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University Gold Medal - Another Feather in the cap of SVDCH

Ms. B. Niranjana, first batch student of Sri Venkateswara Dental College and Hospital

secured triple university gold medal for ranking first in University exams. She won B.P. Rajan Gold Medal for securing University First Rank in Oral Maxillofacial Surgery, Dr. N. Gnanasundaram Endowment for securing university First Rank in Oral Medicine & Radiology and for Ranking First in University

Exams. She received the triple gold medal from the Honourable Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, Dr. J. Jayalalitha & His Excellency, Governor of Tamil Nadu, Dr. K. Rosaiah at the Silver Jubilee year 25th Convocation held at the Centenary Auditorium, University of Madras, Chepauk, Chennai on 20.08.2013.



Ms. Samala Abhinaya, first batch student won the university gold medal for securing university first mark in Pedodontics from the Honourable Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, Dr. J. Jayalalitha & His Excellency, Governor of Tamil Nadu, Dr. K. Rosaiah at the Silver Jubilee year 25th Convocation held at the Centenary Auditorium, University of Madras, Chepauk, Chennai on 20.08.2013.

2nd South Indian UnderGraduate Dental Convention - MOKSHAA '13

The 2nd South Indian Undergraduate Dental Convention - MOKSHAA '13 was held on 6th and 7th of April 2013. It was inaugurated by Dr. R. Rajagopal, Vice Chancellor, Saveetha University and Dr. Deepak Nallaswamy, Director of Academics, Saveetha University in the presence of our beloved Chairman, Dr. Ishari K. Ganesh. Following the grand success of



Mokshaa '12 – First South Indian Undergraduate Dental Convention, the second edition of Mokshaa witnessed more grandeur and response with nearly 3000 student delegates from more than 35 dental colleges across South India.

MOKSHAA '13

The Second edition of South Indian Undergraduate Dental Convention - Mokshaa '13 witnessed brain storming academic events which had more than 250 scientific paper presentations and 200 poster presentations. Around 3000 delegates participated in this mega event of the year in the dental history.

The students were tested in academic excellence with various events such as Hot Seat, Dental Quiz, Debates etc. The Sports and Cultural had heavy competition with a wonderful outdoor stage performance which will be etched in their memories forever.

The DPL - Dentist Premier League T-10 flood light cricket league is the highlight of MOKSHAA sports events. Actor and Ace choreographer, Mr. Prabhu Deva inaugurated this event.



Cultural events were a visual treat and saw creativity at its peak. Actor Jayam Ravi was the guest of honour. He presented trophies to the winners of various sports and cultural events. The DPL winners were given trophy and cash award.



The overall runners for Mokshaa '13 were Ramakrishna Dental College, Coimbatore



The Overall Championship was won by RVS Dental College, Coimbatore.

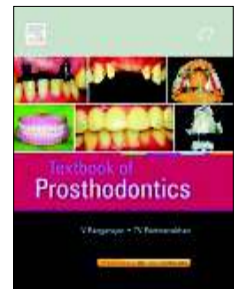


CREDENTIALS



Dr. V. Rangarajan, Vice Principal, H.O.D., Dept of Prosthodontics along with Dr. T. V. Padmanabhan has

authored a book named 'TEXTBOOK OF PROSTHODONTICS' published by ELSEVIER. The Book is very well authored and has been well accepted among the staff and student community. It provides concise study material for the Undergraduates.



Dr. Sabitha Sudarshan, H.O.D- Department of Periodontics along with Dr. Divya Uppala & Dr. Aparna

Suresh has authored a book on 'EVIDENCE BASED PERIODONTOLOGY' published by Lambert Academic Publishing, which is well accepted by the staffs and students community.



Dr. M. R. Srinivasan, H.O.D, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics assumed office as the PRESIDENT of Indian Association of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics (IACDE)



DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

Medical Emergency for Dental Students (MEDS) program was organised by the department on Jan 21st & 22nd, 2013. The Department staffs attended the 7th International IALD Conference on New Age Dentistry - featuring LASER, Implant and Digital dentistry at Hyatt Regency, Chennai on 21st and 22nd Sept 2013.



Department of Public Health Dentistry

"TOBACCO THRILLS BUT KILLS"

Our college students actively participated in the "World No Tobacco Day" rally held at Marina Beach from the Light house to Labour's statue, displaying placards and distributing pamphlets to the public. They also drew the attention of the public by drawing ill effects of tobacco use and smoking in the roads as a part of the campaign.



