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Top 5 among Private Dental Colleges



Top 10 among All India Dental Colleges

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- 1 Conference
- 2 Textbooks

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GREETINGS

The Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge has the pleasure of publishing this issue of Communiqué chronicling the events that have taken place in July-October 2021. As a constituent institution of Manipal Academy of Higher Education, we have always strived to be the best in our domain while nurturing our talents. We firmly believe that true success stems from the overall development of the individual.

Despite the pandemic, we have successfully and innovatively conducted all academic, curricular and co-curricular activities and have showcased them in this issue!

I would like to thank the faculty and postgraduate students of the department who have helped in compiling this issue with special thanks to

Dr. Puneeth Hegde for artfully and succinctly designing this newsletter.

Hope all of you will enjoy browsing through this issue of Communiqué!

Dr. Thilak Shetty
(Professor & Head)



POST-LOCKDOWN, WE ARE BACK STRONGER

The month of July was really a challenging time for us with students coming back to campus after extended lockdowns. Parents, students, as well as the staffs were all apprehensive regarding the future. But as we look back, we have realised, how well we have dealt with the situation.

Amidst the rise and surge of Covid cases, we successfully conducted the theory as well as the practical exams for our undergraduate students by following all necessary protocols. We are glad our students performed very well in those exams.

One of the highlights during the month of October was the SCORE 3.0 which is a student conference for the undergraduate students organized by the MAHESRF M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore. The conference had more than 500 national and international delegates and world renowned speakers. The conference had preconference courses, lectures, quiz, panel discussions etc.



Dr. Prasanna Neelakantan
 MDS, PhD (Amsterdam), FISDR, MFDS RCPS (Glasgow), FHEA
 Clinical Assistant Professor in Endodontics,
 Assistant Dean (Research and Innovation) Faculty of
 Dentistry
 The University of Hong Kong
 Delivered a keynote lecture on “**Career Cross- Roads:
 Should I choose the research path?**”



Dr. Radhika Chigurupati
 Associate Professor
 Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery; Director of Quality Control and
 Patient Safety Officer, Boston University
 Delivered the guest lecture on the topic “**Artificial Intelligence**”



Dr. Suresh Nayar
 Associate Professor University of Alberta
 Institute for Reconstructive Science in Medicine,
 Edmonton, Canada
 Delivered the guest lecture on the topic “**Future and
 Advances in Prosthodontics**”



Dr. Sorabh Kapoor
 Senior Clinical Project Manager
 IQVIA, Ireland
 Delivered a guest lecture on the topic “**Clinical Research
 Processes and Functions**”



Dr. Sherry Peter
 Senior Consultant, Craniomaxillofacial Surgeon,
 Aster Medcity, Kochi, Kerala
 Spoke on the topic “**Past, Present and Future of Oral and Maxillofacial
 Surgery**”



Dr. Arun Shanbhag
 Professor of Biomedical Engineering
 Chief Innovation Officer, Manipal Academy of Higher Education
 Delivered a guest lecture on the topic “**Roadside Fisherwomen and
 Design-thinking Principles A Brainstorming Speed Workshop**”

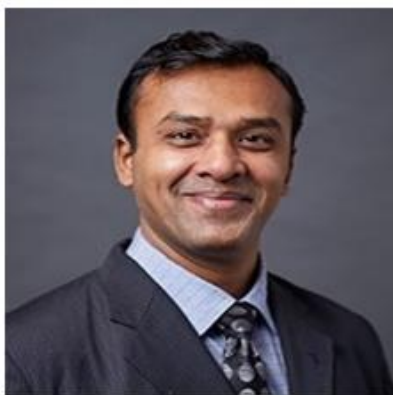
The **MAHE Student Research Forum (MAHESRF)** hosted their very first virtual international student conference titled **SCORE 3.0** for all healthcare undergraduates from 27th to 29th October 2021. The conference had enthusiastic participation from international delegates as well as colleges from all over India, with over 500 registrations from 60 dental colleges. The conference was accredited with a total of 48 CDE points by the KSDC and was in partnership with ICHAMS.



SCORE 3.0



**MANIPAL COLLEGE
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Dr. Manthan Janodia

Professor and Head, Pharmacy Management,
Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences
"Understanding Intellectual Property Rights"



Dr. George Paul MDS, DNB, LLB

Chairman and Member Secretary- Independent
Ethics Committee
Director Sharon Cancer Centre & Palliative Hospital.
"Legal and Ethical Issues in Health Care"



Dr. Peddi Shanmukh Srinivas

Research Associate / CEO and Co-Founder
Indian Institute of Science, Theranautilus Private
Limited
"ANTMAN: From Fiction to Reality"



Dr. Animesh Jain

Professor, Community Medicine
Kasturba Medical College,
Mangalore
"Publication Ethics"



Dr. Shalini Aiyappa

Assistant Professor and Head
Department of Psychology,
St Aloysius College, Mangalore.
"Stress Management"



Dr. Ciraj Ali Mohammed

Professor of Microbiology
Deputy Director, CCEID, MAHE Course
Director, MAHE-FAIMER
"Team Building"



Dr. Ankur Agrawal

Global Health Policy Lead;
Chief Clinical Safety Officer, Google L.L.C
*"Digital Health: Opportunities and
Challenges"*



