

NIAB Seminar Series

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“Genetic determinants of antibody mediated protection in FMD”

Speaker

Dr. Mana Mahapatra

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Biography:

- **Dr. Mana Mahapatra** is trained as a veterinarian at Orissa university of Agriculture and technology (OUAT)- 1988
- Specialized in Veterinary Biochemistry (MVSc)- OUAT, 1990
- Joined as Assistant professor, Faculty of Veterinary science, OUAT-1990-1999
- PhD (Molecular Virology) through Commonwealth scholarship, UK -Royal Vet college, Univ. of London- Thesis title: Application of reverse genetics to develop chimeric vaccines for PPR-2002
- Joined as scientist at IAH, Pirbright working on Morbilliviruses- Mainly looking at the role of the matrix protein in morbillivirus morphogenesis- 2002-2005.
- Promoted to senior scientist to work on FMDV vaccine strain selection since 2005-till date.

The presentation will be for 45 minutes followed by 15 minutes for discussion.

**Venue: Auditorium, NIAB, D. No. 1-121/1, 4th & 5th Floors, Axis Clinicals Building,
Opp. Talkie Town, Miyapur, Hyderabad**

Time: 11 AM to 12 PM