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# 27th Convocation of Sukhadia University, Udaipur

#### **Knowledge of** duties along with rights is an important need today -Governor

**Udaipur:** Governor Shri Kalraj Mishra said that in today's environment it is necessary that we establish universal human values in thought and practice along with livelihood skills. We need to know the basic rights as well as duties in the current context. He said that our educational institutions should become centers for spreading the light of education and knowledge along with education, because education is a means of knowledge and achievement and it is necessary to have purity in the instrument. For this, both the teacher and the learner will have to be disciplined. The Governor was addressing the 27th convocation of Mohanlal Sukhadia University in Udaipur on Saturday. convocation held

at the University's Vivekananda Auditorium, Governor said that we should strive to contribute towards the solution of contemporary social national and global challenges while holding on to our ancient values. For this, along with humanities and social knowledge, more research will have to be emphasized in the areas of commerce, law, management, science and technology etc.

The Governor said that on

November 26, the 70th

Constitution Day was celebrated all over the country. The constitution is our guide; our basic text is that the youth will have to move forward by adopting the duties provided in the constitution to play an important role in nation building. He said that the public is aware of the basic rights but remains ignorant of the basic duties. It is very important for all people to know the constitution. He expressed a desire that a campaign should be launched in the universities to make the youth aware of basic duties so that the young generation of



the country can get to know about the basic duties. He suggested that seminars and seminars should be organized to discuss this. On the convocation the Governor administered the oath of constitution and basic duties to all the students present.

The Governor expressed happiness over the number of female students outnumbering the convocation and said that it is pleasant that the country's Lakshmi, daughters of the country are waving their glory in the academic world.

Governor Shri Kalraj Mishra

students.among them, 131 were awarded degrees and 67 were awarded gold medals and degrees. Along with this, Chancellor Medals were also given to a total of 7 meritorious students. The convocation conferred degrees on 17 students of the Faculty of Science, 11 from the Faculty of Earth Sciences, 23 from the Faculty of Social Sciences, 16 from the Faculty of Commerce, 4 from the Faculty of Law, 16 from the Faculty of Education,

14 from the Faculty of

Management Studies and 30

from the Faculty of Humanities Has gone. Gold medals were awarded to a total of seven students in the memory of Dr. CB Mamoria, Prof. Lalit Shankar, Pushpa Devi Sharma, Prof. Vijay Srimali, Prof. RK Srivastava in the gold medal

Higher Education Minister Shri Bhanwar Singh Bhati, the special quest of the convocation said that the state government is making all possible efforts to promote higher education. Today, educational institutions have reached subdivision level and remote

areas in every corner of the state. He said that the Ministry of Higher Education is continuously promoting the plans and programs for the development and expansion of universities and colleges, strengthening higher educational institutions through various schemes. Determined for rural edu-

cation and girl education, the state government has issued approval to fill the vacant posts of 1000 teachers in higher education. He said that the state government announced the opening of two universities in the first cabinet meeting on taking oath, while in the first budget, 50 state colleges were opened in which 10,000 students have also taken admission. The Higher Education Minister said that the application of information technology in higher education is proving to be a revolutionary step for development.

Our institutions are innovating in the direction of elearning, through information technology, a student of village Dhani can also get the benefit of the knowledge of the scholars of the universities at home Bhati said that under the Chief Minister Skill Development Scheme, we want to make education employable, under which 39 skill development courses are being conducted in 150 colleges of the state.

Director of Inter University Accelerator Center New Delhi Prof. Avinash Chandra Pandev said in the convocation speech that in a knowledge-based economy there should be the ability to develop innovative knowledge and which should also be updated with the knowledge developed in other countries. Today excellence in all aspects of higher education is expected. Innovation in technology development and higher education is necessary in collaboration with high quality research and development. Prof. Pandey urged the students to always remain optimistic and to distance themselves from the negative things often appearing in newspapers and electronic media

Indian youth have the potential to grow rapidly, so we must constantly strive to improve the system further. He said that it is our primary and fundamental responsibility to fulfill the dreams of our nation makers where human beings can live independently with basic facilities. Prof. Pandey said that we should use our capabilities to consider issues and problems independently.

