

Dear Sir,

Greetings from The Goat Trust (www.thegoattrust.org)!

The Goat Trust is a registered trust working as a techno-managerial resource organization for small livestock (Goat/backyard hen/duck farming) based livelihoods across 16 Indian states. Trust has championed many innovative ideas in technology, community process and market development segment and have developed a multi culture, multi state tested model of goat based livelihoods development.

We have successfully completed 3 regional workshops at U.P/Bundelkand, Hyderabad and Ranchi recently in Jan.'18. In continuation of the same we are happy to launch our next Regional Workshop at Puri/Bhubhneswar, Odisha and inviting you to join, this workshop is supported by **The Goat Trust** and workshop organized by its sister concern IIGMA (**mgd by- TGT Global Development Services Pvt. Ltd.**) encouraging livelihoods of the poor-marginalized community through small livestock management and development in the month of **August 2018 at Puri/Bhubhneswar (Odisha)**.

Date: 14th August'2018 (Tuesday)
Venue – To be shared

Workshop will focus on field learning and experiences about the best management practices for rearing small livestock - specifically goat, sheep, duck and hen. We would be happy to share new technology and best practices for rearing small ruminant/livestock. It includes building community institutions/organizations and promoting marketing standards, linkages between buyers and sellers across the country..

Small ruminants (especially goats) contribute to the livelihoods of millions of rural poor in most of the developing countries of Asia and Africa, where 95% of the world's goat population is concentrated and also the majority of world's poor live. Goats offer opportunities for development interventions including micro credit, extension services, technical and marketing support especially to women, landless, and small farmers. Goats are especially suitable for landless and small-holder farmers who for variety of reasons cannot maintain large ruminants like cow and buffaloes. Small ruminants are well integrated in the farming systems of the small and marginal farmers of India who find in goats a vast potential for their socio-economic upliftment.

We humbly request to forward/nominate senior level team leaders/Heads from your organization/CSR to participate and contribute to the workshop. Filled in registration form should reach us at least **5 days before date of** workshop along with requisite fees. We will confirm your participation and venue details within a week of receiving it.

It is highly appreciated, if you nominate the NGOs those are working for development of women, poor and marginalized community in your respective area so that they could participate and learn about the small livestock based livelihood promotion of the target families/communities.

The nominal participation fee will be INR 1000/- per participants which includes workshop materials and working lunch, tea & snacks.

For further queries and detailed information pl. Connect with me at- +91-8601873054

Regards,
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