

# NATIONAL AGRI-BUSINESS ENTREPRENEURSHIP CONCLAVE



**Building Agri-Business Start-Up Ecosystem**

**09th - 11th February 2019**



Organized by :



**Agri-Business Incubation (ABI) Centre**  
ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region,  
Umiam, Meghalaya



## BACKGROUND

The agriculture sector has been thronged by the streams of educated youth, fired by ideas, passion and innovations to launch newer technological based Agri-business products/models. These start-Ups are providing missing link in the agri-value chain and delivering efficient products, technologies and services to farmers on one hand and the consumers on the other hand.

Considering the above in mind, Agri-Business Incubation (ABI) Centre, ICAR Research Complex NEH Region, Umiam, Meghalaya is organizing a three days "National Agri-Business Entrepreneurship Conclave 2019". A unique opportunity to meet other start-ups and entrepreneurs and an open playground to network and collaborate. This conclave is also an innovative idea of bringing different buyers and sellers, business partnership, convergence, linkage, institute support mechanism, educated youth and students in an informal yet high energy interactive environment by organizing the event.

## OBJECTIVES

- Make innovative platform to bring entrepreneurs, start-ups, investors, technical experts, educated youth, policy makers and mentors under one roof.
- To share knowledge, technology, start-up ideas, innovative ventures, technology commercialization, convergence of institute support mechanism to create optimum, agri-business ecosystem.
- To create business partnership through start-up exhibition and buyer seller meet, market networking and support for linkage

## THEMES



## SESSIONS

1. **Technical Session :**
  - ➔ Scope and potential of agri-business in India.
  - ➔ Agri Start-up ecosystem.
  - ➔ Agribusiness ventures : Crop production, Livestock, crop Protection, Mushroom, honey etc.
  - ➔ Post-harvest, processing and management.
  - ➔ Potential ventures in Farm Machinery, Farm advisory, input services, consultancy, IT in agri-business and communication.
  - ➔ Institute support mechanism to create optimum agri-business ecosystem.
  - ➔ IP management, technology commercialization and technology based entrepreneurship.
2. **Student and Entrepreneurship Session :** Feedback and success story agri start-ups and motivation of educated youth in agri-business.
3. **Panel discussion :** On different Themes.
4. **Buyer Seller Meet.**
5. **Start-Up Exhibition, Showcasing, Product Display.**

## WHO CAN ATTEND

- ⇒ Start-ups, Entrepreneurs, Innovative Farmers
- ⇒ Scientists, Agri & management students, Academia, Incubators.
- ⇒ Financial institutions, Industry, Consultants, Business service providers, Buyers.
- ⇒ Public representative and policy makers.

## VENUE

M.S. Swaminathan Hall, ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region, Umiam, Meghalaya.

## HOW TO REACH

The ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region is located at Umiam (18 Kms from Shillong on Guwahati-Shillong Highway NH 40). Nearest airtlink is Guwahati Airport (115 Kms), flights available from major airport of the country and Shillong (Barapani) Airport (5 Kms), flights from Kolkata only. The hired and shared taxi charges from Guwahati Airport to Venue are Rs 2000 /- and 500 /- respectively

## ATTRACTIONS

- ❖ Umiam Lake
- ❖ Live root bridge
- ❖ Cherapunjee
- ❖ Transparent river of Dawki
- ❖ Elephant Falls, Seven Sister Falls



## ACCOMODATION

Limited accommodation are available in Research Institute/University Guest House/other private guest house on payment basis (Rs 100 to Rs 1500 approx. per day). Accommodation for most delegates will be arranged in hostels in and around venue and Shillong would cost Rs 2500 to Rs 5000 (Single occupancy) and Rs 4000 to Rs 6000 (Double occupancy) per day. We can assist the accommodation in star hotels as well. Efforts will be made to provide less expensive accommodation for student participants.

## WEATHER

The weather of Shillong during February will be pleasant with a day temperature of 20°C and night temperature of 10°C. Woolen clothes are recommended for comfortable stay.

## CALL FOR ABSTRACT

Abstracts of unpublished works related to theme area are invited for oral and poster presentations. Abstract should contain the precise title of the paper, author name, and their affiliation including mailing address and email, typed in double space not exceeding 300 words may be sent through Email : nabec2019@gmail.com by 15th January 2019. Printing of the abstract will be subject to the registration confirmation latest by 30th January 2019. The best posters will be awarded including best exhibitors.

## REGISTRATION FEE

	Till 5th January 2019	Afterwards/On the spot
National Delegates	INR 3000	INR 4000
International Delegates	USD 200	USD 250
Student Delegates	INR 1500	INR 2000
Accompanying person	INR 1000	INR 1500

## MODE OF PAYMENT

Registration fee can be paid through online (NEFT) transfer, multicity cheque/ draft and or in cash in favour of Director, ICAR Research complex for NEH Region, Umiam. After payment the details of the transaction may be intimated to nabec2019@gmail.com.

## ACCOUNT DETAILS :

**Account Name** : Director, ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region,  
**Account No.** : 30938129266, **IFSC** : SBIN0012464, **MICR** : 793002526  
**Name of Bank** : State bank of India, **Branch** : ICAR Complex Branch, Umiam, Meghalaya

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## Registration Form

Name of the Delegate : \_\_\_\_\_ Designation : \_\_\_\_\_ Sex : \_\_\_\_\_

Address (with PIN Code) : \_\_\_\_\_

Name of organization/Institute : \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No : \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No: \_\_\_\_\_ Email : \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Presentation : Oral ☐ Poster ☐

Title of Presentation : \_\_\_\_\_

Theme Area : \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee : \_\_\_\_\_ Name of the Bank : \_\_\_\_\_

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Electronic payment transaction ID : \_\_\_\_\_ Accommodation Required: Yes ☐ No ☐

Please mark your preference: Single Occupancy ☐ Double Occupancy ☐

Preferred tariff (per room, per day) Rs. 2500.00 - Rs. 5000.00 Rs. 4000.00 - Rs. 6000.00

Post Conclave Tour : Yes ☐ No ☐

Accompanying person : Yes ☐ No ☐

**Bank Draft / at par cheque to be drawn on any nationalized bank in favour of " Director, ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region" payable at Umiam, Meghalaya.**

Date :

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