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From the President's Desk

Dear, Advisers, Trustees and member IAGESians, Greetings to you.

The months of July and August had been very hectic for IAGES and full of academic activities with both the FALS HPB and FALS Bariatric programmes being held with hall packed members. This was in addition to the wonderful short programmes conducted by Dr. Amitabh Goel, Dr. Suviraj John and Dr. Meenakshi Sharma.

I am glad that finally the distribution of "Comprehensive Laparoscopic Book" has been completed.

We are having the first major event of IAGES in Meghalaya, the midterm CME and also the EC meeting in this beautiful valley, the Scotland of East. I am glad to see the enthusiasm of the EC members.

Hope the EC would come out with some positive inputs for the future growth of the association. Wishing to see you all soon.

Long Live IAGES.

Prof Subhash Khanna

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From the Secretary's Desk



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Dear Friends n Colleagues It is my great pleasure and privilege to write to you for the Academic activities done in past month.

Last Month we all saw the devastating flood situation in Kerala. Many of our countrymen suffered great losses of all kinds. Many of our IAGES Kerala and South Zone Colleagues got involved in the humanitarian work and helped people of Kerala by providing Money, Essential Commodities and Medical Services. IAGES also collected more than 4 lacs from its EC Members And Iages Members and donated this sum to CM Relief Funds. Dr Zameer Pasha, Dr John Thanakumar , Dr Ajaiya Kumar and many other Iages Members from Kerala helped flood victims personally and also supervised the help and supply efforts. On behalf of IAGES I would like to thank each one of them for their contribution to Humanity. Once again IAGES has stood by our brothers and sisters in trouble like a solid rock and helped the Society at large.

Dr Amitabh Goel and his team organised a wonderful Live Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop at Indore. More than 10 Live Surgeries were shown starting from Lap Appendectomy to Paraoesophageal Hernia Repairs And Sleeve Gastrectomy. More than 100 delegates took part and enjoyed learning the tips and tricks from the Master Surgeons.

Dr Suviraj John organised a One Day CME at Delhi where he and his team invited more than 25 faculties to discuss the Science of various GI and Laparoscopic Surgery Issues we face in our daily practice.

Dr Minaxi Sharma organised a one day CME ON complications of Various Laparoscopic Surgeries which was very well attended. Discussing about Complications and learning from past mistakes provide lots of opportunities for improvement. Dr Jaya Maheshwari organised a CME on Paper Writing, Publications And Presentations at Jaipur. This was a great success. Indian Surgeons are very talented and skilful. However when it comes to Publishing and Presentation we lag behind our international colleagues. This CME was a great step in positive direction towards increasing publications from the Indian Surgeons at National and International level.

FALS Bariatric was organised at Ahmedabad by Dr Mahendra Narwaria and his team. More than 60 Fellows and other non fellowship delegates attended the event. 3 days of brainstorming discussions on Bariatric n Metabolic Surgeries have made this IAGES Course one of the most sought after in the field of Bariatric n Metabolic Surgeries.

Dr Laxmi and Team organised FALS HPB Surgery at Hyderabad which provided the platform for Advanced Discussion and learning in HPB Surgeries. It was very satisfying to see many Mch GI Surgeons taking up this course.

IAGES is growing everyday with New Members getting added Online everyday. IAGES has now become stronger family of more than 6500 Members.

We look forward to meet you in forthcoming academic programs like FALS, FIAGES, Cruise Conference And National Congress.

May You and Your Family have lot of happiness during this festive season.

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From the President Elect



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Dear IAGESians,

The 4th Edition of Comprehensive Laparoscopic Surgery is going out to the Members in batches. Most of you must have got it by this time – and those of you who has not received it will get it soon. Words of appreciation are coming from all corners and there is now a great demand for the book from non-members who wants to purchase it. We are mulling over what to do about it, as our priority is to deliver the books to our members.

