# CARDIOVASCULAR PERFUSION IN A TINY NATION OF A HUGE CONTINENT

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**HUNTER** 

**AVIATOR** 

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LEADER MENTOR

INNOVATOR
GLOBAL ROLE MODEL

HE MADE A DIFFERENCE TO PEOPLE'S LIVES

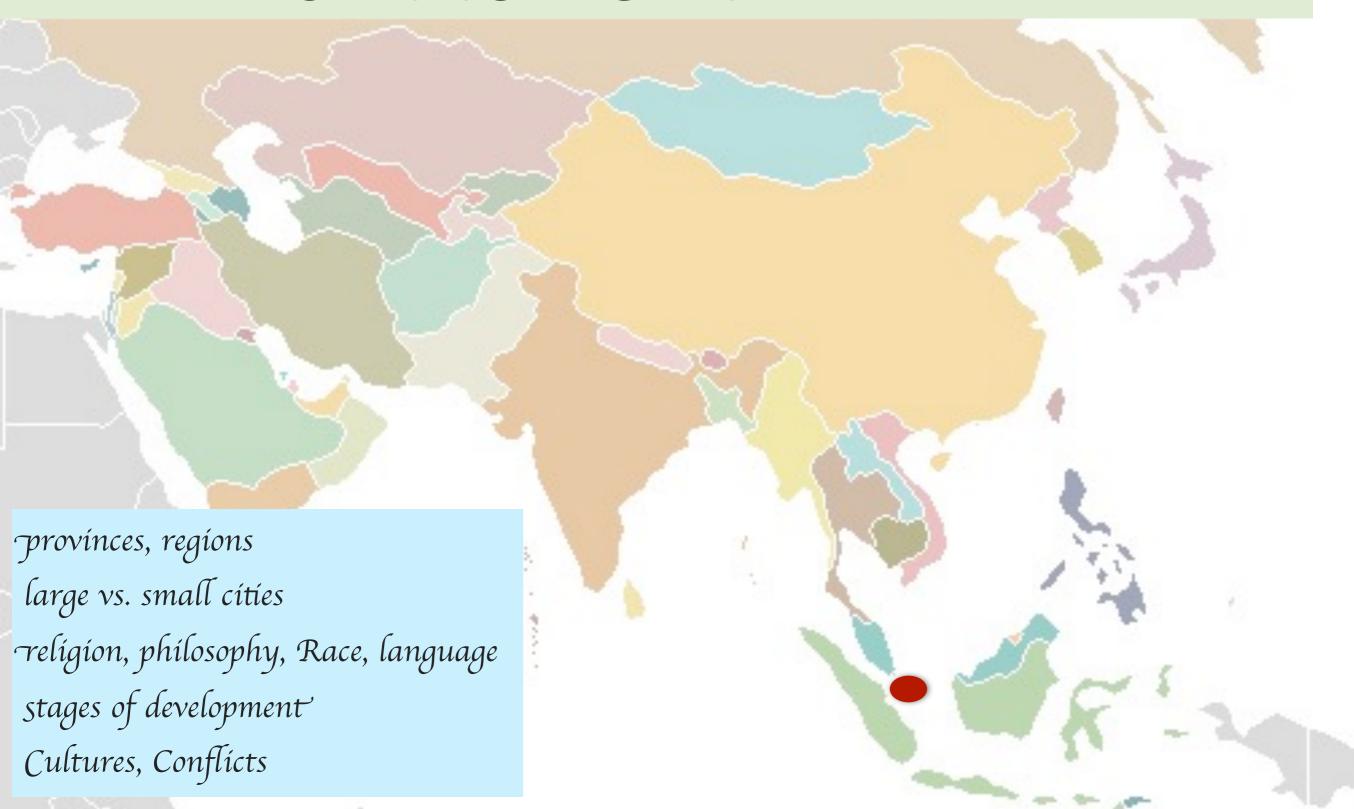


#### >60% OF WORLD'S POPULATION



#### 48 COUNTRIES

#### CANNOT GENERALIZE





### WIDE RANGE IN STAGES OF DEVELOPMENT OF CARDIOVASCULAR PERFUSION

NON- EXISTENT : BHUTAN, EAST TIMOR

EARLY PHASE: MONGOLIA, CAMBODIA, LAOS

DEVELOPING: N KOREA, MYANMA, CENTRAL ASIAN STATES

RAPIDLY DEVELOPING / DEVELOPED :

INDIA, SINGAPORE, CHINA, THAILAND, JAPAN, IRAN, ISRAEL, TURKEY, MALAYSIA, INDONESIA, VIETNAM, PAKISTAN, BANGLADESH, PHILIPPINES, SAUDI ARABIA, SYRIA, JORDAN, ARMENIA, NEPAL, SRI LANKA, BRUNEI, RUSSIA

UNCERTAIN: IRAQ, YEMEN, OMAN, AZERBAIJAN, AFGHANISTAN





#### PERFUSION IN SINGAPORE

- o OPEN HEART SURGERY: 1965
- FIRST PERFUSIONISTS:
   ANESTHETISTS, CARDIOLOGISTS,
   SCIENCE LABORATORY TECHNICIANS
- CURRENTLY: AT LEAST A UNIVERSITY SCIENCE, BIO-MEDICAL DEGREES.
   ON THE JOB TRAINING, PERFUSION COURSE

# SINGAPORE SOCIETY OF EXTRACORPOREAL CIRCULATION TECHNOLOGY

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- U FOMRED AND REGISTERED JUNE 2ND 1984
- 10 MEMBERS.
- 1 2 HOSPITALS

CURRENTLY 30 MEMBERS, 4 HOSPITALS

# 30 PERFUSIONISTS IN SINGAPORE

CHINA: >1500 PERFUSIONISTS

WHAT RELEVANT ROLES

FOR SUH A TINY GROUP?

