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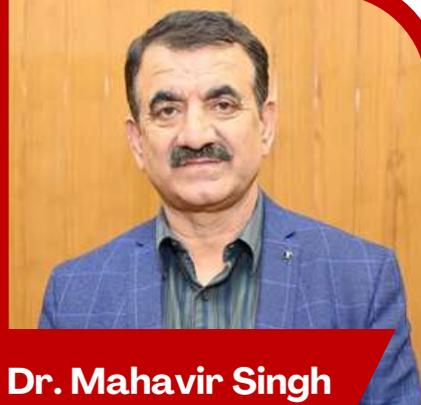
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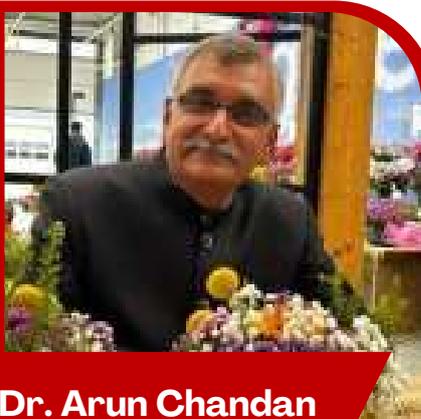
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# About

## Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education (ICFRE)

The Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education (ICFRE) is an autonomous body of the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India. Its vision is to achieve long term ecological stability, sustainable development and economic security through conservation and scientific management of forest ecosystems. Its mission is to generate, advance and disseminate scientific knowledge and technologies for ecological security, improved productivity, livelihood enhancement and sustainable use of forest resource through forestry research and education. ICFRE is an apex body in the national forestry research system that promotes and undertakes need based research, education and extension in the forestry sector

ICFRE has a pan India presence with its 09 research institutes (Arid Forest Research Institute, Jodhpur; Forest Research Institute, Dehradun; Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla; Institute of Forest Biodiversity, Hyderabad; Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi; Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore; Institute of Wood Science and Technology, Bengaluru; Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat and Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur) and 05 centers located at Agartala, Aizawl, Prayagraj, Chhindwara and Visakhapatnam. Each institute and center are directs and manages research, extension and education in forestry sector in the states under their jurisdiction.



# About

## Himalayan Forest Research Institute (HFRI)



Himalayan Forest Research Institute (HFRI), Shimla was established as High Level Conifer Regeneration Research Centre during May 1977 for carrying out Research on problem associated with natural regeneration of Silver Fir and Spruce. The institute made its humble beginning from this Centre and at the time of re-organization of forestry research in Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education (ICFRE), Dehradun, during 1998, Government of India appreciated the problems of Temperate Eco-system and decided to upgrade this Centre in to a full-fledged research institute.

# About

## National Medicinal Plant Board

The National Medicinal Plants Board (NMPB) plays an essential role in India's efforts to promote the cultivation, conservation, and sustainable management of medicinal plants. Recognizing the critical role of farmers in this sector, the NMPB has designed a comprehensive support system that not only ensures the availability of quality medicinal plants but also significantly enhances the livelihoods of farmers involved in their cultivation and collection.



# About

## I.S.A.H.R.D.



Indian Society of Agriculture & Horticulture Research Dev. (ISAHRD), New Delhi was founded in 2024. It is an autonomous research and educational organization registered under Society Registration Act XXI of 1860 & MSME. The society working in the field of agriculture, environment and farmers welfare for sustainable development and provides a unique platform to the scientists, academicians, researchers and policy makers for exchanging their ideas, encouraging research and disseminating knowledge. ISASTR is one of the largest networks of agriculture and allied sector & professionals in India and acts as a bridge between a network of Indian rural communities and other stakeholders, including government, development organizations and corporate entities. ISASTR does this through large-scale field implementation projects with integrated deployment of technological innovation for efficiency and upscale.

# Aim of The Conference

The 13th International Conference on Agriculture, Horticulture, Forestry & allied sciences for Sustainable Himalayan Ecosystems (ICAHFAS-2026) is a prominent global event that unites experts, researchers, policymakers, and industry leaders in the pursuit of a more sustainable and resilient agricultural future. The conference's central theme revolves around the integration of advanced agricultural technologies with holistic and ecological approaches to readdress the multifaceted challenges faced by the global agricultural sector. This platform serves as a catalyst for sharing cutting-edge insights, fostering collaboration, and exploring innovative solutions that promote not only higher agricultural productivity but also ecosystem resilience.

