



CULTIVATION AND PRIMARY PROCESSING OF ECONOMICALLY IMPORTANT MEDICINAL AND AROMATIC PLANTS

CSIR-Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants

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CSIR-Central Institute of Medicinal and Aromatic Plant, Lucknow is a constituent laboratory of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research under Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India. This is a premier institute working on development of improved varieties better agro practices and standardization of post-harvest processing technologies of medicinal and aromatic plants since 1959 and transfers these technologies to the farmers and entrepreneurs through skill development activities.

CSIR-CIMAP is devoted to R&D activities, technology support and academic including skill development/training HR for the benefit of farmers and industries related to Aroma, cosmetics, personal care, health and hygiene and different system of medicines.

CSIR-CIMAP invites applications for Training programme on Cultivation and Primary Processing of Economically Important Medicinal and Aromatic Plants at Lucknow as per given below:

Title of the course:	Training programme on 'Cultivation and Primary Processing of Economically Important Medicinal and Aromatic Plants
Duration:	Two - Three days
No. Of Seats:	100
Educational qualification:	High School
Age Group:	18-60 Years
Date of Commencement:	1.09.2017
Timing:	09.00 AM to 6.00 PM
Venue of the course:	CSIR-CIMAP Campus, Lucknow
Course Fee:	Rs. 3,000/- (Day boarding)
Last date:	1.10.2017 (5.00PM)
Residential/Non residential:	Non residential
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Objective:

1. To enhance practical knowledge on improved cultivation techniques, varieties of economically important medicinal and aromatic crops.
2. To demonstrate the improved distillation and primary processing technologies and various methods, nursery raising techniques, proper storage and its utilization of medicinal and aromatic plants in various industries, etc.

Learning outcome:

At the end of training programme, the learner would have learnt and have an exposure on the following aspects:

- Improved cultivation techniques of 10 economically important medicinal and aromatic plants with their economics impact.
- Nursery raising techniques of important medicinal and aromatic plants.
- Post-harvest processing techniques and various methods of distillation
- Marketing aspects of essential oils and medicinal herbs

Training for whom

This training programme would be useful for existing and new farmers, entrepreneurs, distillers, exporters/importers, perfumers, corporate houses for contract farming and their processing.

Course Structure: This is professional course for new and existing farmers and entrepreneurs who want to enter in the field of cultivation and primary processing of medicinal and aromatic plants. The training contains 10-11 hours class room lectures and 5-6 hours practical demonstrations in fields for nursery preparation and demonstration of field distillation units. The time devoted for practical demonstration is to understand proper method of preparation of nursery and the distillation.

Management and Faculty: The faculty for the training is drawn from a vast body of experts from CSIR-CIMAP, industries and banks. CSIR-CIMAP has well experienced scientists of each crops/field to deliver the best in the field of medicinal and aromatic plants cultivation, processing, management and marketing. The training will be managed by the Scientists of Technology and Business Development group of CSIR-CIMAP.

Selection Procedure: The scientists from TBD/Extension are regularly interacted with the farmers/entrepreneurs/visitors and discuss about training and their benefits or interested candidates directly applied from website or from discussions over phone. They deposit the fee and after confirmation from accounts, we confirm their participation.

Method of interaction: Class room lectures, discussion during programme, field visits, practical on distillation units and fields for nursery preparation, etc. Medium of instruction will be Hindi and English.

Salient Features of the Training:

60 % class room and 40% practical in fields
Interactive sessions
Hand-on- practical exposure on the improved distillation units
Training literature in English/Hindi
Lectures assisted with audio-visual aids.

Certification:

Certificate will be issued to the successful candidate for the course taken by the candidate.



For further information please contact :

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