

AROI Newsletter

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From the office of AROI

Dear All,
Greetings from AROI !!!

It gives us immense pleasure to connect with all of you through this newsletter as we continue our shared journey of advancing medical knowledge, strengthening professional collaboration, and improving patient care. Over the past year, our association has remained committed to fostering academic excellence, encouraging research initiatives, and creating meaningful opportunities for professional growth and networking. We invite FICRO application for the eligible members to honor their contribution to AROI.

We are also delighted to announce our upcoming Annual Conference, 46th AROICON at Hyderabad, which promises to be an enriching scientific and academic gathering. The conference will bring together distinguished faculty, experts, clinicians, researchers, and young professionals to exchange ideas, discuss emerging developments, and explore innovations shaping the future of oncology healthcare and radiation therapy. We especially encourage active participation from students, residents, and early-career professionals to contribute in making this conference a memorable and impactful event

We look forward to celebrating another year of academic excellence together.

Long Live AROI !!!



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Attention - From the office of AROI

KIND ATTENTION STUDENT MEMBERS

Doctors who enrolled as AROI members during their postgraduate (PG) training and have now successfully completed their postgraduation are requested to submit a copy of their PG Degree/Completion Certificate to the AROI Secretariat on secretaryaroi@gmail.com. Submission of the PG certificate is necessary to update your membership status and to become eligible to exercise your voting rights in the upcoming AROI elections. Kindly submit the required document at the earliest to avoid any inconvenience.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL ELIGIBLE VOTERS

All eligible voters are requested to kindly verify that your registered email ID and mobile number are correct in the AROI membership database. Accurate contact details are essential to ensure that you receive all election-related communications and voting instructions without interruption. Please log in to the AROI website and check your registered contact information. If any corrections or updates are required, kindly email the details to the AROI Secretariat at secretaryaroi@gmail.com at the earliest.

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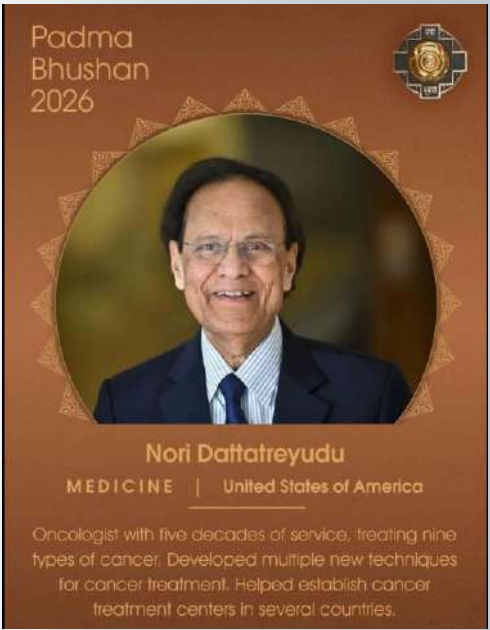
Dr. Vijay Anand Reddy
Padma Shri Awardee - 2026
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Dr. Vijay Anand Reddy has been conferred with the prestigious Padma Award 2026. Recognized for his decades-long dedication to cancer treatment, patient care, and medical excellence, Dr. Reddy has played a crucial role in transforming the lives of thousands of cancer patients across the country. On behalf of the Executive Committee and all members of AROI, we convey our heartfelt congratulations. Dr.Reddy is life member of AROI and also served as President and Chair of Association of Radiation Oncologists of India & also as Chairman of Indian College of Radiation Oncology. AROI is proud of his achievements and wish him all the success in life.



Dr. Nori Dattatreyaudu
Padma Bhushan Awardee - 2026
Chairman of the Radiation Oncology Unit at the New York Hospital Medical Center of Queens

Dr. Nori Dattatreyaudu has received Padma Bhushan award this year. He is an Indian-American Radiation Oncologist. He was awarded Padma Shri in 2015 for his contributions in the field of medicine. He has delivered the Dr. Solomon Padam Singh oration in 1991 & is an honorary member of AROI.



FICRO applications

Guidelines and Instructions for nomination of candidates

An individual elected as a Fellow of the Indian College of Radiation Oncology is expected to:

- (a) Stand out among peers in the profession as a person of distinction at the national/international level.
- (b) Have distinguished himself/herself in the profession:
 - i. as a physician in his / her specialty; and/or
 - ii. in service to Medicine in patient care, teaching, public health work and/or health administration.

The Eligibility Criteria for the Fellowship of Indian College of Radiation Oncology:

1. Founder Members of the ICRO
OR
2. Membership of the ICRO for at least 5 years and possessing more than 15 years of experience after post-graduation.

A. Founder members are automatically eligible for award of the Fellowship, subject to submission of Application and the payment of the Admission Fees for the Fellowship. (Fellowship Fees-Rs 10,000/- Includes the GST)

B. For other than Founder Members, Application needs to be submitted and after Election as a Fellow, a communication will be sent to the Elected Fellows for depositing the Admission Fees for the Fellowship, by the due date as per the communication.

C. Fellowships will be awarded after the receipt of the Admission Fees.

Format of the Application Form and the Instructions can be downloaded from the AROI Website. A soft copy of the application is to reach Dr. Pooja Nandwani Patel, Secretary ICRO through email (secretaryicro@gmail.com) so as to reach her not later than 12 midnight of 31st July, 2026. **A hard copy of the application along with all supporting documents is to reach the Secretary, ICRO (Address given in the application form) at the earliest but not**

later than 10th August, 2026. The applications will be valid for a period of 2 years (The current year, if received by deadline, and for the subsequent year). Late applications will be considered only for the Election of Fellows for the subsequent year.

Admission Fees for ICRO Fellows:

Rs 10,000/- (Rupees ten thousand only. This includes GST), through DD / Online Bank Transfer to "AROI-ICRO",

Name of A/C: AROI-ICRO

Bank: State Bank of India

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The Nominees are to be Proposed and Seconded by Members of AROI of GOOD STANDING of FIFTEEN YEARS duration. The PROPOSERS AND SECONDRS MUST BE ICRO MEMBERS.

Soft copy of the Application must reach the Secretary, ICRO by midnight of 31st July of the year of Election, with a copy to the Chairman, ICRO. Documentary evidence of all Statements/Experience/Awards must be attached to the HARD COPY of the Application and is to be sent to the Secretary, ICRO so as reach him/her on or before 10th August of the year of Election.

The attention of the Proposer and Secunder making the nomination is invited to the Guidelines and Instructions laid down for the purpose.

1. The Proposer and Secunder nominating the candidate should certify from personal knowledge the professional and scientific standing/achievements of the candidate

2. Every candidate shall be proposed and seconded by a statement in writing signed by at least two Life Members of AROI of GOOD STANDING of FIFTEEN YEARS duration. The PROPOSERS AND SECONDRS MUST BE ICRO MEMBERS

FICRO applications

INSTRUCTIONS

1. One hard copy of the following documents must accompany the application for nomination.

(i) A precise statement limited to 120 words on nominee's professional and scientific standing/ achievements which form the basis for nomination signed by proposer/secondar.

