



MATRIBHASHA DIWAS (INTERNATIONAL MOTHER TONGUE DAY)

Thursday, 20th February, 2020 | 02:30 PM | Class Room No. 325, IIIT Pune



जिस्ती (Assamese) विश्वां)
जुश्राती (Gujarati) हिन्दी (Hindi) ಕನ್ನಡ (Kannada) चेंधि (Kashmiri)
மைയാളം (Malayalam) सिंटिज्लात् (Manipuri/Methei)
मैथिली (Maithili) मराठी (Marathi) नेपाली (Nepali) ઉଡ଼ିଆ (Oriya)
पीनाधी (Punjabi) संस्कृत (Sanskrit) संताली (Santali)
தமிழ் (Tamil) తెలుగు (Telugu) وعال (Urdu) العُرْبِيةُ (Arabic)

Report on Matribhasha Diwas

Matribhasha Diwas is a worldwide annual observance held to promote awareness of

linguistic and cultural diversity and multilingualism. UNESCO has decided to celebrate

every year, 21st February, 2020 as "International Mother Tongue Day" to promote the

awareness of linguistic and cultural traditions throughout the world and to inspire

solidarity based on understanding, tolerance and dialogue.

With reference to the F. No. 8-41/2019-L.II-FTS-692269/20 dated 7th February, 2020 issued

by Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Department of Higher Education-

Language Division, our institute, IIIT Pune celebrated Matribhasha Diwas (International

Mother Tongue Day) as per the program given below:

Day and Date: Thursday, 20th February, 2020

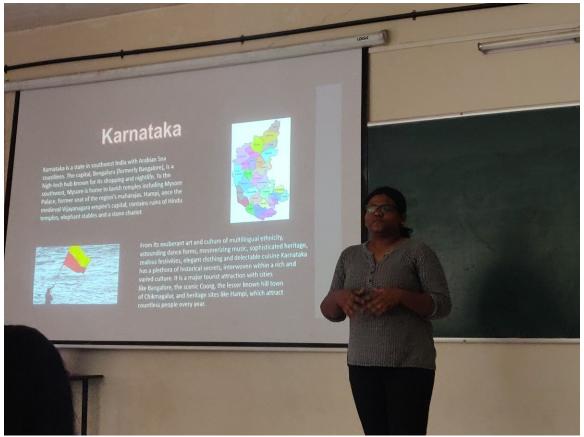
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Venue: Class room No. 325, IIIT Pune

The students of IIIT Pune have participated in the different activities. The activities like Singing, Poems, and Speeches were conducted for representing linguistic and diverse culture of India. Students of IIIT Pune presented detailed presentations and speeches on states namely Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Bihar, Jammu and Kashmir, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Punjab, West Bangal and Telangana in their respective mother tongues. Twelve Indian languages have been used by student participants in their performance.

Following are some snapshots of the event:



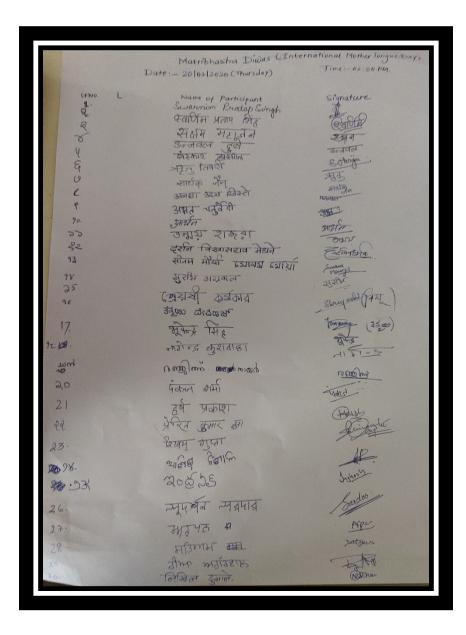












Following faculty members were present in the program:

- 1) Dr. Ritu Tiwari
- 2) Dr. Tanmoy Hazra
- 3) Dr. Darshan Medhane
- 4) Dr. Anagha Khiste
- 5) Dr. Ranjith Nair
- 6) Dr. Bhupendra Singh
- 7) Dr. Sonam Maurya
- 8) Dr. Surbhi Agrawal
- 9) Dr. Nagendra Kushwaha
- 10) Dr. S. P. Gudi