Anil D'Souza

Associate Professor
Department of Business & Management
Christ University
"Inter-Personal Conflict Management"



Dr. Vinay Kumar

Co-Founder, Director and CEO
PathShodh Healthcare
"Entrepreneurship"

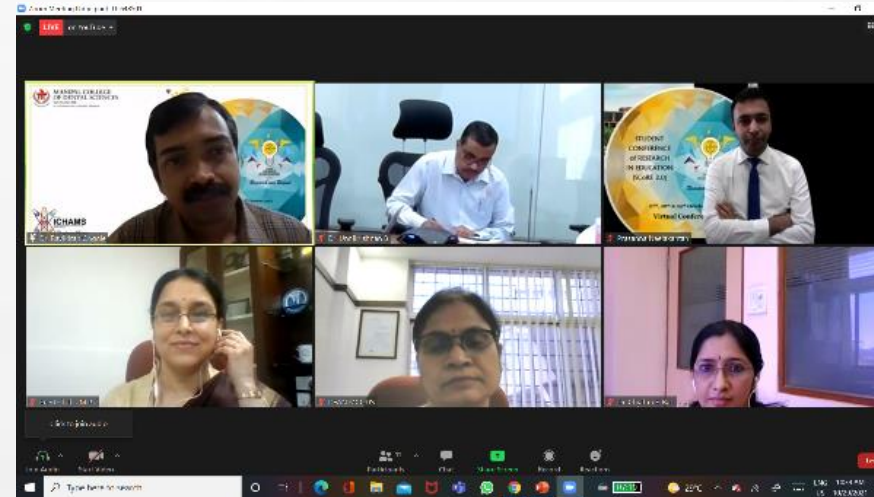
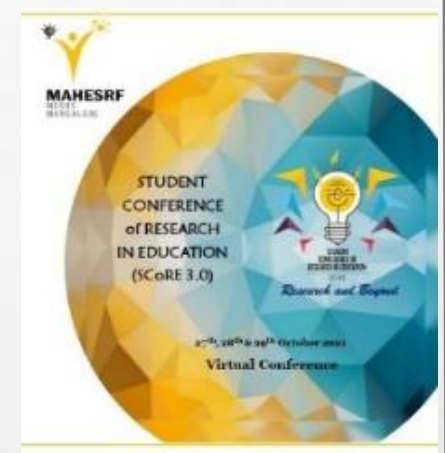
PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

RESOURCE PERSONS

CBCT: AN EYE FOR THE UNSEEN	DR. JUNAID AHMED & DR. NANDITA SUJIR
ADVANCED LITERATURE SEARCH, REFERENCING, PLAGIARISM CHECK	DR. RAMYA SHENOY & DR. APARNA K
TELL TALE TEETH 2021: ANALYSIS OF BITEMARKS IN FORENSIC CASEWORK	DR. SRIKANT, DR. CEENA, DR. NANDITA, DR. NIDHIN, DR. SHWETA
“BAND WITH THE BEST”: A STEP-BY-STEP CLINICAL GUIDE TO FABRICATE A BLUE GRASS APPLIANCE	DR. NIDHIIN PHILIP & DR. ASAVARI DESAI
BIOPSY PROCEDURE & FIX IT UP	DR. JOANNA & DR. JEFFERSON
CompArt: TIPS AND TRICKS IN DIRECT POSTERIOR COMPOSITE RESTORATION	DR. LAXMISH , DR. SREELAKSHMI, DR. MRINALINI
ART AND SCIENCE OF PERIODONTAL FLAP SURGERY	DR. SANGEETA
ORBITAL PROSTHESIS	DR. PUNEETH & DR. PRASHANTH
INSIGHTS INTO CAD-CAM: A DEMONSTRATION	DR. SHOBHA RODRIGUES



