



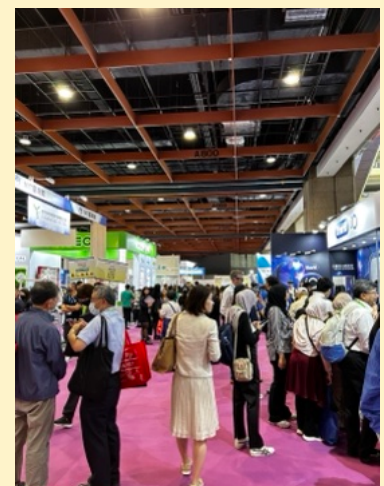
SEAADE 2025 Newsletter — Day 2 Highlights

Advancing Innovation and Collaboration in Dental Education

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Dental Expo Opening Ceremony

At midday, the much-anticipated **Dental Expo Opening Ceremony** took place at Area A, hosted by **Dr. Yu-Chao Chang**, President of the **Taiwan Association for Dental Sciences (TADS)**. Dr. Chang emphasized that continuous learning and collaboration between academia and industry are essential to delivering the best education for dental students—and ultimately, to benefiting patients worldwide. The vibrant exhibit area brought together leading companies, educators, and clinicians, showcasing innovations that are shaping the future of oral healthcare.



A Day of Innovation, Collaboration, and Celebration

The second day of the **South East Asia Association for Dental Education (SEAADE) 2025 Annual Meeting** unfolded with an energetic program of scientific exchange, professional dialogue, and meaningful partnerships.

The morning began with concurrent **Scientific Sessions** and **SEAADE Oral Presentations**, showcasing cutting-edge research in dental education and clinical science. The **National Dental Forum on Contemporary Dental Education** gathered educators to discuss the evolution of curricula, digital learning, and interprofessional collaboration. Meanwhile, the **Poster Presentations** and **Trade Exhibits** at the 1F Exhibition Hall attracted lively participation from both academia and industry.



Professor **Kenko Jian-Hong Yu** met with senior members of the **Taiwan Association for Dental Sciences (TADS)** to discuss the future direction and strategic development of the organization. The meeting served as a meaningful exchange of perspectives on how to further strengthen Taiwan's role in global dental education and research.

During the discussion, both sides emphasized the importance of **academic collaboration**, **international engagement**, and **innovation in teaching and clinical practice**. Professor Yu highlighted the need to align with global trends while nurturing the next generation of dental educators and practitioners in Taiwan. The TADS representatives also expressed their dedication to promoting continuing education programs and expanding opportunities for interdisciplinary cooperation.

This dialogue not only reaffirmed TADS's commitment to advancing excellence in dental education but also reflected a shared vision—to enhance the quality of oral health care, foster leadership among dental professionals, and elevate Taiwan's influence within the international dental community.



Leadership and Celebration

The day continued with the **SEAADE Dean's Meeting** on *Quality Assurance in Dental Education* and the **SEAADE Annual General Meeting**, where members discussed future strategies and elected new council members.

The evening concluded with a memorable **Gala Dinner**, generously sponsored by **Straumann and ILLUME T**, where delegates from across the region celebrated friendship, academic excellence, and a shared vision for advancing oral health education in Asia.



About SEAADE

Founded in 1990, SEAADE unites major dental schools from 13 countries to promote innovation, leadership, and collaboration in dental education and research.

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