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GLOBAL CONCLAVE IN ONCO INTERVENTIONAL PULMONOLOGY

Precision, Progress, and Partnership in
Pulmonary Oncology

5-6 APRIL 2025



**Hyatt Centric
Hebbal Bengaluru**



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Conference Brochure

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KEY HIGHLIGHTS



Expert Lectures and Panel Discussions

- Renowned national speakers will share their insights on the latest trends and breakthroughs in interventional pulmonology.
- In-depth discussions on minimally invasive procedures, advanced imaging techniques, and novel therapeutic approaches.



Interdisciplinary Collaboration

- Foster collaboration between pulmonologists, oncologists, radiologists, and other healthcare professionals to improve patient outcomes.
- Discuss multidisciplinary approaches to the management of lung cancer and other pulmonary malignancies.



Hands on Session

- 11 workshops in interventional pulmonology for understanding the nuances of interventional pulmonary procedures.



Industry Showcase

- Explore the latest technological advancements and innovative products from leading medical device and pharmaceutical companies.

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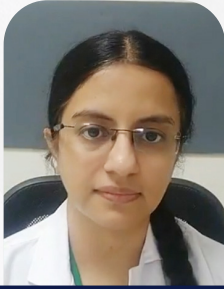


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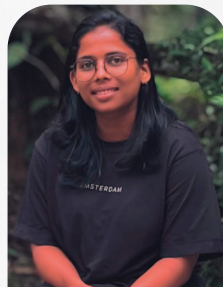
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Dr. Sunil Kumar K



**Dr. Swaratika
Majumdar**



Dr. Tinku Joseph

Day 1 – Saturday, 5 April 2025

Session 1: Evolving Landscape of Onco-Pulmonology

Panelists: Dr. Hirenappa Udunur, Dr. Archana Baburao, Dr. Veena, Dr. Ashok Gudagunti

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 AM	TNM9 – What’s New?	Dr. Manjunath BG
9:20 AM	Lung Cancer Screening – India’s Defining Moment?	Dr. Anshu Punjabi
9:40 AM	Lung Cancer Under the Microscope: Pathology’s Role in Precision Medicine	Dr. Sharada Nagoti
10:00 AM	Neuroendocrine Mysteries: Navigating Pulmonary Carcinoid Tumors	Dr. Lekshmipriya Raj

Panel Discussion: Targeted & Tailored – Precision Medicine in Lung Cancer Management

Panelists: Dr. Shekar Patil, Dr. Govindbabu

Time	Topic	Speaker
10:20 AM	Update on Markers & Genomics in Lung Cancer – A Personalized Approach	Dr. Rajeev Vijaykumar
10:40 AM	Basics of Lung Cancer & Treatment Landscape	Dr. Rajeev Vijaykumar

Tea Break: 11:00 AM – 11:20 AM

Session 2: Advancements in Interventional Techniques

Panelists: Dr. K S Satish, Dr. Uma Maheswari Krishnaswamy, Dr. Bharath A Chhabria, Dr. Sachin Doddamani, Dr. Shivakumar

Time	Topic	Speaker
11:20 AM	EBUS – Lessons from an Early Adopter: What We Got Right & Wrong	Dr. Ravindra M Mehta
11:40 AM	Single vs Multistation N2 Disease – Does One Size Fit All?	Dr. Pavankumar Biraris
12:00 PM	Lung Nodules – To Chase or Not to Chase?	Dr. Nitesh Gupta

Panel Discussion:**Panelists:** Dr. Lakshmi Narasimhan R, Dr. Pragati Rao D, Dr. Pradeep V Ishwarappagol

Time	Topic	Speaker
12:20 PM	Conebeam CT – A Game Changer in Precision Diagnosis?	Dr. Belgundi Preeti Vidyasagar
12:40 PM	Will We Bid Goodbye to Needles in EBUS? The Cold Revolution!	Dr. Hari Kishan Gonuguntla
1:00 PM	Hygiene, Cost, and Convenience: The Single-Use Bronchoscopy Debate	Dr. Sameer Arbat

