



Dr Aniket Naha, Scientist in Pushpagiri Research Centre gave research orientation on the topics, Research facilities & fraternities of Pushpagiri Research Centre and Introduction to Research: Types and Classifications in the 13th I-KAP Session for First Year MDS and Interns at Pushpagiri College of Dental Sciences.







Ms. Treesa Sani, Research trainee student, presented her work as oral presentation at National Seminar on "NanoGenPro Triad: Exploring the Future Science" held at SB College Changanassery on 10th January 2024, in the topic entitled 'Evaluation of antioxidant and photocatalytic activity of green synthesized carbonate nanoparticles calcium Benincasa hispida extract' under the guidance of Dr Soumya R.S, Scientist, Pushpagiri Research Centre. The work mainly focused on the use of calcium carbonate nanoparticles in anti-cancer studies.





Ms. Elizabeth Annie George, Research Trainee from Dr. Aniket Naha's lab, participated and delivered an Oral Presentation on the topic "Optimizing Therapeutic Strategies: Enhanced Efficacy with a Novel SAAP Mutant Antimicrobial Peptide Against Clinical Strains of XDR Acinetobacter baumannii." the same National Seminar "NanoGenPro Triad: Exploring Future Science" organized by St. Berchmans College, Changanassery on 10th January, 2024



Many many congratulations to Dr Rojin Abraham, Dr Nebu George Thomas and Dr Anil Sukumaran for their recent book chapter in Apple Academic Press

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തിരുവല്ല: പുഷ്പഗിരി റിസർച്ച് സെന്ററിലെ ടിഷ്യു എൻജിനിയ റിംഗ് ആൻഡ് റീജനറേറ്റീവ് മെ ഡിസിൻ ലാബും സെൻട്രൽ ഇ ൻസ്റ്റിറ്റ്യൂട്ട് ഓഫ് ഫിഷറീസ് ടെ ക്നോളജിയും (സിഫ്റ്റ്) സംയു ക്തമായി ചേർന്ന് ബയോസെറാ മിക് ഹൈഡ്രോക്സി അപ്പറ്റെ റ്റ് അധിഷ്ഠിതമായ ബോൺ ഗ്രാ റ്റ് മത്സ്യങ്ങളിൽനിന്നു വിക സിപ്പിച്ചു. ഇന്ത്യൻ കൗൺസിൽ ഓഫ് അഗ്രികൾച്ചറൽ റിസർച്ച് (ഐസിഎആർ) ഈ നുതന സാങ്കേതികവിദ്യക്ക് അംഗീകാ രം നല്കി. സിഫ്റ്റിലെ മുതിർന്ന ശാസ്ത്രജ്ഞയായ ഡോ. പി. കെ. ബിൻസിയും പുഷ്പഗിരി ഡെന്റൽ കോളജിലെ പ്രഫസ

റും ടിഷ്യു എൻജിനിയറിംഗ് ലാ ബ് മേധാവിയുമായ ഡോ. നെ ബു ജോർജ് തോമസും ഗവേഷ ണത്തിനു നേതൃത്വം നല്കി.

പുഷ്പ്ഗിരി റിസർച്ച് സെന്ററി ലെ ശാസ്ത്രജ്ഞനായ ഡോ. യോഗേഷ് ഡാൽവി, സിഫ്റ്റി ലെ മുതിർന്ന ശാസ്ത്രജ്ഞന്മാ രായ ഡോ. എ. സൈനുദ്ദീൻ, ഡോ. പി. മുഹമ്മദ് അഷ്റഫ് എ ന്നിവർ ഗവേഷണത്തിൽ പങ്കാ ളികളായി. മത്സൃശകലങ്ങളിൽ നിന്നും എല്ലുകളിൽനിന്നും അ നായാസം ഉത്പാദിപ്പിക്കാവുന്ന ഹൈഡ്രോക്സി അപ്പറ്റെറ്റ് ക മ്പനികൾ ഇതിന്റെ ഉത്പാദനവു മായി മുന്നോട്ടുവരണമെന്നും സിഫ്റ്റ് ഡയറക്ടർ ഡോ. ജോർ

ജ് നൈനാൻ അഭിപ്രായപ്പെട്ടു. ഇതിന്റെ സാങ്കേതികവിദ്യ സി ഫ്റ്റ് അഗ്രി ബിസിനസ് ഇൻക്യു ബേഷൻ സെന്ററിൽനിന്നും ല ഭൃമാണെന്നും അദ്ദേഹം കൂട്ടി ച്ചേർത്തു. ഈ നൂതന സാങ്കേതി കവിദ്യ ദന്തചികിത്സയ്ക്ക് ഏറെ സഹായകരമാകുമെന്നും ഇതു വഴി ദന്തചികിത്സാചെലവ് വൻ തോതിൽ കുറയ്ക്കാനാകുമെ ന്നും പുഷ്പഗിരി റിസർച്ച് ഡയ റക്ടർ റവ.ഡോ. മാത്യു മഴവഞ്ചേ രിൽ പറഞ്ഞു. ഈ സാങ്കേതിക രിൽ പറഞ്ഞു. ഈ സംക്കാനം വിദ്യ ഡെന്റൽ ഇംപ്ലാന്റോളജി യിൽ ഒരു വഴിത്തിരിവായിരിക്കു മെന്ന് പുഷ്പഗിരി ഡെന്റൽ കോളജ് പ്രിൻസിപ്പൽ ഡോ. ടി. എബി മാത്യു പറഞ്ഞു.

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**



Dr Aniket Naha, Scientist, Medical Biotechnology and Computational Drug Designing Laboratory, Pushpagiri Research Centre, received the Best Oral Presentation award under Faculty category for showcasing his research work entitled 'Identification of a Novel Ursodeoxycholic Acid Derivative Targeting Parkin for Parkinson's Disease through Network Metrics, Structural Dynamics, and Density Functional Theory Calculations,' in the National Seminar on "NanoGenPro Triad: Exploring Future Science" organized by St. Berchmans College, Changanassery on 10th January, 2024.

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