

GLIEMR Chairman Dr. BSK Naidu chaired the Session on “Life, Science and Spirituality” at “7th All India Students’ Conference on Science & Spiritual Quest” held at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Bangalore on 1-2 Sept’12



“7th All India Students’ Conference on Science & Spiritual Quest” was held at the Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Bangalore on 1-2 Sept’12. Magnificent JN Tata Auditorium of IISc was filled to capacity with 750 participants.

Our Chairman Dr. BSK Naidu chaired the Session on “Life, Science and Spirituality”, which was addressed by Prof. B.M. Hegde (Padma Bhushan) former Vice Chancellor, Manipal University, Prof. A.K.Mukhopadhyay, Professor & Head, Department of Laboratory Medicine, AIIMS and Prof. Ramgopal Uppaluri of IIT, Guwahati. Prof. Hegde talked about energy treatment based on eastern medical wisdom to be an essential part of future integrated system that works with quantum physics as the base. Prof. Mukhopadhyay opined that the journey from Higgs-Boson to consciousness would have several milestones still in the dark. Prof. Ramgopal Uppaluri attempted to compare the scientific and vedantic models of evolution.

Concluding the session, Dr. Naidu stated that with the recent discovery of sub-atomic “God particle” at the CERN’s 10 billion \$ Atom smasher, which is believed to confer mass to other particles that make up matter; man has got a clue to generating mass. Einstein had already established the relationship between mass and energy; . We seem to have a better understanding of mass and energy now but all of it limited to only one side of the coin.

Other side of creation is consciousness or “Chetana” that is behind life manifesting metabolism, power of converting food into energy, capacity for growth, power of healing and reproduction. Given all the necessary cellular chemicals, no one can create a living cell in the test tube. A molecule, no matter how orderly and precisely arranged, is life-less. A surgeon with best of his skills, supported by modern medical electronics can’t heal a body. After his job, he depends on some power for self-healing and recovery. That healer, the life giver is yet to be discovered. Chetana is in the realm of spirituality. Only the spiritual scientists can complete the understanding of creation, to which the learned speakers offered their insights during the session, which was one of the best sessions of the Conference.