

7. 강원지회

1) 창립배경

강원도 내의 신경과 의사들의 학문 교류 및 친목 도모를 위해 1996년 10월 23일 연세대 원주의대 원주기독병원의 김승민 교수와 한림의대 춘천성심병원의 배재천 교수 등이 주도하여 강원지회를 창립하였다.

2) 역대 임원

1대 (1996 - 1997)	회장 김승민(원주의대), 총무 배재천(한림의대)
2대 (1997 - 2002)	회장 이성수(연세대 원주기독병원), 총무 배재천(한림의대)
3대 (2002 -)	회장 박영관(연세신경과의원), 총무 배재천(한림의대)

3) 주요 활동

1996년 10월 첫 번째 지회를 개최한 이후로 1998년부터 3월, 6월, 9월에 원주, 춘천, 강릉에서 강의 1시간, 증례 1시간으로 이루어 지는 학술집담회를 매년 3회 개최하고 있다. 이러한 학술집담회 이외 회원들의 경조사를 서로 알려 회원상호간의 친목을 도모하고 있다

8. 재미한인신경과의사회 (KANA)

KOREAN-AMERICAN NEUROLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (KANA)

1) A BRIEF HISTORY

It was exactly ten years ago this year that the Korean-American Neurological Association (KANA) was founded on April 23, 1993 in New York City.

The historic meeting took place in Woo Lae Oak during the 45th American Academy of Neurology (AAN) meeting, which was held at the New York Hilton Hotel in New York City. However, it took about four to five years to prepare the formal launching of the organization. I had personally campaigned to obtain the consensus on an opinion about forming a neurological association in the United States during that period. Fortunately, the response was an overwhelming yes.

The founding members listed below are those who had come to the AAN meetings over the years and had agreed with the idea of forming KANA up to the time of April 1993.

2) FOUNDING MEMBERS

A total of 40 (25 from the USA, 14 from Korea and 1 from Canada) and their locations at the time of agreement.

* Members from USA and Canada

Richard Sangchul Rhee, M.D (New Jersey)	Byung Hae Park, M.D (Wisconsin)
Seung Up Kim, M.D, Ph.D.(Canada)	Beom Seok Jeon, M.D (Minnesota)
Young Bin Lee, M.D (New Jersey)	Brice Byung Il Choi, M.D (California)
Shin Joong OH, M.D (Alabama)	David Young Soo Ko (California)
Kyoon Huh, M.D (Georgia)	Yong Hyun Kim, M.D (Ohio)
Kyung Chun Cheon, M.D (Ohio)	Bong Jung, M.D (Michigan)
Cheolsu Shin, M.D (North Carolina)	Kong Shik Shin, M.D (California)
Chan Soo Park, M.D (New York)	Chong Sik Lee, M.D (California)
Hung Soo Sul, M.D (New York)	Yong Buk Park, M.D (New York)
Youn Kang Oh, M.D (New Jersey)	Daniel Kyun Kwak, M.D (New York)
Un Jung Kang, M.D (New York)	Kyung Koo Cho, M.D (California)
Soo Ik Lee, M.D (Virginia)	Doopyo Hong, M.D (Michigan)
Juhan Taiyo Ohr, M.D (Nebraska)	

* Members from Korea

Taejeon Seung, M.D (Seoul)	Yuan Chung, M.D (Seoul)
Seol-Heui Han, M.D (Seoul)	Seung-Bong Hong, M.D (Seoul)
Young Mee Hwang, M.D(Seoul)	Beum Saeng Kim, M.D (Seoul)
Jang Sung Kim, M.D (Seoul)	Shin-Shan Chun, M.D (Seoul)
Jong Sung Kim, M.D (Seoul)	Jae Kim, M.D (Seoul)
Juhan Kim, M.D (Seoul)	Kihwang Kim, M.D (Seoul)
Ae-Young Lee, M.D (Taejeon)	Sang Bok Lee, MID, Ph.D. (Seoul)
Young Choon Park, M.D (Taugu)	

Because of the need of good communication between Korean-American Neurological Association (KANA) and the Korean Neurological Association (KNA) Beum Saeng Kim, M.D, professor and chairman of the Department of Neurology at Catholic University College of Medicine in Seoul was elected as the liaison between the two organizations. He was serving as the editor of KNA's Scientific Journal at that time. In the same year, Byung Hae Park, M.D from Michigan was appointed to the membership

chair and Steve Chang M.D. from California succeeded him.

As indicated in the Bylaws of KANA, the purpose of the organization was to exchange scientific information and to support membership issues of each other by keeping a cordial relationship. The KANA has been hosting those neurological colleagues from Korea and abroad every year during KANA's annual meetings, which were usually held during the American



1997년 미국신경과학회 후 재미한인신경과의사들과 함께 (보스톤)

Academy of Neurology (AAN) meetings. It has been a tremendous pleasure to see so many young academic neurologists from Korea were not only participating in the fellowship events, but also were able to present their excellent scientific works at the meetings.

3) FOUNDING OFFICERS : The first officers elected were:

President : Richard Sangchul Rhee, M.D

(New Jersey)

Vice President : Youn Kang Oh, M.D

(New Jersey)

Secretary General : Bong Jung, M.D

(Michigan)

Treasurer : Young Hyum Kim, M.D (Ohio)

Advisors : Shin Joong Oh, M.D (Alabama)

Seung Up Kim, MD, Ph.D.

(Canada)

Soo Ik Lee, M.D (Virginia)



1990년 미국신경과학회 후 재미한인신경과의사들과 저녁식사를 같이 하며 (보스톤)

4) MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY

The first directory was compiled by Dr. Bong Jung (Michigan) in January of 1994 who had served as the secretary general then. The initial issue listed 100 members as of the end of 1993 then it was increased to 140 in the end of year 2000 including members from those in the United States as well as Korea.

(1) "KANA NEWS" : The official newsletter was first published in March of 1996 with the editorship of Dr. Gregory Young

Nam Chang who was also the chairman of the publication committee and was an associate professor of the University of Southern California. Dr. Chang is a renowned computer expert. Because of his dedicated effort and skill it was possible to see the birth of KANA News. It was published several times a year in color. Dr. David Ko at the same department USC-LA, currently an associate professor of neurology served as an associate editor then became the editor after the departure of Dr. Chang.

Over the years the KANA News has highlighted distinguished members which included Dennis Choi, MD, Ph.D, professor and chairman of the Department of Neurology at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri, Shin Joong Oh, MD, professor of neurology and pathology, director of clinical neurophysiology laboratory, Department of Neurology University of Alabama, Joo Ho Sung, MD, professor of pathology/neuropathology University of Minnesota and most recently Jae Kyu Roh, MD, professor and chairman of neurology, Department of Neurology, Seoul National University, School of Medicine, in Seoul, Korea.

(2) THE ANNUAL MEETINGS OF KANA : Has been combined with lectures of distinguished speakers with business meetings periodically. Some of the speakers include Gregory Chang, MD from USC-LA, Shin Joong Oh, MD, professor of neurology and pathology at the University of Alabama who is an world expert in clinical neurophysiology, neuromuscular disease.

The current officers are:

President : David Ko, M.D (Los Angeles, California)

Vice President : Jene Sung, M.D (Los Angeles, California)

Secretary General : Philip Ahn, M.D (Los Angeles, California)

Advisors : Shin Joong Oh, M.D (Alabama)

Dennis Choi, MD, Ph.D. (St. Louis, Missouri)

Richard Rhee, M.D (New Jersey),

Youn Kang Oh, M.D (New Jersey) who served as president of KANA from 1997 to year 2000.