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**THEME - "FROM CONTROVERSIES TO CONSENSUS:
BRIDGING EVIDENCE, EXPERIENCE AND INNOVATION IN ONCOLOGY"**

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DAY 1 - OCTOBER 10, 2026 (SATURDAY)

HALL - A: ADI - KAILASH AUDITORIUM, 2nd FLOOR

REGISTRATION AND BREAKFAST: 8:00 AM

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:45 – 9:00 AM	Welcome Note	<i>Dr. Vipul Nautiyal</i>

SESSION 1 - HEAD & NECK ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- Dr Rajesh Vashishtha,
- Dr Shelley Hukku,
- Dr Manmohan K. Mahajan,
- Dr Munish Gairola,
- Dr Arun K. Rath

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 – 9:10 AM	Adaptive radiotherapy in head and neck cancer: useful innovation or workflow burden?	<i>Dr. Himanshi Khattar</i>
9:15 – 9:25 AM	Re-irradiation in recurrent head and neck cancer: salvage option or unacceptable toxicity	<i>Dr. Anshuma Bansal</i>
9:30 – 9:40 AM	Sparing spinal cord in head & neck cancer radiotherapy by dose per fraction delivered to spinal cord in SIB-IMRT Vs 3D-CRT and its implication for re-irradiation tolerance	<i>Dr. Manoj Gupta</i>

Chairpersons B:

- Dr Sunil Saini,
- Dr Harbans Lal Kapoor,
- Dr Meena Harsh,
- Dr Harpreet Singh,
- Dr Meenakshi Mittal

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:45 – 9:55 AM	Pushing the therapeutic ratio: Biological and physical intensification in Head and Neck cancers	<i>Dr. Ranjeet Bajpai</i>
10:00 – 10:25 AM	Panel discussion: Multi-modality treatment in locally advanced oral cavity cancer — are we ready for routine practice?	Moderator: <i>Dr. Vrinda Singla</i> Panelists: <i>Dr. Yashpal Singh (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Robin Khosa (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Abhishek Kandwal (Dental Surg),</i> <i>Dr. Ankit Batra (MO),</i> <i>Dr. Prashant Sharda (IR),</i> <i>Dr. Gurpreet Behl (SO)</i>



SESSION 2 - BREAST ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- Dr G. K. Rath,
- Dr Kishore Singh,
- Dr S. K. Verma,
- Dr Pradeep Garg,
- Dr Sapna Marcus,
- Dr Hemant Nautiyal

Time	Topic	Speaker
10:30 –10:40 AM	Omission of radiotherapy in selected low-risk breast cancer patients: can we safely de-escalate further in practice?	<i>Dr. Shagun Misra</i>
10:45 –10:55 AM	Breast reconstruction and radiation therapy: sequencing, complications and cosmetic outcomes	<i>Dr. Tripti Saxena</i>

Chairpersons B:

- Dr Rakesh Kapoor,
- Dr A.K. Pandey,
- Dr Piyush Kumar,
- Dr Virendra Suhag,
- Dr Deepak Abrol,
- Dr Anuradha Kusum

Time	Topic	Speaker
11:00 –11:10 AM	Breast cancer in the era of biology sub-typing: how should tumour biology shape locoregional treatment?	<i>Dr. Sarthak Tandon</i>
11:15 – 11:40 AM	Panel Discussion: Axillary Management After Neoadjuvant Therapy: Optimizing Radiotherapy to Prevent Overtreatment	Moderator: <i>Dr. Supriya Mallick</i> Panelists: <i>Dr. Yamini Bachheti (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Agrima Mittal (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Mohit (IR),</i> <i>Dr. Runu Sharma (MO),</i> <i>Dr. Prakriti Singh Badola (MO),</i> <i>Dr. Madiwalesh Chhebbi (SO)</i>

11:45 –12:25 PM - ORATION FOLLOWED BY TEA BREAK



SESSION 3 - THORACIC ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- Dr Pamela Jeyaraj,
- Dr Rajeev Devgan,
- Dr Sandhya Sood,
- Dr Rakhee Khanduri,
- Dr Rahul Gupta,
- Dr Mansi Kala

Time	Topic	Speaker
12:30–12:40 PM	Molecular-driven NSCLC: are we using radiation too late in the treatment sequence?	<i>Dr. Divya Khosla</i>
12:45– 1:10 PM	Case based panel discussion – transforming the unresectable stage III NSCLC landscape: from PACIFIC to LAURA	Moderator: <i>Dr. Ankit Batra</i> Panelists: <i>Dr. Neha Sehgal (RO), Dr. Rachit Ahuja (RO), Dr. Shashank Joshi (RO), Dr. Madiwalesh Chhebbi (SO), Dr. Prakriti Singh Badola (MO).</i>
1:15– 1:25 PM - LUNG SYMPOSIUM – Cart – T cell Therapy in Lymphoma - Dr. Vijay Patil		

1:30 – 2:10 PM – LUNCH BREAK

Chairpersons B:

