SGOP News

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President's Report

Dr. Mary Christine F. Palma

I am happy to report to you the various projects of the SGOP for the first half of 2017.

1. The **Midyear Convention** in Davao last March 31-April 1, 2017 organized by its Chair, **Dr. Jericho Thaddeus Luna** was a huge success. The scientific program updated us on the molecular oncology application available in the country, answered common issues we encounter in our practice such as health maintenance organization and PhilHealth and kept us abreast on trends in our organization and training of our colleagues abroad. Our enthusiastic members in Davao were actively involved in the planning and organization of the events. They were **Drs. Concepcion Rayel**, **Helen Grace Te-Santos**, **Constancia Wilhelmina S. Torres**, **Carol Marjorie Pacioles-Flavier** and **Grace Quirapas-Madis**. This meeting has the highest participation of our members and fellows-in-training (84) in an exclusive SGOP midyear. The fellowship night and Day 2 island hopping tour were beyond our expectations for the cultural, culinary and social immersion. Thank you to our organizers.

2. **Dr. Lilli May Cole** as chair of the Tumor Registry delivered her initial report of the incidence of gynecologic cancer in three institutions (PGH, JRRMMC and The Medical City) from January 1- March 31, 2017 in the midyear. Encouraged by the enthusiasm of our members to pursue this tumor registry, the committee further upgraded our registry to be web-based to include meticulously the staging, treatment and follow-up. It is our fervent hope that we can speak of survival data of our Filipino patients after 5 years.

3. The Board of Trustees has established a Committee on Informatics to revitalize, strengthen and maintain our website, www.sgop.org.ph. **Dr. Angelito Magno** was unanimously voted by the BOT to chair the committee. The website will provide the link to the tumor registry, will be our repository of our journals and will contain a picture gallery of events through the years. Announcements and society's updates will be posted. The directory of the gynecologic oncologists and hospital of practice will also cater to the inquiry of the generalist, the residents and patients.

4. All is set for the 2017 annual convention *"Practical and Relevant Approaches to Gynecologic Cancer Care"* on August 10-11, 2017 at the EDSA Shangri-La Hotel under **Dr. Benjamin Cuenca** and the Silent Mentor Workshop II on August 12-13, 2017 under **Dr. Maria Julieta Germar** at the Philippine Center for Advanced Surgery at the Cardinal Santos Medical Center. A new feature conceived by Dr. Cuenca is a simultaneous session in the afternoons to answer the academic needs of both the general gynecologists and the gynecologic oncologists. The target for the SMW II is to further hone the surgical skill of the gynecologic oncologists for pelvic exenteration together with the colorectal or general surgeons as partners in the workshop. **Dr. Robert Bristow** is generously giving us his time again to be the lead preceptor.

5. **Dr. Doris Benavides** led the first tumor conference in 2017 at the National Kidney and Transplant Institute on March 23 in collaboration with the Women's Health Clinic of NKTI. **Dr. Belina Ato-Antinero**, our gynecologic oncologist from the Batangas Regional Hospital discussed comprehensively metastatic ovarian leiomyosarcoma. The reactors were **Dr. Ricardo Quimbo** (pathologist), **Dr. Beatrice Tiangco** (medical oncologist) and our very own **Dr. Jean Anne Toral**. Our last tumor board was in 2014. The reception of the general gynecologists to this project was overwhelming; about 200 registrants were present.

6. The Committee on Administrative Manual under **Dr. Filomena San Juan** has completed the major provisions of the manual for the smooth function of our organization. Dr. San Juan also presented the changes to the Committee on Constitutional

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Amendment and has been approved by the Board of Trustees.

From an original 6 standing committees (Credentials and Membership, Continuing Medical Education, Research, Ethics, Community Service and Amendments), the Board has formally instituted the following to be standing committees:

a. Committee on Annual Convention
b. Committee on Midyear Convention
c. Committee on Finance
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f. Committee on National Affairs
g. Committee on Clinical Practice Guidelines
h. Committee on Ways and Means
i. Committee on Informatics
j. Committee on Library and Archives

Presidential Committees are special committes and shall be created as the need arises. These include the Committee on Newsletter and other ad hoc committeess.

