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Cultural Programs, Quiz Competition & Blood Donation Camp marks 75th Republic day celebrations at IIT (ISM); Prof JK Pattanayak, Officiating Director in his address appeals students and faculty members to bring high value projects, develop cutting edge technologies and ensure patenting of research.

Prof JK Pattanayak, Officiating Director, IIT (ISM) gave a brief account of achievements of the institute at the national and international level during the recent past and also unfolded the future development plans of the institute as part of his Republic Day address at IIT (ISM) today.

He also appealed the students and faculty members to bring high value projects, develop cutting edge technologies and ensure patenting of the institute research as these are crucial components of to achieve better ranking for the institute.

The main function began at around 9 a.m. at Oval Garden on the institute with the flag hoisting carried out by Prof JK Pattanayak in presence of Shri Prabodh Pandey, Registrar; Deans, HODs, faculty members, officers, staff and their family members.

This was followed by the cultural programs performed by the children of the faculty members, officers and staff.

"We need to set up our individual, academic and research goals besides department goals to scale up our institute to newer heights" said Prof Pattanayak.

Prof Pattanayak also felicitated the winners different competitions held at the institute after the cultural programme.

"As we gather here today to celebrate the 75th Republic Day of India, let us reflect upon the glorious past, a rich present and a scintillating future for our nation. Our nation's vibrant culture and heritage serve as a source of inspiration for the world. On this historic occasion, let us pay homage to the countless men and women who sacrificed their lives for the freedom we cherish today. Their courage and resilience paved the way for an independent India, a land where diversity is celebrated, and unity is our strength" said Pattanayak, while addressing people during the occassion.

Regarding the recent activities and initiatives of the institute = he said that the institute received 5 G use case labs, under the "100 5G Labs Initiative" by Department of Telecommunications on October 27, 2023 at the Indian Mobile Congress from Honourable Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi.

Another historic of institute was on Nov 15th, 2023 when Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi dedicated, Aquamarine Hostel at IIT (ISM) which in an architectural gem.

A quiz competition, BHARATVERSE was also organized by the Quiz Club of the institute at Penman Auditorium from 4 p.m.

Meanwhile, a mega blood donation camp was also organized by Blood Line a wing of student society, Fast Forward India at the Health Centre of the institute, besides at Asian Jalan Hospital, near City Centre; Gurukripa Motors, Saraidhela; Asarfi Hospital, Patliputra Nursing Home, Joraphatak, Bank More etc.

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