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Industrial / Research Institute Visit -2019



We arranged one-day industrial/research institute visit for II and III Year Biochemistry students (along with Microbiology and Biotechnology students) to the Translation Research Platform for Veterinary Biologicals (TRPVV), Madhavaram, Chennai on **15th July, 2019**. This industrial/ research institute visit was eye-opener for students, faculty members and gives lot of takeaways on analytical techniques and entrepreneurship (especially on veterinary biological products).



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Technical programme (01/2019) - Demonstration session



We along with Lark Innovative Fine Teknowledge, Chennai conducted **demonstration session on “Fermentation and Freeze dryer technique”** for II and III Year Biochemistry students (along with Microbiology and Biotechnology students) at Biochemistry Laboratory, SPIHER on **24th July, 2019**. This demonstration session was eye-opener for students, faculty members and gives lot of takeaways on fermentation and freeze dryer techniques.



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Workshop on “Biodiversity act and its impact on society” - (02/2019)



One day **workshop on “ Biodiversity act and its impact on society”** on **08th August, 2019** was organized by the Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology & Biotechnology, St. Peter’s Institute of Higher Education and Research (Deemed to be University), Avadi, Chennai-54. **Dr. Prakash Nellyyat**, Fellow, Access and Benefit Sharing (ABS), National Biodiversity Authority (NBA), Taramani, Chennai was the resource person for this workshop. This workshop was an eye-opener for students, faculty members & gives lot of take aways on biodiversity.



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Student's interaction session (03/2019)



We organized Student's interaction session regarding VET (especially on Diploma in Medical Laboratory Technology [DMLT] course) for II and III Year Biochemistry students (along with Microbiology and Biotechnology students) at 2nd Year Biochemistry Class-room, SPIHER on **16th August, 2019**. **Mrs. Priya Stallin**, Managing Director, Stannis Institute of Paramedical Sciences, Porur Chennai was the resource person for this student's interaction session. This interaction session was eye-opener for students, faculty members and gives lot of takeaways on DMLT course.



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Student's interaction session (04/2019)



We organized Student's interaction session regarding internship, mini-project and main-project for II and III Year Biochemistry students (along with Microbiology and Biotechnology students) at Smart Class-room, First floor, Mechanical block, SPIHER on **20th August, 2019**. Dr. Balu Ranganathan, Technology-Director, Palms Connect LLC, Utah, USA was the resource person for this student's interaction session. This interaction session was eye-opener for students, faculty members and gives lot of takeaways on industry expectation from academicians.



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Technical programme (05/2019) - Demonstration session



We organized guest lecture and **demonstration session on “TLC and Paper chromatography techniques”** for I, II and III Year Biochemistry students (along with Microbiology and Biotechnology students) at Biochemistry Laboratory, SPIHER on **21st August, 2019**. **Dr. V. Vijayakumar**, Research Associate, Department of Chemistry, Anna University, Chennai was the resource person for this demonstration session. This demonstration session was eye-opener for students, faculty members and gives lot of takeaways on TLC and Paper chromatography techniques.



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Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)



We signed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with M/s Palms Connect LLC, Utah, USA on **28th August, 2019**. **Dr. Balu Ranganathan, Technology-Director**, Palms Connect LLC, Utah, USA signed the agreement on behalf of his company. This MoU gives lot of opportunities for collaboration research related activities (especially isolation of collagen from marine fishes).



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Student's interaction session (06/2019)



We organized Student's interaction session regarding higher studies in abroad, internship, mini-project and main-project for II and III Year Biochemistry students (along with Microbiology and Biotechnology students) at seminar hall, ground floor, Mechanical block, SPIHER on **30th August, 2019**. Dr.Rajeev (Alumni of SPEC, 2006 Biotech passed out) presently working in Australia made a visit to our institution and interacted with our students. This interaction session was eye-opener for students, faculty members and gives lot of takeaways on basics requirement for higher studies in abroad..



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10th Convocation and Alumni meeting



10th Convocation function was held on 31st August, 2019 at open auditorium, SPIHER. Seven PG (M.Sc Biochemistry) students were graduated this year, out of these seven students Ms. R. Krishnaveni (SP17BYP001) has secured 1st Rank. Alumni meetings were organized after convocation function at Main building seminar hall, SPIHER. After these meeting, department wise group photos were taken inside the SPIHER campus.

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