## Objectives

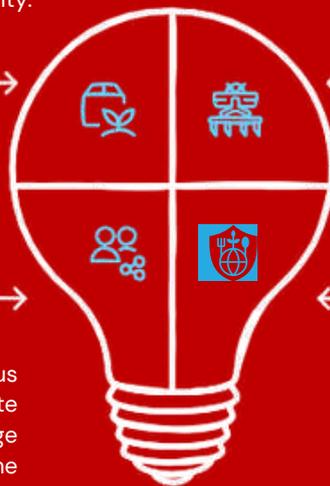
To promote sustainable agricultural practices that reduce the ecological footprint of farming. By emphasizing the adoption of eco-friendly technologies, the conference seeks to minimize resource depletion, decrease greenhouse gas emissions, and encourage the conservation of biodiversity.

To explore and showcase agri-tech innovations that enhance food production efficiency. This includes discussing precision farming techniques, crop monitoring systems, and smart agriculture solutions that increase crop yields while reducing waste and resource consumption.

**Latest Technologies**

**Stakeholder Collaboration**

To offer a platform for stakeholders from various sectors of the agriculture industry to collaborate and share their expertise. By facilitating knowledge exchange and networking, it encourages the development of partnerships and the transfer of best practices among farmers, researchers, policymakers, and industry leaders.



**Agritech Innovation**

**Global Food Security**

To address global food security challenges by harnessing agri-tech innovations. By identifying and promoting technologies that improve food production, quality, and distribution, the conference contributes to the global effort to combat food insecurity and malnutrition.

Participants engage in a wide array of topics, ranging from regenerative farming practices and biodiversity conservation to climate-responsive agriculture and the preservation of local and indigenous knowledge. The conference underscores the importance of human-centered agri-tech innovations, emphasizing user-friendly solutions that empower farmers and communities, irrespective of their digital capabilities. It also delves into policy and regulatory frameworks that play a pivotal role in supporting holistic, technology-driven solutions for sustainable agriculture. The International Conference aims to inspire a transformation in agriculture, where technology and ecological wisdom intersect, fostering sustainable practices that benefit both the environment and humanity. It stands as a critical forum for thought leaders to drive positive change in the agricultural landscape.

# Themes of The Conference

## Recent Trends in Agricultural, Horticulture, Veterinary and allied Sciences

1. Deforestation and forest degradation, Soil erosion and land degradation
2. Water scarcity and hydrological changes
3. Implications for agricultural productivity
4. New vistas and technologies in forages and animal sciences
5. Innovative approaches in Scientific and Sustainable Forest Management, Soil Health, Land Resources, and Land Use Planning and management
6. Innovation in precision Agriculture, Soil and Water Conservation for a sustainable agri-system
7. Modern aspects of crop production technologies
8. Organic Farming with residue-free production
9. Production & Management of Sericulture, Apiculture, Vermicomposting, Fishery, Mushroom, etc.
10. Innovative approach for enhancing the Farmers' income
11. Integrated management of Nutrient, Weed, Diseases & Pest Management
12. Scientific studies and development in allied sectors like fisheries, dairy, poultry, home science, etc.
13. Govt. Policies and planning for Sustainable
14. Development of Agriculture
15. Hi-tech Horticulture, Horticultural innovations, food processing, and value addition
16. Aquaculture: present and future
17. Innovation in agricultural engineering
18. Agricultural marketing, Export, entrepreneurship development, and Agri-business management opportunities
19. Income Analysis of production and marketing of Agri enterprise
20. Farm mechanization and post-harvest technologies to enhance farm profitability
21. Agribusiness education, research, extension and training
22. Agroforestry and sustainable development
23. Technological Innovations, Agroforestry for environmental conservation, climate change adaptation and mitigation
24. Agroforestry policies, implementation; and future approaches for enhanced impact

## Organic Farming for Sustainable Agriculture

1. Agroecology and Biodiversity Conservation in Organic Farming Systems
2. Organic Farming as a Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation Strategy
3. Challenges and Opportunities in Organic Farming
4. Capacity Building on Cutting-edge Technologies in organic Farming
5. Role of Extension in Promoting Organic Farming
6. Policy Formulation and Institutional Arrangement for Organic Farming
7. Regulatory Frameworks, National & International Certification & Accreditation Systems for Organic Farming
8. Collaborative Partnerships and Multi-stakeholder Engagement in Policy Development
9. Export-related Issues for Organic Farming

