evaluation. Elisa Bandini, MD, Alessandra Daphne Fisher, PhD, Helen Casale, PhD, Naika Ferruccio, MD, Egidia Fanni, Cristina Meriggiola, MD, Anna Gualerzi, Emmanuele Jannini, MD, Chiara Manieri, MD, Edoardo Mannucci, MD, Matteo Monami, MD, Valdo Ricca, MD, Mario Maggi, MD.

Sexuality, quality of life, and suicide attempts pre and post new legal sex and sex confirmation surgery; a cross-sectional study. Cecilia Dhejne, MD.

Benefits of Genito-Pelvic Physical Therapy for Post-Op Male to Female Patients. Jody Schmidt, MD.

Hormonal Substitution in Gender Dysphoric Individuals: a prospective study on sexual desire and sex steroid changes. Els Elaut, PhD, Katrien Wierckx, MD, Hertha Richter-Appelt, PhD, Peggy Cohen-Kettenis, PhD, Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD, Ira Haraldsen, MD, Griet De Cuypere, MD.

The influence of subjective and objective passability on the occurrence of transphobic violence. Joz Motmans, PhD, MA, Petra Meier, PhD, Guy T'Sjoen, MD, PhD.

Understanding womanhood through an Aravani and male-to-female (MtF) transgender/transsexual lens. Shabeena Saveri, PhD.

Relief of the dysphoria between the gender and the body – Medico-Anthropological study of gender dysphoria. Masao Takagaki, PhD.

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **Psychosexual Development of Gender Variant Children: Trajectories, Predictors, and Clinical Challenges with Pre-Pubertal Children and Their Families.**

Organizer and Chair: Peggy T Cohen-Kettenis, MD. *Charoennakorn Room*

“Is it Gender Nonconformity, Dysphoria, or Both? Understanding Psychosexual Development and the Clinical Challenges Across Disciplines”. Scott Leibowitz, MD.

“Factors Associated with Desistence and Persistence of Childhood Gender Dysphoria: A Quantitative Follow-up Study”. Thomas D. Steensma, PhD.

“Fifty Shades of Purples: Supporting Gender Variant Children and their Families on the Gender Spectrum. Jean Malpas. LMHC LMFT.

Session 4 Abstract Presentations: **Medical Education.** Moderator: Brandy Panunti, MD.
Thonburi Room

Developing cine-curricula in trans* related medical education. Kalra Gurvinder, MD, DPM.

Practice and policy implications of sex and gender diversity within trans communities: Results from the Trans PULSE Project. Ayden I. Scheim, Greta Bauer, PhD.

Transgender Physiology for Primary Care Providers. Nathine T Goldenthal, MD, PhD, MPH.

Mainstreaming Transgender Healthcare: Strategies, Challenges and Resources. Barbara Warren, PsyD, Zil Goldstein, MSN, FNP, JoAnne Keatley, MSW, Shane Snowden, PhD.

The use of prototypes to establish facial gender differences for Facial Feminisation Surgery. Alexandra Hamer.

From Grassroots Health Advocacy to Expanding Clinician Competency: Project HEALTH (Harnessing Education, Advocacy & Leadership for Transgender Health). Nick Gorton, MD, Cecilia Chung.

Minding the Gap: Development and Implementation of a Clinical Rotation in Transgender Health. Nick Gorton, MD, Jason Tescher, MS.

12:30 PM – 2:00 PM **Lunch**

2:00 PM – 3:30 PM **Concurrent Sessions 8**

Session 1 Mini-Symposia: **Gender Dysphoria in Adolescents: New Empirical Research and the Ethics of Puberty-Suppressing Treatments.** Organizers and Chairs: Kenneth J. Zucker, PhD, Annelou LC de Vries, MD, PhD. *Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A*

Controversies surrounding puberty suppression in adolescents with gender identity disorder: moving forward the ethical debate. Licke J.J.J. Vrouenraets, MSc.

Demographics and Behavior Problems in Adolescents with Gender Dysphoria: A Cross-National, Cross-Clinic Comparative Analysis. Thomas Steensma, PhD.

Prevalence and Correlates of Suicidality in Clinic-Referred Adolescents with Gender Dysphoria: A Cross-National, Cross-Clinic Comparative Analysis. Kenneth J Zucker, PhD.

Autistic Symptoms in Adolescents with Gender Dysphoria. Annelou de Vries, MD, PhD.

Session 2 Mini-Symposia Sponsored by WHO/UNAIDS/UNDP/UN Women: **Trans-People in Asia and the Pacific: Affirming trans men's identities: culture, society, and health.** Organizer and Chair: Sam Winter, PhD. *Chaophraya Ballroom, Room D*

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **Beyond the Consulting Room: Implications for a Socially Conscious Psychology.** Organizers, Chairs, and Speakers: Marie Keller, PhD, Theodore R Burnes, PhD, MEd. **Thonburi Room**

Session 4 Abstract Presentations: **Cross Cultural Gender Identity Development and Theory.** Moderators: Aaron Devor, PhD, JoAnne Keatley, MSW, Jaimie Veale, PhD. **Charoennakorn Room**

Gender Variance: A Cross Cultural Comparison. Eli Coleman, PhD, LP, Mariette Pathy Allen, MFA.

