

APPEAL FOR IMSA BUILDING FUND

Dear Colleagues,

International Medical Sciences Academy (IMSA) is a global organization established as a registered society on 28th March 1981 with world headquarters at New Delhi. It is the only international body which encompasses all disciplines of medicine. It has regions in America, Australia, Europe, Africa, rest of Asia and India. There are 28 chapters world over. IMSA is run by Board of Trustees apart from other executive committees. IMSA is an associate member of Council for International Organizations of Medical Sciences (CIOIMS). It has about 2160 members world over and the membership is expanding. Many Nobel Laureates are its fellows.

The main objectives of IMSA is to bring together national and international medical scientists, medical educationists, medical and public health administrators and research workers in medical and health sciences on a world wide basis for advancement of health of all the people in the world. The academy also arranges courses, training programs, CME programs and Rural CME programs. IMSA publishes quarterly journal, JIMSA in which original articles, updates, symposia, special issues on topics of current interest are published.

An annual conference - IMSACON is a regular feature; being an International organization every alternate year, the annual conference is held outside India. This year's IMSACON was held at Hotel Park, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh, India between 4th and 5th November 2011 and was an extremely successful event.

Though IMSA has been in service of medical profession and has been encouraging development of medical sciences by bringing information technology into the profession thus improving the health of nations, yet we do not have our own building to work more effectively. Our organization is committed to the medical profession for promoting Continuing Medical Education and also hold educational programmes on topics of National and public health importance. We need to conduct seminars, organise lectures by National and International experts and hold regular workshops and group discussions. For arranging such activities we are badly in need of our own building with adequate infrastructure and facilities like an Auditorium, projection room, library, committee rooms for interactive sessions etc. So far we have been operating from small rented space which can hardly accommodate our office.

Friends, we have been fortunate to get a piece of land about one acre allotted to us by the Lt. Governor of Delhi for developing the IMSA World Head Quarters at Delhi. I am approaching all Fellows and Members to donate at least Rs. 5000/- each to meet the cost of the land as well as construction of our own building. The donations are exempted from tax under 80G; the cheque may please be made in the name of "IMSA - Building Fund" payable at New Delhi, and sent to the Headquarters.

Thanking you in anticipation and warm regards,

Yours Sincerely,

Dr. K.Jagadeesan, President, IMSA,WHQ

IMSA Chapter Activities/ CME Programmes**IMSA Karnataka Chapter CME's conducted**

3-4.08.12 Dr. R.R.Thukral Southern Chapters Midterm IMSA Conference.

IMSA Tamil Nadu Chapter CME's conducted

08.07.12 Dr Avijith Basu, Dr T M Srinivasan: Topic: Recent Trends in Adult Cardiac Surgery.

12.08.12 Dr G Jayaraj: Topic: Era of Changing and Challenging Role of Doctors in Health Practice.

09.09.12 Dr T Vidyasakaran: Topic: Occlusive Arterial Disease.

IMSA Bihar Chapter CME's conducted

29.07.12 Dr G P Sinha, Dr Chandra Shekhar, Dr Satish Kumar, Dr P Dayal, Dr Laxhan Lal: Interactive session on Neuro Otological emergency - Coordinated approach at Patna

Election of Fellows and Members 03.08.2012**Fellows**

Dr Pavan Malhotra

Dr Jyothi A Raj

Dr Rahatdeep Singh Brar

Dr Anupama Jaggia

Dr Neeraj Jain

Dr Suruchi Aditya

Dr Manoj Kumar Bansal

Dr Madhumati Singh

Dr Pashpati Nath Gupta

Dr Little Mahendra

Dr Sandeep Puri

Dr Jacob John

Dr Sanjeev Lalwani

Dr Anjolie Chhabra

Dr Bindu M Pillai

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Dr Joy Basu

Dr Binod Kumar Patro

Dr Amit Aslam Khan

Dr Sonu Goel

Dr Tushar Roy

Members

Dr Soumya V

Dr Vikas Menon

Dr Rajgopal P Menon

Dr Praveen Kumar

Dr M J Ravindranath

Awards & Honours

Dr N S Neki, Prof. of Medicine, Govt. Medical College, Amritsar (India) has been elected Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians (Glasgow).

IMSA WHQ, Building Fund - List of Donors

Dr K Jagadeesan (Chennai)	Rs. 48000.00	Dr Kamlesh Chopra (New Delhi)	Rs. 5000.00
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The President Dr. K Jagadeesan and the members of board of Trustees of IMSA, WHQ, request all the fellows and members of IMSA to contribute at least Rs. 5000/- towards Building Fund for IMSA, WHQ, New Delhi. Cheque may please be drawn in favour of "IMSA Building Fund".

Secretary General, IMSA, WHQ, New Delhi

IMSA Conference News**IMSACON 2012**

Date: Saturday 6th & Sunday 7th, October, 2012, Venue: Gulf Medical University, Ajman, United Arab Emirates

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International Conference on "Healthcare Associated Infection & Control"

Date: February 1st and 2nd, 2013, Venue: S M V Medical College and Hospital, Puducherry - 605 107. This conference is jointly organized with Healthcare Infection Society of United Kingdom, Prof. J. Shanmugam, Organizing Chairman, (Mobile: 09486623094, E mails: drjshanmugam@gmail.com & haiconsmv@gmail.com)