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## Conference Program September 1 - 3, 2022

Timing	Particular
<b>Day 1: September 1, 2022</b>	
Organized by:  <b>The Organic Farming Association of India</b>	
<b>Session 1</b> 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM	<b>Challenges and Opportunities: From Farmer Producer Co-operatives</b>  <b>Speakers:</b> Dharani Co-op, AP One Gujarat Co-op, GJ Bhoongadi Co-op, CH Evolve Foundation, UT Gujarat Beekeeper Development and Honey Producers Co-operative Society Ltd, UT  <b>Moderated by: Devesh Patel, OFAI MC Member, Gujarat</b>
<b>Session 2</b> 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM	<b>Challenges and Opportunities: From Farmer led Start-ups</b>  <b>Speakers:</b> Annu Sunny, Graamya, KL Leenish V: Samadhatu KL Nidhi Tripathi, UP Prem Singh, UP Shaji Damodaran, Nutriroot, KL  <b>Moderated by: KP Illiyas, OFAI President and MC member, Kerala</b>
<b>Day 2: September 2, 2022</b>	
Organized by:  <b>KRISHI UDYAMI KRISHAK VIKAS CHAMBER</b>	
<b>Session 1</b> 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	<b>BIOFACH Forum – Trends and news of the organic market in India</b>  <b>Session Brief: India as new organic hub in Asia</b>  <b>Speakers:</b> Dr. J S Yadav, Ex director NIAM, Ex Director HIRD, Director WUWM, Advisor to IIHM Manoj Kumar Menon, MD, ICCOA Jyothika Kotian, AGM - Gencrest Bio Products Pvt. Ltd  <b>Moderated by: C K Ganguly</b>

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<p><b>Session 2</b> 11:45 AM - 1:00 PM</p>	<p><b>For the environment, climate &amp; sustainability: How India can meet its organic target</b></p> <p><b>Session Brief:</b> The new Government of India has launched various schemes like But what does this mean for organic farmers, producers, traders and customers? How can their target for organic be achieved? We will discuss with officials and industry veterans the path to a nutritional turnaround, from organic research to organic food in canteens to regional value chains.</p> <p><b>Key Point of Discussions:</b> What conditions are additionally needed so that agriculture and food production can be transformed in such a way as to achieve sustainability goals, doing business in harmony with global resources and within our planet's limitations</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Dr. B S Sehrawat, Ex MD Haryana horticulture Mission Dr. Ramesh Yadav, Ex Chairman Haryana Kisan Ayog V C Baba, Mastnath University Rohtak Dr. A K Yadav : Advisor, Ministry of Agriculture</p> <p><b>Moderated by: Vishala Padmanabhan</b></p>
<p><b>Session 3</b> 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM</p>	<p><b>BIOFACH World – Global Organic Market Overview + Organic farming in Ukraine 6 months after the beginning of the war - status quo and outlook</b></p> <p><b>Session Brief:</b> The global organic market has changed due to the pandemic and war in Europe. Industry pioneers will share first-hand market information of the impact of these factors in different regions of the world receiving up-to-date information about the situation of the organic sector in Ukraine. International markets are highly dependable on supply of organic raw materials from Ukraine. Trade needs to know what can be expected product- and quantity-wise of harvest 2022 from Ukraine. Companies also want to learn how the organic movement in Ukraine can presently best be supported. Expect first-hand information from Ukrainian stakeholders</p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Jennifer Gerrity, Procurement Manager, Herb Pharm, USA Peerachote Charanwong, CMD, Merit Food Products Co., Ltd Eugene Milovanov, President, Organic Federation of Ukraine</p> <p><b>Moderated by: Sundeep Kamath</b></p>

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<b>Day 3: September 3, 2022</b>	
Organized by:  <b>KRISHI UDYAMI KRISHAK VIKAS CHAMBER</b>	
<b>Session 1</b> 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM	<b>Facilitation of Internal Control Systems (ICS) and Participatory Guarantee Systems (PGS) with Group Integrity</b>  <b>Session Brief:</b> The inclusion of smallholders in international markets is essential to global food supplies. To facilitate their market entry, what is required for the professional management of internal control systems (ICS) of grower groups and companies with smallholders in contract production and prepares them optimally for the certification against private and public standards like organic or fair trade  <b>Speakers:</b> Dr. Binay Kumar Choudhary, Chairman, CU Inspections & Certifications India Pvt. Ltd Narayana Upadhyay, MD, Aditi Organic Certification Pvt. Ltd N Balasubramanian, CEO, Sresta Natura Products Ltd  <b>Moderated by: Vishala Padmanabhan</b>
<b>Session 2</b> 11:45 AM - 1:00 PM	<b>Organic Guarantee - Why certification matters or How many standards do we need?</b>  <b>Session Brief:</b> Certification levels vary in the organic sector. They matter as a guarantee for consumers, they matter because they ensure that what is claimed is real and they matter because they offer a simple way for consumers to make choices that match their values. So where do we go from here? How useful is certification for brands, how could it be more useful, how is it used in different parts of the country? What do consumers want from standards? This is a debate for the trust of the consumers.  <b>Speakers:</b> Dr. Thomas Jacob, Advisor, PDS Organic Spices Krishendu Chatterjee, COO, Darjeeling Organic Tea Estates Pvt. Ltd Surya Shastry, Director, Phalada Agro  <b>Moderated by: Sundeep Kamath</b>



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