

Aquaria

**Academic Quest for Undergraduate Advancement,
Research, Innovation and Analysis**

RESEARCH CONFERENCE

TNMC Credit Points Applied

- The UG research extravaganza - CME.
- One-day UG Research CME designed to help undergraduate students dive deep and discover the pearls of research — from framing a research question to presenting and publishing their work.
- Open to MBBS students from all years (limited to 40 seats).

Last date for registration: 7th Decemeber, 2025

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PROGRAMME

Research 101:

- Learn to select research ideas with expert guidance.
- The Methodology Masterclass - Hands-on training in literature search, study design and core research methods.
- Data Analysis & Scientific Writing - Learn data management, basic statistics, ethics, plagiarism prevention and structured scientific writing.
- Presentation Skills- Techniques to deliver clear, confident, and high-impact research presentations.

Speed Mentoring Café: 10 research experts across 10 tables for a 10-minute rapid-mentoring rounds to ask doubts, refine ideas & seek career guidance.

Grants Proposal Writing: Practical workshop on crafting competitive, innovative, and fundable research proposals, especially for ICMR-STs

Peer Pep Talk: Motivational session by an UG student with strong research achievements.

SMCH Research Tour: Helix Lab, Animal Lab, 3D Printing Lab

Eminent faculties from various specialties.

PARALLEL EVENTS:

[Anyone who has registered for the CME can participate in the below mentioned 2 events but prior selection of option during registration in the google form is required.]

Abstract Reel Presentation:

- Convert your case report or original research into a 2- 3 min video, present it, explain on-spot during the video.
- Last date to submit written abstract for selection after registration: 10th December, 2025
- Last date to send final video after abstract selection by team: 15th December, 2025
- **1st Prize:** ₹5000
- **2nd Prize:** ₹3000

Research Ideathon:

- Participants are divided into teams by organizing committee on spot and then be, given 30 minutes to design a research idea or methodology and the best idea is selected to be guided for further research.
- **Prize:** ₹5000 (team of 3)

Date: 17th December 2025

Timing: 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Venue: Valentina Hall, SMC

Lunch and refreshments will be provided.

Bringing a laptop is strongly recommended to participate effectively in the hands-on modules.

Registration Fee:

- Early bird: ₹ 2250 (until 1st December)
- Late bird: ₹ 2500 (until 7th December) [last date to register]

(No separate registration fee for participating in both the parallel events.)

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