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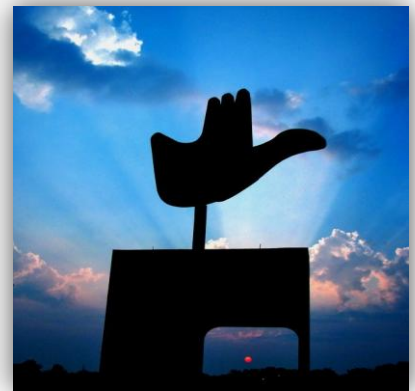
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## 4TH BIENNIAL CONFERENCE OF GASTROINTESTINAL INFECTION SOCIETY OF INDIA – GISICON 2014



Venue: Government Medical College & Hospital, Chandigarh

Date/Day: April 11-12, 2014 (Friday & Saturday)

### Organizing team:

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PROGRAMME	
<b>Day 1. Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2014</b>	
9 AM – 9.30 AM	Registration
9.30 AM – 10.00 AM	Inauguration
10.00 AM – 10.30 AM	Tea
<b>Session 1: Viral Hepatitis</b>	
10.30 AM -10.50 AM	Hepatitis B management
10.50 AM – 11.10 AM	Hepatitis C in Practice
11.10 AM – 11.30 AM	Enterically transmitted hepatitis
11.30 – 11.45	Discussion
<b>Session 2</b>	
11.45 AM – 12.05 PM	Imaging in pancreatico-biliary infections
12.05 AM – 12.25 PM	Interventions in pancreaticobiliary infections
12.25 AM – 12.45 PM	Infections in cirrhotics
12.45 AM – 01.00 PM	Discussion
01.00 PM – 01.30 PM	Debate: Pro/Prebiotics: Where do we stand?
01.30 PM – 02.15 PM	<b>Poster Session and Lunch</b>
<b>Session 3: GI infections</b>	
2.15 PM – 2.30 PM	Salmonella-an update
2.30 PM – 2.45 PM	Cholera-recent trends
2.45 PM – 3.00 PM	Diagnostic techniques for improving yield of GI path.
3.00 PM – 3.15 PM	Discussion
<b>Session 4 Preventive strategies in GI infections</b>	
3.15 PM – 3.30 PM	Selective decontamination of GIT
3.30 PM – 3.45 PM	Faecal microbiota transplanted
3.45 PM – 4.00 PM	Vaccines in GI infections
4.00 PM – 4.15 PM	Maintenance and care of endoscopic equipment
4.15 PM – 4.30 PM	Discussion
4.30 PM – 5.00 PM	<b>Quiz</b>
<b>Day 2. Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2014</b>	
<b>Session 6: GI infections in immunocompromised</b>	
09.30 AM – 09.45 AM	HIV and the GIT
09.45 AM – 10.00 AM	Fungal infections: Spectrum, manifestations and management
10.00 AM - 10.15 AM	Cytomegalovirus: Is it a mega problem?
10.15 AM – 10.30 AM	Discussion
10.30 AM – 11.30 AM	Clinico-pathological conference
11.30 AM – 11.45 AM	<b>Tea</b>
11.45 AM – 12.45 PM	<b>Free papers</b>
<b>Session 7: Miscellaneous</b>	
12.45 PM – 01.00 PM	GI infections: Do they predispose to cancer?
01.00 PM – 01.15 PM	Gut microbiota, obesity and insulin resistance
01.15 PM – 01.30	Bacterial overgrowth syndrome
01.30 PM – 01.55 PM	Discussion
1.45 PM – 02.00 PM	<b>Valedictory function</b>
02.00 PM	<b>Lunch</b>

## ACHIEVEMENTS

Dr. K. K. Prasad, Additional Professor & Chief, Division of GE Histopathology, Department of Superspeciality of Gastroenterology, PGIMER, Chandigarh

1. Delivered invited talk on “Microscopic Colitis: Then and Now” and judge for the poster session award in 1<sup>st</sup> SACH & 2<sup>nd</sup> International CMC-Path-CME on Cytopathology & Histopathology at Chittagong, Bangladesh in Nov 2013
2. Invited as chairperson and Judge for the paper session in APCON 2013 at Aurangabad in Dec 2013.
3. Awarded the prestigious “V R Khanolkar Award” by Indian Association of Pathologists & Microbiologists during APCON 2013 at Aurangabad in Dec 2013 for the best published research work.

## NEW LIFE MEMBERS

**GISI team welcomes the following new life members:**

1. Dr. Rumpa Saha
2. Dr. Parvinder Kaur Chawla
3. Dr. Satish Gupte
4. Dr. Ruchita Mahajan
5. Dr. Arun Kumar Sharma

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Life Membership fees of GISI are INR 3000.00 payable by bank draft or cheque at par in favour of “Gastrointestinal Infection Society of India” payable at Chandigarh, INDIA.
2. Articles for **Journal of Gastrointestinal Infections** should be submitted as soft copy to the Editor, GISI. Instructions to authors are available under GISI Journal action link.
3. All GISI members are requested to pass on any news that they desire to be published in the newsletter. This will include information of awards received, fellowships obtained or travel abroad for academic purposes and any other information that may be of interest to the members.
4. Indian Life Members desirous of receiving Certificate of Membership may send a Demand Draft of INR 250.00 in advance. Foreign Members may send USD 25.00 in favour of “Gastrointestinal Infection Society of India”, payable at Chandigarh, addressed to Prof. C. Vaishnavi, Dept. of Gastroenterology, Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh-160012, India. Kindly quote your Life Membership No. along with the request.

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9	<b>E-mail</b>			

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1	<b>Life Membership Fee</b>	1. Individuals (India): INR 3000.00 2. Individuals (Foreign): USD 200.00 3. Institutions: INR 3000.00 4. Patrons: INR 20,000.00 and above
2	<b>Payment Details</b>	<b>Cheque/Demand draft</b> (select one) <b>Cheque/Draft No.</b> <b>Bank details:</b> <b>Dated:</b> <b>Amount:</b> Cheques/Demand draft should be drawn in favour of "Gastrointestinal Infection Society of India" payable at Chandigarh.
3	<b>Declaration</b>	I declare that the information given by me is true and correct and that I will abide by the association rules and regulations if my membership application is approved.
4	<b>Date</b>	<b>Signature:</b>
5	<b>Place</b>	

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1	<b>Date received</b>	
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