The Constitutional Committees are committees that function independent of the Board of Trustees. These include Committee on Nominations, Elections, Audit and Legislation.

7. The Committee on Election Code was convened by its chairman, **Dr. Rey de los Reyes** last June 3, 2017 to formulate the standard and procedure for nomination and election of our Board of Trustees. This will be incorporated to the administrative manual.

   As provided for in the Election Code, any SGOP member can nominate his candidate/s which should include a conforme of the nominee. Twenty final candidates will be chosen by the Committee on Nominations from whom the thirteen (13) members of the BOT will be elected

8. The Committee on Research is making a major innovation in the interesting case and Luciano SJ Sotto Research Paper contest. With the objective of enjoining the residents from the various regions of the country, a new method of screening will be used this year by the chair **Dr. Rommel Duenas**. This is scheduled one day prior to the POGS annual convention in November also at the Sofitel Philippine Plaza.

9. The Committee on Library and Archive under **Dr. Christine Joy Garcia** has started to organize, scan and store our old pictures, newsletters, documents for safekeeping.

10. The Mutual Assistance Program under **Dr. Lilibeth Sia Su** is being planned in conformity to the decision of the body. This will be presented in the business meeting in August.

11. Our coffee table book **"SGOP: Our Journey, Our Legacy"** is already with the printer. It is scheduled to be distributed during the SGOP annual convention.

I would like to thank and acknowledge all the members of the committees working for our society.

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See you all in August

by Benjamin D. Cuenca, MD

Warm Greetings to the members of the **SGOP, PSCPC and PSSTD!** I wish to remind all of you that our 2017 joint convention is fast approaching. I hope to celebrate this scientific event with you on August 10-11 (Thursday and Friday) at the EDSA Shangri-La Hotel in Mandaluyong City. By this time, I hope that you have arranged the flights and accommodation most convenient for you. In the same way, I also expect that you have all confirmed your attendance with our secretariat to avail of the free registration. The deadline set on June 30, 2017 was previously announced in our website, newsletter and during the midyear convention in Davao. Failure to do this would mean paying the onsite rate for consultants.

The Opening Ceremony on August 10 at 8:00 AM will feature a tribute to our beloved Augusto M. Manalo, which will be led by the tribute master, Dr. Genara M. Limson. I encourage every member to be present during this special part of the program because **Dr. Aileen Tomboc** and **Dr. Kata Sobritchea** prepared it to become heart-warming and truly memorable!

Dr. Jayjay Germar and **Dr. Doris Benavides** have worked so hard in designing a scientific program that will be both intellectually attractive and practically catering to the gynecologic oncologists as well as the general obstetricians-gynecologists and residents in-training! In fact, the afternoon program will feature simultaneous sessions so that participants can freely choose which to attend according to their interest. Is this not exciting? So I hope that you will help in registering your friends and residents!

As previously announced, in keeping with this year's convention theme *"Practical and Relevant Approaches to Gynecologic Cancer Care,"* our dear friend from the University of California Irvine, the Director of the Division of Gynecologic Oncology himself, **Prof. Robert E. Bristow**, will be our guest lecturer. Along with a full cast of stellar local faculty, this scientific reunion simply promises to be one of the best in terms of learning and fun!

August 12 and 13 (Saturday and Sunday) will be dedicated for the subspecialists' cadaver workshop at the PCAS building in Cardinal Santos Medical Center. Known as the "Silent Mentor Workshop 2," this year's goal is to further nourish the collaboration of gynecologic oncologists with other subspecialists in the fields of Colorectal Surgery, Surgical Oncology and Urology in the management of advanced ovarian cancer, which is the way how things are currently going in the first world countries! Yes, our society, the SGOP, wants to be in the forefront of this collaborative initiative!

