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# “STRUCTURED APPROACH TO RESEARCH METHODOLOGY”

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**Date: 01<sup>st</sup> April 2026, Wednesday**

**Time: 9.00 AM to 4.00 PM**

**Venue: Lecture Hall IV, SVDC**

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# ABOUT THE SPEAKER



## Dr. Badri Thiruvengkatachari

MDS, MOrth RCS (Edinburgh), FDS (Orth) RCS (London), FDS (Orth) RCPS (Glasgow)  
Diplomate – Indian Board of Orthodontics  
Fellow – Higher Education Academy (UK)

### Currently positioned as

Professor in Orthodontics & Research Director – Sree Balaji Dental College, BIHER  
Programme Co-Director – Cleft & Craniofacial Centre, Sree Balaji Medical College & Rela Hospital  
Honorary Senior Lecturer in Orthodontics – University of Manchester, UK  
Visiting Professor – University of Malaya, Malaysia  
Principal Orthodontist – The Bay Orthodontics, Colwyn Bay, North Wales, UK

**Dr. Badri Thiruvengkatachari** completed his BDS and MDS from Annamalai University and obtained his PhD in Orthodontics from the University of Manchester, UK. An internationally recognized Orthodontic researcher, Dr. Badri has authored numerous high-impact publications, systematic reviews, and randomized clinical trials in leading Q1 journals. He has also contributed book chapters in evidence-based orthodontics and is widely recognized for promoting rigorous and ethical clinical research in orthodontics. His work has received over 1800 citations with an h-index of 19, reflecting significant academic impact.

He is the Principal Investigator of the NAMUC Study, a ₹4.67-crore Wellcome Trust–DBT India Alliance funded multicentric trial evaluating nasoalveolar moulding in children with cleft lip and palate. To date, he has secured over ₹7 crores in competitive national and international research funding, contributing significantly to orthodontic research and cleft care.

Dr. Badri serves as Associate Editor of Orthodontics and Craniofacial Research and reviewer for several leading journals including American Journal of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics, Angle Orthodontist, European Journal of Orthodontics, and British Dental Journal. He is an active member of the World Federation of Orthodontists, British Orthodontic Society, British Lingual Orthodontic Society, Indian Orthodontic Society, and the Indian Dental Association.

### Selected Awards and Honors

- ★ B.F. & Helen E. Dewel Award for Clinical Research – American Journal of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics (2021, 2010)
- ★ David L. Turpin Award – American Association of Orthodontists, San Francisco (2015)
- ★ Chapman Prize for Best Journal Paper in Orthodontics (2010)
- ★ Rising Star Award – British Orthodontic Society for Outstanding Research in the UK (2010)
- ★ ORS Scholarship and Faculty Funding for PhD Randomized Controlled Trial (£23,600)
- ★ Research Sponsorship from Dentos, South Korea for Orthodontic Micro-Implant Clinical Trial (£5000)
- ★ Excellence in Research Award – AAID Maxi, USA-India Collaboration (2024)
- ★ John Sebastian Award – Indian Dental Association (2023)

# PROGRAM SCHEDULE

TIME	TOPIC
9.15 AM	REGISTRATION
9.30 AM	Lecture: Introduction to Research
9.45 AM	Study Design, Bias and Confounder
10.30 AM	Clinical Implications of Research
11.00 AM	Break
11.10AM	How to critically read a research paper
12.15 PM	Workshop: Reading a research paper
12.45 PM	Basic statistics relevant to dentistry
01.30 PM	Lunch
02.00 PM	How to write a grant application
03.00 PM	Valedictory Function

**REGISTRATION FEE: RS.600/-**

**(INCLUDES REGISTRATION KIT ,1 HIGH TEA, LUNCH AND CERTIFICATE)**

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