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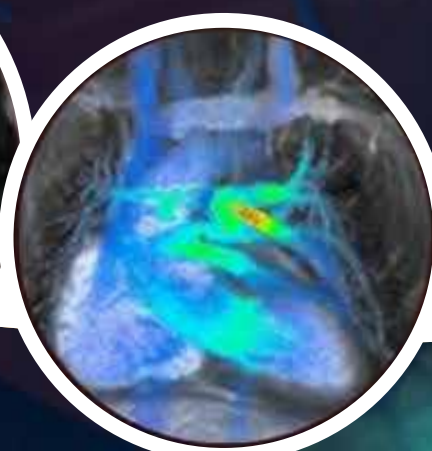
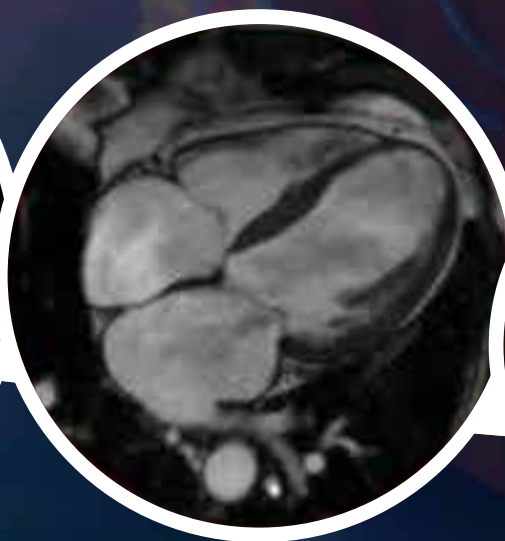
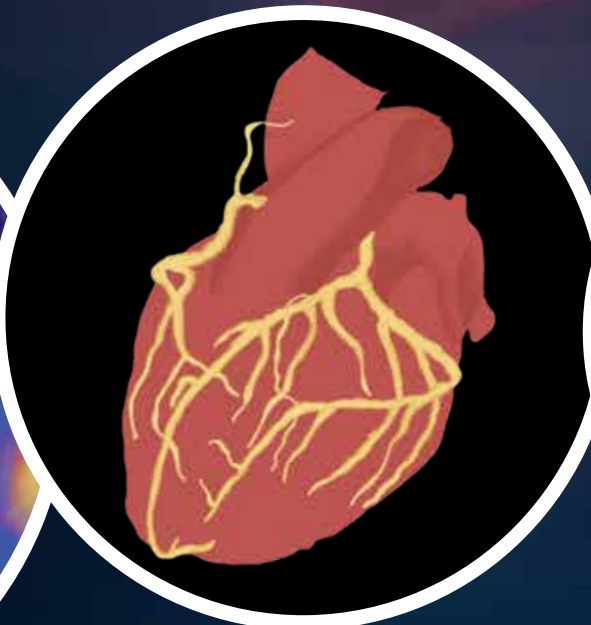
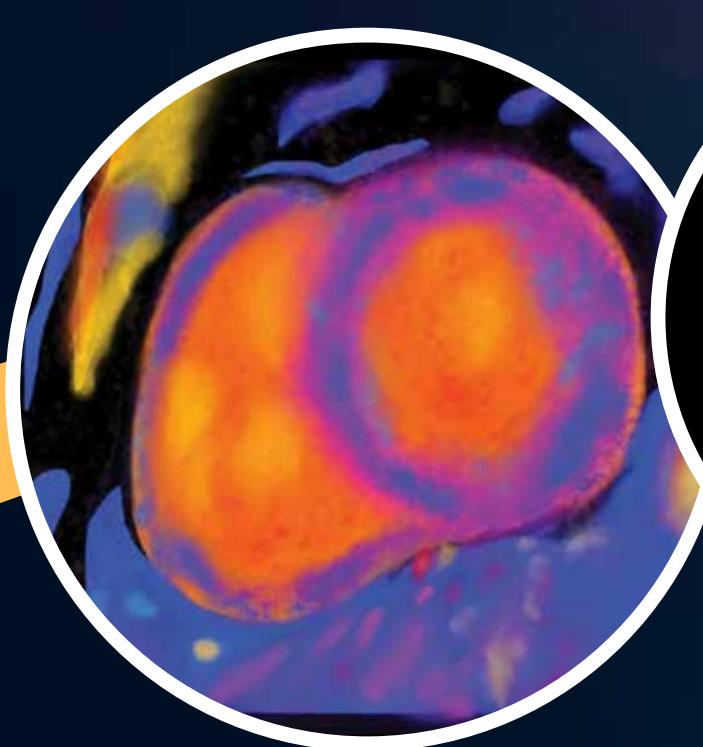


