

PROF P. VENUGOPAL ORATION PROTOCOL

- This prestigious oration of the KUA will be delivered by the orator chosen by the council of KUA
- The oration will have to be timed in consultation with the Secretary who would adjust the timing according to the scientific schedule
- This oration has to be chaired by the President KUA and Secretary, KUA
- The President, KUA invites the orator to the dais
- The Secretary, KUA introduces the orator
- The President invites the orator to deliver his oration
- The chairperson thanks the orator
- NO QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION
- The Secretary reads out the citation to be awarded to the Orator
- The President KUA gives the citation scroll and the plaque to the orator
- No certificates or mementos for moderation should be given to the President or Secretary by the Organizing Committee after the oration

CITATION PROTOCOL FOR PROF. P. VENUGOPAL ORATION



BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF PROF. P. VENUGOPAL BY ORATOR

Prof. P. Venugopal was born on 14 February 1940. He obtained his MBBS degree in December 1961, from the Medical College, Pondicherry (Madras University). His MS degree in General Surgery came on his birthday, in the year 1966 from Medical College and Hospital, Trivandrum (Kerala University). Later, he did super speciality training in Urology at Christian Medical College

Vellore under Prof. H.S. Bhat, the doyen of Indian Urology and obtained the M.Ch degree in March 1968 from the Madras University.

After a short stint as Senior Lecturer in Urology at CMC Hospital, Vellore (April 1968 - Aug 1970) he proceeded to U.K on a senior Commonwealth fellowship for training in pediatric urology [Sept 1970 - Sept 1971]. In October 1971, he joined Kasturba Medical College, Manipal as reader in Urology. He started the Department of Urology here and developed into one of the best centers of Urology in the country. He was Professor and Head of this Department since 1974 till premature retirement in June 1993.

The M.Ch Urology training started by him here is the first ever higher training program in the state of Karnataka. He trained 26 candidates here, who are spread all over the country doing quality Urology work. The Department had independent floor space for Urology with all lab facilities, four operation theatres, ESWL suite and 116 beds.

He is an active member of the Urological Society of India since its inception and has held the following positions in the society:

1. Governing Council Member (October 1977 - 1978)
2. Hon. Treasurer (October 1978 - 1980)
3. Vice President (October 1980 - 1982)
4. President (October 1982 - 1984)
5. Hon. Treasurer, Indian Journal of Urology (Oct 1984 - Dec 1992)
6. Chairman, Editorial committee of Indian Journal of Urology (Dec 1992 - Jan 2000)

He was instrumental in commencing the Indian Journal of Urology during his presidential year (1984). He conducted the Annual Conference of Urological Society of India at Manipal in 1982 which was unprecedented in quality and conduct, remembered as the Manipal Conference even today by those who attended it.

He was awarded the Urology gold medal for contributions to Urology in October 1986. He delivered the prestigious Dr Himadri Sarkar oration at the annual conference of Urological Society of India in October 1986 at Vijayawada.

He delivered Dr. Pinnamaneni oration at annual conference of Urology Society of India in December 1992.

He also has held the following offices:

1. Founder Honorary Secretary, Karnataka State Chapter of Association Surgeons of India (Oct 1981 - Mar 1985)
2. Chairman, Karnataka State Chapter of Association Surgeons of India (Mar 1986 - Mar 1987)
3. Governing Council member of Association Surgeons of India (Jan 1988 - Dec 1990)

He has delivered the following prestigious orations:

1. Prof. H. S. Bhat oration of Karnataka State Chapter of Association Surgeons of India Annual Conference - March 1985

2. Dr. Ramaiah oration of APSAUGUS - December 1993.

3. U.A.K oration of Urological Association of Kerala - Jan 1994.

4. Prof. H.S. Bhat oration at the South Zone Urology Conference at Mangaluru - Aug 1997.

He has introduced and nurtured the following awards:

1. Prof. H.S. Bhat oration, Karnataka State Chapter of Association Surgeons of India

2. Prof. C.K.P. Menon memorial award for the best paper at Annual Conference, Urology Society of India

3. Dr. Seetharaman memorial essay prize at the Annual Conference, Urology Society of India.

He has been an examiner for M.Ch Urology and DNB Urology at all Universities and centres in the country. He has given innumerable lectures at various forums all over the country. He was also the emeritus Prof. and HOD, Dept. of Urology at K.L.E Society's Hospital and Medical Research Centre, Belgaum (June 1999 - May 2001). He commenced the M.Ch Urology at the K.L.E Society's Hospital, Belgaum in June 2000. He has served as Senior Consultant in Urology at University Medical Centre, Mangalore from May 2001 to Dec 2001. He was Senior Consultant in Urology at Unity Health Complex, Mangalore from Dec 2001 - June 2006.

He is presently the Emeritus Prof in Urology at K.M.C Hospital, Mangalore since April 2012. His wife Late Dr NaliniVenugopal was an eminent pathologist and well known teacher. His son Dr. AnandVenugopal is a Professor in Radio diagnosis, KMC Mangalore and also the Medical Superintendent, KMC Hospitals, Mangalore.

CITATION TO BE READ BY SECRETARY

- The institution of Professor P. Venugopal oration by the Karnataka Urology Association signifies and registers the abiding respect and regard, cherished by his grateful students.
- Professor P. Venugopal, a charismatic teacher and surgical craftsman of great capability, scripted the destiny and fortunes of the department of Urology at the Kasturba Medical College, Manipal with consummate skill, dedication and unmatched zeal for a period stretching well over two decades. He was also responsible for putting Karnataka on the Urological map of India.
- It is fitting that this year's Professor P. Venugopal orator should be DrHe served as His work in the fields of Urology, especially in ... have assured him a tall stature in

the Urological hall of fame. A dedicated teacher and a good clinician who has taught and inspired many Urologists. His discourse has added a unique lustre to this series of orations.

- We are sanguine that Professor P. Venugopal oration will continue to gain in stature over the years and provide an avenue for expression of authentic urological research of the highest order, an objective which Professor P Venugopal relentlessly pursues.