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SIAMG Annual Meeting and Indo-US Symposium

The first annual meeting of the SIAMG and the Indo-US symposium on *Genomic Insights into Human Morphogenesis: Prenatal, Postnatal and Molecular Dysmorphology* was held in Hyderabad from 7th to 9th November, 2014. It was organized by the Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics, Hyderabad in association with the Indo-US Science and Technology Forum and the Society for the Indian Academy of Medical Genetics. The academic event saw a conglomeration of distinguished international and Indian faculty. The academic sessions covered a myriad of topics from developmental dysmorphology, syndrome diagnosis, prenatal diagnosis and genetic counseling to molecular genetics and new genetic techniques. The thrust of the discussions was on the use of newer genetic technologies such as chromosomal microarray and next generation sequencing in the identification of the genetic basis of syndromes. More than 100 delegates attended the academic proceedings. A workshop on molecular cytogenetics was also conducted as a pre-conference event and was attended by more than 30 participants. The highlights of the meeting included the first Dr SS Aggarwal Oration which was delivered by Dr John Carey, Editor-in-Chief of the American Journal of Medical Genetics and Professor of Pediatrics from the University of Utah, USA and the presentation of the first Dr SS Aggarwal Young Scientist Award to Dr Sumit Paliwal from the Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology, Hyderabad for his work on tropical calcific pancreatitis. The event was appreciated by all the attendees and SIAMG was lauded for its ongoing contributions towards the field of Medical Genetics in India.



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Announcement

Cases for Opinion

Dear Friends,

We are happy to announce the new addition to SIAMG website. Many of us are faced with difficult to diagnose cases in our practice, especially dysmorphic syndromes. Sharing the queries with experts can help to obtain opinion from them regarding individual cases. Hence we have started this new activity to enable you to submit clinical information and photographs of your patients. This information will be sent to 1-2 experts in the field and their opinions will be sent to you.

http://iamg.in/casesopinion/form_casesopinion.php



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CASES FOR OPINION FORM

* Mandatory Field

Name: *

Affiliation: *

Email id: *

Write your text here:*(max 500 charecters)

Upload Images: *(max limit 10)

Browse... No file selected.

I confirm that I have taken consent of the patient / parents to share the photographs with other clinicians for opinion purposes

"NOTE: Please note that this is opinion given on the basis of some images and information about the patient and should not be considered as medical advice. Consulting doctor should be the one to give advice to the patient."

If you encounter any problem with uploading text or image, please contact info@iamg.in

Instructions for filling the form:

1. Enter your name, name of department/institute and place (city, state, country), and your email id at which you would like to receive the opinion.
2. Enter clinical details in less than 500 words regarding the patient.
3. Click on "Choose file" to upload image. Try to upload images with less size. If you want to upload multiple images, press "Attach One More Image".
4. The opinions expressed are solely opinions given by the experts and should not be considered as opinion of SIAMG.
5. Make sure to obtain consent from the patient/parents for clinical photographs.
6. Disclaimer: Please note that this is opinion given on the basis of some images and information about the patient and should not be considered as medical advice. Consulting doctor should be the one to give advice to the patient.

GENZYME-SIAMG Fellowship in Clinical Genetics

List of Awardees

Batch (Year)	Name	Name of Institute /Organisation
July 2013	Dr. Mettu Pradeep Reddy	SGPGIMS, Lucknow
July 2013	Dr. Subapriya Kandasamy	SGPGIMS, Lucknow
October 2013	Dr. Pranav Gupta	AIIMS, New Delhi
October 2013	Dr. Sony	SGPGIMS, Lucknow
July 2014	Dr. Ashok Rai	SGPGIMS, Lucknow
July 2014	Dr. Karthik Bharadwaj	NIMS, Hyderabad
October 2014	Dr. Kundan Mittal	SGPGIMS, Lucknow
October 2014	Dr. Spurthi Chitta	NIMS, Hyderabad

- SGPGIMS - Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow
- AIIMS - All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi
- NIMS - Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad



Dr. Ashok Rai being awarded the certificate on completion of fellowship at SGPGIMS, Lucknow

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Genzyme-SIAMG Fellowship in Clinical Genetics

Duration and scope:

Three months training in a Medical Genetics centre with clinical and laboratory genetics facilities.

Eligibility:

A post-graduate degree (MD/ MS) in Pediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynecology, or General Medicine. Candidates with super-specialization are also encouraged to apply.

Award Support:

Consolidated emolument of Rs. 50,000/- per candidate per month, for three months.

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