**MORE
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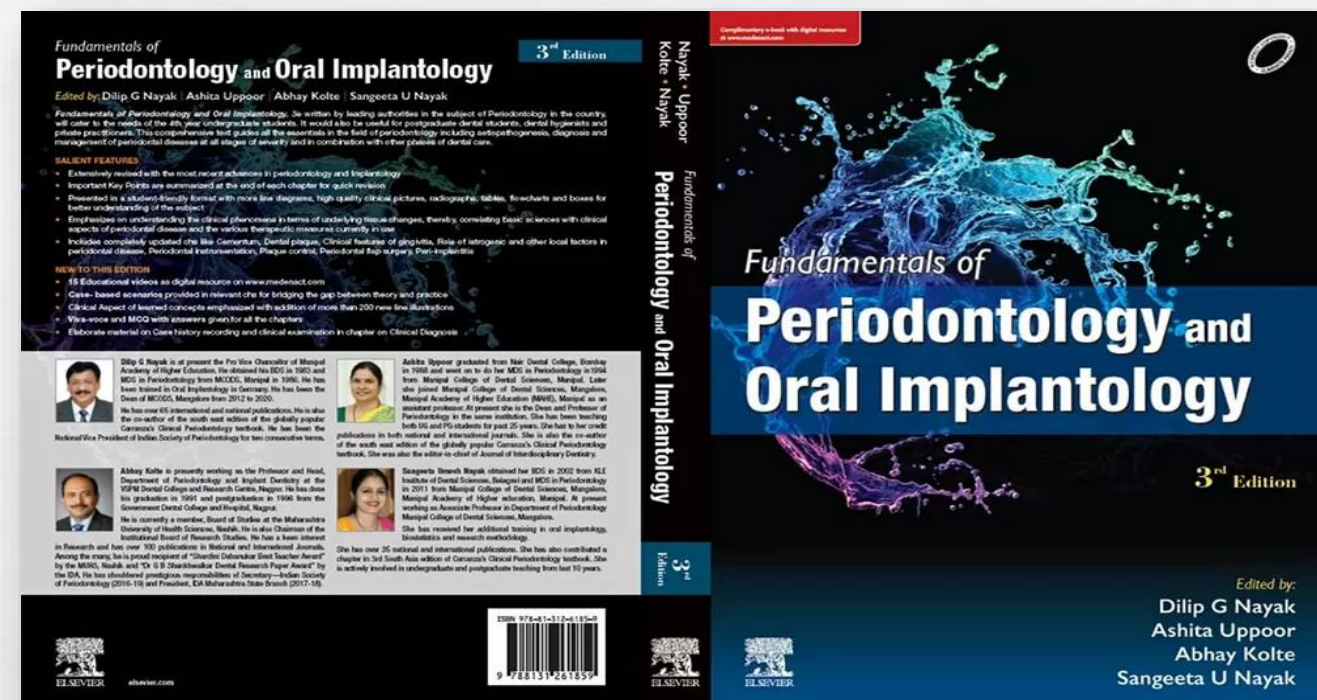
A panel discussion on the topic **“Importance and Implementation of Research in Undergraduate Curriculum”** was conducted as part of the SCORE 3.0 conference on 29th October. The members of the panel were **Dr. Keerthilatha.M.Pai**, Dean M.C.O.D.S, Manipal, **Dr. Ashitha Uppoor**, Dean M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore, **Dr. Unnikrishnan B**, **Dr. Prasanna Neelakantan** and **Dr. Chythra R Rao**. The event was moderated by **Dr. Ravikiran Ongole**, Professor & Head, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

Dr. Siddharth Shetty, Professor, Department of Orthodontics, was the quiz master for the event that was exclusive for delegates of SCORE 3.0. More than 25 teams consisting of 4 students each, participated in this event and was very well appreciated by all.

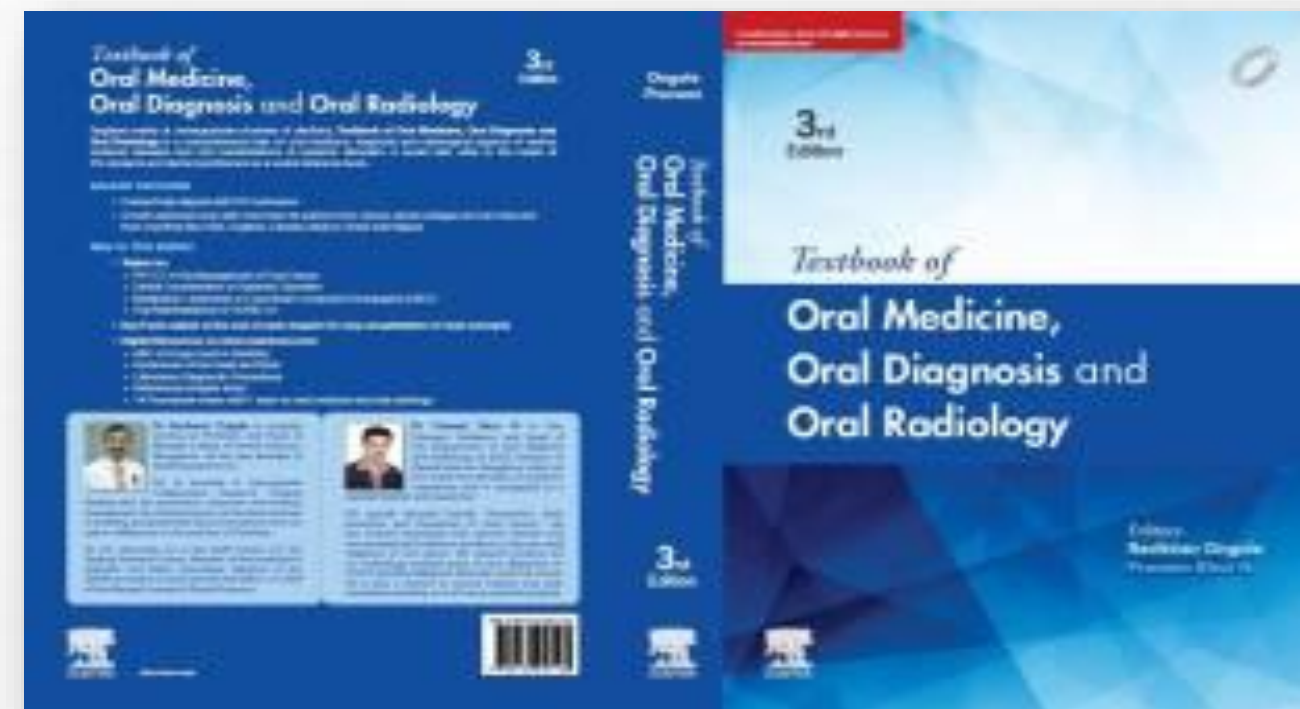


Dr. Karthik Shetty, Professor & Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, conducted an exciting Panel Discussion for the student delegates. The event received an overwhelming response by all the participants.

