



INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR AND THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS

NEWSLETTER (August 2021)

Dear IACTA Members,

August 14th, 2021.

Greetings from IACTA...

It gives us immense pleasure to present the second newsletter of 2021.

The main contents of the newsletter are related to the new academic activity of online lecture series by ICCA, Notification inviting application/nomination for various positions of ICCA and chief editors for Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia and IACTA echo library, report of IACTACON-2021 and forthcoming conferences of IACTA.

Indian College of Cardiac Anaesthesia:

- a. **Cardiac Anaesthesia Teaching sessions:** ICCA announces a year-round online academic initiative for comprehensive academics for FIACTA candidates. The fortnightly program to be conducted on Saturday afternoons would have lectures on various topics of cardiac anaesthesia (namely adult, congenital, thoracic, vascular, TEE, ECMO and cardiac critical care), delivered by renowned national IACTA faculty. These faculty will also moderate one student presentation in every class to clarify doubts, impart clinical pearls and answer questions from the audience. These are open academic lecture sessions and anyone interested can join the session e.g. practicing cardiac anaesthesiologists or candidates pursuing DM and DNB courses. The sessions will be conducted on the IACTA Zoom platform and IACTA will try to share the zoom link for each session to as many members as technically possible.
- b. **FIACTA-2021 exam.:** IACTA Fellowship in Cardiac Anaesthesia (FIACTA) 2021 exam has recently been concluded at multiple centres across the country. The result will be announced and posted on the website very soon.
- c. **FTEE-2021 exam:** The peri-operative echocardiography certification (FTEE) 2021 exam. is scheduled at Medanta – the Medicity on 27th and 28th August 2021. Interested candidates can apply for the FTEE certification.

Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia:

As approved by GBM in 2019 and 2020 and informed to all the members of IACTA, the yearly subscription for the print issue of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia (ACA) would be on payment of Rs.500/- for four issues. Many members have paid the subscription charges and many members have not opted for the print issue and use the online version. The online version of the ACA is free to all life members of IACTA. To make the online issue easily available to IACTA members, a decision has been taken to make the download of articles from online website www.annals.in absolutely FREE.

Those life members, who still wish to have the print issue, please login to your profile at www.iacta.co.in and subscribe with payment of Rs.500/- to get your print issue. If there is any correction in name, mobile number, email, postal address (along with PIN), please write to us at iactasecretairiat@gmail.com

IACTACON-2021: IACTA central body conducted the annual conference of IACTA on 27th and 28th of Feb. 2021. This was on virtual platform in a webinar format. Apart from the thematic lectures, we had panel discussion on “Practice of Cardiac Anaesthesia – a global perspective” on last day. The conference was attended by more than 1600 delegates across the globe.

IACTACON-2022: 24th Annual Conference of IACTA “IACTACON-2022” is to be held in the cultural capital of Tamil Nadu - MADURAI during the month of February 2022. As the COVID pandemic is slowly fading out, we hope to have physical conference this time. The conference would have CME lectures, workshops and insights from veterans in the field. The program will have activities led by experts and distinguished speakers from round the world with an intent to enhance, acquire and assimilate latest and cutting-edge knowledge and skills. Conference highlights include Prof. PN Bhat and Dr. VA Punnose oration, Janak Mehta Young scientist awards session, free papers and e-posters presentation, future innovations, heart failure, assist devices and transplants, recent guidelines, hybrid surgeries, hope or hype sessions, snap talks and meet the experts events. There would be 4 Interactive Workshops namely hemodynamic monitoring, advanced TEE and TTE, mechanical assist devices (ECMO and VADs) and thoracic anaesthesia. The venue for the conference is Hotel Marriott Madurai.

