

POSTER PRESENTATION SESSION 2		CHAIRPERSONS
Dr. B.V. Shivaprakash, Director of Research, KVAFSU, Karnataka		
Moderator : Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bharti, Professor and Head, Anatomy, BVC, BASU, Patna		
09:00– 10:00	Theme 3: Poster Presentations and Evaluation	
Judge : Dr. L.D. Singla, Editor, NAVS (I), Former Professor and Head, Veterinary Parasitology & Director Human Resource Management Centre, GADVASU, Ludhiana.		
09:00– 10:00	Theme 4: Poster Presentations and Evaluation	
Judge : Prof. (Dr.) G.S. Khandekar, Head, Vet Surgery & Radiology, Mumbai Veterinary College, Mumbai		

PANEL DISCUSSION		CHAIRPERSONS
Dr. Raghavendra Bhatta, Deputy Director General (Animal Science), ICAR, New Delhi		
Moderator : Dr. A. K. Sharma, Student Welfare Officer, BASU, Patna		
Timings	Panelists	
14:30-15:30	ACADEMIA	
	Dr. Praveen Malik, Animal Husbandry Commissioner, DADF, Government of India	
	Dr. P. K. Shukla, President, Indian Poultry Science Association and Former Dean, CoVS, Mathura	
	Dr. Ravindra Sharma, Former Director of Research, LUVAS, Hisar	
	Dr. J. K. Prasad, Dean, Bihar Veterinary College, Patna	
	Dr. Vipin Kumar Gupta, Former Head, Veterinary Pathology, CSKHPAU, Palampur	
	INDUSTRY	
	Dr. Nitin Bhatia, Senior Vice President, Technical and Vet Regulatory, Intas Animal Health	
	Dr. Shirish Nigam, Former President INFAH & Chairman Public Policy, Advocacy & CSR Sub committee of INFAH	
	Dr Naveen Kumar, Business Director - South Asia & Middle East, DELST Asia, Malaysia	
	Dr. Saurabh Shekhar, Managing Partner, Petcare	
	Dr. Pawan Kumar, Director, Hitech-Nutrisol, Hajipur.	
	ENTREPRENEUR	
	Sri Sarvesh Kumar, Hon'ble Member of Legislative Council, Bihar	
	Sri Santosh Kumar, Director, Anandsagar Natural Dairy Farm Pvt Ltd, Patna	
	Sri Santosh Kumar, Gita Integrated Farming, Nalanda	
	Sri Yaduvendra Singh, Progressive Farmer, Madhubani, Bihar	

PLENARY SESSION		CHAIRPERSONS
Dr. DVR Prakash Rao, President, NAVS (I)		
Moderator : Dr. Naresh Kumar Singh, Director Research, BASU, Patna		
Timings	Chairpersons of Technical Sessions	
15:30-16:30	Dr. Kamal Malla Bujarbaruah, Former Vice Chancellor, Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat	
	Prof. K.M.L. Pathak, Former Vice Chancellor, DUVASU, Mathura	
	Dr. Raghavendra Bhatta, Deputy Director General (Animal Science), ICAR, New Delhi	
	Prof. (Dr.) Vinod Kumar Verma, Vice Chancellor, Lajpat Rai University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Hisar	
	Dr. Niranjan Kalita, Vice Chancellor, Assam Veterinary and Fishery University (AVFU), Assam.	



# National Academy of Veterinary Sciences (India) XXIII Convocation cum National Scientific Convention

## on Strategic Framework for Transformation of India's Livestock, Poultry and Meat Sector for Viksit Bharat @ 2047

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Venue : Auditorium, Dashrath Manjhi Institute of Labour & Employment Studies, BASU Campus, Patna

### CONVOCATION SCHEDULE (December 22-23, 2025)

DAY 1 : MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2025				
09:00 – 09:30	REGISTRATION, BREAKFAST & EXHIBITION			
TECHNICAL SESSION 1 Strategic Priorities for Enhancement of Livestock Productivity				CHAIRPERSONS
Dr. Kamal Malla Bujarbaruah, Former Vice Chancellor, Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat				
Maj Gen (Dr.) Shri Kant, SM, VSM (Retd.), Former Vice Chancellor, LUVAS, Hisar				
Moderator : Dr. Seuli Saha Roy, Professor, Deptt. of VPHE, BVC, Basu, Patna				
Timings	Type	Speaker	Affiliation	Talk Title
09:30 - 10:10	Keynote Address-1	Dr. Tarun Shridhar	Director General, Indian Chamber of Food and Agriculture; and former Secretary, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Government of India	Reinventing Livestock Management for Viksit Bharat 2047
10:10 –10:40	Invited Talk-1	Dr Bramhadev Pattnaik	Virologist & Epidemiologist, Institute of Veterinary Science & Animal Husbandry, Siksha O Anusandhan University, Bhubaneswar	One Health & Livestock Productivity: Necessity of New Generation Vaccines & Therapeutics
10:40 - 11:10	Invited Talk-2	Dr. Satender Singh Arya	Chief Executive Officer Agriculture Skill Council of India, Haryana	Skilling for Impact: Building a Competent Veterinary & Livestock Workforce for Enhanced Productivity