WHAT IS OUR PHILOSOPHY?





#### A MATTER OF PERSPECTIVE

#### TINY COUNTRY, WHAT ROLE?

- ADVANTAGE: ENGLISH SPEAKING
- RELATIVELY WELL OFF AND WELL ORGANIZED
- PERFUSION IS A HIGHLY REGARDED PROFESSION ATTRACTING GOOD PEOPLE
- "WE ARE A FAMILY"
- CONDUCT COURSES, CONFERENCES
- VISIT OTHER COUNTRIES, TEACH & LEARN
- SERVE AS CATALYST FOR ASIA
- LEAD IN TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT



#### **GDP PER CAPITA**

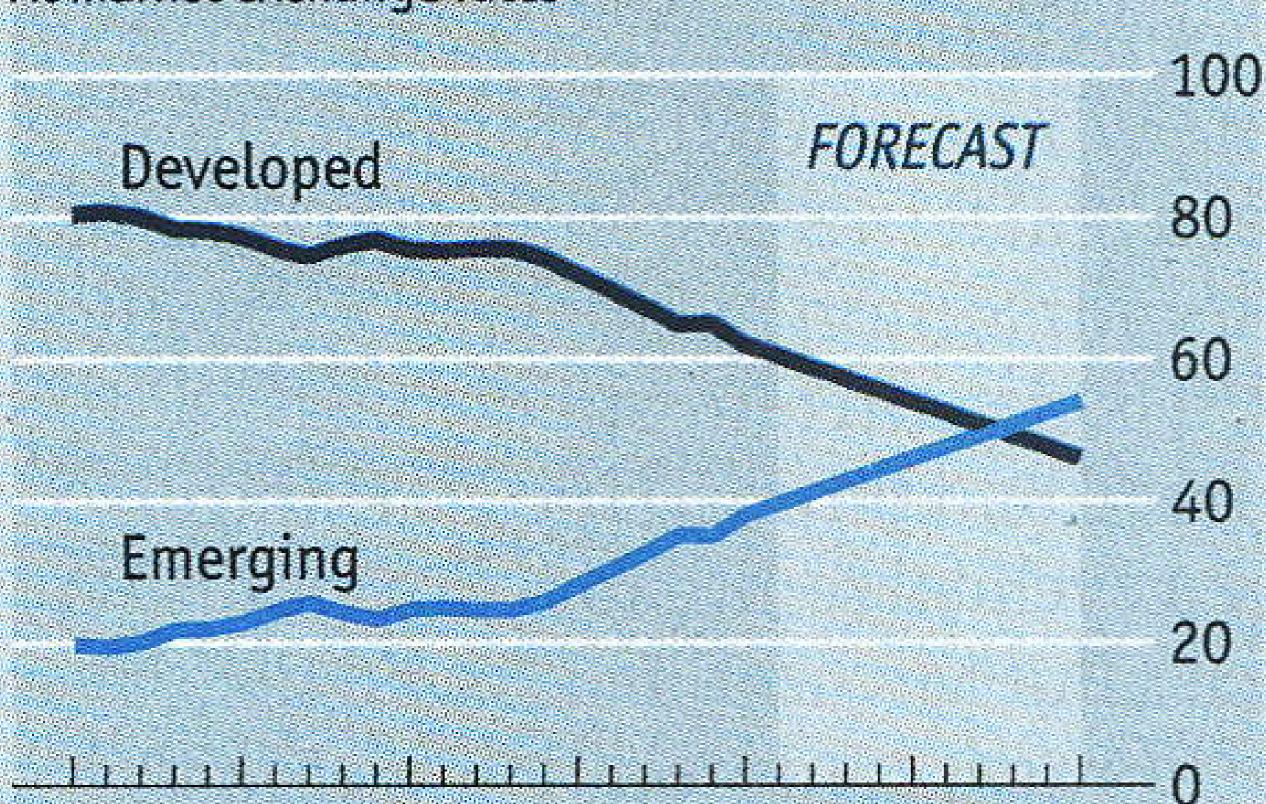
WORLD BANK (2005-2010)
1) LUXEMBOURG (\$ 89,000)
2) QATAR (\$80,000)
3) SINGAPORE (\$57,000)
7) USA (\$47,000) INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND

