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Vision and Mission
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April 2016 - March 2020

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AIOTA Started in 1952
1st President:
Dr. Kamala V. Nimbkar
AIOTA's 1\textsuperscript{st} National Headquarter Inaugurated

On 20\textsuperscript{th} April 2018, Friday at 11.30 am
AIOTA’s 1st National Headquarter Inaugurated

On 20th April 2018, Friday at 11.30 am

Vastu Pooja in the hands of AIOTA President Dr. Anil K. Srivastava Sir and his better half Mrs. Meena A. Srivastava Madam, prior to the Inauguration Function

Visit to AIOTA Headquarter by Shri Jayawant Sutar, Mayor, Navi Mumbai in the presence of AIOTA Vice-President Dr. Shashi Oberai, Secretary Dr. Satish Maslekar and EC Member, Dr. Joseph Sunny

AIOTA 1st National Headquarter, 801, 8th Floor, Business Bay, Kamdhenu Realities, Above NISSAN Showroom, Plot No. 51, Sector No. 1, Nerul, Navi Mumbai - 400706, Maharashtra, India
AIOTA’s 1st National Headquarter Inaugurated

On 20th April 2018, Friday at 11.30 am

By Shri Ganesh Naik Sir, Ex-Guardian Minister, Thane

Inauguration of AIOTA National Headquarter

Interview of Shri Ganesh Naik Sir by Awaaz Media Reporter in presence of AIOTA President, Dr. Anil K. Srivastava and Vice-President, Dr. Shashi Oberai
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Inaugural Function: witnessed and attended by stalwarts of Occupational Therapy from all over India, AIOTA members and Occupational Therapy students
AIOTA’s Meetings at National Headquarter
On 21st April 2018

1st AIOTA Office Bearer’s and EC’s Meeting at National Headquarter on 21st April 2018, after the Inauguration Day.

AIOTA’s Successful Meeting at National Headquarter on 21st April 2018, after the Inauguration Day, With Pearson’s Executives on Standardized Assessment Tools.
AIOTA’s Vision Statement

AIOTA envisions:

- Promote occupational therapy as an integral part of modern system of health care infrastructures across rural and urban settings

- Ensure best standards of occupational therapy practice and human resource development
AIOTA’s Mission

Awareness

Inclusion

Opportunity

Training / Treatment

Acceptance

AIOTA: All India Occupational Therapists’ Association
AIOTA’s Mission

- AIOTA aims at improving accessibility of occupational therapy services to masses in:
  - Government Hospitals
  - Private Hospitals
  - Corporate Sectors
  - Industries
  - Regular & Special Schools
  - Rehabilitation Units
AIOTA’s Mission

- **AIOTA aims at improving accessibility of Occupational Therapy services to masses by:**

  - Education, Training and Research Opportunities
  - Day Care Centre, Empowerment & Employment Opportunities for PwD
  - Building OT Bhavan Inclusive of

AIOTA: All India Occupational Therapists’ Association; OT: Occupational Therapy; PwD: Persons with Disabilities
AIOTA’s Mission

- AIOTA aims at improving accessibility of Occupational Therapy services to masses by:

  - COTE Programs for Best Practice Norms amongst OTs
  - Empowering General Masses in ADL, Work and Leisure
  - Preventive Education and Empowerment of Industrial Employees

AIOTA: All India Occupational Therapists’ Association; COTE: Continuing Occupational Therapy Education; ADL: Activities of Daily Living; OTs: Occupational Therapists
AIOTA’s Core Purpose

- **AIOTA aims at**

  - Evidence Based Ethical Clinical Practice & Research
  - Knowledge, Attitude, Skills & Habits of Professionals
  - Among General Population & other Professionals

  Optimization
  Competence
  Awareness

  - In Health & Corporate Sectors, Industries & Institutes
  - Colleges for UG, PG & PhD & more Practicing OT Professionals
  - Preventive Measures
  - Expansion

AIOTA: All India Occupational Therapists’ Association; OT: Occupational Therapy; UG: Undergraduate; PG: Postgraduate; PhD: Doctorate of Philosophy
AIOTA’s Core Values

- Core Values of AIOTA are:

  Competence

  Commitment
Academic Council of Occupational Therapy (ACOT)

Vision and Mission

14th May 2018
ACOT Started in 1983
1st Dean
Dr. M. G. Deo

Executive
Chairman
Dr. Anil K. Srivastava

Dean
Dr. Jyothika N. Bijlani

EC Member
Dr. V. S. Bole

EC Member
Dr. Veena Slaich

EC Member
Dr. Jayashri S. Kale

EC Member
Dr. Shovan Saha

ACOT
Executive Committee
April 2016 - March 2020
ACOT’s Vision Statement

“ACOT is committed to provide the leading edge knowledge and best practices to raise the standards of education of tomorrow’s leaders of Occupational Therapy through various academic programmes. ACOT will strive hard to accelerate the process of accreditation of National OT educational institutions and would facilitate collaborative partnerships with the national & international universities to raise the bar of skill development of OT professionals”

- Leading Edge Knowledge
- Standards of Education
- Partnership with National & International Universities

ACOT: Academic Council of Occupational Therapy; OT: Occupational Therapy
ACOT’s Vision

- **ACOT: Actions towards Vision**

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ACOT

Accreditation

Collaboration

Overview

Training

ACOT: Academic Council of Occupational Therapy
Accreditation

- Develop and revise minimum standard of OT education programs
- Develop and revise guidelines for Accreditation
- Assess and monitor colleges/schools for UG & PG programs on 4 year basis
- Awards accreditations to new OT colleges for UG & PG programs
- Renewals

ACOT: Academic Council of Occupational Therapy; OT: Occupational Therapy; UG: Undergraduate; PG: Postgraduate
Collaboration

- Collaborate with OT Institutes, AIOTA chapters, NGOs, Government organizations
  - COTE programs
  - Advanced training programs in OT
  - Organize research projects
  - Organize camps

- Collaborate with international bodies (WFOT, USC etc.)

