

Report on Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) activity

Interaction Programme on Cultural Exchange between Assam & Rajasthan

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A cultural confluence of Assam and Rajasthan

(1st & 2nd event under EBSB), 31st October 2021 (Sunday)

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Pairing States: Rajasthan

The Ekta Divas held on 31st October, 2015 to celebrate the spirit of Unity in commemoration of the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabh bhai Patel is re-imagined on a new canvas with augmented and stronger bond through the cultural and emotional integration of the nation by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi Ji. Translating the vision of the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Assam has been paired with Rajasthan for creating a resonance of commonness through exchange of their vibrant culture, language, literature and way of life. It is now for the creation of a Assam-Rajasthan joint reverberation of making 'Ek Bharat' as the 'Shreshtha Bharat' through continued engagement and exchanges between Central Institute of Technology Kokrajhar, Assam and pairing institutes Jaipur National University, Jaipur, and Govt. Dungar College, Bikaner, Rajasthan.

We are delighted to organize the first two events, the "Interaction Programme on Cultural Exchange between Assam and Rajasthan" and "Cultural Activity" under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB) on 31st October 2021 in hybrid mode (online & offline) and hosted by CIT Kokrajhar with an objective to cherish the emotional bonding between the states and to foster the environment of brotherhood by sharing thoughts, practice and experience of way of life.

Central Institute of Technology, Kokrajhar (CITK) is situated in the Kokrajhar District of Bodoland Territorial Council in the eastern region of the state of Assam in India. CITK was established with the objective of fulfilling the aspirations of the people of this region relating to their cultural identity, language, education and overall economic development of the region and to impart the youths of the region with requisite technological and vocational training to produce the competent manpower to boost economic growth of this region. CITK was established in 2006 as a Centrally Funded Institute under the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, and has been given the status of Deemed to be University

under de-novo category (as per the UGC regulations, 2016) in December 2018. Today, the institute has Diploma, Undergraduate (B.Tech and B. Des), Postgraduate (M.Tech and M. Des), and PhD programs in various disciplines.

The inaugural program was graced by, Prof. T G Sitharam, Director, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati, Director (Additional Charge), CITK, Assam, Ms. Chaitali Brahma, Registrar, CITK, Assam, Dr. Divya Shrivastav, Director of School of Life Sciences and School of Fashion Design; Dr. Anjana Sharma, Rector, Jaipur national university and Dr. G. P. Singh, Principal & Professor in Physics, Govt. Dungar College Bikaner, Rajasthan. We are privileged to have with us noted academician, author, educationist and sahitya academy award winner Dr. Surath Narzary as invited speaker. We are pleased to have Dr. Kamal Kumar Kar, Assistant Programme Adviser, National Service Scheme (NSS) as guest of our programme.

We are also very happy to have Dr. Juhi Sharma, Assistant Professor; Ms. Rekha Sharma, Assistant Professor and Uzma Khan, Assistant Professor, School of Fashion Design from Jaipur national university, Rajasthan and also Dr. N Bhojak, Associate Professor, Chemistry; Dr. Avinash Jodha Associate Professor, English; Dr Korabi Shah, Associate Professor, Geography and Rajesh Bhaskar, Associate Professor, Geography, from Govt. Dungar College Bikaner, Rajasthan.

On behalf of CITK, we, Dr. Manasi Buzar Baruah, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Physics (Nodal Officer, EBSB, CITK), Dr. Anamika Kalita Deka, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Chemistry(Coordinator, EBSB, CITK), Dr. Bornali Bora Patowary, Assistant Professor, Dept. Of Electronics & Communication Engineering, (Member, EBSB, CITK), Ms. Monideepa Brahma, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Humanities and Social Sciences (Member, EBSB, CITK) and Ms. Susmita Roy, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Multimedia Communication & Design (Member, EBSB, CITK) were there to organize the same. Mr. Sanjib Narzary, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Computer Science, Mr. Ashish Roy, JTS, Dept. of Computer Science and Mr. Rhitupon Bora, JTS, Dept. of Multimedia Communication & Design supported in carrying the technical session for grand success of the program.

We had a very good number of students taking parts actively in the cultural activities. As glimpse of activity some photos and video of the events are attached here. The program schedule is also shared for the reference.





















