

## REPORT OF IAC Karnataka Chapter

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**Secretary, IAC, Karnataka Chapter**

In the GBM held at the 9th Karnataka State Cytology Conference at Mangalore, the new members elected were as follows:

1. Dr Hilda Fernandes - The President
2. Dr Archana Bhat - The Secretary
3. Dr Christina Goveas - The Treasurer

The GBM was convened by President Dr Col U S Dinesh, the minutes were read out by Dr Priyanka and Dr Hilda addressed the members.

Dr Hilda Fernandes will be represented the IAC Karnataka Chapter and attended the National conference at Puducherry. She chaired a session too. The IAC- KC after discussion in the executive committee meeting started a short cytology webinar series which will be conducted online every 2nd Saturday each month and Dr Archana Bhat will be the coordinator for the same. The first webinar was delivered by Dr Hilda Fernandes on the topic “Basics of Cytopathology” on March 14th, 2025. The webinar was moderated by Dr Lt Col U S Dinesh. Over 60 delegates attended the webinar. The next webinar is scheduled on April 11th on Pancreatic cytology by Dr Pooja Suresh.

The poster for the IAC KC Webinar Series is titled "BASICS OF CYTOPATHOLOGY". It features the IAC logo on the top left. The speaker is Dr. Hilda Fernandes, President IAC KC and Professor of Pathology, FMCC. The date is March 14th, 2026, at 3 PM. The coordinator is Dr. Archana Bhat, Secretary IAC KC and Associate Professor of Pathology, FMCC. The joining link is <https://meet.google.com/tqy-svbq-yqb>. The poster also includes a call to action: "Join us live for informative short webinars".