







## **UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN**

(A Movement for Progressive India)

Report On

# "Awareness Workshop on

Role of Water security, Organic Farming, Agromet
Advisory Services in Sustainable Rural development
for UBA Coordinators & Farmers"

From Uttarakhand & West Uttar Pradesh Region

March 02, 2024



Organic Farming



Water Management



Renewable Energy



Artisans, Industries & Livelihood



Basic Amenities



Convergence

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#### **Introduction**

Regional Coordination Institute (RCI), Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA), IIT Roorkee & Gramin Krishi Mausam Seva (GKMS), Project organized a one-day awareness workshop for Coordinators & Students of Participating Institutions from Uttarakhand and West Uttar Pradesh and Farmers from Haridwar, Dehradun and Pauri Garhwal districts on March 2, 2024 at the O.P. Jain Auditorium, Department of Civil Engineering, IIT Roorkee.

The workshop was focused on the role of Water Security, Organic Farming, and Agromet Advisory Services in Sustainable Rural Development. The workshop highlighted the significance of these practices in ensuring food security, mitigating climate change impacts, and promoting rural livelihoods.

#### **Key Objectives:**

- To raise awareness among farmers about the importance of water security in agricultural sustainability.
- To promote organic farming practices as a means of preserving soil health, biodiversity, and human health.
- To introduce the concept of Agromet Advisory Services and its role in improving agricultural productivity and resilience to climate change.
- To facilitate knowledge sharing and discussions among farmers, experts, and stakeholders regarding sustainable agricultural practices.

#### **Inaugural Function**

The awareness workshop was inaugurated by Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey, Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi, and Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan.

Prof. Ashish Pandey, Coordinator, RCI-UBA, IIT Roorkee welcomed the Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey, Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi, Padma Shri kanwal Singh Chauhan, Prof. Akshay Dvivedi, Dean (SRIC), IIT Roorkee, Coordinators and Students from Participatory Institutes and farmers from Haridwar, Dehradun & Pauri Garhwal districts. He highlighted the importance of Organic farming and Water Security.

Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi discusses the benefits of organic farming, such as reduced chemical inputs, improved soil fertility, and environmental sustainability. He shared his huge experiences with organic farming and practices for promoting organic agriculture in their communities.

In the inaugural address Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan, appreciated the efforts of IIT Roorkee for organizing the workshop for coordinators and their staff and Students from the different participating institutes of Uttarakhand and West Uttar Pradesh and Farmers from Haridwar, Dehradun, and Pauri Garhwal districts.

Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey shared information on the importance of water security in agriculture, including water conservation techniques, efficient irrigation methods, and water management strategies to cope with drought and water scarcity.

Prof. Akshay Dvivedi, Dean (SRIC), IIT Roorkee while addressing all the participants from various participating institutes, said that Unnat Bharat Abhiyan is a very important scheme of the Government of India, under which we need to work in the spirit of service.

In the end, Prof. Bibhuti Ranjan Bhattachriya, Co-coordinator, RCI-UBA, IIT Roorkee proposed a formal vote of thanks to Chief Guest Padam shri Uma Shankar Pandey, Padma Shri Bharat Bhusan Tyagi, Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan, Prof. Akshay

Dvivedi, Dean (SRIC), IIT Roorkee and Prof. Ashish Pandey Coordinator of RCI-UBA, IIT Roorkee, and all participants, and RCI-UBA, Team with GKMS Team, department of WRD&M, IIT Roorkee.

The program of the inaugural function and technical session for the workshop is attached as  $\underline{\textbf{Annexure}} - \underline{\textbf{I}}$ .

A list of participants of the workshop is given in **Annexure – 2**.

The photo gallery of the workshop is attached as  $\underline{\mathbf{Annexure}} - \mathbf{3}$ .

#### **Technical Session**

#### The esteemed speakers were as follows:

- Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey
- Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan tyagi
- Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chuahan
- Prof. Ashish Pandey, Coordinator, RCI-UBA, IIT Roorkee
- Dr. R.P. Pandey, Division Head, Environmental Hydrology Division, NIH

A brief summary of the lectures delivered by the experts are as follows:

Padma Shri Umashankar Pandey is known as Water Warrior. He highlighted the importance of water and shared his extensive experience of water-saving campaigns "Khet per med aur med pe ped" with all the participants.

