Department of Biochemistry  
University of Kerala  
Golden Jubilee Celebrations: Inauguration Function

9:30 AM: Prayer
9:30 AM: Welcome Address
   Dr. Mini S
   Professor and Head, Department of Biochemistry
9:35 AM: Presidential Address
   Dr. A Helen
   Professor & Member Senate, Department of Biochemistry
9:40 AM: Inaugural Address and Release of Golden Jubilee Logo
   Prof. Dr. V.P Mahadevan Pillai
   Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, University of Kerala
9:50 AM: Honouring of Eminent Scientists of the Department and Book Release by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor
   Introduction of Dr K T Augusti
   Dr. Annie Abraham, Emeritus Professor
   Introduction of Dr Venugopal P Menon
   Dr. Arun A Rauf, Assistant Professor
10.00 AM: Remarks by Chief Guest
   Dr. S Shivaji,
   Director Emeritus, LVPEI and Former Director Grade Scientist,
   CCMB, Hyderabad.
10.05 AM: Felicitations
   Adv. K H Babujan, Member Syndicate
   Dr. S Nazeeb, Member Syndicate
   Dr. Gopchandran K G, Member Syndicate
10:25 AM: Vote of thanks
   Dr P G Biju, Assistant Professor
10:30 AM: Tea Break

Technical Session
10:45 AM: Introduction of Dr S. Shivaji
   Dr. Saja K, Assistant Professor
10:50 AM: Keynote Lecture
   Dr S. Shivaji
   Director Emeritus, LVPEI and Former Director Grade Scientist,
   CCMB, Hyderabad.
   Microbiome in health and disease
11:20 AM: Introduction of Dr Kayarat Saikrishnan
   Dr Janeesh P.A,
   Assistant Professor
11:25 AM: Plenary Lecture
   Dr Kayarat Saikrishnan
   Professor, IISER, Pune and Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar Awardee
   Mechanisms of DNA Cleavage by Nucleotide-dependent Restriction Endonuclease
11:50 AM: Vote of Thanks and Summation
   Dr Viji Vijayan, Assistant Professor