THESES OF THE MONTH

SCIENCE & TECCHNOLOGY

A List of doctoral theses accepted by Indian Universities (Notifications received in AIU during the month of April-May, 2016)

AGRICULTURAL & VETERINARY SCIENCES

Agricultural Development

1. Hangsing, Haolun. Factors affecting physico-chemical properties and productivity of Mandarin orange in Garo Hills, Meghalaya. (Dr. Binu Mathew and Dr. D C Kalita), Department of Rural Development & Agricultural Production, North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.

Agricultural Extension

1. Venkatachalam, M. Impact of BT cotton on Indian agriculture: A critical analysis. (Dr. B S Hansra and Dr. M J Chandre Gowda), Department of Agricultural Extension, Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi.

Genetics & Plant Breeding

- Arpna Kumari Gene action for agromorphological and quality traits in linseed (*Linum usitatissimum L*). (Dr. Satish Paul), Department of Crop Improvement, CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvadidyalaya, Hamirpur.
- 2. Rupinder Pal Singh. Genetics analysis and molecular marker tagging of stripe rust resistance genes in wheat lines PBW621, PBW 636 and HD 2957. Department of Plant Breeding & Genetics, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana.

Plant Pathology

1. Kapoor, Pooja. Studies on strain improvement in agaricus bisporus. (Dr. S Dhancholia), Department of Plant Pathology, CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvadidyalaya, Hamirpur.

Veterinary Science

- 1. Choudhury, Abdur Rezzaque. Histomorphological and histochemical studies on liver of sheep during prenatal development. Department of Veterinary Anatomy, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana.
- 2. Devendra Kumar. Production of bioactive peptides from camel milk and their effect on the quality of functional goat meat patties. Department of Zoology, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana.
- 3. Rather, Rayees Ahmad. Clinical studies on the diagnosis and surgical management of corneal ulceration and cataract in dogs. Department of Veterinary Surgery and Radiology, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana.
- Razvi, Raheeqa. Prenatal study on the development of liver of Gaddi sheep. (Dr. Rajesh Rajput), Department of Veterinary Anatomy and Histology, CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvadidyalaya, Hamirpur.

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Biotechnology

1. Dubey, Sushma. Production and characterization of enzyme from different fungal species isolated from biodeteriorated paintings: A biotechnological aspect. (Dr. Kavita Sharma), Department of Biotechnology, MATS University, Raipur.

Botany

- 1. Dudani, Sumesh Naresh. Conservation strategy for the terrestrial flora of Central Western Ghats (Focussing on peteridophytes and lichens). (Dr. M K Mahesh), Department of Botany, University of Mysore, Mysore.
- Khajamoinuddin, Mohammad. Biodiversity, taxonomy and conservation of foliicolous fungi of forests of Warangal District, Telangana State, India. (Prof. G Bagyanarayana), Department of Botany, Osmania University, Hyderabad.
- 3. Mary, C Sahaya. Evaluation of plant extracts of two medicinal plants on anti-inflammatory and antrimicrobial activities. (Dr. M K Mahesh), Department of Botany, University of Mysore, Mysore.

Entomology

1. Kamaldeep Singh. Evaluation of some plants for their insecticidal properties against important lepidopterous pests. (Dr. P K Mehta), Department of Entomology, CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvadidyalaya, Hamirpur.

Genetics

1. Shivaprasad, H. S. Deletion analysis of Azoospermic Factor-C (AZFc) region in Y-chromosome among Tribal and Urban Groups of South and West Karnataka. (Dr. Suttur S Malini), Department of Genetics, University of Mysore, Mysore.

Life Science

1. Vyas, Jayesh Balkrishna. **Heavy metal toxicity due to children toys**. (Dr. P K Nag), Department of Life Science, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad.

Microbiology

1. Joseph, Shanthamma. Studies on the aeromycoflora of Ambikapur City with special reference to seasonal variation. (Dr. S K Jadhav), Department of Microbiology, Sarguja Vishwavidyaalaya, Ambikapur (C.G.).

Zoology

1. Basu, Santanu. Evaluation of impact of landscape changes on large mammal habitats in Pench Tiger Reserve, Madhya Pradesh, India. (Dr. K Shankar), Department of Wildlife Science, Saurashtra University, Rajkot.