In his speech, he said that understanding the availability, quality, and distribution of water resources is essential. Comprehensive assessments should be conducted to evaluate current and future water availability, considering factors such as climate variability, population growth, and land use changes. Safeguarding water quality is paramount to ensure that water sources remain safe and usable for drinking, agriculture, and industrial purposes. Measures such as monitoring water pollution, regulating the discharge of pollutants, and promoting best agricultural practices can help mitigate contamination and preserve water quality.

In conclusion, addressing water security requires a multi-faceted approach that integrates scientific knowledge, technological innovation, policy reforms, and community engagement. By prioritizing water security and adopting holistic solutions, we can ensure a sustainable future where water is available and accessible for all, safeguarding the well-being of both people and the planet.

Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi in his address said that Organic farming prioritizes soil health by employing practices such as crop rotation, composting, and the use of organic fertilizers. These methods enhance soil fertility, structure, and microbial diversity, leading to healthier plants and increased resilience to pests and diseases. Instead of relying on synthetic pesticides, organic farmers use integrated pest management (IPM) strategies to control pests and diseases. This approach involves

techniques such as crop rotation, companion planting, and the introduction of natural predators to maintain pest populations at manageable levels.

Organic farming has numerous environmental benefits, including reduced greenhouse gas emissions, conservation of water and energy resources, and protection of soil and water quality. By adopting sustainable practices, organic farmers contribute to mitigating climate change and preserving natural ecosystems for future generations. Finally, he said that organic farming represents a holistic approach to agriculture that prioritizes environmental sustainability, animal welfare, and human health. By supporting organic farming practices, consumers can contribute to a more resilient and regenerative food system that nourishes people and the planet.

Padma Shri Bharat Kanwal Singh Chauhan in his address said that he started farming at the age of 15 and started cultivating baby corn in the year 1997 when the main source of the vegetable was imported from Thailand at a price of ₹400 per kg. He introduced baby corn to the region and started selling it at a price of ₹70 per kilogram. By 2009, they expanded into the production and export of canned baby corn. His business, which started as a one-man enterprise, has grown to employ over 200 employees as of 2019.

Talking further he said that Corn, or maize, holds an important place in global agricultural and culinary traditions. Its versatility makes it a cornerstone in a variety of dishes, from hearty stews to delicious desserts. He said that if today's farmer wants to use organic farming, not only his health be improved, but by using it properly, the fertility of the land and profits can also be increased.

Prof. Ashish Pandey, Coordinator RCI, UBA, IIT Roorkee in his lecture, defined in brief what Agromet Advisory Services. – The timely weather and climate-related information to farmers helps them make informed decisions about their farming practices. These services play an important role in improving agricultural productivity, reducing risks, and promoting sustainable agricultural practices.

In his address he further said that agro-meteorological advisory services have a very important role in modern agriculture, it promotes food security and contributes to sustainable rural development by ascertaining climate resilience. The need for

continued investment and collaboration should be emphasized to further strengthen these services and ensure their widespread adoption among farmers globally

Dr. R.P. Pandey, Division Head, Environmental Hydrology Division, National Institute of Hydrology, Roorkee, threw light on the historical importance of water, its current status, and future challenges. He said that water has been a fundamental resource throughout human history, shaping civilizations, economies, and ecosystems. However, its current status is marked by growing scarcity, pollution, and inequality, posing significant challenges for the future. Addressing these challenges will require concerted efforts to promote sustainable water management practices, enhance water infrastructure and access, and mitigate the impacts of climate change. By prioritizing water conservation, equitable distribution, and ecosystem protection, societies can strive toward a more secure and resilient water future for all.

