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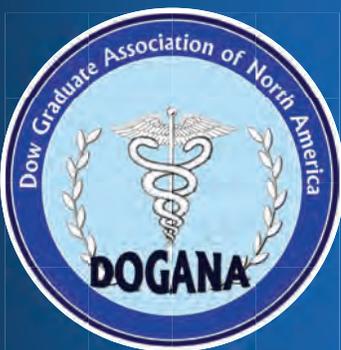
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EDITORIAL

Tariq J. Alam, M.D.

This is my last editorial for the year 2014. It has been a pleasure to be the Editor of the DOGANA magazine. It is a way to stay connected with my alma mater and use the power of the pen to highlight issues of common concern for all of us.

The year has been a memorable one indeed for DOGANA. President Azim Qureshi and his team deserves appreciation for some of the most critical issues that were highlighted from the DOGANA platform this year. The issue of physician killing in Pakistan and to recognize the women of Dow were some of the major themes that DOGANA highlighted and advocated for. Several women graduates of Dow Medical College were recognized for their leadership prowess and scientific skills. A very hugely popular social forum was organized by Dow Medical College alumni at the APPNA annual meeting in Washington DC this year that raised awareness and a renewed vigor to highlight the services of our fallen colleagues.

I would like to dedicate this editorial to a very relevant theme. Volunteerism is sacred word. DOGANA highlights and celebrates the spirit of volunteerism on an annual basis. DOGANA members who are busy physicians volunteer their time, energy and effort to work for our alma mater hundreds and thousands of miles away with the sole objective to be able to 'give back' to the institution that has given us so much. Each and every member of the executive committee, committee chairs, vice chairs and members put in many hours of their personal time, attention and ideas to keep the organization relevant and running. They do this without any remuneration or idea of gratification. It is the love for Dow that keeps them running and wanting to do more that can benefit the younger generation of Dow graduates and the institution itself.

DOGANA volunteers will travel to Karachi, Pakistan in December 2014 to organize the DOGANA winter meeting at Dow campus. This is an annual event that members from both in the US as well as Pakistan look forward too. It is an occasion to meet old friends, teachers and to visit the same classrooms, wards and personal with whom we had shared our formative years. Special lectures and workshops are also arranged but the highlight is always the career related seminars and lectures that motivates the interest of many Dow students.

Like in any volunteer organizations, things might not always fall on expectations. Limitations and hardships may be encountered. There will always be those who would want more to be done and more to be achieved. Goals can only be met once each one of us owes Dow and contributes without any benefit or expectations in return. This is the true spirit of volunteerism.

DOGANA offers a great opportunity to involve oneself in volunteer and community activities. I encourage Dow graduates, whether you are a senior or a struggling physician or a student still, to come forward and make DOGANA what you desire it to achieve.

At DOGANA we are already impressed with what our Dow students accomplish while still enrolled in the MBBS program. Organizations such as PWA, SOCH and Indus Hospital are some of the examples where Dowites have volunteered and acted as foot soldiers to reinvigorate the spirit of volunteerism and community and social work. This is indeed what makes Dow and Dowites stand tall. I wish you and your family a very happy new year and a very successful winter meeting at DMC in Karachi.

In the spirit of volunteerism,

Tariq Jawaid Alam, MD
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Editor

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President's Message

M. Azim Qureshi, M.D.



My Dear Fellow Dowites,

Welcome to Phoenix in DOGANA Fall Meeting. The DOGANA meetings give the opportunity to leadership to brainstorm the policies and plans and membership to hold the leadership accountable and socialize and meet with old friends. I like to thank Chair of Fall Meeting Dr. Habib ur Rehman and his team to arrange such a wonderful program for fellow Dowites. It looked a monumental task but with Dr. Habib ur Rehman's leadership and organizational skills and untiring efforts of his team we are here to enjoy a great program.

This year we had a retreat in Philadelphia. The theme of DOGANA Retreat was "Women of DOW". We celebrated and recognized the achievements of our female colleagues.