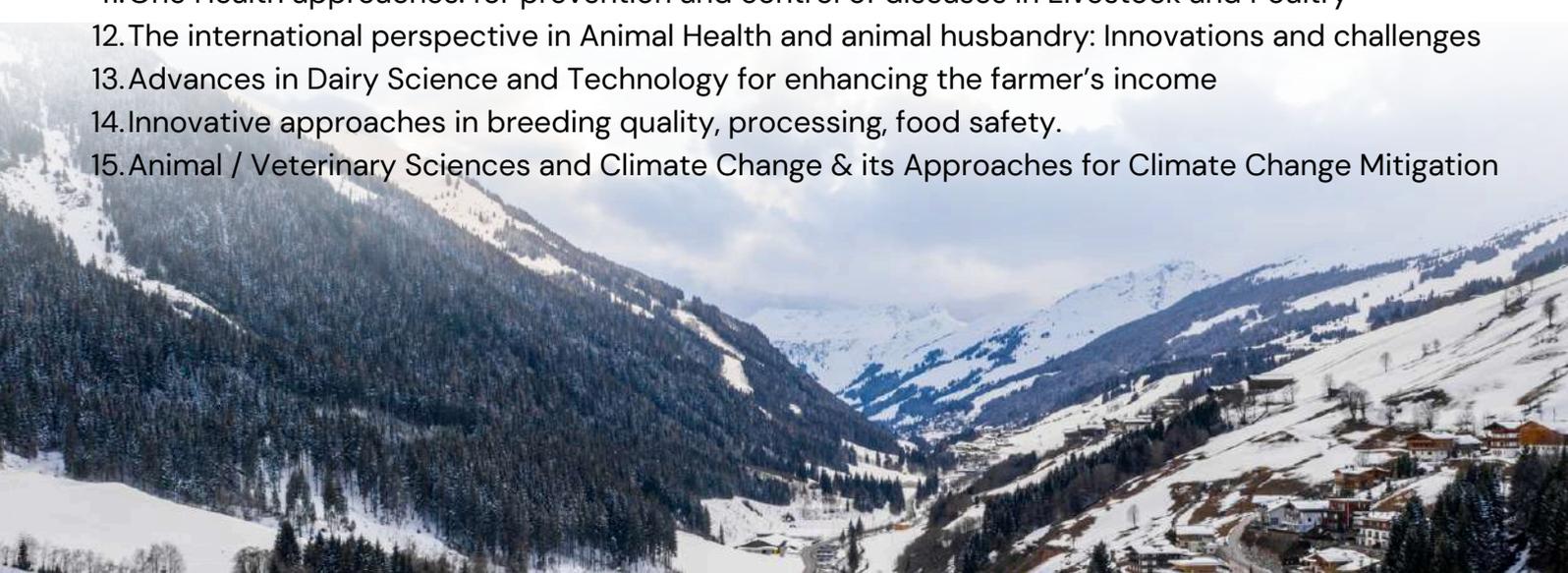
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## Agroforestry and Environmental Security

1. FOREST GENETIC RESOURCES FOR CLIMATE RESILIENCE AND FOREST HEALTH
2. ADAPTIVE FOREST MANAGEMENT: ISSUES AND CHALLENGES
3. CLIMATE-SMART FORESTRY: RESEARCH AND MANAGEMENT
4. Biodiversity: Status, Threats and its Conservation
5. Reorienting silviculture for scientific forest management
6. Climate resilient forest ecosystems: Vulnerability assessment, adaptation & mitigation
7. Bamboo & Wood Products: Optimum resource utilization through technology intervention
8. Forest policies and governance
9. Agroforestry for climate adaptation & environment conservation
10. Forest health management and forest protection
11. Bamboo and Trees outside Forests (ToF): Resource assessment, management and technology.

