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The International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation (www.icpfweb.org) is a multi-disciplinary humanitarian foundation devoted to cleft lip and palate patients. It was established on October 23, 1997 at Kyoto, Japan, with more than twenty countries participating. The goals of the ICPF are to advance the care for cleft lip and palate patients, worldwide, besides building supportive care for children, adolescents and adults afflicted with cleft lip and palate treatment through volunteer activity, charity missions and fund raising, to hold a multi-disciplinary international congress in order to facilitate mutual understanding and establishing a network system of information exchange, regardless of fields and organization.

As a part of its commitment to the treatment of cleft lip and palate, ICPF has initiated an awareness campaign and formulation of recommendations for saving afflicted fetuses from termination by abortion. The long term activity of ICPF has proven to be successful. At the 8th World Cleft Congress of the ICPF, that was held at Hanoi Medical University, Hanoi, Vietnam, the ICPF put the slogan of "STOP ABORTION" as "The Hanoi Declaration" on 25th November 2013. Through this it is aimed to support the exchange of clinical and scientific knowledge for the benefit of patients and society.

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Glimpses of Cleft 2014, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

The 4th Workshop of ICPF was held on September 9-12, 2014 at Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia. The theme was "Excellence through Partnerships". The topics presented and discussed included advances in diagnosis and treatment of cleft lip and palate, Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, Reconstructive Surgery, Dental Implants, multi-disciplinary care, establishing international network for speech therapy, Telepractice and Telemedicine and The Hanoi Declaration. Numerous professionals involved in cleft care from various parts of the world participated in the workshop.



JCPF established Okinawa Branch at the University of the Ryukyus

Okinawa branch was established in 2014 at Cleft Lip and Palate Center at University of the Ryukyus Hospital. The opening ceremony was held at Okinawa Gender Equality Center on 16th March 2014. In the ceremony, Professor Emeritus Hajime Sunakawa and the former President of the University Teruo Iwamasa gave speeches. Also Prof. Akira Arasaki, President of the branch, expressed his gratitude for the center. After the ceremony, the lecture by JCPF Executive Director Nagato Natsume was held. The theme was "Treatment for Cleft Lip and Palate-its Present Conditions and Future Prospects-" More than 100 professionals attended this event. After the lecture free consultation for patients was held.



Prof. Arasaki



At the Lecture



Free Consultation

JCPF Ethiopia mission in February 2015



With Vietnamese Doctors



Surgery during voluntary mission



Consulting patients



Consulting patients

JCPF Vietnam mission in December 2014



Patient examination



Patient examination



Operation



In front of Nguyen Dinh Chieu Hospital

JCPF mission in Mongolia 2014



The team

Obituary

Tsuyoshi Kawai



Professor Emeritus Tsuyoshi Kawai, the senior advisor of JCPF who has been responsible for many years of JCPF activities since its foundation, died on 1st June 2014 at the age of 86. He spared no effort to improve cleft lip and palate treatment for patients and established Cleft Lip and Palate Center at Aichi Gakuin University Hospital as a Professor at Aichi-Gakuin University. He also successively held the post of President of Japanese Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons & the President of the Congress of International Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons (IAOMS) and played many other important roles in cleft lip and palate treatment.

SIGNING THE HANOI DECLARATION

I hereby declare that I have read and understood the Hanoi Declaration 2013 presented by the International Cleft Lip & Palate Foundation, approved by world specialists in cleft lip and palate. I unreservedly approve of all the points mentioned in the Hanoi Declaration 2013 and I pledge to act within the limits of my means to spread the ideology & make it widely known by people around me. I express my support to this noble endeavor to save children's precious lives.

First Name

Last Name

Affiliation

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Signature

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION - INTERNATIONAL CLEFT LIP & PALATE FOUNDATION

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Professional Organizations (Give names of other professional organizations of which you are a member in good standing, representing your area of expertise).

Interest in the treatment and / or Support of Cleft Lip and Palate and Handicapped Persons. Describe your professional activities in cleft lip and palate rehabilitation. Include information concerning the nature of your work, and your interests regarding this population and International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation.

ICPF Membership Application

ICPF always welcomes new members. ICPF enjoys global members of more than 2000 individuals and organizations. When you become a member, you will receive information on ICPF events and other up-to-date news. No membership fee is required. Join us now.

