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**Grand Rounds Lectures and other lectures at Morehouse school of Medicine,  
Atlanta, Georgia**

1. *"Can an ancient medical science from India provide answers to our chronic medical conditions?"*  
Department of Community Health and Preventive Medicine,  
Morehouse School of medicine, Atlanta, Georgia, USA. 20<sup>th</sup>  
September 2016.
2. *Ancient Functional Anatomy of the Human Eye; Preventive and  
Therapeutic approaches prescribed in Siddha Medicine.*  
Dept. of Family Medicine, Morehouse School of medicine, Atlanta,  
Georgia, USA. 6<sup>th</sup> September 2017.
3. *"How to Integrate Siddha system of medicine ( A 5000 years old  
medical system of India) in the current medical practice – Preventive  
and therapeutic approach".* Guest Lecture on Fundamentals  
of medicine, 26th April 2018.