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First Convocation of Bikaner Technical University

Bikaner, Bikaner Technical University, Bikaner is going to organize its first convocation on March 20, 2023 at Ravindra Rangmanch, Bikaner. Regarding this event, Vice Chancellor Prof. Ambrish Sharan Vidyarthi addressing the press conference today, Prof. AS Vidyarthi said that on the arrival of the Governor for the first time, it is also a matter of pride for the University that it is going to witness the successful conduct of its first convocation. The ceremony was presided over by Honorable Governor and Chancellor Mr. Kalraj Ji Mishra, as the chief guest Krishna Kishore Agrawal, Chairman, National Board of Accreditation (NBA) and Founding Vice-Chancellor, GGSIU, New Delhi. On this occasion, the Honorable Governor will unveil the statue of Swami Vivekananda in the university premises, the foundation stone of the hostel building and the inauguration of the university canteen in a program organized in the university premises in the morning. After concluding the program organized in the university campus, Honorable Governor will leave for the main convocation ceremony of the Convocation Auditorium (Rabindra Rangmanch). A total of 2182 degrees including BTech 1481, BTech (Hons) 16, MBA 576, MCA 101, MTech 7, PHD 1 will

be awarded during the convocation this year. And in the category of gold medal, a total of 17 gold medals will be awarded including BTech 14, MBA2, MCA 1 courses will be awarded. along with PhD degree will be awarded to Shri Arvind Kumar, a student of Engineering College, Bikaner. By the university administration for the successful organization of the convocation. A total of 21 committees and their coordinators have been appointed under the chairmanship of Prof. Ambrish Sharan Vidyarthi, who is working on the detailed action plan for the event. For the successful organization of the convocation by the University, the special preparations for the convocation are being finalized by the organizing committee under the effective direction of the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar. Various committees constituted in this regard by the university administration are being worked upon by making a framework through an effective action plan by providing special guidelines. At present, 43 colleges affiliated to Bikaner Technical University, 39 affiliated colleges including 4 constituent colleges, in the state of Rajasthan, with the aim of comprehensive promotion of technical education, integrated development, and skill development of best management students and cre-

ation of best academic efficiency, all-round accelerated development. Is playing an important role in With the empowerment of technical education, strengthening of the university, institutional excellence, educational enrichment of students, BTU is establishing new dimensions of development as a pillar of technical education in western Rajasthan. The Vice-Chancellor Prof Vidyarthi said that it is our aim to make this University a national level institution of excellence and to be known and recognized for centuries for excellence in services to the national and international communities, we want to develop not only technocrats and professional managers but also human values. We also want to produce professional technocrats with the discharge of our mission to make a remarkable contribution to the society and our country, our vision is to inculcate in the students a zeal and enthusiasm to become dignified citizens and successful technocrats of tomorrow so that in future So that our students can play their role in the development of the nation. In order to incorporate human values in the courses of technical education and to connect students with education in a human form and to build character skills, it has become the first university in



the state to incorporate human values in the courses of technical education, which has been recognized at the national level. And has been highlighted as an innovation of moral upgradation in the technical education of the state. This innovation has been effectively implemented in the entire state by BTU with very foresight and strong policy. On the other hand, it is the first university in the state to implement the new National Education Policy and develop the corresponding curriculum and plan, which has increased academic excellence by adopting the changing nature of the curriculum. Bikaner Technical University is providing the best opportunities for quality engineering education to the youth in western Rajasthan. Bikaner Technical University Act 2017 by the state government in the year 2017 with the objective of pro-

viding accessible opportunities in technical education to the youth of western Rajasthan and to provide meaningful technical education, high quality engineering studies and research opportunities to the students of western Rajasthan. Bikaner Technical University was established with the objective of creating human values and welfare in the society through teaching-training, research, innovation, entrepreneurship and continuing education programs of technical education. Today, Rajasthan is constantly realizing the concept of all-round up gradation of technical education in the state with wide dissemination of technical education, skill development of students and creation of best academic efficiency. Since its inception, the University has achieved new heights by establishing its nationwide identity through effective management of tech-

