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PERSONNEL

Appointment and reappointment of leadership positions at the University of Medicine and Pharmacy at Ho Chi Minh City (UMP)

On May 22, 2024, at the University Medical Center of HCMC, the announcement ceremony for the appointment decisions by the Rector of UMP HCMC was held, appointing Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Minh Anh and Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Hoang Dinh as Deputy Medical Directors.



Associate Professor Nguyễn Minh Anh and Associate Professor Nguyễn Hoàng Định received the appointment decision as Deputy Directors in charge of professional affairs at the University Medical Center





PERSONNEL

Bổ nhiệm, bổ nhiệm lại chức danh lãnh đạo khoa, bộ môn

❁ On May 23, 2024, during a meeting of the Faculty of Medicine, the Board of Deans awarded the appointment decision for Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Nhu Vinh to Chair the Family Doctor Training Center.



Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Nhu Vinh received the decision.



Congratulations



ASSESSMENT

Review of graduation exam questions for the academic year 2023-2024

From May 16 to June 7, the sub-committees continued to evaluate the quality of the graduation exam questions for the year-based and credit-based training programs. ✨



Subcommittee approves Surgery 1 exam questions
(Orthopedics - Rehabilitation, Neurosurgery).



Subcommittee reviews Internal Medicine 3 exam questions
(Hematology, Dermatology, Emergency Medicine – Critical Care).



CONTINUOUS TRAINING



Sunday, May 26, 2024

MULTIDISCIPLINARY MEDICAL SCIENCE CONFERENCE

Topic No. 25

NUTRITION IN SEVERE ILLNESS



Dr. Nguyen Thu Tinh

Pediatric Lecturer at Faculty of Medicine, UMP

Assoc. Prof. Phung Nguyen The Nguyen

Head of Pediatrics Department at Faculty of Medicine, UMP

Assoc. Prof. Bui Quang Vinh

Senior Lecturer in Pediatrics, Pediatrics Department, Faculty of Medicine, UMP

Dr. Nguyen Dieu Vinh

Deputy Head of General Internal Medicine, Children's Hospital number 2



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Youtube:
Y hoc lien nganh CME





QUALITY ASSURANCE IN MEDICAL EDUCATION



Internal accreditation of the self-assessment reports of four Master's programs in Internal Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics, and Pediatrics

On May 15 and 22, 2024, the Accreditation Committee of UMP conducted an internal accreditation of the self-assessment reports of four Master's programs in Internal Medicine, Surgery, Obstetrics, and Pediatrics. During the accreditation, committee members provided feedback and guidance for adjustments to each standard in the self-assessment reports. These four Master's programs will undergo AUN-QA accreditation in the fourth quarter of 2024.



Accreditation Committee for the Master of Obstetrics and Gynecology and General Surgery training program.



Accreditation Committee for the Master Program in General Internal Medicine and Pediatrics.



QUALITY ASSURANCE IN MEDICAL EDUCATION

Training on adjusting Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs) and measuring program outcomes



On May 24, 2024, the Faculty of Medicine organized a training session for departmental lecturers on adjusting CLOs and measuring program outcomes, guided by Assoc. Prof. Le Quang Minh. Participating in the training were lecturers in charge of the Master's training program, the Education Quality Assurance Unit of the Faculty of Medicine with the guidance of Associate Professor Le Quang Minh.



Associate Professor Le Quang Minh and lecturers participated in the training.



QUALITY ASSURANCE IN MEDICAL EDUCATION



Accreditation by the Society for Simulation in Healthcare (SSH) for research standards at the Advanced Training in Clinical Simulation Center