## Veterinary, Animal Husbandry, Poultry & Fisheries

1. The concept of Livestock health including poultry in One Health
2. Role of Veterinarians in meeting the challenges of health and welfare of livestock and global food security
3. Advancements in Medical Veterinary, Poultry, Fishery and Animal Husbandry
4. Wildlife Health, Conservation and Management
5. Nutrition & Gut Health, Animal Science Research Priorities
6. Conservation of indigenous breeds, breeding policy & Enhancement of animal productivity
7. National Issues in animal health and production & Contribution of working animals in rural economy
8. Veterinary Public Health, Epidemiology & Disease informatics, Approaches in Livestock and Poultry products technology
9. Conventional vs Molecular/Biotechnology advancements in vaccines and diagnostics in Animal Health & Production
10. Digitization in Livestock Health, Production & Reproduction
11. One Health approaches: for prevention and control of diseases in Livestock and Poultry
12. The international perspective in Animal Health and animal husbandry: Innovations and challenges
13. Advances in Dairy Science and Technology for enhancing the farmer's income
14. Innovative approaches in breeding quality, processing, food safety.
15. Animal / Veterinary Sciences and Climate Change & its Approaches for Climate Change Mitigation



# Themes of The Conference

## Comprehensive Strategies for the Promotion of Biosciences, Biotechnology, Microbiology & Environmental Sciences

1. Advances in molecular, cellular and systems biosciences, bioinformatics and biology
2. Agricultural, industrial and food biotechnology for sustainability
3. Medical, pharmaceutical and healthcare biotechnology innovations
4. Synthetic biology, metabolic engineering and nanobiotechnology
5. Microbial diversity, microbiome studies and microbial genomics
6. Microbiology in health, disease and antimicrobial resistance
7. Environmental sciences, biodiversity and climate change challenges
8. Environmental biotechnology, bioremediation and bioenergy solutions
9. Innovation, policy, ethics and capacity building in life sciences

## Climate Change and simulations

1. Atmospheric and oceanic processes & Climate feedback mechanisms
2. Impacts on terrestrial and marine ecosystems
3. Climate-adaptive nutrient management for soil and crop health
4. Gender-responsive conservation agriculture and resources management for technology adoption
5. Climate-smart pest and disease management strategies for sustainable productivity
6. Species extinction risks & Ecological resilience and adaptation strategies
7. Conservation approaches in a changing climate & Remote sensing applications for climate research
8. GIS-based analysis of climate data & Satellite observations and data assimilation
9. Advancements in climate monitoring technologies
10. Geography and Geospatial Technologies & Spatial Analysis of Climate Change
11. Urbanization and its effects on local climates & Developing options for climate change resilient crops
12. Abiotic/ biotic stress management under changing climate.
13. Application of Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning and drone Technology.
14. Adapting Environmental Stress: Technological Advances and Unique Biological Characteristics.
15. Climate change and global warming: Impacts, Policies, Planning, and Management.
16. Environmental and sustainable energy-friendly resources: renewable energy, green energy, bio-fuels and waste product energy.



# Themes of The Conference

## Life Sciences, Biomedical Sciences, Biotechnological aspects, Biodiversity (Plant/ Animal) and Biology

1. Molecular Biology, Bioinformatics, Biochemistry, Genetic Engineering and Enzymology
2. Production and Management of Sericulture, Apiculture, Forestry, Vermicomposting, Fishery, Mushroom, etc.
3. Innovative approach for enhancing the Farmers' income
4. Integrated management of Nutrient, Weed, Diseases and Pest Management
5. Scientific studies and development in allied sectors like fisheries, dairy, poultry, home science, etc.
6. Innovation in ITK, ICT, IPR, Smart Agriculture and Transfer of Technology (TOT) for Farmers Innovation
7. Govt. Policies and planning for Sustainable Development of Agriculture & Bio-nanotechnology
8. Biotic and Abiotic Stress Management, Weather forecast & Pharmaceutical Science, cell and molecular biology
9. Reproductive and molecular biology & Infectious, viral and parasitic disease
10. Wellness, health and antibiotic resistance
11. Biosynthesis, mycoscience and metabolism
12. Application of medicinal biotechnology for livelihood support
13. Clinical and experimental oncology, Molecular biology, biotechnology, bioinformatics, diagnostics and therapeutics
14. Structural engineering, signal processing, imaging, image processing, hydrology and environmental engineering

