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## 1<sup>st</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BIOCONTROL

APPROACHES & APPLICATIONS

27 - 29  
September  
2018

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ICAR- National Bureau of Agricultural  
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IN COLLABORATION WITH,

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IOBC Parthenium Working Group &  
Tuta Working Group

The International Association for the Plant  
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ICBC 2018  
CONFERENCE VENUE

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# CONFERENCE SUB THEMES

1. Biodiversity and Biosecurity
2. Conservation Strategies
3. Biotechnological Approaches in Biocontrol
4. Production and Utilization of Macrobiols for Insect Pest Management
5. Production and Utilization of Microbiols for Insect Pest and Disease Management
6. Biocontrol Compatible Approaches
7. Biological Control of Invasive Pests and Weeds
8. Biological Control: Industrial Perspective and Policy Issues
9. IOBC Parthenium Working Group Workshop
10. IOBC Tuta absoluta Working Group Workshop



## APPROACHES AND APPLICATIONS

Globally, upto 30% of agricultural yields are affected by pests and diseases despite intensive chemical pesticide use . Biological control of insect pests and diseases is one of the major ecosystem services provided to agriculture worldwide . Natural enemies such as predators, parasitoids and pathogens play a major role in limiting damage caused by nature and exotic pests. The main theme of the conference is to address issues related to various biological control approaches in the context of biodiversity, increased chemical pesticide pressure and climate change. The emphasis would also be on the challenges faced by researchers, farmers and other stakeholders in implementing biological control programs. The conference would include keynote addresses, plenary and oral presentations and poster sessions.

### INVITATION TO SUBMIT ABSTRACTS & LEAD PAPERS

Oral and poster abstracts are to be submitted using the online abstract submission system, website:<http://icbc2018bengaluru.com>

Only one abstract will be accepted per author as a senior author. No abstract will be included in the proceedings without the payment of registration fee.

All abstracts to be submitted as per the guidelines, view the Guidelines/rules available at <http://icbc2018bengaluru.com/Registration.html>

For Lead and Key note speaker: Please go through instructions to Authors of "Biological Science and technology(BST)", for style at <http://www.tandfonline.com/action/authorSubmission?show=instructions&journalcode=cbst20>

For abstract submission: follow style of "Journal of Biological Control(JBC)"<http://www.informaticsjournals.com/index.php/jbc/pages/view/ia>.



## ICBC 2018 IMPORTANT DATES



- ✓ Abstract Submission Between 1 January 2018 to 31 April 2018
- ✓ Abstract Review Between 1 May 2018 to 15 May 2018
- ✓ Abstract Status Notification Between 16 May 2018 to 30 May 2018
- ✓ Lead Papers and Key Note addresses 31 January 2018
- ✓ Early Bird Registration Deadline 31 May 2018

## REGISTRATION FEE

Category	Before 31May2018	From 31August2018
Scientists/Researchers (Non SAARC Countries)	\$200 (INR13,000)	\$250 (INR 16,000)
Scientists/Researchers (SAARC Countries)	\$150 (INR10,000)	\$200 (INR 13,000)
Students (Non SAARC Countries)	\$125 (INR 8,000)	\$175 (INR 11,000)
Students (SAARC Countries)	\$100 (INR 6,000)	\$120 (INR 7,000)

### Registration Fee Includes

Technical Session; Session coffee/Tea; lunch & Dinner; Conference bag and conference accessories; conference document (proceedings on book); Gala dinner on 27 September 2018

#### NOTE:

Please be advised that your registration fee does not include travel, insurance and accommodation .Please ensure that you have your own insurance policy before travelling.