In the mean time we had some great scientific programs. FALS Bariatric was held in Ahmedabad under the able leadership of Dr. MahendraNarwaria. FALS Hepatobiliary was held at Hyderabad under the leadership of Dr. Lakshmi Kona. Dr. Meenakshi Sharma did an innovative CME at Gurugram – Ensuring Safety in MAS. The video based program was a roaring success.

This month end we are having a FIAGES course at Bhagalpur, Bihar. It is a completely uncharted territory where IAGES is stepping for the first time, thanks to the efforts of Dr. Vijay Mittal.

Again, I request all members to join the mid-term cruise conference. It will be combination of academics with fun and games in a novel surrounding.

Preparations for the Annual Conference are in full swing. Dr. Sreejoy Patnaik and Dr. CR Das, guided by our President Dr. Subhash Khanna are doing tremendous work for you all to enjoy. My request to you is to register at the earliest.

Thank you and Jai Hind!!



Dr Subhash Khanna



Dr Subhash Khanna delivered the 3rd Prof Umesh C . Goswami Memorial Lecture on "Recent Emerging Trend In surgery for improving Healthcare" The Oration was organized by Prof U.C. Goswami memorial Committee at Gauhati University. The programme was held at Gauhati University and attended by nearly 200 faculty, research scholars and invited guest of various Departments of the University.



Dr John Thanakumar

Dr John Thanakumar delivered Dr Mathias Oration on "Memorable Moments in my Journey as Laparoscopic Surgeon" in Annual Conference of Association of Surgeons of India, 11th August, 2018



Dr Suresh Deshpande

"FLEXISURGE" Laparoscopic Instrument innovated by Dr Suresh Deshpande in association with BETIC, IIT, Bombay been observed and admired by PM Narendra Modi. A great proud moment.



Dr K Govindaraj

Dr K Govindaraj delivered the invited oration in TN&P Asicon 2018, Annual Conference held at Thekkady in August, 2018



The Minimal Access Surgical Clinics 2018 | GI Surgery

Process Driven Endo-Surgical Education - The Hour has Come!

Saturday, August 04, 2018 | Gurugram, NCR
Institute of Minimal Access, Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi



The GastroIntestinal System is a major surgical domain in Minimal Access Surgery. The volume and pace of scientific discovery in this arena often challenges established surgical dogma. This constant deluge of information can have an unsettling effect on the surgeon. Professional safety in such an environment is best preserved by the critique of the clinic where fundamentals are reiterated, and so-called progress is soundly questioned. The 'Minimal Access Surgical Clinics' was designed around this academic rigour. The agenda for the clinic was sourced and short-listed from a national survey of practicing surgeons. Leading national and international faculty were then invited to address the clinical contentions that seize current surgical practice.

The first edition, the 'Minimal Access Surgical Clinics 2018 | GI Surgery' was conducted on August 04, 2018 at the Olympus Centre of Excellence, Gurugram, NCR. The 'Clinic' was organised by the Institute of Minimal Access, Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi under the aegis of the Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons (IAGES) and the Delhi State Chapter of Association of Surgeons of India. It was also supported by the academic initiative of the nascent Association of Board Certified Minimal Access Surgeons (ABMAS).

This cognitive fiesta at the happening locale of Gurugram was designed as an education-intensive, high faculty-delegate ratio event to create best impact. The high-value nature of the clinic resulted in registrations exceeding twice the planned limit. Full faculty attendance, a jam-packed hall, cutting edge presentations and a sharp routine heightened the academic excitement. A radical initiative of the clinic has been the launch of a comprehensive repository of minimal access GI surgical Clinical Practice Guidelines (CPG) from national and international societies, which can be found on the CPG page www.masc.net.in/cpg/. CPGs currently have huge professional, legal and regulatory implications and it is our ardent belief that greater awareness of these will drive safe and successful clinical care and research in India. The time for process-driven surgical education has undeniably arrived! The complete clinic media will be available at www.masc.net.in

We look forward to seeing you at 'MAS Clinics 2019'. Kindly visit www.masc.net.in for the next clinic date and details.

