









# **National Conference**

on

**Biodiversity Conservation** for a Sustainable Future

# 11-12 October 2019



Organized by



## **Department of Botany**

IIS (deemed to be Univesity), Jaipur In collaboration with



Indian Science Congress Association (Jaipur Chapter)





## DISTINGUISHED COLLEAGUES

It is <mark>our immense pleasure and privilege to invite y</mark>ou to the National Conference on 'Biodiversity Conservation for a Sustainable Future' which is being held at the IIS(deemed to be University) on 11-12 October,2019.

As the human population increases so does the pressure on ecosystems, since we draw ever more resources from them. Our ecological footprint on the planet is unsustainable and will become unbearable unless we change our consumption patterns and our behaviour in general. The only option left is to manage productivity and resources in a sustainable manner reducing waste wherever possible using the principles of adaptive management and taking into account traditional knowledge which contributes to the maintenance of ecosystem services.

Education and public awareness programmes on conservation and sustainable use should be implemented and more effective methods of communication should be developed between and among stakeholders and managers. With a goal of raising awareness on the above listed objectives, we hope that conference will provide a robust and dynamic platform to the global community of professionals that includes Researchers, Botanists, Zoologists, Ecologists, Students, Environmentalists and Conservationists who are actively engaged in this field. We invite you to join this two Days National Conference in the beautiful city of Jaipur to discuss the need of biodiversity conservation for environmental sustainability.

## THRUST AREAS

#### **Biodiversity and Conservation of Natural Resources**

- Floral, faunal and microbial studies
- •Conservation and sustainable use of medicinal plants / NTFPs
- •GMOs Risk and benefits
- •Traditional knowledge systems and use of biodiversity
- Intervention of biotechnology in biodiversity conservation.

#### Fragile Ecosystems

- •Threatened ecosystems
- Flagship and keystone species
- Endangered species
- •Coastal, marine and desert ecosystems
- •Wetlands and sacred groves.

#### **Forest Conservation**

- Participatory forest management
- Enhancing productivity of forest resources
- Climate change and forestry
- Agrobiodiversity
- Forest management for Protected Areas

#### Education Awareness and Management of Resources

- Policy Research
- Biodiversity informatics
- Geoinformatics
- •Environmental laws and policies
- Capacity building and outreach
- •Technology for monitoring and management of NR





## REGISTRATION

Category of the Participant	Registration up to 28 Sept. 2019	On Spot Registration
Faculty Member	1000/-	1200/-
Student(PG & Research Scholars)	800/-	1000/-

A request for Registration in the prescribed form along with the Registration Fee may be sent to IIS (deemed to be University), Jaipur by 28 September, 2019.

The Registration Fee is payable either by DD in favour of "IIS (deemed to be University), Jaipur" or in cash. Cheques, Money Order or NEFT will not be accepted.

Photocopy of the Registration Form may be used.

The Registration Form can also be downloaded from the University website www. iisuniv.ac.in

## SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACT

An abstract of about 300-500 words including the title, author(s) and address typed in MSWord (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font, single spacing) should be submitted by 28 September 2019. At the bottom of the page please indicate the category (thrust area) and also whether an oral or poster presentation is preferred. The name of the presenting author should be underlined.

Oral/Poster presentation in the conference will be permitted only when the delegate/participant has registered for the conference. No abstract will be taken into consideration for pre-conference publication without registration fee.

A hard copy of the abstract should be submitted along with a CD or through e-mail at ncbc@iisuniv.ac.in

## **ORAL PRESENTATION/POSTER PRESENTATION**

#### **Oral Presentation**

For oral presentation, time of ten minutes will given to each speaker.

 Presentation to be prepared in MS Power Point and to be brought on a CD or USB memory stick.
Standard Audio Visual equipments will be provided for presentation.

- Poster Presentation
- Size of the poster should be IxI metre.
- Pins and stand will be provided by Organization.

Poster should be legible enough to be viewed from a distance of 4 feet.

#### TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION

No travel reimbursement will be made by the organizers. Participants are expected to make their own boarding & lodging arrangements. However, participants can be assisted for the same on request.

## **ABOUT JAIPUR**

Jaipur, the Pink City of India, is the starting point for the visitors to Rajasthan. The capital of Rajasthan, Jaipur, casts an unusual spell on the traveller with its royal palaces, forts and monuments, revealing a historic past of chivalrous warriors, aristocratic royal ladies, art & craft, literature and science. Handicrafts like miniature paintings, textiles, blue pottery and jewellery make it a shopper's paradise as well.



## **ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY**

IIS (Deemed to be University), Jaipur is among the pioneers in Rajasthan in imparting high quality education to women in different streams. It is known for excellence in delivering value-based education to students and encourages them to think innovatively in different walks of life. It particularly focuses on preparing students to become world ready citizens, who are abreast to take any professional and social challenges with an educated and empowered mind. With over 5500 students, the University offers UG, PG and Doctoral programmes in Arts, Science, Social Sciences, Commerce, Management, Computer Science & IT.

## **Conference Patron**

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