

National Symposium on



Veterinary Education Transformation



Vision-2047



From 1862 to 2047:

Building a Competent, Innovative & Industry-Ready
Veterinary Workforce for Viksit Bharat



Organized by

Society of Veterinary Scientists & Academicians

at

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Sher-e-Kashmir

University of Agricultural Sciences & Technology of Kashmir



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Faculty of Veterinary Sciences and Animal Husbandry, Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology-Kashmir, Shuhama, Srinagar.



Why Attend

A national platform for academicians, veterinarians, researchers, policymakers, industry representatives, entrepreneurs and students to deliberate on the transformation of veterinary education, research, innovation, entrepreneurship, One Health, digital technologies and sustainable livestock development.

It is our great pleasure to invite you to attend the National Symposium of the Society of Veterinary Scientists & Academicians (SVSA) on the theme “Veterinary Education Transformation Vision-2047: From 1862 to 2047 – Building a Competent, Innovative and Industry-Ready Veterinary Workforce for Viksit Bharat” being organized at the Faculty of Veterinary Sciences and Animal Husbandry, Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology-Kashmir, Shuhama, Srinagar, on 26th of November 2026.



A PLATFORM FOR TRANSFORMATION

The symposium will provide a valuable platform for sharing knowledge and deliberating on emerging challenges and opportunities across veterinary education, research, innovation, entrepreneurship, One Health, digital technologies and sustainable livestock development.



About SVSA

The Society of Veterinary Scientists & Academicians (SVSA), Shuhama, Alusteng, Srinagar (J&K), is a professional scientific platform bringing together veterinary scientists, academicians, veterinarians, researchers, students and other stakeholders associated with veterinary and allied sciences. A constituent member of the World Veterinary Association (WVA), Belgium, and registered under the Societies Registration Act, SVSA is committed to promote excellence in Veterinary education, research, animal health, innovation and professional development. Through scientific conferences, symposia, workshops and collaborative initiatives, the Society provides a platform for knowledge exchange, interdisciplinary interaction and discussion of emerging challenges and opportunities in veterinary sciences. SVSA also seeks to strengthen academia–industry–policy linkages, encourage young professionals and researchers, and contribute to the development of a skilled, innovative and future-ready veterinary workforce in support of Viksit Bharat 2047.



About The Host Institute

Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology-Kashmir (SKUAST-Kashmir) is one of the leading agricultural universities serving the North-Western Himalayan region, with a strong focus on agriculture, animal sciences, food and nutritional security, sustainable livelihoods and rural development. Since its inception, the University has been committed to developing competent human resources, generating need-based research, providing technical support and strengthening outreach activities for the benefit of farmers and other stakeholders. Its multidisciplinary academic and research programmes encompass Agriculture, Veterinary Sciences, Animal Husbandry, Livestock Production, Aquaculture, Biotechnology, Horticulture, Food and Nutrition, Environmental Sustainability and One Health.



FACULTY OF VETERINARY SCIENCES & ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

The FVSc & AH at SKUAST-Kashmir contributes significantly to Veterinary education, research, clinical training, animal health and livestock development in the region.



REGIONAL & NATIONAL ALIGNMENT

The University continues to strengthen its academic and research ecosystem through innovation, interdisciplinary collaboration and stakeholder engagement, aligning with emerging regional and national priorities and the broader vision of Viksit Bharat 2047.



KASHMIR CONTEXT

For Jammu & Kashmir, VET Vision 2047 must respond to opportunities in sheep, goat, dairy, poultry, pastoral systems, wool, Pashmina, indigenous genetic resources, mountain livestock health, climate resilience and high-value livestock products.



About Vet Vision 2047

India's Veterinary profession has evolved remarkably since the establishment of formal veterinary education in 1862. As India moves towards Viksit Bharat 2047, the livestock sector will play an increasingly important role in nutrition security, rural livelihoods, employment generation, economic growth and national development. This changing landscape demands a corresponding transformation in Veterinary education.



The 2047 Vision

VET Vision 2047 seeks to envision the Veterinary education system required for the India of 2047—one that produces a competent, innovative, entrepreneurial, technologically equipped and industry-ready Veterinary workforce capable of addressing emerging challenges in animal health, livestock production, food systems, public health and sustainability.

The vision therefore goes beyond expansion. It calls for transformation of curriculum, institutions, research, clinical training, industry linkages, entrepreneurship and professional competencies, enabling veterinary education to become a stronger contributor to national development.