We raised awareness about serious issues like killing of innocent people in Pakistan where the target are minorities especially physicians. Dowites held and participated in demonstration against the brutal acts of violence against physicians. At summer meeting we held Social Forum, presented slide show and wear T shirts with the photos of our fallen comrades. We met with authorities at Pakistan Consulate in New York and Pakistan Embassy in Washington DC and shared our grave concerns and killing Physicians.

Serving young Dowites remained the front and center of DOGANA policy. We decided to strengthen existing programs and welcome new ideas. The continuation of leadership is the key to this idea. We helped young and bright Dowites who need financial assistance with DOGANA Loan Program; we are helping young fellow Dowites with "Host a Dowite" program. We have continued our support for DOGANA House in Detroit and expanding our collaboration with other Alumni and APPNA to provide accommodation to the Dowites at subsidize rates. We will continue DOGANA Merit Scholarship and ten scholarships will be given to 3rd professional students at Dow Medical College.

Central Council approved the Mission Statement of DOGANA which will be presented in next General Body meeting.

DOGANA Central Council elected Dr. Talha Siddiqui as our new Executive Director. We elected our new Central Council for 2015. The official announcement will made at this meeting by Election and Nomination Committee. My heartiest congratulations to winners of the elections.

The Central Council of DOGANA promoted the culture of mutual respect and tolerance. Our organization is growing and we are building the institutions and infra-structure of the organization. I like to thank the Central Council and Executive Director of DOGANA for their continued support and guidance.

We are proud of our democratic values in DOGANA. I strongly believe in collective wisdom. With your continued support, and positive criticism we will steer DOGANA in the right direction.

M. Azim Qureshi
President, DOGANA 2014



Host Committee Chair Message

Habib Khan, M.D.

Dear APPNA-AZ & DOGANA Friends

It seems to be the longest year in recent times. Lots can be said but I am glad not only I survived through it but learned a lot, during this whole process. I am thankful to all my friends who believed in me and more grateful to Allah who gave me strength to full fill my responsibility to best of my ability, so I can hold my head up for not letting them down. I am thankful to DOGANA EC to bring their Fall Retreat to Arizona. My especial Thanks to current President Dr Azim Qureshi to bear with me throughout the process.

No organization can be run without a team effort and I am proud to say Shahid Yakoob, Imran Bhatti, Mashood Qadri and Navid Khan are more than worthy to carry this organization to the next level. I am thankful to our senior members also who worked really hard with EC to complete different assignments. My especial thanks to Drs. Yousf Khan, Akhtar and Syma Hamidi, Nadeem Kazi, Khaver Kirmani, Azam Khan, Mehtab Siddiky, Rushda Mumtaz, Syed Taqi Azam, Pervaiz Akhtar, Taufeeq Zara, Azhar Jan, Shahid Latif, Ahtasham and Sumbul Shakoor, Nadeem Hussain, Farrukh Qureshi, Faran Bashir, Shahazad Shadmani, SJ Kazi, Saba Mansoor, Zia Mansoor, Zafar and Mehr Iqbal and Dr Mohammad Noman.

I will also like to thank our unsung heroes, THE WOMEN of our community, who really stepped up to Show their continued support to our Chapter. Thanks to Yousf Bhuvad, PICO and PAKISTAN WEST for their support of the event.

Last but not the least I will like to thank MARIUM, my wife and my kids Musaab and Fatimah who like always showed her support to me and stood behind my decision to volunteer my family time to APPNA-AZ.

Long Live Humanity, Long Live USA, Long Live Friendship.

Regards,

Habib Khan
Chair Fall Meeting

Be part of "Host a Dowite" Program



Message from President-Elect Asif Mohiuddin, M.D.

Dear friends

I Welcome to DOGANA fall meeting in Carefree, Arizona.

Dr Azim Qureshi, president of DOGANA, Dr Habib ur Rahman and his team have done a wonderful job in arranging this meeting. I commend for the effort they have put in to arrange this event.

As the year draws to a close I look forward to serving the DOGANA family in 2015. I hope to continue the good work and the ongoing projects from this year. Also I would like to introduce new projects and update the DOGANA website. I will work to increase the registration of new DOGANA members so DOGANA continues to be the most strong and influential Alumni.

