TRAVEL AND ACCOMMODATION
Conveyance will be provided to the delegates from Dharwad bus stand/railway station to the place of accommodation.
Accommodation arrangements will be made on request in University Guest House or in Hotels.
The tariffs vary from Rs. 500/- to 2000/-. The participants may contact Dr. S. I. Athani (09449872863) / Dr. K. R. Naik (09449914821) / Mr. Shreedhar D (09739544818) or through mail ID: kr_naik@rediffmail.com

IMPORTANT DATES
Last date for submission of abstract: 10-09-2014
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In collaboration with
Indian Potato Association, CPRI, Shimla
Potato is one of the third most important non-cereal food crops of the world after rice and wheat and has been recognized as a nutritional gold mine and able to fight against hunger. It has a potential to produce highest food, energy and protein per unit area in a given time. FAO versioned potatoes as 'Future Food Crop of the world. Globally India stands third in terms of area and second in terms of production (45 MT) after China. India is producing average yield of 18.07 tonnes per hectare, which is higher than the world average of 17.0 tonnes. However this bumper production during the few months have to be utilized throughout the year. Hence there is a need to strengthen post harvest chain including proper Harvesting, Packing, Storage, Processing, Marketing and Export to prevent wastage and utilize the surplus produce. Therefore, to throw the light on these issues and face these challenges ahead, University of Horticulture Sciences, Bagalkot in collaboration with Indian Potato Association - Central Potato Research Institute, Shimla is organizing the National Seminar on "Post harvest management and processing of Potato for increasing food security in India" on 22nd September, 2014.

THREATIC AREAS

1. Genetic resources and varietal suitability for processing and value addition in Potato.
2. Recent advances and farmers friendly modifications for storage of Potato.
3. Recent advances and techniques involved in processing and value addition of Potato.
4. Problems and prospects for processing, marketing and export of processed Potato products.
5. HACCP, IPR issues, Codex - Alimentarious and ISO standards with reference to processing and value addition of Potato.
6. Status of Post harvest losses, including losses of Potato tuber in the field, number and types of storages, methods of packaging, transportation and processing in different states.

The abstracts are invited for the oral and poster presentation on the thematic areas mentioned above and the participants are requested to send their abstracts/papers to email ID kr_naike@rediffmail.com and also a hard copy in duplicate on A4 size paper not exceeding 300 words typed in MS word. Times new Roman with Font size 12 and 1.5 line spacing to the Organizing Secretary on or before 10th September, 2014. The formatting of the abstracts includes title, names of author and their co-authors (underline the name of the presenting author) with their affiliation. A space of 3 X 4 ft will be provided for the poster presentation. Selected articles will be peer reviewed and published.

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Students seeking concessional registration should produce a certificate from their concerned Head of the institutions. Registration fee may be paid through a Demand Draft from any Nationalized Bank drawn in favor of "Organizing Secretary, National Workshop on Potato" payable at State Bank of India, UAS Branch, Dharwad or amount may be directly credited to Current account No.30775155392 in favor of Organizing Secretary, National Workshop on Potato, Dharwad (IFSC Code SBIN003151).

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ABOUT DHARWAD

The National Seminar organized by University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot in collaboration with Indian Potato Association - Central Potato Research Institute, Shimla is going to be held at UAS campus, Dharwad, Karnataka, India. The twin cities Dharwad and Hubli are well connected to other parts of the country by rail, road and air. The University campus is 6 km away from Dharwad Railway station, 2 km from bus station and 25 km from Hubli railway station. University campus is located on the National Highway (NH-4) and equidistant from Pune and Bangalore (430 km). Dharwad is located at 678 m above MSL. The weather during September will be pleasant with a maximum temperature of 28 - 30°C and a minimum of 12-15°C and accordingly the participants are advised to bring suitable cloths.