



VIROCON-2026



National Symposium on
Viruses in a Changing World: Ecology, Evolution and Future Preparedness

First Announcement



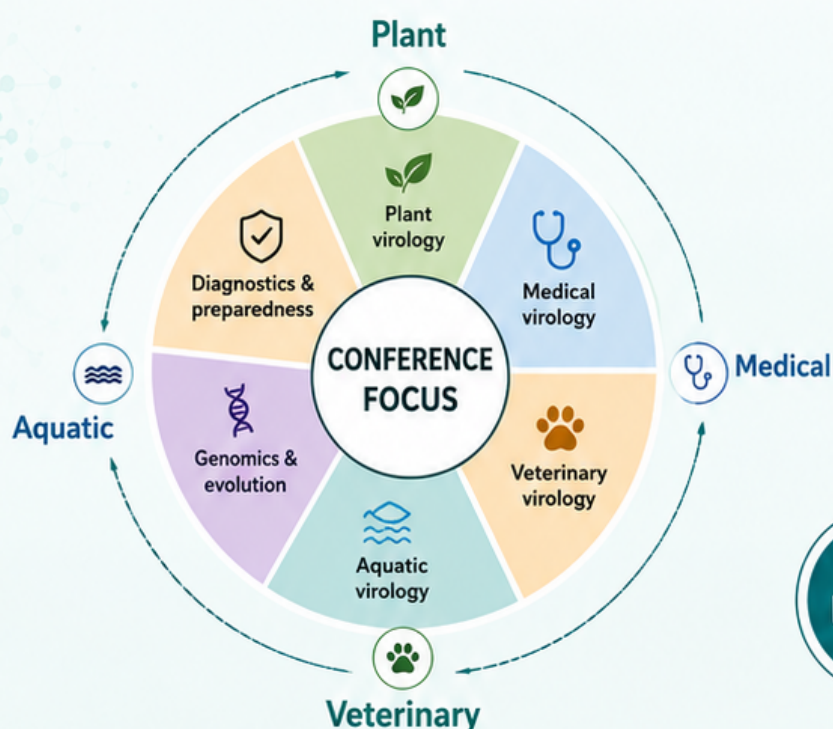
11-13 November 2026



**Hotel Lemon Tree Premier,
Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala**

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Abstract submission opens on

1 August 2026

Early-bird registration till

15 September 2026



Pre-conference workshop on each
branch - 10 November 2026 at
ICAR-CTCRI

TECHNICAL SESSION THEMES

Emerging science, field preparedness and integrated virology across ecosystems



1 Emerging &
transboundary viral
pathogens



2 Ecological dynamics &
eco-viral drivers



3 Point-of-care,
CRISPR & field
diagnostics



4 Computational
virology, AI &
surveillance



5 Vironomics,
metagenomics &
evolution



6 Host-virus-vector
interplay &
pathogenesis



7 Novel therapeutics &
next-gen vaccines



8 Climate change and
eco-viral emergence



Core focus: Plant, medical, veterinary and aquatic virology with One Health and technological interfaces



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