

**Report on Trainers' Training Programme (Under JUTE-ICARE)
On
"Improved Production Technology for Quality Jute Fibre Production" at ICAR-
CRIJAF, Nilganj, Barrackpore**

A two days trainers' training on 'Improved Production Technology for Quality Jute Fibre Production' was conducted during 19-20 April, 2023 at ICAR-Central Research Institute for Jute and Allied Fibres, Nilganj, Barrackpore for the JSLPS officials from Pakur and Sahibganj districts of Jharkhand working under Jute-ICARE project. The programme was organized by Dr. Gouranga Kar and Dr Bijan Majumdar (Programme Directors) and Dr. R. K. Naik (Programme Coordinator). In the training a total of 20 officials from Pakur and Sahibganj districts of Jharkhand participated.

In the two days training programme, topics like (a) prospectus of Jute-ICARE programme, (b) Production technology of jute (c) Crop cutting experiment on jute, (d) Improved retting with Crijaif Sona, (e) Pest and disease management of jute, (f) Practical classes on In-situ retting technology and pond based integrated farming system, (g) Practical class on Soil sample collection methodology, (h) Use of advanced machinery in jute cultivation, (i) Fibre museum visit were covered.



Group photo of trainees during inauguration



Group Photo of the trainees with Director, Dr. G. Kar, ICAR-CRIJAF and Experts



Director, ICAR-CRIJAF distributing certificate to the trainees



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In the valedictory programme of the two day's trainers' training on 20th April, 2023, Dr. Gouranga Kar, Director, ICAR-CRIJAF, distributed certificates to the trainees. Dr. Kar interacted with the trainees and suggested the ways to implement their acquired knowledge for getting higher jute yield and increased profitability from jute farming in the Jharkhand state. The programme Director, Dr. B. Majumdar stressed the trainers to disseminate their gained knowledge for the betterment of the society. The two days training was ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. R. K. Naik after the interaction session of the trainees and scientists in presence of Director, ICAR-CRIJAF.