Please find application form overleaf.
Application form can also be downloaded at :
<http://www.icpfweb.org/appli/index.html>

you may mail the form to ICPF office,
or Email to office@icpfweb.org
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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

August 31 - September 4, 2015, Moscow, Russia
9th World Cleft Congress of ICPF (CLEFT 2015)
www.icpf2015moscow.org

September 22-25, 2015, Bangkok, Thailand
FDI Annual World Dental Congress
www.fdi2015bangkok.org

October 5-9, 2015, Limassol, Cyprus
29th World Congress of the International College for Maxillofacial Surgery (ICMFS)
www.icmfs2015.com

October 27-30, 2015, Melbourne, Australia
22nd International Conference on Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (ICOMS)
www.icoms2015.com

June 17-19, 2016, Hong Kong
38th Asia Pacific Dental Congress (APDC)
www.apdc2016.org

June 22-25, 2016, Seoul, Republic of Korea
94th General Session & Exhibition of the IADR
www.iadr.com

September 13-16, 2016, London, UK
23rd Congress of European Association for Cranio-Maxillo-Facial Surgery
www.2016.eacmfsccongress.org

October 18-23, 2016, Chennai, India
10th World Cleft Lip and Palate Congress of ICPF
www.cleft2016icpf.com

November 9-12, 2016, Manila, Philippines
12th Asian Congress on Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery
www.asianoms.org

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In Memoriam - David Stanley Precious (1944-2015)

ICPF mourns the passing of Prof. David S. Precious, DDS, MSc, FRCDC, FRCS, CM, Dean Emeritus and Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, Chair, ICPF. After his oral and maxillofacial surgery training he joined the Dalhousie University faculty in 1973 and became Chair of the Dept. of Oral and Maxillofacial Sciences in 1985. Under David's leadership, the OMS Dept. at Dalhousie grew into one of the world's greatest OMS units. An internationally-recognized leader in the field of oral and maxillofacial surgery, Dr. Precious was widely renowned for his humanitarian outreach missions. He and his team performed free corrective surgery on children with congenital cleft lip and palate – and trained local practitioners to be able to provide treatment themselves. For his distinguished service to his country and surgery, he was admitted into the Order of Canada, one of the highest civilian honors in the British Commonwealth.

INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS OF THE ICPF - SINCE 2000

Cleft 2000

1st World Congress of the International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation
Zurich, Switzerland, July 1-5, 2000
Organiser: Prof. Dr. Hermann F. Sailer



Cleft 2002

2nd World Congress of the International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation
Munich, Germany, September 15-19, 2002
Organiser: Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Hans-Henning Horsch



Cleft 2004

3rd Biennial World Congress of International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, June 2004
Organiser: Prof. Dr. David S. Precious



Cleft 2005

1st International Live Surgical Workshop of the ICPF
Chennai (Madras), India
December 3-6, 2005
Organiser: Prof. S.M. Balaji

Cleft 2006

4th International Biennial Conference of the International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation
Eastbourne, U.K, June 25-27, 2006
Organiser: Prof. Dr. Peter Ward Booth



Cleft 2007

2nd International Live Surgical Workshop of the ICPF
Beijing, China, November 25-29, 2007
Organiser: Prof. Lian Ma



Cleft 2008

5th Congress of the International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation
Dallas, Texas, USA, September 22-26, 2008
Organiser: Prof. Kenneth E. Salyer



Cleft 2010

6th Congress of the International Cleft Lip and Palate Foundation
Seoul, Korea, June 9-12, 2010
Organiser: Prof. Jong-Ryoul Kim

Cleft 2012

7th Biennial World Cleft Lip and Palate Congress
Mahe, Seychelles, Africa, May 7-11, 2012
Organiser: Prof. S.M. Balaji



Cleft 2013

8th World Cleft Lip and Palate Congress, ICPF
Hanoi, Socialist Republic of Vietnam
November 25-29, 2013
Organiser: Prof. Dr. Nguyen Duc Hinh



Cleft 2014

4th Workshop of the ICPF
Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
September 9-12, 2014
Organiser: Prof. Anrutsal Geridkhui



Cleft 2015

9th World Cleft Congress of ICPF,
Moscow, Russia
August 31 - September 04, 2015
Organiser: Prof. Adil Mamedov



HIGHLIGHTS

- Preconference Live Surgical Workshops / Video Presentations
(Subject to change according to availability of Patients)
- 60 Invited Lectures
- 60+ Keynote Lectures
- 2 Shark Sessions
- 300+ Oral Presentations
- 300+ Posters

Pre-conference : 18-20 Oct 2016
Main conference : 21-23 Oct 2016

SCHOLARSHIPS / TRAVEL AWARDS

- For Each categories
- Separate awards for UG & PG Students, Trainees & Cleft teams
- For more Awards visit www.cleft2016icpf.com

Venue:
Chennai Trade Centre, Chennai, India

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION
CLOSES ON 29 FEBRUARY 2016

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