



26 September 2026, Saturday Day 1, Main Conference				
Time/Room	Duration	Programme		
07:30 onwards		Registration		
Hall 1				
08:00 - 08:15	15 mins	RAM 2026 Welcome Addresses Imelda Kong, Malaysia (Organising Chairperson) Alistair McNarry, United Kingdom (President of DAS, UK)		
08:15 - 08:45	30 mins	Plenary 1 – Difficult Airway Society 2025 Guidelines- What's New, What's Different and Why? Imran Ahmad, United Kingdom		
08:45 - 09:15	30 mins	Plenary 2 – Point-of-Care Ultrasonography in Airway Assessment Karim El-Boghdady, United Kingdom		
09:15 - 09:45	30 mins	Plenary 3 – Airway Leads Network-Challenges and Outcomes Paul Baker, New Zealand		
09:45 - 10:30	45 mins	Coffee/Tea Break, Exhibition & Posters Viewing		
10:30 - 11:30	60 mins	Hall 1	Hall 2	Meeting Room
Oral & Poster Presentations (10:30 - 12:30)				
10:30 - 11:00	30 mins	Plenary 4 – Airway Guidelines for Patients Living with Obesity Adrian Sultana, Australia	Plenary 5 – Making Airway Leadership Work- Practical Strategies for Institutional Adaptation in Resource Limited Settings Alistair McNarry, United Kingdom	Diagnostic Accuracy of Clinical Placement and Performance Tests for Detecting Suboptimal Supraglottic Airway Device Position: A Prospective Cross-Sectional Study Cheong Chao Chia, Malaysia Successful Fiberoptic Intubation in a Pediatric Patient with Large Maxillary Sarcoma Bima Indra Perdana, Indonesia
11:00 - 11:30	30 mins	Plenary 6 – From Critical Events to Safer Systems Pierre Bradley, Australia	Plenary 7 – Airway Management in Non-Operating Room Anaesthesia- The Same but Different Muhammad Maaya, Malaysia	Experience in Helping Anaesthetists Maintain Difficult Airway Management Skills in a Teaching Institution: Our Journey 12 Years On Leong Siaw May, Singapore Scalpel Versus Puncture Cricothyrotomy in a "Can't Intubate, Can't Oxygenate" Scenario: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Mohd Wafiq Irfan Zawawi, Malaysia The "Impulsive Novice": Cognitive Overload and the Illusion of Competence in Peer-Taught Airway Skills Goh Chong Lee, Malaysia
11:30 - 12:45	75 mins	Symposium 1 - Safety and Quality	Symposium 2 - Equipment and Technology	Audit of Emergency Airway Drugs and Equipment Trolley (AED-HK Audit) Ng Li En, Malaysia
11:30 - 11:50	20 mins presentation	Project 2030- Eradicating failed intubation: A Plea for Universality Adrian Sultana, Australia	Innovations in Airway Management in Resource Constraint Settings Faisal Shamim, Pakistan	Current Videolaryngoscopy Usage and its Impact on Difficult Airways, 10 Years After its First Audit in a Tertiary Institution Zhang Jinbin, Singapore
11:50 - 12:10	20 mins presentation	Virtual and Augmented Reality in Airway Education Gunjeet Dua, United Kingdom	Recent Developments in Supraglottic Airway Devices Rhendra Hardy Mohd Zaini, Malaysia	First-Pass Success Rate and Airway Management Practices Across Hospital Settings: Evidence from an Indonesian Airway Registry Johannes Paulus Fernandez, Indonesia
12:10 - 12:30	20 mins presentation	Second Victim Effects of an Airway Crisis Nadia Mid Nor, Malaysia	Videolaryngoscopy- Overview of Blades and Techniques Mohd Fahmi Lukman, Malaysia	Preparedness for Paediatric Airway Emergencies Among Rural Healthcare Providers: A Multi-Centre Pre-Training Assessment Mohamad Hamim Mohamed Haniffah, Malaysia
12:30 - 12:45	15 mins	Q&A	Q&A	
12:45 - 14:00	75 mins	Lunch, Exhibition & Posters Viewing		
14:00 - 15:15	75 mins	Symposium 3 – Regional Perspectives	Symposium 4 – Airway Training and Education	In-Conference Workshop for Doctors
14:00 - 14:20	20 mins presentation	ABS Difficult Airway Management Algorithm (Chinese Algorithm) Ma Wuhua, China	DAS 2025 Education Package Gunjeet Dua, United Kingdom	Awake Tracheal Intubation- The Essentials (14:00 - 15:30) Imran Ahmad, United Kingdom Samuel Tsan, Malaysia Shahridan Mohd Fathil, Malaysia Zhang Jinbin, Singapore
14:20 - 14:40	20 mins presentation	The Values of an Airway Registry for Continuous Improvement Vishnu Bhargava, Australia	Clinical Airway Skill Training in Emergency Room (castER)- the Malaysian Experience Joanne Hing Mei Hwa, China	
14:40 - 15:00	20 mins presentation	Malaysia Difficult Airway Registry (MyDAR) Nor Hidayah Zainool Abidin, Malaysia	Back to Basics: Facemask Ventilation Pierre Bradley, Australia	
15:00 - 15:15	15 mins	Q&A	Q&A	
15:15 - 15:45	30 mins	Coffee/Tea Break, Exhibition & Posters Viewing		
15:45 - 17:00	75 mins	Symposium 5 - Obstetrics and Paediatrics	Symposium 6 – Intensive Care and Emergency Medicine	
15:45 - 16:05	20 mins presentation	Implementation of Default Videolaryngoscopy in Obstetrics Airway Management Oraluena Rodanant, Thailand	Advanced Oxygenation During Airway Management in ICU Fong Kean Khang, Malaysia	
16:05 - 16:25	20 mins presentation	Managing Difficult Paediatric Airways Paul Baker, New Zealand	Managing the Soiled Airway- Beyond Suction Ahmad Zulkarnain, Malaysia	
16:25 - 16:45	20 mins presentation	Single Lung Ventilation Strategies in Paediatrics Teo Shu Ching, Malaysia	Pre-hospital Airway Management Guidelines Adi Osman, Malaysia	
16:45 - 17:00	15 mins	Q&A	Q&A	
19:30 - 21:00	30 mins	RAM 2026 Faculty Dinner (by invitation)		
End of Day 1				

