Notice

Tokyo University of Agriculture, Tokyo, Japan is inviting one UG student (III Year) from CCSHAU, Hisar for 25th International Students Summit on Food, Agriculture & Environment to be organized by, Tokyo University of Agriculture, Japan from June 30 - July 3, 2026.

The General theme of this years' is "Pushing Boundaries: Inclusive Activities for Community Welfare. Tokyo NODAI will provide international flight tickets between the closest international airport to our university and Japan. Only one student nomination will be selected to represent our esteemed university as an oral presenter. As mentioned by them participating students are expected to attend ISS in person and present activities undertaken at their home universities that have made, or are making, a positive impact on their communities. These student-led actions may take the form of new ideas or engoing initiatives. Presentations should clearly explain the rationale, methods, implications (economic, social, and cultural), and constraints of the activities to highlight students' contributions to solving global challenges and advancing sustainability. Each selected partner university will be allocated one slot for an oral presentation in one of the following fields:

- Students' Actions in the field of agriculture.
- Students' Actions in the field of environment.
- Students' Actions in the field of food.
- Students' Actions in the field of education.
- Students' Actions in the field of community development.

The students are requested to contact their respective Deans of the Colleges immediately to send their interest by submitting their application enclosed format, abstract and other related documents

Deans will further recommend two students from each college latest by January 12, 2025 for sending nominations to University of Agriculture, Tokyo. No application will be entertained after last date.

For any information coordinators International Cell may be contacted below

- 1. Dr. Saroj Yadav, Assoc. Professor, Deptt. of ATS, COCS (9416335872)
- 2. Dr. Manjunath S. Hurakadli, Asstt. Scientist, Deptt. of Pl. Patho., COA (9164741699)
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- 4. Dr. (Mrs.) Darshana Duhan, Asstt. Scientist, Deptt. of SWE, COAE&T (8003206190)

Dean, Postgraduate Studies

APPLICATION FORM FOR 25th ISS SUMMIT

1.	Name of the student	
2.	Father's name	
3.	Admission No.	
4.	Class	
5.	Mobile Number	
6.	Email Id:	
7.	Name of the College	·
8.	Grade Point/ OGPA of previous semester report (enclose the copy of the same copy)	
9.	Details of Debate/sports/cultural programme/co-curricular activities, NCC/NSS etc. (attach proof)	,
10.	Details of Abstract on Topic listed (in 250 words) (Copy Enclosed)	
11.	Any other relevant information	

Signature of the Student

Head of the Department / Advisor



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December 5, 2025

DR. B.R. KAMBOJ

Vice Chancellor CCS Haryana Agricultural University

SUBJECT: Invitation and Call for Nominations of Student Participants to the 25th International Students Summit on Food, Agriculture, and Environment (ISS)

Dear Vice Chancellor Kamboj,

We are pleased to invite your esteemed university to participate in the 25th International Students Summit on Food, Agriculture and Environment (ISS), which will be held at Tokyo University of Agriculture from June 30 to July 3, 2026. The theme of this year's Summit is "Pushing Boundaries: Inclusive Activities for Community Welfare."

Thanks to your continued support and collaboration, the year 2026 marks the 25th anniversary of this meaningful and impactful initiative.

We kindly request your university to nominate a maximum of three (3) student applicants to undergo our screening process. Tokyo NODAI will provide international flight tickets between the closest international airport to your university and Tokyo, Japan. From the nominations received, one applicant will be selected to represent your university as an oral presenter. This screening process helps ensure the quality and effectiveness of the ISS experience.

All required application documents should be submitted no later than Friday, February 27, 2026.

To support participating students in preparing for the 25th ISS and to enhance their understanding of its technical aspects, we will host an online information session, the "Pre-Summit," on Friday, May 15, 20?6, from 16:00 to 18:00 (Japan Standard Time). Further details will be shared directly with nominated students in due course.

Please refer to the attached Instruction Manual and related application documents for your next steps. For any inquiries, please contact us at isf@nodai.ac.jp

We look forward to your university's participation.

Sincerely yours,

FUMIO EGUC**H**I, PH.D.

President

Tokyo University of Agriculture

The Twenty-fifth International Students Summit on Food, Agriculture and Environment (ISS)

Pushing Boundaries: Inclusive Activities for Community Welfare

Date: June 30 - July 3, 2026

Statement

As we celebrate the 25th anniversary of the International Students Summit on Food, Agriculture and Environment (ISS), it is important to reflect on the pressing global challenges that define our time. The world today faces unprecedented challenges in the domains of food security, sustainable agriculture, and environmental conservation. Climate change, resource depletion, loss of biodiversity, and unequal access to nutritious food threaten not only ecological balance but also the well-being of communities across the globe. These complex issues demand innovative, inclusive, and community-centered approaches that go beyond traditional boundaries. In this context, students have a unique role to play as catalysts of change. As emerging leaders, they can harness their knowledge, creativity, and collaborative spirit to design solutions that address local and global challenges simultaneously. By engaging in inclusive activities, whether as individuals championing sustainable practices in their daily lives, or through collective action in collaboration with companies, institutions, and communities, students can transform ideas into impactful initiatives. For instance, they can lead campaigns on responsible consumption, initiate community-based agricultural projects, or partner with organizations to implement technologies that improve food production while conserving natural resources. Such actions not only strengthen community welfare but also inspire broader participation and long-term change.

Tokyo University of Agriculture (Tokyo NODAI) is organizing the "25th International Students Summit (ISS)" to provide students from our global partner universities with an opportunity to gather, exchange views and ideas on global food, agricultural, and environmental issues, and discuss their roles in promoting sustainable development.

The 25th ISS will be held from June 30-July 3, 2026, under the theme "Pushing Boundaries: Inclusive Activities for Community Welfare", which was adopted at the 24th ISS hosted by IPB University in Bogor, Indonesia. Participating students are expected to attend in person and present activities undertaken at their home universities that have made, or are making, a positive impact on their communities. These student-led actions may take the form of new ideas or ongoing initiatives. Presentations should clearly explain the rationale, methods, implications (economic, social, and cultural), and constraints of the activities to highlight students' contributions to solving global challenges and advancing sustainability. Each selected partner university will be allocated one slot for an oral presentation in one of the following fields:

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- -Submitted ISS manuscripts will be reviewed by the ISS Committee during the <u>screening process</u>, fcliowing the provided criteria, and evaluated to ensure that the presentation is aligned with the ISS main theme.
- -Each partner university is required to appoint faculty advisor(s) to support the presenter(s). <u>Advisors</u> are welcome to attend the ISS in person if self-sponsored or otherwise supported.