

Pulmocon – 2025

Organised by: Institute of Pulmocare & Research

Program Schedule

13th and 14th of September 2025

Venue: CII Suresh Neotia, DC- 36, Sector – 1, Salt Lake City, (Behind City Centre), Kolkata – 64

Preconference evening workshop on 12-09-2025

Time	Topic	Speaker	Chairperson	Panellist
Pre-conference evening WORKSHOP (on 12/09/25) Time: 6 pm onward	Workshop: ‘AI in medical practice and research’	Dr Suvrankar Datta Dr Prantar Chakraborty		
	Introduction: AI in clinical practice – Opportunities & limitations			
	Case-based demos: AI in chest imaging and documentation			
	AI for medical research – literature, data analysis			
	Group activity – identifying top practice challenges and AI solutions			
	Clinical risks, bias, and safety considerations			
	Building with AI: Hands-on session with accessible AI tools for clinicians			
	Panel Q & A and key take aways			

Day 1: 13-09-2025 (Hall A)

10:00 – 10:02	<i>Welcome address</i>			
10:02 – 11:30 (88 mins)	<i>Inauguration, APC Roy Award and Dr S N De Memorial Oration:</i>	Prof. Suman Chakraborty Dr Sundeep Salvi	Dr Dhiman Ganguly Dr Parthasarathi Bhattacharyya Dr Avishek Kar	
11:30 – 11:45	Tea break			
11:45 – 01:15 (90 mins)	Extra pulmonary tuberculosis: (15 minutes each) Mycobacterial skin infection Genitourinary tuberculosis Eyes: tuberculosis & related issues Caries spine and musculoskeletal tuberculosis Panel discussion with Q & A	Dr Satyaki Ganguly Dr Debansu Sarkar Dr Santanu Mondal Dr Goutam Guha	Coordinator: Dr Supriya Sarkar	Dr Somnath Kundu Dr Ashok Sengupta Dr Surajit Chatterjee Dr. Priyajit Jena
01:15 – 02:15 (60 mins)	Lunch			
02:15 – 03:45 (90 mins)	Symposium on small airway diseases			
	What does ‘small airways’ mean (4 minutes)	Sayanti Karmakar	Dr Sushmita Roychoudhury	Dr. Akshit Gupta Dr. Subhankar Chakraborty Dr. Soumya Sengupta Dr Ritabrata Mitra
	Understanding Small airway diseases 8 minutes)	Dr Parthasarathi Bhattacharyya		
	Case based discussion (case 5 minutes, talk 7 minutes for each session) (48 minutes)			
	a) SAD asthma: how much do we know ?	Dr Angira Dasgupta		
	b) COPD: influence and implications of SAD	Dr Sivaresmi Unnithan		
	c) Understanding SAD in ILD: where we are ?	Dr Parthasarathi Bhattacharyya		
	d) SAD in other chronic and acute lung diseases:	Dr Sudip Ghosh		
	Panel discussion (30 minutes)			
03:45- 04:00	Tea break			
04:00—04:30 (30 mins)	Session on Medical ethics: Medical ethical issues in practice - Topic based debate followed by discussion	Dr Krishnendu Mukherjee	Person Person Dr Krishnendu Mukherjee	
04:30—05:45 (75 mins)	Treatable traits in ILD (15 mins) “Face the Case”: ILD – (2 cases)	Dr Debraj Jash Dr Sushmita Roychowdhury / Dr Sivaresmi Unnithan IPCR Team	Dr Suranjan Mukherjee	Dr Debraj Jash Dr. Sumit Sharma Dr Sivaresmi Unnithan Dr Amitava Sengupta Dr Saibal Ghosh

