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**Department of Chemistry with  
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# ChemConnect

***Industry – Student Interaction 2025***

**28-29 November 2025**

**at**

**Kariavattom Campus, University of Kerala  
Venue: EMS Hall**

*Co-organizers*



**K-DISC**  
Kerala Development and Innovation  
Strategic Council

**CIRL**  
Govt. Womens College,  
Trivandrum

A unique event designed for final year  
Undergraduate – Postgraduate students and Research  
Scholars of Chemistry and allied disciplines

# Industries Participating:

- **Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited**, Cochin
- **GreenH Electrolysis**, Bangalore (Joint venture with H2B2 Spain)
- **Synthite Industries Private Ltd.**, Cochin
- **Accubits Invent Pvt. Ltd.**, Trivandrum
- **Molecules Bio Labs**, Thrissur
- **Travancore Cochin Chemicals**, Cochin
- **HLL Lifecare Ltd.**, Trivandrum
- **CoreValley's Herbal Technologies**, Calicut



**GreenH**  
Electrolysis

**Synthite**

**Molecules**  
Next Gen Ingredients



**HLL Lifecare Limited**  
(A Government of India Enterprise)



**Travancore Cochin Chemicals**

## Special Sessions:

### Skilling and Internships

- **CSIR-NIIST**, Trivandrum
- **ASAP**, Higher Education Department, Kerala
- **KDISC**, Govt. of Kerala

### *Who all can participate?*

BSc Chemistry - MSc Chemistry students and Research Scholars

### *How to register?*

Please contact us through your Department HoD/Faculty (Research students may email their interest to the id given directly) **before 15.11.2025**

# Programme Schedule

## 28.11.2025 Friday

**8:30 am:** Registration  
**9:30 am:** Inauguration

### Session – I

**Chair : Prof. (Dr.) T. S. Anirudhan**, Visiting Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Kerala

**10:30 am:** Keynote Address – **Dr. K. N. Ninan**, Outstanding Scientist & Dy. Director VSSC(Retd.)  
“Chemicals & Materials in India’s Space Journey”

**11:15 am:** Industry Talk 1 - **Shri. Santhosh Varshney**, Deputy General Manager  
Bharat Petroleum Corporation Limited

**12:00 pm:** Industry Talk 2 - **Dr. Nidhin Sreekumar**, Director, Accubits Invent Pvt. Ltd.

**12:45 pm:** Lunch

### Session - II

**Chair : Dr. Christabell P. J.**, Convenor, Placement Cell, University of Kerala

**2:00 pm:** Industry Talk 3 – **Ms. Snigdha Ghosh Ray**, CEO & Founder GreenH2 NxT, GreenH Electrolysis, Bangalore (Joint venture with H2B2 Spain))

**2:45 pm:** Industry Talk 4 - **Mr. Venugopal S.**, General Manager (QST) HLL - Lifecare Ltd.

### Session – III

**Chair : Prof. (Dr.) S. M. A. Shibli**, Senior Professor, Department of Chemistry and Director, Centre for Renewable Energy and Materials (CREM), University of Kerala

**3:30 pm:** Skill development Initiatives – **Mr. Laiju I. P. Nair**, Business Head-Skill Demand Aggregators and CoE, ASAP, Dept of Higher Education, Govt. of Kerala

**4:00 pm:** Feedback from Participants followed by Tea

**4:30 pm:** **Benzene @ 200** : Quiz Competition

## 29.11.2025 Saturday

### Session – I

**Chair : Dr. Retheesh Krishnan**, State Academic Coordinator (Arts and Science Colleges), Vijnana Keralam Project, Government of Kerala

**9:30 am:** Skilling and Internship - **Dr. Joshy Joseph**, Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR-NIIST, Trivandrum

**10:15 am:** Industry talk 5 – **Mr. Arun Sanjay**, Manager Operations, Synthite Industries Pvt. Ltd., Cochin

**11:00 am:** Tea Break

### Session – II

**Chair : Dr. Suneesh C. V.**, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, University of Kerala

**11:15 am:** Industry Talk 6 - **Dr. Sreeraj Gopi**, Molecules Bio Labs, Thrissur

**12:00 pm:** Industry Talk 7 – **Sri. Reji A. K.** Manager (Plant), Travancore Cochin Chemicals, Cochin

**12:45 pm:** Lunch

### Session – III

**Chair : Dr. Saji Alex**, Professor and Convenor - CIRL, Govt. Women’s College, Trivandrum

**1:45 pm:** Industry Talk 8 – **Dr. Sheeba Veluthoor**, Founder and CEO, CoreValleys Herbal Technologies Pvt. Ltd., Calicut

**2:30 pm:** Inputs from **KDISC** – **Dr. P. V. Unnikrishnan**, Member Secretary, KDISC, Planning and Economic affairs department, Govt. of Kerala

**3:15 pm:** Student Feedback

**3:30 pm:** Valedictory Session

**4:00 pm:** National Anthem

## Patron

- Prof. (Dr.) Mohanan Kunnummal  
Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, University of Kerala

## Organizing Committee

- Dr. Usha Titus IAS, CMD - ASAP, Kerala
- Dr. P. V. Unnikrishnan, Executive Vice-Chairperson, KDISC
- Dr. Sweta Raghavan, Royal Society of Chemistry
- Dr. Christabell P. J., Head, Department of Economics and Placement Cell  
Director, University of Kerala
- Dr. Saji Alex, Convenor, CIRL, Govt. Women's College, Trivandrum
- All faculty members – Dept of Chemistry, University of Kerala

## Programme Committee

- Dr. Ani Deepthi, Head, Department of Chemistry, University of Kerala  
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- Mr. Laiju I. P. Nair, Business Head-Skill Demand Aggregators & CoE, ASAP
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