

27th September 2013 LKCMedicine House Meeting

Presentation on Dr Wu Lien-Teh by Senior House Tutor, Dr Jeeve Kanagalingam

The Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine (LKCMedicine) was honoured to welcome two guests, Ms Ong Lay Hong (Mediacorp) and Dr Alex Ooi (Secretary of The Wu Lien-Teh Society) at the LKCMedicine House Meeting held at the Novena Campus on 27th September 2013. The inaugural cohort of 54 LKCMedicine students and their House Tutors were present at the House Meeting.



This House Meeting is the first of five House Meetings planned for the academic year to "showcase" the key figures that each House is named after. Dr Jeeve Kanagalingam (Senior House Tutor for Wu Lien-Teh House) led an inspirational session on the life of Wu Lien-Teh, featuring the documentary "Wu Lien-Teh - Plague Fighter" produced by Ms Ong Lay Hong.



In his opening address, Dr Alex Ooi gave a brief background on The Wu Lien-Teh Society and presented LKCMedicine with a copy of the documentary and a book "Memories of Wu Lien-Teh - Plague Fighter". This was received by Dr Lionel Lee (Executive Vice-Dean, LKCMedicine).



In a question and answer session led mainly by Ms Ong Lay Hong, the students had the opportunity to gain deeper insight into the life of Dr Wu Lien-Teh as well as how she had gone about putting the documentary together.



The LKCMedicine students thoroughly enjoyed the session and benefitted most from the sharing which both guests had invaluable contributed to the session. The students and staff of LKCMedicine sincerely thank both Dr Alex Ooi and Ms Ong Lay Hong for taking time to attend the House Meeting.