## Food Sciences, Library Sciences, Pharma Sciences: Multidisciplinary Approaches and Innovations

1. Innovations in English language learning and teaching
2. Library and Information Science in climate knowledge dissemination
3. Application of IT and digital tools in climate studies
4. Collaborative research methodologies
5. Creative, inclusive, and innovative solutions for resilience
6. Ecosystem-based adaptation and restoration
7. Digital Transformation: Driving Change in a Tech-Driven World
8. Technology and knowledge-based entrepreneurship
9. Smart agriculture: ICT, ITK, IPR, and TOT
10. Food Safety & Quality Assurance & Food Processing & Technology Innovations
11. Digital Libraries & Knowledge Management
12. Innovations in Library Services & Information Literacy & Open Access
13. Drug Discovery & Development
14. Pharmacognosy & Natural Product Research, Pharmaceutical Biotechnology
15. Industrial Pharmacy & Quality Control
16. AI, ML, and Big Data Applications in Food, Pharma & Libraries
17. Role of Libraries in Dissemination of Food & Pharma Research
18. Entrepreneurship and Start-up Ecosystem in Agri-Food-Pharma Sector
19. Policy, IPR, and Ethical Issues in Interdisciplinary Research

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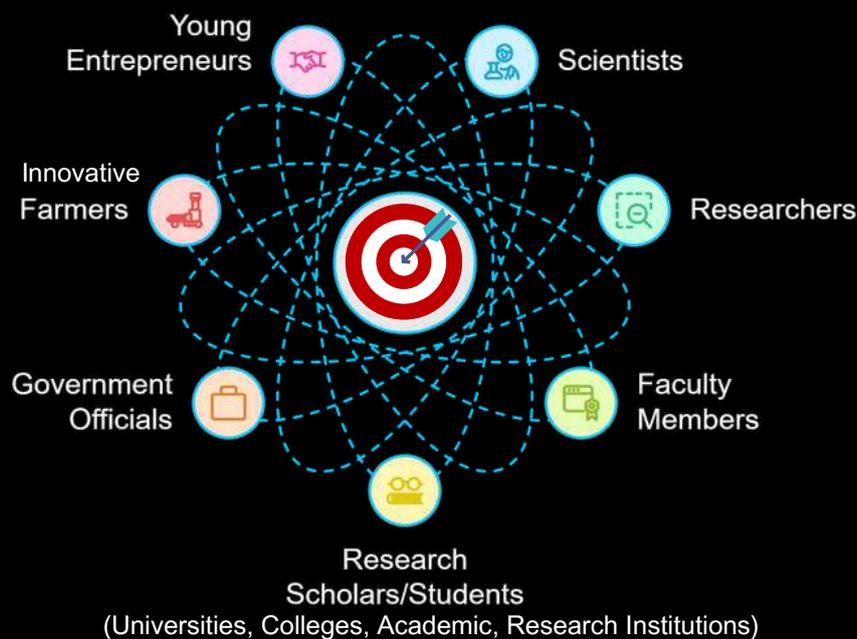
## Allied Sciences (Engineering, IT, Physics, Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Commerce, Social Sciences, Management, Commerce)

1. Engineering Sciences – Innovations in core, applied and interdisciplinary engineering domains
2. Technology – Emerging technologies, automation and digital transformation
3. Computer Science / Information Technology – Artificial intelligence, data science, cybersecurity and smart computing
4. Physics – Advances in applied physics, instrumentation and modern physics
5. Materials Science – Functional materials, nanomaterials and advanced composites
6. Core Sciences – Interdisciplinary research in chemistry, biology and environmental sciences
7. Social Sciences – Societal change, policy, governance and sustainable development
8. Commerce – Finance, accounting, trade and economic development
9. Management Studies – Entrepreneurship, innovation, leadership and organizational strategies
10. Humanities & Social Sciences – Culture, ethics, communication and human values.

