



Conference on
Indigenous Knowledge for Conservation

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Indigenous Languages ... a Search for Sustainable Prosperity

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Indigenous Languages contain knowledge which has provided traditions which has been backbone of conservation of environment, water and culture. In blind following of modern technology and greed, we are breaking away from this simple but close to nature knowledge and techniques. Yet nature keeps us reminding that we are not all powerful being, we should be humble towards environment and this simplicity flows through our rich heritage of indigenous people. Their traditions and vast store of knowledge is derived directly from nature. To pursue this wisdom and find ways to follow it for conservation of Environment, Water, Soil, Languages and values, Mitee Educational Foundation is organizing a series of conferences on Indigenous Knowledge for Conservation. Year 2019 is being celebrated as Year of Indigenous Languages across world globe. This provides us great opportunity to develop a program to gather knowledge from various indigenous peoples, their traditions and languages, folklore. This will need scientific documentation which can further used to develop a sustainable action plan for actual conservation work. We are planning to organize four conferences in 2019. First conference will be discuss about Indigenous species and their conservation, traditional effective water management systems, Sacred Groves, Local varieties and their role in rural life, Sustainable healthy life style with help of local resources, traditional agricultural practices, tribal arts, architectures and finally need of action plan to gather scientific data. This conference will emphasize need of cohesive action plan for conservation of languages, environment, water, soil, arts and values. This conference will build foundation for working out such action plan and implement it with help of willing students, institutions and organizations. We are also planning to publish four special edition publications which will contain articles from experts in above fields. These publications will discuss about need of awareness about indigenous knowledge, need and ways to collect scientific data, possible action plan, various management systems, role of indigenous people in conservation and sustainable life, women empowerment though indigenous practices and participation and inclusion of all elements of society.



Date : 21 & 22 February 2019
Venue : College of Agriculture,
DBSKKV, Dapoli
Time : 9.00 am to 6.00 pm

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Rs. 200/-
For students Rs. 100/-



Dr. Varad Giri
Indigenous Species,
Their role in Environment and
Threats to habitats

Nilima Jorwar
Agriculture, Indigenous produce,
Use, implementations and
employment



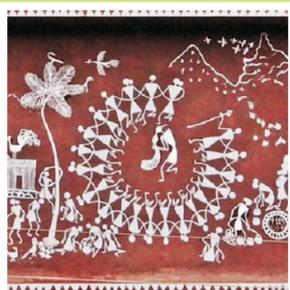
Dr. Umesh Mundlye
Sacred Groves
Water Management and
Biodiversity management

Dr. D. K. Kulkarni
Traditional Farming
Pros, cons and use of
technology with traditional
farming methods



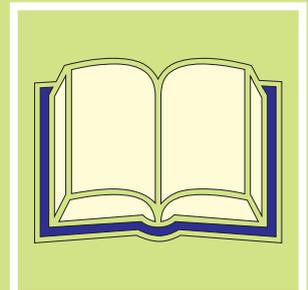
Dr. Swapnaja Mohite
People, tribes near water,
Their traditional methods,
language and biodiversity
conservation through it

Dr. Sachin Joshi
Tribal deities statues,
Architecture



Shrinivas Agawane
Tribal arts -
Source of environment
and biodiversity around

Dr. Rahul Mungikar
Data Collection -
Scientific Methods, Laws
and Protection



Experts & Topics

Special Discussion Session

- Indigenous Languages - Source of Biodiversity documentation ●
- Language conservation - Knowledge Conservation - Need and Action plan ●



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