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Environmental Information, Awareness, Capacity Building and Livelihood Programme
(EIACP PC Hub) Kerala

WORLD WATER DAY 2025

Discussion on Water Resources of Kerala - Status & Management
22nd March, 2025

**Venue: Kerala State Science & Technology Museum & Priyadarsini
Planetarium, Thiruvananthapuram**



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Programme Schedule

Registration	:	9:30 AM - 10:00 AM
Inaugural Programme Time: 10:00 AM -10:45 AM		
Welcome	:	Prof. A. Sabu Member Secretary, KSCSTE
Presidential Address	:	Prof. K.P.Sudheer Executive Vice President, KSCSTE & Principal Secretary S&T Department, Government of Kerala
Inaugural Address	:	Shri. K. Jayakumar IAS (Rtd.) Director, Institute of Management in Government of Kerala
Special Address	:	Shri. M.C Dathan Mentor (Science), Government of Kerala
Word of Thanks	:	Dr. P. Harinarayanan Senior Principal Scientist & EIACP Coordinator, Kerala
Tea Break 10:45 AM - 11:00 AM		
Technical Sessions 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM		
Keynote Address Time: 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	:	Prof. M. S. Mohan Kumar Professor, Department of Civil Engineering Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore
Topic: Water Hotspots in Kerala Time: 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	:	Dr.Sinan Nizar Junior Scientist, KSCSTE - Institute for Climate Change Studies, Kottayam
Panel Discussion (Time: 12:00 PM - 01:30 PM) Chairperson: Prof. K. P. Sudheer, Executive Vice President, KSCSTE		
Panellists		Prof. MS. Mohan Kumar Professor, Department of Civil Engineering Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore Smt. Mini Chandran Head of Office (Kerala Region, Trivandrum) Central Ground Water Board, Trivandrum Dr. Manoj P. Samuel Executive Director, KSCSTE- CWRDM, Kozhikode Dr. K. Rajendran Director, KSCSTE- Institute for Climate Change Studies, Kottayam Smt. D. Dharmalashri IAS Mission Director, Resilient Kerala Program for Results (PforR), Water Resources Department, Government of Kerala Sri. Sivadasan.M Chief Engineer, Irrigation & Administration, Irrigation Department, Government of Kerala Smt. Rini Rani Director (i/c), Groundwater Department, Government of Kerala