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# 2nd International Conference on

# Emerging Technological Innovations for Sustainable Agriculture, Livestock, Allied Sciences and Climate Resilience

## (IC-ETISALAC 2027)

**11–13 March 2027**

**North-Eastern Hill University, Meghalaya**
**(NEHU Guest House Guwahati, Assam)**

**Jointly organized by**
**EDSARD & Edu-Mentors Pvt Ltd, North-Eastern Hill University, Meghalaya, Sandip university, Bihar & Gyanveer University, Sagar**

## Venue: NEHU Guest House Guwahati, Assam



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Sustainable Agriculture | Food Technology | Animal Health | Biotechnology & Genomics | Climate Resilience | Renewable Energy | Digital & Precision Agriculture | Rural Development & Livelihoods

# Invitation

**We are delighted to invite you to the International Conference on "Emerging Technological Innovations for Sustainable Agriculture, Livestock, Allied Sciences, and Climate Resilience (IC-ETISALAC 2027)", scheduled to be held from 11-13 March 2027 at North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Guest House Guwahati, India.**

**The conference will bring together scientists, academicians, researchers, students, professionals, entrepreneurs, farmers, and other stakeholders to exchange knowledge and innovative ideas in climate-resilient agriculture, animal health, environmental sustainability, and allied sciences. It will highlight recent innovations and emerging technologies for sustainable agricultural production, resilient food systems, animal health, and climate adaptation, while promoting interdisciplinary collaboration, scientific networking, knowledge exchange, and technology transfer. Through keynote lectures, invited talks, oral and poster presentations, and technical sessions, the conference aims to foster practical and technology-driven solutions for sustainable agriculture and animal health in a changing climate.**

# ABOUT THE CONFERENCE

**The International Conference on "Emerging Technological Innovations for Sustainable Agriculture, Livestock, Allied Sciences, and Climate Resilience (IC-ETISALAC 2027)," scheduled for 11-13 March 2027 at North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Guest House, Guwahati, India, will provide a platform for researchers, academicians, scientists, students, and professionals to exchange knowledge and innovations. The conference will focus on climate-resilient agriculture, sustainable food systems, emerging technologies, animal health, environmental sustainability, and One Health, while promoting interdisciplinary collaboration, scientific networking, technology transfer, and sustainable development, particularly in the North-Eastern region.**

# ABOUT E.D.S.A.R.D

**The Edu-mentors Society for Sustainable Agriculture & Rural Development (EDSARD) is a premier organization dedicated to bridging the gap between modern agricultural innovation and grassroots rural reality. Established with a vision to empower the farming community, EDSARD focuses on the dissemination of scientific knowledge, skill development, and the promotion of sustainable farming practices. We believe that the future of agriculture lies in the balance between technology and ecology. Through expert-led training programs, international conferences, and community-driven workshops, we aim to equip farmers, students, and agri-professionals with the tools they need to thrive in a changing global climate. Our mission extends beyond the field; we are committed to holistic rural development, fostering entrepreneurship, and enhancing the livelihoods of rural populations across the region.**

# ABOUT EDU-MENTORS Pvt. ltd

**Edu Mentors stands as one of India's leading platforms for Agri-Students and Professionals, designed to bridge the gap between agricultural experts, learners, and industry leaders. The organization exists to foster meaningful dialogue within the agriculture sector while admission guidance, technical training, career counseling, and placement support tailored for agricultural domains. Through conferences, training programs, and award conclaves, Edu Mentors provides a space where researchers, faculty, and professionals collaborate to address real-world agricultural challenges. The platform enables the growth of a strong network of agri-professionals dedicated to innovation, sustainable practices, and career excellence in agriculture.**



# Themes

**1. Climate-Resilient Agriculture and Sustainable Crop Production**

- Climate-smart agriculture and resilient cropping systems
- Drought, heat, flood and salinity-tolerant crops
- Conservation and regenerative agriculture
- Sustainable soil, water and nutrient management
- Precision agriculture and smart farming
- Agroforestry and integrated farming systems
- Protected cultivation and controlled-environment agriculture
- Digital agriculture and smart farm technologies

**2. Animal Health, Veterinary Science and Livestock Sustainability**

- Climate change and emerging animal diseases
- One Health approaches
- Veterinary diagnostics and disease surveillance
- Animal nutrition and climate-resilient livestock
- Precision livestock farming
- Livestock waste management
- Sustainable dairy, poultry and fisheries production
- Veterinary biotechnology and genomics

