Good morning every body

Let me start by saying that I am very proud to be address you students of sivaraj homoeopathic medical college.

At the outset let me congratulate you all the students who have joined this prestigious institute of homoeopathy. I am both honored and flattered to have been asked to speak on this wonderful occasion.

I congratulate each of you and your parents who have believed in this science. And on behalf of this institution I welcome you all. I welcome you to a new haven of learning, which is going to be a new home for you to learn and achieve what you want. As you stay here, it will give you a molding experience to shape your career to future.

I remember my own college days, when I had attended A Similar Induction Day some 24 yrs back. I too was one like you. My mind was haunted by questions like how will be my college and my teachers. How will I handle this bend i.e. shift from a junior college to a professional college life? But to my surprise I found my college amiable. And I assure you that this college will also make you feel-at-home.

Every day, is a day to be cherished here. You have chosen to become a doctor who is treated as the A class citizen of India.

Let me know from you, how many of you have joined this course with choice and how many with compulsion or obligation.

Because homoeopathy is a subject which you have to love and if you don't have that attitude of liking towards this subject, then you are bound to face many difficulties in life after you pass out of this college.

And if you have joined this institute with compulsion or obligation then you have to change your attitude to adopt this science with heart.

You are now standing on the threshold of the professional life. Remember every student who joins any professional college is just like a kid. He evolves in to mature professional as the time goes on, and success in the profession shall be achieved with hard work and commitment.

Here in a professional college, besides learning the science, we learn what life is, and how should we conduct ourselves in society. For all our success and happiness, this is the start. Make best use of it and ultimately success is yours.

The most important thing to remember is you have to develop a positive attitude backed by purpose. The only way to achieve your purpose is to take small actions every day. In the end, they all add up. My hope for you is that you will cultivate this attitude backed by purpose in your own life. From today onwards, you will be given introduction about homoeopathy in your regular classes, the basis on what it works etc.,

Believe me homoeopathy is a ocean of knowledge and it is very important to study this medical science with utmost commitment. You have to learn and remember all the basic principles laid down in the homoeopathic literature i.e., organon and have an in-depth knowledge of materia medica. All the knowledge which will be imparted to you right from the fist to final year will be of regular use in your future as practicing doctors.

Homoeopathy is the world's 2nd largest medicine used by the population around the globe. Hence you can understand the unlimited scope of homoeopathy. You can do miracle with this science and in the recent past it has been throwing challenges to other systems of medicine and is proving beyond that to be the best practicing medicine in the world.

Homoeopathy has become a serious alternative to conventional medicine. We mainly focus on diseases that are very challenging to the medical world. Homoeopathic system of medicine is very effective in both acute and chronic diseases.

We have been successful in treating many challenging diseases with this medicine for which there is no answer in the other systems of medicine.

Homoeopathy is an alternative method of treatment, based on the nature and natural remedies. The truth of this law was discovered by a German doctor Dr.Samuel Hahnemann in 1796, and has been verified experimentally and clinically for 200 years. Homoeopathy is the revolutionary, natural medical science, a gentle and effective system of medicine. Remedies are prepared from natural substances to precise standards and work by stimulating the body's own healing power.

Homoeopathy is based on the principle – similia similibus curenter which means like cures like. This has been derived from the logic that when a drug is administered to a healthy person, it produces a set of diseased symptoms in our body and these symptoms are recorded in a chronological manner. When any patient comes to us and when we find the same set of symptoms in him, the drug which has produced similar symptoms, is administered to him and the symptoms in the diseased person disappear and the person is restored to normal health.

This fact was discovered by Samuel Hahnemann after he was disgusted with the then prevailing illogical, crude and irrational allopathic medical practice. He being a allopathic practitioner left that practice due to frustration and during his research work he found that the bark of chinchona when administered to health person created symptoms very similar to malaria. This simple logic of understanding of Dr.Hahnemann lead to the invention of the great science of homoeopathy.

The details of this knowledge will be imparted to you by the able professors and lecturers of this institution in the future years to come. My request is give keen attention to all the topics which are taught to you here and you see the rich fruits in your future life.

We as homoepaths take it as a challenge to treat with a very high degree of success a simple cold to a complex cancer.

Challenges ahead of the field.

Homoeopathic practice is a challenge in our life. Not only to practice but also with the other systems of the medicines. Our science is based upon philosophy and in recent time we have been attacked by many professionals of other systems that homoeopathy is a placebo effect. But it has been proved beyond doubt giving testimonials and also scientific reasoning that homoeopathy is not a placebo effect but it elevates the immune system of the body and in turn elevates the defense mechanism of the body so that the disease is removed from the body on its own natural energy and cures the diseased from its root cause.

We homoeopaths shall join hands for a collective effort to overcome such blames and prove and reprove that this is the best science known to human till now.

Once I had listened to a famous homoeopath who says, the newer the medicine, the most advanced is the science. Eg of cars. Ages of the medicine, Proving of medicines on humans

Remember medical practice is a process where we deal with human beings and no other medical science does that in this world. Hence it is the noblest profession and you have to justify to this noble profession with utmost care and responsibility.

Where there is no vision, the people perish. Hence homoeopathic practice should be a visionary practice and for that you need to have

DESIRE + DEDICATION + DETERMINATION = DESTINY

Sivaraj homoeopathic medical college is being seen as one of the finest institution of india. The infrastructure and facilities found here is remarkable. The staff is up to the mark and ready to solve all your queries. Hence you can be very confident that you are at one of the best institutes of the country.

Believe you can and you're halfway there. One thing to excel in this field is to develop enthusiasm for this subject. Instill the desire to pursue major goals and reveal your hidden potentials.

The one and only formulae to have commercial and professional success in your later professional life is to study the science of homoeopathy in depth. Then nobody

can stop you to become a stalwart in homoeopathy. If you keep in your mind the particular goals which you need to achieve in life have complete commitment and faith in your knowledge. Inculcate positive and valid ideals of your activity and realize the necessity to revisit your positions and feel capable of making necessary changes where ever possible.

I see many students tend to bow towards other system of medicine after they complete their graduation. This trend is very negative and is degrading the fame of homoeopathy. The main thing is, that you are in a job where you should have persistence and faith.

While it would be easier to slide through life without a purpose, without a code, it would not be fulfilling. Only by setting difficult goals and achieving them can we find true self-worth.

One final thing, each person's goals are different, and what comes easy to one may be difficult for another. Therefore, do not squash others' dreams. This is a surefire way to know that you aren't working towards fulfilling your own.

Remember as Mother Teresa said, "Life is a promise; fulfill it."

All our dreams can come true – if we have the courage to pursue them.

Remember a great proverb and I quote

"Great minds discuss ideas. Average minds discuss events. Small minds discuss people".

At the end I would also like to address, that all the students should enjoy your student life along with the goals which have been depicted above. A student life is once in a life time and you should cherish this student era to the maximum. You should involve in all kinds of extracurricular activities. Such activities are remembered throughout our life and speak laurels when we turn back the pages in our later part of our life

So let me wish you luck and perseverance. I wish you all successes on you life path.

Good luck to us all!