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From the Desk of Hony President, IASO



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I am honoured to have the opportunity to write this Presidents Message for our Newsletter of IASO April-May issue of 2023.

We all know that there are 4 occasions when IASO Newsletter comes out such as Pre and Post MIDCON, Pre and Post NATCON. During last few years, the Newsletter has come out with flying colours with full of information regarding various academic activities, Pictorial presentations of all educational programs like Masterclass, Zonal CMEs, Outreach programs, Zonal Conferences etc. Information like Minutes of various meetings, Interim reports of Treasurer, Information on future meetings,

Every member gets to know about new members inducted into IASO Forum. Day by day the number of members is growing as IASO has gained much popularity in the recent days as one of the prime superspecialist branches. A corner of Journal also finds a place for new information if any.

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Since last Newsletter, which was published during February 2023, there are lot of activities which need to be incorporated into the basket of this Newsletter. I must thank our secretary and The Editorial Secretary who were instrumental in updating such events.

During March second week, we had MIDCON IASO 2023 organized by Dr Sandeep Agarwal and Team at Agra. It was very much encouraging to the young surgeons and Residents, Full of recent scientific contents with a theme of Engagement for Future.

IASO leadership represented by Dr Rajendra Toprani and Dr Chandramohan attended the Global Cancer Forum during the SSO 2023 Annual meeting at Boston during the last week of March and were instrumental to have continued international tie up with SSO, ESSO, BSSO, etc.

We are also equally inclined to share our partnership in cancer education with Singapore Cancer Society, Societies of Korea and many more including SAARC and allied countries Societies.

This time Notification for Election 2023 matters and Invitation for organizing MIDCON, NATCON for 2025 are also made available in this Newsletter

Before concluding, I must thank all the esteemed and active members who have contributed to the growth of IASO in a great way.

Regards.

JAIHIND !!

Dr Prafulla K Das

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Surgical Oncologist, Dean and Director (Academics), Utkal Hospital, Bhubaneswar.

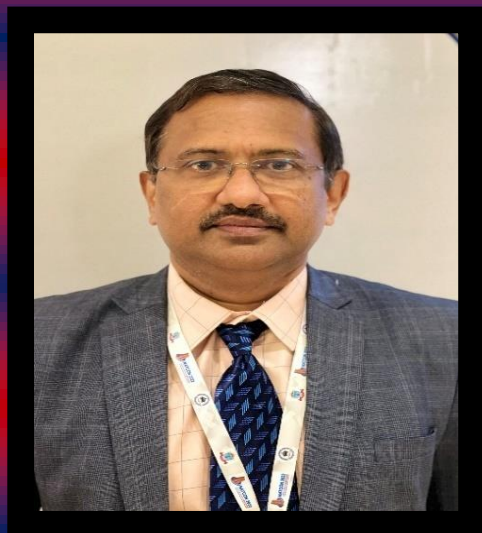
President, Indian Association of Surgical Oncology

Past Prof, HOD, (SO) AHPGIC, Cuttack.

Past President, Odisha Society of Oncology



From the Desk of Hony Secretary, IASO



Dr. Chandramohan K
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Dear Friends,

Indian Association of Surgical Oncology is gearing up for the Indian Cancer Congress (ICC) scheduled from 2nd to 5th November at JioWorld in Mumbai, which is the single most important hallmark event in the history of Oncology in India .In organising ICC we are joined by three other sister associations of oncology fraternity. This meeting is going to be attended almost all doctors practising oncology in India , the people working in allied specialities and supporting specialities ,and huge number of students pursuing various courses in oncology. We will have more than 2000 international oncologists participating in the meeting. To benefit students hundreds of awards are being given.IASO selects candidates for our prestigious International fellowships based on their presentation in our national meeting, which merged with ICC this time. I am pretty sure that this meeting is going to help the Indian Oncology fraternity to reach internationally acclaimed status. We also have delegates from so many nearby countries who are planning to join ICC meeting for knowing greatest nuances in cancer care . IASO is also bringing out a lots of programmes for young and budding surgical oncologists to get training and skills enhancement in various aspects of cancer surgery. We are sending young oncosurgeons to Detroit fellowship ,SSO International Career Development program and for poster presentation in SSO meeting in USA. IASO is also sending our young doctors to attend European society of Surgical Oncology meeting in Europe .From this year onwards we will also be sending doctors to attend the Brazilian society meeting and short term training in reputed Brazilian Centre will be arranged .IASO also doing lots of ground work of starting post MCH National Fellowships in various streams of oncosurgery. In short IASO is Scaling up its operations and popularise Surgical Oncology and empower our young surgeons . I sincerely hope cancer patients in the country will be benefited significantly by our attempts .I request all our honourable members to register for ICC now itself and join the meeting.

Jai IASO.



From the Desk of Hony, Treasurer IASO



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IASO is an Academic Body , which has its own Bank account and also its own Pan number. It files the Income Tax returns every year as per the Law of the land. The source of Incomes are Membership amount and Contribution from the Conferences.

IASO Current Bank Account is in Bank of Baroda, Bangalore based on Treasurer's place.

Following is the Statement :-

Total FD Amount – Rs. 2,50,42,418.00

Total amount in Current Account- Rs. 26,10,792.45

Total Income : Rs. 46,29,760.00

Total Expenditure : Rs. 16,04,119.00

Net Gain : Rs. 30,25,641.00

The purpose of the IASO Motto is Academic , Education and Cancer Education and Training Reaches Second , Third tier cities need of needy.

With Warm Regards,

Prof.Dr.Somashekhar S.P Treasurer , IASO



IASO Executive Committee (2022-23)



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IASO Executive Committee (2022-23)



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Dr. Prafulla Kumar Das

Senior Surgical Oncologist, Dean
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London Accountable Cancer Network



History of IASO Leadership

President	Secretary	Treasurer	Year
Dr. D J Jussawala	Dr. Ashok Mehta	–	1977
Dr. P B Desai	Dr. Ashok Mehta	–	1979
Dr. M P Vaidya	Dr. N C Misra	–	1981
Dr. Ashok Mehta	Dr. N C Misra	–	1983
Dr. D D Patel	Dr. N C Misra	–	1984
Dr. A P Majumdar	Dr. N C Misra	–	1985
Dr. R S Rao	Dr. N N Khanna	–	1986
Dr. N C Misra	Dr. N N Khanna	–	1987
Dr. N N Khanna	Dr. S G Deshpande	–	1988
Dr. B M L Kapoor	Dr. S G Deshpande	–	1989
Dr. S K Sarkar	Dr. S G Deshpande	–	1990
Dr. P M Trivedi	Dr. H S Shukla	–	1991
Dr. K K Pandey	Dr. H S Shukla	–	1992
Dr. S K Shukla	Dr. H S Shukla	–	1993
Dr. J B Venkatrao	Dr. H S Shukla	–	1994
Dr. Shambhu Pal	Dr. Sandeep Kumar	–	1995
Dr. C K Gupta	Dr. Sandeep Kumar	–	1996
Dr. H S Shukla	Dr. Sandeep Kumar	–	1997
Dr. S P Kharey	Dr. Sandeep Kumar	–	1998
Dr. P Subhas	Dr. Kiran Kothari	–	1999
Dr. K K Maudar	Dr. Kiran Kothari	–	2000
Dr. K Panda	Dr. Ravi Kant	–	2001
Dr. R I Dave	Dr. Ravi Kant	–	2002
Dr. K S Gopinath	Dr. L Sarangi	–	2003
Dr. K Kothari	Dr. L Sarangi	–	2004
Dr. Sandeep Kumar	Dr. R Karwasara	–	2005
Dr. Ravi Kant	Dr. R Karwasara	–	2006
Dr. S Sadasivam	Dr. Sanjeev Misra	–	2007
Dr. Sanjay Sharma	Dr. Sanjeev Misra	–	2008
Dr. L Sarangi	Dr. M Vijyakumar	–	2009
Dr. Arun Chaturvedi	Dr. M Vijyakumar	–	2010
Dr. E Hemant Raj	Dr. Manoj Pandey	–	2011
Brig Manomoy Ganguly	Dr. Manoj Pandey	–	2012
Dr. Sanjeev Misra	Dr. Dhairasheel Savant	–	2013
Dr. R Rajaraman	Dr. Dhairasheel Savant	–	2014
Dr. M Vijayakumar	Dr. T Subrahmanyeswar Rao	Dr. Rajendra Toprani	2015
Dr. Harit Chaturvedi	Dr. T Subrahmanyeswar Rao	Dr. Rajendra Toprani	2016
Dr. BKC Mohan Prasad	Dr. Rajendra Toprani	Dr. Prafulla K. Das	2017
Dr. Sanjay Kapoor	Dr. Rajendra Toprani	Dr. Prafulla K. Das	2018
Dr. Dhairasheel Savant	Dr. Sharad Desai	Dr. Chandramohan K	2019
Dr. Arnab Gupta	Dr. Sharad Desai	Dr. Chandramohan K	2020-21
Dr. Rajendra Toprani	Dr. Chandramohan K	Dr. Somashekhar	2022
Dr. Prafulla K Das	Dr. Chandramohan K	Dr. Somashekhar	2023



Minutes of Meetings

MINUTES OF IASO EC MEETING AT AGRA, MIDCON10.03.2023

Present: Hony President Dr P K Das, Immediate Past President Dr Rajendra Toprani, Secretary Dr Chandramohan, Vice President Dr Sharad Desai, Treasurer Dr Somashekhar, Editorial Secretary Dr Shaikat Gupta, Web Secretary Dr Ashutosh Mishra, EC members Dr Ramesh, Dr Devendra Chaukar, Dr Devendra Parikh, Dr Sandeep Agarwal, Dr Sanjay Sen, IASO MIDCON 2024 organisers Dr Sanjeev Kulgod and Dr Santosh Chikraddi

Meeting began at 6 PM and was called to order by Hony President Dr P K Das with welcome address.

