

Prof Savita Kerkar, Senior Professor of Biotechnology and Dean, School of Biological Sciences and Biotechnology conferred with the *Goa State Biodiversity Conservation Award* on 23 May 2023 for the Magnanimous Research over 33 years on the Biodiversity of Saltpan bacteria of Goa and the natural salt and their various biotechnological applications.

Congratulation Prof Kerkar!

