



Information and Announcements

Refresher Course in Molecular Genetics

sponsored by Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore
at Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai 625 021

A Refresher Course in 'Molecular genetics' will be held for college/university teachers at the Department of Molecular Biology, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai from January 27 to February 10, 2003. The course will primarily deal with the contributions in the field of bacterial molecular genetics.

The main objective of the course is to teach basic principles of bacterial genetics and make the participants realize the impact it had and still has in the understanding of life processes. Besides informative lectures, there will be intensive practical sessions and discussions.

The course co-ordinator will be M Hussain Munavar of the School of Biological Sciences in Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai and the resource persons will include

J Gowrishanker, Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics, Hyderabad; R Jayaraman, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai; D Chatterji, S Mahadevan, V Nagaraja, D N Rao and U Varshney from Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.

Teachers who wish to participate in this course may send in their brief curriculum vitae that includes name, date of birth, postal address, residential address and email address, telephone numbers, qualifications, teaching experience, courses taught, positions held, etc. They are also requested to indicate their level of familiarity with topics to be covered in the course.

Teachers applying for participation are also requested to indicate that necessary permission and leave would be readily available for participation in the course from their parent institution.

The applications should be sent to: Prof. V Nagaraja, C/o Indian Academy of Sciences, CV Raman Avenue, Post Box No. 8005, Sadashivanagar Post, Bangalore 560 080

Fax: (080) 361 6094; Email: madhavan@ias.ernet.in

Selected participants will be provided local hospitality and travel fare to Madurai and back (first class or three-tier A/C) by the shortest route.

Last date for receipt of applications: 5th November, 2002

