

# TRICON - 2020-21

Current Concepts in Clinical Microbiology

**Eighth Triennial Conference of  
The Academy of Clinical Microbiologists**

18th - 20th March, 2021

1-00 pm to 4-00 pm

at St. John's Medical College  
Bangalore



**Organised By : Department of Microbiology**

St. John's Medical College

St. John's National Academy of Health Sciences, Bangalore  
& The Academy of Clinical Microbiologists

(CME Credit Hours as applicable by KMC)

"Dear Colleagues,

Warm Greetings from St.John's ,Bangalore.

We are all aware that, the Eight Triennial conference of the Academy which was scheduled to be held during August, 2020, was postponed due to Covid-19 pandemic.

In view of the prevailing situation it is decided to host Eighth Triennial Conference of the Academy of Clinical Microbiologists - 2020-21 **online, from 18th to 20th March 2021, between 1-00 p.m. to 4-00 p.m.** The revised programmes and workshop schedules are sent herewith.

Clinical microbiology is evolving at a rapid pace making it mandatory to keep ourselves updated with the current practices to tackle newer problems faced in diagnosing infectious diseases.

A large country like India, where practices vary from region to region, there is also an urgent need to evolve uniform guidelines to manage them.

The conference will have two workshops, CME by eminent speakers and the Grand ACM oration by one of the senior most microbiologist from our own institute. Do participate in large numbers and enjoy the feast of clinical microbiology.

Regards

Organising Committee

## Registration Details :

- ▲ Registration by web only.
- ▲ Registration available at URL : [www.stjohns.in/events](http://www.stjohns.in/events)
- ▲ Registration fee Rs.590/- (inclusive GST)
- ▲ Payment by online transfer only.

## PROGRAM

### Workshop : 18/03/2021 1-00 to 4-00 p.m.

#### MALDI - TOF-

Standardization and implementation for routine use in a microbiological Laboratory. - 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

#### The Molecular Pursuit - Infectious diseases

Molecular biology workshop - 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

### CME : 19-03-2021 1-00 to 4-00 p.m.

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Viral Hepatitis - Recent advances in diagnosis and management

- Dr. Ekta Gupta

2:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Infective Endocarditis - Diagnostic Dilemma

- Dr. Kavita Raja

3:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Cases Demystified - Using conventional and new diagnostic tests

- Dr. Jayanthi Savio

### 20-03-2021 1-00 to 4-00 p.m.

1:00 to 2:00 p.m.

Oration : An Odyssey in Microbiology

- Dr. Ragini Macaden

2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Free Papers Presentation.

## ABSTRACT DETAILS

- Mode of Presentation - Oral / Poster has to be clearly mentioned.
- Abstract has to be in 300 words which include Introduction, Materials and Method, Results, Discussions with Conclusion in Times New Roman font, size 12pt. Underline the presenting author, designation and institution.
- Presenting author has to be a Member or Associate of ACM. Registration for conference is compulsory for presentation.
- Time allotted for oral presentation will be 7 minutes followed by 3 minutes discussion. (Time allotted may vary.)
- Posters has to be in electronic format only.

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