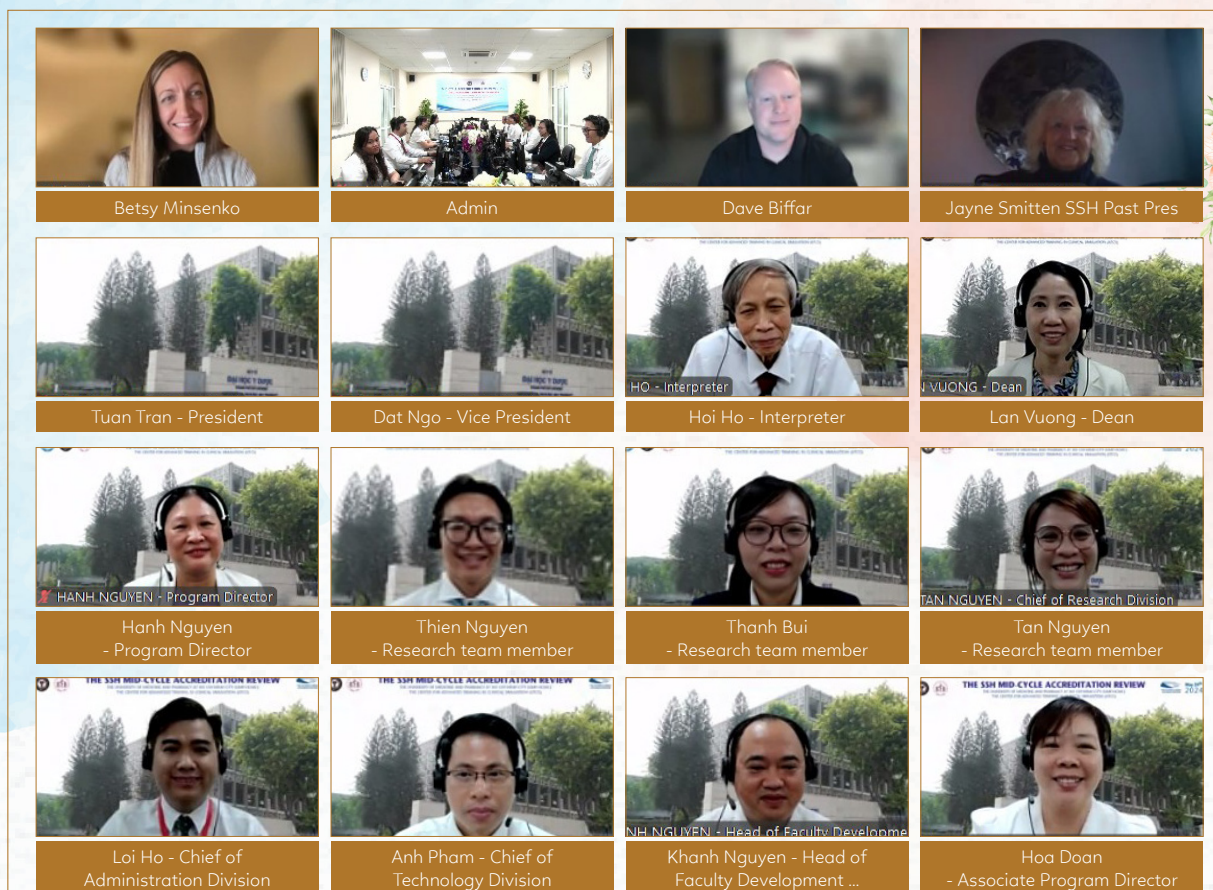


🌸 On May 24, 2024, the Advanced Training in Clinical Simulation Center (ATCS) participated in an official online accreditation interview with the SSH on Research Standards in clinical simulation, involving school leaders, the Deans of Faculty of Medicine, ATCS staff, and Professor Ho Hoi from the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center at El Paso.



Professor. Ho Hoi, the Deans of Faculty of Medicine, ATCS staff after completing the accreditation interview.

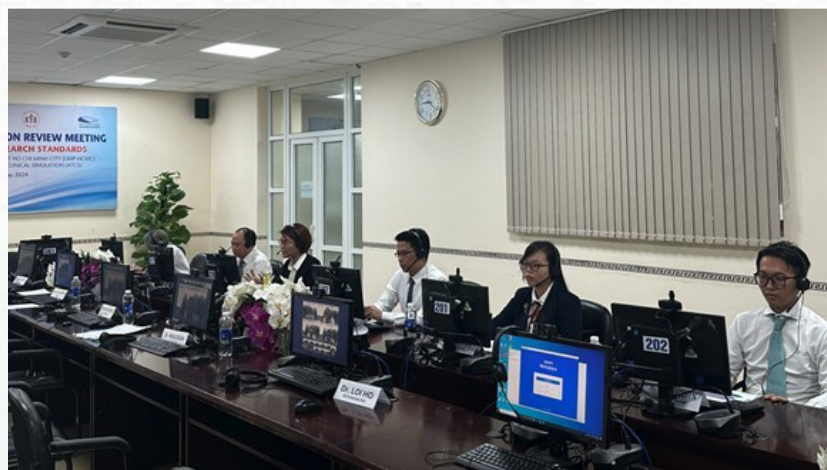




Overview of the online accreditation interview session via the online platform.



