

Summary Report - Physiofest 2024

Event Details	
Event Name	14th Physiotherapy summit, Physiofest 2024 - An International Conference
Association or collaboration agencies	SSIP, IIC, CFE, Rajkot Physiotherapy Association
Event Date	9th & 10th February, 2024
Event Place	School of Physiotherapy, RK University, Rajkot
Number of Participants	460
The Objective of the Event	Integrating Evidence into Global Physiotherapy Practice

Focus areas	Description
<p>Description cum Executive Summary with pictures of an Event</p> <p>+</p> <p>Event Highlights:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Physiofest is an Annual Physiotherapy Summit which aims at empowering students to enhance excellence in the field of Physiotherapy. It also serves as a platform for the Students and Therapists to learn and improve their hands-on skills in the field. Physiofest brings out the innovation and research in Students and Therapists. ● Shri Shamjibhai Harjibhai Talaviya Charitable (SHTC) Trust managed School of Physiotherapy, RK University (RKU) has organized the 14th Physiotherapy summit - Physiofest - '24 - An International Conference that provides a platform for the Physiotherapists and Students to craft their knowledge and skills beyond brick-and-mortar learning. ● The School of Physiotherapy constantly strives to provide quality input to students by providing them various platforms for their overall development. Taking this effort further, Physiofest has been organized by the School of Physiotherapy, RK University every year since 2009. ● Taking this tradition forward this year Physio Fest 2024 was organized on 9th & 10th February 2024 with a focus on 'Integrating Evidence into Global Physiotherapy Practice' in the field of Physiotherapy. ● The event was inaugurated in presence of Executive Vice President Mr. Mohit Patel & Vice Chancellor Dr. Amit Lathigara. More than 450 participants across the country had attended this summit. Delegates participated in various academic activities like Platform paper presentation, Poster Presentation, Innovative Spine Hackathon, Innovative Model

	<p>Competition, Academic Excellence Award and Quiz Competition.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● The event was graced by presence of many expert speakers that are pioneers in the field of Physiotherapy Domain like Dr. Ali Irani, Head of Department, Physiotherapy and Sports Medicine & Rehabilitation Centre, Nanavati Super Specialty Hospital, Mumbai, Dr. Nitesh Bansal, Chief Compliance Officer, Professor & Vice Dean at O.P. Jindal Global University (JGU) and Dr. Bimika Khadgi, Associate Professor at KUSMS, Nepal, Consultant Musculoskeletal Physiotherapist at Dhulikhel Hospital, Nepal.● There was a guest session organised by Dr. Peter O'Sullivan, Professor, Curtin University, Australia on the topic “Cognitive Functional Therapy for people with Chronic Low Back Pain”.● Total of 6 engaging sessions in form of free workshops were organized that enriched participant knowledge for which more than 450 participants actively participated for new learnings.● Concluding various events during Physiofest – '24, a total of 170 Platform Presentation delegates had participated, 55 Poster Presentation participants, 6 Innovative Models being presented, and 7 teams of Innovative Spine Hackathon presented with the new ideas and innovations.
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Participant List	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Total Attendees: 460
Winner / Ranker List	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Total 40 Winners were awarded in various categories of events.
Feedback and Surveys:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Participant Feedback: All the participants were highly satisfied with smooth and coordinated conduction of event. All the sponsors had given best feedback regarding audience appreciation, and they had been benefited by the feedback from delegates.
Media and Coverage:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Website was developed for Physiofest and Social Media Marketing was done using various Online Platforms.
Acknowledgements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kudos to the efforts of every participant and Congratulation to all the winners ● RK University is thankful to our honorable guests and all the judges for their priceless presence and their share to make this event successful.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Dr. Priyanshu Rathod sir who has pioneered to the growth of physio fest over the years,thank your sir for your valuable guidance● Expressing our endless gratitude to Dr. Amit Sharma, sir without you're the support and efforts to make this event would not have been the best of all.● Thanking all the co- coordinators for consistent efforts and involvement in every minute area of concern to plan and execute this event in such a wonderful manner.● A bunch of thanks to all the delegates for their enthusiasm and active participation in various events .● Thanks to all the student volunteers for their dedication and hard work for this event.
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