

## **Visit of Prof.J.P.Verma to Medical University, Plovdiv, Bulgaria for conducting one week course on Bio Statistics for the PhD scholars**

(29 May to 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2017)

### **Visit Sponsored By: Medical University, Plovdiv, Bulgaria**

Prof. J.P.Verma was invited by the Medical University, Plovdiv, Bulgaria for conducting one week course on Bio Statistics for the PhD scholars of medical university during 29<sup>th</sup> May to 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2017. During five days course (20 hours) ten sessions of two hours duration each were conducted by Prof. Verma. The topics included understanding nature of research data, designing research studies, different statistical and research designs, SPSS application, regression models, Survival Analysis and other multivariate analyses. This visit was sponsored by the medical university, Plovdiv, Bulgaria.



**Course participants and faculty with Prof. J. P.Verma**

## Glimpses of Bulgaria Visit



**In office with Prof. Nikolay Boyadjiev, Dean**



**Official dinner hosted by the Deans  
Prof. Rumen Stefanov and Prof. Nikolay Boyadjiev**



**Lunch with academic coordinators**



**In front of the main University block**



**With Ms. Angelina, International Office**



**With some of the participants in the class**



## Site Seeing organized by the University



**In a Church of old town of Plovdiv**



**With Dr. Penka Angelova**



**An evening with Prof. Rumen Stefanov, Dean**

## Visit to the National Sports Academy Sofia organized by the University



**With Pencho Geshev, Rector (Extreme left), Prof. Tatiana Iancheva, Vice-rector of Research and International Affairs (in the middle) Dr. Penka Angelova at National Sports Academy, Sofia**



**Lunch with Dr. Penka Angelova, coordinator of myNational Sports Academy, Sofia visit**



**With university staff**





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## INVITATION

To the attention of:

**Prof. J. P. Verma, PhD**

Professor and Dean (Students' Welfare)

Lakshmbai National Institute of Physical Education Deemed University

Gwalior, M.P., India

**Dear Prof. Verma,**

On behalf of the Academic Body of Medical University – Plovdiv, it is my pleasure to inform you of the decision of Rector's Council 14/02.11.2016 to invite you to Medical University - Plovdiv to deliver a one-week course in Biostatistics. The travel expenses and the accommodation will be on behalf of Medical University – Plovdiv.

In view of your high level of competency and your great expertise in Biostatistics, we would like to have you involved in teaching under-graduate and post-graduate students. You will be affiliated with the Department of Medical Statistics.

We would like to suggest that you visit us in the second half of May 2017. Due to our National holiday on the 24<sup>th</sup> of May, we suggest that you choose between the period of 15<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> May and the one of 29<sup>th</sup> May – 2<sup>nd</sup> June. Please let us know by the 5<sup>th</sup> of April which period of the two you prefer and whether you plan to travel directly from India to Bulgaria or you would be combining the visit with other commitments in Europe.

Please contact Prof. Nonka Mateva, Head of the Department of Medical Statistics, for further details concerning the teaching program.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

**Prof. Mariana Murdjeva, MD, PhD**

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