



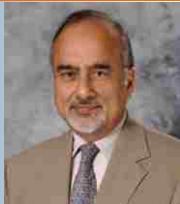
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Message From the President



Jalal ud Din Rumi said it very well "Some people make their goals the stars. They may live and die never reaching them, but in the darkness of the night, those stars will guide them to their destination, because they put them in their sights"

I sometimes ponder on the issue of character building of medical students, which we are trying to accomplish as a challenge in fold of FIMASAC in medical students and Umrah camps in collaboration with IMAKSA/WAMY. We as parents, institutions or society can only give good advice or put their children on the right path through various disciplines. The final forming of a person's character lies in their own hands. Most adults, including most teachers, don't see themselves as

28th FIMA Council Meeting and IIMA Scientific Convention to be held in Jakarta, Indonesia from Sep-14-19, 2011

28th FIMA Council Meeting And IMA (Islamic Medical Association of Indonesia & YARSI University Scientific Convention will be held in Jakarta, Indonesia from Sep 14-19, 2011)

FIMA EXCO endorsed the recommendations of organizing committee and scientific committee of the next FIMA 2011 Annual Convention to be held at YARSI UNIVERSITY. The detailed program shall be as follows.

Day 1 Tuesday- September 13, 2011, up till 19.00 Check in time for all participants

19.00-21.00 : FIMA EXCO meeting: Dinner (all participants)

Day 2 Wednesday- September 14, 2011,

09.00-12.00: FIMA Council meeting

12.00-13.00: Lunch and sholat

13.00-18.00: FIMA Council meeting

18.00-21.00: Dinner and sholat

Day 3 Thursday September 15, 2011,

09.00-12.00: FIMA Council meeting

12.00-13.00: Lunch and sholat

13.00-18.00: CIMCO and IHC parallel session

18.00-21.00: Dinner and sholat

Day 4 Friday September 16, 2011,

07.30-18.00: One day tour (all participants)

Day 5 Saturday September 17, 2011,

08.00-09.00: Registration

09.00-09.30: Opening ceremony of the scientific meeting by Minister of National Education, RI

09.30-10.00: Keynote speech

10.00-10.30: Coffee break

10.30-11.00: Plenary: 1st invited speaker

11.00-11.30: Plenary: 2nd invited speaker

11.30-12.00: Plenary: 3rd invited speaker

12.00-13.00: lunch and sholat



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Gazza Medical Relief 2011

A group of surgeons and anesthesiologists from Pakistan and UK visited Gaza for a period of two weeks to perform complicated surgeries including vascular surgeries and plastic repairs. The team was headed by Prof. Dr. Iqbal Khan from PIMA, he performed 13 complicated surgeries during this period, some of the surgeries lasted for more than 8 hours.

A workshop was also conducted during this period to update the Palestinian surgeons of latest techniques in surgery. Dr. Iqbal Khan returned Islamabad on 30th April 2011, in an interview he told the pressmen that the healthcare situation in Gaza is deplorable and very limited preventive and curative health facilities are available to Palestinians under siege in Gaza.



13.00-14.00: Symposium 1
 14.00-15.00: Symposium 2
 15.00-15.30: Coffee break and sholat
 15.30-16.30: Symposium 3
 16.30-17.30: Symposium 4
 17.30: 21.00: Dinner and sholat
 Day6 Sunday September 19, 2011,
 08.30-09.00: Plenary: 4th invited speaker
 09.00-09.30: Plenary: 5th invited speaker
 09.30-10.00: Plenary: 6th invited speaker
 10.00-10.30: Coffee break
 10.30-11.00: Seminar 1
 11.00-11.30: Seminar 2
 11.30-12.00: Seminar 3
 12.00-13.00: Lunch and sholat
 13.00-15.00: Free papers (if needed)
 15.00 : Closing ceremony
 19.00: Dinner

All lunches and dinner will be served at YARSI UNIVERSITY

VENUE

YARSI UNIVERSITY, Jakarta, Indonesia.

Theme:

GERIATRICS: IN THE PARADIGM OF ISLAM

Boarding and Lodging Arrangements:

The official hotel is GRAND CEMPAKA HOTEL (a 4 star hotel about 500 meters from YARSI UNIVERSITY, Jakarta, Indonesia.)

Programs of Site Seeing:

There will be a separate program for families and accompanying persons whereby they will visit all important sites in Jakarta and other nearby places. The organizing committee requires the exact number of delegates with their arrival dates and duration of stay so that all the arrangements could be done.

