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ASSISTANT HIGH COMMISSIONER OF BANGLADESH HIGH COMMISSION, GUWAHATI VISITS GCU



AZARA, July 17: Mr. Ruhul Amin, Assistant High Commissioner of Bangladesh High Commission, Guwahati along with other officials visited Girijananda Chowdhury University on 15th July, 2024 to explore and strengthen collaborations between India and Bangladesh and also possible collaboration between GCU and Bangladesh universities. In a reception organized on the occasion, Prof. Kandarpa Das, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, GCU welcomed the guests highlighting the essence of the visit for intellectual exchange and collaboration. Prof. Jayanta Deka, Hon'ble Chancellor, GCU addressed the importance of bridging the gaps between nations to broaden the horizons of learning and collaboration. Shri Jasoda Ranjan Das, President, SSA Society elucidated on effective educational conclave to broaden goals of education and cultural understanding between the countries. In his reciprocal address, Mr. Ruhul Amin highlighted the importance of collaborations between two countries and in higher education to inculcate academic and cultural exchange. The event is expected to facilitate exchange of faculty and students, research and open up new avenues for learning and growth. The meeting were attended by Deans, Head of the departments, faculty members, university staff and research scholars of GCU. The members expected to promote an environment which will lead to the sharing of knowledge and resources between institutions of India and Bangladesh.



Mr. Jasoda Ranjan Das felicitating Mr. Ruhul Amin.



Prof. Kandarpa Das, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, GCU welcoming the guests highlighting the essence of the visit.



Prof. Jayanta Deka, Hon'ble Chancellor, GCU addressing the importance of bridging the gaps between nations.



Mr. Ruhul Amin highlighting the importance of collaborations between two countries.



A visit to the Sophisticated Analytical Instrument Facility.



A visit to IDEA Lab.



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REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF NEP 2020 AND OUTCOME-BASED EDUCATION: A PEDAGOGICAL APPROACH



AZARA, July 17: Girijananda Chowdhury University conducted a three-day Regional Workshop on the Implementation of NEP 2020 and Outcome-Based Education: A Pedagogical Approach at Girijananda Chowdhury University, Azara from 3-5 July, 2024. The workshop was designed to provide senior secondary school teachers with hands-on training in the outcome-based education (OBE) pedagogy recommended by NEP 2020. On Day-1, Mr. Jasoda Ranjan Das, President of SSA Society delivered the welcome address highlighting the essence of the workshop. Dr. Sangeeta Goswami, Counselling Psychologist, President, Mind-India extensively spoke on Emotional Well-Being and Social Emotional Learning in Education. Prof. Kandarpa Das, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, GCU elaborated on NEP 2020 and Multi-disciplinary Approach to Education in HEI. Dr. Debarshi Mallick, Associate Prof. & Head, Dept of Mechanical Engineering, GCU alluded on Outcome Based Education and measuring student performance at different levels.



Mr. Jasoda Ranjan Das, President of SSA Society delivering the welcome address.



Felicitating Dr. Sangeeta Goswami, Counselling Psychologist, President, Mind-India



Prof. Kandarpa Das, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, GCU elaborated on NEP 2020.



Dr. Debarshi Mallick, Associate Prof. & Head, Dept of Mechanical Engineering, GCU alluded on OBE.



Prof. Shantanu Chakravarty, Dean, School of Humanities and Social Sciences addressed the importance of NEP 2020 to inculcate new avenues for learning and growth.



The august participants.



The resource person interacting with the participants.



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On Day-2, Dr. Abhinav Sarma, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, GCU, conducted a session on Team Work and Team Leadership where he emphasized on the importance of the various elements of team work and its relevance in the current educational scenario. He also highlighted the importance of Student-Teacher-Parent Triangle and its contribution in building a healthy academic environment in schools and other educational institutes. Ms. Bornali Borah, Counselling Psychologist graced the workshop as resource person and elucidated on Mentoring- A Comprehensive Approach to Education. She discussed the various issues and problems one indulges during adolescence besides psychological and emotional transition. Ms. Shrabani Medhi, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Computer Science Engineering, GCU provided valuable insights on Integration of Technology and AI in Educational System. She highlighted on AI's ability to collect and analyse data enabling the teachers to know about students' engagement and learning progress.



Felicitating Ms. Bornali Borah, Counselling Psychologist.



Ms. Shrabani Medhi provided valuable insights on AI.



Dr. Abhinav Sarma elucidating on Team Work and Team Leadership.



Prof. Jayanta Deka, Hon'ble Chancellor, GCU accentuating the importance of the regional workshop on NEP 2020 to broaden the horizons of learning and knowledge.



Dr. Sampurna Bhuyan highlighting the implementation of NEP in HEI.



Dr. Barsha Chhetri elaborating on Pedagogy and Global Competencies in Education.



Ms. Palakshi Sarmah discussed the importance of Happiness in workplace.

On Day-3, Dr. Sampurna Bhuyan, Associate Professor & HOD, Department of Economics elaborated on implementation of NEP in Higher Education Institutions (HEI). Dr. Anisha Bordoloi, Asst. Professor, Dept of History provided valuable insights on Indian Knowledge System in the higher levels of education. She addressed about the advantages of IKS as well as aspects that one has to be careful about while implementing IKS. Dr. Barsha Chhetri, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Education, GCU elaborated on Pedagogy and Global Competencies in Education. She highlighted about different approaches of teaching which has been emphasized by NEP 2020 in education system. Ms. Palakshi Sarmah discussed the importance of Happiness in workplace and suggested strategies to enhance it accordingly. Dr. Rachael Kabi, HOD, Dept. of Sociology and Social Work extensively spoke on the attributes of a teacher and its impact on the students' personality and development.

The event was attended by 29 teachers in order to equip themselves with the knowledge and skills envisioned under NEP 2020. Participants from Shrimanta Shankar Academy, Dispur, Netaji Vidyapith Railway Higher Secondary School, Kamrup Jatiya Vidyalaya and Higher Secondary, Mirza, Rampur H.S. School, Banikanta Memorial H.S. School and Railway H.S. School participated in the workshop. They were engaged in various individual and group activities from experienced and qualified resource persons. During valedictory session, Prof. Jayanta Deka, Hon'ble Chancellor, GCU commended the participants for their enthusiastic participation in successfully completing the NEP workshop, which certainly will broaden their comprehension of its implementation. The event concluded with certificate distributions to the participants along with vote of thanks by Dr. Rachael Kabi.



Dr. Anisha Bordoloi providing valuable insights on IKS.



Distribution of certificates to the participants.



Glimpses of group activities during the workshop.