

# 54 Convocation Week Programme

**February 01 – 05, 2016**



**Venue**  
**Dr. B.P. PAL AUDITORIUM**



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



## MONDAY, FEBRUARY 01, 2016

**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. A.N. Mukhopadhyay, Former VC, AAU, Jorhat

**Convenor** : Dr. Vinod, Professor  
Division of Genetics, IARI, New Delhi  
Chairman's Remarks

## TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 02, 2016

Presentation of Significant Educational Achievements for the year 2015 by the Professors representing different schools of the teaching disciplines

**Convenor** : Dr. Anil Sirohi, Professor  
Division of Nematology, IARI, New Delhi

### Session I – Crop Improvement

**Time** : 09.30-11.15 hrs.

**Chairman** : Dr. E.A. Siddiq, Honorary Professor  
ANGRAU, Hyderabad

Dr. Vinod Genetics

Dr. (Ms.) Rekha Chaudhury Plant Genetic Resources

Dr. S.K. Jain Seed Science & Technology  
Chairman's Remarks

### Session II – Crop Protection

**Time** : 11.30-13.00 hrs.

**Chairman** : Dr. C.D. Mayee, Former Chairman, ASRB, New Delhi  
Agricultural Chemicals

Dr. Subhash Chander Entomology

Dr. Anil Sirohi Nematology

Dr. (Ms.) Pratibha Sharma Plant Pathology

Chairman's Remarks

### Session III – Resource Management

**Time** : 14.00-15.45 hrs.

**Chairman** : Dr. N.N. Goswami, Former VC, CSAUAT, Kanpur

Dr. D.K. Singh Agricultural Engineering

Dr. (Ms.) Pramila Aggarwal Agricultural Physics

Dr. Y.S. Shivay	Agronomy
Dr. Himanshu Pathak	Environmental Science
Dr. Sunil Pabbi	Microbiology
Dr. R.D. Singh	Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry
Dr. Man Singh	Water Science & Technology
	Chairman's Remarks

### Session IV – Basic Sciences

<b>Time</b>	<b>: 16.00-17.00 hrs.</b>
<b>Chairman</b>	<b>: Dr. J.P. Khurana, Professor &amp; Head, Department of Plant Molecular Biology, University of Delhi South Campus, New Delhi</b>
Dr. (Ms.) Archana Sachdev	Biochemistry
Dr. S.R. Bhat	Molecular Biology & Biotechnology
Dr. V.P. Singh	Plant Physiology
	Chairman's Remarks

### Session V – Horticultural Sciences

<b>Time</b>	<b>: 17.15-18.30 hrs.</b>
<b>Chairman</b>	<b>: Dr. G. Kalloo, Former VC, JNKVV, Jabalpur</b>
Dr. S.S. Sindhu	Floriculture and Landscaping
Dr. S.K. Singh	Fruits and Horticulture Technology
Dr. S.K. Jha	Post Harvest Technology
Dr. T.K. Behera	Vegetable Science
	Chairman's Remarks

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 03, 2016

Presentation of Significant Educational Achievements for the year 2015 by the Professors representing different schools of the teaching disciplines

### Session VI – Social Sciences

<b>Time</b>	<b>: 09.30-10.45 hrs.</b>
<b>Chairman</b>	<b>: Dr. P.K. Joshi, Director-South Asia, IFPRI, New Delhi</b>
Dr. (Ms.) Alka Singh	Agricultural Economics
Dr. R.N. Padaria	Agricultural Extension
Dr. (Ms.) Seema Jaggi	Agricultural Statistics & Computer Application
Dr. Anil Rai	Bioinformatics
	Chairman's Remarks
<b>Time</b>	<b>: 11.00-12.00 hrs.</b>
<b>Lecture by the Recipient of Sukumar Basu Memorial Award</b>	
<b>Chairman</b>	<b>: Dr. H.S. Gupta, DG, Borlaug Institute for South Asia (BISA), New Delhi</b>
<b>Convenor</b>	<b>: Dr. R.K. Jain, Dean &amp; Joint Director (Edn.) IARI, New Delhi</b>
	Chairman's Remarks

**Time : 12.30-13.15 hrs.**

Lecture by the Recipient of XVI Shri Harikrishna Shastri Memorial Award

**Chairman : Dr. H. Rehman, DDG (AS), ICAR, New Delhi**

**Convenor : Dr. R.K. Jain, Dean & Joint Director (Edn.)  
IARI, New Delhi  
Chairman's Remarks**

**Time : 14.15-15.15 hrs.**

Lecture by the Recipient of Dr. B.P. Pal Medal

**Chairman : Dr. S.K. Datta, Former DDG (CS), ICAR, New Delhi**

**Convenor : Dr. R.K. Jain, Dean & Joint Director (Edn.)  
IARI, New Delhi  
Chairman's Remarks**

## **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 04, 2016**

**Time : 09.30-10.30 hrs.**

399<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Academic Council, IARI

**Venue : Conference Hall, Central Library, IARI, New Delhi**

**Chairman : Dr. T. Mohapatra, Director, IARI, New Delhi**

**Time : 11.00-13.00 hrs.**

46<sup>th</sup> Lal Bahadur Shastri Memorial Lecture

**Venue : Dr. B.P. Pal Auditorium, IARI, New Delhi**

**Speaker : Dr. (Ms.) Soumya Swaminathan, Secretary, Dept. of  
Health Research & Director General, ICMR, New Delhi**

**Chairman : Dr. R.S. Paroda, Chairman, TAAS, New Delhi**

**Time : 14.00-15.00 hrs.**

Meeting of Board of Management, IARI

**Venue : Conference Hall, Central Library, IARI, New Delhi**

**Time : 15.30-16.30 hrs.**

Full Dress Rehearsal

**Venue : Lawns of Dr. B.P. Pal Auditorium, IARI, New Delhi**

## **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 05, 2016**

**Time : 12.00-13.00 hrs.**

54<sup>th</sup> Convocation

**Chief Guest : Shri Pranab Mukherjee  
Hon'ble President of India**

**Time : 18.00 hrs.**

Cultural Programme by P.G. Students

**Venue : Dr. B.P. Pal Auditorium, IARI, New Delhi**