

### **Dr Hemant Gautam (PhD)**

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#### **BRIEF BIOGRAPHY**

Dr. Hemant K. Gautam obtained his Master's and Ph.D. degree in microbiology from the (I.R.R.I), New Delhi, India. He did post-doctorate from France and Israel. He is currently working as a Chief Scientist and Professor at Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology, New-Delhi. He is associated with a number of Universities and members of various scientific and academic organizations. He is a recipient of SARC award, Bharat Excellence award, Biotechnology award, Israel Govt. Fellowship, UNESCO fellow & Intl. Project Reviewer RBUCE-UP, UniverSud, Paris. He is the chairman of the ASEAN India fellowship program and Biosafety expert from the Department of Biotechnology India. He has published more than 80 research papers, two books, and over 480 new sequences have been submitted to NCBI database. He has visited several countries, including France, Israel, Australia, Bulgaria, China, Thailand, Germany, USA, Singapore, Vietnam, and Ukraine. He has a distinguished background in the field of microbial biotechnology, natural products, and microbial genomics. Currently, he is working in the area of microbial biotechnology and microbial pathogenesis including antimicrobial resistance.

### **Dr (Col) Nikhil Moorchung**

**(MD, DNB, MNAMS, PhD, FICPath, IF-ICMR)**  
Professor and Head, Department of Pathology  
CDSIMSR, Bangalore



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He has completed his MBBS in 1990 from Armed Forces Medical College, Pune, thereafter MD (Pathology) 1998 also from Armed Forces Medical College, Pune. **Dip NBE 2000**New Delhi. He is the Member of the National Academy of Medical Sciences 2005 New Delhi. His PhD (2007, Molecular Biology) is from King George Medical University, Lucknow. He is a recipient of the Indian College of Pathologists New Delhi 2013 fellowship and International Fellowship of the Indian Council of Medical Research 2014 New Delhi). He also received **Dr K C BasuMallick Award 2006** (Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists. National Award for Best Research Paperentitled 'The Etiopathology of Lymphoid Follicles in Chronic Antral Gastritis,Moorchung Nikhil et al), **Best Paper Award 2012**by Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists,**the Best Poster Award 2013** Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologistsand **the best (free) oral paper in GIT system Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists 2013**. He owned 60 published articles in various indexed National and International Journals. He has written two books ('Cytokine Gene Polymorphisms in the Pathogenesis of Chronic Gastritis' and 'Molecular Medicine Demystified') and contributed chapters in two other books ('Molecular Techniques in Pre Implantation Genetic Diagnosis' and 'Molecular Medicine Demystified in Medicine Update 2013 chapter 167). Along with this he has also on paper in different articles of newspaper named '*Deccan Herald*' and '*Banglore Mirror*'.

**Dr. Suryaprakash Dhaneria**

Dean (Academics)  
Professor and Head of Pharmacology,  
AIIMS Raipur



**Dr. Suryaprakash Dhaneria** is MD (Pharmacology), DM (Clinical Pharmacology), DNB (Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics), M.Sc (Biochemistry), LLB Hons. and MNAMS

Additionally he is also trained for research methodology course (PGI), advanced Course in Epidemiology and Biostatistics (Sweden), National Training Course on Pharmacovigilance (WHO) and for MEU Coordinators.

He is having a teaching Experience of 39 years with a number of papers and articles published in various National & International journals. He has Shared views on different topics of Clinical Pharmacology as guest speaker in various conferences, workshops & CMEs and conducted Clinical Pharmacology practical training courses and workshop on Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Ethics in Human Research in various medical colleges/Hospitals as resource faculty.

**Dr Rajesh Pandey (PhD)**

Principal Scientist,  
CSIR-Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology (CSIR-IGIB),  
Delhi, INDIA.

