

International Seminar on The Future of Our Civilization

22-24 December 2012

Programme Schedule

Day 1 : Saturday the 22nd December, 2012

0830-0930 : Registration of Delegates

Inaugural Session (0930 - 1100)

- Inauguration* - Swami Harshanandji Maharaj
President - Dr. R. Chenraj Jain
Guest of Honour - Dr. M.K.L.N. Sastry
About the Seminar - Prof. B.V. Subbarayappa
Keynote Address - Prof. Vladimir Burdyuzha :
The main threats to the life of our Civilization

TEA : 1100 - 1130

Plenary Session I (1130 - 1315)

Chair : Prof. H.S. Mukunda

Speakers :

Prof. Renee M Borges

Topic : Pollination Markets, Food Security and GM Crops - Why this nexus should be front page news?

Dr. V.K. Gaur

Topic : Climate Change and the Future

LUNCH : 1315 - 1415

Plenary Session II (1415 - 1715)

Chair : Prof. S.R. Velamoor

Speakers :

Prof Georgiy Shulman

Topic : Fishes as Indicators of Water Global Warming & Regional Eutrophication (an example of the Black Sea Ecosystem)

Prof Kenji Hotta

Topic : Ocean Settlement as a Step in the Future - Recent Project

TEA : 1545 - 1615

Prof Yuriy Tokarev

*Topic: The Climatic Changes Impact on the Black Sea Plankton Community -
The functional aspect*

Day 2 : Sunday the 23rd December, 2012

Plenary Session III (1000 - 1140)

Chair : Prof. N.G.R. Iyengar

Speakers :

Prof. H.S. Mukunda

Topic: Sustainable Energy and the Future

Prof. S.R. Velamoor

Topic: The Operant Global Paradigm - an impending Mega Crisis

TEA : 1140 - 1200

Plenary Session IV (1200 - 1340)

Chair : Prof. R.S. Deshpande

Speakers :

Lt Gen V.M. Patil

Topic : Demographic Changes - Social & Security Concern

Prof. Yogendra Yadav / Prof. Sandeep Shastri

*Topic: The Demographic Dividend - Global Trends and their Implications for the
Future*

LUNCH : 1340 - 1440

Plenary Session V (1440 -1620)

Chair : Prof Kenji Hotta

Speakers :

Prof. D. Nagaraja

Topic : Health Scenario : Way Forward

Prof. Lubov Kurilo

Topic : Ethical, Legal and Biosafety Problems of some Biomedical Technologies

TEA 1620 - 1645

1745 : Cultural Programme

Day 3 : Monday the 24th December, 2012

Plenary Session VI PANEL DISCUSSION (1000 - 1130)

Theme SCIENCE, RELIGION AND HUMANISM

Chair : Prof. B.V. Subbarayappa

Panelists :

1. Prof. Vidyanand Nanjundaiah
2. Shri. Rajashekar Krishnan
3. Prof. N.S. Rajaram

TEA : 1130 - 1200

VALEDICTORY SESSION (1200 - 1315)

Valedictory Address Justice M N Venkatachaliah

Chair:

Dr. C.G. Krishnadas Nair