I will continue to work for the young Physicians to help them achieve residencies in USA

I hope you all have a wonderful stay and enjoy the meeting

Sincerely,

Dr Asif Mohiuddin
President-Elect, DOGANA 2014



Donate generously in DOGANA Loan Program



Message from President Elect APPNA 2015 Nasar Qureshi, M.D.

Dear Dowites:

As I began to pen this note, I started calculating the number of years since I first walked under the “DOWN MEDICAL COLLEGE” sign through the iron gates, into the courtyard besides the old DOW canteen. It was to submit my medical school application. I was excited, however somewhat frightened and definitely overwhelmed. All I wanted to do, was to be a physician. Like all of you, I had worked real hard through high school and college to realize the dream. The dream was coming true, however just the idea of being in Medical School to become a “doctor” someday soon was overwhelming. I had to question myself, if I will be able to rise to the occasion and justify the honor of being admitted to a Medical School, one of the leading Medical Schools in Pakistan. That was thirty seven years back.

Thirty seven years later I undertook the path to Presidency of APPNA. The class was not composed of three hundred bright and malleable individuals, but three thousand active APPNA members, all accomplished, and leaders in their communities, and their professional life. They varied in terms of medical schools as their alumni, brought with them varying rich and vibrant cultural heritages, had varying religious beliefs, and subscribed to divergent socio-political ideologies. One thing was common though, they all loved their motherland Pakistan, believed that there is a role that APPNA can and does play in Pakistan and in strengthening our communities here. Thirty seven years later, having been entrusted the honor of serving APPNA, I feel the same sense of excitement as when I walked into the courtyard of my Alma Mater.

I am grateful to all who supported me, irrespective of the Alumnus or the artificial provincial boundaries. I am especially grateful to all my colleagues from DOW for finding me worthy of their support. Thirty seven years later the love and respect I have received from my contemporaries, seniors and juniors is overwhelming. The onus is upon me to make you proud of your decision. I must admit that I am also a bit overwhelmed, as I consider the trust all of you have placed in me sacred. I know I have the support and trust of all of you, and we will accomplish what we set out to do, together. However, at the end of the day, I have to live up to your expectations, and, I will do whatever is in my power to live up to those expectations.

We have a lot o do together in building upon the strength of APPNA, and introducing long term plans and projects for what ewe believe APPNA can do additionally. Rest assured I will be reaching out to all of you for your support and help in this journey. Thank you again for your trust and believing in me.

Nasar Qureshi, MD
President-Elect APPNA 2015



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11th DOGANA Retreat in Philadelphia: A Resounding Success **Iman Sultan** *(Daughter of Dr. Wamiq Sultan)*

The Dow Graduates Association of North America met for their eleventh spring retreat at the Hyatt on Penn's Landing, overlooking the picturesque Delaware River in Philadelphia, the city of brotherly love. Philly proved the ideal location as friends reunited, enjoyed entertainment, delivered heartrending, personal speeches and contributed to the common cause of preserving and recreating Dow's legacy and supporting its vast community of graduates. The hotel stands on the edge of the waterfront with the streets, shops and restaurants or Philly lying on the other side for the idyllic, three-day retreat, starting on Thursday of May 22 and ending on Saturday.

The first action on the agenda of the retreat was a four-hour-long Continued Education Meeting (CME), marking DOGANA's devotion to the discipline of medicine and established doctors' willingness to increase their knowledge. A General Body meeting set the program in order and filled the community on important updates. The evening entertainment was a welcome respite from these official duties. The program commenced with everyone rising for three national anthems, the songs of America and Canada, and the Qaumi Taranah, the anthem of the Dow graduates' country of origin. The theme for this retreat shone a light on the women of Dow and their myriad accomplishments. This initiative counteracted gender quotas in the history of Dow University and showed female Dowites the appreciation they deserved. Nasreen Jamal, an alumna who passed away in a bomb blast in Afghanistan while serving humanity, was memorialized in a speech. Samira Zubeiri, the former general secretary of DOGANA, was also remembered, having tragically passed away in terminal illness. Awards were distributed to the dedicated and deserving alumni of Dow and their families.

