

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

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### Dehradun

- Dr. V.N. Sharda, Director, awarded Shankar Memorial Award for the year 2008-09 for excellent contributions in the field of Soil and Water Conservation Engineering by Indian Society of Agricultural Engineers, New Delhi.
- Dr. V.N. Sharda, Director, Guest of Honour, Inaugural Function of All India Seminar on Watershed Management and Efficient Micro Irrigation in Mountainous Indian Himalayas, organized by The Institution of Engineers (India), Oct. 24-25, 2009, Dehradun.
- Dr. K.S. Dadhwal, Head, SS&A awarded the prestigious Fellowship of the Indian Society of Soil Science (Photo 47) in recognition of his outstanding work on 'Characterization and rehabilitation of degraded mine spoil areas in outer Himalayas' during the Platinum Jubilee Celebrations at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Society on December 22, 2009 at New Delhi.
- CSWCRTI, Dehradun won the 2<sup>nd</sup> prize for best stall in the group of



**Photo 47: Dr. K.S. Dadhwal, Head, SS&A, receiving ISSS-Fellowship Award for the year 2009 from Dr. Panjab Singh, Ex-Secretary, DARE & DG, ICAR**



**Photo 48: CSWCRTI won 2<sup>nd</sup> prize trophy for the best exhibits in ICAR/GoI Group during All India Farmers' Fair (North Zone) and Agro-Industrial Exhibition at SVPUA&T, Meerut**

ICAR/GoI during All India Farmer's Fair (North Zone) and Agro-Industrial Exhibition' at Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel University of Agriculture & Technology, Meerut held at university campus from March 10-12, 2010 (Photo 48).

- Dr. B.L. Dhyani, Head, HRD&SS conferred with Fellowship of Indian Association of Soil & Water Conservationists, Dehradun for the year 2008 by Hon'ble Minister of Land Development and Water Resources, Govt. of U.P. Shri A.K. Dohare on 16 Sept., 2009 during FESCO - 2009 at CSWCRTI RC, Agra.

## Agra

- Dr. S.K. Dubey, Head, received *Krishi Shodh Vigyan Puruskar* Award for the year 2008-09 from Nagar Rajbhasha Karyanvayan Samiti, Agra under Deptt. of Rajbhasha, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi (Photo 49).

## Chandigarh

- Dr. A.K. Tiwari, Head was conferred upon with Gold Medal Award - 2009 of Indian Association of Soil & Water Conservationist in recognition of his outstanding contributions in the field of soil & water conservation by Shri A.K. Dohare Hon'ble Minister of Land Development and Water Resource, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh.
- Dr. (Miss) Sharmistha Pal, Scientist (Soils) was awarded ICAR Jawaharlal Nehru Award for Outstanding Post Graduate Agricultural Research 2009 in the field of Soil Science and Natural Resource Management and Agronomy from Shri Sharad Pawar, Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture & Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, Govt. of India on



Photo 49 : Dr. S.K. Dubey, Head, CSWCRTI RC, Agra receiving the *Krishi Shodh Vigyan Puruskar*

July 16, 2010 during the ICAR foundation Day & Award Ceremony function at New Delhi. Award consist of a cash prize of Rs. 20,000, a medal and a citation.

## Udhagamandalam

- CSWCRTI, Research Centre, Udhagamandalam won Hindi Award for best performance during 2009-10 among 85 Central Government Offices in the Nilgiris district' by the Town Official Language Implementation Committee, The Nilgiris. Award was received by Dr. O.P.S. Khola, Head of the Research Centre (Photo 50).



Photo 50 : Dr. O.P.S. Khola, Head receiving the Hindi Award

- Dr. S. Manivannan, Sr. Scientist (SWC Engg.) received the prestigious Vasantrao Naik Award for outstanding Research Applications in Dryland Agriculture-2008 from Dr. Farooq Abadullah, Union Minister of New & Renewable Energy, Govt. of India for development, evaluation and transfer of *in-situ* soil and water conservation bio-engineering measures and micro scale water harvesting structures for

sustainable production of Cashew in Goa and Kokan region at award ceremony held at New Delhi on the Foundation Day of ICAR on 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2009 (Photo 51). Award consists of a cash prize of Rs. one lakh and a citation.

### Vasad

- Dr. R.S. Kurothe, Head was conferred with as 'Fellow-2009' of the Indian Association of Soil & Water Conservationists by Shri A.K. Dohare, Hon'ble Minister of Land



**Photo 51: Dr. S. Manivannan, Sr. Scientist receiving the Vasantrao Naik Award-2008 from Dr. Farooq Abadullah, Union Minister on July 16, 2009 at New Delhi**



**Photo 52: Dr. R.S. Kurothe, Head, receiving Fellowship Award-2009 from Shri A.K. Dohare, Hon'ble Minister of Land Development and Water Resource, Govt. of UP**

Development and Water Resource, Govt. of U.P. for outstanding contributions in 'Conservation and Management of Natural Resources' (Photo 52).

- Dr. B. Krishna Rao conferred with Young Scientist Award of National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS) for his significant contributions in the field of Agricultural Engineering and Technology during 9<sup>th</sup> Agricultural Science Congress.

### Bellary

Dr. A. Raizada, Head conferred upon with the Indian Association of Soil & Water Conservationists Gold Medal for the year 2008 by Shri A.K. Dohare, Hon'ble Minister of Land Development and Water Resource, Govt. of UP on 16 Sept., 2009 for his significant contribution towards the activities of the Association (Photo 53).



**Photo 53: Dr. A. Raizada, Head receiving IASWC Gold Medal-2008 from Shri A.K. Dohare, Hon'ble Minister of Land Development & Water Resource, Govt. of UP**