IRRI Education, the educational arm of the International Rice Research Institute (IRRI), has been at the forefront of imparting capacity development programs in various disciplines of rice science and technology and offering diverse and global learning experiences since 1962. Our programs are built on the institute’s robust research and innovations.

Our aim is to provide knowledge and skills to all stakeholders in the agriculture sector, by facilitating environmental sustainability or rice-based agri-food systems to improve the quality of their life. We do this by creating, customizing, and delivering existing and new courses, facilitating and nurturing research activities for scholars, and offering advisory, technology-based knowledge management, and life-long learning solutions for rice-based agri-food system stakeholders.

To date, IRRI Education has provided high-quality education and training to over 20,000 men and women (scholars and trainees) from 126 countries around the world.
The International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) is an organization that aims to improve the livelihoods and nutrition of those who depend on rice-based agri-food systems, while contributing to climate change mitigation and adaptation. As part of One CGIAR, its work protects the health of farmers and consumers across the world, promotes the empowerment of women, and creates opportunities for youth in an equitable agri-food system.

IRRI Education offers diverse and global learning experiences to empower and impact all stakeholders in the rice-based agri-food sector.

**SHORT & LONG COURSES**
- Up to 3-week programs focusing on research, innovations, knowledge and skills
- Courses - around Science, Technology Transfer, and Policy Leadership
- Courses based on capacity needs

**ONLINE LEARNING & PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT**
- Accessible and scalable online/blended learning solutions
- Online learning offerings through -needs
  1. Open educational resources (OERs), like micromodules
  2. Self-paced online courses
  3. Open Online Courses (OOCs)

**SCHOLARS & YOUTH ENGAGEMENT**
- Creating Future Generation Scientists
  - “Sandwich” program for university students under the co-supervision of IRRI’s Scientists
  - Fellowship programs for Scientists, Researchers, Technicians, early career professionals etc
  - Internships programs for BS, MS, and PhD students

**ADVISORY AROUND CAPDEV**
- Institutional capacity development and advisory support to the organizations
- Facilitates tailor-fit interventions to reach large beneficiary base and to create better impact

**KNOWLEDGE SHARING**
- South-South and Triangular Cooperation - Sharing of knowledge, best practices, technologies and innovations among Global South countries, and in partnership with countries from the north
- Rice Knowledge Bank - One-stop-shop knowledge solution around rice production techniques, technologies, and best practices riding in IRRI’s research

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