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His research journey has progressed from doing PhD at CSIR-IGIB wherein he understood the role of noncoding RNA during stress response. Thereafter Postdoctoral stints at Johns Hopkins University, USA; TRISUTRA (Translational Research and Ayurgenomics through innovative science), IGIB and Medical Research Council, Oxford, UK helped expand the applications of Genomics towards different aspects of stress response. At Oxford, he was integral team member to develop the 3D white adipose tissue Organoid model for drug screening and regenerative medicine. His lab at IGIB is focussed on Integrative GENomics of Host-Pathogen (INGEN-HOPE). They work at the interface of Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) based Genomics tools and molecular biology.

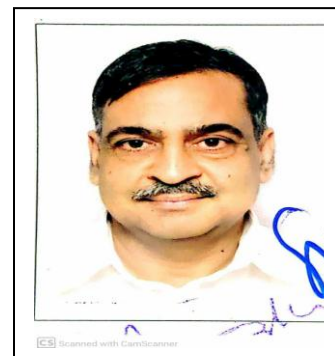


### **Dr Sanjay Dixit**

Dean, Prof Community Medicine  
MGM Medical College

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Dr Sanjay Dixit has obtained his MBBS in 1983, MD (Community medicine/PSM) in 1986, D.C.M (Diploma in Community Medicine) in 1989 and Ph.D (P.S.M/ Community medicine) in 1994. He did his Post Graduate Diploma in Health System Management from Tulane University, USA in 2000. He worked as Senior Research Officer (ICMR) in B.H.U Varanasi and was directly involved in monitoring and implementation of various nutritional interventional projects in I.C.D.S, Fe Folic/ Iodine Supplementation. He was also a Senior Research Fellow in ICMR, Conducted study on "A Study of Utilization of Beds at Various Level of Health Care Delivery System in Gwalior District" and Programme Officer in V.H.A.I. and Worked for promotion of "National Drug Policy and Rationale use of Drugs." He has completed 14 research projects as Principal Investigator, Observer and Guide and was also the State Coordinator for Epidemiological Profiling of HIV /AIDS by Data Triangulation at District and Sub District Level 2010 to 2011. He has conducted studies on different aspects of community medicine and primary healthcare and imparted training as master trainer and training coordinator in different training programmes in health care sector. He is a recipient of **Dr. L.C. Gupta Gold Medal** for standing first in Diploma in community Medicine Examination, **Dr. M.C. Mittal Oration Award** by M.P Chapter of IAPSM and **Young Scientist Award** by M.P. Council of Science and Technology BPL and Department of Science and Technology, New Delhi. He owned more than 45 publications in different national and international journals.



### **Dr Sahrad Thora (MD-Pediatrics)**

Prof of Paediatrics and Ex Dean  
MGM Medical College, Indore

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He has done his MD in Pediatrics. Post held- ex Dean & professor and head Pediatrics MGM medical college indore. His academic achievements accounts for having more than 35 publications in various journals. He has published two books in Pediatrics as chief editor. He has also served as Superintendent in Cha Cha Nehru BalChikitsalaya Indore for 13 years. He was the organizer of PEDICON 2014 & 2020 and served as chief organizing chairman for both. Currently he is Professor of Paediatrics at Amaltas Institute of Medical Sciences, Dewas .



