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ABOUT MAGNUS GROUP

Magnus Group (MG) is initiated to meet a need and to pursue collective goals of the scientific community specifically focusing in the field of Sciences, Engineering and technology to endorse exchanging of the ideas & knowledge which facilitate the collaboration between the scientists, academicians and researchers of same field or interdisciplinary research. Magnus group is proficient in organizing conferences, meetings, seminars and workshops with the ingenious and peerless speakers throughout the world providing you and your organization with broad range of networking opportunities to globalize your research and create your own identity. Our conference and workshops can be well titled as ‘ocean of knowledge’ where you can sail your boat and pick the pearls, leading the way for innovative research and strategies empowering the strength by overwhelming the complications associated with in the respective fields.

Participation from 90 different countries and 1090 different Universities have contributed to the success of our conferences. Our first International Conference was organized on Oncology and Radiology (ICOR) in Dubai, UAE. Our conferences usually run for 2-3 days completely covering Keynote & Oral sessions along with workshops and poster presentations. Our organization runs promptly with dedicated and proficient employees’ managing different conferences throughout the world, without compromising service and quality.



ABOUT TRADITIONAL MEDICINE 2022

Traditional Medicine 2022 webinar serves as a podium for the interaction between experts in the areas of healthcare around the world and aims in sharing some research and translational studies on various advances in the related fields.

It is expected to bring together both reputable scientists in advanced stages of their and young researches from many related disciplines. The webinar expects many new ideas to emerge at the interfaces between disciplines aiming to solve the most important problems relating to the health and wellbeing of the humanity. With its strong emphasis on innovative approaches, the webinar offers a chance for scientists, academicians, doctors, nurses and physicians working in different areas of healthcare to learn new ideas that could help them advance their own research and forge new professional relationships and collaborations. Our honorary speakers will provide you with the most clinically up-to-date relevant information, you'll leave better educated and more invigorated than you thought possible.



KEYNOTE FORUM

DAY 01



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Advances and challenges of professional training in traditional medicine, ethnomedicine and natural therapies in Brazil

The Brazilian Ministry of Health enacted the National Policy on Integrative and Complementary Health Practices in 2006, which legalizes the offer of 29 natural and traditional therapies in the Unified Health System (SUS). This offer shows an upward trend and is concentrated in Primary Health Care (78%), with emphasis on medicinal plants and phytotherapy, auriculotherapy, body practices, acupuncture, integrative community therapy, art therapy and homeopathy. There is a growing interest of professionals and users of health services in these therapies, however their presence in the health professional training curricula is still restricted. Only 21% of medical schools address the topic, with an emphasis on acupuncture and homeopathy. As a result, most new health professionals come to SUS knowing little or nothing about natural and traditional therapies, which reinforces prejudices due to ignorance, and delays the expansion of the offer of these practices in public health services. On the other hand, there is a vigorous interest in natural and traditional therapies by segments of the private health education market, mainly through the offer of open courses, not regulated by the Ministry of Education, with a wide range of formats, hours and quality. A group of health institutions that support natural and traditional therapies, led by the Brazilian Association of Collective Health, proposed a public debate on minimum quality criteria for professional training in the area, with the objective of promoting quality, safety and effectiveness. In addition, the FormaPICS Brazil research is being developed to diagnose the offer of courses and identify guidelines and recommendations for professional training available in national and international representative and regulatory institutions. Using a mixed method, data collection was carried out on public websites from April to July/2021, and the analysis combines quantitative (course profile) and qualitative (training recommendations and guidelines) strategies. The initial stage of the research focused on homeopathy, yoga, integrative community therapy, and reiki. The first results reveal a mismatch between the dynamics of ancient traditions, less translatable to a contemporary rationalizing language, and the attempts to normalize them under technical standards and scientific criteria for professional training. Traditions such as yoga and reiki, for example, which were passed from master to disciple through an initiation process, are confronted by norms of professional councils and regulatory associations. Another challenge is the great diversity of natural and traditional therapies in terms of complexity, resources and specific training needs, which require specific criteria for each practice, considering apprentices with different previous references, as suggested by the WHO. The data on the courses provide information on prerequisites, training levels, offer modalities (face-to-face, online or hybrid), theoretical and practical workload, objectives, curriculum design and teacher qualifications, in addition to the profile of the training institutions. The data from the recommendations and guidelines made it possible to identify and analyze the main contents and propositions available for each practice. The correlation between the profile of the courses and the recommendations and guidelines is underway, with completion scheduled for March 2022.

Audience Take away:

- The Brazilian experience occupies a vanguard position in the offer of natural and complementary therapies in public health care systems in the Western world, and can provide useful references to reflect the trajectory of this offer in other countries
- Quality professional training in natural and traditional therapies in Western countries is a topic of known relevance in the area, with recent and still insufficient contributions from WHO
- Research findings, in terms of successful strategies and key challenges identified, can guide educational managers and professionals committed to natural and traditional therapies

- The presentation of the results of the FormaPICS Brazil research in this 3rd Edition of the International Conference on Traditional Medicine, Ethnomedicine and Natural Therapies may favor exchanges and partnerships for future comparative research

Biography

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UPCOMING CONFERENCES

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