

Asian Stroke Summer School 2022

Asian Stroke Summer School 2022(ASSS 2022), a four-day teaching course which involved the acute interdisciplinary stroke treatment was conducted from 08th to 11thDecember at O by Tamara, Thiruvananthapuram. The previous editions of this training programme were conducted mostly in European nations and this is the first time the event held in India. ASSS 2022 was organised by Comprehensive Stroke Care Programme and the Department of Imaging Sciences and Intervention Radiology at the Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology (SCTIMST)in collaboration with the University of Bern, Switzerland. **Smt. Veena George**, Honourable Minister for Health and Family Welfare, Government of Kerala inaugurated, **Dr V.P. Joy**, Chief Secretary, Govt of Kerala was the Chief guest and **Dr. Sanjay Behari**, Director SCTIMST delivered the presidential address in the inaugural ceremony.

Dr P N Sylaja, Professor and Head of Neurology,In-Charge, Comprehensive Stroke Care Program, SCTIMST, **Dr E R Jayadevan**, Additional Professor, Department of Imaging Sciences &Interventional Radiology (ISIR), **Dr Urs Fischer**, Professor of Neurology, Chairman, Department of Neurology, University Hospital Basel, Switzerland and **Dr Jan Gralla**, Professor and Head of Neuroradiology, Neurocenter, Inselspital,Bern, Switzerland were the course directors of ASSS 2022.

The 12 international faculties and 35 national faculties were involved in delivering hands-on training for neuro interventionists and special teaching sessions for stroke physicians. The programme was a unique combination of plenary sessions, complex cases discussion, group tutorials and neurointervention workshop. There were 162 delegates in which 42 Neuro interventionists and 120 neurologists.

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Hands on training for neuro interventionists

