



# AGRI INNOVA - 2023

## INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON RECENT INNOVATIONS AND TECHNOLOGICAL ADVANCEMENTS IN AGRICULTURE, HORTICULTURE, AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING, SERICULTURE, FOOD SCIENCE, BIOTECHNOLOGY AND RURAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP -2023

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# AGRI INNOVA 2023

## International Conference - Introduction

### Background:

Indian agriculture is typically identified with the 'Green Revolution' happened during 1960s which enabled the Nation to make great strides in domestic food production and significant contribution to agriculture and allied sectors. It transformed India from a food-deficit nation to a food-surplus and export-oriented country. However, now the country is facing second-generation problems, especially related to sustainability, nutrition, and the adoption of new agricultural technologies and perhaps most importantly, income levels of the population dependent on farming. Presently agriculture is facing new unprecedented challenges. The governments at the central and state levels are continuously taking efforts in addressing the challenges, and relevant departments are being involved in closely in monitoring the situation. Various advisory committees, task forces formed are submit their reports & recommendations in bringing appropriate changes in administration, existing programmes and policies to meet the challenges. The country is known for its diversity of farming practices which necessitates the collection of ideas at national-level dialogue to find suitable solutions and for future strategies.

India being agrarian country agriculture not only makes the country secure in terms of food, fodder, and raw-materials for industries, it along with the allied sectors also serves as the source of livelihood for the large proportion of rural population of the country. Agriculture and allied sectors provide direct & indirect employment opportunities to large population in the rural areas. The share of agriculture in total employment was nearly 69 per cent of the workforce in 1950-51. It steadily came down to 59 percent in 1990-91. The latest Periodic Labour Force Survey (PLFS) report shows a sharp increase in employment in agriculture from 42.5% of the total employment in 2018-19 to 45.6% in 2019-20.

In the above context, the proposed conference AGRI-INNOVA 2023 help to bring all stakeholders namely agriculturists, budding agriprenuers, industrialists, business incubators, researchers, scientists from various institutions and Farmer Producer Organizations on a single platform to present and share their recent innovations, technologies, experience, expertise, business models and success stories of Agri Start-ups. This conference is expected to offer a unique opportunity for sharing of knowledge about potential technologies, recent innovations and agripreneurial ecosystems for formulation of viable Agri start-ups, technology commercialization, export guidelines and social entrepreneurship for sustainable agriculture businesses.

## PROSPER FOUNDATION, Theni, Tamil Nadu



PROSPER FOUNDATION, a professional rural and agricultural development organisation, was initiated on January 15, 2008. Earlier PROSPER FOUNDATION was function in the name of Student Serving Society and conducted many Educational and Career Guidance Programme in Schools and Colleges of Tamil Nadu. PROSPER FOUNDATION registered as Public Charitable Trust on 2021, Registration No. R/TN/4/105/2021. It unites enthusiastic, motivated, inspirational personalities to the rural and agricultural development sector. Now PROSPER FOUNDATION concentrate collaborative work of training and research work with Academic Institutions, State, National and International organizations on specialization of Agriculture, Horticulture, Sericulture, Rural Development, Environment Management, Climate Change Studies, Forest and Wild life Conservation.

# The Indian Agriculture College, Radhapuram, Tirunelveli Dt., Tamil Nadu



The Indian Agriculture College was established during 2016 under Joshua Educational and Charitable Trust, Nagercoil and granted Minority Status (Religious / Christian) by the Government of Tamil Nadu. The college is approved by Tamil Nadu Government (G.O. (Ms) NO: 172/2016) and affiliated to Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore (NO: EI/IAC/10910/2016). It is located at Raja Nagar, Radhapuram, Radhapuram Taluk, Tirunelveli District and lies between 8°15'46" North latitude and 77°39'18" East longitude with an altitude of 57 m in Southern Agro Climatic zone of Tamil Nadu. The college is spread over 112 acres with well-established orchard, botanical garden, shade nets, etc. The courses are offered by 45 qualified faculties and has 15 well established labs. Students are practicing commercial agriculture on their own and sharing the profit among themselves in the field of Apiculture, Mushroom production, Azolla & Rhizobium production, Broiler production with 5000 birds, nursery production, biocontrol agents production, etc. The campus is student friendly and the management is committed to fully equip the students with technical knowhow expected out of B.Sc. (Ag) student.

