

**Welcome to the CMC Annual Symposium 2018!**

The dates of the Christian Medical College, Vellore Annual Symposium are rapidly approaching.....

This year, the Departments of Pathology, Transfusion Medicine & Immunohaematology, and Cytogenetics have collaborated to present an academic fiesta which encompasses different aspects of pathology, from the molecular level to bedside diagnostics.

The event will provide an opportunity for trainee and practising pathologists to familiarize themselves with the most recent developments, and also for undergraduate medical and life sciences students to be inspired by the stalwarts who will share their expertise at this meeting.

**ACTIVITIES**

**PLENARY SESSIONS** - Experts from their respective fields will take you on an integrated approach bringing together the best of experience from clinical and laboratory domains.

**PRESENTATIONS** - There will be opportunities for poster presentation, with prizes being awarded for the best posters.

**QUIZ** - There will be a quiz for the participants and prizes to be won!

**SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS** - There will be opportunities to meet with the experts in smaller groups to facilitate discussion

**REGISTRATION**

Register online through the symposium website  
[www.cmcannualsymposium.com](http://www.cmcannualsymposium.com)

Category	Early Bird	Advanced	Late	Spot	Single Day
Last Date	30 <sup>th</sup> November 2017	30 <sup>th</sup> December 2017	20 <sup>th</sup> January 2018	Only At Venue	Only At Venue
Undergraduate Medical Student	500	600	750	1000	Unavailable
Undergraduate Life Science Student	500	600	750	1000	500
Post Graduate Medical Student	2000	2250	2500	2750	Unavailable
Faculty / Practising Pathologist	3000	3250	3500	4000	Unavailable
Accompanying Person	1000	1000	1000	1000	Unavailable

**SYMPOSIUM DATES**  
 (Early bird and advanced registration dates have been extended)

**Note:** Undergraduate students attending the conference will be required to produce a bonafide certificate from their institute of study

**SESSIONS**

**Day – 1**

**Advances in Oncopathology**  
 Round cell tumours – histology and molecular pathology  
 Challenges in reporting bone tumours  
 Updates in thyroid and salivary gland and urine cytology

*Dina Mody, Houston*  
*Meera Hameed, New York*

**Transplant Pathology / Immunology**  
 Management of renal transplantation – an integrated clinical and laboratory approach

*Frans Claas, Leyden*  
*George T. John, Brisbane,*  
*Loren Herrera Hernandez, Rochester*  
*Lynn Cornell, Rochester*  
*Priya Alexander, Rochester*

**Day - 2**

**Leukemia**  
 Laboratory diagnosis  
 Recent changes to the WHO classification  
 Biology of acute promyelocytic leukemia  
 Molecular karyotyping in leukemia

*Daniel Arber, Chicago*  
*Mammen Chandy, Kolkata*  
*Marc Vasse, Paris*  
*Nichole Chia, Brisbane*  
*Vikram Mathews, Vellore*

**Pathology training and research**  
 Existing modalities and potential new approaches

*D.N. Lanjewar, Bhuj*  
*George K. Chandy, Singapore*  
*Harsh Mohan, Chandigarh*

**Day – 2 continued**

**Informatics and Automation**

Incorporation of digital pathology into real-world workflow and managing data emerging from genomic testing

*Joy Mammen, Vellore*  
*Mark Tuthill, Detroit*  
*Sujay Prasad, Bangalore*

**Meet the Experts / Slide Seminar**

**Day - 3**

**Disorders of Haemostasis**

Overview of inherited and acquired bleeding disorders – diagnosis and clinical implications

*Alok Srivastava, Vellore*  
*Claire Mc Lintock, Auckland*  
*Sukesh C. Nair, Vellore*

**EXTERNAL FACULTY**

**Claire McLintock**

National Women's Health, Auckland, New Zealand.

**D.N. Lanjewar**

G.A Institute of Health Sciences, Bhuj, Gujarat.

**Daniel Arber**

University of Chicago, USA.

**Dina Mody**

Houston Methodist Hospital, Texas, USA.

**Frans Claas**

Leyden University Medical Centre, Netherlands.

**George K.Chandy**

Lee Kong Chain School of Medicine, Singapore.

**George T. John**

Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, Brisbane, Australia.

**Harsh Mohan**

Fr Head , Pathology, Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh.

**External Faculty - continued**

**J. Mark Tuthill**

Henry Ford Health System, Detroit, USA

**Loren Herrera Hernandez**

Mayo Clinic, Rochester, USA

**Lynn Cornell**

Mayo Clinic, Rochester, USA

**Mammen Chandy**

Tata Medical Centre, Kolkata

**Marc Vasse**

Hospital Foch, Paris, France

**Meera Hameed**

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Centre, New York, USA

**Nicole Chia**

QML Pathology, Brisbane, Australia

**Priya Alexander**

Mayo Clinic, Rochester, USA

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**Annual Symposium**

**2018**

**Changing**

**Paradigms in the**

**Practice of Pathology**

Exploring an interdisciplinary collaborative approach

**1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 2018**

Online registration and abstract submission: Visit

<http://www.cmcannualsymposium.com>

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**Departments of Pathology,**

**Transfusion Medicine, and Cytogenetics**