#### **Outcome of the Workshop:**

- 1. Increased awareness: Participants gained a better understanding of the importance of water security, organic farming, and agro-meteorological advisory services in sustainable rural development.
- 2. Knowledge sharing: The workshop facilitated knowledge sharing and exchange of best practices among Coordinators of PIs, farmers, experts, and stakeholders.
- 3. Adoption of sustainable practices: Participants expressed interest in adopting watersaving techniques, organic farming practices, and using agro-weather advisory services to improve their agricultural productivity and resilience.
- 4. Empowerment: Coordinators of PIs and farmers felt empowered with the knowledge and tools to make informed decisions about sustainable farming practices and adapt to changing climate conditions.
- 5. Community Engagement: The workshop promoted community engagement and collaboration between farmers, agricultural experts, government agencies, and NGOs towards promoting sustainable rural development.



#### Annexure-I



#### INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY ROORKEE

Awareness Workshop On

# Role of Water Security, Organic Farming and Agromet Advisory Services in Sustainable Rural Development

### Organized by

Regional Coordinating Institute (RCI), Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA), IIT Roorkee & Gramin Krishi Mausam Seva (GKMS) Project, Department of WRD&M, IIT Roorkee

Date: March 02, 2024 (Saturday)

Venue: O.P Jain Auditorium, IIT Roorkee

## **Minute-to-Minute Programme of the Inaugural Session**

Time	Programme		
09:00 – 10:00 hrs	Registration		
Inaugural Session (10:00 – 11:00 hrs)			
10:00 – 10:05 hrs	Inauguration by lightening the Lamp		
10:05 – 10:08 hrs	Kulgeet		
10:08 – 10:12 hrs	Welcome of Dignitaries by bouquet		
10:12 – 10:15 hrs	Welcome address & Introduction of the Workshop by Prof. Ashish		
	Pandey, Coordinator, RCI, UBA, IIT Roorkee		
10:15 – 10:20 hrs	Address by Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi Ji		
10:20 – 10:25 hrs	Address by Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan Ji		
10:25 – 10:30 hrs	Address by Padma Shri Umashankar Pandey Ji		
10:30 – 10:40 hrs	Felicitation of 'Mausam Mitra'		
10:40 – 10:50 hrs	Address by Prof. Akshya Dvivedi, Dean SRIC, IIT Roorkee		
10:50 – 10:55 hrs	Presentation of mementos to the dignitaries		
10:55 – 10:58 hrs	Vote of thanks by Prof. Bibhuti Ranjan Bhattacharya, Co-		
	Coordinator, RCI, UBA, IIT Roorkee		
10:58 – 11:00 hrs	National Anthem		
Tea Break (11:00 – 11:30 hrs)			







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## **Programme of the Technical Session**

Chairs:				
Prof. Aksha	ny Dvivedi, Dean SRIC			
• Dr. R.P. Pandey, Division Head, Environmental Hydrology Division, NIH				
Time	Programme			
11:30 – 11:50 hrs	11:30 – 11:50 hrs Shri Uma Shankar Pandey Ji			
11:50– 12:10 hrs	Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi Ji			
12:10 – 12:30 hrs	Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan Ji			
12:30 – 12:55 hrs	Agromet Advisory Services by Prof Ashish Pandey			
12:55 – 13:15 hrs	Dr. R.P. Pandey, Division Head, Environmental Hydrology Division, NIH, Roorkee			
13:15 – 13:30 hrs	Feedback, suggestions and group discussion			
Lunch (13:30 – 14:15 hrs)				
14:15 – 15:15 hrs	Agrometeorological Observatory visit			
Tea (15:15 – 15:45 hrs)				
Institute lecture by Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan (16:00 – 17:00 hrs)				





