Training in plant breeding at ICPBER, UWA

Undergraduate:
• BSc (Genetics and Breeding)

Postgraduate:
• GradDipSc (Genetics and Breeding)
• MSc (Genetics and Breeding)
• PhD

UWA PhD graduate in Plant Breeding (2006), Dr Renuka Shrestha (pictured kneeling) returned to Nepal to continue working at Nepal Agricultural Research Council (NARC). Subsequently, recognition of her research has led to her appointment as the National Coordinator for the Grain Legumes Research Programme (NGLRP). She says “It was the greatest opportunity in my life to work under the supervision of the best plant scientists, the well equipped laboratory facilities and friendly environments of UWA and CSIRO in Australia”.

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A message from one of the world’s great plant breeders

“The best and brightest minds are needed to ensure food security for a growing population in the face of increased variability in climate and water scarcity. The new plant breeding centre at UWA will equip tomorrow’s plant breeders with broad-based knowledge and needed skills. It’s an important and timely initiative. I wish it success in this critical mission.”

Norman E. Borlaug, Nobel Peace Prize Laureate 1970

Dr Norman Borlaug and Professor William Erskine, (Director, ICPBER), at ICARDA, Syria 2005