The organizers of the event invested in high quality entertainment that revealed the creative side of Dow alumni. Pakistani cultural and literary history was celebrated in a Tamsili Mushaira ("Tableau Poetry Performance") wherein the actors and participants portrayed renowned poets. Leftist poet Habib Jalib, humorist Dilawar Figar, and feminist Kishwar Naheed were all featured in the fictional mushaira. Naheed's famous, critical slant fostered under the Zia years was discernible in the play and fit the retreat's theme of honoring women. The play also included Obaidullah Aleem, Shabnam Shakeel, Parveen Shakir, and the legendary Ghalib. Every poet gave a little anecdote of their life history and then recited their poetry. Mashoud Qadri portrayed Jalib and stole the show with his tongue-in-cheek "Musheer." Nadeem Ahsan played Khumar Barabankvi, who moderated the mushaira. The Tamsili Mushaira garnered strong praise and popularity. Afterward, singer Asad Abbas took the stage and sang renditions of Rahat Fateh Ali Khan. The evening ended on a light-hearted note with the Dowites doing bhangra dancing.

The next day, the retreat's bazaar was standing and ready for business. Stalls with gemstone jewelry, calligraphy art, South Asian art, and Pakistani clothes were up and running. Doctors and their families made bargains on the exquisite products sewn, manufactured and painted by Pakistanis. A drama written by Dowite Mujrim Koan premiered in the afternoon, entitled "Awam ki Adalat" ("The People's Court"). In the play, a terrorist and a corrupt army general alike are tried for their crimes against the Pakistani people, the police officers they bribed standing surly in the background. The drama provided cutting social commentary and inspired many laughs in the audience. More compelling, however, was the real life APPNA presidential debate. The candidates went head to head with each other, vying for the most powerful position in the Pakistani diaspora of North America.

On the final day, President Azim Qureshi made a moving speech emphasizing the civic duty of Dowites to give back to their alma mater and strengthen their community. According to Dr. Qureshi, the best way to do this was by encouraging the burgeoning talent of students currently enrolled at Dow. He spoke of funding sponsorship for students for their annual fee, assisting candidates for residency with their interviews, and providing them boarding and lodging vis-à-vis classic Pakistani hospitality. He affirmed

the necessity of strengthening participation in DOGANA and increasing the lifetime membership of people in the organization. He also paid tribute to the female doctors who empowered DOGANA with their indispensable contributions. The women of Dow were formally recognized and awarded in the evening ceremony, just before dinner. The Lifetime Achievement Award was given to Umer Daraz Khan. Wamiq Sultan, the architect of the retreat, was awarded a plaque for his efforts. Dr Azra Raza was the keynote speaker for this year. Dr Raza took the podium and graciously thanked DOGANA for giving her this honor. She then attested, "If I were in Pakistan, I might have been killed. Because I'm not just a doctor, I'm a Shia doctor." Dr Raza bravely spoke out against religious persecution in Pakistan and the targeting of Shia professionals. Her words resonated with wisdom and power. She urged doctors to utilize their power and influence to protect sectarian minorities from violence. Her speech proved devastatingly relevant. Just recently, Dr Ali Mehdi Qamar, a graduate of Punjab Medical College, was killed in Lahore for being an Ahmadi Muslim.

The evening concluded with a fashion show and music. An open mic transformed the event into a karaoke show and doctors became carefree, enjoying time with the friends from the pinnacle of their youth on the last night of the event. The eleventh DOGANA retreat was a success. Old friendships were revived, new friendships were made, and attendees enjoyed a strong sense of community. The retreat also provided important lessons. Female Dowites were recognized and celebrated for their triumphs and struggles, and Dr Raza reminded Dow alumni of their responsibility towards religious minorities in Pakistan. It is the responsibility of Pakistanis to give back to their communities and stand against injustice. Fortunately, that's exactly what DOGANA is doing.