### Annexure-II

# **List of Participants**

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4	Harsh Kumar	DVSIET, Meerut	9045424476
5	Aarush Kumar Singh	DVSIET, Meerut	7037559922
6	Pankaj Tyagi	Rampur, Dehradun	8006776999
7	Chetna Ruthe	ANK IIT Roorkee	7015732181
8	Sachin Tyagi	Village- Sadholi	8218323270
9	Naveen Saini	Village- Shyal	8171305728
10	Saves Chand	Village- Kurdi	9358455877
11	Hari Om	Village- Thaska	8191911004
12	Namia Islam	Vigyan Kunj, IIT Roorkee	8687629050
13	Amar Choudhary	Prem Kunj, IIT Roorkee	9917167996
14	Vipin Kumar	Kishanpur, Roorkee	9714107134
15	Sunil Sethi	I.T.M. Dehradun	9389858871
16	Anamika	I.IT.M. Dehradun	7983511932
17	Rajinder Singh	Village- Nagla Amade	9675974088
18	Ravinder Kumar Saini	Village- Nagla Amade	9717582194
19	Dharmendra Saini	Village- Khatka	7906151988
20	Harsh Rathi	Meerut	7017741981
21	Wajid Yusuf	Village- Mohaamrat	9837706350
22	Farman	Village – Mohamrat	9690413538
23	Mohd. Sajid	Village- Mohamrat	8057121143
24	Sattresh	Village – nayi basti ,laldhan	9761191848
25	Sashi Devi	Village- laldhan, Rasulpur	8218092285
26	Geeta Joshi	Village – laldhan	8958852193
27	Renu Bhandhari	Village – laldhan	9045886865
28	Buliya Devi	Village – laldhan	8954635526
29	Shanti Devi	Village – laldhan	7579442533
30	Dr. R.P. Pandey	NIH, Roorkee	9412160391
31	Md Shamse Alam	COER, ROORKEE	6207449356
32	Sitaruu	Ambija cement	9828404093
33	Mohd. Uvesh	COER- Roorkee	9639218621
34	MD Sahwaj	COER- Roorkee	9576671029
35	Sameed Ahmad	COER- Roorkee	9568158286
36	Harshit Sharma		8077198710
37	Randhir Singh	Village- Nagla Amade	9717582194
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39	Saurav Pal	Milap Nagar, Roorkee	7906506207
40	Preeti	QU, Roorkee	7505080564
41	Priya Negi	QU, Roorkee	8439887325
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42	Yash Bhardhwaj	Gandhinagar, Roorkee	9639554413
43	Rishi Dev Nautiyal	Uttaranchal University, Dehradun	8126486834
44	Anuj Bisht	IIT, Roorkee	9883378101
45	Gyanendra Tripathi	ICFAI University, Dehradun	9312424457
46	Santosh Kumar Yadav	IIT, Roorkee	9767051196
47	Dr. Ravinder Kumar	Hari om Saraswathi PG Village,	9411649520
		Dhanavi	
48	Prem Giri Pradhan	Village – Gadharana	7618842185
49	Komal Sajwan	Dehradun	9557124757
50	Shivam Tiwari	IIT, Roorkee	8750840972
51	T. Bhavani Prasad	IIT,ROORKEE	7382155856
52	Mohit Kumar	Khatka	8433035306
53	Sunil Saini	Khatka	9639549472
54	Sarvan Kumar Sharma	Tota Kalyanpur	8449959166
55	Uma Kant Saini	Khatka	6398849028
56	Surendar Saini	Khatka	9927615137
57	Dr. Rashaan Lal	MIET, Meerut	6392545867
58	Rishi Pal	Mohanrit	8057835684
59	Sushil Kumar	Mohanrit	8218989006
60	Jabbar Hasan	Mohanrit	8192039772
61	Diksha Sharma	Rasaurpur	6395023928
62	Periti pal	Laldhan	9258609707
63	Anita Devi	Laldhan	6396254427
64	Sunita	Laldhan	9897762116
65	Laxmi Devi	Laldhan	8755414536
66	Sham Prasad Sharma	Laldhan	9410995464
67	Basanti Joshi	Laldhan	9368203152
68	Jhaku	Laldhan	9410995464
69	Naveen Kumar	Bhuamrit FPO	9837328135
70	Ravikiran Saini	Bhuamrit FPO	7895999405
71	Prunin Kumar	Bhuamrit FPO	9837547122
72	Ajay Singh	RIT Roorkee	9759196904
73	Rupak Deewan	Saliyr	7417727609
74	Sushmita sethi	ITM, Dehradun	9389858871
75	A.C. Mathur	CSST,IITR	9427010620
76	Brad pal	Naglaamad	9837813589
77	Vijendar Kumar	Naglaamad	9927223492
78	Anand Prakash	Naglaamad	8194035287
79	Kailash	Naglaamad	7465001060
80	Arpit Dabral	Rajendra nagar,Roorkee	7465991068
81	Vidhisha Singhal	Awas vikas	9084736684
82	Princy Singhal Saini	Quantum university	6395263455
83	Dr RAJENDRA PRASAD	UTTRANCHAL UNIVERSTY	9456110665
84	Raja joshi	Uttaranchal UNIVERSTY	9837063262
85	Harshit goutam	RIT , ROORKEE	9837750911
86 87	Amrish Kumar	G.P. PAURI	9759442424
	Deepak kumar	Government polytechnic pauri	9012811784
88	Anjali rani	SRGI Noglaamad	9760703482
89	Jay pal singh saini	Naglaamad	

90	Rajpal singh	Bhuamrit FPO	9410904513
91	Udham singh	Bhuamrit FPO	9368902167
92	Kushanpal	Bhuamrit FPO	9627224797
93	Madhu sudam	Vk iit Roorkee	8106041034
94	Vipul garg	Dehradun	9568004555
95	Mohd. Iubair	COE Roorkee	9639157465
96	Manoj Giri	WRDM, IIT ROORKEE	8923982114
97	Prof. P.S. RANA	BHAYWANT GOPAL	7017794025
98	Rajkishor	Kota kalyanpur	9766950646
99	Rachit Jain	S.I.H.E.T	8958300999
100	KHUSHRO SINGHAL	S.I.H.E.T	7817095192
101	Sakshi Rawat	S.I.H.E.T	9536236388
102	Charan singh	Sherpur	7060315483
103	AADITYA	Roorkee	7906564526
104	VINAY KUMAR	WRDM-IIT ROORKEE	9997359283
105	SUMIT SAINI	VILLAGE- MAJRI	9411381951
106	ANKIT	ROORKEE	8630603092
107	VISHAL SAINI	BHAGPUR	9690683312
108	MOHAN	RAISI	
109	RAJ SINGH	DODA KALYANPUR	8445689870
110	HIMANSHU JAISWAL	SHAKUMBRI Institutes	6393274667
111	Priya singh	SHAKUMBRI Institutes	79833843012
112	Santosh Kumar	SHAKUMBRI Institutes	9696835510
113	R.P. SAINI	ROORKEE	9027087979
114	ADITYA SINGH	SONIPAL	8318700901
115	GOURAV	KHERAJAL	9319245624
116	DR. DEEPAK KUMAR	R.S.M.P.G.COLLEGE	7906342778
117	VIMAL KUMAR	R.S.M.P.G.COLLEGE	9149127235
118	SUMIT CHUHAN	ATTRHA	8816811534
119	ANIL KUMAR	ROORKEE	9045795128
120	SURANDER	ROORKEE	8630410420
121	SUNDER LAL	ROORKEE	8755287353
122	DR. RAHIL SINGH	MEERUT	8958415344
123	SHYAM SUNDER	ROORKEE	9690774235
124	CHANDAR PAL	DHANRI	9927713104
125	AAYUSHI SAINI	RAMPUR	8218745469
126	MONU	LAKSAR	9756616340
127	DR. RAM BHAJAN SINGH	IFFCO	9956391315
128	TARUN	ROORKEE	8107737148
129	DR. KAMLESH KUMAR YADAV	IFTM UNIVERSITY ,MORADABAD	9814606219
130	DR. SUREKHA CHOUDHARY	IFTM UNIVERSITY ,MORADABAD	9396020104
131	SHOYAB HYSSAIN	SHOBHIT UNIVERSITY, SAHARANPUR	9837446390
132	OMVEER	LAKSHAR	9917488652
133	HEMRAJ	CBRI	7665821084

#### Annexure-III

## **Photo Gallery**



Lighting of the Lamp by Padma Shri K.S. Chauhan, Padma Shri U.S. Pandey and Padma Shri B.B. Tyagi in the Inaugural Function



Prof. Ashish Pandey welcoming Padma Shri K.S. Chauhan, Padma Shri U.S. Pandey and Padma Shri B.B. Tyagi in the Inaugural Function



Prof. Ashish Pandey, Coordinator, RCI-UBA, IITR welcoming the participants & addressing the gathering during Inaugural Function



Address by Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi in the Inaugural Function



Address by Padma Shri Kanwal Singh chauhan in the Inaugural Function



Address by Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey in the Inaugural function





Felicitation of 'Mausam Mitra' in the Inaugural Function



Prof. Akshya Dvivedi addressing the participants during Inaugural Function



Presentation of mementos to the dignitaries



Participants in the Inaugural Function



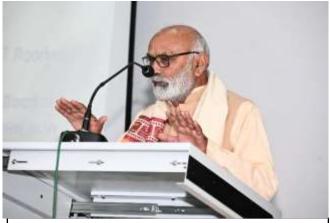
Vote of thanks by Prof. B.R. Bhattacharjya



Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey talked about Water Security and Integrated Management of Water for future respective during the technical session



Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi talked about importance of Soil Health, Crop Diversity & Weed Management in the Organic farming during the technical session



Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan talked about Baby Corn & Sweet Corn farming and the different stages of the Crop's growth during the technical session



Prof. Ashish Pandey, Coordinator, RCI-UBA, IIT Roorkee, talked about the role of Agromet Advisory Services during the technical session



Address by Dr R.P. Pandey, Scientist-G, NIH during the Technical Session



Participants in the Technical Session





Padma Shri Uma Shankar Pandey, Padma Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi & Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan taking the Feedback, suggestions and group discussion with all Participants during technical session





How the agrometeorological model works explained to the participants during the agrometeorological observatory visit



Group Photograph of RCI-UBA Team, IIT Roorkee with Participants during the Agrometeorological Observatory Visit



Prof. Ashish Pandey, Coordinator, RCI-UBA, IIT Roorkee, talked about the role of Agromet Advisory Services during the technical session



Prof. Ashish Pandey, welcome the guest speaker Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chuahan in the lecture series



Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan deliver a lecture on Integrated Farming System: A Modern Agriculture Approach during the Lecture series



Prof. Ashish Pandey, Presentation of memento to the Padma Shri Kanwal Singh Chuahan in the lecture series

## **News Clipping**

# जल सुरक्षा, जैविक खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाओं पर कार्यशाला आयोजित

के क्षेत्रीय समन्वय संस्थान, उन्नत उद्देश्य उपस्थित किसानों व भारत अधियान व ग्रामीण कृषि

भारतीय प्रोद्योगिकी संस्थान रुडकी पांडेय ने कहा कि कार्यक्रम का छात्र-छात्राओं को जल प्रबंधन.



खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाओं के उन्नत खेती व उचित जल प्रबंधन हो सके। वहीं कार्यक्रम के

रूप से आयोजित 'जल सुरक्षा जैविक खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाएँ' विषय पर कार्यशाला का आयोजन संस्थान के ओपी जैन पोषण देने के लिए हमें बाहर से ऑडिटोरियम में हुआ। कार्यक्रम पोषक तत्व मुदा में डालने की का शभारंभ दीप प्रक्रवलन के कोई आवश्यकता नहीं हैं, क्योंकि

मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में पधारे पदमश्री भरत भूषण त्यागी ने जैविक खेती व मिश्रित खेती के बारे में बताते हुए कहा कि फसलों को

**रुड़की बद्री विशाल।** आज के नोड़ल अधिकारी प्रो. आशीष तत्वों के माध्यम से ही फसल को पोषण प्रदान कर सकती है। उन्होंने मिश्रित खेती का जिक्र करते हुए बताया कि कैसे हम मिश्रित खेती एक साथ कई फसलें उगाकर फसल चक्र तो नियंत्रित कर ही सकते हैं, साथ ही खरपतवार प्रबंधन व मुदा उर्वरता को भी सुधार सकते हैं। वहीं पदमश्री उमाशेकर पांडेय ने अपने वक्तव्य में कहा कि हम सबके जीवन का मुख्य स्रोत जल ही है, बिना जल के कोई भी जीव कोई भी फसल पनप नहीं सकती है। अत: आज यह आवश्यक है कि हम सबको इस दिशा में आगे आना चाहिए और जल के अपव्यय को रोकने के प्रयास करने चाहिए। उन्होंने जल की महिमा साथ किया गया। उद्घाटन सत्र खेत की मिट्टी में इतनी क्षमता का वर्णन करते हुए कहा कि कैसे को संबोधित करते हुए परियोजना होती है कि वह जैविक पोषक हर धर्म में सबसे महत्वपूर्ण जल