1. Update on Zonal redistribution

As per the decision of last GBM at Delhi NATCON 2022, a 5 member committee comprising of President, Secretary and three Immediate Past Presidents had multiple meetings to examine the proposal of zonal redistribution, keeping in mind the number of EC seats and zonal membership numbers. Cognizance was also taken of the online polling/ Google survey, done amongst all IASO members and their opinions.

Accordingly, the Committee has proposed one additional EC seat from South Zone, thus bringing the total number of EC seats to 9 (North-2, East-2, South-3, West-2). EC unanimously passed this for presentation in GBM with a decision to review it after 5 years.

2. IASO Travelling Fellowship

IASO had a virtual meeting of the leadership in 4.1.2023, chaired by Dr T Subramanyeshwar Rao, to decide on the IASO Travelling Fellowship. Following are the minutes of that meeting.

Meeting began under the Chairmanship of Dr Subramanyeshwar Rao.Meeting was called to order by Hony President Dr P K Das.

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The opinion of everybody present was taken into account and the following resolutions were taken: IASO will launch the IASO Travelling Fellowship, which will be a one to three month organ/ technique based focused observational module. IASO Treasurer has allowed a budget up to INR 5 lakhs for this program, to start with. Details of budget allocation to be elucidated later.

This will be for post MCh/ post DNB (Surgical Oncology) candidates only.

The Fellowships offered will be in Head Neck, Breast, GI, Thoracic, Uro, Gynaec, and Ortho Oncology and in HIPEC, Robotics and Minimally Invasive techniques. As regards to number of Fellowships, this will be launched as a pilot project initially for approximately two years depending on how many eligible Host centers are interested and later expanded as per increasing demand.

Selection of host centre- IASO will circulate mail to all members inviting letter of interest. Host centre/ mentor should have adequate number of cases of the training subsite/ technique, be able to provide meaningful training to the candidate, and should have good infrastructure to provide multidisciplinary exposure to the candidate on that particular subsite/technique with tumor board practice in position. IASO leadership will judge the eligibility of the host centre. The participating host centre will be incorporated into the program after signing an MoU with IASO.

Selection of candidate: Interested candidates are to apply to IASO Secretariat before August, whereby they will have to declare only one choice regarding desired area of training. They will be shortlisted for interview by a 4 member committee comprising Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Editorial Secretary. Shortlisted candidates will appear for final interview on the first day of NATCON, before a 3 member committee comprising President, Immediate Past President and President Elect. Selection of candidates will be on a points and need based system, to be designed by Vice President and Treasurer. Selected candidates will be paid a lump sum of up to INR 25000 by IASO towards accommodation and expenses. The duration of training, varying between one to three months, will be between candidate and host centre.



Subsequent to this meeting, email invitations were sent to all IASO members to participate as host centre. Three responses were received as of date, from Kilpauk Medical College, HCG Nashik and SGPGI Lucknow. Considering the paucity of responses, EC decided to resend the Host Centre invitation mail to all Institutes having MCh/DNB/University recognised training programmes, with a deadline of May 15, 2023, to respond. EC also decided to give participating centres a “Centre of Excellence” certification.

3. IASO NATCON Blue Book

EC in Madurai NATCON EC Meeting had decided to create a uniform conference format to be followed in all future NATCONs and MIDCONs, to be called The Blue Book. The responsibility to design and create this was given to Dr Ashutosh Mishra and Dr Ramesh under the leadership of Secretary Dr Chandramohan.

This committee presented the proposed finished template of NATCON BLUE BOOK to EC in this meeting. It laid down guidelines on the Agenda, Roadmap to Conference, Conference Timing and Duration, Venue, Registration process, constitution of Scientific Committee, MoU with IASO, Pre Conference Workshop, Scientific Programme modules and content, Special sessions, EC member privileges, number of halls, oration protocols, certificate format, letterhead format, Awards, Fellowships, Abstracts, oral presentation guidelines, video presentation guidelines, Quiz guidelines, Inauguration protocols, EC meeting and IJSO meeting protocols.

EC decided to go over the Blue Book in detail in further meetings before finalization and presentation to GBM. EC decided that these would only be guidelines to help future organizers of NATCONs, but not binding and absolute.



5. Treasurer Report

Treasurer Dr Somashekhar presented his treasurer report in detail, to be attached separately in Newsletter. Total income has been INR 46, 29,760, total expenditure INR 160411 and net profit INR 3025641. Total FD is INR 25042418, and total income on FD INR 1586421. EC discussed the reasons why income from journal IJSO is less compared to other associations, and it came to light that Springer was taking the lion's share, as per past contract, which will be in force till 2027. EC decided that Secretary should write to Springer with CC to Editor in Chief, asking for a copy of the MoU and details of earnings split. EC also decided to send printed copy of IJSO only to those members who have specifically asked for it in the Google survey. All other members to receive soft copy only, to reduce printing costs.

6. IASO website

Web secretary Dr Ashutosh Mishra presented update on the website, mentioning that maintenance has been renewed for one more year, with a payment of INR 44000. He displayed the updated website, containing all information on IASO, past and present. He demonstrated the log in process and direct access to IJSO through website. Dr Toprani urged all EC members to personally go through the website in detail. EC asked Web Secretary to upload the photographs of EC members, Award winners and Orators. Dr Devendra Chaukar stressed the need for IJSO Board to follow up on the papers presented and see how many are finally published, which EC agreed to and passed.

7. SSO Meeting

Dr Toprani and Dr Chandramohan will attend SSO meeting March 2023 at Boston and will try to collaborate more strongly with SSO, ESSO, BSSO, SLASO during the global meeting at that time bilaterally. This was passed by EC.



8. MIDCON 2024

MIDCON 2024 will be held at Hotel Radisson, Hubli in March 2024, the probable dates being either 1st to 3rd, or, 8th to 10th. This will be a two and half day conference, with the first day Friday being a pre conference live workshop. The theme of the conference will be "Connect, collaborate and innovate". Organising Chairman Dr Sanjeev Kulgod and Organising Secretary Dr Santosh Chikraddi. Dr Kulgod had detailed discussion with EC regarding connectivity, accommodation and sightseeing.

9. IJSO Draft

The IJSO report was prepared by Dr Harit Chaturvedi and presented to EC by President. The IJSO Committee

5 past presidents, Chief Editor, Associate Editor and current President and Secretary had six extended meetings, after which a draft was prepared by Dr Harit Chaturvedi and presented to EC in this meeting.

There will be an Editor in Chief, with a term of 5 years. He will play the role of Chairman and mentor, and will step in only when there is a problem for which the Editor seeks his help. Under the Editor in Chief, there will be an Editor, with a term of 5 years.

Under the Editor, there will be four Joint Editors, one of them being an International Joint Editor. Their term will be 4 years each.

Under each JE, there will be 1 to 2 Sectional Lead Editors, with a term of 3 years each.

Under each SLE, there will be 4 Sectional Editors, with a term of 2 years each.

Under each SE, there will be Reviewers.



This will be a hierarchical system where candidates will climb up the ladder from Reviewer upwards.

Selection of Editor in Chief, Editor and 4 Joint Editors will be done by the IJSO Selection Board, comprising Immediate Past Editor in Chief, Immediate Past Editor, Present President, Immediate Past President, President before Immediate Past President, President Elect and Vice President.

Selection of Sectional Lead Editors and Sectional Editors will be done by IJSO Editorial Board, comprising Present Editor, 4 Joint Editors, President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Eligibility criteria for JE, SLE and SE will include years of IASO membership, number of publications, extent of involvement with IASO activities and term as reviewer.

From the post of JE upwards, nobody can serve two consecutive terms in the same post, unless under the very exceptional circumstance that no suitable candidate can be found for that post. From the post of JE upwards, there should be no conflict of interest with any other surgical journal.

All these posts including that of Reviewers should be selected from IASO members only, under the exceptional circumstance that, for a specialized subject, a peer review by a non IASO member is required, and approved by the IJSO Editorial Board. Applications for Reviewer posts can be through IASO website or by nomination. Reviewers will be rewarded with certifications.

This was presented to EC as draft, for further deliberation in future meetings, where the individual roles, manuscript flow, Springer consultation and any other changes will be decided upon. EC passed this as a draft, pending further deliberation.

10. ICC 2023

Dr Devendra Chaukar, ICC Organising Secretary, gave update on preparations for ICC 2023. He mentioned interest shown by other Associations, including ASCO, which EC heartily approved. President urged all EC members to increase registration drives in their respective zones.

Meeting ended with Vote of Thanks by Honorary Secretary Dr Chandramohan.