Regards,
Iman Sultan



DOGANA Young Physician Committee

Mamoonah Shaikh-Ahmad, M.D.

Fellow Dowites,

It has been a great year. The Young Physicians Committee has been working hard to design a forum, a network of resources where medical students and residency candidates from Dow Medical College can approach and get the required help in getting externship and research opportunities, help with residency interviews and help in finding accommodations. So far we have tried to help all that have approached us, irrespective of Alumni. We continue to provide coaching and guidance to medical students and young graduates. We have also directed students towards different research and externship opportunities. We have collaborated our efforts with young Physicians Committee of APPNA in this effort. We have facilitated interview opportunities for residency candidates. We need more Dowites to come forward and join hands with us especially the ones in academia.

Currently we are working on a list of Dowites for our 'Host a Dowite' program. Through this program we want to help junior Dowites seeking residency in your area to help facilitate their short term accommodation.

We plan to expand this program to a higher level and make it better organized with more support and help from fellow Dowites. We encourage everybody to help however they can, and in any capacity they can.

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Target killing of Doctors in Pakistan — A “Brain Drain by Force.”

Mashood Qadri, M.D.

Often our colleagues who do not associate themselves with the “have nots” of Pakistan inquire, “What is really happening in Pakistan? I hope Pakistan may turn into a peaceful country sometime soon.”

A Peaceful Pakistan! Often we hope. On one hand Muslims proudly state that Islam is a religion of peace but on the other, handful of Muslims use the same religion (Islam) to kill anyone who doesn't concur with their religious ideology. Is it part of the religious history or paranoia? We end up either shrugging our shoulders, or manage to evade the topic or some of us use our famous concocted CONSPIRACY THEORIES to elucidate such retrogression and perpetual chaos in our society.

Pakistan has been the guinea pig for different super powers for a long period in our history. Our lack of vision and short term goals has led us into this mayhem.

However, the fact of the matter is that we as Pakistanis suffer from National Identity Crisis; Living in a confused ethnic and fragmented sectarian religious society with the typical feudal (bourgeois) class suppressing the masses. We abode in a society where, exposing a bitter truth tantamount to crime against the sovereignty of the State. A person can be subjected to severe punishment by state agencies of our establishment, or be killed after being labeled as an infidel under the act of Mullah - Military profitable power- The mega voltage FATWA, or simply be executed by self designated religious elements in many crude ways depending upon the discretion of the killer!

However, by and large we as a majority blame external forces for such atrocities.

We hate to admit that our genetically structured ethnic and religious paranoia precludes us from grasping the truth.

The colossal enemy of any of our truths may be the rest of our truths, which is a harsh reality and which we just can't deny! A society where surge in sectarian killings is spreading insecurity every day and every moment!

Every day we foresee a challenge about Pakistan's stability and existence, as violence against scholars, educationists and doctors of Shiites and other minorities spreads to major cities and increasingly targets the country's professional class. This is the logical result of a state, civil and military establishment being evasive while these thugs thrive.

Investment in and alliances with extremist militant groups for political gain and their use as proxies has resulted in a situation where hundreds of thousands have lost lives, limbs, loved ones, businesses and future hopes. Future of our motherland looks predictably bleak and uncertain in no other terms.

WE MADE THE KILLERS INTO STAKE HOLDERS and as equal partners instead of reprimanding and eliminating them through our justice system.

Over two hundred and fifty doctors have been killed in Pakistan in the last decade. Why? Just because of a different sect or being Ahmedi? These attacks and killings are becoming exceedingly brazen, and religious intolerance is rampant in our society.

Who is targeting Pakistan's doctors and, most importantly, why? and what can we do to stop this ruthless barbaric killings of our colleagues; we are here either by default or by blessings of a good fortune, but, anyone of us could have been there and most likely have been buried with a Silver emblem on our grave as Dr..... Shaheed...so & so. Son of so & so. Dated.....

Few of us, may have been offered prayers on graves of our own friends or relatives. Surely, we have been forced to live abroad, simply called: A BRAIN DRAIN BY FORCE.

