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G20 UNIVERSITY CONNECT
Engaging Young Minds

SHER-E-KASHMIR UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY OF JAMMU

Main event: August 22, 2023 (Tuesday)

Baba Jitto Auditorium, SKUAST-JAMMU, Chatha, Jammu

Theme

Sustainable Agriculture for Resilient Agri-food Systems with Climate Smart Approach
The objective is to stimulate the interest of the students towards G20
activities during India's presidency.

Pre-events

August 04, 2023

Poster COMPETITION
11:00 AM – 01.00 PM
Contact: Dr Sachin Gupta–94191 60299
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Essay Writing
03:00 PM – 05.00 PM
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August 07, 2023

QUIZ
11:00 AM – 01.00 PM
Contact: Dr Manmohan Sharma–9419217211
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Ideathon
03:00 PM – 05.00 PM
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August 21, 2023

Rangoli
02:00 PM – 05.00 PM
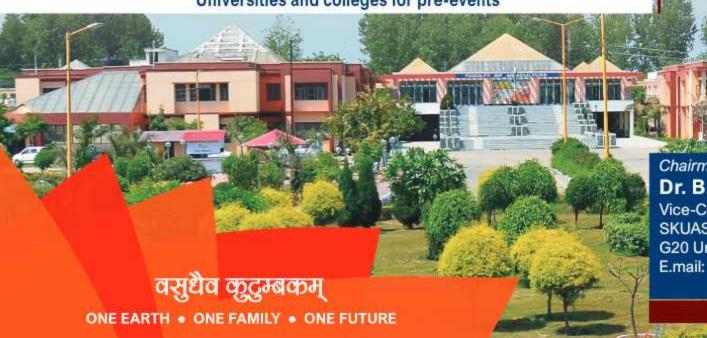Contact: Dr Moni Gupta–94691 60994
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Entries are invited from undergraduate and postgraduate students of the Universities and colleges for pre-events

G20 University Connect

The G20 is an intergovernmental forum comprising 19 countries and the European Union (EU). The members are Argentina, Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, South Korea, Turkey, the U.K. and the U.S., as well as the European Union, represented by the rotating council presidency and the European Central Bank.

India assumed the Presidency of the G20 on December 1, 2022, focusing not only on macro economy and trade but also on a diverse range of global issues that significantly affect the global economy. Indian Presidency of G20 holds significance for the Global South. The theme of the Indian Presidency, i.e. 'One Earth, One Family, One Future' built on the all-encompassing civilizational value of "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam", epitomizes that spirit. In that perspective, Shri Narendra Modi, Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, initiated the G20 University Connect: Engaging Young Minds is being jointly organized by the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, and Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS), a New Delhi-based autonomous policy research institute. The aim is to raise awareness among students and youth through the G20 University Connect series, engaging with students from 75 universities across 56 locations in India.

As a part of this initiative, Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology of Jammu has the privilege of being one of such locations. We are pleased to invited you to be a part of this mega event.

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Guidelines for pre-events

Essay Competition
Date of the event: 04.08.2023

Under its G20 presidency, India is focusing on making agriculture sustainable, climate-friendly and less intensive in resource utilization. Water is a critical resource for the world and is increasingly becoming dearer. The global urban population facing water scarcity is projected to double from 930 million in 2016 to 1.7–2.4 billion people in 2050. Water allocation from agriculture to urban centres has become a common strategy to meet growing freshwater needs in cities. This can have serious repercussions on food security. It is imperative to deliberate on making agricultural water use more efficient.

To increase awareness on this topic among students of the University and nearby colleges, an essay competition on the topic '**Food and Nutritional Security : Removing Hunger'** is being organized. Entries are invited for essay competition from the undergraduate and postgraduate students of the faculties and colleges.

Terms and conditions:
➢ The essay is to be written on the spot within a time-slot of 90 minutes.
➢ Language of essay: English
➢ Word limit: Maximum- 2000 words; minimum- 1000 words.

