

One-day lecture series on “Recent trends in Life Science”

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The Department of Life Science, Bangalore University organized One-day lecture series on Recent Trends in Life Science on the occasion of National Science Day on 28th February 2023 at Prof. K Venkatagiri Gowda Memorial Hall, Jnana Bharathi Campus, Bangalore University, Bangalore. The event was well attended by the Bangalore University officials, faculty members, students, research scholars of the Bangalore University as well as other colleges and academic institutions. Prominent speakers from various fields of Biological Sciences gave lectures for the programme.

The grand event was inaugurated at 11 am by the Chief Guest for the occasion Dr. Uma Ramakrishnan, Dean and Faculty from National Centre for Biological Sciences, NCBS, Bangalore and the Honorable Vice Chancellor of the Bangalore University, Prof. Jayakara SM, was the President for this event. The Guests of Honor included Shri Mahesh Babu N, Registrar, Shri Ajithkumar Hegde S, Finance Officer, Prof. Srinivas C, Registrar (Evaluation), Dr. Sudhakara H and Shri M Uday Kumar, Syndicate members Bangalore University, Bangalore.



The Chairman and convener of this event Prof. M. Shivashankar welcomed the Dignitaries, Speakers and participants and explained the significance of the Science Day in a mesmerizing speech. All the dignitaries were felicitated by the convener and chairman of the department Prof. M. Shivashankar.

The dignitaries addressed the participants on the occasion describing the significance of Science Day in their eloquent speeches. The Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. Jayakara S M and Shri. N. Mahesh Babu, Registrar, Bangalore University, Bangalore and other dignitaries appreciated the Scientific Models and Posters displayed by the students of the Department of Life Science. The students had participated in various scientific competitions like essay writing, video making, poster presentations and model making that were held at the Department as part of the Science Day celebrations. The prize distribution ceremony for these scientific competitions was the highlight of the Inaugural Ceremony. The dignitaries presented the prizes to the talented winners.

The Chief Guest Dr. Uma Ramakrishnan delivered a wonderful keynote lecture entitled “USING A GENETIC LENS TO UNDERSTAND ENDANGERED SPECIES” . She enlightened the participants with her experience about the endangered animals of India, especially the tiger. The audience was mesmerized with the eloquence of her talk. The morning session was hosted by Dr. Priyanka Sinha. The formal thank you note was delivered by Dr. Rakshitha Mouly to all the dignitaries and speakers for being a part of the inaugural session. Post lunch, the afternoon session was hosted by Dr. Anjali G. with two special lectures by the invited speakers, Dr. Samay Pande from Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore and Dr. Balasubramanian N from Xcyton, Bangalore. The speakers were felicitated by the Prof. M. Shivashankar, the convener of the event.



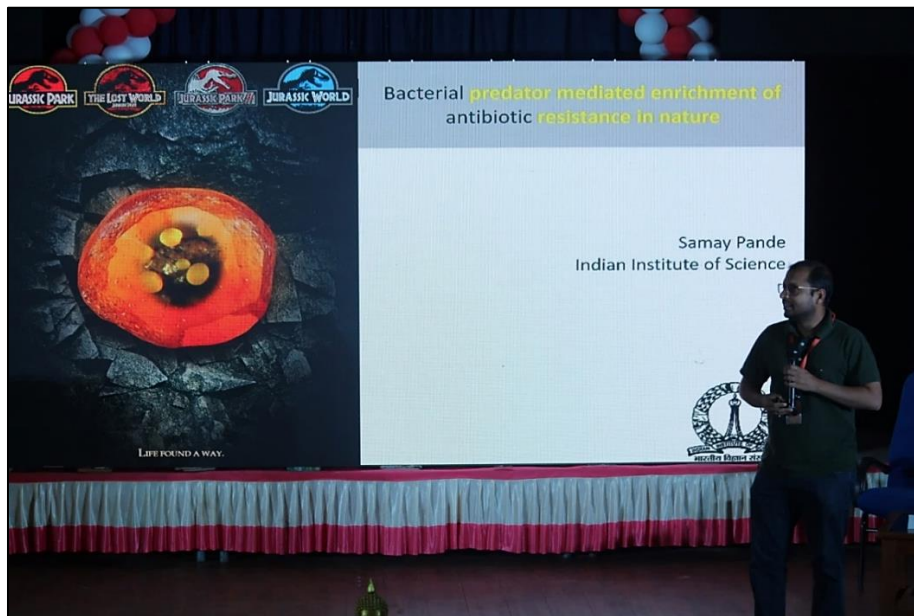
Dr. Samay was introduced by Dr. Aruna L. Dr. Samay delivered an insightful lecture on “BACTERIAL PREDATOR MEDIATED ENRICHMENT OF ANTIBIOTIC RESISTANCE IN NATURE”. The second lecture of the afternoon session was delivered by Dr. Balasubramanian who talked about PHOTOUPTONIC NANOPARTICLES. Dr. M.S. Roopashree introduced the speaker to the audience. The young students learnt a lot about the modern scientific approaches from these lectures.



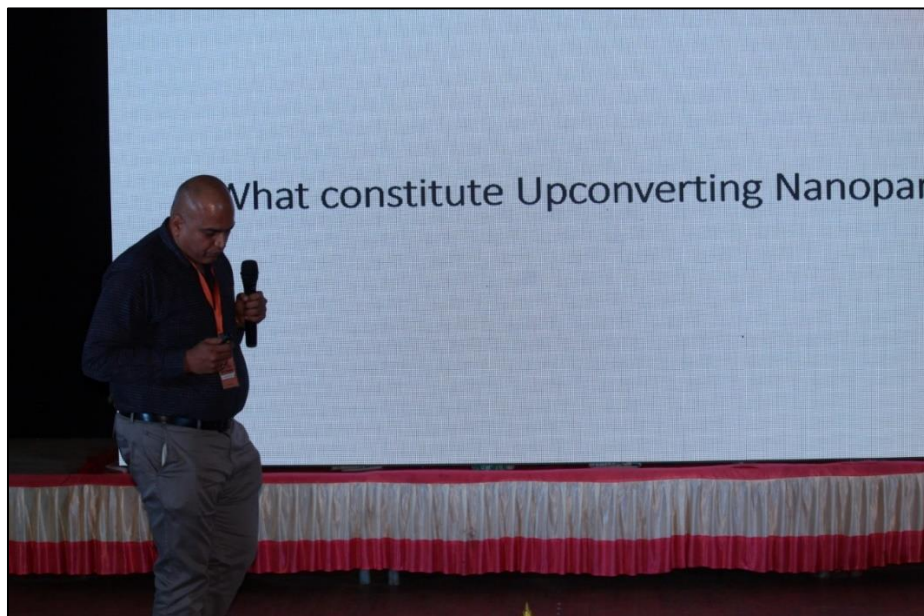
The One-day lecture series on **Recent Trends in Life Science** organized by the Department of Life Science concluded in the afternoon with a vow by the participants to nurture their scientific fervors. The vote of thanks for the occasion was proposed by Dr. Srilatha. Finally, Prof. M. Shivashankar, convener of this function thanked one and all for their cooperation to successfully conduct this event. The eventful day ended on a happy note with all the participants taking home scientific memories with them.



Dr. Uma Ramakrishnan, Dean,,NCBS, Bangalore



Dr. Samay Pande IISc, Bangalore



Dr. Balasubramanian N Xcyton, Bangalore

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