



*International Society for Medical
Shockwave Treatment*

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT ISMST

Dear friends and members of ISMST,

In a few days, the 22nd ISMST Congress will be held in Beijing, China. Personally and on behalf of ISMST board members, warmly welcome you to attend this grand meeting!

I would like to take this chance to thank all ISMST management board members, they choose Beijing to host this important congress; thank everyone who help to make ISMST organization works well; thank Dr. Jose Eid and Dr. Vinzenz Auersperg for their significant and valuable achievement to the coming congress; thank Dr. Daniel Moya for designing ICC; thank Dr. Kenneth Craig S. Vincent's great contribution to ISMST! Meanwhile, Chinese relative government officials also provide a lot of support. The 22nd congress will attract more than 1000 participant all over the world. Hundreds articles will be presented during the meeting.

With the development of medical shockwave treatment, more and more relative experts are attracted and interested in this terrific treatment method. Different treatment techniques, new devices developed, insurance coverage improvement, all these factors make ISMST keep progressing. Collaboration is the theme of the world; it should be the keynote of ISMST also. China, as one of the longest history country in the world, one and the most important character is tolerance. From the merge of different of nationalities, cultures in history, to becoming a part of global village by today. As the host of 22nd congress, we believe the communication between international and Chinese, the discussion between different techniques, the knowledge share between all participants will do good to all parties. Welcome different voices will be the solid foundation for the further development of ISMST!

Our team is working day and night for the 22nd congress. Everything is going well and you will get the cutting edge knowledge as well as enjoy your stay in Beijing. Beijing is the capital city and the politics, economic and culture center of China. It is also the most favorite tour city in the world. May is the best season. You may explore the historic spot, such as Great Wall and Summer Palace or to experience local culture as well!

Once again, thanks for all people contribute to ISMST. Welcome to participate the 22nd Congress and hope you enjoy your stay in Beijing!

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