



NEIST, RFRI join hands to develop NE forests

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JORHAT: The CSIR-North East Institute of Science and Technology (NEIST) has signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) with Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat to work on research and development of forestry sector in the northeastern region of the country.

CSIR-NEIST director secretariat Radhika Chetri, in a statement, said, “CSIR- NEIST, Jorhat, has entered into an MoU on Sunday with the Rain Forest Research Institute (RFRI), Jorhat, Assam, which is a premier scientific research organization in the northeast, undertaking research and development of forestry sector in the northeastern region of the country, the Institute is a constituent unit of the Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education.”

The MoU was signed by director G Narahari Sastry and director RSC Jayaraj on behalf of the respective institutes.

After signing the MoU, a massive plantation programme was also initiated by director CSIR-NEIST, Jorhat, and director, RFRI, Jorhat, along with officials of both institutes. “CSIR-NEIST and RFRI agree to pool their resources, expertise and facilities and complement each other, to their best effort, in the implementation of the activities under this MoU,” the statement read.

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