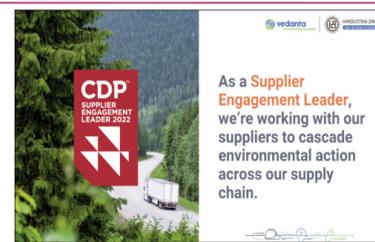
nical education, successful implementation of strong meaningful policies. By providing innovative and relevant quality education with the implication of the basic objectives of its establishment while creating a positive environment for technical education in Western Rajasthan, the University is establishing new dimensions of development in the desert region. It is the result of tireless efforts and well-planned action plan of the university family and stakeholders that Bikaner Technical University is lighting up the engineering education of desert land, from which innumerable youth of our state are getting benefitted. By ensuring coordinated development and comprehensive management of technical education, BTU is writing the story of development. At the same time, we are thankful to all our stakeholders who have played an impor-

tant role in bringing Bikaner Technical University a global recognition on the national map of higher education. Efforts are also underway to establish a Technology Incubation Center with the aim of connecting students with startups and paving the way for entrepreneurship. So that research can be encouraged and students can be developed as business models with the help of innovative ideas and technology. Over time, the role of knowledge and skills, innovations in technical education has increased. The University has worked for the educational up gradation of the University, affiliated colleges, faculty members and students by incorporating the reformative points of the National Education Policy. Along with adopting innovations in the curriculum, we are providing employment-oriented education to the students by adopting new employment

oriented curriculum. The main aim will be to ensure the overall priority of the university, as well as using the available resources, BTU is moving towards joining the front line of the state's "excellent university". In the past years, in order to provide golden opportunities of employment to the students, interviews of various companies, industrial units were organized by the university and its affiliated colleges from time to time through campus placements, in which placements of students were done by reputed companies, in which students were provided with easy employment opportunities. Provided in the past years, campus interviews were conducted by a total of 1579 companies including 339 international level, 1010 national level, 363 state level, under which a total of 5125 students were offered/provided employment, in which the minimum package was 3.5 lakhs and the maximum package was 38. A total of 309 MoUs have been concluded with industries/companies for employment/employe 254 students have been employed in state government and 155 students in central government services in the past years. Successful efforts have been made for placement of students through 19 employment

Hindustan Zinc recognized as Supplier Engagement Leader by CDP

Udaipur: Hindustan Zinc has been recognized as Supplier Engagement Leader by global environmental not-for-profit charity CDP. The company has been ranked among the top 8% assessed for supplier engagement on climate change. The recognition is a testament to the company's unwavering commitment towards sustainability and its efforts to engage with suppliers to reduce carbon emissions and mitigate climate change. On this achievement, Mr. Arun Misra, CEO of Hindustan Zinc said, "It is a matter of pride for us to be recognized by CDP as a global leader for having a positive influence on building a sustainable supply chain and the ongoing progress we have made has been appraised. Our strategic focus on reducing our emissions in the entire value chain, introducing Battery Electric Vehicles, assessing our suppliers on the Sustainability framework, collaborating and engaging on ESG expectations, and various other initiatives help us in achieving our aim of sustainability throughout the value chain." CDP's annual environmental disclosure and scoring process is widely recognized as the gold



standard of corporate environmental transparency. A detailed and independent methodology is used by CDP to assess these companies, allocating a score of A to D- based on the comprehensiveness of disclosure, awareness and management of environmental risks and demonstration of best practices associated with environmental leadership, such as setting ambitious and meaningful targets. Hindustan Zinc's supplier engagement emphasizes on building relationships with suppliers and partnering with them to identify opportunities for

improvement in their sustainability practices. The company is constantly working towards their Sustainability Development Goals 2025 which targets at reducing carbon footprint and promoting sustainable alternative throughout its operations and supply chain. Through their sustainable business practices, they are able to create long-term value for their stakeholders and contributing towards a green future. Recently, Hindustan Zinc has earned a spot in the esteemed S&P Global Sustainability Yearbook for the 6th time and ranked amongst the top 5% ESG Score in the metals & mining sector in 2023. The company's sustainability efforts have also resulted them to be ranked 3rd Globally and 1st in Asia Pacific Region in S&P Global Corporate Sustainability Assessment under metal & mining sector. The company has also been rated A in climate change and A- in water security by CDP. The company's commitment towards Environment, Social and Governance has been recognized by CAP 2.0, CDP, S&P Global Platts Awards, CII National 5S Excellence Award, Bhamashah Award and many more.

