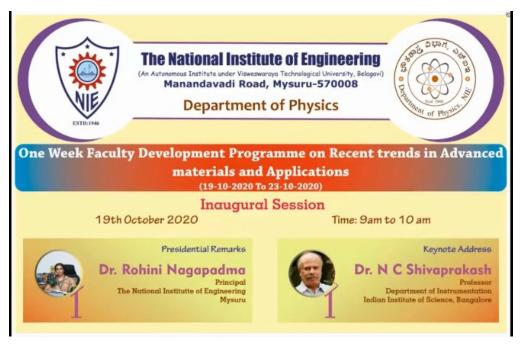
Report on

One Week Faculty Development Programme on "Recent trends in Advanced Materials and Applications"

A one week faculty development programme on "Recent trends in Advanced Materials and Applications" was organised by Department of Physics, The National Institute of Engineering, Mysuru from 19th October to 23th October, 2020. The FDP programme received an overwhelming response with more than 250 participants. The FDP aims to provide opportunities to faculty members and research scholars to enrich their knowledge in the above field. The FDP was attended by participants from all over india.

On Day one, the programme was inaugurated in the morning 19-10-2020 (Monday) at 9.00 AM by **Dr. N. C. Shivaprakash,** Professor, Department of Instrumentation, IISc, Bengaluru, **Dr. Rohini Nagapadma**, Principal, NIE, Mysuru, **Dr. N V Raghavendra**, Vice- Prinicpal, NIE Mysuru, Dean, Hods and faculties of various department of NIE along with coordinators of the FDP programme.



Keynote Address was given by Dr. N. C. Shivaprakash where he stated "Without science there is no engineering and without science and engineering there is no technology" followed by Presidential Address from our beloved Principal

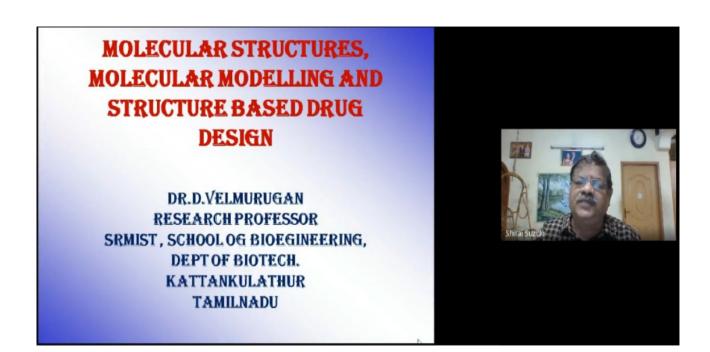
Dr. Rohini Nagapadma, wished all the very best and success for the Faculty Development Programme. The inauguration programme ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Sankarshan B M .

Day 1 (19/10/2020)

The first Session started with the speaker **Dr. M. S. Ramachandra Rao,** Professor, Department of Physics, IIT Madras, Chennai, on "Physics and Technology of Advanced Materials, Quantum materials and Nanostructured Thin films". He discussed about ultimate engineering material – Lab grown diamond, Nano and Quantum applications.



Session 2 was addressed by **Dr. Velumurugan,** Professor, Department of Chemistry,_University of Madras, Chennai on "Molecular Structures and Structure Based Drug Design", who discussed step by step procedure to solve small molecular structure.

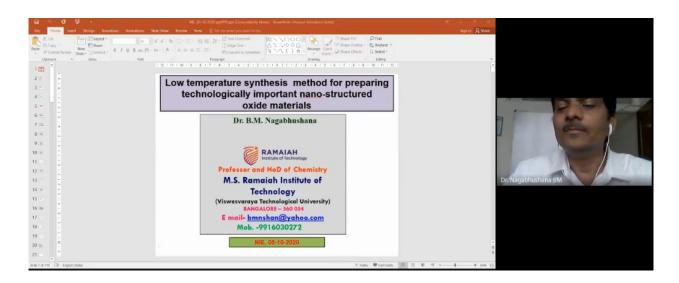


Day 2 (20/10/2020)

Session 1 was addressed by **Dr. Ramesh L Gardas**, Professor, Department of Chemistry, IIT Madras, Chennai, on "Ionic Liquids as Promising Solvents for Sustainable Developments in Technological Applications" who discussed about green chemistry, problems with volatile organic compound and the challenges with ewaste.

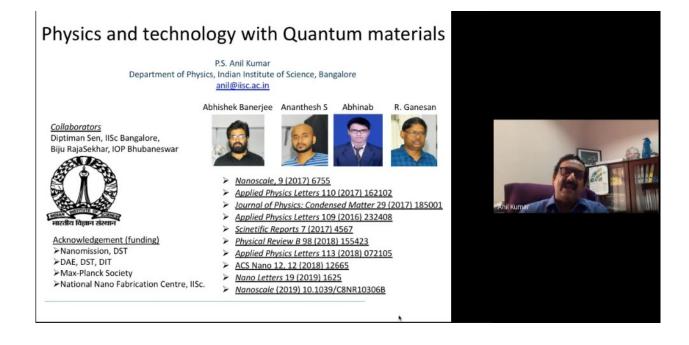


Session 2 was addressed by **Dr. B M Nagabhushana**, Professor & HoD of Department Chemistry, M.S. Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bangalore on "Low temperature synthesis method for preparing technologically important nanostructured materials" who discussed about Morphology changes with temperature, different synthesis process and combustion method.

