

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name: E-Siong Tee
Date of birth: 16 February 1947
Place of birth: Seremban, Negri Sembilan, Malaysia
Citizenship: Malaysian

Qualifications:

BSc (Hons)(Biochem), Universiti Malaya
Dip Applied Nutr Universitas Indonesia
MSc (App Nutr), Universitas Indonesia
PhD (Universiti Sains Malaysia)

Professional experience:

Nutritionist in the Institute for Medical Research, Kuala Lumpur, August 1972 till September 1984

Head, Division of Human Nutrition, Institute for Medical Research, from October 1984 till May 2001

Head, Cardiovascular, Diabetes and Nutrition Research Centre, from June 2001 till February 2002

Current position:

Nutrition Consultant, TES NutriHealth Strategic Consultancy

Interests and Experiences

Public health nutrition, nutritional /functional value of foods, food regulatory affairs

Miscellaneous Publications:

More than 150 (more than 50 in refereed journals)

Papers presented in Conferences/seminars:

More than 200, local and international

Commercialised research output:

Originator of nutrient analysis software - NutriCal

Current appointments:

(a) Advisory/Consultative activities:

Chairman, National Codex Sub-Committee on Nutrition and Foods for Special Dietary Uses (from 1986);
Chairman, Expert Group on Nutrition, Health Claims and Advertisement, Ministry of Health Malaysia (from 1996);
Chairman, Working Group on Food/Drug Interface products, Ministry of Health Malaysia (from 2000);
Member, National Coordinating Committee for Food and Nutrition (from 1993);
Member, Malaysian Food Regulations Technical Committee, Ministry of Health Malaysia (from 1985);
Member, National Codex Committee (from 1986);
Member, National Codex Sub-Committee on Food Labelling (from 1986);
Member, Technical Working Group on Dietary Guidelines and RDA (from 1995);
Member, Board of Scientific Directors, International Life Sciences Institute (SEAsia Branch) (from 1996);
Member, Megascience Framework Study for Sustained National Development in Agriculture (2011-2050), Academy of Sciences Malaysia (from 2009)

Member, Technical Working Group on Food Composition Data (from 2010)

(b) Public health nutrition activities:

Chairman, Steering Committee for Nutrition Month Malaysia (from 2002)
Chairman, Advisory Panel, Woman@Heart Programme, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (from 2005)
NutriScene column for The Star (from 2006)
Chairman, Advisory Panel, Kids Nutrition Programme, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (from 2010)

Previous appointments

(a) National Advisory/Consultative activities

Chairman, Technical Committee on Marine Products, Standards and Industrial Research Institute Malaysia (from 1980 till 2008)
Chairman, Malaysian Food Composition Programme, Institute for Medical Research (from 1982)
Chairman, Technical Working Group on Research, National Coordinating Committee on Food and Nutrition (1996-Feb 2002)
Deputy Chairman, Doping Control Sub-Committee, Commonwealth Games 1998 (1996-1998)
Chairman, Doping Control Sub-Committee, South-East Asian Games 2001 (1999-2001)
Quality Management Representative, MS ISO 9000 Program, Institute for Medical Research (2000 - Feb 2002);
Chairman, Technical Working Group on Vitamin Requirements, Recommended Nutrient Intakes Malaysia (2002-2005)

(b) Regional/International Advisory/Consultative activities

Advise Ministry of Health Brunei Darussalam in conducting an assessment of nutritional status of communities, 1995-1996
Advise Ministry of Health Laos in conducting a study of the etiology of anaemia amongst women of reproductive age, 1997-1999
Member, Committee on Food Standards, Terminology and Informatics of the International Union of Nutritional Sciences (IUNS) (1985-1990)
Temporary Advisor, WHO Working Group on Accelerating Progress in Preventing and Controlling Micronutrient Malnutrition, 17-19 August 1999, Kuala Lumpur
Short term consultant, WHO Workshop on National Plans of Action for Nutrition for the Western Pacific Region, 25-29 October 1999, Kuala Lumpur
Temporary Advisor, WHO/UNICEF/INACG/MI Technical Consultation on Intermittent Iron Supplementation in the Control of Iron Deficiency Anaemia, 4-5 November 1999, Washington DC.
Consultants Meeting on Isotopic and Other Techniques for Organic Micronutrient Analysis and Development of Quality Assurance Procedures, 4-8 December 2000, Vienna, Austria
Short term consultant, FAO Sub-Regional Training Course on Food Regulation and Standards – Food Control and Quality Assurance, 10-28 November 2003, Suva, Fiji;
Resource person, Regional Expert Consultation of the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) Asia-Pacific Network for Food and Nutrition on Functional Foods and their Implications in the Daily Diet, 16-19 November 2004, Bangkok, Thailand;
Member, Board of Trustees, International Life Sciences Institute, Washington DC (from 2002-2005; 2008-2010)

Member, Board of Trustees, Research Foundation, International Life Sciences Institute, Washington DC (March 2005 – Jan 2010)

(c) Public Health Nutrition activities

Secretary, Fight Against Diabetes Programme, National Diabetes Institute, Malaysia (from 2003-2008)

Chairman, Advisory Panel, Bright Start Nutrition Programme, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (2001-2003)

Chairman, Advisory Panel, Smart Nutrition Programme, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (2005-2008)

Chairman, Advisory Panel, NutriBus Project, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (2008-2009)

Membership of Professional Societies:

Protem Secretary, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (1983-85);

Honorary Secretary, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (1986-87; 1988-89; 1990-91; 1992-93; 1993-94)

Vice-President, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (1994-95)

Secretary-General, Federation of Asian Nutrition Societies (1994-1995)

Council Member, Federation of Asian Nutrition Societies (1999-2003)

President, Nutrition Society of Malaysia (1996- present)

Member, Malaysian Institute of Chemistry (since 1984)

Awards

Excellent service award from IMR: 1988, 1992, 1996

Ahli Mangku Negara (AMN) award from His Majesty the King of Malaysia, 1993

Kesatria Mangku Negara (KMN) award from His Majesty the King of Malaysia, 1998

Toray Foundation Science and Technology Award for 2001

NSM Outstanding Contributions Award, 2010

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