## Research Extension Centre (CSRTI, Mysore), Central Silk Board, Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India. Samayanallur, Madurai, Tamil Nadu



Research Extension Centre, Samayanallur (Madurai) of Central Sericultural Research & Training Institute, Mysuru under the Central Silk Board, Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India established in the year 1982 & functioning in its own campus with demonstration mulberry garden, silkworm rearing and training facilities. This centre is catering the technical & extension needs & services supports to sericulture farmers covering 17 districts in central & southern Tamil Nadu for the past >40 years. Imparting training, demonstration of technologies, forewarning of pest & disease control measures in mulberry silkworm crop, bridging of lab to land yield gaps results for the cost effective quality linked productivity improvements for maximum profit earnings to sericulture farmers thro' periodical field extension works are the major mandate of the centre in association with Department of Sericulture in the state. Coordination of all technical activities for the overall development sericulture in the operational areas to the DoS., and function as liaison unit with the state (DoS.) & central governments (CSB).

## JOY UNIVERSITY, Vadakkangulam, Tirunelveli Dt., Tamil Nadu



- Established vide Tamil Nadu State Private Universities Act 2019 & UGC - Approved.
- World Class Infrastructure Campus with Smart-Classrooms.
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- The choice-based Credit system.
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- Centre of Excellence (Lab) for Drone & Cloud Computing.
- University-Industry Collaboration with IBM & AXL Drone.

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METVSO the Mantra for successful Bivoltine Sericulture carries all the factors contributing for the success to farmers, popularized in the field in a systematic way since 01.01.2018 rendering relentless service with a determination to double the income to farmers and for the sustainable development of Bivoltine Silk Industry in Tamil Nadu with pursuit of quality and technical ability acquired during >35 years in the field of sericulture.

As a registered NGO the METVSO Research Foundation with the objectives of undertake research works for the economic prosperity and welfare of mulberry sericulture farmers, agriculture field soil health preservation, water management, ecofriendly environment (Ecosystem) maintenance, integrated methods for mulberry crop protection and maintenance, improved latest technologies in mulberry cultivation for quality leaves production, recycle of biomass, improved latest technologies in bivoltine silkworm cocoon crop for production of quality silk cocoons for international standard quality raw silk production, modern and simple mechanization in mulberry cultivation and silkworm cocoon crop, on & off land research works from soil to silk production, agro-forestry, ecosystem maintenance and improvements, mulberry and bivoltine silkworm rearing related suggestions, awareness programmes and training, establishment of demonstration / production units and functioning, arrangements of implements, tools and other goods from outside and involve in production and sales thereof, extension of supports to mulberry bivoltine sericulture farmers for their welfare and health issues through relevant suggestions, awareness programmes/camps & guidance, arrange/design/development & production and commercialization of modern simple efficient devices, tools, implements & E3 (Efficient economic ecofriendly) machines for use in mulberry crop protection, maintenance and bivoltine sericulture for cost reduction. Promote entrepreneurs to take up different activities, Socio-economic development activities involving youths in rural villages, students, scholars covering school, colleges, universities of educational institutions. Facilitate quality accreditation for production units involve in various activities in bivoltine sericulture activities and become member of different organizations of National & International levels involve in activities related to the functions of the METVSO Research Foundation and participation in National & International Seminars, Workshops, Conference and Congress etc., All functions of the METVSO Research Foundation on No loss & No profit basis and with service motive for the development of Silk Industry and create remunerative employment opportunities for rural youths and to increase income to sericulture farmers for improvement of their livelihoods.

## **EDII - Periyakulam Horti Business Incubation Forum, HC & RI, TNAU, Periyakulam, Theni Dt, Tamil Nadu**



**EDII – PHBIF is a Registered SECTION 8 company under The Companies Act 2013, funded by Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute (EDII) and supported by Horticultural College & Research Institute, Periyakulam a constituent college of TNAU. EDII-PHBIF will provide the ecosystem critical to enabling the sustainable take-off and growth of Horti-Business startups and SMEs. Anchored on the strength of both EDII-TN and TNAU EDII-PHBIF takes leadership in the commercialization of available Horti-business providing strong business mentorship to SMEs, linking small holders to markets, strengthening the supply chain, and delivering quality business development services to SMEs and producers alike. It also goes beyond business training to provide key mentorship and client-tailored support to high potential entrepreneurs and farmer cluster enterprises.**

