

Team from FAO Visited NIFTEM-K

As an initiative towards industry-academia collaboration, a team from the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO), New Delhi, visited NIFTEM-K on 2nd July 2024. The FAO team was represented by Mr. Praveen Kumar - Private Sector Senior Expert; Mr. Raman Ahuja, National Value Chain Expert; Mr. Kulranjan Kujur - National Project Coordinator and Economist, Mr. Sunil Kumar - Agriculture Value Chain Expert and Dr Suvidya Patel – Socio-Economic Data Analyst. They emphasised the need for research on emerging issues related to climate change, food loss and waste, circularity and their relevance to the food industry. NIFTEM-K director Dr. Harinder Oberio appreciated the efforts and vision of FAO team members and shared the mutual interest of NIFTEM-K in such initiatives. The discussions were participated by faculty members from NIFTEM-K which included Dr. Bhim Pratap Singh, HOD-AES, Dr. Tripti, Assistant Prof., Dr. Shekhar Agnihotri, Asst. Prof. and Dr Anupama Panghal, Associate Prof. The visit paved the way for a promising collaboration from both organisations towards handling climate change and its impact on food industry stakeholders.