Our students performed street plays creating awareness about harmful effects of smoking at Chennai Central Railway Station that drew large attention and many spectators in and around the station. The program was also a part of awareness campaign on ill effects of tobacco.



On the same day few of our students enacted a mime at the Express Avenue highlighting the ill effects of tobacco.



The department conducted around 120 camps this year in various schools and old age homes. Around 15,738 patients were screened and they were explained about Prevention of oral diseases and maintenance of oral hygiene.

Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology

Dr. Shaik attended the IAFO Conference in Vijayawada on 21st & 22nd Sept 2013. Dr. Nalin and Dr. Shaik participated in the PCR workshop held at Ragas Dental College on 16th & 17th Dec 2013.

Dr. Nalin Kumar, Dr. Muruganandham, Dr. Shaik and Dr. Sujatha attended the Conference about Odontogenic tumours held at Karpaga Vinayaga Institute of Dental Sciences on 6th Dec 2013.

Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

Dr. M. R. Srinivasan, HOD, and the staff members attended the 28th IACDE and 21th IES conference held at Hyderabad in November 2013.

Dr. Poorni was elected as the Executive Committee member of IACDE.



Department conducted a one day workshop on "Chemistry behind Post and Core - Latest Bonding Systems, Direct and Indirect Bonding" by Dr. Felix Worhle and Dr. Sujit Bopardikar on Oct 25th, 2013. The faculty of all the departments attended the program.

Department of Prosthodontics

Dr. V. Rangarajan, Vice-Principal, HOD, Dept of Prosthodontics, delivered guest lecture in the CDE Programme on Dental Implantology at PORT BLAIR on May 13th 2013.

He also attended 1st Karnataka Prosthodontic Society Convention on 28th & 29th of September 2013 and the 41st Indian Prosthodontic Society (IPS) Conference at Gujarat on 13th -17th November 2013.



Department of Periodontics

Dr. Sabitha Sudarsan, HOD, along with staff members Dr. U. Arunmozhi, Dr. Kadhirasan attended 38th ISP National Conference which was held at Kochi on 24th -27th October 2013.

She has also participated in PERIOBYTES 2013 with Dr. Arunmozhi, Dr. Kadhirasan, Dr. Shanmugapriya on November 6th 2013, SRM Dental College, Kattankulathur, Chennai.

Dr. Arunmozhi, participated in the CDE program by Espertise Interactive Learning by 3M ESPE on Ceramics Alive – New ideas and methodology in preparations for Lava crowns held on 9th June 2013 at Hotel ITC Grand Chola, Chennai.

Dr. Kadhiresan delivered a guest lecture titled 'Periodontal flap surgery for general practitioners –in CDE Programme conducted by IDA Thiruvallur District Branch on July 2013. He also attended the International Symposium On “Cleft & Craniofacial Anomalies”, 6th September 2013 at Sree Balaji Dental College, Chennai.

He also attended and presented a scientific paper “Regenerative Periodontal Therapy” at the 31st Tamil Nadu state Dental Conference - VILCON 2013 at Ocean Spray-Puducherry on 29th November 2013.

Department of Pedodontics

Dr. Santhosh Kumari, Senior Lecturer of the Department, published an article “Detection of putative periodontopathic bacteria in type 1 diabetic and healthy children - a comparative study' in the Indian Journal of Dental Research Vol 24 Issue 3 2013.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Padminee Krishnan of 2nd year BDS won first place in IDA Colgate E-Poster on the topic “Mouthwashes”.

Rashmi of second year won 1st place in State Level Bio-Chemistry Prize Exam "Bio-Chem Elite - 2013" conducted by SRM Dental College, Ramapuram, Chennai.



She along with Padminee Krishnan and Anandhan won 2nd place in Poster Presentation on the topic "HDL & LDL"

Interns R. Pavithra, Aysha Sultana, B. Vasanthi and G.Vivek won 1st place in Savetha National Quiz Competition

MIDAS 2012

Our Chairman Dr. Ishari K. Ganesh was the Guest of Honour for the Valedictory function of MIDAS 2012 held in Dr. Abdul Kalam Convention Centre, SVDCH.

The Cultural event was held in our college in the year 2012.

Our students actively participated in academic events, cultural and sports events. They won many prizes and laurels in the Midas 2012 events conducted by the IDA Madras Branch every year. Our students topped in many events which had participants from all dental colleges in and around Chennai.



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