(ii) Information as per format prescribed, duly completed. Follow the same section numbers in their submission as in the nomination form avoiding reference to enclosed appendices.

(iii) List of publications:

(a) Two separate lists of publications i.e. one in Journals included in Medical Databases, Medical Literature analysis and retrieval system (Medlar) etc. and other one in Journals not included in medical database but published in Journals of National Societies/Professional Associations.

(b) Be written in chronological order and should include (1) Names and initials of all authors, (2) Title of article, (3) Title of publication abbreviated, (4) Volume number, (5) First and last page number, (6) Years of publication.

Reference to books should include: (1) City of publication (2) Name of Publisher (3) Year of Publications.

Abstracts and Proceedings of Conferences etc. should not be included in the list of publications.

2. One hard copy each of six published papers considered to be best by the proposer. The Citation

Index of six best published papers of the nominee and Average Impact Factor of the Journals in which the six best papers have been published may also be provided along with nomination for Fellowship. (Impact factor of the Journal in the year of publication of the concerned article).

The under-mentioned guidelines may also please be noted in this connection:

1. Only Life Members of AROI of GOOD STANDING of FIFTEEN YEARS duration and who are ICRO Members can Propose or Second the Nominee.

2. A Member may not propose more than three names for Fellowship in a year. He/ She may, however, second any number of proposals.

3. The candidate shall be Indian citizen. Exceptionally a foreign national who may have done outstanding work in India or for India in his/her own country may be considered.

Note: Nominations which are either incomplete or not according to the prescribed format will not be processed.

FOR ELECTION OF ICRO FELLOW, AN OVERALL ASSESSMENT IN ALL SPHERES WILL BE DONE AND VARIOUS CRITERIA WILL BE CONSIDERED AND NOT ONLY EXCELLENCE IN ONE PARTICULAR SPHERE ALONE.

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Article

Morbidity Reduction and Functional Preservation in Early Glottic Cancer



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Abstract

Early glottic cancer is effectively managed with definitive radiotherapy, achieving excellent local control while preserving laryngeal function. However, treatment-related toxicities including dysphonia, dysphagia, carotid vasculopathy, hypothyroidism, and skin reactions can adversely impact long-term quality of life. Over the past two decades, advances in imaging, treatment planning, and delivery have enabled a paradigm shift from large-field irradiation to highly conformal, function-preserving techniques. Modern strategies such as volumetric modulated arc therapy (VMAT), selective vocal cord irradiation, optimised target delineation, dysphagia-avoidance planning, omission of routine bolus, carotid sparing, thyroid sparing and imaging by daily cone beam CT

collectively can reduce morbidity without compromising oncological outcomes. This minireview summarises contemporary approaches and highlights key principles for toxicity minimization in early glottic radiotherapy.

Introduction

Early-stage glottic squamous cell carcinoma (T1–T2N0) is primarily managed with definitive radiotherapy or trans oral laser microsurgery, both offering high rates of local control and laryngeal preservation. Hypofractionated radiotherapy has become the standard approach in T1–T2 disease, achieving local control rates exceeding 90% at 5 years with acceptable toxicity profiles [1]. Historically, treatment was delivered using opposed lateral fields encompassing the entire larynx, resulting in substantial irradiation of uninvolved normal tissues. Advances in cross-sectional imaging, three-dimensional treatment planning, and daily image guidance have enabled increasingly conformal approaches.

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These developments have shifted the therapeutic paradigm toward individualised target delineation and organ-at-risk (OAR) sparing, with the goal of maintaining oncologic efficacy while reducing long-term functional morbidity [2,3].

Evolution from Conventional Radiotherapy to IMRT/VMAT

Conventional radiotherapy for early glottic cancer employed large opposed lateral fields with generous margins, primarily to account for anatomical uncertainties and laryngeal motion. While effective, this approach exposed adjacent structures such as the carotid arteries, thyroid gland, pharyngeal constrictors, and skin to significant radiation doses. The introduction of volumetric modulated arc therapy (VMAT) has enabled highly conformal dose distributions with improved sparing of OARs. Hypofractionation remains central to treatment efficacy in early glottic cancer, enhancing biological effectiveness and logistical convenience without compromising outcomes [14-19]. The integration of VMAT with hypofractionated schedules improves therapeutic ratio by simultaneously maintaining tumor control and reducing normal tissue toxicity (1-4).

Target Delineation, Laryngeal Motion, and Selective Vocal Cord Irradiation

Accurate target delineation is fundamental to successful glottic radiotherapy. Proper correlation of endoscopic findings and CT is critical in the target volume delineation. The larynx exhibits complex physiological motion due to swallowing, respiration, and phonation, resulting in substantial cranio-caudal and anterior-posterior displacement. Consequently, traditional planning required large clinical target volumes (CTV) extending from the hyoid to the cricoid, with generous planning target volume (PTV) margins to mitigate motion-related uncertainties and prevent geographic miss [13].

Despite the transition to IMRT/VMAT, cranio-caudal margin reduction remains limited by persistent laryngeal motion. Inadequate delineation of subclinical mucosal spread and commissural involvement may result in local recurrence, as highlighted in clinical series reporting inferior

outcomes with IMRT in T2 disease when target definition is suboptimal [4,12].

Contemporary approaches increasingly incorporate selective vocal cord irradiation (SVCI) in carefully selected patients with early-stage disease. This technique enables dose escalation to the involved cord while reducing irradiation of contralateral structures, arytenoids, and supraglottic tissues. However, its success is highly dependent on robust image guidance, strict quality assurance, and adherence to international consensus contouring guidelines to mitigate motion-related uncertainties [12,13].

Meticulous assessment of anterior commissure, posterior commissure, and subglottic extension remains essential for appropriate patient selection. Additionally, refinement of target definition—such as exclusion of air cavities from CTV and avoidance of unnecessary extension into strap muscles—improves dose conformity while minimizing exposure to adjacent normal tissues [13].

Technical Considerations in Volume Optimization

Bolus

Routine use of bolus is generally unnecessary in early glottic cancer. Bolus increases surface dose, leading to higher rates of dermatitis, desquamation, pain, and potential treatment interruptions. Its application should be restricted to selected cases with anterior commissure involvement.

Dysphagia-Avoidance Radiotherapy

Radiation-induced dysphagia is strongly associated with dose to the pharyngeal constrictor muscles and laryngeal framework. Eisbruch et al. demonstrated that sparing these structures using IMRT significantly reduces swallowing dysfunction and aspiration risk [7]. The dysphagia/aspiration-related structures (DARS) should be routinely contoured, with efforts to maintain mean dose below 50 Gy whenever feasible. Dysphagia-avoidance IMRT has been validated in prospective trials, demonstrating improved functional outcomes without compromising tumor control [8].

