REPORT

“EK BHARAT SHRESTHA BHARAT”

25TH February, 2020
The Indian Institute of Information Technology, Dharwad organized various cultural events on 25th of February, 2020, under the elite “Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat” programme, as per the guidelines of the Ministry of Human Resource Development (Government of India). On this day, the students, the faculty and the staff dressed in traditional attires painted the college in vibrant colors. The students and the faculty took part in the celebrations with equal enthusiasm.

The event had an auspicious start with a prayer song by one of the staff members, Ms. Shalini followed by a wisdom-imparting speech by the director of the institute, Dr. Kavi Mahesh. The following events were conducted:

1. **Singing:**

   Singing event witnessed the students and the staff showcasing their innate singing talents in various Indian languages. The melody and rhythm of different inculcated a sense of unity in diversity amongst the audience.
2. **Speech in mother tongue:**

The students took upon themselves to introduce their mother tongue among their peers through a short informative talk. Beautiful intricacies of Malayalam, Telugu, Tamil, Gujarati, Bhojpuri and Kannada languages were noted by the audience present.
3. **Dancing:**

A foot tapping solo dance performance by a first year student, brought together all the different dance forms of the country in one place. The audience danced along and demonstrated their enthusiasm.
4. Ethnic wear:
The final event of the day saw the students and the faculty exhibiting their elegance through ethnic wear. A graceful show was put up showcasing the Indian culture.

The Institute has witnessed a huge student response towards this unique initiative and wish to enlighten themselves about the vast diversity of India and celebrate it. The Cultural committee of the institute plans to come up with more engrossing events in the forthcoming months, to enable students appreciate the extensive culture of our country.