Well rather than extending further our mourning for such painful incidents we need to ask the question from ourselves; from where should we start a meaningful protest against such barbarism? And if so, then, who should we ask in the first place? Should we go out on streets here in US? Or shall we contact our Senators, Congressman?

Briefly, lets first ascertain what is the role of our Law Enforcement agencies; has our establishment ever had made any commitment to dismantle such atrocious violence? Groups? We have serious doubts about the role of our agencies in this enigma;

The Geo-political battle in Pakistan, Afghanistan and Iran has convinced us that our agencies have political, geographical and strategical alliance with such militant groups. Hence, our polity has chosen to ignore the massacre of our educationists, scholars, and doctors.

We have not seen a single criminal brought to justice or gallows. It is shameful even to write about religious zealots resorting to murder of a human ostensibly offering help and aid, like our innocent doctors and polio workers.

Furthermore all our neighboring countries, including India, Bangladesh, Iran and Afghanistan have 0.00% of such killings of Doctors, Scholars and Journalists...! It is a grave concern to us.

DOGANA as an organization and a platform has been outright vocal about these issues .

DOGANA has been continuously campaigning among doctors, APPNA members to highlight the issue of physician killings and striving to build a consensus against such atrocities. Surely, we still have long way to go!

We as physicians living here in USA and abroad will continue to raise our concerns and apprehensions against such heinous crimes.

I will conclude, we as Pakistani American Physicians have to come out of our self created shell of fears and denials and stand UNITED against extremists and religious bigots. We are the “Power of truth, the Power of expression, the Power of Unity” against them.

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Councilor, Mountain Zone, Central Council DOGANA

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Let's not forget about continued protest against ongoing physician killing in Pakistan

T-Shirts made by Pak- American Doctors to protest against the Doctor's killing in Pakistan.



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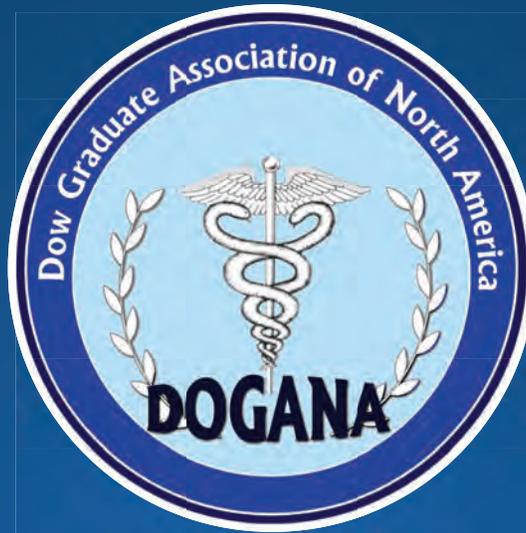
Most of us sitting in the USA, have not been able to cut our umbilical cord with the country of our origin. We still do “Aah o Zaari” when we are among our kind. Instead of talking about local issues, the discussion always goes to Pakistan and what can we, as expatriates do to “change” the downward slide of the whole culture. We all are guilty of “drawing-room” politics. All of us think, we have the answer. We are limited by our access to our native country, finding and funding people on the ground that can bring about a change; may those be baby steps. Most importantly, a platform in the USA where we can gather and have the control center from where things can be operated. A sincere Platform and funding are the pumping heart and the blood vessels of any project. We are not looking for a change in the political system. We are not aiming to change the foreign policy. We are not looking for solving the “Masla e Kashmir”. No, we are looking for a way to increase the awareness in our younger generation (not that the older generation doesn’t need it) so that the future may look bright. God has given us eyes on the front of the face rather than in the occipital region, just so that we can look forward while learning from the past. All we as a group want to do is, increase awareness among the generation of upcoming leaders that the future of Pakistan and its geographical boundaries depend on. Their interaction with their own people and people beyond our borders. They have to learn how to accept and negotiate and not be stubborn. They have to learn to be patient and listen to the other’s point of view and have a response that is inclusive rather than exclusive. They have to understand that the world and our own country is a diverse place with people of different race, religion and creed. That there is strength in diversity. There is a strength in standing together. There is strength in accepting others for what they are rather than wanting them to be what you want. A long term relationship is one in which all parties come out winners, otherwise, the relationship is short lived.

