

**Bio-data**  
**Dr.Malla Bhaskara Rao (RNS-50)**

**General Achievements:**

MBBS - Andhra University, Visakhapatnam, 1985  
Diplomate of National Board (Neurosurgery) - NBE, New Delhi, 1993  
FRCS - Royal College of Surgeons of England, London, 2013  
Functional Neurosurgery Fellowship-Mayo Clinic, USA 1995, MNI, Canada 1995,  
ARMC, Australia 2000 and KCH, London 2001  
Professor (Additional) SCTIMST, Trivandrum 1993-2003  
Current Professor & Head, Dept. of Neurosurgery, NIMHANS, Bangalore  
Life member of NSI, ISSFN, IEA, IES, CNS, AES, CSI, ISPN, IOIS, ILAE, IAYT  
Recipient of the awards; Young investigator award, International League against  
Epilepsy 1999, Senior Research Scholar Award, University of Melbourne, Australia  
2000, Commonwealth Fellowship Award, Association of Commonwealth Universities,  
London, UK, 2001, Young Investigator travel award, AES, USA 2002.

**Contributions to Neurological Society of India:**

During the past 25 years, Dr.Rao regularly attended, presented and chaired scientific sessions at most of the NSI annual meetings. Dr.Rao served the NSI as an EC member from 2014-2017 and contributed educational content to the NSI website. Dr.Rao served as the guest editor for the Neurology India supplement on epilepsy ( March-April 2017/Vol 65/Supplement 1) and Annals of Indian Academy of Neurology supplement (March 2014/Vol 17, Supplement 1).

**Contributions to Neurosciences:**

Dr.Rao established an outstanding epilepsy surgery programme at SCTIMST, Trivandrum in 1995, initiated epilepsy surgery programmes at a number of institutions in India, Sri Lanka, Middle East and trained a number of neurosurgeons in the field of epilepsy surgery. Dr.Rao has published over 40 scientific papers in the peer reviewed national and international journals and 13 book chapters. Dr.Rao served various universities in India and abroad as visiting professor, journal reviewer and M.Ch Neurosurgery examiner.



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