Interview session 1: University leaders, Board of Deans of the Faculty of Medicine, leaders of ATCS center.



Interview session 2: Clinical Simulation Research Team of ATCS Center.



QUALITY ASSURANCE IN MEDICAL EDUCATION



Clinical practice supervision

From May 16 to 30, 2024, the Faculty of Medicine conducted clinical practice supervision at five teaching hospitals: Gia Dinh People's Hospital, Cho Ray Hospital, Binh Dan Hospital, Nguyen Tri Phuong Hospital, and Psychiatry Hospital.

The objectives included (1) Evaluate the content and teaching methods of clinical practice according to the course curriculum and implemented plan, 2) Assess the clinical teaching participation of full-time and visiting lecturers; (3) Assess students' learning participation and (4) Assess facilities supporting teaching.



Supervise clinical practice at Gia Dinh People's Hospital.



Supervise clinical practice at Cho Ray Hospital.



Supervise clinical practice at Binh Dan Hospital.



Supervise clinical practice at the Psychiatry Hospital.



Supervise clinical practice at Nguyen Tri Phuong Hospital.





YOUTH UNION OF THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Meeting of the HCM Communist Youth Union, Faculty of Medicine– UMP HCMC

On May 18, the Faculty of medicine's Youth Union held the meeting for the term 2024-2027. The event elected 15 outstanding individuals to the new Executive Committee, including:

- 🕒 Secretary: Mr Ho Ngoc Loi.
- 🕒 Deputy Secretaries: Ms Le Mai Thuy Linh, Mr Tran Quang Huy.
- 🕒 Standing Committee Members: Mr Dau Nguyen Cuong, Mr Dang Le Minh Khang.
- 🕒 Executive Committee Members: Ms Truong Nguyen Thuy Quynh, Ms Nguyen Tran Hieu My, Mr Vu Hoang An, Mr Thach Huynh Nhat Thanh, Mr Le Dinh Khoi Nguyen, Mr Kieu Quoc Huy, Ms Pham Quynh Anh, Mr Pham Xuan The, Ms Thach Dang Minh Uyen, Mr Nguyen Duy Hau.

We hope that the new Executive Committee of the Faculty of Medicine will inherit and promote the strength of the previous term to bring more victories.



The Executive Committee of the Faculty of Medicine's Youth Union for the term 2024 - 2027 greeted the meeting participants



Commending the Executive Committee of the Communist Youth Union of the previous term.

YOUTH UNION OF THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Warrior Squad Program 2024

On June 2-3, Faculty of Medicine's students participated in the "Warrior Squad 2024" program, organizing games and gratitude activities for 100 pediatric patients at the Children's Hospital, gifting 50 packages to disadvantaged children, and visiting and giving 130 packages to homeless people in the city. Through the program, the youth of the University of Medicine and Pharmacy in general and the youth of the Faculty of Medicine in particular hope to help pediatric patients and homeless people in the city have a happy International Children's Day.



Give gifts to the homeless.



Organize the celebration of International Children's Day for pediatric patients.



Volunteer Students of the UMP take souvenir photos.

YOUTH UNION OF THE FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Humanitarian Blood Donation Program 2024

On June 12, Faculty of Medicine's students participated in the 2024 Humanitarian Blood Donation Program, organized by The Communist Youth Union of UMP coordinated with the Red Cross Association of District 8. The program has received 60 units of blood to help hospitals. This is a noble gesture, bringing hope to patients. Through the program, the Organizing Committee hopes to enhance the spirit of solidarity and individuality for the community of students at UMP.



Students participated in blood donation activity.



UNION

International Children's Day June 1



On May 30 and May 31, children of officials and employees of the Faculty of Medicine excitedly participated in activities organized to celebrate International Children's Day June 1 organized by the Union of UMP.

Through activities: Chess competition, Rubik's spin, drawing, coloring pictures, a series of folk games such as mandarin box, throwing balls into baskets, throwing hoops around duck necks, making art balloons, taking pictures with Mascot cartoon characters, fun and attractive circus performances... children of officials and workers have the opportunity to meet, interact, bond and relax after months of hard study.

The organized activities were parts of the supporting scheme from the Party Committee, Board of Deans, and the Union for children of officials and workers throughout the university. As a result, it creates motivation for officials and workers to feel secure in their work, increase their dedication and solidarity for the university.



Children and parents participate in games at the Great Lecture Hall.





Children participated in folk games and took pictures with Mascot.



Color the drawing.



Chess competition.



Children who participated in drawing pictures received prizes.



INTERNATIONAL RELATION



Meeting with Nuvance Health Hospital System

On May 22, 2024, the Deans of Faculty of Medicine met with Dr. Bulat A. Ziganshin, Director of the Global Health Program at Nuvance Health (USA). During the meeting, the two sides discussed the student exchange program and opportunities for faculty from the Faculty of Medicine to participate in professional training courses in the Nuvance Health hospital system. Accordingly, each year, the Global Health Program will receive 3-4 students to intern for 2 weeks and 2 faculty members from the Faculty of Medicine to participate in professional training for 1-2 months at the Nuvance Health hospital system. At the same time, the Faculty of Medicine will also accept students from the Global Health program for short-term internships every year.

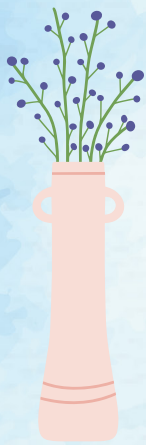


The two sides discussed the student exchange program and lecturer training.



Representatives of Nuvance Health took souvenir photos with the Board of Deans and the International Relations Team - Faculty of Medicine.





INTERNATIONAL RELATION

Japan's International University of Health and Welfare (IUHW) meets with the top 20 ranked students who wish to apply for IUHW scholarships

On the afternoon of May 23, Professor. Kasai Takeshi, Executive Supervisor of the International University of Health and Social Welfare Japan (IUHW) met with the top 20 students of the Faculty of Medicine who wish to apply for IUHW scholarships. During the meeting, Prof. Kasai Takeshi gave an overview of IUHW along with its training program and student benefits when studying here.



Prof. Kasai Takeshi, Executive Supervisor of the International University of Health and Social Welfare (IUHW) introduced the university to students of the Faculty of Medicine.





INTERNATIONAL RELATION

The 14th ASEAN MEDICAL DEANS' SUMMIT

From June 12-14, 2024, the 14th ASEAN MEDICAL DEANS' SUMMIT took place at the School of Medicine of the University of the Philippines Manila with the theme "Innovating Medical Education for future generation". The conference was attended by Deans of Medical Faculty, delegates and students from 24 ASEAN medical schools. The delegation of UMP consisted of Associate Professor. Vuong Thi Ngoc Lan - Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, Dr. Nguyen Hoai Phong - Head of the Faculty of Medicine Office, Dr. Nguyen Ngoc Tu - Secretary of the Youth Union, Dr. Nguyen Minh Ky - International Relation Unit of Faculty of Medicine and 3 students Pham Doan Gia Khang, Ngo Huynh Quoc Tuan and Thach Dang Minh Uyen.

The delegation of UMP had active activities at the conference. Associate Professor. Vuong Thi Ngoc Lan gave a presentation in the plenary session, Dr Nguyen Ngoc Tu participated in coordinating small group discussions and the students had cultural exchange activities with students from other countries from medical schools in ASEAN. They also participated in two reports at the conference on "Activities to support students' "Students as Teachers" skills" and "Volunteer activities associated with the expertise of students of the Faculty of Medicine". The trip left interesting experiences, learning and exchange opportunities for students of the Faculty of Medicine.



The Deans of the Faculty of Medicine took souvenir photos.





Delegates attending the conference.



Students of the Faculty of Medicine participate in a discussion in the lecture hall of the School of Medicine of the University of the Philippines Manila.



Visit the School of Medicine, University of the Philippines Manila.



INTERNATIONAL RELATION

Students of Hensei Medical College, Japan participating in a surgery course at the Department of Anatomy, Faculty of Medicine, UMP

From June 7-11, students of Hensei Medical College, Japan participated in a dissection course at the Department of Anatomy of the department. At the end of the course, students attended the closing session and received a certificate of course completion from the department.



Students of Hensei Medical College, Japan were granted certificates of completion of the course in the Anatomy department.