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27 September 2026, Sunday Day 2, Main Conference		
Time/Room	Duration	Programme
	07:30 onwards	Registration
		Hall 1
08:00 - 08:30	30 mins	Plenary 8 – A Year in Airway Research: Top Publications Karlem El Boghdady, United Kingdom
08:30 - 09:00	30 mins	Plenary 9 – High Risk Airway Clinic Imran Ahmad, United Kingdom
09:00 - 09:30	30 mins	Plenary 10 – Patients on Glucagon-Like Peptide-1 Receptor Agonist (GLP1RA) Coming for Anaesthesia/ Deep Sedation- What Should I Do? Zhang Jinbin, Singapore
09:30 - 10:00	30 mins	Coffee/Tea Break, Exhibition & Posters Viewing
10:00 - 11:00	60 mins	Hall 1
10:00 - 10:30	30 mins	Plenary 10 – Advanced Airway Management Training in Malaysia: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly Shahrudin Mohd Fathil, Malaysia
10:30 - 11:00	30 mins	Plenary 12 – Universal Capnography Ellen O'Sullivan, Ireland
11:00 - 12:15	75 mins	Symposium 7 – Challenging Airways
11:00 - 11:20	20 mins presentation	Airway Management for Laryngeal Tumour Frances Lui, Hong Kong, China
11:20 - 11:40	20 mins presentation	Airway Management in Giant Anterior Mediastinal Tumour Tanmay Tiwari, India
11:40 - 12:00	20 mins presentation	Revisiting Perioperative Pulmonary Aspiration-How Do We Practice Rationally? Ellen O'Sullivan, Ireland
12:00 - 12:15	15 mins	Q&A
		Hall 2
10:00 - 11:00	60 mins	Plenary 11 – Combined Techniques in Difficult Airway Management Roan Jaccson, Philippines
11:00 - 12:15	75 mins	Plenary 13 – Airway Management in Tubeless Surgery Alistair McNarry, United Kingdom
11:00 - 11:20	20 mins presentation	The Bleeding Airway Theodore Wong, Singapore
11:20 - 11:40	20 mins presentation	Expanding Neck Hematoma After Total Thyroidectomy: How to Deal with the Airway? Adhine Sugarto, Indonesia
11:40 - 12:00	20 mins presentation	Difficult Extubation- Avoiding the Forgotten Trap Wardina Shumaimah Dato Paduka Buntar, Brunei
12:00 - 12:15	15 mins	Q&A
		Hall 1
12:15 - 13:00	45 mins	Sponsored Symposium 3
13:00 - 14:00	60 mins	Lunch, Exhibition & Posters Viewing
14:00 - 14:40	40 mins	Symposium 9 – Debates
14:00 - 14:20	20 mins presentation	Debate 1: Awake Tracheal Intubation for Huge Goitre? Faisal Shamm, Pakistan
14:20 - 14:40	20 mins presentation	Debate 2: The Use of Suxamethonium in Rapid Sequence Induction: Should We Retire an Old Friend? Theodore Wong, Singapore
14:40 - 15:25	45 mins	Symposium 10 – Expert Session: Discussion on selected 2-3 cases submitted by conference delegates (Part 1) Alistair McNarry, United Kingdom
14:40 - 14:55	15 mins	Acute on Chronic Stridor: A Case of Acute Vocal Cord Haematoma Following Steroid Injection for Subglottic Stenosis Richard Luo Oliver, Australia
14:55 - 15:10	15 mins	From Delivery Suite to Operating Theater: Fiberoptic-Guided Intubation in a late Pre-term Neonate with Pierre Robin-like Features Noor Hasimah Mohd Sahroni, Malaysia
15:10 - 15:25	15 mins	Percutaneous Method to the Rescue for a Difficult Surgical Tracheostomy Mritunjay Kumar, India
15:25 - 16:00	35 mins	Coffee/Tea Break, Exhibition & Posters Viewing
16:00 - 16:50	50 mins	Symposium 10 – Expert Session: 2-3 International airway cases (Part 2) Imran Ahmad, United Kingdom
16:50 - 17:00	15 mins	Award Presentations & Closing Ceremony
		Adjourn

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