

SAHAJ MEMORIAL LECTURE

List of Speakers: Sahaj Memorial Lecture:

Name	Address	No	Year	Annual Session
Dr P.E. D. Morgan	Rockwell Int Science Centre, USA	1st	1993	57th
Dr K. M. Nair	DuPont Co, USA	2nd	1995	59th
Prof H. R. Maier	Instt of Ceramic Components in Mechanical Engg, Germany	3rd	1997	61st
Dr B. K. Das	National Physical Lab, New Delhi	4th	1999	63rd
Dr K. N. Maiti	CGCRI, Naroda Centre, Ahmedabad	5th	2002	65th
Dr M. Lalithambika	Ex-NIIST, Trivandrum	6th	2003	67th
Dr K. G. K. Warriar	NIIST (formerly RRL), Trivandrum	7th	2005	69th
Sri K. M. Pai	Bell Ceramis Limited, Bangalore	8th	2007	71st
Mr D. Anantha Subramanian	President, All Kerala Tile Manufacturers' Federation, Thrissur, Kerala	9th	2009	73rd
Mr J. S. Minhas	Managing Partner, Sillico Chemico Porcelain Works, Khurja, UP	10th	2011	75th
Dr Arvind Sinha	Senior Principal Scientist of Materials Science & Technology Division, CSIR- National Metallurgical Laboratory, Jamshedpur, India and Coordinator of AcSIR-NML, Jamshedpur	11th	2013	77th
Dr Rathindra Nath Das	Head, Ceramic Technological Institute (CTI), BHEL, Bangalore	12th	2015	79th
Mr R. Subramanian	Managing Director, Glass & Solutions Saint-Gobain India Pvt Ltd	13th	2017	81st
Mr Sudipta Saha	President (Operations) Prism Johnson Limited H&R Johnson Division Maharashtra	14th	2019	83rd
Dr Basavaraj S Patil	Chief Technical Officer, RAK Ceramics, UAE	15th	2021	85th
Dr Amit Chatterjee	Chief Research and Development Officer, Vedanta Ltd- Aluminium Business	16th	2023	86th

SAHAJ MEMORIAL LECTURE (TOPICS)

Year	Speaker	Topic
1993	P. E. D. Morgan	“Chemical Aspects of Interfaces for Oxide/Oxide Composites”
1995	K. M. Nair	“Role of Scientists in Technology and Society”
1997	H. R. Maier	“Product Innovation with Ceramic Components”
1999	B. K. Das (delivered in 2000)	“Processing of Ceramic Superconductors – Myths and Challenges”
2001	K. N. Maiti (delivered in 2002)	“Technology Upgradation of Small and Medium Enterpriss (SEMs) in Traditional Ceramics”
2003	M. Lalithambika (delivered in 2004)	“Value Addition of Clays”
2005	K. G. K. Warriar	“Glimpses on the Application of Advanced Materials Technology in the Area of Traditional Ceramics”
2007	K. M. Pai (delivered in 2008)	“Status of Ceramic Tile Industry in India”
2009	D. Anantha Subramanian	“Development of Tile Industry in Kerala”
2011	J. S. Minhas	“Status & Challenges for the Manufacture of Porcelains in India”
2013	Arvind Sinha	“Biomimetic Ways to Biomaterials”
2015	R. N. Das	“Top Ten Radical Ceramic Inventions Enabling Energy And Environment Technologies”
2017	R. Subramanian	“Glass & Architecture: Sustainability & Well Being”
2019	Sudipta Saha	“Technological Innovations through Industry Institute Interactions – Role of H&R Johnson India”
2021	Dr Basavaraj S Patil	“Digitalization of Ceramic Manufacturing with Industry 4.0”
2023	Dr Amit Chatterjee	“Innovation and Technology Intervention- Key to Sustainability”