Photo Gallery of PIMA Provincial Conventions.



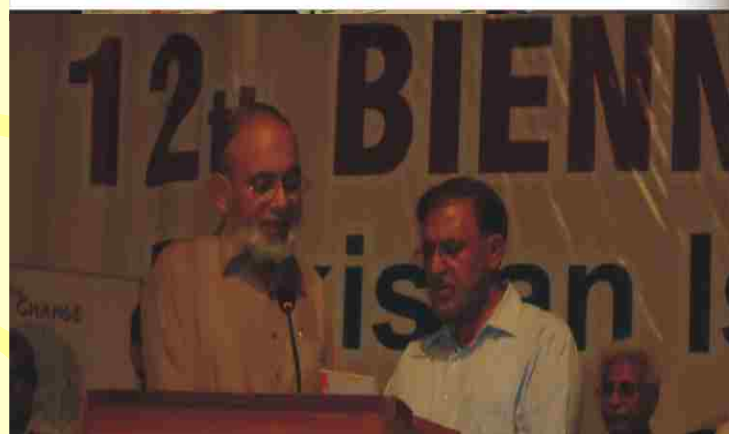
Dr. Shafqat Javed Presenting Shield to Hameed Gull



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amjad



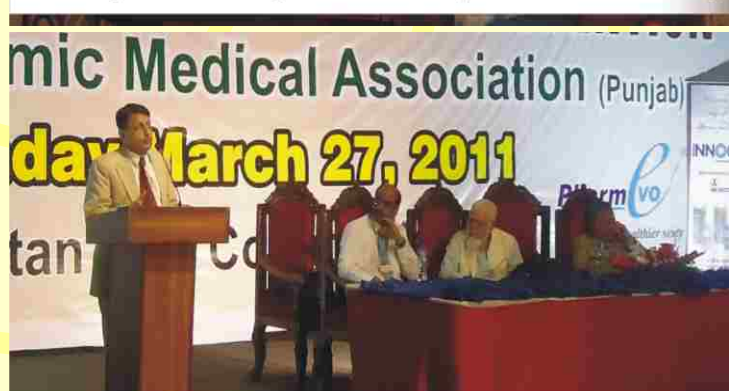
Dr. Laiq Hussain (Principle NMC) - Dr. Javed Akram (Principle AIMC)



Dr. Shafqat Javed taking oath from Newly elected President Punjab



Dr. Kamran Salick - Management of Blast Injuries



Dr. Laiq Hussain (Principle NMC, Multan)



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BURNS MANAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM- DR MAZHAR NIZAM



BURNS MANAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM- DR AHMER



CARDIOLOGY SYMPOSIUM- DR FAWAD



AUDIENCE



Elections of IMA Iraq

On Friday 29 April 2011, the General Corps in IMA Iraq met for the new election to choose the 7 members of Administrative corps, including the IMA President, the Vice President and the new Secretary.

The following were elected to the office for the next term:-

1. Dr Bashar Abdul- Jabbar Hassawi

IMA Iraq President

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2. Dr Bassam Khalid Al-Hajjar

Vice President

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3. Dr Mujahid Tariq Qasim

Secretary

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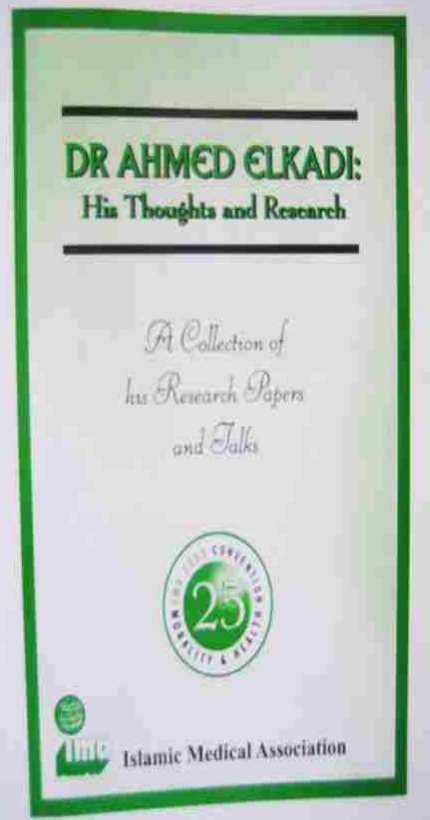


Japan Islamic Trust Volunteers serving the food in Taki Dashi (Cooking & providing fresh food) trip to a refugee center in Taira Taiku camp.

