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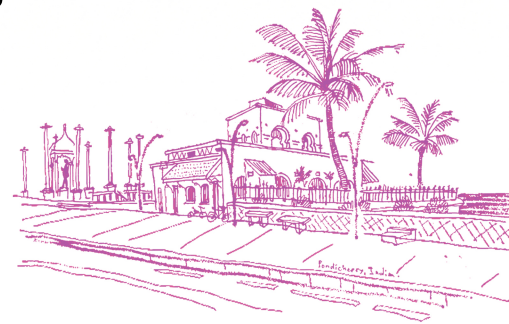
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Welcome note

We the team of PONSICON 2026 are extremely delighted to announce the annual conference of Puducherry state chapter ASI 6th edition.

The conference aims in providing valuable knowledge along with various scientific programs. With a certain nip in the air, you can balance the academics of the conference with sweet escapes in and around the city. We are sure you and your loved ones will make memories for a lifetime.

We hope to get a warm support from all of you and make this event a grand success.

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ASI PUDUCHERRY STATE CHAPTER CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE



Dr. SATISH NALLAM M.S

On behalf of the Association of Surgeons of India, Pondicherry chapter, it is my great pleasure to warmly welcome you all to this three-day surgical fiesta here in Pondicherry — the Côte d'Azur of the East.

I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to the Department of Surgery, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College, for hosting this academic event with such commitment and enthusiasm. My special compliments to the Organising Chairman, Prof. G.V.Manoharan, and the Organising Secretary, Dr. A.Arulselvan, whose dedication and meticulous planning have made this conference possible.

We are extremely delighted and honoured to have with us the National President of the Association of Surgeons of India, Prof. Maruthu Pandian, who has graciously accepted our invitation to inaugurate this meeting and be the chief guest. His presence truly adds great value and inspiration to this academic gathering.

I am confident that these three days will be rich in learning, meaningful academic exchange, professional camaraderie, and memorable experiences in our beautiful coastal city.

I wish the conference every success and all the delegates a rewarding and enjoyable stay in Pondicherry.

THANK YOU....

ORGANISING CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE



PROF. Dr. G.V. MANOHARAN M.S

Dear friends and surgical brethren,

It gives me great pleasure to extend a warm and cordial welcome to all the distinguished speakers, respected delegates, and invited guests to PONSICON 2026, the prestigious annual conference of the Pondicherry chapter of the Association of Surgeons of India in association with Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital

PONSICON has always stood as a vibrant academic forum that reflects our collective commitment to surgical excellence, continuous learning, and professional growth. The scientific program has been meticulously curated to provide meaningful academic deliberations, updates on recent advances, and practical insights relevant to contemporary surgical practice.

We are deeply honoured to host an eminent panel of national faculty whose expertise, experience, and scholarly contributions will greatly enrich the conference proceedings. I sincerely thank all the speakers for graciously accepting our invitation and sharing their invaluable knowledge with us. I also extend my appreciation to the delegates whose enthusiastic participation truly forms the essence of this conference.

Beyond the academic sessions, PONSICON offers an opportunity to strengthen professional camaraderie, foster collaborations, and renew friendships in a spirit of unity and collegiality. We hope that your time here will be both intellectually rewarding and personally memorable.

On behalf of the organising committee, I wish all the participants a stimulating academic experience and a pleasant stay.

THANK YOU....

ORGANISING SECRETARY MESSAGE



Dr. A. ARULSELVAN M.S., DNB

Dear seniors and friends,

It is my great pleasure to welcome all the esteemed speakers, respected delegates, and invited guests to PONSICON 2026 the annual conference of the Pondicherry chapter of the Association of Surgeons of India in association with Dept of General Surgery, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College, Puducherry.

PONSICON serves as a vibrant academic platform aimed at sharing knowledge, discussing evolving surgical practices, and fostering professional interaction. The scientific programme has been carefully curated to provide meaningful updates and practical insights relevant to contemporary surgery. We are honoured by the presence of eminent national faculty and sincerely thank them for their valuable academic contributions.

Puducherry, with its unique blend of coastal serenity, rich heritage, and warm hospitality, provides an ideal setting for academic exchange and professional camaraderie. We hope your time here is both intellectually rewarding and personally enjoyable.

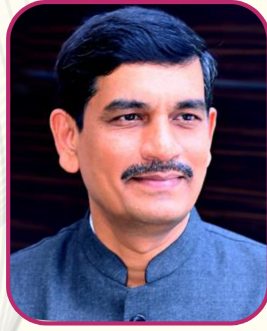
I extend my heartfelt thanks to the organising committee, faculty, sponsors, and volunteers for their dedicated efforts. I wish all the participants a successful conference and a pleasant stay in Puducherry.

