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8th JANUARY, 2026

VENUE: Conference Hall, 4th Floor, Science Campus

Registration: 08.00 – 10.00 a.m.

INAUGURAL SESSION

10.30 – 12.00 noon	Welcome Address
	Dr. K. LANGESWARAN Organizing Secretary
	Presidential Address
	Col. Sr. Prof. G. RAVI Vice Chancellor, Alagappa University
	Inaugural Address
	Sr. Prof. C. SEKAR Member of Syndicate, Alagappa University
	Felicitation Address
	Sr. Prof. J. JEYAKANTHAN Dean, Faculty of Science, Alagappa University
	Thematic Address
	Prof. G. ASHOK Faculty of Microbiology, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Director, Centre for Botanicals and Clinical Research (CBCR) QIU, Ipoh, Perak, Malaysia
	Special Address
	Prof. RAMENDRA PATI PANDEY Dy. Dean(R&D), In-charge Director, D Y Patil University, Pune
	Keynote Address
	Dr. ARUMUGAM RAJAVELU Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology, IIT Madras

PLENARY SESSION		
SESSION – I		
12:00 – 12:30 p.m.	Prof. G. ASHOK Professor, Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, Director, Centre for Botanicals and Clinical Research, Malaysia Title: Botanical Drug Development: Bridging Traditional Knowledge and Modern Biomedicine	Chair Person Dr. B. ANANDAN University of Madras
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	Prof. NOOR A. SHAIK Department of Genetic Medicine, Princess Al- Jawhara Al-Brahim Centre of Excellence in Research of Hereditary Disorders, Faculty of Medicine, King Abdulaziz University, Jeddah Title: Whole exome sequencing: opportunities and challenges	
1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Dr. ARUMUGAM RAJAVELU Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology, IIT Madras Title: Epigenome methods for infectious and Chronic Diseases research	
1:30 – 02:30 p.m.	LUNCH	
SESSION – II		
02:30 – 03:00 p.m.	Prof. RAMENDRA PATI PANDEY Dy. Dean(R&D), Director (i/c), D Y Patil University, Pune Title: Drug Repurposing in Chagas Disease	Chair Person Dr. S. Gowtham Kumar Chettinad Hospital & Research Institute, Chennai
03:00 – 03:30 p.m.	Prof. B. GANESH Scientist-E, ICMR- National Institute of Epidemiology, Chennai Title: Developments and Updates in Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases of Public Health Importance - the need for newer cutting-edge technologies...	
03:30 – 04:00 p.m.	Dr. D. PRABU Assistant Professor and Head i/c, Department of Microbiology, University of Madras Title: Probiotics – A treasure Hunt	
04:00 – 04:15 p.m.	HIGH TEA	
4.15 p.m.	VALEDICTORY FUNCTION	
Vote of Thanks		