THESES OF THE MONTH

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

A List of doctoral theses accepted by Indian Universities (Notifications received in AIU during the month of April-May, 2018)

AGRICULTURAL & VETERINARY SCIENCES

Agricultural Engineering

- 1. Housalmal, Sukanya Surendra. Optimization of process for production of keser mango leather using foam mat drying technique. (Dr. S U Khodke), Department of Agricultural Process Engineering, Vasantrao Naik Marathwada Agricultural University, Parbhani.
- 2. Pawar, Savia Gangadharrao. Development of sprouted soy fortified millet flour based ready-to-eat snack using microwave puffing technique. (Dr. I L Pardeshi), Department of Agricultural Engineering, Dr Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola.
- 3. Salunkhe, Rajanee Vasantrao. Optimization of irrigation schedules for capsicum under protected and open cultivation. (Dr. S B Wadatkar), Department of Agricultural Engineering, Dr Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola.

Food Science & Technology

- . 1. Chaudhary, Nisha. Microstructural, thermoanalytical and functional assessment of wheat storage prolamins. (Prof. B S Khatkar and Dr. Subhash Kajla), Department of Food Technology, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar.
- 2. Ritu. Isolation, characterization and food applications of pseudocereal stach. (Prof. B S Khatkar), Department of Food Technology, Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hisar.

Forestry

- 1. Chandrima Debi. Influence of bioinoculants on biotization, biomass yield and accumulation of some bioactive compound(s) in Oroxylum indicum (L) Benth ex Kurz. (Dr. Vipin Parkash), Department of Forest Botany, Forest Research Institute, Dehradun.
- 2. Dhakad, Ashok Kumar. Molecular phylogeny of selected tree species of families fabaceae, caesalpiniaceae and mimosaceae of Uttarakhand. (Dr. Anup Chandra and Dr. Santan Barthwal), Department of Forest Botany, Forest Research Institute, Dehradun.
- 3. Rawat, Suman. Morphological and molecular studies of Sclerotium rolfsii causing leaf spot disease in poplar. (Dr. Y P Singh and Dr. Santan Barthwal), Department of Forest Pathology, Forest Research Institute, Dehradun.
- 4. Sharma, Bhavika. Air pollution tolerance of temperate woody vegetation growing along the National Highway No 5 from Solan to Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. (Dr. Sandeep Sharma and Dr. S K Bhardwaj), Department of Forest Ecology and Environment, Forest Research Institute, Dehradun.
- 5. Thomas, Kuruvilla. Population structure, carbon sequestration, litter dynamics and propagation of selected rare bamboos of Western Ghats. (Dr. K K Seethalakshmi),

Department of Forest Management, Forest Research Institute, Dehradun.

Genetics & Plant Breeding

1. Deshmukh, Sanjay Girirao. Genetic improvement for yield, its components and lysine content in wheat. (Dr. N R Potdukhe), Department of Agricultural Botany, Dr Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola.

Horticulture

- 1. Baviskar, Mangesh Nathuram. Optimization of guava nutrition under high density planting. (Dr. S G Bharad), Department of Horticulture, Dr Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola.
- 2. Chavan, Sachin Keshav. Genetic improvement and DNA finger printing studies in Adenium obesum (FORSSK) roem and schult. (Dr. Alka Singh), Department of Floriculture and Landscape Architecture, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari.
- 3. Wankhade, Sonali Rameshrao. Studies on performance and nutrient requirement of onion varieties in late Kharif season. (Dr. P K Nagre), Department of Horticulture, Dr Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola.

Soil Science

1. Sthool, Vijay Atmaramji. Studies on some modifications in parameters of curve number method with incorporation of locally developed relationship. (Dr. A A Atre), Department of Soil and Water Conservation Engineering, Mahatma Phule Krishi Vidyapeeth, Rahuri, District Ahmednagar.

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Biochemistry

1. Qayoom, Gousia. An investigation into the polymorphisms of TSH-R and TPO genes in patients with thyroid disorder in Kashmir. (Prof. Bashir Ahmad and Dr. Shariq Rashid Masoodi), Department of Biochemistry, University of Kashmir, Srinagar.

Bioinformatics

- 1. Hema, K. In silico identification of potential drug targets and vaccine candidates against pathogens causing atherosclerosis. (Dr. A Umamaheswari), Department of Bioinformatics, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences & University, Tirupati.
- 2. Pradeep, N. Multiple docking strategies and pharmacophore design for amyloid pathway proteins. (Dr. A Umamaheswari), Department of Bioinformatics, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences & University, Tirupati.

Biotechnology

1. Bashir, Muneesha. To understand the signal transduction pathway involving the role of p66shc and