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The winner of the inaugural Dr Jack Warcup Memorial Prize (student prize for the best talk/poster at the Society's conference in August 1999), was Nai Tran-Dinh, from the Department of Microbiology, the University of Sydney.

The abstract for the talk was published in *Australasian Mycologist* **18**, 35 (1999).

**Biological control of aflatoxigenic *Aspergillus* spp. using molecular approaches.**

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### MYCOSURFING ON THE WORLD WIDE WEB

A set of mycorrhizal webpages are now available online at:

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They are an introduction to mycorrhizas with sections on: roots; VAM; ECM; roles of mycorrhizae; associations of Australian plants; ectomycorrhizal associates of eucalypts; Australian ectomycorrhizal fungi; plus notes on methods, referenes, *etc.*

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**Figure 1.** Developmental stages of *Chlorophyllum molybdites* fruit bodies from Floreat Park, Perth, Western Australia. Note the dark, coarse scales which develop on the pileus, and overall resemblance to species of *Macrolepiota*. The specimen shown at top centre had begun to develop greenish-tinged lamellae but had not yet matured fully. *Photo:* N.L. Bougher, February 1998.

**Figure 2:** Mature *Chlorophyllum molybdites* fruit bodies from Perth with green lamellae. *Photo:* N.L. Bougher, February 1998.