ही है, इतिहास में सभी सध्यताएँ जल स्रोत के किनारे ही विकसित हुई हैं। उन्होंने आगे कहा कि अगर हम जल का संचय और प्रबंधन नहीं करेंगे, तो आने वाले समय में हमें उसकी भारी कमी का सामना करने के लिए तैयार रहना पडेगा। कार्यक्रम में पदमश्री कैंबल सिंह चौहान ने बोलते हुए कहा कि खेती में प्रबंधन का बहुत महत्व है और प्रबंधन से मेरा आशय जल प्रबंधन व फसल प्रबंधन से है। उन्होंने कहा कि खेती करना आसान है, किंतु उसका उचित प्रबंधन किए विना उससे लाभ प्राप्त करना कठिन है। अत: हमें खेती में विविधीकरण के साथ-साथ कषि की आधनिक विधियों को भी अपनाने की आवश्यकता है। उन्होंने फसल चक्रण व सहफसली खेती का भी

आईआईटी के डीन म्रीक प्रो. अक्षय द्विवेदी ने कहा कि आज आधुनिक यग में खेती में तकनीक का समावेश बहुत आवश्यक है। क्योंकि आज का युग तकनीक का युग है। तकनीक की मदद से हम खेती को और उन्नतशील कर सकते हैं। उन्होंने कहा अईअईटी द्वारा संचालित ऐसी परियोजनाओं का यही उद्देश्य है कि विद्यार्थियों व किसानों को उन्नत तकनीक के बारे में जागरूक कर सके, जिससे वे जीवन के हर क्षेत्र में उन्नति कर सकें। कार्यक्रम का संचालन मौसम प्रेक्षक आलोक शुक्ला व धन्यवाद ज्ञापन उन्नत भारत अभियान के सह संयोजक प्रो. विभित्त रंजन भटटाचार्य ने किया। कार्यक्रम में प्रगतिशील किसानों व उन्नत भारत अभियान से जुड़े शिक्षकों समेत कल 150 जिक्र किया। कार्यक्रम में आए प्रतिभागियों ने प्रतिभाग किया।

आईआईटी रुड़की में जल सुरक्षा, जैविक खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाएं विषय पर बोले वक्ता

# मिश्रित खेती कर एक समय में उगाएं कई फसल

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रुडकी। आईआईटी रुडकी में उन्नत भारत अभियान व ग्रामीण कृषि मौसम सेवा परियोजना की ओर से जल सुरक्षा, जैविक खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाएं विषय पर कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया. जिसमें उन्नत फसलों पर विशेषज्ञों ने विचार व्यक्त किए।

आईआईटी रुडकी के ओपी जैन ऑडिटोरियम में कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया। मुख्य अतिथि पदुमश्री भारत भूषण त्यागी ने कहा कि मिश्रित खेती कर एक खेत व एक समय में एक साथ कई फसलें उगाकर फसल चक्र तो नियंत्रित कर



रुडकी आईआईटी में आयोजित कार्यशाला में मंचासीन अतिथि। स्रोतः संस्थान

सकते हैं। साथ ही खरपतवार प्रबंधन व मुदा उर्वरता को भी सुधारा जा सकता है। कहा, फसलों को पोषण देने के लिए

बाहर से पोषक तत्व मुदा में डालने की कोई

आवश्यकता नहीं हैं, क्योंकि खेत की मिट्टी में इतनी क्षमता है कि वो जैविक पोषक तत्वों के माध्यम से फसल को पोषण प्रदान कर सके। दूसरे मुख्य अतिथि पद्मश्री उमाशंकर पांडेय ने कहा कि जीवन का मुख्य स्रोत जल ही है, बिना जल के कोई भी जीव कोई भी फसल पनप नहीं सकती है। इसलिए हम सभी को जल के अपव्यय को रोकने के प्रयास करने चाहिए।