Lunch Break: 1:20 PM – 2:00 PM**Session 3: Multidisciplinary Lens on Pulmonary Toxicities in Oncology****Lead:** Dr. Swaratika Majumdar**Panel Discussion: Pulmonary Toxicities in Oncology****Panelists:** Dr. Ranganatha R, Dr. Pavankumar Biraris, Dr. Arjun S Kashyap, Dr. Roshni Dasgupta, Dr. Lohit G Reddy**Session 4: Industry Symposium****Panelists:**

Time	Topic	Speaker
2:40 PM	Lung Cancer- Early Diagnosis is the key	Dr. Roshni Dasgupta
3:00 PM	Peri-operative Immunotherapy- Transforming the landscape of early resectable NSCLC	Dr. Murali Subramanian

Workshops: 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM**Breaking Barriers, Shaping Airways: Women Pioneers of Interventional Pulmonology****Time:** 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM**Panelists:** Dr. Belgundi Preeti Vidyasagar, Dr. Rajani S Bhat, Dr. Sandhya Nanjundaiah, Dr. Radhika Banka, Dr. Shweta Gargiya, Dr. Anshu Punjabi, Dr. Pramathakala M, Dr. Sheetal Chaurasia, Dr. Divyashree J

Day 2 – Sunday, 6 April 2025

Session 5: Decoding Malignant Airways

Panelists: Dr. Hari Kishan Gonuguntla, Dr. Pavan Biraris, Dr. Kedar Hibare

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 AM	SEMS, Silicone, or Hybrid? Decoding the Stent Puzzle in Malignant Obstructions	Dr. Binil Salam MA
9:20 AM	TOF Dilemmas – Which Side Are You On?	Dr. Sunil Kumar K
9:40 AM	Oncologic Airway Emergencies – Clearing the Block, Saving a Life	Dr. Tinku Joseph
10:00 AM	Malignant Pleural Effusion – The Latest in Management	Dr. Radhika Banka

Inauguration: 10:20 AM – 11:00 AM

Vision 2030: What's Next for Onco-Interventional Pulmonology? – Dr. B S Ajai Kumar

Tea Break: 11:00 AM – 11:20 AM

Session 6: Navigating Complex Airway Challenges

Panelists: Dr. Tinku Joseph, Dr. Sunil Kumar K, Dr. Manjunath P H

Time	Topic	Speaker
11:20 AM	The Voice in Peril: An Interventional Pulmonology Approach	Dr. Gopala Krishna Mallugari
11:40 AM	Vaporizing Tumors, Restoring Breath: Lasers in Pulmonary Care	Dr. Balaraju Tadikonda
12:00 PM	Microdebrider – A Relic of the Past or Still in the Game?	Dr. Shyam Krishnan

Panel Discussion: Pulmonary Infections in Cancer Care: Navigating Risks and Realities

Panelists: Dr. Chintankumar Kaswala, Dr. Neha Mishra, Dr. Ranganatha R, Dr. Suma Kumar, Dr. Roshni Dasgupta

Panel Discussion: Optimizing Outcomes: Integrating Nutrition into Cancer Management

Speaker: Dr. Van Zanten **Chair:** Dr. Vijay Raju Krupesh

Lunch Break: 1:20 PM – 2:00 PM

Session 7: From Algorithms to Accountability

Panelists: Dr. Alamelu Haran, Dr. Huliraj

Time	Topic	Speaker
2:00 PM	Artificial Intelligence in Pulmonology: The Future is Now	Dr. Shahir Asfahan
2:20 PM	Procedural Consent in Interventional Pulmonology	Dr. Rajani S Bhat

Panel Discussion: Role of Surgery in Lung Cancer – The Indian Perspective

Speaker: Dr. Srinivas Gopinath **Chair:** Dr. Vijay Raj Patil

Closing Remarks: 3:00 PM

WORKSHOPS

- Bronchoscopy for a NOVICE
- Thoracoscopy
- EBUS (Convex)
- Rigid Bronchoscopy & Airway Stenting
- Pediatric Bronchoscopy
- Electrosurgery / Cryo / APC
- Radial EBUS
- USG in Interventional Pulmonology
- Training for Bronch Nurses
- Vaccination in Adult Immunocompromised Patients
- Lung Transplant & ECMO



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REGISTRATION FEE

Consultants

₹ 5000

PG Residents

₹ 2500

NOTE: Registration includes 1 workshop and conference access



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BRONCHOSCOPY WORKSHOP

Master the Basics of Bronchoscopy!

