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MID TERM GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING OF IAPSM UP UK
[Held online on 30th May 2021]

An online midterm meeting of the Governing Council of IAPSM UP and Uttarakhand was held on 30th May 2021 under the chairmanship of President IAPSM UP and Uttarakhand Prof. Harivansh Chopra to develop plan of action for activities in the current year 2021-22. Meeting was attended by the following Governing Council members

1. Prof. SC Gupta – Immediate Past President
2. Dr Manish Kumar Singh – Secretary
3. Prof. Renu Agarwal – Joint Secretary
4. Dr. Arvind Kumar Singh – Treasurer
5. Prof. Seema Jain –Member
6. Prof. Rambha Pathak -Member
7. Prof. Puneet Ohri - Member
8. Dr Shaili Vyas– Member
9. Dr. Shiv Kumar Yadav – Member

Prof. Harivansh Chopra, welcomed all the members of the Governing Council

1. A 1 minute silence was observed as a mark of respect on the sad demise of two of our senior members of IAPSM -Late Prof. VK Srivastava and Late Prof. Uday Mohan
2. It was briefed by Prof Harivansh Chopra, President IAPSM UP UK that a online meeting was called upon by Secretary General, IAPSM UP UK – Prof AM Kadri, which was attended by Prof Suneela Garg –President IAPSM UP UK, Prof SC Gupta , Dr Manish Kumar Singh, Dr. Pradeep Agarwal and himself. It was confirmed that central body has nothing to do in matters of the state and the letter written in this regard earlier stands withdrawn. There is a need for the IAPSM UP UK to move forward under the dynamic leadership of Prof Harivansh Chopra -President IAPSM UP UK taking everyone along.
3. It was decided to start a Under Graduate Quiz. and PG Quiz Dr Shaili Vyas was entrusted with the responsibility of facilitating the UG Quiz and Prof Puneet Ohri was entrusted

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- with the responsibility of facilitating the PG Quiz. Both members of the governing council agreed to facilitating the activity entrusted upon them .
4. Prof. Harivansh Chopra, suggested that a plan may be developed where important public health days and weeks may be allotted to each college in UP and Uttarakhand as per their willingness . It will give an opportunity especially to the new medical colleges that are coming up . It will help them showcase their achievements.
 5. It was decided to start fellowship of IAPSM UP UK Chapter. Criteria for the same to be developed and to be kept simple. It was accepted by all .but there was a difference of opinion with regards to number of fellowships to be awarded each year. It has to be dynamic in number and 3% of total members can be given fellowship in one year .keeping the seniority in preference.
 6. Prof Harivansh Chopra, informed that he has initiated a program –“Legends ki Kahaani Unhi Ki Jubaani”. It would be great if we can include our own legends in the program. The idea was much appreciated and agreed upon.
 7. Prof Renu Agarwal suggested that a You Tube channel of IAPSM UP UK can be started. It was decided to work upon this.
 8. Three committees for – News Letter, Blog and IEC were formed last year. It was decided that the committees should continue with the good work initiated. More members who are interested to be part of these committees may be roped in.
 9. It was also discussed to compile the Thesis topics allotted / submitted by PG in community medicine across medical colleges of UP and Uttarakhand. Dr Shiv Kumar Yadav volunteered for the same. It was further discussed that a special issue of the association journal IJCH may be brought out where PG students who are IAPSM members get an opportunity to publish their work. Since, Chief editor Prof S.K Singh was not present. It was decided to discuss the same with him in subsequent meeting.
 10. It was decided that organization of workshops and CME under the aegis of IAPSM UP UK may be encouraged with colleges in UP and Uttarakhand.

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11. It was stressed upon to have IAPSM UP UK registered and open a bank account for the same. Dr Arvind Kumar Singh, Treasurer was entrusted with this responsibility. It was also decided that Dr Arvind should to get in touch with past treasurer and editor IJCH with regards to the available bank balance.
12. An idea of forming a research committee for doing multi centric studies and also collaborating with state government and NGO was also discussed and it was decided to explore possibilities for the same

Dr. Manish Kumar Singh

Secretary, IAPSM UP UK

Prof. Harivansh Chopra

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