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SKUAST-K, Weekly activity from 27-08-2022 to 02-09-2022

- Activity 1:** Two SKUAST Kashmir Faculty members (Prof. Parmeet Singh and Naveed Hamid) participated in the **Agri-Skill Conclave** held at New Delhi conducted by Agriculture Skill Council of India on August 26th, 2022, in which SKUAST Kashmir members interacted with the national delegates from Ministry of Agriculture and farmers welfare, Industries, CEDSI and skill council of India and convinced them for SKUAST-Industry academia interface.
- Activity 2:** **Rural exploration program to Tanghdar Tithwal** was organized by the Faculty of Agriculture from August 26th – 28th, 2022, in which 22 students participated.
- Activity 3:** SKUAST K Innovator's (Naveed Hamid and Falak Jan) **got selected and secured funding of 3.5 Lakh** from national investors during a final round of National Investors Summit at Punjab **"The Big Fish Pool"** organized by Startup Punjab, Startup India and CT University on August 27th, 2022.
- Activity 4:** **Live exhibition of the rice biodiversity** at Mountain Research Centre for Field Crops (MRCFC), Khudwani, SKUAST-Kashmir, was inaugurated by Atul Dullo, IAS, Financial Commissioner Additional Chief Secretary, APD, on August 27th, 2022. He was accompanied by Vice Chancellor, SKUAST Kashmir, Professor Nazir Ahmad Ganie, Director Agriculture Kashmir, Chowdhury Mohammad Iqbal and other officers of the university.
- Activity 5:** Dr. Khalid Masoodi and his team got selected for **Incubation and mentoring support** by the selection panel of IIT Mandi during a Startup Contest on August 28th, 2022.
- Activity 6:** Online session on **"Agri-Branding"** by Mr. Dev Bhardwaj (Director, Fasscorp) was conducted and coordinated by Team IDP SKUAST Kashmir on August 29th, 2022 in which 47 students participated.
- Activity 7:** **Visit of 10th class students of the adopted school**, Govt. High School, Wadura to vermicomposting unit to understand the concepts of organic farming on August 29th, 2022, in which 32 students participated.
- Activity 8:** **Visit to Faculty of Agriculture by Warpora Boys School** was organized by the Faculty of Agriculture on August 29th, 2022, in which 66 students visited the faculty.
- Activity 9:** **"Mock JRF Test for AIEEA for Veterinary and Animal Science"** was conducted on August 30th, 2022, by the CCPC, Faculty of Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry SKUAST-K, in which 20 students participated.

Activity 10: Visit to Faculty of Agriculture by Gulzar Memorial College, Sopore was organized by the Faculty of Agriculture on August 31st, 2022, in which 55 students visited the faculty.

Activity 11: One day program on “Career opportunities for Forestry Professionals” was organized on September 1st, 2022, by Career Counseling and Placement Cell (CCPC), Faculty of Forestry, SKUAST-K, in which 60 UG, PG and Ph. D students of the Faculty participated.