

About Winter School

Quality and balanced animal feeding plays an important role in animal health and reproduction as well as in production of safe and quality products of animal origin. Now a days, world is experiencing major changes in food consumption patterns, especially with increase in demand for animal products, particularly animal proteins leading to worldwide growth in livestock production. Increasing demand for proteins of animal origin has led to intensification of livestock production, mainly based on the use of agro-industrial compound feeds. This has led to increase in use of selected feed grains and fodder seeds, new and unconventional materials in production of feed. In turn, there is an increasing demand for enough feed materials which need to be wholesome, balanced and safe for animals as well as free of undesirable or toxic substances. In recent years, several incidents have drawn up attention on importance of ensuring animal feed safety and quality assessment to ensure safe food of animal origin for human consumption. Therefore, animal feed must also be safe. It must be free from pesticides; fertilizers; mycotoxins and any other chemicals that would be harmful to the animals and it must not introduce pathogenic microorganisms to the animals, otherwise it could compromise the quality and safety of animal-derived foods. Therefore, feed evaluation is required to ensure its quality and nutritional values between feeds and to give information on the feeds to meet the nutritional needs of animals. Considering the enormous importance of the food safety and human health, this course has been designed in such a way that the stakeholder involved in animal nutrition, livestock production and management, feed processing and technology, livestock products technology, microbiology, toxicology, public health and medicine would be enlightened with the issues in an endeavour to address such challenges and ensure animal and human health.

Important Dates

- § Last date for receiving application is **15th January, 2024**
- § The selected candidates will be intimated on **18th January, 2024** by E-mail/Whatsaap
- § The candidates will have to confirm their participation latest by **20th January, 2024**

About Host Institute

College of Veterinary and Animal Science, Bikaner is one of the oldest Veterinary Colleges in India, which started in the heritage royal palace buildings (Ganga Avenue) of the erstwhile princely state of Bikaner near Lalgah Palace way back in 1954. This year, CVAS, Bikaner is celebrating its Platinum Jubilee Year. The College is spread over almost 200 hectares of land under RAJUVAS.

Rajasthan University of Veterinary & Animal Sciences (RAJUVAS), Bikaner came into existence with its headquarters at Bikaner on 13th of May 2010 to promote teaching, research and extension activities in the field of Veterinary and Animal Sciences and allied sectors. The University is marching ahead to provide technical and scientific support for transforming state animal husbandry from sustainability to improved profitability. Improved production in association with productivity spurts has led the State to be the leader in the country for milk, meat and wool production with the support of scientific and technological interventions and a favorable policy ecosystem.



ICAR Sponsored Winter School

on
**Animal Feed Safety and Quality Assessment
to Ensure Safe Food of Animal Origin
for Human Consumption**

5th-25th February, 2024



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Eligibility

The participant should possess minimum qualification i.e. Masters degree in Animal Nutrition, Livestock Production and Management, Livestock Products Technology, Public Health, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Microbiology, Medicine or other relevant disciplines of Veterinary/Animal Sciences. The applicant should be working not below the rank of Assistant Professor/Scientist in State Agricultural / Veterinary University or an ICAR Institution. Applicants working in the theme area of the winter school programme will be given preference.

How to Apply

Eligible candidates may visit the website: <http://cbp.icar.gov.in> for application submission and details. Take a printout of filled application and get it recommended by the competent authority of your organization and upload the scanned copy of approved application at the CBP portal before the last date of the application form. Hard copy of submitted online application along with brief CV (1-2 pages) should be sent to the Course Director. There is no course fee, however, the participants will have to pay Rs. 50/- as registration fee by demand draft/postal order drawn in favour of Comptroller Fund Account payable at Bikaner

Travel and Accommodation

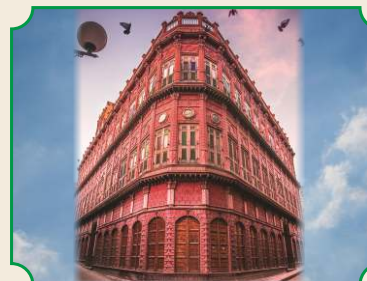
The participants will be paid actual fare as per their entitlement (limited to AC II Tier by shortest route and ICAR Guidelines for attending the winter school. The claims will be reimbursed for the shortest route on producing the original receipt/ticket. Free boarding and lodging will be provided to the participants in the University guest house on sharing basis. The participants are strictly advised against bringing accompanying family members as the guest house accommodation is limited.

About Bikaner

Bikaner is located in the North Western region of Rajasthan and is famous for its rich cultural heritage, historic forts, palaces, temples and sand-dunes. The city was founded in the late 15th century by Rao Bikaji, a Rajput prince, and is named after him. Bikaner is famous for its cuisines, snacks and sweets like Rasgullas, Bikaneri bhujia, and Kachoris. The city is also known for its intricately carved temples, such as the Karni Mata Temple, which is famous for its large population of rats, and Laxmi Nath Temple, built in 15th century and is dedicated to Lord Vishnu. Bikaner is also home to several historic forts, palaces and havelies, including the Junagarh Fort, which was built during the 16 century and houses several palaces and temples within its walls. The city is also known for its handicrafts, particularly its Usta-art, leatherwork, and carpets. Today, the city is thriving on its rich cultural heritage, supply of sweets, namkeens and attracts visitors from all over the world who come to explore its history, culture, and cuisines.



Bhandasar Jain Temple



Rampuria Haweli



Karni Mata Temple



Junagarh Fort

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