

# LIFE SCIENCES INDUSTRY - ACADEMIA SUMMIT

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Venue

Amphitheatre, Fergusson College  
F.C. Road, Pune 411004

## About the Event

Life Sciences today, is one of the most concerned areas of research, innovation and entrepreneurship in India. With the advent of biotechnology, it is now being considered as a new hope for food, health and environmental sustainability.

However, as the technology is developing, newer opportunities as well as challenges are also emerging. The expectations and requirements of life sciences and biotechnology industry are also changing dramatically.

In this purview, the Life Sciences Industry - Academia Summit is an attempt to bring together the expertise, skills and experience of eminent industry professionals to address academia about the emerging trends in these sectors and its future expectations.

This two day event will objectively discuss the newer opportunities in life science and biotechnology industry and expectations from new generation of life science professionals.

It aims to bring together students, research scholars, academicians, scientists, researchers, entrepreneurs and parents to learn the know-how and understand the integrative nature of today's life science industry.

## Who Should Attend

- Life Science Students
- Faculty
- Researchers, PhDs, Post Docs, Scientists
- Industry Professionals
- Parents

## Registration Details

Students	INR 500
Teachers and Faculty	INR 1000
Researchers, PhDs	INR 1000
Scientists/Industry	INR 1500

Please send us the filled in application form with demand draft drawn in favor of Principal, Fergusson College Pune, payable at Pune.

Registrations can also be done online at [www.bioexcellence.org/summit.htm](http://www.bioexcellence.org/summit.htm)

Registration forms should be sent to the address given below

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## Speakers' Profiles

Dr. Subhash Kapre: Executive Director, Research and Development, Serum Institute of India Limited, Pune

Dr. Mohan Iyer: Chief Scientific Officer, Indus Biotech Pune

Dr. Balakrishna Kulkarni: Chief Technology Officer, Innovassynth Technologies, Khopoli

Dr. Ashish Tendulkar, Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Chennai

Mr. Sandeep Saxena, Chief Executive Officer, Acton Biotech Pune

Dr. Ritu Mehdiratta, Patent Agent, Director, ShramWORX, Bangalore

Mr. Jagannath Sonavane, Director, Bioresource Biotech, Pune

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## Program Details

Details [www.bioexcellence.org/summit.htm](http://www.bioexcellence.org/summit.htm)

### Program Objectives

- ✚ Defining Biotechnology in scientific context and explaining its relevance to present day situation
- ✚ Exploring the information, knowledge and technology development interface of biotechnology.
- ✚ Understanding Biotechnology from the scientific perspective of India
- ✚ Introducing biotechnology industry base in India
- ✚ Understanding growth of biotechnology business in India and key support functions
- ✚ Understanding career pathways and various job opportunities in industry, academia and research.
- ✚ Understanding the research and application areas of biotechnology
- ✚ Explaining the needs, expectations and challenges of life sciences and biotechnology industry.
- ✚ Promoting industry-academia interaction and collaboration

## Patrons

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