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Department of Botany Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak

National Seminar

on

Biodiversity: Status and Significance

Date: 21-03-2017

Venue: DDE Conference Hall, MDU Rohtak

Biodiversity is the variety and variability of living organisms found on earth. It is an important subject of research and discourse as it forms the basis of people's life and livelihoods. Rate of biodiversity loss has increased manifold and conservation of biodiversity has become a big challenge.

People all over the world are working hard to safeguard this irreplaceable natural wealth and reduce biodiversity loss. Meaningful action is possible only by highlighting the issue at all public and governmental fora and by promoting discussion, deliberation, experience sharing, research, education and capacity building.

Realizing this fact, Department of Botany, Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak (Haryana) is organizing a UGC sponsored national seminar entitled 'Biodiversity: Status and Significance' on March 21, 2017 from 9:00AM onward at DDE Conference Hall, MDU Rohtak. The scientific programme will include keynote address, invited lectures, oral and poster sessions on the theme of seminar. The seminar will focus on following sub-themes:

- Biodiversity: Taxonomy and Floristics
- Biodiversity: Ethnobotany and Ethnopharmacology
- Biodiversity: Bioprospecting and Biotechnology
- Biodiversity: Biological Invasion and Climate Change
- Biodiversity: Conservation and Management

Call for Abstracts: All individuals are invited to submit an abstract (300 words, font size 12, Time New Roman, Single Spacing) to the Organising Secretary via email (botanymdu@gmail.com) on or before March 16, 2017. Best oral and poster presentations will be awarded.

Registration Fee: There is no registration fee for this seminar. First-cum-first registration shall be highly appreciated due to limited slots.

Kindly come and join us to make this seminar a great success.

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