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देववन, जोरहाट-785010 (असम)/Deovan, Jorhat-785010 (Assam)

WEEK-LONG TRAINING COURSE FOR OFFICERS OF INDIAN FOREST SERVICE

Theme:

Bamboo Resource Development for Addressing Livelihood Concerns of Communities

Sponsored by

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India

16-20 November, 2026

TRAINING SCHEDULE

Day 1: 16 November, 2026		
09.00-10.00 am	Registration	
10.00-11.00 am	Inaugural Session	
11.00-11.15 am	Group Photo & Hi Tea	
11.15-12.00 pm	Introduction on ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat	Dr. D. J. Das
12.00-01.00 pm	An overview of Bamboo Sector in India	Dr. T. C. Bhuyan
01.00-02.30 pm	Lunch Break	
02.30-03.30 pm	From Satellites to Society: Geospatial Assessment of Bamboo Resources and Indigenous Utilization Patterns-Northeast Indian perspective.	Dr. D. J. Das
03.30-04.00 pm	Visit to Bamboo Museum & Interpretation Centre	Kumud Borah Bhuban Kachari N. C. Das

Day 2: 17 November, 2026	
Visit to Majuli to study traditional bamboo handicrafts in *Satras*	
08.30 am	Departure from RFRI/Hotel to Nimatighat
05.30 pm	Back to RFRI/Hotel

Day 3: 18 November, 2026		
10.00-10.45 am	Bamboo Genetic Improvement Programme at ICFRE-RFRI, Jorhat	Dr. Karma G. Bhutia
10.45-11.30 am	Bamboo for livelihood with reference to Agarbatti	Dr. Abhinav Kant

	Sector and Innovative Products	
11.30-11.45 am	Tea Break	
11.45-12.30 pm	Bamboo Charcoal and its Utilization for livelihood generation	Dr. R. D. Borthakur
12.30-01.15 pm	Success story on amelioration of mine degraded land through bamboo plantations	D. K. Meena
01.15-02.15 pm	Lunch Break	
02.15-03.00 pm	Bio-ethanol from Bamboo: Its Implications on National Economy and Livelihood	Hidam Tonsana
03.00-03.15 pm	Tea Break	
03.15-04.30 pm	Visit to Bamboo Nursery, Bambusetum, BCC, Bamboo Charcoal, Bamboo Treatment Unit, Bah Bithika, etc.	Dr. Karma G. Bhutia Debojit Neog Kumud Borah

Day 4: 19 November, 2026	
Visit to Assam Bio-Ethanol Pvt. Ltd., Numaligarh and Kaziranga National Park	
08.30-10.00 am	Leaving Jorhat and arrival at Assam Bio-Ethanol Pvt. Ltd., Numaligarh, Golaghat
10.00-11.30 am	Briefing about the BioRefinery & Visit to BioRefinery
11.30-01.00 pm	Leaving BioRefinery and arrival at Tesco Resort, Bokakhat and Interaction with the Park Authorities
01.00-02.00 pm	Lunch Break
02.00-04.30 pm	Visit to Kaziranga National Park
04.30-06.30 pm	Back to Jorhat

Day 5: 20 November, 2026		
10.00 -10.45 am	Bamboo in Structural Constructions	Priyam B. Goswami
10.45-11.30 am	Bamboo Value Chain and Marketing of Value added Products	Parikshit Borkotoky
11.30-11.45 am	Tea Break	
11.45-12.30 pm	Pest and Disease infestations on Bamboo and its remedies	Dr. Prasun Karmakar
12.30-01.15 pm	Industrial Applications of Bamboo as Wood	Saurav Saikia
01.15-02.30 pm	Lunch Break	
02.30-03.30 pm	Presentations from Participants	
03.30-04.00 pm	Panel Discussion on the Topic: *Improvement in the working of Forest Departments-need for career development through training and improvement of skills.*	Participants only
04.00-04.15 pm	Feedback	
04.15-04.30 pm	Tea Break	
04.30-05.00 pm	Valedictory Session	

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