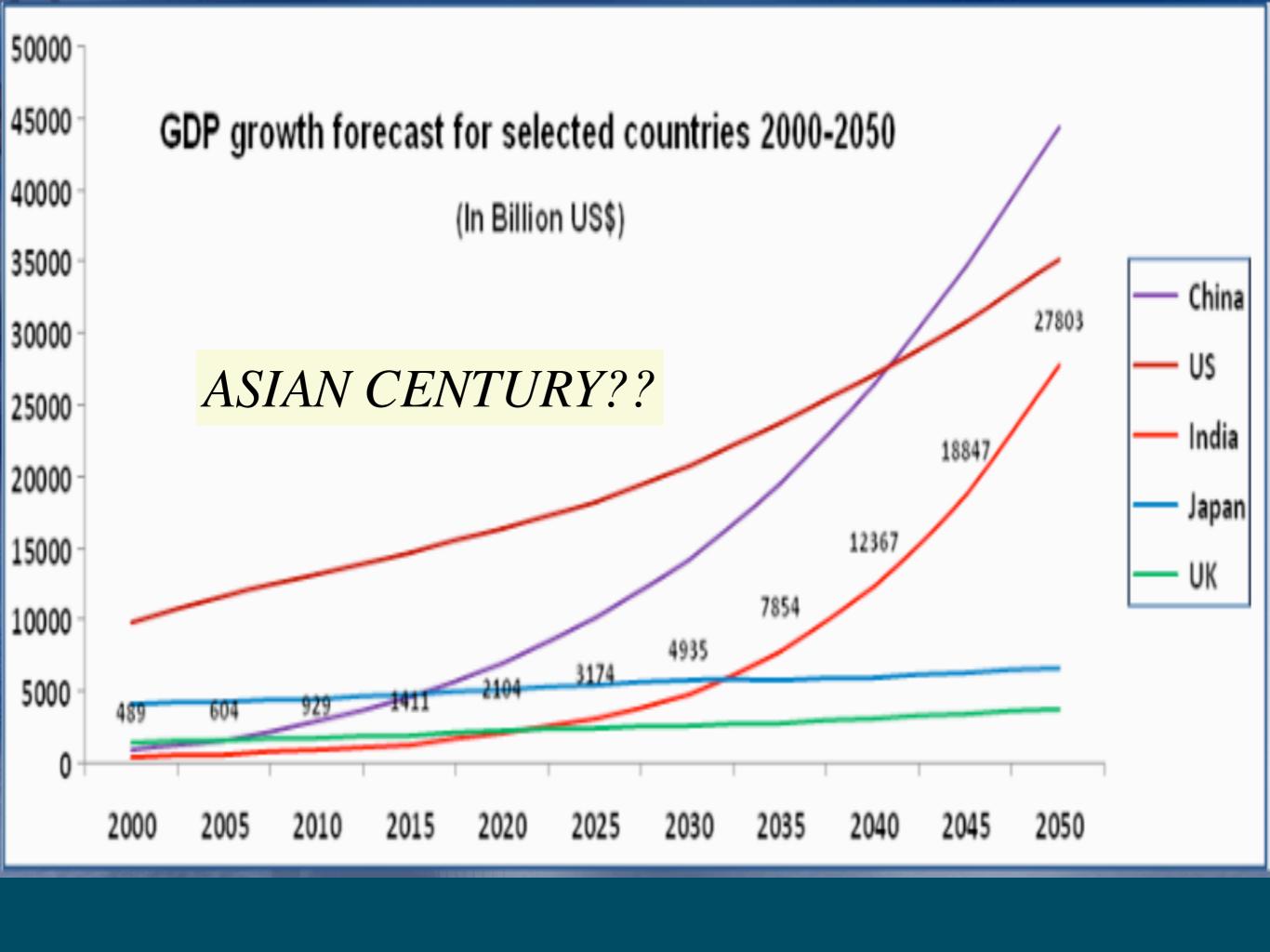
( PURCHASING POWER PARITY 2010): 1) QATAR (\$88,000) 2) LUXEMBOURG (\$81,000) 3) SINGAPORE (\$56,000) 7) USA: (\$47,000)

ACTUAL GDP: \$292 BILLION (39) RESERVES: \$225BILLION (10) USA: \$14,500 BILLION (1) RESERVES: \$142 BILLION (16)

