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Extension Education Institute, Hyderabad

National Conference

on

NexGen Extension for Evolving Resilient Agri-Ecosystems

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About EEI, Hyderabad

The Extension Education Institute, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad one of the India's four regional training institutes established in 1962 is a premier regional institute for training middle level extension personnel in Southern India financed by the Directorate of Extension, Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi, functioning under the administrative control of Professor Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University (PJTSAU), Hyderabad, Telangana. The institute is specialized in catering to the training needs of middle level extension functionaries belonging to Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development, Fisheries, Forestry, Agril. Engineering, Agril. Marketing, Sericulture, Soil Survey and Soil Conservation and Industries of Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Kerala, Odisha and Union Territories of Puducherry, Andaman & Nicobar and Lakshadweep Islands. Besides this, the trainers of training institutes like SAMETIs, FTCs, KVKs and faculty of SAUs are trained at this institute. EEI is bestowed with experienced faculty in different areas of training with excellent knowledge and communication skills.

About the Conference

The "NexGen Extension for Evolving Resilient Agri-Ecosystems" is a conference designed to empower extension professionals who in turn help farmers and communities adapt to the changing farming priorities to ensure food security. The conference aims to bring into limelight nexgen extension approaches to promote profitable agricultural practices and build resilient ecosystems which enable sustainable development in the country. One of the key components of the conference is to enhance the use of new generation technologies and innovations in agriculture, like precision farming techniques, such as satellite imagery and sensors to monitor soil moisture, nutrient levels, and crop growth. The conference focuses on knowledge sharing among different stake holders in use of Computer Vision applications like Block Chain Technology, Internet of Things, Remote Sensing technologies, Artificial Intelligence, Drones, e-Commerce platforms, Mobile Apps etc for crop damage assessment, traceability, plant protection, irrigation scheduling etc in agriculture and horticulture, nutrition management in live stock, RAS and biofloc systems in aquaculture and e-marketing in sericulture etc. The conference provides a platform for exchange of ideas in natural farming, organic farming, secondary agriculture, regenerative agriculture, urban farming, women empowerment, green energy, agro biodiversity, rural waste management, soil and water management, homestead technologies, exports, carbon trading, cultivation of climate resilient crops like millets, attainment of Sustainable Development Goals, nutri smart agriculture and group approaches like FPOs, SHGs, Women groups etc. The ultimate goal of the conference is to promote collaboration among extension professionals, farmers, researchers and entrepreneurs to bring into limelight nexgen extension innovations for resilient agri-ecosystems.

Themes of the Conference

- NexGen Extension for Sustainable Agriculture
- Extension Approaches to Promote Entrepreneurship in Agri and Allied Sectors
- Extension Innovations in Supply and Value Chain Management
- Capacity Building of Stake Holders in Current Extension Scenario
- Emerging Extension Methodologies for Technological Innovations in Agri & Allied Sectors
- Changing Roles of Extension Professionals in Evolving Resilient Agri-Eco Systems
- NexGen Extension Research
- Redefining Extension Systems for Attaining SDGs

Who can participate

Extension scientists, Faculty and Students of various State agri and allied Universities, Scientists of ICAR centres, national and international institutions, Agripreneurs, Extension professionals, Scientists working in various extension centres, NGOs, Private firms, State department officials, Corporate sector representatives, Retired professionals, Individual farmers,

Farm women, Rural youth, and Farmer groups. International delegates can participate through online mode only.