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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

DAY 1 - 22ND JAN 2026 (THURSDAY)

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER / MODERATOR	CHAIRPERSONS
9.00am	Case discussion - 1 Topic : Thyroid swelling	Dr. R.Dayananda Babu, SGMCH Dr. V.T.Arasu, CHMC Dr. Robinson Smile, MGMCRI	
OPERATIVE VIDEOS (15+5 min)			
9.45am	Spleen preserving distal pancreatectomy	Dr. P.Sai Krishna (Surg Gastro), JIPMER	Dr. SenthilVelan, SLIMS Dr. V.T.Arasu, CHMC
10.05am	Modified radical mastectomy with sentinel node biopsy for breast and oral malignancies	Dr. G.Sudhakar (Surg Oncology), JIPMER	Dr. SenthilVelan, SLIMS Dr. V.T.Arasu, CHMC
10.25am	Parotidectomy	Dr. S.Marimuthu, (Surg Oncology), TMC	Dr. Rajkumar, SVMCH Dr. Vinayagam, SVMCH
10.45am	Laparoscopic radical right hemicolectomy with CME & CVL	Dr. V.Vaithiswaran, (GI Oncology) Equitas Hospital	Dr. Parimala, GKMC Dr. Muralidharan, SSSMCRI
11.05am	Parathyroidectomy	Dr. M.Sabaretnam, (Endo Surg) SGPGI	Dr. Parimala, GKMC Dr. Muralidharan, SSSMCRI
11.00AM - POSTER/ PAPER SESSIONS			
11.25AM - TEA BREAK			
11.45am	Case discussion - 2 Topic : Obstructive Jaundice	Dr. Rajagopal Shenoy, KMC Dr. N.Anantha Krishnan, MGMCRI Dr. V.Shruthi Kamal, KIMS	
12.20pm	Panel discussion on laparoscopic cholecystectomy Moderator : Dr Sathish nallam, nallam hospital	Dr. R.Kalayarasan, (Surg Gastro), JIPMER Dr. T.A. Chandralathan, Maruthi Gastro Care Dr. G.Rajesh Kumar, (Med Gastro) R.K. Gastro Dr. K.Udhay Kumar (Int. Radio), Udhaya Scans	
1.00PM - LUNCH			
2.00pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Surgical anatomy of liver	Dr. Suresh Raghavaiah, (HPB Surg) Apollo Hospital	Dr. Shruthi Kamal, KIMS Dr. Sankarlingam, CHMC
2.20pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Trauma laparotomy	Dr. S.Vignesh Kumar, PIMS	Dr. Shruthi Kamal, KIMS Dr. Sankarlingam, CHMC
2.40pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Intestinal fistula	Dr. C.H. Basavanandswami, IGMCRI	Dr. Saravanakumar, MGMCRI Dr. Kannan, MGMCRI

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3.00pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Steps of safe laparoscopic cholecystectomy	Dr. Venkatesh, IGGGH	Dr. Rajasekar, SVMCH Dr. Selvakumar, SVMCH
3.20pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Pancreatic cystic neoplasms	Dr. P.Sampath Kumar, AVMC	Dr. Prabakar, CIMS Dr. Umesh, MAPIMS
3.40pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Soft tissue sarcoma	Dr. M.Rajasekhar, SVMCH	Dr. Prabakar, CIMS Dr. Umesh, MAPIMS
4.00pm	Prof Sen CME Topic : Management of diabetic foot ulcer	Dr. S.Babu, SMVMCH	Dr. Suresh, IGGGH Dr. Siddharth, IGGGH
4.20pm	QUIZ - DR. A.ARULSELVAN, SMVMCH		