PROJECT

MEF Project: Workshop

"Adjusting and continuously improving the quality of the training program in 2024"

Within the framework of the Medical Education for the Future (MEF) Project, on May 31 and June 1, UMP coordinated with Yonsei University (Korea) to organize a Workshop on "Adjusting and continuously improving the quality of training programs in 2024". The conference attracted the participation of leaders and lecturers from 14 universities of Medicine and Pharmacy nationwide and Yonsei University.

At the conference, delegates shared experiences in building, adjusting and evaluating training program results to improve the quality and ensure sustainability of medical education innovation, and learn about the challenges and discuss solutions to address challenges in medical education in Vietnam. At the same time, during the conference, delegates from medical schools across the country also had the opportunity to learn about Korea's medical education quality accreditation standards through the KIMEE organization, which has been recognized by the World Federation of Medical Education.



Principals, Deans of the Faculty of Medicine and delegates of Yonsei University - Korea took souvenir photos.



PROJECT

Project of Strengthening Cooperation in Medical Education between the three countries Vietnam - Laos - Cambodia

Within the framework of the Project on Strengthening Cooperation in Medical Education between the three countries Vietnam - Laos - Cambodia sponsored by China Medical Board, experts from Harvard Medical School, Faculty of Medicine - UMP collaborated with University of Health Sciences of Laos (UHS, Laos) organized a seminar on "Evaluating training programs based on competency standards" from June 5 to June 7, 2024.



Delegates attending the conference.



ANNOUNCEMENT – SCHOLARSHIP

Announcement of Odon Vallet Scholarship 2024 for students and graduate students

Content - Time

Biological sciences, healthcare, laboratory work, data analysis and medical related fields.

Time: 5 months (from September 2024 to January 2025).

Recipient

People who have not received any financial support from Taiwan's government, agencies or educational institutions and have no experience studying in Taiwan.

Scholarship value and deadline

Support for: Airtickets, Mandarin Chinese classes, Cultural tours, TMU courses.

Application deadline: July 10, 2024.



ANNOUNCEMENT – SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH



Professional exchange program "Qualitative Research in Medical Education and Scientific Research Publication"

With the purpose of improving the quality of teaching in the health sector, UMP and Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore jointly organize a professional research exchange program in healthcare education with the topic Qualitative Research in Medical Education and Scientific Research Publication.

Time: June 19 – June 20, 2024 (Starting from 9 am or 2 pm).

Location: Lecture Hall 3C, 3rd Floor, 15-storey Building, City University of Medicine and Pharmacy. HCM, 217, Hong Bang, Ward 11, District 5, City. HCM

English language.

Trainers:



Associate Professor. Jeanette Ignacio: First year program director, Nursing Program, Alice Lee Center for Nursing Studies, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, NUS.



Dr. Lee Shuh Shing: Lecturer in medical education – Center for medical education, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore.



Dr. Yeo Han Ting Jillian (PharmD): Lecturer in medical education – Center for medical education, Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine, National University of Singapore.

Attendees: Lecturers from health training institutions nationwide.

Number of trainees: 100 lecturers attending offline at UMP.



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Attendees conduct 2 pre-conference survey questions (in English) to help the presenter determine the goals of the seminar and prepare appropriate content for the program.



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ANNOUNCEMENT – SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH



Summer Research Program 2024 – University of Tsukuba

The 2024 Summer Research Program consists of two parts: **SRP Online** and **SRP Plus**.

SRP online

- ⚙ Estimated time: **from July 5 - July 19, 2024 (online)**.
- ⚙ 10 students (priority is given to students who wish to register for a Master's degree, PhD... for SRP Plus).
- ⚙ Target audience: Applicants are undergraduate students (except first-year students) or postgraduate students majoring in life sciences or related fields with a GPA of 3.0 or higher (on a 4.0 scale).

SRP Plus

- 🌸 Students planning to apply to one of Tsukuba's graduate programs in the coming year (Master's or PhD in Medical Sciences, Human Biology, or Anthropology, entering Spring/Fall 2025) are encouraged to apply for SRP Plus.
- 🌸 Students selected to participate in SRP Online will be invited to Tsukuba to **conduct a short-term research project in the laboratory from October 7 - 25, 2024**.
- 🌸 Students need to provide English test scores and a copy of official transcript before June 30, 2024.

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to participate
before June 30, 2024





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