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Brief Curriculum Vitae :

Professor Hasuck Kim is currently the Vice-President and Dean of Graduate School of the Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea.

He received his BS from the Department of Chemistry, Seoul National University, MS and Ph.D. from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. He spent 2 years at the University of Florida as a research associate. He, then, was appointed as an Assistant Professor in 1977 at SNU where he is currently a full Professor since 1987. He spent a year at the Division of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, California Institute of Technology as a visiting associate in 1988. He was the Dean of College of Natural Sciences, SNU from 2002 to 2004. He has served as the Vice-President of the Korean Chemical Society in 2001, President of the Korean Electrochemical Society from 2000 for two years. Also, he is the President of the Society of International Gifted in Science since 2006. He is also serving as the Associate

Member of Analytical Chemistry Division of the IUPAC since 2008.

As for editorial services, he is a regional editor of Fuel Cells and editorial board member of Journal of Electroanalytical Chemistry and Analytical Sciences in addition to he had served as the editor of the Bulletin of the Korean Chemical Society from 1994 for 6 years.

His research interests are development of electroanalytical methods based on molecular recognition and molecular switching, and electrochemistry for fuel cells. He has published more than 150 refereed original papers in Journals such as J. Am Chem. Soc., Anal. Chem., Angew. Chem. Int. Ed., J. Phys. Chem., Electrochim. Acta, J. Electroanal. Chem., J. Power Sources, Talanta and etc., and 18 patents were registered or filed. He was awarded the Q. Won Choi Prize, Korean Chemical Society in 2003, Outstanding Achievements in Natural Science from Metropolitan Seoul City in 2008. He is a fellow member of the Korean Academy of Science and Technology in Natural Sciences.

ISE Activities :

He attended most of the ISE Annual Meetings since 1989 Kyoto Meeting. He served as the Co-Chair of the Division of Analytical Electrochemistry from October 1995 till December 2001, and National Secretary for Korea from 1995 till the end of 2001. Then he served as the Vice-President from 2002 to December 2004. He was the Chairman of the local organizing committee of the 56th ISE Annual Meeting in Busan, Korea. He is currently serving as the Chair of the Scientific Meetings Committee since 2006 when it was established to recommend to the EC on ISE's Scientific Meetings. His term expires at the end of 2010. He was elected as an ISE Fellow in 2009.

Statements of Candidate (President-Elect) :

I was honored to be nominated as a candidate for President-Elect of the ISE. At the same time, I was concerned if I could take the post successfully, but I felt it would be a challenging opportunity to serve the Society for electrochemistry. Our Society has been growing on right direction, in my mind, and its scientific activities increased significantly recently due to enthusiastic services from Presidents and all members of the Society to promote the electrochemistry in respective levels.

Today electrochemistry has evolved into an important discipline that needs many innovative results and challenging applications in many areas to meet the current global demands such as fundamental knowledge, clean energy, corrosion control, sensors, pollution and others.

If I am given an opportunity as the President-Elect, my primary effort will be aimed to

- promote ISE as a more internationally recognized Society through scientific activities
- support scientific meetings for more active involvement of members
- encourage young electrochemists for their commitment to the society by providing a platform for them to fit into
- drive more membership, especially from Asia and Americas
- increase divisional and regional activities
- establish a closer cooperation with ECS and other related societies