

## **ICSSR-Supported International Conference: Vision Viksit Bharat @2047**

Conference Date: February 21, 2025

Venue: Maharaja Agrasen College Campus, New Delhi, India

Mode: Hybrid (Online & Offline)

Maharaja Agrasen College invites you to the International Conference on Assessing the Potential of Agritech Start-up Ecosystem for Young Innovators in India: Prospects and Challenges in the Wake of Government Initiatives. This event, supported by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), aims to foster innovative discussions and collaboration in the Agritech sector.

Key Highlights: Organizers: Maharaja Agrasen College in collaboration with JNU, Manipal University of Jaipur, and the Indian Council of Applied Research.

Themes Include:

### **Important Dates:**

Paper Submission Deadline: January 25, 2025

Acceptance Notification: February 5, 2025

Last Date for Registration: February 12, 2025

**For more details check the poster given below:**

# Call for Papers



## Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) Supported International Conference under Vision Viksit Bharat@2047 on

Assessing the Potential of Agritech Start-up Ecosystem for Young Innovators in India: Prospects and Challenges in the Wake of Government Initiatives

Venue: Maharaja Agrasen College, New Delhi (Hybrid Mode)

**Scope:** Agriculture continues to form the basis of India's economy: employing a sizeable segment of the population, securing food, and developing economic prosperity. Though crucially important, it faces serious issues like inefficient resource usage, climate variability, barriers in accessing markets, and low profitability for farmers. The agritech startup segment has emerged as a powerful change agent in offering such new technologies that address those problems. Adoption barriers, including limited awareness, high costs, infrastructure gaps, fragmented landholdings, socio-cultural resistance, regulatory hurdles, and financing challenges, continue to remain. The conference addresses how agritech startups can break these barriers, create entrepreneurial opportunities for youth, contribute to sustainable agriculture practices, and shape India's Vision Viksit Bharat 2047 through collaboration and innovation.

### TRACKS

The papers are invited but not limited to the following topics

- Empowering Youth through Agritech
- Technological Innovations for Smart Agriculture, like AI, IoT, Blockchain Technology
- Sustainable Agriculture for a Climate-Resilient Future
- Policy Frameworks and Government Initiatives Affecting Agriculture
- Scaling Agritech Innovations for Rural Impact
- Evaluating Socio-Economic Impacts of Agritech Innovations
- Technology refusal by farmers in the agritech domain
- Any other theme relevant to the agritech domain

### IMPORTANT DATES

- January 25, 2025- Paper Submission Deadline
- February 5, 2025 - Acceptance Notification
- February 10, 2025 -Camera Ready Submission
- February 12, 2025 - Last Date of Registration
- February 21, 2025- Conference Date

### REGISTRATION FEES

DELEGATES	INR
• PhD Scholars/ Independent Researchers/ Masters Students (Indians)	INR 500/-
• PhD Scholars/ Independent Researchers/ Masters Students (Foreign Citizens)	INR 2500/-
• Professionals: Academia/ Non-Academia (Indians)	INR 1000 /-
• Professional : Academia/ Non-Academia (Foreign Citizens)	INR 5000/-

### CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

- Chief Patron, Prof. Sanjeev Kumar Tiwari, Principal (Offg.), Maharaja Agrasen College, University of Delhi
- Dr. Pratibha Rai, Associate Professor, Maharaja Agrasen College, University of Delhi
- Dr. Priya Gupta, Associate Professor, Atal Bihari Vajpayee School of Management and Entrepreneurship, Jawaharlal Nehru University
- Prof. Gopal Meena, Professor, School of Sanskrit and Indic Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University
- Dr. Vandana Rai, Principal Scientist, Agriculture Biotechnology, ICAR-National Institute for Plant Biotechnology, Pusa Campus, New Delhi
- Dr. Arvind Arahant, Associate Professor, Atal Bihari Vajpayee School of Management and Entrepreneurship, Jawaharlal Nehru University
- Dr. Princy Randhawa, Assistant Professor, Mechatronics Engineering, Manipal University, Jaipur

### Awards and Recognition

Selected 25 seminar/conference certificates will be issued with the signature of ICSSR nominee

### Paper Submission Link



- All the papers will be published in a book with ISBN.
- Selected papers will be published in Scopus-indexed journals (Under Dialogue)

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