

20-22 January 2021

Agenda

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| DAY 1: 20 January, 2021 | |
| Session 1: Inaugural Session and Unveiling of India's 1st Virtual Processed Food R&D EXPO 2021: Chaired by Shri Narendra Singh Tomar, Minister of Rural Development, Agriculture and FW, Panchayati Raj and Food Processing Industries | |
| | <i>Lamp Lighting Ceremony MoFPI-FICCI Virtual Processed Food R&D EXPO 2021 by Shri Narendra Singh Tomar Minister of Rural Development, Agriculture and FW, Panchayati Raj & Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India</i> |
| 01:10- 01:30 PM (IST) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Address: Mr. Hemant Malik, Chair, FICCI Food Processing Committee & CEO-Food Division, ITC Limited • Opening Remarks: Smt. Pushpa Subrahmanyam, Secretary, MoFPI • Special Address: Shri RameswarTeli, Hon'ble MoS, Food Processing Industries, GoI • Keynote Message & Inaugural Address: Shri Narendra Singh Tomar, Minister of Rural Development, Agriculture and FW, Panchayati Raj and Food Processing Industries • Vote of Thanks: Mr. Mohit Anand, Managing Director, Kelloggs India & South Asia and Co-Chair FICCI Food Processing Committee |
| | <i>Inaugural of MoFPI-FICCI Virtual Processed Food R&D EXPO 2021 & Curtain Raiser & Launch of the MoFPI- NIFTEM Portal on the Food R&D projects 2021 by Shri Narendra Singh Tomar Minister of Rural Development, Agriculture and FW, Panchayati Raj & Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India</i> |
| Day 2 - 21st January 2021 | |
| Session 2: Panel Discussion: Building Synergies: Stakeholder Collaboration for optimizing Technology Interventions and Creating New Business Opportunities | |
| 09.45 –10:45 AM (IST) | Chair & Moderator: Dr. Chindi Vasudevappa, Vice - Chancellor, NIFTEM Panelist: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Atul Saxena, Joint Secretary, MoFPI, GoI • Dr. C. Anandharamakrishnan, Director, IIFPT • Dr. Jasvir Singh, Regulatory, Scientific and Government Affairs Leader - South Asia, Dupont Nutrition & Health • Mr. Krishna Joshi, Head- Regulatory Affairs, ITC limited |

| Session 3: Research and Innovation in Food Processing Industry | |
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| 11:00-12:15 PM (IST) | <p>Session Chair: Dr. A. K. Srivastava, Member, Agriculture Scientist Recruitment Board (ASRB)</p> <p>Moderator: Ms. Rinka Banerjee, Founder & Director, Thinking Forks Consulting</p> <p>Panel Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Simon A. Chief Manager (Product Innovation) Tata Global Beverages Ltd • Dr. Saiprasad Gandra, Principal Scientist, Corp R&D, ITC Limited • Mr. Shaminder Singh, Director, R&D, Pepsico India • Dr. Ravi Shankar C. N Director ICAR – CIFT Cochin |
| Session 4: Future of Industry-Academia Interface in Food Processing Sector | |
| 03:00-04:15 PM (IST) | <p>Moderator: Dr. Prabhat Kumar Nema, Dean Research & Professor, NIFTEM</p> <p>Panel Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Nachiket Kotwaliwale, Director, ICAR-CIPHET • Dr. Ravi Shankar C. N Director ICAR – CIFT Cochin • Mr. J.I.X. Antony, Vice President & Head-Olam International • Prof. Rajeshwar S. Matche, Chief Scientist, CFTRI • Prof. Jayant Modak, Professor, Dept. of Chemical Engineering, Indian Institute of Science |
| Day 3 – 22 nd January 2021 | |
| Session 5: Zero Waste Management in Food Processing Industry | |
| 11:00-12:15 PM (IST) | <p>Moderator: Dr. T.S.R. Murali, Founder & CEO, Urjita Food Business Consultant</p> <p>Panel Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Kuntal Sensarma, Economic Advisor, Ministry of Food Processing Industries • Ms. Vandana Singh, CEO, Indian Food Banking Network • Mr. Ashok Anand, MD, Gopi Dehydrator P Ltd, HSIIDC Kundli Sonapat • Dr. Suvrat Kumar Singh, Dept. of Food Process Engineering, SHUATS • Mr. Vidut Mohan, Director, TakaChar |

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| <p>Session 6: Food Startups: Transforming Innovation in Indian Food Processing Industry</p> | |
| <p>03:00-4:15 PM (IST)</p> | <p>Session Chair: Dr. V Prakash, Former Director- CFTRI</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Nitin Puri, Head- E Marketplace, Pioneering Ventures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smt. Chaaya Nanjappa Founder & Partner, Nectar Fresh Pure Honey & Food Products • Mr. AD Padmasingh Isaac, Chairman & MD, Aachi Masala • Dr. S. Uma, Director, ICAR- National Research Centre for Banana • Dr. Prabodh Halde, Head Regulatory, Marico India |