Ms. Rashmi Thakare (Suryawanshi), an AcSIR Ph.D. student at CSIR-NEERI, received national recognition with the Certificate of Excellence at the 66th National Symposium 2025 (Hyderabad), organised by CLFMA of India, for her essay on "Innovations in Dairy Management Practices to Control Cost of Production of Milk in Various Climatic Conditions with Relevant Data," which was selected from over 140 submissions nationwide. The award was presented by Prof. S. P. Singh Baghel, Hon'ble Minister of State for Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying, and Minister of State in the Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Govt. of India, in the presence of eminent dignitaries and CLFMA leadership. Ms. Thakare is currently pursuing her research in the Waste & Chemical Toxicity Assessment Sub-vertical at CSIR-NEERI under the guidance of Dr. S. Sarvanadevi, Chief Scientist, CSIR-NEERI.

