

Dr. S.KEDHARNATH MEMORIAL LECTURE 2024 (KML-2024)



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In honour of the pioneering contribution and services of Dr.S.Kedharnath in the field of Tree Improvement, the Dr.Kedharnath Memorial Lecture is being conducted at IFGTB, Coimbatore since 2013. Dr.S.Kedharnath pioneered in implementing scientific and systematic Genetic Improvement programs in species such as Teak, Sandal, Pine and Eucalypts in our country and is often referred to as the '***Father of Forest Genetics in India***'. He served as the Forest Geneticist and Director Biological Research in the Forest Research Institute, Dehradun. He specialized in applied tree improvement, Cytogenetics, Mutation Breeding and hybridization. The Tenth Dr.S.Kedharnath Memorial Lecture (***KML-2024***) is scheduled on the 15 March, 2024, 9.00 AM at Auditorium, ICFRE-IFGTB, Coimbatore. Dr.Mohan Varghese a renowned tree breeder and former ICFRE Scientist will be delivering the tenth lecture in the series. On behalf of the Staff of IFGTB I feel privileged to invite to attend this event.

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