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President's Message



Dr. Muralidhar Joshi

Dear ISAians,
Greetings from President!

At the outset, I would like to thank you for trusting my ability and electing me as President of Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists (ISA) for the year 2019-2020. I will strive to achieve the goals set by our seniors. With support from everyone, we can take ISA to new heights not only within our country but also across the globe.

It gives me immense pleasure to share with you that we are going to implement the VISION 2020 mission of ISA. This involves:

- Safe Anaesthesia, Safe Country
- Innovation and Research
- International Exchange Programme
- Professional Wellbeing

We all know safe and accessible anaesthesia care is the need of the hour not only in our country but also across the globe. ISA will strive to provide this safe access to all citizens of the country. We plan to conduct Safe courses like Safe Paediatric Anaesthesia, Safe Obstetric Anaesthesia, Essential Pain Management, Primary Trauma Care, Vital Anaesthesia Simulation Training so on and so forth across the country. These training programmes will empower our anaesthesia colleagues to render quality care to the needy.

Currently our country is one amongst the top 5 innovating countries. ISA should step forward in contributing research and innovative projects to the world. We have started ISA Innovation Cell to encourage our members take up innovation in a larger perspective. We are not only looking at providing technical inputs but also assist members in getting resources for successful completion of the project.

Knowledge exchange is an important exercise for all professionals. Indian Journal of Anaesthesia is in fore front of these activities. ISA has not only initiated Fellowships at national level but also at international level. In continuation of this exercise, we are offering 13 fellowships to international candidates. Now, we are going to facilitate more fellows from India for overseas fellowships. This should be a good exposure to all our ISA members.

As part of professional wellbeing, ISA has initiated Family Benevolent Fund, Professional Indemnity Insurance, Private Practitioners Forum, Guidelines, CME's, Workshops and many more to add it. On top of these we have also started many novel projects like YUVA ISA, ISA Sports Club, ISA Cultural Club and others.

It's my personal request to all members to utilize all these services and avail benefits. There are many awards to win, please log into www.isaweb.in for more details.

ISA is not lagging behind in social initiatives, Indian Resuscitation Council (IRC) activities are commendable. IRC is making international bodies to take note of the long strides of 'Make in India' Concept of ISA.

Finally, I would like to say; Nothing is impossible. 'To Reach the Unreached' we have over 30,000 members in ISA spread over close to 200 city branches and 25 state branches; the resources are plenty. We will achieve our goals and the mission "VISION 2020".

"The Journey of thousand miles also starts with first step, let's make a beginning"

Long Live ISA!
Jai Hind !!

Dr Muralidhar Joshi
President, ISA National



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Secretary's Message



Dr Naveen Malhotra

Dear ISAians,

Greetings from ISA National Head Quarters!

I, on completion of first year as Your Secretary ISA, thank you all for believing in me and our vision for ISA. We had a fruitful year and I take this as an opportunity to share some of our achievements so far and our plans for the upcoming year.

This year we witnessed a record membership drive- we welcomed more members into our ISA family than ever before. We not only remained accessible in our office from 8:30 AM to 8:30 PM but also on e-mail, what's app and electronic and social media 24 x7! The process of registration for ISA Life Membership has been simplified to make it easier for everyone. The process for subscription of Indian Journal of Anaesthesia will also be simplified. We plan to introduce two new Zonal Journals and one Online Journals to motivate researchers and practitioners to promptly share clinical case series.

This year also saw multiple academic events like PG Assemblies and CMEs held under the banner of ISA. More than 10 new programmes like YUVA ISA, ISA Fit Anaesthesiologist Campaign, ISA Cultural Club etc. have been started and efforts are on to establish them at city and state level as well. ISA Professional Indemnity Insurance Scheme has become a popular programme with the members with more than 1500 new subscriptions in the past year. Training of trainers courses were held at various places to ensure that there is a life saver in each home. The CPR program will help anaesthesiologists prosper academically, clinically, socially and financially.