## Home Sciences/Community Sciences: (Food and Nutrition, Textile Science, Family Resource Management)

1. Children, Adolescent Health, and Women's Health across the Life span.
2. Resource Management & effective use of resources at home.
3. Health Policy Frameworks, Health Equity, Social Determinants, health education and promotion.
4. Reuse, recycling, and sustainable fashion design
5. Gender, Sustainable Livelihood, Social and cultural Dimensions of livelihood.
6. Green fashion: supply chain, sustainable alternatives, and gender roles
7. Role of Traditional Food Systems in combating Malnutrition and promoting Dietary Diversity.
8. Empowering Women for Sustainable Communities: Driving Change through participation and leadership.
9. Digital Couture: The New Frontier of Fashion
10. Fibers of the Future: Green Innovation in Fashion & Textiles
11. Inclusive Food and Nutritional Security SUB-THEMES & Climate-smart crops, Plant based nutrition and Nutritional security
12. Future Fabrics: Innovation in Material and Form
13. Human Well-being and Holistic Development & Human Development and Family Dynamics in Digital Era
14. Towards Sustainable Textiles and Apparel
15. Automation, AI and ML in Textile and Apparel Sector & Conservation and Contemporization of Traditional Arts and Crafts
16. Green Fashions: Supply Chain and Consumer Perspectives
17. Advances in materials and processes in Textiles and Apparel.
18. Creative Extension Approaches & Digital and Social innovations.
19. Sustainable Agriculture, Food Security and Public Health Nutrition
20. Value Addition in Food Systems to Combat Micronutrient Deficiencies and Lifestyle Disorders
21. Food Service Management and Dietetics
22. Therapeutic Diets: Novel Dietary Approaches and Technologies for Sustainable Health Goals
23. Dietary Innovation, Diet Informatics and Assisted Technology for Personalized Dietary Interventions and Counseling for Health and Disease.

# Target Audience



## Presentations during The Conference- 2026

### LEAD PAPER PRESENTATIONS

The presentation under this category would offer an insight into the various themes of the conference. Each lecture will be of 15–20 minutes followed by discussion. Lead speakers of the conference will be requested to provide 3–4 pages extended summaries of their presentation for inclusion in the Conference proceedings.

### ABSTRACT

The abstract should be in English using MS Word (Single space; Font Cambria; Font size- 12) and should not exceed 350 words. The abstract must contain title of the paper, name(s) of author(s) followed by their affiliation and e-mail. The name of presenting author should be underlined.

### POSTER PRESENTATION

Separate Poster Sessions covering all the themes will be organized to encourage wider interaction and information sharing. There will be Hybrid Mode for Poster Presentation. The extended summary contributed for presentation will be screened as per the theme. Each poster session will have Chairman and Co-Chairman. They will prepare and present summary of the concerned Poster Session for formulation of meaningful recommendations. All the participants are requested to prepare their posters that should not exceed the dimensions of 25" x 40" 1.0 x 1.5 m (length x width), Font Size: Title- 86pt, Authors-50pt, Sub heading-36pt, Text-24 pt, Caption-18pt and Poster must include the title, Authors Name, Affiliation, Introduction, Material and Methods, Results and Discussion and Conclusion. Clear pictures, diagrams, graphs and short tables are highly encouraged to use.



**Submit your abstracts at:**

**[abstract.shimlaconference@gmail.com](mailto:abstract.shimlaconference@gmail.com)**

## ORAL PRESENTATION

Among the accepted abstracts, 7-10 selected papers will be considered for oral presentations under each of the technical sessions. Each oral presentation would be allotted 8- 10 minutes. Power Point Presentation with not more than 15 slides of the same are required to be handed over to the conveners of the respective sessions.

## TECHNICAL SESSIONS

## PRESENTATION DURING CONFERENCE:

Expert Lectures from Keynote speakers

Technical Sessions for Oral and Poster Presentation

Plenary and Concluding Sessions

- Oral Presentation
- Poster Presentation

## KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Invited plenary lectures will be delivered by world renowned experts in the respective fields. Delegates are requested to kindly send the soft copies of their Abstracts and full length manuscripts for publishing with duly fill registration form by mail. The presentation under this category would offer an insight into the various themes of the conference. Each lecture will last 15-20 minutes, followed by discussion. Lead speakers of the congress will be requested to provide 3-page extended summaries of their presentations for inclusion in the congress proceedings.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATION AWARD

- Best Oral Presentation Award (for each session)
- Best Poster Presentation Award (for each session)

*Note: No need to apply for these awards. Winners of these awards will be decided by the chairman of respective session during the conference.*



