

PRESS NOTE

IABS Satellite Conference on Interface of Biotechnology and Modern Medicine

Department of Biotechnology, MIET, Meerut organizes a International seminar on Biotechnology Interfaces and Modern Medicine in collaboration with IABS. The was inaugurated by Chief Guest Professor Lindsay Brown, School of Health and wellbeing, University of Southern Queensland, Australia, Professor Dr. Hari S Sharma, Institute of Cardiovascular research, VUMC, University Medical Center, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, Dr. R C Gupta Principal LLR Medical College Meerut, Mr Puneet Agrawal, Vice Chairman MIET, Dr D K Sharma Dean Academics MIET, Dr Nishant Srivastava, Head Department of Biotechnology, MIET and Dr Eliza Chakraborty Professor and Organizing Secretary. It was followed by Saraswati Vandana and lamp lighting by the guest. Guests were felicitated with memento as token of gratitude. The participants were welcomed by Dr Eliza and Dr Nishant Srivastava. Dr. R C Gupta and Dr. Hari Sharma addressed the gathering. Dr. Hari S Sharma focused on high quality education and how Indian Academy of Biomedical Sciences (IABS) can correlate with different aspect of health care. He also focused on the importance of collaboration in doing science. He also said that Science is for all and all are for science. Our guest of honor Dr. R C Gupta, principal of LLRM College, Meerut addressed the gathering by focusing on scientific relationship among different scientific communities. Mr. Puneet Agrawal, Vice chairman of MIET addressed the gathering by focusing on the opportunities for biotechnologist to come up with the Corona virus modern medication, research and novel technologies which could be adopted as a career in future.

After this, the plenary session was started by Prof. Dr. Lindsay Brown Key note Lecture on Functional food for metabolic syndrome. Dr. R C Gupta chaired the session. Professor Lindsay Brown discussed his research on how functional foods can be utilized for improving the health status and case of obese occurring all over the world. Tropical seaweeds spent coffee, *Garcinia dulcius* and *Garcinia indica* were also discussed by Professor Lindsay Brown for possessing functional food properties. On the completion of talk by Professor Lindsay Brown token of respect was given by Dr. R C Gupta. The plenary session 2 was started with key note lecture of Professor Hari S Sharma. Session was chaired by Dr. R C Gupta. Professor Hari S Sharma discussed about lung infections caused by various factors and impact on human health. After this poster presentation and oral presentation session were conducted. Participants presented their research work in form of oral presentation and posters. Several papers were presented during the conference in form of poster and oral presentation. In the end, valedictory session was conducted and winners were declared. Mr. Udit Narayanan (3rd), Ms. Riya Nagar (2nd) and Aarti Verma (1st) won prizes, respectively in poster presentation event. Priyanka Bhatt, Vidhu Gill and Abdul Gadar won the 3rd, 2nd and 1st prize, respectively in oral presentation event. The event was concluded at 4:30 PM by vote of thanks from MIET Biotech Society Joint Treasurer Mr Abhishek Tripathi. Faculties from Biotechnology Dr Animesh, Dr Yuvraj, Dr Gourav, Dr Anuj, Mr Abhishek Ajmani, Dr Tariq, Dr Asad, Dr Ashima, Mr Sandeep Sirohi, Dr Shalini , Dr Nitin, Dr Vipin Garg, Dr S K Gupta, Dr D V Suryapraksh, Mr Neeraj etc. were present during conference and provided their whole heartedly support for successful completion of event.