

## OUR VISION

*To inspire young minds and facilitate end-to-end, outcome-focused innovations which align with societal demands for global sustenance using technical advancements in the field of Science and Technology*

### Important Dates

Preliminary  
Registration Deadline  
31<sup>st</sup> December, 2017

Abstract Submission Deadline  
25<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

MindSpar (Phase I)  
29<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

MindSpar (Phase II)  
15<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

SnapRap  
15<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

Amalgam  
16<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

### Patron

Dr. P. Hemalatha Reddy  
Principal, SVC

### “Lab2Life”

#### Convener

Dr. Shalini Sen

#### Co-Conveners

Dr. Nimisha Sinha

Dr. Ravindra Varma Polisetty

### “MindSpar”

#### Conveners

Dr. Nandita Narayanasamy

Dr. Vandana Malhotra

#### Treasurer

Dr. Kameshwar Sharma

#### Organizing Committee

Dr. Meenakshi Kuhar

Dr. N. Latha

Dr. Anju Kaicker

Dr. Nitika Kaushal

Dr. Sarika Yadav

Dr. Meeta Bhardwaj

#### Catalysis: Biochemical Society

President: Mehar Monga

Vice-President: Shivam Maurya

Secretary: Aishwarya V

Treasurer: Sakshi Jindal

Chief Editor: Mohd. Areeb

#### MindSpar representatives

Mehar Monga (9650192849)

Naintara Jain

#### SnapRap representatives

Rohan Kapoor (9999993190)

Harsh Bhakhri

#### Amalgam representatives

Abhinav Pokhriyal (7503631866)

Astha Purwar

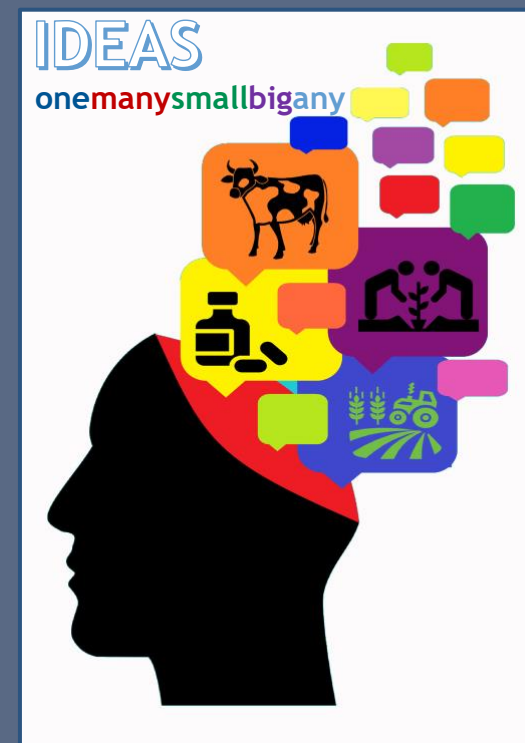
# Lab2Life

A Symposium on Translational  
Science

15-16 February, 2018

Organized by

Department of Biochemistry  
Sri Venkateswara College  
University of Delhi



## About the Department

It has been 25 years since the Department of Biochemistry, Sri Venkateswara College sent out their first batch of undergraduates into the world of scientific research and opportunities; apprehensive of how they would survive. We are happy to say that today we look back with a great sense of pride.

The teaching in the department commenced from a time when standardization of simple experiments was an uphill task and has now evolved to a laboratory scenario wherein, innovative projects have become a routine. This academically fulfilling journey for both teachers and students has made us teachers realize the importance of inculcating in students the ability to think beyond the curriculum towards implementing classroom teaching to real life situations. Our focus on education has never been pure academics, infact our strength lies in sensitizing our students to global challenges and inspiring them to ideate innovative solutions for improving quality of life. Indeed, alumni of the department are spread worldwide in good positions and in fields ranging from pure academics (20%) and research (50%) to industry (16%). Our highlights are several entrepreneurial ventures and students involved in translation research.

Our achievements are accentuated by the activities of the Biochemical society, "Catalysis". The society has played a pivotal role in providing a platform for students to express, explore and experience the joy of science. These 3 E's are fulfilled through the release of "Expressions", an annual departmental magazine that is a unique blend of scientific information and creativity and, Amalgam, a mixed bag quiz that is not only provocative but triggers analytical thinking of science behind daily life events namely kitchen chemistry, wonders in nature etc. In tune with the changing pattern of education, there is a need to introduce a theme that connects science to life hence the conception of *Lab2Life*.

*" Logic will get you from A to Z;  
Imagination will get you everywhere "*

- *Albert Einstein*

## About the Symposium

*Basic science is "Revolutionary" and Applied Science is "Evolutionary" - Daniel Koshland on Translational Science.*

"Lab2Life" symposium organized by the Department of Biochemistry, Sri Venkateswara College, aims to bring together accomplished scientists from various disciplines of sciences such as clinical research, agricultural research, dairy and food processing, environmental science and digital electronics to share their lab to life experiences with students.

As a novel initiative, we present *MindSpar*, an ideathon competition that will motivate and empower young minds to come up with innovative ideas as solutions for pressing societal problems related to pollution, health, environment, food industry and the digital world. *MindSpar* is open to all undergraduate students from various colleges and universities across Delhi NCR.

To amalgamate science and music, the symposium introduces *SnapRap*, an event to encourage youngsters to create *rap lyrics* based on scientific knowledge. Last but not the least, our annual feature magazine *Expressions* offers creative insights of our students and *Amalgam*, a popular inter-college quiz, promises exciting rounds full of adrenaline rush.

We encourage everyone to participate in this symposium .... come, think and create !

Conveners

## Participation Guidelines

The symposium is open to all undergraduate students. Registration for *Amalgam* and *SnapRap* is free. Interested teams can register for *MindSpar* by paying Rs. 500/Team (Rs. Five hundred only). Visit the college website ([www.svc.ac.in](http://www.svc.ac.in)) or contact us for details.

## Registration Process

Online link for registration: <https://goo.gl/MZpPS3>  
The registration form can be downloaded from the college website ([www.svc.ac.in](http://www.svc.ac.in)) and mailed to [svc.ideathon@gmail.com](mailto:svc.ideathon@gmail.com) latest by 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2017.

## Payment Mode

Payment can be made in favor of "Principal, Sri Venkateswara College" payable at Delhi through Demand Draft or NEFT/RTGS. Kindly mention "Lab2Life" under remarks. Demand draft should be submitted to the Dept. of Biochemistry, SVC.

## Details for NEFT transactions

Name of the Bank: Andhra Bank  
Branch: South Campus  
Account #: 136210011005005  
IFSC code: ANDB0001362

Last date for payment: 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

## Contact Us

Department of Biochemistry  
Sri Venkateswara College  
Benito Juarez Marg  
Dhaura Kuan, New Delhi-21  
Phone: 011-29112196 (ext 229), 9350741848

Email: [svc.ideathon@gmail.com](mailto:svc.ideathon@gmail.com)  
[catalysis15@gmail.com](mailto:catalysis15@gmail.com)

Website: [www.svc.ac.in](http://www.svc.ac.in)