

Day 1 — Scientific Programme

07:30 – 08:00 · Registration · Introduction and Opening Remarks by Organizing Chairs: Dr Anand Murugesan & Dr Raja Reddy

Session 1: Keynote Lectures · 08:00 – 09:30 Chair: Dr Ravi Krishna Kalathur		
08:00 – 08:15	World Institute of Pain: Mission Statement & Future Directions	Dr Miles Day
08:15 – 08:30	Understanding Nociceptive Pain: Bridging Mechanisms in Clinical Practice	Dr Gautam Das
08:30 – 08:45	Regional Anesthesia Is Mistaken for Pain Medicine: The Importance of Etiology Driven Interventional Pain Management	Dr Raja Reddy
08:45 – 09:00	Artificial Intelligence in Pain Medicine: Opportunities & Challenges	Dr Andrea Trescot
09:00 – 09:15	Regenerative Orthobiologics: Guidelines, Regulations & Ethical Aspects	Dr Sudhir Diwan
09:15 – 09:30	Conference Inauguration: Lamp Lighting Ceremony	

09:30 – 10:00 · Coffee Break & Exhibition

Session 2: Interactive Lecture Series · 10:00 – 11:00 · Halls A, B & C

Time	HALL A · Head and Facial Pain <i>Chair: Dr Jee Youn Moon</i>	HALL B · Cancer Pain and Palliative Care <i>Chair: Dr Ovidiu Palea/Dr Raghavendra Ramanjulu</i>	HALL C · Cervical Spine, Axial and Radicular Pain <i>Chair: Dr Andrzej Krol</i>
10:00 – 10:10	Clinical Evaluation of Headache and Facial Pain Dr Ravi Krishna Kalathur	Evaluation of Cancer Pain Syndromes Dr Ninadhini Shrestha	Clinical Evaluation of Cervical Spine Pain Dr Sushpa Das
10:10 – 10:20	Trigeminal Neuralgia and Facial Pain Syndromes Dr Ashish Chakravarthy	Pharmacological Management of Cancer Pain Dr GK Kumar	Cervical Spine Pain Generators: Disc, Facet & Nerve Root Dr Dhruv Bibra
10:20 – 10:30	Image-Guided Trigeminal Ganglion Interventions for Facial Pain Dr Miles Day	Abdominal Sympathetic Blocks Dr Anand Murugesan	Cervical Spine Medial Branch & Radiofrequency Interventions Dr Gautam Das
10:30 – 10:40	Sphenopalatine Ganglion Block and Other Procedures Dr Sadashivan Iyer	Intrathecal Neurolysis in Cancer Pain Dr Arun Bhaskar	Cervical Radiculopathy & Selective Nerve Root Blocks Dr Karthik Babu Natarajan
10:40 – 10:50	Neuromodulation for Refractory Facial Pain Dr Andrea Trescot	Intrathecal Drug Delivery for Cancer Pain Dr Neeraj Jain	Cervical Epidural Procedures, Interlaminar & Transforaminal Dr Anurag Agarwal
10:50 – 11:00	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>

Session 3: Interactive Lecture Series · 11:00 – 12:00 · Halls A, B & C

Time	HALL A · Regenerative Medicine / Orthobiologics <i>Chair: Dr Raja Reddy</i>	HALL B · Neuropathic Pain <i>Chair: Dr Andrea Trescot</i>	HALL C · Thoracic Spine Pain <i>Chair: Dr Varshali Keniya</i>
11:00 – 11:10	Platelet Rich Plasma in Musculoskeletal Disorders: Scientific Principles & Literature Review Dr Agnes Stogicza	Mechanisms of Neuropathic Pain Dr Shirish Amatya	Clinical Evaluation of Thoracic Spine Pain Dr Khaja Javed Khan
11:10 – 11:20	Bone Marrow Concentrate in Knee Osteoarthritis: Harvest, Techniques & Evidence Prof Ananth Shetty	Clinical Diagnosis and Classification of Neuropathic Pain Dr Smrutirekha Hota	Thoracic Pain Generators and Differential Diagnosis Dr Madhujeet Gupta
11:20 – 11:30	Adipose Derived Stem Cells: Methods, Protocols & Evidence Dr Ronald Barreto	Pharmacological Management of Neuropathic Pain Dr Anamol Milton	Intercostal Nerve Blocks in Thoracic Pain Dr Shalina Chandran
11:30 – 11:40	Orthobiologics in Spine Disorders: Intradiscal, Subchondral Applications & Evidence Dr Sudhir Diwan	Interventional Treatments for Neuropathic Pain Dr Swati Bhat	Thoracic Facet Interventions Dr Shovan Rath
11:40 – 11:50	Conditioned Media, Exosomes: Biology, Functions & Biomedical Applications Dr Tushar Munnoli	Neuromodulation for Neuropathic Pain Dr Victor Silva	Sympathetic Blocks for Thoracic Pain Dr Saranraj
11:50 – 12:00	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>