On the lighter side, I am sure all of you are looking forward to the high-fives and laughter we all share during the Fellowship Night! Same here! Brace yourselves because **Dr. Richard Cacho** and **Dr. Aya Malig** have prepared something different but definitely more hilarious and fun-filled contest for us! This is called the "Are you the All-Around Subspecialist? Sponsored by Kalbe Oncology, five teams of subspecialists will play the three-portion program, namely: the Brain, the Brawn and the Talent. Does this give you more reason to attend? I am sure! Ooops, this is set to happen on August 11, 2017 (Friday).

Still there are a lot more things to look forward to during the meeting such as the annual business meetings of the subspecialty societies, the induction of new diplomates and fellows, plus the chance to meet our friends in the pharmaceutical industry who year-in and year-out, have been so supportive to all our causes and goals.

Finally, I earnestly ask the members to honor the works and effort of all the members of the 2017 Organizing Committee by the courtesy of your attendance and by your commitment to register your OB-GYN friends and trainees!

See you in August!

SGOP 2017 Organizing Committee

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SGOP: OUR JOURNEY, OUR LEGACY

by Marie Aleli D. Malig, MD

It was more than a year ago when **Dr. Christine Palma** came up with the idea of a coffee table book that would highlight the society's years of fighting women's cancers. A dedicated coffee table team consisting of yours truly, **Dr. Christine Palma**, **Dr. Jean Toral**, **Dr. Lizette Strebel**, **Dr. Renee Sicam**, and **Dr. Kata Sobritchea** was assembled for the purpose of making this idea into a reality.

This book would contain the history of **The Society of Gynecologic Oncologists of the Philippines, Inc. (SGOP)** from 1984 to 2017. It would also highlight the two gynecologic oncology training institutions in the Philippines which are the **University of the Philippines-Philippine General Hospital (UP-PGH)** and **Jose R. Reyes Memorial Medical Center (JRMMC)** as well as the practice of gynecologic oncology in different regions of the Philippines. Furthermore, the different activities of the SGOP working committees from annual conventions, midyear conventions, tumor conferences, community services, and research contests will be part of this book. One of the most awaited aspects of this book is the page dedicated to each member of SGOP that were painstakingly collected since 2016. This book will be launched on the first day of SGOP's 2017 annual convention.

The coffee table book team would like to thank the exceptional roster of writers who contributed in making this publication a reality. We hope that each member of this society will embrace this legacy for the future of SGOP.

SGOP History at your Fingertips . . . Soon

by Christine Joy G. Garcia, MD

The **SGOP Archive and Library Committee** has taken a new turn. With the promising revival of our SGOP website, access to our society's history, accomplishments, documents and pictures of good old memories will just be a click away on its Archive section. Tracing back how far we have gone from our society's birth in 1984 is not an easy task which is why we are very grateful to the treasure chest of memorabilia shared to us by **Dr. Mary Christine F. Palma** and **Dr. Gil S. Gonzalez**. Since we know that a lot of our SGOP members also have in their possession "archive-worthy" files, do not be surprised if we, in the Archive and Library Committee, will be knocking on your digital doors soon to ask for a copy. For those who are ready to contribute, you may submit them to our following committee representatives: **Dr. Richard Ronald B. Cacho** (Luzon); **Dr. Doris R. Benavides**, **Dr. Christine Joy G. Garcia**, **Dr. Anna Katrina I. Sobritchea**, **Dr. Merlind M. Montinola-Morales** (NCR); **Dr. Rose Joy C. David-Vallega** (Visayas); and **Dr. Grace Q. Quirapas-Madis** (Mindanao). On behalf of our committee, I would like to welcome all of you to the SGOP Archive — where history is not a thing of the past.