# Economies' share of world GDP, %

At market exchange rates



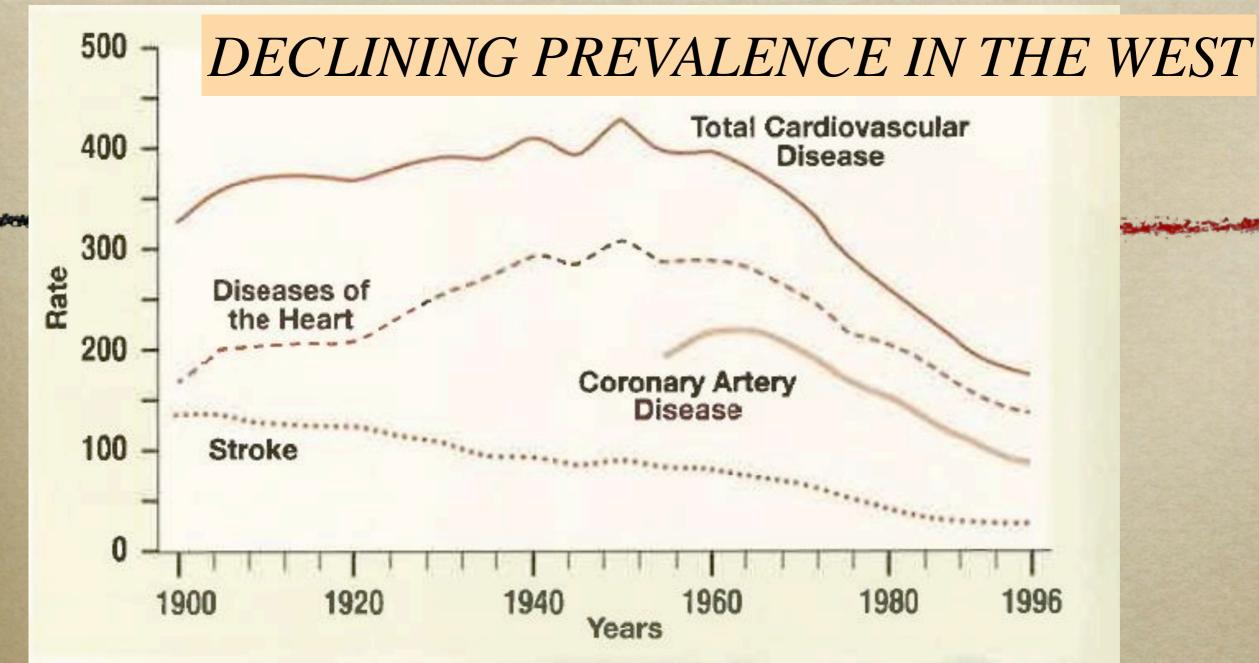


#### PATIENTS VOLUME

# DISEASE PATTERN & BURDEN DIFFER

#### INCREASING ACCESSIBILITY: NUMBER OF PATIENTS IN EMERGENT NATIONS

AGING POPULATIONS, URBANIZATION, CHANGING DIETS, SMOKING



Age-adjusted death rates (per 100,000 population, standardized to the 1940 US population) for total cardiovascular disease, diseases of the heart, coronary artery disease, and stroke, in the United States, 1900-1996. Diseases were classified according to the International Classification of Diseases codes in use when the deaths were reported. Data adapted from Centers for Disease. Control and Prevention.

#### INDIA 2010

3-10% POPULATION HAS CAD: 30 MILLION - 100 MILLION

60% of world's heart disease in 2010 ??

YOUNGER PATIENTS: 30-60 year old

average age of AMI: 40 years old

GENETICS, HIGH DIABETES RATES

CARDIAC SURGERY: 120,000 / YEAR.