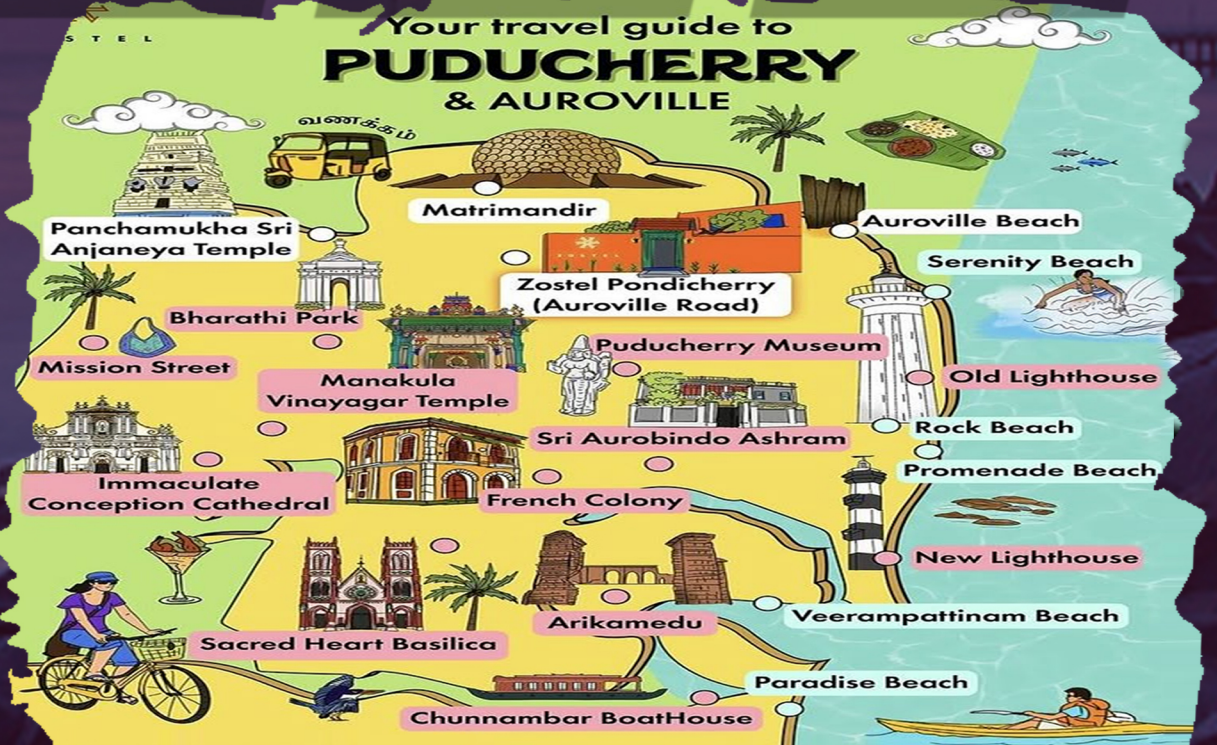
DAY 2 - 23RD JAN 2026 (FRIDAY)

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER / MODERATOR	CHAIRPERSONS
8.00AM - POSTER AND PAPER PRESENTATION			
9.00am	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Surgical training opportunities for indian surgeons in UK	Dr. J.K.A. Jameel, (Surg Gastro) Apollo Chennai	Dr. Vikram, SRM Dr. Ramula, KIMS
9.30am	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Post operative surgical rounds	Dr. Rajagopal Shenoy, KMC	Dr. Vikram, SRM Dr. Ramula, KIMS
10.00am	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Safe thyroid surgery	Dr. R.Dayananda Babu, SGMCH	Dr. Anwar Ali, GCMC Dr. Saravanan, MAPIMS
10.30AM - TEA BREAK			
10.45AM - INAUGURATION			
11.45am	ASI National President Oration Topic : My Journey in Whipple surgery	Dr. D.Maruthu Pandian, ASI National President	Dr. Sathish nallam, ASI chairman Dr. G.V. Manoharan, Organising chairman Dr. Rajagopal Shenoy, KMC
12.15pm	Pondicherry ASI Oration Topic : Surgical training in the era of technology	Dr. Dinker Pai, MGMCRI	Dr. D. Maruthu Pandian, ASI National President Dr. Sathish nallam, ASI chairman Dr. G.V. Manoharan, Organising chairman Dr. C. Vijayakumar, ASI Secretary
1.00PM - LUNCH			
2.00pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Pancreatic necrosis - step up strategies - where do we stand? Is less really more?..	Dr. Rajan KV, MGMCRI	Dr. Anwar Ali, GCMC Dr. Saravanan, MAPIMS
2.20pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Making of a surgeon	Dr. C.S.Subramaniam, Chidambaram	Dr. Muthukumaran, SMC Dr. Venkatesh, SMC
2.40pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Rectal cancer management made easy : staging, sequencing, surgery	Dr. S.G.Balamurugan, Guru Hospital, Madurai	Dr. Vigneshwaran, SMVMCH Dr. Ray, IGMCRI
3.00pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : AI in surgery : from curiosity to clinical responsibility	Dr. Angeline Radjou, Puducherry	Dr. Karthik, SRM Dr. Balakrishnan, DSMCH

