

**Launch of IFPRI Global Food Policy Report 2022 and
Policy Forum on Climate Change and Food Systems in South Asia**

Thursday, July 21, 2022 | 03:30 – 7:00 PM (IST)
ICAR Lecture Hall 2nd Floor, National Agricultural Science Complex (NASC)
Dev Prakash Shastri Marg, Pusa, New Delhi, India.

Chief Guest	Prof. Ramesh Chand, Member, NITI Aayog, Government of India
Chair	Dr. Trilochan Mohapatra, Secretary, Department of Agricultural Research and Education (DARE) and Director General, Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)
Co-Chair	Dr. Pratap Singh Birthal, Director and National Professor, ICAR-National Institute of Agricultural Economics and Policy Research (NIAP)
Guest of Honor	Dr. Purvi Mehta, Global Growth and Opportunities, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF)
03:30 – 04:00 pm	Registration
04:00 – 04:05 pm	Welcome Address Dr. Shahidur Rashid, Director – South Asia, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI)
04:05 – 04:10 pm	Release of Global Food Policy Report 2022
04:10 – 04:30 pm	Keynote: Global Food Policy Report 2022 Dr. Channing Arndt, Director, Environment and Production Technology Division (EPTD), International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI)
04:30 – 04:45 pm	GFPR 2022: Climate change and transforming food systems in South Asia Dr. Aditi Mukherji, Principal Researcher, International Water Management Institute (IWMI) and Coordinating Lead Author, IPCC AR6
04:45 – 05:00 pm	Tea / Coffee Break
05:00 – 06:00 pm	Panel Discussion: Perspectives on Climate Change and Food Systems in India Moderator: Dr. P. K. Joshi, Secretary, National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS)
	Dr. Purvi Mehta, Global Growth and Opportunities, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF) Dr. Ulac Demirag, Country Director - India & Head of South Asia Hub International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD) Dr. Bornali Bhandari, Senior Fellow, National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER) Prof. Sachin Chaturvedi, Director General, Research and Information System for Developing Countries (RIS)
06:00 – 06:20 pm	Discussion and Q & A
06:20 – 06:30 pm	Remarks by Guest of Honor Dr. Purvi Mehta, Global Growth and Opportunities, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF)
06:30 – 06:40 pm	Remarks by Chairs Dr. Trilochan Mohapatra, Secretary, Department of Agricultural Research and Education (DARE) and Director General, Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) Dr. Pratap Singh Birthal, Director and National Professor, ICAR-National Institute of Agricultural Economics and Policy Research (NIAP)
06:40 – 06:55 pm	Remarks by Chief Guest Prof. Ramesh Chand, Member, NITI Aayog, Government of India
06:55 – 07:00 pm	Vote of Thanks Dr. Anjani Kumar, Senior Research Fellow, International Food Policy Research Institute (IFPRI)
Cocktail Reception	

