

**Agenda:** Focus Group Interactive Dialogue on Biological Diversity Act, 2002 and its Access and Benefit Sharing Provisions on 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2018 at Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh.

**Date:** 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2018

**Venue:** Auditorium HP University

In order to conserve and sustain biodiversity of the State and to implement programmes and strategies related with biodiversity conservation at the state and national level it is realized that the Research Scholars, Faculty and Students of Himachal Pradesh University should be made aware about the provisions, scopes and role of Biological Diversity Act, 2002, so it was decided by HP State Biodiversity Board to make Research Scholars, Faculty and Students of Himachal Pradesh University aware about the role and scope of Biological Diversity Act, 2002. In this connection a dialogue is being organized at HP University, Shimla under supervision of Sh. Kunal Satyarthi, Member Secretary, Himachal Pradesh State Biodiversity Board. Prof. Sikander Kumar, Honorable Vice Chancellor, HP University would be the Chief Guest, Prof. Sushma Sharma, Dean Life Sciences, HP University and Prof. Kamaljeet Singh, Dean-Students Welfare, HP University would also be present in the workshop. Scientists and officials from HP State Biodiversity Board would also attend the workshop and would deliver the lectures.