

ICAR-NAARM bags four National awards during 92nd ICAR Foundation Day and Award Ceremony

The 92nd Foundation Day and Award Ceremony of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research was organized on 16th July, 2020 at NewDelhi. During the Foundation day, contributions from various institutes, scientists and staff of the ICAR were acknowledged by various awards. Dr. Ch. Srinivasa Rao, Director, ICAR-NAARM bagged Rafi Ahmed Kidwai Award for Outstanding Research in Agricultural Sciences in the field of Natural Resources Management for the year 2019. Another Scientist from the institute Dr. B S Sontakki, Head, Extension Systems Management division bagged Swami Sahajanand Saraswati Outstanding Extension Scientist Award for the year 2019. Two other staff of the academy namely Smt. N. Vijaya Lakshmi, JAO and Shri. S. N Rasool, Skilled Supporting Staff bagged cash award under Administrative and Supporting Staff category respectively. The 92nd Foundation Day and Award Ceremony of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research organized on 16th July, 2020 through Video Conferencing. Shri Narendra Singh Tomar, Hon'ble Union Minister for Agriculture & Farmers Welfare Minister was the Chief Guest and Shri Parshottam Rupala and Shri Kailash Choudhary, Hon'ble Ministers of State for Agriculture & Farmers Welfare were the Guests of Honour on the occasion. Secretary DARE and DG, ICAR Dr. T. Mohapatra gave brief account about the ICAR and its achievements. During the occasion awards in 20 different categories were also announced on the occasion.

			
Dr. Ch. Srinivasa Rao, Director ICAR- NAARM bagged Rafi Ahmed Kidwai Award for Outstanding Research in Agricultural Sciences, 2019 in the field of Natural Resources Management	Dr. B. S Sontakki, Head, XSM Division, ICAR-NAARM bagged Swami Sahajanand Saraswati Outstanding Extension Scientist Award	Smt. N. Vijaya Lakshmi, JAO cash award under administrative category	Shri. S. N Rasool, Skilled Supporting Staff cash award under Supporting Staff category