

# Department of General Surgery Newsletter Academic Highlights January to June 2025

Celebrating Excellence in Surgical Education  
& Leadership

Guest Lecture –  
12/02/2025

- Guest Speaker: Dr Manoj Dongre, Eminent Hepatobiliary Surgeon
- Topic: 'Liver Transplantation in Cadaveric and Live Donors'
- Insights Covered:
  - - Transplant protocols
  - - Surgical techniques
  - - Donor evaluation
  - - Ethical considerations
  - - Current advancements in hepatobiliary surgery
- Highly informative session appreciated by faculty and postgraduate residents.

MASICON  
2025 –  
February  
2025

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- Active participation by postgraduate residents

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- Presentation of academically enriching research papers

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Faculty Representation:

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- Dr Sachin Naik

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- Dr Sandesh Gawade

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- Contributed to academic discussions and mentored young surgeons.

Fellowship  
Examination  
Leadership

- Dr Sachin Naik  
Internal Examiner &  
Convenor (MIMER)

-Dr Sandesh Gawade  
External Examiner  
(Ruby Hall Clinic)

Clinical Skills  
Training  
Masterclass –  
27/03/2025

- Attended by:
  - Dr Nikhil Phadke
  - Dr Ojus Wadhwa
- Focused on advanced clinical skills enhancement and hands-on learning.



# Department of Surgery Newsletter

Activities &  
Achievements

July – August 2025

## Guest Lecture – 14/08/2025

- Speaker: Dr. Samrat Jankar
  - Topic: “Complex Fistula-in-Ano and MRI Reading”
  - In-depth insights into evaluation and management of complex fistula-in-ano.
  - Special emphasis on MRI interpretation and surgical decision-making.
  - Highly interactive and academically enriching for postgraduate students and faculty.





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# September 2025 – Highlights

- Academic excellence and international collaboration –
- Dr. Sachin Naik
  - Medicolegal Webinar – Invited Talk
  - Best Teacher Awards – 25 Years of Excellence
  - International Thyroid Conclave 2025

**Association of Medical Consultants Mumbai**  
In association with **Maharashtra Chapter of ASI**  
Presents **CME Webinar**

**Beyond the Scalpel : Mastering Medicolegal Risk**  
24th September 2025, Wednesday 08:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:00-8:15 pm	Know your AMC	Dr. Prashant Kerkar
8:15-8:30 pm	Introduction to Umbrella policy by president	Dr. Rajeev Agarwal
8:30-8:50 pm	Social Media And Doctors	Dr. Sameer Bege Prof & HOD KEM Hospital
8:50-9:10 pm	Live Surgery Broadcast at MMC guidelines	Dr. Sachin Naik Professor and HOD, Head Surgical Unit Hon. Secretary Maharashtra State Chapter ASI
9:10-9:30 pm	Expert witness testimony	Dr. Shalish Mahite Dean THMC & P's, New Hospital
9:30-9:50 pm	Role of AMC Medicolegal Cell in current scenario	Dr. Nirjanjan Agarwal
9:50-10:10 pm	Informed consent and documentation	Dr. Suresh Vasathe
10:10-11:00 pm	Panel discussion: Medicolegal issues faced by surgeons in day to day practice Moderator Dr. Sandeep Bege Dr. Rajendra Swati	Panelists Dr. Sugant H Iyer Dr. Nirjanjan Agarwal Dr. Prashant Kerkar Dr. Shalish Mahite Dr. Sachin Naik Dr. Ashok Shukla Dr. Mahesh Malu
11:00 pm	Vote of thanks	

**Dr. Rajeev Agarwal**  
President, AMC

**Dr. Prashant Kerkar**  
Hon. Secretary, AMC

**Dr. Navneet Desai**  
Prog. Com. Chairperson, AMC

**Dr. Ashok Shukla**  
Convener, AMC

**Dr. Mahesh Murlidhar Malu**  
President MASI

**Dr. Sachin Naik**  
Hon. Secretary MASI

◆ **Rs 200/- for 1 NMC Point** ◆

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## Medicolegal Webinar September 2025

- Speaker: Dr. Sachin Naik
  - Topic: Live Surgery Broadcast – MMC Guidelines
  - Ethical & legal aspects of live surgery
  - Patient safety and informed consent
  - Regulatory compliance focus



## Best Teacher Award – 25 Years of Excellence

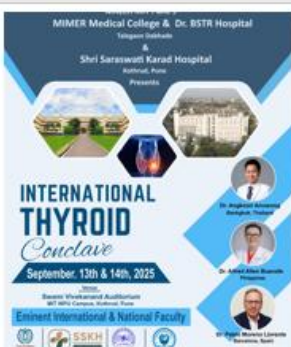
Recognition of 25 years  
of academic service

Commitment to  
mentorship and student  
training

Awardees:

Prof. Dr. Sachin Naik

Prof. Dr. Nikhil Phadke



International  
Thyroid Conclave  
– 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>  
September 2025



International Faculty:  
Dr. Pablo Llorente (Spain)  
Dr. Angkoon Anuwong  
(Thailand)

Chief Guest: Dr. C.  
Palanivelu

Live TOETVA and robotic  
thyroidectomy

250 surgeons attended  
nationwide

3 MMC credit points

# Pink October

- Breast Cancer Awareness Month
  - Community outreach and academic initiatives

## Breast Screening Camp

- Lead: Dr. Ojus Wadhwa
  - Free Breast USG
  - Blood investigations & Thyroid tests
  - 156 beneficiaries screened
  - Focus on early detection

## Faculty Lecture – 7 October 2025

- Speaker: Dr. Prashant Chandra
  - Topic: Doctor, Do I Have Cancer?
  - Patient counselling in oncology
  - Communication & ethical considerations

## Undergraduate Academic Activity

- Breast Symposium by 3rd Year Students
  - Clinical evaluation of breast lumps
  - Imaging and management principles
  - Strong mentorship and participation

## TIMACON Highlights



Dr Vivek Bonde, Neurosurgeon, delivered an insightful and academically enriching talk at the prestigious



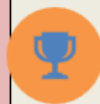
TIMACON Conference, representing our institution with distinction. His session was highly appreciated for its clarity and clinical relevance.



Dr Sachin Naik and Dr Nandkishor Raut were awarded Certificates of Excellence in recognition of their outstanding professional contributions.



Dr Nandkishor Raut also delivered an engaging lecture on "Overactive Bladder", highlighting recent advances in diagnosis and management.



Dr. Riddhi Jadhav (JR -2) got 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in poster presentation

# National Cancer Awareness Day

Session at Sate Village, Maval

- Conducted by Dr. Ojus Wadhwa
- Early signs of cancer awareness
- Tobacco hazards & prevention



# World Diabetes Day

- Healthy Cooking Competition
  - Mrs. Sonali Raje – Third Prize- Promotion of nutritional awareness