15th Echo Hong Kong (13- 15 November 2026) - Scientific Program

Update as of 10 November 2026

Friday 13 November 2026 (AM) | Workshop I: Echo in Clinical Applications

Time	Title	Speaker
8:30 - 9:00	*Registration*	
9:00 - 9:05	**Introduction to Workshop I**	Thomas P Tunggal (Hong Kong)
	Echo in Clinical Applications (I)	
Chairpersons:	*Yuk-Kong Lau (Hong Kong), Jessica WL Poon (Hong Kong), Kin-Lam Tsui (Hong Kong)*	
9:05 - 9:20	**LV Wall Thickness Measurements: Practical Pearls and Common Pitfalls**	Bonita Anderson (Australia)
9:20 - 9:35	**Sonographers Behaving Badly: Imaging, Measurement, and Reporting Errors**	Bonita Anderson (Australia)
9:35 - 9:55	**Echo Assessment of Diastolic Function in Daily Practice**	Jong-Won Ha (Korea)
9:55 - 10:15	**Basic Principles & Pitfalls in Strain Imaging**	Jonathan Chan (Australia)
10:15 - 10:35	**Performing a Good 3D Echo in Daily Practice**	Kian-Keong Poh (Singapore)
10:35 - 11:05	*Tea Break & Visit Exhibit*	
	Echo in Clinical Applications (II)	
Chairpersons:	*Christopher TW Lau (Hong Kong), Kwok-Lun Lee (Hong Kong), Thomas P Tunggal (Hong Kong)*	
11:05 - 11:25	**Optimizing Accuracy: Echo Evaluation of Mitral Regurgitation**	Bonita Anderson (Australia)
11:25 - 11:45	**AS Severity Assessment: Tips & Pitfalls**	Thomas Binder (Austria)
11:45 - 12:10	**Assessing Patient with Tricuspid Regurgitation**	Jose Zamorano (Spain)
12:10 - 12:30	**Echo Guidance of Interventional Echo Procedures**	Sunil Mankad (USA)
12:30 - 12:50	**Invasive vs Echo Haemodynamics**	Dominic Leung (Australia)
12:50 - 14:00	*Lunch & Visit Exhibit*	

Friday 13 November 2026 (PM) | Workshop II: Hands-on

Time	Title	Speaker
14:00 - 14:05	**Introduction to Workshop II**	Kwok-Lun Lee (Hong Kong)
14:05 - 17:05	**Practical Hands-on Workshops with Live Patients with Interesting Findings** *International and local experts will demonstrate the bedside approach with tips & tricks for best clinical evaluation. There are 7 stations conducting in group setting with some hands-on opportunities. Each station consists of 3 consecutive teaching session. Each session lasts for 50 minutes. Participants may attend 3 different stations, subject to seat capacity, first come first serve.*	
14:05 - 14:55	**1st Hands-on Session**	
15:00 - 15:50	**2nd Hands-on Session**	
15:50 - 16:20	*Tea Break and Exhibit*	
16:20 - 17:10	**3rd Hands-on Session**	
	Stations:	
	A. Role of Hand-held Ultrasound in Real-Life Clinical Care *(Room N205)*	Kian Keong Poh (Singapore) Yuk-Kong Lau (Hong Kong) Kwok-Lun Lee (Hong Kong)
	B. Assessment of Valvular Heart Diseases *(Room N206)*	Sunil Mankad (USA) Martin CK Wong (Hong Kong)
	C. Basic 2D Echo and Doppler Technique: Image Acquisition and Optimization *(Room N207)*	Bonita Anderson (Australia) Jonathan Lee (Hong Kong)
	D. Diagnosis and Assessment on Cardiomyopathy (e.g. HOCM, Fabry's, Amyloid) *(Room N208)*	Thomas Binder (Austria) Kin-Lam Tsui (Hong Kong)
	E. Ventricular Function Assessment *(Room N209)*	Dominic Leung (Australia) Jessica WL Poon (Hong Kong)
	F. How to Perform and Optimize Strain Imaging in Clinical Practice *(Room N210)*	Jonathan Chan (Australia) Christopher TW Lau (Hong Kong)
17:10 - 17:30	**Puzzling Questions about Echo that You Want Answers from Experts**	All Faculty