The SGOP Mutual Assistance Program

by Ma. Lilibeth L. Sia Su, MD; Lilli May T. Cole, MD and Jericho Thaddeus P. Luna, MD

By next year, SGOP will be offering its members a **Mutual Assistance Program (MAP)** by paying an additional fee of P1,000.00 to the membership fee on a voluntary basis. The MAP will offer financial assistance to its members thru the following: Sickness Benefit, Living Benefit and Death Benefit. The Implementing Rules and Regulation (IRR) will be prepared by the MAP Committee for presentation in the Annual Convention Business Meeting. The proposed benefits will be as follows:

Sickness Benefit: P5,000.00
Living Benefit/Death Benefit: P15,000.00

Years of Contribution and Percentage of Benefit:
1 year – 25%
2 years – 50%
3 years – 75%
≥ 4 years – 100%

Relaunching of SGOP Website!

by Angelito D. L. Magno, MD

The idea of reviving the **Society of Gynecologic Oncologists of the Philippines (SGOP)** website occurred during a meeting of the Tumor Registry Committee when **Dr. Christine Palma** thought that it would be a good idea to incorporate the tumor registry in the website. After approval from the Board of Trustees (BOT) to form a new website committee to be headed by yours truly, the Website, Archive and Tumor Registry committees had several joint meetings to discuss the contents and designs of the website. The objectives of this website is to bring our society closer to the public especially to our patients and their relatives, to ease proper referral of gynecologic oncology patients closest to their locations and to create a venue for the members of the organization to communicate.

Contents of the Website

The Website (www.sgop.org.ph) contains several menus, which include Home (page), About SGOP, Membership, Events, Tumor Registry and Publications.

The Homepage is the main page of the website which contains message from the President, **Dr. Christine Palma** and Website Committee Chair, **Dr. Angelito Magno**. Upcoming events and Calendar of Activities like POGS Annual Convention, SGOP Annual Convention and other international conventions relevant to our society will also be seen in the homepage. Important story or activity may also be added in the homepage to give highlight on the said activity or story.

About SGOP contains the mission, vision and by-laws of our organization. It also has a short history of the SGOP and the meaning of the SGOP Logo. The present Board of Trustees, Committee Chairs and members of our society and Organizing Committee officers are also included here. Lastly, a video of the SGOP Hymn with its lyrics is also posted under this menu.

Membership contains a list of fellows of the SGOP with place of practice and affiliated hospital/s where the members hold clinics. This is to help our patients and our generalist colleagues locate our clinics for easier referral system.

Under Events menu, galleries of photography of our past activities like annual and midyear conventions, research and interesting contests and community service activities among others are included here.

One of the major components of the website is the Tumor Registry, of which the committee is headed by **Dr. Lilli May Cole**. The goal of creating a tumor registry, like in any cancer society, is to gather information from our patients into one database that we can use for our own statistics and for research purposes. The Tumor Registry will also be launched during the Annual Convention.

The menu Publication contains past and latest newsletters and journals from the Philippine Journal of Gynecologic Oncology.

The official launching of the new SGOP Website will happen during the business meeting on the Annual Convention on August 10, 2017. As the Head of the Website committee, I urge the members of the SGOP to give comments and suggestions and to contribute to make our website useful and relevant to all.

Website Committee: **Dr. Angelito Magno** (Chair), **Dr. Merlind Montinola-Morales** (Co-chair), Members: **Drs. Mary Christine Palma**, **Richard Ronald Cacho** and **Christine Joy Garcia**.

SGOP 1st Quarter Tumor Conference 2017

by Doris R. Benavides, MD

The SGOP held its first **Tumor Conference** for the year last March 23, 2017 at the Dr. Enrique T. Ona Auditorium at the Diagnostic Center Building of the National Kidney and Transplant Institute (NKTI) in Quezon City. It was not the first time that the Society held a conference in NKTI but it was the first time that the attendance hit a record breaking SRO of 204. This includes 18 SGOP members and 13 fellows-in-training from the 2 PBGO accredited institutions. The residents who travelled a considerable distance from the De La Salle University Medical Center in Cavite are very commendable for being the early birds of the conference.