Treasurer Report

**Dr. Somashekhar S.P. Hon. Treasurer , IASO Auditor-
Mr.Anurag Tiwari**



IASO account
transferred to
Bangalore branch
on 15.11.21



IASO BANK DETAILS

Name of the Beneficiary: Indian Association of Surgical Oncology

Account No : 27790200000309

Bank : Bank of Baroda

Address : #155,Brahmalingeswara Complex(Adjacent to diamond District),
Kodihalli branch, Old Airport Road, Kodihalli, Bangalore -560008

IFSC Code : BARB0DBKLLY(5th letter zero)

Swift Code : BARBINBBBOS

IASO Financial Holdings



Total FD Amount – Rs. 2,50,42,418

Account Number	Rate of Interest	Renewed amount	Maturity Amount	Maturity Date
25050300017456	5.30	32,62,742.00	34,39,135.00	08-08-2023
25050300017654	4.90	25,42,140.00	26,68,871.00	28-11-2022
25050300017655	4.90	14,84,826.00	15,58,847.00	28-11-2022
25050300017657	4.90	12,19,321.00	12,80,106.00	28-11-2022
25050300017658	4.90	1,95,791.00	2,05,552.00	28-11-2022
25050300017659	4.90	2,38,342.00	2,50,224.00	28-11-2022
25050300018320	5.50	6,17,308.00	6,51,967.00	18-09-2023
29520300050054	4.90	36,19,389.00	37,99,801.00	15-10-2022
29520300050055	4.90	36,19,390.00	37,99,802.00	15-10-2022
29520300050056	4.90	36,19,389.00	37,99,801.00	15-10-2022
32860300003452	5.25	15,00,000.00	17,53,263.00	24-02-2024
32860300003594	5.00	20,00,000.00	22,08,417.00	02-07-2023
32860300003615	5.00	5,23,780.00	5,50,464.00	27-07-2023
32860300003755	5.00	6,00,000.00	6,62,589.00	03-11-2023
		2,50,42,418.00	2,66,28,839.00	

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IASO Holdings

Current Account Rs.17,05,126.62

INCOME

- 1. Interest on FD - Rs. 15,86,421**
- 2. From Registration of New Members Fee
(210 New Members) - Rs.17,00,000**
- 3. Amount Received - MIDCON IASO 2022 from DR.CALEB HARRIS
- Rs.7,00,000**



EXPENDITURE

• Secretary Office setup	: 28,844
• Salary for Office Secretary to Secretary	:25000x12=3,00,000
• Salary for IJSO Journal Admin	:20000x12=2,40,000
• Salary for Office Secretary to Treasurer	:10000x12=1,20,000
• IASO Logo Creation	:10,000
• MIDCON IASO 2022 seed money grant	:50,000
• SSO Towards abstracts license	:360USD (28,691.43)
• Evote Technologies towards online voting (2021)	:70,800
• Silk IASO Logo Neck tie	: 165602
• Payment to Springer regarding IJSO subscriptions of 1586 members	: 3,48,920
• Website Development Charges	:82,360
• MIDCON IASO 2022 Conference grant	:25,000
• Travelling expenses to attend SSO meeting in Dassas	:1,91,195.26



EXPENDITURE

• Travelling Expenses to EC attend MIDCON IASO Conference at Shillong	: 60,000
• Travelling Expenses to EC to attend SSO	:1,88,498.50
• IASO Website Committee meeting	: 1,79,304
• SSO Award Winners –reimbursing the registration amount (11 Members)	: 4,05,020
• Gopinath Panda Quiz Award (2 Members)	: 8,000
• Travelling Expenses to EC attend IASO Conference at Kashmir	: 90,000
• Travelling Expenses to EC attend IASO Conference at Indore	: 60,000
• E-vote technologies regarding E-voting	: 35,400
• Silk Stole IASO logo	: 86,800
• Seed money for Outreach student program	:25000
• Annual rental payment to Auditor Office	: 1,05,600

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Notice Received From Income Tax

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE INCOME TAX
OFFICER, EXEMPTION
EXEMPTION WARD-VARANASI

To,
INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF SURGICAL ONCOLOGY
HCG CANCER CENTER HCG CANCER CENTER, SOLA-
SCIENCE CITY ROAD
S.G. HIGHWAY 380060, Gujarat
India

PAN: AAAT4187N Assessment Year: 2012-13 Dated: 05/09/2022 DIN & Letter No: ITBA/RCV/F/17/2022-23/1045176708(1)

Sir/ Madam/ Ma'am,
Subject: Issue Letter

Request for payment of outstanding demand-Regarding.

2. As per data base of the department, a demand, as per following details is still pending in your case for recovery:-

PAN	NAME	A.Y.	SECTION	AMOUNT
AAAT4187N	INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF SURGICAL ONCOLOGY	2012-13	1431a	848620
		2013-19	1431a	18060
		2011-12	154	232980
		2013-14	143(3)	59580

3. Sufficient time for payment of above demand has been elapsed and till date no payment has been made. You are requested to deposit the same and furnish copy of challan to update the same on the data base. In case the demand has already been deposited by you. Kindly furnish the copy of challan for updation of the data base.

4. In case you have made an appeal before the CIT(A) against the order vide which the

Note: E-verify signed the date of digital signature may be taken as date of document.
AAYAKAR SHAWAN, Mahatma Jyoti Bapu Marg, VARANASI, VARANASI, Uttar Pradesh, 221002
Email: VARANASI.TC.EXMP@INCOMETAX.GOV.IN.

Note:- The website address of the e-filing portal has been changed from www.incometaxindiaefiling.gov.in to www.incometax.gov.in.
* DIN- Document Identification No.

Reply sent to Income Tax as per Auditor

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To,
The Income Tax Officer
Exemption Ward
Varanasi

Subject : Payment of Outstanding Demand (PAN: AAAT4187N – Indian Association of Surgical Oncology)

Sir,
Please refer to your Notice No. ITBA/RCV/F/17/2022-23/1045176708(1) dated 05.09.2022 regarding the above subject. In this connection, we wish to submit as under:
We hope that the above information and documents will be sufficient and satisfy you that we have paid our entire tax liability.
Please do the needful and cancel the demand
Thanking you.
Yours' truly
For Indian Association of Surgical Oncology
Treasurer

Date:
Place:

Assessment Year	Reply
2011-12	Amount of Rs. 232980/- has already been paid vide Challan No. 60365 dated 24.02.2022. Please refer Annex-1- Challan and Annex-2- 26AS of AY 2011-12. Request - Please cancel demand.
2012-13	Please refer Annex-3- Income Tax Return for A. Y 2012-13 showing Total Tax and Interest Payable Rs. 774835. Out of this Rs. 27880/- was adjusted against TDS (Please refer Annex-4- 26AS of AY 2012-13) and the balance Rs. 746960/- was paid vide Challan No. 17010 dated 17.10.2013 (Annex-5). This Challan is also reflected in 26 AS. Request - In the calculation of demand, Self Assessment Tax paid Rs. 746960/- was not deducted from our tax liability. Please consider this and cancel demand.
2013-14	Please refer Annex-6- Income Tax Return for A. Y 2013-14 showing Total Tax and Interest Payable Rs. 137607/-. Against this, Total TDS for AY 2013-14 was Rs. 149411/- (Please refer Annex-7- 26AS of AY 2013-14). Therefore, in AY 2013-14, there was a refund due for Rs. 11800/-, which we have not yet received. For AY 2013-14, we did not receive any assessment order u/s. 143(3). If there is any such order, please e-mail us a copy of the same.

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2018-19	Please refer Annex-8- Income Tax Return for A. Y 2018-19 showing Total Tax and Interest Payable Rs. 857022. Out of this Rs. 289909/- was adjusted against TDS (Please refer Annex-9- 26AS of AY 2018-19) and the balance Rs. 567110/- was paid vide Challan No. 46725 dated 14.09.2017 of Rs. 100000/- (Annex-5) and Challan No. 42591 dated 26.07.2018 of Rs. 467110/-. These Challans are also reflected in 26 AS. Request - In 143 1 a, full credit of TDS is not given, Please consider the same and cancel demand.



Including all IT returns

INDIAN INCOME TAX RETURN

Form ITR-V

Where the date of the ITR is 2011-12 (AY 2011-12)

Name: INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF SURGICAL ONCOLOGY

Flat/Shop/Block No: 1001

Building/Office: CITING TOWER

Town/Village/Post Office: MEMBAI

Designation of AO (Ward / Circle):

E-filing Acknowledgment Number:

1. Gross Total Income

2. Deductions under Chapter-V

3. Total Income

4. Tax Payable

5. Total Tax and Interest Payable

6. Tax Paid

7. TDS

8. TCS

9. Total Income Tax

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11. Tax Paid

12. Refund

Signature of Taxpayer

Date

Place

Stamp of Taxpayer

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EXPENDITURE

Income Tax Paid on 24.2.22 : Rs.2,32,980

Income Tax Paid on 18.7.22 : Rs.17,30,330

TDS payment 1.3.22 : Rs.1420

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Total Income from IJSO - Various Sources Royalty Statement 2021

2021 Print Subscriptions	: 2082048.33
Online Subscriptions	: 6457.62
Online subscription consortia sales	: 7743835.67
Transformative Agreements	: 632730.33
Article Processing Charges	: 462572.87
Journal Third Party Distribution	: 201428.52
Journal Article Pay-Per-View	: 48277.48
Journal Article Deposits	: 16442.06
Rights and Permissions	: 4723.17
Total Revenue	: 11198516.05



Royalty Statement of IJSO

2020-13193 Indian Journal of Surgical Oncology									
Annexure A									
A. Statement of Revenue									
Name of the Journal	Advertisement Sales	Print Subscription Sales	Online Subscription Sales	Print Non-Subscription Sales	Article Processing Charges	Journal License Income	Article Pay per view	Online Journal Archives	Others
Indian Journal of Surgical Oncology		7,64,014.20	1,24,16,679.95	(1,014.26)	13,20,765.78	1,53,073.00	34,999.21		1,77,116.24
Net Revenue from all sources	-	7,64,014.20	12,41,56,365.95	(1,014.26)	13,20,765.78	1,53,073.00	34,999.21	-	1,77,116.24
B. Rate of Royalty									
Royalty									
C. Tax at source @7.5%									
D. Net payable									



Government of India
Form GST REG-06
[See Rule 10(1)]

Registration Certificate

Registration Number :07AAGCS8935B1ZA

1.	Legal Name	SPRINGER NATURE INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED			
2.	Trade Name, if any	SPRINGER NATURE INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED			
3.	Constitution of Business	Private Limited Company			
4.	Address of Principal Place of Business	Vijaya Building, 7th Floor, 17, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi, Delhi, 110001			
5.	Date of Liability	01/07/2017			
6.	Date of Validity	From	22/09/2017	To	NA
7.	Type of Registration	Regular			
8.	Particulars of Approving Authority				
<i>Signature</i>					
Name					
Designation					
Jurisdictional Office					
9.	Date of issue of Certificate	25/08/2018			
Note: The registration certificate is required to be prominently displayed at all places of Business/Office(s) in the State.					



