



8th International Conference on Translational Research

Theme: Bridging Discoveries to Solutions: Advancing Translational Research

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Day/Date	12th-14th December, 2025
Venue	Auditorium, Campus 11, KIIT, Bhubaneswar

Technical Program

Day 1, 12th December, 2025, Venue: KIIT University, Auditorium, Campus No. 11

Time	Program
09:00 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration
<u>Inaugural Session</u>	
10:00 AM – 10:05 AM	Welcoming of Guests and Lighting of the traditional lamp
10:05 AM – 10:15 AM	Welcome Address by Prof. Gopal C. Kundu , Director R&D, KIIT
10:15 AM – 10:20 AM	Felicitation of Guests
10:20 AM – 10:30 AM	Address by Prof. Saranjit Singh , Vice Chancellor, KIIT
10:30 AM – 10:40 AM	Address by Chief Guest Prof. (Dr.) Achyuta Samanta , Hon'ble Founder, KIIT, KISS & KIMS
10:40 AM – 11:00 AM	Presidential Address by Prof. N. K. Ganguly , President of ISTR & Former DG, ICMR, New Delhi
11:00 AM – 11:05 AM	Word of Thanks by Prof. J. R. Mohanty , Registrar, KIIT
Tea Break (11:05 AM – 11:20 AM)	

11:20 AM – 11:50 PM	<i>Plenary Talk: Cancer without disease: Combining the concept of healthy living and aging with strategies to prevent malignant disease of cancer by Prof Raghu Kalluri, UT MD Anderson Cancer Center, USA</i>
	Session I (11.50 AM - 12.40 PM) Chair: Prof Srinivas Patnaik, Dean, KSBT, KIIT
11:50 AM – 12:15 PM	<i>Dr Subhra Chakraborty, Former Director, NIPGR, New Delhi</i>
12:15 PM-12.40 PM	<i>Clinical and Translational Research in Breast and Gynecological Cancer: Dr Sudeep Gupta, Director, TMC, Mumbai</i>
Lunch Break (12.40 PM – 2:00 PM): Outside Auditorium, Campus no 11	
Panel Discussion: Status of Health Care & Management related Research & Innovation Ecosystem in India and around the Globe	
02:00 PM – 03:00 PM	Chair: Prof N K Ganguly, Panelists: Prof Raghu Kalluri, Prof Partha Majumder, Prof Sudeep Gupta, Dr. Debasis Dash & Prof Subrata Sinha; Moderator: Prof G C Kundu
	Session II (03.00 PM-04.00 PM) Chair: Prof Prasanth Rath, Dean, SAS, KIIT
03:00 PM-03.25 PM	Dr. Shantanu Chowdhury, IGIB, New Delhi
03:25 PM-03.50 PM	Prof Surajit Sinha, IACS, Kolkata
03:50 PM-04.00 PM	Prof. Ashok Sahoo, SOT, KIIT, Bhubaneswar
Tea Break (04:00 PM – 04.20PM)	
<u>Session III (04.20 PM-06.20 PM)</u> Chair: Dr Debasis Dash, Director, BRIC-ILS	
04:20 PM – 04:45 PM	Prof Aoife Gahlawat, DKFZ, Heidelberg, Germany
04:45 PM – 05:10 PM	Prof Debabrata Chakravarti, Northwestern University, USA
05:10 PM – 05:35 PM	Prof Heike Allgayer, Medical Faculty Mannheim, University of Heidelberg, Germany
05:35 PM – 05:55 PM	Tech Talk by Premas Life Sciences
05:55 PM-06.20 PM	Prof Georg Weber, Univ of Cincinnati, USA
06.30 PM-07.00 PM	Special Session (Jointly Sponsored by KIIT & BRIC-ILS): Inaugural Address by Prof Robert (Bob) Weinberg, Whitehead Institute of Biomedical Research & Professor of Biology, MIT, USA (Introduce by Prof Gopal C Kundu, Director R&D, KIIT DU & QA & Closing remarks by Dr Debasis Dash, Director, BRIC-ILS)
7:00 PM – 7:30 PM	Cultural Program
07.30 PM-10.00 PM	Dinner: Outside Auditorium, Campus 11

