

Report on

**NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BIOTECHNOLOGY IN
ENVIRONMENT WELFARE (NCBEW-2016)**

20th & 21st July, 2016

Organized by

Department of Biotechnology,



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Conference Report

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Date: 20th – 21st July 2016, Venue – Bharathi Hall

Department of Biotechnology, Karpagam Academy of Higher Education, had conducted National Conference on Biotechnology in Environment Welfare – 2016 (NCBEW - 2016) on 20th -21st July 2016 sponsored by SERB and DBT, Delhi. The Conference is mainly focused on the recent trends and advances in Biotechnology and Environmental Sciences as a novel aid in environment welfare and special focus on improving the standard of research. The conference consists of various sessions, each session was started with outstanding experts they highlighted recent advances in various aspects of environmental biotechnology which focus on environment health and environment management.

First day of the conference began with invocation and inaugural function. Conference souvenir was released by the Chief Guest **Dr. M. N. V. Prasad**. Mementos were presented to the Chief Guest and delegates from other universities. After the inaugural ceremony the presentation session preceded. **Dr. M. N. V. Prasad** from University of Hyderabad, **Dr. P. Thangavel** from Periyar University, **Dr. G. Sridevi** from Madurai Kamaraj University delivered key note lectures on various useful topics during the conference sessions.

Second day of the conference started with presentations by the students, research scholars from various institutions. 30 Oral and 20 poster presentations took place. About 150 participants attended conference all over India. A total of 75 abstracts were received and accepted for presentation. **Dr. K. Kathirvelu** Scientist (DRDO) from Bharathiar University delivered a lecture after the presentation session in conference. The valediction ceremony was preceded by the respected speaker, Convener **Dr. M. Palaniswamy** Dean KAHE, Head of the Department **Dr. V.K. Gopalakrishnan**, Organizing Secretary **Dr. P. Rajiv** and all faculty members. The conference ended with certificate and prize distribution.