

TAMIL NADU AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

Office of the Directorate of Research,
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Coimbatore-03.

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PROCEEDINGS

An interactive meeting with the Dean, HODs and staff members was conducted by the Director of Research on **29.8.2019** to address some of the issues relating to the research and development activities of the Community Science College and Research Institute, Madurai.

Dr. S. Amutha, Dean, CSC & RI, Madurai, briefly presented the on-going research and seed production activities of the college. **Dr. K.S. Subramanian**, Director of Research highlighted the current status of TNAU rankings in ICAR and NIRF and the importance of high impact factor publications (**NAAS > 6**) and patents that will directly reflect on the ranking.

GENERAL

- The **products** that have been developed, validated and proposed for adoption or commercialization from the college need to be presented to the University Variety and Technology Screening Committee for approval (The Dean, CSC & RI, Madurai)
- All the developed products by the Campus have to be displayed along with respective posters in a dedicated **exhibition hall** to portrait the activities and achievements (All Scientists, CSC & RI, Madurai)
- An **interactive stakeholder meet** may be organized involving the Director (ABD) to explore a possibility of commercialization of the products. Leading food products producers like Aachi masala, Shakthi masala, Annapoorna, Nestle etc may be invited for such events (All Scientists, CSC & RI, Madurai)
- A team of scientists headed by the Dean may visit **IIFPT**, Tanjore, to look at their research framework, product development and commercialization (Dean, CSC & RI, Madurai)

