

“Graduate Pharmacist Challenges and Opportunities 2005”

Seminar on the topic “**Graduate Pharmacist Challenges and Opportunities**” was organized in August 2005. The seminar was presided by Sh. M.M Sharma, Managing Director, P.D.M.R.E.A. Prof. Arun Garg, Principal P.D. M. College of Pharmacy, welcomed the speakers and presented a brief report of the activities of the college. He assured the students that the college is striving hard for imparting quality education in pharmacy and will be one of best college in Haryana. Prof. Jag Mohan, Director Bio-Medical and Basic Sciences, stated that the research activities in Pharmaceutical chemistry will be initiated in the college soon so that faculty could obtain Ph.D degree.



The Chief Guest of the Seminar, Prof. P.D. Sheth (Former Vice President, Ranbaxy Laboratories Ltd. with more than 50 Years of experience in Pharma Industry) presented a talk on “**Emerging trends in Global Pharma Business**”. He gave a Bird eye view on Global Pharma Industry, Emerging Trends in Indian Pharma industry, The Indian Global Pharma Companies and its opportunities, and the skills needed for a Pharmacy graduate to be a successful Pharma technocrat in the industry. He emphasized training in Good Manufacturing Practices (GMP), Good Laboratories Practice (GLP), Good Clinical Practice (GCP) for the pharmacy graduates. The Guest of Honour Mr. Atul Kr. Nasa, Senior Drug Inspector, Govt. of Delhi, gave a lecture on “**Opportunities of Pharmacy Graduates in Regulatory Departments**”. He presented the various career opportunities in drug control departments in the country. He also stressed that for global pharma business the pharmacist should be well aware of the latest drugs regulatory requirements and pharmacist trained in drug regulatory affairs have a lot of career opportunities. Mr. S.L. Nasa, Registrar, Delhi Pharmacy Council, emphasized the “**Role of Pharmacist in Health care system of India**”. He stressed the need of patient counseling and rational use of drugs for avoiding drugs interactions, drug induced diseases and effective disease management. The seminar was followed by interactive session by faculty and students. At last, Prof. Arun Garg, Principal, concluded that the more interactive programmes as per the needs of Industry will be conducted in future complimented with industrial

visits/training for skill development. The seminar ended with the vote of thanks to the speakers and other dignitaries present in the seminar.