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About JSS College of Arts, Commerce and Science



JSS College of Arts, Commerce and Science is a co-educational institution established in 1964 under the auspices of JSS Mahavidyapeetha. It was started as an affiliated College of University of Mysore and got

the UGC Act 1956 and is receiving central assistance. The College has been granted Autonomous status in 2005. The College is situated on a sprawling 7.08 acres plot with a spacious building and a hostel in a picturesque surrounding at the foot of Chamundi Hills. The College is offering a total of 70 programmes in BA, B.Sc., B.Com, BBA, BCA, B.VOC, MA, MSW, M.Com, M.Sc., MCA, M.VOC, Ph.D along with COCs and PG Diploma programmes.

About the Department

Postgraduate Department of Botany was established in 2017. The Department currently offers Master of Science in Botany. The Department is well established in a separate wing on the second floor of the College. Presently there are 2 classrooms, 2 laboratories, a museum, and staff room and ICT facilities. Our vision is to impart quality education to budding Botany professionals and also foster strong interdisciplinary research in frontier areas of Life Science. Qualified and dedicated faculty members form the backbone for teaching and research endeavors at the department.

About the Seminar

Biodiversity loss is among the most urgent environmental concerns of the present day. It is the crucial element of the earth with direct impact on mankind. It is mandatory to discuss the problems and strategies in the path of conservation of biodiversity. This can be accomplished through integrating knowledge and technology for the betterment of nature. Population explosion, global warming, industrialization etc... are threats to biodiversity which need to be addressed to save earth and life. The seminar BCSC is being organized as one of the G20 Jan Bhagidari event to disseminate about the various facets of the themes.

SCHEDULE

09.30 am	REGISTRATION (ONLINE)
10.30 am	INAUGURATION
11.00 am	INAUGURAL ADDRESS Prof. T.C. Taranath Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Hassan University, Hemangotri Hassan- 573021
11.30 am	KEYNOTE ADDRESS Prof. K.N. Amruthesh Chairman- DOS in Botany & Director- IQAC University of Mysore, MG, Mysuru
12.00 am	TEA BREAK
12.30 am	SESSION-I Conservation of Biodiversity- A BSI Perspective Dr. M.U. Sharief Scientist- 'F' & Head of Office Southern Regional Centre Botanical Survey of India Coimbatore- 641003
02.00 pm	LUNCH BREAK
02.30 pm	SESSION-II Biological diversity and bio-prospection for human welfare-concerns, Strategies and challenges for 21st century Dr. R. Raghavendra Rao Honorary Guest Faculty INSA Honorary Scientist JSS Academy of Science (Deemed Univ.)
04.00 pm	VALEDICTORY FUNCTION
04.30 pm	HIGH TEA

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Registration Fee

- Faculty/ Delegates : ₹ 250/-
- Research Scholars : ₹ 150/-
- Students : ₹ 100/-

Registration Details

- Attendance certificate / OOD facilities will be provided to the participants.
- Filling the feedback form is mandatory.
- Certificates will be provided only for registered candidates.



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