

Celebration of International Women's Day at ICAR-NIHSAD

International women's Day was celebrated by the women staff of the institute on 8th march 2019. All women employed and working at the institute including scientists, administrative staff, research fellows, students and contractual staff had a celebratory meeting with Dr. V. P. Singh, Director of the institute. The function was also attended by the women participants of NE region who are presently undergoing a training at NIHSAD. The Director appreciated the contributions of the women towards the functioning of the institute and towards the society in general. There was an open panel discussion about the changing role of women in the society that has come due to enhanced financial independence. General issues of gender bias observed in the society were discussed with the women contractual labour. The importance of female literacy and its impact on overall empowerment of women were stressed by all the participants. The function concluded with resolution by the women staff to think equal and work towards positive contribution to the society.

