



**INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE STUDY OF TRADITIONAL ASIAN MEDICINE  
(IASTAM - India)**

**पारंपारिक आशियाई स्वास्थ्य परिषद - भारत  
'Connecting Systems; Bridging Disciplines'**

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7<sup>th</sup> March 2025

To,  
All Members  
IASTAM India

**Dear Sir/ Madam,**

The election of office bearers and members of the Managing Committee is to be undertaken. As per the norms, the members of the Managing committee, at its meeting held on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025 have appointed an election officer to initiate and complete the necessary procedures.

Dr. Manasi Deshpande, one of the members of association and Vice Principal of College of Ayurved, Bharati Vidyapeeth University, Pune, not being interested for position of office bearer has accepted to undertake responsibility to conduct the electoral procedure.

Nominations are invited in prescribed format for the following posts.

**Elections for the posts:**

A] President	:	01
B] Vice Presidents (Region wise)	:	04
C] Secretary General	:	01
D] Secretaries (Region wise)	:	04
E] Treasurer	:	01
F] Working Committee members	:	08

As per the procedure laid down following schedule will be followed for the selection of the managing committee -

Nomination to reach office on or before – 24<sup>th</sup> March 2025 by 5.00 pm

Withdrawals of forms – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2025 till 5.00 pm

Scrutiny of Nomination forms – 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025

Election Date /Declaration of Result – 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025

At the end of the scrutiny, the Election Officer shall declare and initiate the electoral procedure as required.

The whole process of nominations and election will be conducted as per the norms followed earlier. Rules and Regulations for election procedure are as follows-

**Eligibility:**

1. IASTAM – India patrons, life and those regular members who have paid their fees up to financial year on or before 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025 shall be entitled to contest for the election.
2. Members contesting for the post of Office Bearers should be Member of the association for at least three years and Member of Managing committee for at least one term.

3. Members contesting as a member of Managing committee should be a Member of the association for a continuous period of at least one year.
4. The proposer, seconder and the nominee should duly complete the nomination form and all must be the members of IASTAM India and they must have paid their fees on or before 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
5. In case posts of some office bearers of Managing Committee members remain vacant, the same will be filled by co-option by the Managing Committee in the spirit of multidisciplinary and regional representations.
6. To safeguard and promote the multidisciplinary approach of IASTAM India, the Managing Committee is authorized to co-opt members from non-clinical disciplines whose total number shall not be more than five in case these disciplines do not find viable representations through elections.

### **Procedure of Nomination**

- IASTAM Members are invited for the nomination of eligible candidates.
- Candidates shall be nominated for election, by IASTAM members only.
- Self-nominations are not accepted.
- Download application form from website, [www.iastamindia.org](http://www.iastamindia.org)
- Duly filled in downloaded nomination forms should be reached on or before 24<sup>th</sup> March 2025 till 5 pm through email ([iastam.india@gmail.com](mailto:iastam.india@gmail.com)) or by post or by courier to the office; IASTAM India, Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University, College of Ayurved, Dhankawadi, Pune 411043.

### **Withdrawal**

Any applicants who wish to withdraw from election will send application by mail or by letter of withdrawal to the electoral officer before the date of election.

### **Scrutiny and Rejection**

- Applications are not eligible as per the eligible criteria will be rejected.
- Incomplete nomination forms will be rejected.
- Any other format apart from website uploaded nomination form will be rejected.

Kindly cooperate.

Thanking you,



Dr. Kirti Bhati  
Secretary General,  
IASTAM India (9423010166)

### **ELECTORAL PROCESS - PLEASE DOWNLOAD NOMINATION FORM FROM WEBSITE**

[www.iastamindia.org.in](http://www.iastamindia.org.in)

1. THE PROPOSER, SECONDER AND NOMINEE SHOULD HAVE PAID THEIR MEMBERSHIP FEE ON OR BEFORE 24<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2025 OTHERWISE THE NOMINATION FORM WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.
2. PLEASE READ THE "ELIGIBILITY" CRITERIA CAREFULLY.
3. PLEASE FILL IN ONLY DOWNLOADED NOMINATION FORM CAREFULLY IN ELIGIBLE MANNER. UPDATE OF ADDRESS, EMAIL AND CONTACT NUMBER IS MUST.