



VIC State Committee Event | 29 July 2018

Presented by Edward H. Davis, Matt Power, Eduardo (Eddie) Teijeiro and Jianqiang Feng

This event consists of three case studies and a practical Qigong workshop.

CASE STUDY 1 presented by Edward Davis:

A patient in his late 50's presented with severely restricted movement in his left elbow. This had been gradually getting worse over the past couple of years, and was now quite 'locked in' to a useable range of only about 35° (i.e. about 25% of the normal range). There was no history of trauma, and importantly, there was no pain either. An accompanying recent x-ray report on the elbow indicated stable degenerative arthropathy. The author of this report was careful not to use the term 'arthritis'. Although not referred to by the patient himself in the initial consultation, a bony deformity of his left leg and foot was clearly present, which helped lead to a TCM diagnosis of Disharmony of Pre-Heavenly Jing, impacting on his left elbow in the current circumstances (i.e. a late manifestation).

CASE STUDY 2 presented by Matt Power:

The custodial sentence given to a Sydney naturopath earlier this year for putting the life of an infant at risk will be used as a springboard to the consideration, and hopefully discussion, of some ethical issues relating to the treatment of children in the contemporary clinical context. A case study will also be presented.

CASE STUDY 3 presented by Eduardo (Eddie) Teijeiro:

a. Phantom Leg Pain - Treated by needling into a towel. At the age of 19 the patient was diagnosed with a giant cell tumour in his left knee. His knee joint had blown up to the size of a football. In 1996, at the age of 27, he had his left leg amputated just above the knee. He came to me in 1999 for an attempt to relieve the phantom leg pain that felt like nerve pain radiating down the back of his leg along the Bladder Channel. He felt the pain from the popliteal fossa radiating to the middle of the calf muscle. (BI 40 to BI 57)

b. Demonic Possession or Psychotic Episode. You decide? In 2000, I was volunteering as an acupuncturist in Madurai, India. A young boy aged 16 was carried into my treatment room. Intermittent irrational yelling, and slipping in and out of consciousness. Teeth and hands clenched. Eyes wide open, staring into the distance, or eyes rolling back in his head during seizures. He had 2 seizures while lying on the treatment bed before needling. Head rolled back, body became totally rigid with mild shaking motions. His voice resembled that of a middle-aged woman. Background - His primary carer, his aunty, had died 2 weeks earlier. The night after her funeral, 1 week previously, his symptoms began.

c. (If time permits) Pain relief during Diabetic Retinopathy Laser Treatment (performed at Ophthalmologist's Clinic) I was this subject. Age 35, Type 1 diabetic for over 30 years. Advanced, proliferative retinal bleeding in both eyes. Would require extensive laser surgery in order to stop the bleeding. After the 1st treatment, there were certain areas of the retina that were too painful to laser.

Ophthalmologist agreed to allow patient to receive acupuncture as an anaesthetic during the laser surgery.

QI GONG Workshop presented by Sam Jianqiang Feng:

This workshop will provide introductory Qigong movements that raise participants' interest to Qi Gong practice. Members can practise Qi Gong by themselves and coach other audience in the future.

About the presenter/s

Edward H. Davis originally trained in economics in the 1970s. He subsequently trained in yoga and traditional Chinese medicine in the 1980s and 1990s, taught anatomy, physiology and neurology at undergraduate university level in the 1990s, taught acupuncture at two private colleges in the 1990s, and has been in part or full time TCM practice since 1989. He holds an advanced diploma of acupuncture, a master of applied science, and a doctor of philosophy from Medicina Alternativa. Eleven of his articles have been published in professional journals in the past twenty-seven years.

Matt Power is a local practitioner who has been treating kids as part of his clinic ever since being inspired by a Seminar series presented by Helen Gordon in 2004.

Eduardo (Eddie Teijeiro) has Type 1 Diabetic for over 52 years. He completed a BHSc (Acupuncture) in 1999 from the A.C.N.M., Brisbane. From 1999 till 2002 Eddie worked as a tutor and lecturer at the Australian College of Natural Medicine in Brisbane. In 2002, he went to China to conduct research into acupuncture's effect in lowering Blood Glucose levels in Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus. He completed a Master of Medicine (Acupuncture & Tuina) in 2015 from the Guangxi University of TCM, Nanning, China. He is now negotiating with the Western Sydney University, NICM, to complete a PhD continuing his research into acupuncture's effect in lowering blood glucose levels and assisting Type 2 Diabetic patients improve their quality of life.

Sam Jianqiang Feng was born in a family of Chinese Medicine doctors in China. He obtained Bachelor of Chinese medicine from Guangzhou University of Traditional Chinese Medicine and Masters of applied sciences (acupuncture) from RMIT University. His Herbal Elite Chinese medicine clinic has been operated in Glen Waverley and Vermont south area in Melbourne since 2008. He has been teaching Qi Gong class to local students over 10 years in Melbourne.

Event Details

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| Date | 29 July 2018 |
| Time | 1.30PM - 5.45PM (tea break 3.30 - 3.45PM) |
| Cost | Member \$40 (\$50 if paying at door) Student Member FREE Non-member \$60 (\$70 if paying at door) |

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- ***Non AACMA student members pay the same price as non AACMA member registrants.***

- **Students need to show their current student card on attendance at the event.**

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| Venue | Phyllis Hore Room, Kew Library, Cotham Drive KEW 3101 |
| CPD | 4 CPD Points |
| Registration Via Office | Via office - RSVP by 12:00 PM EST, Thursday 26 July 2018. Contact AACMA national office on 07 3457 1800 or email aacma@acupuncture.org.au |

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