

WOA Free paper Session

Abstract Submission Topics

1, Clinical

- Trauma
- Spine
- Arthroplasty
- Arthroscopy & Sports Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Foot & Ankle
- Hand & Mini-invasive Surgery

2, Research

- Implant Research
- Biomaterials
- Cartilage
- Nerve and Spinal Cord
- Infection
- Bone
- Imaging
- Stem Cell & Related Research
- Tendon & Ligament

Call for Abstracts

IMPORTANT DATES

Dates: November 7-10, 2013
 Venue: China National Convention Center
 COA Instructional Course and WOA
 language: English
 Domestic Program language: Chinese

Abstract Submission Deadline:
 June 30, 2013

Advanced Registration Deadline:
 September 30, 2013

On-site Registration Dates:
 November 7-10, 2013

Program-at-a-glance

Nov 7, 2013 (Thu)

	8 th International Congress of COA						
	Instructional Course Program						
AM	AO Trauma & Spine	AAOS	HSS	CCJR	IOSM	SRS	CSRS
PM							
Evening	Opening Ceremony						

Nov 8, 2013 (Fri)

	8 th International Congress of COA					
	1 st World Congress of WOA					
AM	WOA Beijing Summit	WOA Forum	WOA Symposium	WOA Workshop	WOA Free Paper	COA Domestic Program
PM						
Evening	President Dinner					

Nov 9, 2013 (Sat)

	8 th International Congress of COA					
	1 st World Congress of WOA					
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PM	---					
Evening	---					

Nov 10, 2013 (Sun)

	8 th International Congress of COA					
	1 st World Congress of WOA					
AM	---	WOA Forum	WOA Symposium	WOA Workshop	WOA Free Paper	COA Domestic Program
PM	Closing Ceremony					
Evening	---					



The 8th International Congress of Chinese Orthopaedic Association

1st World Congress

WOA 2013

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REGISTRATION & ABSTRACT SUBMISSION FOR 8TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF COA & 1ST WORLD CONGRESS OF WOA

Please visit <http://www.coachina.org/2013/en/>

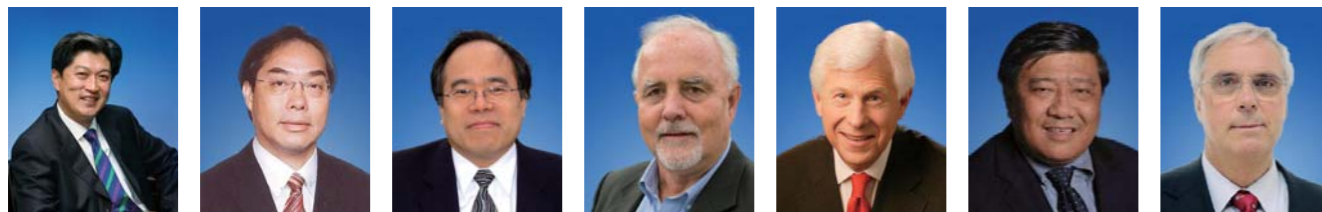
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WELCOME FROM THE PRESIDENT & THE STEERING COMMITTEE



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Dear Friends and Colleagues,

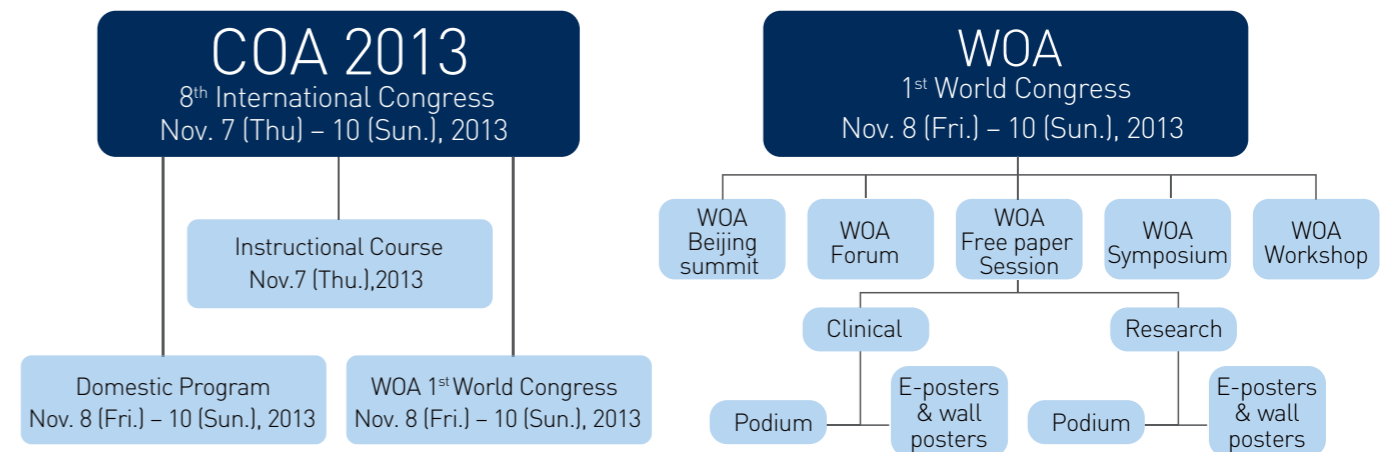
It is with great pleasure that we announce the launch of the 1st World Congress of WOA during the 8th International Congress of COA. This is a monumental event that will bring together global leaders from both the professional and industry realms of orthopaedics to engage in a most memorable and fruitful experience.

The World Orthopaedic Alliance (WOA) was launched last year at COA 2012 to unite efforts to face the challenges of musculoskeletal care in developing countries. COA 2013 aims to continue cultivate this goal to fruition by designing innovative and stimulating programs to ensure rewarding knowledge exchange and engagement among all participants.

The combined congress will be a monumental event that sets the scene for future international orthopaedic congresses.

WOA is ...

an international non-profit association dedicated to the advancement of high quality & cost effective musculoskeletal care in developing countries. Through close cooperation with partner organizations, WOA builds a neutral platform where orthopedic surgeons, institutes, hospitals and medical devices companies, global or regional, could communicate and collaborate to unite efforts to improve musculoskeletal care in developing countries.



Who Should Attend?

All health care and industry professionals specializing in orthopaedics practice and research including orthopaedic surgeons, trainees and fellows, nurses, allied health professional, research scientist and engineer and industry personnel.

Why Attend?

- **Instructional Course Program** will feature instructional courses held by American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (AAOS), Hospital for Special Surgery (HSS), International Orthopaedic Sports Medicine (IOSM), AO Foundation, Scoliosis Research Society, Current Concepts in Joint Replacement (CCJR) etc..
- **WOA 2013 Beijing Summit** will be a gathering of international presidents and industries CEOs to discuss effective strategies for global musculoskeletal issues.
- **WOA Forum** will be for CEOs and key opinion leaders from the industries to present innovative products with sound scientific evidence.
- **WOA Symposium** featuring an array of :
 - Clinical case conferences where problem cases are analyzed and discussed.
 - Debates where controversial orthopaedic topics are discussed by orthopaedic leaders
 - "Meet the Expert" where participants will gain a personal encounter with the world's experts sharing their expertise and experience on inspiring topics .
- **WOA Workshop** will feature engaging programs focusing on practical and interesting topics.
- **WOA Free paper Session** covers podium presentation of two categories: Clinical and Research papers submitted by aspiring surgeons & scientists in the field of orthopaedic research. E-posters and Wall posters will also be organized.
- **WOA Award** for best papers submitted.