

RGCA bags two awards at Biotechnology Conferences held at Chennai

The team at Aquatic Quarantine Facility for *L. vannamei* of RGCA presented scientific papers (oral and poster) at two different conferences on Biotechnology and bagged the best oral and best poster presentation awards. The paper entitled "Disease screening of the exotic shrimp *Penaeus vannamei* (Boone, 1931) at the Aquatic Quarantine Facility" presented at the DBT sponsored National Conference (NCMNP - 2016) held at Sathyabama University during 10th and 11th August 2016, bagged award for the best oral presentation under the theme Biotechnology. The paper was also shortlisted for publication in a peer reviewed scientific journal. Similarly, the poster entitled 'Evidence on the presence of a viral pathogen IHNV in a SPF declared *Penaeus vannamei* (Boone,1931) broodstock consignment imported to India' presented in Hindi during the Biotechnology conference- BIOTRENDS 2016 at NIOT, Chennai from 19-21st Oct 2016, bagged the best poster award in the Hindi poster presentation cum competition.



Mrs. M. C. Remany receives First Prize Certificate for Best Scientific Paper presentation (poster) in Hindi from Dr. D. D. Ozha and award with cash prize from Prof. K. P. Joy.



AQF staff receives first prize award for Best Scientific Paper Presentation (Oral) from Dr. Mosses Inbaraj, Madras Christian College, Chennai.