

Licensing of ICAR-CIFE Technologies to Co-operative Fisheries Federation (COFFED), Patna, Bihar

The ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Education (ICAR-CIFE), Mumbai, licensed two technologies to Shri. Rishikesh Kashyap, Managing Director (MD), COFFED, Patna, Bihar under the leadership of Dr. Ravishankar C.N., Director, ICAR-CIFE, Mumbai. The licensed technologies are:

1. Catfish Hatchery and Rearing of Seed Under Three Tier System: Inventors: Dr. C.S. Chaturvedi, Dr. W.S. Lakra, Dr. Arpita Sharma and Dr. A. Landge (Patent granted)
2. FishANUre™: This is a Do It Yourself (DIY) Technology of developing Organic manure from fish waste. Inventors: Shri. Anurag Singh, Dr. Arpita Sharma, Dr. Martin Xavier and Shri. Shubham Soni. (Trademark granted)

The formal signing of the Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) for licensing of the 2 technologies took place on November 8, 2024. Dr. C.N. Ravishankar, Director, ICAR-CIFE, officiated the signing ceremony in the presence of Dr. Arpita Sharma (Inventor and Co-Inventor, Principal Scientist and Head of the FEES Division), Dr. S.P. Shukla (Officer-in-charge, ITMU), Dr. Swadesh Prakash (Principal Scientist, FEES Division), Dr. Vinod Kumar Yadav (Senior Scientist, FEES Division), Dr. Shivaji Argade (Senior Scientist, FEES Division) along with team of COFFED, Shri. Rishikesh Kashyap, Shri. Ramdas Sandhe, Shri. Chotey Sahni and others.

This collaboration marks a significant milestone in technology transfer initiatives of ICAR-CIFE for advancement of fisheries and aquaculture.