**16th ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF INDIAN
ASSOCIATION OF CARDIAC IMAGING 2026**

IACI 2026 **25 26 27**
SEPTEMBER, 2026

Venue : Hotel Greenpark , Vadapalani

Theme : Redefining Cardiac Imaging - One beat at a time



Organized by :
**Indian Association of Cardiac Imaging (IACI) &
Barnard Institute of Radiology,
Madras Medical College**



Dear Colleagues,

First and foremost, our deep gratitude for your overwhelming response to all the IACI workshops announced along with the upcoming **16th Annual conference on Cardiac Imaging, September 25-27, 2026**, organized by IACI and the illustrious **Barnard Institute of Radiology, MMC, Chennai**. “**Namma Chennai**” is hosting this leading-edge conference for the very first time, and the prompt response of our dear delegates has exceeded our expectations.

Though registrations for most of the workshops have been filled, we still have some slots remaining for the key conference. **IACI** welcomes more delegates to attend the conference, which promises to be a trendsetter in cardiac imaging. We have a scintillating faculty comprising of international and national experts from **SCCT, SCMR and ASCI**. Together, we endeavoured to prepare a **specialty tailored scientific program** to cater to the current needs of all cardiac radiologists. We do not want any cardiac radiologist to miss out on this experience.

In addition to the scientific sessions, attractive prizes await residents in the **paper and poster category**; we also have a mind-blowing **quiz** being planned by our young and energetic cardiac radiologists, with rich awards!

Please make use of this opportunity and do register early.
Looking forward to a wonderful learning experience with all of you!
Regards,



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Key Highlights :

**Cardiac MRI workshop
with workstations**

**Cardiac CT workshop
with workstations**

**Advanced Cardiac
Workshop**

ECHO Workshop

Technologist Workshop

International Faculties



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Hong Kong, Hong Kong sar



Dr. Roosha Parikh

Associate Director of Cardiac CT,
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Registration Details

(01st Septemeber 2026 onwards till date of conference)

Category	Resident	Consultant (IACI Member)	Consultant (NON IACI Member)
• Only 2 Days Conference(26-09-2026 & 27-09-2026) • Gala Dinner (26-09-2026)	Rs. 9,000/-	Rs. 11,000/-	Rs. 13,000/-
• Echo Workshop (27-09-2026) • 2 days Conference(26-09-2026 & 27-09-2026) • Gala Dinner(26-09-2026)	Rs. 12,000/-	Rs. 13,000/-	Rs. 15,000/-
Technologist Workshop (27-09-2026)	Rs. 2500/-		

- Two days conference videos will be available for 30 days post conference for those who are registered for two days conference in any combination.
- Workshop videos will not be available .

Slots for the Workshops are Limited



SCAN QR CODE
FOR REGISTRATION

**Click Here to
Register**

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BASIC Cardiac CT Workshop

Mastering the Essentials : From Physics to Practice

This intensive one-day workshop bridges the gap between technical acquisition and clinical interpretation. Participants will first gain access to an exclusive webinar covering the core pillars of CT: basic physics, patient preparation, and image optimisation. The hands-on session then translates this knowledge into practice, focusing on reporting high-impact clinical scenarios including calcium scoring, coronary anomalies, atherosclerotic disease, and the complexities of evaluating stents and bypass grafts.

BASIC CMR Workshop

A Comprehensive Guide to Cardiac MR

Designed for those beginning their journey in CMR, this workshop offers a structured learning path from theory to real-world application. Registered delegates receive access to a curated learner series—a deep dive into image acquisition and optimisation. This culminates in a full day of hands-on training where you will navigate "classic" clinical cases using world-class post-processing software, ensuring you leave with a confident approach to CMR interpretation.

