

My Journey of IAFM (Forensic Medicine)

Dear Colleagues,

It is a matter of immense pleasure for me to express my gratitude for an overwhelming response and whole hearted support from all of you on the smooth conduction of our **43th Annual National Conference, Golden Jubilee Year (1972 to 2022) of Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine at SGPGI, Lucknow, U.P.**

It is a proud moment for me to be elected as the President of our national association; the Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine. I appreciate and thank you all for your trust and kind support.

I started my career in Forensic Medicine in year 1994, when joined as Junior Resident for pursuing M.D. Degree in Forensic Medicine & Toxicology in the Deptt. of Forensic Medicine at G.S.V.M. Medical College, Kanpur, U.P.

I attended my First Annual National Conference during Silver Jubilee Year of IAFM organized at Hyderabad, A.P., since then I was dreaming to organize a National Conference of IAFM.

I joined IAFM as Life Member in year 2001, when I was working in a private medical college at Jammu, J&K.

I was elected as Editor of JIAFM in year 2006 (2006-2008), 2010 (2010-2016), and 2013 (2013-2016)

Elected as General Secretary (2019-2022) during 41st ANC of IAFM, held at Jodhpur, Rajasthan.

Started MD Forensic Medicine (03 Seats) in 2022 at Rani Durgavati Medical College, Banda, U.P.

Now you all once again reposed faith in me and elected me as the National President of IAFM during 43rd ANC of IAFM

I congratulate the elected members of the Governing Council (2022 to 2025) of the IAFM and am sure that the entire team of IAFM will definitely work together with passion to establish new mile-stones in the field of Forensic Medicine including Toxicology.

To begin my tenure, I have proposed that all forensic professionals across India commemorate National Forensic Medicine Day/IAFM Foundation Day on May 12, 2022, as a tribute to the founding of IAFM in Goa in 1972.

Further, I assure and promise you all that my team and I will work tirelessly and to the best of our abilities for the betterment and upliftment of our fraternity and the subject specialty.



Prof. (Dr.) Mukesh Yadav

President, IAFM

**Governing
Council: 2022-2025**