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Shri Amrit Sagar Chopra Donates INR 1 Crore to IIT (ISM) Dhanbad's Centenary Celebrations

Shri Amrit Sagar Chopra, a distinguished alumnus of the Mining Engineering batch of 1961 from IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, has made a generous contribution of INR 1 crore towards the institute's Centenary Celebrations. The cheque was presented to Prof. R M Bhattacharjee, Dean of International Relations & Alumni Affairs, and Mr. Mritunjay Sharma, Assistant Registrar (IRAA), during a recent visit to Bengaluru.

This latest donation marks Mr. Chopra's continued commitment to his alma mater, having previously contributed INR 1 crore earlier in 2023 for the same cause. With this recent donation, his total contributions to the Centenary Fund have reached an impressive INR 2 crore.

The leadership at IIT (ISM) Dhanbad expressed profound gratitude for Mr. Chopra's unwavering support. Prof. Sukumar Mishra, Director of IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, commended Mr. Chopra's philanthropy, stating, "An alumnus like Shri AmritSagar Chopra will always elevate the institution to greater heights. His generous donation reflects not only his strong emotional bond with the institute but also inspires our entire alumni community."

Prof. Bhattacharjee also conveyed heartfelt thanks on behalf of the institution, recognizing Mr. Chopra's steadfast support and dedication to IIT (ISM).

As IIT (ISM) Dhanbad prepares to celebrate its 100-year milestone December 9, 2026, the institute will officially commence its Centenary celebrations on December 9, 2024. Plans are underway to host 100 programs as part of this historic occasion, commemorating a century of excellence in technical education in India.

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