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# INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON PASTORAL BIO-ECONOMY AND DECARBONIZATION

**Date:** 05 December 2025 | **Venue:** Anna University, Chennai

**Organized by:** Thozhuvam Farmer Producer Company Limited (Thozhuvam FPCL)

Convener: Dr.P.Kabilan, Pastoral Bio Economist, Thozhuvam

#### **About the Convention**

The *International Convention on "Pastoral Bio-Economy and Decarbonization"* invites researchers, practitioners, and institutions to contribute original papers, case studies, and policy perspectives. The event aims to build a global dialogue connecting traditional pastoral wisdom with modern sustainability science — focusing on **Pastoral bio-economy, circular resource use, climate resilience, and decarbonized development models.** 

# THEMATIC STREAMS

# STREAM I: Pastoral Livelihoods, Knowledge, and Culture

- Resilience in Motion Women in Pastoral Economies Transhumance and Tradition
- Indigenous Knowledge and Ecology

# STREAM II: Pastoral Bio-Economy, Markets, and Value Addition

Bio-CNG and Organic Fertilizer Models
Sustainable Value Chains
Livestock
Mobility
Cooperative Enterprises

#### STREAM III: Climate Resilience, Policy, and Decarbonization

Low-Input Livestock Systems
Rangeland Carbon Sinks
Policy Frameworks
SDGs

# STREAM IV: Technology, Education, and Youth in Pastoral Futures

• IoT in Pastoral Mapping • Youth Innovation • Mobile Education and Health Services

### STREAM V: Eco-Penning, Organic Farming, and Sustainable Land Use

Eco-Penning Systems
Livestock Integration in Organic Farms
Soil Carbon
Regeneration
Women's Bio-Manure Enterprises

# **Proposed Paper Titles**

- 1. Resilience in Motion: Livelihood Strategies of Tamil Nadu Pastoralists
- 2. Women in Pastoral Economies: Custodians of Biodiversity and Community Wellbeing
- 3. Transhumance and Tradition: Preserving Intangible Cultural Heritage
- 4. Knowledge from the Land: Indigenous Ecological Wisdom of Pastoral Communities
- 5. From Dung to Energy: Bio-CNG and Organic Fertilizer Innovations in Pastoral Systems
- 6. Grass to Gold: Sustainable Value Chains for Pastoral Products
- 7. The Economics of Livestock Mobility: Efficiency and Climate Benefits
- 8. Pastoral Markets and Cooperative Enterprises: Emerging Models from South India
- 9. Pastoral Systems for a Decarbonized Future: Low-Input, High-Resilience Models
- 10. Policy Frameworks for Rangeland Conservation and Livestock Economy
- 11. **Rangelands as Carbon Sinks:** Quantifying Ecosystem Services from Grazing Landscapes
- 12. Pastoralism and the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Bridging Ecology and Economy
- 13. **Digital Mapping of Grazing Routes:** IoT and Data for the Pastoral Economy
- 14. Youth and Innovation in the Pastoral Bio-Economy
- 15. Mobile Education and Health Services for Pastoral Communities
- 16. Eco-Penning Models for Climate-Resilient Livestock Management
- 17. Integrating Pastoral Livestock into Organic Farming Systems
- 18. Pastoral Fertilizers and Soil Carbon: Regenerative Pathways for Rangelands
- 19. Bio-Manure Enterprises: Women's Leadership in the Pastoral Circular Economy
- 20. Pastoral Land Restoration through Community Composting and Agroforestry

# **SUBMISSION GUIDELINES**

- Full Paper Submission Deadline: 10 November 2025
- Manuscripts should not exceed 8 pages (A4, 12pt, Times New Roman).
- Include author name, designation, institution, and contact information.
- All submissions must be sent in Word and PDF format to: thozhuvamfpcl@gmail.com
- Selected papers will be published in the Convention Proceedings.
- **Medium:** Tamil / English

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