

Gravity in Focus

The Institute of Mathematical Sciences

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A one-day meeting in celebration
of the career and contributions of Prof. Ghanashyam Date



Ghanashyam Date

time & space: **09:30-17:30** hrs on **Friday, 27th April, 2018**
Alladi Ramakrishnan Hall

Speakers: KG Arun (CMI), Manjari Bagchi (IMSc), TR Govindarajan (CMI), Jahanur Haque (CMI), Golam M Hossain (IISER, Kolkata), Nirmalya Kajuri (CMI), Romesh Kaul (IMSc), MVN Murthy (IMSc), R Parthasarathy (CMI), Sandipan Sengupta (IIT, Kharagpur) Sudipta Sarkar (IIT Gandhinagar), L Sriramkumar (IITM)

Professor **Ghanashyam Date** is a physicist working at the Institute of Mathematical Sciences(IMSc), Chennai since 1987. He obtained his doctorate from the State University of New York at Stony Brook in the year 1982. After postdocs at Weizmann Institute and IMSc he joined IMSc as a faculty. He has a wide range of interests in theoretical physics with a particular emphasis on Quantum Gravity and Quantum Cosmology. After a long and illustrious career he is scheduled to retire formally from IMSc later this year. On this occasion, this one-day meeting is being held to celebrate Shyam's contributions as a physicist, teacher and mentor by his friends and well-wishers.