परियोजना के नोडल अधिकारी प्रो. आशीष पांडेय ने कहा कि कार्यक्रम का उद्देश्य किसानों व छात्र-छात्राओं को जल प्रबंधन, जैविक खेती, मिश्रित खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाओं के बारे में जागरूक करना है. जिससे उन्नत खेती व उचित जल प्रबंधन हो सके। कार्यक्रम में आईआईटी के डीन प्रो अक्षय द्विवेदी ने भी विचार रखे। संचालन मौसम प्रेक्षक आलोक शुक्ल ने

# आइआइटी रुड़की में जल प्रबंधन को लेकर कार्यशाला

संवाद सहयोगी, रुड़की: भारतीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान (आइआइटी) रुड़की के ओपी जैन सभागार में क्षेत्रीय समन्वय संस्थान, उन्नत भारत अभियान और ग्रामीण कृषि मौसम सेवा परियोजना की ओर से जल प्रबंधन, जैविक कृषि व कृषि मौसम पर आधारित संयुक्त कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया। इसमें बेहतर जल प्रबंधन के माध्यम से जैविक कृषि व उसे बढ़ावा देने के गुर सिखाए गए।

शनिवार को कार्यशाला में मुख्य अतिथि पद्मश्री प्राप्तकर्ता भारत भूषण त्यागी व उमाशंकर पांडेय ने कहा कि फसल की उपज बढ़ाने के लिए किसी बाहरी मृदा या खाद की जरुरत नहीं, बल्कि घरेलू खाद के माध्यम से ही मृदा की उर्वरता को सुधारा जा सकता है। ग्रामीण कृषि मौसम सेवा परियोजना के नोडल अधिकारी प्रो. आशीष पांडेय ने कहा कि कृषि की बेहतर उपज के लिए किसानों का मौसम के प्रति के जागरूक रहना बेहद जरुरी है। इस दौरान कंवल चौहान, प्रो. अक्षय द्विवेदी, मौसम प्रेक्षक आलोक शुक्ल, प्रो. विभृति रंजन मौजूद रहे।

# तकनीक से खेती को किया जा सकता है और उन्नतशील

रुड़की, संवादवाता। भारतीय प्रोद्योगिकी संस्थान रुड़की के क्षेत्रीय समन्वय संस्थान, उन्नत भारत अभियान और ग्रामीण कृषि मौसम सेवा परियोजना द्वारा संयुक्त रूप से जल सुरक्षा, जैविक खेती और कृषि मौसम परामर्श संवाएं विषय पर कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया।

संस्थान के ओपी जैन ऑडिटोरियम में शनिवार को कार्यक्रम का शुभारंभ हुआ। उद्घाटन सत्र को संबोधित करते हुए परियोजना के नोडल अधिकारी प्रो.आशीष पांडेय ने कहा कि इस कार्यक्रम का उद्देश्य उपस्थित किसानों और छात्र-छात्राओं को जल प्रबंधन, जैविक खेती, मिश्रित खेती व कृषि मौसम परामर्श सेवाओं के बारे में जागरूक करना है। जिससे उन्नत खेती व उचित जल प्रबंधन हो सके। मुख्य अतिथि पद्मश्री भारत भूषण त्यागी ने जैविक और मिश्रित खेती के बारे में जानकारी दी। बताया कि फसलों को पोषण देने के लिए हमें बाहर से पोषक तत्व मुदा में डालने की आवश्यकता नहीं हैं। क्योंकि खेत की मिट्टी में इतनी क्षमता है कि वो जैविक पोषक तत्वों के माध्यम से फसल को पोषण प्रदान कर सके। पद्मश्री उमाशंकर पांडेव ने कहा कि हम सबके जीवन का मुख्य स्रोत जल ही है। बिना जल के कोई भी जीव, कोई भी फसल पनप नहीं सकती है। पद्मश्री कंवल सिंह चौहान ने कहा कि खेती में प्रबंधन का बहुत महत्व है और प्रबंधन से मेरा आशय जल प्रबंधन व फसल प्रबंधन से है।