BLDE Best Paper Presentations and Award

- This award has been constituted by BLDE University Medical College, Vijayapura for the THREE best platform presentations during the ISACON Karnataka every year.

- All abstracts submitted for platform presentation to the scientific committee of ISACON Karnataka will be anonymized by the scientific committee and sent to ISA Karnataka Secretary at least 6 weeks before the conference.

- The Hon Secretary, ISA Karnataka will constitute a three member committee in discussion with the President to select top ten papers for podium presentation during the second day of ISACON Karnataka starting 9:30 AM in Hall C.

- The committee members will individually will go through the abstracts and evaluate based on a structured format and rank top 15 abstracts (10 + 5 reserve). If there is discrepancy in selections among the three members, it will be resolved after discussion among the members.

- The selected 10 papers (with 5 reserves) after consensus will be forwarded to the Hon Secretary within three-four weeks. The secretary will forward the selections to the scientific committee who will inform the selected 10 participants about their selection atleast 10 days before the conference so that the presentations can be prepared well.

- The final podium presentation will be of 8+2 minutes duration and three judges will select the top three for the BLDE Best paper awards on the last day of the conference. The best presentation and winner's name will be forwarded to Hon Secretary, ISA National for the late Dr T N Jha and Dr K P Chansoriya travel grant competition at ISACON. The winner and scientific committee should communicate regarding this with the Hon Secretary, ISA Karnataka after the conference.

- The remaining abstracts will be presented as free paper- platform presentation in a 8+2 minutes format in a separate hall on day 1 of the conference. Two halls may be considered if there are many submissions and if logistics permit or it may be extended to day 2 of the conference if only one hall is available. If there are too many submissions along with logistical restriction, some free papers may be converted to e-posters as they take only 5 minutes.