



CALL FOR PAPERS AND POSTERS

We invite you to join us at the **36th Ugnay Palay National Rice Research for Development (R4D) Conference**, themed **“Advancing Rice R4DE para sa Masaganang Bagong Pilipinas.”** The conference will take place from December 3-5, 2024 at the DA-Crop Biotechnology Center Plenary Hall in Maligaya, Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija. This event will gather researchers, scientists, policymakers, farmers, and industry leaders to exchange knowledge, showcase innovations, and discuss practical solutions for driving sustainability and progress in Philippine rice agriculture.

We are accepting submissions for oral and poster presentations based on research studies in the following thematic areas:

1. **Sustainable Rice Farming: Green Technologies and Water Management.** Research studies on innovative approaches to sustainable rice farming and efficient water management practices.
2. **Digital Agriculture: Harnessing Technology for Farm Efficiency.** Studies on the use of digital tools (e.g., drones, IoT, data analytics) to improve farm efficiency.
3. **Advancing Climate-smart Agriculture Practices and Enhancing Climate Resilience in Rice Farming.** Research on strategies for enhancing climate resilience in rice farming.
4. **Youth in Agriculture:** Studies highlighting the role of young people in farming and agribusiness.
5. **Farmer-centered Innovations for Increased Productivity.** Research focused on practical, farmer-driven technologies and approaches to boost productivity.

Submissions related to rice or rice-based farming systems that do not fall under these categories are still welcome for evaluation.

Submission Guidelines

1. Open to all Rice R4DE stakeholders from government, academe, private, and non-government sectors.
2. Submissions must be based on original research conducted in the Philippines and fit one of the thematic areas.
3. Submit a **300-word abstract**, with up to five keywords, by **October 25, 2024**, including:
 - o Title, author(s), agency, and contact details
 - o Thematic area
 - o Certification of originality and endorsement from the agency head

Selected papers will be presented in concurrent sessions. Non-finalists may participate in the poster competition. ***Finalists will receive a certificate, while the best papers and posters will be awarded both a certificate and a cash prize.***

Important Dates

- **Abstract Submission Deadline:** October 25, 2024
- **Notification of Acceptance:** October 31, 2024
- **Full Paper Submission:** November 11, 2024

Please register and submit your entries through this link:

<https://ugnaypalay.philrice.gov.ph:441/csd/36th/registration-form/ABCDefgHI>

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3-5 December 2024, DA-CBC Plenary Hall

Entry Form

Presentation (check one):

☐ Paper

☐ Poster

Thematic area (check one):

☐ Sustainable Rice Farming: Green Technologies and Water Management

☐ Digital Agriculture: Harnessing Technology for Farm Efficiency

☐ Advancing Climate-smart Agriculture Practices and Enhancing Climate Resilience in Rice Farming

☐ Farmer-centered Innovations for Increased Productivity

☐ Youth in Agriculture

Title: _____

Author/s:

Name	Position	Affiliation
Main Author		
Presenting Author		

Abstract

Limit the abstract to 300 words.

Key words (max of five):

Certification of Originality

This is to certify that the abstract is original, unpublished, and has not been presented in any other forum, event, or competition.

Contact Information of Presenter:

Name:
Current Address:
Mobile Number:
Email address: