

Report of the Medical Jeopardy at the Global Health Summit in association with Global Association of Indian Medical Students (GAIMS)

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“Jeopardy!” is a classic game with a twist. The answers are given first and the contestants reply in the question format. The medical jeopardy that was held at the 15th GHS on January 6th 2022, remembers and pays tribute to Alex Trebek who passed away on November 8th 2020. The Medical Jeopardy was conducted at more than 200 medical colleges in India wherein more than 1000 medical students participated from all the 4 years of MBBS. There were 2 online screening rounds conducted. In the first online quiz, 12 students were selected and in the second online quiz 5 students were selected from each year. The finalists participated at the final live medical jeopardy, conducted at the Hotel Avasa, in Hyderabad, on January 6th, 2022. As we hosted this jeopardy, it became increasingly clear how challenging of an act it is to completely replicate the legend Alex Trebek.

The live Medical Jeopardy was hosted by Dr. Harrsha Lakshmi Thirunagari and Dr. Leena Gupta. The entire Medical Jeopardy was completely based on the popular jeopardy show by Alex Trebek. Featured were Single jeopardy, Double jeopardy and then the Final Jeopardy with ability to make a wager for each year.

Categories for the single, double, and final Jeopardy rounds were varied, interesting, thought provoking and intense at times. The host presented the questions in an ‘answer format’ and the contestants answered in a ‘Question format’!

These questions were all created originally by the Core Jeopardy team comprising of Dr. Alekya Vinta and Dr. Apurva Yeluru under the able guidance of Dr. Harrsha Lakshmi Thirunagari and Dr. Leena Gupta. We used an online buzzer application to help with buzzing.

The following are the winners of the first, second, third and fourth year MBBS students.

Winners of First year MBBS

1 st Heera K Ganesh	9600	JIPMER, Pondicherry
2 nd Abhay	5500	AIIMS, New Delhi
3 rd Pankaj	2200	AIIMS, New Delhi

Winners of Second year MBBS

1st Prasanthi	2600	Seth GS Medical College, Mumbai
2nd Debayan Banerjee	2400	Seth GS medical College, Mumbai
3rd Amey Ambika	1700	Seth GS Medical College, Mumbai

Winners of Third year MBBS

1 st Davesh Dharmarajan	4000	Seth GS Medical College, Bombay
2 nd Shuvadip Batabayal	2300	University College of Medical sciences, New Delhi
3 rd Aniket Bose	400	Midnapore Medical and Hospitals, West Bengal

Winners of Fourth year MBBS

1 st Jatin Thukral	6900	Government Medical College, Patiala
2 nd Prem Thilak	5300	B J Medical College, Ahmedabad
3 rd Shagun Batra	800	Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi

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