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№	Grantor	Project Name	Project start and end years	Head of Project	Volume (Amount)	Status Finished/Current	Grant Code
1	Food and Agriculture Organization of United Nations, Italy	Consolidating the AGRIS National Hub in Georgia to increase awareness about open science in agriculture and train researchers and practitioners in new trends on agricultural research	December 2021 - November 2022	N. Makhviladze, M. Razmadze	60,000 Gel	Completed	# 11-35
2	Food and Agriculture Organization of United Nations, Italy	Enhancing awareness about scientific publishing in food and agriculture and providing capacities to access to agricultural research through AGRIS and AGROVOC in Georgia	December 2020 - November 2021	N. Makhviladze, M. Razmadze	40,000 Gel	Completed	# 33-1
3	Food and Agriculture Organization of United Nations, Italy	Raising awareness in scientific publishing in agriculture and providing capacities to access to information in agricultural research through Access to Scientific Information Resources in Agriculture (ASIRA) in Eastern Europe and Central Asia.	December 2019 - November 2020	N. Makhviladze, M. Razmadze	70,000 Gel	Completed	#11-22

Abstract:

More than 10 local and international awareness open science trainings for agricultural specialists and researchers; 2 round tables and increased demand on and usage of the AGRIS system; involvement in the organizing committee of the AGRIS annual conference and presenting the importance and experience of the National Hub among the representatives of the global network of data providers worldwide. Today, this network represents more than 150 countries and more than 400 data providers.

2. Recommendations

Consolidating the AGRIS National Hub in Georgia to increase awareness about open science in agriculture and training researchers and practitioners in new trends on agricultural research.

2. Concrete result

Enhanced awareness of the benefits of using semantic tools for information and data exchange; enriching the Georgian version of AGROVOC with new terms; expanding the collection of AGROVOC concepts with new Georgian concepts; increased awareness of AGRIS capabilities in the Georgian agricultural community; increased visibility and accessibility of Georgian scientific research in the field of food and agriculture; demonstration of the benefits of indexing in AGRIS; increased visibility and accessibility of Georgian scientific research in the field of food and agriculture at the international level; development and dissemination of relevant guidelines and recommendations on compliance with AGRIS data reporting standards; increasing the amount of data submitted to AGRIS; an increase in the number of records sent to AGRIS.

2. Recommendations

Enhancing awareness of scientific publications in the fields of food and agriculture and providing access to scientific research in Georgia through AGRIS and AGROVOC.

3. Concrete result

ASIRA held a two-day online event on AGRIS and AGORA (Access to Global Online Research in Agriculture) programs to increase knowledge sharing and improve visibility and access to agricultural science and technical content materials in Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Montenegro, Serbia, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine, Georgia and Armenia. The event was led by the full composition of the Institute together with FAO representatives. Certificates were prepared and an award ceremony was held.

2. Recommendations

Raising awareness in scientific publishing in agriculture and providing capacities to access to information in agricultural research through Access to Scientific Information Resources in Agriculture (ASIRA) in Eastern Europe and Central Asia.