Publications from IMA South Africa

Intensive Care Unit (ICU) Ethical Dilemmas Guidelines for Muslim Families
Abul Fadl Mohsin Ebrahim

This publication gives the reader an insight into how Islamic teachings view medical treatment and the difficulty that contemporary Muslim scholars have in determining the end of human life. It also touches upon some ethical dilemmas in the ICU setting with the aim of giving guidelines for the management of these delicate situations.



Dr Ahmed Elkadi: His Thoughts and Research
Dr Ahmed Elkadi
This publication is a collection of his talks that he gave in South Africa and other parts of the world. Some of the scholarly papers in this publication are unique and they, in reality, laid the foundation for what came to be known as Islamic medicine.

Dr. Husain F. Nagamia awarded the prestigious award



Islamic Medical Association of North America (IMANA), the largest Muslim Physician organization in the United States instituted an Annual award "The El-Kadi Award" in memory of one of its founders: Dr.

Ahmed El-Kadi, a pioneer, an outstanding physician, a renowned Islamic Scholar and a visionary. Dr. El-Kadi passed away in April, 2009. In

his memory the IMANA Executive Council instituted an award to be given annually to IMANA Physicians that have demonstrated an unwavering loyalty to the organization by their contributions, considered exemplary by the Board of Regents. These contributions can be in any aspect of the IMANA's organizational accomplishments, be it philanthropic, International relief work, research, medical education, organizational development, scholastic research, promotional or exemplary service in any of its multitudinous activities.

For the year 2009-2010 the award was presented to Dr. Nagamia by the President of IMANA at their annual banquet in Istanbul Turkey. The Annual Banquet was being attended by more than 300 members and families.

Dr. Nagamia has served IMANA almost since its inception. He has been a Life member since 1976. He served in various capacities on the Executive council and was finally elected President of IMANA in 1984-85. He has also served as the Chief Editor of the Journal of IMANA (JIMA) and as Chairperson of various committees. In 1992 he was appointed Chairman of the International Institute of Islamic Medicine (IIIM), an Institute that has been founded by IMANA for the research and promotion of "History of Islamic Medicine" a scintillating chapter in the History of Medicine and a lasting contribution of Islamic Civilization to the development of Modern Medicine. To learn further about IIIM please visit www.iiim.org. Dr. Nagamia can be contacted at: hnagamia786@aol.com.

One Home, One Family, One Future; a book by the IMANA past President, Dr. Bashir A Zikria, MD

