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International Trauma Life Support Board of Directors Candidate - 2021

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ITLS Chapter: Pune, India

Occupation:

1. Describe prior involvement with your ITLS Chapter:

- Actively involved in procuring ITLS Chapter status in 2005
- Organizing and conducting ITLS courses since 2005 till date.
 - Provided consistent leadership for the program.
 - Stimulated the evolution and consistency of ITLS programs.
 - Ensured the availability of training and the quality of the programs offered.
 - Provided financial management and oversight of the ITLS programs, including organization of finances.
 - Ensured the quality and consistency of ITLS programs.
 - Represented ITLS as an international meeting delegate.
 - Demonstrated proficiency with the ITLS course management systems (CMS).
 - Provided administrative support for the ITLS program.
 - Executed the plans and enforce the policies of the ITLS Policy and Procedure Manual.
 - Coordinated due process activities of the advisory committee.

2. Describe your prior involvement with ITLS International (committees, etc.):

- Attended International Trauma Conference organized by the International trauma Life Support (ITLS), organization USA from **10 to 13 November 2015 at Las Vegas, Nevada, USA.**
- Member of ITLS Chapter and Training Centre Support Committee consecutively for 2 years in succession 2018-19 and 2019 – 20.

3. What other volunteer or leadership activities have you been involved with?

As Professor & Director of Symbiosis Centre for Health Skills (SCHS), I am involved in the academic and administrative planning of all programs offered by SCHS.

The Symbiosis Centre for Health Skills (SCHS) under the Faculty of Health Sciences, Symbiosis International (Deemed University) is a multidisciplinary educational facility that strives to provide high-tech simulated and virtually created hospital set-up for teaching, training & assessment for all health care professionals in clinical and related management skills.

The Post Graduate Diploma in Emergency Medical Services (PGDEMS) programme is recognized by the Los Angeles Paramedic Training Institute, Department of transportation USA. Till date, SCHS has trained 8200 Healthcare professionals. Many Alumni are placed overseas. PGDEMS programme of SCHS is also recognized by Saudi Commission of Health Specialties.

SCHS has the dual coveted status of an International Training Centre (ITC) of the American Heart Association (AHA), USA as well as a “Chapter” status of the International Trauma Life Support Organization, (ITLS), USA. As ITC, coordinator of AHA and Chapter coordinator of ITLS trained over 1.5 Lakh healthcare professionals.

SCHS has collaborated with the Royal College of Surgeons, England to conduct Basic Surgical Skills (BSS) and Care of Critically ill Surgical Patient (CCrISP) course. Recently SCHS has been associated with Neurocritical Care Society (NCS) for Emergency Neurological Life Support & American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP) for Basic Life Support in Obstetrics (BLSO) & Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics (ALSO).

4. Describe any previous or current experiences on other Boards:

Associated with various International and National Organizations as:

- ITC Coordinator, American Heart Association(AHA), USA
- Chapter Coordinator, International Trauma Life Support (ITLS), USA
- Site Coordinator, Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS)
- Course Coordinator, Royal College of Surgeons, England
- Course Coordinator, Neurocritical Care Society, USA
- Course Coordinator, American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP), USA
- American Heart Association(AHA), USA recipient of Global recognition Award “Silver” consecutively for the two years 2014 & 2015 & Global recognition Award “Gold” consecutively for the three years in succession 2016, 2017 & 2018.
- Member. International Organization for Standardization (ISO) - Educational and Skill Development Services Sectional Committee
- Member, Academic Committee, Healthcare Sector Skill Council (HSSC), Government of India.

5. Can you regularly attend Board meetings? Yes

Regular meeting conflicts? No

6. How many hours per month could you contribute? 3-4 hours

7. Why are you interested in serving on the ITLS Board?

As board of Director, associated with one of the most prestigious educational organization in the world I will bring in an additional perspective about the need and opportunities in the eastern part of the world, Asia and in addition will provide proper oversight in developing & promoting ITLS in Asia.

I shall provide my experience and commitment to the organization and management by demonstrating excellence at all times. I shall ensure that my detailed strategy planning and execution will meet the organizational objectives and goals. I shall actively participate in the team along with other ITLS staff, Committee members and Directors to establish policies regarding the ITLS operations in accordance with the applicable laws.