

President



Dear AKMG Family

It has been quite an eventful year since July 2023 when I became the President of one of the most prestigious organizations, Association Of Kerala Medical Graduates. I feel truly humbled and honored, my mind is filled with joy, pride and gratitude to everyone who had supported me in this huge endeavor as the President of AKMG. I am happy and excited to present one of the most memorable conventions to my dearest AKMG family with the loving support of every one of you from the very first day till today. I like to extend my sincere words of appreciation and gratitude to my executive team, board of governors, convention team, and all my mentors and leaders of AKMG. Let us continue to work together to take AKMG to greater heights and to become one of the largest and most powerful organizations in the world. I am excited and am looking forward to seeing you all in San Diego in the next few weeks. Let me welcome you all to one of the finest cities of Southern California, San Diego, to celebrate the glory and legacy of this historic organization together, recreate nostalgic moments from our homeland and to cherish memories of a lifetime during the 3 days here.

One of the most memorable highlights of my Presidential year were my visits to various states to meet my extended AKMG family members. The love, warm hospitality and support I have received from every place I had visited will be cherished. Arizona, Central and Northern CA, Nevada, North Carolina, New Jersey, Atlanta, Houston, Florida, New York and Austin are the states (or cities) I was able to cover during the last 12 months with grand openings of

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new chapters in some states. It was an amazing experience and I am grateful to everyone for their support.

Throughout the period of my presidency I have tried to stay connected with AKMG family through online meetings and special online events. Detailed programs and events are added to our Fall and Spring Newsletters as well.

Here are some of the activities and accomplishments in the year 2023 -2024. Added several life members to AKMG organization Supported Continued Medical Education activities with CME credits to members. Helped expand the successful rising star mentorship program with recruitment of many young physicians in residency Established active leadership among women through AKMG Women's Forum and conducted 2 successful online programs celebrating womanhood.

Launched an AKMG Kids/ Youth Club, Mini Medic Mania, for promoting cultural and educational activities and talents among our children and youth. Celebrated KERALA PIRAVI and NEW YEAR with entertainments by talented artists from India with excellent participation by AKMG members.

Conducted AKMG Spring Chapter meetings as live events in March 2023 and 2024, and collaborated with local Indian doctor's organizations (ISCOPI). Participated in the 98th All India Medical Conference organized by Indian Medical Association and conducted career counselling to International students in Kerala.

Participated in PEDICON 2024 organized by Indian Academy Of Pediatrics. Started a fund raiser charity event to help with the establishment of Regional Early Intervention Center which takes care of children with various disabilities at my own Alma Mater, Medical College, Alappuzha.

I would like to thank my entire convention team, family and friends for their support and encouragement. I am especially grateful to our admin Preetha Nair for her continued dedication and outstanding support throughout the year. I am thankful to my mom for being my right hand and pillar of support during my journey as the President of AKMG.

Once again, looking forward to seeing you all in San Diego and having a great time together....

Thankfully
Sindu Pillai MD
President, AKMG