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JULY 24-25, 2026  
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**PURPOSE, PRECISION, AND PROGRESS**  
Defining the Future of Plastic Surgery





## Program at a Glance Day 1

### Confirmed Faculty

Dr. Sanguan Kunaporn (Thailand)  
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FRIDAY July 24	Isla Ballroom	Sulu Dapitan Bohol
08:00 - 10:30	Setup of Booths and Exhibits	<b>Pre-Convention Aesthetic Workshops</b> NCTF, Biostimulators, Threadlifting
10:30— 12:00		
12:00 - 13:00	<b>Registration</b> Opening of Exhibits	
13:00 - 13:30	<b>OPENING CEREMONY</b>	
13:30 - 14:15	<b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Dr. Sanguan Kunaporn (Thailand)</b> <i>"From Local Excellence to Global Leadership: A Roadmap for the Future Generation"</i>	
14:15 - 15:30	<b>SESSION 1: Advances in Wound Care</b> Managing Complex Wounds Use of NPWT in Chronic Wound Management Burn Wound Care	
15:30 - 16:00	<b>PM Break / Booth Visit</b>	
16:00 - 17:30	<b>SESSION 2: Complex Reconstruction of the Breast and Body</b> Advances in Breast Reconstruction Local Experience with Complex Lymphedema Surgery Imaging Modalities in Reconstruction (Ultrasound and Other Emerging Software)	
19:00	<b>Fellowship Night</b>	



## Program at a Glance Day 2

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 Dr. Rosario Salud Abaya-Blas (Philippines, Dermatology)  
 Dr. Theresa Marie Valdez-Faller (Philippines, Endocrinology)

SATURDAY July 25	Isla Ballroom	Batanes Room
8:00 – 10:00	<b>SESSION 3: Facial Aesthetic Surgery and Rejuvenation</b> Biostimulators Face and Neck Lift & Facial Fat Grafting Pure Cartilage Rhinoplasty & Other Techniques	
10:30 – 11:00	<b>AM Break – Symposium (Industry Partner)</b> Group Photo Booth Visit	
11:00 – 13:00	<b>SESSION 6: Aesthetic Breast Surgery</b> Mastopexy and Augmentation Gynecomastia Surgery Breast Reduction / Mastopexy Optimizing Breast Augmentation Outcomes	
13:00 – 14:00	<b>Lunch – Symposium (Industry Partner)</b> Booth Visit	<b>PAPRAS x NCFP: Cleft Forum 2026</b>
14:00 – 15:30	<b>SESSION 7: Body Aesthetics / IMCAS Session</b> GLP-1 Agonists & It's Effect on Plastic Surgery Patients, Adipose Tissue Morphology Ultrasound-guided Hi-Definition Liposuction	<b>Comprehensive Cleft Care Overview</b>
15:30 – 16:40	<b>SESSION 8: APRAS Session</b> Keystone Flap for Palliative Mastectomy	<b>Overview of Speech Pathology Considerations and Cleft Surgery</b>
16:40 – 17:00	<b>PM Break - Booth Visit</b>	<b>Principles of Motor Learning for Speech</b>
17:00 – 18:00	<b>SESSION 8: Life Outside the OR</b> Legal & Ethics - Proliferation of Illegal Practice of Medicine NOTSS (Non-Technical Skills for Surgeons)  <b>Closing Remarks</b>	<b>Treatment of Common Cleft Speech Errors</b> <b>Speech Pathology and Nasopharyngoscopy Considerations in Velopharyngeal Insufficiency</b>
		<b>Effects of Hearing Impairment on Speech Development and ENT protocols for Cleft Palate Patients</b>  <b>Case Discussion with Panelists from Different Specialties</b>