



東華學院
TUNG WAH COLLEGE

Seating and Wheeled Mobility Workshop

(Course Code : Workshop A - HKOTA-O-00-00-0014

Workshop B - HKOTA-O-00-00-0015)

*Jointly organized by the Hong Kong Occupational Therapy Association Ltd
AND Occupational Therapy Section, School of Medical and Health Sciences, Tung Wah College*

Date: Workshop A (For Therapists with 0-2 year of experience)
14 Mar 2023 (Tuesday) 8.45am to 5.15pm

Workshop B (For Therapist with 2 or more years of experience)
15 Mar 2023 (Wednesday) 8.45am to 5.15pm

Venue: Room 2301, 23/F Block B, Mongkok Campus, Tung Wah College, 98 Shantung Street, Mongkok, Kowloon

Targeted Participants:

Occupational Therapists who are interested in Wheelchair & Seating

Capacities:

35 for each workshop (first-come-first serve basis)

Speakers: (Details please refer to Appendix I)

Ms. Rachel Fabiniak, PT, DPT

Ms Rika Millen, MOccThy (OT)

Ms Rainy Wu, B.Sc. (PT)

For enquiries and registration, please contact:

Ms Lydia Yip (email: hkotaemail@gmail.com)

Deadline for application: 24 Feb 2023

Confirmation will be given by 28 Feb 2023

HKOTA CPD: Workshop A: 6 points

Workshop B: 6 points

Remarks: Certificate of attendance will be issued to participants with full attendance.

Programme Rundown:

Workshop A - 14 Mar 2023 Tue (8.45- 17.15)

8.45 – 9.00	Registration – sign in
9.00 – 10.45	Pressure injury risk factors and the ageing population Basic principles of pressure management, proper seating and positioning
10.45 – 12.15	Matching persons with technology The substance and design of seating components + Cushion lab
12.15 – 13.15	Lunch
13.15 – 13.30	Registration – sign in
13.30 – 15.15	Manual mobility and power mobility – what, when, how Wheelchair demo
15.15- 15.30	Break
15.30 – 17.00	Good practice in AT prescription – experience sharing by local HA & NGO OTs
17.00 – 17.15	Q&A

Workshop B - 15 Mar 2023 Wed (8.45- 17.15)

8.45 – 9.00	Registration – sign in
9.00 – 10.45	Advanced seating, positioning and pressure management ISO testing
10.45 – 12.15	Custom prescription for various client populations How to custom build/ adjust seating system on different wheeled mobility
12.15 – 13.15	Lunch
13.15 – 13.30	Registration – sign in
13.30 – 15.15	Seating and Mobility outcome Equipment Demo
15.15 – 15.30	Break
15.30 – 17.00	Advanced case experience sharing – experience sharing by CRSSC and NGO OTs
17.00 – 17.15	Q&A



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Course Fee:

	HKOTA member	Non HKOTA member
Workshop A <u>or</u> B	HK\$ 350	HK\$ 600
Both Workshop A&B	HK\$ 700	HK\$ 1,200

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Please go to the Google link as below for application:

<https://forms.gle/A2FjNxbbhjjGR2aK6>

****Enrollment should be completed with Google form and receipt of full payment from the applicants.**

Cheque payable to: **Hong Kong Occupational Therapy Association Ltd.**

Address: Workshop D,13/F, Haribest Industrial Building, No 45-47 Au Pui Wan Street, Shatin, N.T.

Attention: CE Sub-Committee (Seating and Wheeled Mobility Workshop)

Appendix I

*Rachel Fabiniak, PT, DPT
Director of Clinical Services*



Rachel Fabiniak began her studies at The Georgia Institute of Technology, where she graduated with her Bachelor of Science in Biology in 2009. Rachel then went on to receive her Doctorate in Physical Therapy from Emory University in 2013.

After receiving her doctorate, Rachel went into clinical practice as a physiotherapist in the Spinal Cord Injury Day Program at Shepherd Center in Atlanta, Ga. Rachel also has experience in community physiotherapy and inpatient rehabilitation. During Rachel's time at Shepherd Center, she developed a passion for seating and mobility which ultimately led to her career with Permobil.

Rachel joined on with Permobil in January 2018 and relocated to Sydney, Australia in June 2018 as the clinical education specialist for Australia and New Zealand. In February 2020 Rachel moved into the role of Director of Clinical Services for Asia-Pacific.

*Rika Millen, MOccThy (OT)
Clinical Educator*



Rika Millen joined Permobil in May 2022, as a Clinical Services Specialist. After graduating from Western Sydney University in 2014, with a Bachelor of Health Science/Master of Occupational Therapy, Rika began working at Prince of Wales Hospital in Sydney.

After rotating through a range of clinical areas, Rika moved into the Spinal Injuries Unit, where her passion for seating and assistive technology was ignited. Rika has since worked closely with clients and therapists across Seating Clinic,

*Rainy Wu, B.Sc. (PT)
Clinical Educator*



Rainy Wu joined Permobil as a clinical education specialist in March 2020. Originally from Taiwan, she graduated Physical Therapy and Assistive Technology with a bachelor's degree from National Yang Ming University in 2012.

Rainy began working as a physical therapist at New Taipei City Assistive Technology Centre, performing the assessment of assistive devices for government reimbursement. Also, she executed the assessment of barrier-free home environment and made recommendations for homecare assistive technology for the elderly and disabled. During the same time, she worked for several schools with special education, providing physical therapy consultation and implementing/applying assistive devices for students who require assistance in schools from The Ministry of Education.

In 2018, she moved to Shanghai to work in a private pediatric clinic, where she performed plantar assessment, body structure consultations, and sports education for patients. As the rehabilitation industry is increasingly thriving within China, her experience and passion in the field of assistive technology led her to a career with Permobil.



Important Note to Participants

1. Admission is on a first-come, first-served basis. Enrolment will be confirmed once you have made the payment. You will receive a payment confirmation after payment has been made successfully. You are advised to keep your payment confirmation for future enquiries.
2. Fees paid are not refundable regardless of whether applicants have attended classes or not. If there is any exceptional circumstance, please appeal in writing and it is subjected to the Association's discretion.
3. Fees on courses cannot be transferred from one qualified applicant to another. Once accepted onto a course, the applicants cannot change to another course. In case of exceptional circumstances, transfer studentship is subjected to HKOTA approval.
4. Participants are advised to arrive 15 minutes before the programme commences for registration.
5. Switch your mobile phones or any electronic devices to silent mode during the programme.

Bad Weather Arrangement

For workshop or seminar that have not yet started: If typhoon Signal No. 8 or above or Black Rainstorm Warning is in force after the following times, workshop or seminar will be cancelled as indicated	
6:00 a.m.	Morning workshop or seminar that start before 2:00 p.m.
11:00 a.m.	Afternoon workshop or seminar that start between 2:00 p.m. & 6:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	Evening workshop or seminar that start from 6:00 p.m.
For workshop or seminar that have already started:	
	workshop or seminar
When Typhoon Signal No 8 or above is hoisted	Immediately suspended
When Black Rainstorm Signal is in force	Continue