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- 2. National Conference on Advancements, opportunities, and future vision of Indian scenario of pharmaceutical education and research at Rayat and Bahra Institute of Pharmacy on April 3, 2015.
- 3. International Conference of Molecular Pharmacology, Drug Discovery and Nanopharmaceuticals at Chitkara University, India on 27 28 March, 2015.
- 4. National Conference on Therapeutic Potential of Natural Products: Current Innovations and Future Trends at M D University, Rohtak on March 19, 2015.
- 5. IHPA 51<sup>ST</sup> Annual Conference on Present Scenario and Future Prospects in Health Care Practices at M. M. University, India on 13 -14 March, 2015.
- 6. Indian Pharmacological Society Conference on Recent Pharmacological Trends for Shaping Future of Drug Discovery and Development at M M University, India on 17 -18 October, 2014.
- 7. Convention on "Climate Change and Water" at Suresh Gyan Vihar University, Jaipur, India, From October 10 12, 2012.
- 8. International Training Course on "Promoting Rational Use of Drugs in the Community" At Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur, India on Feb. 27 March 10, 2011.
- 9. National Conference on Drug Discovery, Development and Clinical trials at Shoolini University, Solan in June 26-27, 2010.
- 10. International Symposium on "The Future Vision and Challenges in Pharmacy Profession" at Birla Auditorium, Jaipur on September 18-19, 2010.
- 11. 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Association of Pharmaceutical Teachers of India at Lachoo Memorial college of Science and Technology, Jodhpur, Rajasthan, India on Oct 3-4, 2009.
- 12. National Seminar on Recent Advances in Bio-Sciences at School of Biosciences, Gyan Vihar University, Jaipur, India on Jan 19 20, 2009.
- 13. Indian Pharmaceutical Congress- 2007 at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India
- 14. National Pharmaceutical Conference on "Shifting Horizon: Pharmaceutical Industry" at Indian Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur, India. 2006.

- 15. Annual Conference of Society of Pharmacovigilance, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, MJR University, Bareilly, U.P., India on January 22-23, 2005.
- 16. National Seminar on Emerging Trends in Research and Business Management of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants, CCS HAU, Hisar, Haryana, India on March 4-5, 2005.
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- 18. National Pharmacy Symposium, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Jiwaji University, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh, India on February 21-22, 2004.
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