





## DISTINGUISHED LECTURE SERIES 2020-21 Invitation for attending "Online Lecture"

The Center for Advanced Agricultural Science & Technology (CAAST), Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari is going to organize "Online Interactive Guest Lecture" from internationally renowned expert and esteemed guest on June 24, 2020 under NAHEP-CAAST Sub-project. For registration, follow up the link given here: https://forms.gle/AU9JIG8dXNCNKqMu6

| Resource Persons | Details   | Topic of Guest lecture  | Date & Time                                   |
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|                  | Dr. Shiv Shankar Panse Consultant and Advisor VPA FLEGT/ EUTR/ FSC/ PEFC Liberia, West Africa | "Timber Traceability System - A case study from Liberia, West Africa" | June 24, 2020<br>At<br>11.00 AM -<br>12.30 PM |

## About Our Guest Dr. Panse: He holds Ph.D in Forestry (Wood Science and Technology) from FRI, DDN

- Conducted 300+ certification audits for FSC, PEFC, EUTR, Quality, Environment Management Systems, Bio-mass certification, second-party audits for responsible sourcing of natural resources.
- He also developed Business Management Plans (25-Yrs) and Strategic Management (5-Yrs) to effectively
  manage forest concessions, community forests and natural resources including plantation and agriculture
  products.
- He established 'Legality Verification Department' within Forestry Development Authority (FDA), Govt. of Liberia under Build Operate and Transfer (BOT) project model operated by SGS funded by EU/Ukaid-DFID and Govt of Liberia.
- Also led project for development of a Mobile app (Android and iOS) and Desktop version for collating
  forestry field data related to traceability, legality and fiscality through barcode management for large
  forest concessions operating in West Africa and Brazil.
- Know more about Dr. Panse: https://www.linkedin.com/in/shiv-panse-0b4bbab
- PG Students, Research Fellows and other interested faculties are invited for the lecture so that they can benefit from the rich experience and in-depth knowledge of the Resource Person.

## Event Organizing Panel

T. R. Ahlawat; Dr. S. K. Sinha; Dr. R. P. Gunaga;

Dr. M. S. Sankanur; Abhijit Chaudhary & Balvant Ahir