

DAY1 (August 2nd): At NCBS and JNCASR

	NAME	TALK TITLE	TIME
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SESSION 1: Laying the Clinical Foundation

	CHAIR: Vikram Mathews		
	Sudhir Krishna	Welcome Address	9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
	Deepak Mishra	Ex-vivo manipulation of haematopoietic stem cells in clinical transplantation	9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.
	Vikram Mathews	Evolving concepts in allogeneic stem cell transplantation	10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.
	TEA BREAK		
	10:45 a.m. - 11:15 a.m.		

SESSION 2: Laying the Basic Science Foundation I

	CHAIR: Chitra Pattabiraman		
	Tapas Kundu	Acetylation of chromatin and histone chaperone NPM1 in transcription regulation: implications in cancer manifestation	11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
	Ernesto Guccione	Role of arginine methylation in transcription regulation	11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
	Sitalakshmi	Myelodysplastic Syndrome	12:15 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.
	Ajay Sharma	Acute Myeloid Leukemia.... Stratification & Post Remission Strategies	12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
	LUNCH		
	12:45 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.		
	BUS TO JNCASR		
	1:45 p.m.		

SESSION 3: Laying the Basic Science Foundation II

	CHAIR: Mukund Thattai		
	Seema Nanda	Can we predict B-CLL progression?	2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
	Lakshmi Perumalsamy	Mechanism(s) by which Notch signaling regulates nutrient deprivation induced apoptosis	3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.
	Sathees Raghavan	How chromosomes break during translocation in leukemia and lymphoma?	3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.
	Raja Mugasimangalam	Current trends in Genomic technologies (NGS and microarrays) with special reference to hematological malignancies	3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.
	TEA BREAK		
	4:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.		

SESSION 4: Clinical and Basic Science Cross-Talk

	CHAIR: Raghu Padinjat		
	B. Poonkuzhali	Pharmacogenetics of Cytarabine and Daunorubicin in Acute Myeloid Leukemia	4:45 p.m.- 5:15 p.m.
	Selvi R.	Cross Talk of Histone Modifications in Cancer	5:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
	Shanthala Devi	Immunophenotyping of Leukemias and Lymphomas Using a Limited Panel	5:30 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.
	Swamy Padmanabhan	Stressing the Importance of Heat-Shock Proteins in Leukemia	6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
	BUS BACK TO NCBS		6:45 p.m.
	DINNER AT NCBS		7:15 p.m.

DAY 2 (August 3rd): At St. Johns Medical Hospital

	Inauguration		10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
	NAME	TALK TITLE	TIME
SESSION 1: Managing Leukemias: A Primer for Basic Scientists			
	CHAIR: Karuna Rameshkumar		
	Cecil Ross	Targeted Therapies in Hematological Malignancies	10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
	Sumeet Gujral	Flow Cytometry and Hematolymphoid Neoplasms	11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
	TEA BREAK		11:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

SESSION 2: Molecular Mechanisms in Cancer

	CHAIR: T. S. Sridhar		
	Sasikala P. S.	The effects of Valproic acid on Multiple Myeloma cells in vitro.	11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
	John Powers	Chronic Myeloid Leukemia: Efforts in Making Basic Science Clinical	12:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
	Jeevisha Bajaj	Notch Signaling in Cervical Cancer Stem-Like Cells	12:30 p.m. - 12:45 p.m.
	Soumen Chakraborty	Acetylation of the Proto-Oncogene EVI1 Abrogates Bcl-xL DNA Binding and Induces Apoptosis.	12:45 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.
	LUNCH BREAK		1:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

SESSION 3: Integrating Basic and Clinical Hematology

	CHAIR: Sudhir Krishna	
	Freddy Radtke	Notch Signaling in Hematopoiesis 2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
	Tejas Gupte	Regulation of the Cell Cycle by Mitochondria 2:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.
	Chitra Mandal	9-O-acetyl sialic acids: A promise in future therapy and management of childhood acute lymphoblastic leukemia 2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.
	Odity Mukherjee	Molecular cloning and characterization of progranulin mutations in frontotemporal dementia. 3:15 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
	Vishwa Dixit/ Rajan Badwe	Closing Remarks/ Panel Discussion (Subject to Confirmation) 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
	TEA BREAK 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	
	BUS BACK TO NCBS 5:00 p.m.	
	DINNER AT NCBS 7:15 p.m.	