**3. Artificial Intelligence, Computer Science and Digital Technologies**

- Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning in agriculture
- IoT and smart agriculture
- Big data and agricultural analytics
- Remote sensing, GIS and satellite technologies
- Robotics and autonomous agricultural systems
- Digital twins and smart farming platforms
- Blockchain for agricultural supply chains
- Cybersecurity and data privacy in agriculture
- AI applications in veterinary diagnosis

**4. Engineering and Climate-Resilient Technologies**

- Agricultural engineering innovations
- Renewable energy and sustainable energy systems
- Solar-powered agriculture
- Smart irrigation and water technologies
- Agricultural robotics and automation
- Climate-resilient infrastructure
- Green engineering and sustainable technologies
- Waste-to-energy and circular engineering

**5. Biotechnology and Life Sciences**

- Agricultural biotechnology
- Plant tissue culture and molecular breeding
- Genomics and gene editing
- Microbial biotechnology
- Biofertilizers and biopesticides
- Veterinary biotechnology
- Bio-based products and biomaterials
- Biotechnology for climate adaptation

**6. Food Technology, Post-Harvest and Nutrition**

- Innovative post-harvest technologies
- Food processing and value addition
- Smart and sustainable food packaging
- Cold-chain technologies
- Food safety and quality management
- Functional and nutraceutical foods
- Food loss and waste reduction
- Sustainable food systems and nutrition security

**7. Environment, Biodiversity and Natural Resource Management**

- Climate change mitigation and adaptation
- Biodiversity conservation
- Ecosystem restoration
- Sustainable water-resource management
- Forest and wildlife conservation
- Pollution control and environmental monitoring
- Nature-based solutions
- Carbon sequestration and carbon management

**8. Management, Entrepreneurship and Agricultural Economics**

- Agribusiness management
- Agricultural entrepreneurship and startups
- Digital transformation in agribusiness
- Supply-chain and logistics management
- Agricultural finance and investment
- Market intelligence and price forecasting
- Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs)
- Rural entrepreneurship and employment
- Business models for sustainable agriculture

**9. Law, Policy, Governance and Intellectual Property**

- Environmental law and climate governance
- Agricultural policies and reforms
- Animal welfare and veterinary legislation
- Intellectual property rights and agricultural innovations
- Biotechnology and biosafety regulations
- Data protection and AI governance
- Food safety laws and regulations
- Water and natural-resource governance
- Legal frameworks for sustainable development

**10. Social Sciences, Rural Development and Community Resilience**

- Climate-resilient rural communities
- Farmer participation and capacity building
- Gender and youth in agriculture
- Rural livelihoods and employment
- Indigenous and traditional knowledge
- Technology adoption by farmers
- Social innovation and inclusive development
- Migration, food security and climate change

11. **Circular Economy and Sustainable Development**
    - Circular agriculture
    - Agricultural waste valorization
    - Bioenergy and bioproducts
    - Zero-waste farming systems
    - Resource-efficient production
    - Sustainable consumption and production
    - Carbon-neutral agriculture
    - Green entrepreneurship
12. **Disaster Management and Climate Adaptation**
    - Flood, drought and cyclone management
    - Early-warning systems
    - Climate-risk assessment
    - Disaster-resilient agriculture
    - Remote sensing for disaster monitoring
    - Community-based disaster management
    - Climate-resilient infrastructure
    - Emergency response technologies
13. **One Health and Global Health**
    - Human–animal–environment health interactions
    - Zoonotic diseases
    - Antimicrobial resistance
    - Food-borne diseases
    - Environmental health
    - One Health surveillance systems
    - Climate change and public health
    - Digital technologies for One Health
14. **Emerging Technologies and Future Innovations**
    - Generative AI and large language models
    - Internet of Things (IoT)
    - Digital twins
    - Drones and autonomous systems
    - Blockchain
    - Nanotechnology
    - Synthetic biology
    - Advanced sensors and biosensors
    - Quantum technologies and future computing
    - Smart cities and smart rural ecosystems
15. **Sustainable Development and Global Challenges**
    - Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)
    - Climate action and resilience
    - Food and nutritional security
    - Sustainable livelihoods
    - Green economy
    - Energy and water security
    - Innovation for developing regions
    - International collaboration for sustainable development

# Presentations during Conference

Keynote Lecture / Lead Paper / Invited Talk: The Keynote and Invited Presentation Sessions will highlight emerging research, recent innovations, and significant developments related to the major themes of the Conference. For each thematic area, the Technical Committee will identify 2–3 eminent experts to share their knowledge and research perspectives. Each presentation will be scheduled for approximately 15–20 minutes, followed by a brief interactive discussion and Q&A session. Selected speakers will also be encouraged to submit a 3–4 page extended summary of their presentation for publication in the official Conference Proceedings.

