

The National Academy of Sciences, India

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Summary of the Activities, held in the month of March 2024

1. Visit of three members CAG Audit team was held on Feb.29 to March 13,2024.
2. A one day Seminar on Women in STEM was jointly organized by Bangalore Chapter of NASI along with the IIT Alumni Centre, Bengaluru (IITACB) on March 9, 2024 (Details of the event mentioned in **Annexure-1**)
3. A one day programe to commemorate "**World Water Day**" was organized on March 22, 2024 in the auditorium of NASI, Prayagraj. The Academy also hosted the prestigious **Professor B K Bachhawat Memorial Award Lecture-2019** during this occasion. The award lecture was delivered by **Prof. Alok Dhawan**, Director, Centre of Bio-Medical Research (CBMR), SGPGI Campus, Lucknow.
Prof. R.S.Verma, Director, MNNIT, Prayagraj and **Prof. Sangita Srivastava**, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, University of Allahabad has graciously enhanced the significance of the occasion and inspired all those in attendance. **Prof. Umesh Kumar Singh**, Coordinator, Centre of Environmental Studies, University of Allahabad, Prayagraj has delivered a very informative talk on Environment. (Details of the event mentioned in **Anneuxre-2**).

The relevant photographs are also enclosed herewith as **2-a, 2-b, 2-c & 2-d**.

4. The publication of the NASI-Journals also achieved their time-lines.



S.T.E.M. POWERED BY WOMEN

Saturday, March 9, 2024

9.30 am to 5.30 pm

VENUE:

IIT Alumni Centre, Bengaluru
Building No. 60, Sy No. 265,
Bommasandra Village Attibele Hobli,
Anekal Taluk Bengaluru 560 099

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ASTRONOMY: AN ANCIENT SCIENCE DRIVEN BY TECHNOLOGY

Prof. Annapurni Subramaniam
Director & Senior Professor,
Indian Institute of Astrophysics



PHOTONIC QUANTUM SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGIES

Prof. Urbasi Sinha,
Raman Research Institute,
Bengaluru



OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES FOR WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP IN HEALTH

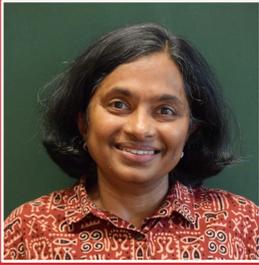
Prof. Prabhdeep Kaur, Professor
Isaac Centre for Public Health,
Indian Institute of Science,
Bengaluru



MOLECULAR BASIS OF ENZYME FUNCTION

Prof. Hemalatha Baram
Professor, JNCASR Bengaluru

SESSIONS AND SPEAKERS



DUSTY FLOWS IN NATURE

Prof. Rama Govindarajan
International Centre for
Theoretical Sciences

Tata Institute of Fundamental
Research



SCIENTIFIC AND REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS OF BIOSIMILAR DEVELOPMENT

Dr Anita Krishnan

Associate Vice President @
Biocon Biologics



GENERATIVE AI: PIONEERING THE NEW ERA OF INTELLIGENCE

Dr Saigeetha A. J.,

Chief Data Scientist and AI-ML Leader,
AI & Analytics, IBM Consulting



A PANEL DISCUSSION

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In Association With



Centre of Environmental Studies (CES), University of Allahabad, Prayagraj



*Cordially invite you to kindly attend
the programme to commemorate*

World Water Day

&

Professor B K Bachhawat Memorial Award Lecture

by

Prof. Alok Dhawan

Director, Centre of Bio-Medical Research (CBMR), SGPGI Campus, Lucknow

on

March 22nd, 2024

in the auditorium of NASI, Prayagraj

-- Tentative Programme --

Reporting of the participants: 10.00 am

Inaugural Session (10.30 to 12.00 noon) :

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| ❖ Welcome
(10.30 -10.40 am) | : Prof. U.C.Srivastava , Former Professor, Dept. of Zoology,
University of Allahabad & Coordinator, Science Comm. Prog. NASI |
| ❖ Introductory Remarks
(10.40 -10.50 am) | : Dr. Pankaj Srivastava , Centre of Environmental Studies
University of Allahabad, Prayagraj |
| ❖ Address by the Chief Guest
(10.50 am-11.05 am) | : Prof. Sangita Srivastava , Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,
University of Allahabad, Prayagraj |
| ❖ Award Lecture
(11.05 am-11.30 am) | : Prof. Alok Dhawan , Director, Centre of Bio-Medical
Research (CBMR), SGPGI Campus, Lucknow |
| ❖ Presidential Remarks
(11.30 am-11.45 am) | : Prof. R.S.Verma , Director, MNNIT, Prayagraj |
| ❖ Felicitation of the Guests (11.45 am-11.55 am) | |
| ❖ Vote of thanks
(11.55 am-12.00 noon) | : Shri A K Srivastava , A.O. & Acting Executive Secretary, NASI |

(High Tea) (12.00 -12.30 pm)

Technical Session (12.30-1.30 pm)

- ❖ **Lecture by Prof. Umesh Kumar Singh**, Coordinator, Centre of Environmental Studies, UoA
(12.30-1.00 pm)
- ❖ **Interactive Session** (1.00 - 1.30 pm)

(Lunch)







