

ICAR-ATARI Zone-VII, Umiam Hosts Interaction-Cum-Field Visit for Madhya Pradesh Agriculture Officials

ICAR-ATARI Zone-VII, Umiam, Meghalaya, organized an Interaction-Cum-Field Visit on 04 December, 2024 for a delegation of agricultural officials from Madhya Pradesh, under the Department of Agriculture, Government of Madhya Pradesh. The program, sponsored by the National Productivity Council (Guwahati Branch), aimed to foster knowledge sharing and collaboration in innovative agricultural practices.



The event commenced with a welcome address by Dr. A. K. Singha, Principal Scientist, who outlined the program's objectives, emphasizing the importance of inter-state agricultural knowledge exchange.



Gracing the occasion, Dr. A. K. Mohanty, Director of ICAR-ATARI Zone-VII, delivered a presentation on "The Role of ATARI in Translating Research into Development." He highlighted the institute's innovative extension strategies and its role in bridging the gap between research and practical agricultural development.

As part of the program, participants visited a model Integrated Farming System (IFS) unit established by KVK Ri Bhoi in its NICRA village, "Thadnongjiew village". The visit included an interactive session where trainees discussed the scope and opportunities of organic farming and explored strategies to enhance its sustainability and adaptability in various agricultural contexts.

This event served as a platform for agricultural officials to gain hands-on exposure to innovative farming systems, reinforcing the importance of sustainable practices in enhancing agricultural productivity and resilience.