



# INDIAN ORTHOPAEDIC RHEUMATOLOGY ASSOCIATION (IORA)

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**Imp Minutes of EC meeting which was confirmed in GBM on 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 19**

- 1 Official responsibility would be given to Prof Lahkar for**
  - A Journal distribution**
  - B Election to be held for various office bearer post form 2020 onwards.**
- 2 President for 2019-20 - Prof Dilip Mazumdar . Tenure of President ship is to be continued as One year.**
- 3 President elect Prof Narendra, he would try to organize 2021 IORACON at Vishakapatnam in his Tenure as President or other relevant place as decided by EC members. President elect every year would be continuing arrange the prestigious IORA oration for next IORACON. Next year we would try to have an International speaker. IORA executive board election would be done by President Elect every year.**
- 4 Prof Lahkar would be the Vice President ,the tenure of which is also 1 year. Prof lahkar would how ever be taking the responsibility to coordinate in the office work with Newly appointed Secretary IORA –Dr Bipul Borthakur.**

**Dr Borthakur would be communicating directly to our respected members from our Gmail account regularly from now ( ioraortho@gmail.com)**
- 5 Dr Madhan Jeyaraman is nominated as Joint Secretary IORA from this year .**
- 6 Prof Rajesh Gupta has joined IORA as Ex comm. Member.**

**7 IORACON 2020 would be organized in Kolkatta ,under Leadership of Prof Dilip Mazumdar.**

**8 EC members have further decided to start the ballot election process for the IORA EC from next year onwards.**

**9 Dr Jitendra chaudhary would be now joining as Associate editor, of IJOR – International Journal of Orthopaedic Rheumatology. We all Editorial board are are highly privileged to be associated with an International Journal which is also indexed by Index Copernicus and having an high impact factor( even more than many top Orthopaedic Journal in the country). To all those members who want hard copies of the two issues of the Journal should deposit Rs 800/with IORA as printing and courier charges every year.  
For Institutional rate kindly contact IORA Head office.**

**10 Dr A P singh from Gurgaon,Prof Alok Agarwal ,AIIMS Raipur ,Dr Ashok Tyagi ,Hindu Rao hosp Delhi would be continuing as Ex comm. Members.**

**11 Dr Madhan Jeyaraman, Senior Resident, School of Medical Sciences and Research, Sharda University, New Delhi will continue the research based regenerative orthopaedics clinical studies in the field of Orthopaedic Rheumatology. Dr Madhan would be incharge for holding IORA Gold medal session for free papers and research module of IORA. He would be coordinating from 2020 with various presidents /secretaries of state chapters of IOA further helping them coordinating Orthopaedic rheumatology section during various state chapter's conferences very year.**

**13 From 2020 we would try to give computerized life membership certificates to all our newly formed members.**

**14 It was further passed out as a resolution that next year in the March 2020 IORA would be requesting during IOA during their EC meeting to continue giving us the One hour section on Orthopaedic Rheumatology in IOACON cauz**

**Orthopaedic rheumatology is fastest upcoming Orthopaedic specialty with an inhouse indexed International journal with more than 4 impact factor and most importantly IORA is also coming up soon with Text book of Orthopaedic rheumatology which would be helpful in academics of upcoming PG diploma course in orthopaedic rheumatology.**

**15 IORA would be soon starting the Orthopaedic rheumatology fellowship for young orthopaedic surgeons for which a saving bank account need to be formed in Bank of Baroda in Lucknow ,cantt road branch.This account would be operated by Dr Manish Khanna. IORA would also try to form Orthopaedic rheumatology committee under IOA. The main aim of the committee would be to update the younger Orthopaedic surgeons to this emerging developing vast field of orthopaedic Rheumatology specially the Hand ,Foot rheumatoid & allied surgical deformity correction. Also ,further to update the regenerative science component in the orthopaedic rheumatological management.**

**16 IORA would also like to invite every year one person as speaker in IORACON who so ever would be contesting for the post of President Elect IOA ,provided the person's academic interest meets IORA standard as a Faculty.**

**17 Last but not least it was decided that IORA would guide various Heads Orthopaedics in Medical colleges pan India for starting various Thesis on Orthopedic Rheumatology.**

**Long Live IORA**