## **EDII - Killikulam Agri Business Incubation Forum, AC & RI, TNAU, Killikulam, Thoothukudi Dt, Tamil Nadu**



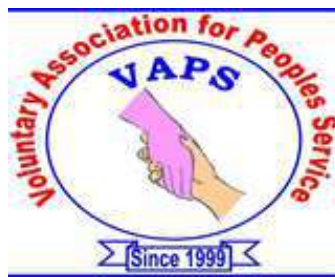
**EDII – KABIF - Killikulam Agri Business Incubation Forum is an Incubation located at Agricultural College and Research Institute, TNAU, Killikulam. An Initiative of Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore and Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute, Chennai that provides a one-stop solution for creating successful startups in agriculture & its allied sectors which navigates innovation from ideation to full-scale commercialization, with our unique methodology, that gives a robust ecosystem from discovering ideas to delivering high-value proposition in a sustainable environment. EDII-KABIF aims in creating entrepreneurship skills in various stakeholders like professional graduates, unemployed youths, Members of SHG, Farmers and Womens etc., in order to augment sustainable development through income and employment generation activities. EDII-KABIF diversifies income generation through technology adoption and commercialization. EDII-KABIF also helps to validate, license, commercialize the concept and technology already developed by any individual or group or a firm. EDII-KABIF aims to converge and link all stakeholders involved in agribusiness based value chain system through sustainable partnership and collaboration. EDII-KABIF involves in networking all Agro based enterprises and Agro based industry to facilitate skill development for the incubated startups and to sustain the market conditions.**

# Agri Amigos Private Limited, Theni & Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu



Agri Amigos Private Limited registered in Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Govt. of India at Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, India in 2019 as Farm Development and Agri Business organization, CIN No. U01100TZ2019PTC033190. The organization is run by experienced Agricultural Doctoral & Agri Industrial Professionals having 20+ years of experience in Agriculture and Horticulture areas like Organic farming, Integrated Farming System, Agri Inputs production and supply (Organic and bio products), Soil nutrient studies, Agri machinery & equipment supply, Smart farming technology solutions, Agricultural produces exports and Farmer Producer company consultancy services. Agri Amigos has been interested on work with leading National and International Research Institutes and Organizations, Animal Husbandry, Agriculture and allied sector Incubation centers, Organic Certification agencies, Agricultural Students Network, Farmer Networks across India, Government Nodal agencies and Farm Laborer networks. Agri Amigos Pvt. Ltd is registered incubatee of Madurai Agri Business Incubation Forum (MABIF), EDII- Periyakulam Horti Business Incubation Forum (EDII-PHBIF) and EDII-Killikulam Agri Business Incubation Forum (EDII- KABIF). Agri Amigos has MOU with TNAU, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu., The American College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu., Sethu Institute of Technology, Kariapatti, Virudhunagar Dt, Tamil Nadu and Thanthai Rover Institute of Agriculture and Rural Development (TRIARD), Perambalur, Tamil Nadu for Student Skill Development Training, Industrial Internships, Research and Development.

## VAPS, Madurai, Tamil Nadu.



Voluntary Association for People Service- VAPS, a non-governmental organisation, has been rendering yeoman services since 1999 functioning in Tamil Nadu, India. Now VAPS function as Nodal Training Institute for Agri Clinics and Agri Business Centres, MANAGE, Govt. of India. VAPS core objectives are to concentrate on providing training, capacity building, skill and entrepreneurship development, child and youth development, women development and care for elderly persons. VAPS has committed to enable the needy, facilitating them for their self-reliance and closely working with various stakeholders including government department and NGOs.

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## **Themes**

### **Recent Innovations and Technological Advancements of below Divisions and Subjects**

#### **1. Crop Production**

Agronomy / Agricultural Meteorology / Agro- ergonomy / Weed Science

#### **2. Crop Improvement**

Plant Breeding & Genetics / Plant Genetic Resources / Seed Science & Technology

#### **3. Crop Protection**

Mycology / Plant Pathology / Agricultural & Horticultural Entomology / Nematology/ Plant Protection

#### **4. Physical Sciences in Agriculture**

Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry/Agricultural Physics/ Agricultural Chemicals/ Environmental Science/ Agricultural Statistics

#### **5. Hitech Horticulture**

Horticulture / Vegetable Science/ Fruit Science / Post Harvest Technology of Horticultural Crops / Floriculture & Landscaping Architecture / Plantation Spices, Medicinal and Aromatic Crops