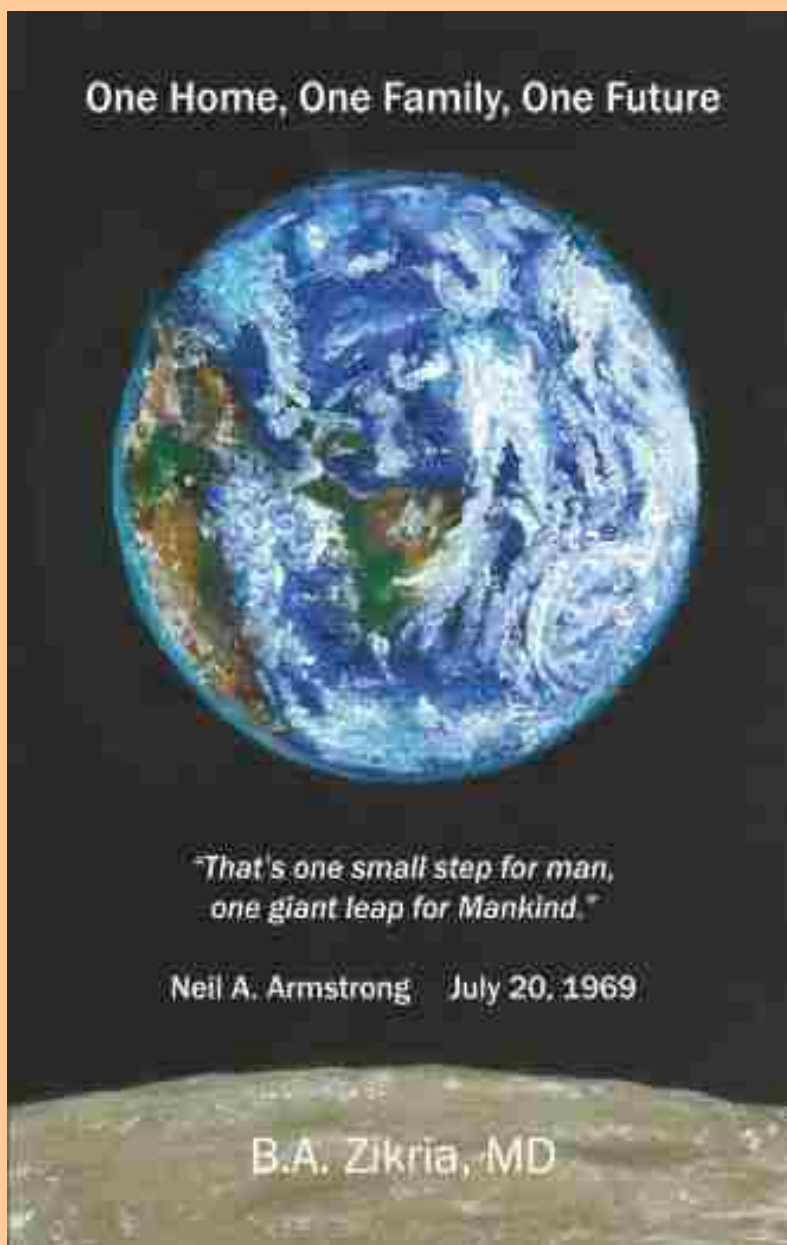


Dr. Bashir A Zikria MD

One Home,
One Family,
One Future
is a
revelation in
concrete
visual terms,
as to
who we're,
where we're,
and where
we are going
in this
universe?

This new insight was first demonstrated to us by photographs of Earth from the Moon and by the immortal words of Neil Armstrong, "That's a small step for man, one giant leap for mankind." The small step is the progress of our science and technology. Our giant leap is our leap into a greater Consciousness for Oneness and Peace (Tawheed).

What struck us with awe then, and still does today was the perspective of our Blue-White living planet mysteriously suspended like an incomparable jewel among millions and millions of lifeless stars. With that image, the journey of human consciousness from ego-self to the universal -Self was bolstered without precedence. In this book the stories of nine "Universalists" as role models teach us that we are all part of a greater Universe with our ever evolving and expanding consciousness with increasing reverence for Life and the Creator of the Universe. We must be grateful guardians of these gifts. The dire state of our world today requires that we must fulfill our duties to our greater Home, our greater Family and our common Future. It is a book worth reading for all the physicians and general public at large.



Upcoming Events

IMA South Africa Annual Convention

Get details for the forthcoming annual convention.

8-10 July 2011 - 31st Annual IMA Convention,
Durban, Umhlanga

Topic: "Turning the Tide towards a healthy future".

Venue: newly built Coastlands hotel on Umhlanga
ridge (next to gateway shopping center)

Dr. Aly Mishal visits Egypt



Executive Director FIMA Dr. Aly Mishal visited Egypt from 9th 14th May 2011. During his visit he had meetings with the officials of IMA Egypt and Arab Medical Union (AMU) and they discussed the issues of mutual importance especially to organize and consolidate the efforts to extend medical relief in the north African crisis.

Photo Gallery of PIMA Provincial Conventions.



Dr. Intazar Hussain - POB Report



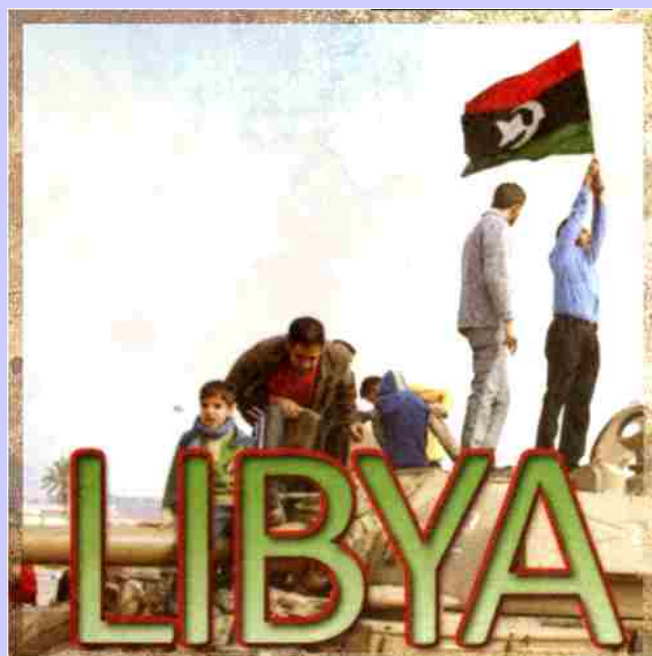
Dr. Shafqat Javed - Dr. Iqbal Khalil - Dr. Abdul Malik



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FIMA Libya

RELIEF



Partner of FIMA Relief, Mercy Malaysia has a team in Libya and we had feedback that the hospitals are very short of nurses. 1,200 nurses left the country including doctors and medical technicians.