Carotid Artery Sparing

Carotid irradiation is a recognized contributor to late cerebrovascular morbidity in head and neck cancer survivors.

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Radiation-induced endothelial injury accelerates atherosclerosis, increasing the risk of carotid stenosis and cerebrovascular events. Long-term studies report stroke or transient ischemic attack rates of approximately 5–12% at 10 years following neck irradiation [9,10]. IMRT-based carotid-sparing techniques significantly reduce dose to the carotid arteries while maintaining excellent local control in early glottic cancer. These dosimetric improvements are associated with a potential reduction in long-term vascular toxicity, supporting carotid-sparing IMRT as a preferred contemporary approach [11].

Thyroid Gland Sparing

Radiation-induced hypothyroidism is a common late effect following laryngeal irradiation, largely attributable to incidental thyroid dose during conventional whole-larynx treatments. Modern conformal techniques allow reduction of inferior and anterior target extension, thereby decreasing thyroid exposure without compromising tumor coverage. These refinements are expected to translate into lower rates of hypothyroidism in long-term survivors, although continued follow-up is required to fully define clinical benefit [9,10].

Image-Guided Radiotherapy

Image-guided radiotherapy (IGRT), particularly daily cone-beam CT, has become integral to modern glottic cancer management. IGRT improves setup accuracy, reduces systematic and random errors, and enables reduction of PTV margins. This margin reduction directly translates into decreased radiation exposure to adjacent normal tissues, thereby enhancing functional preservation while maintaining target coverage [4,13].

Conclusion

Early glottic cancer management has evolved from large-field irradiation to individualised, image-guided, and function-preserving radiotherapy. VMAT with hypofractionation, selective vocal cord irradiation, and refined target delineation has the potential to reduce the treatment-related morbidity. Additionally avoiding dose to inferior constrictor, bilateral carotids and thyroid further improves long-term functional outcomes. Recognition of laryngeal motion and precise image-guided planning remains central to minimize uncertainty. Collectively, these advances maintain excellent oncologic control with reduction in long term morbidity.

The essential check list for implementation of VMAT in early glottic cancer

Endoscopy	✓ Supraglottic/subglottic extension ✓ T1a / T1b ✓ Anterior/posterior commissure involvement ✓ Mobility of vocal cord
Simulation scan	✓ Thin slice (1.25mm) ✓ Correlate with endoscopy and properly delineate target volumes
Target volumes (GTV and CTV)	✓ Strictly adhere to international contouring guidelines ✓ Edit from cartilage and air
PTV	✓ Adequate superior and inferior PTV (at least 1cm)
Organs at risk	✓ B/L carotids ✓ Inferior constrictor ✓ Thyroid ✓ Spinal cord
Bolus	Only if anterior commissure is involved
Daily imaging	Daily cone beam CT

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Article

Missing Micromultileaf Collimator for Stereotactic planning and delivery

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Medical Physicists like me who started practicing stereotactic radiation therapy, a good three decades ago have seen plenty of improvements, inventions and modulations. I happen to commission the 3rd Brainlab's M3 which was 12th to have been sold. We did not do many SRT cases and did not do a single case of SRS, due to the availability of Gamma Knife in that center. As the neurosurgeon was referring the brain tumours for RT, in the bargain, we did not treat a single SRS case. However, the commissioning experience and parameters of that M3 was very impressive. Subsequently I happen to commission Moduleaf, another micro multileaf collimator to be mounted on Siemens Oncor Linear Accelerator. Here, we did a few hundreds of SRS and SRT cases, as there was a good support from the neurosurgery team. Initially we were not having good 3D imaging for alignment, but subsequently we improvised the imaging and graduated to the level of frameless stereotactic radiosurgery.

A lot of new inventions have happened!. Gamma Knife underwent 2 to 3 revisions and now they are also having 3D imaging and hence, IGRT ready. Varian brought Novalis Tx, a machine with high-definition MLC called HDMLC. The competitors such as Elekta also brought its mMLC. Cyberknife arrived in this country some 15 to 16 years back. Two of the centers in this country, replaced their old CKs with S7 in the last 1 to 2 years. The new bloke in the block is ZAP, which has 2D imaging for alignment like CK. But, has some extra interesting features. Now, new Chinese machines are claiming to have some hybrid options

as well. It is obvious that every new product has some benefits sacrificing a few old prevailing options.

I have seen all, learnt most of it. Appreciating some intelligent improvisations!. On the Varian's side(sorry Siemens Healthineers!), they dropped the brainlab's mMLC. Elekta also closed their mMLC options. Varian's True Beam breeds, offer HDMLC, which is having 2.5mm leaf. Elekta claims, 5 mm agility MLC with software support can make beamlets of 2mm also and hence mMLC is not required.

We all know CKs GKs and ZAPs take a lot of time in delivering the same treatments, with little benefits over the C-arm linacs. They claim a better accuracy level of a few fractions of a mm. However, the present-day C-arm linacs have MLC with penumbra more than 4mm and the dose gradients are definitely inferior to CK and GK. This is primarily because the dose fall off is not rapid from the field edges. GK also has the other advantage of multiple sources, but time taken is really large and has some limitations on middle and large tumors. CK has one advantage of coming closer to patient and reducing the penumbra of the apertures. ZAP has some advantage in the infrastructure side, but also takes time in delivering treatment. CK also takes time, but professionals who used it for long years easily identify it with anterior burning even for posterior tumors.

Now, why I am saying all this? I still miss the mMLC based plans. I am not seeing treatment plans of that quality with the present-day systems. An mMLC with brainlab's planning system can make magic in planning and delivery. Attaching an mMLC brings the lowest beam defining aperture closer to 65.0cm. The penumbra is always below 3.0mm. Leakage below leaves were low, because of the collimators which served as backup. With the present-day RA, HybridArc and RapidArc dynamic, I am sure the plans will be better and treatment times would be lower.

I think, we did not continue due to commercial aspect of the industry. I request my esteemed colleagues and friends to give their opinion.

Conferences

CAN KERALA _ Annual Conference AROI Kerala Chapter

20 – 22 Feb 2026
Thrissur

Update from
Dr. Sabarinath P S

The Kerala Chapter of the Association of Radiation Oncologists of India is pleased to submit this brief report on the successful conduct of CAN KERALA AROICON 2026, held from 20th to 22nd February 2026 at Casino Hotels Ltd., Thrissur. The conference was organized as the Annual Conference of the Kerala Chapter and was held in the distinguished setting of the Golden Jubilee year commemorating 50 years of AROI in India.

The meeting brought together radiation oncologists, clinical oncologists, postgraduate trainees, and a wide spectrum of allied specialists involved in cancer care, including colleagues from medical oncology, surgical oncology, gynaecologic oncology, pathology, palliative care, public health, and related disciplines. Participation was drawn from academic institutions, government medical colleges, cancer centres, general hospitals and private hospitals across Kerala and beyond. A total of 267 registrations were recorded, reflecting the wide interest and strong professional engagement the conference generated.

The scientific programme was extensive, well curated, and contemporary in content. It addressed major disease sites and practice domains in oncology through lectures, panel discussions, paper presentations, poster sessions, quizzes, and interactive forums. The sessions were academically rich and clinically relevant, with a notable emphasis on practical decision-making, multidisciplinary care, evolving technologies, quality standards, training, survivorship, and communication. The overall tenor of the programme was one of seriousness of purpose, intellectual openness, and lively participation.

A particularly important feature of this conference was the conduct of the scientific programme in two parallel halls, a first for the Kerala Chapter at the state conference level. This format enabled broader academic coverage and better time utilisation, while

accommodating parallel streams of subspecialty discussions, trainee sessions, policy-oriented deliberations, and scientific presentations. In many ways, this appeared to be a pioneering format not only within the state chapter, but possibly among state-level oncology meetings in the country, and it added both scale and depth to the conference.

Special mention must be made of the memorial orations, which gave the conference a sense of dignity and academic distinction. The Prof. R. Mahadevan Memorial Oration, delivered by Dr Dinesh M, reflected on the progress of precision radiation therapy and its contribution to quality cancer care and outcomes over the past two decades. The Prof. A. Sudhakaran Memorial

Oration, delivered by Dr Pushpaja K U, addressed survivorship in head and neck cancer and thoughtfully highlighted the importance of care beyond cure. These orations were among the defining features of the conference and were received with deep appreciation.

Another major strength of CAN KERALA AROICON 2026 was its deliberate and meaningful focus on cancer policy, an area that often remains underrepresented in state-level scientific meetings. The sessions on cancer policy moved beyond routine academic discussion and addressed broader questions of access, accountability, ethics, planning, delivery models, and the future direction of cancer care in Kerala. The discussions on whether investments and decisions are being made rightly, and on how cancer care may be reimaged from centralized treatment to networked care, gave the meeting a wider public health relevance. This policy emphasis was one of the most significant and distinctive achievements of the conference, and may well be regarded as one of the first efforts of its kind at this level in the state, and perhaps even nationally.

Conferences

CAN KERALA _ Annual Conference AROI Kerala Chapter

20 – 22 Feb 2026
Thrissur

Update from
Dr. Sabarinath P S

The inaugural session was conducted with dignity and warmth. The Welcome Address was delivered by Dr Prema K R, Chairperson of the Organizing Committee. The Presidential Address was delivered by Dr K L Jayakumar, President, Kerala AROI. The conference was formally inaugurated by Dr C S Madhu, President-Elect. The Keynote Address was delivered by Dr V Srinivasan, Secretary General, AROI, as Guest of Honour. The Report and Felicitation were presented by Dr Sabarinath P S, Secretary, Kerala AROI. Felicitations were offered by Dr Arun Shanker S, Editor, and the Vote of Thanks was delivered by Dr Ajithkumar V R, Organizing Secretary.

The General Body Meeting of the Kerala Chapter was also held during the conference and was marked by active participation and constructive deliberation. A range of organisational, academic, administrative,

and policy matters came up for discussion, reflecting the seriousness with which the chapter continues to engage with its responsibilities and future direction.

Taken as a whole, CAN KERALA AROICON 2026 was not merely a successful annual meeting, but a conference of substance, maturity, and vision. It combined scientific merit, organisational strength, historical significance, and professional fellowship in a manner worthy of the Golden Jubilee year of AROI in India. The conference strengthened academic exchange within the oncology community, encouraged younger colleagues, and reaffirmed the Kerala Chapter's commitment to the larger mission of AROI. The chapter also looks forward to its next annual conference, which is scheduled to be held at Kozhikode.



Conferences

52nd AROI–ICRO SUN PG Teaching Course

11 - 12 April 2026
JNMC, AMU, Aligarh

Update from
Dr. Md Shadab Alam

The Department of Radiation Oncology, Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, extends its heartfelt gratitude to the national bodies of AROI and ICRO for their invaluable support and trust in entrusting us with the responsibility of hosting the prestigious 52nd AROI–ICRO PG Teaching Course 2026 on 11-12 April 2026.

We are deeply thankful to the leadership of AROI and ICRO, including Prof. S. N. Senapati (President, AROI), Dr. V. Srinivasan (Secretary General, AROI), Dr. G. K. Sharan (Vice Chairman, ICRO), and Dr. Pooja Nandwani Patel (Secretary, ICRO), for their constant guidance, encouragement, and active involvement, which played a pivotal role in the grand success of this academic program.

We sincerely appreciate the efforts of the national faculty and distinguished speakers who shared their expertise and enriched the academic experience of the participating residents from across the country.

The academic program witnessed enthusiastic participation from around 59 postgraduate residents in Radiation Oncology from across India, who benefitted from lectures delivered by eminent national-level experts and stalwarts in the field of oncology.

It has been a matter of great pride and honor for our department to host this prestigious event for the first time. We look forward to continued collaboration and support from AROI and ICRO in future academic endeavors.



Conferences

Guj RadOnc 2025–26 _ Annual Conference AROI Gujarat Chapter

18 - 19 April 2026
Vadodara , Gujarat

Update from
Dr. Samir Batham

The Association of Radiation Oncologists of India (AROI) Gujarat Chapter successfully conducted Guj RadOnc 2025–26 on 18th and 19th April 2026 at Vadodara. Dr Prashant Patel was the organizing chairman and Dr Guru Prasad Mohanty was the organizing secretary. Centered around the theme “The Thinking Beam: Human Expertise, Machine Intelligence,” the conference highlighted the evolving synergy between clinical expertise and emerging artificial intelligence technologies in modern radiation oncology.

The two-day scientific extravaganza featured a highly engaging academic programme encompassing debates, lectures, panel discussions, case-based learning, paper and poster presentations, and AI-focused sessions across multiple disease sites including head & neck, thoracic, gastrointestinal, gynecological, genitourinary, and ocular malignancies.

Day 1 commenced with sessions on Brain and Head-Neck malignancies, where topics such as CTV delineation in nasopharyngeal cancers and timing of radiotherapy in gliomas generated vibrant academic discussions. The challenging head and neck case discussions witnessed enthusiastic audience participation and practical learning.

The Thoracic and Gastrointestinal oncology sessions further enriched the conference with evidence-based deliberations on de-escalation strategies, oligometastatic NSCLC, and the evolving “SANO” approach in oesophageal cancers. The gall bladder cancer panel discussion was particularly appreciated for addressing real-world dilemmas frequently encountered in Indian practice.

