**About NDRI**
The National Dairy Research Institute (Deemed University) is a premier organization that provides R & D support for Dairy Development programmes of India. It has gained prominence as the front-ranking research organization on a global basis. Scientific achievements, development of human resource and infusion of science in various sectors of dairy industry have been the hallmarks of the Institute.

**About Dairy Technology Society of India**
The society promotes and provides a forum for scientific discussion and exchange of ideas in the field of Dairy Processing, in general and Dairy Technology, in particular. It successfully organized *National Seminar on Value Added Dairy Products* on December 21-22, 2005 and *National Workshop on Entrepreneurship Development in Dairy & Food Industry* on December 23, 2005.

**Venue**
Karnal is very close to International Airport in New Delhi (160 km). City is well-connected by Road & Rail. All foreign delegates will be received at the airport. Places of tourist attraction near Karnal are: Kurukshetra (35 km), Panipat (35 km) Haridwar (175 km), Chandigarh (130 km), Shimla (250 km), Kullu-Manali (400 km), Rishikesh (195 km), Agra (330 km) and Jaipur (400 km).

**International Dairy & Food Expo - 2007**
India is the largest milk producing country in the world. Milk production is growing at an average growth rate of 5% per annum. Its economy is opening up. A special focus will be on organizing an International Food & Dairy Expo for enabling Companies to show case their products/technologies to potential buyers and also to provide them an opportunity to have one-to-one interaction with scientists & policy makers.

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**Call for Papers and Participation**

**ICTDF 2007**
November 14-17, 2007
Karnal (India)

**Organizers**
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**Invitation**

The International Conference on Traditional Dairy Foods is being organized by Dairy Technology Society of India and National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal (India) which is a premier Institute on R&D in Dairy/Food Technology. We warmly invite you to participate in this global event being hosted in India, home of a large array of traditional dairy delicacies. This visit to India will also provide you an insight into the rich cultural heritage of the country. National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal (India) which is the venue of this conference, will provide you with a unique opportunity to interact with world leaders in technology, engineering, trade & commerce of this vital sector of economy.

We look forward to welcoming you at **ICTDF 2007** in Karnal.

*Patron of the Conference*

**Sushil Kumar**
Director, NDRI

*Chairman of the Conference*

**S. Singh**
President of the Society

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**Scientific Programme**

The conference will include **keynote speeches**, symposia, invited lectures, plenary lectures and poster sessions covering the entire spectrum of Traditional Dairy Foods from all parts of the world.

**The objectives of the Conference are:**

- To present the state of knowledge on topics related to traditional dairy foods
- To explore key issues in process upgradation of traditional dairy products
- To stimulate continual dialogue between academia & industry
- To find out ways and means to promote entrepreneurship & trade the world over

**Topics of the Conference**

1. Art and Science of Manufacturing Traditional Dairy Foods
2. Historical Perspective
3. Technological Developments
4. Design of Equipment for Processing and Packaging
5. Structure and Chemistry of Dairy Foods
6. Microbiological Considerations
7. Scaling Up-Scaling Down
8. International Trade & Commerce
9. Entrepreneurship Development
10. Globalization of Traditional Foods
11. Food & Spirituality
12. Formal & Informal HRD

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**Call for Papers**

Papers will be presented in oral form or as posters. All invited lectures and papers selected for oral presentation will be published in the form of a book. Abstracts of poster sessions will be published in a Souvenir, to be released during the inaugural session. Special lectures from young scientists & students from all over the world are specially invited. One page abstract of the paper, including the details, such as: title, author's name(s), address (with e-mail), should be sent to: Dr. Sumit Arora, Scientist (Sr. Scale), NDRI, Karnal (India) at sumitak123@gmail.com. Instructions for authors for full paper submission will be given in the 2nd Announcement.

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