

- cooperate in the programs of common geological interest including, but not limited to, the following subjects: (a) Seismicity in the Himalayan terrain (b) Gemstone exploration (c) Sedimentary petrology, (d) Metallogeny of the collision zone (e) Precambrian-Cambrian stratigraphy (f) Fluvial sedimentation and (g) Basin evaluation.
13. The progress on implementation of the above recommendations of GEOSAS-IV should be reviewed by the next Congress, i.e. GEOSAS-V.

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NEWLY ELECTED HONORARY FELLOWS RESPOND

We have great pleasure in reproducing below excerpts from the acceptance letters received from the newly elected Honorary Fellows of the Geological Society of India. - Ed.

"I did receive the letter from Dr. B.P. Radhakrishna and I am greatly honoured to accept the position of Honorary Fellow of the Geological Society of India. ... Of all the honours I have received, I will consider this honour coming from my mother country as the one to be most proud of."

Prof. Manik Talwani
USA

.... It is a great honour and indeed a career highlight to have this award bestowed on me. During my numerous visits to India I have got to know many of the fine members of the Geological Society and have also gained an insight into the tremendous job the Society is doing in promoting the science in your country. It has been a great privilege for me to have played some part in this initiative, albeit in a very small way.

The geology of India is varied and fascinating and I am keen to keep contact with my many friends and colleagues in the country in further endeavours in both the academic and economic spheres of the science in your country. I will also assist where possible in keeping the links between the Geological Societies of India and South Africa, strong.

Once again I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the Geological Society of India for the honour that they have bestowed on me and it would be appreciated if these sentiments could be conveyed to the Council of the Society as well."

Prof. Richard Viljoen
South Africa