

PROGRAM

10:00 AM (IST) / 12:30 PM (PST)

Joining of participants and live streaming of success stories and promotional video of UPLB; Embassy of India; and Indian and Philippines Companies in Agrimachinery Sector (each video with maximum duration of 2 minutes)

SESSION I: INAUGURAL SESSION

10:30 AM (IST) / 1:00 PM (PST)

Opening Remarks	Mr. T R Kesavan , <i>Chairman, FICCI National Agriculture Committee & Group President, TAFE Ltd.</i>
Welcome Address	Dr. Jose V. Camacho, Jr. , <i>Chancellor, University of Philippines Los Baños (UPLB)</i>
Opening Address	H.E. Ramon S. Bagatsing, Jr. , <i>Ambassador of Philippines to India</i>
Opening Address	H.E. Shambhu S. Kumaran , <i>Ambassador of India to Philippines</i>
Keynote Address	H.E. William D. Dar , <i>Secretary, Department of Agriculture (DA), Philippines</i>

Moderator: Dr. Rossana Marie C. Amongo, Dean, CEAT

SESSION II: OPPORTUNITIES FOR INDIA- PHILIPPINES ENGAGEMENT ON DIGITIZATION AND MECHANIZATION IN AGRimachinery SECTOR

11:00 AM (IST) / 1:30 PM (PST)

Speakers from the Philippines	Engr. Ariodear C. Rico , <i>Director, Bureau of Agricultural and Fisheries Engineering (BAFE), Department of Agriculture</i>
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Dr. Baldwin G. Jallorina, *Director,
Philippine Center for Postharvest
Development and Mechanization
(PHilMech)*

Dr. Ronel S. Pangan, *Director, Center
for Agri-fisheries and Biosystems
Mechanization (BIOMECH), CEAT, UPLB*

Dr. Arthur L. Fajardo, *Agricultural
Machinery Testing and Evaluation
Center (AMTEC), CEAT, UPLB*

Mr. Joel R. Panagsagan, *President,
Agricultural Machinery Manufacturers
& Distributors Association (AMMDA)*

Mr. Rajiv Wahi, *Chief Executive,
International Business, Escorts Agri
Machinery*

Mr. Durgendra Prasad Verma,
*International Business Development
Manager, VST Tractors and Tillers
India*

Mr. Ravindra Dolare, *President,
Ecozen Solutions Pvt. Ltd.*

Mr. Manohar Sambandam,
*Founding Partner & CEO, Green
Robot Machinery Private Limited*

Mr. Arsenio "Toto" Barcelona,
*Chairman, Harbest Agribiz
Corporation*

Moderator: Arvind Kumar TJ, Asia Connect Center



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SESSION III: OPEN FORUM/Q&A SESSION

12:40 PM (IST) / 3:10 PM (PST)

Moderators to raise participants' questions with the panelists and speakers. Followed by sharing of contact details.

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and Arvind Kumar TJ, Asia Connect Center**

Rapporteur/Synthesis of the conference: **Dr. Maria Victoria L. Larona,**
University Researcher II, BIOMECH, CEAT

SESSION IV: CLOSING SESSION

1:10 PM (IST) / 3:40 PM (PST)

Closing Address **Mr. Tushar Jain, Panel Convenor,**
Agricultural Machinery Panel, EEPC India

Closing Address **Mr. Danilo V. Fausto, President,**
Philippine Chamber of Agriculture and Food Inc. (PCAFI)

Closing Remarks **Dr. Nathaniel C. Bantayan, Vice**
Chancellor for Research and Extension, University of Philippines Los Baños

Vote of Thanks **Mr. Nishikant Singh, First**
Secretary (Economic & Commerce), Embassy of India

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