



GISEON SONG

- *Nominated for the position of IFBLS Board Director 2024-2026*

ASSOCIATION MEMBER

KOREA - Korean Association of Medical Technologists (KAMT)

SPECIAL PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS:

- Developing scientific knowledge
- Serving members' rights in IFBLS community

SUGGESTION(S) FOR FUTURE IFBLS ACTIVITIES AND HOW YOU PLAN TO DEVELOP EACH:

I have been working as an MT in Korea for 29 years in microbiology, biochemistry and currently as a head manager of an academic support department.

I also have been working as the KAMT academic vice president. KAMT academic vice president plans and runs the education of 20,000 members in Korea, and conducts cross-training with members in Taiwan and Thailand every year.

I also discuss and institutionalize the protection of MTs legally with national institutions.

In particular, after obtaining the U.S. ASCPi MT license in 2011, I have been providing information and promoting activities for MTs in Korea who want to go abroad to the U.S. and other countries.

Since the COVID-19 outbreak in 2019, South Korea has been on the front lines of the COVID-19 epidemic, working closely with the government to ensure that private hospitals can begin molecular testing on February 7, 2020.

As an MT, I have been advising and participating in government KOFIH-led official development assistants, ODA projects as a hospital expert.

Since 2017, I have also served as the AAMLS headquarters staff, helping to manage the finances of the 13 AAMLS member countries, convening the Board of Directors and GAD.

AAMLS members are Brunei Darussalam, Hong Kong, India, India, Korea, Malaysia, Myanmar, Indonesia, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Japan, Philippines, Macau Cambodia (associate member).

IFBLS World Congress 2022 was held in Suwon, South Korea in October 2022, and as the International Director of KAMT, I was in charge of the international protocol of the congress.

I was impressed by the dedication and hard work of the IFBLS officers, and I think my passion can help IFBLS activities, and I think I can do a good job with my experience.

If I am elected as a director, I would like to work for the development of the world beyond Asia.
