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# Annual Report

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**Celebrating the  
establishment of  
Sustainable  
India Trust**



# The Organisation

## A new start

Sustainable India Trust (SIT) begins this year in order to bring together interdisciplinary scientific expertise for evidence-based national policies and international cooperation to achieve sustainable development goals. The trust aims to work for sustainable development and for upliftment of farmers and other vulnerable sections by organising training programs, research projects along with events for betterment of environmental health and control of pollution related problems.

### PRESIDENT



Prof Yash Pal Abrol

### TRUSTEES



Prof N Raghuram



Prof TK Adhya



Dr Himanshu  
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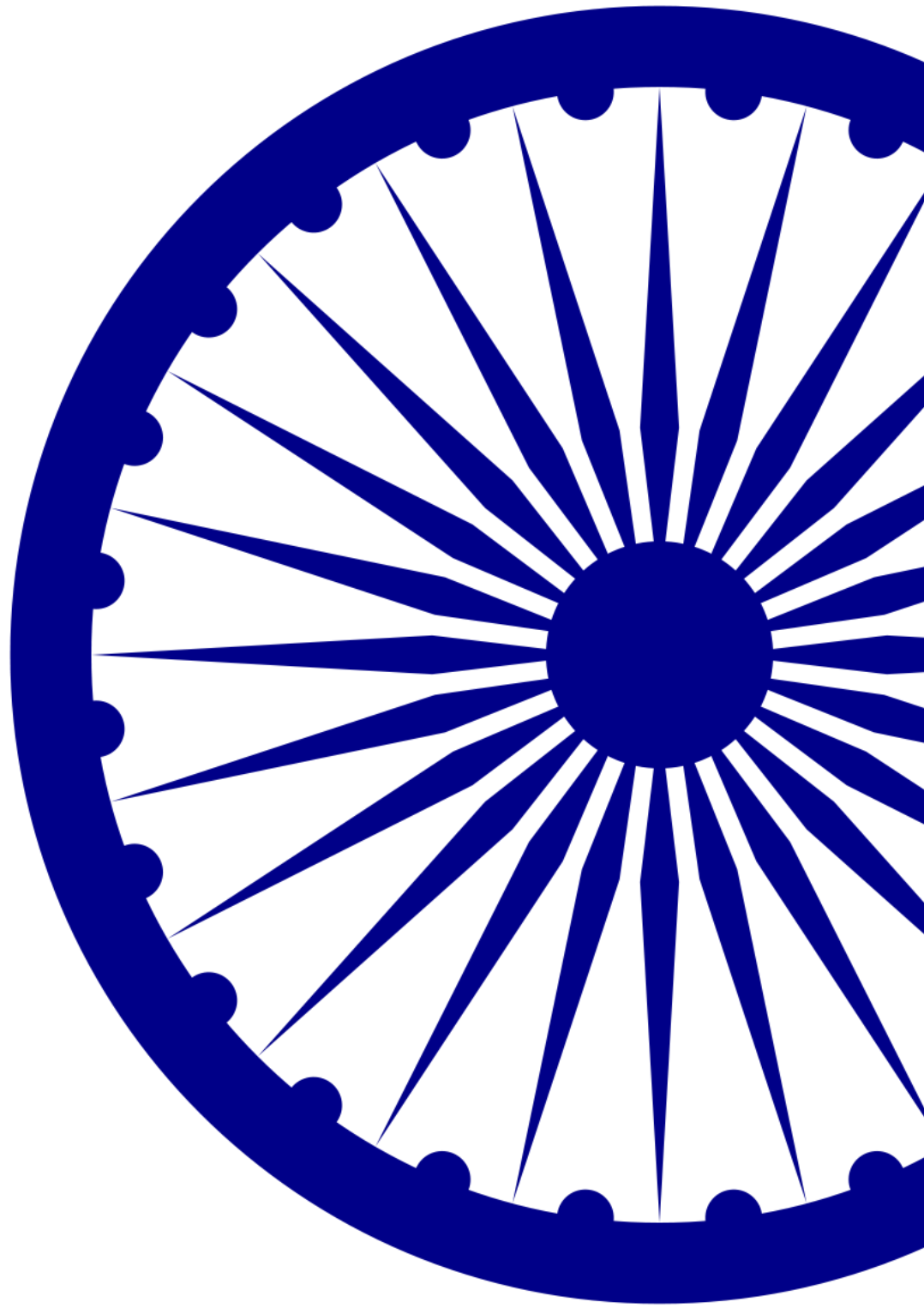
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### MEMBER



Mrs. Asha Ralli





SIT cherishes and upholds the unique, glorious and diverse traditions and cultures along with the binding spirit of India and strives to contribute to the scientific temper, unity, integrity, status, power, progress, image, and respect of our wonderful country.

# Activities

1. **SIT was established** on 10/06/2014 under the Indian Trusts Act 1882; Registration no. 1184 in Book no. 4, Vol no. 1714 on page 72-83 at the Registrar's office, New Delhi. More details are mentioned in the Trust Deed.



2. A scientific paper was published by SIT members: Pathak, H., Saxena, A., Adhya, T.K., Raghuram, N. and Abrol, Y.P. (2014). **Subsidizing pulse production for enhancing biological nitrogen fixation, nutritional security and environmental sustainability.** IND. J. FERTILIZERS 10, 42-46.

3. The founder and trustees of SIT with partners, including SCON, IARI and ING co-organized a **brainstorming workshop on reactive nitrogen assessment at New Delhi.**







4. Trustee, Prof N. Raghuram delivered an Invited Lecture on **‘Nutrient management, biodiversity and sustainable development’** at the 1st National Bioresources and Sustainable Development Summit, which was organized on 19-20 February 2015 at the **Institute of Bioresources and Sustainable Development, Imphal.**



5. Trustee, Prof N. Raghuram gave a presentation on **‘Nutrient use efficiency enhancement: Emerging biotechnological opportunities’** at a symposium named as **‘Genetic Engineering of Agricultural Crops and Livestock: Current Status and Social, Ethical and Regulatory Issues’**, which was organized from 23rd to 25th February 2015 along with the **18th Convention of ADNAT** at the **University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad.**









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