12:00 – 13:00 · Lunch Break & Exhibition

Session 4: Interactive Lecture Series · 13:00 – 14:00 · Halls A, B & C

Time	HALL A · Lumbar Discogenic and Radicular Pain <i>Chair: Dr Miles Day</i>	HALL B · Lumbar Facet and Sacroiliac Joint Pain <i>Chair: Dr Neeraj Jain</i>	HALL C · Chronic Pelvic Pain <i>Chair: Dr Agnes Stogicza</i>
13:00 – 13:10	Discogenic Back Pain & Lumbar Radiculopathy Diagnosis Dr Shiraz Munshi	Clinical Evaluation of Lumbar Spine Facetal Pain Dr Kalpana Ravikumar	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Pathophysiology, Mechanisms & Pain Generators Dr Gurumoorthy
13:10 – 13:20	Intervention for Discogenic Pain & Basivertebral Nerve Ablation Dr Sudhir Diwan	Lumbar Medial Branch Blocks, Diagnostic or Therapeutic Dr Pranab Kumar	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Clinical Syndromes Dr Prathiba Matche
13:20 – 13:30	Lumbar Spinal Nerve Root and Epidural Injections Dr Ovidiu Palea	Denervation Interventions for Lumbar Facet Pain Dr Rajendra Sahoo	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Diagnostic Challenges Dr Sidharth Verma
13:30 – 13:40	Lumbar Spine Endoscopic Discectomy Dr Pankaj Surange	Clinical Evaluation of Sacroiliac Joint Disorders Dr Kawsar Sardar	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Interventions Dr Arun Bhaskar
13:40 – 13:50	Post Spinal Surgery Syndrome & Epidural Adhesiolysis Dr Gopinath Raju	Image Guided Interventions for Sacroiliac Joint Pain Dr Andrzej Krol	Chronic Pelvic Pain: Advances in Neuromodulation Dr Jee Youn Moon
13:50 – 14:00	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>

Session 5: Interactive Lecture Series · 14:00 – 15:00 · Halls A, B & C

Time	HALL A · Musculoskeletal & Peripheral Nerve Disorders <i>Chair: Dr Gautam Das</i>	HALL B · Neuromodulation in Pain Medicine <i>Chair: Dr Sudhir Diwan</i>	HALL C · Safety in Interventional Pain Medicine <i>Chair: Dr Murali Thondebavi</i>
14:00 – 14:10	Shoulder Disorders & Clinical Diagnosis Dr Madhan Pandian	Principles of Neuromodulation Dr Neeraj Jain	Patient Selection and Risk Assessment Dr Senthil Prakash
14:10 – 14:20	Major Joint Osteoarthritis & Sensory Denervation Dr Raja Reddy	Clinical Evaluation and Patient Selection for Neuromodulation Dr Ovidiu Palea	Sterility and Infection Prevention Dr Ashok Jadon
14:20 – 14:30	Peripheral Nerve Entrapment Neuropathy Dr Aswini GS	Spinal Cord Stimulation & DRG Stimulation Dr Miles Day	Radiation Safety in Pain Procedures Dr Nishad PK
14:30 – 14:40	Greater Trochanteric Pain & Deep Gluteal Syndromes Dr Wiquar Ahmed	Peripheral Nerve Stimulation Dr Andrea Trescot	Managing Complications in Interventional Pain Dr Madhuri Lokapur
14:40 – 14:50	Trigeminal Peripheral Nerve Blocks Dr Victor Silva	Outcomes & Evidence in Neuromodulation Dr Rajkumar Arora	Ethical and Legal Aspects of Pain Medicine Dr Vineetha
14:50 – 15:00	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>	<i>Panel Discussion, Q&A</i>