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EXTENDED DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS: INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ECOLOGICAL IMPACT ON AGRICULTURE, BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY (EIABT-2024)

This is to notify all the concerned faculties/students of AFU that the deadline for the submission of abstracts for the International Conference on Ecological Impact on Agriculture, Business, and Technology (EIABT-2024) has been extended to **30 May 2024**. Abstracts should focus on the conference themes and sub-themes, with a maximum length of 250 words. Keywords (3-5) should be provided below the abstract in italics. Abstracts must be submitted via email to sacc2233@gmail.com and publication@afu.edu.np, dorex@afu.edu.np in MS Word format. Please format your abstracts in Times New Roman, size 12, with 1.5 lines spacing, leaving 1" margin on all sides of A-4 paper. The details of the conference are provided below:

Venue/Date: Agriculture and Forestry University, Rampur, Chitwan, Nepal / 18-19 June 2024

Jointly organized by: Directorate of Research and Extension (DoREX), Agriculture and Forestry University (AFU), Chitwan, Nepal, Sam Higginbottom University of Agriculture, Technology and Sciences, and R. S. Krishi Shodh Sasthan, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh, India **in collaboration** with Bharatpur Metropolitan City, Chitwan, Nepal, and USAID- Agriculture Higher Education Project.

The conference will address various issues under the following themes and sub-themes:

Afforestation and deforestation	Advances in horticulture, vegetables, and fruits
Agricultural marketing and agribusiness	sciences
• Climate resilience in animal husbandry and dairying	• Role of bio-fertilizers for sustainable agriculture
• Degradation of land and soil erosion	• Skill development in agriculture and employment
• Doubling of income in agriculture and allied fields	opportunities
• Ecological impact of fertilizer use	• Small tools and implements for drudgery reduction
Efficient water management technology	 Socialization of technology in agriculture
• Faulty utilization of water resources	• Sustainable farming, soil carbon sequestration & yield
• Impact of pests and diseases on crop production	• Trends in management of environment, forest, and
• Industrial and atmospheric pollution	wildlife
• Integrated farming for tropical and sub-tropical	• Use of artificial intelligence in agriculture
regions	Value addition and market-led techniques
Natural resources and sustainable management	 Recent advances in biotechnology
• Post-harvest management of horticultural produce	Farm animal nutrition and management
	Fish farming and genetic resources

We look forward to receiving your valuable contributions to the conference

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