

FOOD, DIETS & NUTRITION: 25 YEARS OF PROGRESS IN NEPAL

6th Annual Scientific Symposium on Agriculture - Nutrition Pathways

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25 Years of Nepal's Progress in Nutrition

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Symposium on Agriculture to Nutrition

Stimulating, Presenting and Harnessing Science in Nepal for Nepal (and all of South Asia)

	Abstracts Submitted	Oral Talks	Posters	Attendees
2012	20	11	3	145
2013	35	15	11	220
2014¹	40	22	21	300
2016	72	20	24	340
2017²	292	66	40	350
2018³	122	24	66	450

- 1 Student workshops, training and posters began in 2014
- 2 International symposium in partnership with ANH Academy³
- 3 Change in format, with special topics sessions. Five commissioned policy & program landscape analyses of key nutrition interventions in Nepal over past 25 years to be presented



Program at a Glance: **Day 1, In Nepal ...**

- Evolution of Vitamin A & Current Context
- Food Systems and Food Policy Environment
- Nepal Multi-sector Nutrition Plan: Preventing Undernutrition
- Novel Technologies & Methods in Agriculture, Food Safety & Nutrition
- Breast Feeding Promotion & Infant & Young Child Feeding
- Salt Iodization to Control Iodine Deficiency
- Networking Reception



Program at a Glance: **Day 2, In Nepal ...**

- Feed the Future Nutrition Innovation Lab: Latest Findings
- Anemia: Nepal National Micronutrient Status Survey
- Pre- and Post-Harvest Management in Food-producing HHs
- Linkages: Diet, Nutrition & Health
- Social Equity, Gender and Access to Food
- Evaluations of Agricultural and Nutrition Interventions
- Coffee with Corey (O'Hara): Editor of Food & Nutrition Bulletin
- Silver Jubilee Dinner (by invitation, sponsor: Govt of Nepal)



Program at a Glance: **Day 3 ... In Nepal:**

➤ A Vision for Nutrition in Nepal during the SDG Era (2015-2030)

Concurrent Workshops

- ❖ Writing for an academic journal/ most important paragraphs
- ❖ Measuring energy expenditure
- ❖ Mycotoxins and post-harvest control measures
- ❖ Anthropometric measurement
- ❖ How to grow an urban garden
- ❖ Nutritional value of traditional Nepali foods/Indigenous cereal grains
- ❖ Improving behavior change & program quality
- ❖ Quality of registered dietetics programs
- ❖ Agriculture & family planning issues in the USAID Suaahara II Program

Thank You