# Contributory Paper Presentations

This session provides an opportunity for researchers, academicians, and scholars to present their original research findings and innovative contributions relevant to the Conference sub-themes. Submitted papers will be evaluated based on their scientific quality, originality, relevance, and practical significance. Papers initially submitted for poster presentation may also be shortlisted for oral presentation based on the review process. Selected participants will be informed in advance and will be allotted 7–8 minutes to present their work, followed by a brief discussion or Q&A session during the designated technical sessions.

# Poster Presentations

To encourage wider participation and effective exchange of research findings, Poster Presentation Sessions will be organized across all major thematic areas of the Conference. Submitted posters will be evaluated and categorized according to their respective themes for systematic display and discussion. Each session will be coordinated by a Session Chair and two Co-Chairs, who will facilitate interaction, summarize key findings, and highlight important recommendations emerging from the session.



# Conference Presentation Awards

To recognize and encourage excellence in research, innovation, and scientific communication, outstanding presentations will be evaluated by a panel of experts. The following awards will be presented in each technical session:

**Best Oral Presentation Award**

**Best Poster Presentation Award**

Awardees will be selected based on the quality, originality, scientific relevance, presentation skills, and overall impact of their work.

# GUIDELINES FOR PREPARATION OF ABSTRACT

- The Abstract should not exceed 250 words, excluding one illustration
- The title should be concise, specific, and clearly reflect the content and scope of the research work.
- The title and major headings should be written in CAPITAL LETTERS.
- The Extended Summary should be prepared in MS Word using Times New Roman font with normal formatting.
- The recommended font sizes are as follows:
  - Title: 14 Fonts, Bold
  - Authors' Names: 12 Fonts
  - Institutional Affiliation: 11 Fonts, Italic
  - Main Text/Content: 11 Fonts

## last Date For Registration & Award Nominations

| Category | Online | Offline |
|---|---|---|
| Registration | 2 March 2027 | 25 Feb 2026 |
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**Link for Registration:-**
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- Biologist/Biotechnologist Award
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- Young Achiever Award
- Innovative Farmer Award
- Best KVK Scientist Award
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- Best Researcher Award
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- Biotechnologist Award
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**Exhibition stall charges: Rs. 5,000/- per stall.**

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# PLACES TO VISIT NEAR GUWAHATI



Maa Kamakhya Temple Click to open side panel for more information is one of the oldest and most revered Shakti Peethas in India, situated atop Nilachal Hill. The complex features traditional indigenous architecture with beehive-shaped domes and offers sweeping panoramic views of Guwahati and the Brahmaputra River.

- Renowned pilgrimage destination dedicated to Goddess Kamakhya
- Known for its ancient stone carvings and peaceful hilltop ambience
- Best visited early in the day to navigate entry queues comfortably

Pobitora Wildlife Sanctuary Click to open side panel for more information lies roughly 45 kilometers east of Guwahati and holds the highest density of Indian one-horned rhinoceroses in the world. Its sweeping grasslands and wetland ecosystems make it an ideal day-trip destination for wildlife enthusiasts and photographers.

- High probability of spotting one-horned rhinos grazing in open fields
- Offers morning jeep safaris and guided elephant safaris
- Home to diverse migratory bird species during the winter months





Umananda Temple Click to open side panel for more information is a historic 17th-century Shiva shrine set on Peacock Island, recognized as one of the smallest inhabited river islands in the world. Reaching the island involves a scenic boat or ferry ride across the Brahmaputra River from the city ghats.

- Perched amidst lush greenery on an island in the middle of the river
- Accessible via government ferry services and private motorized boats
- Natural habitat for the endangered golden langur



Dipor Bil Click to open side panel for more information is a vast freshwater wetland located on the southwestern edge of Guwahati and designated as a Ramsar Site. It serves as a vital ecological haven, providing quiet waterfront trails and viewpoints away from the urban bustle.

