

Programme Schedule
National Symposium on “Frontiers in Entomology-2025” &
ESI Foundation Day
(7th January, 2025)

9.30-9.40 AM	Invocation	PG Students
9.40-9.45 AM	Welcome address	Dr. M.K. Dhillon Head, Division of Entomology & Vice President, ESI
9.45-9.50 AM	Introduction of Chairman	Dr. V.V. Ramamurthy President, ESI
9.50-9.55 AM	Introduction of Speaker	Dr. Sachin S. Suroshe General Secretary, ESI
10:00-10.45 AM	ESI Foundation Day-2025 Lecture	Dr. D.P. Abrol NAAS Fellow & Former Dean, SKUAST, Jammu
10.45-10.55 AM	Remarks by Chairman & Felicitation of Speaker	Dr. Ch. Srinivasa Rao Director & Vice Chancellor, ICAR- IARI, New Delhi
10.55- 11.10AM	Conferring ESI Honours – Life time Achievement/Hon. Fellow/Other Awards	Director, ICAR- IARI & President, ESI
11.10-11.15 AM	Vote of Thanks	Dr. S. Subramanian Professor, Entomology, ICAR- IARI & Zonal President (ESI HQ, Delhi)
11.00-11.15	Group photo & Tea Break	
PANEL DISCUSSION		
<p>Chairman Dr. Poonam Jasrotia, ADG (PP), ICAR, New Delhi</p> <p>Co-chairman Dr. J.P. Singh, Plant Protection Advisor to GOI</p> <p>Rapporteurs Dr. Sachin S. Suroshe, General Secretary ESI Dr. P.R. Shashank, Joint Secretary, ESI</p>		
11.30-1.30 pm	Panel Discussion	Dr. A.K. Karnatak VC, MPUAT, Udaipur Dr. R.S. Chandel VC, Dr. YSPUHF, Nauni, HP Dr. S.N. Sushil Director, ICAR- NBAIR, Bengaluru Dr. Vandana Tripathi NC, Pesticide Residues, New Delhi Dr. Archana Sinha CIBRC, Faridabad Industry representatives from : Multiplex, Dhanuka, UPL, PI, ATGC
LUNCH BREAK [1:30-2:30 PM]		

ESI AWARD LECTURES

Chairman

Dr. Subhash Chander

Director, ICAR- National Centre for Integrated Pest Management, New Delhi

Co-Chairman

Dr. S.N. Sushil

Director, ICAR- National Bureau of Agricultural Insect Resources, Bengaluru

2.30-2.35 PM	Welcome Address	Dr. Sachin S. Suroshe, General Secretary, ESI
2.35-2.50 PM	Presentation by ESI Best Teacher Awardees/Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr S. Subramanian• Dr Badal Bhattacharya• Dr. K. Suresh
2.50-3.20 PM	Presentation by ESI Senior Entomologist Awardees/Certificate	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Rajashekar Y• Dr. Satnam Singh• Dr. Gandhi Gracy R• Dr. Subhash Rajpurohit
3.20-3.50 PM	Presentation by ESI Industry Awardees	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Ujjwal Kumar• Mr. K Sriram• Dr. Shanthakumar SP
3.50-4.00 PM	Remarks and presentation of citations	President, ESI & Chairman and Co-Chairman of the session
TEA BREAK (4.00-4.15 PM)		
Chairman Dr. A.K. Karnatak VC, MPUAT, Udaipur Co-Chairman Dr. R.S. Chandel VC, Dr. YSPUHF, Nauri, HP		
4.15-4.40 PM	Presentation by ESI Young Entomologist Awardees	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Fazil Hasan• Dr. Prasannakumar NR• Dr. Richa Varshney• Dr. Sagar D
4.40-5.15 PM	Presentation by ESI Best Ph.D Thesis Awardees	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Neenu Augustine• Dr. Mogili Ramaiah• Dr. Muthukatturaja M• Dr. Keerthi MC
5.15-5.30 PM	Remarks and Presentation of Citations	President, ESI & Chairman and Co-Chairman of the session
5.30 PM	Vote of Thanks	Dr. Rajna, S. Organising Secretary