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Election Notice

Date: 09/July/2026

Esteemed member of MOS,

Nominations are invited for the following posts of Maharashtra Ophthalmological Society:

1. 2nd Vice President.
2. Honorary Joint Secretary.
3. Honorary Joint Treasurer.
4. Chairman Scientific Committee (Two years Tenure- from 2026-28).
5. Chief Editor JCOR (Two years Tenure- from 2026-28).
6. 10 Zonal Members (02 from each Zone: Vidarbha, Marathwada, Central, Western and North Zone).
7. 05 Members of the Scientific Committee (01 from each Zone: Vidarbha, Marathwada, Central, Western and North Zone).

Important Dates:

Filing of Nominations Starts	20 th July 2026
Last date for filing the nominations	5 th August 2026
Last date for scrutiny of nominations	12 th August 2026
Online Intimation to Eligible Candidates	13 th August 2026
Last date for withdrawal of nominations	23 rd August 2026
Online Intimation of Final list of Candidates	25 th August 2026

Date of Election (If required):

By Online voting – 04th October 2026, 6:00 am to 11th October 2026, 12:00 midnight

Declaration of Results:

During Annual General Meeting on 24th October 2026

The details of the election can be tracked on <https://moseye.org/elections-2026/>

Click here to download the nomination form

To ensure your nomination is valid, it **must** be submitted through **both digital and physical channels**.

You must email a copy of your completed nomination form to **BOTH** of the following email addresses: ivaishali_53@rediffmail.com and moselections@gmail.com

A physical hard copy of the completed nomination form must also be sent to

Dr. Vaishali Une, Salonika, B-6, Khinvasara Nilgiris, Ulkanagri, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar – 431005.

For more details, contact

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Eligibility for contesting various posts:

1. No Member of Local Organizing Committee (LOC) will be able to contest in that election.

The LOC will include the Organizing Chairman, Organizing Secretary, Joint-Secretary, Treasurer, Joint-Treasurer and Chairman Scientific Committee of Local Organizing Committee. LOC also includes the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Scientific Committee Chairman of host Society.

2. Past Presidents are restricted from contesting any post, with the exclusive exceptions of MOS Representatives to AIOS and Chief Editor JCOR.

3. Member shall not hold or contest more than one office unless proposed by the managing committee as an additional charge.

4. No one should contest any post unless he completes his/her tenure of the post in the coming Annual General Body meeting if he is holding any post in the MOS office.

5. The contesting member should be a resident of Maharashtra as per constitution Article-V (1) (d).

Vice President:

- Must have been a member of MOS of good standing for a minimum period of 7 years.
- Must have held an organizational position as an office bearer (either as Secretary, Treasurer or Chairman Scientific Committee) for a minimum period of one term for that post and attended at least four managing committee meetings in one year.
- Must have actively participated in the scientific and organizational activities of the Society.

Joint Secretary/Joint Treasurer:

- Must have been a member of good standing of the society for 5 years.
- Must have been a member of the managing committee for at least one term and attended at least 4 managing committee meetings in 1 term.
- Should have attended at least two annual conferences of the Society and actively participated in scientific/organizational activities of the Society.

Chairman Scientific Committee:

- Should have been a member of the Scientific Committee for at least one term.
- Should have attended at least 5 MOS conferences and have had presentations in at least 3 Annual conferences.
- Should have been a member of good standing of the Society for at least 7 years.

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- This post is only for one term (i.e. 2 years). Cannot contest again if already served as Chairman Scientific Committee

Chief Editor JCOR

- The person should have published at least 5 articles in Peer reviewed journals.
- Should have served as reviewer in a peer reviewed journal and at least reviewed 5 articles.
- Should have attended at least one research methodology workshop.

Zonal Members

- Must have been a member of good standing of the society for at least three years.
- Must have attended at least two annual conferences of the society.
- Should have actively participated in scientific / organisational activity of the society

There shall be five zones.

Central zone: With revenue district of Mumbai and Thane.

Western zone: With revenue districts of Satar, Pune, Solapur, Sangli, Kolhapur, Ratnagiri, Sindhudurg.

Marathwada Zone: With revenue districts of Aurangabad, Beed, Osmanabad, Jalna, Parbhani, Latur, Nanded and Hingoli.

Vidarbha Zone: With revenue districts of Buldhana, Akola, Amravati, Wardha, Washim, Yavatmal, Nagpur, Bhandara, Chandrapur and Gadchiroli.

North Zone: With revenue districts of Nashik, Ahmednagar, Jalgaon, Dhule and Nandurbar

Members of Scientific Committee:

- They should have attended at least 3 Annual conferences of MOS and must have had presentations in at least 1 Annual conference.
- Must have been a member of good standing of the Society for at least 3 years.

Tenure

Zonal Members (Maximum 2 Terms)

- Zonal Members are the **only** positions permitted to hold the same office twice.
 - Current Zonal Members who are currently serving their very first term.
 - Past Zonal Members who have served exactly one term in the past and are not currently holding office.
- Anyone who has already completed two lifetime terms as a Zonal Member is disqualified from contesting for this same post again.

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All Other Posts (Strictly 1 Term Lifetime Cap)

- Every other position on the managing committee can be held **only once**. Re-election to the same office is strictly prohibited.
- Only members who have **never** held that specific post before can contest.
- This 1-term limit applies to all executive roles, including 2nd Vice President, Joint Secretary, Joint Treasurer, Chairman Scientific Committee, and Chief Editor JCOR. If you have served in any of these roles in the past, you cannot contest for that same position again.

MOS Election Commission 2026:

Dr Santosh Bhide - Chief Election Commissioner

Dr Gopal Arora - Member

Dr Shirish Thorat - Member

Important:

1) MOS Members upto Membership number 3552 (Life Members Ratified till 4th October 2025) will be eligible to Vote in this online Elections; i.e. life members from Membership no. 01 till membership no. 3552 are eligible.

2) Link for Online updating your MOS Member profile: <https://profile.moseye.org/>
Member are requested to visit the above Link and check whether their mobile numbers and email ID are correct on or before 25th August 2026; so as to ensure that they are able to receive both the OTPs during the election process.

Thanking you,

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