Day 1: 13-09-2025 (Hall B)				
10:00 – 11:30 (90 mins)	Welcome address Inauguration, APC Roy Award and Dr. S N De Memorial Oration	At Hall A		
11:45 – 01:15 (90 mins) Workshop	Workshop on allergy, evaluation & treatment (phase I)	Dr Saibal Moitra Dr Daniel Jefferson Dr Indranil Halder Dr Nihar Ranjan Misra	Coordinator: Dr. Saibal Moitra	
01:15 – 02:15 (60 mins)	Lunch			
02:15 – 03:45 (90 mins) Workshop	Workshop on allergy, evaluation & treatment (phase II)	Dr Saibal Moitra Dr Daniel Jefferson Dr Indranil Halder Dr Nihar Ranjan Misra	Coordinator: Dr. Saibal Moitra	
03:45 – 04:00	Tea break			
04:00 – 04:45 (45 mins) Quiz	National Pulmo Quiz (elimination round)	Quiz master: Dr Arindam Mukherjee, Dr Debopam Chatterjee, Dr. Akshit Gupta, Dr Promita Barua		
Day 2: 14-09-25 (Hall A)				
10:00 – 11:30 (90 mins)	COPD: some new & interesting issues (each 15 plus 5 minutes)	Speaker	Coordinator:	Expert panellist:
	a) Smoker vs non-smoker COPD: our research on question and answers	Debkanya De and Dr Avishek Kar	Dr Sumit Sengupta	Dr Shelly Shamim Dr Sourav Maji Dr Saibal Ghosh Dr Tarasankar Malik Dr Ashok Sengupta
	b) Cardio-vascular issues of a COPD	Dr Ranjan Kumar Sharma		
	c) Precision Therapy in COPD: what is new?	Dr Parthasarathi Bhattacharyya		
	d) Echocardiography in Chronic respiratory diseases	Dr Aniruddha De		
11:30 – 11:45	Tea break			
11:45—12:45 (60 min)	Clinical pearls in allergy and immunotherapy : case-based approach 15 minutes each)	Speaker	Chair	Panel
	Allergic airway disease- pearls and pitfalls	Dr P A Mahesh	Dr Indranil Haldar	Dr Saibal Moitra Dr Samadarshi Dutta Dr Saumya Das Dr Sanjukta Dey
	Chronic urticaria- diagnostic dilemmas	Dr Neeraj Gupta		
	Drug allergies in the context of Respiratory disease	Dr Daniel Jefferson		
	Q + A (15 minutes)			
12:45 - 01:00 (15 min)	Approach to case of pulmonary eosinophilia	Dr A G Ghoshal	Dr Raja Dhar	
01:00 - 01:15 (15 min)	Innovations in day-to-day practice: 2 chair test	IPCR team (Wrick Chakraborty, Dr P S Bhattacharyya, Dr. Avishek Kar)	Dr Raja Dhar	
01:15 – 01:45 (30 mins)	Igniting innovations in young mind: a talk by a renowned scientist	Dr. Suman Chakraborty	Dr Parthasarathi Bhattacharyya	
01:45 – 02:45 (60 mins)	Lunch			
02:45 – 03:15 (30 mins) Quiz	National Pulmo Quiz (Final round)	Quiz master: Dr Arindam Mukherjee, Dr Debopam Chatterjee, Dr. Akshit Gupta, Dr Promita Barua		
03:15--03.45 (30 mins)	Evaluating a prospective OSA case: moving beyond STOP-BANG Panel discussion (15 minutes)	Dr Avishek Kar	Dr Arup Haldar	Dr. Archana Mallick Dr. Debashis Behera Dr. Nishith Kumar

03:45- 04:55 (70 mins)	Miscellaneous issues in pulmonary medicine (10 minutes each)		Coordinator:	Dr Arnasis Hota Dr Somnath Mitra Dr Nandini Banerjee Dr Leena Mistry
	Molecular diagnosis of infection in pulmonology	Dr Debabani Biswas	Dr Pawan Agarwal	
	Regular vaccines for CLD: practical information	Dr Aratrika Das		
	Role of PET in non-malignant lung diseases	Dr Soumendranath Ray		
	Perfusion scan: importance and interpretations	Dr Debasish Chowdhury		
	Panel discussion: (30 minutes)			
04:55—05:05	Tea break			
5:05 - 5:30 (25 min)	Diagnostic riddle: a case of shortness of breath	Dr Chandan Shit	Dr Sanjoy Gupta Dr Anirban Sarkar	
05:30—06:30 (60 mins)	Interventional Pulmo 3 cases & Panel	Dr Shyam Krishnan, Dr Arindam Mukherjee Dr Ankan Bandoparhyay	Coordinator: Dr Raja Dhar	Dr Ankan Bandopadhyay Dr Debraj Jash Dr Ranjan Das Dr Sujan Bardhan Dr Girish Agrawal
06:30 onwards	Awards (Quiz, poster) and valedictory session			
Day 2: 14-09-25 (Hall B)				
10:15 – 11:30 (75 mins)	Poster presentation	Judges: Dr P A Mahesh, Dr Angira Dasgupta Dr Somnath Kundu, Dr Ayush Goel, Dr. Arnab Maji		
11:30 – 11:45 (15 mins)	Tea break			
11:45 – 01:45 (120 mins)	Platform presentation	Judges: Dr P A Mahesh, Dr Angira Dasgupta Dr Somnath Kundu , Dr Ayush GoelDr. Arnab Maji		
01:15 – 02:15 (60 mins)	Lunch			
02:15 – 04:15 (120 minutes)	Mini Workshop: Meeting the challenges in learning Biostatistics by Medical Professionals	IPCR team with other faculty members	Co-ordinator: Dr. Moumita Chatterjee	

Workshop 1 on AI	Workshop 2 on Allergy	Mini Workshop	TB	COPD	ILD	SAD	Allergy	Ethics	Research	Quiz	Miscellaneous
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