Greetings from the KSN 2019 Secretariat!

It is great pleasure to inform you that the 39th Annual Meeting of Korean Society of Nephrology (KSN 2019) will be held on **May 23 (Thu) – 26 (Sun), 2019** at Seoul Dragon City, Seoul, Korea.

One of the major missions of KSN is to add depth to the international exchanges that take place at KSN meetings and to provide various educational opportunities for the society members. Since its foundation in 1980, KSN has organized national scientific meetings and expanded it as an international meeting in 2016, making KSN 2019 its 4th international meeting.

In 2018, almost 1,600 delegates attended the KSN 2018, and 39 overseas experts from 22 countries were invited to give engaging lecture and provocative discussion. Under the theme of "**Peaceful Kidneys, Save Lives,**" KSN 2019 is preparing an international congress with sessions on hot topics such as the **Artificial Intelligence in Medical Field** and the most recent updates in various fields of nephrology. Joint symposia with related societies will be actively held including the **KSN-APSN Joint CME course,** KSN-KDIGO joint symposium, and KSN-TSN-JSDT joint symposium. We firmly believe that KSN 2019 will be a more flourished international meeting in both quality and quantity.

In this regard, we would like to ask your support to promote the KSN 2019 so that many nephrologists from your society could participate in the congress and submit abstracts.

It will be greatly appreciated if you could help us to promote the KSN 2019 through:

1. **Posting congress information on a bulletin board of your society website**
   
   [Congress Information]
   
   Title: 39th Annual Meeting of Korean Society of Nephrology (KSN 2019)
   
   Date: May 23 (Thu) – 26 (Sun), 2019
   
   Place: Seoul Dragon City, Seoul, Korea
   

   **Abstract Submission Deadline:** March 3 (Sun), 2019
   
   **Acceptance Notice:** March 19 (Tue), 2019
   
   **Pre-registration Deadline:** April 30 (Tue), 2019

2. **Posting APSN-KSN Joint CME Course information**

   Joint symposia with APSN will be held in May 24 (Fri), 2019. Please see attached brochure including APSN-KSN Joint CME course and post our brochure on your website. The course details are as below:

   [APSN-KSN Joint CME Course]
   
   **Date & Time:** May 24 (Fri), 14:00-16:00
   
   **Venue:** Room 3 (Baekdu A), 5F, Seoul Dragon City

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<td>TBA, Sang Kyung Jo</td>
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<td>Peritoneal dialysis in diabetics</td>
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15:00-15:30  
**Current concepts of CKD-MBD**  
*Kuo-Cheng Lu (Taiwan)*

15:30-16:00  
**Management of renal complications encountered in cancer care**  
*Jae Wook Lee (Korea)*

### APSN-KSN Joint CME Course 2

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<td><em>Adrian Liew (Singapore)</em></td>
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<td>Recent advances in the prevention of hypotension during hemodialysis</td>
<td><em>Sun woo Kang (Korea)</em></td>
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<td>A novel therapeutic strategy of ADPKD</td>
<td><em>Yoshitaka Isaka (Japan)</em></td>
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3. **Distribution of E-newsletter**

We hope that our newsletter can reach as many members of your society as possible. Please let us know the best way to provide information on KSN 2019 to the members of your society.

**Link:** [http://www.ksnmeeting.kr/newsletter/ksn2019_02e.html](http://www.ksnmeeting.kr/newsletter/ksn2019_02e.html)

4. **Putting up KSN 2019 banner on your society website**

If this is available, please reply to this email with the applicable banner size.

We deeply appreciate your cooperation in advance.

Sincerely yours,

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*Congress President, Korean Society of Nephrology*