Expenses incurred from IASO

- Salary for IJSO Journal Admin :20000x12 = Rs2,40,000
- Payment to Springer regarding IJSO subscriptions
of 1586 members : Rs3,48,920
- IASO Postal charges - Rs. 1,74,460

Total : Rs 763380



Income to IASO from IJSO

TOTAL INCOME EARNED FROM THE JOURNAL

Rs.23,45,206-Rs. 763380 = Rs.1581826



Total Income IASO

Registrations : Rs.17,00,000
FD Interest : Rs.15,86,421
IJSO Springer : Rs.1581826
MIDCON IASO2022 : Rs.7,00,000

Total : Rs. 55,68,247



Total Expenditure : 48,69,765.19



Net Gain This Year

- Total Income : Rs. 57,42,707
- Total Expenditure : Rs. 48,69,765.19

Net Gain : Rs. 8,72,941.81



NET AMOUNT IN IASO ACCOUNT

Total Amount in FD :2,50,42,418
Total amount in Current Account :17,05,126.62

Total Amount As of today
: Rs. 2,74,47,544.62



IT RETURNS 2022-23

Acknowledgement Number: 987261040250722

Date of filing: 25-Jul-2022

INDIAN INCOME TAX RETURN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT		Assessment Year 2022-23	
[Where the data of the Return of Income in Form ITR-1 (SAHAJ), ITR-2, ITR-3, ITR-4(SUGAM), ITR-5, ITR-6, ITR-7 filed and verified] (Please see Rule 12 of the Income-tax Rules, 1962)			
PAN	AAAT14187N		
Name	INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF SURGICAL ONCOLOGY		
Address	#303 G J NEST , 8 MLA LAYOUT LOTTE GOLLAHALI , 8 MLA LAYOUT LOTTE GOLLAHALI , BANGALORE NORTH , BANGALORE NORTH , BANGALURU , BANGALURU , 15-Karnataka , 91-India , 560094		
Status	AOP/BOI		
Filed u/s	139(1) Return filed on or before due date	Form Number	ITR-5
		e-Filing Acknowledgement Number	987261040250722
Taxable Income and Tax Details	Current Year business loss, if any	1	0
	Total Income		57,94,060
	Book Profit under MAT, where applicable	2	0
	Adjusted Total Income under AMT, where applicable	3	57,94,060
	Net tax payable	4	19,88,522
	Interest and Fee Payable	5	1,43,595
	Total tax, interest and Fee payable	6	21,32,117
	Taxes Paid	7	21,32,122
	(*) Tax Payable /(-) Refundable (5-7)	8	0
	Accreted Income as per section 115TD	9	0
Accreted Income & Tax Details	Additional Tax payable u/s 115TD	10	0
	Interest payable u/s 115TE	11	0
	Additional Tax and interest payable	12	0
	Tax and interest paid	13	0
	(*) Tax Payable /(-) Refundable (12-13)	14	0
Income Tax Return submitted electronically on 25-Jul-2022 14:59:21 from IP address 47.9.64.170 and verified by SOMASHEKHAR SAMPIGE PRASANNAKUMAR having PAN ANDPS3346B on 02-Aug-2022 using XG3TJ54IW1 generated through Aadhaar OTP mode			
System Generated			
Barcode/QR Code			
AAAT14187N0598726104025072205602E0DC7B6763E93F56C709287A00A5AA9CF9A			

DO NOT SEND THIS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO CPC, BENGALURU

Thank You





IASO Masterclasses

IASO Masterclass Activity Report Feb- May 2023

IASO Masterclass series III is ongoing and between February and May 2023, 4 webinars were conducted to that effect. Following are the details-

1. 14th February, 2023

Chapter 46- Adrenal tumors

Examiners: Dr. B. Satheesan

Moderator: Dr. M.S. ganesh

Examinees Dr. Akash Guha, Dr. Akhilesh Chittineni

Expert talk: Dr. B. Satheesan

2. 28th February, 2023


Chapter 47- Parathyroid tumors

Examiners: Dr. Amit Agarwal

Moderator: Dr. Moni Abraham Kuriakose

Examinees Dr. Jeena Josephin, Dr. Samarth Dave

Expert talk: Dr. Amit Agarwal

**IASO Academics**
Masterclass Series

Adrenal tumors

Examiner : Dr. B. Satheesan, Kannur
Moderator: Dr. M.S. Ganesh, Bengaluru

Expert talk by Dr. B. Satheesan

Tuesday, 14th February, 2023
7 pm

Examinees: Dr. Akash Guha and Dr. Akhilesh Chittineni

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3. 18th April, 2023

Chapter 48- Pelvic girdle tumors

Examiners: Dr. Manish Pruthi

Moderator: Dr. Abhijeet Salunke

Examinees Dr. Sarfaraz Ahmed, Dr. Nikhil Tiwari

Expert talk: Dr. Manish Pruthi

4. 2nd May, 2023

Chapter 49- Prostate cancer


Examiners: Dr. Srivatsa N

Moderator: Dr. Arun Menon

Examinees Dr. Sandepp Bommidi, Dr. Kartik Chandra

Expert talk: Dr. Srivatsa N

We have tried to cover the topics requested by residents themselves to the Academic Council. The format of resident participation in a “panel discussion” way of examination has contributed and received appreciation. The online participation is averaging 70-85 live participants and 300 offline viewing.

**IASO Academics**
Masterclass Series

Pelvic girdle tumors

Examiner : Dr. Manish Pruthi, Mumbai
Moderator: Dr. Abhijit Salunke, Ahmedabad


Expert talk by Dr. Manish Pruthi

*Tuesday, 18th April, 2023
7 pm*

Examinees: Dr. Sarfaraz Ahmed and Dr. Nikhil Tiwari

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IASO Awards and Fellowships Notification at ICC 2023

IASO Fellowships 2023

IASO gives two kinds of awards IASO fellowship awards and IASO-ICC awards. IASO fellowship award presentation will happen in separate hall .All remaining award presentation will be considered together under three headings; Oral, Video and Poster. Only IASO members will be eligible for awards. Non-members can submit abstracts for non-award category. The awards will be given to original research studies done in India.

I)-- IASO FELLOWSHIP AWARD PAPER session for IASO members*

- 1. *SSO ICDE Fellowship – USD 3000 + Observer ship at a reputed center in USA – ONE**
- 2. GCRI – Baroda Minimal Access Surgery Travelling Fellowship for 1 month at Indo American Cancer Centre, Hyderabad – ONE**
- 3. *SSO conference in USA- USD 1000, grant to travel to SSO conference in USA to present a poster. – FIVE (Extendable to Ten)**
- 4. *ESSO award - Free Registration and opportunity to present in ESSO meeting in Europe and financial assistance of 500 Euros for stay and travel. – One**
- 5. *Detroit Fellowship - A fellowship to visit Detroit, will have local hospitality included by the host institution, excluding the travel cost to and from USA.**
- 6. *Brazilian Association of Surgical Oncology Fellowship with US\$ 1000 grant to meet travel expenses and also accommodation**



***External Support by by other societies are likely to change subject to their policies**

1. SSO ICD International Career Development Programme Initiative

The SSO will provide a stipend of \$3,000 to the successful candidate to cover international airfare, lodging and airfare within the US for the duration of the exchange. The SSO will also provide a complimentary registration to SSO annual meeting.

SSO will act as an intermediary when deciding potential institutions to be visited and will provide the candidate with a short-list of viable sites from which to choose.

The award recipient should choose 1 -3 institutions to visit during their exchange; the number of institutions offered will largely be determined by the specialty/procedure the successful candidate has identified and the availability of the host institution(s).

Regarding the period of the program, the SSO the program will be up to 2 weeks, with no more than 1 week spent at any single institution. The award recipient will participate in SSO annual meeting, as an attendee. He/she will be eligible for a poster presentation.

The award recipient will be assigned a mentor at SSO annual meeting to help them navigate the conference. During the course of the conference, a small social gathering will be arranged to introduce the award recipient to pre-eminent surgeons from the institutions which he/she has chosen to visit, along with members of the SSO leadership.

Within 30 days of the visit, the SSO would expect to receive a report on the successful award recipient's activities and experiences, both good and bad, explaining their goals before the visit and what they have accomplished.



