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Dear Fellows, Members and Associates,

Successful Imsacon 2016 held recently at Mauritius organised jointly by IMSA and our MoU partner Royal College of Physician and Surgeons Glasgow, represented by its Vice President Prof. Iian Findlay, was well received by the participants. One good outcome, was that they would like us, along with RCPSG, to formulate guidelines them in setting up a unique postgraduate center of excellence in education and research. We are further discussing and working on the project with our partners.

The next Imsacon is slated to be held in the month of October 2nd week, 2017 at Simla, Himachal Pradesh. I seek your whole hearted support in bringing out yet another excellent scientific session at Shimla.

Let me wish you all a very happy, healthy, prosperous and productive New Year 2017.

Dr. K. Jagadeesan
President, IMSA

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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 (CIOMS). It has about 2550 Fellows & 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.

Our Annual Conference - IMSACON 2015 held at Vythiri Resorts, Wayanad, Calicut, Kerala on October 10th & 11th, 2015, was 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 more 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 500 sq.mtrs 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 for 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, WHO

IMSA Annual Conference cum Convocation 2016

Oct 6-8, 2016, Hotel Le Meridien, Mauritius

Dr Pinnamanen Narasimharao International IMSA Oration 2016: Dr Iain Findlay, Vice President, Royal College of Physicians & Surgeons, Glasgow, UK; Topic: *Medical Aspects Of Acute Coronary Syndrome*

Dr TMA Pat International IMSA Oration 2016: Dr Prof. Istvan Horvath, Doctor of Natural Sciences, Dr. Sci. Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary; Topic: *Immunization against atherosclerosis: Shocking information*

Dr (Mrs) Sushila and Dr K N Rao International IMSA Oration 2016: Prof.J.R.K.Rao, Director Interventional Radiology, Program Director DNB, Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad 500 003, India; Topic: *Endovascular management of acute stroke - evolution & current status*

Dr Uma & Dr B C Bansal International IMSA Oration 2016: Dr. Neerjun Gopee Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Former Director General Ministry of Health & Quality of Life, Mauritius; Topic: *21st Century medicine from a small island perspective*

Dr Pratap C Reddy International IMSA Oration 2016: Dr. Prakash Shanmugam, PG Dip in Diabetology, PDCR, Specialist in Endocrine & Diabetes with The Royal Hospital, Sultanate of Oman; Topic: *Why diabetes become uncontrolled? Where is the fault?*

Dr Prof. N Rangabashyan International IMSA Oration 2016: Dr. Namrata Chhabra, Professor and Head, Department of Biochemistry, S.S.R. Medical College, Belle Rive, University of Mauritius, Mauritius. Title: *Depression as comorbidity in Diabetes Mellitus*

IMSA Chapter Activities/CME Programmes

Scientific Session topics:

- Factors that Predict Graft Patency after Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery
- Hoarseness & Laryngo-Oesophageal Reflux
- Laparoscopic Umbilical Hernia Repair - Transabdominal Preperitoneal Mesh Hernioplasty (TAPP) versus Intra-abdominal Onlay Mesh Hernioplasty (IPOM)
- Intra Oral Reconstruction Maxilla Mandible and Cheek
- Pulseless Limb in a Polytrauma, always a Vascular Injury? Think of an Arterial Variation, A Case Report.
- Prevalence, Distribution and Pattern of Childhood Soft Tissue and Abdominal Trauma Cases in a Tertiary Care Hospital: A Record Based Cross-Sectional Study
- Surgery for Complex Congenital Heart Disease in India - Pushing the Boundaries
- Laparoscopic Pelvic Surgery - Lessons Learnt
- Abdominal Tuberculosis
- Role of Surgery in Rectal Cancers - An Overview
- Ultrasonographic Evaluation of Subglottic Diameter for Preanesthetic Estimation of Endotracheal Tube Diameter
- Modern Imaging of Inflammatory Bowel Diseases
- Nanotechnology in Medical Imaging
- Vitamin D Status in Hospitalized Children
- Enterovirus Meningitis - Second Outbreak in Calicut, Kerala
- Non-Immune Hydrops with Pericardial Effusion
- Significance of Carotid Intima Media Thickness in Evaluating Cardiovascular Risk in Childhood Obesity
- Changing Trends in Perinatal Mortality - A Prospective Hospital Based Study
- Risk factors for congenital heart disease: A case-control study
- Risk Factors For Cerebral Palsy Children In A Rural Hospital Of Central India
- Incidence of Congenital Heart Disease Among Hospital Live Birth in Rural Hospital of Central India
- Magnitude of Neonatal Sepsis in a Rural Hospital
- Recent Trends in Allergy and Pediatric Asthma
- Congenital Long QT Syndrome (LQTS) is a Hereditary Cardiac Disease
- Diabetes Risk Profile of Rural Population of District Ludhiana, India by using Indian Diabetes Risk Score
- Forecasting the Trend in Cases of Ebola Virus Disease in West African Countries using Auto Regressive Integrated Moving Average Models.
- Multiple Interactive Learning Algorithms - An Innovation in Education
- Problems of Elderly Age Group in the Rural Area of Haryana (India): A Community Based Study
- Supportive Supervision: An Initiative for Improvement of Maternal & Child Health Care Services in Haryana, India
- Adolescents Smoking and Its Predictors in a District of North India

- How Medical Colleges in India are Contributing for Ensuring Universal Access to TB Care in India- A Case Study From Himachal Pradesh State in India
- Public Health in India: Challenges and Opportunities
- Perception of Stress Levels Among Individuals Living in Urban Slum Settings
- Status of Bio Medical Waste Management in Delhi
- Establishing an Institute of National Importance in East India : A Journey Full of Challenges and Success
- Multi Centric Study on Prevalence of Subclinical Noise Induced Hearing Loss due to Ear Phone Usage Among Medical Students
- Assessing the Existing Learning Methodology in Physiology: A Feedback Study from Students of Two Medical Colleges in Northern India
- Treatment of Visceral and Cutaneous Leishmaniasis: Need for Novel Drug Discovery
- Cost Analysis of Treatment of Health Care Associated Infections (HAI) to Suggest Containment Measures at a Tertiary Care Hospital
- Pulsed Field Gel Electrophoresis as a Molecular Typing Technique in North Indian S.Typhi Strains
- Pregnancy in a Unicornuate Uterus
- Oxytocin Versus Methyl Ergometrine in the Management of Third Stage of Labour - A Comparative Study From a Tertiary Care Teaching Hospital in Mysore, South India
- Teenage Pregnancy
- Gestational Diabetes: Approach And Management
- Management of Hyperlipidemia
- Mobile Phones and Cancer
- Adverse Cutaneous Drug Reactions-revisited
- Intra Operative Myocardial Infarction: Diagnosis and Management
- Resistant Hypertension
- A Correlative Study of Carotid-intima Media Thickness and Epicardial Fat Thickness in Patients with and without Metabolic Syndrome
- Congenital Absence of Right Internal Carotid Artery along with Patent Ductus Arteriosus - First Case Report with Review of Developmental Anatomy
- Mouth is the Mirror of the Body
- Interruption of Flow will Interrupt Electrical Work
- Serpiginous Route to a Solitary End
- Work Demands, Work-family Conflict and Job Satisfaction in Nurses
- Perception about Psychiatric Illness by Patients Suffering from Psychiatric Illness in Relation to Demographic Characteristics
- Psychosocial Predictors of Posttraumatic Growth after Myocardial Infarction
- Pregnancy Concerns and Psychological Distress in High-Risk Pregnant Women
- Self-silencing in Women with Depression and Women without Depression

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