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Professional Summary

Dr Sri Chander joined as a full-time Associate Professor at the Saw Swee Hock School of Public Health of the National University of Singapore on July 1, 2014.

As the **Global Health Specialization Lead under SSHSPH's Masters' of Public Health (MPH) programme**, he focuses on the development and teaching of new and current Global Health modules for MPH students, medical undergraduates, non-medical undergraduates and health leaders from the Asia Region.

These include:

- Helping two Global Health modules (Contemporary Global Health Issues and Developing health proposals with DME skills, tools and approaches) under the MPH programme
- Teaching in several other MPH modules (including the Programme Evaluation, Medical & Humanitarian Emergencies and Qualitative Research Methods modules)
- Initiating and supporting academic requirements for *GH field placements for MPH / MSc students of at least eleven students in Field Practice internships in seven countries*
- Training of phases 1 / 2 medical students in their annual Community Leadership Workshop
- Teaching in several undergraduate modules, e.g. Programme Design, Monitoring and Evaluation module and Global Health module

He is also concurrently **the Director of SSHSPH's Leadership Institute for Global Health Transformation (LIGHT)** which provides leadership in regional / global public health and serves as an engine to coordinate and drive Global Health activities of SSHSPH.

Under LIGHT, he has established a small Global Health Planning office to:

- conduct *horizon scanning* for Global Health funding, grants, commissions, consultancies and opportunities in research, education and service from global health / donor agencies, NGOs, civil societies, philanthropy and foundations

- Initiate and co-manage *Executive Courses / Leadership Development Programmes including:*
- Initiate and manage *new external regional partnerships* (academic-academic , academic-government, bilateral / multi-lateral donor agencies and international NGOs, etc)

Outside SSHSPH / Singapore: Dr Sri Chander has:

- Served as a co-trainer of SingHealth staff in a March 2017 workshop on Health Systems and Leadership, focussing on leadership in the design, monitoring and evaluation of their programmes in the Singhealth cluster
- Served as co-trainer in a Leadership Training Programme in March 2016 on Climate Change & Health: Disaster Preparedness with Department of Health and College of Public Health, University of the Philippines / Manila

Prior to his current SSHSPH appointment, Dr Sri Chander was involved in Global Health for nearly 30 years as the Asia-Pacific Regional Health Advisor of World Vision, where he led a regional team to provide technical support to World Vision Offices in 17 countries in the Asia-Pacific region from his Singapore home base.

He has a medical degree from the National University of Singapore and a Master’s of Public Health (MPH) degree from the Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health.

He has extensive experience in the design, monitoring and evaluation of large-scale maternal and child health and nutrition (MCHN), immunization, TB and HIV & AIDS, pandemic preparedness and humanitarian emergency response programmes.

He was also involved in training World Vision staff and their counterparts from Indonesia, India and China in operations / implementation research.

He was also concurrently an Adjunct Associate Professor at the Saw Swee Hock School of Public Health at the National University of Singapore for six years (prior to 2014) while serving in World Vision.

Professional Qualifications

- 1982-83: Master’s in Public Health (MPH), Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Hygiene and Public Health, Baltimore, USA
- 1968-73 Bachelor of Medicine/Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS), National University of Singapore