UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS
CENTRE FOR ADVANCED STUDIES IN BOTANY
GUINDY CAMPUS, CHENNAI 600 025

Certificate: Under IUUI mode
Summer Workshop on Fungal Biotechnology

Batch I – May 12–19, 2008
Batch II – May 26–June 1, 2008

Content of the programme: Microscopy/isolation of fungi from different environmental niche including
plant pathogens, fungal DNA isolation and RAPD, protoplast fusion technique, identification of fungi –
ascomycetes, mushrooms, coelomycetes, photomicrography, food spoilage – preservation, gene transfer
techniques, industrial enzymes and bioprocess – SSF technology, isolation, identification and characterization
of taxol, cyclosporin and antibiotics, mycorrhizal biotechnology, IPR and biosafety.

Nominal Fee: Rs 2400
Limited participants
Demand draft to be drawn in the favour of ‘The Registrar, University of Madras, A/C Dean Industrial
Consultancy’ payable at Chennai.

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ANNOUNCEMENT FOR AWARDS: 2008–2009

1. Prof. Hira Lal Chakravarty Award: Applications in prescribed forms are invited from Indian
scientists, below 40 years of age as on December 31, 2007 with Ph.D. degree from any University or
Institution in India, having significant contributions in any branch of Plant Sciences. The award is
given on original independent published work carried out in India within three years prior to the award.
The award carries a cash amount of Rs 4000 and a Certificate. Awardee will be required to deliver a
lecture on the topic of his/her specialization during annual session of the Indian Science Congress in
the Section of Plant Sciences. Last date of submitting application is July 31, 2008.

2. Pran Vohra Award: Applications in prescribed forms are invited from Indian Scientists, below 35
years of age as on December 31, 2007 with Ph.D. degree from any University or Institution in India,
having significant contributions in any branch of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences. The award is
given on original independent published work carried out in India within three years prior to the award.
The award carries a cash amount of Rs 10,000 and a Certificate. Awardee will be required to deliver a
lecture on the topic of his/her specialization in the Section of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences during
the Indian Science Congress Session. Last date of submitting application is July 31, 2008.

For proforma of application forms and necessary information, please write to the General Secretary
(Hqrs), The Indian Science Congress Association, 14, Dr Biresh Guha Street, Kolkata 700 017.
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