- Dr Sushant Khanduri,
- Dr Amit Sherawat,
- Dr Varuna Jethani,
- Dr Kundan Chufal,
- Dr Jitendra,
- Dr Manoj Kumar

Time	Topic	Speaker
2:15– 2:25 PM	Lung Cancer Screening in India: From smoking centric to risk based and multimodal screening	<i>Dr. Abhishek Shankar</i>
2:30 – 2:40 PM	Esophageal cancers: differences in presentation and neoadjuvant strategies — Is NACTRT fading out?	<i>Dr. Pragyat Thakur</i>



SESSION 4 - GYNAECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- *Dr D.N. Sharma,*
- *Dr Rajeev Kumar Seam,*
- *Dr Amjad Husain,*
- *Dr Mohd. Waseem,*
- *Dr Pawan Mehrotra,*
- *Dr Gunjan Baijal*

Time	Topic	Speaker
2:45 – 2:55 PM	Quality of life after radiotherapy for cervical cancer: addressing vaginal toxicity and sexual outcome	<i>Dr. Anurita Srivastava</i>
3:00 – 3:10 PM	Integrating Neoadjuvant Chemotherapy with Concurrent Chemoradiation in Locally Advanced Cervical Cancer	<i>Dr. Garima Singh</i>

Chairpersons B:

- *Dr Manish Pandey,*
- *Dr Manish Gupta,*
- *Dr Akash Gaiind,*
- *Dr Prachi Kala,*
- *Dr Deepak Sundriyal,*
- *Dr Jaineet Patil*

Time	Topic	Speaker
3:15 – 3:25 PM	SBRT, Brachytherapy and Beyond: The Evolving Landscape of Pelvic Re-irradiation	<i>Dr. Rashi Agrawal</i>
3:30 – 3:55 PM	Panel discussion: Personalised Treatment in Carcinoma Endometrium: Integrating Pathology, Molecular Markers, and Clinical Decision-Making	Moderator: <i>Dr. Ajeet Kumar Gandhi</i> Panelists: <i>Dr. Rachit Ahuja (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Neeru Bedi (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Navaudhayam (RO),</i> <i>Dr Sumit Garg (OncoPath),</i> <i>Dr. Vishu (NM),</i> <i>Dr. Amit Badola (MO),</i> <i>Dr. Yamini Kansal (GO),</i> <i>Dr. Kushagra Rahul (SO)</i>

4:00 – 4:30 PM -INAUGURATION FOLLOWED BY TEA BREAK



SESSION 5 - GI ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- Dr Neeraj Jain,
- Dr Rahat Hadi,
- Dr Raja Parmjit Singh,
- Dr Lalit Shabab,
- Dr Priyanka Singh,
- Dr Vimal Pandita

Time	Topic	Speaker
4:35 – 4:45 PM	Stereotactic Body Radiotherapy in Pancreatic Cancer: Contemporary Evidence and Clinical Integration	<i>Dr. Deepak Gupta</i>
4:50 – 5:00 PM	Colorectal malignancy in young adults: genetic testing, screening and management — is there any scope of prevention?	<i>Dr. Anil Kumar Goel</i>
5:05 – 5:15 PM	Neoadjuvant treatment in resectable GE junction and gastric cancer: standard of care or selective strategy	<i>Dr. Rajpal Singh</i>

Chairpersons B:

- Dr Jaskaran Singh Sethi,
- Dr Smita Chandra,
- Dr Vipul Kandwal,
- Dr Saurabh Bansal,
- Dr Mayank Nautiyal

Time	Topic	Speaker
5:20 – 5:45 PM	Panel discussion: Optimal TNT strategy in rectal cancer — indication, sequencing, timing and de-escalation based on molecular profile	Moderator: <i>Dr. Sajal Kakkar</i> Panelists: <i>Dr. Naman Utreja (RO), Dr. Richa Gupta (RO), Dr. Saurabh Tiwari (SO), Dr. Gaurav Benjwal (RD), Dr. Sachin Arora (GI surg), Dr. Shagun Harsh (OP), Dr. Antara Sanyal (MO)</i>

GENERAL BODY MEETING – 5:45 PM onwards

GALA DINNER – 7:30 PM ONWARDS



DAY 1 - OCTOBER 10, 2026 (SATURDAY)

HALL - B

VENUE: GROUND FLOOR, MAIN AUDITORIUM

Time	Topic	Speaker
2:00 – 2:30 PM	TECENTRIQ SC: Pioneering innovation in NSCLC with subcutaneous Immunotherapy	<i>Dr. Amit Badola</i>
2:30 – 2:40 PM	Real world evidence: Durvalumab + Gemcis is SOC in advanced BTC	<i>Dr. Vipul Nautiyal</i>
2:45 – 2:55 PM	Risk-Adapted CINV Prophylaxis: Insights from the My Risk Trial	<i>Dr. Viney Kumar</i>
3:00 – 3:10 PM	Advancing mHSPC treatment horizons: Darolutamide without chemotherapy – ARANOTE evidence	<i>Dr. Vipul Nautiyal</i>
3:20 – 3:30 PM		

