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## **Bhatia-Misra Memorial Oration**

by

***Dr. Pramod Kumar Garg***

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All India Institute of Medical Sciences,  
New Delhi, India*

on

***Wednesday, 29th November, 2017***

at

Selby Hall (Brown Hall), Administration Block  
K.G.M.U., Lucknow  
as per programme overleaf



# **BHATIA-MISRA MEMORIAL ORATION**

"The Bhatia-Misra Memorial Oration" is an oration of the Department of Medicine, King George's Medical University, Lucknow and is awarded to outstanding scientist in the field of Medicine. It was started as a mark of respect and gratitude to two eminent former Heads, late Prof. B.B. Bhatia and late Prof. S.S. Misra by contributions from their students and was established by Professor N.N. Gupta in 1987.

Both Dr. B.B. Bhatia MD, FRCP and Dr. S.S. Misra MD, FRCP had occupied the chair of Professor and Head of the Department of Medicine at Lucknow and were stalwarts in the field of Medicine. Both of them were widely acclaimed as great teachers, clinicians and Scientists in Medicine.

Dr. B.B. Bhatia (1900-1962) passed his MD (Medicine) from Lucknow in 1926. He started his academic career as Lecturer in Pharmacology and was later appointed Professor in Medicine. He was Head of the Department from 1947 to 1960. In 1959 he was elected as President of Association of Physicians of India. (API) He was conferred the National Honour of Padamshree and was also nominated MLC of Uttar Pradesh. One of his significant contribution was establishing the antihypertensive efficacy of the Rauwolfia alkaloids in 1935.

Dr. S.S. Misra (1935-1972) was one of the very few students awarded Honours in MD Pathology (1999). Dr. S.S. Misra was Head of the Department of Medicine from 1960 to 1966. Being one of the most senior Fellow of the Royal college of Physicians of England he was the only Indian Physician invited at the inauguration of the new building of the Royal college by her Majesty Queen Elizabeth in 1965. He was President of API in 1962. Member of the Governing Body of the Indian Council of Medical Research and several other Government and Professional bodies. He was also the Honorary Consultant to the armed Medical service. His most significant contribution has been describing what he named as "Post-Dysenteric Non-Ulcerative Colitis."



# DR. PRAMOD KUMAR GARG

Dr. Pramod Garg, an alumni of King George's Medical College, Lucknow, is a Professor of Gastroenterology and Associate Dean (Research) at the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi. His clinical and research interests are in pancreatic diseases. He has published >110 articles including several seminal papers in his area of interest with an h-index of 36. He has mentored a large number of GI fellows and many PhDs. He is the Secretary-General of the 'International Association of Pancreatology', first Indian to have this distinction. He is an associate editor of the international journal 'Pancreatology' and is on the editorial board of many other international journals. He is a fellow of National Academy of Science, National Academy of Medical Sciences, and Royal College of Physicians (Glasg). He has been bestowed with many awards such as Basanti Devi Amir Chand Award by ICMR, Hoechst Om Prakash Award and Olympus J Mitra award by the Indian Society of Gastroenterology, Paul Webster oration by American Pancreatic Association among others. He serves on the project review committees of Department of Biotechnology and Department of Science & Technology.

# **Programme**

**Venue : Selby Hall (Brown Hall), KGMU**

**3.00 - 4.00 P.M.**

**Oration**

**Topic :**

**"Acute Pancreatitis : An enigmatic story from  
17th to 21st Century"**



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