Advanced Cardiac Imaging Workshop

The Cutting Edge: Innovation & Precision

Tailored for experienced imagers, this workshop explores the frontier of multimodality cardiac imaging. We shift focus to the newer technologies redefining the field, including:

- **Physiological Assessment** : CT FFR and quantitative myocardial perfusion (CT/MRI).
- **Advanced Morphology** : High-resolution plaque quantification.
- **Functional Mechanics** : Strain imaging and 4D flow.

Through interactive case-based discussions and live hands-on demonstrations, this session provides a deep dive into the future of precision diagnostics.





Scientific Schedule

Hall : A

 25th September 2026 | Friday

08:00 AM TO 05:00 PM : BASIC CMR WORKSHOP

FACULTIES : Dr. Ashita | Dr. Rajesh Kannan | Dr. Onkar | Dr. Vishnu
Dr. Ritu Agrawal | Dr. Mary | Dr. Vineeta | Dr. Salil

Hall : B

 25th September 2026 | Friday

08:00 AM TO 05:00 PM : BASIC CARDIAC CT WORKSHOP

FACULTIES : Dr. Parul | Dr. Zeeshan | Dr. Bhavana | Dr. Tosha
Dr. Niraj | Dr. Shruti | Dr. Subhajit | Dr. Alpa | Dr. Amaresh



26th September 2026 | Saturday
HALL : A (SESH MAHAL)

TIME

TOPIC

FACULTIES

09:00 - 10:30 AM : SESSION 1 - CMR : From Substrate to Survival
Chairpersons : Dr. Madhan | Dr. Nadarajan | Dr. Leena Robinson

09:00 - 09:15 AM

Deciphering MINOCA through CMR

Dr. Ming

09:15 - 09:30 AM

Imaging the Genetic Blueprint : CMR
Phenotypes of Inherited Heart Disease

Dr. Bhavin Jankharia

09:30 - 09:45 AM

Cardiomyopathy Crossroads : Utilizing CMR
for prognosis and to Direct Therapies

Dr. Elizabeth Joseph

09:45 - 10:00 AM

CMR as Guide to Electrophysiologists-
Substrate Mapping and Arrhythmia ablation

Dr. Aparna Irodi

10:00 - 10:15 AM

Incremental value of CMR in CHD

Dr. Rajesh Kannan

10:15 - 10:30 AM

15 min Q and A

10:30 - 11:00 AM

INAUGURATION



11:00 - 11:30 AM

TEA BREAK



TIME

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FACULTIES

11:30 - 12:45 PM : SESSION 2 - Cardiac CT 2026 : Rules, Rivals and Real World Cases
Chairpersons : Dr. Mahesha Bannur | Dr. Shivashankar | Dr. Sebastian

11:30 - 11:45 AM

Rules of Engagement: Navigating the Latest Guidelines and Evidence for Coronary CT in stable and unstable chest pain

Dr. Leena Robinson

11:45 - 12:00 PM

Case-Based Face-Offs : CCTA vs Catheter angiography. How to improve CTCA reporting

Dr. Sandeep Hedgire

12:00 - 12:15 PM

Imaging patients pre and post TAVR what every radiologist should know

Dr. Mona Bhatia

12:15 - 12:30 PM

Tiny Hearts, Beats Fast: How to master Pediatric Cardiac CT

Dr. Megha Sheth

12:30 - 12:45 PM

CTCA in 2026: Hero, Helper or Gatekeeper. Case Based Scenarios

Dr. Vijay Bhaskar Nori

12:45 - 01:00 PM

15 min Q and A

01:00 - 02:00 PM

LUNCH



02:00 - 03:30 PM : SESSION 3 - What's new in Cardiac Imaging?
Chairpersons : Dr. Madhan Mohan | Dr. D.Karthikeyan | Dr. Shibani Mehra

02:00 - 02:15 PM

CT-Guided PCI & Revascularisation- New Frontier in CTCA

Dr. Roosha Parekh

02:15 - 02:30 PM

Beyond the Lumen: The Present Realities and Future Horizon of CT-FFR- CFD and AI

Dr. Tarun Mittal

02:30 - 02:45 PM

Beyond Vision: AI-based Quantitative assessment of CT Coronary Angiography

Dr. Sandeep Hedgire

02:45 - 03:00 PM

The Essential Trials- Cardiac Imagers Need to Know

Dr. Bhavin Jankharia

03:00 - 03:15 PM **Cardiac Imaging in Women- A puzzle to solve** **Dr. Priya Jagia**

