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10TH NATIONAL BIOETHICS CONFERENCE

Artificial Intelligence in Health Care:
Ethics, Law and Human Rights Matters

Forum for Medical Ethics Society



Friday, 28 March 2025



ZOOM

1400-1530 HRS

INAUGURAL & FELICITATION

- Bioethics in the context of healthcare justice: Looking back and looking ahead | 20 years of NBC & 32 years of FMES-IJME
Chairs: Sanjay Nagral & Arul Dhas T
- FMES-IJME Ethics Award Felicitation
Lopa Mehta & Anant Phadke

1530-1600 HRS

BREAK

1600-1730 HRS

PLENARY 1

Health technology assessment & AI: Past & present

Chairs: Mala Ramanathan & Sandra Albert

- Contemporary healthcare ecosystem and health-AI: Opportunities and challenges towards strengthening health justice | [Indranil](#)
- Locating health-AI in health technology discourse: Historical and contemporary perspectives on health technologies assessment | [Shankar Prinja](#)
- Ethical and regulatory adaptations of health technology assessment for articulating value in medical AI | [Calvin Ho](#)

1730-1800 HRS

BREAK

1800-1930 HRS

SESSION 1

AI applications and psychiatry: Ethics, governance, and entrepreneurship

Chairs: Sunita Simon Kurpad & Sunita Sheel

- AI and mental healthcare: Challenges and possible solutions | [Dilip V Jeste](#)
- ICMR AI ethics guidelines: Critical reflections from a mental health researcher and practitioner | [Suresh Bada Math](#)
- AI application in counselling care: Insights from a start up with a global presence | [Smriti Joshi](#)

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SESSION 2

Health digitization in India: Voice from the grassroots and policy spaces

Chairs: Sylvia Karpagam & Hammad Durrani

- On the frontlines of digitization: ASHAs' experiences from India | [Sreerupa](#)
- Digital health in India: Ground realities | [Narendra Gupta](#)
- Digitization in India: Hopes and despair | [Usha Ramanathan](#)

1730-1800 HRS

BREAK

1800-1930 HRS

PLENARY 2

Health-AI: Diving deeper into ethics and human rights matters

Chairs: Nandini Kumar & Joy Mammen

- Health-AI ethics and issues of justice: Local and global perspectives of users and developers | [Rohit Malpani & Andreas Reis](#)
- Role of social science and humanities in responsible health-AI | [Siby K George](#)

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1600–1730 HRS

PLENARY 3

Health-AI policies and governance: Going beyond commercial interests

Chairs: Vivek Divan & Jai Ganesh Udayasankaran

- Digital health: Legal and ethical challenges | [Dipika Jain](#)
- Health-AI regulatory and legal global and local ecosystems: Critical insights towards a way forward | [Barry Solaiman](#)
- Health-AI policies and governance discourse: Have we got it right? | [Anita Gurumurthy](#)

1730–1800 HRS

BREAK

1800–1930 HRS

SESSION 3

AI & marginality: Users' perspectives from transgender persons and people with disabilities

Chairs: Sayantan Datta & Shampa Sengupta

- Health-AI: Revolution or reinforcement of old biases? | [Mridul D](#)
- Rebuilding identity through AI: A stroke survivor's journey | [Mukul Pandya](#)
- Burden of making choices: From identity to access | [Abhiti \(Ell\) Gupta](#)

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Saturday, 5 April 2025



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1600-1730 HRS

SESSION 4

Artificial intelligence & academic integrity: Bridging the gap in scholarly publishing

Chairs: Lubna Duggal & Sayantan Datta

- Negotiating ethical frontiers of thinking in the age of AI | **Neha Mishra**
- AI as a researcher's intelligent assistant: Boundaries and responsible use | **Sunaina Singh**
- Copyright Issues in Generative AI | **Piyali Mitra**
- WAME guidelines and the ethics of generative AI in scholarly communications | **Chris Zielinski**

1730-1800 HRS

BREAK

1800-1930 HRS

PLENARY 4

Foundations and transformations: AI, healthcare, and digital planetary health

Chairs: Amar Jesani & Sujatha N

- Summary of conference proceedings: Presentation by rapporteurs team | **Rapporteur Anchor: Sandhya Srinivasan** | **Rapporteurs: Vyahruti Prakya, Ananya Venkatesh, Srestha Majumdar & Niharika Banerjee**
- Ready for AI? Preparing health systems for managing another transformation | **Shariq Khoja**
- The ethical foundations of digital planetary health | **Chi Yeung Eric Ip**
- Vote of thanks | **Olinda Timms**

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