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Nutrition Society of Malaysia (NSM) supports the 14<sup>th</sup> Asian Congress of Nutrition 2023, 14-17 September 2023, Chengdu, China.

We encourage all members to attend the 14th ACN!

Activities by the NSM to facilitate participation of members:

- 1. Special subsidy to NSM members to support their participation at the 14<sup>th</sup> ACN
  - Application has been closed and all applicants have been informed. If you do not receive any notification, do inform the President/Hon Secretary.
  - We received overwhelming response. The NSM Council screened through all applications thoroughly and provided financial subsidy according to a variety of criteria, most important of which were contributions to the NSM. We took into consideration the financial capability of the NSM.
  - We congratulate all successful applicants and hope they will make the best use of the opportunity provided at the ACN. For unsuccessful applicants, we do hope you will continue to source for support for other sources.
- 2. Organise group registration to enable members of NSM to pay a discounted registration fee
  - The NSM Council is organising a group registration for members intending to attend the 14th ACN. It will be a significant saving of USD100 for each ordinary member if payment is made before deadline for early bird registration.
  - Submit your request to join the group registration before 1 June 2023
  - Check out details at the NSM website: <a href="https://nutriweb.org.my/index.php?news-announcements">https://nutriweb.org.my/index.php?news-announcements</a>
- 3. NSM members are encouraged to apply for the various 14<sup>th</sup> ACN awards
  - These include Conference Travel Award, Best Oral Award, Best Poster Award
  - Details at the 14th ACN website: <a href="https://acn2023.sciconf.cn/en/web/index/11826">https://acn2023.sciconf.cn/en/web/index/11826</a>
- 4. Encourage members to apply for the various FANS awards
  - FANS is providing various awards to members of societies affiliated to this umbrella body. These include: a. Fellows of FANS; b. FANS Lifetime Achievement Recognition; c. FANS Outstanding Nutritionist Award; and FANS Young Nutrition Leader Award.
  - All applications must be sent to NSM, the official affiliated body of FANS, for review and selection for nomination to FANS.
  - Submit all applications to the NSM Council by 10 May 2023.
  - Details at NSM website: https://nutriweb.org.my/index.php?news-announcements

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