POTENTIAL CARDIAC SURGICAL PATIENTS: 8 MILLION

#### CHINA

◆ POPULATION > 65 YEARS

◆ 2005 : 120 MILLION

◆ 2008 : 200 MILLION

• 2030 : 300 MILLION

- ◆ 60% OF MEN ARE SMOKERS
- RAPIDLY CHANGING LIFESTYLE
- INSUFFICIENT HEALTH COVERAGE SYSTEM

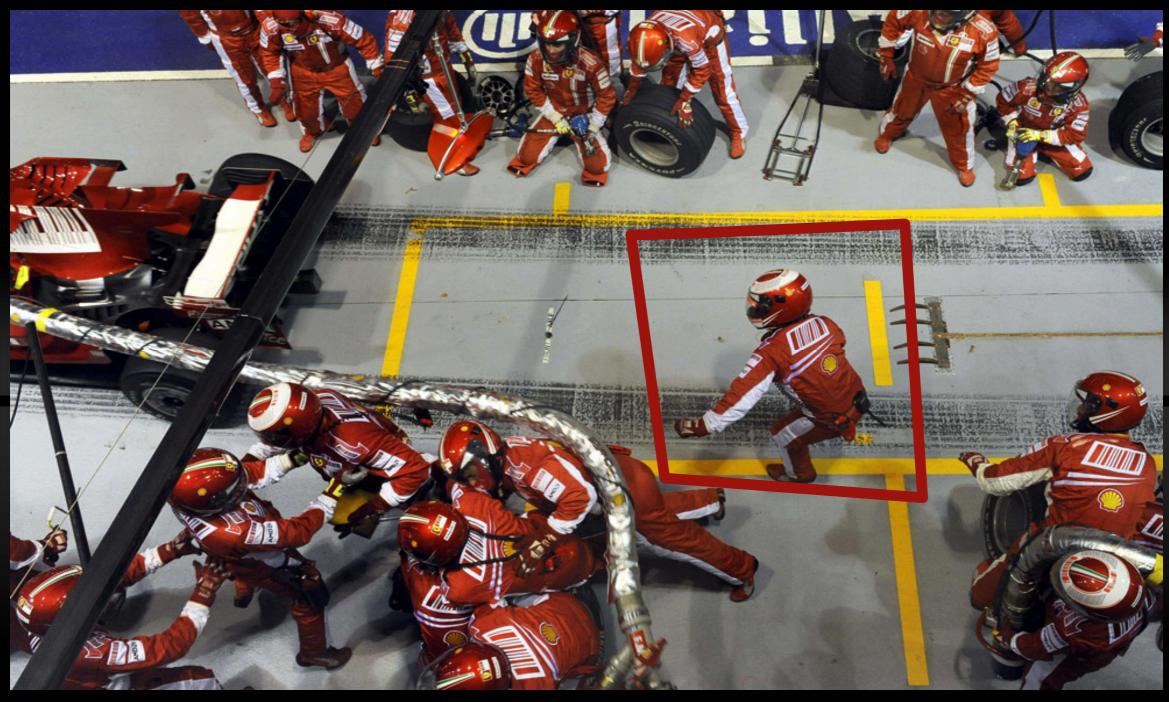
# THE NEED FOR EXCELLENCE IN PERFUSION IN ASIA

• TREMENDOUS NEED FOR GOOD PERFUSIONISTS

- DISEASE PREVALENCE, PATTERN, AGING
- INCREASING WEALTH, AFFORDABILITY, NUMBER OF PATIENTS AND DEMANDS
- NEED FOR PERFUSION LEADERS IN MED-TECH DEVELOPMENT

- AACP CAN PLAY A PIVOTAL ROLE
- INDIVIDUALS CAN EXPAND HORIZONS AND ENRICH LIFE'S EXPERIENCE

#### A Team



Is as weak as the weakest member

#### ISSUES

- ABSENCE OF NATIONAL REGULATORY, ACCREDITATION OR LICENSING
- INADEQUATE TRAINING IN MANY COUNTRIES
- TECHNICIANS. POOR SCIENTIFIC FOUNDATION
- SELF RESPECT
- PROSPECTS



#### International Role

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## DEVELOP EMERGENT COUNTRIES

#### TRAINING PROGRAMS IN ASIA

- o SINGAPORE: (5 MONTH) 1991. fee: US\$5000 NEXT COURSE 2012
- THAILAND:
- (Rajvithi) (15 WEEKS) 2003-2007 fee: US\$ 1500
   Naresuan University since 1998. BSc. instructions in Thai. on-going.
- HONG KONG: (3 MONTHS) 2004. fee: US\$ 4000. CEASED
- INDIA: (MEDTRONIC, MUMBAI)1994 CEASED
- SETH MEDICAL COLLEGE (1 YEAR) (course fee:US\$ 30)
- o (APOLLO) 2004, 1 year. fee: US\$ 1400



#### SINGAPORE PERFUSION COURSE

- o FIRST COURSE: 1991
- DIVISION OF CARDIO-THORACIC SURGERY, NUH, NUS
- o 6 MONTH FULL TIME. EXAMINATIONS
- o ONCE IN 2 YEARS
- SYMPOSIA AT COURSE ENDS

#### CURRICULUM

- BASED ON THE AMERICAN BOARD OF CARDIOVASCULAR PERFUSION
- EXTERNAL EXAMINERS INCLUDED:

  JOE UTLEY (USA),

  ALAN REBEYKA (CANADA),

  BANG ON (THAILAND),

  TIM WILCOX (NEW ZEALAND),

  JON AUSTIN (USA)

#### SINGAPORE PERFUSION COURSE

- TOTAL TRAINED: 53 (MULTIPLIERS)
- TRAINEES FROM:
   SINGAPORE, THAILAND,
   HONG KONG, PHILIPPINES,
   INDIA, NEPAL, OMAN,
   MALAYSIA, INDONESIA

# RUNNING A PERFUSION TRAINING PROGRAM FOR ASIA

- SMALL NUMBER OF TRAINEES ABLE TO AFFORD FEES, LIVING EXPENSES
- LIMITED LOCAL NUMBERS FOR VIABLE REGULAR COURSES
- ACADEMIC BACKGROUND, ENGLISH PROFICIENCY
- CONTINUED SUPERVISION ON RETURN

# COUNTRIES UNIVERSITY CARDIAC SURGICAL TEAM VISITED

- CITIES IN CHINA: BEIJING, XIAN, SHOU ZHOU, GUANG TONG, SHANGHAI
- INDONESIA
- VIETNAM: HANOI, HAI PHONG, HCMC
- ARMENIA
- DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF KOREA
- BANGLADESH

#### FELLOWS TRAINED

ARMENIA

**BANGLADESH** 

**CHINA INDONESIA** 

INDIA

2 KOREAS • JAPAN

**MALAYSIA MYANMAR** 

NIGERIA • NEPAL

 PAKISTAN **PHILIPPINES** 

• RUSSIA SAUDI ARABIA

**VIETNAM** 



GIVE A FISH VS. TEACH HOW TO FISH

• TAIWAN







# AFFILIATION WITH CARDIAC SURGICAL SOCIETIES

PERFUSION WORKSHOPS, COURSES
 WITH THE ASCVTS

NETWORKING
 DISCUSSIONS ON FORMATION OF
 FEDERATION OF ASIAN PERFUSION
 SOCIETIES

# THE ASIAN SOCIETY FOR CARDIOVASCULAR & THORACIC SURGERY

### THE ASCVTS ACADEMY

### PAN-ASIAN DATABASE PROJECT (INCLUDING PERFUSION DATA) ASCVTS

STARTING WITH: BANGLADESH, SOUTH KOREA, HONG KONG, SAUDI ARABIA, SINGAPORE, JAPAN,



## THE FEDERATION OF ASIAN PERFUSION SOCIETIES

 SERIES OF ASIA CONFERENCES ON EXTRA-CORPOREAL CIRCULATION TECHNOLOGY IN BEIJING.