WORKSHOPS @ SCORE 3.0



The third edition of highly acclaimed “Fundamentals of Periodontology and Oral Implantology” was successfully launched. The book has been edited by our faculties Dr. Dilip G Naik, Dr. Ashita Uppoor and Dr.Sangeeta Umesh Nayak.



The third edition of the most sought after text book on Oral Medicine, Oral Diagnosis and Oral Radiology by Dr.Ravikiran Ongole was released.

TEXT BOOKS
PUBLISHED

Dr Karthik Shetty, Professor & Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, won the best paper prize for his Research Paper titled ‘Evaluation of the Root and Canal Morphology of the Maxillary First Premolars in an Indian Dravidian Subpopulation using Cone-beam Computed Tomography ‘presented on 31st July 2021 at the IFEA (International Federation of Endodontic Association Conference).



Dr. Srikant .N. Professor & Head Department of Oral Pathology & Microbiology, won the Second prize in paper presentation for the paper titled “3 D Geomorphometric shape analysis” presented at the 18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology – Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology” held on 25th and 26th September 2021, organized by Department of Forensic Medicine, GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai.



Dr. Suprabha B.S, Professor and Head, Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry delivered a Guest Lecture on the topic “Is the Manuscript Aligned to the Journal Scope/Priority?” at the Reviewer’s Training Workshop titled “Effective Peer Review” organized by the Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry in association with Panineeya Institute of Dental Sciences & Research Centre, Hyderabad, Telangana from 23rd to 24th October 2021.



AWARDS AND ACCOLADES



Dr. Ashwini Rao, Professor, Public Health Dentistry, has been selected for the sponsorship of the registration fees for the leadership summit on tobacco control, a virtual event hosted by the “18th world conference on tobacco or health”. Her article titled “the scare 2020 guideline: updating consensus surgical case report (scare) guidelines” published in the international journal of surgery has reached more than 1000 citations



Team consisting of **Dr. Supriya Nambiar, Professor and Head, Dr. Sakshi Sachdeva**, Post Graduate Student and **Dr. Collin Robert**, Post Graduate Student from the **Department of Orthodontics**, won the silver medal in their innovation (International Post graduate category) and won the second place among the overall innovations at the International Medical Innovation Competition 2021 (IMIC 2021) “MEDInnovation2021” organized by Faculty of Medicine, Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM), Sungai Buloh Campus, Selangor, Malaysia in the month of August 2021.



Dr. Ramya Shenoy, Professor & Head and Dr. Shushma Rao, Post graduate student, **Department of Public Health Dentistry**, were awarded with “Best Practice Award “ by the Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry for the year 2021.



Dr Nandita K.P, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Pathology & Microbiology, won the First prize in the Best Scientific e-Poster titled “Novel Method of Stature Estimation Utilizing Anthropometric Measurements in Indian Population “at the 8th International e-conference on Forensic Medicine & Toxicology conducted on 28th and 29th August 2021.



Dr. Ashith M.V, Associate Professor, Department of Orthodontics was the resource person at the national cleft and craniofacial orthodontic symposium held at A.B.Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences, Mangalore between 2nd & 3rd August. Dr. Ashith also gave guest lectures at 55th Indian Orthodontic society Conference and IDA Puttur branch. At the 54th Indian Orthodontic Society Conference that was held between 24th to 26th August, he won the prestigious Neeta Bhagtani award for his paper titled innovation in appliance design to optimize the treatment outcome in nasoalveolar moulding.



Dr. Aparna KS, Senior Lecturer, Department of Public Health Dentistry, was awarded with “Faculty Grant Award“ by the Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry for the year 2021.



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Dr Madhu Keshava Bangera, PhD Research Scholar, Dept. of Dental Materials, won the First place in scientific paper presentation titled “Flexure failure analysis of antimicrobial silver nanoparticles reinforced”, presented at WEBCON season 2 virtual National Dental Conference organized by Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, KIIT Deemed to be university, Bhubaneshwar in association with IDA Temple City branch and NSS bureau KIIT on 29th July 2021 to 31st July 2021.



Dr. Ananthu and Dr. Megha J Nair from the **Department of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry**, MCOADS, Mangalore were awarded 2nd prize in the e-poster competition conducted by the director of student affairs, MAHE Manipal.



Dr. Anwesa Saha, Second year, Post graduate student, **Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology**, MCOADS, Mangalore won the First prize in paper presentation for her paper titled “Efficacy of Mastoid Morphometry in Sex Determination using CBCT” presented at the “18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology – Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology” held on 25th and 26th September 2021, organized by Department of Forensic Medicine, GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai.



Dr. Mohana Bhoraskar, Final year post-graduate student, **Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology**, MCOADS, Mangalore won the Second prize in paper presentation for the paper titled “Morphometric and Volumetric Evaluation of Maxillary Sinus as an aid in Sex Determination in Forensic Odontology” presented at the “18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology – Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology” held on 25th and 26th September 2021, organized by Department of Forensic Medicine, GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai.