Eligibility

- a. **The successful recipient should be 45 years old or under and should be a full member of the Indian Association of Surgical Oncology.**
- b. **Applicants cannot have previously received the SSO ICDE grant or cannot have previously attended more than one SSO Annual Cancer Symposium in the past three (3) years.**
- c. **Applicants must be currently employed in his/her region.**
- d. **Applicants must have leadership potential.**
- e. **Applicants must be fluent in English (both writing and speaking).**
- f. **Applicants must be able to travel for a minimum of two consecutive weeks to the**
- g. **United States in March 2024**
- h. **It is preferred that Recipients/Applicants already have a current passport. If no**
- i. **current passport, Applicant must be ready to obtain one. Applicants must be able to obtain a travel visa to the United States if coming from a country where one is required. It is responsibility of awardee to have valid visa at the time of final selection**
- j. **As a part of the selection process, the selected recipient will provide the IASO/SSO with an outline of what procedures/specialties/institutions they would like to experience during their visit; this will enable the SSO to focus the list of potential institutions that can accommodate the candidate's needs.**
- k. **Applicants must specialize in one of SSO's eight disease site areas:**
 - l. **Breast, Colorectal, Endocrine/Head and Neck, Gastrointestinal, Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary, Melanoma, Peritoneal Surface Malignancy, or Sarcoma.**
- m. **The IASO will select the recipient of the award from among qualified applicants In the SSO award paper sections.**
- n. **To coordinate this exchange, the award recipient should be identified by the IASO at the annual ICC .**

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(ICD Candidate must have valid Passport and Visa.)

2. SSO POSTER session for IASO members

USD 1000 grant each to 5-10 IASO members to travel to SSO conference in USA to present a poster. A sum of 1000 \$ will be given to each of the 5-10 candidates against the expenses incurred towards the registration, stay, food and travel, subject to their submission of the details as required.

Eligibility:

- i. Applicant should be an active member of the IASO**
- ii. Applicant should be less than 45 years of age at the time of award of grant/fellowship**
- iii. Applicants must be a , life member of IASO**

(SSO Poster-Candidate must have valid Passport and Visa.)

3. Detroit Visiting Fellowship-

A fellowship to visit Detroit will have local hospitality included by the host institution, excluding the travel cost to and from USA.

Eligibility

- The candidate should be less than 45 years of age (the cut off date is 31st of December of the year of application),**
- A full life member of IASO for a minimum of two years.**
- Selection is based on CV and paper presentation during ICC. The paper must be on the work done in India only.**

(Detroit Candidate must have valid Passport and Visa.)

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4. ESSO Fellowship

Prize money of 500 Euro towards the travel and stay for the Congress

A visit of 1-2 weeks to an Surgical Oncology Department of a European Institution before or after the Congress. Awardee gets free registration to the ESSO annual Congress

Awardee is eligible to present a poster in ESSO Congress

Eligibility

- a. Awardee should be a Surgical Oncologist of Good standing with age less than 40**
- b. He should be a full member of the IASO for last 2 years.**
- c. It is responsibility of awardee to have valid visa at the time of final selection**

5. Baroda – GCRI Basavatharakam Indo American ASO Travelling Minimal Invasive Surgery Fellowship

The fellowship will be called the Baroda – GCRI- IASO Travelling Minimal Invasive Surgery Fellowship (MIS). The awardee will be given opportunity to get one month training at Basavatharakam Indo American Cancer hospital, Hyderabad in minimally invasive onco-surgery.

Eligibility

- The candidate should be less than 45 years of age (the cut off date is 31st of December of the year of application.**
- He should be a Full member of IASO for a minimum of two years**
- Attended two conferences of ICC IASO.**

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- Selection will be based on CV and paper presentation during ICC meeting.
- The paper must be on the work done in India only. IASO- GCRI- MIS Fellowship will henceforth take place at Indo American Cancer Institute under Dr S Rao.

11.Detroit Visiting Fellowship-

1. The candidate should be less than 45 years of age (the cut off date is 31st of December of the year of application),
2. A full member of IASO for a minimum of two years.

12.Brazilian Society of Surgical Oncology Fellowship, visit a Brazilian Center of Surgical Oncology and attend Brazilian Congress of Surgical Oncology. Grant of US\$ 1000 from IASO to support travel expenses and accommodation at meeting. Registration and other logistics will be borne by BASO

1. The candidate should be less than 40 years of age (the cut off date is 31st of December of the year of application),
2. A full member of IASO for a minimum of two years.

II)--IASO ICC Cash Awards

Cash awards will also be given for IASO members , based on the presentation :

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1. **Best Paper presentation will be awarded Rs. 10000/- towards registration, travel and accommodation of the presenter to attend the ICC. In all Physical meetings, the awardee should be present at the Valedictory function to receive the Cheque.**
2. **Best poster presentation will be awarded Rs. 10000/- towards registration, travel and accommodation of the presenter to attend the ICC. In all Physical meetings, the awardee should be present at the Valedictory function to receive the Cheque**
3. **Best video presentation will be awarded Rs. 10000/- towards registration, travel and accommodation of the presenter to attend the ICC. In all Physical meetings, the awardee should be present at the Valedictory function to receive the Cheque**

Dr. K. S. Panda – Dr. K S Gopinath Onco Quiz Award : During ICC meeting winner will be awarded Rs. 5000 and runners up to Rs. 3000. Dr. K.S Panda & Dr. K S Gopinath shared a total donation of Rs 1 Lac Rs towards the quiz.

Eligibility – all the delegates of ICC (Amendment approved GBM ICC 2011, Lucknow) who are full life members of IASO

Please contact Mrs. Rekha Jayasankar (EA to Hon. Secretary, IASO) on iaso.office@gmail.com, for applying to quiz and any queries for the above.

**Dr. Chandramohan K, M.S., M.Ch.(Surg Onco)
Hon. Secretary IASO,
Senior Consultant- GI Surgeon,
Professor, Regional Cancer Centre,
Medical College Campus**

**Medical College - 695 011
Email ID: iasosecretariat@gmail.com**



IASO Election Notification 2023

Notification for Election of IASO office bearers ,2023

(Approved by IASO Election Committee dt 21/04/2023)

Secretary of IASO hereby notifies Elections IASO 2023 for the following posts

Vice President-1

Hon Secretary-1

Treasurer-1

Editorial Secretary-1

Executive Committee Members-4 (South, North, East, West-1 each)

Election will be conducted online as decided by Google survey opinion, EC meetings and General Body meeting during 2022,

The last date for nomination being 30 August2023. The nominations are to be

sent by e mail to the Secretary, IASO (iasosecretariat@gmail.com) with

CC to President (pk.das12365@gmail.com) President elect (svsdeo@gmail.com) and Vice President(drsharaddesai@gmail.com)

Every Nomination shall be proposed ánd seconded by two full members of IASO. One member can propose or second only one candidate. There should be a signed no objection certificate and consent from the candidate along with the nomination with date

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**At the time of sending the nomination the candidate should send the following informations-
He/she**

**should send a brief summary of his/her achievements (a brief background about his
achievements**

**and contributions - publications, conference organized, scientific contribution etc.),
contribution to**

**IASO and Bio-data, all this not exceeding 250 words and signed by him/her. This should also
have a**

**mention of IASO conferences attended in last 5 years. This information will be put forward to
the members before and during the online voting.**

**Invalid Nomination-If the nomination is found invalid the candidate will be informed about
the**

same and the reason for invalidity mentioned.

**Withdrawal of Nomination The candidates can withdraw their nominations latest by 5th
September 5.00PM through the same email iasosecretariat@gmail.com with copy to President
(pk.das12365@gmail.com) President elect (svsdeo@gmail.com) and Vice President
(drsharaddesai@gmail.com)**

**The nominations that are received in time will be scrutinized by the Election Committee
comprising of President, President Elect, & Vice president. The Secretary will guide the
election process. The President Elect will be the Returning Officer.**

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Eligibility for elections

- 1) Vice President-A full member of IASO who has completed 10 years as full life member (up to 31st March of the year of applying) and has served at least one term as an elected/nominated Executive member is eligible to contest for the post of Vice President.**
- 2) Secretary-A Full life member of IASO who has completed 7 years (up to 31st March of the year of applying) as full life member and has served at least one term as an elected/nominated Executive member is eligible to contest for the post of Secretary.**
- 3) Treasurer-A Full life member of IASO who has completed 7 years (up to 31st March of the year of applying) as full life member and has served at least one term as an elected/nominated Executive member is eligible to contest for the post of Treasurer**
- 4) Editorial Secretary-A Full life member of IASO who has completed 7 years (up to 31st March of the year of applying) as full life member and has served at least one term as an elected/nominated Executive member is eligible to contest for the post of Editorial Secretary.**

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5) Executive Committee Member - Candidates who have put in a minimum 5 years full life membership of IASO till 31st March of the year of applying for the executive committee are eligible to election to Executive Committee.

Cutoff date for eligibility to vote for Full life Members who have been inducted as new members

will now be 31st Dec of the previous year of election for voting right for current year.

One executive should complete his term before taking over another assignment.

Voting – The online voting will be by a vendor chosen by the Election committee after approval of Active EC members.

Results will be declared during ICC 2023 EC and GB meetings

If there is no contest the President shall declare the member elected for the post in GBM. If no nomination is received, it is on the President and President elect to nominate one person for that post. Nominated candidates will have the same rights and powers as elected candidates. The

term for nominated members is for one year only.

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IASO Election Nomination 2023

I, Dr.....(IASO member ship No.....) propose the name of Dr.....for the post ofof IASO.

Signature

Date

Place

I, Dr.....(IASO member ship No.....) second the proposal of Dr.....for the post of of IASO.

Signature

Date

Place

I, Dr.....(IASO member ship No.....) agree for proposal of my name for the post of of IASO.

Signature

Date

Place

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NATCON IASO 2022 Audited Account Report



Charles Fernando & Co.
Chartered Accountants

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of

NATCONIASO 2022

Department of surgical oncology, II floor,

ward No. 90, Government Rajaji hospital (Madurai medical college), Madurai

Report on the Financial Statements

1. We have audited the accompanying financial statements of “**NATCONIASO 2022**”, which comprise the Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2023 and the Statement of Income and Expenditure and Receipts and Payments Statement for the year then ended.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

2. Management is responsible for the preparation of these financial statements that give a true and fair view of the financial position, financial performance and cash flows of the Association of Persons (AOP) in accordance with the Accounting Standards applicable in India. This responsibility includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

3. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with the Standards on Auditing issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India. Those Standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.
4. An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error.