TECHNICAL SESSION 2 Strategic Framework to Boost Poultry Production				CHAIRPERSONS
<b>Dr. Niranjan Kalita</b> , Vice Chancellor, Assam Veterinary and Fishery University (AVFU), Assam <b>Dr. J. M. Kataria</b> , Former Director, CARI, Izatnagar, Bareilly, UP				
<b>Moderator : Dr. Kauslendra Kumar</b> , Associate Professor, Animal Nutrition, BVC, BASU, Patna				
Timings	Type	Speaker	Affiliation	Talk Title
11:10 – 11:50	Keynote Address-2	<b>Dr. R.N. Chatterjee</b>	Director, ICAR-Directorate of Poultry Research, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad	New Technologies for Sustainable Poultry Productivity and Nutritional Security
11:50 – 12:20	Invited Talk-3	<b>Dr. Jeetendra Verma</b>	President, World Veterinary Poultry Association (WVPA), India	Poultry Sector- An Entrepreneurial Opportunity
12:20 – 12:50	Invited Talk-4	<b>Dr. Pankaj Kumar Singh</b>	DRI-cum-Dean, PGS, BASU, Patna	Smart Feeding Technologies: Leveraging Precision Nutrition for Enhanced Poultry Performance
12:50 – 13:30	GENERAL BODY MEETING (GBM)			
13:30 – 14:30	LUNCH & NETWORKING			
14:30 – 16:16	INAUGURATION			
	CONVOCATION AWARD CEREMONY			

POSTER PRESENTATION SESSION 1		CHAIRPERSONS
Dr. Ravindra Sharma, Former Director of Research, LUVAS, Hisar		
Moderator : Dr. Amrita Behra, Assistant Professor, Deptt. of VBC, BVC, BASU, Patna		
16:20 – 17:20	Theme 1: Poster Presentations and Evaluation	
Judge : Dr. Vipan Kumar Gupta, Former Head, Veterinary Pathology, CSKHPAU, Palampur		
16:20 – 17:20	Theme 2: Poster Presentations and Evaluation	
Judge : Col Tej Ram, (Retd) GC Member, NAVS (India)		
18:00 – 19:30	CULTURAL PROGRAMME	
19:30 onwards	DINNER & NETWORKING	

DAY 2 : TUESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 2025

TECHNICAL SESSION 3  
Technological Transformation of India's Meat Industry

CHAIRPERSONS

**Prof. K.M.L. Pathak**, Former Vice Chancellor, DUVASU, Mathura

**Prof (Dr.) Mandeep Sharma**, Vice Chancellor, NDVSU, Jabalpur

**Moderator : Dr. Sushma Kumari**, Head, LPT, BVC, BASU, Patna.

Timings	Type	Speaker	Affiliation	Talk Title
9:30 – 10:10	Keynote Address-3	<b>Dr. P. K. Shukla</b>	President, Indian Poultry Science Association and Former Dean, CoVS, Mathura	Strategic Framework for India's Poultry Sector
10:10 – 10:40	Invited Talk-5	<b>Dr. P.K. Mandal</b>	President, IMSA and Professor, & Head, LPT, Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Veterinary Education & Research, Pondicherry	Valorization of Meat Industry Byproducts - Strategies, Prospects and Challenges
10:40 – 11:10	Invited Talk-6	<b>Dr. Girish Patil</b>	Director, ICAR-NRC, Mithun	Traceability Based Value Chain Management in Indian Livestock Sector for Achieving Food Safety and Augmenting Exports
11:10 – 11:20	COFFEE / TEA BREAK			

TECHNICAL SESSION 4 Academia Industry Interaction and Entrepreneurship Development				CHAIRPERSONS
<b>Prof. (Dr.) Vinod Kumar Verma</b> , Vice Chancellor, Lajpat Rai University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Hisar <b>Dr. Jeetendra Verma</b> , President, World Veterinary Poultry Association (WVPA), India				
<b>Moderator : Dr. Pankaj Kumar</b> , Professor, VMC, BVC, BASU, Patna.				
Timings	Type	Speaker	Affiliation	Talk Title
11:20 – 12:00	Keynote Address-4	<b>Dr. Praveen Malik</b>	Animal Husbandry Commissioner, DADF, Government of India	From Policy to Practice: Co-creating India's Livestock Future through Industry–Academia Partnership
12:00 – 12:30	Invited Talk-7	<b>Dr. Nitin Bhatia</b>	Senior Vice President, Technical and Vet Regulatory, Intas Animal Health	Anti-Microbial Use (AMU), Anti-Microbial Resistance (AMR) and its Relevance - The Indian Animal Healthcare Perspective
12:30–13:00	Invited Talk-8	<b>Dr. Dinesh Tukaram Bhosale</b>	Former Chairman, CLFMA of India and Vice President, Animal Nutrition Association	Transformation Needed in Indian Animal Feed Sector for Viksit Bharat @2047
13:00–13:30	Invited Talk-9	<b>Dr. G. Dinakar Raj</b>	Former Director, Centre for Animal Health Studies and Veterinary Incubation Foundation, TANUVAS	Academia, Start-up and Scale-up – the triple helix model for accelerating innovation
13:30–14:30	LUNCH & NETWORKING			