Dr. Aishwarya Raj, 2nd year Post Graduate student from the **Department of Public Health Dentistry**, MCOADS, Mangalore has been awarded the ‘Best Poster Award’ in “General Category” at the 25th IAPHD National Conference held on 18-21 November, 2021. The poster was done under the guidance of Dr. Mithun Pai, Associate Professor of **Public Health Dentistry**, MCOADS, Mangalore.



Dr. Urbashi Roy Chowdhury, 2nd year post graduate student, from the **Department of Periodontology**, MCOADS, Mangalore has been awarded the consolation prize in the E-poster competition held at the 45th National Conference organized by the Indian society of Periodontology on the topic “Evolution of platelet concentrate.”



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Dr. Amrita Kaur Bhumra ,Intern, MCODS, Mangalore received a merit award for securing first position in the subject of periodontology in the academic year 2020. The award is given by Indian Society of Periodontology.



Dr. Mridula Jain and Dr. Boothapaty Jason, Interns, MCODS Mangalore were awarded with “Undergraduate Grant Award “ for the proposal titled “ Impact of Covid-19 on Accessibility to Elective Dental Care among Older adults -A qualitative study ” by the Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry for the year 2021. This project was proposed under the guidance of **Dr. Ramya Shenoy**. Department of Public Health Dentistry

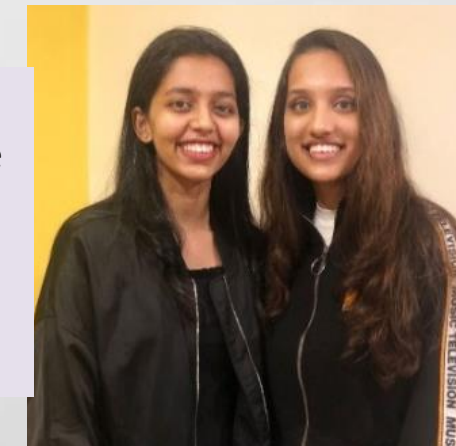


Dr. Manpreeth.M. Intern, MCODS, Mangalore, won the Second prize for her paper presentation titled “Morphometric variation of coronoid, condyle and sigmoid notch of Mandible in personal identification in South Indian Population” at 18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology – Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology” held on 25th and 26th September 2021, organized by Department of Forensic Medicine, GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai.

Dr.Samreen Fatima Dr.Purva Rasane, Interns, MCODS, Mangalore won the First prize each for their paper presentations titled “Age Estimation using the Crypt to tooth ratio: A novel technique for estimating the age of adolescents” in their respective sessions at 18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology – Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology” held on 25th and 26th September 2021, organized by Department of Forensic Medicine, GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai.



Ms.Rhea Fernandes & Ms.Simran Gupta, UG students, MCODS, Mangalore won the Second prize in their respective sessions of paper presentation for their research deliberation on “Euclidian Distance Matrix Analysis for Sexual dimorphism in Indian and Nepal population” at 18th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Forensic Odontology – Innovations and Trends in Forensic Odontology” held on 25th and 26th September 2021, organized by Department of Forensic Medicine, GS Medical College and KEM Hospital, Mumbai.



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The Department of Prosthodontics, MCODES, Mangalore collaborated with Dentsply Sirona, India to organize a workshop on “DIGITAL WORKFLOW IN CAD-CAM”. Dr. JOHNSON BANDI, (key opinion leader, Dentsply Sirona) shared his in-depth knowledge on various techniques and concepts necessary for fabrication of implant supported CAD-CAM crowns and bridges.

The Department of Prosthodontics, MCODES, Mangalore organized a continuing dental education program title “THE OTHER SIDE OF COVID-19 AND ITS IMPLICATION IN DENTISTRY”. This webinar program was held through Microsoft teams. The resource person was DR. ROHAN BANDI, ALUMNUS, MDS BATCH of 2012. The speaker who has a keen interest in the topic, had an enriching discussion with the participants regarding the present pandemic and its present implications in our field.



Pedoapp2021: Tongue, Tooth, Jaw, and whole Was organized by the Department of Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry, MCODES, Mangalore on 18th august 2021 on microsoft teams. Dr. Shifa Shamsudeen was the resource person for the event. The webinar provided an insight on the importance of functional analysis, implications of tongue tie on malocclusion, early intervention for sleep disordered breathing and importance of myofunctional exercises on jaw growth and body posture.

The Department of Prosthodontics, MCODES, Mangalore in collaboration with 3M India, organized a workshop titled “Style Italiano” on 9th September. The resource person for the workshop was Dr. Manikya Arabolu. During the workshop Dr. Manikya spoke about the importance of the “Style Italiano” concept and gave a live demonstration of the application of this concept in composite buildup. The workshop was well received by all the participants.



The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics, MCODES, Mangalore in association with the MCODES Mangalore Orthodontic Alumni Association(MMOAA) hosted the second “Dr. V Surendra Shetty – Dr. Subraya Mogra Endowment Oration” on 5th July, 2021 to honor these two legends in the field of Orthodontics.

