

Prof. Vijayan no longer with us

It is with a heavy heart and great sadness that we inform you that Professor M. Vijayan is no longer with us physically. As all of us are aware, Prof. Vijayan was an outstanding scientist with several important contributions to the field of structural biology and beyond. He has served our Institute in various capacities as Professor, as Chair of our department, as Chair of Division of Biological Sciences, and as Associate Director. Besides, Prof. Vijayan was the Founder President of the Indian Crystallographic Association and served as the President of the Indian Biophysical Society and the Indian National Science Academy. He was an outstanding and kind mentor to several generations of students, with each mentee carving their own niche in the field of their choice, together taking the legacy of Prof. Vijayan forward. Prof. Vijayan will be sorely missed and may his soul rest in peace. We at MBU are deeply saddened and will sorely miss him.