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3rd FELLOWSHIP COURSE IN BARIATRIC AND METABOLIC SURGERY (FALS)-2018

9th to 11th August 2018 , Ahmedabad

3rd FELLOWSHIP COURSE IN BARIATRIC AND METABOLIC SURGERY (FALS)-2018 program was jointly organized by Asian Bariatric under the guidance of Dr. Mahendra Narwaria (Organizing Chairman) and Dr. Sanjay Patolia (Organizing Secretary) from 9th to 11th August 2018 at Hotel Novotel, Ahmedabad under the leadership of the president of IAGES Prof. Dr. Subhash Khana. The conference was attended by 53 faculties both of national and international cadre.

There were a total of 113 delegates out of which 40 appeared for fellowship in Advance laparoscopic Bariatric surgery Course Exam category and 23 appeared for Non Exam Category. 50 surgeons registered for CME WORKSHOP. This prestigious venue had enlighten the attendees with knowledge in the field of upcoming sub-specialty of Bariatric and Metabolic Surgery by many eminent surgeons.

A series of educative and informative lectures were delivered by eminent speakers covering all aspects of Bariatric and Metabolic Surgery.

There was live 3D transmission of 12 different types of Bariatric surgeries performed during the conference.



FALS HPB 2018 HYDERABAD

16th to the 18th of August 2018



The 2nd Fellowship Course in advanced laproscopic surgery in HPB and Spleen. This course was conducted from the 16th to the 18th of August 2018. A total of 11 candidates in the non-examination category (who all passed) and 15 in the examination criteria amongst whom 14 cleared. We also had 4 non-fellowship candidates who attended the course.

The course and its content was appreciated by all. The initial two days comprised of video based didactic lectures with a healthy discussion between the participants and the speakers. A special video transmission of a lap bisegmentectomy by Prof Ho-Seong Han , Seoul National University Bundang Hospital, South Korea was appreciated by all and happened on the 17th of August. The last day of the course comprised of master videos on Lap HPB surgery and the candidates cleared all their doubts regarding the procedures and participated in healthy discussions.



Tentative Academic Scheduled 2018 - 2019 Update

Sl. No	Proposed Event	Proposed Member	Proposed Place	Proposed Dates	Status
Mar-18					
1	Colonoscopy Single Theme	Dr. Satyapriya De sarkar	Kolkata	16th March	Done
2	Guidelines & Recommendation "revision		New Delhi	17th - 18 March	Done
3	FIAGES - ERODE	Dr. S. Easwaramoorthy	ERODE	30th - 31st March & 1st April	Done
Apr-18					
4	Knotting and Suturing	Dr. Achal Gupta	GR medical College, Mathura	29th April	Done
5					
6					
May-18					
7	GI Endoscopy Single theme	Dr. Satyapriya De sarkar	Kolkata, Middanapur	11th May	Done
8	Endosuturing & Knotting Course	Dr. Jaya Maheswari	Jaipur	27th May	Done
9	Endosuturing & Knotting Course	Dr. Ramesh Agarwalla	Kolkata	27th May	Done
Jun-18					
10	IEF Bariatric and Metabolic Surgery	Dr. Jaydeep Palep	Mumbai	8th -9th June	Done
11	Live Bariatric workshop	Dr. Sashank Shah	Pune	15th-16th June	Done
12	Guidelines & Recommendation - 2nd Meeting	Dr. P Chowbey	N. Delhi	16th June	
13	Advanced Endoscopy Endoscopy FAGIE	Dr. Subhash Khanna	Guwahati	22nd - 24th June	Done
14	Master Class in Laparoscopy	Dr. Kalai Selvan	Selvam Healthcare, Tamil Nadu	24th June	Done
15	FIAGES	Dr. Achal Gupta	Mathura	29, 30 June & 1st July	Done
Jul-18					
16	Basic to Advanced Minimal Access surgery	Dr Amitabh Goel	Indore	8th July	Done
17					
18					
Aug-18					
19	Leaders Collegium in MAS GI Surgery	Dr. Suviraj John		4th Aug	Done
20	FALS - Bariatric	Dr. M Narwaria	Ahmedabad	9th - 11th August	Done
21	FALS - HPB	Dr. Lakshmi Kona	Hyderabad	16th - 18th Aug	Done
22	Ensuring safety in Minimal Access Surgery	Dr Meenakshi Sarma	Parash Hospital, Gurgaon	25th Aug	Done

