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The symposium on 'Weather and Climate Extremes' was organized by the Indian Meteorological Society (IMS) in collaboration with Panjab University (PU) Chandigarh and Snow and Avalanche study Establishment (SASE) Chandigarh from 15 to 18 February 2015. More than 400 eminent scholars, operational meteorologists, researchers, planners, hydrologists, agriculturists, disaster managers, instrumentation scientists, technology developers presented their research findings. The themes that were deliberated upon included climate change, forecasting weather extremes, sectoral impacts of climate change, climate extremes and vulnerability and risk management. Over 108 research papers were presented, which included 9 plenary talks, 54 invited talks, 87 poster presentations and several industry presentations.

The symposium was inaugurated by former Secretary, Department of Science and Technology (DST), Dr. T Ramasami. Director General, India Meteorological Department (IMD), Dr. LS Rathore. PU Vice Chancellor, Prof. Arun Kumar Grover and Director SASE Mr. Ashwagosh Ganju shared the dais in the inaugural function.

Dr Ramasami elaborated on how climate change has affected the agricultural sector. "In such a scenario, active interaction of bodies such as DST, IMD, and Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) with the society and common man is required", he stressed. Emphasizing on the current changes observed in climate and weather patterns, Dr. T Ramasami dwelt on the looming crisis of climate change, polluted and depleted water bodies and soil degradation.



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Dr. K.J. Ramesh falicitated the dignitaries on dais and concluded the valedictory functions



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Dr. L S Rathore urged for our existence in harmony with nature, which would have positive fallout on climate and weather patterns. Prof. Grover proposed that the Department of Geography of Panjab University should establish an interdisciplinary teaching and research Centre for geosciences, which may involve other government organizations. President, IMS, Dr Akhilesh Gupta, highlighted the role of meteorology in society and elaborated on how climatic extremes could prove detrimental. Eminent geologist and Prof. Emeritus, Department of Geology, and former PU Dean University Instruction Prof. Ashok Sahni delivered the first 'Ruchi Ram Sahni Memorial Lecture'.

The symposium highlighted the need to make climate change studies more interdisciplinary in nature, incorporating the views of geographers, sociologists, economists, anthropologists, chemists and other stakeholders. The event concluded with the observation that climate change and health are important areas of research and the healthcare providers, academicians and meteorologists need to interact for best results.

Valedictory function was chaired by Prof. D. Narayana Rao, Director Research, SRM University, Chennai. The other panellist were Prof. SK Dash (IIT Delhi), Prof. V U M Rao (CRIDA, Hyderabad), Prof. Rajesh Gill (PU, Chandigarh), Dr. Ashwagosha Ganju (SASE, Chandigarh), Mr. Jatin Singh (Skymet Weather Services). The function was moderated by Dr. KJ Ramesh Secretary, IMS. The themes of discussion primarily focused on Public Private Partnership (PPP) Model in Weather & Climate Services.

Prof. Narayana Rao initiated the discussion by highlighting the theme of symposium and told that Weather & Climate Extrems are the real challenges for entire meteorological community, researchers and user community at large and therefore need to be addressed. He also suggested involvement of public private knowledge in order to make Weather & Climate Services as per uses need.

Prof. V.U.M. Rao urged for taking initiatives for climate resilient agriculture in India with agrometeorological forecasting at the micro (Block) level. He highlighted the emerging vagaries of climate change and the various initiatives by concerned agencies in this direction such as the National Initiatives on Climate Resilient Agriculture (NICRA).

Mr. Ashwagosha Ganju told that Himalayan Region which is crucial from Mountain Meteorology point of view and also for army/ military operations and stressed upon strengthening of Meteorological Network-(Automatic and Ground based) in Himalayan region. He also mentioned that efforts should be made by concerned departments to make improvements in mountain meteorology.

Dr. Rajesh Gill talked about the society and climate change and stressed upon the need of interdisciplinary research.

Prof. S.K. Dash emphasized on the weather and climate related modelling efforts and analysis of existing open source data by the early career scientists, especially in our Universities. Mr. Jatin Singh deliberated on the need of private organisations in the weather and climate sector in India.

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