# Conference **Awards**

<b>Best M.Sc. Thesis Award</b>	<b>Best Pathologist Award</b>	<b>Best Horticulturist Award</b>
<b>Outstanding Ph.D. Thesis Award</b>	<b>Young Agro Forestrian Award</b>	<b>Best Floriculturist Award</b>
<b>Best Academician Award</b>	<b>Best Biotechnologist Award</b>	<b>Best Olericulturist Award</b>
<b>Researcher of the Year Award</b>	<b>Best Biologist Award</b>	<b>Young Microbiologist Award</b>
<b>Gold Medal Award</b>	<b>Student of the Year Award</b>	<b>Best Nematologist Award</b>
<b>Young Researcher Award</b>	<b>Young Fellow Award</b>	<b>Young Plant Breeder Award</b>
<b>Young Achiever Award</b>	<b>Best Soil Scientist Award</b>	
<b>Young Professional Award</b>	<b>Best Food Scientist Award</b>	<b>Best Crop Physiologist Award</b>
<b>Best Research Scholar Award</b>	<b>Best Food Tech Innovation Award</b>	<b>Best Agri-Engineer Award</b>
<b>Young Horticulturist Award</b>	<b>Best Food Technologist Award</b>	<b>Best Agrometeorologist Award</b>
<b>Young Agronomist Award</b>	<b>Best Food Nutritionist &amp; Dietician Award</b>	<b>Best Plant Pathologist Award</b>
<b>Young Entomologist Award</b>	<b>Best Seed Scientist Award</b>	<b>Young Agri Economist Award</b>
<b>Emerging Horticulturist Award</b>	<b>Best Environment Scientist Award</b>	<b>Best Economist Award</b>

Candidates who are interested in applying for Awards are requested to fill Award Nomination Form, after receiving Confirmation Mail you have to pay the  
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For Award Nomination

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<b>Dr. M.S. Swaminathan Award</b>	<b>Dr. N.E. Borlaug Award</b>	<b>Dr. K.C. MEHTA Award</b>
<b>Dr. T.S. Venkatraman Award (Agronomy)</b>	<b>Dr. L.N. Singh Memorial Life Time Achievement Award</b>	<b>The Nirmalan Memorial Award</b>
<b>Dr. B.P. Pal Award (Plant Breeding)</b>	<b>Pandit Deendayal Upadhyay Krishi Vigyan Kendra Protshahan Puraskar</b>	<b>Panjabrao Deshmukh (Outstanding Woman Scientist Award)</b>
<b>Dr. Rattan Lal Award (Soil Science)</b>	<b>Prof. M. N. Razdan Memorial Award (Animal Physiologist)</b>	<b>Dr. A.K. BHARGAVA MEMORIAL AWARD</b>
<b>Dr. H.S. Pruthi Award (Entomology)</b>	<b>Dr. G.B. Manjrekar Award</b>	<b>DR. M.R. PATEL BEST FIELD VETERINARIAN AWARD (for Field Veterinarians/ Private Practitioners)</b>
<b>Sir Dietrich Brandis Award (Forestry)</b>	<b>Sri Ram Singh Memorial (Animal Husbandry Award)</b>	
<b>Dr. H.B. Singh Award (Horticulture)</b>	<b>Prof. S. Ramachandran Memorial (Best Molecular Oncologist Award)</b>	<b>BEST CLINICIAN AWARD (for Field Veterinarians/ Private Practitioner)</b>
<b>Dr. Sreenivasan Award (Food Science and Technology)</b>	<b>Prof. C. Balachandran Molecular Pathology Award</b>	
<b>Dr. B.B. Mundkar Award (Plant Pathology)</b>	<b>Dr. Balwant Singh Memorial (Young Scientist Award)</b>	<b>YOUNG SURGEON AWARD (for Veterinary Surgeons less than 35 years of age)</b>
<b>Dr B.L. Purohit Memorial (Best Toxicopathologist Award)</b>	<b>Dr. S.K. Nigam Memorial (Young Scientist Award)</b>	
<b>The J.P. Mittal (Best M.V.Sc Thesis Award)</b>	<b>Nanaji Deshmukh Society Award for Research</b>	<b>Prof. P.K.R. Iyer Memorial (Best M.V.Sc Thesis Award)</b>
<b>Best KVK Scientist Award</b>	<b>Young Extension Educationist Award</b>	<b>Young Extension Scientist Award</b>
<b>Best Extension Scientist Award</b>	<b>Young Women Extension Scientist Award</b>	<b>Best SMS of the Year Award</b>

# Conference **Awards**

<b>Young Scientist Award</b>	<b>Excellence of Research Award</b>	<b>Best Agricultural University of the Year</b>
<b>Scientist of the Year Award</b>	<b>Excellence in Teaching Award</b>	<b>Best Vice-Chancellor of the Year</b>
<b>Distinguished Scientist Award</b>	<b>Best Teacher Award</b>	<b>Outstanding Dean Award</b>
<b>Senior Scientist Award</b>	<b>Eminent Research Fellow Award</b>	<b>Best Department of the Year</b>
<b>Eminent Scientist Award</b>	<b>Innovative Extension Educationist Award</b>	<b>Best HOD of the Year</b>
<b>Young Women Scientist Award</b>	<b>Innovative Farmer Award</b>	<b>Best Institute Director of the Year</b>
<b>Emerging Scientist Award</b>		<b>Best KVK Institute of the Year</b>

