The 20th EAFONS
The 20th East Asian Forum of Nursing Scholars

Globalization and Research in Doctoral Nursing Education

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27 June 2016
⚠ Abstract Submission Deadline
30 September 2016
⚠ Early Bird Registration Deadline
31 December 2016
Dear colleagues,

We are delighted to inform you that the 20th East Asian Forum of Nursing Scholars (EAFONS) international conference website is now open for registration and abstract submission. This well-respected and international event will be held in Hong Kong on 9th and 10th March 2017.

The overarching topic of the forum is “Globalization and Research in Doctoral Nursing Education”. The main themes of the conference include: “evidence-based practice, impact of research, student mobility and future directions in the globalization of nursing education and research”. We welcome research that addresses these current challenges as well as encourages personal insights, diverse perspectives, and inspiring debates.

The conference aims to bring together academics, researchers, practitioners, and research students not only from Southeast Asian countries but also from around the world. It gives participants a platform through which they can exchange ideas, discover novel opportunities, reacquaint with colleagues, meet new friends, and broaden their knowledge in nursing.

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Should you have any queries, please feel free to contact our Conference Secretariat at [eafons.2017@polyu.edu.hk](mailto:eafons.2017@polyu.edu.hk).

We warmly invite you to register for the conference and sincerely look forward to meeting all of you at the forum in Hong Kong next year.

With all our best wishes,

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