Call for papers

Research papers, Concept notes, Review and Case study based papers are invited for oral/poster presentation. Those who wish to contribute their findings / ideas in the conference can send their abstracts/full length papers through Google form along with registration fee. The abstracts (max 300 words)/full length papers (max 2400 words) with 12 pt. font size in Times New Roman font and 1.5 line spacing / posters representing any of the above thematic areas can be sent. Full length paper should include the title, name, designation and addresses of authors (including email ids and mobile numbers), brief introduction, review of literature, methodology, results cum interpretations, final implications / conclusions of the study and references. Name of the author presenting the paper should be underlined. The technical committee will review the abstracts / full length papers / posters and acceptance will be intimated along with method of presentation (oral/poster). The accepted abstracts and oral presentation papers will be published in conference compendium. The decision of the technical committee will be final in acceptance of abstracts / full length papers / posters and method of presentation (oral/poster). The last date for submission of abstract and full length papers is 14-8-2023.

Google link for uploading abstracts : <https://forms.gle/mUhS7kMtsNiGGTPN9>

Google link for uploading full length papers : <https://forms.gle/oYeBSetk3etAq848A>

Google link for uploading poster and for its guidelines :

<https://forms.gle/pD2sCareuDamV9GW8>

NEERA 2023 Awards

1. Young Extension Professional Award - 1
2. Young Extension Faculty Award - 1
3. Best Extension Scholar Award - 1
4. Best Field Extension Officer Award - 8
5. Best Client Department Award - 1
6. Best Oral Presentation Award - 8
7. Best Poster Presentation Award - 8
8. Innovative Farmer Award (Male) - 8
9. Innovative Farmer Award (Female) - 8

- Eligibility criteria and application forms of Young Extension Professional Award, Young Extension Faculty Award and Best Extension Scholar Award can be downloaded from EEI website : www.eeihyd.org
- The nominations for Best Field Extension Officer Award, Innovative Farmer Award (Male), Innovative Farmer Award (Female) will be obtained from client departments of EEI, Hyderabad.
- Best Client Department Award will be given based on number of participant officers attending training programmes organized by EEI, Hyderabad, Number of Off-Campus, Collaborative and Consultancy Training Programs and other innovation activities organized with EEI, Hyderabad and number of success stories documented and send to EEI, Hyderabad for publication.

Registraon

Delegates are required to register for the conference by paying the registration fee through Online mode to the below mentioned bank account. The delegates are requested to register in Google form given below. The registrations will be closed by **14.08.2023**. The registration fee once paid is non-transferrable and non-refundable.

Google link for Registration : <https://forms.gle/wVmFNbqpqrEY82f9>

Registration fee

Category of Delegates	Amount (Rs.)
Faculty and Scientists	INR 3,000/-
Students	INR 1,000/-
Public sector (Banks, State Govt., Line department etc.) officials	INR 3,000/-
Private sector, NGO representatives and Agriprenuers	INR 3,500/-
Corporate representatives	INR 4,000/-
FPO representatives	INR 2,000/-
Foreign delegates	USD 100
Retired Extension Faculty	INR 1,500/-

(Registration fee includes registration kit, conference breakfast, lunch, dinner & session tea for all three days and a participation certificate)

Payment account details

Name of the A/c. holder :	Organising Secretary for National Conference
Bank Name :	State Bank of India, Rajendranagar
Bank A/c.No :	42013339413
Bank IFSC code :	SBIN0020074

QR code for
UPI payments only



Accommodation

EEI, Hyderabad can arrange accommodation on payment basis for the participating delegates who can send their request through the Google form given below.

Google link for accommodation submission form :

<https://forms.gle/FTU1D1d6EppTLiS9A>

Transportation

Participants attending the conference can reach accommodation venue from RGI Airport, railway station (Secunderabad, Nampally & Kachiguda), bus station etc. by making their own transport arrangements (plenty of public and private transport facility available)

Mode of participation

- Indian delegates : Only physical mode
- International delegates : Only online mode

Participants are requested to check www.eeihyd.org for conference updates.

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<https://forms.gle/mUhS7kMtsNiGGTPN9>

Full length paper & PPT submission form :

<https://forms.gle/oYeBSetk3etAq848A>

Accommodation request form :

<https://forms.gle/FTU1D1d6EppTLIS9A>

Poster guidelines and submission link :

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