

# Update News of ASIA PACIFIC COUNCIL OF OPTOMETRY 2009 March



## Conferences in the region!

# 17th APOC Hong Kong

is to be held on 5<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> November 2009.

Venue: The Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre (5th Nov)  
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (6th & 7th Nov)

The Congress will consist of three day invited lectures, scientific paper sessions and industrial sessions. The gala dinner will be held on 5<sup>th</sup> November at the hotel of the Harbour Plaza Metropolis where you can enjoy the magnificent harbour view. The APCO General Delegates Meeting will be held on 4<sup>th</sup> November. Please pencil down at your diary and take this opportunity to interact, learn and most of all have fun with your colleagues from across the world.

### Malaysia's Leading and Biggest Optical Exhibition

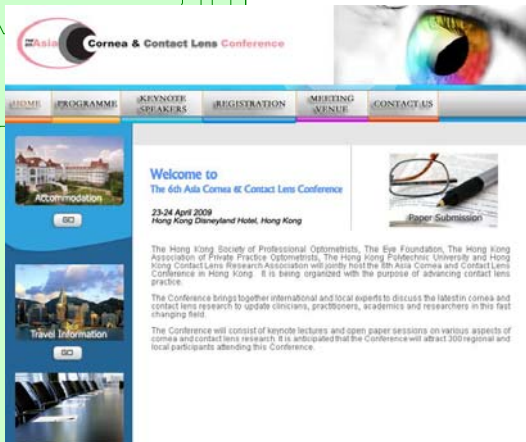
14<sup>th</sup> Optical Exhibition and 24<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner for the Malaysian Association of Practising Opticians (MAPO) will be held on 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> April 2009 at the Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

For more details, please refer to the MAPO website at <http://www.mapo.org.my/mapofair.html>



6<sup>th</sup> Asia Cornea & Contact Lens Conference (ACCLC) will be held on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> April 2009 at the Hong Kong Disneyland, Hong Kong.

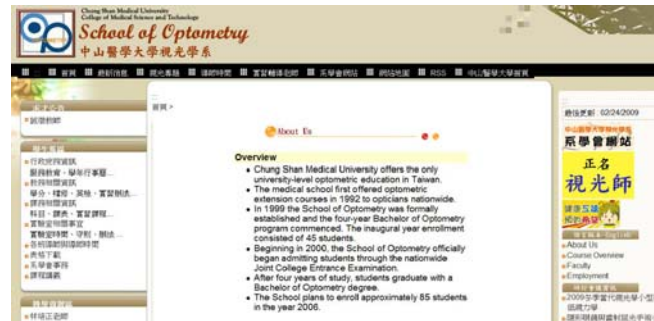
For more details, please refer to the ACCLC website at <http://www.acclc.org/index.html>



School of Optometry of the Chung Shan Medical University, Taiwan is our New Affiliate Member of APCO in 2009.

"The University offers the only university-level optometric education in Taiwan. In 1999, the School of Optometry was formally established and the 4-year Bachelor of Optometry program commenced." Please visit their website for further details:

<http://optometry.csmu.edu.tw/front/bin/ptdetail.phtml?Part=Eng-AboutUS>



### IMPORTANT DATES

You want to know about 17<sup>th</sup> APOC

- Abstract Submission: by 15 JUN 2009
- Early Bird Registration: by 15 JUL 2009
- Hotel Reservation: by 30 SEP 2009
- Congress Registration: by 15 OCT 2009

Registration and abstract submission will be available at our website: <http://www.asiapacificoptometry.org> in coming March.

You may also wish to view the news and further information at our website: <http://www.asiapacificoptometry.org>