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**A Report**  
**National Webinar on “Avenues in Plant Research”**

**Organized by**  
**Post Graduate Department of Botany and Research Center**  
**Tuljaram Chaturchand College, Baramati - 413 102, Dist. Pune, Maharashtra,**  
**India (Autonomous)**

**Held during 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2020**

We would like to bring to your kind notice that, during hectic period of Pandemic COVID-19 Department of Botany, Tuljaram Chaturchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati (Autonomous) has organized **National Webinar on “Avenues in Plant Research” during 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2020.**

Total 325 delegates participated in the National Webinar from various states of India. The Webinar was inaugurated by Dr. Sharad Kale, Senior Scientist, BARC, Mumbai. Dr. S. J. Chavan, Head, Department of Botany extended warm welcome to all participants and delegates on behalf of college and Dr. Chandrashekhar V. Murumkar, Principal of the college focused on major activities of the college along with aims and objectives of the webinar.

Introduction of speaker was done by faculties in the department Dr. S. J. Cahvan, Dr. B. S. Mali, Dr. M. B. Kanade, Dr. A.B. Telave, Dr. Mrs. R. D. Chitale and Dr. Mrs. M. P. Patil. Total fourteen lead lectures of eminent Indian plant scientists were organized as per following schedule for two days in four sessions in the webinar. The name and topic of the speakers are as given below :

**On Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> June, 2020: Day First**

<b>Name of Resource Person</b>	<b>Topic of lead lecture</b>	<b>Time</b>
Prof. Sharad Kale	Avenues in Plant Research	11.30 to 12.00 noon
Prof. B. B. Chougale	Astaxanthin from Algae	12.00 to 12.30 pm
Prof. N. S. Chavan	Avenues in Mangrove Research	12.30 to 01.00 pm
Prof. K. N. Dhumal	Plant Physiology and Allelopathy in Future	01.00 to 01.30 pm
Prof. S. S. Deokule	Role of Plant Wealth in Pandemic Covid-19	02.30 to 03.00 pm
Dr. Ravindra Patil	Advances in Molecular Plant Breeding	03.00 to 03.30 pm
Dr. Wajid Khan	Fruits and Vegetables : A Business Opportunities	03.30 to 04.00 pm


**On Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 : Day Second**


<b>Name of Resource Person</b>	<b>Topic of lead lecture</b>	<b>Time</b>
Dr. Rani Bhagat	Biodiversity Conservation and its Role in Plant Research	11.30 to 12.00 noon
Dr. Sachin Punekar	Biodiversity : Challenges and Opportunities	12.00 to 12.30 pm
Dr. Kiran Ranadive	Conservation of Mycologists in India	12.30 to 01.00 pm
Dr. Ganesh Iyyer	Palynology	01.00 to 01.30 pm
Dr. Afroz Raj	Bryoflora of Rajasthan	02.30 to 03.00 pm
Dr. Shekhar Mohite	Flora of Kaas Plateau	03.00 to 03.30 pm
Dr. Ajay Gautam	Indian Mycology : Recent Advances in Research and Development	03.30 to 04.00 pm

At the end of the two days Webinar the vote of thanks is extended by Dr. Ajit Telave, Co-convener and Vice-Principal, Tuljaram Chaturchand College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Baramati.

E-certificates were issued to each active participant after submitting completely filled feedback form.

The Department of Botany is very much grateful to the authorities of Anekant Education Society and Principal Dr. Chandrashekhar Murumkar for his kind co-operation and strong support to organize this Webinar.

  
Dr. S. J. Chavan  
Organizing Secretary

  
Dr. A. B. Telave  
Co-convener

  
Prin. Dr. Chandrashekhar V. Murumkar  
Convener