Well-Being of Aboriginal gender-diverse people in Ontario, Canada: Results from the Trans PULSE Project. Ayden I. Scheim, Randy Jackson, Elizabeth James, T. Sharp Dopler, Jake Pyne, MSW, Greta Bauer, PhD.

Intersectionality and Access to Health Care: Narratives of Trans People Of Color. Tonia Poteat, MD, Danielle German, PhD, MPH, Deanna Kerrigan, PhD, MPH.

Borderline Personality Psychopathology Amongst Australian Transsexuals – A Descriptive Study. Jaco Erasmus.

Exploring Shifting Narratives Through Language and Experience of Transgender Adolescents and Adults in the United States. Katie Spencer, PhD, Dianne Berg, PhD.

Gender Identity, Sexual Orientation and the Prenatal Androgen Theory: Re-evaluating definitions, cognitive tests and somatic markers. Rachel Levin, PhD, Kristin Raphel, Jennifer Franks, Alexis Takahashi, Zachary Schudson.

East is East and West is West but the transgender experiences are the same...Or are they really? Cross cultural perspectives between India and the U.S. Kalra Gurvinder, MD, DPM.

Translating “Trans*”: HIV Transmission Risk among Transgender Women in Lebanon. Rachel L Kaplan, PhD, MPH, Glenn J Wagner, PhD, Simon Nehme, Mokhbat Jacques, MD.

Session 5 Mini-Symposia: **Preventative Screening and Health Maintenance for Transgender Patients: A Rational and Evidence-Based Approach.** Organizer and Chair: Madeline B. Deutsch, MD. **Garden Room**

Overview of primary and preventative care presentations. Madeline B. Deutsch, MD.

Cardiovascular and bone considerations in patients on cross-sex hormone therapy. Anita Radix, MD.

Cancer Screening in Transgender Patients. Linda Wesp, NP.

Primary and secondary considerations as well as morbidity and mortality in the setting of cross-sex hormone therapy. Madeline B. Deutsch, MD.

3:30 PM – 4:00 PM **Break**

Chaophraya Ballroom

4:00 PM – 4:45 PM **Presidential Awards Presentation and Transfer of Power**

4:45 PM – 5:00 PM **Announcement of Amsterdam Meeting.** Mick van Trotsenberg, MD.

5:00 PM – 5:45 PM WPATH Business Meeting, Bean Robinson, PhD, WPATH Executive Director.
(Open to WPATH Members only)

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM **Film Festival.** Moderator: Colt Meier, PhD ***Charoennakorn Room***

5:30 PM – 7:00 PM **Child and Adolescent Committee Meeting** ***Thonburi Room***

5:30 PM – 7:00 PM **Archives Committee Meeting** ***Lotus Board Room***

7:30 PM **Presidential Dinner** (Board of Directors, Local Organizing Committee and WPATH Staff)

Tuesday, February 18, 2014

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM **Concurrent Sessions 9**

Session 1 Abstract Presentations: **Pediatrics and Adolescent Health.** Moderator: Annelou de Vries, MD, PhD. ***Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A***

A Comparison of Gender Non-Conforming Children and Adolescents in Two Major Metropolitan Cities in the United States. Antonia Caretto, PhD, PLLC.

Demographic Characteristics of Gender Dysphoric Children and Adolescents Referred to the Gender Identity Clinic in Hamburg. Inga Becker, MSc, Voltisa Gjergji-Lama, MD, Georg Romer, MD, Birgit Möller, PhD.

Experiences of GnRH analogue treatment in gender dysphoric children – Results of an international interview study with experts. Birgit Möller, PhD, Timo Nieder, PhD, Inga Becker, MSc, Herbert Schreier, MD.

Demographics of Gender Nonconforming Children in a non-clinical based sample in the United States. Colt Meier, PhD, Seth Pardo, PhD, Johanna Olson, MD, Carla Sharp, PhD.

Working with transgender/transsexual teens: A comparison of 6 cases. Elizabeth Riley, PhD.

Difficult Treatment Decisions for Non-Binary-Identified Youth. Lisa Griffin, PhD.

Introducing the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry's Practice Parameter for Gender Variant and Sexual Minority Youth. Stewart Adelson, MD.

Bottom Surgery Before Majority Age: A Quality Study Of Four Transyouth and Families Addressing the Risks and Benefits on this Issue. Wallace Wong, PsyD, Sandra Chang.

Session 2 Mini-Symposia: **Transgender Embodiment: The Role of Affective and Intersubjective Regulation in the Construction of the Psychesoma.** Organizers and Chairs: SJ Langer, LCSW-R, Jack Pula, MD, Avgi Saketopoulou, PsyD. ***Thonburi Room***

Trans Bodies and the Failure of Mirrors. SJ Langer, LCSW-R.

Developmental fiascos: how unmentalized gender trauma presses on mental health and sexual functioning. Avgi Saketopoulou, PsyD.

