



**GRUPO ESPAÑOL  
MULTIDISCIPLINAR  
DEL ACCESO VASCULAR**

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**Asian Pacific Society  
of Dialysis Access**

## **AGREEMENT**

**between the Spanish Multidisciplinary Vascular Access Group (Grupo Español Multidisciplinar del Acceso Vascular, GEMAV) and the Asian Pacific Society of Dialysis Access (APSDA)**

### **Purposes**

This Agreement is performed with the purpose of obtaining a mutual benefit and contributing both to the development of the Spanish Multidisciplinary Vascular Access Group (hereinafter, GEMAV) and to that of the Asian Pacific Society of Dialysis Access (hereinafter, APSDA). Given the existence of a common target such as promoting and optimizing the care of dialysis access for kidney failure patients, the two Societies have decided to sign a general agreement of collaboration based on the points detailed below.

### **PART-I. Collaboration in the APSDA and GEMAV Congresses**

- a) One or more speakers from both Societies will be exchanged via streaming, although it could be face-to-face in the future, to include them as a “Main Conference” or within a round table in the scientific program of the Congress of each Society.
- b) Each speaker will be clearly identified in the Scientific Program of the host Society as “Doctor or Mr./Mrs.....” on behalf of GEMAV or APSDA, respectively”.
- c) Regarding attendance coverage, the registration fee is free for the speakers of both Societies.

### **PART-II. Promotion of the APSDA and GEMAV Congresses and the respective Societies.**

- a) Exchange of Links-Logos on the respective websites of each Society, both on the website of the Congress and on that of the same Society.
- b) An advertising Flyer of the next APSDA Congress will be placed in the documentation that will be delivered to the attendees of the GEMAV Congress, and viceversa.

**PART-III. Support** of GEMAV for educational projects related to vascular access for hemodialysis organized by the APSDA and vice versa.

**PART-IV. Facilitate** that GEMAV and APSDA share the copyright of various publications jointly developed such as handbooks, textbooks or other scientific documents.

**PART-V. Collaboration** for joint scientific initiatives focused on the vascular access field as research projects, Clinical Guidelines, etc.

### **Modification and implementation of this agreement**

This Agreement will start from March 1, 2021 until December 31, 2021. It will then be automatically renewed, for a period of 12 months, every year until December 31, unless one of the two parties sends a notice against 6 months before.

As agreed,

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Place: Seoul, Republic of Korea

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kim Yongsoo', written in a cursive style.

Yong-Soo Kim  
President APSDA

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Place: Barcelona, Spain

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ramon Roca-Tey', written in a cursive style with a large flourish.

Ramon Roca-Tey  
President GEMAV