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In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Association of Persons (AOP)'s preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances.

5. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of the accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.
6. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

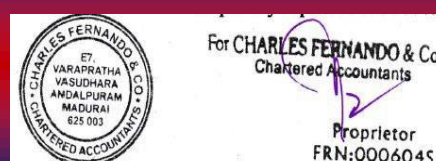
Opinion

7. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the financial statements give the information required in the manner so required and give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles generally accepted in India:
 - a) In the case of the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Association of Persons(AOP) as at March 31, 2023;
 - b) In the case of the Income and Expenditure Account, Excess of Income Over Expenditure for the year ended on that date; and
 - c) In the case of the Receipts and Payments Account, of the cash flow for the year endedon that date.

Report on other legal and regulative Matters

- i. We have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of our audit;
- ii. In our opinion proper books of account as required by law have been kept by the Association of Persons (AOP) so far as appears from our examination of those books
- iii. The Balance Sheet, Income and Expenditure Account, and Receipts and Payments Account dealt with by this Report are in agreement with the books of account.

Place: Madurai Date: 09.05.2023
UDIN: 23026619BGUAVU5486



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NATCONIASO 2022



RECEIPTS	Rs	Rs	PAYMENTS	Rs	Rs
To Conference Income			By NATCON Event, Food and Accomodation expenses		
Delegates Registration and Accomodation	8,433,360		Conference Venue, Food and Accomodation Expenses	6,531,294	
Sponsorship and Donations	13,335,821	21,769,181	Banquet Day	710,676	
			Delegate Accomodation for Banquet and Event	1,507,291	
			Delegate Accomodation for Eventat Other Hotels	483,973	
To Current Liability			Presidential Dinner Expenses	130,083	9,363,317
Seed Money		325,000	By NATCON Event Organising expenses		
			Audio and Visual Expenses forEvent Logistics and Trade Stall Arrangement	1,876,200	
			Event Organisation Expenses Event Photo	2,389,500	
			Graph Expenses	1,098,591	
			Internet Services for Conference	45,000	
			By NATCON Event Kit expenses Brochure -	32,000	5,441,291
			Conference Expenses Conference Bag and Kit		
			ExpensesMomentos - for Event	121,590	
			By NATCON Event Organising committee expenses	560,000	
			Organisation Committee Meetingand Food Expenses	118,864	800,454
			Travel Exp of Chief Guest, Faculty, and Org. Commit	170,345	
			Volunteers Fabrics and Cloths for Conference		
			By NATCON Event Prize Money expenses	886,274	
			Award Money for Natcon Winners	218,940	1,275,559
					360,000
Sub Total (C/F)		22,094,181	Sub Total (C/F)		17,240,621



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NATCONIASO 2022



Department of Surgical Oncology, II floor,

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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FROM 01ST MARCH 2022 TO 31ST MARCH 2023

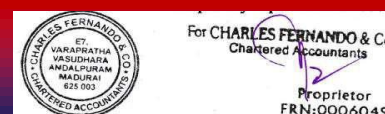
RECEIPTS	Rs	Rs	PAYMENTS	Rs	Rs
Sub Total (B/D)		22,094,181	Sub Total (B/D)		17,240,621
			By NATCON Event Parent Body Contribution expenses		
			Tamilnadu Association of Surgical Oncologists	200,000	
			Indian Association of Surgical Oncology	1,600,100	
			Madurai Alumni Association of Surgical Oncology	2,139,455	3,939,555
			By NATCON Event Council Credit Hours Registration		
			Tamilnadu Medical Council		46,745
			By NATCON Event Administration expenses		
			Professional Charges	83,000	
			Bank Charges	59	83,059
			By Current Liabilities		
			Seed Money refund		325,000
			By Current Liabilities		
			TDS Receivable		308,290
			By Closing Balance		
			HDFC Bank		150,911
TOTAL		22,094,181	TOTAL		22,094,181

Place: Madurai

- "As per report of even date

"Date: 09.05.2023

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RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FROM 01ST MARCH 2022 TO 31ST MARCH 2023

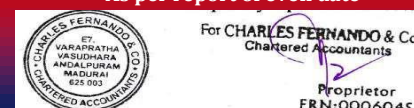
EXPENDITURE	Rs	Rs	INCOME	Rs
To Programme Expenses			By Income	
To NATCON Event, Food and Accomodation expenses			Delegates Registration and Accomodation	8,433,360
Conference Venue, Food and Accomodation Expenses			Sponsorship and Donations	13,335,821
Banquet Day	6,531,294			
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To NATCON Event Council Credit Hours Registration	2,139,455			
Taminadu Medical Council				
To NATCON Event Administration expenses				
Professional Charges Bank	46,745			
Charges	83,000			
To Excess of Income over Expenditure	59	21,309,980		
		459,201		
TOTAL		21,769,181	TOTAL	21,769,181

Place: Madurai

Date: 09.05.2023

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BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31ST MARCH 2023

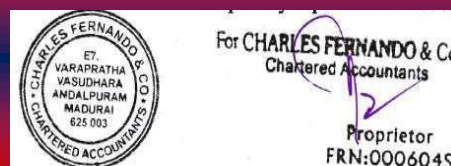
LIABILITIES	Rs	Rs	ASSETS	Rs	Rs
Seed Fund			CURRENT ASSETS		
Received during the period	325,000		TDS receivable		308,290
Less: Repaid during theperiod	325,000	-			
			CLOSING BALANCE		
Capital Fund			Cash In Hand	-	
Add : Excess of incomeover expenditure	459,201	459,201	Cash at Bank		
			HDFC Bank	150,911	150,911
TOTAL		459,201	TOTAL		459,201

"As per my report of even date"

Place: Madurai

Date: 09.05.2023

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Conference Report MIDCON Agra 2023

IASO MIDCON 2023 was conducted in Agra from 10th to 12th March. The theme of this year's conference was "Engagement for future" - to update on recent advances in cancer care.



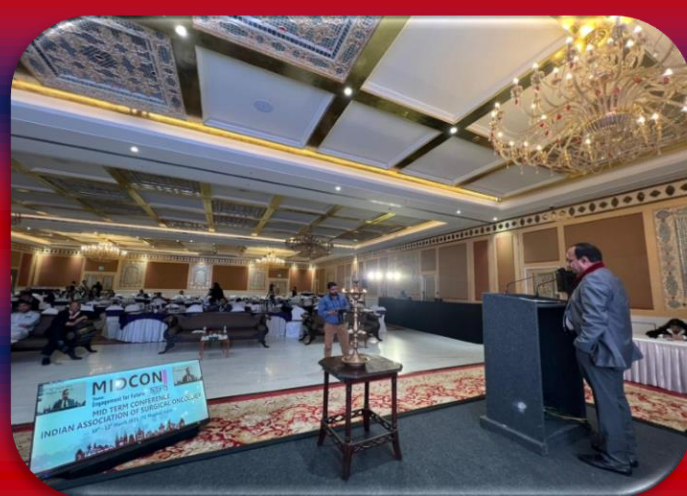
The aim was through a series of paper and poster presentations, workshops, panel discussions and interactions with the renowned Oncosurgeon of India to deepen our understanding on all aspects of cancer care.

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The conference was structured in a way that everyone has equal participation. On day 1 we held an Anastomosis workshop for training and emerging surgical Oncologists. Dr Swanpil Patel from TMH demonstrated the use of various staplers in GI surgeries. Hony President IASO Dr Prafulla Kumar Das emphasised on “ Basics of Surgical Oncology for General Surgeons” looking at greater audience of young general surgeons during the day.



Surgical Oncologists from all over India participated then in a free paper presentation around 50 papers presented on day 1. This was followed by a very interesting session on breast cancer Oncoplastic and implant reconstruction by AIIMS Delhi surgical onco team. Dr Somshekhar SP and Dr Babul Bansal then gave a wonderful talk on HIPEC, PIPEC and peritoneal surface malignancies. In the evening the faculty dinner was hosted by organizing secretary Dr Sandeep Agarwal and Dr Narendra Deo after GBM.



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Day 2 was full of topics which we dealt with everyday and all important topics we covered as panel discussions with eminent faculties and moderators from nearly all esteemed institutions of India. Panel discussions on Head and neck cancer , oropharyngeal cancer discussed as case based scenarios by Dr Devendra Chaukar and Dr Kaustubh Patel.

We had two panel discussions on breast cancer conducted by Dr Geeta Kadayaprath and Dr Gaurav Agarwal SGPGI Lucknow. Panel discussion on lung was moderated by Dr Sunil Kumar from AIIMS Delhi and a talk on mediastinal tumor was given by Dr Madhabananda Kkar. Panel discussion on colon and rectal cancer was moderated by Dr AvneeshSaklani.



In the afternoon we had an inauguration ceremony honored by EC members and Dr Sanjeev Mishra.

Post lunch we had sessions on recent advances on cancer gall bladder Dr Malika Tiwari, Dr Akash Agarwal and Durgatosh Pandey covering every aspect from staging to surgery. On Borderline Operable Cancer Pancreas Dr Shivendra Singh from RGC Delhi updated the audience on how to proceed with such cases.

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Dr Arvind Krishnamurthy from Adyar Cancer institute Chennai updated on Medullary Carcinoma Thyroid and Dr Vijay Bargaonkar updated on tips and tricks in Low LAR surgery. In the evening we had a Quiz Show which was very well moderated and conducted by Dr Srijan Shukla followed by a grand gala dinner with live music and dinner.



