



icaz'26



23-24 JANUARY 2026

**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON
APPLIED ZOOLOGY**

"Sustainable Stride for the Future"

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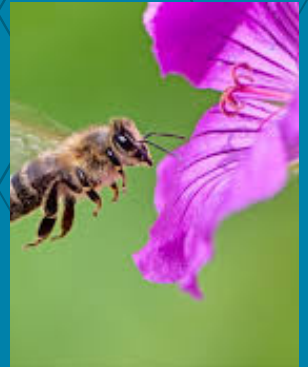


Location :



Venue :

**Thorle Bajirao
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ABOUT CONFERENCE

Applied zoology bridges the gap between theoretical science and practical applications, addressing real-world problems in conservation, agriculture, medicine, and environmental management. As human activities increasingly impact ecosystems, applied zoology plays a vital role in developing innovative solutions.

Conference Objectives

By knowledge sharing on fundamentals to recent advancements in applied zoology and collaboration among researchers, scientists, conservationists, and policymakers to refine on sustainable solutions in the segments of wildlife biology, ecosystem health, and resource management.

Conference Highlights

- Keynote Presentations:** Renowned experts sharing insights.
- Oral Talks:** Research presentations on applied zoology.
- Poster Presentations:** Showcase innovative research.



Building on its successful history of organizing conferences on topics such as mangroves, biodiversity, and ecosystem services, the department aims to bring together experts and researchers to share knowledge and innovations in applied zoology.

The Department of Zoology is proud to host the International Conference on Applied Zoology (icaz' 2026) on January 23-24, 2026

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Preparatory Workshops	Date	Scan to Register
1st	20th September 2025	
2nd	22nd November 2025	

Call for Participation

The conference welcomes submissions from academics, industry professionals, and NGO representatives seeking to share their findings through articles, posters, or engaging oral presentations. Exceptional research will be considered for publication in reputable, Scopus and Web of Science-indexed journals, or become part of the esteemed conference proceedings. Authors whose papers are selected for journal publication will be informed for the applicable Article Processing Charges (APCs) by the editorial board."

Important Dates

1 st Preparatory Workshop	: 20 th September 2025
2 nd Preparatory Workshop	: 22 nd November 2025
Last date of Registration	: 15 th December 2025
Abstract/Full Length Paper submission:	15 th December 2025
Conference Dates	: 23 rd - 24 th January 2026

Conference Themes

Agriculture Biology	Animal Husbandry	Animal Physiology
Apiculture	Applied biology	Aquaculture
Biodiversity and Conservation	Bioinformatics	Biotechnology
Cell Biology	Developmental Biology	Ecology and Environment Science
Entomology	Ethology	Evolutionary Biology
Genetics	Molecular Biology	Sericulture
Veterinary Biology	Wildlife Management	Zoo Pharmacognosy
Special Focus on Indian Knowledge System (IKS)		
Taxidermy	Ancient Zoology	Traditional Animal Products

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PAST CONFERENCES

2018-2019	Zoology	International Conference on Ecology, Ethology & Environment Management (ICEEE2019)
2015-2016	Zoology and Environmental Sciences	International conference on Ecosystem services of wetlands 'Ardrabhumi 2016'
2013-2014	Zoology and Environmental Science	National conference on Biodiversity Status and Challenges in Conservation – Faveo 2013
2008-2009	Zoology	National Conference on National Seminar “Wonderful world of insects”
2002-2003	Zoology	National Conference on “Creeks, Estuaries and Mangroves: Pollution and Conservation”

INSTRUCTIONS TO AUTHORS

- Advanced registration with fees is compulsory for all the authors and co-authors of the research papers/manuscripts accepted at ica26.
- English is the official language of the conference; hence all communication will be in English only.
- Submission of a abstract / paper / manuscript by authors will be considered as original research not previously published elsewhere.
- Selected papers will be included and published in the highly index journal or conference proceedings. The decision of the editorial board in this concern will be final.
- The manuscript should be in A4 size. Left, right, top and bottom margins should be 2.00 cm each.
- The Title should be specific and in 14-point Times New Roman.
- A blank line should be left after the title. Names of authors, affiliations and e-mails should be provided after the title.
- Font size throughout the paper should be 12-point in Times New Roman, in single space, and justified.
- The Abstract should be a summary of the paper not more than 200-words along with 4-5 keywords.
- Entire manuscript should be prepare in black and white / grey scale.
- One blank line should be allowed between the components of the paper (i.e. introduction, materials and methods, observations, results, discussions, conclusion, acknowledgement and references).
- For titles of tables, graphs and figures, sentence case should be used.
- Texts used in tables, graphs, figures and images should be in Times New Roman. (Font size 10 pt.).
- References should be at the end of the paper in APA format.
- Abbreviations should comply with the standard use. They should be given in full format at the first place they are used. SI unit should be employed where applicable.
- Full-length paper should not exceed the limit of 3000 text words.
- All submissions must be by email attachment in MS words only.
- All papers must adhere to above mentioned format otherwise papers will not be processed.

Registration Charges (Inclusive of two preparatory workshops)

	On or Before 15th December 2025	After 15th December 2025	Spot Registration
Research Scholars/Students	Rs.1500	Rs.2000	Rs.2000
Academic delegates	Rs.3000	Rs.3500	Rs.3500
Industry Professionals /NGO's	Rs.5000	Rs.5500	Rs.5500
Participants outside India	USD 150	USD 200	USD 200

- The charges do not include any meals at the preparatory workshop.
- Registration fee includes a proceeding, lunch and snacks for conference days.
- Participants should make their own arrangements of accommodation.
- All correspondence should be handled on icaz26@vpmthane.org
- DD should be drawn in favor of: Principal, B. N. Bandodkar College of Science, Thane"
- All participants must submit the complete registration form along with DD or Bank transfer details.
- Advanced registration with fees is compulsory for all the authors and Co-authors of the research papers/ manuscripts accepted at icaz'2026.

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