Freed and Bound- Working With and Through Physical Limitations and Strivings in a Transitioning, Aging Body. Jack Pula, MD.

Session 3 Mini-Symposia: **Gender Identity Variants and Psychiatry: From DSM-IV-TR to DSM-5 and Beyond.** Organizer and Chair: Kenneth J Zucker, PhD. ***Garden Room***

Gender Dysphoria and DSM-5. Kenneth J Zucker, PhD.

Transgender Categorization: Attempts to Square the Circle. Heino FL Meyer-Bahlburg. Dr. rer. nat.

The Impact of Changing “Gender Identity Disorder” into “Gender Dysphoria”: A Japanese Perspective. Yosuke Matsumoto, MD, Shoko Sasaki, PhD.

Transsexual/Transgender Identities, Gender Dysphoria, and Access to Care: WPATH’s evolving consensus for DSM-5.1. Walter Bockting, PhD.

Session 4 (3:30 AM) Abstract Presentations: **Speech and Voice Therapy.** Moderator: Richard Adler, PhD. **Charoennakorn Room**

(Un)covering: Trans men’s use of the pitch range to express gender and sexuality. Viktoria Papp, PhD, MSc, MA, Bethany Townsend.

Voice and speech goals of trans men as a function of their gender identity and sexual orientation. Viktoria Papp, PhD, MSc, MA.

Group Voice and Communication Intervention: The First Five Years. Jack Pickering, PhD, CCC-SLP, Daniel Kayajian, MS, CCC-SLP.

Voice assessment and intervention for transsexual male-to-female clients in Sweden. Maria Södersten, PhD, SLP, Ulrika Nygren, SLP, Stellan Hertegård, MD, PhD, Eva B Holmberg, PhD.

Effects on voice in female-to-male transsexual clients during hormonal treatment. Ulrika Nygren, SLP, Eva B Holmberg, PhD, Linnéa Eklund, SW, Heidi Arppe, SLP, Maria Södersten, PhD, SLP.

More diverse and complex than commonly assumed: Results from a critical review of the literature on the vocal situations of transmasculine people. David Azul, PhD.

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM **Incoming WPATH Board Meeting, Lotus Board Room**

10:30 AM – 11:00 AM **Break**

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM **Concurrent Sessions 10**

Session 1 Mini-Symposia: **Mental Health Gender Affirmative Practices with Pre-Pubertal Children and their Families.** Organizer and Chair: Diane Ehrensaft, PhD. Moderator: Sam Winter, PhD. **Chaophraya Ballroom, Room A**

Is a psychiatric diagnosis for gender nonconforming pre-pubescent children helpful? Simon Pickstone-Taylor, MD.

Between Pink & Blue: A Multi-Dimensional Approach to Gender Nonconforming/ Transgender Children and their Families. Jean Malpas, LMHC, LMFT.

Apples, Oranges, and Fruit Salad: Assessing and Supporting Children in all their Manifestations of Gender Diversity. Diane Ehrensaft, PhD.

Session 2 Mini-Symposia: **Controversies in Gender-Related Clinical Care for Persons with Somatic Disorders of Sex Development (DSD).** Organizer and Chair: Heino FL Meyer-Bahlburg, Dr. rer. nat. **Charoennakorn Room**

Gender assignment to female of 46,XY individuals with a DSD (B penile agenesis) or traumatic loss of the penis in infancy. Timo O. Nieder, PhD.

Gender assignment to male of 46, newborns with a DSD (CAH with severe genital masculinization). Saroj Nimkarn, MD.

Is gender-confirming genital surgery just “cosmetic”? The neglected impact of DSD stigma. Heino F. L. Meyer-Bahlburg, Dr. rer. nat.

DSD care and outcomes: An agenda beyond gender. David E. Sandberg, PhD.

Session 3 Abstract Presentations: **Family and Relationships/Community Organizations.** Moderator: Randi Ettner, PhD. **Garden Room**

Launching a gender variant child: what difference can the new standards of care make? Fiona Smith, RPN, RN, MN, PhD(c), Peggy Cryden, MA, Catherine Hyde.

Trans sexuality: A qualitative inquiry into the sexuality of trans people using Lego. Christina Richards.

Trans sexuality: A qualitative inquiry into the sexuality of trans people using phone sex lines. Christina Richards.

Transitioning From the Perspectives of the SOFFA. Denise Maynard.

Creating a Gender-Neutral Environment For Young Children. Denise Maynard.

Regulating the Boundaries of Motherhood: A Case Study of Trans Women’s Exclusion from Claims to Motherhood. Jake Pyne, MSW.

Introduction of Patiëntenorganisatie Transvisie. Marcel Herwegh, Carl Buijs.

12:30 PM – 2:00 PM Farewell Lunch for Dr. Preecha Tiewtranon & Conclusion of Symposium

2:00 PM – 3:30 PM ENIGI: External Partners Meeting **Thonburi Room**

3:30 PM – 5:00 PM ENIGI: Steering Committee Meeting **Thonburi Room**



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