

About VIT :

VIT was established with the aim of providing quality higher education on par with international standards. It persistently seeks and adopts innovative methods to improve the quality of higher education on a consistent basis. The campus has a cosmopolitan atmosphere with students from all corners of the globe. Experienced and learned teachers are strongly encouraged to nurture the students. The global standards set at VIT in the field of teaching and research spur us on in our relentless pursuit of excellence. In fact, it has become a way of life for us. The highly motivated youngsters on the campus are a constant source of pride. Our Memoranda of Understanding with various international universities are our major strength. They provide for an exchange of students and faculty and encourage joint research projects for the mutual benefit of these universities. Many of our students, who pursue their research projects in foreign universities, bring high quality to their work and esteem to India and have done us proud. With steady steps, we continue our march forward. We look forward to meeting you here at VIT.

School of Bio Sciences and Technology:

The School of Bio Sciences and Technology offers undergraduate, post graduate and doctoral courses in the fields of Biotechnology, Biomedical Genetics, Applied Microbiology and Bioinformatics. The School consists of 5 departments- Biotechnology, Biomedical Sciences, Biosciences, Integrative Biology and Catering & Hotel Management headed by experienced professors. Our efforts are strengthened by collaboration with National and International institutes and multinational companies, as well as with visiting scientists. Healthy interaction between academia and biotech industry is consistently promoted in the School. The school houses excellent infrastructure and well trained faculty members which makes it to be one among the largest population of trained biologists in our country.

The school is equipped with cutting edge technologies and instruments like SEM, HPLC, FPLC, qRT-PCR, various bioinformatics tools and softwares.

Two year M.Sc. Biomedical Genetics program equips students to understand the genetic basis of diseases and to develop the clinical and laboratory skills. Students willing to opt M.Sc. Biomedical Genetics with Specialization in Genetic Counselling has a unique course work which includes clinical rotations in hospitals for 12 weeks .

About DNA DAY 2018

25th April 1953, the world unravelled the mystery of the molecule that makes up life, as we know it – DNA. To commemorate the significant occasion of World DNA Day, the Department of Biomedical Sciences, VIT, Vellore is organising its 5th DNA DAY on 24th and 25th February, 2018.

Through this two day event, we hope to create an opportunity for young, aspiring scientists to get a glimpse of current research techniques and latest updates in the area of Genetics and Genomics.

This two day event consists of :

❖ Scientific sessions:

- Plenary lectures
- DNA DAY workshop

❖ Technical events:

- Organ attack
- Connection
- DNA model
- Forensics
- E-poster

❖ Valedictory

❖ Non technical events:

- Mad Marketing
- Mutate
- Quiz
- Bio-meme Maker
- Beg, Borrow, Buy

We would be glad to have your presence in this wonderful journey and thus impart the significance of this day at VIT.

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