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IMPORTANT DATES
Deadline for Early Bird Registration September 30, 2017.
Regular updates on the Scientific programme, etc will soon be available at our website (www.natcon2017.in)
Dear Colleagues,

It is a matter of great pleasure for us to invite you to the 72nd National Conference on Tuberculosis and Chest Diseases, NATCON 2017 at AMALAPURAM/RAJAHMUNDRY. Andhra Pradesh is hosting this mega event after a gap of 30 years, and this is the first time in Navaya Andhra Pradesh. KIMS provides an excellent academic environment. The Department of Pulmonary Medicine at this institute is promoting Pulmonary Sciences in AP with its PG Course in pulmonary Medicine.

NATCON has evolved over the past few years into a preferred platform for Pulmonologists and allied Professionals in India to share their experience, up date their knowledge, and interact with each other. We propose to hold the conference at the institute campus to provide a more serene and professional ambience. It will be our endeavor to attain the highest academic standards, and also provide a most conducive environment to enjoy the same. As a part of the academic feast, we expect to have a galaxy of distinguished faculty, renowned both Nationally and Internationally. More than 600 delegates from India and abroad are likely to participate. The enormity of the event can be achieved only with the consistent and generous support extended by esteemed Delegates, Faculty and Supporters.

We also invite you to enjoy the natural scenic beauty of our area (Konaseema) and Rajahmundry. A number of famous temples and other tourist attractions near by attract people from all over India. To mention a few - Temples at ANNAVARAM (60KMS), AINAVELLI (70KMS), ANTHEVEDI (100KMS), MANDAPALLI Unique Saneeswara Temple (40KMS) are worth visiting. ISKON TEMPLE, MARKENDEYA SWAMY TEMPLE, GOWTHAMI GHAT GODAVARI HARATHI, RAIL CUM ROAD BRIDGE, SIR ARTHUR COTTON MUSEUM are very near to our Venue - River Bay which is situated on the banks River Godavari. Boat Ride in River Godavari, and trip to PAPIKONDALU, by Boat (One day trip) will give a new memorable experience to delegates. We request you to attended the conference in large numbers and participate in a befitting manner.

with best wishes and regards

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

The three-day conference will have a rich feast of academics, focusing on all major areas of topical interest in the field of tuberculosis and respiratory disorders. The conference will lay special emphasis on interactive sessions, to improve participation by delegates.

The main highlights of scientific programme are:

- Postgraduate workshops; Orations of TAI; Keynote Addresses and guest Lectures; Debates on current controversies; Panel Discussions; Symposiums covering a wide range of clinical and research topics; Poster discussions of selected research abstracts; Quiz to delegates

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

Registered delegates to the conference can participate in workshops by paying additional charges. Delegates can attend one workshop only. WORKSHOPS WILL BE CONDUCTED AT KIMS MEDICAL COLLEGE AMALAPURAM ON 15-12-2017 FROM 08:30AM TO 02:00PM PGS are requested to reach Amalapuram KIMS Campus on time; preferable on 14th evening. Accommodation will be arranged on request.

The following workshops are planned:

- Newer diagnostic methods in Tuberculosis
- Mechanical Ventilation
- Thoracoscopy
- Endo bronchial Ultrasound
- Workshop Seats are limited only to 40per workshop and registration is subject to availability of seats.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Abstracts related to original research, or novel/interesting aspects on Tuberculosis and other Pulmonary Diseases are welcome. Please send your abstract through e-mail to The Tuberculosis Association of India at “tbsasindia@yahoo.co.in.”, copy to kimsnatcon2017@gmail.com. The abstract should be limited to 250 words, and should be structured to include Title, Objective, Methods Results and Conclusions. Poster Presentation: size - 2’x4’. Last date of submission of abstracts is 30.09.2017

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Registration is mandatory for all delegates and those presenting papers and posters.
- For postgraduate registration, a certificate is needed from Head of the department / institution.
- Registration cannot be transferred; Spot registration will be by cash payment only.

*Registration fee does not include travel and accommodation, which should be arranged by the participants themselves. The organizers will provide help and guidance in case of any difficulty.
*AMALAPURAM is connected by Road from all important towns in AP & Telangana. Nearest Railway Station and Air Port is RAJAHMUNDRY-60kms; VJAYAWADA-200kms; VISKHPATNAM - 230kms. Pick up arrangements will be made at Rajahmundry with prior intimation.
*INAUGURAL FUNCTION AND BANQUET DINNER will be at Rajahmundry on 15th evening from 6.30 p.m. Regular Conference will be on 16th and 17th DEC 2017 at HOTEL RIVER BAY; RAJAHMUNDRY.

Please visit www.natcon2017.in for additional information and updates.

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