Sangam University : Two-day national seminar series ends



Bhilwara (pawan Garg) : Sangam University, Bhilwara, under the auspices of the School of Engineering and Technology, concluded a two-day National Seminar series on "Automation Technology and its Impact on Industries." Prof. Archana Agarwal, the convener of the seminar informed, said that on the second day of the two-day symposium, various expert speakers delivered detailed information on their respective topics. In the first session of the second day, Dr. Ribi Abraham Bobby, Assistant Professor, IIT Jodhpur, on the subject of Robotics and Visual Sensing

for Automation, Dr. Ujjwal Kalla, Prof. MANIT, Bhopal, on the topic of Design and Real-Time Implementation of Automatic Control System Using DST Controller, Prof. SS Dhama, Prof. NITTR, Chandigarh on Emerging Trends On the subject of In Robotics and Automation, Dr. Avinash Panwar, Associate Professor, MLSU Udaipur gave detailed information to the students on Envisioning India Digital Stream. In the concluding session, Chief Guest Prof. SS Dhama, NITTR Chandigarh, and Guest of Honor Prof. Dharendra Sharma, Principal MLV Textile

College Bhilwara, Registrar Prof. Rajeev Mehta honored all the participants by giving certificates. Dean Engineering Prof. Vinesh Agarwal said that about 300 participants in the seminar understood automation technology by joining online and offline mediums. The efficient operation of the program was done by faculty Dr. Deepika Soni, Richa Sharma, student Sweetie Kumari, and Nandini Tibberwal. University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Karunesh Saxena joined online and congratulated everyone for organizing a successful event. In the end, Dr. Vikas Somani, co-convenor of the seminar, thanked everyone. Public Relations Officer Dr. Rajkumar Jain said that Dean Research Prof. Rakesh Bhandari, heads of all engineering departments, program coordinators, faculty staff, and students were present in the seminar.

IIM Udaipur's MBA Batch Of 2021-23 Sets New Benchmarks In The Final Placements

Udaipur (Dr. Munesh Arora): IIM Udaipur today shared the top line figures of its recently concluded final placements of its flagship 2-year MBA Course, graduating in April 2023. IIM Udaipur is one of the only 4 IIMs that follow the Indian Placement Report Standards (IPRS) and will be posting a detailed report on its website when the external audit of the same concludes. The 2-year MBA batch of 2021-23 has a student count of 305, out of which 301 students were seeking placement support. At the close of the final placement season, the figures showed a remarkable increase of 14% in the average CTC and 16% in the Median. The Highest CTC stood at Rs. 36 lakhs/annum. The top 25% of the batch got an average CTC of Rs. 28 lakhs/annum, and the top 50% bagged an average of Rs. 24 lakhs/annum. The average CTC of the whole batch stood at 20.3 lakhs/annum. Pre-Placement offers through summer internships rose by 30%, indicating a growing acceptance by the industry of IIMU student talent, evaluated through the summer projects and allied performance at work. The Institute has completed only eleven years since its foundation and captured the decade since its foundation with the hashtag #10YearsUnstoppable. Besides its focus on research and transformative learning, it has gained distinctive prominence through its Global Rankings, Accreditation, and various initiatives, including setting up Centers of Excellence in important areas like Digital, Supply Chain, and Healthcare. It is also the only B-School in India to have a Consumer Culture Lab. In FT Rankings MIM Top 100 Global Rankings 2022, IIM Udaipur is only the IIM, along with IIM Bangalore, to be ranked in the Top 100 for a consecutive 4th year. IIM Udaipur is also the youngest B-school on the list. In QS Top 150+ MIM Global Rankings 2022, IIMU remains the youngest B School in the World and is amongst only 7 IIMs to be included in the list. Speaking on the Placement outcomes, Prof. Ashok Banerjee, Director, IIM Udaipur, said, "I am happy to see our students achieve unprecedented success in their final placements. Our focus on industry-relevant curriculum, practical learning, and mentorship has paid off, and our graduates are now thriving in top companies across various sectors. We are dedicated to maintaining this momentum and equipping our students with the skills, knowledge, and confidence to excel in their careers and make a positive impact on the global business environment." Some of the prominent re-visiting recruiters for final placements include Accenture Strategy, Amazon, Bain and Company, Bajaj Auto, BNY, Cisco, Ernst & Young, Goldman Sachs, General Electric, JPMC, McKinsey, Pidilite, PWC, Wells Fargo, and others. Some of the new recruiters included Adani Group, Bank of America, Clearing Corporation of India, Everest Group, Godrej & Boyce, Orient Electric, SBI Capital Markets, Schneider Electric, Shalina Healthcare.

