Elected Position Application Form

By applying for an ICS elected position you must be nominated and seconded by two ICS members. Please advise them to send an e-mail to the ICS office confirming this. Please complete the information below and send the completed form to jane@ics.org by 1 April 2014 in order for your nomination to be considered.

We also ask that in addition to the below you also update your online "Biography" with your goals and initiatives should you be elected: https://www.ics.org/ContactEdit.aspx

Language

Whilst the ICS is an international organisation, English is the official language of the society. It is expected therefore that Trustees members must have a good understanding of spoken and written English, and should feel confident speaking within the Committee environment.

Name	ALEX DIGESU
Occupation	CONSULTANT UROGYNAECOLOGIST
Country of Residence	UK
Qualifications	MD,PhD
ICS Membership Number	2093

Position applying for	Educational Committee Chair
Nominated by	Sherif Mourad
Seconded by	Chris Payne

What interests you in this ICS position (100 words maximum)	I would like to use my expertise in the review of educational activities and workshop applications in the planning of the best possible program for the ICS Annual Scientific Meetings giving voice to nurses, physiotherapists, scientists, fellows, urologists, gynaecologists, neurologists. I look forward to encouraging younger people who have interest in this field to join ICS, to submit their research, to present and share their data at the annual scientific meetings. I would work to have programs with more practical, didactic, interactive and hands on lectures. With the extensive experience I have in this field and having been a member of the Educational Committee for the last 4 years, I feel I can add an extra dimension to the work of this committee

Outline the skills, abilities and experience and what qualifications, if any, you could bring to this position and committee. (200 words maximum)	I have been a long term supporter and an active member at ICS for the past 15 years. I have contributed many scientific papers, abstracts and podium/workshop presentations at ICS meetings based on my research. I am also an author of several peer review articles, most of which are published in the Journal of NUU. In the past 10 years I have been involved as reviewer of peer review articles submitted for publication to different Journals such as: Neurourology and Urodynamics, Urology, J Urology, Int Urogynecology & Pelvic Floor Dysfunction Journal (IUJ), BJU, EUJ as well as BJOG, O&G, AJOG. Since 2009 I am member of the Editorial Board of the International Urogynecology & Pelvic Floor Dysfunction Journal. I have been awarded in 2011, 2012, 2013 as "IUJ Top 3 Reviewer" and in January 2014 "Top BJOG Reviewer of 2013". These awards are given based on the number of reviews submitted, the quality, the expert opinions, objectivity and timely responses. In addition, over the last 10 years I have been involved in the organization of meetings and courses for physicians, nurses and physiotherapist collaborating with other pelvic floor specialists both locally, nationally and internationally. I am actively involved in the

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	organization of hands on educational masterclasses on anatomy, surgery, pelvic physical therapy worldwide using cadaver labs, simulators and videopresentations. If elected I will work on elearning educational modules in all disciplines, to encourage distance learning for all ICS members in order to improve their skills, knowledge thus assisting their continuing professional education. I am willing to bring dedication, passion in this multidisciplinary team with a collegial and collaborative approach.

Do you already hold the position and are standing for re-election? **No**

Check list

X I am an ICS member
X I have completed an online disclosure here: http://www.icsoffice.org/Disclosures/DisclosureStatement.aspx
X I have uploaded a photo to my membership profile https://www.icsoffice.org/ContactEdit.aspx
X I submit a short CV alongside this form (6 pages maximum)

I hereby confirm that I have completed my disclosure form/declaration of interest via my membership record on the ICS website, that I have read and understood the ICS Memorandum, Articles, and Bylaws, and the ICS Code of Conduct and agree to abide by these. If elected I understand what would be required of me to undertake an ICS position, and that I would accept the position. I also note that I am unable to canvass for my election to this post. In addition, I confirm that I am an upstanding member of the ICS and can confirm that I am not the subject of any disciplinary investigations, internal or external to my workplace."

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Signed: Alex Digesu Date: _09.02.2016_____

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