First ever Workshop on Weather and Climate Science and Service Partnership at IITM, Pune

Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology (IITM), Ministry of Earth Science (MoES), Government of India organised its first annual science workshop on weather and climate science and service partnership (WCSSP) at IITM, Pune on 5th February 2020. Participants from seven MoES Institutes, Meteorological office and academic institutes from the United Kingdom (UK) attended this workshop.

The WCSSP India modeling of high-impact weather and development of tools for impact-based forecasting workshop aims to provide an overview of the current researches being undertaken in this field in India and the UK and also to identify scopes of future research on reducing risks of disasters.

The workshop will help in developing a shared understanding of the concepts and bring experiences and learning from stakeholders on climate issues.
Research gaps and opportunities will also be identified for identifying and prioritizing research directions on impact-based forecasting, weather/development of tools and the future steps for collaborative research activities. Researchers from non-governmental and academic institutes in India may also be invited for such discussion to widen its scope.

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