

## 18. Guest lectures:

Dr. Wendee Wechsberg, Senior Program Director, Substance Abuse Treatment, Evaluation and Interventions, RTI International Research Triangle Park, North Carolina, USA talk on “Adapting HIV prevention intervention for vulnerable women : the South Africa woman’s co-op studies” on 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2006.

Dr. Anindito Sen, Post-doctoral Fellow, Laboratory of Structural Biology Research, National Institute of Arthritis Musculoskeletal & Skin Diseases, National Institute of Health, Bethesda, USA talk on “Structure of fungal prion : HET-s” on 19<sup>th</sup> October, 2006.

Dr. Soma Chattopadhyaya nee Das, Post Doctoral Fellow at the Department of Molecular, Microbial and Structural Biology of University of Connecticut Health Centre, Farmington, Connecticut, USA talk on “Modulation of UL9 activity in Herpes simplex virus-1 (HSV-1) DNA replication” on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2006

Dr. Subhasis Chattopadhyay, Post Doctoral Fellow at the Department of Immunology of University of Connecticut Health Centre, Farmington, Connecticut, USA talk on “Different strokes in immune regulation” on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2006

Prof. Dr. Axel Rethwilm, Institut fuer Virologie and Immunbiologie, Universitaet Wuerzburg, Versbacher StraÙe 7, 97078 Wuerzburgom, talk on “Genetic variability of Caliciviruses” on 22<sup>nd</sup> November, 2006.

Dr. Debasish Mitra, Senior Scientist, National Centre for Cell Science, Pune talk on “Heat shock proteins in HIV infection” on 18<sup>th</sup> December, 2006.

Prof. Koki Taniguchi, Professor, Department of Virology and Parasitology, Fujita Health, University School of Medicine, Toyoake, Japan talk on “Diversity of rotavirus – measures for prevention and control” on 22<sup>nd</sup> December, 2006.

Dr. Anirban Basu, Assistant Professor, National Brain Research Centre, Gurgaon, talk on “Pathogenesis of Japanese Encephalitis : Do we need to think differently” on 27<sup>th</sup> December, 2006.

Dr. D.K. Chattoraj, NIH, Bethesda, USA talk on “Chromosome dynamics in *Vibrio cholerae*” on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2007

Dr. Alan Jackson, Professor Medicine (Neurology), Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada talk on “Rabies : pathogenesis and approaches to therapy” on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2007

Prof.(Dr.) Sudhendu Mandal, Director, National Library, Belvedere, Alipore, Kolkata 700 027 talk on “Books and Bites” on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2007.