

### ACCOMODATION

Arrangements for accommodation on payment basis will be made at the following places.

Category	Accomodation	Approx. Tariff/day
A	Munshi Hostel	Token charges
B	Other hostels at AAU	Rs. 25-75
C	IRMA/NDDDB hostels	Rs. 100-250
D	GAU/WALMI Guesthouse	Rs. 300-800
E	Hotels at Anand	Rs. 200-1500

### SOUVENIR

A souvenir on the theme of the seminar comprising of invited papers from the eminent personalities as well as selected technical/research presentations will be published and released during the inaugural session of the seminar. Advertisements for the souvenir are welcome. The charges for the same are as under:

	Size	B/W	Colour
Full Page	20 x 27 cms	6,000	10,000
Half Page	20 x 13 cms	3,000	5,000
Quarter Page	10 x 13 cms	2,000	3,000

### TENTATIVE PROGRAMME

#### National Seminar (April 23, 2005)

09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 – 11:00	Inauguration
11:00 – 11:30	Tea
11:30 – 13:00	Technical Session – I
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:15	Technical Session – II
16:15 – 16:30	Tea
16:30 – 17:30	Concluding Session
19:00 – 20:30	Cultural Programme
20:30 – 21:30	Dinner

#### Alumni Convention (April 24, 2005)

09:00 – 09:30	Registration
09:30 – 11:00	Inauguration
11:00 – 11:30	Tea
11:30 – 13:00	Technical Session
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 15:30	Experience Sharing
15:30 – 17:00	General Body Meeting

### OTHER ATTRACTIONS

Anand is known as "Milk City of India" due to location of hosts of Dairy Institutions such as AMUL, NDDDB, GCMMF, NCDFI, IDMC, IRMA and Vidya Dairy. Sardar Patel University and Sardar Patel Memorial are worth visiting places. In the vicinity of Anand, holy pilgrimage places viz., Dakor, Vadatal, Nadiad, Pawagadh, etc. are located, while a beautiful water park near Kheda (50 km) and Ajwa gardens at Baroda (45 km) are the places to relax and enjoy.

# INVITATION

## National Seminar

on

**Food Safety, Food Laws  
and Standards Relevant to  
Dairy Industry**

and

**Sixth Alumni Convention**

**April 23-24, 2005**



Organized by



**Alumni Association  
&**

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SMC College of Dairy Science is one of the renowned institutions for Dairy Education and Research in the country since 1960. The college periodically organizes seminars, workshops, refresher courses, etc. to cater to the needs of the dairy industry. In this era of globalization, it is the need of the day to produce quality dairy products meeting international standards. With an objective of providing a platform for useful deliberations on quality related issues, a national seminar on **“Food safety, food laws and standards relevant to dairy industry”** is organized on April 23, 2005. This seminar will be accompanied by an Alumni Convention on April 24, 2005, which is regularly organized to provide an opportunity to the alumni for visiting their alma mater along with the participation in the seminar. It is expected that the seminar will facilitate exchange of information and discussions on quality related issues of national significance. This will be an excellent opportunity for the professionals, planners, technocrats, academicians and all concerned with dairy profession.

You are cordially invited to this seminar and convention. The College is located in a serene and green environment of Anand Agricultural University, which is 5 km away from the Anand railway station. Anand is 65 km south of Ahmedabad and 35 km north of Vadodara railway stations.

### THEME

Globalization of the economy has provided endless opportunities and increased trade in food and agricultural commodities. The increasing pressures and challenges of liberalization and globalization on Indian dairying, on the other hand, are becoming vibrant, and before they get converted into killer waves like that of “Tsunamis”, the planners will have to give serious thought to all concerned issues. The most important among them are food safety, quality improvement, cost competitiveness, productivity enhancement and innovations in product development. Concerns over food safety and quality are increasing worldwide, which is a major challenge for the Indian dairy industry as well. One of the mandates of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) is to ensure nutritious and safe food for all people, at all times, for a productive and healthy life. A major approach to increasing food security and nutritional status is through continuous work to improve food quality and safety along the entire food chain, from producer to consumer.

WHO and Joint FAO/WHO Codex Alimentarius Commission are striving hard to devise effective food safety and quality assurance systems. Government of India is also introducing a revised consolidated food law. The food safety throughout the food chain is of serious concern for everyone; the producers, processors, traders, consumers, and the government. This calls for right strategies and approaches at all levels to be globally

competitive. India will have to focus on producing world-class quality products at competitive prices, if it has to survive and sustain in the long run. It is high time now for our technocrats, government and industry to ponder over this.

### TECHNICAL SESSIONS

Following technical sessions are planned:

1. Problems of microbial and chemical contaminants in dairy products concerning food safety.
2. Legislations governing dairy industry and its relevance in context of international food standards.
3. Quality monitoring systems in Dairy industry.
4. Consumers’ perspective of food quality and safety.
5. HRD needs in relevance of present safety and quality requirements.

There will be lead papers presented by eminent speakers in all the sessions. Additionally, short technical articles and research papers are also invited for each session.

### ALUMNI CONVENTION

The sixth alumni convention of SMC College of Dairy Science is organized as a part of the seminar. At this reunion, about 300 alumni working in dairy plants and other areas from all over the country will meet and discuss industry related technical matters and share their experiences. One technical session on **“Overseas Opportunities for Dairy Technocrats”** is also planned. At this function the BSc (DT) who passed out during 1979 and 1980 and Post-graduates who passed out during 1974 –80 will be honoured.

Consultancy and Immigration agencies would be made available to the delegates during the two-day programme. Hence, the interested delegates would get guidance for going abroad either for study or immigration.

### REGISTRATION

Category	Before 31-3-05	On spot
Sponsored and Open	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 600/-
Alumni of DSC, Anand	Rs. 300/-	Rs. 400/-
Students	Rs. 100/-	Rs. 200/-
Spouse	Rs. 100/-	Rs. 200/-

The fee should be sent by DD in favour of **“Chairman, Seminar/Workshop Committee, SMC College of Dairy Science, Anand”**

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