

## National Training on “Seed Health Testing” from November 13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at NSRTC, Varanasi

NSRTC has organised the National training on “Seed Health Testing” during 13<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 at National Seed Research and Training Centre (NSRTC), Varanasi. Dr. Mangala Rai, former Secretary, DARE, GOI & DG, ICAR was the chief guest of inaugural session of training programme. Dr. Vaishyampayan, Director, IAS, BHU, Varanasi was also present as a president of the programme. Dr. Mangala Rai has focused on Seed Health Testing and elaborated about the role of Seed Health Testing. The training included a series of lectures, delivered by eminent scientists and experts on different aspects of Seed Health Testing. A total of 32 participants from seed testing laboratories, seed certification agencies, State government departments and reputed seed company attended this training. Certificates were distributed by Dr. Arvind Nath Singh, Director, NSRTC and Dr. K. K. Pandey, Principal Scientist, IIVR, Varanasi during valedictory session.