On Day 3 we had panel discussions on cancer ovary and cancer Endometrium by Dr Aditi Bhatt and Dr Rana Joshi. A talk on fertility preservation and limb salvage surgery.

This was followed by a valedictory function and vote of thanks.



SSO Meeting 2023, Boston Report by Secretary

SSO Report

Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) was held from 22nd to 25th of March 2023 at Boston, United States of America. IASO was represented by Dr Rajendra Toprani, Past President of IASO and Dr. Chandramohan K, Secretary of IASO. The award winners of IASO also participated in the meeting. IASO members interacted with the representatives of SSO (Society of Surgical Oncologists), BASO (Brazilian Association of Surgical Oncology) and American Cancer Society. Dr Rajendra Toprani and Dr Chandramohan K presented papers in the meeting.

Paper	Presenter
A Single Institutional Prospective Observational Study On ER, PR, HER 2- NEU, KI 67 Expression And Discordance Pattern In Primary and Metastatic and Recurrent Carcinoma Breast and Its Therapeutic Implications and Prognostic Outcome	DR. JEEVAN GS
A Prospective Analysis Of 168 Cases Of Total Robotic 3-Stage Esophagectomy For Carcinoma Esophagus In A Tertiary Care Cancer Centre	DR. ELROY SALDANHA
Impact of post-hepatectomy biliary leaks on long-term survival: single-institute experience of 862 oncologic liver resections	DR. DEVESH SANJEEV BALLAL
The Role Sentinel Lymph Node biopsy in cliniccally node negative Carcinoma Penis - A prospective study	DR. JAYAKARTHIK Y



Dr. Devesh, Dr. Jeevan and Dr. Elroy were the award winners of NATCON IASO 2022 for poster presentation. They presented their posters in SSO's global partner papers. Dr Jayakarthish (2019) & Dr Jeevan (2022) were the IASO ICD award winners.



IASO past President Dr. Rajendra Toprani and IASO Secretary Dr. Chandramohan K, along with IASO overseas coordinator Dr Chandrakanth Are, Dr Sandra L Wong, ,Dr Aaron Saunders at SSO meeting at Boston. ICD SSO winner Dr. Jeevan, poster presenters Dr. Devesh Ballal and Dr Elroy Saldanha attended the SSO meeting

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Dr Rajendra Toprani presented a paper on the topic "**Between patient and policy maker - what we can do to build global capacity for Cancer surgery**" on date from 12.15 to 1.15 pm. The moderators of the presentation were Dr Sandra L Wong and Dr Aaron Saunders and panellists were Dr. Rajendra Toprani, Dr Jason Park, Dr Joon Jeong, Dr Hener S. de C Ribeiro, Dr Ashraf S Zaghloul, Dr Almog Ben-Yaacov and Dr Hector Martinez-SaidDo Joong Park.



Dr Chandramohan K participated in the panel discussion paper on the topic "**Multidisciplinary Management of Cancer Globally**" from 12.00 – 1.00 pm on Date. Dr. Gabrielle H van Ramshorst and Dr Chandrakanth Are were the breakout moderators. Dr Isabel T Rubio, Dr. Chandramohan and Dr Rodrigo N Pinheiro were in the panel.

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IASO with SSO

IASO meeting with SSO was held on 24th March from 3.30pm to 4.00 pm at Hynes Convention Centre in Boston. Later Dr. Rajendra Toprani and Dr. Chandramohan. K participated in the residential dinner on 27th March. They also participated in the Global Branch conducted by SSO. Through this program, they can interact with several global leaders.

BASO with IASO

Meeting with Brazilian Society of Surgical Oncology (SBCO) was done at Hynes Convention Centre Boston from 9.30am-10.30am on 24th March 2023. Dr Heber, Dr. Lyra, Dr. Toprani, Dr Rodrigo and Dr. Chandramohan participated in the meeting.



IASO Secretary and Past President with SBCO leaders



Discussion with the SBCO leaders

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The following areas of collaborations were discussed Attending the Annual Conferences
Two representatives of each association will be invited for the Annual conferences every year. Local hospitality and registration will be taken care by the Host association. Dr. Heber has agreed to come for ICC 2023 at Jio Mall Mumbai. His areas of interest are **Upper GI and HPB**. Likewise, SBCO Annual meeting will be in Rio from Nov 16th to 18th, 2023. Two representatives are invited from IASO.

1. Attending meetings and doing Observership by Junior Doctors

SBCO Poster presentation. Meeting registration will be waived off by SBCO and IASO. It is agreed to start with two candidates. The candidates can have clinical observership in host country reciprocally.

2. Publication in Journals

Brazilian Journal of Oncology and Indian Journal of Surgical Oncology will publish articles reciprocally from other country. It will be facilitated by IASO and SBCO Secretariats.

3. Surveys

Each association will plan mutual surveys in both countries on various topic



Report Of ICDE Awardee and Poster Presentations

At SSO Meeting, Boston by Awardees and Poster Presenters

Dr. Jeevan G S

MBBS, DNB, M.Ch, MRCS, FMAS, DMAS

Department of Surgical Oncology Madurai Medical College Madurai, Tamil Nadu, India

Presently working as

Consultant Surgical Oncologist, NIMS Medicity, Trivandrum, Kerala

I would like to thank the Indian Association of Surgical Oncology (IASO) and the Society of Surgical Oncology (SSO) for choosing me as the IASO-SSO International Career Development Exchange (ICDE) Fellowship recipient of 2023. I would like to thank my teacher and mentor Prof. M. Ramesh (HOD, Department of Surgical Oncology, Madurai Medical College) and my guide Dr. M. Satishkumar for their support and guidance. I also thank Ms. Jacqueline Luna Montes (Manager, Membership & Global Programs) and Ms. Hannah Tong (Director of Academic Partnerships) of UNMC for organizing my visit and assisting me during the visit.

My visit to the USA for the ICDE program consisted of the following parts:

1. SSO 2023 International Conference on Surgical Care in Boston
2. Institution visit to the University of Nebraska Medical Center

SSO 2023 International Conference on Surgical Care

The SSO International Conference on Surgical Care was held from March 22nd to 25th, 2023 at the Hynes Convention Center in Boston, MA with more than 1500 attendees. The symposium began on the 22nd March with the pre-conference workshops and the SSO Grant writing workshop (Research pre-meeting). The SSO International Reception was hosted by Dr Sandra Wong, the President of SSO on the evening of 22nd March to welcome the ICDE 2023 awardees from 11 societies (India, Brazil, Japan, Korea, Indonesia, Egypt, Mexico, Pakistan, Israel and Europe) around the world including myself. We were introduced to our respective mentors, SSO executives and members.

I was invited for the Global Good Morning Brunch by the SSO on 23rd March 2023. I met SSO President Dr. Sandra Wong, global academics coordinator and various international society office bearers and ICDE candidates. I was given the opportunity of a podium presentation for my research article on the 24th March, 2023 as part of Global Partner Poster Presentations which was moderated by Dr. Rupen Shah (Henry Ford Health) and Dr. Mark Reeves (Loma Linda University Health).

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I attended many interesting lectures and sessions like the Trainee lounge on all three days of conference. It was a wonderful and enriching experience, where I could update myself with the latest technological developments and research from around the world. I'm sure this visit would help me refine my practice.

Institutional Visit:

As part of the ICDE Program, I visited the:

Fred & Pamela Buffet Cancer Centre, University of Nebraska Medical Centre

Dates: 27th March to 31st March 2023 Mentor: Prof. Chandrakant Are

I visited the Surgical Oncology Department at UNMC. My mentor was Prof. Chandrakant Are, Professor of Surgical Oncology at UNMC. Dr. Are had made Ms. Hannah Tong the point of contact for my visit to UNMC as observer. She had emailed me regarding the vaccination prerequisites 3 weeks before my travel. I had responded with the appropriate details on my vaccination status. She had assisted me with the flights to Omaha and had arranged my accommodation in Omaha as well. She picked me up from the airport, when I arrived in Omaha on the 26th of March and took me to the accommodation which was quite conveniently located near the medical centre.

On Day 1 of the program (27/03/23), she took me to the University of Nebraska Medical Centre and helped me in completing the joining formalities and procuring my ID card. She then gave a tour of the hospital, including, the library. She then took me to meet Dr. Are and formally introduced me to him. A schedule was prepared by him for the week post discussion with Dr. Jayakarthik – fellow ICDE recipient and me. After that he took us to the operation theatre and library. That evening, we went to Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium.

On Day 2 (28/03/23), I met Dr. Are at 7 am and he took us to the operation theatre and introduced me to Dr. Jamie Foster. We observed his surgery, post which we had a good discussion on melanoma, GI metastases and its management strategies in America and India. In the afternoon we attended the pancreas multi-disciplinary clinic and listened to discussions on various cases.

On Day 3 (29/03/23), I met Dr. Are at 6.30 am and he took us to the GI Surgery mortality meeting and seminar. It was an excellent opportunity to see first-hand and understand how an audit and mortality meeting presentation is made. I gained insights on key management protocols in the department and hospital. By 9.30 am we went to operation theatre and observed the surgery done by Dr. Jamie Foster. It was a case of Carcinoma ovary post chemotherapy. He explained the steps of peritonectomy and HIPEC.

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On Day 4 (30/03/23), We went to UNMC, Village Pointe which is 25 kms away from the UNMC main campus. We met Dr. Madhuri Are, an interventional pain management consultant and witnessed various pain management techniques done for cancer patients. In the afternoon we attended the GI tumor board and listened to various cases presented.

On Day 5 (31/03/23), We went to operation theatre in the morning and spent the day with Dr. Andrew witnessing multiple procedures along with him. That evening, I took my flight to Washington D.C. and back to India.