For details and registrations, please visit the conference website: www.iactacon2022.com

IACTACON 2022 organizing secretary: Dr. S Kumar, +91 94422 44084; iactacon2022@gmail.com

Hallmark Events: Mobile: +91 9964153557 / +91 9845671462

IATCA TEE workshop: 6th International and 15th National TEE Workshop is scheduled from 20th to 22nd August, 2021. Similar to last year, this year also the conduct of the workshop would be on a virtual platform. The webinar would be on Mediknit platform, our media partners. As we have received a huge response for IACTA Golden FATE contest, we will have a special session on “Research in Echocardiography”, two free paper sessions and “IACTA Golden FATE” contest during the conference. Karnataka Medical Council has granted “**THREE CME HOURS**” to the conference. Looking at the mammoth response received during virtual IACTA TEE workshop-2020, the organizing team is planning multiple channels online telecast. This time, apart from Mediknit platform, the entire conference could be viewed on Anaesthesia TV, YouTube and Facebook as well. Following are the links to view the conference live:

Mediknit: <https://www.mediknit.org/iactatee/live/iactatee2021>

YouTube: <https://youtu.be/kG2TRd8qQpo>

Anaesthesia TV: <https://bit.ly/Anaesthesia-TV-IACTA-TEE-2021>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/AnaesthesiaTV>

Organizing secretary: : Dr. Muralidhar Kanchi,

Email: internationaliactatee@gmail.com,

Tel. no.: 91-80-71222689 or 91-80-27836966.

Conference program: http://www.iacta.co.in/uploads/IACTA_TEE_Webinar_2021_Brochure.pdf

NOTIFICATION

Applications / nominations are invited for the following post of ICCA and Chief Editor Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia), and Chief Editor (IACTA Echo Library):

1. Chancellor, ICCA: one post; tenure 3 yrs.
2. Vice Chancellor, ICCA: one post; tenure 3 yrs.
3. Registrar, ICCA: one post; tenure 3 yrs.
4. Dean academics, ICCA: One post; tenure 3 yrs.
5. Dean echo, ICCA: One post; tenure 3 yrs.
6. Dean research, ICCA: One post; tenure 3 yrs.
7. Dean examination: One post; tenure 3 yrs.
8. Chief Editor, Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: one post; tenure 5 yrs.
9. Chief Editor, IACTA Echo Library: one post; tenure 2 yrs.

The duly filled and signed application form with supporting documents should reach our official email (iactasecretariat@gmail.com) by 15th September 2021. All applications will be checked for the content and then referred to the relevant selection committee which shall make the recommendation to the executive committee (EC) of IACTA. After approval by the executive committee, the decision of EC will be presented to GBM during IACTA conference to be held at Madurai in Feb. 2022 for final approval.

Life member of IACTA can apply or can nominate a life member of IACTA. If you are nominating someone else for any of these posts, please submit brief CV of the nominated member and send it along with the nomination form.

Please circulate these notifications to IACTA life members; the same have been posted on IACTA Website also.

The application forms and eligibility criteria for each of above mentioned post are described below:

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Chancellor, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated:

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

- a. Attended fifteen (15) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended twelve (12) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least six (6) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Been part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed in training of at ten (10) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least twenty-five (25) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- h. Contributed for two publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes/ No
- i. Delivered fifty (50) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Been on editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for three terms (at least 6 years): Yes / No
- l. Reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as Dean ICCA/ Vice Chancellor/ Registrar ICCA: Yes / No
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Any other information/achievement:

I declare that the information given above is correct and true to my knowledge. If any information given is found incorrect, the application / nomination will stand cancelled.

Nomination submitted by:

Name:

(signature)

Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

(The application/nomination form should reach to iactasecretariat@gmail.com by 15.09.2021)

- *Please go through the eligibility criteria carefully before filling the form.*
- *In case one need's further clarification, please write to email iactasecretariat@gmail.com*

INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Vice-Chancellor, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Attended fifteen (15) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended ten (10) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least six (5) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed in training of at eight (8) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least twenty (20) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- h. Contributed for two publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes/ No
- i. Delivered forty (40) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for three (3) terms (at least 6 years): Yes / No
- l. Reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as Dean /Registrar ICCA/Academic Council member of ICCA: Yes / No
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Any other information/achievement:

I declare that the information given above is correct and true to my knowledge. If any information given is found incorrect, the application / nomination will stand cancelled.

