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Dear Friends

Belated Happy New Year, and may it be a healthy and prosperous year for all of you. Neurotrauma 2015 in Bengaluru was a great success – well attended and with excellent scientific content. The report of the Organising Secretary Dr. Indira Devi is on the next page of this letter.

The Neurotrauma Society of India web page has been revamped ([www.ntsico.in](http://www.ntsico.in)), and I would recommend that all those planning to attend Neurotrauma 2016 visit the site to plan submissions for the various awards available. I will be sending out another newsletter later with specific instructions on how to apply for these awards, but advance planning never hurts! Another reason I would request you to visit the page is to give me your opinions on the Guidelines that we are trying to develop. I had announced this at the last General Body Meeting, and so far I have received no emails. I would much prefer the Guidelines to be participatory rather than something imposed by a few people. I have temporarily removed the list of members from the site because it infringes on your privacy, and am working at making it a password protected list. I have no objections to my fellow members in the Society knowing my email address and telephone number, but I certainly don't want them in the public domain.

The **most important** point I need your opinion on is the term of appointment of the President of our Society, which is currently one year. According to the rules, the President-Elect should have been a member of the Society for at least 10 years and should have attended at least 5 meetings. We still have several senior members, but very few fulfil the attendance requirement. We might actually soon find ourselves in the embarrassing position of having nobody eligible to be President! I don't think we should dilute our criteria because to be an office bearer of a society you should at least attend its meetings. To discuss this we had an online Executive Committee meeting on 13/02/2016 and agreed that the term of office for the President (and therefore the President-Elect as well) be increased to 2 years. I need feedback on this matter – if you agree then no problems, but if you object then please suggest an alternative solution. Please communicate with me at [secretary@ntsico.in](mailto:secretary@ntsico.in) regarding all these matters.

With regards,

**Dr. Mathew Joseph**  
Secretary NTSI

**From the Organizing Secretary**  
Neurotrauma,2015, Bengaluru, Karnataka, India



The 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Neurotrauma Society of India was hosted by the Department of Neurosurgery in NIMHANS, Bengaluru from 21<sup>st</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2015. The organising secretary was Dr. B. Indira Devi, the joint secretary was Dr. Dhaval P. Shukla and the treasurer was Dr. Dhananjaya I. Bhat, with able support from the Department of Neurosurgery. There was preconference workshop on acute life trauma support care conducted by the Emergency Medicine Society of India and the Department of Neurosurgery on 20<sup>th</sup> August that was attended by more than 100 neurosurgery and general surgery residents.

There were several symposia, orations, plenary sessions and free paper sessions over the three days of the conference. On the first morning Dr. P.K. Sahoo delivered the Presidential Oration titled “Head injury in war and peace: the past, present and future”. The other Orations of the conference were delivered over the course of the meeting were

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| · P.S. Ramani Oration         | Dr. Robert Stevens    |
| · A.D. Sehgal Oration         | Prof. Peter Hutchison |
| · Setti S. Rangachary Oration | Prof. David Mendelow  |
| · A.K. Banerjee Oration       | Prof. Shobhini Rao    |

The Editorial Board of the Indian Journal of Neurotrauma met on the afternoon of the first day. The inauguration and cultural programme had Mr. Rishiraj Singh, an IPS Officer as the Chief Guest, and he delivered a passionate address for road discipline and use of helmet for two wheeler riders. Proposed Indian guidelines for the management of head injury were released during the conference. The Executive Committee of the NTSI met on the morning of the second day, and the General Body Meeting was held after the academic sessions concluded on the second day. The final day ended with a valedictory function and lunch.

For the first time there was a full-fledged two day programme with posters, free papers, lunch for the Allied Members that was attended by 135 Neuro nurses.

The video for the road safety has been uploaded on Facebook and also provided to you.

**ORATIONS 2015**  
**Presidential Oration**



*Prof. P K Sahoo*  
*President, Neurotrauma Society of India*

**Dr. P. S. Ramani Oration**



Dr. Robert D. Stevens through video conferencing

**Dr. A. D. Sehgal Oration**



Dr. Peter Hutchinson

**Dr. S. Rengachary Oration**



Dr. David Mandelow

**Dr. A. K. Banerjee Oration**



Dr. Shobini L. Rao

# NTSI Awards 2015

24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Neurotrauma Society of India  
21-23 August 2015

## Institutional Award

Dr. Amit Agarwal  
Professor and Head  
Department of Neurosurgery  
Narayana Medical College,  
Opposite Narayana Engineering College, Muthukur Road,  
Chinthareddypalem, Nellore, Andhra Pradesh 524003



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## Annual National Neurotrauma Conference

25<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Neurotrauma Society of India  
12<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> August 2016  
Dr. Deepak Gupta  
Organizing Secretary  
All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS)  
New Delhi

## 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Neurotrauma Society of India - 2017

Dr. P.R. Rajkumar  
Professor and Head of the Department of Neurosurgery,  
PSG Institute of Medical Sciences & Research and Hospitals,  
Coimbatore, Tamilnadu

**NTSI -Alfred Trauma Research Development Award**



Dr. Sonia Bansal

**Raghuwanshi Best Paper Award**



Dr. Raghav Singla

**JB Modi Best Paper Award**



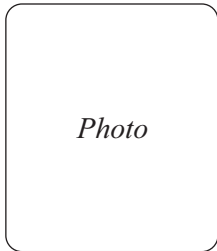
Dr. Amit Agarwal

**Shri Suresh Kare-Indoco Remedies Best Poster Award**



Dr. Dhaval Shukla  
First Prize

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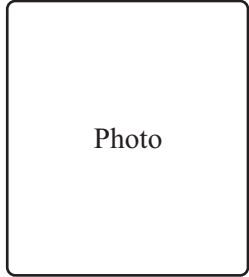
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Total	₹ 4,000/-

### Associate Members

Admission Fees	₹ 500/-
3 years subscription	₹ 1500/-
Total	₹ 2000/-

### Allied Members

Life Membership	₹ 2500/-
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