The Genitourinary and Gynecological oncology sessions showcased contemporary perspectives on

adjuvant versus salvage radiotherapy in prostate cancer, optimization of cervical cancer brachytherapy schedules, and evolving management paradigms in vulvar cancers.

The General Body Meeting was held in the evening where President of AROI Gujarat Chapter Dr. Pooja Nandwani Patel, Secretary Dr. Samir Batham and Treasurer Dr. Maitrik Mehta chaired the meeting. Dr. Samir Batham started the GBM with declaration of increase in AROI Gujarat membership number from 204 to 242. Dr. Pooja Nandwani Patel congratulated the organizing committee for the successful meeting attended by over 70 delegates and faculty. It was discussed that the AROI Gujarat Chapter newsletter should be published twice yearly, initially starting with an e-newsletter. It was proposed that Dr. Maitrik Mehta may serve as Editor and Dr. Guru Prasad Mohanty may serve as Co-Editor. Dr. Gopal Maheshwari proposed that if any student achieves a publication in an international journal or equivalent academic work, he would support or provide an amount of ₹15,000. Dr. Samir Batham invited bids for hosting the next state chapter meeting, since there were no bidders he took the responsibility to host the next state chapter meeting which was seconded by Dr. Nilesh Mahale, Dr. Kinjal Jani and Dr. Hemendra Mod.

The second day began with paper and poster presentations by young oncologists and residents, reflecting the growing academic enthusiasm within the state chapter. Scientific deliberations on radio-immunotherapy, including discussions around NIVOPOSTOP and KEYNOTE-A18, highlighted the rapidly expanding role of immunotherapy integration in radiation oncology practice.

Conferences

Guj RadOnc 2025–26 _ Annual Conference AROI Gujrat Chapter

18 - 19 April 2026
Vadodara , Gujrat

Update from
Dr. Samir Batham



AROKSCON 2026 _ Annual Conference AROI Karnataka Chapter

16 – 17 May 2026
Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College & KAHER, Belagavi

Update from
Dr. Sunil R. A

2nd Annual State level Conference of the Association of Radiation Oncologists of Karnataka “AROKSCON 2026” was hosted by Department of Radiation Oncology, Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, and KLE Academy of Higher Education and Research (KAHER), Belagavi in association with Association of Radiation Oncologist of Karanataka on May 16th and 17th, 2026 at Belagavi. Conference was based on theme “Radiation Therapy in the Real World: From Evidence to Everyday Practice”.

The conference was attended by approximately 200 registered delegates, ensuring a rich mix of experienced practitioners and postgraduate radiation

oncology students. The event featured interdisciplinary participation, with medical oncologists and surgical oncologists sharing their clinical experience along side radiation oncologists.

The formal inauguration was graced by an esteemed panel of institutional and organizational leaders, including Prof. Dr.Sandeep Shrivastava Vice Chancellor of KAHER as Chief GUEST, Prof. DR. V.M Pattanshetti Registrar of KAHER as Guest of Honour, Dr. Sidhanna R Palled President of AROK, Dr. Sunil R.A Secretary AROK, Dr. Imtiaz Ahamed Organizing Chairman and Dr. Sapna Organizing Secretary.

Conferences

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Update from
Dr. Sunil R. A

During the inauguration function, the journey of AROI over the years to reach 50 years, making this year as its Golden jubilee year was reminisced. Contribution Karnataka to strengthen AROI though its journey of 50 Years was counted.

The academic program spanned 1.5 days and was broken down into pre-conference workshop and 7 distinct sessions. Pre-Conference Workshop focused on the practical integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) into radiation oncology workflows. Conference included Prof. Dr. Gurunath Kilara Oration which was Delivered by Dr. Nalini Rao, senior consultant radiation oncologists in Karnataka, on the topic "Radiation: Past, Present, and Future"*. One Keynote by Dr. Hasib presented on the "Evolution of Brachytherapy Practices" and second by Dr. Lokesh V on topic "Principles of Plan Evaluation in SRS, SRT, and SBRT". Conference sessions were structured

around specific oncology domains, including Head and Neck, Breast, Gynec Oncology, Gastrointestinal, Treatment of Oligometastatic Lesions, haematological and Paediatric Malignancies.

Nearly 40 Postgraduate students and fellows from across Karnataka showcased their clinical research work in form of oral and poster presentations. A highly engaging, two-round quiz was conducted for Postgraduate students, with preliminary round on May 16th and final round on May 17th

AROKSCON 2026 successfully provided a robust platform for knowledge exchange, bridging the gap between clinical evidence and everyday real-world practice for radiation oncologists across the state. The program concluded with a valedictory function and distribution of cash prize and certificates to the winners of oral and poster presentations for both PG and Post PG category, Quiz Winners and runners.



Conferences

STEREO-ONC 2026 AROI West Bengal Chapter

23 May 2026

Chittaranjan National Cancer Institute, Kolkata

Update from

Dr. Koustav Mazumder

On 23rd May 2026, the Association of Radiation Oncologists of India, West Bengal Chapter, organized STEREO-ONC 2026. The Organizing Chairman was Prof. (Dr.) Subrata Chatterjee, President of AROI West Bengal, and the Organizing Secretary was Dr. Koustav Mazumder, Secretary of AROI West Bengal. The theme of the conference was "Clinical Excellence in Stereotactic Radiotherapy." The event was held at Chittaranjan National Cancer Institute, New Town Campus, Kolkata. The conference was attended by around 150 delegates, while nearly 50 faculty members joined to share their knowledge and expertise. The scientific program commenced sharply at 9:00 AM with an ethical talk and concluded at 7:00 PM. The West Bengal Medical Council awarded 5 credit hours for this CME program.

The conference covered several important topics, including Basics of Stereotactic Radiotherapy, Lung SABR, Brain SRS/FSRT, Satellite Symposium, Liver SABR, and Spine SABR. During the inauguration ceremony, Dr. Jayanta Chakrabarty, Director of Chittaranjan National Cancer Institute, Kolkata, and Dr. Surendranath Senapati, President of AROI, were present. Dr. S. N. Senapati also delivered a lucid and

highly informative lecture on protocols in Brain Stereotaxy, which was extremely helpful for the students and participants.

A total of three international faculty members joined the conference online. Dr. Suresh Senan (Professor of Clinical Experimental Radiotherapy at the Amsterdam University Medical Centers, Investigator of SABR COMET Trial) shared his valuable experience on Lung SABR. Dr. Sushil Beriwal (Academic Chief at Allegheny Health Network Cancer Institute, in Pittsburgh, PA, Vice President of Medical Affairs, Varian) spoke about his expertise in Brain SRS, while Dr. Arjun Sahgal (Professor & Chief, Department of Radiation Oncology, Sunnybrook Odette Cancer Centre, University of Toronto, Canada ; President, International Society of Stereotactic Radiotherapy) shared his two decades of experience in Spine SABR.