We have shortened the ISA National Election process from four months to six weeks and also fixed the tenure of ISA State and City Office Bearers to ensure that fresh charge is resumed on 16th October every year. To keep pace with the technology, a new ISA app with inbuilt software to help record clinical data and critical incidents shall be introduced soon. We have released new ISA T-Shirt and Neck Tie consistent with the colour of our ISA Logo during 67th ISACON 2019 to wear our pride on our sleeve.

ISA is of you, for you and by you.

Jai ISAian !

Long Live ISA!

Jai Hind !

Dr Naveen Malhotra
Honorary Secretary, ISA National



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Facts and Myths in Anaesthesiology: Extremes of Age. Delhi.
(15 December 2019)



Dream of all ISAians
ISA Flag held high at tallest man made building- Burj Khalifa, Dubai.
The aim is to make INDIAN SOCIETY OF ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (ISA)
so important that its flag and logo are displayed all over the tallest building.
ISA is recognised as the best society of Anaesthesiologists in World in service of mankind.
Long Live ISA ! Jai ISAian!!
(30 December 2019)



**Inauguration of ISA Kangra City Branch, Himachal Pradesh
(31 December 2019)**



ISA Sponsored CME, Pimpri Chinchwad, Maharashtra.

Very nicely organised academic event by a relatively new branch.

(6 January 2020)



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(6 January 2020)**



ISA SPORTS CLUB
INTERCITY CRICKET TOURNAMENT
Nicely organised by ISA Gujarat State Branch
& ISA City Branches of Gujarat at Ahmedabad.
(12 January 2020)



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College of Anaesthesiologists & Intensivists of Sri Lanka
36th Annual Academic Congress, Colombo, Sri Lanka
(18-19 January 2020)



**With Dr Ravi Mahajan, President, Royal College of Anaesthetists (RCoA)
(17 January 2020)**



**With Dr Jannicke Mellin-Olsen, President
World Federation of Societies of Anaesthesiologists (WFSA)
(17 January 2020)**



**With Dr Jannicke Mellin-Olsen, President WFSA
Prof. Adrian W Gleb, Secretary WFSA
Dr Wayne Morriss, Director of Programmes, WFSA
(18 January 2020)**



**SAARC-AA Meeting at Colombo
(18 January 2020)**



ISA Sponsored East Zone PG Assembly at Patna: First ever in state of Bihar.

ISA Academics - New Horizons.

(1-2 February 2020)



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**ISA Flag Hoisting, 18th ISACON North Zone, Sri Amritsar (Punjab)
(14-16 February 2020)**



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ISA Fit Anaesthesiologist Campaign
Cycling by Anaesthesiologists, Sri Amritsar
(15 February 2020)



ISA Fit Anaesthesiologist Campaign
Cycling by Anaesthesiologists, Sri Amritsar
(16 February 2020)



ISA Sponsored CME cum Workshop at Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh.
(17 February 2020)



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**Inauguration of Bhilwara (Rajasthan) City Branch of ISA & Installation of Office Bearers
(22 February 2020)**



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ISA Sponsored CME, Delhi.
Interesting Topics, Innovative Kaun Banega Anaesthesiology Wizard
 (29 February 2020)



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Interesting Topics, Innovative Kaun Banega Anaesthesiology Wizard
(29 February 2020)



ISA Sponsored CME, Calicut, Kerala
Focussed on Practitioners and PG students.
(1 March 2020)



**Felicitations received on behalf of Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists
by Indian Confederation for Healthcare Accreditation at Delhi
(1 March 2020)**



Inauguration of ISA Krishnagiri & Hosur City Branch, Tamil Nadu.
(7 March 2020)



**Inauguration of ISA Krishnagiri & Hosur City Branch, Tamil Nadu.
(7 March 2020)**



**ISA Sponsored CME & Workshop, Madurai, Tamil Nadu
(7-8 March 2020)**

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