

Chemistry for Mankind: Innovative Ideas in Life Sciences

16th ISCB INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE (Post 1SCBC-2011)
Hotel Tuli impereal, at Nagpur ,India, 9th-11th February, 2011

To Commemorate 2011 as the International Year of Chemistry, Indian Society of Chemists and Biologists, India has organized its 16th International Conference (Post 1SCBC-2011) on “Chemistry for Mankind: Innovative Ideas in Life Sciences” at Hotel tuli, in association with Department of Chemistry, Nagpur University, Department of Chemistry, Institute of Science, and Department of Chemistry and Biotechnology, St.Francis de Sales’ College India from 9th-11th February, 2011. Prof. Harjeet D. Juneja, was Convenor and Dr. Mrs. Anjali M, Rahatgaonkar was Coordinator of this conference. Prof. Rghunath A.Mashelkar former DG,CSIR,president global research alliance,NCL,pune,India was chief guest of the function. The three days scientific programs includes 48 lectures, by the eminent scientists . 233posters were presented by young scientists and Ph. D. students in three different poster sessions. Several Scientists have presented their work on Drug Research, Chemical Sciences, process chemistry, Bionanotechnology, material science, Chemical Biology, Glycobiology, Biochemistry.

Approximately 700 delegates from India and abroad including places viz. United States, United Kingdom, France, Switzerland, Germany, Austria Belgium, Sweden, Japan have participated this conference. Most of speakers have presented their work of current interest. Many of talks highlighted synthesis,process chemistry ,drug research, structure activity relationship, current trends in medicinal chemistry . A brief selection of highlights is discussed here.

The Facination of chemical innovation

Prof. Rghunath A.Mashelkar former DG,CSIR, president global research alliance, NCL, Pune has delivered his key not lecture in this conference .

During valedictory functions several scientists and delegates appreciated scientific contents presented in the conference and highlighted how scientific research can eradicate poverty and can be helpful in development of affordable health.

Dr.P.M.S.Chauhan, General Secretary, highlighted that in every 30 second one child in Africa die due to malaria. Funding from development world require to eradicate neglected disease. ProfAnamik shah president ISCB also highlighted importance of drug research.