



ICTS Seminar

Title : Why it is (still) difficult to be a woman in science

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Time : 2:30 pm

Venue : Emmy Noether Seminar Hall, ICTS Campus, Bangalore

Abstract: In India, as everywhere else in the world, women constitute a minority

group in science. Why is there this gender imbalance? Does it hurt science? Does it hurt women in science? Is the imbalance in numbers inevitable, or can efforts be made to correct it? What role is played by biases, implicit or otherwise? What are some of the success stories of

women in science? These are some of the questions I will discuss.

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