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3.20pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Peripheral vascular diseases : current trends	Dr. Prabhu Premkumar, CMC	Dr. Kapil Baliga, IGMCRI Dr. Simon, IGMCRI
3.30pm	Young researcher award - Paper presentation		
3.45PM - TEA BREAK			
4.00pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Biopsy & the surgeon - surgico- pathological interface	Dr. T.D.Balamurugan,(Surg Oncology) Aringar Anna Cancer Institute, Kancheepuram	Dr. Jacob, PIMS Dr. Ashwin, PIMS
4.20pm	Dr. KP Singh invited lecture Topic : Adrenal incidentaloma	Dr. M.Sabaretnam, (Endo Surg) SGPGI	Dr. Ganeshkumar, GVMC Dr. Rajapandi, GVMC
4.45PM - VALEDICTORY FUNCTION			
7PM - 10PM - DJ NIGHT & BANQUET			
DAY 3 - 24 JAN 2026 SATURDAY			
8.00am	Live surgery demo GEM coimbatore with interaction		
11.00am	Stapler, bowel suturing & lap workshop	Dr. Sasikumar, (Surg Gastro), GEM Hospital Dr. K.Sugumaran, (Surg Gastro), GEM Hospital	
	Upper GI endoscopy & colonoscopy workshop	Dr. S.Easwaramoorthy, Lotus Hospital	
1.00PM - LUNCH			

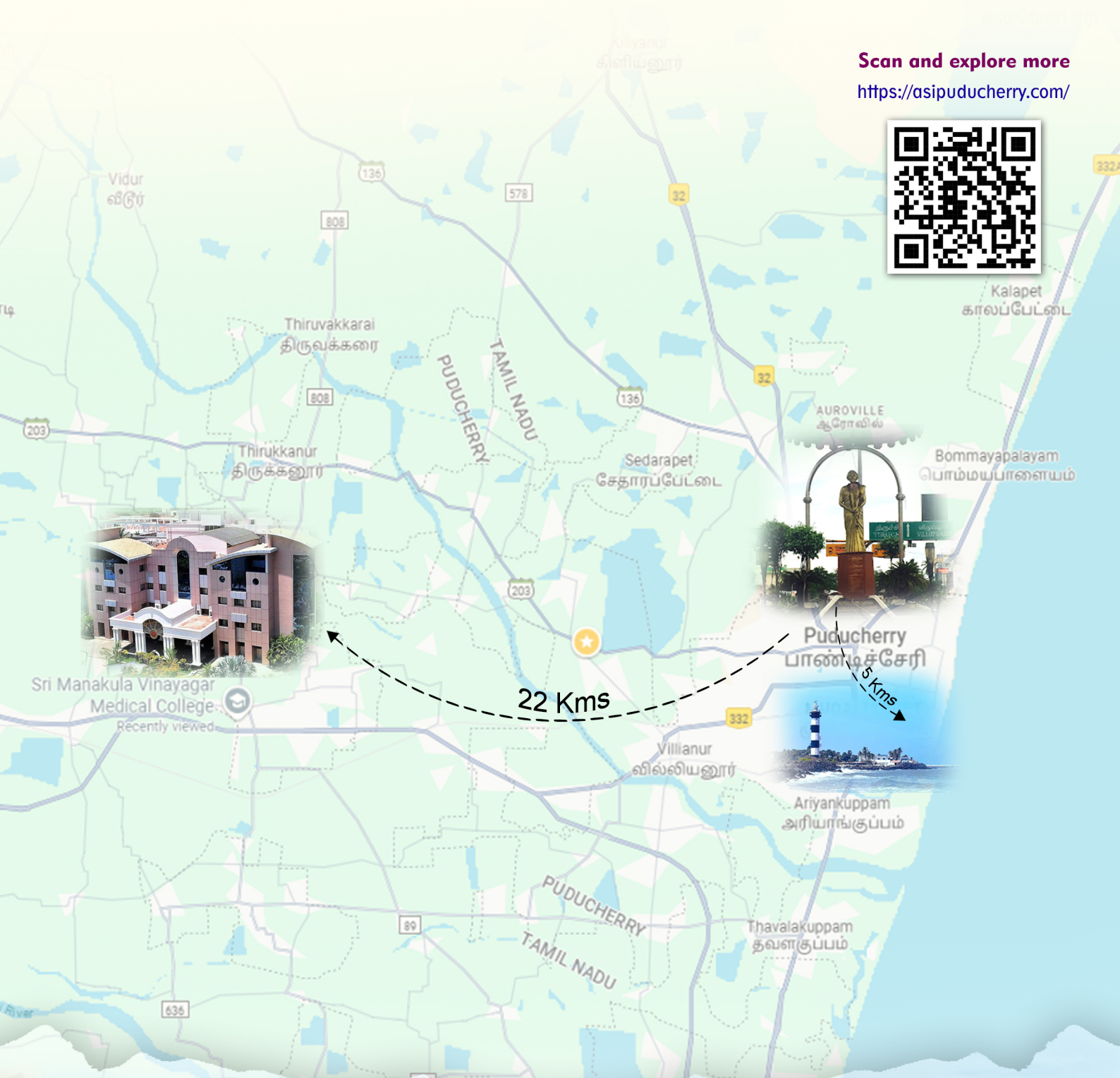
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