Saturday 14 November 2026

Time	Title	Speaker
8:30 - 9:00	*Registration*	
9:00 - 9:20	**Echocardiography as the Hemodynamic Gold Standards**	Jae K Oh (USA)
9:00 - 10:50	**Live Demonstration (I)** **Interesting & Challenging Echo Cases: Step by Step Guide to Diagnosis & Management** *Chairpersons: Yuk-Kong Lau (Hong Kong), Kwok-Lun Lee (Hong Kong), Kin-Lam Tsui (Hong Kong), Thomas P Tunggal (Hong Kong), Eric CY Wong (Hong Kong)*	Bonita Anderson (Australia) Thomas Binder (Austria) Jong-Won Ha (Korea) Dominic Leung (Australia) Sunil Mankad (USA) Kian Keong Poh (Singapore)
10:50 - 11:20	*Tea Break & Visit Exhibits*	
11:20 - 13:00	**Live Demonstration (II)** **Interesting & Challenging Echo Cases: Step by Step Guide to Diagnosis & Management** *Chairpersons: Yuk-Kong Lau (Hong Kong), Kwok-Lun Lee (Hong Kong), Kin-Lam Tsui (Hong Kong), Thomas P Tunggal (Hong Kong), Eric CY Wong (Hong Kong)*	Bonita Anderson (Australia) Thomas Binder (Austria) Jong-Won Ha (Korea) Dominic Leung (Australia) Sunil Mankad (USA) Kian Keong Poh (Singapore)
13:10 - 13:55	**Lunch Symposium *(Sponsored by Pacific Medical Systems)*** **Clarity in Motion: Redefining Diagnostic Confidence with Next-Gen Echo Technology** *Chairpersons: Yuk-Kong Lau (Hong Kong), Martin CK Wong (Hong Kong)*	Karl CY Chan (Hong Kong) Yuet-Wong Cheng (Hong Kong) Shing Ching (Hong Kong)
14:00 - 14:30	**15th Echo Hong Kong Opening Ceremony** **Guest-of-Honour: Philip KT Li, President of Hong Kong Academy of Medicine**	
	State-of-the-Art Lectures (I) *Chairpersons: Carmen WS Chan (Hong Kong), Kin-Lam Tsui (Hong Kong), Eric CY Wong (Hong Kong), Cheuk-Man Yu (Hong Kong)*	
14:30 - 14:50	**Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy: What We Need to Know in 2026**	Thomas Binder (Austria)
14:50 - 15:10	**Echocardiography for Pericardial Disease: Effusion, Tamponade, Constriction, and Pericardiocentesis**	Sunil Mankad (USA)
15:10 - 15:30	**Tricuspid Valve Intervention: Where are We Now and Where are We Going?**	Jose Zamorano (Spain)
15:30 - 15:50	**Complex Adult Congenital Heart Disease Made Simple**	Dominic Leung (Australia)
15:50 - 16:10	**Diastology from Cath to Echo to AI**	Jae K Oh (USA)
16:10 - 16:40	*Tea Break & Visit Exhibits*	
	Echo in the Emergency Settings *Chairpersons: Kwok-Lun Lee (Hong Kong), Simon WC Sin (Hong Kong), Thomas P*	
16:40 - 16:55	**Complications of Myocardial Infarction: When Echo is Indispensable**	Sunil Mankad (USA)
16:55 - 17:10	**Acute Aortic Regurgitation - Life Threatening and Not to be Missed**	Dominic Leung (Australia)
17:10 - 17:25	**Assessing Diastolic Function for Decision Making in Critically ill Patients**	Jong-Won Ha (Korea)
17:25 - 17:40	**POCUS: Etiology of Dyspnea and Determination of Fluid Responsiveness**	Sunil Mankad (USA)
17:40 - 18:10	**Interactive Echo Case Studies with the Experts (I)** *(quiz with prizes)* *Chairpersons: Sai-Chau Leung (Hong Kong), Kin-Ming Tam (Hong Kong), Chi-Wing Wong (Hong Kong)*	Bonita Anderson (Australia) Kian Keong Poh (Singapore) Jonathan Lee (Hong Kong)

