THESES OF THE MONTH

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

A List of doctoral theses accepted by Indian Universities (Notifications received in AIU during the month of March-April, 2019)

27/5/19

AGRICULTURAL & VETERINARY SCIENCES

Agricultural Development

1. Suvagiya, Dayaben Ramanikbhai. Efficiency measurement of cotton ginning units in Saurashtra Region. (Dr. K A Khunt), P.G. Institute of Agri Business Management, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh.

Agronomy

- 1. Meenakshi. Diversification of existing farming systems under marginal household conditions in Kangra District of Himachal Pradesh. (Dr. Pawan Patha), Department of Agronomy, CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya, Palampur.
- Seth, Meenakshi. Site specific nutrient management in wheat in rice-wheat cropping system. (Dr D R Thakur), Department of Agronomy, CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya, Palampur.

Genetics & Plant Breeding

 Katariya, Hitesh Madhubhai. Genetic architecture in pearl millet [Pennisetum glaucum (L) R Br]. (Dr. M D Khanapara), Department of Genetics and Plant Breeding, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh.

Veterinary Science

1. Gangil, Rakhi. Studies on viral infections of respiratory tract in bovine with special reference to Bovine Respiratory Syncytial Virus (BRSV). Department of Veterinary Microbiology, Guru Angad Dev Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Ludhiana.

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Biotechnology

- Rajavel, T. Anticancer mechanism of β sitosterol and daucosterol (Phytosterols from grewia tiliaefolia) on human lung cancer cells: An in vitro study. (Dr. K. Pandima Devi), Department of Biotechnology, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.
- 2. Vigneshwari, L. Investigating the role of O-glcnacylation during staphylococcus aureus infection and identification of antiobesity agents from natural sources using caenorhabditis elegans as a mode system. (Dr. K Balamurugan), Department of Biotechnology, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.

Botany

- 1. Biswas, Kishor. Impact of plantation forest on the plant diversity of Terai and Duars Region of West Bengal, India. (Prof. A P Das), Department of Botany, University of North Bengal, Darjeeling.
- 2. Sreejesh, K R. Studies of traditional medicinal plants in the High Ranges, Kerala. (Dr. Jomy Augustine), Department of Botany, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam.

Life Science

1. Shah, Pooja R. Production of Chitosan from fungal extracted chitin and its applications. (Dr. H A Modi), Department of Life Science, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad.

Zoology

- 1. Dhillon, Oshin. Evaluation of dietary protein requirements and role of intestinal probiotic bacteria for growth promotion in *Labeo calbasu* (Hamilton, 1822). (Dr. Anita Bhatnagar), Department of Zoology, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.
- 2. Geetha, P. N. Distribution and community structure of benthic fauna in Cochin Estuary, India. (Dr. S. Bijoy Nandan), Department of Zoology, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam.
- 3. Ghosh, Samiran. Identification of low temperature resistant embryonic stages for improving seed production in Muga silkworm, Antheraea assama Westwood for cold preservation of eggs. (Dr. Nilay Ray), Department of Zoology, University of North Bengal, Darjeeling.
- 4. Jani, Dhara Vijaykumar. Molecular stabilization of the erythrocyte membrane as a potential anti-malarial target: An in vitro study. (Dr. H N Highland), Department of Zoology, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad.
- Parmar, Robin Michael. Computational molecular interaction studies for mosquito population control. (Dr. Linz Buoy George), Department of Zoology, Gujarat University, Ahmedabad.
- 6. Rao, Gollu Srinivasa. Toxicity and other effects of deltamethrin, A synthetic pyrethroid to the freshwater fish ctenopharyngodon idella (Valenciennes). (Dr. N Gopala Rao), Department of Zoology, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Nagarjuna Nagar.
- 7. Rathees, R J. Studies on the utilization of marine fishery resources and socio economic status of Fishermen Community in the Coastal Villages of Tuticorin District, Tamilnadu, India. (Dr. V. Ramadas), Department of Zoology, Alagappa University, Karaikudi.

EARTH SYSTEM SCIENCES

Environmental Science

- 1. Joseph, Joice K. Socio-ecological study on the dynamics of crowd behaviour and associated risks in mass gatherings with special reference to Sabarimala pilgrim destination in Kerala India. (Dr. A P Pradeep Kumar), School of Environmental Science, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam.
- 2. Mishra, Sandhya. Development of bacterial consortium for detoxification of chromium from tannery effluent for environmental safety. (Dr. Ram Naresh Bharagava), Department of Environmental Microbiology, Babasaheb Bhim Rao Ambedkar University, Lucknow.