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## ISWS EC Election Results (2025-26 & 2026-27)

Dear All,

We have concluded the ISWS EC election 2025-27, with active emails of 1348 members as available on ISWS website. We have received only one nomination against the position of Secretary **Dr. V.K. Choudhary** and Treasurer **Dr. Yogita Gharde**, and we have only two candidates against two positions of Vice-President, **Dr. Ummed Singh** and **Dr. P. Murali Arthanari**. Therefore, they have been considered elected unopposed.

The election was conducted for two positions, namely President and Joint Secretary (two positions). A total of 1002 members casted their e-vote successfully, which is accounting 74.3% voting.

The number of vote casted in favour of all the contestants are as under:

| A | President             | Total votes | Status  |
|---|-----------------------|-------------|---------|
| 1 | Dr. Anil Dixit        | 212         | -       |
| 2 | Dr. C. Chinnusamy     | 240         | -       |
| 3 | Dr. Manoj Kumar Singh | 236         | -       |
| 4 | Dr. T.K. Das          | 314         | Elected |
|   |                       |             |         |
| B | Joint Secretary       | Total votes | Status  |
| 1 | Dr. P. Saravanane     | 653         | Elected |
| 2 | Dr. D. Subramanyam    | 841         | Elected |
| 3 | Dr. Vimal J. Patel    | 510         | -       |

I am hereby pleased to announce the ISWS executive council office bearers namely, **Dr. T.K. Das** as President; **Dr Ummed Singh & Dr P. Murali Arthanari** as Vice President; **Dr. V.K. Choudhary** as Secretary; **Dr. D. Subramanyam & Dr. P. Saravanane** as Joint Secretary and **Dr. Yogita Gharde** as Treasurer for a period of two years 2025-2027.

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**Dr. Mayank Yadav**  
**Returning Officer (Elections for ISWS EC 2025-26 & 2026-27)**