The delegates actively interacted with the faculty members, making the sessions highly engaging and academically enriching. The overwhelming response encouraged the Chapter Secretary, Dr. Koustav Mazumder, to consider organizing STEREO-ONC 2027 next year..



Conferences

4th AROI–ESTRO Head Neck Oncology Course

4 - 6 Jun 2026

SGPGIMS, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

Update from

Dr. Shalini Singh

The 4th AROI–ESTRO Head Neck Oncology Course was organized by the Department of Radiotherapy, Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences (SGPGIMS), Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh from 4th to 6th June 2026.

The course commenced with a formal inauguration ceremony graced by Dr. S. N. Senapati (President, AROI), Dr. V. Srinivasan (Secretary General, AROI), Dr. Sarbani Ghosh Laskar (Course Director, AROI) and Dr. Jesper Grau Eriksen (Course Director, ESTRO). Dr. Shaleen Kumar, Organizing Chairman, extended a warm welcome to the gathering, followed by an insightful introduction to the course by the AROI and ESTRO Course Directors. The session concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Shalini Singh, Organizing Secretary, setting a collaborative and forward-looking tone for the event.

The central theme of the course was Oral Cavity Cancer Management and Rehabilitation, delivered through a rich blend of lectures, interactive sessions and practice snapshots over three days. A total of 112 participants registered for the course including residents, clinicians and medical physicists. The program was enriched by the talks and experience of 40 distinguished faculty members and speakers from both national and international institutions.

The academic program featured comparative insights

into oral cancer incidence, surgical and radiotherapy strategies, systemic therapy and multimodality palliative care. Dedicated parallel lectures and discussions on radiation planning for medical physicists were conducted under the leadership of Dr. Christian Roenn Hansen along with Dr K J Maria Das and SK Senthil Kumar. A major highlight was the case-based discussions on target delineation, where participants engaged in FALCON homework reviews and plan evaluations for postoperative radiotherapy, primary EBRT, and brachytherapy ensuring hands on learning in contouring and planning. Day three focused on rehabilitation, emphasizing speech, swallowing, dental and nutritional aspects. Forward looking talks explored AI, big data, and adaptive radiotherapy while regional practice snapshots from cancer centers across Uttar Pradesh enriched the course with real world perspectives. The event concluded with a panel discussion and valedictory session, reaffirming AROI and ESTRO commitment to multidisciplinary collaboration, practical training and patient centric care in head and neck cancer.

The Organizing Committee extends its heartfelt gratitude to all participants for their lively engagement and to the esteemed faculties and speakers for their invaluable contributions which together made this event truly memorable



Conferences

Short Course on Radiobiology Concepts & applications

27 – 28 Jun 2026
BHU, Varanasi

Update from
Dr. Manoj Gupta

Two days Radiobiology course was conducted at BHU Varanasi. 75 students, residents and faculty attended the course. The Program was conducted under the

leadership and guidance of Prof. Manoj Gupta (Chair AROI)



Short Course on Radiobiology: Concepts & Applications

June 27-28, 2026

Department of Radiotherapy & Radiation Medicine

Institute of Medical Sciences, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi



AROI Calendar

ICRO - SUN PG				
2. Cancer Institute, Adyar, Chennai	4-5 July 26	Dr. Priya Iyer	9498082772	Thoracic Malignancies
3. Cancer Hospital, IGMC, Shimla	24-25 Oct 26	Dr. Manish Gupta	9418455673	Stereotaxy
ICRO – INTAS RADIOBIOLOGY COURSE (Prof. Manoj Gupta)				
SGRR Institute of Medical and Health Sciences, Dehradun (UK)	Nov 26	Dr. Manoj Gupta	9418470607	RADIOBIOLOGY
AROI - ESTRO Teaching Courses				
4. 13 th AROI-ESTRO Advanced Technologies	Jan 2027	Dr. Pardeep Garg	9646366555	GGSMCH, Faridkot
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46 th AROICON 2026				
HYDERABAD CONVENTION CENTRE - 03-06 Dec 2026	Dr. Vijay Karan Reddy	9912320002	AROI Telangana Chapter at Hyderabad	HYDERABAD CONVENTION CENTRE 03-06 Dec 2026

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Dr. Piyush Mishra
2nd Year DNB Resident
HCG Panda Cancer Hospital, Cuttack, Odisha, India



Dr Sankhya Chatterjee
3rd Year PG Resident
PGIMER, Chandigarh

Orators

46th AROICON Hyderabad - 2026

Padmashri Prof. K. A. Dinshaw Memorial Oration

Dr. Steven J. Frank, MD

Prof. of Radiation Oncology & Executive Director
Particle Therapy Institute at the MD Anderson Cancer Centre, USA



Dr. B. D. Gupta Memorial Oration

Dr. Tejinder Kataria

Chairperson - Division of Radiation Oncology
Medanta Cancer Institute, Gurugram
Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, Delhi



Padmashri Prof. M Krishnan Nair Memorial Oration

Dr G. V. Giri

Head - Radiation Oncology
Sri Shankara Cancer Hospital & Research Centre, Bangalore



Events to Attend





Indian College of Radiation Oncology (ICRO)
Academic Wing of
Association of Radiation Oncologists of India (AROI)

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53rd ICRO PG Teaching Program
4th & 5th July 2026
On
“THORACIC MALIGNANCIES”

« **Organising Institute** »
 Department of Radiation Oncology,
Cancer Institute (WIA),
 Adyar, Chennai

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NEGICCON

North East GI Cancer Conference

 10-11 July 2026 |  Venue - NEIGRIHMS, Shillong

Organized by
Department of Radiation Oncology, NEIGRIHMS

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Poster Competition
for PG/DM/MCh students



Day 1 - 10 July 2026
Contouring Workshop
4:00 PM onwards



Day 2 - 11 July 2026
Scientific Program
8:30 AM onwards

From the Organizer's Desk

Dear honored faculties, esteemed colleagues and attendees!

Welcome to our North East GI Cancer Conference (NEGICCON), a gathering where the shining minds of our association assemble to share what they have learned in recent times. We promise to make it worth your while. Our faculty list and speaking schedule will surely interest you most. We have put together an energetic collection of radiation contouring workshop, poster presentations, talks and panel discussions to whet your appetite for learning.

Our goal is to bridge the gaps between professionals, foster understanding of new data and shine a spotlight on the innovations that will shape your current practice. We understand the importance of such events in reshaping medical landscapes and ensuring better outcomes for all. Let this conference be a beacon of hope and a platform for sharing the collective wisdom of the oncology community.

We also suggest to take this opportunity to seek solace in beautiful Meghalaya and have quality time out of your busy schedule.

