



# OMERACT10

4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> May 2010

Shangri-La Rasa Ria Resort,  
Kota Kinabalu, Malaysia

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## Sharp Memorial Symposium Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May 2010

In tribute to John Sharp who passed away shortly after OMERACT 9, we have arranged a stand-alone symposium dedicated to Biomarkers and Imaging.

You may opt to come to this symposium without registering for the full OMERACT 10 programme

## OMERACT 10 Programme

The main OMERACT 10 programme starts one day earlier than usual, with an Opening Dinner on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May, followed by a key plenary session 'Flares in RA'.

As usual, the rest of the programme is packed with fully interactive sessions covering The Patient Perspective, Responder indices – Ankylosing Spondylitis, Fibromyalgia and Psoriatic Arthritis and other OMERACT initiatives including Gout, Vasculitis, Flares and Remission in RA.

## Kota Kinabalu

Located just over 2 hours from Singapore and Kuala Lumpur, the Malaysian state of Sabah sits at the north western tip of Borneo.

Kota Kinabalu, the capital and international gateway to the Sabah Region of Malaysian Borneo, has a wide range of regular, direct flights to and from all the main capitals of the region: Kuala Lumpur, Singapore, Hong Kong, Taipei, Kaoshiung, Tokyo, Seoul, Brunei and Manila.

Shangri-La Rasa Ria resort is 45 minutes transfer by road from the international airport. Taxis are safe, reliable and inexpensive and transfers will be arranged.

The resort is situated on 40 acres of lush tropical vegetation and unspoilt beaches. Low-rise, tasteful architecture incorporates 330 comfortable and very well appointed double or twin bedrooms, each with its own balcony and overlooking the tranquil bay or the rainforest.

The on-site wildlife sanctuary is home to, currently, 6 young, orphan Orang-utans – Malay for 'Jungle man'. The purpose of this carefully managed centre is to train the young Orang-utans to live unaided in their natural rainforest habitat following their rescue and early care by rangers.

The resort boasts many diversions on-site, including tennis, horse riding and a beautiful spa offering a wide range of therapeutic and beauty treatments. There is an 18 hole championship golf course on-site.

The cuisine of Kota Kinabalu reflects the abundance of local, fresh caught fish and seafood, including succulent lobster, crab and crayfish. Curries and barbecued meats are served in mouth-watering local style and local fruit and vegetables are as fresh as the day.