The NKTI Women's Health Clinic, a team of active consultant subspecialists of OB Gynecology under the NKTI's Department of Surgery, served as the host of this conference. Members of the consultant staff played varying roles in the conference as led by the Master of Ceremonies, **Dr. Renee Vina Sicam**. **Dr. Mildred Pareja**, one of the two pioneer OB Gyne practitioners in NKTI welcomed all the participants and gave a comprehensive history of SGOP from her own experience and

research. **Dr. Jean Anne Toral**, the ever efficient SGOP treasurer, was one of the evening's three expert reactors. And all three of them have readily accepted these tasks upon the invitation of the chair of the Tumor Conference Committee, who is also a consultant of the NKTI Women's Health Clinic.

Dr. Belina D. Ato-Antinero, one of SGOP's junior members from Batangas Regional Hospital, was the designated discussant. She had tackled an interesting case of *ovarian leiomyosarcoma complicated by osteochondroma* and gave a very enlightening discussion on *pathophysiology of the disease* as well as updates on its management which is quite an excellent feat considering the scarcity of data and published studies. **Dr. Jean Anne Toral** complemented her discussion with data from her own literature review and previous lectures. **Dr. Beatrice J. Tiangco**, head of the NKTI Section of Medical Oncology, imparted to the audience the concept of participatory medicine with the patient-participated treatment at the core. Completing the panel of reactors was **Dr. Ricardo Victorio S. Quimbo**, an expert gynecologic pathologist of the NKTI Department of Laboratory Medicine, who discussed the finer points on the histopathologic findings of the specimen obtained from the case.

The conference was made possible thru an educational grant from Kalbe International who generously and promptly ordered a refill of the buffet for the unexpected number of attendees. At the end of the night, everyone went home with a nourished mind and body.

The SGOP 2017

by Jericho Thaddeus P. Luna, MD

The **SGOP 2017 Midyear Convention** was held at the Seda Abreeza Hotel, Davao City, Davao del Sur last March 31-April 1, 2017. Our colleagues (**Dr. Helen Grace T. Santos**, **Dr. Concepcion D. Rayel**, **Dr. Constancia Wilhelmina S. Torres**, **Dr. Carol Marjorie P. Flavier** and **Dr. Grace Q. Madis**) from Davao hosted us.

There were 85 delegates who attended the Midyear Convention – 66 SGOP members, 16 Fellows-in-Training and 3 Speakers.

Dr. Grace "Qute" Quirapas-Madis was in charge of the Fellowship Night. The theme of the Fellowship Night was *Kadayawan Fiesta*. The members were requested to wear maong and white and our colleagues from Davao gave a "sarong" to all the delegates. We were entertained with dance numbers by our Southern Mindanao members, the fellows-in-training from both PGH and JRRMMC and the University of Mindanao Dance Group. We were also mesmerized by a group who performed fire dances.

Dr. Helen Te-Santos and **Dr. Nac Pacioles-Flavier** organized an island hopping tour around Samal Island on Saturday, 1 April 2017 for the group.

We would like to thank our sponsors for supporting the Midyear Convention: S & S Enterprises, Johnson and Johnson, Pascual, MedInfinity, Mundipharma, Bio-Onco, Multicare, Kalbe, Fresenius Kabi, Gen Ace, Jewelry Express and Apo ni Lola.

2017 Midyear Convention Photo Gallery

TUMOR REGISTRY Goes Online…

by Lilli May T. Cole, MD

The **Committee on Tumor Registry** is pleased to announce that the online registry form will be made available to the members in time for the Annual Convention. The members of the committee are working hard on this and is presently putting the finishing touches to the form. This will be launched during the business meeting as part of the website. **Dr. Tom Magno** and our IT from CARE (CAncer REgistry) Phils, Ric Parma, will try to come out with a tutorial video that will be sent to the members to facilitate easy logging in. **Dr. Renee Sicam**, vice-chair of the committee, will also come up with answers to FAQs (frequently asked questions). Hopefully these strategies will facilitate a smooth start for the registry. Indeed, in time, a lot of information that will impact treatment of our patients will be generated from this data collection. We have also hired a part-time encoder in the person of **Sharleen Bayocot**. At present she works every Saturday alternating from UP-PGH and JRRMMC inputting the data done manually at the start of the year. Once the registry is in full gear, she will be contacting you for the updates on the patients that you have logged in.

