


**INDIAN ACADEMY
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NATIONAL POSTER
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IN LIEU OF 3rd ANNUAL
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E-POSTER COMPETITION

ON

**"EXHUME THE TRUTH
AND
SERVE HUMANITY"**



**DEADLINE:
21 APRIL 2024**

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NOTICE

The Governing Council of IAFM is excited to announce an opportunity for our talented members to showcase their creativity and skills through our upcoming E-Poster competition. This competition aims to promote innovation and engage our community in a meaningful discourse on the theme:

“Exhume the Truth and Serve Humanity”

We invite all the members of IAFM to participate in this competition by submitting their original e-poster designs. Whether you are a seasoned graphic designer or a novice enthusiast, this is your chance to contribute to our vibrant community and make your mark.

Key Details:

Theme: **“Exhume the Truth and Serve Humanity”**

Submission Deadline: 21st April 2024

Eligibility: Open to all permanent members of IAFM

Guidelines: To be released within 72 hrs

Submission Process: Each applicant will submit their entries to the Vice President and Joint Secretary of their respective country zone and also submit a copy on iafmdomain@gmail.com

The Vice President and Joint Secretary will form a scientific committee of their zone, evaluate and forward the 5 best entries to the central scientific committee.

Once all the entries have been received from all the zones the Central Scientific committee will choose the best entries and decide the winners

Prizes: The top 3 entries will be felicitated at the annual National Conference of IAFM to be held in Chennai in 2025.

We encourage participants to unleash their creativity, talent and collaboration within our organization. We look forward to seeing your imaginative and thought-provoking e-poster designs.

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GUIDELINES FOR E-POSTER COMPETITION:

With reference to Notice Ref.No.IAFM/GS/March/Forensic Day/2, the Governing Council of IAFM is delighted to publish the guidelines for the e-poster competition to be held on National Forensic Medicine Day, celebrated on 12th May, 2024.

Theme: The theme of the competition is "**Exhume the Truth and Serve Humanity**".

Participants are encouraged to create a still content that delve into the intersection of Forensic Medicine, Forensic Science, Legal Medicine, and the Pursuit of Truth.

Eligibility:

- The Competition is open to Life Members of IAFM (either provisional or permanent members).
- Participation should be as Individuals or Teams.
- With individual participation, the candidate should be a life member of IAFM. A team should have at least one member (the first author/ artist) as a life member of IAFM.
- An individual may participate individually with one poster, as well as a team member for another poster.

Submission Requirements:

- Participants must submit the original artwork.
- **Digital Artwork:** The artwork can be handmade (but in digital format) or digital artworks created using digital tools such as graphic design software, digital painting software, or multimedia platforms.
- **Artistic Statement:** Along with the digital artwork, participants must provide a brief artistic statement (maximum 300 words) in a separate page, explaining the epistemological concepts or philosophical inquiries explored in their artwork, particularly concerning forensic medicine.
- **Format:** Artworks must be submitted in high-resolution digital formats (JPEG, PNG, or PDF). If the submitted work is pixelated or grainy, it will be rejected.
- **Title:** The poster must contain a title (theme/ sub-theme/ or a new title pertaining to the theme) that is clearly visible in the top center. It must also contain the IAFM membership number on top left corner and the date of submission on top right corner in dd-mm-yyyy format.
- **Poster Presentation:** The individual or one of the team members may be asked to present the poster on an online platform on 12th May 2024. In case of non-availability for the presentation, the participants will be disqualified.

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Judging Criteria:

- Clarity and Communication: Does the artwork effectively communicate complex Forensic concepts or insights to a diverse audience?
- The artistic statement explaining the concept should be relatable to, and, coherent with, the provided artwork.
- Impact and Communication: Does the artwork provoke reflection, dialogue, or emotional resonance with the viewer?
- Relevance to Theme: How effectively does the artwork explore the theme?
- Creativity and Originality: Is the artwork innovative, imaginative, and conceptually rich?
- Artistic Execution: Evaluation of technical skill, aesthetics, and overall presentation of the digital artwork.
- The decision of the National Scientific Committee will be final.

Rights and Permissions: Participants must affirm that their submissions are original creations and grant permission for the organizers to display, reproduce, and distribute their artworks for non-commercial purposes, with appropriate credit given to the creators. They should also submit a certificate certifying that no copyright infringement is taking place, and it is an original artwork.

Themes to Explore: Participants may consider exploring a wide range of themes related to Forensic Medicine Day theme also, for example:

- The role of Forensic evidence in the pursuit of justice.
- Ethical implications of Forensic investigations.
- The intersection of medicine, science, and law in Forensic practice.
- Epistemological challenges in Forensic pathology and crime scene investigation.
- Representation of Forensic medical techniques and technologies in digital art.
- Techniques and technologies used in Forensic investigations.
- Role of Forensic evidence in criminal justice.
- Ethical considerations in Forensic practice.
- Challenges and advancements in forensic identification.
- Impact of Forensic Medicine on society and public health.

Deadline for Submission: 21st April 2024

Note 1: Those who have already paid the fee for life membership but have not received their life membership number can mention "applied for" with the transaction details and photo of their application. This will then be cross-checked by the treasurer before enrolment and acceptance.

Note 2: The organizers reserve the right to change/update the rules of the contest at any time. And this will be informed to the participants.

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