Nomination submitted by:

Name:

(signature)

Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

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Application/Nomination Form for the post of Registrar, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Attended twelve (12) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended ten (10) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least six (4) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed in training of at six (6) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- h. Contributed for two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes/ No
- i. Delivered twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms (at least 4 years): Yes / No
- l. Are you a reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as dean/academic council member of ICCA: Yes / No
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Any other information/achievement:

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Nomination submitted by:

Name:

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Date:

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INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Dean Academics, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Attended twelve (12) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended ten (10) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least four (4) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed in training of at six (6) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- h. Contributed for two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes / No
- i. Delivered twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Been on editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms (at least 4 years): Yes / No
- l. Reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as academic council member of ICCA: Yes / No
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Any other information/achievement:

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Nomination submitted by:

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INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Dean Echo, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Attended twelve (12) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended ten (10) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least four (4) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed in training of at six (6) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- h. Contributed for five (5) publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes / No
- i. Delivered twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Been on editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms (at least 4 years): Yes / No
- l. Reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as academic council member of ICCA: Yes / No
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Any other information/achievement:

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Nomination submitted by:

Name:

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Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

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INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Dean Research, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Attended twelve (12) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended ten (10) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least four (4) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed to training of at six (6) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach a list of above)
- h. Contributed for two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes / No
- i. Delivered twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms (at least 4 years): Yes / No
- l. Reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as academic council member of ICCA: Yes / No
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Published two research projects to your credit: Yes / No
- p. Any other information/achievement:

I declare that the information given above is correct and true to my knowledge. If any information given is found incorrect, the application / nomination will stand cancelled.

Nomination submitted by:

Name:

(signature)

Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

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INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Dean Examination, ICCA

(Tenure: 3 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Attended twelve (12) IACTA national conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- b. Attended ten (10) IACTA conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- c. Attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences: Yes/No (attach proof)
- d. Attended at least four (4) IACTA endorsed conferences as faculty: Yes/No (attach proof)
- e. Part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training program: Yes / No
- f. Contributed to training of at six (6) candidates for DM or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia: Yes/ No
- g. Published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in an indexed journal: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- h. Contributed for two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library: Yes / No
- i. Delivered twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE: Yes/No (please attach the list)
- j. Editorial board of Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes / No
- k. Served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms (at least 4 years): Yes / No
- l. Reviewer for following journals:
 - a. Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia: Yes/No
 - b. IACTA Echo Library: Yes/No
 - c. Any other indexed journals:
- m. Served as academic council member of ICCA.
- n. Faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No
- o. Any other information/achievement:

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Nomination submitted by:

Name:

(signature)

Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

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INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Chief Editor, Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia

(Tenure: 5 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a) Life member of IACTA for at least 10 years. Yes / No
- b) Actively associated with all activities of the association. Yes / No
- c) Faculty member or preferably head of the dept. of a large hospital or institution actively involved in cardiac thoracic work (corporate/private/Govt. Hospital): Yes/No
- d) Attended at least 5 annual meetings in cycle of preceding 7 years: Yes / No
- e) Ten (10) publications in Annals of Cardiac Anesthesia: Yes / No (please attach the list)
- f) Twenty (20) international publications in addition to above, in journals with impact factor of more than 0.5: Yes / No (please attach the list)
- g) Held an executive post in any capacity of IACTA: Yes / No
- h) Member of the executive council on at least two occasions. Should have attended at least two of the three executive meetings in a year: Yes / No
- i) High academic credentials in terms of member of editorial board or as reviewer in various medical journals. Contributions to chapters in textbook or service as assistant editors in various journal adds to the credentials. Yes / No
- j) Have you faced any disciplinary action by IACTA: Yes / No

I declare that the information given above is correct and true to my knowledge. If any information given is found incorrect, the application / nomination will stand cancelled.

Nomination submitted by:

Name:

(signature)

Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

(The application/nomination form should reach to iactasecretariat@gmail.com by 15.09.2021)

- *Please go through the eligibility criteria carefully before filling the form.*
- *In case one need's further clarification, please write to email iactasecretariat@gmail.com*

INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF CARDIOVASCULAR THORACIC ANAESTHESIOLOGISTS (IACTA)

Application/Nomination Form for the post of Chief Editor, IACTA Echo Library

(Tenure: 2 yrs.)

