

Report on

Training Program

Creation of Awareness among Students, Faculty & Farmers on Provision of Protection of Plant Varieties in India

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The Training Program "Creation of Awareness among Students, Faculty & Farmers on Provision of Protection of Plant Varieties in India" Sponsored by Protection of Plant Varieties & Farmer's Rights Authority, Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India was held on Jan 15, 2015. Dr Abha Agnihotri, Head, Centre for Agricultural Biotechnology & Professor, Amity Institute of Microbial Technology, welcomed the guests and participants. The chief guest Dr R.R Hanchinal, Chairperson, PPV&FR Authority, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Co-operation, GOI, New Delhi was unable to join due to an urgent last minute official engagement. Dr. Ravi Prakash, Registrar, PPV&FR Authority, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Co-operation, GOI, New Delhi, on behalf of Dr Hanchinal, enlightened the participants by delivering the keynote address "Protection of Plant Varieties with special reference to India" on behalf of Dr Hanchinal. Following lectures were delivered in the Technical sessions:

- Familiarizing PPV&FRA website- application and benefits: **Dr. Ravi Prakash**, Registrar, PPV&FR Authority, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, GOI, New Delhi
- IP Protection System in India: An Overview: **Dr. Shaleen Raizada**, Director, Sanshadow Consultants Pvt. Ltd.
- IP issues in Biotechnology- Crop Sustainability: **Dr Abha Agnihotri**, Professor, Amity University Uttar Pradesh, Noida
- Cold Chain Management: **Dr Sunil Saran,** Chairman, AICPHT&CCM, and Sr. Vice Chairman, ASTIF, Amity University Uttar Pradesh, Noida
- Micronutrient Management: **Dr Kuldeep Singh,** Emeritus Scientist, Amity University Uttar Pradesh, Noida

- Rootonic- A case Study: **Dr Amit C Kharkwal**, Dy. Director & Head, Amity Institute of Microbial Technology, Amity University Uttar Pradesh, Noida



Dr Ravi Prakash, Dr Abha Agnihotri, Dr Sunil Saran on Dias



Dr Ravi Prakash- giving Inaugural address



Technical Session in progress: Dr Abha Agnihotri, Dr Ajit Varma, Dr Ravi Prakash, Dr Sunil Saran



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