

## **WE AND COVID-19**

FIGHT AGAINST GLOBAL PANDEMIC

We know what is COVID-19, Do We?

We know how it spreads, Do We?

We know what the symptoms are, Do we?

We know in future we will be safe, Do we?

To answer our queries and help us in better understanding this pandemic,

## Prof. Gagandeep Kang, FRS

has graciously agreed for an online public lecture.

Sure, we all have lot more queries than answers about this global pandemic which is changing its course mysteriously. Nothing appears to be falling on the curve of our understanding. The best shot we have is to wait for the vaccine. But this will take some time.

The second best, we can do is to equip ourselves with genuine information. Keeping ourselves updated about this global pandemic will not only keep us and our dear ones safe from uninvited risks but can curtail potential spread as well. Please join us for this online public lecture on 11-September-2020.

Time: 10:00 to 11:00 am

**Registration Fee: NIL** 

Registration Link: https://forms.gle/8QHysZiqvXJK1GfQ7

(Online link will be shared with registered participants only)

## Inaugural Ceremony (09:30 to 10:00am)

Welcome Address by Dr. S. Rubab, Outreach, Department of Physics, NIT Srinagar Address by Dr. P. A. Ganai, Head, Department of Physics, NIT Srinagar Address by Prof. Rakesh Sehgal, Honourable Director, NIT Srinagar

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Prof. G. Kang is a professor of Microbiology at Wellcome Trust Research Laboratory, Division of Gastrointestinal Sciences at the Christian Medical College, Vellore.

Prof. Kang has worked on the development and use of vaccines for rotaviruses, cholera and typhoid, conducting large studies to define burden, test vaccines and measure.

Prof. Kang is a member of advisory committee for the WHO. She served as scientific advisor to Wellcome Trust, UK, the DBT-Wellcome Trust India Alliance, the International Vaccine Institute and the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology. Recently, Prof. Kang served as Executive Director of Translational Health Science and Technology Institute, an autonomous institute of the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, GOI.

Prof. Kang has published over 375 research papers in the international and national journals. Prof. Kang is the first woman working in India to be elected a Fellow of the Royal Society. She is also the first Indian woman to be elected to Fellowship of the American Academy Microbiology and the only physicianscientist to receive the Infosys Award in Life Sciences.

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