SPSU signs an MoU with L&T Technology Ltd.

Udaipur: Sir Padampat Singhania University, Udaipur is committed to excellence and moving ahead with the mission of creating an industry ready workforce the University signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with L&T Technology Services on March 14, 2023. The Honourable President and Vice Chancellor of the University Prof. (Dr.) Padmakali Banerjee commended the strategic alliance and emphasized that this would help in fostering research, employability and provide a hands on experience to the students. Mr. Ashish Khusu (Chief Technical Officer) and Mr. Vijay Mantri (Head - Chief Technical Officer) from L&T Technology Services visited the University and signed the Memorandum of Understanding. The Registrar Dr. Sanjay Mishra signed the MoU on behalf of the University. Director Partnerships and Placements Dr. Tushar Somnath ensured the smooth coordination of the entire event. The collaboration aims to deliver access to industry-leading knowledge, training, internships, smart city projects and preparing the budding technocrats for a successful career in the engineering industry. Apart from these, Innovation contests as Techgium would also be organised to provide students an opportunity to work on major engineering challenges faced by the industry and to hone their skills and knowledge. This MoU is a significant step towards establishing a strong partnership between industry and academia and offer students with a unique learning experience that prepares them for a successful career in the industry. The Pro Vice Chancellor Col. Sanjiv Tomar, Dean Academics, Dean School of Management, Dean School of Engineering, Head of the departments and faculty members were present during the MoU signing.

District Conference of Peoples Union for Civil Liberties Elects New Executive

Advocate Arun Vyas President, Prof H.S.Chandalia Vice President and Yaqub Mohammed Elected General Secretary Udaipur, The district Conference of Peoples Union for Civil Liberties was held on 11 March, 2023 in the chairmanship of senior journalist Himmat Seth. A new executive committee was elected by the general house. Advocate Arun Vyas was elected the President while senior journalist and Professor of English Dr. Hemendra Singh Chandalia was elected as Vice President. Social activist and economist Yaqub Mohammed was elected General Secretary. Former President Ramesh Nandwana, Advocate Shyam Lal Dang, Dharam Chand Khair, Nandkishore Sharma, Ashwini Paliwal, Dr. Kirti Joshi and Commander Mansoor Ali were elected members of the executive. Besides these Himmat Seth, Ramesh Nandwana, Shankar Lal Chaudhary, Shashi Prabha, Shyam Lal Dang and Dharam Chand Khair were elected as delegates for the state committee elections to be held in the state conference next month. Former President Advocate Ramesh Nandwana said that PUCL was founded to safeguard the democratic rights of the people. Due to COVID and other reasons the Udaipur unit of PUCL could not remain very active. It has an illustrious history. Now that the attacks on the democratic rights of the people have increased and the fascist forces have become more powerful it is necessary that PUCL should become active and lead the peoples movements in Rajasthan. Arun Vyas said that we should be active and vigilant. Wherever there are atrocities we should work to provide justice to the victims. Ashwini Paliwal, former general secretary convened the conference. He told that 37 out of 53 members attended the conference. Commander Mansoor Ali expressed his concern on the rise the divisive communal forces. Shashi Prabha advocated the pro active result oriented role of PUCL. Ashok Manthan also expressed the need to make the organization more pro-active. The conference ended with an appeal that maximum number of people should attend the 11th state conference of PUCL being held at Bhilwara on 1st and 2nd April, 2023.