The guest orator was Dr. Om Prakash Kharbanda, a world-renowned academician, educator and researcher. He currently serves as the Head, Division of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Deformities and Director, WHO Collaborating Centre. The topic of the oration was “Has MSI changed the orthodontic world? Cases: Biology: Evidence: Future”. Dr. Kharbanda spoke extensively on how the use of MSI has revolutionized orthodontics by allowing complex tooth movements to be carried out with ease.

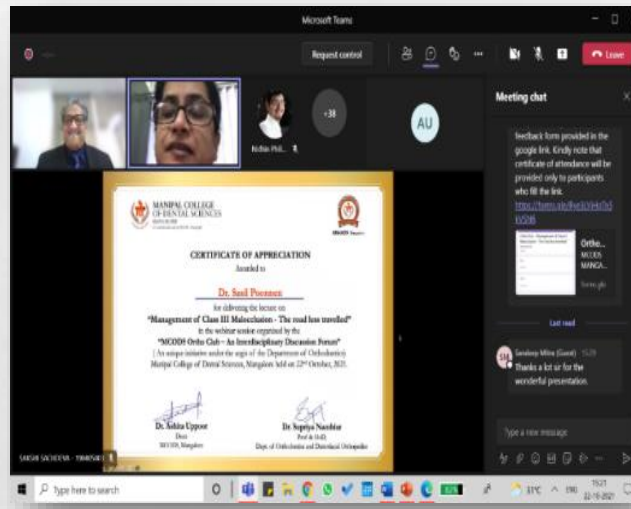


CPD PROGRAMMES

The Department of **Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics**, MCODS, Mangalore successfully conducted the sixth webinar session of the Ortho Club series on the 22nd of October, 2021. The topic of discussion was **“Management of Class III Malocclusions- The road less travelled”**. The resource person for the session was **Dr.Sasil Ponnen**, Former Adjunct Faculty, University of Sharjah. The talk focused on the management of Class III malocclusion and the speaker discussed cases that were managed using various modalities.



Under the banner of “Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav” MCODS Mangalore conducted the **“swachatha hi sewa awareness event”** with regard to plastic waste management on October 22nd 2021. A much needed initiative to phase out single use plastics and raise awareness against it was carried out in the college. The types of single use plastic materials that has been banned was also discussed among the audience.



Institutional Academic Reputation Cell, MCODS, Mangalore in association with Alumni relations MCODS, Mangalore organised a Career guidance program titled **“Dentistry in Canada - The whole Picture”**. This webinar program was held through Microsoft teams. The resource person Dr Pallak Razdan, Alumna, MCODS, Mangalore (batch of 2012). Dr Pallak explained the process of pursuing dental programs in Canada. The program was attended by 50 participants which included interns, postgraduate, and faculty from MCODS, Mangalore.



A webinar titled - **“Bench Test Preparation” (Canadian Dental Schools)** was organized by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, MCODS, Mangalore on 25th September 2021. **Dr. Viral Mehta**, Alumnus MCODS, Mangalore (Batch 2012) discussed the process of pursuing DDS in Canada. He also stressed on bench test preparation and its importance for the DDS admission into various Canadian Dental Schools.



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On August 19th, 2021, the **MAHE Student Research Forum** and Alumni Relations, MCODS, Mangalore, had conducted an event open to current Intern batch of MCODS, Mangalore. The panelists consisting of **Dr. Hussain Lokhandwala** (Batch 2012), **Dr. Abhinav Kathuria** (Batch 2015) , **Dr. Harshhan D** (Batch 2015) and **Dr. Shrishty Bharadwaj** (Batch 2015) spoke about how to prepare for the upcoming NEET exam.



CPD PROGRAMMES



Congratulations **Dr. M.C. Prasanth**, Alumnus batch of 1990, on being appointed as the **Vice-chancellor of the SRK University**. He joined M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore in 1990 and had a memorable and fruitful undergraduate life. After pursuing his post graduation in Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery, he jointly ventured with a group called Nair and Sons to own SPDC Wardha and Jawarharlal Nehru Medical College Wardha. Later he moved to Nagpur and started Nagpur's first 100 bedded hospital and first smile train unit. He then went on to become the dean of RKDF Dental College and served RKDF for 10 years. He is now appointed as the Vice chancellor of SRK University, Bhopal and has officially taken charge on 7th October, 2021.

Congratulations **Dr. Manoj Humagain**, on being appointed as the **Associate Dean of Kathmandu University School of Medicine**. He completed his BDS from Dhaka University, Bangladesh in the year 2003 and obtained his Master's degree in Periodontology from MCOODS, Mangalore in 2008. Thereafter, he joined as faculty, then as Professor and Head of Department of Periodontology and Oral Implantology, Kathmandu University School of Medical Sciences. He is involved as Academic Coordinator, Dental Program Kathmandu University School of Medical Sciences and is the President of the Faculty Welfare Council, Kathmandu University School of Medical Sciences. He has authored various publications in National and International journals.

