



EDITORIAL

Dear Friends

Greetings from Davangere

On behalf of JKAMLS editorial team I welcome you all to FORENSICON 2011, the XIX annual conference of Karnataka Medico Legal society at K S Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore, Karnataka. I hope you will all enjoy the academic fiesta and cherish memories of this well organized conference by our KAMLS President Dr Mahabalesh Shetty and his hard working team.

It gives me immense pleasure to inform that your esteemed Journal of Karnataka Medico Legal Society [JKAMLS] has been evaluated and is indexed in INDEX COPERNICUS POLAND from 2011. Only few journals of Forensic Medicine & Toxicology have this privilege of having their name in this prestigious international indexing organization. This is all due to the encouragement of members of KAMLS, the co operative advisory body and team effort of editor - in chief with the energetic editorial board. We were all working for this since last two and half years and those efforts have materialized now.

I must appreciate the contribution of the authors who contributed such wonderful articles regularly and the reviewers who reviewed them scientifically to the finest extent. All my learned friends out there know how difficult it is to bring out a quality journal with limited financial resources. We have to make lot of personal sacrifices to achieve this. I take this opportunity to thank all the previous Editors of this journal who kept the journal alive and vibrant for all these years by their gritty efforts and personal sacrifices.

I do not want to reveal the names of some true great friends [they know whom I am referring to] who helped me personally in all the stages to achieve this fete. I am thankful to the KAMLS presidents, V Ps, secretaries, executive members, advisory body members who were always with me and the editors of practical record book who released the finances in time.

I must thank all readers, who loved, appreciated the look, quality and contents of JKAMLS and communicated their valuable inputs on regular basis for the overall improvement of the journal.

The current edition [Jul – Dec 2011] is full of original research works, great reviews and interesting case reports, which will definitely quench your academic thirst. I thank all the authors for their efforts in preparing and submitting these works.

I request a continued patronage, contribution and valuable healthy comments from all of you, all the time. I am sure JKAMLS will reach new heights in the years to come by our unconditional and unified efforts.

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous new year 2012, in advance.

“Be not afraid of growing slowly, be afraid only of standing still”

-Chinese Proverb

LONG LIVE KAMLS

With warm regards

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