The presentation of the data from the three pilot institutions consisting of UP-PGH, JRRMMC and The Medical City during the Midyear Conventionin Davao last March was met with enthusiasm. For those who are asking for a copy and those who missed the presentation, please see the data below. The data from January- July 2017 will be included in the next issue of the newsletter.

NUMBER OF NEW CASES
JANUARY – MARCH 2017

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247

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JANUARY – MARCH 2017

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
CERVIX	**71**	**3**	**65**	**139**	***56%***
OVARY	**21**	**6**	**13**	**40**	***16%***
ENDOMETRIUM	**35**	**5**	**21**	**61**	***25%***
VULVA	**1**	**0**	**2**	**3**	***1.2%***
VAGINA	**1**	**0**	**1**	**2**	***0.8%***
FALLOPIAN TUBE	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
OTHERS	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	***0.4%***

STAGE DISTRIBUTION

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
CERVIX	71	3	65	139	*56%*
IA	0	1	0	1	
IB	2	1	4	7	
IIA	1	0	3	4	
IIB	18	0	11	29	
IIIA	0	0	0	0	
IIIB	49	1	45	94	68%
IVA	1	0	0	1	
IVB	0	0	2	2	

STAGE DISTRIBUTION

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
OVARY	21	6	13	40	*16%*
IA	5	1	7	13	32%
IB	0	1	0	1	
IC	1	4	3	8	
IIA	0	0	0	0	
IIB	2	0	0	2	
IIIA	5	0	0	5	
IIIB	0	0	0	0	
IIIC	5	0	1	6	
IVA	2	0	1	3	
IVB	0	0	0	0	
V	1	0	0	1	

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IIIB	0	0	0	0	
IIIC	5	0	1	6	
IVA	2	0	1	3	
IVB	0	0	0	0	
V	1	0	0	1	

STAGE DISTRIBUTION

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
ENDOMETRIUM	35	5	21	61	*25%*
IA	6	3	1	10	16%
IB	1	1	2	5	
II	1	0	3	3	
IIIA	1	0	1	3	
IIIB	0	0	0	0	
IIIC	1	1	2	4	
IVA	0	0	0	0	
IVB	2	0	0	4	
V	2	0	2	4	
Confined to corpus	11	0	6	17	28%
Cervical extension	6	0	3	9	
Extrauterine spread	4	0	1	5	

STAGE DISTRIBUTION

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
VULVA	1	0	2	3	*1.2%*
IA	0	0	1	1	
IB	0	0	0	0	
II	0	0	0	0	
IIIA	0	0	0	0	
IIIB	1	0	1	2	67%
IIIC	0	0	0	0	
IVA	0	0	0	0	
IVB	0	0	0	0	

STAGE DISTRIBUTION

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
VAGINA	1	0	1	2	*0.8%*
I	0	0	0	0	
II	1	0	0	1	
III	0	0	1	1	
IVA	0	0	0	0	
IVB	0	0	0	0	

STAGE DISTRIBUTION

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	%
NUMBER OF NEW CASES	129	14	104	247	
FALLOPIAN TUBE	0	0	0	0	0
IA	0	0	0	0	
IB	0	0	0	0	
IC	0	0	0	0	
IIA	0	0	0	0	
IIB	0	0	0	0	
IIIA	0	0	0	0	
IIIB	0	0	0	0	
IIIC	0	0	0	0	
IVA	0	0	0	0	
IVB	0	0	0	0	
OTHERS	0	1	0	1	*0.4%*
(MULLERIAN) IV	0	1	0	1	