<b>Best Startup of the Year Award</b>	<b>CEO of the Year Award</b>	<b>Entrepreneur of the Year Award</b>
<b>Women Entrepreneur of the Year Award</b>	<b>Best Agro Industry Award</b>	<b>Best Brand in Poultry Sector</b>
<b>Best State Dairy Federation</b>	<b>Best Dairy Professional Award</b>	<b>Best Animal Health Company</b>
<b>Best Poultry Professional</b>	<b>Best Veterinary Professional Award</b>	<b>Best Brand in Dairy Sector</b>

<b>Best Veterinary Scientist Award</b>	<b>Best Veterinary Pathology Teacher Award</b>	<b>Best M.V.Sc Thesis Award</b>
<b>Veterinary Student of the Year Award</b>	<b>Best Poultry Pathologist Award</b>	<b>Best M.F.Sc Thesis Award</b>
<b>Veterinarian of the Year Award</b>	<b>Best Dairy Extensionist Award</b>	<b>Best Field Veterinarian Award</b>
<b>Best Women Veterinary Pathologist Award</b>	<b>Young Dairy Scientist Award</b>	<b>Best Wildlife Veterinarian Award</b>
<b>Young Fishery Scientist Award</b>	<b>Young Animal Nutritionist Award</b>	<b>Young Poultry Scientist Award</b>

# JOURNALS FOR PUBLICATION



<i>Name of Journal</i>	<i>Rating</i>	<i>Publishing Charges</i>
Natures Sciences Societies	SCOPUS Q1 & Web of Science	Free of cost after acceptance from journal
Journal of Plant Protection Research	SCOPUS Q3 & UGC Care Listed	Free of cost after acceptance from journal
Agricultural & Food Science	SCOPUS Q3	Free of cost after acceptance from journal
Eurasian Journal of Soil Science	SCOPUS Q3	Free of cost after acceptance from journal
Int. Journal of Research in Agronomy	NAAS – 5.20	<b>Rs. 5300</b>
International Journal of Advanced Biochemistry Research	NAAS – 5.29	<b>Rs. 5300</b>
Int. Journal of Veterinary Sciences & Animal Husbandry	NAAS – 4.61	<b>Rs. 2500</b>
<b>Popular Articles</b> – Just Agriculture Magazine & Just Agriculture Newsletter	ISSN No-2582-8223	<b>Rs. 349</b>
<b>Book Chapters</b> (Just Agriculture Publications)	Published with ISBN Number	<b>Rs. 999</b>

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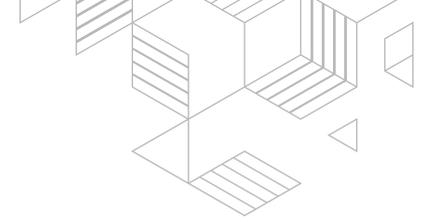
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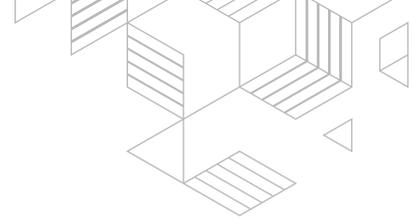
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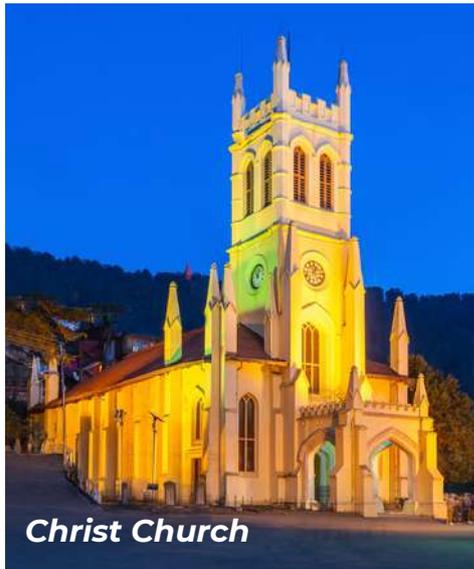
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