Name of the person nominated (self or other):

IACTA number:

Life membership of IACTA since:

Email:

Mobile no.:

Address:

The applicant / nominee should have -

- a. Life member of IACTA for last 10 years: Yes / No
- b. Five (5) publications on echocardiography in indexed journals: Yes / No (please attach the list)
- c. Ten (10) publications at IACTA Echo Library. (Minimum six (6) as weekly echo manuscripts and minimum four (4) as mid-week quiz): Yes / No (please attach the list)
- d. Certified in peri-op TEE by IACTA or any of following international board (NBE USA; European Board (ESCVI); British board, Australian board, Japanese Board or IACTA FTEE): Yes / No
- e. Good working knowledge of video software required for editing videos and pictures: Yes / No
- f. Good knowledge of managing website and web-based contents online: Yes / No
- g. Optional clause: Is your hospital/institute is recognized as training centre for "Practical TEE training" by IACTA: Yes / No

I declare that the information given above is correct and true to my knowledge. If any information given is found incorrect, the application / nomination will stand cancelled.

Nomination submitted by:

Name:

(signature)

Mobile:

Date:

Email:

Place:

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Indian Association of Cardiovascular Thoracic Anaesthesiology (IACTA)

Eligibility Criteria for various posts of ICCA

Eligibility criteria for Chancellor

- a. Should be an active life member of IACTA.
- b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA.
- c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials.
- d. Should have attended at least fifteen (15) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least twelve (12) times as faculty.
- e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least 6 times.
- f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.
- g. Should have contributed to training of at least ten (10) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.
- h. Should have published at least twenty-five (25) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.
- i. There should be two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or co-authors.
- j. Should have at least fifty (50) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.
- k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.
- l. Should have served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for at least three (3) terms (at least 6 years).
- m. Preferably should have served as Dean ICCA/ Vice Chancellor/Registrar.
- n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

Eligibility criteria for Vice-Chancellor

- a. Should be an active life member of IACTA.
- b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA.
- c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials.
- d. Should have attended at least fifteen (15) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least ten (10) times as faculty.
- e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least five (5) times.
- f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.
- g. Should have contributed to training of at least eight (8) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.
- h. Should have published at least twenty (20) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.
- i. There should be two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or co-authors.
- j. Should have at least forty (40) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.
- k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.
- l. Should have served at IACTA EC or ICCA or IERC for at least three (3) terms (at least 6 years).
- m. Preferably should have served as Dean /Registrar ICCA/academic council member.
- n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

Eligibility criteria for Registrar, ICCA:

- a. Should be an active life member of IACTA

- b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA
- c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials.
- d. Should have attended at least twelve (12) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least ten (10) times as faculty.
- e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least four (4) times.
- f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.
- g. Should have contributed to training of at least six (6) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.
- h. Should have published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.
- i. There should be two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or co-authors.
- j. Should have at least twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.
- k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.
- l. Should have served in IACTA EC/ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms out of which one term should be must in EC .
- m. Preferably should have served as Dean/academic council member.
- n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM / PDCC / FIACTA / FNB / DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

Eligibility criteria for Dean Academics, ICCA:

- a. Should be an active life member of IACTA
- b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA
- c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials.
- d. Should have attended at least twelve (12) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least ten (10) times as faculty.
- e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least four (4) times.
- f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.
- g. Should have contributed to training of at least six (6) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.
- h. Should have published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.
- i. There should be two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or co-authors.
- j. Should have at least twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.
- k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.
- l. Should have served in IACTA EC/ICCA or IERC for two terms.
- m. Preferably should have served as academic council member.
- n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM/PDCC/FIACTA/FNB/DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

Eligibility criteria for Dean Echo, ICCA:

- a. Should be an active life member of IACTA
- b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA
- c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials. Must be a fellow of perioperative echo certified by IACTA/International organization.
- d. Should have attended at least twelve (12) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least

ten (10) times as faculty.

e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least four (4) times.

f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.

g. Should have contributed to training of at least six (6) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.

h. Should have published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.

i. There should preferably have five (5) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or coauthors.

j. Should have at least twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.

k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.

l. Should have served in IACTA EC/ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms.

m. Preferably should have served as academic council member.

n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM/PDCC/FACTA/FNB/DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

Eligibility criteria for Dean Research, ICCA:

a. Should be an active life member of IACTA.

b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA.

c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials.

d. Should have attended at least twelve (12) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least ten (10) times as faculty.

e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least four (4) times.

f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.

g. Should have contributed to training of at least six (6) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.

h. Should have published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.

i. There should be two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or co-authors.

j. Should have at least twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.

k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.

l. Should have served in IACTA EC/ICCA or IERC for two (2) terms.

m. Preferably should have served as academic council member.

n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM/PDCC/FACTA/FNB/DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

o. Dean research preferably should have at least two published research projects to his credit.

