

## Koha for Library Staff of ICAR: Training Programme Concluded at ICAR-NAARM

The six-day Capacity Building Training program on “Koha for Library Staff of ICAR” organized by the ICAR – National Academy of Agricultural Research Management (ICAR – NAARM), Hyderabad from 20-25 February 2020. A total of 19 participants from different parts of the country participated in the programme representing 11 states and 13 ICAR Research Institutes from across the country.

During the course of the training programme, the trainees were exposed to introduction of Linux; installation of Ubuntu, Koha software; theoretical and practical aspects on various modules of Koha such as Administration, Acquisition, Patrons, Cataloguing, Circulation, Serials, OPAC, Reports, Tools etc. In his valedictory address, Dr. S.K. Soam, Director (I/c), ICAR – NAARM urged the participants for continuing the practice of implementing their acquired knowledge in “Koha – Library Management Software” for strengthening libraries of ICAR institutions. This, in turn, will result in providing digital access of libraries to the staff. Dr. N. Srinivasa Rao, Principal Scientist and Dr. V.V. Sumant Kumar, Senior Scientist were the course directors.