(few representatives other than chinese and Taiwanese)

## THE FEDERATION OF ASIAN PERFUSION SOCIETIES

- first exploratory meeting: 31 May, 1999 SINGAPORE. 7th ASCVTS CONGRESS
- o DISCUSSIONS IN BEIJING 2001, 2007
- DECISION: 1ST FAPS CONFERENCE TO BE IN SINGAPORE
- CONSTITUTION IN ENGLISH, SECRETARIAT IN BEIJING

### FIRST FAPS CONFERENCE

- SINGAPORE, 2011
- 250 DELEGATES
- 24 COUNTRIES. 12 COUNTRIES HAS NATIONAL SOCIETIES
- DRAFT CONSTITUTION. CONFERENCE ONCE IN 4 YEARS
- INTERIM PRESIDENT: MR GOH SI GUIM, SINGAPORE
- NEXT: KYOYO, JAPAN 2015.
   PRESIDENT: KIYOSHI YOSHIDA. JaSECT PRESIDENT.

# WE TREAT PATIENTS ONE AT A TIME THERE IS AN INHERENT LIMIT

WE BENEFIT MORE PEOPLE IF WE DEVOTE OURSELVES TO:

- TEACH, TRAIN
- CONTRIBUTE TO RESEARCH
- DEVELOP NEW THINGS



### OUR DREAM FOR PERFUSION AS A PROFESSION

- ATTRACT THE BEST
- PROVIDE GOOD TRAINING
- FOCUS ON CAREER DEVELOPMENT & INCOME
- RESPECT AS PROFESSIONALS
- INFRASTRUCTURE TO INNOVATE, DO RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, PUBLICATION, NETWORK, TEACH, INFLUENCE AND LEAD
- DEVELOP LEADERS IN CARDIOVASCULAR PERFUSION

### **OUR EFFORTS IN PUSHING FORWARD**

PERFUSION TRAINING

• PERFUSIONIST LEADERSHIP IN RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

PERFUSION TECHNOLOGY
EXTRA-CORPOREAL CIRCULATION
SIMULATION
ASSIST DEVICES

## DEVELOP INTELLECTUAL CAPABILITY



A CORE OF GOOD
PEOPLE
BUT WE NEED TALENTS
FROM ALL OVER THE
WORLD



## TRAINING TO ENHANCE PERFUSION STANDARDS

- DEXTRA-CORPOREAL CIRCULATION PROGRAMMED SIMULATOR
- O SCENARIOS, PRACTICE RUNS
- O ANIMAL LABS

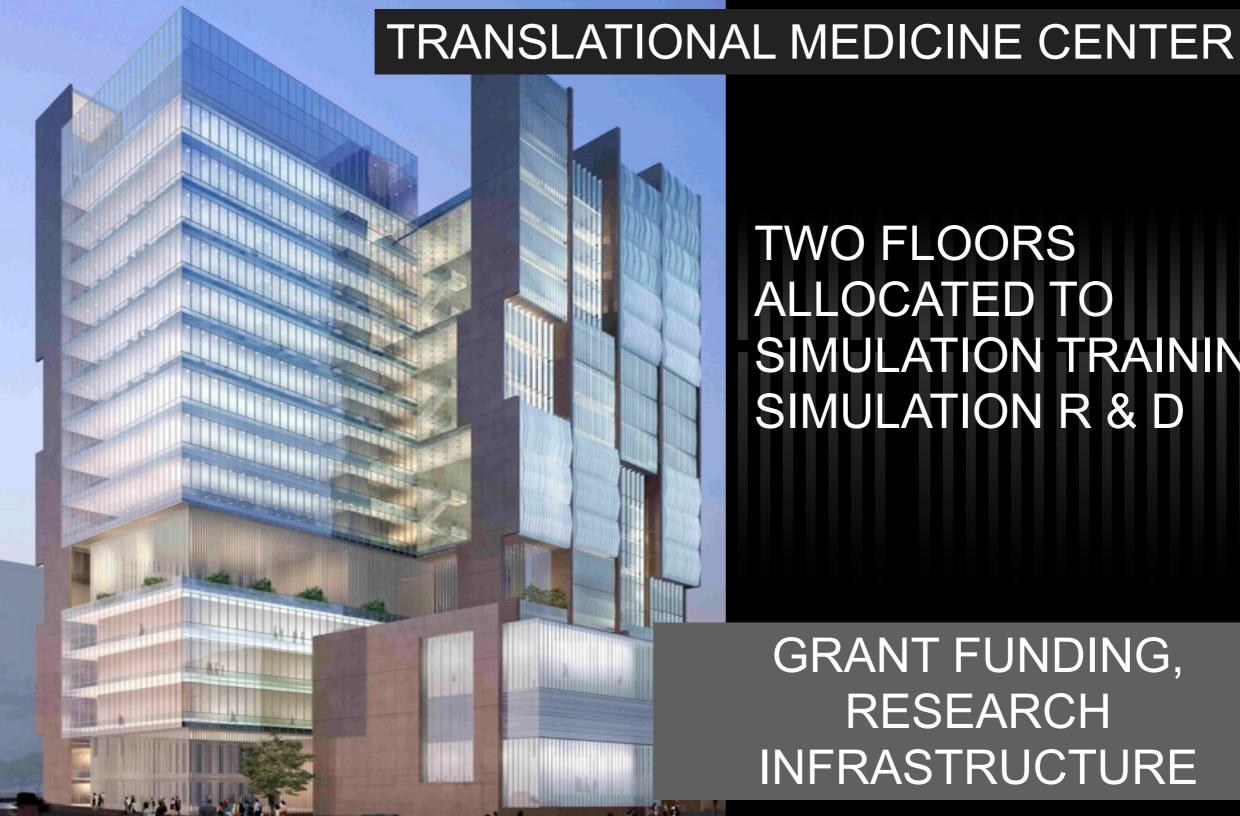


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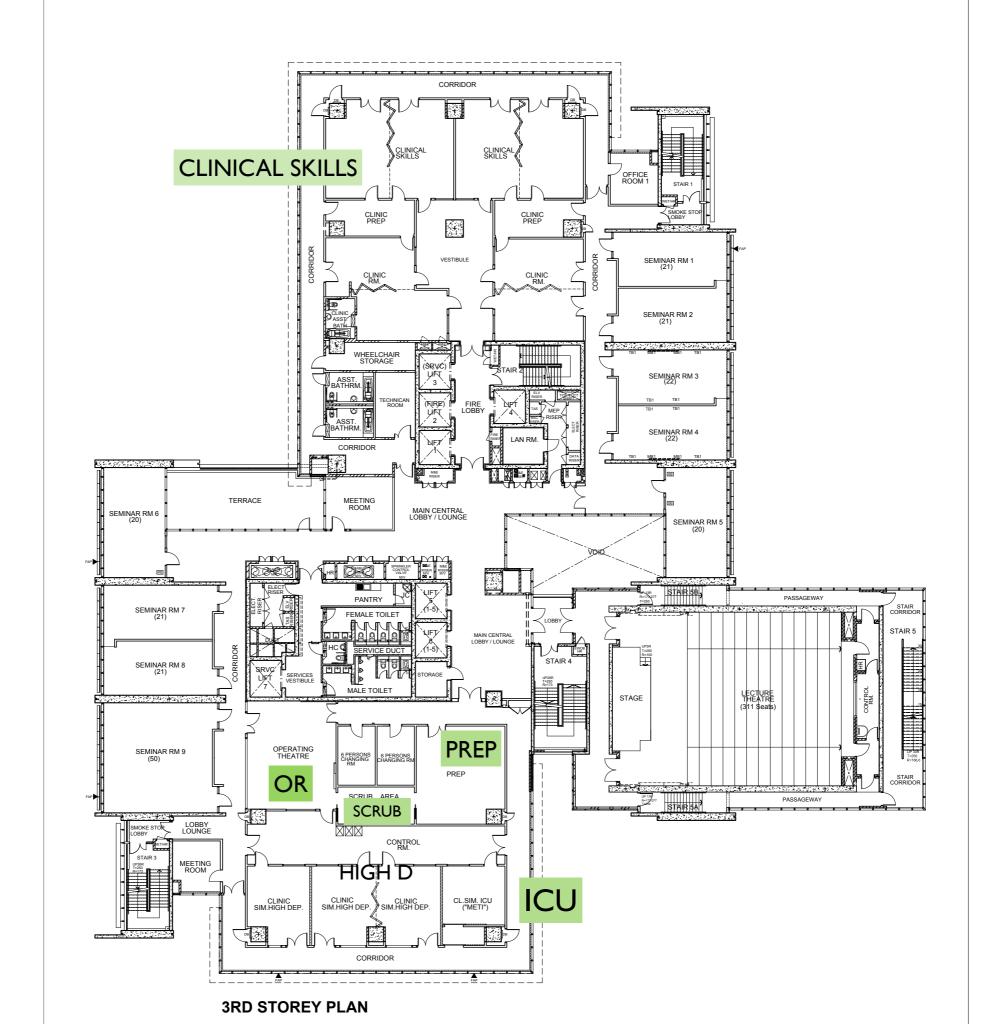


### SIMULATION



TWO FLOORS **ALLOCATED TO** SIMULATION TRAINING & SIMULATION R & D

GRANT FUNDING, RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE



## Our Direction of Simulation Development

### **LEADERSHIP FROM PERFUSIONISTS IS KEY**



Crisis scenarios,
 preventive + rescue measures

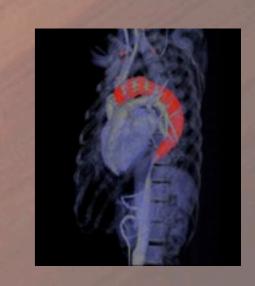


New devices
 Material science
 High Performance Computing

 Med-Tech R&D , Basic Science & Biology Convergence







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## INFRASTRUCTURE TO SUPPORT PERFUSION TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT

- Ideas. Technological Potentials. Market Research Medical Regulatory processes.
- ✓ Intellectual property : search, strategy, protection.
- ✓ Grants. Grant management. Core Facility.
- Engineering collaborations, prototyping. Convergence.
- Animal Lab: Operating room, ICU, MRI, CT, Imaging facilities.
   Clinical trial. IRB.
- GLP, GMP labs. Early industry involvement.

