

# NEWSLETTER @ ISFCP

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ISFCP family paid heart felt condolence to Shri Raj Kumar Garg Ji, beloved Father of Shri Parveen Ji Garg, Chairman of ISFCP. Shri Raj Kumar Garg Ji left for the heavenly abode on 16<sup>th</sup> May, 2015. ISFCP family prayed to the almighty for the Holy soul to rest in peace and give strength to family to bear such great loss and hope that memories of Shri Raj Kumar Garg Ji will be cherished forever.

**ISFCP Family**

## PHARMA MEDICAL INTERFACE LECTURES @ ISFCP

ISFCP has completed its 31 years of excellence in the field of pharmacy education and research. To focus on the multidisciplinary interaction a pharma-medical interface lecture series was started with the initiative of Director (R&D), Prof. (Dr.) P.D. Juyal to enrich knowledge of young minds and faculty.

In this context, recently ISFCP hosted lectures of scientists who are expert in their field. Dr. Som Gupta, Head, Physiotherapy Department, Fortis Hospital Ludhiana delivered his lecture on treatment of joint diseases. Through his lecture Dr. Gupta demonstrated students and faculty how to treat ailments related to joints. He also enlightened the audience about structure, anatomy and physiology of various joints of human body.



The second lecture in the month of May was delivered by Dr. Ravinder Singh Jolly, Chief Scientist, Institute of Microbial Technology - A CSIR Laboratory, Chandigarh. Dr. Jolly gave a comprehensive presentation on the topic "Bugs to Drugs: Discovery & Development of a Novel Immunosuppressant". During this lecture Dr. Jolly interestingly explained different ways of drug discovery with emphasis on discovery of a new molecule "Cerulomycin-A".

Dr. Vinay Singhal, MD, Senior Consultant & HOD, Critical Care, Fortis Hospital, Ludhiana delivered the third lecture on the topic how to face the emergencies during heart attack, epileptic fits, choking and burn injuries. Dr. Singhal visited the college laboratories and interacted with the students and faculty of ISFCP. Dr. Singhal was excited to see enthusiasm of students and faculty members of ISFCP.



## RECOGNITION TO YOUNG MINDS @ ISFCP

Ms. Madhu Kaundal, Research Scholar at Pharmacology Department in ISFCP has been invited to attend International Conference to be organized by Australian Neuroscience Society from 23<sup>rd</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> August, 2015. In this conference Ms. Kaundal will present her research work on treatment of brain disease, Alzheimer, using nicotinamide. The travel has been sponsored by Brain Research Organization, France. The Chairman ISFCP, Shri Parveen Ji Garg congratulated her for the achievement.

## WATERS INDIA WILL TRAIN STUDENTS OF ISFCP

Dr. V. K. Kulkarni, Vice President (Sales); Mr. Manoj Kumar (Branch Manager, Chandigarh); Mr. Vikas Vohra (Regional Manager, Delhi) from Waters India Ltd. visited ISFCP and appreciated excellent facilities of ISF and ISFAL which is a Government approved drug testing laboratory. During their visit of ISFCP these representative agreed to give training to students of ISFCP according to the needs of Pharmaceutical Industries.

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS @ ISFCP

Department of Pharmacy Practice, ISF College of pharmacy shall conduct a Continuing Education and Training Program entitled "Current Trends in Pharmacy Practice" during 17 – 19 October, 2015.

## PUBLICATIONS @ ISFCP

1. Rai G, Yadav AK, Jain NK, Agrawal GP. Enteric-coated epichlorohydrin crosslinked dextran microspheres for site-specific delivery to colon. *Drug Dev Ind Pharm.* 2015, DOI:10.3109/03639045.2015.1044901.
2. Soni N, Koushal P, Reddy BV, Deshmukh R, Kumar P. Effect of GLT modulator and P2X7 antagonists alone and in combination in the kindling model of epilepsy in rats. *Epilepsy Behav.* 2015, 30;48:4-14.
3. Mehra NK, Jain NK. Multifunctional Hybrid-carbon nanotubes: New horizon in Drug Delivery and Targeting. *J Drug Targeting.* 2015, DOI: 10.3109/1061186X.2015.1055571.
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### Book Chapter

5. Mishra V, Kesharwani P, Jain NK. Functionalized Polymeric Nanoparticles for Delivery of Bioactives. *Nanobiomedicine*, Ed. B. S. Bhoop, M/s Studium Press LLC, USA. 2015, 91-123.

## VISITORS OF THE MONTH

Impressed to see facilities and enthusiastic faculty. Best of luck to faculty.

**Dr. R.S. Jolly, Chief Scientist, CSIR-IMTECH, Chandigarh.**

Felt Great after visiting the institute. Salute a wonderful faculty and kind of work they are doing at the institute. Feeling overwhelmed.

**Dr. Vinay Singal, Senior Consultant & HOD, Critical Care, Fortis Hospital, Ludhiana.**

*Incorporating News @ ISFCP from 1-31 MAY, 2015.*

## TAGORE JAYANTI @ ISFCP

ISFCP family celebrated the birthday of Noble Prize winner, Shri Ravindranath Tagore, on 7th May, 2015 in presence of Dr. P.D. Juyal, Director (R & D), Dr. Ashish Baldi (Principal), Faculty members and students of ISFCP. On this occasion, Dr. Juyal said that Shri Ravindranath Tagore was a great writer and musician. He was born on 7th May, 1861 at Kolkata and his epic Geetanjali was awarded by most prestigious award Nobel Prize in the field of Literature. He further reminded that Tagore's creation "Jan Gan Mann" has been recognized as **National Anthem** in India.

## INVITATIONS @ ISFCP

- Prof. N.K. Jain has been invited as member of Editorial Advisory Board of the International Open Access Journal, *Advances in Modern Oncology Research* by Pisco Med Publishing Pvt. Ltd., an independent publisher of medical research, Singapore.
- Prof. (Dr.) P.D. Juyal, Director (R&D) was interviewed on AIR, Chandigarh under Lakshya program to enlighten the students to choose career in Pharmacy, prospects and job opportunities. The full interview is available on college website [www.isfcp.org](http://www.isfcp.org).