

56 Convocation Week Programme

February 05 - 09, 2018



Venue
Dr. B.P. PAL AUDITORIUM



Post Graduate School
Indian Agricultural Research Institute
New Delhi - 110 012



MONDAY, FEBRUARY 05, 2018

Time : **09.30 - 18.00 hrs**
Presentation of Significant Post Graduate Students' Research by M.Sc./M.Tech. & Ph.D. students for "Merit Medals" and "Best Student of the Year" awards
Chairman : **Dr. V.N. Sharda, Former Member, ASRB, New Delhi**
Convener : **Dr. D.K. Singh, Professor, Division of Agricultural Eng.**
Chairman's Remarks

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 06, 2018

Presentation of Significant Educational Achievements for the year 2017 by the Professors representing different Schools of the teaching disciplines
Convener : **Dr. T.K. Behera, Professor, Division of Vegetable Science**

Session I - Crop Improvement

Time : **09.30-10.45 hrs**
Chairman : **Dr. P.K. Gupta, Hon. Emeritus Professor & INSA Senior Scientist, Dept. of Genetics and Plant Breeding, CCS University, Meerut**
Dr. Vinod : Genetics & Plant Breeding
Dr. (Ms.) Rekha Chaudhury : Plant Genetic Resources
Dr. S.K. Jain : Seed Science & Technology
Chairman's Remarks

Session II - Crop Protection

Time : **11.00-12.00 hrs**
Chairman : **Prof. Anupam Varma, INSA Emeritus Scientist and Former Dean & Joint Director (Education), IARI**
Dr. (Ms.) Shashi Bala Singh : Agricultural Chemicals
Dr. Subhash Chander : Entomology
Dr. M.R. Khan : Nematology
Dr. V.K. Baranwal : Plant Pathology
Chairman's Remarks

Session III - Horticultural Sciences

Time : **12.15-13.15 hrs**
Chairman : **Dr. N.K. Krishnakumar, Regional Representative, South and Central Asia, Bioversity International, New Delhi**
Dr. K.P. Singh : Floriculture & Landscape Architecture
Dr. O.P. Awasthi : Fruit Science
Dr. S.K. Jha : Post Harvest Technology
Dr. T.K. Behera : Vegetable Science
Chairman's Remarks

Session IV – Natural Resource Management

Time : 14.15-16.45 hrs
Chairman : Dr. J.C. Katyal, Former Vice Chancellor, CCS HAU, Hisar
Dr. D.K. Singh : Agricultural Engineering
Dr. V.K. Sehgal : Agricultural Physics
Dr. Y.S. Shivay : Agronomy
Dr. S. Naresh Kumar : Environmental Sciences
Dr. Sunil Pabbi : Microbiology
Dr. S.P. Datta : Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry
Dr. Man Singh : Water Science & Technology
Chairman's Remarks

Session V – Basic Sciences

Time : 17.00-18.15 hrs
Chairman : Dr. Ramesh Venkata Sonti, Director, NIPGR, New Delhi
Dr. (Ms.) Aruna Tyagi : Biochemistry
Dr. R.C. Bhattacharya : Molecular Biology & Biotechnology
Dr. Madan Pal Singh : Plant Physiology
Chairman's Remarks

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 07, 2018

Presentation of Significant Educational Achievements for the year 2017 by the Professors representing different schools of the teaching disciplines

Session VI – Social Sciences

Time : 09.30 -10.45 hrs
Chairman : Dr. C. Ramasamy, Former Vice Chancellor, TNAU, Coimbatore
Dr. (Ms.) Alka Singh : Agricultural Economics
Dr. R.N. Padaria : Agricultural Extension
Dr. (Ms.) Seema Jaggi : Agricultural Statistics
Dr. A.R. Rao : Bioinformatics
Dr. Sudeep Marwaha : Computer Application
Chairman's Remarks

Time : 11.00-12.15 hrs
Lecture by the Recipient of XX Sukumar Basu Memorial Award
Chairman : Dr. S.A. Patil, Former Director, IARI, New Delhi
Convenor : Dr. R.K. Jain, Dean & Joint Director (Edn.)
Chairman's Remarks

Time : 12.30-13.45 hrs
Lecture by the Recipient of XVIII Shri Hari Krishna Shastri Memorial Award
Chairman : Dr. C.D. Mayee, Former Chairman, ASRB, New Delhi
Convenor : Dr. R.K. Jain, Dean & Joint Director (Edn.)
Chairman's Remarks

Time : 15.00-16.15 hrs
Lecture by the Recipient of IV Dr. A.B. Joshi Memorial Award
Chairman : Dr. R.B. Singh, Chancellor, CAU, Imphal
Convenor : Dr. R.K. Jain, Dean & Joint Director (Edn.)
Chairman's Remarks

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 08, 2018

Time : 09.30-10.30 hrs
406th Meeting of the Academic Council, IARI
Venue : Conference Hall, Prof. M.S. Swaminathan Library, IARI,
New Delhi

Chairman : Dr. A.K. Singh, Director, IARI, New Delhi

Time : 11.00-12.00 hrs
Meeting of the Board of Management, IARI
Venue : Conference Hall, Prof. M.S. Swaminathan Library, IARI,
New Delhi

Chairman : Dr. A.K. Singh, Director, IARI, New Delhi

Time : 12.15-13.00 hrs
Press Conference
Venue : Conference Hall, Prof. M.S. Swaminathan Library, IARI,
New Delhi

Time : 14.00-15.30 hrs
48th Lal Bahadur Shastri Memorial Lecture
Venue : Dr. B. P. Pal Auditorium, IARI, New Delhi
Speaker : Dr. Girish Sahni, Secretary (DSIR) & Director General (CSIR),
New Delhi

Chairman : Dr. Trilochan Mohapatra, Secretary (DARE) & Director General
(ICAR), New Delhi

Time : 15.45-16.30 hrs
Full Dress Rehearsal
Venue : Lawns of Dr. B. P. Pal Auditorium, IARI, New Delhi

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 09, 2018

Time : 11.00-12.00 hrs
56th Convocation
Chief Guest : Shri Ram Nath Kovind
Hon'ble President of India

Time : 18.00 hrs
Cultural Programme by P.G. Students
Venue : Dr. B.P. Pal Auditorium, IARI, New Delhi

Time : 20.00 hrs
Convocation Dinner
Venue : Lawns of Genetics Division, IARI, New Delhi