  Angel investor, Venture capital. Incubators. Accelerators.

  Spin offs. Royalties. Commercialization. Manufacturing.

  Production. Sale. Actual benefit to patients

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### WE CAN

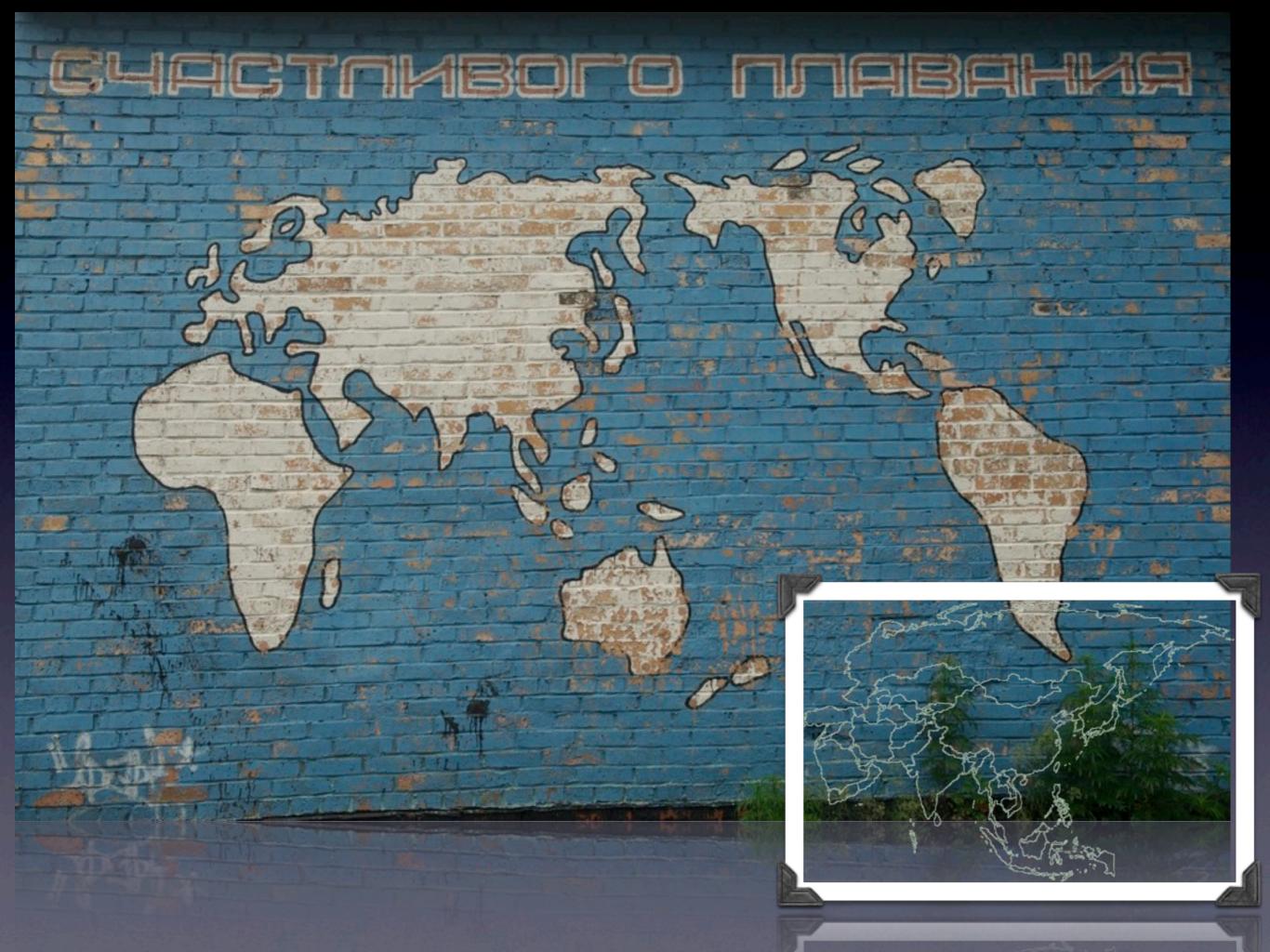
## LET IT HAPPEN MAKE IT HAPPEN

### OR

### WONDER WHAT HAPPENED

### WHAT ROLE CAN AACP ASSUME?

- ADVANTAGE: ESTABLISHED LEADERSHIP.
- CONDUCT COURSES, CONFERENCES
- VISIT OTHER COUNTRIES, TEACH & TRAIN
- SERVE AS CATALYST FOR ASIA'S PROGRAMS
- CERTIFICATIONS, CURRICULUM, DISTANCE LEARNING
- LEAD IN TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT



### CHARLIE MAY HAVE LIKED THIS POEM

Take one of my tears,
Throw it into the ocean
and watch the wounds of men begin to disappear



Take one of my tears, cradle it in your palm. Mount a great white camel And carry my love into every desert





Hafiz, of Shiraz

### THANK YOU



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