HISTOLOGIC TYPE

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	
CERVIX	71	3	65	139	
SCCA	64	1	47	112	80%
ENDOMETRIOID ADENOCARCINOMA	6	0	13	19	14%
MUCINOUS ADENOCARCINOMA	0	0	2	2	1.4%
NEUROENDOCRINE	1	2	2	5	3.6%
MUCOEPIDERMOID	0	0	1	1	0.7%

HISTOLOGIC TYPE

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	
OVARY	21	6	13	40	
SEROUS	6	3	1	10	25%
MUCINOUS	3	0	3	6	15%
ENDOMETRIOID	3	2	4	9	22%
CLEAR CELL	2	1	0	3	7.5%
ADENOSQUAMOUS	1	0	0	1	2.5%
GCT	2	0	0	2	5%
IMMATURE TERATOMA	2	0	0	2	5%
MIXED	1	0	1	2	5%
SERTOLI	0	0	1	1	2.5%
LMP, MUCINOUS	1	0	3	4	10%

HISTOLOGIC TYPE

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	
ENDOMETRIUM	35	5	21	61	
ENDOMETRIOID ADENOCA	33	3	16	52	85%
CLEAR CELL	1	0	0	1	1.6%
LEIOMYOSARCOMA	0	0	1	2	3.3%
MIXED	1	0	0	1	1.6%
MMMT	0	1	2	3	4.9%
ADENOSQUAMOUS	0	1	1	2	3.3%
ESS	0	0	1	1	1.6%

HISTOLOGIC TYPE

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL	
VULVA	1	0	2	3	
SCCA	1	0	2	3	100%
VAGINA	1	0	1	2	
SCCA	1	0	0	1	50%
Adenocarcinoma	0	0	1	1	50%
MULLERIAN	0	1	0	1	

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TUMOR REGISTRY Goes Online…

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*"The **Committee on Tumor Registry** is pleased to announce that the online registry form will be made available to the members in time for the Annual Convention"*

TREATMENT

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL
CERVIX	13	3	23	39
SURGERY	1	1	2	4
CHEMOTHERAPY	0	0	2	2
CONCURRENT CHEMORADIATION	12	2	19	33

TREATMENT

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL
OVARY	20	3	13	36
SURGERY	20	3	13	36
CHEMOTHERAPY	6	0	5	11
RADIOTHERAPY	0	0	0	0

TREATMENT

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL
ENDOMETRIUM	13	5	10	28
SURGERY	12	5	10	27
CHEMOTHERAPY	0	0	3	3
RADIOTHERAPY	1	0	4	5
HORMONE	0	0	0	0

TREATMENT

	PGH	TMC	JRRMMC	TOTAL
VULVA	1	0	0	1
SURGERY	1	0	0	1
CHEMOTHERAPY	0	0	0	0
RADIOTHERAPY	0	0	0	0
VAGINA	0	0	0	0
SURGERY	0	0	0	0
CHEMOTHERAPY	0	0	0	0
RADIOTHERAPY	0	0	0	0

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CERVIX	139
OVARY	40
ENDOMETRIUM	61
VULVA	3
VAGINA	2
FALLOPIAN TUBE	0
OTHERS	1
TOTAL NUMBER OF NEW CASES	247