For these reasons, we would like to start making small animated movies of very short duration with a pointed and focused lesson for all. We would like to then distribute those among the people who need it the most. Many ideas have to be ironed out. It is an embryonic idea, but if supplied with a healthy placenta and a robust umbilical cord, it can produce a healthy offspring that all of us, when in our 70s, will be proud of. We have the idea. We need placental tissue and an umbilical cord. We are looking up to the Dogana, as a vibrant organization of like-minded people to be part of it and help all of us achieve this small goal. Having a platform like Dogana, we are confident that we shall have an enthusiastic backing of people who want to make and see this change happen in our lifetime. It would be vital for an idea to take off the ground to have a strong organization like Dogana backing it.

Just look at the ripples in the water; how they grow. But, someone has to start them.

Moeen Masood

CENTRAL COUNCIL OF DOGANA 2014 WELCOMES DOWITES TO FALL MEETING IN CAREFREE, ARIZONA



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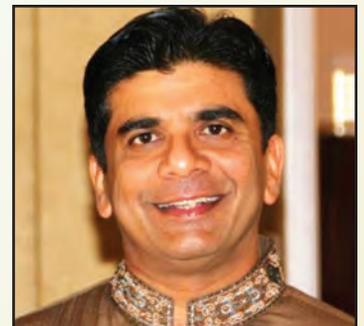
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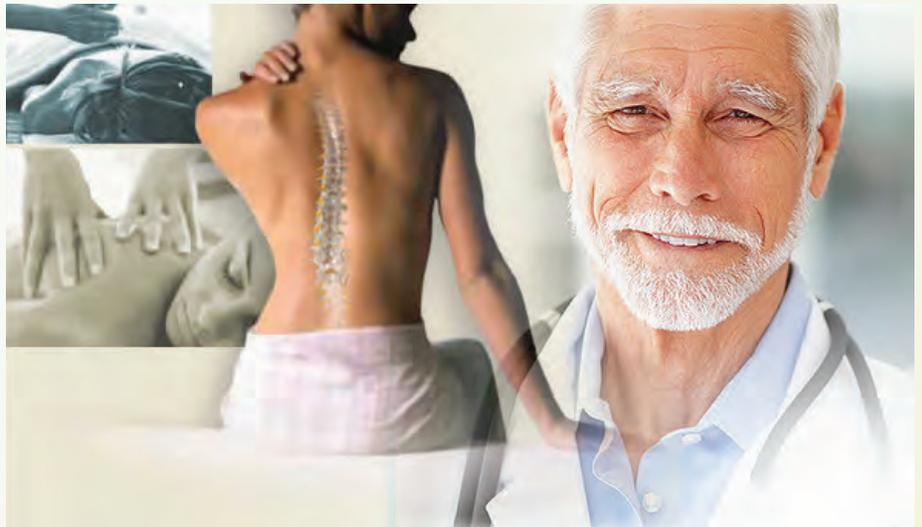
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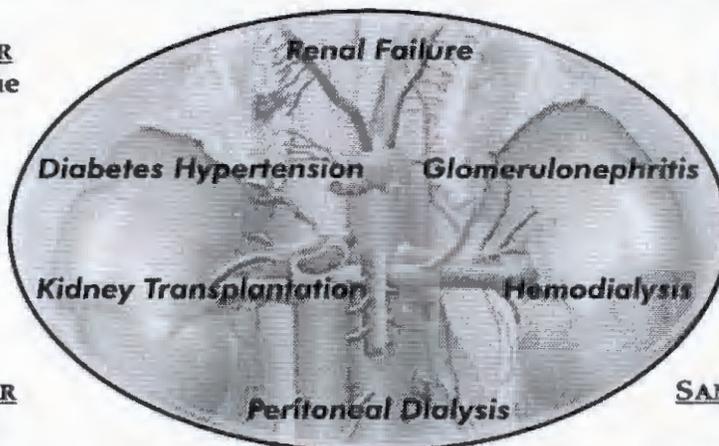
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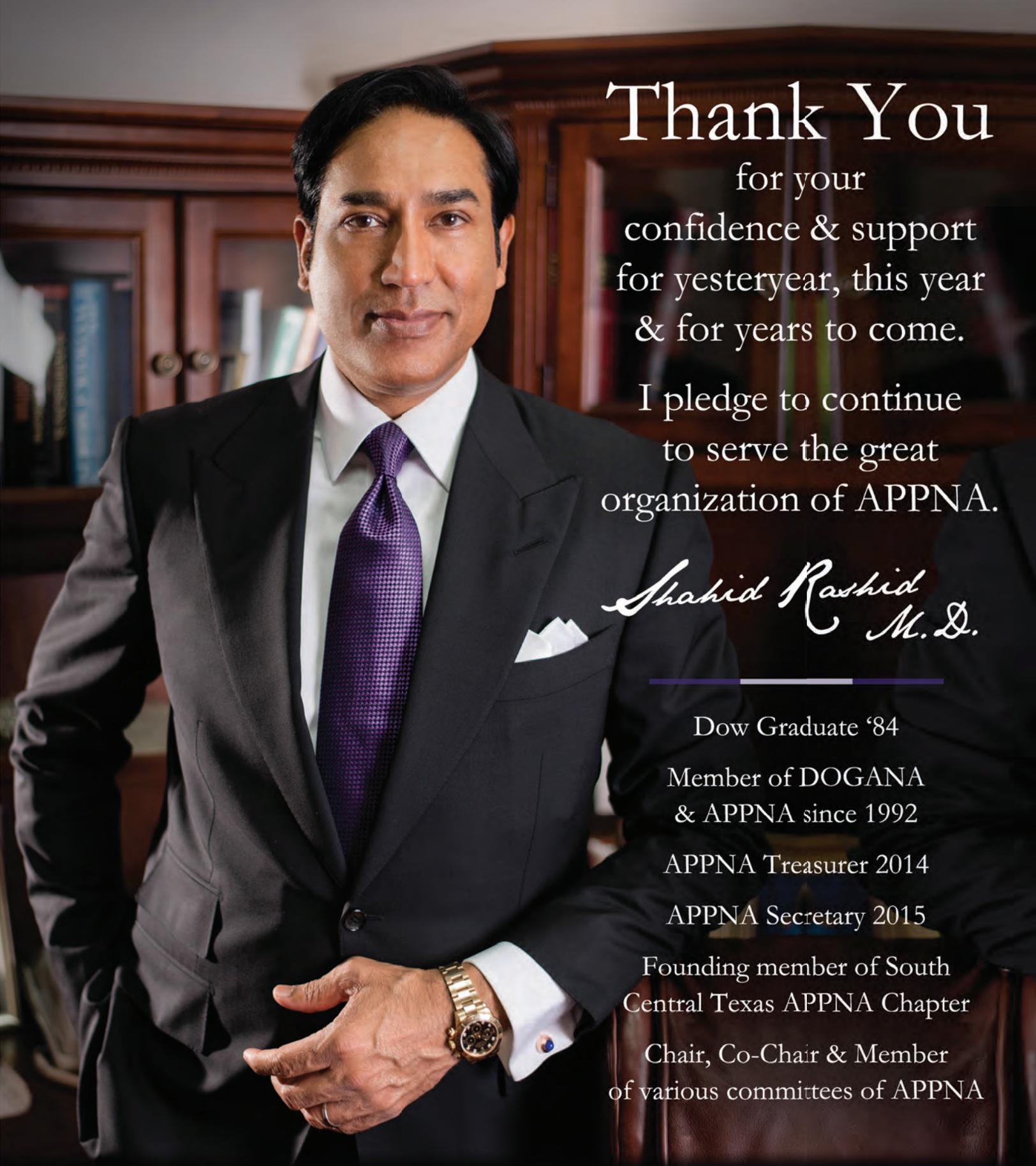
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