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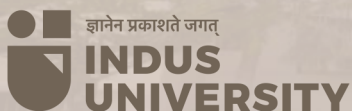
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Indus University holds **FIRST Convocation**



“India needs a skilled generation that can comprehend the changing scenario and address the issues of sustainable development” says ISRO Chairman, Padmashri A.S. Kirankumar in his address at the First Convocation of Indus University held on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at Indus Campus, Ahmedabad. Padmashri A.S. Kirankumar was the Chief Guest on this auspicious occasion. In the first convocation 256 graduating students, of M.Tech. MBA, MCA, M.Sc.IT, and B.Sc. (AM) courses who passed out in years 2014 and 2015, received the degrees. Fourteen Gold medals were awarded by the Chief Guest. In addition, special awards; Bhanwarlal Bhandari Memorial Award, Bhagwan Swaroop Sharma Memorial Award and Indubala Bhandari Award, for scholastic performances were also given away to 6 students of various institutes of the University.



Shri A.S. Kirankumar delivered the convocation address and Dr. Nagesh Bhandari, President, Indus University delivered the welcome address while Dr. S.B. Sharma, Executive President, Indus University delivered the concluding speech.

Elation and unbound joy marked the occasion wherein the dreams of young graduates and their parents bore reality through the conferment of prestigious titles.

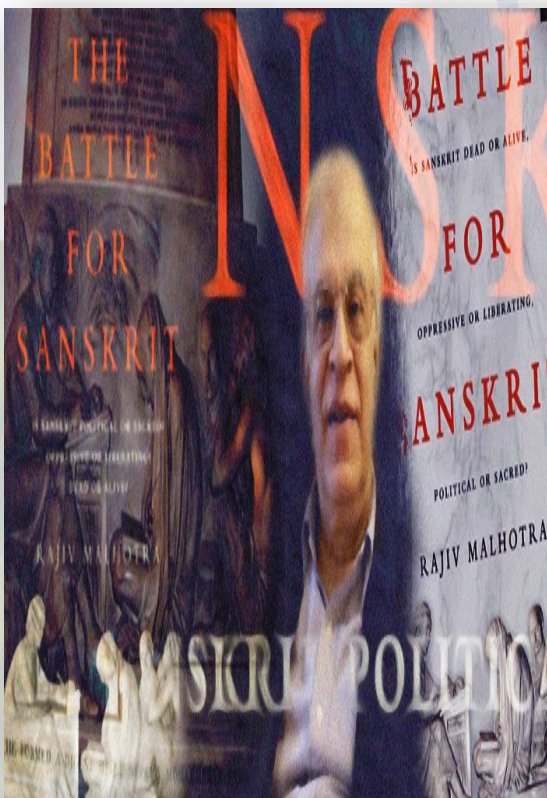
Celebration of REPUBLIC DAY



26th January is a significant celebration of the year nationwide, with equal fervor that could coincide with jubilations at the Capital, Indus University dedicated this special day to more than one symbolic event at its campus. The Republic day commenced with the traditional hoisting of the Flag by Dean IITE Dr. Shashi Tandon accompanied by the Chairman Dr. Nagesh Bhandari & the Associate President Dr. Ritu Bhandari along with students and staff members of the institution.



On the auspicious occasion the Association of Civil engineering students (ACES) organized a “Drawing Competition” to have a free-flow of creativity on three relevant directives by the PM of India (1) Make in India (2) Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan & (3) Stop Terrorism. Approximately 250 students from different schools & colleges across the city were invited participants in this competition. It indeed proved to be a colorful and exhilarating way in order to make the celebration memorable.



Later in the day Indus University had organized a Book Launch of the renowned scholar Shri Rajeev Malhotra’s new book ‘*The Battle of Sanskrit*’ at AMA. The event featured a talk and a brief reading from the book by the author followed by an interactive session with the invited participants.

Indus University joined the celebrations through exercise in relevance to commemorate & honor the Indian Constitution on this Republic day of the year

ESYNC KAI PO CHHE



Esync – The students' association of Electronics & Communication Engineering organized a kite flying festival for the students and faculty members of IU on 16th January'16.

