

Conference Announcement and Invitation
8th Congress of Asian Association of Veterinary Anatomists
(Asian AVA) - 2022

Theme: New Horizon in Anatomy

Following a successful 7th congress at Jeju, South Korea, the Chattogram Veterinary and Animal Sciences University (CVASU) is pleased to announce that the 8th Congress of Asian AVA will now take place at CVASU, Bangladesh during the period of 30-31 October, 2022.

Since the inception of Asian AVA congress in March 21, 2006 which was held in Tsukuba, Japan, we have been organizing this scientific congress once every 2-year in the different Asian countries focusing on veterinary anatomical education and research. Unfortunately, the congress has been rescheduled after canceling of the previous announcement during 31 October to 01 November, 2021 due to unavoidable circumstances of Covid-19 throughout the world. Like before in this year the conference will highlight all the research update in relation to the concept of veterinary anatomical science with exciting 2022 conference theme '**New Horizon in Anatomy**'. The two day long program will include invited keynote presentations and research results from scholars, academicians and researchers from home and abroad. We encourage all professionals from biology, basic science, clinical medicine and surgery disciplines and backgrounds, thereby offering ample networking opportunities. We are taking this opportunity to invite you all to attend this conference. It will be an unique opportunity to share knowledge, ideas and experiences and to create opportunity for future networking.

We look forward to welcoming you to a wonderful city of Chattogram.

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President, Organizing committee

8th Asian AVA &

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Background

Theme: New Horizon in Anatomy

Biology, a natural science deals with the scientific studies of life. It is amazed with its broad scope but has several unifying themes that tie it together as a single, coherent field. For instance, all organisms are made up of cells that possess hereditary information encoded in genes, which can be transmitted to future generations. As an important branch of biology, anatomy is considered as the most relevant basic discipline for medical science.

Now a day's veterinary scientists are very much concern for intending to perform physical examination on patients, carry out invasive procedures, examine radiological imaging, refer to a patient to another veterinarian, or explain a procedure to a patient owners. Today's anatomists combine many technologies and techniques to discover more about animals and humans, thus advancing the field of anatomy. Relatively there has been less research and publications in the arena of macroscopic anatomy though the research on molecular biology is being momentum day by day. In particular, due to the routinization of genetic modification procedure, anatomy and histology are being considered to use as one of the assay methods into the fine research of biological sciences for identifying changes caused by genetic modification. However, such research using laboratory animals can be performed even by non-veterinary anatomists, but the researches using farm animals should be more desirable as a field of veterinary anatomical research. Moreover, the quality assurance of veterinary education has been requested and their third-party (the Institutional Quality Assurance Cell, Bangladesh Accreditation Council and other relevant International Communities) evaluation based on their set criteria's has become to be strictly implemented for achieving the label of standard and certification. But we strongly believe that it must be continue eternally with tireless effort. This year we are discussing the upgrade of our teaching methods and the advances of our research in the arena of veterinary anatomical sciences through the exciting theme of 'New Horizon in Anatomy'. Finally, the conference will formulate recommendations for future direction towards a common goal in which all veterinary scientists from home and abroad collaborate and cooperate to implement updated knowledge and technology for a safer and better planet.

Objectives of the conference

- **Energetic** and productive discussion and debates on recent update of education and research in veterinary anatomical sciences by sharing national and international experiences and expertise.
- **Establish** a network to facilitate communications and interactions, exchange of ideas and pedagogical resources between Bangladesh and Asian AVA.
- **Share** the existing syllabus curricula in veterinary anatomy education and possibility to establish uniform outcome-based curricula in different countries of Asia.
- **Address** the networking gaps of technical expertise and establish collaborative relationships to improve the national and international capacity building in anatomical education and research.
- **Identify** the opportunities to share information and resources and to discuss the significance of cross professional collaboration in Bangladesh and its implementation in research, education and development.

Events/Tentative agenda

Registration Place: Conference Hall, CVASU campus, Khulshi, Chattogram.

Day One: October 30, 2022

08:00: Registration
 09:00 - 17:30: Opening Ceremony and Congress
 17:30 - 18:00: AAVA Board meeting
 19:00 - Banquet Dinner

Day Two: October 31, 2022

08:30 - 11:00: Congress
 11:00 - 11:30: Recommendations and Concluding
 11:30 - Excursion

Who should attend?

A range of professionals including biology, basic science, clinical medicine, community programs etc.

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Poster size

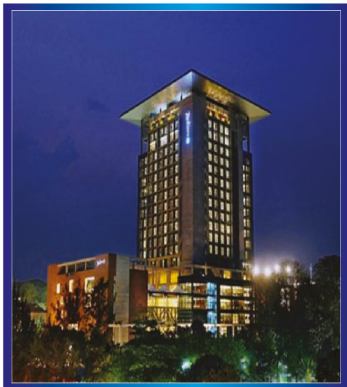
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Registration fees for participants

Position/Class	For offline international participants		For offline national participants	
	Early bird registration	On-site registration	Early bird registration	On-site registration
Professional	120 USD	150 USD	1500 BDT	2000 BDT
Student	45 USD	50 USD	500 BDT	700 BDT
Accompanying person	80 USD	100 USD	1000 BDT	1200 BDT

It combines the hum of a results seaport with the pleasure of charming hill-town with its undulating topography. It attracts tourists from around the world. Chattogram was described by the famous Chinese traveler Yuan Chuang (7th century A.D) as a sleeping beauty emerging from the mist. It is surrounded by the bay. The river and hills high up to 1200 m (4000 ft) from sea level. Rainfall averages 2840 mm annually. Average annual temperature is 260C (780 F). Major places of interests in Chattogram includes Shrine of bayazid Bostami. World War II Cemetery, Foy's Lake. Ethnological Museum. Court Building, Patenga and Fouzdarhat Sea Beaches. Sitakunda. Other places of interest include shrine of Shah Amanat, Shahi Jame Mosque, Chandanpura Mosque. Portuguese Arsenal. Port Area, Marine Academy and Biponi Bitan.

(For detail information, please visit the following website:
http://www.virtualbangladesh.com/bd_cities_Chattogram)



Hotel Radisson Blu, Chattogram, Bangladesh.

<https://www.radissonhotels.com/en-us/hotels/radisson-blu-chattogram?we=1>

- **Residence:** Hotel Radisson Blue, Chattogram, Bangladesh.
- **Arrival** at Shah Amanat International Airport, Chattogram via Hazrat Shahjalal International Airport Dhaka, Bangladesh.
- **Taxi** is most convenient vehicle from Shah Amanat International Airport, Chattogram to hotel; it will take about 1 hour.

Important notes for the Participants

- **International** online presenter can choose only oral presentation. The registration fee for online international participants will be free.
- **Offline** presenter (national and international) can choose oral or poster presentation.
- **Abstract** file will be sent to all participants in the PDF file before the congress. The abstract booklet will be handed over at the reception during the congress period.
- **Considering** Covid-19, the congress will be conducted in both virtually (only for international online participants) and physically (only for Bangladeshi participants and other interested international participants).

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About the venue: Chattogram

Chattogram is the 2nd largest city of Bangladesh. It is called commercial capital of the country. Foreign trade is maintained through the largest sea port on the Bay of Bengal. The Karnafuli river passes through the city. Chattogram has a picturesque setting. Its green hills and forest, bread sandy beaches and fine cool climate always attract holiday makers.



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Chattogram Veterinary and Animal Sciences University
(CVASU), Chattogram, Bangladesh. and
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