New to bronchoscopy? This beginner-friendly workshop covers scope anatomy, airway navigation, indications, and complication management. Get hands-on training with real instruments and expert guidance to build confidence in your bronchoscopy skills!

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Dr. Shashi Bhushan



Dr. Arun B J



Dr. Mohan J



Dr. Arjun S Kashyap



Dr. Bharath A Chhabria



Dr. Sachin Doddamani



Dr. Govind Desai

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Understanding Bronchoscope Anatomy & Mechanics – Mr. Santhosh
- Airway Landmarks & Navigation Basics
- Indications, Contraindications & Patient Selection
- Managing Complications – Bleeding, Hypoxia & Bronchospasm
- **Hands-on:** Inside of a bronchoscope, Bronchoscopy, EBB, instruments



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THORACOSCOPY WORKSHOP

Unlock the Power of Pleural Procedures!

Learn the fundamentals of medical thoracoscopy, including safe entry techniques, pleural access, and complication management. Through hands-on training with rigid and semi-rigid scopes, gain the expertise needed for effective pleural interventions.

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Dr. Ranganatha R



Dr. Ganesh Pratap



Dr. Radhika Banka



Dr. Abhishek Bali



Dr. Manjunath PH



Dr. Deepa AS

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Thoracoscopic Anatomy & Safe Entry Techniques
- Rigid vs. Semi-Rigid Thoracoscopy – When, Why & How?
- Managing Air Leaks, Bleeding & Other Complications
- Hands-on: Pleuroscope, Rigid-Thoracoscope (animal), Rigid-thoracoscope plastic, IPC



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EBUS (CONVEX PROBE) WORKSHOP

Perfect Your EBUS TBNA Skills!

Refine your approach to lymph node mapping, TBNA needle selection, and staging strategies in this expert-led workshop. Experience real-time ultrasound guidance and master the techniques needed to optimize diagnostic yield.

FACULTY:

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Dr. Shivalingaswamy Salimath



Dr. Rahul Jalan



Dr. Pavankumar Biraris



Dr. Swapnil Sakhala



Dr. Amrutha H

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Lymph Node Mapping & Staging Strategy
- TBNA Needle Selection & Sampling Techniques
- EBUS-Guided Interventions – Expanding Beyond TBNA
- Hands-on: Simulator, Performing EBUS-TBNA with Real-Time Ultrasound, different needles



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RIGID BRONCHOSCOPY & AIRWAY STENTING WORKSHOP

Essential Skills for Airway Management!

From foreign body removal to airway stenting, this hands-on session equips you with rigid bronchoscopy techniques, stent selection strategies, and complication avoidance—critical for managing central airway obstructions effectively.

LEAD



Dr. M. D. Varunn



Dr. Thiyagesh Ganapathy



Dr. Binil Salam M A



Dr. M S Gopala Krishna

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Patient Selection & Preparation for Rigid Bronchoscopy
- Foreign Body Removal – Techniques & Instrumentation
- Stent Selection – SEMS vs. Silicone vs. Hybrid
- Hands-on: Rigid Scope Handling – intubation, FB removal & SEMS and silicone Stent Deployment



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PEDIATRIC BRONCHOSCOPY WORKSHOP

Navigating the Pediatric Airway with Confidence!

Handling pediatric airways requires specialized skills and precision. This workshop focuses on foreign body retrieval, congenital anomalies, and sedation strategies, ensuring safe and effective pediatric bronchoscopy practices.

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Dr. Venkat Tummuru



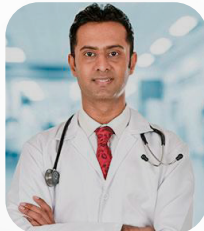
Dr. Bala Raju Tadikonda



Dr. Swapnil Sakhala



Dr. Srikanta J T



Dr. Bharath Reddy



Dr. Pramathakala M

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Differences in Pediatric vs. Adult Airway Procedures
- Managing Foreign Body Aspiration, Stridor & Anomalies
- Sedation & Anesthesia Considerations for Pediatric Cases
- Hands-on: Pediatric Foreign Body Retrieval & Bronchoscope Maneuvering, instruments



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ELECTROSURGERY / CRYO / APC - WORKSHOP

Advanced Airway Debulking & Tumor Management!

