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The EIACP Programme Centre (RP), Department of Environmental Science & Engineering, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, to celebrate World Ozone Day 2024 on September 16, 2924 by conducting a host of events, including plantation drive, key note lectures, and talks.

The EIACP Programme Centre (RP), Department of Environmental Science & Engineering, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, on September 16, 2024 (Monday), will organize the World Ozone Day 2024 celebration on this year's theme, "Montreal Protocol: Advancing Climate Action.".

The event will begin with a plantation drive at 8:30 a.m. at 180 Quarters, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, followed by the formal inauguration and keynote lectures and talks by distinguished speakers from 9:00 a.m. onwards at the Golden Jubilee Lecture Theatre (GJLT), IIT (ISM) Dhanbad.

The keynote lectures and talks scheduled during the day are as follows:

- 1. Ozone: Basics to its Stratospheric Resurrection by Prof. Mukesh Sharma, Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, IIT Kanpur.
- 2. Importance of World Ozone Day by Prof. Manish Jain, Professor, ESE Department, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad
- 3. Emission Accumulation and Transport of Ozone-Depleting Substances by Prof Suresh Pandian, Associate Professor, ESE Department, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad

It is worth mentioning here that the EIACP Programme Centre (RP) at the Department of Environmental Science & Engineering, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, has been awarded the Best EIACP Centre in the East Zone during the All India EIACP Coordinator's Meet held on September 7, 2024, at New Delhi. This prestigious recognition was presented by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF&CC), Government of India.

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