



Indian Society for Studies in Cooperation (ISSC), Pune



*In collaboration with*

**Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of  
Cooperative Management  
Pune**

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Pune

**Announcement and Concept Paper**



PRODUCERS' COOPERATIVE SOCIETY



### Introduction and the theme

“Participation and attention to members and a community focus are key points that have guided cooperatives' actions in recent months. These actions could be the pillars for disseminating a business model that embraces the goals promoted by the 2030 Agenda in terms of human rights, fair labour, environmental sustainability, and sustainable growth.” -The World Cooperative Monitor.

The 36th Annual National Research Conference aims to address a wide range of topics for cooperatives. In which, the specific areas for discussion are,

- 1) Policy interventions by State and impact on collectives.
- 2) Strategies for strengthening Cooperatives :
- 3) Credit cooperatives: Farm and Non-farm
- 4) Role of Farmer Producer Organisations to strengthen farmer collectives
- 5) Structural Reforms in Credit Short Term Cooperative Structure: Pros and Cons
- 6) Short Term Cooperative Structure: A Business Diversification and the concept of 'One Stop Shop'

- 7) Cooperatives and Climate Change
- 8) Youth Participation in Cooperatives
- 9) ICT as tool to strengthen Cooperatives
- 10) "Autonomous and free cooperatives" A key to success.

The above thematic topics are NOT exclusive and shall be re-defined based on the received submissions.

#### **Dates of Conference:**

**2 DAYS, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021.**

**Venue: Vaikunth Mehta National Institute of Cooperative Management, Pune  
and**

**Padmashri Dr. Vikhe Patil Chair, c/o Department of Commerce, SPPU, Pune**

#### **Important dates**

<b>15<sup>th</sup> November 2021</b>	<b>Deadline for abstracts' submissions</b>
<b>30<sup>th</sup> November 2021</b>	<b>Last date to register for the conference</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> December 2021</b>	<b>Last date to send full papers and presentations</b>
<b>10<sup>th</sup> &amp; 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021</b>	<b>36<sup>th</sup> ISSC Annual National Research Conference</b>

#### **Study Visit**

Study visit to Amrutvahini (Coop. Dairy Union), Pravaranagar Coop. Complex and Shirdi on 12<sup>th</sup> December 2021: Cost to Cost basis.



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## 36th ANNUAL NATIONAL RESEARCH CONFERENCE, PUNE

### Registration Form

Dates : Friday 10<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021

Venues : Commerce Dept. SPPU, Pune & Vamnicom, Pune

Themes :

Name (in capital) : \_\_\_\_\_

Designation : \_\_\_\_\_

Institution' Name : \_\_\_\_\_

Address (with pin code, : \_\_\_\_\_

Phone & E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Rest. Address (with pin code, : \_\_\_\_\_

A Phone & E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Whether Member of ISSC? Yes / No. (Pl. underline)

Details of Delegation Fee remittance : Demand Draft No. \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Bank : \_\_\_\_\_ NEFT Details : \_\_\_\_\_

### Requirement of Accommodation

Title of Paper (if proposed) : \_\_\_\_\_

Case Study/Paper submitted/To be submitted

Joining Study Visit on 12<sup>th</sup> December 2021 (Approx. Rs. 2000/- pp) ..... Yes / No

Date : \_\_\_\_\_ Signature

**Note : Please use separate form for each delegate. (use xerox copies, if necessary)**