

#### HOW TO REACH LUMAMI

People coming for the first time to Nagaland University, Hqrs.Lumami from outside the State of Nagaland, transportation

facilities to Mokokchung are as follows:

- 1) From Guwahati, Assam: Blue Hill and Network Bus services from ISBT at 6.30 P.M (Tickets available at Paltan Bazar counters)
- 2) Train facilities upto Mariani/Jorhat from Guwahati.
- 3) Tata Sumo Services From Mariani/Jorhat (Baba Counter/ETC, Rajabari) at 6.30.A.M and 12.30.P.M
- 4) From Dimapur/Kohima, Nagaland: Bus/Tata Sumo and Winger Services (at 6.00 & 10.00 A.M. and Night Bus services at 5.00P.M.)
- 5) Nearest Airport is Jorhat (about 125 kms.)ff

#### CALL FOR PAPERS:

Interested Academicians, Policy Makers, Faculty Members and Research Scholars are requested to send their Abstract/Full Paper under any sub themes.

Last date for submission of abstracts (Maximum 500 words) by 31st, January, 2017

Last Date for submission of full papers (Maximum 5000 words including tables and annexures) by 15th February, 2017.

\*Abstracts and full papers to be sent to girihcu@gmail.com (Organising Secretary)

Registration:  
Demand Draft/Cheque to be sent in favour of Department of Economics, Nagaland University, Lumami (or) Spot Payment Registration:

For Further Details; Please Contact:  
Seminar Convener & Organising Secretary

Chief Patron  
**Prof. N.S.Jamir**  
Vice Chancellor  
Nagaland University

Seminar Convener  
**Prof. B. Kilangla Jamir**  
Ph.09436006460  
Email: kilangla\_jamir@yohoo.com

Organising Secretary  
**Dr. Giribabu.M**  
09862195552  
Email. girihcu@gmail.com

Organising Committee

**Dr. Temjemzulu Jamir**

**Dr. Zarenthung Ezung**

**Miss. Alice Pongener**

**Dr. Moamenla**

**Dr. Atungo Ovung**

**Dr.Bendang Ao**

**Miss. Neizhanuo Golmei**

#### TWO-DAY NATIONAL SEMINAR ON

SHAPING THE FUTURE OF INDIAN AGRICULTURE FOR  
SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS: A SWOC ANALYSIS

9th – 10th March, 2017  
Venue: Nagaland University, Lumami



Organised by  
Department of Economics  
School of Social Sciences  
Nagaland University  
Hqrs: Lumami- 798627  
Nagaland, India

## ABOUT THE SEMINAR

Agriculture continues to be the mainstay of the Indian economy, and she is the world's second largest producer of rice, wheat, cotton, sugar-cane, farmed fish, sheep & goat meat, fruit, vegetables and tea. The green revolution has undoubtedly improved the productivity of land. But the growth in productivity has not been sustainable, which is stagnated in recent years, resulting in significant decline in the income of farmers. There have also been negative environmental effects in the form of depleting water table, emission of greenhouse gases, and the contamination of surface and ground water. The stark observation made in the Economic Survey of 2015-16 that "Indian agriculture, is in a way, a victim of its own past success especially the green revolution", shows the dark reality of the agricultural sector at present and the havoc that has been wreaked by the green revolution. It is needless to say, the agricultural sector is in a state of distress, which is severely affecting peasants, especially the marginal and small farmers. Besides, prime agricultural lands have been taken from the farming community in the name of industrialization, urbanization and other infrastructural developments. In last 15 years, over 2.5 millions of farmers have thus committed suicide with their crop failures/damages and other disincentives by the government actions and policies. In the new millennium, the challenges in Indian agricultural sector has never been so enormous with increasing pressure to produce more food for ever growing population from limited land with shrinking natural resources, a difficult task for the farmers. Population is expected to rise till 2050 and thus India

needs to keep up its food production to meet the raising demands for agricultural produce and ensure food security. Despite increasing food production, over the years, statistics show that per capita availability of food grains has been declining. This brings us to all important questions of the need to increase agricultural productivity per hectare.

To ensure sustainable livelihood for millions of farmers in the country by keeping the momentum of agricultural growth, a careful evaluation of the farm resources for shaping its future is considerably important. With this background the following sub themes are selected for presentations and discussion during the seminar.

### SUB THEMES

- Agricultural Development Initiatives in India under plan periods
- Agricultural Production and Productivity
- Advancing Technical Change in Indian Agriculture: Public Policy Issues and Strategic Choices
- Improved Market infrastructure and information technology for Indian Farmers
- Meeting India's Food and nutritional Security and Development Challenges
- Agriculture, Environment and Sustainable Livelihood
- Agricultural capital formation and distributional challenges in India
- The Role of Agriculture in the Development Process: Recent Experiences and case studies
- Land/Soil and Water Management and Micro-Irrigation
- Demonetization, rural credit and distributional challenges
- Shaping Agricultural Research and Extension
- Trade liberalization, MNCs and WTO its Impact on Indian Agriculture
- Cropping patterns and crop diversifications
- Agri-business potentials and value additions

## REGISTRATION FORM NATIONAL SEMINAR

ON

**Shaping the Future of Indian Agriculture for  
Sustainable Livelihoods: A SWOC Analysis**

9th -10th March, 2017

Organised by  
**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS**  
Nagaland University, Hqrs: Lumami  
Nagaland, India.

Name:.....  
Gender: Male/ Female  
Designation:.....  
Organization:.....  
Address.....  
.....  
Mobile No.....  
E-mail.....  
Title of the paper .....  
.....  
Accommodation required (Y/N).....  
Signature .....

### REGISTRATION FEES

Academicians/Faculty Members and Policy Makers  
Rs. 1000/-  
Research Scholars and Students Rs. 500/-