Each participant was provided with two kites at the beginning of the event. Food stalls installed displayed a wide variety of scrumptious snacks. With enthusiastic participation of students from different branches and faculty members of the university the event was successful. ■



EXPERT LECTURE SIGNAL PROCESSING & COMMUNICATION SYSTEM DESIGN

Electronics & Communication Engineering Department organized an expert lecture on "Signal Processing and Communications System Design" using MATLAB and Simulink. Dr. Amod Anandkumar conducted the lecture on 7th Jan'16.

Dr. Amod Anandkumar is a senior application engineer at MathWorks India, focusing on signal processing, computer



vision, and communications.

Prior to this role, he was a lead engineer with the Advanced Technology Group at Samsung Research India, Noida. He explained about Real-time signal processing in MATLAB using system objects. He also gave briefs about Antenna to Bits design capabilities to model and simulate advanced wireless communication systems such as LTE and WLAN. He also addressed the students regarding connectivity to hardware platforms such as SDR and Raspberry Pi. ■



AIMS EXPERT LECTURE

Association of Indus Management Students organized an expert session on 22nd January 2016. All the students of MBA (Sem-II & Sem-IV) & Integrated BBA MBA attended the session.

Dr. Apurv Raval is a "Deputy Director in Gujarat Technological University by profession and a "Soft Skill – Fitness Freelance Trainer" by passion was invited for an expert session. He with his classic ancient wisdom, inimitable style of delivery and learner centric approach instills magnificent inspiration in the students.

It was an immense learning experience for students. This session helped students to gain an outer world perspective to grow professionally. ■



IICT SOFTWARE TESTING SEMINAR

Mr. Brijesh Patil (Team Leader, Testing) from Tops Technology was invited by Association of Computer Science and Information Technology (ACSIT) to elaborate on the topic of Software testing. Students of MCA, MscIT, IMCA and IMScIT had attended the interactive session for manual and automated software testing. The session helped the students to bridge the gap between theory taught in software engineering and its practical implementation in any organization. ■

interest in aviation as their career choice. ■



Dr. Vishal Dahiya has published four research papers in International journal.

Ms. Khyati Rami has published a research paper in research journal.

Ms. Bhavna Hotchandani has cleared online certification course of HTMP 5 Part I.

Ms. Madhavi Dave has published a research paper in an International journal.

Mr. Kirtan Rathod has cleared online certification course of Cloud computing and Transact SQL.

STUDENTS ACHIEVEMENTS

IICT

AWARENESS PROGRAM

Dr. Vishal Dahiya in association with the Aviation department conducted IT Awareness Drive among invited school students about various courses at IICT. ■

WIIA & AAA participate in Charotar Education Fair

Western India Institute of Aeronautics(WIIA) & Ahmedabad Aviation & Aeronautics Ltd. (AAA) participated in Charotar Education Fair organized at D. N. Vidyalaya School Anand from 22nd – 25th Jan'16. School students from Anand participated in the fair and many enthusiastic passing out students showed

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS

Prof.Mamta Amin presented a research paper titled "*Solutions to Problems in Teaching Writing*" at Global Association of English Studies Global Perspectives, an International Conference held at Waymade College of Education, Vallabh-Vidyanagar, Anand.

Dharmesh Vaghela of MCA IV has cleared certification course of OCJP(SE6) and OCEWCD (SE6) from Oracle University

Lokesh Lad of MCA IV certified for the course of Hardware and Networking (HCSE)

Parli Arora, Shikha Khajanchi and **Nisarg Barot** have cleared online certification course of HTML 5 Part I.

Dr.Vishal Dahiya, Jay Shah, Vishal Banwari and Jigar Vavadia jointly presented a research paper on Enhancement of Security in Steganography in International Journal of Advanced Research in Computer engineering.



i-Muse

Dear God

God, you are always there to give me faith
And to hold my hand with love and care.

When the life is dark and harsh,
you enlighten my way with moon and stars.

When the way is long and the road is rough,
You gave me courage and make me tough.

When my heart is filled with agony and sorrow,
You give me hope that everything will be fine tomorrow.

When I am in tears and pain,
You show me that there is no rainbow without rain.

When my dream and wishes are fragile,
You give me strength and make me smile.

