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Dear Sir/Madam,

Warm greetings from ICAR-CMFRI !

I am delighted to remind you that the 16<sup>th</sup> edition of the Agricultural Science Congress (16ASC) and the ASC Expo, organized by the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS) in New Delhi, will be hosted by the ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (CMFRI) from 10 to 13 October, 2023 in Kochi.

In order to ensure the maximum reach and impact of this significant event, we humbly request your valued support in featuring a concise overview of the 16ASC on the website of your esteemed Institute, along with a direct hyperlink to the official ASC website. Such visibility would greatly enhance awareness and entice a larger audience to actively participate in this event.

For your convenience, we have enclosed a brief write-up about the 16ASC, along with the relevant website details, which we kindly request to be published on your Institute's website. By doing so, we can effectively disseminate vital information about this event to a broader range of individuals and organizations. By uniting our efforts and resources, we can ensure that the news of the 16ASC permeates through various channels, reaching the intended target audience far and wide.

Please find the enclosed write-up for your perusal, and we express our sincere gratitude for your attention and consideration.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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Director

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ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (CMFRI)

## **16<sup>th</sup> Agricultural Science Congress in Kochi from 10 - 13 October 2023**

The ICAR-Central Marine Fisheries Research Institute (CMFRI) will host the 16<sup>th</sup> Agricultural Science Congress (ASC) and ASC Expo from 10 to 13 October 2023 in Kochi. Organised by the National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS), New Delhi, the ASC will focus on the theme 'Transformation of agri-food systems for achieving sustainable development goals (SDGs)'. The Congress aims to bring together leading academicians, researchers, students, farmers, entrepreneurs, etc. from across the globe to exchange their research findings, ideas and experiences on all aspects of agri-food systems to draw a roadmap for achieving the SDGs of the United Nations.

The delegates and participants in the Congress will find ample opportunities to highlight their views and share knowledge on all issues related to agriculture and allied subjects and sustainability issues on land and water, agricultural production systems, products, agricultural machinery, economics, renewable and alternative energy, precision farming, alternative farming systems, coastal agriculture, next-generation technologies, etc. aiming to find ways to transform the sector to meet the UN SDGs.

The 16<sup>th</sup> ASC will feature plenaries, special invited lectures by eminent scientists, technical sessions, agri expo, symposia, panel discussions, student elocution, farmer and industry interactions, etc. covering topics such as food and nutritional security, climate actions for sustainable agri-food systems, emerging genetic technologies, livestock, horticulture, aquaculture and fisheries, nature-based solutions, next-gen technologies, policies etc.

More than 1500 delegates from India and abroad, a large number of farmers and the local public are expected to attend the event. The Agri Expo will showcase innovative agricultural technologies of public and private sector research institutes, universities, agro-industries, extension agencies and NGOs.

The deadline for abstract submission is July 31, 2023. Regular registration for the 16th ASC will close on August 31, 2023.

Students from State Agricultural Universities, Deemed to be Agricultural Universities and Central Agricultural Universities can participate in the student elocution contest.

For registration and further details, visit website: [www.16asc2023.in](http://www.16asc2023.in)

Additionally, any enquiries can be directed to the email address: [16asc2023@gmail.com](mailto:16asc2023@gmail.com)