VIBES

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 Dr. Jayesh Mahendra Goyal from NISER delivered a talk on "Exoplanets and the Search for Habitable Worlds" on November 18, 2022.

Oorna Talks

- On the eve of World Wildlife Week 2022, Dr.
 Rittik Deb from the School of Biological
 Sciences delivered a talk on "Tree Crickets use
 Tools to Amplify their Mating Calls HOW
 and WHY?" on October 21, 2022.
- Oorna organized a student talk during World Wildlife Week 2022, delivered by Ashlesh Pattnaik from the School of Biological Sciences, titled "Pitch Perfect" on October 23, 2022.

The Free Radicals Talks

- TFR organized a student talk on "Kinetic Investigations of the Catalytic Hydration of Nitriles to Amides", which was delivered by Shivam Mahapatra of Int. M.Sc. from the School of Chemical Sciences.
- Organized Alumni Talk on "Local Excitations in Crystalline Point Defects with Multireference Density Matrix Embedding Theory" by Mr. Abhishek Mitra from the University of Minnesota and "Competing reaction dynamics with second-order saddles" by Ms. Richa Rashmi from the University of California.

AWARDS & HONORS



Prof. Sudhakar Panda,
Director of NISER
Honoured with the prestigious
'Biju Patnaik Award for
Scientific Excellence' for the
year 2020 in recognition of his
outstanding lifetime
contributions to the field of

Science and Technology. Instituted by Odisha Bigyan Academy, Government of Odisha, the award is given to Odia Scientists working in India or abroad each year for their lifetime research contributions in the area of science and technology.



Dr. Amaresh Jaiswal
The Recipient of the 'Young
Achiever Award,' DAE
Symposium on Nuclear
Physics, 2022.



Prof. Bedangadas Mohanty Appointed as the Deputy Spokesperson of the ALICE experiments at the Large Hadron Collider in CERN starting January 2023 for three years. ALICE consists

of 173 institutions from 42 countries and 1946 members. His role as the Deputy Spokesperson is to work with the ALICE team by providing directions from the field of Physics on upgrades to the detector and also to represent ALICE at various forums.



Dr. Ponneri C. Ravikumar Awarded with 'CRSI Bronze Medal' for significant contribution to research in Chemical Sciences.



Dr. Satyaprasad P Senanayak
Selected for the 'Odisha
Young Scientist Award'
for his outstanding
contributions to the field
of science and technology.
He received this award in

the category of Odia young scientists working outside the state of Odisha in 2020.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



Mr. Pushpendra Gupta
Awarded the Best Poster
Award at the Frontiers in
Materials for Technological
Applications (FIMTA-2022),
IMMT Bhubaneswar



Mr. Satyapriya Nath
Received the Best Poster
Presentation Award at the
27th Indian Society of
Chemists and Biologists
International Conference
held at BIT Mesra, Ranchi.