

ICAR-ATARI, Kanpur

Orientation Programme for newly Appointed Scientist/SMS of KVKs of Uttar Pradesh organized by ICAR-ATARI, Kanpur

ICAR-ATARI, Kanpur organized Orientation Programme for newly appointed Scientist/SMS of KVKs of Uttar Pradesh on 22 & 23 August 2019. The vision of organizing this programme is to sensitize the newly recruited Scientist of KVKs regarding OFT, FLD and other mandated activities of KVK. Former Zonal Project Director, Bangaluru and Ludhiana Dr. S. Prabhu Kumar and Dr. Ashok Narula also participated in the programme as the expert resource person. Dr. S. Prabhu Kumar talked on Extension Approaches in Technology application and Experiences of KVK in Agriculture. Dr. Prabhu Kumar emphasized that with farmer partnership, KVK should focus on production quality seed and planting materials and use farmer's field as the experimental fields. There is need to translate the result into achievements. Dr. Ashok Narula also deliberated upon mandate & mandated activities of the KVKs. Dr. Narula interacted with all the participants and solved their queries in question-answer mode. He made the technical issues related to KVK functioning with simple and understandable. Director, ICAR-ATARI, Kanpur Dr. Atar Singh introduced the participant about the expectation of the ICAR from KVKs. Dr. Atar Singh also focused on working on data – information – knowledge continuum and stressed for working in inter- disciplining mode and farmer participatory style for solving the most prioritized problem in a given farming system. Dr. S. K. Dubey, PS (AE) gave the welcome address and opening remarks to the participants. Total 50 newly recruited Scientist/SMS from KVKs of Uttar Pradesh participated in the programme during both of the days.

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