Tentative Academic Scheduled 2018 - 2019

23	FIAGES	Dr Vijay Mital, Dr. Mritunjay Singh	Bhagalpur	30th,31st & Aug & 1st Sept	Done
24	FALS - Lap/ no details	Dr. Fazl Parry	Srinagar		Pending
Sep-18					
25	EC meeting	Dr. Subhash Khanna	Shillong	14-Sep	Confirmed
26	Mid Term CME	Dr. Noor Topno	Shillong NEGRIHMS	15th Sept	Confirmed
27					
Oct-18					
28	Benign minimally invasive proctology course	Jaya Maheswari	Jaipur	12 to 13 Oct	Confirmed
29	FALS - Hernia	Dr. Sunil Popat	Ahmedabad	26th-28th Oct	Confirmed
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31					
32					
33					
Nov-18					
34	FIAGES	Dr. K. Rajavel	Trichy	9th -11th Nov	Confirmed
35	FIAGES	Dr. Jayshree Todkar	Pune	16th - 18 Nov	Confirmed
37	EFIAGES - Nashik	Dr. Pramod Shinde	Nashik	17th to 19th Nov	Confirmed
38	FALS - Colorectal	Dr. Ajay Kripalani	Gurgarm	30Nov to 2nd Dec	Confirmed
Dec-18					
39	IAGES SILVER JUBILEE YEAR CELEBRATION & International Cruise CME	Dr. Ramen Goel	Costa Cruise Cochin , Maldives	12th to 15th Dec	confirmed
40					
41					
Jan-19					
42	FIAGES	Dr. L.P.Thangavelu	Coimbatore	4th to 6th Jan	Confirmed
43	EFIAGES	Dr. Easwaramoorthy	Coimbatore/Oty	4th to 6th Jan	Confirmed
44	FALS UPPER GI	Dr. Sumitro Rawat	SGRH, Delhi	11th to 13 Jan	Confirmed
Feb-19					
45	IAGES 2019	Dr. Sreejoy Patnaik	Bhubaneswar	6th to 8 Feb , 2019	
INTERNATIONAL EVENTS					
1	ELSA 2018	ELSA	Sunway University, Malaysia	18th - 20th October 18	
2	APHS 2018	APHS	Grand Hyatt Dubai, UAE	29th Nov - 1st Dec 18	
3	ASI 2018	ASI	Chennai Trade Centre	26th-30th Dec 18	
4	SAGES 2019	SAGES	Baltimore Convention Center	3rd to 6 April 2019	

Just for laughs



UPCOMING Events

FIAGES @ PUNE 2018

Fellowship Course of Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons
Date: 16 to 18 Nov 2018 | Time: 8 am - 8 pm
Venue: Sahyadri Speciality Hospital, Decon Gymkhana, Pune

Sahyadri Hospitals

IAGES MIDTERM CME 2018
"ADVANCES IN MINIMAL ACCESS SURGERY"

Dear Colleague,

We take great pleasure in organizing a one-day CME on 25th September themed "Advances in Minimal Access Surgery". A collaborative effort with IAGES is planned to promote the science and craft of Minimal Access Surgery in India.

