

**Nobel Laureate Lecture Series:  
Professor Venki Ramakrishnan  
May 1-4, 2024**



Vice President for Research

**GUEST INFO**



**Venki Ramakrishnan Ph.D.**

Venkatraman ‘Venki’ Ramakrishnan is a Nobel Prize-winning biologist whose many scientific contributions include his work on the atomic structure of the ribosome.

Venki received the Nobel Prize in Chemistry for his work on ribosomal structure and was knighted in 2012. He is a Member of the US National Academy of Sciences, Leopoldina and EMBO, and a Foreign Member of the Indian National Science Academy. He was President of the Royal Society from November 2015 until November 2020.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 2024**

<b>TIME</b>	<b>EVENT &amp; LOCATION</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
<b>12:45 PM</b>	Arrive in Charlottesville Area Airport via American Airlines flight 4681 (leaving from LaGuardia at 10:59 am)	CHO
<b>1:00-1:30 PM</b>	Ken Ono will pick you up and travel to Monticello	
<b>2:30-4:30 PM</b>	Monticello Behind the Scenes Tour *starts at 3pm, please arrive at Stables parking lot at 2:45. Guided tour is 90 minutes	1050 Monticello Loop, Charlottesville, VA 22902
<b>4:45-5:15 PM</b>	Travel to Oakhurst Inn	122 Oakhurst Circle, Charlottesville, VA 22903
<b>6:00 PM</b>	Fred Epstein will pick you up for dinner	122 Oakhurst Circle, Charlottesville, VA 22903
<b>6:15 -8:30 PM</b>	DINNER with Erika & Ken Ono, Fred & Beth Epstein	The Coach Room Boar’s Head

**THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024**

<b>8:30-9:15 AM</b>	BREAKFAST with Fred Epstein (Reservation under Venki/Fred)	Oakhurst Cafe
<b>9:15-9:30 AM</b>	Travel to Pinn Hall with Ahmad Jomaa	10 min. walk
<b>9:30-9:45 AM</b>	Meet with Ahmad Jomaa	Pinn 4315 Small Conference Room
<b>09:50-10:15 AM</b>	Meet with Ed Egelman	Pinn 4315 Small Conference Room

<b>10:20-10:45 AM</b>	Meet with Lukas Tamm	Pinn 4315 Small Conference Room
<b>10:50-11:15 AM</b>	Meet with Wladek Minor	Pinn 4315 Small Conference Room
<b>11:15 AM</b>	Travel to Pinn Hall for seminar	Pinn Hall
<b>11:30-12:30 PM</b>	Seminar <i>"My Adventures in the Ribosome"</i> HOSTS: Wladek Minor, Ahmad Jomaa	Pinn Hall Conference Center Auditorium
<b>12:30-1:45 PM</b>	LUNCH with trainees	Pinn 2 ABC
<b>1:45 PM</b>	Travel to Snyder with Ahmad Jomaa	Snyder Building
<b>2:00-2:25 PM</b>	Tour of the EM facility Snyder, Michael Purdy and Ahmad Jomaa	
<b>2:30-2:55 PM</b>	Meeting with Anne Kenworthy	Snyder Room 216
<b>3:00-3:25 PM</b>	Meeting with Ling Qi	Snyder Room 216
<b>3:30-3:55 PM</b>	Meeting with Jochen Zimmer	Snyder Room 216
<b>4:00-4:40 PM</b>	Meeting with Jomaa Lab	Snyder Room 216
<b>4:45-5:00 PM</b>	Travel to Oakhurst	
<b>5:45 PM</b>	Ahmad will pick you up for dinner	
<b>6:00-8:30 PM</b>	DINNER with Wladek Minor, Ahmad Jomaa, Eyleen O'Rourke (Reservation is in Ahmad Jomaa's name)	Ivy Inn 2244 Old Ivy Road
<b>FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2024</b>		
<b>8:15 AM</b>	Sara Chiles will pick you up and travel to breakfast	15 min. walk
<b>8:30-9:30 AM</b>	BREAKFAST with Bettina Winkler (Reservation in Sara Chiles name)	Farm Bell Kitchen 1209 W. Main St.
<b>9:30 AM</b>	Andreas Gahlmann (Chemistry) will meet you and walk to Chemistry	20 min. walk
<b>9:45-10:15 AM</b>	Meeting with Andreas Gahlmann	CHEM 133
<b>10:15-10:45 AM</b>	Meeting with David Cafiso	CHEM 118A
<b>10:45-11:15 AM</b>	Meeting with Jill Venton	CHEM 413B
<b>11:15-11:45 AM</b>	Meeting with Cliff Stains	CHEM 243

<b>12:00-1:10 PM</b>	Technical Seminar: <i>"Structural Studies on Initiation of Protein Synthesis"</i> HOSTS: Andreas Gahlmann, Ahmad Jomaa	Gilmer 301
<b>1:15-2:00 PM</b>	LUNCH with Chemistry graduate students Rachita Dash, Joey Kelly, Ben Faulkner, and Deepika Parthasarathy	PLSB 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor Balcony (outside) -or- PLSB 230 (inside)
<b>2:00-2:30 PM</b>	Meet with Raymond Keller	PLSB 308
<b>2:30-3:00 PM</b>	Meet with Keith Kozminski	PLSB 208
<b>3:00-3:30 PM</b>	Meet with George Bloom	Gilmer 420
<b>3:30-4:30 PM</b>	Meet with Graduate Students David Hawtof, Ekaterina Stepanova, Anush Aryal, Alishba Amjad, Robin Brown, Kira Boyce, Rebeccah Messcher	Gilmer 326A
<b>4:30</b>	Travel back to Oakhurst Inn with graduate student	
	<b>SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024</b>	
<b>10:45-11:00 AM</b>	Taxi/Uber to Amtrack station	Approx.. 10 min drive
<b>11:18 AM</b>	Depart Charlottesville via Amtrak to Washington DC	Charlottesville, 810 W Main St, 22903

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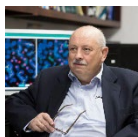
## MEETINGS



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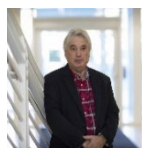
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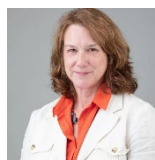
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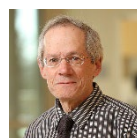
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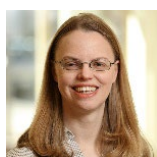
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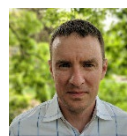
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## TRAVEL INFO

<b>ACCOMODATIONS</b>	Oakhurst Inn, 122 Oakhurst Circle, Charlottesville, VA 22903; <a href="#">Oakhurst Inn</a> 434-872-0100 Reservation # 117338 Check-in Time: 4:00PM
<b>ARRIVAL</b>	12:45 PM American Airlines flight 4681 (leaving from LaGuardia at 10:59 am)
<b>DEPARTURE</b>	11:18 AM Amtrak to Washington DC



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