Concurrent Session at Room N211-212 (separate registration required, first come first serve)

16:40 - 17:40	**Computer Learning Laboratory I** *(Supported by Pacific Medical Systems)* **Advanced Imaging - 3D, Crop, Slice, Dice**	Eric CY Wong (Hong Kong)

Sunday 15 November 2026

Time	Title	Speaker
8:30 - 9:00	*Registration & Visit Exhibits*	
	Valvular Heart Disease	
Chairpersons:	*Shing-Fung Chui (Hong Kong), Leo KL Lai (Hong Kong), Godwin TC Leung (Hong Kong), Gabriel WK Yip (Hong Kong)*	
9:00 - 9:15	**Categories of Aortic Stenosis: What's New and the Clinical Implications**	Kian Keong Poh (Singapore)
9:15 - 9:30	**Aortic Stenosis and Mitral Regurgitation:What are the Challenges?**	Jose Zamorano (Spain)
9:30 - 9:45	**Is this Prosthetic Heart Valve Failing?**	Kevin KH Kam (Hong Kong)
9:45 - 10:00	**Forget-Me-Not: Echo Assessment of the Pulmonary Valve**	Bonita Anderson (Australia)
10:00 - 10:30	**Interactive Echo Case Studies with the Experts (II)** *(quiz with prizes)*	Sunil Mankad (USA) Jong-Won Ha (Korea)
Chairpersons:	*Ling-Ling Ip (Hong Kong), Brian SY Kam (Hong Kong), Oscar KH Chiu (Hong Kong)*	Christopher TW Lau (Hong Kong)
10:30 - 11:00	*Tea Break & Visit Exhibits*	
	Echo Guide in Structural Heart Intervention *(Co-organized with Hong Kong Valves)*	
Chairpersons:	*Simon CC Lam (Hong Kong), Michael KY Lee (Hong Kong), Kent CY So (Hong Kong)*	
11:00 - 11:15	**3D Echo for Guidance of Tricuspid Valve Interventions**	Sunil Mankad (USA)
11:15 - 11:30	**How to Assess Mitral Valve for M-TEER & Percutaneous Mitral Valve**	Jose Zamorano (Spain)
11:30 - 11:45	**How we do it: Imaging Guidance of TMVR with Leaflet Modification and TTVR**	Jonathan Lee (Hong Kong)
11:45 - 12:00	**Streamlining Procudural Workflow with 3D ICE in LAAO and ACHD procedures**	Timothy Un (Hong Kong)
	State-of-the-Art Lectures (II)	
Chairpersons:	*Andy WK Chan (Hong Kong), Kam-Tim Chan (Hong Kong), Martin CK Wong (Hong Kong)*	
12:00 - 12:20	**Diastolic Stress Test in Patients with HFpEF**	Jong-Won Ha (Korea)
12:20 - 12:40	**LV Wall is Thickened - Now What?**	Thomas Binder (Austria)
12:40 - 13:00	**Echoes Through Time: The Evolution of Echocardiography**	Gerald Maurer (Austria)
	Lunch Symposium (Sponsored by MSD) - Pulmonary Hypertension	
Chairpersons:	*Timothy Un (Hong Kong), Michael KL Wong (Hong Kong)*	
13:10 - 13:30	**Echo-Guided Treatment Escalation in PAH: When Is It Time to Reassess Your Treatment Strategy?**	Kevin KH Kam (Hong Kong)
	State-of-the-Art Lectures (III)	
Chairpersons:	*Patrick TH Ko (Hong Kong), Shu-Kin Li (Hong Kong), Jessica WL Poon (Hong Kong)*	
14:00 - 14:20	**Cardio-Oncology in 2026: Strain for Early Cardiotoxicity Detection**	Jonathan Chan (Australia)