This CME is arranged to honor the advances in Minimal Access Surgery, which is a dynamic process. The CME hosts of faculty comprising of leading names, both nationally and internationally, eager to share their invaluable experience.

Shriang is a beautiful town, nestled in the Ghats hills enveloped with a lovely view of the majestic mountains of the Ghats, Ghats and the warm hospitality of the indigenous people. Its hallmark is the perpetual "fogh" weather, enjoyed by all and adds to the cool climate of September one can still experience the tall end of monsoon. Getting the full green hills and surrounding physical master's instead a visit to school.

SHRIANG is a perfect central institute with a state of the art equipment and faculty. It has already emerged as a hub for "Medical Faculty" catering to the needs of medical and engineering courses.

Start from the previous night, we will watch our intellectual appetite the one-day CME is going to be a perfect gateway from the problems to the results. The organizing committee is eagerly looking forward to welcoming you to the upcoming November.

Prof. J.D. Nisar, Topper
Organizing Chairman
"ASA, Maldives CME" 2018

Organized by: Department of Surgery, Maharashtra, Shriang
State Convention Centre, Hall #3, Nisar Hotel (New Wing), Shriang
25 September, 2018

1st in Maharashtra, 5th National

Hands on Training course and G.I. Endoscopy Fellowship (EFAGES)
Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endo Surgeons

EFIAGES 2018 NASHIK

Under the aegis of
Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endosurgeons
In Association with
Nashik Surgical Society & Maharashtra State Chapter of ASI

On **23rd - 25th NOVEMBER 2018**

WORKSHOP VENUE:
HCG Manavata Cancer Centre, Nashik

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FIAGES @ TRICHY 2018

Nov 9, 10 & 11

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FIAGES-2018 @ TRICHY

IAGES SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATION 1st INTERNATIONAL CRUISE CONFERENCE

onboard Costa Neorisma
Kochi (India) - Male (Maldives)
12th - 15th December 2018

Organised by
Indian Association of Gastro-intestinal Endo Surgeons

in association with
Maldives Association of Surgeons

Dr. Subhash Khanna, President
Dr. Sunil D. Popat, Hon. Secretary
Dr. Ramen Goel, Organizing Chairman

Expanding New Horizons & Meeting New Challenges

2018 IAGES Annual Meeting

16th Annual Congress of Indian Association of Gastrointestinal Endosurgeons

Feb 07 - 09 February 2018
SRI Chitra 12 (Bhamburda) University, Campus 2, Bhubaneswar

Workshop: **1st Fellow, Unpublished, 14 Countries Success Stories**

Pre-conference Brochure

IAGES Endorsed Training Centres



The following is the updated list of IAGES Accredited training centers.

- 28/08/2017 Best Institute and Research Centre, Bangalore
- 05/10/2017 GSL Smart Lab - Ratanagaram
- 18/10/2017 Manish Rajan Sahoo, Cuttack
- 10/11/2017 Kaizen Hospital
- 14/02/2018 Swagat Skills Centre, Guwahati
- 06/03/2018 Saraswathy Hospital Parassala, TVH
- 18/04/2018 Siva Hospital, Tamilnadu
- 02/06/2018 Niddhi Hospital, Ahmedabad

Dr. Sunil Popal
Hony. Secretary



International Event

ELSA2018

International Annual Congress of the
Endoscopic and Laparoscopic Surgeons of Asia

Trailblazing MIS into the Next Decade

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Submission Deadline
31 August, 2018

WHEN 15 - 17 November, 2018

WHERE Kuala Lumpur Convention Centre, Malaysia

ESVF Symposium International de chirurgie laparoscopique
29^e International Laparoscopic surgery symposium

SFCE Meeting 2019

24 25 26
Janvier/January 2019



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All the members are requested to **send their achievements** to the secretary at drsdpopat1@gmail.com or to the President at profsubhashkhanna@gmail.com at the earliest for the next issue of IAGES Times E- Newsletter

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