

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION SYSTEM (ENVIS RP)

**Faculty of Marine Sciences,
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ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY**

**‘International Day for Biological Diversity - 2020’
Webinar on ‘Marine Biodiversity and Conservation’**

The International day for Biological Diversity was celebrated at ENVISRP, CASMB, Faculty of Marine Sciences, Annamalai University from 22nd to 23rd May, 2020 by organizing an online webinar sessions on ‘Marine Biodiversity and Conservation’. The participants for the webinar sessions were teaching faculty, researchers and students and totally **1538 participants** were applied from which **362 were participated** and received the certificates.

Prof. Dr. M. Srinivasan, Dean and Director of the Centre initiated the programme by delivering a special lecture titled ‘Why to Conserve Marine Biodiversity’?. and motivated the participants in the aspects of Biodiversity Conservation.

Subsequently, Prof. Dr. P. Sampathkumar, Prof. Dr. P. Anantharaman, Prof. P. Soundarapandian, Dr. G Ananthan, Dr. T. Ramanathan, Dr. K. Sivakumar, Dr. B. Deivasigamani, Associate Professors and Dr. P. Sureshkumar, Assistant Professor continued the sessions by delivering various aspects of marine biodiversity conservation.

ENVIS RP team members actively organized the event and successfully conducted all the webinar sessions in order to commemorate the “International Day for Biological Diversity -2020’.

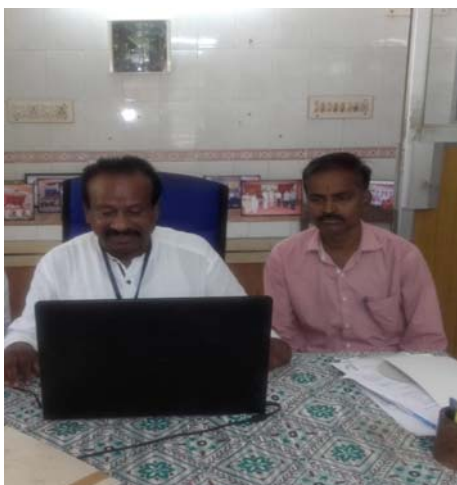
Glimpses of the 'International Day for Biological Diversity-2020'



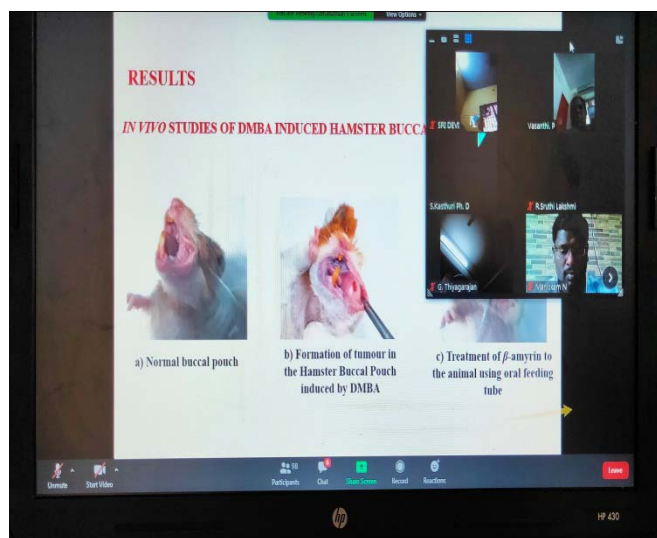
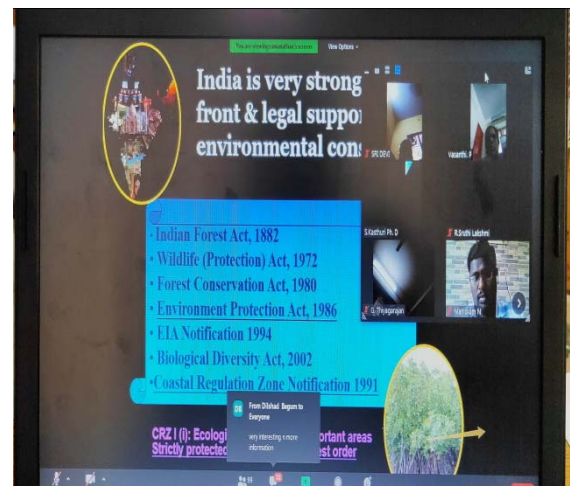
ENVIS Co-ordinator, Prof. Dr. M. Srinivasan initiating the event



Prof Dr. P. Sampathkumar delivering lecture on 'Diversity of Marine Plankton'.



Prof Dr. P. Soundarapandian giving lecture on 'Diversity of Crustaceans' and Dr. G. Ananthan addressing on 'Diversity of Ascidians'.



International day of Biodiversity webinar participants