Registration Form

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Gender: Male ☐ Female ☐
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Field of specialization: ________________________________
Participation nature (please tick):
☐ I would like to present a paper/poster.
☐ I would like to attend the seminar only.
If presenting, title of paper/poster: ________________________________
Accommodation required: Yes ☐ No ☐
No. of accompanying persons: ________________________________

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Photocopies of Registration Form will also be accepted.
About

Our University
Armita Vishwa Vidyapeetham is a multi-campus, multi-disciplinary research university that is accredited 'A' by NAAC and is ranked as one of the best research universities in India. The university is spread across five campuses in three states of India - Kerala, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka, with the University headquarters at Ettimadai, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu. The university continuously collaborates with top US universities including Ivy league universities and top European universities for regular student exchange programs, and has emerged as one of the fastest growing institutions of higher learning in India. The university is managed by the Mata Amritanandamayi Math.

Amrita Darshanam
Amrita Darshanam, International Centre for Spiritual Studies has been established under the guidance of Amma, one of the preeminent spiritual leaders of our time. Her mission is to promote spiritual awareness and to instill knowledge of Indian culture and heritage into the younger generation. By studying, practicing, and sharing the essence of the wisdom of our scriptures, rishis and God-realized masters, students imbibe the essence of spirituality.

IGNCA
The Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), established in 1985 in the memory of Smt. Indira Gandhi, is a centre which encourages and fosters the study and experience of all art forms. Predicated upon Smt. Gandhi's recognition of the role of the arts as essential to nurturing the “integral quality of a person, at home with himself and society”, the centre aims at fostering dialogue between the arts and the disciplines of philosophy, science and technology. Through dialogue, IGNCA hopes to bridge the perceived intellectual gap between modern sciences and art and culture.

Program

About Seminar
This seminar will generate awareness of the significant contributions made by the Kerala School in astronomy and mathematics while also providing a platform to ponder the contemporary relevance of those contributions.

Beginning with the works of Mādhava of Sangamagrāma, who is the well-known founder of the school, his successors like Parameswar, Nilakantha Somayāji, Jyeṣṭhadeva, Acyuta Piśāraṭi, Putumana Somayāji, Śāṅkara Varman etc., will be presented and discussed in light of their significance in our present times.

Together we will marvel at the mathematical proofs and rationales of formulea offered by those of the Kerala School. Their methodological sophistication will surely enliven in us a resolve to keep this tradition alive.

The seminar will highlight those contributions which require special attention to revive and strengthen the tradition of astronomy and mathematics in India.

Purposes of Seminar
• To raise awareness about the tradition of astronomy and mathematics in Kerala, India
• To revive and nurture śraddhā concerning our cultural heritage in a scientific manner
• To get inspired by the spirit of our ancestors and bring their tradition of scientific pursuit back to life
• To motivate the participants to do research in Indian science and technology

Distinguished Speakers
• Prof. K. Ramasubramanian, IIT Bombay, Mumbai
• Prof. M.D. Srinivas, CPS, Chennai
• Prof. M.S. Sriram, Madras University, Chennai
• Prof. V. Madhukar Mallaya, Mohandas College of Engineering, Trivandrum
• Prof. S. Balachandra Rao, Bhavan’s Gandhi Centre of Science and Human Values, Bangalore
• Dr. Venkateswara Pai R, IISER Pune
• Dr. Upadayula K.V. Sarma, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Coimbatore

Participation

Call for Papers / Posters
We invite you to contribute original research papers / posters for this seminar.

Author(s) are requested to submit an abstract of their work in about 300 words typed in 1.5 space in Times New Roman (fonts) of 12pt on A4 size paper with 2.5 cm margin on all sides. Figures and tables, if any, should be indicated within this area. The abstract should carry the title of the paper, name's and complete address with email and mobile number. Author(s) presenting the paper should be underlined.

Authors are requested to send one copy of abstract, together with filled registration form, by e-mail to amritadarshanam@am.amrita.edu on or before 14 October 2016.

All submitted papers will be checked by advanced plagiarism checking software. Selected papers will be published.

Registration
Anyone who is interested in the Kerala School of Astronomy and Mathematics (Ancient & Medieval Astronomy and Mathematics) is welcome.

Interested participants are required to register online or send their registration forms to Convener along with the non-refundable deposit of Rs.1,000/- for students and Rs.2,000/- for others. You can transfer the registration fee to our Dhanlaxmi Bank:

Name: Dhanlaxmi Bank Ltd.
Bank Account No: 026005300006900
IFSC No: DLXB0000260
National Seminar Registration ID: AC/AMR/07/2016-17

Accommodation
Accommodation will be arranged for all registered participants at our Amritapuri Campus. Those who accompany participants are required to send the food and accommodation fee of Rs.750/- (per person) through bank transfer.