# ZOOLOGY NEWS

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## **Announcement:**

The Zoology News is the informal newsletter to share news and information among the staff members of the Department of Zoology. The initiative was done by Head/ Zoology (Dr. Mrs. Gnaneswaran) and Prof.S.N.Surendran. Please share your achievements and encourage this news letter.

## **Publications:**

New research published: <u>DNA barcoding of Sri Lankan phlebotomine</u> sand flies using cytochrome c oxidase subunit I reveals the presence of cryptic species. K Gajapathy, T Tharmasegaram, T Eswaramohan, LBSL Peries, Jayanetti, R, Surendran, S.N. Acta Tropica 161, 1-7

## **Grants and other services:**



 Prof SN Surendran has rendered his service for the ISF on the research colloquia by talking on insect trans genomics.
Department of Zoology continues its out reach activity through genuine contributions!

## **Achievements:**

Prof S N Surendran is ready to get his yet another president award for 2014. Congratulations to him!

## **Research to Read:**

An interesting paper on nuptial gift cheaters: Evolution of deceit by worthless donations in a nuptial gift-giving spider. Current Zoology. 2014. 60 (by Paolo Giovanni et al.

See image on top for a nuptial gift lender