14:20 - 14:40	**Echocardiography in Pregnancy**	Thomas Binder (Austria)
14:40 - 15:00	**Utility of Contrast (UEA) Echocardiography**	Kian Keong Poh (Singapore)
15:00 - 15:20	**Mitral Regurgitation**	Jeroen J Bax (Netherland)
15:20 - 16:45	**HKCC Echo Rising Stars Case Competition** *Selected best cases will be presented. The winners are…*	
Chairpersons:	*Kin-Lam Tsui (Hong Kong), Thomas P Tunggal (Hong Kong)*	
Judges:	*Bonita Anderson (Australia), Thomas Binder (Austria), Jonathan Chan (Australia), Jong-Won Ha (Korea), Yuk-Kong Lau (Hong Kong), Dominic Leung (Australia)*	
15:20 - 15:30	**Suicide Left Ventricle after Transcatheter Aortic Valve Implantation.**	Wen Shan Er (Singapore)
15:30 - 15:40	**Ventricular Tachycardia due to Intracardiac Metastases – Multimodality Imaging and Management Considerations**	Hau-Lam Leung (Hong Kong)
15:40 - 15:50	**Beyond a Paravalvular Leak: Prosthetic Valve Endocarditis with Aorto-Mitral Curtain Destruction and LVOT Pseudoaneurysm**	Yu-Hsuan Lai (Taiwan)
15:50 - 16:00	**A Rare Case of MINOCA: A Multimodality Diagnosis**	Dipesh Raniga (Australia)
16:00 - 16:10	**Unmasking the Obstructive Right Heart Mass Masquerading as Heart Failure**	Stephanie YK Tse (Hong Kong)
16:10 - 16:20	**LV Thrombus in Three Forms: The Mimic, the Mobile Tip, and the Surgical Candidate**	Kai-Yin Cheng (Hong Kong)
16:20 - 16:30	**When Infection Breaks Through: MSSA Endocarditis with Mitral Perforation and Mycotic Pseudoaneurysm**	Kenton CY Ng (Hong Kong)
16:30 - 16:40	**Role of Serial Echocardiography in Management of Infective Endocarditis**	Audrey UK Yu (Australia)
16:45 - 17:25	**Interactive Echo Case Studies with the Experts (III)** *(quiz with prizes) (coffee & tea will be served)*	Jonathan Chan (Australia) Thomas Binder (Austria) Dominic Leung (Australia)
Chairpersons:	*Mars Cheng (Hong Kong), Kwok-Fai Leung (Hong Kong), Andrew YW Li (Hong Kong), Eric TS Wong (Hong Kong)*	Martin CK Wong (Hong Kong)
17:25 - 17:35	**Result Announcement & Award Presentation of Competitions**	
17:35 - 17:40	**Closing of 15th Echo Hong Kong**	

Concurrent Sessions at Room N211-212 (each require separate registration required, first come first serve)		
9:00 - 10:00	**Computer Learning Laboratory II: Strain & Myocardial Work** *(Supported by Pacific Medical Systems)*	Jonathan Chan (Australia)
11:00 - 12:00	**Echo Workshop: Diagnosis of Obstructive Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy** *(Sponsored by BMS)*	Eric CY Wong (Hong Kong)
15:45 - 16:45	**Computer Learning Laboratory III: Advanced Imaging - 3D, Crop, Slice, Dice** *(Supported by Pacific Medical Systems)*	Eric CY Wong (Hong Kong)