



1st NABS-Interactive Workshop

Theme
Microbial Interactions for Food Security

Series No. 1

NABS in collaboration with ICAR- Indian Institute of Spices Research, Calicut, Kerala organized the first Interactive workshop on “*Microbial Interactions for Food Security*” on 30 September 2008.

Dr. V.A. Parthasarathy, Director of the Institute and Editor NABS News Letter extended all cooperation in organizing the event. Six eminent scientists spoke on various topics during the first Interactive Workshop which are listed.

General Particulars

Date : : 30 September, 2008
Venue : : Indian Institute of Spices
Research, Calicut, Kerala

No.	Papers presented	Speakers
1	Recent trends in veterinary vaccines and diagnosis	Dr. V.A. Srinivasan Indian Immunologicals Limited, Hyderabad
2	Tuber Crops as food security crops in the new millennium	Dr. S. Edison Central Tuber Crops Research Institute, Thiruvananthapuram
3	Entomopathogens for Pest management in plantation crops- Scope, constraints and future thrust	Dr. C. P. Radhakrishnan Nair Central Tuber Crops Research Institute- RS, Kayankulam Thiruvananthapuram, , Kerala
4	Microbial control of soil borne pathogens	Dr. M. Anandaraj Indian Institute of Spices Research, Calicut, Kerala
5	Bioinformatics tools for microbial studies	Dr. Santhosh J. Eapen Indian Institute of Spices Research, Calicut, Kerala

6 Endophytic bacteria in plants-
exploitation for management of plant
diseases

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