The specialty that are most needed are neurosurgeons, plastic surgeons, anaesthesiologists and physicians.

The most badly affected hospital is Al Beyda General Hospital since it is catering for 3 cities with a population of about 500,000 people. Al Beyda hospital is less equipped compared to Benghazi Hospital.

Mercy Malaysia would be deploying more volunteers. All the interested IMA's are requested to contact AMU and FIMA Relief coordinator Dr. Ashraf Jedaar at ajedaar@iafrica.com



Abstract submission for FIMA-Indonesian Islamic Medical Association & YARSI University scientific convention 17-19th September, 2011



Send an Abstract

In order to send an abstract you have to follow the instructions given below. Please send the copy to IIMA convention sectt as it will allow you to interact with the congress organization (both scientific and organizing secretariat) and satisfy all your possible needs regarding abstract submission, registration, hotel booking, etc.

Theme of the scientific convention

“Geriatrics in the Paradigm of Islam”

Abstract submission instructions and guidelines

1. Deadline for abstract submission is June 15th 2011. Each delegate is allowed to submit a maximum of two abstracts as a presenting author: Each abstract should be a maximum of 1000 characters long. There is no limit to the number of abstracts submitted as co-author.
2. Presenting authors will be notified whether their abstracts are accepted by July 1st, 2011. Further details on the schedule and instructions for oral and poster presentations will be available on the FIMA website
3. The Scientific Programme of the Congress will be available on the FIMA website.
4. Authors, whose abstracts have been accepted, must register for the Convention (gratis) by June 1st, 2011. Failure to do so will result in exclusion from the programme and the Book of Abstracts.
5. Abstracts can be submitted via email or fax. If you have any queries about presentation please don't hesitate to contact the scientific secretariat or FIMA secretariat.

Oral Presentations

Oral presentations offer an opportunity to provide a powerpoint slide presentation of your paper. Presentations will be 15 minutes in length, with a five minute question and answer period.

For further details please contact:

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Japan Tsunami Relief

Japan Islamic Trust is a partner organization of FIMA and its members IMAs. We have jointly worked with Japan Islamic Trust on a number of occasions including Afghan Relief 2001-03, Earthquake Relief 2005 & Flood Relief 2010. Japan Islamic Trust has sent more than fifteen relief missions to these flood affected areas in the Tsunami hit coastal areas. JIT is mainly providing the pre-cooked food and other daily use items.



Remaining President Message

engaged in their own moral growth. To ensure progressive growth in the moral life, we must first know ourselves. We must know our particular faults and failings, as well as our strengths and progress in trying to lead a good life. We gain this self-knowledge by continually examining our behavior and reflecting on the kind of person we are and would like to be. "The unexamined life is not worth living," as Socrates said, because only by examining our life can we improve it. Besides knowing ourselves, we must also make a sincere effort to become a better person and a better Muslim—more patient, more sensitive to the needs of others, quicker to forgive, more willing to admit when we're wrong. We must persist in this effort even when we fail, as we surely will. Finally, we must ask, are we carrying out our good intentions? Are we making gains, however small, in practicing the virtues as laid down in sunnah? FIMA invite all of its member IMA's to foster this vision of FIMA in grooming of and building the characters of Muslim medical students in their folds. Through these camps students get a chance to learn the basic principles of Deen, leadership training and train themselves for an ethical and blessed life to become a model Muslim health care professional. The dates of FIMASAC medical students and Umra camps have been decided and the details have been circulated in the last FIMA e-newsletter. Kindly motivate the youngsters in your IMA to attend these important events. Kindly feel free to contact, myself <pmalikmd@gmail.com> , Dr. Tanveer Zubairi, tanveer.zubairi@gmail.com or Dr. Atallah Ruhaily <aruhaily@gmail.com>, for further assistance and details.

Dr Parvaiz Malik,
President FIMA



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