THESES OF THE MONTH

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

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

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AGRICULTURAL & VETERINARY SCIENCES

Biotechnology

- 1. Desai, Hiralben Vinubhai. De novo transcriptome sequence and metabolome analysis at flowering stage in off season bearing mango (Mangifera indica L). (Dr. M K Mandavia), Department of Plant Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh.
- Saha, Shyama Prasad. Production of microbial xylanase under submerged fermentation of agro-residues and its application in xylitol production. (Dr. S Ghosh), Department of Biotechnology, University of North Bengal, Darjeeling.

Entomology

 Sontakke, Pritin Pramod. Bio-ecology and management of Borer pests infesting yard long bean, vigna unguiculata subsp sesquipedalis (L) Verdc. Department of Agricultural Entomology, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur.

Food Science & Technology

- 1. Nama, Sailaja. Development of natural flavor γ decalactone through metabolic engineering of sporidiobolus salmonicolor MTCC 485 and its evaluation as an additive in milk products. (Dr. D Muralidhara Rao and Prof.N Devanna), Department of Food Technology, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Anantapur, Ananthapuramu.
- 2. Sanju Bala. Characterization of bioactive compounds gums and proteins from seeds of different Indian fenugreek (Trigonella foenum-graecum) cultivars. (Dr. Kawaljit Singh), Department of Food Science and Technology, Chaudhary Devi Lal University, Sirsa.
- 3. Thory, Rahul. Characterization of bioactive compounds and starch from different Indian rice cultivars. (Dr. Kawaljit Singh), Department of Food Science and Technology, Chaudhary Devi Lal University, Sirsa.
- 4. Vikash. Development and characterization of starch nanoparticles from different botanical sources and their applications in drug delivery. (Dr. Kawaljit Singh Sandhu), Department of Food Science and Technology, Chaudhary Devi Lal University, Sirsa.

Forestry

1. Patel, Sandipkumar Mukundlal. Performance of cucurbitaceous vegetable crops under teak (Tectona grandis L f) based silvi-horticulture system in South Gujarat Region. (Dr. M B Tandel), Department of Forestry, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari.

Plant Pathology

1. Dhandge, Sachin Ramchandra. Morphological and biochemical basis of resistance, ecology and bio-efficacy of insecticides against pest complex in summer okra. (Dr.

- V R Virani), Department of Plant Pathology, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh.
- 2. Masi, Haidarabbas Ismailbhai. Salt stress mitigation in rice (*Oryaza sativa* L) using endophytes and assessment of its interaction. (Dr. R M Patel), Department of Plant Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari.

Soil Science

- 1. Lathika, C. Potential of urban waste compost for organic farming. (Dr. M P Sujatha), Kerala Forest Research Institute, Cochin University of Science & Technology, Kochi.
- 2. Tripura, Pradip. Dynamics of major nutrients and soil organic carbon fractions in medium black calcareous (Typic haplustepts) LTFE soils. (Dr. K B Polara), Department of Soil Science, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh.

Veterinary Science

1. Patel, Harshadkumar Babulal. Effect of piperine and quercetin administration on pharmcokinetics and safety profile of marbofloxacin in broiler chickens. (Dr. U D Patel), Department of Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh.

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Biotechnology

- 1. Bansal, Pooja. Biogenesis of nanoparticles and its potential in controlling plant pathogenic diseases. (Dr. J S Duhan), Department of Biotechnology, Chaudhary Devi Lal University, Sirsa.
- 2. Dahiya, Rajni. Genetic Diversity, expression analysis and association of Myxovirus resistance gene (Mx) with susceptibility vis-à-vis resistance against equine influenza virus in horses. (Prof. S K Gahlawat), Department of Biotechnology, Chaudhary Devi Lal University, Sirsa.
- 3. Dey, Tapan. A study on glutathione S transferase enzyme activities in chronic obstructive pulmonary disease with respect to cigarette smoke compounds. (Prof. A K Buragohain and Dr. Hari Prasanna Dekaboruah), Centre for Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh.
- 4. Katta, Meera Sowjanya. Bioactivity assay of phytochemical compounds isolated and characterized from screened medicinal plants. (Dr. A Krishna Satya), Department of Biotechnology, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Nagarjuna Nagar.
- 5. Rustagi, Yashika. Profiling and characterization of microRNAs from embryonic chick heart profiling and characterization of microRNA from embryonic chick heart. Department of Biotechnology, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology, Uttar Pradesh.