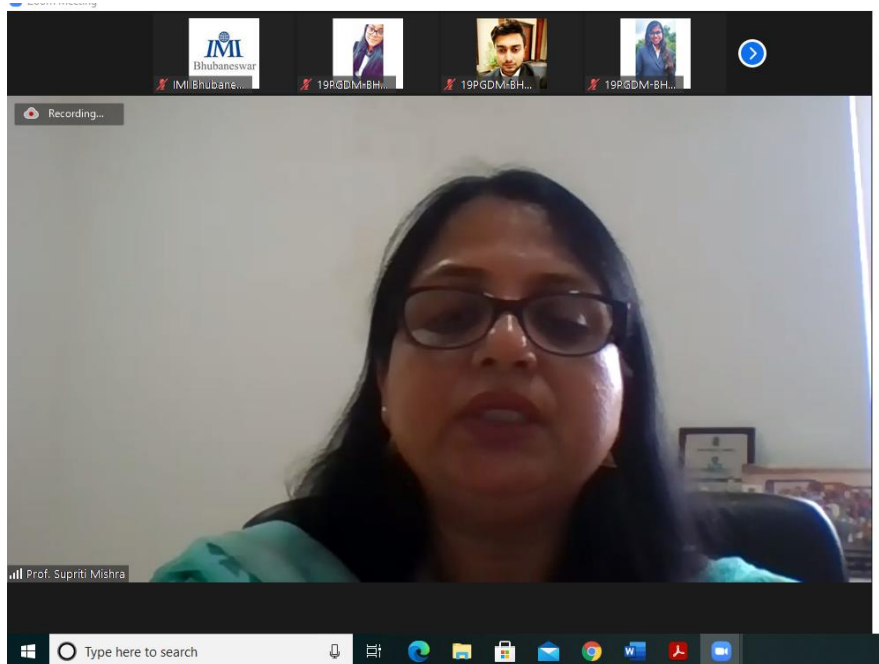


# **Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharath (EBSB) Report, September, 2020** **Event- Odisha and Maharashtra: A trail of Food and Language**

Event started with a welcome note on history of Odia language and food. The event saw 150 audience in attendance. They were from IMI, Bhubaneswar and VESIT, Maharashtra.

## **Welcome Note**



## Cuisines from Odisha and Maharashtra were shared



### Pohala Machha Bhaja

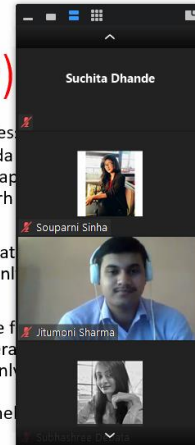
**Pohala Machha (Small Fish) Fry** is an side dish recipe wherein fish is shallow fried as a whole in and not cut into pieces. Pohala fish curry is also made with mustard paste which is called pohala macha besara and tastes absolutely delicious when served with hot steamed rice.

**JAGATSinghpur:** The temple of Goddess Uttershvari, located in a narrow bylane of Paikasahi village, appears like any other temple in the area. The 'bhog' offered to the deity, however, is what sets it apart from other temples in the State. Here, the Goddess accepts fish to cure her devotees of diseases like epilepsy.



### CHHENA PODA (ଛେନାପୋଡ଼ା)

- Chhena poda (ଛେନାପୋଡ଼ା) is a cheese dessert from the Indian state of Odisha. Chhena poda means Roasted Cheese in Odia. Chhena poda originated in the Odia town of Nayagarh in the latter half of the twentieth century.
- It's the favourite dessert of Lord Jagannath. After the meal of Lord Jagannath is completed, only devotees eat chhena poda.
- It is made of well-kneaded homemade fresh cheese chhena, sugar is baked for several hours until it's browned. Chhena poda is the only known Indian dessert whose flavor is predominantly derived from the caramelized sugar.



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## Save some room for the desserts!

**Shrikhand**  
The chilled hung curd dessert is popular even in Gujarati households. This creamy delicacy is sweetened with sugar and flavoured with cardamom and saffron. In summers, aamkhand or mango-flavoured shrikhand becomes a sought-after affair in whole of Maharashtra.

**Modak**  
Modak is a stuffed rice flour dumpling with a sweet filling of khoya, nuts and coconut. Nowadays, you can also find many experimental modaks in the market; for instance chocolate modak, kesari modak, malai modak, til modak etc.

**Shankarpala**  
Shankarpala or shankarpali is a bite-sized, crispy sweet treat that is popular on festive occasions. Made from dough of sugar, ghee, maida and sesame seeds, shankarpada is widely available in shops in purchase-ready packs.

**Mango Mastani**  
This indulgent mango delight is a sensation in Pune. Overflowing with ice-cream, dry fruits and nuts, this thick fragrant mango milkshake is often garnished with silver varq and almond flakes.

Video call participants: Jitumoni Sharma, Prakhar Saxena, NAVENDU BEHERA 2..., Satwika Nayak

**The preferred languages and their history were presented**

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**आम्हा मराठी**

**Maharashtrian Cuisine**


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## बहिणाबाई



**Bahinabai Chaudhari**  
 - (24 August 1880 – 3 December 1951)

- illiterate, Marathi poet, composed songs verbally in ovi (mixture of Khandeshi and Levaganboli)
- Her poetry is characterized as reflective and abstract with iconic and realistic imagery.
- It captures the essence of her life, reflects the culture of village and farming life and presents her wisdom.
- Khandesh dialect made to Google Keyboard around May 23, 2018

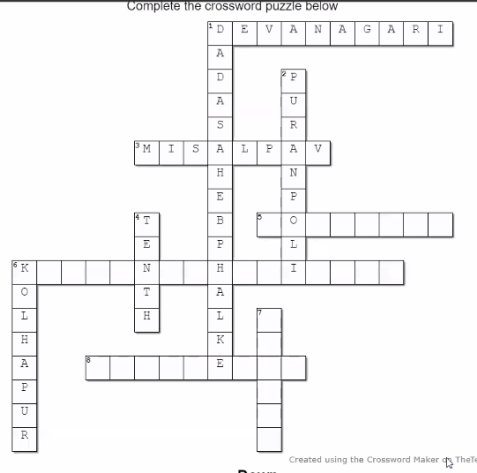
- At the age of 13, she was married to Nathuji Khanderao Chaudhari of Jalgaon.
- Following her husband's death, [1910] she led a very difficult life because of the economic, social, cultural, and emotional circumstances arising out of widowhood.
- She had a daughter named Kashi and two sons, Madhusudan Sopandev (1907–1951).

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**The Event was concluded with a quiz round on Odisha and Maharashtra cultures and Songs from both states**

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**Across**

1. Marathi language is written in the \_\_\_\_\_ script
3. Spicy curried sprouted lentils served with a wheat bread bun
5. Maharashtra special made from coconut milk and kokum.
6. An Indian bred chicken cooked in traditional Maharashtra style

**Down**

1. Father of Indian cinema
2. Sweet version of paratha
4. Marathi ranks \_\_\_\_\_ in the list of most spoken languages in the world.
6. Where was the Marathi film industry previously located?
7. Devotional poetry

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