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Dear Members,

Currently, I am working with a tertiary care multi-specialty hospital in India as a Pediatric Oncologist and Transplant Physician. Upon completion of General Pediatrics training in 2005, I joined apex cancer institutes including Tata Memorial Hospital to get trained in Pediatric Oncology. I always felt that we need to provide better care and facility to the cancer patients in India and should be able to salvage difficult and relapse cases. In endeavor to broaden my experience and horizon, I had the opportunity of doing International Outreach Fellowship at St Jude Children's Hospital, Memphis and did my Bone Marrow Transplant Fellowship from National University hospital, Singapore.

I have been an active member in Pediatric Oncology circle and have tried to contribute consistently. My role as Editor in Chief of South Asian Journal of cancer, which is an official oncology Journal for SAARC countries and Newsletter Editor for Marrow Donor Registry of India taught be how much unified platforms affect all of us positively.

Being in this field for last 15 years, everyday I'm filled with new enthusiasm and energy to work towards making the dream of improving the childhood cancer care a reality.

My other work credentials include being the Executive Member & Treasurer of Pediatric Hematology and Oncology society of India from year 2014-2018. During my tenure as a treasurer I was responsible for many things, few of them as follows:

- 1. Yearly income tax returns which requires meticulous maintenance of expenditure/ income records and preparation of records for audits
- 2. Renewal of Fixed deposit, keeping record of interest generated through membership & corpus money
- 3. Communicating with the banking personnel for various activities and ensuring that PHO account receives the best services and benefits.
- 4. Keeping record of payments for Secretary, chapter activities for carrying out workshops / conferences









5. Experienced in handling of PHO Journal account and the National level conference PHOCON Mumbai 2016 account

The nomination for Treasurer Post is with the vision to work on increasing the participation & membership of SIOP from LMIC, from where maximum numbers of kids with cancer are diagnosed. I am aware that SIOP has embarked on the journey of global alliances with a mission that every child should have an equal chance of cure irrespective of where the child is born. By putting my efforts in creating opportunities for collaborative work and active participation, I believe that I can map oncology services globally.

My work and passion over the years have led me here where I am, making me believe that I can lead, contribute, collaborate and reinforce SIOP's mission and vision.

With Warm Regards

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