

# 5-8 JUNE 2023

# International workshop on technologies for sustainable development



The International Workshop on Technology for Sustainable Development brings experts from industry and scholars to share their knowledge in the field of energy, materials, wastewater engineering and buildings to identify challenges to the development, viable solutions to help put in place the essential technologies to tackle global issues of climate change and resource depletion. Students will learn from experts.

# **Program**

5 June 2023 (Monday)		
ThemeEnvironment & energy 1		
08:30-09:00	Registration	
09:00-9:30	Welcome: Prof R K Calay (Chairperson Prof Fasil & Prof RK Sen)	
9:30-9:45	Tea break	
9:45:10:30	Lecture 1. Prof Sengupta: Energy Efficient Wastewater Recovery and Reuse in Cities/Metropolis through Use of CO2 Captured from the Atmosphere'	
10:30-11:15	<b>Lecture 2 Prof Satoshi</b> Microbial fuel cell	
11:15-11:45	Discussion Expert Panel comments	
11:45-12:45	Lunch Break	
12:45-13:30	Lecture 3 Prof Ghangrekar Bio- electrochemical wastewater treatment technologies to facilitate reuse of treated water and resource recovery	
13:30-14:00	Triya Mukherjee: Building a sustainable future with circular bioeconomy and bio-refinery (1)	
14:00-14:30	Gorakhnath Jadhav: Portable bioelectrical toilet for onsite wastewater treatment and electricity generation (2)	
15:00:15:15	Tea Break	
15:15-15:30	Q & A	
15:30-15:45	Panel Discussion	
F	Free time Dinner on own	

6 June 2023 (Tuesday)		
Theme Environment & Energy-2		
08:30-8:45	Introduction: By Prof R K Calay	
	(Chair Prof Satoshi, Prof Sengupta)	
08:45:9:30	Lecture 4 Prof RKSen Biofuels,	
	Bioelectricity and Value-added	
	products via Waste Valorization &	
	Carbon Capture in an Microalgal	
	Biorefinery Model	
09:30-9:45	Tea beak	
9:45-10:15	Harishankar:Building a sustainable	
	future with circular bioeconomy	
	and bio-refinery	
10:00:10:30	Sundipan Bhowmick: Towards	
	Sustainable Production of	
	Engineered Activated Biochar from	
	defatted algal biomass of Chlorella	
	minutissima for Application as	
	cathode catalyst in MFC"	
10:30-11:00	Manish: Fuel cell driven	
	Electrochemiluminescence PoC	
	Devices for Biomarker Detection.	
11:00-11:30	Sai Kumar: Microfluidics driven fuel	
11.00-11.30	cells for energy harvesting	
11:30 :11:45	Discussion Q & A	
11:45-12:45	Lunch Break	
	Researchers' Session Chair by	
12:45:15:00	Mohamad & Harpal Singh)	
	(Parallel Project meeting)	
15:00:15:15	Tea Break	
15:15-15:45	Discussion & end of the day	
	Project Dinner	
18:30: 20:30	•	
Free time Dinner on own		

7 June 2023		
Theme: Construction & Emerging Technologies		
08:30-08:45	Introduction by Raj Calay	
	(Chairperson – Prof Mustafa & Prof	
	Ghangrekar	
8:45-9:30	Prof. N-Hiro Watanabe: A Data-	
	Driven Design Approach to Public	
	Spaces in Snowy and Cold Cities	
09:30-9:45	Tea beak	
9:45-10:15	Harpal Singh – Asset management	
	& condition monitoring	
	HanYang: Research on Carbon	
10:15: 10:45	Reduction of Residential Buildings	
10:15: 10:45	in Severe Cold Regions Based on	
	Renovation of Envelope	
	Student presentations (Chair by	
10:45:11:45	Fasil & Subhashis) / parallel	
	meetings with other faculty	
11:45:12:00	Panel Discussion & Q & A	
12:00-13:00	Lunch	
12:00-13:00	Lunch Interactive Session / parallel	
12:00-13:00	-	
	Interactive Session / parallel	
	Interactive Session / parallel meetings with other faculty	
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## Our expert speakers:



Lehigh University, US

**Prof Arup K. Sengupta** (P.C. Rossin Professor) in Lehigh University is internationally recognized for developing sustainable technologies and new materials. SenGupta authored well over one hundred peer-reviewed journal papers and is the recipient of 12 US patents.

SenGupta's current research thrusts address some critical issues related to water-energy nexus and identifying strategies to overcome the adverse impact of climate change.



IITKGP, India

Prof. Dr. Ramkrishna Sen is a Professor & Head, Department of Biotechnology; Chairperson—School of Bioscience; Chairman—Central Research Facility (Life Science) and Joint Faculty, P K Sinha Center for Bioenergy-&-Renewables, IIT Kharagpur, India. He has worked as Deputy Manager-&-Manager (R&D-Biotech) in Cadila Pharmaceuticals for three years. He served as a Fulbright Visiting Professor in Columbia University, New York, USA. He has over 230 publications and 15 patent applications one in US, one European and one PCT to his credit.



Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan

Professor Satoshi Okabe is working at the Faculty of Engineering. His current research interests are Ecophysiology of anaerobic ammonium-oxidizing (anammox) bacteria and engineering applications, development of bioelectrochemical water treatment processes, analysis of ecological structures and functions of multi-species biofilms and Construction of biotic-abiotic hybrid artificial photosynthesis system. He regularly delivers International Lecture Series on wastewater Management & Technology and environmental engineering topics.

Hokkaido University, Sapporo, Japan **Dr Norihiro Watanabe** is assistant professor at the Division of Architecture, and environmental design. He has published extensively on the topics of Urban planning, people perception of design of buildings, open spaces particularly in cold climate and winter cities.



IITKGP, India

Professor M. Ghangrekar at Department of Civil Engineering is B.E. Civil Engineering, MTech. Environmental Engineering and Ph.D. Environmental Science and Engineering. His research areas are wastewater treatment and reuse, anaerobic wastewater treatment, bioelectricity recovery, catalyst development and membrane separator development for application in microbial fuel cell and enhancing electrogenesis in MFC. He is one of the most published researchers in the field of MFC.

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