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Associate Professor Dr. G Suresh Kumar has been active in the field of Medical Parasitology for the past 15 years. He served as a research assistant at the Institute Medical Research since 1985 where he gained his Diploma in Applied Parasitology and Entomology and Masters in Science from the University of Malaya. He completed his doctorate at the National University of Singapore in 1995.

Associate Professor Dr. G Suresh Kumar joined the Department of Parasitology, University of Malaya in the year 1995 and served the society as a Honorary Secretary in the year 1996/97 and 2001/02. He has been an active member with the MSPTM and a prolific writer with 105 papers to his credit (56 publications and 49 conference papers). He won the National Young Scientist Award in the year 1996 from the Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment. He was awarded the excellent service award in 1999 by the University and was promoted to the post of Associate Professor in the same year. The outcome of his research on Blastocystis was the development of a *in vitro* culture detection method which won the Golden Innovation award from the RM 7 University Malaya IRPA exhibition.