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5. Publications : • Research papers: 25

• Popular articles: 4

• Book: 4

• Technical Bulletins: 4

• Book chapters: 7

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6. Awards and Recognitions : • Conferred AZRA Fellowship Award for the year 2016 by

Applied Zoologists Research Association (AZRA) in XV AZRA International Conference on "Recent Advances in Life Sciences" at Ethiraj College for Women, Chennai, Tamil Nadu

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• Prof. P. Kameswara Raw Award for Best Poster Presentation on "Reproductive biology of citrus trunk borer, *Pseudonemophas versteegi* Rits (Coleoptera: Cerambycidae) on Khasi mandarin" in the AZRA Silver Jubilee International Conference on "Probing biosciences for Food security and environmental safety" held at CRRI, Cuttack from 16 to 18

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 Third best poster for research paper on "Feeding potential of hoverfly *Dideopsis aegrota* (Syrphidae: Diptera) on citrus aphids" in National Symposium on Citriculture: A Road Map held from February 22-24, 2006 at ICAR Research Complex

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