Welcome to Meghalaya, "Abode of Clouds"!

OUR ORGANIZING TEAM

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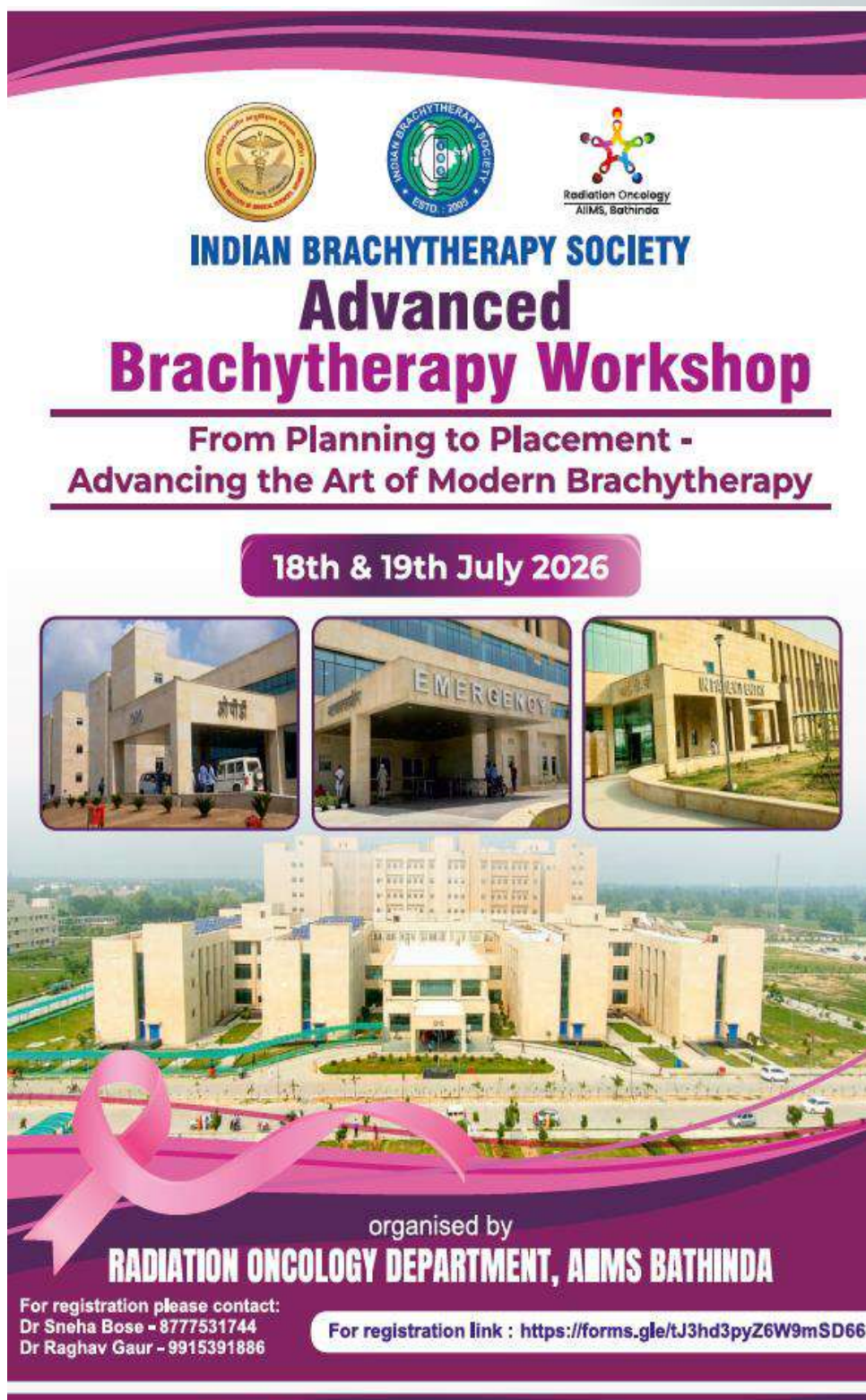


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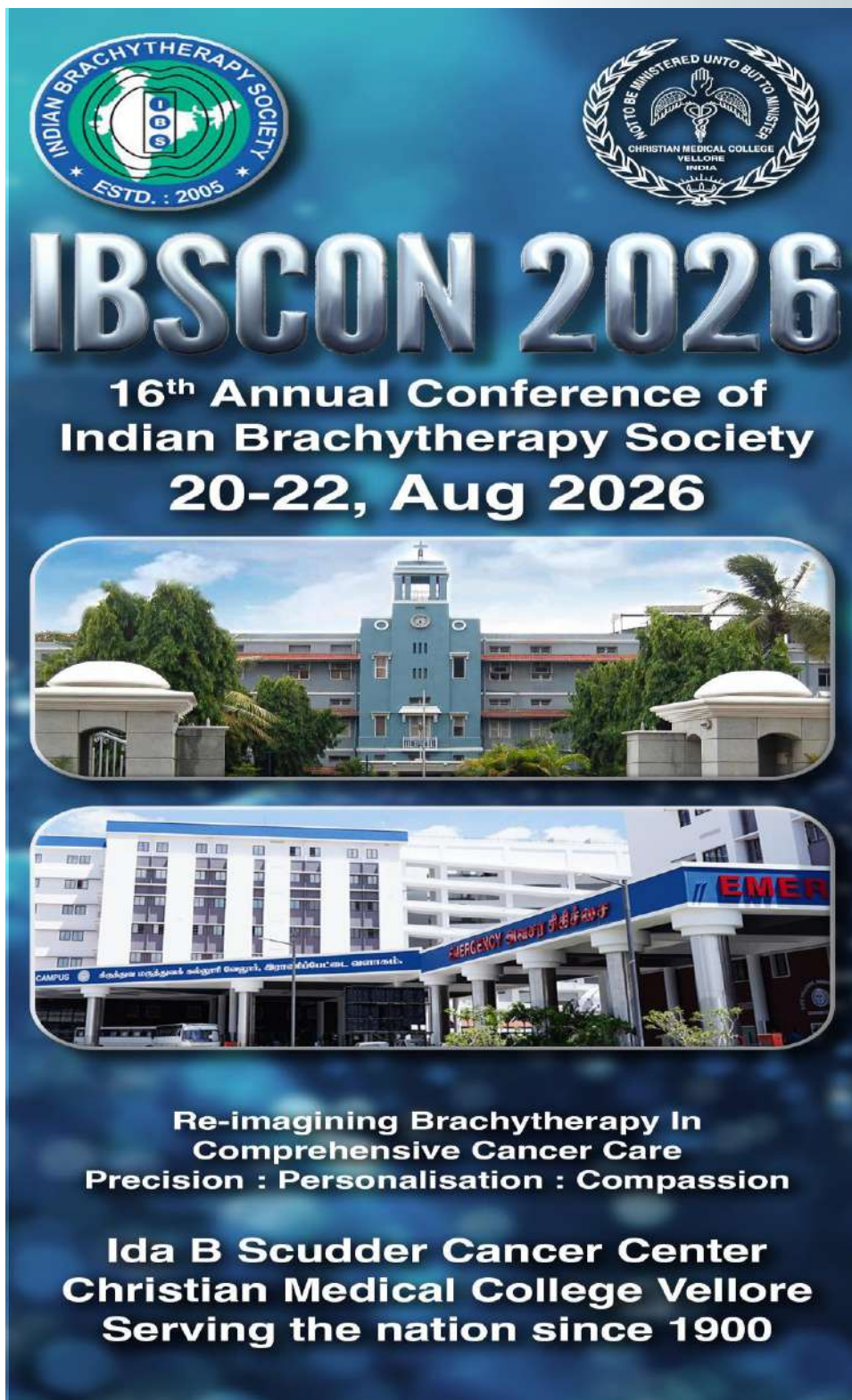