- Guide setting up of new colleges

ACOT: Academic Council of Occupational Therapy; OT: Occupational Therapy; NGOs: Non Governmental Organizations; COTE: Continuing Occupational Therapy Education; WFOT: World Federation of Occupational Therapists; USC: University of Southern California
Overview

- Monitoring of educational Institutions
  - Check on their activities
  - Infrastructure and faculty
  - Research programs
  - Clinical Set-ups

- Regular reports
Training

- Organize fellowship program in advanced OT
- Organize short courses like PAMOT, Driver Rehab, Occupational Health/Ergonomics etc.
- Organize COTE programs
  - Live seminars, workshops etc.
  - Webinars
- On-line course
- Issue certificates with credit units in par with international professional credits
ACOT’s Mission Statement

“ACOT would strive hard to improve quality standards of the UG & PG educational programs by updating minimum standards, advice on improving syllabus and provide accreditation to academic programs of all National Institutes in OT and achieve 100% compliance. ACOT would help developing knowledge & practise skills of OT professional and take it to next level”
ACOT’s Mission Statement

Aims to Yield Educational Programs to Next Level

Quality | Minimum Standards | Accreditation | Compliance
ACOT’s Actions

- Continuing Education
- Standardization of Scales
- Support Chapters of AIOTA
- Conduct Fellowship Programs
- Promote Research
- Trans-disciplinary Approach
- Encourage: Initiating New OT Colleges

ACOT: Academic Council of Occupational Therapy; AIOTA: All India Occupational Therapists’ Association; OT: Occupational Therapy
ACOT: Core Values

- Accountability
- Transparency
- Commitment to Excellence
- Innovation in Education & Practice
- Education Ethics
- Professional Growth
- Responsiveness
- Value Diversity
ACOT Activity at AIOTA’s National Headquarters

Inauguration of 1st Intensive, National, Live and Webinar COTE on “Science & Ethics of Research Methodology & Art of Writing Research” on 22nd April 2018, Sunday morning, by President Dr. Anil K. Srivastava in presence of Dean Dr. Jyothika N. Bijlani, Vice-President, Dr. Shashi Oberai, Secretary, Dr. Satish Maslekar and AIOTA EC & IJOT Editorial Board Members

Closing of 1st Intensive, National, Live and Webinar COTE on “Science & Ethics of Research Methodology & Art of Writing Research” on 25th April 2018, Wednesday evening

ACOT: Academic Council of Occupational Therapy; COTE: Continuing Occupational Therapy Education
ACOT Activity at AIOTA’s National Headquarter

COTE on “Science & Ethics of Research Methodology & Art of Writing Research” organized from 22nd to 25th April 2018 at AIOTA National Headquarter

Participants, Organizers and some Faculty members: Live at AIOTA National Headquarter’s Board Room at Nerul, Navi Mumbai and on Webinar on the Screen

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Indian Journal of Occupational Therapy (IJOT)
Vision and Mission
About IJOT

1st Published
- 1955 (Dr. Kamala V. Nimbkar: 1st Editor of IJOT)

Print ISSN
- 1956 (Print ISSN No. 0445-7706)

Registered
- Office of Registrar of News Papers of India. R. No: 1653/57 (as Quarterly Journal)

Scientific Content
- Original research, systematic & narrative review, case report, editorial, book review, letter to the editor

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About IJOT’s Current Status

As On 14th May 2018

IJOT is steadily evolving in terms of quality, consistency, and international standards of ethical and scientific publications

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About IJOT’s Indexing Status

Indexed in ICI

Abstracted in Databases:
- ICMR-NIC Centre’s IndMED
- EBSCO, USA
- OT DBase, Canada
- OTseeker, Australia
- German Portal of OT
- CNKI Scholar, China
- Informatics India, Bangalore

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About IJOT’s Indexing Status

As per UGC Criteria: Indexing is needed in:

Web of Science (Science Citation Index)
Scopus

All hard efforts of IJOT Editorial Board are geared towards these goals!

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IJOT’s Vision

IJOT’s Vision for the Next 5 Years: Indian Occupational Therapy Research and Publications:

- Database of All Indian Research
- Repository of Research on Indian Normative Data
- Indexing in PubMed Central & Scopus + Web of Science
- Most Sought Journal for Evidence on Occupational Therapy Research

IJOT: Indian Journal of Occupational Therapy; Website: http://aiota.org/IJOT
IJOT’s Mission

IJOT Strives For

Publication Ethics

Quality

Novelty & Need

Professional Services

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IJOT Board Meeting at AIOTA’s Headquarter

Successful IJOT Editorial Board Meeting at AIOTA’s National Headquarter on 20th April 2018, Friday, with the Wolters Kluwer - Medknow Publications House’s Executive Mr. Hemant Manjrekar

Meeting was attended by the Editor-in-Chief, Dr. Anil K. Srivastava, Editor, Dr. Shashi Oberai, Associate Editor, Dr. Punita V. Solanki, Assistant Editor, Dr. Lakshmanan Sethuraman, Website Convener, Dr. Joseph Sunny and the AIOTA Treasurer, Dr. Pratibha M. Vaidya

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