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Faculty Involved

Experts from the ICAR Research Complex for Eastern Region, Patna and its centers viz. Research Centre for Horticulture and Agroforestry, Ranchi, BISA, CIMMYT and other experts from different ICAR institute and SAUs.

Important Information

- Last date for receipt of application: **August 06, 2018**
- Confirmation to selected candidates: **August 10, 2018**
- Commencement of the Course: **September 11, 2018**
- The complete details regarding the Model Training Course and application form can also be downloaded from the institute website www.icarrcer.in

Applicants can email duly filled form along with their signature to

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ICAR RCER

About Us

The institute came into the existence on 22nd February, 2001 with its headquarter at Patna and its regional stations at Darbhanga, Bihar and Ranchi, Jharkhand. Two KVKs at Buxar, Bihar and Ramgarh, Jharkhand are attached to the Complex. Since establishment, the institute has undertaken the research work in the areas of land and water resources management, crop, horticulture, aquatic crops, fishery, livestock and poultry, agro-forestry, processing and socio-economic aspects for agricultural development in the region so as to improve the livelihood of resource poor farmers. The institute is actively involved in research aspects of conservation agriculture and rice fallow management in the Eastern Indo-Gangetic Plains (EIGP)

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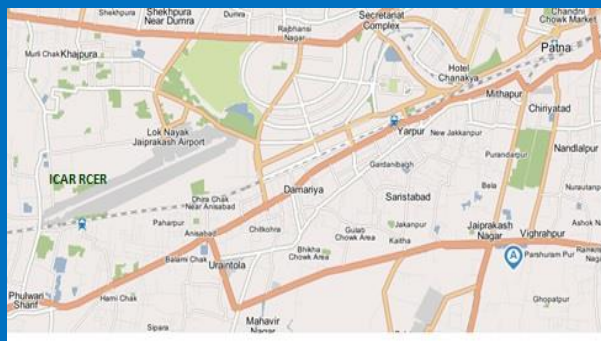


**Model Training Course
On
Conservation Agriculture :
Mitigating Climate Change
Effects & Doubling Farmers
Income**

11-18 September, 2018

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Application Procedure

Interested participants apply in the prescribed format of application form which should be duly approved by the competent authority of the organisation and the scanned copy of approved application may be sent to the Course Director or course coordinators by email while original application must be sent through post. In case of any difficulty please contact Course Director or Course Coordinators. Application forms are available at Institute's website (www.icarrcer.in) and can be uploaded.

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About the Course

In Eastern Indo-Gangetic Plain (E-IGP) Zone of the country, sowing of winter crops is delayed due to the late harvesting of rice and tilling fields for winter crops resulting in lower yields and input-use efficiency. The institute has developed many resource conservation technologies in collaboration with international organizations and popularized the same on farmer's fields. Under the changing climate scenario, it is necessary to train the extension functionaries working in the agriculture in order to make farmers aware of the benefits of conservation agriculture technologies for improving the crop productivity and profitability. The ultimate objective of the training is to provide the trainees with holistic knowledge and training on various aspects of conservation agriculture based interventions.

Eligibility

Candidates are serving in the State Development Departments, Extension officers of the State, SMS/ Assistant Professor/Scientists and above or equivalent in the National Agriculture Research System (NARS) including the State Agriculture Universities, Krishi Vigyan Kendra, extension functionaries of the state, Agriculture and Allied Science Faculties of other universities.

Boarding, Lodging and Travel

Free boarding and lodging, as per the Ministry of Agriculture approved norms will be arranged in the Institute Guest house for all the participants. The selected participants will be paid for the journey, to and fro, restricted to AC-II tier fare or bus as the case may be as per approved norms **(for State Govt. Officials only)**. Trainees from ICAR, SAU's, KVKs etc. have to claim their TA from their respective organization. However, all participants are entitled to avail the lodging and boarding and other facilities. The location Patna, which is well connected by air, rail and road to the major cities of India, The Patna railway station is approximately 10 km and bus stand is about 14 km from the Institute. Important landmark for reaching the Institute is Patna Airport and Bihar Veterinary College which are located within 1 Km distance from the Institute.



Administrative building cum Laboratory, ICAR- RCER, Patna

About the Division

The Division of Crop research started in this complex from the inceptions of the Institute with major emphasis on

- 1. Resource conservation technologies and impact of climate change**
- 2. Integrated farming system research and development of IFS models for small and marginal farmers.**
- 3. Varietal development for major crops.**
- 4. Capacity building and Human Resource development**

The Division has experts in the discipline of Agronomy, Genetics & Plant Breeding, Entomology, Plant Pathology, Agricultural Meteorology, Soil Science, Horticulture and Plant Physiology. It has close association with other divisions of the institute viz. Division of livestock & fishery management, Division of Socio-economic & Extension, Division of Land and Water Management, Research Centre for Makhana, Darbhanga, Research Centre for Horticulture and Agroforestry, Ranchi etc. as well as linkages with organization like CIMMYT, BISA, ACIAR, IWMI and IRRI. The division has International projects and many more National & Institute Projects on conservation agriculture.