Guidance for FOGSI Office Bearers Elections 2020
(open to Category A members only)

1. Candidate List: Eligible candidates for Office Bearers election. (Arranged alphabetically by first name for each Post).

Post	Name of the candidate (First name -alphabetical order)
President - 1 Post	Hrishikesh D Pai (Unopposed)
Vice President (West) - 2 Posts	Asha Baxi
	Geetendra Sharma
	Girija Wagh
Vice President (South) - 1 Post	S. Sampathkumari (Unopposed)
Vice President (North) - 1 Post	Kuldeep Jain
	Tarini Taneja
	Yashodhara Pradeep
Vice President (East) - 1 Post	Alka Pandey
	Arun Boruah
	Durga Shankar Dash
FOGSI Rep. to SAFOG - 1 Post	Bhaskar Pal (Unopposed)

The e ballot will not contain the names for the posts where there is no election as the candidate is unopposed.

2. As per the constitution Category A member is defined as: 1.6.1 - Category A : Full member - A member with a Postgraduate qualification in Obstetrics and Gynaecology Degree, Diploma, Membership and Fellowship conferred and / or recognised by Medical Council of India / FOGSI / Government of India. Such members are having full rights of voting and qualified for contesting for any FOGSI election.

3. Further: 5.2.1 - Voting List

   The FOGSI Office will entertain for the purpose of preparing the voting list for the election of President and Vice Presidents, names of the members of memberbodies as on March 31 of that year in the file of FOGSI. No additional list of members received in the FOGSI office after March 31 will be considered for preparing the list of voters.

   This year has seen a one time extension for the Voting list to be prepared to 30th April 2020.

4. **Election Schedule**

	Start Date	End Date
ICOG Elections (Voting open to Members, Fellows of the ICOG and Office Bearers of FOGSI		
Voting	1st August 2020, 10 am	10th August 2020, 5 pm
Results Declaration (on fogsi.org)	10th August 2020, (between 5 to 7 pm)	
COMMITTEE CHAIR ELECTION (Voting open to eligible members of the Managing Committee ONLY)		
Voting	16th August 2020, 10 am	25th August 2020, 5 pm
Results Declaration (on fogsi.org)	25th August (between 5 to 7 pm)	
OFFICE BEARERS AND INTERNATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES ELECTION - (For Category A members only)		
Voting	1st September 2020, 10 am	10th September 2020, 5 pm
Results Declaration (on fogsi.org)	10th September 2020 (between 5 to 7 pm)	

THE LAST DATE FOR RECEIVING SUBSCRIPTIONS FROM SOCIETIES WAS 30th APRIL 2020. NO MEMBERS CAN BE ADDED AFTER THIS DATE IN THE VOTING LIST

Please note that this is a single phase election. You are requested to verify your details on member.fogsi.org till July 25th.

Following are some of the reasons why you may be unable to see your details in database

- You are not registered as a Category A member

- FOGSI office has not received your subscription fees before 30th April 2020

- There is a discrepancy in your name post marriage

- Email / Mobile has changed and not updated with the society

Please ensure that you are listed as a category A member and your email and mobile number is current in the data.

FOGSI has an annual membership and the data we have depends on the data shared by your society. **Even if you have verified your data earlier, we urge you to cross check and update it.**

NO CONTACT DETAILS CAN BE CHANGED AFTER 25th JULY.

Voting instructions

Step 1 - View Candidates

- For FOGSI elections go to **https://election.fogsi.org**

- Please click on the "Start Voting" button below

- After you land on the first page you can view the candidates.

- To continue and cast your vote click on "Vote now" button at the bottom of the page.

- You will be directed to verification page to access the E-Ballot

Step 2 - Verification of your details

- Once you are on the verification page, you can verify your membership via an OTP sent to your registered mobile number OR email address.

- You would be required to enter either one of the following three credentials.

- Email ID (Registered) / Mobile No. (Registered) / Membership ID *(If you are unable to proceed i.e. if none of your details are available with us -Please see Step 2 (a))*

- You can choose to receive your One Time Password (OTP) on either your registered Mobile or Email.

- Enter OTP you receive on your mobile / email to access the E-Ballot

- This OTP is valid for a period of 15 minutes.

Step 2 (a) - Following are some of the reasons why you may be unable to see your details in database

- You are not a Category A member

- FOGSI office has not received your subscription fees before 30th April 2020

- There is a discrepancy in your name e.g. change of name post marriage

- Email / Mobile has changed and not updated with the society

Step 3 - Submit your vote

- Once you are on the page with the e-Ballot, after you have verified your membership (via OTP) you can select candidate you wish to cast your vote for against each position.

- Please note that you will be required to cast votes for all categories.

- After you have made your selection, you will be required to 'confirm your choice' again.

- **Your vote will be submitted only after you 'Confirm' your selection.**

For any further help you can call on 9820106354

Thank you,

Sincerely

Dr. Alpesh Gandhi	**Dr. Jaydeep Tank**	**Dr. Madhuri Patel**	**Dr. Suvarna Khadilkar**	**Dr. Parikshit Tank**
President	*Secretary General*	*Deputy Secretary Gen.*	*Treasurer*	*Joint Treasurer*
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