NATIONAL SEMINAR
on
"Current Scenario and Future Strategies for Augmenting Productivity of Small Ruminants"
Date: 14-16th, February, 2019
Venue: Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna

Delegates can register by mailing the registration form and paying the registration fee online (Direct transfer/NEFT/RTGS) in
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Indian Society for Sheep and Goat Production and Utilization

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**Issuance:**  
It is our great pleasure that the Indian Society for Sheep and Goat Production and Utilization (ISSGPU) is organizing a seminar on the theme "From Ruminants: Understanding the Prospects of Small Ruminants" to be held at Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna on February 14-16, 2019. The conference intends to bring scientists, faculty, researchers, entrepreneurs, veterinarians, doctors, and sheep and goat farmers together to discuss the issues related to sheep and goat in India for doubling the income of the farmers.

**ISSGPU:**  
The Indian Society for Sheep and Goat Production and Utilization was established in the year 1982 with nearly 1050 life members. The society is a group of active members of professional researchers, veterinarians, and policymakers, which is engaged in the research and development of sheep and goat production in the country. The ISSGPU supports the spread of the latest research and technological advancements in the country through conducting national seminars and conferences. The registered office of the society is located at the CSWRI Avikanagar, Rajasthan. The Indian Journal of Small Ruminants is the official journal published by the society both in print media and online versions.

**Venue:**  
The National Seminar of ISSGPU is being organized at Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna (Bihar).

**Exhibition:**  
There will be several stalls for the Scientist, students, and farmers. These stalls will focus on the production, health, nutrition, processing, and marketing of sheep and goat. There will be a separate session for direct interaction of goat/sheep farmers with the scientific fora and pharma industry.

**Travel:**  
Patna is well connected by road, rail, and air from different parts of the country. BASU campus is located adjacent to (0.5 Km) to Patna Prakash Narain International Airport and 10 Km from Patna Railway Station.

**Weather:**  
Weather of Patna in the month of February is pleasant. Delegates are advised to keep light warm clothes with them.

**Accommodation:**  
Accommodation will be arranged in Private hotels tariff ranging from Rs. 1100 to 6000 per person/day. Limited accommodation will be provided in the University/Conference Guesthouse.

**Local Tour:**  
Sight-seeing tour shall be facilitated through local tours and travel agencies for delegates willing to visit Nalanda, Rajgir, and Gaya.

**Scientific Programme:**  
Following Technical Sessions of the Conference shall be conducted as mentioned below:

1. Genetic Resources and Genomics
2. Physiology and Reproductive Biotechnology
3. Nutritional and Feeding Manipulation
4. Animal Health Management
5. Post-Harvest Technology
6. Socio-Economics of Small Ruminant Production

**ISSGPU Fellow:**  
Life member of ISSGPU society is requested to visit the ISSGPU website (www.issgpu.org) for information on the Awards. The detailed guidelines/application proforma of the ISSGPU Fellow or Life Time Achievement Awards are uploaded on the ISSGPU website.

**Young & Middle Career Scientist Award:**  
To encourage the scientists working in the field of small ruminants, ISSGPU has instituted young and middle career scientist awards. The best research contribution by the scientist or lead author will be honoured by ISSGPU society. We encourage young and middle career scientists to apply for the award with their proof of age and ISSGPU Registration number. The applicant should have at least one and ten years of life membership of ISSGPU and the Young & Middle Career Scientist should be below 35 and 45 years, respectively. Submission of the full paper detail/application proforma for Young & Middle Career Scientist is mandatory. The scrutinized candidates will be called for presentation for his/her research contributions toward the sheep and goat. The detailed guidelines/application proforma of the Young & Middle Career Scientist Award are uploaded on the ISSGPU website or may contact to Secretary, ISSGPU.

**Best Research Award:**  
The ISSGPU society will select the best research article published in the ISSGPU journal "Indian Journal of Small Ruminant" during the last year. The certificate and the cash amount of Rs. 1000/- will be awarded to the awardees during the seminar.

**Best Presentation Awards (Oral & Poster):**  
The best oral and poster presentation will be awarded by organizer during the seminar.

**Call for Abstracts:**  
All participating Scientists are requested to send the abstract by email latest by January 11, 2019 to issgpu18@gmail.com. The abstract should be written in single-space using Times New Roman font of 12 Size and it should not be of more than 300 words as per standard format. The title of the abstract should be followed by the name of the authors with a complete postal address and e-mail of the presenting author. Acceptance of the abstract for oral/poster presentation will be communicated by e-mail.

**Registration:**  
All delegates have to register themselves by paying the registration fee before 31 January 2019 as detailed below:

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Registration KIt shall not be provided to accompanying persons. Students are required to produce a copy of a valid identity card/Letter from Head of Division at the time of registration.

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