

ICAR-CIFE Endowment awards 2015-16

Dr. Hiralal Chaudhary Gold Medal

Ms. Jyothirmayee Das, won the Dr. Hiralal Chaudhary Gold Medal for securing first position in M.F.Sc. (Fisheries Economics, 2012-14)

Dr. M.A. Upare Gold Medal

Ms. Jyothirmayee Das won the Dr. M.A. Upare Gold Medal for securing the highest OGPA in M.F.Sc (Fisheries Economics, 2012-14)

Dr. N.R. Menon award for best M.F.Sc. Thesis

Mr. Tarachand Kumawat (FRM) won the Dr. N.R. Menon award for best M.F.Sc. thesis titled: Compliance of bag net fishery of Maharashtra coast, India with Article 7 of the FAO Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries.

Jalihal Award for Best Master's Thesis 2014

Mr. Raja Aadil Bhat, (AAH) won the Jalihal Award for Best Master's Thesis 2014 titled: Molecular cloning, characterisation and expression analysis of melanoma differentiation associated gene 5 (MDA5) of green chromide, *Etroplus suratensis*

Young Scientist Award

Ms. Anusha Wickramasinghe, (AEM) was honoured with the Young Scientist Award at the 2nd International Conference on Science and Technology-2015", organized by Vishwashanthi Multipurpose Society in Colombo, Sri Lanka

International awards

Following papers were presented at the International Conference by M.F.Sc. students

Sajal Kole, Megha K. Bedekar, Rajendran K.V., Gayatri Tripathi, M. Makesh (2015). Potential efficacy of nanodelivery of DNA vaccine using chitosan nanoparticles against *Edwardsiella tarda*. International Conference on Aquaculture and Fisheries July 20th -22nd, 2015 Brisbane, Australia (First on-line presentation)

Deepika Anand, K. Sreedharan, P.P. Suresh Babu, Anutosh Paria, M. Makesh and K. V. Rajendran (2015). Expression profiles of two downstream signalling molecules of Toll-pathway in Tiger shrimp (*Penaeus monodon*), Cactus and Dorsal genes in response to infection with white spot syndrome virus and *Vibrio harveyi*. International Conference on Aquaculture and Fisheries, July 20th -22nd, 2015 Brisbane, Australia.

Dr. C.V. Kulkarni gold medal endowment award

Dr. K. Nagalakshmi received the Dr. C.V. Kulkarni Gold medal endowment award for the best Ph.D. research of the year 2015 on 31 August, 2015.

PFGF Best MFSc thesis award

Mr. Sanjit Kumar Asem (PHT) won the PFGF Best MFSc thesis award for his thesis titled: Isolation of *Escherichia coli* harboring blaNDM-5 from fresh fish in India