The Science behind SRI Practices: Quantifying the effects on Morphology, Physiology and Crop Performance

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Amod Thakur, currently a Borlaug Fellow at Cornell University, is a plant physiologist at the Directorate of Water Management (ICAR) in Bhubaneswar, India. He completed his MSc and PhD degrees at the Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi. For the past seven years, Thakur has been carrying out research related to the physiological performance of rice plants cultivated with System of Rice Intensification (SRI) practices. In this seminar, he will share the results of this work, which generated a number of interesting discussions at the International Rice Congress in Hanoi last November.

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Light refreshments will be served starting at noon