



INDIAN ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL REPORT – 2023

I am indeed happy to present the Annual Report of IAA for the year 2023. Indian Accounting Association has achieved several landmarks during the year 2023. Some of these are mentioned below:

1. IAA WEBSITE UPGRADATION:

The website of the Association has been regularly updated with the following features:

- Facility of Joining the membership and making payment online
- Facility of Generation of Membership Certificate online
- Facility of Generation of Membership Identity Card online
- Facility of updating membership details online
- Online access of almost all Issues of Indian Journal of Accounting since 1984 along with author and title search facility
- IAA Past Conference Details
- IAA Past President and Office Bearers Details
- IAA Branch Secretaries Details
- Online Access of Membership Directory
- Feedback box for members etc.

2. HOST OF SUB-COMMITTEES:

IAA Past Presidents and EC Members have been actively working through the following sub committees for the cause and betterment of IAA:

- IAA Constitution Amendment Committee
- Branch Activities Supervision Committee
- Membership Drive Committee
- Annual Report Preparation Committee
- Accounts and Audit Committee
- Foreign Collaborations Committee
- Professional Bodies Liaison Committee
- All India Conference Promotion Committee
- NATS Promotion Committee
- IJA Old Issues Compilation Committee
- IAA E-Content Development Committee
- IAA Registration Renewal Committee
- Accounting Discipline Committee
- Model Curriculum Development Committee

3. IAA FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATIONS:

IAA Foundation Day (March 15) Celebrations were commenced on 15.03.2023 as an annual event to be celebrated throughout the country in many branches.

4. Renewal of IAA Registration:

IAA Society registration problem was pending for 50 years. During the year IAA has completed Society Renewal Process at Varanasi.

5. NATIONAL WEBINAR AND SERIES OF ONLINE EVENTS:

This marked the beginning of good number of academic events in form of webinars, lecture series, workshops, FDPs etc. organised by IAA branches all over the country in the following months. The topics included Impact of Pandemic on Indian Economy, Teaching and Learning in Online Plat- form, GST, IFRS, Accounting Standards, Interpretation of Financial Statements, Use of SPSS in Research, Academic Writings, Econometrics and others. Some of these seminars have been International and have been organized in association with other professional Bodies and colleges also.

We have enhanced our membership to cross 8200, we have by now expanded to 60 branches with one new branch added during the year namely Kochi, IAA corpus fund reach a land mark of Rs 1.84 crore. What is even more delighting is the fact that we could activate our branches though proper submission of Accounts and reporting of branch activities.

Our practice of interacting with branch secretaries as part of the All India Accounting conference and uploading Branch activities on the Website have been fruitful. The upkeep of the website and reporting system proved to be beneficial.

We could successfully conduct the NATS examination in 2023 and the current year's examination work is in progress. Thanks to Prof. Shurveer S Bhanawat, the founder Coordinator Prof. G Soral and their team. Now NATS examination conducted online and last online NATS examination was conducted successfully and coming year examination is scheduled on Feb 4, 2024. I hope, with cooperation of all of you, this will increase number of participants in upcoming NATS examination.

I sincerely congratulate all the Branches for their activities and involvement in IAA. I further request all branches to strengthen their activities and examine how they can academically enrich the accounting profession.

I am happy to share that due to efforts of our Treasurer Prof. Arindam Gupta and his team for the FY 2022-23 Fourty Seven branches of IAA and NATS have submitted their audited accounts.

The Indian Journal of Accounting is doing well in terms of Publication of research articles through Blind Peer review, I congratulate Prof G Simon Thattil and his team. Very soon we are also going to launch online journal management system for Indian Journal of Accounting which will make smooth functioning of journal activity.

In the year 2024, I am sure we would work with added vigour to enrich IAA and come up with flying colours in promoting the noble objectives of this Association.

I thank the President, all the office bearers for their support and do recall with gratitude, the help and inspiration received from all our Past presidents and well-wishers. I do thank all our members from the bottom of my heart and with your consent and blessings place this Report for the Approval of the EC and AGM.

Thank you and wish you all.

8th November, 2023



Sanjay Bhayani
General Secretary