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# **Curriculum Vitae**

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# Educational Background

Graduated from Universiti Sains Malaysia, he later continued his postgraduate study in his alma-mater and continued working as a lecturer in the same institution after completing his studies. He later did his PhD at the University of Glasgow, UK under supervision of Professor Kenneth McColl. He continued as a postdoctoral fellow at the University of Georgia, USA under Professor Satish Rao.

# **Professional Career**

**Yeong Yeh LEE, MD, Ph.D., FACP, FRCP, FACG, FAMM, AGAF, FASc** is Professor of Medicine and Consultant of Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Internal Medicine at Universiti Sains Malaysia. JCI Malaysia awarded him the Outstanding Young Malaysian Award in 2015 and the Top Research Scientist of Malaysia by the Academy of Sciences Malaysia in 2018. He is current President of the Malaysian Society of Gastroenterology & Hepatology (MSGH), Past Scientific Chair of Asia Pacific Digestive Week (APDW) 2021, council member of the Asian Pacific Association of Gastroenterology (APAGE), council member of the College of Physician, Academy of Medicine Malaysia (AMM) and committee member of numerous international societies. He is the senior editor of a number of journals including the Journal of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, and the Malaysian Journal of Medical Sciences.

### **Research Field**

Neurogastroenterology & motility, gastroesophageal reflux disease, obesity, Helicobacter pylori, climate change, gastrointestinal cancers, inflammatory bowel disease, endoscopy

### **Main Scientific Publications**

- 1. *LeeYY* (first) et al. Use of probiotics in clinical practice with special reference to diarrheal diseases: A position statement of the Malaysian Society of Gastroenterology and Hepatology. JGH Open 2021;5:11-19
- 2. Ibrahim YS & Lee YY (corresponding) et al. Detection of microplastics in human colectomy specimens. JGH Open 2021;5:116-121
- 3. Ma ZF, Ibrahim YS & *Lee* YY (*corresponding*). Editorial: Microplastic pollution and health relevance to the Malaysia roadmap to zero single-use plastics 2018-2030. Malays J Med Sci 2020;27:1-6
- 4. *Lee* YY (*first*) et al. Recommendations for essential esophageal physiologic testing during the COVID-19 pandemic. Clinical Gastroenterology and Hepatology 2020;18:1906
- 5. Hussain Z, Omar E & *Lee* YY (*corresponding*) et al. Dual infective burden of Helicobacter pylori and intestinal parasites: good or bad news for the host? Indian Journal of Gastroenterology 2020;39:111
- 6. Deraman M & *Lee YY (corresponding)* et al. Randomised clinical trial: The effectiveness of Gaviscon Advance vs non-alginate antacid in suppression of acid pocket and post-prandial reflux in obese individuals after late-night supper 2020;51:1014
- 7. Ma Z & Lee YY (corresponding) et al. Editorial: Simultaneous, prolonged monitoring of the acid pocket and oesophageal reflux. Authors reply. Alimentary Pharmacology and Therapeutics 2020;52:398
- 8. Lee YY (first and corresponding). From the editorial team. Journal of the Royal College Physicians of Edinburgh 2019;49:98
- 9. Johari M, *Lee YY (corresponding)* et al. A randomized controlled trial on the effectiveness and adherence of modified alternate-day calorie restriction in improving activity of non-alcoholic fatty liver disease. Scientific Reports 2019;9:11232
- 10. Lee YY (first and corresponding) & Wu J. Management of patients with functional heartburn. Gastroenterology 2018;154:2018-2021.e1