Committee on Constitutional Amendments and Ad Hoc Committee on Administrative Manual

by Esther Rhadamanthine V. Ganzon, Jr., MD

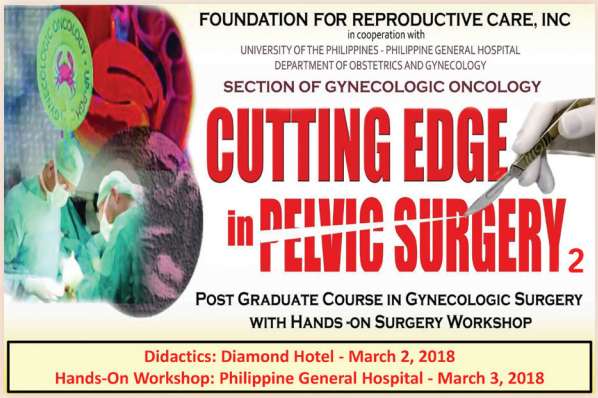
Change is coming! And what major changes indeed. Our revered president, **Dr. Mary Christine F. Palma**, created the twin ad hoc committees of the SGOP Administrative Manual and Constitutional Amendments and By-Laws last February 18, 2017. This massive undertaking was ably chaired by **Dr. Filomena San Juan**.

AD HOC COMMITTEE	CONSITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS	ADMINISTRATIVE MANUAL
Chair	Dr. Filomena S. San Juan	Dr. Filomena S. San Juan
Co-Chair		Dr. Esther V. Ganzon, Jr.
Members	Dr. Rey H. de los Reyes Dr. Ma. Cynthia F. Tan Dr. Maria Lilibeth L. Sia Su Dr. Teresita B. Cardenas Dr. Esther V. Ganzon, Jr. Dr. Mark Q. Antonio	Dr. Mary Christine F. Palma Dr. Rey H. de los Reyes Dr. Cecilia L. Llave Dr. Maria Lilibeth L. Sia Su Dr. Mark Q. Antonio

Major changes that we will see would be the SGOP Organizational Chart, the creation of the SGOP Constitutional Committees, SGOP Standing Committees, SGOP Presidential Committees and SGOP Ad Hoc Committees. The specifics of each committee are fully described and discussed in the SGOP Administrative Manual.

For the past 33 years, the SGOP existed without an Administrative Manual. Finally, we have one that will define us as a Society with our distinctive culture and practice. The output of the twin committees have been emailed to all members. Kindly read thoroughly both documents and let your thoughts and opinions be heard during the Annual Business Meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Luciano SJ Sotto Research, 16th Interesting Case Contests & Poster Presentation

by Rommel Z. Dueñas, MD

The **Society of Gynecologic Oncologist of the Philippines (SGOP)** will be holding its 3rd Luciano SJ Sotto Research, 16th Interesting Case Contests & Poster Presentation on November 17, 2017.

This is a battle of the Regions/Clusters/Sections of Gyn Onco. For your entry kindly coordinate with your Regional Directors/Cluster Presidents/ Section Heads. Submission of entries at SGOP Office Astral Tower Padre Faura Cor Taft Avenue, Manila. Deadline is on September 22, 2017.

For more information you can txt/call Ms. Weng SGOP Secretary at +639327282864 +639260150172.

Our email address is sgopinc@yahoo.com

Cash prices and publications in our journal are at stake. JOIN NOW !!!

Community Service

by Ma. Lilibeth L. Sia Su, MD

The SGOP members (**Drs. Belen Garana, Colet Guzman and Mavel Veloso**) successfully represented the Society in the Alabat, Quezon mission with Pahinungod last June 26-30, 2017. Unfortunately, the Cotabato surgical mission has been cancelled because the area has been put on red alert. The next surgical mission is scheduled on **September 2-3, 2017** which will be conducted in Iloilo City.

AOGIN Interim Meeting
Tokyo, Japan
October 19-20, 2017

ESGO Biennial Meeting
Vienna, Austria
November 4-7, 2017

ASGO Biennial Meeting
Tokyo, Japan
November 30-December 2, 2017

SGOP Midyear Convention
Baguio City
February 2, 2018

UP-PGH Section of Gynecologic Oncology Postgraduate Course
on Pelvic Surgery & Hands-on Surgery Workshop II
Diamond Hotel - March 2, 2018
PGH 3rd Floor Operating Rooms
March 3, 2018

Committee on Research

Committee on Election Code

3 Committees - website, tumor registry & library and archive