

Government Of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change Research and Training (Forestry) (RT) Division

Training on Introduction to Basic Forestry

Through virtual mode

Program Duration 16 – 17 September 2021



Organised by Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur

Introduction:

Forests are the lungs of the environment as sustainable and stable health of the environment depends upon the forests. Despite of providing numerous tangible (timber, fuel wood, fruits, NTFPs) and intangible services (oxygen supply, carbon sequestration, abatement of pollutants, ground water recharge) to mankind, today forests are suffering from biotic and abiotic pressure leading to deforestation or forest degradation. Forest protection and conservation is utmost essential and need of the hour for strengthening ecological sustainability and productivity enhancement.

Tropical Forest Research Institute (TFRI), Jabalpur, under the aegis of India Council of Forestry Research

and Education (ICFRE), Dehradun is one of the national R&D institutes focusing research towards the forest conservation and its management in central India.

Programme Objective:

Major objective of the training is to sensitize the stakeholders other than state forest departments towards role of forests in environmental issues like regulating hydrological services, mitigating negative consequences of climate change and global warming. After getting inputs through training programme, the stakeholders will be able to understand the importance of forests for their conservation and management in a better way. A wide range of lectures starting from basics of forestry to explaining the need for involvement of stakeholders such as social activities, press and media will be deliberated in two days training programme.

The training will enable the target group to share and exchange the learnings among fellow personnel in their respective fields who will generate awareness about environment and forest conservation among their peers.

Program format:

All lectures and discussions shall be conducted through on-line using Google meet platform. The weblink for participation will be shared with the participants through email/WhatsApp well before the commencement of the session. Participants can attend training programme using their computer/ smart phone.

The detailed schedule is attached with the brochure.

Faculty:

Scientists and senior technical officers of the institute will deliver the lectures.

Target Group:

Personnel from NGO, students from educational institutions, nature clubs/ eco-clubs, Panchayats, elected representatives, personnel from banking institutions, social activities, press and media persons etc., will be the potential audience.

Program fee: There is no program fee.

Participation:

The nomination may be sent to the Program Coordinator latest by 15th September 2021 by 2.00 pm. Confirmation on acceptance of nominations will be intimated by email or whatapp message. Participants will be given E-certificate after successful completion of training.

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Registration

The participants can register for the Program through Google Form link or scan QR Code given below. A Whatsapp Group will also be created for resolution of technical issues. Please click the link and fill the online google form.

https://forms.gle/S18JcUdLV1mwXU5M8 OR https://tinyurl.com/f8ck4s35



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Programme Schedule (Tentative)

| Day | Time period | Торіс | Resource Person | |
|-------------|-----------------------|---|--|--|
| Ι | Inaugural Session | | | |
| 16-09-2021 | 09:30 - 09:40 am | Welcome speech by Dr. Avinash Jain, Head & Scientist-F Forest Ecology and Climate Change division | | |
| | 09:40 - 09:50 am | Inaugural speech by Dr. G. Rajeshwar Rao, ARS Director, TFRI, Jabalpur | | |
| | 09:50 – 10.00 am | Vote of thanks by Mr. Dheeraj Gupta, Scientist D, Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division, TFRI | | |
| | Technical Session | | | |
| | 10.00 - 11:00 am | Introduction to RS/GIS and its application in forestry | Mr. Dheeraj Gupta, Scientist D, Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division, TFRI | |
| | 11.00 -12.00 | Importance of Environment and Nature Conservation | Mr. M. Rajkumar, Scientist D Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division, TFRI | |
| | 12.00-1.00 pm | Vegetation survey and phyto-sociological assessment of natural forests | Dr. Nidhi Mehta A.C.T.O. Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division, TFRI | |
| | 1.00 pm – 2.15 pm | Lunch break | | |
| | 2.15 - 3.15 pm | Climate change and carbon sequestration in forest ecosystem and plantation | Dr. Avinash Jain, Scientist F Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division, TFRI | |
| II | Technical Session | | | |
| 17-09-2021 | 09:30 - 10:30 am | Tree improvement concepts and methods | Dr. Naseer Mohammad Scientist D, Forest Genetics and Tree Improvement | |
| | 10.30 -11.30 am | Forest Diseases and their | Division, TFRI Dr. AJK Asaiya, Scientist C, | |
| | | Management | Forest Protection Division, TFRI | |
| | 11.30 am -12.30 pm | Agro-forestry models for income generation | Dr. Nanita Berry, Scientist E, Silviculture and Agroforestry Division TFRI | |
| | 12.30-1.15 pm | Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) | Shri Ajin Sekhar, Scientist B, Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division, TFRI | |
| | 1.00 pm – 2.15 pm | Lunch break | · · · | |
| | 2.15-3.00 pm | Forest soils: an overview | Miss Deepika Jangam, Scientist B, Forest Ecology and Climate Change Division | |
| | 3.00-3.30 pm | Group discussion and Experience sharing | Dr. Avinash Jain, Dheeraj Gupta, M. Rajkumar, Ajin Sekhar, Dr. Deepika Jangam and Dr. Nidhi Mehta Forest Ecology and Climate Change | |
| | | | Division, TFRI | |
| | 3.30-3.40 pm | Wrapping up | Mr. Dheeraj Gupta, Scientist D, | |
| Madamatam N | | | nd Climate Change Division | |