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The poster for IBSCON 2026 features a blue background with a subtle pattern of light blue dots. At the top left is the logo of the Indian Brachytherapy Society (IBS), which is a circular emblem with a green and white design and the text "INDIAN BRACHYTHERAPY SOCIETY" and "ESTD. : 2005". At the top right is the logo of Christian Medical College Vellore, featuring a caduceus and the text "NOT TO BE MINISTERED UNTO BUT TO MINISTER" and "CHRISTIAN MEDICAL COLLEGE VELLORE INDIA". The main title "IBSCON 2026" is in large, bold, silver 3D letters. Below it, the text "16th Annual Conference of Indian Brachytherapy Society" and "20-22, Aug 2026" is in white. Two photographs are included: the top one shows the main building of Christian Medical College Vellore, a large blue and white structure with a central tower, and the bottom one shows the entrance to the Ida B Scudder Cancer Center, a modern white building with a blue awning that says "EMERGENCY" and "CAMPUS". At the bottom, the text "Re-imagining Brachytherapy In Comprehensive Cancer Care" and "Precision : Personalisation : Compassion" is in white. Below that, the text "Ida B Scudder Cancer Center Christian Medical College Vellore" and "Serving the nation since 1900" is in white.

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Date: 10th September, 2026 – Pre Conference Workshop
on Contouring

11th & 12th September, 2026 – Main Conference



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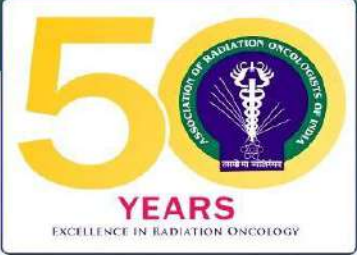
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Dear AROI Members

The Association of Radiation Oncologists of India (AROI) is pleased to inform you that we have entered into a collaborative arrangement with the 5th International Breast Cancer Symposium (IBCS 2026), which will be held from 25–26 September 2026 at the Cleveland Clinic Abu Dhabi Ballroom, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates. This prestigious international meeting will bring together leading experts and healthcare professionals involved in breast cancer care and oncology, providing an excellent platform for scientific exchange, education, and networking.

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- ✓ Access to networking opportunities with international experts, clinicians, researchers, and allied healthcare professionals.
- ✓ Participation in an event attended by oncology professionals from across the Middle East, Asia, and other regions.
- ✓ We encourage all members with an interest in breast oncology to take advantage of this opportunity and participate in the symposium.
- ✓ For additional information about the scientific program and registration, please visit the symposium website.

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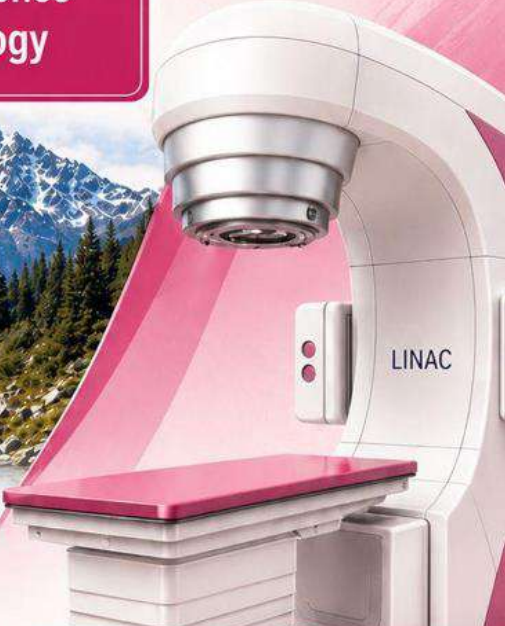
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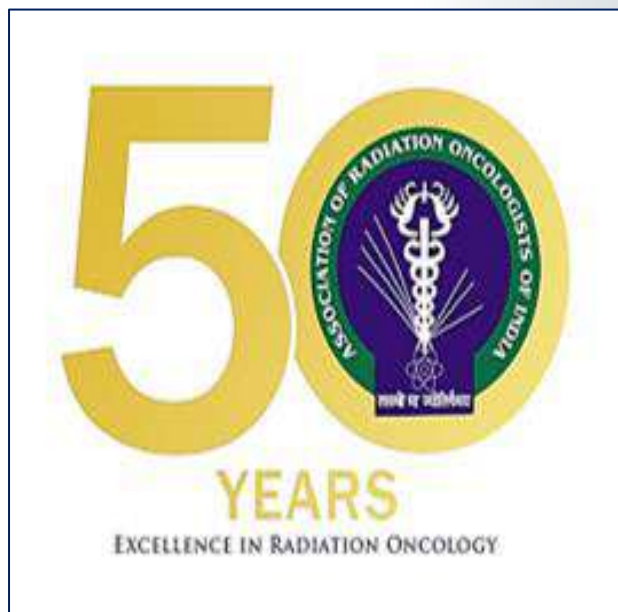
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Golden Jubilee of AROI



Dear AROI Members

As we celebrate the Golden Jubilee of AROI, we mark not just 50 years of our Association, but five decades of unwavering commitment to excellence in Radiation Oncology, education, research, and patient care. AROICON 2026 will be a historic gathering that reflects our proud legacy and our shared vision for the future. This milestone deserves to be celebrated together, with the strength, unity, and enthusiasm of the entire AROI family. We warmly invite each one of you to join us in December 2026 and make this Golden Jubilee celebration truly unforgettable. Your presence will add meaning to this landmark occasion and inspire the next generation of Radiation Oncologists. Let us celebrate our journey, honor our pioneers, and together shape the future of Radiation Oncology.

See you at AROICON 2026!

**“Every Member Matters. Every Presence Counts.
Let History Witness Our Unity.”**