

Course Title : Asian Urology Resident's Course 2017 in conjunction with the 15th UAA Congress 2017

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A) Background

I just have started urological training from this April and have been only a few months as a urologist. I still don't have enough clinical experience, but since I knew such an opportunity I hoped to join from early on.

B) Course Objectives

To learn about not only urological diseases but also what clinical setting and urological training are like in other countries of Asia, which result in understanding the situation of medical care in my own country objectively. To enjoy exchanges with a lot of urologists overseas.

C) Lessons Learnt

During the program, since almost all field of urology was covered in lectures, I was able to learn more about urological diseases which I already often experienced in my hospital, and I also could deepen my understanding about diseases which I could rarely have opportunities to see in my hospital. Also, as I was responsible for the resident presentation, it was good that I was able to deepen my knowledge more about the theme in charge.

D) Benefits

The program for three days was so meaningful to learn, but it was also very exciting for me that I could talk with a lot of urologists in Asian countries.

E) Recommendations

Actually I hadn't notice that nominees were "preferred to be at the final 2 years of their traineeship." It was definitely meaningful for me, but since the program was so contentable that some who have more clinical experiences as urologist might have been able to learn more by this program.

F) If you are asked to rate this course over 10, what is your rating? 8/10

Areas of Improvement (if applicable) _____

**(1-5 Could be Better (please indicate areas of improvement)
6 - 8 Good 9-10 Excellent)**

G) Networking

As we participants of this program made a Facebook group, I am very much looking forward to keeping in touch with them after the course.

H) Photographs with captions

