UGC-NRCBS, Madurai Kamaraj University invites applications from research scholars, post-docs, young faculty members and scientists of Indian universities/research institutions for the Winter School on ‘Plant Tissue Culture Applications’ to be held from 8–22 August 2011. The Winter School will provide hands-on training on various Plant Tissue Culture (PTC) techniques such as callus induction, membrane lipid analysis, transformation of GFP/GUS into plant by using Agrobacterium and confirmation using PCR. The detailed instruction and application form can be downloaded from the website www.nrcbsmku.org or www.genomicsmku.org. Candidates should submit the filled application form to Prof. K. Manoharan, Convener, UGC-NRCBS Winter School on ‘Plant Tissue Culture Applications’, School of Biological Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai 625 021 on or before 20 July 2011. Applications should be forwarded by their research supervisor/Head of the department or Head of the institution. Applications sent via e-mail will also be considered. The duly forwarded hard copy should reach within a week. The candidates will be selected based on the qualification and research interests. TA/DA will be provided to the selected participants as per the MK University regulations.

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