#### **6. Sericulture**

General Sericulture / Mulberry cultivation and protection / Biology of mulberry plant, Grainage and Seed Technology/ Biology of Silkworm and silkworm crop protection / Silkworm Physiology, Silkworm Breeding and Genetics / Silkworm rearing / Non-mulberry sericulture / Post Cocoon Technology / Silk Grading and Testing / Silk Dyeing and Printing Technology / Silk weaving / Sericulture Economics and Statistics / Sericulture Marketing / Sericulture Extension Education / Sericulture Entrepreneurships

#### **7. Beneficial Insects and Microbes**

Apiculture/ Insects as Future Food / Agricultural Microbiology / Microbiology / Plant Growth Promoting Rhizobacteria / Biofertilizers / Biopesticides/ Mushrooms

#### **8. Agricultural Engineering**

Soil Water Conservation Engineering / Irrigation Drainage Engineering / Irrigation Water Management Engineering / Post Harvest Technology / Farm Machinery and Power Engineering / Renewable Energy Engineering/ Environmental Engineering / Water Science and Technology

#### **9. Food Science and Technology**

Food Science/ Food, Nutrition & Dietetics/ Food Technology/ Food Process Engineering/ Food Process Technology/ Food Safety and Quality Assurance / Millets Value Addition

#### **10. Biotechnology and Crop Physiology**

Biotechnology / Plant Biotechnology / Plant Tissue Culture/ Molecular Biology / Bioinformatics/ Crop Physiology/ Plant Biochemistry

## 11. Rural Entrepreneurship

Agri Tourism /Agri Business Management / Agricultural Marketing & Cooperation / Agricultural Economics / Dairy Economics / Agriculture Extension / Extension Education/ Communication / Information and Communication Technology/ Silviculture/ Agroforestry/ Farmer Producer Organisations / Success Stories of KVKs

## 12. Veterinary and Animal Sciences & Fisheries Science

Veterinary Anatomy/ Veterinary Anatomy & Histology/ Veterinary Gynaecology and Obstetrics/ Animal Reproduction/ Veterinary Medicine (Clinical/Preventive) / Veterinary Parasitology/ Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology/ Veterinary Pathology / Wildlife Science/ Wildlife Health Management/ Veterinary Virology/ Veterinary Immunology / Veterinary Microbiology & Immunology/Bacteriology / Veterinary Surgery & Radiology/ Veterinary Public Health & Epidemiology/ Veterinary Public Health/Veterinary Epidemiology/ Veterinary Epidemiology & Preventive Medicine/ Animal Husbandry/Dairy Science/ Animal Genetics & Breeding /Animal Nutrition / Animal Physiology / / Animal Biotechnology / Animal Biochemistry/ Livestock Production Management / Livestock Products Technology/ Poultry Science / Animal Husbandry Extension /Livestock/ Veterinary/ Animal Husbandry Economics / Fisheries Sciences/Fish Environment Management/Fisheries Resource Management/ Aquaculture / Fish Processing Technology/ Fish Physiology & Biochemistry / Aquatic Animal Health Management/ Fisheries Extension/ Aquatic Environment / Fish Genetics/ Breeding / Biotechnology / Fish Nutrition & Feed Technology / Fish Economics / Fish Engineering Technology



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- Last date of abstract submission is 25th July, 2023.
- Intimation of acceptance of abstract submission will be confirmed by mail.
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## CONFERENCE NEAR VENUE - KANYAKUMARI

### Heritage of Kanyakumari

Kanyakumari is beautiful tourism destination of Tamil Nadu situated at the southernmost end of India. Kanyakumari is popularly known as “Cape Comorin”. Kanyakumari serves as one of the major commercial hub during the pre-independence era. Poised at the confluence of the Indian Ocean, the Bay of Bengal and the Arabian Sea, Kanyakumari, the tip of Indian peninsula's 'V' is a surreal tourist destination. Ensnared in the southern fringes of Tamil Nadu, Kanyakumari is unique in that the celestial happenstance of sunset and moonrise can be seen simultaneously.

### Climate of Kanyakumari

The climate is tropical in Kanyakumari. The summers are much rainier than the winters in Kanyakumari. The Köppen-Geiger climate classification is Aw. The temperature here averages 26.9 °C | 80.4 °F. Precipitation here is about 793 mm | 31.2 inch per year.