03:15 - 03:30 PM **15 min Q and A**

03:30 - 03:45 PM **TEA BREAK**



03:45 - 04:15 PM : SESSION 4 - Imaging Mysteries: A Case- Based Deep Dive
Chairpersons : Dr. Parul Garde | Dr. Sandeep Hedigere | Dr. Roosha Parekh

Dr. Richa Kothari

Dr. Alpa Bharti

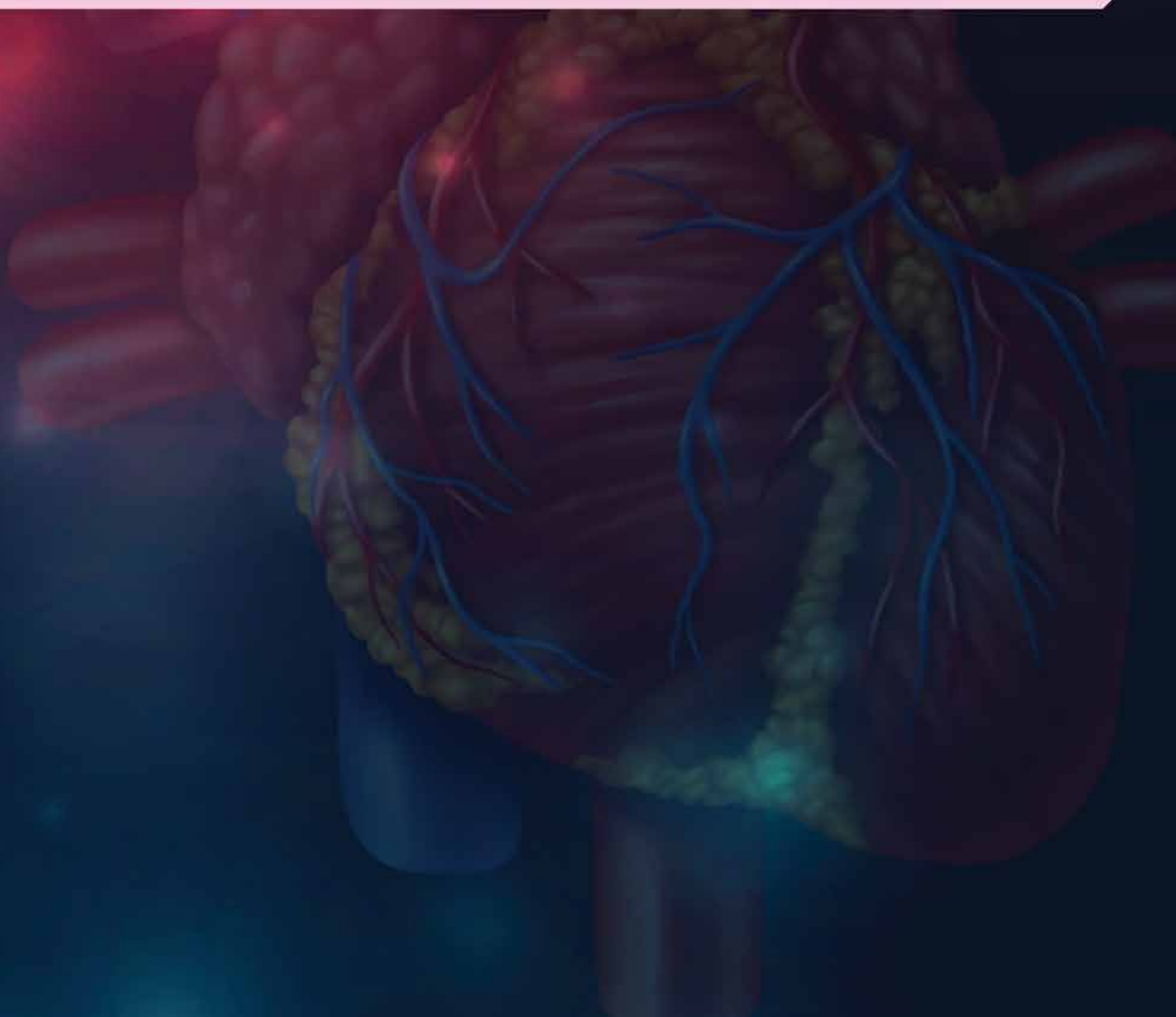
Dr. Parang Sanghavi

04:15 - 05:15 PM **QUIZ- Finding the Cardiac Master!!**
Chairperson : Dr. Vineetha Ojha