Day 2, 13th December, 2025, Venue: KIIT University, Auditorium, Campus No. 11

09.30 AM – 10.00 AM	Plenary Talk: Evidence that a large fraction of gingivo-buccal oral cancer patients may respond to immune checkpoint therapy: Prof Partha P Majumder, Distinguished Professor, John C Martin Centre for Liver Research & Innovation, Kolkata
	Session IV (10.00 AM-11.15 AM)
	Chair: Dr Aswini Kar, Principal, KIDS, KIIT
10.00AM – 10.25AM	Dr. Ashutosh Tiwari, IAAM, Sweden
10:25AM – 10:50AM	Prof. Subrata Sinha, Natl. Sci Chair, AIIMS, New Delhi
10.50AM- 11.15 PM	Dr. Sharmila Bapat, Ex-Director, BRIC-NCCS, Pune
Tea Break (11.15 AM – 11.35AM)	
Session V (11.35 AM- 01.15 PM)	
Chair: Dr Ramaya Pinnamaneni, Director, KSPH	
11.35AM – 12.00 PM	Dr. Debasis Dash, BRIC-ILS, Bhubaneswar
12.00 PM – 12.25 PM	Prof. Xingzhi Xu, Shenzhen University, China
12.25PM-12.50 PM	Prof Arindam Maitra, BRIC-NIBMG, Kolkata
12.50 PM-01.15 PM	Dr. C V Srikanth, BRIC-RCB, Faridabad
Lunch Break (01.15 PM – 02.15 PM), Outside Auditorium, Campus 11	
Poster Session: Outside Auditorium, Campus11	
(02.15 PM- 03.30 PM)	

Session VI (03.30 PM- 05.30 PM)

Chair: Prof Sudarsan Nanda, Advisor, R&D, KIIT

03.30 PM-03.55 PM	Dr. Manas Santra, BRIC-NCCS, Pune
03.55 PM-04.20 PM	Dr. Vivek Tiwari, IISER, Berhampur
	Tea Break (04.20 PM – 04.35 PM)
04.35 PM-05.00 PM	Prof Gaurisankar Sa, Bose Institute, Kolkata/
05.00 PM-05.15 PM	Dr Rupinder Kaur, AIIMS, Bhopal
05.15 PM-05.30 PM	Dr. Arun Kumar, Mahavir Cancer Sans, Patna
	Session VII (05.30 PM- 06.55 PM)
	Chair: Dr. Rahul Modak, KSBT, KIIT

05.30 PM-05.55 PM	Prof Suresh Alahari, LSUHSC, USA
05.55 PM- 06.10 PM	Prof Rojalin Sahu, KIIT, Bhubaneswar
06.10 PM-06.25 PM	Dr Sanjukta Das, KIIT, Bhubaneswar
06.25 PM-06.40 PM	Dr Tithi Parija, KIIT, Bhubaneswar
06.40 PM-06.55 PM	Dr Dhirodatta Senapati, School of Pharmacy, KIIT
07.00 PM-10.00 PM	Dinner, Outside Auditorium, Campus 11
Day 3, 14thDecember, 2025, Venue: KIIT University, Auditorium, Campus No. 7	

09.30AM-10.00AM	Plenary Talk by Prof Mryutanjay Suar, DG, I4 &CEO, TBI, KIIT
	Session VIII (10.00 AM-11.35 AM) Chair: Dr Thithi Parija, KSBT, KIIT
10.00PM -10.25AM	Prof Jagat Kanwar, AIIMS, Bhopal
10.25 AM-10.50 AM	Dr Rupesh Dash, BRIC-ILS, Bhubaneswar
10.50 AM-11.05 AM	Dr Chiranjib Chakraborty, Adamas University, Kolkata
11.05 AM-11.20 AM	Dr. Bhavana Tiwari, IISER, Berhampur
11.20 AM-11.35 AM	Dr Manjusha Dikshit, NISER, Bhubaneswar
Tea Break (11.35 AM – 11.50 AM)	
Session IX (11.50 AM- 01.10 PM) Chair: Dr. M. Giri, KSBT, KIIT	
11.50 AM-12.15 PM	Prof N K Mehra, AIIMS, New Delhi
12.15 PM -12.40 PM	Prof Ashok Sharma, AIIMS, New Delhi
12.40 PM-12.55 PM	Dr Selvakumar Elangovan, KSBT, KIIT
12.55 PM-01.10 PM	Dr Bandita Panda, KIMS, KIIT

Lunch Break (01.10 PM – 02.10 PM), Kunjaban, Outside Auditorium, Campus 7	
Session X (02.10 PM- 04.00 PM) Chair: Dr N C Bal, KSBT, KIIT	
02.10 PM -02.35 PM	Dr Amit Ghosh, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar
02.35 PM-02.50 PM	Dr Anushya Raychoudhury, IIT, Bhubaneswar
02.50 PM-03.05 PM	Dr Atul Bajoria, KIDS, KIIT, Bhubaneswar
03.05 PM-03.20 PM	Dr. Suryendu Saha, KSBT, KIIT, Bhubaneswar
03.20 PM-03.35 PM	Ms Shamima Ansari, BRIC-ILS, Bhubaneswar
03.35 PM-04.00 PM	Valedictory Program & Poster Prize Distribution

04.00 PM-04.20 PM	Tea Break
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