

Neurosciences Newsletter

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Dear Members,

The dates of the XXVI Annual Meeting of Indian Academy of Neurosciences being organized by Dr. C. S. Paulose, Director, Centre for Neuroscience and Head, Department of Biotechnology, Cochin University of Science and Technology (CUSAT) from December 12 – 14, 2008 at Cochin are approaching near. A pre-conference meeting on Neurobiology and Neuroinformatics is also scheduled on December 9 – 10, 2008 at Cochin. Dr. Paulose is actively involved in developing a scientific programme that will revitalize the neurons. The details of both these meetings are available on the IAN website <www.neuroscienceacademy.org.in> We will request you to attend and encourage your students and colleagues to participate in these meetings.

The General Body Meeting of IAN will be held on December 13, 2008 at the conference venue in Cochin. A tentative agenda for the same is enclosed herewith. As you are aware that the tenure of few positions of the Executive Committee is one year. The details of the positions and format for nomination are attached herewith. You are requested to send nominations on the format by November 30, 2008.

Further, based on the suggestions of the members to update Rules and Bye-laws, a draft was prepared by the Committee and the same was circulated on October 19, 2008 for your final approval. Please forward your suggestion (s), if any positively by November 4, 2008.

With Deepawali Greetings to you and your family!!

October 27, 2008.

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Nomination for the Executive Committee

Nominations for the positions of President (1), Vice Presidents (3), Dean (1) and Members (6) are invited on the prescribed format (enclosed herewith). The completed nominations should be sent either to Dr. M.K. Thakur, Professor, Department of Zoology, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi – 221 005, Email mktian2007@gmail.com or Dr. Vinay K. Khanna, Secretary (HQ), Scientist, Indian Institute of Toxicology Research, MG Marg, Lucknow – 226 001, Email vkkhanna1@gmail.com so as to reach them positively by **November 30, 2008**.

INDIAN ACADEMY OF NEUROSCIENCES Format for Annual Election / Nomination

Nomination for the post of:

Name:

Address:

Membership No.:

Proposer

Secunder

Name:

Name:

Membership No.:

Membership No.:

Signature

Signature

Proposer and Secunder should be the member of IAN.

**Indian Academy of Neurosciences
General Body Meeting
CUSAT, Cochin**

December 13, 2008

Tentative Agenda

1. Confirmation of minutes of the last GB meeting held at Varanasi on November 23, 2007
2. Recommendations of the Academic Committee and Award Committee
3. Updating Rules and Byelaws of the Academy
4. Treasurer's report
5. Editor's report
6. Organization of the FAONS Congress in 2010
7. Venue of the next conference
8. Report of the Organizing Secretary
9. Formation of new Executive Committee
10. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair