

Online Short Course

On

Recent Advances in Millets Crop Production, Processing, Value Addition and Marketing”

16 – 25th August, 2023

RICH IN HERITAGE ; FULL OF POTENTIAL

Global Centre of Excellence on Millets



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ONLINE SHORT COURSE

The short course will be offered through on-line mode only. The registered and eligible participants will receive Zoom meeting invitation link on their email. All the participants require a laptop/Desktop with good internet connectivity and access to good quality headphones with microphones. Attendance of the participants in all sessions will be mandatory. The classes will be held on all days from 2-3 PM. The participants will also have an exposure virtual tour of the processing infrastructure and laboratory facilities of IIMR. Certificates will be issued to active participants based on their attendance in all sessions during the programme.

Last date of registration is [12th August, 2023](#). For registration, Google form link is provided below and for any queries, contact the e-mail ID provided in the brochure. The contact details of Course Directors and Course Co-Directors are also provided in this brochure for easy communication of short course related queries.

BACKGROUND

Millets are important nutri-cereal crops cultivated by farmers in the adverse environment conditions. These climate resilient crops are rich in nutrition and are a guaranteed remunerate crop for millions of poor farmers and their livelihood. The importance of millet crops was visualized by FAO and declared Year 2023 as the International Year of Millets. India is one of major millets producing countries in the world. ICAR-Indian Institute of Millets Research (IIMR) is one of the leading organization of millets research & development in India. The Honorable Prime Minister, Shri . Narendra Modi, has dedicated ICAR-IIMR, Hyderabad as “Global Center of Excellence on Millets (Shree Anna) to strengthen the millets research, value addition and popularization to increase the area and address malnutrition for food & nutritional security. In this context, it is proposed to organize a 10 days online Short Course on **“Recent Advances in Millets Crop Production, Processing, Value Addition and Marketing”**. This course is designed for the researchers including Scientists of ICAR, Faculty of SAUs, Research Scholars, Students, Entrepreneurs, and members of FPOs working on improvement, production and popularization of millets. The course curriculum caters the needs of researchers on the advanced developments in millets.

OBJECTIVES

- Improved millet cultivation practices and recent technologies developed
- Nutritional, quality management and value addition in millets
- Intellectual property management and technology commercialization in millets
- Marketing opportunities, Entrepreneurship and linkages with FPOs

COURSE CONTENT

- Millet genetic resources and utilization, crop production, protection and recent improved cultivation practices
- Front line demonstrations, seed hubs and seed production systems in millets
- Product profiles and unique selling properties of millets crops
- Processing value addition and new product development in millets
- Marketing opportunities, entrepreneurship development and linkages with FPOs
- Plant Variety Protection, IPR and commercialization in millets
- Database management, Digital field book and their applications

COURSE METHODOLOGY

Online lectures covering the course content, case studies and virtual tours, Technology commercialization and applications, week-end assignments, mobile application demos and database tools with examples.

COURSE DURATION: 16-25th August, 2023 (10 Days)

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE?

Scientists of ICAR, Faculty of SAUs, students, research scholars (JRFs, SRFs, RAs, PAs), Technical Assistants, entrepreneurs, and FPOs (CEOs, Directors, Members) working on improvement, production, protection, processing and value addition and marketing of millets.

COURSE FEE

The short course fee is Rs. 1000/- for Scientists and Faculty; Rs. 500/- for students, research scholars, entrepreneurs and FPOs. The course fee includes course material and certificate. Course participation certificate will be sent to the postal address given in the registration form by speed post to registered participants .

PAYMENT OF COURSE FEE

ICAR-Indian Institute of Millets Research (IIMR) encourages only cashless transactions to support the Government of India's guidelines on digital payment. The short course fee may be paid in the form of online transfer as given below.

Name of the Beneficiary : ICAR Unit IIMR Hyderabad
Account Number : 52114970292
Name of the Bank : State Bank of India
Branch : NIRD X RD, BUDVEL Hyderabad
IFSC Code No. : SBIN0020378

HOW TO APPLY?

Interested candidates are advised to fill the registration form through Google link given below or scan/click the QR code and submit along with payment details and passport size photograph.

[Click here for registration](#)



For more details

For any communication related to short course, write to us at (ramcpp2023@gmail.com) or contact the mobile numbers given below

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