Event coordinator: Dr K K Sood (Ph: 7889978755)
E-mail for submission of entries: kksood_2000_2000@yahoo.com

Poster making competition
Date of the event: 04.08.2023

Posters can be the most effective approach towards bringing awareness among all stake holders. The objective behind organisation of poster making competition is to bring out the creative expression of students and to gauge their knowledge and awareness of various So lets us showcase our imaginations while promoting the theme of "Sustainable Climate Resilient Agriculture."

Terms and conditions:
➢ The poster is to be made on the A3 size sheet.
➢ The sheet will be provided by the organizers. Rest of the material is to be brought by the participant for poster making.
➢ Poster can be made using pencil, crayon, watercolour, oil paint, etc
➢ The theme of poster should be clearly mentioned at the Top Margin of the Poster.
➢ Poster should not contain any personal details like Name, Class, College etc. of the participants.
➢ The poster is to be made in a time-slot of 2 hours.

Event coordinator: Dr Sachin Gupta (Ph: 9419160299)
E-mail for submission of entries: sachinmoni@gmail.com

Quiz
Date of the event: 07.08.2023

Achieving food security is an international priority, reflected in the Sustainable Development Goal of a hunger-free world (SDG 2). Four priority areas have been identified for holding discussions and building G20 consensus in the AWG meetings in this direction. These are:

a) Food Security and Nutrition
b) Sustainable Agriculture with Climate Smart Approach:
c) Inclusive agri value chains and food systems
d) Digitalization for Agricultural Transformation

Entries in the form of a **team of four students** are invited to participate in the quiz. The quiz will be based on themes outlined above. Quiz will comprise of a preliminary written round for screening. Four teams will advance to the next round, which will consist of four rounds of questions, each dedicated to one theme. Questions will be of general awareness level and will be in the form of MCQs.

Event coordinator: Dr Manmohan Sharma (Ph: 9419217211)
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Ideathon
(The presentation competition)
Date of the event: 07.08.2023

As a step towards involving young minds in problem-solving and harnessing the freshness of their perspective, The University is organizing an 'Ideathon' under the University Connect program of G20. The ideathon welcomes innovative, fresh and technology-based solutions to some of the burning problems in agriculture, livestock and food security.

Terms and conditions:
1. Participants can select any problem statement from the given list and design their solution.
2. Participants will make a power-point presentation of 4-5 minutes duration highlighting the selected problem and proposed solution.
3. The solution must be innovative and not already available in the market or proposed in the literature.
4. Participants need to support their entry with a write-up/flyer of one page.

Problem statements
1. Post-harvest losses in agriculture/livestock farming
2. Newly emerging diseases in agriculture/livestock farming
3. Stubble burning
4. Effluent management in agriculture/livestock farming
5. Supply chain management in agriculture/livestock farming

Event coordinator: Dr Ankur Rastogi (Ph: 9419149431)
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Rangoli Making Competition
Date of the event: 21.08.2023

The traditional Indian art form of Rangoli is used to decorate doorways and entrances during festive occasions, but lets us make this traditional art form a messenger to showcase our artistic flair while promoting the theme of **"Sustainable Climate Resilient Agriculture"**." Let your creativity flourish as you depict the importance of eco-friendly and responsible farming practices. Entries in the form of a **team comprising of three students** are invited to participate in the Rangoli making.

Terms and conditions:

➢ The Rangoli design must revolve around the theme of "Sustainable Agriculture
➢ Each team must bring their own materials for making the Rangoli, including colors, brushes, and any other required tools. Only dry, eco-friendly colors are allowed
➢ The rangoli is to be made in a time-slot of 2 hours +/-half hour
➢ Size limit is minimum of 4ft by 4ft and maximum of 6ft by 6 ft

Event coordinator: Dr Moni Gupta (Ph: 9469160994)
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