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DAKSHIN Workshop

Sustainable Agriculture and Agro-Ecological Approaches in the Global South

Wednesday, 22 January 2025

5.00 PM - 6.30 PM (IST)

(Online)



Agenda

Time (IST)	Details
5:00 pm – 5:05 pm	Welcome Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Sachin Chaturvedi, Director General, RIS
5:05 pm – 5:15 pm	India's Best Management Practises of Agro Ecology and Natural Farming <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Gagnesh Sharma, Director, National Centre for Organic and Natural Farming - Ghaziabad, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India
5:15 pm – 5:20 pm	Mitigating Abiotic Stress in Agriculture: The Role of Sustainable Agro-Ecological Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Ashwani Pareek, Executive Director, BRIC-National Agri-Food and Biomanufacturing Institute; Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India
5:20 pm – 5:25 pm	Agro-Ecological solutions for Sustainable Agriculture in the Global South <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Usha Mina, Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India
5:25 pm – 5:30 pm	Innovative Sustainable Farming Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Jigmet Yangchan, Professor cum Chief Scientist, Head Mountain Research Institute/ CISIC lab/ DST Purse Project, University of Ladakh, India
Perspectives on Sustainable Agriculture Practices and Agro-Ecological Approaches from Think Tanks of the Global South Countries	
5:30 pm – 5:35 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Lual A. Deng, Managing Director, Ebony Center for Strategic Studies (ECSS), South Sudan
5:35 pm – 5:45 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Salim Said Salim, Executive Director, Somali Institute for Development Research & Analysis (SIDRA), Somalia

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Osman Mohamed Ali, Agriculture and Development Expert, Somali Institute for Development Research & Analysis (SIDRA), Somalia
5:45 pm – 5:50 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Federico Bert, Head of the Programme-Digitalization of Agri-Food Systems, Inter-American Institute for Cooperation on Agriculture (IICA), St. Lucia
5:50 pm – 5:55 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Andrew Lavali, Executive Director, Institute for Governance Reform (IGR), Freetown, Sierra Leone
5:55 pm – 6:00 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr S.H. Nuwan P. De Silva, Senior Lecturer, Department of Crop Science, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
6:00 pm – 6:25 pm	Open Discussion
6:25 pm – 6:30 pm	Concluding Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Gulshan Sachdeva, Chief Coordinator, DAKSHIN, RIS