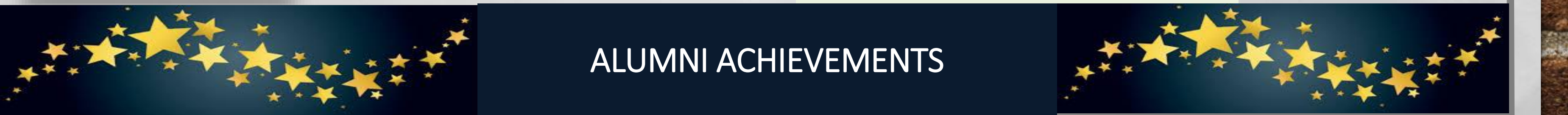


Congratulations **Dr. Shanmukh Srinivas Rao** (alumnus of batch of 2008) on winning the prestigious **Unilever Hatton Award** announced on 22nd July 2021 at IADR Boston global conference. Organized annually by the International Association of Dental Research, the selection of winners in various categories is based on each country sending its representatives from universities like Harvard and UPenn (USA), Karolinska Institut (Sweden), HKU (Hong Kong), Kings and Queen Mary U (UK) and more. Dr. Shanmukh Srinivas Rao represented India through Indian Society for Dental Research (ISDR) and was selected as the winner in the basic science category from 48 finalists. With this, Dr. Shanmukh he became the first in India to win in the basic science category.



Congratulations **Dr. Ankur Agrawal**, batch '93 on being appointed as the **Clinical Safety Officer** and leader of Google's Global Health Policy. After graduation from MCOODS, Mangalore, he completed his M.Sc in Bioinformatics at the University of Exeter, U.K. He then went on to work for a London-based AI company which was later acquired by Google. His current work at Google involves shaping Privacy, Safety and Trust policy for current and future health products and services.




ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENTS

Dr. Nikita Batra

- U.G '08 Batch, P.G '14 Batch
- (Prosthodontics)
- Associate Dentist
- Victoria, Australia



I still remember the time when I came to M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore in the year 2008 as a young girl. It was all overwhelming at the start and I was not sure if I will be happy my career choice. M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore, taught me fundamental basics and drove my passion for the discipline. Department of Prosthodontics at M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore where I completed my post graduation, showed me the way to strive harder and adapt to the lightening speed with which dentistry is growing today. My personality, skills and empathy are few of the many qualities that I have developed during the eight years that I was with M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore. Some of the bonds, I formed with my fellow batch mates, seniors and professors will surely last forever. I will always be grateful to Department of Prosthodontics and M.C.O.D.S, Mangalore for the wonderful time.

Dr. Ann Sales

- U.G '12, P.G '18 Batch
- Senior Lecturer
- MCODS, Mangalore



My journey as a dentist began with MCODS, Mangalore in 2012. I was lucky enough to pursue my B.D.S. and M.D.S. in the same institute. I have been with this institution for the past 8 years and it is my firm belief that MCODS Mangalore is one of the most premium institutes for dentistry in the country. In my five years of under graduation, I realised what it means to have the Manipal Advantage. We have a well-qualified and experienced faculty who showcase a blend of academic experience and clinical exposure. They utilise the latest teaching-techniques, making extensive use of modern technology. Most are members of professional bodies, and advisors at academic forums. The college has affiliations with industries across the spectrum which boost innovation and help students in gaining skills that equip them for fulfilling careers. To underscore global credentials, the college has collaborated with foreign universities. These collaborations are effective in deepening the knowledge and skills of our students and faculty. A well-equipped central library, modern classrooms and laboratories with audio-visual and computing facilities combine to add to the joy of learning at MCODS. Hostels (also Wi-Fi enabled) and a state-of-the-art recreational and indoor sports arena, Marena, enable a student to develop a holistic personality with a touch of multiculturalism.

