



One-day seminar on CSIR-Aroma Mission

Tezpur University



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Tezpur University and CSIR-CIMAP is
organizing one-day seminar on

Aroma Crops for Boosting Rural Economy of North East India

Monday, the 15th October 2018
at 09:30 AM onwards, Council Hall,
Tezpur University.

About the seminar

The aim of this one-day seminar is to initiate a brainstorming exercise for devising strategies to promote cultivation, processing and marketing of high value aromatic and medicinal plants that could empower local farmers/ entrepreneurs of North East India. In this programme, scientist, farmers, entrepreneurs and industrialists are expected to participate and interact regarding future prospect of aromatic crops and their potential for boosting rural economy of the region. The deliberations in the seminar are expected to help in devising modalities for promotion of agripreneur of aroma products and will also contribute employment generation in the region. The experts will deliver lectures on the national and international status of essential oils and their economic significance. Discussions will be held to find ways that can support the farmers/entrepreneurs in terms of availability of infrastructure facility and technical know-how support from CSIR-CIMAP.

The possibilities for promotion of the business of aroma products in MSME mode will also be discussed during the seminar. This day-long seminar will be followed by signing of MoU between Tezpur University and CSIR-CIMAP to strengthen the collaborations in the area of common academic interest and to promote the cultivation, processing and value-chain of aromatic and medicinal plants suitable for North East India.

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Signing of MoU programme | Monday | 15th October 2018 Venue: Council Hall

09:30-09:35	Lighting of inaugural lamp
09:35-09:40	Felicitation of guests
09:40-09:45	Welcome address by the Chairperson, Organizing Committee
09:45-09:50	Inaugural address by the Vice-Chancellor, Tezpur University
09:50-10:00	Address by the Director, CSIR-CIMAP, Lucknow
10:00-10:10	Address by the Chief Guest Shri Mohd. Sirajuddin Ajmal, Hon'ble MP and Managing Director, AJMAL group
10:10-10:15	Signing and exchange of MoU
10:15-10:20	Vote of thanks by Head, MBBT & Co-Chairperson, Organizing Committee
10:20-10:40	High Tea
Technical sessions-I	
10:50-11:20	Prof. A.K. Tripathi, CSIR-CIMAP
11:20-11:40	Dr. Alok Kalra, CSIR-CIMAP, Lucknow
11:40-12:00	Mr. Ashish Jhunjunwalla, AFF Aromatics Pvt. Ltd, Kolkata
12:00-12:20	Dr. Mohan Lal, CSIR- NEIST, Jorhat
12:20-12:40	Dr. R. K. Sud, CSIR-IHBT, Palampur
12:40-13:00	Dr. Munir Ahmed, Flower Valley Agrotech Pvt. Ltd, Assam
13:00-14:00	Lunch break
Technical sessions-II	
14:30-14:50	Dr. Milind Deshpande, Flower Valley Agrotech Pvt. Ltd, Assam
14:50-15:10	Dr. R. P. Bansal, MBDA, Govt. of Meghalaya
15:10-15:30	Dr. S. Gairola, CSIR-IIIM, Jammu
15:30-15:50	Mr. Ajay K. Jain, President, EOAI, New Delhi
15:50-16:50	Concluding remarks and panelists discussion (Coordinators: Prof. A. K. Tripathi and Prof. R. C. Deka)
18:30-20:00	Cultural programme at KBR auditorium
20:30-21:30	Dinner at guest house