- Prime destination for birdwatching, hosting hundreds of resident and migratory species
- Peaceful setting suited for morning walks, photography, and nature observation
- Occasional corridor for wild Asian elephants moving from nearby reserve forests

Sualkuchi Click to open side panel for more information is a renowned heritage weaving village situated about 35 kilometers from Guwahati along the north bank of the Brahmaputra River. Often referred to as the "Manchester of Assam," it serves as the heart of the state's traditional handloom industry, where rhythmic wooden looms operate in almost every household.

- Famous for producing pure indigenous silks, including golden Muga, white Pat, and warm Eri silk
- Visitors can walk through workshops to observe the entire artisanal weaving and loom process firsthand





Hajo Click to open side panel for more information is an ancient pilgrimage town located roughly 30 kilometers northwest of Guwahati, celebrated as a historic confluence of Hinduism, Buddhism, and Islam. The town sits amidst small green hillocks and historic water tanks, offering a tranquil day-trip destination with centuries of layered history.

- Houses the 16th-century Hayagriva Madhava Temple atop Monikut Hill, venerated by both Hindu and Buddhist devotees
- Home to Powa Mecca, a revered 17th-century Islamic shrine offering scenic hilltop views of the surrounding countryside

# How to Reach Venue

## 1. From Lokpriya Gopinath Bordoloi International (LGBI) Airport




- **Distance & Travel Time: ~2.8 km (5–10 minutes)**
- **Route: Via New Airport Road / SOS Road, heading south toward VIP Chowk / opposite STPI.**

**Transit Options:**

- **Auto-rickshaw / App Cabs (Uber, Ola, Rapido): Easiest and quickest option directly from the arrival terminal.**
- **Airport Taxi: Pre-paid taxi counters are available inside the terminal.**

## 2. From Railway Stations

**A. Guwahati Railway Station (Paltan Bazaar / Panbazar)**

- **Distance & Travel Time: ~22 km (45–60 minutes depending on city traffic)**
- **Route: Paltan Bazaar → Bharalumukh → Jalukbari Rotary → NH 17 (Airport Road) → VIP Chowk / Borjhar.**

**Transit Options:**

- **App Cabs / Pre-paid Taxis: Readily available 24/7 outside both the Paltan Bazaar and Panbazar exits.**
- **ASTC Airport Shuttle Bus: Regular air-conditioned buses run directly from the ASTC bus stand (Paltan Bazaar, near the station) to LGBI Airport. You can deboard near the VIP Chowk / STPI stop just before the airport entrance.**
- **Shared Cabs / Mini Buses: Shared trekkers/magic vans and city buses run from Paltan Bazaar/Adabari toward Azara/Borjhar.**

## B. Kamakhya Junction Railway Station (Maligaon)

- **Distance & Travel Time: ~14.5 km (25–35 minutes)**
- **Route: Maligaon → Jalukbari Rotary → NH 17 → VIP Chowk / Borjhar.**
- **Transit Options:**
- **If your train halts at Kamakhya Junction, deboarding here is closer and avoids city center traffic. App cabs, private taxis, and autos are stationed outside.**






## 3. From Bus Stands

**A. ISBT Betkuchi (Inter-State Bus Terminal)**

- **Distance & Travel Time: ~21 km (30–40 minutes)**
- **Route: NH 27 (Guwahati Bypass) → Jalukbari Rotary → NH 17 → Borjhar.**
- **Transit Options:**
  - **App Cabs / Taxis: Available directly outside the ISBT terminal gates.**
  - **City Bus / Shared Cabs: Take a bus/shared vehicle from ISBT to Jalukbari Rotary, and switch to an Airport/Mirzapur-bound shared vehicle or bus.**

## B. Adabari Bus Stand

- **Distance & Travel Time: ~13 km (25 minutes)**
- **Transit Options: Adabari connects western Assam districts and is located near Jalukbari. Direct shared autos, Wingers, and city buses ply frequently between Adabari and Borjhar / Airport.**



## Local Landmark for Drivers

**When navigating locally, ask the driver for:**

**"New Airport Road, opposite STPI (Software Technology Parks of India), Borjhar / near SOS Children's Village."**

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