



Report: One day International Seminar Maliba Pharmacy College – 18th Jan 2019



Topic: Challenges and opportunities for pharmacy practice in India and pharmacy education at the University of Findlay, USA

Event date: 18th January 2019; Friday

Venue : MBA class Room C-105, Uka Tarsadia University, Bardoli

Attendees: M.Pharm. Sem 2 & 4 students of PharmD and Staff members

Time : Session – I 10:00am to 11:30 am; Session –II 11:45 to 01:15pm
Session-III : MPC staff 2:30 pm to 3:30 pm

Resource Person: Dr. M. Chandra Sekar, Professor Department of pharmaceutical science, university of Findlay, USA.

The Maliba Pharmacy College organized one day Expert session on “challenges and opportunities for pharmacy practice in India and pharmacy education at the University of Findlay, USA” on 18th January 2019 at srinca MBA class room C-105-I. The guest speaker was Dr. M. Chandra Sekar, professor department of pharmaceutical science, university of Findlay, USA. The event started with University Anthem followed by a welcome address by Dr. Ketan Ranch.

Dr. M.Chandra Sekar started his lecture by showing us very eye catchy Findlay University and gave a very motivating and faithful thought provoking lecture on the subject of clinical pharmacist role. He explained how one can confidently play a role in hospital setting, industrial area also in research setting as well how one can improve or start with the business and one can grow for the same. He also showed how he is a helping hand for guest Indian students as well as his own students there in Findlay and in India. How his students are working there in Findlay and also how he encourage Indian students by arranging very interesting workshop that was by heart touching fun loving knowledgeable video made by Veda (Indian student) and sir. He also blessed students by giving so many great tips for routine practices in the hospital by giving successful examples. Also sir spread the awareness about how one can reach abroad by taking different courses and exams and practice there as a pharmacist. It was completely a new educational experience for our PharmD students and Pharmacology students as well as guest students from sumndeeep vidhyaapeeth, Baroda and Dhanvantary Pharmacy College, Kim as he exposed students to real-world life experiences. This one day session gave students the opportunity to learn something new and all were able to drive home a concept that can be explored for clinical practices. There was an interactive question and answer session following the session and the session came to an end with the felicitation done by Dr. Bhavin Vyas and proposal of vote of thanks by Dr. Ketan Ranch also Dr Ketan Ranch acknowledged the speaker and appreciated this learning session and also emphasized that more such sessions should be

organized for staff and students. An interactive session of Dr. Sekar was also arranged with staff members of MPC.

