

National Brain Research Centre hosts M.Sc students from neighbouring universities

New Delhi, February 06: As part of an continuing efforts to engage with the population at large, the scientists at National Brain Research Centre, Manesar (Gurgaon) routinely conduct OPEN DAY activities at its campus. During the event, they invite students from universities and colleges and general public to get an exposure to research being conducted at the Centre to understand the functions of healthy and diseased brain.

On January 27, the Centre hosted 70 MSc level students and their teachers from local universities. The visitors spend almost the entire day and interacted with the scientists, visited *state-of-art* research facility, including fMRI, and EEG facility, browsed research posters, and viewed human stem cells and human brain exhibits.

Graduate students, post-doctoral trainees and project staff from all labs wholeheartedly participated in the event and explained their findings and their spheres of work. The visiting students later had an opportunity to attend a lecture by Padma Shree - Prof Padma Srivastava, Chief of Neuroscience Centre and Head Department of Neurology, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi. She gave a talk on ***Restorative therapies after stroke –drugs, devices and robotics***. She delivered her talk in an easy to understand language where she explained the challenges of stroke therapies and current modalities of treatment in India and worldwide. The students interacted with her with their questions after the talk.

For more details about the activity - <http://www.nbrc.ac.in/newweb/openday-jan2020>

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