

Lecture on 'How giant molecules wiggle' for students

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DR ASHISH Lele, Bhatnagar Awardee from the National Chemical Laboratory (NCL), will give a talk on 'How giant molecules wiggle' for secondary school students and science teachers at the NCL Innovation Park on Sunday at 10 am.

The lecture is a part of the 'community outreach programme', under the aegis of the NCL Academy. It will be followed by a workshop on 'Participating in the IRIS National Science Fair'. The IRIS National Science Fair is sponsored by Intel, Department of Science and Technology and Confederation of Indian Industry to foster the spirit of scientific endeavour in school students.

The workshop, which will be conducted by NCL scientists, Dr K. Guruswamy and Dr Amol Kulkarni – both judges at previous IRIS National fairs, aims at introducing students to IRIS and to the process of sending entries to the fair.

Students and science teachers interested in the talk can register by sending an email to outreach@ncl.res.in.

More information is available on www.nclacademy.org/outreach. Dr Ashish Lele has received Shanti Swaroop Bhatnagar award, the highest award for practising research in India. Registration for the talk is free and participants are chosen on first-come-first-serve basis.