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Chaudhary Charan Singh  
Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar

*Cordially invite you for the*

# Inaugural Function

of

## DPCFC-SAAI 2026

SPARC Sponsored International Conference on  
“Deciphering the Potential of Climate-Resilient Functional  
Crops for Sustainable Agriculture and Agro-Industries”

*Keynote Speaker*

*Dr. Sujay Rakshit*

Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Agricultural Biotechnology,  
Ranchi (Jharkhand)



*Chief Guest*

**Prof. Somnath Sachdeva**

Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,  
Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra  
Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak



*Preside Over*

**Prof. B. R. Kamboj**

Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,  
Chaudhary Charan Singh  
Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar

Wednesday

February **25** 2026

At 11:00 am



IG Auditorium  
CCS HAU, Hisar

# Programme Schedule

- 11:00  Lighting of Lamp
- 11:05  Vande Mataram
- 11:10  Floral Welcome
- 11:15  Welcome address by Dr. Rajbir Garg, Director of Research, CCS HAU, Hisar
- 11:20  About the Conference by Dr. Rajesh Gera, Dean, COBS&H, CCS HAU, Hisar
- 11:25  Address by Keynote Speaker – Dr. Sujay Rakshit, Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Agricultural Biotechnology, Ranchi (Jharkhand)
- 11:55  Address by Chief Guest Prof. Somnath Sachdeva Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, KU, Kurukshetra & MDU, Rohtak
- 12:05  Presidential Address by Prof. B. R. Kamboj, Worthy Vice-Chancellor, CCS HAU, Hisar
- 12:15  Felicitation of dignitaries
- 12:20  Vote of thanks by Dr. Jayanti Tokas, HOD, Biochemistry, COBS&H, CCS HAU, Hisar
- 12:25  National Anthem
- 12:30  Lunch



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