



October, 2024



22 programmes during the month

In Campus

15

On-location

03

On-line

04

Key programme themes in October

- Orientation program for Chairpersons of RRBs
- Basics of Social Stock Exchange
- On location programme at Climate Resilient agriculture an livelihood in Tuticorin, T.N
- Training cum Exposure visit to successful PACS at Karimnagar, Telangana
- Enhanced CAMELSC for MDs/ CEOs/ GMs of Coop. Banks
- Forensic Audit & Fraud Management for Co-op. Banks
- Workshop on HR Issues in MFIs
- Online Training Programme on Cyber Hygiene and Best Practices for Securing Banks Against Cyber Threats

Visit of Shri. Saugata Bhattacharya, Member, Monetary Policy Committee (MPC), RBI at BIRD

- BIRD, Lucknow, had the privilege to host Ex-chief Economist of Axis Bank and the Member of the RBI Monetary Policy Committee, Shri. Saugata Bhattacharya
- Shri. Bhattacharya delivered an insightful session as part of the ongoing Orientation Programme for New Chairpersons of Regional Rural Banks (RRBs). Emphasizing the crucial role of the banking sector specifically RFBs in supporting India's economic growth
- Shri. Bhattacharya also engaged in an interactive session with Faculty Members of BIRD wherein he dwelled on the recent emerging trends in banking and now it has linkage with the board macro-economic parameters.



Orientation Programme for new Chairpersons of RRBs and their interaction with Chairman, NABARD

- To facilitate capacity building of the newly appointed Chairpersons of RRBs, as also to provide an overview of the latest developments in the economy and banking sector, BIRD, Lucknow conducted a 04 day “**Orientation Programme for Chairpersons of RRBs**” from 15 to 18 October 2024 at its campus at Lucknow”. 26 newly appointed chairpersons of RRBs participated in the programme. The 04-day programme was organized in an interactive mode with inputs from renowned domain experts from BIRD and external experts
- Key highlight of the programme was interaction with Shri. Shaji K.V., Chairman NABARD wherein he discussed the current challenges & opportunities faced by RRBs with respect to deposit mobilization, strengthening of Internal audit mechanism, technology issues, risk-based pricing of loan, asset quality review etc. He also responded to the queries of the participants on the issues like one state one RRB, Status of HR Report on RRBs, Collaboration with FinTech for product diversification etc
- Besides the BIRD faculties, the eminent speakers viz; Prof Saugata Bhattacharya, member of MPC, RBI; Prof Praloy Majumdar, Founder & CEO, Disseminare Consulting; Prof VP Singh, Mentor & Coach, IIMs; Shri Triveni Singh, Ex IPS, Future Crime Research Foundation; Dr HS Rana, Legal Expert provided the latest inputs on the content and facilitated the learning process



BIRD’S Climate Change Lab exhibit at RBI@90 conference at New Delhi

With the objective of providing a congenial learning environment with a focus on problem-centric and facilitating an active learning experience to the visitors, NABARD-BIRD set up a unique model - replicating the Experiential Learning Lab housed at BIRD, Lucknow, covering simulation model of Green House Gas effect to understand the impact of climate change on various sectors; station on calculation of ecological footprint; immersive experience through VR display of the adverse effects of climate change events and possible adaptation measures and, Climate Finance instruments - to facilitate better awareness of the adverse effects of climate change in order to identify appropriate intervention

Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT)

It is a means of recording information through a distributed ledger, i.e. a repeated digital copy of data at multiple locations, as in blockchain. These technologies enable nodes in a network to securely propose, validate, and record a full history, state changes (or updates) to a synchronised ledger that is distributed across the network’s nodes

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