Master the use of electro-surgery, cryotherapy, and APC in airway interventions. This interactive session provides practical experience in setting up and applying these modalities for tumor debulking, coagulation, and safe airway management.

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Dr. Sameer Arbat



Dr. Shweta Gargiya



Dr. Sheetal Chaurasia



Dr. Nitesh Gupta



**Dr. Vasunethra
Kasargod**

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Energy Modalities – When to Use Cryo, APC & Electro-surgery?
- Safety Considerations in Airway Tumor Debulking
- Electro-surgical Complications & Management
- Hands-on: Practical Setup & Application of Energy Modalities



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RADIAL EBUS WORKSHOP

Master Peripheral Pulmonary Nodule Sampling!

Learn how to navigate peripheral lung lesions with radial EBUS and optimize sampling techniques using forceps, brushes, and cryo. Get hands-on experience integrating fluoroscopy and navigation tools for improved diagnostic yield.

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Dr. Giridhar B Hosmane



Dr. Pradeep V Ishwarappagol



Dr. Vishnu G Krishnan

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Radial vs. Convex EBUS – Key Differences
- Locating Peripheral Pulmonary Lesions Effectively
- Improving Diagnostic Yield with Cryo, Brush & Needle Sampling
- Hands-on: Radial EBUS Catheter Navigation & Sampling



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ULTRASOUND IN INTERVENTIONAL PULMONOLOGY WORKSHOP

Ultrasound-Guided Procedures Made Simple!

Enhance your expertise in lung and pleural ultrasound, thoracentesis, and real-time USG-guided biopsies. Gain practical skills in point-of-care ultrasound (POCUS) for critical care and interventional pulmonology applications.

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Dr. Sandeepa H. S.



Dr. Senthil D



Dr. Uma Devaraj



Dr. Jose Chacko

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Lung & Pleural Ultrasound – Key Views & Interpretation
- USG-Guided Thoracentesis & Biopsy Techniques
- Hands-on: Live Demonstration of USG-Guided Interventions



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VACCINATION IN ADULT IMMUNOCOMPROMISED PATIENTS WORKSHOP

Protecting the Vulnerable – Optimizing Immunization Strategies!

Understand the latest vaccine recommendations for oncology, transplant, and immunocompromised patients. Learn live vs. inactivated vaccine considerations, timing, boosters, and managing adverse reactions in high-risk populations.

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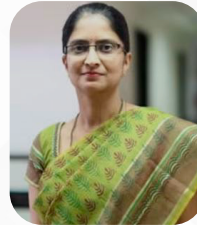
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Dr. Chintankumar Kaswala



Dr. Neha Mishra



Dr. Suma P Kumar



Dr. John Paul M



Dr. Sandeep Reddy



Dr. Divya Joshi

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Vaccine Biology: Basics – Dr. Neha Mishra
- Vaccination in Haematological malignancies and HSCT: Dr. Sandeep Reddy
- Vaccination in SOT/HIV: Dr. John Paul
- Vaccine related Adverse reactions: Dr. Suma P
- Vaccination in special situations: case based approach: Dr. Divya Joshi
- Quiz



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LUNG TRANSPLANT & ECMO WORKSHOP

From ECMO to Transplant – Managing Complex Cases!

Explore lung transplant candidacy, ECMO initiation, post-transplant airway complications, and immunosuppression strategies. Engage in case-based discussions and gain hands-on experience with ECMO circuit management.

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Dr. Srinivas Rajagopala



Dr. Syed Z Tousheed



Dr. Vivek Gundappa

TOPICS OF WORKSHOP:

- Lung Transplant Candidacy & Pre-Transplant Considerations
- ECMO in Respiratory Failure – When & How?
- Post-Transplant Airway Complications & Their Management
- Case-Based Discussion & Hands-on ECMO Circuit Overview



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