Dr. Suraj Gowda

05:30 - 06:30 PM **GBM (Venue to be confirmed)**

07:30 PM Onwards GALA DINNER



Scientific Schedule



26th September 2026 | Sunday
HALL A : (SESH MAHAL)

TIME

TOPIC

FACULTIES

08:00 - 09:15 AM

Best of the Best- Competitive Oral Paper Presentation

09:30 - 10:30 AM : SESSION 5 - Beyond the Lumen: Tissue, Trouble, and Tomorrow's Risk Markers

Chairpersons : Dr. Vijay Bhaskar Nori | Dr. Vimal Raj

09:30 - 09:55 AM

Oration

Dr. Hemant Telkar

10:00 - 10:15 AM

Delayed Gadolinium Enhancement Imaging in challenging cases- Trouble shooting for success.

Dr. Sumer Shikhare

10:15 - 10:30 AM

Role of EAT and FAI in risk stratification for CAD

Dr. Suman Singhal

10:30 - 11:00 AM

TEA BREAK



11:00 - 12:30 PM : SESSION 6 - CMR Masterclass: From Diastole to Devices

Chairpersons : Dr. Shajeev Jaikumar | Dr. Elizabeth Joseph

11:00 - 11:15 AM

Mastering diastolic dysfunction assessment with CMR

Dr. Christopher Johann

11:15 - 11:30 AM

Mastering pulmonary hypertension assessment on CMR

Dr. Vineeta Ojha

11:30 - 11:45 AM

Parameteric Mapping- A masterclass

Dr. S. Babu Peter

11:45 - 12:00 PM

Mastering assessment of valvular heart disease on CMR

Dr. Priya Chudgar

12:00 - 12:15 PM

Performing CMR in patients with AICD

Dr. Vimal Raj

12:15 - 12:30 PM

15 min Q and A

12:30 - 01:30 PM

SHARK TANK

Chairpersons : Dr. Vimal Raj | Dr. Babu Peter

Dr. Ruma Zaidi

01:30 - 02:30 PM

Lunch



Scientific Schedule



26th September 2026 | Sunday
HALL A : (SESH MAHAL)

TIME

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FACULTIES

02:30 - 03:30 PM : SESSION 7 - SESSION 7- Imaging Mysteries : A
Case- Based Deep Dive

Chairpersons : Dr. Elizabeth Joseph | Dr. Onkar Auti | Dr. Priya Chudgar

Dr. Abhilash Kumar

Dr. Anirudha Patil

Dr. Suraj Gowda

Dr. Pranav Gupta

Nidhi Doshi

Dr. Amaresh

03:30 - 04:00 PM CLOSING CEREMONY and AWARD DISTRIBUTION

Hall : B



27th September 2026 | Sunday

11:00 AM TO 05:00 PM : ECHO WORKSHOP

FACULTIES : Dr. Richa Kothari | Dr. Amol Kulkarni | Dr. Johann Christopher
Dr. Naveen Ballal | Dr. Jeshu Krupa | Dr. Atul Karande | Dr. Anjani Kiranmayi
Dr. Nakeeran | Dr. Manish Jha

Hall : B



27th September 2026 | Sunday

09:00 AM TO 05:00 PM : ADVANCED CARDIAC WORKSHOP

FACULTIES : Dr. Priya Chudgar | Dr. Pudhiavan A | Dr. Suraj Gowda

Hall : C



27th September 2026 | Sunday

11:00 AM TO 04:00 PM : TECHNOLOGIST WORKSHOP

FACULTIES : Dr. Megha | Dr. Jineesh | Dr. Parang Sanghavi | Dr. Priti Neve
Dr. Minal Seth | Dr. Pranav Gupta | Dr. Abhilash Kumar | Dr. Anirudha Patil
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Marina Beach



Mylapore



**Santhome
Cathedral Basilica**



**Fort Saint
George**



**Guindy
Nature Park**



**Police
Museum**



**Sri Ramakrishna
Math**



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Temple**



Mahabalipuram
(56.7 km from Chennai)



Yelagiri Hill Station
(226 km from Chennai)

