



Programme Schedule



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EVENT VENUE, DATE AND TIMING

JANUARY 14-15, 2025 | Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya

PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE	
TIMING	DAY-1 14TH JANUARY, 2025 (TUESDAY)
08:30AM - 10.30AM	REGISTRATION / BREAKFAST
10:30AM - 12.30 PM	Inaugural Function
12:30PM - 12:40PM	Tea Break
12:40PM - 01.15PM	PROF. PRASANTA CHANDRA MAHALANOBIS MEMORIAL LECTURE: PROF AYANENDRANATH BASU, ISI, KOLKATA
01:15PM - 02.00PM	LUNCH BREAK
02:00PM - 06.00PM	TECHNICAL SESSIONS
08:15PM - 09.15PM	DINNER
TIMING	DAY-2 15TH JANUARY, 2025 (WEDNESDAY)
08:30AM - 9.30AM	REGISTRATION/BREAKFAST
10:00AM - 1.30PM	TECHNICAL SESSIONS
01:30PM - 02.30PM	LUNCH BREAK
2:30PM - 03.10 PM	SIR C. V. RAMAN MEMORIAL LECTURE: PROF. TAPAS CHAKRABARTY, VC, MAKAUT
03:10PM - 03.50PM	SIR A. J. C. BOSE MEMORIAL LECTURE: PROF. PARTHA PRATIM DUTTA, IISER KOLKATA
03:50PM - 04.30PM (SPECIAL SESSION)	Innovation and Entrepreneurship in West Bengal Dr. Sonali Roy, Chief Operating Officer, Rise Foundation, IISER
04:30PM Onwards	VALEDICTORY SESSION & AWARD CEREMONY

Day 1
14th January 2025 (Tuesday)

Opening of the Registration Desk: 8:30 - 10:30 AM
Breakfast: 8:30 - 10:30 AM
(Venue- *Basement of Directorate of Research, BCKV, Mohanpur, Nadia*)

Inaugural Function
(Venue: *Convocation Hall, BCKV Administrative Building, 2nd Floor*)
(10:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.)

Coordinator of Inaugural Function
Prof. Madhumita Mitra Sarkar, Hon'ble Registrar, BCKV

Timing	Programme Outline
10:30 - 10:55 AM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Welcoming of the Dignitaries on the Dais ▪ 'STATE SONG' for the State of West Bengal ▪ Floral Reception ▪ Invocation Song ▪ Lamp Lightning Ceremony by the Dignitaries on the Dias
10:55 - 11:00 AM	Welcome Address by the Nodal Officer (BCKV, Host institute) & Joint Organising Secretary, BCKV: Dr. Kusal Roy
11:00 - 11:05 AM	Address by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, BCKV: Dr. Ashok K Patra
11:05 - 11:10 AM	Address by the Regional Nodal Officer & Joint Organising Secretary of DSTBT, Govt. of WB: Smt. Subrata B. Dutta
11:10 - 11:15 AM	Address by the Secretary, DSTBT, GoWB: Shri Vijay Bharti, IAS
11:15 - 11:25 AM	Unveiling of Abstract Volume by the Dignitaries Release of Books/Articles by the Dignitaries on the Dias
11:25 - 11:30 AM	Address by the Special Guest of the Congress: Dr. RC Agrawal, Hon'ble DDG (Education), ICAR, New Delhi
11:30 - 11:40 AM	Address by the Guest of Honour of the Congress: Shri Pradip Kumar Mazumdar, Hon'ble Minister In-Charge Department of Panchayats & Rural Development, Govt. of West Bengal. Chairman of West Bengal Agro-Industry Corporation Ltd.
11:40 - 11:50 AM	Address by the Guest of Honour of the Congress: Shri Sobhandeb Chattopadhyay, Hon'ble Minister In-Charge Department of Agriculture, Govt. of West Bengal
11:50 - 12:00 PM	Inaugural Address by the Chief Guest of the Congress: Shri Ujjal Biswas, Hon'ble Minister-In-Charge Department of Science and Technology and Biotechnology, Govt. of West Bengal
12:00 - 12:25 PM	Keynote Address: Integrating New Education Policy with Science and Technology for Sustainable Development Dr. RC Agrawal, Hon'ble DDG (Education), ICAR, New Delhi
12:25 - 12:30 PM	Vote of Thanks by: Dr Sumana Roy Hon'ble Director of Research, BCKV & Organizing Secretary of 7 th RSTC, BCKV
12:30 - 12:40 PM	Tea Break
12:40 - 01.15 PM	<p style="text-align: center;">PROF. PRASANTA CHANDRA MAHALANOBIS MEMORIAL LECTURE</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Coordinator of Memorial Lecture Session Prof. Madhumita Mitra Sarkar, Hon'ble Registrar, BCKV</p> <p>SPEAKER: PROF AYANENDRANATH BASU, ISI, KOLKATA Topic: An Overview of Robust Statistical Inference</p>
<p>----- Lunch Break -----</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Venue: Food Court Near Directorate of Extension Building (01:15 - 02:00 PM)</p>	

Day 2: 15th January 2025 (Wednesday)

Registration/Breakfast: 8:30 - 9:30 A.M.
(Venue-Basement of Directorate of Research, BCKV, Mohanpur, Nadia)

Technical Sessions
Day 2: 15th January 2025 (Wednesday)
(Venue- Faculty of Agriculture/Horticulture)
(10:00 A.M.– 01:30 P.M.)

----- Lunch Break -----
Venue: Food Court Near Directorate of Extension Building
(01:30 – 02:30 P.M.)

Sir Chandrasekhara Venkata Raman Memorial Lecture

2:30 - 03.10 PM	Prof. Tapas Chakrabarty VC, MAKAUT, Haringhata, Nadia
	Title: Mobility Mass Spectrometry: A Complementary Tool of Raman Spectroscopy in Chemical Analysis

Acharya Jagadish Chandra Bose Memorial Lecture

03:10 - 03.50 PM	Prof. Partha Pratim Dutta Department of Biological Science, IISER Kolkata
	Title: Exploring new drug targets in bacteria: CgtA a case study, and 2.8Å cryo-EM structure of a plant virus causing huge agricultural loss globally

Memorial Lecture Session Coordinator
Prof. AB Sharangi, BCKV

Special Session (03:50 P.M. - 04:30 P.M.)

Innovation and Entrepreneurship in West Bengal
Dr. Sonali Roy, Chief Operating Officer, Rise Foundation, IISER

Valedictory Session & Award Ceremony 04:30 P.M. Onwards

- Prof. Tapas Chakrabarty, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, MAKAUT, Haringhata, Nadia
- Dr. Ashok Kumar Patra, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, BCKV
- Dr. Gouranga Kar, Hon'ble Director, ICAR-CRIJAF, Barrackpore
- Smt. Subrata B Dutta DSTBT, Govt. of West Bengal and Joint Organizing Secretary
- Dr. Aditi Acharya, Senior Scientist, DSTBT, GoWB

Session Coordinator
Prof. AB Sharangi, BCKV

Programme Summary by
Dr. Kusal Roy, Nodal Officer (BCKV) and Joint Organizing Secretary, 7th RSTC, 2024-25
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Announcement of Awards

Vote of Thanks by
Prof. Abhijit Saha, BCKV, Member-Convenor, Organising Committee, 7th RSTC, 2024-25
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----- National Anthem -----

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