

Dear colleagues

I am honored to submit my candidacy for membership in the ILAE-Eastern Mediterranean Committee of the League Against Epilepsy for the period 2025-2029. As a dedicated physician with extensive experience in epilepsy management, medical education, and clinical research, I am eager to contribute my experience and advance the mission of the ILAE-EMR section.

From the beginning of my **training career in neurology**, I was drawn to epilepsy. I benefited from the ILAE training course (Venice Summer Course), then I became a trainer in epileptology with VIREPA and a member of the translation commission.

Throughout my career, I have combined clinical practice with academic pursuits, focusing on patient-centered epilepsy care, medical training, and research contributions. Over the past years, we have established the **Epilepsy Monitoring Unit** in our department, and it is one of our main daily activities in epilepsy. We started the epilepsy program surgery under the ILAE epilepsy surgery program.

As an **epilepsy trainer**, I actively participated in training courses on epilepsy for primary care physicians, teachers, medical students, and primary school students. I also participated in the organization of ILAE-EMR training courses in Tunisia (EEG, epilepsy semiology, epilepsy surgery...). I have participated in research projects on epilepsy, particularly a European project "Twinning H2020" in the field of epileptic encephalopathies. Our team is currently part of a national consortium on epilepsy. Our research work is primarily focused on epilepsy.

On a **social level**, we are part of several national associations, especially those working in the field of epilepsy, like ATDE (Tunisian Epilepsy Chapter), serving as treasurer, and the "Ahmed" Association, serving as vice president.

Finally, I am very eager to continue improving and developing the wonderful efforts that have been made over the last years with the other team of EMR.

Sincerely,

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