



International Conference BCMP-2022 Report

Department of Botany has organized an International Conference on "International Conference (Online) on "Biodiversity, Conservation and Role of Molecular Phylogenetics in Plant Systematics-2022" (BCMP-2022) on 22nd April 2022 through Zoom meeting. This International Conference is organised against the backdrop to provide a platform for the researchers to share their work, knowledge and experience in different branches of biology which contribute to the conservation of nature and to make awareness about biodiversity conservation in tribal peoples of Mokhada.

As a keynote speaker we invited dignitaries like **Prof. (Dr.) S. R. Yadav** (INSA Emeritus Scientist, Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, Maharashtra, India) and as Resource person **Dr. Asif S. Tamboli** (Department of Biology, School of Life Science, Kyungpook National University, Daegu, South Korea) was present.

Program was Scheduled on 11:00 am the Inauguration was started as introduction about BCMP-2022 by Prof. S. Y. Tayade, inaugural speech was delivered by Dr. A. N. Chandore. The welcome address was done by Prof. S. E. Saindandshiv and presidential address was delivered by coordinator of the program Principal Dr. L. D. Bhor.

After inauguration as a chairperson Dr. N. V. Malpure was introduce Dr. S. R. Yadav and then Keynote address was delivered by Prof. (Dr.) S. R. Yadav. Dr. Yadav guide all the participants about the 'Role of plant systematics in documentation, conservation, management and utilization of biodiversity.' Vote of thanks of keynote address was delivered by Dr. V. B. Gade.

After keynote address Dr. Shruti Kasana introduce Dr. Asif Atamboli then as a Resource person Dr. Asif S. Tamboli guide us about 'Role of comparative genomics and phylogenetics in plant systematics.' Vote of thanks of this session was delivered by Dr. S. K. Pawar.

Next Session of paper presentation was held by Dr. K. V. C. Gosavi & Mr. N. A. Madhav as a chairperson and co-chairperson respectively. Total 30 researchers were present their work in this session. Vote of thanks of this session were done by Dr. A. L. Shaikh.



After first paper presentation session next session was handled by chairperson Dr. S. S. Kamble. In this session remaining 34 participants were presented their work and deliver their thoughts about conference. Being a Rapporteur vote of thanks of this session was done by Mr. A. S. Pansare. The softcopy of the abstract book was provided to all participants via email and conference WhatsApp groups.

The responses from researchers were overwhelming, which can be acknowledged from the participation of over 450 delegates across the world including participation from Sweden, Nigeria, South Korea, India. From India participants about 11 states/Union territories were participated through online mode, among which 64 researchers were present their work. All the telecast was live on YouTube which was beneficial for the participants which was unable to join us on Zoom app. The instructions about digital certificate were given by Prof. S. Y. Tayade. Finally, the vote of thanks for the overall programme was done by Dr. A. N. Chandore.

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