



LAKE 2012

NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CONSERVATION AND
MANAGEMENT OF WETLAND ECOSYSTEMS



06 -08, NOVEMBER 2012

Organised by
SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KOTTAYAM, KERALA

Sir/Madam,

I invite your kind attention to the LAKE – 2012: “National Conference on Conservation and Management of Wetland Ecosystems” organized by School of Environmental Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala from 6th to 8th November 2012. The conference is organized in association with Advanced Centre of Environmental Studies and Sustainable Development, M.G. University and Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.

The inaugural ceremony of the Lake – 2012 will be held at the School of Chemical Sciences Auditorium, Mahatma Gandhi University, on Tuesday 6th November 2012 at 9.15 am.

On behalf of the organizing committee, I am glad to invite you for the Inaugural session of the conference, the schedule of the same is given below.

Thanking you

Dr. E.V. Ramasamy
Convener, Lake - 2012

INAUGURAL SESSION
Tuesday, 6th November 2012
(9.15 am – 10.15 am)

Welcome and	: Dr. E.V. Ramasamy
Introductory Remarks	Convener, Lake - 2012
Chair	: Dr. Rajan Varughese Hon’ble Pro-Vice-Chancellor Mahatma Gandhi University
Inaugural Address	: Dr. P.M. Rajan Gurukkal Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor Mahatma Gandhi University



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Kerala State Biodiversity Board



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Department of Environment and
Climate Change



Ministry of Water Resources

- Keynote Address : **Dr. K.K. Ramachandran**
Member Secretary
Kerala State Council for Science,
Technology and Environment
- Release of abstract volume : **Dr. Oommen V. Oommen**
Chairman, Kerala State Biodiversity Board
- Felicitations : **Sri. Satheesh Kochuparambil**
Member, Syndicate
Mahatma Gandhi University
- : **Dr. T.V. Ramachandra**
IISc. Bangalore
- : **Dr. A.P. Thomas**
Director, ACESSD, M.G. University
- Vote of Thanks : **Dr. C.T. Aravindakumar**
Dean and Director
School of Environmental Sciences
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VALEDICTORY SESSION
Thursday, 8th November, 2012
(4.30 pm - 5.30 pm)

- Welcome : **Dr. C.T. Aravindakumar**
Dean and Director
School of Environmental Sciences
- Chair : **Dr. Rajan Varughese**
Hon'ble Pro-Vice-Chancellor
Mahatma Gandhi University
- Valedictory Address : **Dr. V.N. Rajasekharan Pillai**
Executive Vice President
Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and
Environment
- Prize Distribution and
Special Remarks : **Mr. Sreekantan Nair**
Director
Dept. of Environment and Climate Change,
Govt. of Kerala
- Concluding Remarks and
Vote of Thanks : **Dr. E.V. Ramasamy**
Convener, Lake - 2012
- National Anthem

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