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**Dear Fellow Colleagues,**

The NAMSCON-2021 was held successfully during the Diamond Jubilee year, in BHU, Varanasi from 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2021. **Dr Smt TAMILISAI Soundararajan**, Hon'ble Governor of Telangana and Lt. Governor of Puducherry was the Chief guest. **Dr Bhagwat Karad**, Hon'ble Minister of State for Finance, Govt. of India and **Prof V K Shukla Vice Chancellor** of BHU, were the Guests of Honor.

Dr. Ashok Kumar, the organizing secretary with his team worked hard in its organization, scientific contents and hospitality to make NAMSCON-2021 a memorable one. A Presidential dinner was hosted by the NAMSCON organizers to welcome the Council Members, Orators and the guests.

More than 120 delegates got registered for the Conference. Others joined online. During the conference 7 Orations were delivered. A symposium on telemedicine led by Prof Shridhar Dwivedi, a CME Program, Seven award papers, several free papers & several poster presentations were made. Needless to say the orations, the awards the symposium and other talks were of high order and contributed much to the progress of science.

Highlight of the NAMSCON-61 included conferment of the **coveted Honorary Fellowship on Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Damodardas Modi**. The newly elected NAMS Fellows and Members were given the Scrolls. Posters were selected for the best poster awards. Amritsar best paper award went to Dr Pragya Dhruv Yadav from Pune for her team work on COVID.

After the convocation, the General body meeting was held in which all key points of progress in the academy were presented and approved. Prof Shiv K Sarin, Vice Chancellor ILBS, took over as the next President of NAMS, who delivered a passionate speech to take the academy ahead at fast pace, involving the younger talented group to make it visible and vibrant. Prof Chooramani Gopal handed over the medallion to Prof Shiv Sarin. She was presented a plaque and received a standing farewell ovation.

This was followed by a cultural program performed by the school of music and Arts, BHU, highlighting the legacy and heritage of Banaras gharana.

Thanks for your physical participation in the conference. Those who missed the conference, the recordings will be available on NAMS Website [www:nams-india.in](http://www.nams-india.in)

Kindly send your suggestions & constructive criticism to improve further

With best regards

(Dr. D.K. Gupta)  
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To,  
All Fellows of NAMS