When things are not well and I lose the race,
You guide me to face it with diligence and grace.

When I feel that I have lost everything,
You gave me valor to stand for something.

All you have given me is love, joy, compassion and tenacity,
To survive in pain, misery, failure and adversity.

- Ankita Sharma



Creating Magic at Work

- Mr. Kartik Pandya

I was watching this show on TV that revealed the secrets behind the world's greatest magicians and I was amazed. Magic tricks were decoded on the show and it left me baffled that magic was not magic after all; it was a lot of hard work. If you look closely at the lives of all the people you admire, whose work seems to create magical results, you will find a lot of hard work behind it. I had so much excitement running through my veins that when I switched off the TV, I had to pen down this article. Here is decoding the magic at work for you.

1. It's pre planned: Beneath the surface of the magical illusion, you will find that every trick was pre planned. The magic was not a random activity; it was not something that was conjured up in the spur of the moment. It was meticulously planned, leading the audience in the direction of its occurrence. It was magic because you didn't expect it; and it was magic because the magician led you there. When the magician was making a conversation with you about the car you drive, it was not small talk. He talks you into the speed and the model of the car and then as a matter of fact asks to see your key, which he has long past picked from your pocket. And when he hands you your key that you can't find any more in your purse, you see magic.

Success is a planned event. Randomity rarely leads to magic, let alone success. Plan where you want to lead your client or team or boss before you go for your meeting or sales pitch. What do you want them to feel? How do you want them to react? What surprises can you plan for them during your presentation? An achiever is a planner and that is the only truth there is.

2. It's practice to perfection: A magician does not become one overnight. It takes hours of practice and rehearsals to create the flawless illusion of magic. It takes a lot of co-ordination and connection to wow people with magical tricks. **Magic is the final stage of practice.** When the magician escapes from the death lock in a matter of seconds, you will find behind it the hours in practice that was perfected into minutes and then seconds to become the magic that entralls you.

Practice your work to perfection. Majority of people 'practice' at work and then they wonder about the disastrous results. Practice for your presentation, your sales talk, and your performance. Practice till your performance becomes magic.

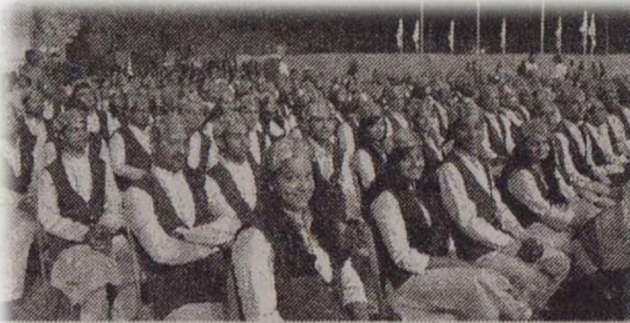
3. It's about trust and teamwork: Once the lights are on, it's Showtime. The magician works his part eloquently in total faith that his team will do their part in time and on time. So while the magician lays the pretty lady on the table alluring your attention away with the sword, other pretty ladies are meticulously working under the table to get the volunteer's body out of the way of the deathly stroke.

Learn to work with people, be the best team player your team can ever have. A magician can't work magic alone and an achiever can't achieve half of his feats alone. Team up with people at every possible opportunity. Everyone can be a party to your success; in fact everyone *wants* to be a party to your success. Flawless teamwork very often leads to magical results at work. Do your part well and trust that the others will support you in executing the magic. Trust is a muscle that needs practice and discipline to become absolute. When you spend time in planning and practice with people, trust comes easily. If magic could be decoded in one word, it would be 'trust' in one's abilities and 'trust' in the support of others.

Magic is within everyone's reach. You can create your magic in whatever you do if you pre plan your work, practice hard to perfection with your team and then trust that all will deliver their promise to entrall the customers, the clients and the management with their coordinated performance.

Rooting for your success. Good Luck!

