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NIMHANS ALUMNI CONFERENCE

Reconnect • Revitalize • Rejoice

13-14 July | 2024

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Mark your calendar for the landmark NIMHANS Alumni Conference 2024, a jubilant commemoration of 50 years of the National Institute of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS) and the 70th anniversary of the All India Institute of Mental Health (AIIMH). Set against the backdrop of historical milestones, the conference promises to be an incredible journey of celebration, reflection, and inspiration.

Themed “**Reconnect, Revitalize, Rejoice**”, this momentous gathering encapsulates the essence of rediscovering connections, invigorating professional growth, and reveling in the remarkable legacy.

Spread the word and invite fellow alumni to join us in creating history. Together, let us celebrate the rich heritage and envision a future that reflects the enduring ethos of NIMHANS. **Our Roots, Our Pride!**

REGISTRATION IS OPEN	
Early Bird Registration (Before 30 th June 2024) [#]	Rs. 6000/-
Spot Registration	Rs. 10000/-
Student Alumni*	Rs. 2000/-
Faculty (Non-alumni Category)	Rs. 6000/-
Associate Delegates	Rs. 3000/-
Alumni aged 70 and above are exempted from the registration fee	

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Prices are inclusive of GST

[#] Early bird registration extended till 30th June 2024. Registration fee of Rs.6000 covers lunch, dinner and high tea during the conference. Plus, get a 50% concession on membership fee for NIMHANS Alumni Association (to be formed in July 2024).

* Applies to students who have graduated from NIMHANS and are currently pursuing additional course or further education at NIMHANS or elsewhere. B.Sc. graduates of the Institute are also included in this category.

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July 13, 2024

Convention Centre, Auditorium - 1
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Time	Session	Co-ordinators	
8.30 AM - 9.30 AM	Registration & Socials	Dr. Suhas Satish NIMHANS	
9.30 AM - 10.00 AM	Opening Ceremony		
Vision NIMHANS 2047 – Panel Discussion			
10.00 AM - 11.00 AM	PANEL DISCUSSION - 1 Leadership in healthcare – challenges and opportunities Dr. Craig Gonsalvez, Australia Dr. Kalyani Gopal, USA Dr. K.V.R. Sastry, Hyderabad Dr. Raguram R., Bengaluru Dr. Rajaram, Bengaluru Dr. Shibu Pillai, Bengaluru Dr. Sudeep Saraf, Australia Dr. Vengamma B., Kolar	Moderators Dr. Nalini A. NIMHANS Dr. Sathya Rao Australia	Dr. Kanmani T.R. NIMHANS
11.00 AM - 11.15 AM	Coffee/Tea Break		
11.15 AM - 12.15 PM	PANEL DISCUSSION - 2 Training in mental health and neurosciences – broadening horizons and deepening competencies Dr. Ahalya Raguram, Bengaluru Dr. Ajit Bhide, Bengaluru Dr. Brinda Sitaram, Bengaluru Dr. Manjari Tripathi, New Delhi Dr. Rajesh Sagar, New Delhi Dr. Sreevani Rentala, Dharwad	Moderators Dr. Vivek Benegal NIMHANS Dr. Tara Chacko Bengaluru	Dr. Pradeep B.S. NIMHANS

Time	Session	Co-ordinators	
Appreciation Session – Vision fulfilled and vision for the future			
12.15 PM - 1.15 PM	Directors' Take Dr. Pratima Murthy Dr. Shekar Seshadri Dr. Satish Girimaji Dr. Gururaj G. Dr. B.N. Gangadhar Dr. Umamaheshwara Rao Dr. P. Satish Chandra Dr. D. Nagaraja Dr. M. Gourie-Devi Dr. G.N. Narayana Reddy	Moderators Dr. Mathew Varghese Bengaluru Dr. Anita Mahadevan NIMHANS Felicitation by Deans of NIMHANS	Dr. Netravathi M. NIMHANS
1.15 PM - 2.30 PM	Lunch Break		
2.30 PM - 4.30 PM	Departmental Events		
4.30 PM - 6.00 PM	Coffee/Tea Break @ Departments		
6.00 PM - 7.30 PM	Alumni Socials (Dance, fun, frolic and trivia)		
7.30 PM - 10.00 PM	Alumni Dinner @ Convention Centre, NIMHANS		

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July 14, 2024

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Time	Session	Co-ordinators
6.30 AM - 9.00 AM	NIMHANS Alumni Tele Manas Run	Dr. Advaith Dr. G.V.L. Narasimha Dr. Praveen Mr. Ravindra NIMHANS
9.30 AM - 10.00 AM	Film on Footprints of NIMHANS	

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Vision NIMHANS 2047 – Panel Discussion		
10.00 AM - 11.00 AM	PANEL DISCUSSION - 3 Transforming health care services: Emerging insights and innovations for enhancing access and quality of care Dr. Anita Rego, Hyderabad Dr. Arunodaya R. Gujjar, Oman Dr. Kalyanasundaram S., Bengaluru Dr. Mohan K. Isaac, Australia Dr. Pavitra K.S., Shimoga Dr. V. Ravi, Bengaluru Dr. Rupam Borgohain, Hyderabad Dr. Swaminath G., Bengaluru	Moderators Dr. Poornima Bhola NIMHANS Dr. Rathna Isaac Bengaluru Dr. Naveen K. NIMHANS
11.00 AM - 11.15 AM	Coffee/Tea Break	
11.15 AM - 12.15 PM	PANEL DISCUSSION - 4 Research and development in mental health and neurosciences: The roads travelled and the journey ahead Dr. Basavaraju Sanganahalli, USA Dr. Chittaranjan Andrade, Bengaluru Dr. Harsha Halahalli, Mangaluru Dr. Kiran Bhaskar, USA Dr. Madhavi Rangaswamy, Bengaluru Dr. Naren P. Rao, Bengaluru Dr. P. Satish Chandra, Bengaluru Dr. Somnath Chatterji, Bengaluru Dr. R. Srinivas Murthy, Bengaluru	Moderators Dr. Seema Mehrotra NIMHANS Dr. Reeta S. Mani Bengaluru Dr. Rose Dawn Bharath NIMHANS
12.15 PM - 1.00 PM	General Body Meeting	
1.00 PM - 2.30 PM	Lunch Break	
2.30 PM - 3.30 PM	NIMHANS Campus Tour	Dr. Chethan Raj Dr. Latha K. Dr. Navin B.P. Dr. Bharath S.

Prof. Laxmi T. Rao
Scientific Committee Chair

Prof. Jamuna Rajeswaran
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