Eligibility criteria for Dean Examination, ICCA:

a. Should be an active life member of IACTA

b. Should not have faced any disciplinary action by IACTA

c. Should have extraordinary academic credentials.

d. Should have attended at least twelve (12) IACTA conferences and should have attended at least ten (10) times as faculty.

e. Should have attended at least eight (8) IACTA endorsed TEE conferences and should be a faculty for at least four (4) times.

f. Should be a reviewer for ACA, IACTA Echo Library and other indexed journals.

- g. Should have contributed in training of at least six (6) candidates for DM Cardiac anaesthesia or fellowship in cardiac anaesthesia or TEE fellowship or FNB or DNB or PDCC cardiac anaesthesia.
- h. Should have published at least fifteen (15) papers related to cardiac anaesthesia in any indexed journal.
- i. There should be two (2) publications at IACTA Echo Library as authors or co-authors.
- j. Should have at least twenty-five (25) guest lectures at various national and international conferences in specialty of cardiac anaesthesia and / or TEE.
- k. Should be an editorial board member of ACA or should have served as editorial board member in past.
- l. Should have served in IACTA EC/ICCA or IERC for two terms.
- m. Preferably should have served as academic council member.
- n. Should preferably be part of cardiac anaesthesia (DM/PDCC/FACTA/FNB/DNB cardiac anaesthesia) or IACTA training programs.

Eligibility criteria for Chief Editor, Annals of Cardiac Anaesthesia

- k) Should be life member of IACTA for at least 10 years.
- l) Actively associated with all activities of the association.
- m) He/she should be faculty member or preferably head of the dept of a large hospital or institution actively involved in cardiac thoracic work (corporate/private/Govt. Hospital)
- n) He should have attended at least 5 annual meetings in cycle of preceding 7 years
- o) Should have a minimum of 10 publications in Annals of Cardiac Anesthesia.
- p) Should have at least 20 international publications in addition to above, in journals with impact factor of more than 0.5.
- q) Should have held an executive post in any capacity of IACTA.
- r) Should have been a member of the executive council on at least two occasions. Should have attended at least two of the three executive meetings in a year.
- s) Should have high academic credentials in terms of member of Editorial Board or as Reviewer in various medical journals. Contributions to chapters in text books or service as assistant editors in various journal adds to the credentials

Eligibility criteria for Chief Editor, IACTA Echo Library

- a. Life membership of IACTA: Editor of Echo Library must be a life member of IACTA for last 10 years.
- b. Indexed publications: He/she should have at least 5 publications on echocardiography in indexed journals.
- c. Contribution to echo library: He/she should have at least 10 publications at IACTA Echo Library. (Minimum 6 as weekly echo manuscripts and minimum 4 as echo quiz).
- d. He/she should be certified in peri-op TEE by IACTA or any of following international board (NBE USA; European Board (ESCVI); British board, Australian board, Japanese Board or IACTA FTTEE).
- e. He/she should have a good working knowledge of video software required for editing videos and pictures.
- f. He/she should have good knowledge of managing website and web-based contents online.
- g. All applications should be sent to Secretary IACTA for post of "Chief Editor, IACTA Echo Library".
- 8. He/she should come from a hospital/institute which is recognized as training centre for "Practical TEE training" by IACTA. (This will ensure that the person has basic infrastructure available for TEE at his institute as mentioned. This will enable him to generate enough TEE data which might be required for editing publications). This clause is optional.

Dear friends, we pray and wish that the COVID-19 pandemic settles down and we are back to our pre-pandemic era. We look forward to meeting everyone during IACTACON-2022. Please do take care of yourself and people around you.

LONG LIVE IACTA.

Thanks, and best regards...

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