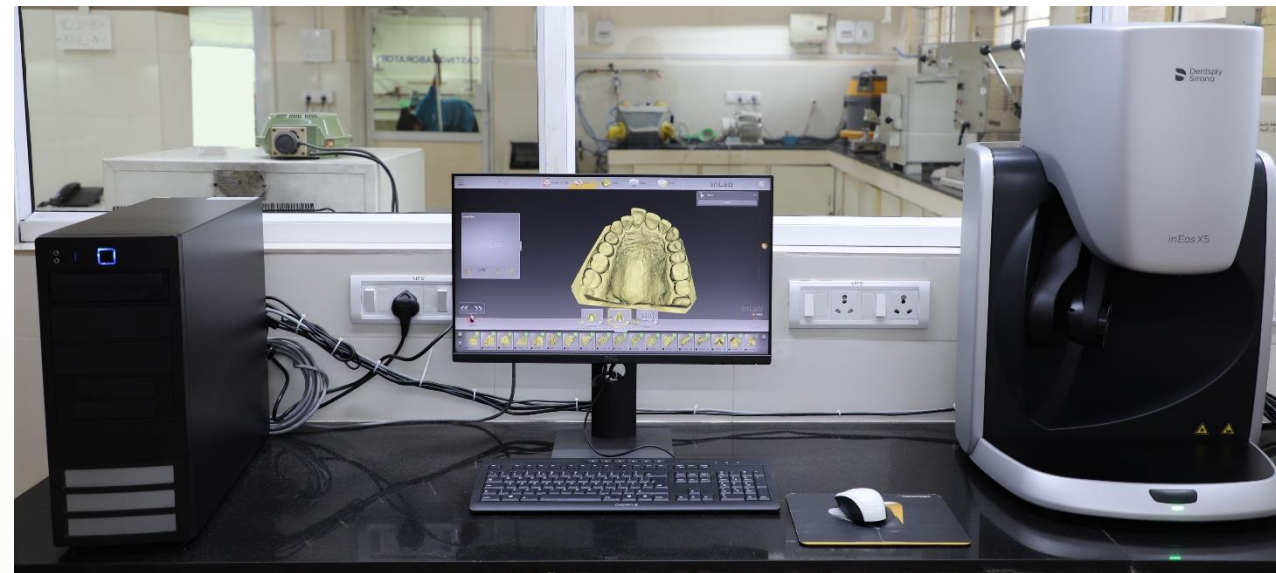
My experience as a postgraduate in the department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge has been one of the most rewarding experiences of my life. The department has one of the highest standards of teaching and mentoring in Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. An efficient team of faculty who are always approachable creates a student friendly environment in the department. The equipment and materials provided to us students are upgraded with the latest advancements in the field. The quality of work expected from students is high which helps students to thrive for perfection. The faculty leaves no stone unturned to educate the students, provide them with the best of infrastructure and prosthodontic programs, and expose them to variety of complicated cases, to produce good clinicians. It was a great experience learning in such a supportive environment. MCODS Mangalore has had a major role in shaping my career as a dentist. A confident and enthusiastic team of teaching faculty backed by the management's commitment to providing good infrastructure ensures that a student leaves the portals of this institution well-armed with proficiency, skills, knowledge and above-all a supreme sense of confidence to tackle the future head-on

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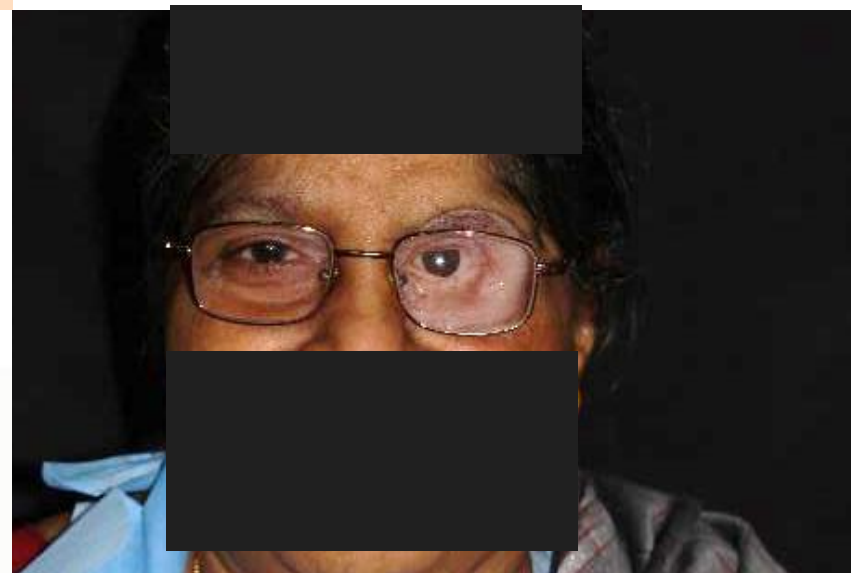


Standing (L-R) Dr. VIGNESH, Dr. SANDIPAN, Dr. PRASHANTH, Dr. ANN
 Sitting (L-R) Dr. PUNEETH, Dr. SHARON, Dr. SHOBHA, Dr. THILAK, Dr. UMESH, Dr. MAHESH

Dr. ALISHA, Dr. AMRITA, Dr. PREETI, Dr. PRIYANKA, Dr. TANAY, Dr. SHRADHA, Dr. RASHMITHA, Dr. ISHITA



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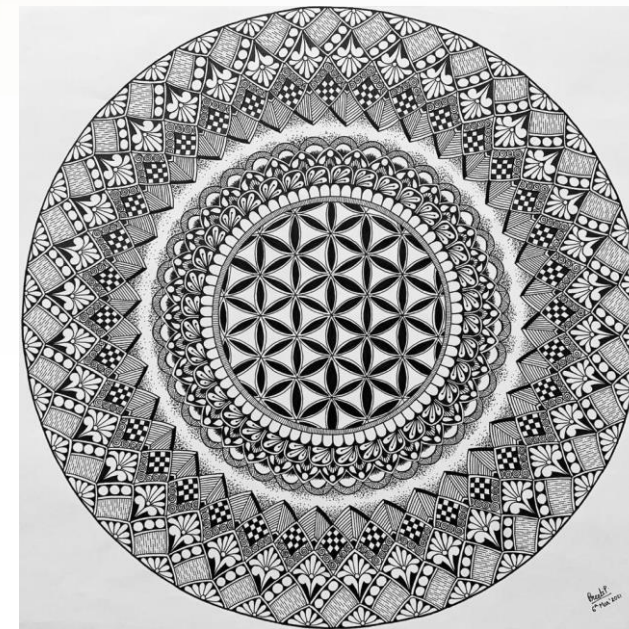


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OUR TALENTS EXTEND BEYOND MAKING PROSTHESES!