



COLLEGE OF SURGEONS, SINGAPORE

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4th College Communication

Chapters

Cardiothoracic Surgeons
General Surgeons
Hand Surgeons
Neurosurgeons
Otorhinolaryngologists
Ophthalmologists
Orthopaedic Surgeons
Paediatric Surgeons
Plastic Surgeons
Urologists

Fellows of the College of Surgeons, Singapore

The College now has its own **By-Laws and Regulations** that it shall abide in conjunction with the Memorandum & Articles of Association. The By-Laws and Regulations will be tabled in the coming 3rd Annual General Meeting of the College for confirmation and acceptance.

Invitation for nomination for the **12th Yahya Cohen Memorial Lectureship** is now open and your spontaneous participation is greatly encouraged to submit your best research work for judging. You may get an opportunity to present your best paper to your peers and other surgeons from local and overseas in an organised event by the College. Nomination form and the original paper should reach the College Secretariat by 23 March 2007. More details can be found in the circular and regulations as attached.

The College will be holding its **3rd Annual General Meeting** on 25 May 2007 at 6.00 pm at the Lecture Theatre (Level 3), Gleneagles Hospital, 6A Napier Road, Singapore 258500. All Fellows are encouraged to attend the AGM for the following purposes:

1. Give your vote on major issues discussed
2. Have your views aired on the agenda items
3. Witness the proceedings of the College

The Notice of Meeting & Meeting Agenda will be disseminated to you when nearer the date.

In accordance to Article 31, approximately three months before AGM, the Honorary Secretary will issue a list of Council Members whose term of office will expire at the AGM and eligible for re-election and a list of the retiring Council Members who are not eligible for re-election. The Honorary Secretary shall simultaneously call for nomination of fellows, on a prescribed form, to fill the vacancies. If more nominations than vacancies are received at the office of the College within the prescribed period, the Honorary Secretary shall within four weeks issue ballot papers for a postal ballot or arrange for an electronic ballot among Fellows resident in Singapore to elect the new Council Members.

Nominations are now invited for the **election of the Council 2007-2009** where the following Council Members will be retiring at the 3rd AGM:

1. Dr Tharmalingam Ravintharan
2. Dr Prema Raj Jeyaraj
3. Dr Wong Sen Chow

All are eligible for re-nomination.



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Attached please find the Nomination Forms for your nomination. Your active nomination is greatly encouraged to form the new Council to continue to pursue the objectives set for the College.

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In addition, the Chapters will be conducting its own election exercise and also, will be holding its own AGM within one month from the College's AGM. A separate Nomination Form and the Notice of Meeting will be sent to the respective Chapter Members.

Meanwhile, please contact the College Secretariat at css@ams.edu.sg if you have any queries or comments.

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Anthony Heng
President
College of Surgeons, Singapore

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