



## SPEAKER PROFILE



**YB Datuk Seri Dr Dzulkefly Ahmad**  
**Minister, Ministry of Health Malaysia**

### **Biography:**

YB Datuk Seri Dr Zulkefly Ahmad is currently serving as Minister of Health Malaysia. Dzulkefly holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Birmingham and a master's degree from the University of Surrey. He later completed his doctorate in toxicology from the Imperial College (St. Mary's Hospital Medical School) in 1993. Born in Rembau, Dzulkefly served as a lecturer at the Faculty of Medical Sciences, Universiti Sains Malaysia and the Universiti Sains Malaysia Hospital in the 1980s and 1990s.



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**Ms Simone Austin**  
**Aus-Dietetics**

### **Biography:**

Simone Austin is an Advanced Sports Dietitian and an Accredited Practising Dietitian, passionate about making nutritious food readily available for people to maximise health and performance. She has worked in many areas of dietetics including elite sport, community health, food and health industry, advocacy and media. She is a Fellow of Sports Dietitians Australia and was the president for many years. Simone was the Senior Dietetic Advisor and Advocacy manager at Dietitians Australia and is a current board director. Simone is the author of *Eat Like An Athlete*, and worked with Australian men's elite sporting teams for over 25 years. She is widely recognised for her accessible approach to nutrition, regularly appearing in the media. She is currently the Chief Health officer and chair of the Health Advisory Board at Healthylife.

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**Ms Maree Ferguson**  
**Dietitian Connection**

### **Biography:**

Dietitian Connection began in 2012 and was founded by Dr Maree Ferguson. Maree is an Advanced Accredited Practising Dietitian, Fellow of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, and is an internationally renowned nutrition and dietetics expert. She was previously the Director Nutrition and Dietetics, Princess Alexandra Hospital. Prior to this, Maree worked at an international medical nutrition company in the United States. She has held leadership positions both within the Dietitians Association of Australia and the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (formerly American Dietetic Association). Maree developed the Malnutrition Screening Tool to identify patients at risk of malnutrition. Her innovative malnutrition screening tool has been implemented in many hospitals worldwide.



## SPEAKER PROFILE



**Dr Khor Swee Kheng**  
**Angsana Health**

### **Biography:**

Dr Khor Swee Kheng is a Malaysian physician specializing in health systems and digital health, based between Hong Kong and Malaysia. Currently, he is CEO of Angsana Health (digital health services & systems in Southeast Asia); advises several government agencies, private companies, and private companies; and has several fellowships in universities and think-tanks. In his 19-year career, he held progressively senior practice roles in medicine, pharma, and think-tanks, based in Kuala Lumpur, Singapore, Dubai, Shanghai, Paris, Oxford and Hong Kong, covering >90 countries in Asia, Africa, Europe and the Middle East. He is a Member of the Royal College of Physicians of the UK, has a Master of Public Health from UC Berkeley and Master of Public Policy from Oxford, and has >200 publications including in Foreign Affairs, Project Syndicate, and The Lancet.

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**Prof. Dr. Barakatun Nisak Mohd Yusof**  
**President, MDA 2024**



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**Mr Bernard Reincastle**  
**Advanced Food Technologies Sdn. Bhd.**

### **Biography:**

CEO Advanced Food Technologies Sdn. Bhd./ Smart Food Solutions Concepts with IR4.0 - IR5.0 AI, IoT, O2O, Cloud-based big Data Food Solutions



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**Ms Boh Shi Hui**  
**KPJ Healthcare Berhad**

### **Biography:**

With over 15 years of dedicated service, Ms Boh Shi Hui has transitioned from being the sole dietitian to establishing and managing a department of dietitians while also overseeing the food service team at the hospital. Presently serving as the Corporate Dietitian at the group's headquarters, her primary responsibilities include strategizing, planning, and overseeing all aspects of dietetics and food services across the KPJ Group of Hospitals in Malaysia. Her expertise spans dietetics, food services, and outsourced services management within the hospital setting. She held various key roles including clinical surveyor for the group, internal auditor, team leader of Food Safety Management System, component leader of Nutritional & Nurturing Aspects of Food for Planetree, and preceptor for dietetics students. Driven by a passion for excellence, she consistently initiates and promotes quality improvement initiatives both within her expertise and beyond.

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**Ms Jamilah Abd Jamil**  
**International Medical University [IMU]**

### **Biography:**

Ms Jamilah Abd Jamil is a lecturer and dietitian at the International Medical University (IMU). A member of the Malaysian Dietitians' Association, she has had extensive experience as a dietitian in various settings. Since her career started as an academician 13 years ago, her research is mainly on the Nutrition Care Process (NCP), a standardised process for the delivery of nutrition care, and recognition of the dietetics profession as part of the multidisciplinary care. She has been involved with the training of NCP for the dietitians in Malaysia, as well as taking the lead in coordinating NCP for Dietetics Practice module for the dietetics programme at International Medical University (IMU), Malaysia. She hopes that with her research, quality of nutrition care can be further improved for better patient outcomes and better recognition of the profession.

