

**Observance of National Science Day:
A Part of D P Khandelwal Birth Centenary Celebrations**

(February 28 and March 01, 2021)

DPK BCC Committee has decided to celebrate the birth centenary of Dr. D P Khandelwal, the founder of IAPT. In this context, IAPT is observing the National Science Day-2021 at the national level, dedicated to Dr. D P Khandelwal.

The programmes like Science Stage Show, (SSS) was very much dear to Dr. D P Khandelwal. He believed that these popular shows can help in reducing the 'internal brain drain' and consequently, the students would be attracted more towards the field of science education. In honouring Dr. Khandelwal, the IAPT has renamed SSS as KSSS. So on the occasion of the National Science Day, IAPT is organizing KSSS for the betterment of science education in general, and physics education in particular. In total, nine experts will present their shows. One of them will be from Singapore National University and rest from our IAPT family. Arrangements will be made so that everybody from anywhere at any time can enjoy the shows. But only registered persons, around 500 can participate in the live online programmes. While others can view the live programme on YouTube Live page of the IAPT.

The time schedule of this two-day programme is given below.

Day 1: February 28, 2021 Time: 10:00 hr. -12:30 hr.

SESSION I: INAGURAL FUNCTION

Professor Vijay A. Singh (President – IAPT):

Welcome address and an Introduction to Dr. D P Khandelwal (10:00 to 10:05)

Dr. Upinder Dhar, VC, SVV Vishwavidyalaya, Indore (Chief Guest):

Welcome Address on behalf of the University (10:05 to 10:07)

Professor K N Joshipura (Gen. Secretary – IAPT):

On Observance of NSD, 2021 as part of DPK BC Celebrations (10:07 to 10:12)

Dr. S. C. Samanta, Former Gen. Secretary, IAPT:

About the DPK BCC programmes (10:12 to 10:15)

SESSION- II:KHANDELWAL STAGE SCIENCE SHOWS (KSSS)

Chairman	:	Professor T. R. Ananthakrishnan: An introduction to KSSS as conceived by DPK (10:15 to 10:25)
KSSS I: Time (10: 25-10:55)	:	Professor B N Das (drbndas@gmail.com ; 9830607191)
KSSS II: Time (10:55-11:25)	:	Professor B. Chakradeo (chakradeobd@gmail.com ; 9146812750)
KSSS III: Time (11:25-11:55)	:	Professor M S Marwaha (marwahams7@gmail.com ; 8847211589)
KSSS IV: Time (11:55-12:25)	:	Professor R. Bhattacharjee (ravi_bhattacharjee@yahoo.co.in ; 9873376056)
Vote of thanks	:	Dr. Sanjay Kr. Sharma, Secretary – IAPT

Day 2: March 01, 2021 Time 10:00 hr. -12:30 hr.

SESSION- III:KHANDELWAL STAGE SCIENCE SHOWS (KSSS) Continued

Chairman : Professor S. B. Welankar

- KSSS V: Time (10: 00 -10:30) :** Professor Sow Chornng Haur (Singapore)
(physowch@nus.edu.sg)
- KSSS VI: Time (10:30-11.00) :** Professor H C Verma
(hcverma@gmail.com)
- KSSS VII: Time (11:00-1:30) :** Professor T. R. Ananthakrishnan
(trananthan@yahoo.com; 9447243054)
- KSSS VIII: Time (11:30-12:00) :** Professor YK Vijay
(vijavyk@gmail.com; 9461302757)
- KSSS IX: Time (12:00-12:30) :** Professor Sarmistha Sahu
(sarmistha.sahu@gmail.com; 9448437747)
- Vote of thanks :** Dr. O. P. Sharma (EC Member, RC 01-Delhi & Haryana)

Dr. Uttam Sharma (Secretary) and Dr. P. K. Dubey (EC Member) of RC 09 (Madhya Pradesh) of IAPT will conduct the two- day programme.

On both the days, the time for each presentation will be 25 minutes, followed by 5 minutes discussion.

The participants of the live session can ask questions or give their comments by using the QA box in the online platform. However, they can interact with the presenters freely using their given email id and WhatsApp no.

All the invited experts are requested to send good quality videos of their 20-min presentation each to Dr. Sanjay Kr Sharma, at Email ID <iapt2021@gmail.com>latest by 10thFebruary 2021.

Registration for the Programme

Those who are interested to participate in the live online programme, kindly register yourself by filling the google form given at the following link:

<https://forms.gle/iAy1gxmVY3xFEUDPA>

This registration form is available on IAPT website <http://www.indapt.org>

An E-Certificate of Participation will be provided to those who participate in the live online programme.

The link of zoom meeting will be shared through your registered Email ID.

As the Zoom platform has limitation of 500 participants only, the participation will be on first come first served basis. However, as the programme will also be live on IAPT You Tube Channel, others can join the programme by using the following link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4taKXSa_n6FxBhdG64iuLA?guided_help_flow=5

Online Management Team:

Dr. Uttam Sharma, Dr. P K Dubey, Dr. O P Sharma, Dr. Sanjay Kr. Sharma.

Shri Vaishnav Vidyapeeth Vishwavidyalaya Indore, will provide the Digital infrastructure.

Subhash Chandra Samanta,
Convener, DPK BCC Committee.