My observership at UNMC was an insightful experience and the key takeaway for me was on how a good tumor board discussion could improve the quality of treatment. My mentor, Dr. Chandrakant Are supported and guided me throughout the week. It gave me an opportunity to witness first-hand the quality of treatment and patient care provided in the US.

Both the experiences have served to broaden my knowledge and skills which will undoubtedly help me in my future endeavours.



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Mangalore

01/04/2023

From,

Dr. Elroy Saldanha

Assistant Professor,

Department of Surgical Oncology,

Fr. Muller Medical College Hospital.

Kankanady, Mangalore - 575002

To,

The President,

Indian Association of Surgical Oncology,

Dear Sir,

Sub: Report of my poster presentation at International SSO meeting, Boston

It gives me an immense pleasure to convey that my paper, **“A Prospective Analysis of 168 cases of Total Robotic 3-stage Esophagectomy for Ca Esophagus in a Tertiary Care Cancer Centre”** was well received at Boston SSO meeting on March 22-25, 2023. Some of the International delegates enquired about our work ethic and protocols followed at my center. Also, I am grateful to IASO for providing this opportunity to interact with International delegates. SSO conference gave a lot of insight in terms of protocols followed in rest of the countries and the research work performed with the resources provided. The talks were specific and provided us with latest updates. I attended the talks like role of multimodality therapy in colorectal liver metastasis, surgeon's role in locoregional management of stage 4 breast cancer, current controversies in gastric cancer, CRS and HIPEC for unusual primaries, management of thyroid nodules, management of extensive PMP, PSM debate on HIPEC for colorectal PM, current management of Desmoids, non-operative management of Rectal Cancer, management of LARS. Besides these, trainees HUB was helpful in providing as a future option for the aspiring fellows in US. I was specifically amazed by the silent HUB auditorium where four sessions were being conducted simultaneously with no voice clash or echoing issues. Interested delegates could scan the code and listen to the concerned talk with handsfree ear buds using the app without any confusion or distortion of quality of the sound. I felt this could be introduced in our future meetings to cut down the costs. We were 4 Indians who were presenting our work at an International platform. I provided an ample opportunity for me to interact with Dr. Devesh Ballal, Dr. Jeevan and Dr. Karthik.

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It gives me an immense pleasure to convey to you that I was a team member of Dr. Monica Morrow's team for International Surgical Oncology Quiz Bowl. This was first ever international friendly quiz conducted by SSO and our team stood second in this friendly quiz competition. I had a wonderful opportunity to interact with Dr. Monica Morrow who is the world renowned Breast surgeon and textbook author working at MSKCC (New York), whose text material we read during MCh exams. I have enclosed the pictures of the same along with twitter handle proofs of the SSO.

It was good experience to interact with Dr. Toprani Sir, Dr. Chandramohan Sir, Dr. Chandra Are Sir. Received several guidance from them and several do's and don't's for our career. I am grateful to IASO for providing me this opportunity to present and learn from my experience. Please find the photos being attached in the mail.

Thanking you, Yours sincerely,

Dr. Elroy Saldanha



WITH MY POSTER

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PARTICIPATED IN THE FRIENDLY QUIZ COMPETITION AND OUR TEAM STOOD SECOND

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Tweet



Society of Surgical Oncology
@SocSurgOnc

It's Team Tyler with the victory in the [#SSO2023](#) Surgical Oncology Bowl! Team Tyler edged out a late charge from Team Morrow to secure the victory! Congratulations! Special thanks to our host [@TsengJennifer](#)!



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TWEET PROOF FROM SSO ABOUT OUR TEAM BEING SECOND PLACE



WITH OTHER PRESENTERS

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9th April 2003

To,
The President,
Indian Association of Surgical Oncology.

From,
Dr Devesh Sanjeev Ballal
Assistant Professor (Ad Hoc) Dept Of Surgical Oncology, Tata Memorial Hospital, Mumbai.

Subject- Report of poster presentation at SSO 2023, Boston.

Respected sir,

It is with great joy, that I convey that my poster “Impact of post-hepatectomy biliary leaks on long- term survival: single-institute experience of 862 oncologic liver resections” was wellreceived in the Surgical Society of Oncology conference held in Boston between March 22- 25th 2023. Many delegates at the meeting were astonished with the volumes that we deal with and were amazed at how we manage to deliver quality comprehensive cancer care to even the most economically deprived sections of society. I had the opportunity to attend some truly spectacular talks and debates during the 4 dayprogram. The talk of CRS HIPEC in colorectal surgery by Dr Garrett Nash was particularly engrossing. Learning about how much impetus to research is given at centers like MSKCC, made me realize that there is so much more that can be done in our country.

The silent hub was a truly innovative idea which allowed for a single hall to be used formultiple purposes and this is something that I think can easily be implemented at conferences back home. The highlight of my trip, however, was attending the TARPSWG meeting and meeting DrAlessandro Gronchi who is the biggest name in soft tissue sarcomas across the world. Attending this meeting along with Dr Elroy, Dr Jeevan and Dr Karthik was a truly enlightening experience and has really opened my eyes to new frontiers. The guidance received from Dr Toprani and Dr Chandramohan also has helped me pinpoint where I needto direct my energies at this early stage of my career. Thank you for this wonderful opportunity!

Please find attached the photos of the conference.

Thanking you, Yours truly,

Dr Devesh Ballal

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From,

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I had won 1st place in Award Paper section in the national conference held by IASO in Kolkota in 2019 and thus had the opportunity to choose ICDE programme sponsored by SSO, USA. Thanks to Corona waves (1,2and 3) the plans had to be stalled putting the whole opportunity in jeopardy as the travel was restricted, conferences went online, administration had changed in both IASO and SSO and I too had relocated to a new place(Mysuru, Karnataka) restarting my career after 6 wonderful years in Basavatarakam Indo American Cancer Institute, Hyderabad. Just a mail in the start of 2023 enquiring the status of my ICDE programme opened up the doors in such seamless way all thanks to coordination between IASO and SSO office bearers. Thus 3 years later I could finally travel.

When we have new experiences, it is human to compare it to the past experiences. The SSO 2023 held in Boston was a new experience in itself with respect to the conduct if not the content. The spectrum of contents was narrower when compared to the national conferences conducted by IASO with importance given mainly to Breast, Melanoma, PSM, Colorectal, HPB cancer.



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What I found attractive and innovative was the use of technology to include small topics(eg – LAR syndrome and its management) which otherwise would not find its place in a conventional podium talk conference but found its way in “Silent Theatres” in an enclosure called as SSO HUB.

I initially found it strange to see multiple screens in a big hall in front of which there was a speaker with mic who was not audible but had small audience(seating capacity of around 20 in front of each screen) intently listening to him!!!!!!!



Only then I realised that all had SSO conference app installed, logged on to whichever talk they were interested by scanning a QRcode and listened to the talk with earphones on, thus rightly named SILENT THEATRE.

The conference also helped us make new acquaintances both from India(Dr Devesh, Dr Elroy) and abroad, have a sneak peek into how the systems work in different parts of the world, interact with President(Dr Rajendra Toprani) and Secretary(Dr Chandramohan) of IASO.

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We met Dr Chandrkanth Are in the conference whose institute (Nebraska Medical Centre) we were to visit after the conference. He briefed us (Me and Dr Jeevan) about the schedule he had prepared for us to make our stay useful.



In Nebraska, we were put up in International House, close to the campus for a nominal fee. Right from receiving us from airport to briefing us daily about what was planned for the day and the next day to lunch – everything was planned with attention to every small detail by Dr Are, making our stay hassle free.

We attended Surgeries by Dr Foster, Tumor boards, Chronic pain clinic by Dr Mrs Are, Acute pain management and a morning academic session too during our stay.

I am indebted to IASO, its office bearers (past and present) for providing us an opportunity to have an experience like this which inspires one to strive harder.





Collaboration with Sri Lanka Association of Surgical Oncology

IASO has initiated preliminary discussions with Sri Lanka Association of Surgical Oncology regarding collaborative efforts.



Dr Kanishka De Silva (President) and Dr Rasita Manatunga (Incoming President) will attend ICC 2023 and will be offered complimentary registration and stay.

IASO plans to take this relationship forward in future.



Invitation of LOI To Hold

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1. The Letter Of Interest should be sent by email to the iasosecretariat@gmail.com with copy to the President IASO at pk.das12365@gmail.com latest by 30th September, 2023 so as to be presented before the EC meeting during ICC 2023.
2. The LOI should be written in the provisional letterhead of the NATCON IASO 2025/MIDCON IASO 2025 showing at least the names of the Organizing Chairman, Organizing Secretary and Treasurer.
3. The Organizing committee should mention the name of the Local Oncology Society with its own PAN card which would be used for the conference.
4. The proposal can be proposed by either the chairman/Secretary/Treasurer and should be seconded by other from these three.
5. Guidelines of Organizing invitation for NATCON/MIDCON
 - a. The Secretary or his representative must be present during AGM of 2023 to present his/her proposal.
 - b. On request, a seed money of Rs. 50,000 may be given to the Organizing secretary of NATCON to start preparation, repayable within 6 months of the conference. The Organizing secretary of NATCON and mid-term conference shall sign an MOU with the IASO.
 - c. The Audited accounts of NATCON and MIDCON conference be submitted to the IASO secretary within 6 months of completion of the conference. They will be published in the newsletter and circulated to the members.
 - d. A minimum of 75% of the Profit of NATCON and 50% in case of MIDCON should be donated to IASO and this should be transferred to IASO within the same financial year of closure of the account in order to avoid double Taxation.



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