Time	Topic	Speaker
4:45 – 4:55 PM	Invitation to impact in Indian IO Ecosystem of H & N Cancer	<i>Dr. Amit Badola</i>
5:00 – 5:20 PM	TBD (ROCHE)	<i>Dr. Ankit Batra</i>
5:35 – 5:45 PM	ENHERTU for the treatment of HR+, Her-low or HR+ HER2 ultra-low mBC	<i>Dr. Amit Badola</i>

POSTER PRESENTATION 4 PM ONWARDS



DAY 2 - OCTOBER 11, 2026 (SUNDAY)

HALL - A: ADI - KAILASH AUDITORIUM, 2nd FLOOR

BEST PAPER PRESENTATION: 8:00 - 9:00 AM

SESSION 1 - GU ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- Dr Meena Sudan,
- Dr Deepa Joseph,
- Dr Daulat Singh,
- Dr Pramod Gupta,
- Dr Najmi Arshad,
- Dr Sandeep Agarwal

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:15 – 9: 25 AM	Robot assisted Radical prostatectomy: Tailoring the approach to different clinical scenarios	<i>Dr. Ankur Mittal</i>
9:30–9:40 AM	Radiation plus short-term ADT for unfavourable intermediate-risk prostate cancer: a non-inferior alternative to surgery	<i>Dr. Haresh K. P.</i>
9:45– 9:55 AM	Stereotactic Body Radiotherapy in Prostate Cancer: Where Do We Stand?	<i>Dr. Shikha Goyal</i>

Chairpersons B:

- Dr Paramjit Kaur,
- Dr Rajeev Sarpal,
- Dr Manju Saini,
- Dr Archana Dutta,
- Dr Hanuman Yadav,
- Dr Rajesh Pasricha

Time	Topic	Speaker
10:00-10:10 AM	Prostate brachytherapy! Is it still relevant in the era of advanced external radiation techniques??	<i>Lt. Col. Dr. Ashok Kumar</i>
10:15 – 10:40 AM	Panel Discussion: Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer: Radical cystectomy versus Bladder preservation – Are we ready for a paradigm shift?	Moderator: <i>Dr. Kanika Sood Sharma</i> Panelist: <i>Dr. Sweety Gupta (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Sandeep Purohit (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Satyajeet Rath (RO),</i> <i>Dr. Pankaj Kumar (Uro-onco),</i> <i>Dr. Ajeet Tiwari (SO),</i> <i>Dr. Runu Sharma (MO),</i> <i>Dr. Sudip Dey (NM)</i>

10:40-11:00 AM TEA BREAK



SESSION 2 - NEURO-ONCOLOGY

Chairpersons A:

- Dr Narendra Kumar,
- Dr Meenu Gupta,
- Dr Vinod Nimbran,
- Dr Ranjeet Kumar,
- Dr Pankaj Arora

Time	Topic	Speaker
11:00-11:10 AM	Neuropathology: molecular revolution — how it transforms clinical decision-making and its judicious implementation in LMICs	Dr. Debajyoti Chatterjee
11:15 – 11:25 AM	Current strategies for dose and target volume de-escalation in gliomas	Dr. Renu Madan
11:30 – 11:55 AM	Panel Discussion: Precision vs Practicality in brain radiation therapy: Are we truly improving the therapeutic ratio?	Moderator: Dr Ravi Kant Panelists: Dr. Mary Joan (Med Phy) Dr. Teerath Raj Verma (Med Phy) Dr. C P Bhatt (Med Phy) Dr. Reena Sharma (Med Phy) Dr. Karun Kamboj (RO) Dr. Debanjan Sikdar (RO) Dr. Ankit Bhatia (NS)

Chairpersons B:

- Dr Muninder Negi,
- Dr Shikha Chawla,
- Dr Arun Aggarwal,
- Dr Sanjeev Pandey,
- Dr Brijesh Tiwari,
- Dr Malik Rasool

Time	Topic	Speaker
12:00 – 12:10 AM	Stereotactic radiation in 5–30 brain metastases: is it time to accept it into practice?	Dr. Dodul Mondal
12: 15– 12:25 PM	Recurrent / refractory HGG: CAR-T strategies	Dr. Vijay Patil
12:30 – 12:40 PM	From Tumor Profiling to Molecular Monitoring: A New Era of Integrated Tissue & Liquid Biopsy Genomics in Cancer Care	Dr Prakher Gupta

12:00-12:45 PM: VALEDICTORY FUNCTION

DEPARTMENT OF RADIATION ONCOLOGY, HIMS DEPARTMENTAL JOURNEY – **Dr. Mansi Barthwal**

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION – **Dr. Anmol Mahani**

12:45- 1:00 PM : VOTE OF THANKS – **Dr. Viney Kumar**

1 PM ONWARDS LUNCH