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**Mr Kevin Zahri**  
**Kevin Zahri**



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**Ms Nurul Huda Ibrahim**  
**Ministry of Health Malaysia**

### **Biography:**

Ms. Nurul Huda Ibrahim, currently a dietitian at the Institute for Public Health, Ministry of Health, is a dedicated professional with extensive experience in healthcare and research. Her contributions to projects like the Malaysian Community Salt Intake Survey (MyCoSS) and National Health and Morbidity Surveys (NHMS) exemplify her commitment to advancing nutrition and healthcare services. With over two decades of experience, she has held diverse roles, including former head of Primary Healthcare Dietetics in the Ministry of Health, former head of Clinical Dietetics and Foodservices Unit at Low Risk Covid-19 Treatment Centre, PKRC MAEPS during pandemic and served as dietitian under Pilgrim Medical Team in Saudi Arabia . Additionally, she actively participates in the Malaysian Dietitian Association, where she serves as a council member since 2019 and has been recognized as an Honorary Fellow in 2022.

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**Prof Dr Winnie Chee Siew Swee**  
**International Medical University**

### **Biography:**

Prof Winnie Chee received her BSc (Hons) in Dietetics, MSc and PhD in the field of nutrition science. During her 27 years in academia, she has held several senior positions and is currently the Dean of the School of Health Sciences in the International Medical University, Kuala Lumpur. Professor Chee has extensive experience in academic management and leadership, including curriculum design, delivery and assessment for the IMU dietetics programme since its inception in 2008. She chairs curriculum and assessment committees in IMU and is academic advisor to several local universities conducting dietetics programmes. She is a member of the Working Committee for dietetics competencies under the ICDA from 2017-2019. Besides her academic role, Prof Chee has also served on many national committees including those setting medical nutrition therapy for clinical practice guidelines for osteoporosis and Type 2 diabetes, Recommended Nutrient Intakes (for calcium intake), Dietary Guidelines and Healthy Plate Model for Malaysia. Her research focuses primarily on the nutritional aspects of bone health, Type 2 diabetes, obesity and chronic kidney disease with the objectives to understand the nutritional determinants and interventions to improve nutrition status in these areas. She has published widely in peer reviewed journals and given presentations as invited speaker in national and international conferences including Asia-Oceania Obesity Congress, International Diabetes Federation, International Congress of Dietetics, Asian Congress of Dietetics and International Osteoporosis Foundation. Professor Chee has been recognised for her service to nutrition and dietetics by being appointed Council member of the Malaysian Allied Health Professions Council, Fellow of Malaysian Dietitians' Association and she is the current President of the Malaysian Dietitians' Association. She received the Wimpfheimer-Guggenheim International Lecture Award in 2015 from the Academy of Nutrition & Dietetics, USA. She is also a practicing dietitian at IMU Healthcare.



## SPEAKER PROFILE



**Mr Rosli bin Mohd Sali**  
**Hospital Queen Elizabeth**

### **Biography:**

A seasoned dietitian with over two decades of rich experience spanning various facets of dietetics. Being privileged to be part of a distinguish graduate of the Ministry of Health (MOH) Talent Grooming Programme (MyTGP), hold a MOH specialized procedure credentialing certification for burn and critically ill patients. Instrumental in shaping policy and practicing guidelines, and a dedicated member of the MOH Technical Dietetics Committee since 2020. Honoured to serve as Deputy Head of Profession for 2024-2025, driven steadfast dedication to propel the dietetics profession forward with unwavering passion and proficiency.

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**Ts Tajul Asni Ahamad**  
**International Medical University**

### **Biography:**

Tajul is a technology business leader with over 22 years of experience in consulting, sales, IT strategy, health informatics, and analytics. He has held C-suite and senior management roles in various organizations, delivering value and results across multiple domains and markets. Tajul teaches entrepreneurship at IMU University, sharing his expertise and thought leadership. His engaging presentations offer unique insights and practical strategies tailored to the conference theme and audience, ensuring maximum impact and relevance

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**Prof Dr Zamberi Sekawi**  
**Universiti Putra Malaysia**

### **Biography:**

Zamberi Sekawi, a distinguished figure in Medical Microbiology, serves as a Professor and Senior Consultant Clinical Microbiologist. Holding key positions such as the Deputy Vice Chancellor for Research and Innovation; and a former Dean of the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences at Universiti Putra Malaysia, Zamberi has made significant contributions to academia and research. With a diverse career, Zamberi has been the Deputy Dean for Academic and Research, Head of Department, Technical Officer for the World Health Organization (based in Fiji), and Visiting Scientist at the Burnet Institute in Melbourne, Australia. His over a decade-long tenure as Deputy Dean and subsequent role as Dean played a pivotal role in advancing medical education and developing accredited programs, emphasizing clinical specialist postgraduate quality training and fostering a research-oriented academic environment. Beyond institutional contributions, Zamberi's influence extends globally. He has held leadership positions in medical societies, including the Immediate Past President of the Malaysian Society of Infectious Diseases and Chemotherapy; and executive committee roles in the Asia Pacific Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infection; and International Society for Infectious Diseases. His engagement with international organizations showcases his commitment to addressing global health challenges, including influenza, antimicrobial resistance, and leptospirosis. Zamberi's impact is evident in his dedication to research. He secured substantial national and international research grants, contributing to numerous publications and books. Notably, he led a multi-million research grant addressing leptospirosis, forming the Malaysian Leptospirosis Research Group (MyLepto), resulting in publications, graduate students, and innovative advancements. His expertise is recognized through participation in advisory boards in pharmaceutical industries. Zamberi's commitment to mentorship is seen in guiding the next generation of researchers, ensuring a lasting impact in the field of Medical Microbiology. Overall, Zamberi Sekawi's multifaceted contributions encompass leadership in academia, global health initiatives, and groundbreaking research endeavors, shaping the landscape of Medical Microbiology.

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