**Dr Salil Bhargava**

Prof and Head, Respiratory Medicine  
MGM Medical College, Indore

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Dr Salil Bhargava has obtained his MBBS from MGM Medical College, Indore in 1982, Diploma in Tuberculosis & Chest Diseases in April 1986, MD in 1994, D N B in Respiratory Diseases. He has done Diploma in Hospital Administration from Symbiosis. His work experience accounts as Assistant Professor (1996 - 2003), Associate Professor (2003 –2007), Superintendent GOVT Mental Hospital, Indore (M.P.), and Professor. He is the recipient of “Certificate of Merit” for best activities – awarded by M.P. State T.B. Association for “Antismoking Campaign “ , “Presidents Trophy” – twice – for best activities by M.P. State T.B Association for best activities in Madhya Pradesh and “Special Prize” for cultural activities in M.G.M. Medical College, Indore. He owns more than 10 publications including paper, books and Pamphlets and Stickers. He has participated educational training in different training programmes on respiratory and chest diseases. He has been the Honorary Secretary (87-93) District TB Association, Rajgarh, Joint Secretary – Red Cross Society of India, district Rajgarh Branch year 1992-93, Vice President Youth Hostels Association of India. District Rajgarh year 1991-93, Treasurer – Association of Physicians of India – Indore Chapter 1997-98, Honorary Secretary – Association of Physicians of India- Indore chapter(1999-2000), Convener – “Medical Education Department “ , M.G.M. Medical College, Indore, Joint Secretary – “Dr.R.R.Rishi Scientific Society “ of M.G.M.Medical College, Indore, Organizing Secretary – “Critical Care in New Millennium” two days symposium and workshop organized on 4<sup>th</sup>& 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2000, Chairman- Indian Society of Critical Care Medicine Indore chapter 2000-2005 and Secretary API, Indore chapter 2005-2006. He has also chaired the scientific sessions in NAPCON –2000– Kanpur and an update on recent advances in Respiratory disorders, workshop on thoracic disorders held at All India Institute of Medical Sciences (14<sup>th</sup>& 15<sup>th</sup> April 2001)

**Dr Ravi Dosi**

Prof and Head, Respiratory Medicine  
SAIMS, Indore

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Dr Ravi Dosi has obtained his MBBS in MGM Medical College, Indore in 2002, Diploma in Tuberculosis & Chest Diseases (ManoramaRaje TB Hospital & Maharaja Yeshwant Rao Hospital, Indore2005 – 2007), D N B in Respiratory Diseases from Mediciti Superspecialty Hospital, Hyderabad2007 – 2010. He is a recipient of Fellowship in Allergy, Asthma & Immunotherapy Bangalore, 2017 and Fellowship in Sleep Medicine Hyderabad 2017. His dedication for COVID patients cannot be dictated in words as he is working without a single break since 15<sup>th</sup> march 2020 and treated more that 4500 COVID patients. He is first to use tocilizumab for severe COVID cases in India, first to use plasma therapy in Madhya Pradesh, part of Indore death review committee for COVID 19 monitoring and also the convener of state level committee for formation of guidelines for care of elderly at home suffering from COVID 19. He has more than 15 publications in different National and International Journals and guided more than 9 theses as guide and co-guide. He has also been awarded prizes for 9 posters.

**Dr G S Patel, MD**

Dean, & Professore of Pediatrics  
IMCHRC, Indore



Dr G S Patel is Dean and Professor of Pediatrics of Index Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre, Indore, MP. He has been faculty in Paediatrics at various Medical Colleges of Madhya Pradesh and Chhatisgarh including MGM Indore, GRMC Gwalior, BMC, Sagar, GMC Bhopal, GMC Raipur

He has also worked as Dean at GRMC Gwalior and BMC Sagar and also as Director Medical Education at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh. He has also been officiating Commissioner at Medical Education Dept. of M.P.

**Dr V K Arora (MD**

Prof and Head, Dept. of Community Medicine,  
IMCHRC, Indore

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Dr Vinod Arora is Prof & Head department of community medicine at Index Medical College. He is an alumni of 1971 batch of MGM Medical College Indore. After MBBS, he has served in Indian Army Medical Corps and was awarded MD in Community medicine from highly prestigious institute AFMC Pune. He was awarded Commendation card for Superlative work in clinical and administrative set up of Army involving healthcare system in peace as well as war time including Kargil. After 33 years of Army service, on retirement he joined this college and made his mark as better academician and innovator in the field of betterment of institution. He has at least 19 academic professional publication to his credit in reputed journals and always keen to keep the torch of knowledge burning in his field.