Indus in NEWS



अहमदाबाद स्थित इंडस युनिवर्सिटी के पहले दीक्षांत समारोह में उपस्थित इसरो के अध्यक्ष ए एस किरणकुमार तथा उपस्थित विद्यार्थी। इस अवसर पर युनिवर्सिटी के अध्यक्ष डॉ नागेश भंडारी, कार्यकारी उपाध्यक्ष डॉ एस बी शर्मा भी उपस्थित थे।

India is in need of skilled generation: Kiran Kumar

'Skilled youth required for economic growth'



ISRO Chairman (second from left) along with other guests

Says ISRO head, AS Kiran Kumar at convocation of Indus University

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Several economists and experts have hailed sustainable development and skill development to be the key drivers for the growth of country's economy. The need for the two to go hand in hand has been further highlighted by ISRO Chairman, AS Kiran Kumar. He was delivering his address as the chief guest at the first convocation of Indus University on Saturday.

According to ISRO Chairman, skill building is an important ingredient that will help drive production and increase the growth rate of the economy. "India has a unique window of 20-25 years, with the country having the world's youngest work force. In addition to this, when the global economy is expected to witness a shortage of skilled manpower in near future, there

is a great opportunity for the youth of the country to meet the skilled manpower requirements within the country and abroad," he said.

"It is necessary that we have a skilled and knowledgeable generation which can comprehend the changing scenario and address issues of sustainable development, bring solutions to current and anticipated problems impacting climate and habitability of the planet and its environment," he said, addressing the students and faculty members of Indus University.

Degrees were conferred to 256 graduating students at the varsity's first convocation organised at its campus in Thalaj. The degrees were granted to students who completed M Tech, MBA, MCA, MSc IT and BSc (AM) in 2014 and 2015. Besides, six special awards including the Bhanwarlal Bhandari Memorial Award, the Bhagwan Swaroop Sharma Memorial Award and the Indubala Bhandari Award were also given to the students.

भारतने कौशल्य धरावती पेढीनी जडूर छे: किरणकुमार

इंडस युनिवर्सिटीना प्रथम पदवीदान समारंभ वખते मुख्य अतिथि ईसरोना चेअरमन ए एस किरणकुमार हाजर रखा आता. ईन्डस युनिवर्सिटीअे प्रथम पदवीदानमां अलग अलग विषयना उपर विद्यार्थीअे पढवी अेनापत करी छती तेमज ए विद्यार्थीअेने अेवोर्ड अेनापत करया छता. ए अेस किरणकुमारे पदवीदान समारोअे संबोधता कर्खुं के आगत निधामां सौधी वषु युवा श्रमदण्ड परावतो देश छे अने अे द्वारा २० थी अण्ड वषे सुधी विकासनां द्वार भुलवा परेत 'डेभोआर्डीक डिविडन्ड' अेसक थाय तेम छे. आ तडनी साथे अे आगामी वर्षांमां दुनियांमां अेवोर्डनां कुशल मानवअणनी तंत्री



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उत्पादननो प्र्याय वधारवा माटे ज नदी पक्ष देशमां अने विदेशमां कुशल मानव अणनी जरूरियात पूर्य करवा परे ए अे अतिथिने कथन केने

जरुरी छे. जे आबु बई शकशे तो अेक नवु वातावरण तैयार बई जे कौशल्यना अभावने करले युवानो केरोअणन नईरो



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Fun, Food and Friends

FEST Students of Indus University are enjoying a week-full of activities with their classf giving them a chance to showcase their talent. On Day 1, youngsters were at their creative best in rangoli, singing and dancing competitions. Also, guys showed off their sporty side in a game of kabaddi. Another interesting event was the Hog-a-Thon, where participants as well as the audience enjoyed some food fun. The game involved 'hogging' and the participant who ate the most, won the competition. There were three rounds - 1 Food Frony: where participants (60 students and 15 faculty) had to hog on samosas; 2 Spicy treat: hog on vadaavaps; and 3 Big feast: burgers. Two students and a faculty member won the contest.

Isro chairman at university convocation

Skill building is an important ingredient in pushing the production possibility frontier outward, and to take growth rate of the economy to a higher trajectory, said AS Kiran Kumar at the first convocation of the Indus University in Ahmedabad. Acunique 20 to 25 years' window of opportunity, called 'demographic dividend', which accounts for the country having the world's youngest work force. Alongside this opportunity, the global economy is expected to witness a shortage of skilled manpower in the coming years.

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