The Road To Viksit Bharat 2047

The central question is not simply “Where can I get a job?” but “What problem can I solve, and what value can I create?” If India’s livestock sector is expected to contribute significantly to Viksit Bharat 2047, Veterinary education must be designed for that future. The symposium therefore seeks to develop a collective VET Vision 2047 Roadmap for transforming Veterinary education, institutions, research, clinical training, industry linkages, innovation, entrepreneurship, policy and workforce development.



The Desired Shift

Move from knowledge to competence • research to impact • employment to enterprise • veterinary colleges to dynamic veterinary university ecosystems.

VET VISION 2047 AGENDA

FROM → TO

Veterinary colleges → integrated veterinary universities
Degree-oriented education → competency-based learning
Conventional training → industry-ready skills
Research publications → innovation and impact
Employment seeking → entrepreneurship and leadership

HEALTH, TECHNOLOGY & IMPACT

Disease treatment → One Health and health

Traditional livestock systems → technology-enabled and climate-resilient production

Research for publication → research for impact

Education + research + clinical care + extension + industry + innovation + entrepreneurship



The Veterinarian of 2047

The veterinarian of 2047 must be more than a clinician: a scientist, public health professional, livestock specialist, technologist, entrepreneur, communicator and leader. The graduate should possess clinical and laboratory competence together with digital literacy, communication, data interpretation, management, entrepreneurship, innovation, food safety, biosecurity, animal welfare and One Health skills.



FIVE INTERCONNECTED SHIFTS



SYMPOSIUM HIGHLIGHTS & SUBTHEMES

• Vision

"Cultivating competent veterinarians, innovative researchers, and entrepreneurial leaders who serve as One Health champions and comprise a global, industry-ready workforce."

• Theme

"Veterinary Education Transformation Vision-2047: Building a Competent, Innovative and Industry-Ready Veterinary Workforce for Viksit Bharat"

• Subthemes

Advances in Vety & Animal Sciences & Disease Managment
Vis-a-vis AI & Emerging Diagnostic Technologies

Aquaculture & Fisheries for Sustainable Livelihood & Blue Economy

One Health, Food Safety & Food Security



• Panel Discussion on

Strengthening Veterinary & Fisheries Education in J&K

How To Reach The Venue

Srinagar, the summer capital of J&K, UT is well connected by Air and Road. Nearest Railway Station is Srinagar, and Jammu Tawi/ Udhampur provide onward cab connectivity. Shuhama Campus is 22 Km from City Centre (Lal Chowk) and 27 Km from Srinagar Airport. Prepaid taxis, roadways buses, minibuses and Tata Sumos connect Srinagar and Shuhama

Call For Abstracts

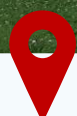
Prospective authors shall be informed about mode of presentation (Oral/Poster) after scrutiny. Oral presentations: 5 minutes with PowerPoint slides. Posters: 3 ft width × 4 ft height at designated slots. Submit abstracts (max 300 words) online by or before **10.11.2026**. At least one author must register.

Abstract Submission



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Venue: Harmukh Hall, Faculty of Veterinary Sciences & Animal Husbandry, SKUAST-Kashmir Shuhama, Alusteng, Srinagar – 190006 (Jammu & Kashmir)



SVSA AWARDS & REGISTRATION

Scientific Presentation Awards

- Best Poster Presentation Award – I, II & III
- Best Oral Presentation Award – I, II & III

Society Awards

- SVSA Best Field Veterinarian Award – Animal Husbandry **
- SVSA Best Field Veterinarian Award – Sheep Husbandry **
- SVSA Lifetime Contribution to Veterinary Science Award

Award Criterion

Poster & Oral (Session wise) I, II & III Separately for Faculty & Students

Registration Fee

Categories	Early Bird Registration (₹) By or Before 10-11-2026	Late / On Spot Registration (₹) After 10-11-2026
SVSA life member	2000	3000
Faculty / Post Doctoral Fellows / Field Vets	2500	3500
Project Fellow / RA / SRF / Students / Retd. Professional/Guest Faculty	1000	2000
Industry / Corporate	3000	4000
Accompanying person (No Kit to be provided)	2000	3000

All participants are required to register. Registration fee shall be PAID online on the SVSA account. The receipt/ reference number should be mailed with the registration form.

Account Details for Registration

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