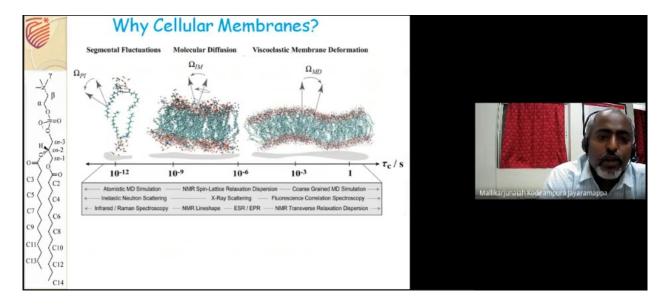


Day 3 (21/10/2020)

Session 1 was addressed by **Dr. P S Anil Kumar,** Professor, Department of Physics, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore on "Introduction to Quantum Materials" who discussed about majorana fermions, how it is attracting people for quantum computation and topological insulators.

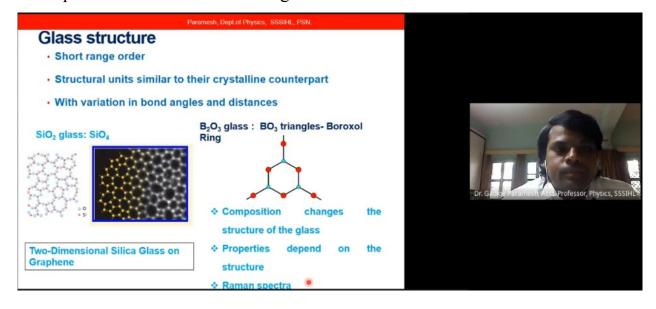


Session 2 was addressed by **Dr. K J Mallikarjunaiah**, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics MS Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, Bengaluru on "Study of Nanomaterials for Biological and Materials Science Applications: Solid-State NMR Perspective" who discussed in detail what is NMR and how it is classified.

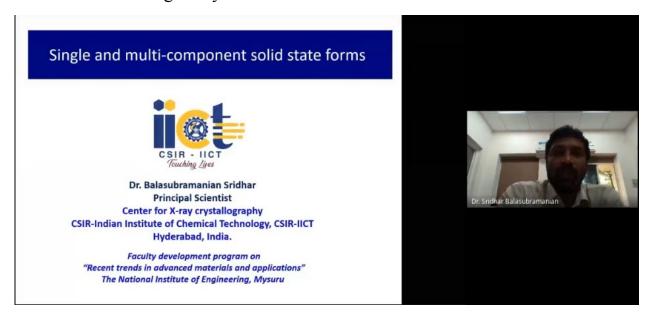


Day 4 (22/10/2020)

Session 1 was addressed by **Dr. G Paramesh**, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning, Prashanthi Nilayam on "Glassy State of Matter: Experimental studies on understanding the glassy state" who spoke in detail about Collidal glasses.



Session 2 was addressed by **Dr. B Sridhar,** Principal Scientist, CSIR Indian Institute of Chemical Technology Hyderabad on "Single and multi-component solid state forms" who discussed about crystallography and material characterization using X-ray.

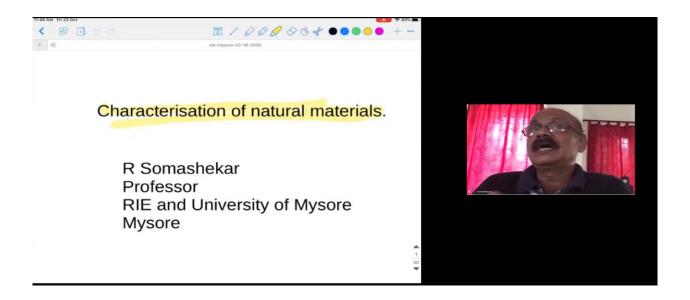


Day 5 (23/10/2020)

Session 1 was addressed by **Dr. G Umesh**, Professor of Physics (Retd), NITK Surathkal on "Metamaterials: Exotic Man-made Materials" who discussed about class of man made materials called metamaterials, where he described procedure and implication of making the permittivity and permeability negative value and cloaks applied in fighter aircrafts.



Session 2 was addressed by **Dr. R Somashekar,** Professor (Retd) RIE and UOM, Mysuru on "Characterisation of natural materials" who discussed about X-ray diffraction techniques in structural determination of various types of fibers.



OUTCOME

All the sessions were very much informative. The discussed areas are of great benefit for the participants as the topics match with the current working domain. Participants were enlightened with the most widely used advance technologies in this domain. This in turn will help in research activities.