



**THE PROFESSOR DONAL O'DONOGHUE, GLOBAL KIDNEY POLICY FORUM:  
BUILDING HEALTHIER SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES TO SAFEGUARD KIDNEY HEALTH**

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*The International Society of Nephrology's (ISN) Professor Donal O'Donoghue, Global Kidney Policy Forum (GKPF) aims to bring together high-level decision-makers and stakeholders to address the burden of kidney disease in a particular country or region, and share strategies for the prevention and improved management of the disease at both the regional and global level.*

*During the first GKPF, which took place in April 2017, stakeholders interested in addressing the growing burden of kidney disease gathered to describe, discuss and develop a set of 12 Recommendations to Global Kidney Health to guide future efforts to reduce the burden of kidney disease worldwide. Successive Global Kidney Policy Fora are committed to the continued adherence to, and advancement of, the 12 Recommendations.*

*The Professor Donal O'Donoghue, Global Kidney Policy Forum: Building Healthier Sustainable Communities to Safeguard Kidney Health will be the fourth in this ongoing series of ISN Policy Forums. The unique format will bring an international focus to the key kidney health challenges and opportunities affecting the South East Asia region.*

*The Forum's overarching objective is to enable policy makers, patients, clinicians and administrators/funders to better understand the opportunities to improve kidney health within their region(s), and propose concrete solutions that will help deliver such goals.*

**PROGRAM**

**15:00 – 16:20** **SETTING THE SCENE: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR KIDNEY HEALTH GLOBALLY AND IN THE REGION: LESSONS FROM 12 RECOMMENDATIONS TO GLOBAL KIDNEY HEALTH**

**Professor Agnes Fogo**, (International Society of Nephrology), Welcome and Opening Remarks

**Dr Ong Loke Meng**, (Ministry of Health Malaysia), Malaysia's Approach in Building and Safeguarding Better & Sustainable Kidney Health

**Chair: Professor Robyn Langham (Royal Children's Hospital)**

- **Professor Aminu Bello** (University of Alberta), Burden of Kidney Care in the Region: learnings from ISN Global Kidney Health Atlas

- **Dr Slim Slama** (World Health Organization), Raising the profile of kidney health amongst national policy makers: A WHO perspective
- **Dr Valerie Luyckx** (University of Zurich), Challenges and Opportunities for Kidney Health in the Region: Learnings from the Conclusions of Mexico City, Melbourne and Montreal
- **Dr Amrish Krishnan** (Colonial War Memorial Hospital), Kidney Care: Challenges and Opportunities in Fiji: Quality, Sustainability and Equity of Access

**Q&A Chair: Professor Robyn Langham (Royal Children's Hospital)**

**16:20 – 16:40 [Break](#)**

**16:40 – 17:30 [KIDNEY CARE: CHALLENGES & OPPORTUNITIES SOUTH EAST ASIA: QUALITY, SUSTAINABILITY AND EQUITY OF ACCESS](#)**

**Chairs: Dr Sunita Bavanandan (Kuala Lumpur Hospital) & Professor Jorge Cerdá (Albany Medical College)**

- **Professor Dr Bak Leong Goh** (Hospital Serdang), Kidney Care: Challenges & Opportunities in Malaysia: Quality, Sustainability and Equity of Access
- **Dr Aida Lydia Sutrant** (Indonesian Society of Nephrology), Kidney Care: Challenges & Opportunities in Indonesia: Quality, Sustainability and Equity of Access
- **Dr Noot Sengthavisouk** (Mittaphab Hospital), Kidney Care: Challenges & Opportunities in Laos: Quality, Sustainability and Equity of Access

**Q&A Chairs: Dr Sunita Bavanandan & Professor Jorge Cerdá**

**17:30 – 17:50 [Break](#)**

**17:50 – 18:55 [KIDNEY CARE: NOVEL PROGRAMS AND INNOVATIONS & CLOSING REMARKS & NEXT STEPS: TURNING RECOMMENDATIONS INTO REALITY](#)**

**Chairs: Dr Muh Geot Wong (Royal North Shore Hospital) & Professor Robyn Langham (Royal Children's Hospital)**

- **Professor Kriang Tungsanga** (Chulalongkorn University), Innovation in Thai Renal Health Care
- **Dr Adrian Liew** (Mount Elizabeth Novena Hospital), Singapore's "War on Diabetes" and ESKD Strategic Plan and HALT- CKD Program
- **Mr Manvir Victor** (Patient Safety), Patient's Perspective on Kidney Care Innovation in Malaysia

**Q&A Chair: Professor Robyn Langham**

- **Professor Adeera Levin** (University of British Columbia), Where to from here?
- **Dr Muh Geot Wong** (Royal North Shore Hospital), Closing Remarks