This region, situated near the equator line, is characterized by difficult-to-define summer seasons. The best time to visit is January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, December.

### How to reach The Indian Agriculture College, Radhapuram, Near Kanyakumari

#### By Air

Thiruvananthapuram International Airport is the nearest at a distance of about 100 km. The airport is well connected to all major airports in India and some international destinations like Singapore, Colombo and many Gulf nations. Taxis and private vehicles are available for hire from the airport to reach Kanyakumari from the airport. Other nearest airports happen to be Tuticorin (96km) and Madurai (220km).

#### By Train

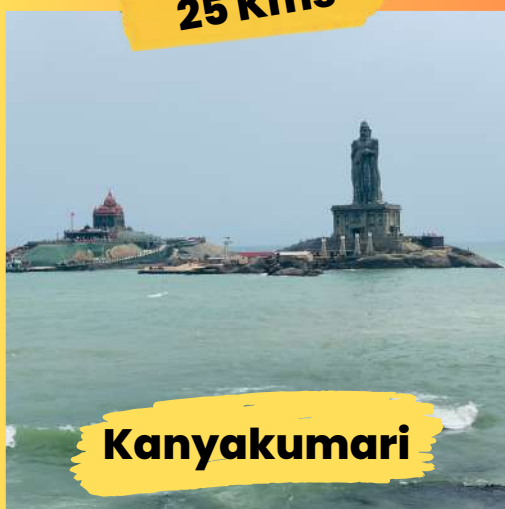
Kanyakumari Junction is about 30 km away from the The Indian Agriculture College, Radhapuram. It is the biggest station in the Kanyakumari district and is connected to many Indian cities like Chennai, Bengaluru, Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata and Jammu Tawi. Taxis and buses are available from the railway station to reach The Indian Agriculture College, Radhapuram.

#### By Road

There are regular bus services from cities in Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Karnataka. Kavalkinaru Junction located in NH44 is well connected Junction point of The Indian Agriculture College, Radhapuram. Kanyakumari is connected to other cities like Chennai, Bengaluru, Hyderabad, Madurai, Trichy and Pondicherry.

# **TOURIST DESTINATION NEAR THE INDIAN AGRICULTURE COLLEGE RADHAPURAM**

**25 Kms**



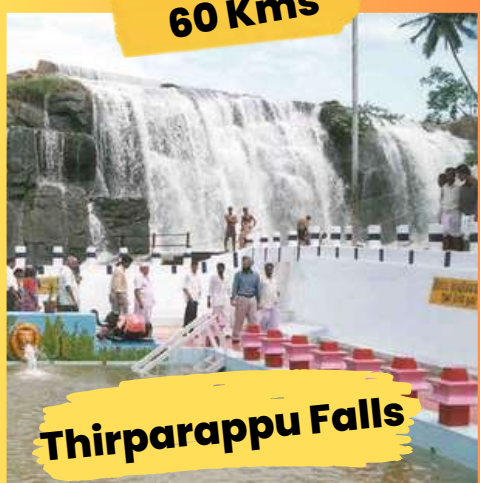
**Kanyakumari**

**46 Kms**



**Padmanabapuram  
Palace**

**60 Kms**



**Thirparappu Falls**

**80 Kms**



**Poovar**

**95 Kms**



**Kovalam Beach**

**100 Kms**



**Thiruvananthapuram**

## Accommodation – Hotels Near by Conference Location – Kavalkinaru Junction

Registration fee does not include accommodation charges and it should be paid by the participants directly to hotel. Number of hotels available near the conference venue and participant will book directly.

For Student accommodation will be ensured for those who clearly communicate in advance (before 30.06.2023) for the same and will be arranged in college hostel on payment basis.

The accommodation cost in hotels Kanyakumari and Nagercoil ranging between Rs.1500 and 5000 (Twin sharing basis).

## Hotels in Kavalkinaru Junction, Near location of The Indian Agriculture College, Radhapuram Double Occupancy Rooms

Hotel Name	A/C Room Tariff	A/C Premium Room Tariff	Non A/C Room Tariff	Contact Numbers
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Stella Lodge	1200		700	9443310774 8056999276
Rajan Lodge	1000		600	9487302300
Matha Lodge	1000			9688199599

## Souvenir – Tariff for Advertisement Details

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