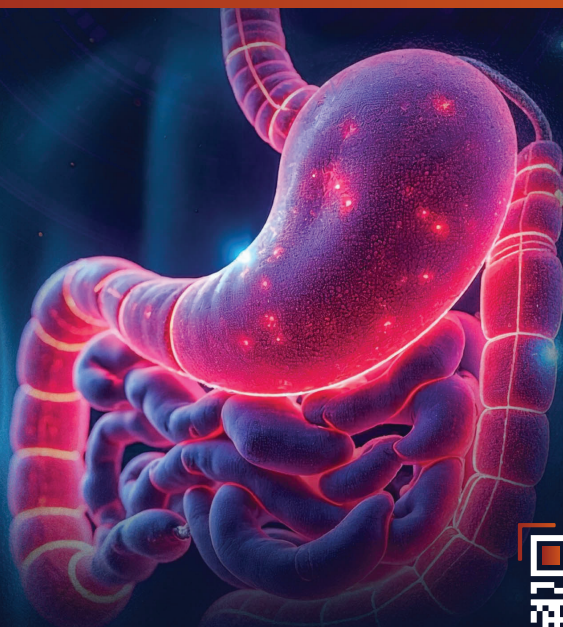


# ASIAN GASTRO SUMMIT (AGS-2025)

Addressing The Knowledge Gap

AIG & CUHK Joint Meeting



📅 11th & 12th October 2025  
(Saturday & Sunday)

📍 AIG Hospitals Auditorium  
Hyderabad



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# MESSAGE FROM TEAM AIG

Dear Colleagues,

AIG Hospitals in partnership with the Prince of Wales Hospital and the Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK), is hosting the Asian Gastro Summit (AGS) 2025 on 10th and 11th October 2025. This collaboration unites two of Asia's most eminent institutions and also strengthens our shared commitment to advancing the frontiers of gastroenterology through academic excellence, innovation, and collective progress.

Join us for this meeting as we will be exploring in depth the latest breakthroughs in EndoRobotics, Artificial Intelligence, Gutmicrobiome along with advanced endoscopic interventions.

With AGS 2025, we will be joined by the best of faculty from Prince of Wales Hospital and CUHK, Hong Kong and some of India's leading gastroenterologists, creating a forum where knowledge, innovation intersect and deliver scientific content that will help you change your practice.

We look forward to welcoming you to AIG Hospitals, Hyderabad, for what promises to be a truly landmark event.

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**DAY 1**

**11TH OCTOBER 2025 (SATURDAY)**

Time	Program	Speaker
14:00 – 14:10	Welcome Address and Program Overview	<b>Dr D Nageshwar Reddy</b>
14:10 – 14:50	MASLD: Unmet needs and Future perspectives  Panelists: Dr Anand Kulkarni, Dr Ajeet Singh Bhadoria, Dr Karan Kumar, Dr Akash Roy	<b>Dr Jimmy Lai</b>
14:55 – 15:35	From Resuscitation to Hemostasis: A stepwise approach to Upper GI bleed  Panelists: Dr Ajay Kumar, Dr Zaheer Nabi, Dr Sandip Pal, Dr Sawan Bopanna	<b>Prof James Lau</b>
15:40 – 16:20	Balloon enteroscopy: Where we stand today and Path Forward  Panelists: Dr Vikas Singla, Dr Aniruddha Pratap Singh, Dr Partha Pal, Dr Sanjay Chandnani	<b>Dr Raymond Tang</b>
16:20 – 16:40	Tea Break	
16:40 – 17:20	Beyond barriers: Mastering the art of Third Space Endoscopy  Panelists: Dr Mohan Ramchandani, Dr Amol Bapaye, Dr Shrihari Anikhandi, Dr Sukrit Sud	<b>Dr Hon-Chi Yip</b>
17:25 – 18:05	Positioning of Advanced Therapy in IBD: Asian Context  Panelists: Dr Rupa Banerjee, Dr Devendra Desai, Dr GN Ramesh	<b>Prof Siew C Ng (Virtual participation)</b>
18:10 – 18:50	<b>'DIALOGUE WITH VISIONARIES'</b>	<b>Dr D Nageshwar Reddy Prof James Lau</b>
19:30	Dinner	

## DAY 2

# 12TH OCTOBER 2025 (SUNDAY)

Time	Program	Speaker
09:00 – 09:40	What is New in Endoscopy? Endorobotics, Artificial Intelligence, and Metabolic Duodenopathy  Panelists: Dr GV Rao, Dr Rakesh Kalapala, Dr Sonmoon Mahapatra, Dr Sridhar Sundaram, Dr Gaurav Khatana	Prof Philip Chiu
09:45 – 10:25	The Invisible organ: Harnessing the Gut Microbes for Healing  Panelists: Dr Shantanu Chattopadhyay, Dr Usha Dutta, Dr Manas Panigrahi, Dr Anuraag Jena	Prof Francis Chan (Virtual participation)
10:30 – 11:10	From Imaging to Interventions: The expanding roles of EUS  Panelists: Dr Sundeep Lakhtakia, Dr Surinder Rana, Dr Rajesh Puri, Dr Praveer Rai	Prof Shannon Melissa Chan
11:10 – 11:30	Tea Break	
11:30 – 12:15	How to Publish in High Impact Journals	
11:30 - 11:45	From Idea to Protocol	Prof James Lau
11:45 - 12:00	From Data Collection to Manuscript	Prof Francis Chan (Virtual participation)
12:00 - 12:15	Final Steps of Publishing - Choosing the Right Journal	Prof Philip Chiu
12:15 - 12:45	Interaction with Panelists Dr D Nageshwar Reddy, Dr Manu Tandon, Dr Ajay Kumar	
12:45 – 13:00	Closing Remarks & Group Photo	
13:00	Lunch	