

Achiever Award - 2019

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Young Achiever Award - 2019

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Braja Gopal Sharma Memorial All India Best Agricultural Extension Worker Award -2019

Outstanding Extension Worker

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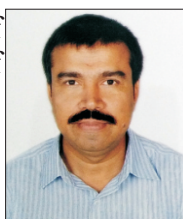


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Best Extension Worker

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Jagar Nath Raina Memorial All India Best Research Award -2019

DOCTORAL RESEARCH

Dr Nangsol Dolma Bhutia in recognition to her Doctoral Research work 'Assessment of heterosis for yield and quality traits and molecular mapping of cluster bearing habit in Luffa'. PhD Thesis, ICAR- Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi, India. (Chairman: Dr Amish Kumar Sureja)



Dr A Varun in recognition to his Doctoral Research work 'Influence of heat shock proteins on the production and immunity parameters in native chicken germplasm'. PhD Thesis, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India. (Chairman: Dr AV Omprakash)



Dr R Sridevi in recognition to her Doctoral Research work 'Evaluation of seed priming technique on crop growth and productivity in small millets and exploring the causes for physiological, biochemical, molecular and anatomical changes in primed seeds'. PhD Thesis, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India. (Chairman: Dr V Manonmani)



Er JP Gupta Memorial All India Best Research Award -2019

MASTER'S RESEARCH

Ms Meena Kumari P for her work 'Effect of Lactobacillus fermentum MCC2760 based probiotic curd on inflammatory markers and gut microflora of high fat fed mice model'. Msc Thesis, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh, India. (Major Advisor: Dr SP Muthukumar)



Mr Aruna TS for his work 'Genetic studies for yield and quality traits in cabbage (*Brassica oleracea* L var *capitata*) using doubled haploid lines'. MSc Thesis, ICAR- Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi, India. (Major Advisor: Dr Chander Parkash)



Ms Sarika KS for her work 'Radio biological studies on cotton pink bollworm, *Pectinophora gossypiella* (Saunders) (Lepidoptera: Gelechiidae). (Sterile insect technique)'. MSc Thesis, University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur, Karnataka, India. (Major Advisor: Dr SG Hanchinal).



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Uma Dutt Mangain Best Research Award -2019

DOCTORAL RESEARCH

Dr Vishal Sharma for his PhD work 'In vitro mutagenesis in ginger (*Zingiber officinale* Rosc) for the selection of plants resistant to *Fusarium oxysporum* f sp *zingiberi*.' PhD Thesis, Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, Solan, Himachal Pradesh, India. (Major Advisor: Dr Manisha Thakur).



Dr Abhishek Thakur for his PhD work 'Isolation, characterization and application of protein isolates from apricot press cake.' PhD Thesis, Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, Solan, Himachal Pradesh, India. (Major Advisor: Dr Devina Vaidya).



Mr Hamid for his MSc work 'Development of value-added products from mulberry (*Morus alba* L).' MSc Thesis, Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, Solan, Himachal Pradesh, India. (Major Advisor: Dr NS Thakur).



MASTER'S RESEARCH

Mr Praveen Verma for his MSc work 'Studies on the performance of some apple (*Malus x domestica* Borkh) cultivars under mid-hill conditions of Himachal Pradesh'. MSc Thesis, Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, Solan, Himachal Pradesh, India. (Major Advisor: Dr BS Thakur).



Ms Chetna Sharma for her MSc work on 'Development and storage of granular powder from wild pomegranate (*Punica granatum* L).' MSc Thesis, Dr YS Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni, Solan, Himachal Pradesh, India. (Major Advisor: Dr NS Thakur).



All India Above and Beyond Award-2019

Dr N Seenivasan, Associate Professor (Nematology), Department of Plant Pathology, Agricultural College and Research Institute (TNAU), Madurai 625 104 Tamil Nadu.



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All India Paramount Achievement Award-2019

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