At the commencement of the convocation, the Vice Chancellor of the University, Prof. Narendra Singh Rathore, while welcoming all the guests, also gave detailed information about various academic and research achievements earned by the university in the last academic session. The academic conduct of the program was conducted by University Registrar Himmat Singh Baruth. Members of the management board and MLA Gaiendra Singh Shaktawat were present in the program along with other distinguished citizens, academicians etc. of

## **Academic superiority and updated** research time required - Governor



the convocation ceremony of MPUAT

**Udaipur:** The 13th convocation ceremony of Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture and Technology was held He said that the seed which was sown on Sunday morning at Swami as Maharana Pratap Agricultural Vivekananda Auditorium on the univer-

Presiding over the convocation, the Governor and Chancellor Shri Kalraj Ji Mishra, while bowing to the Veer Shiromani Maharana Pratap, congratulated all the gold medal winning and graduated students. At the beginning of the program. he made a new beginning and first read the Constitution's purpose and the basic duties of the citizens. All those present in the House with him assimilated them and repeated it. He told that every citizen of the country, along with students and younger generation, should discharge their original duties for national unity, integrity and social harmony. Where do we talk about the fundamental rights, but we understand our duties and do our work and behavior accordingly, so that every citizen of the country can play an important role in nation building, we have to bring the basic duty of citizens in our conduct

Appreciating the steps taken by the Vice Chancellor in many directions for the progress of the University, he expected the youth studying in agricultural universities to discharge responsibility with technical excellence. He also urged the initiated students to discharge their responsibilities honestly for the progress of the nation, agricultural development of the state, stating their academic superiority and up-to-date research as the need

He said that in this age of competition, even in labor-intensive fields like agriculture, girls are not less than anyone. Out of the gold medals awarded today, 2 gold medals were awarded to students and 2 to PhD students, but out

**900 students receive initiation at** of a total of 35 undergraduate and postgraduate, 19 gold medals and chancellor gold medals, the girls have proved their superiority by receiving more medals. University 20 years ago has taken the form of a Banyan tree, I expect all of you to grow and flourish under the umbrella of this tree. He also asked the graduated students to work at a double speed and make a significant contribution to the agricultural development of the country. He said that natural agriculture will be of zero budget, on this our agricultural scientists need to do more research, so that by 2022, we will be able to achieve the goal of doubling the income of farmers. He also talked about the minimum and sensible full use of water in farming, keeping in mind the soil health, and human resource skill in farming, perfect coordination of labor and mechanization. He also gave guidelines to focus on the use of innovations like Artificial Intelligence and Robotics, emphasizing on the modernization of agriculture.Dr. Punjab Singh, former Director General. ICAR and Secretary, Department of Agricultural Research and Education and present Chancellor Rani Laxmibai Central Agricultural University, Jhansi, were awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Science in their absence at the convocation ceremony. Pro. Punjab Singh could not attend the ceremony due to unavoidable reasons.

> Honored guest of the function, Dr. Amar Singh Faroda, former Chairman, Agricultural Scientist Selection Board and First Vice-Chancellor Maharana Pratap University of Agriculture and Technology, in his convocation address, congratulated the university on completing its 20 years of establishment on November 1, he said that these 20 The university has progressed progressively over the years. He told that due to the untiring efforts of

our agricultural scientists, our food grains production has increased to 284 million tonnes and that of the state to 22.8 million tonnes. Our country also produces 314.7 million tonnes in horticultural crops. Rajasthan also contributed about 25 percent of the total oilseed production. But there is a great need to do remarkable work in dairy, animal husbandry, fish and horticultural production, food processing, promotion, organic farming etc. He also advised the students to work hard, learn diligently and adopt innovation. Vice Chancellor of the University

Prof. Narendra Singh Rathore informed the House about the achievements of the last one year of the University in his report. He said that Smart Classroom, Innovative Teaching, Improvement in Education and Courses, Research and essary steps to improve rankings, Digitization of Placement Cell, Readiness and Improvement in Dissemination Services, New Development of technologies and varieties, quality seed production, agricultural advisory service, institution and infrastructural development, international MoU, inter The national award-winning startup be given incentives to farmers and training of agricultural scientists from different states of the country, and especially focus on administrative reforms. He said that this year our university has developed three maize and a new variety of groundnut. produced 3727 quintal quality seeds, 64000 plants, 76000 great chicks, 3.73 crore fish seeds and bio-fertilizers etc. Pro. Rathore said that MPUAT has done international MoU for academic exchange with Western Sydney University, one of our startups has been awarded internationally. We have also done skill development work of more than 10 thousand farmers in 7 districts of the university's area, as well as many farmers fairs in Jal Shakti Abhiyan.

In the convocation ceremony, the Governor gave away gold medals to the eligible students of 13 undergraduates, 20 postgraduates and 4 PhDs for securing first position in the concerned subject. In addition, Ms. Kavita Bhatt, a student of the College of Community and Applied Sciences, was awarded the Chancellor Gold Medal and Jain Irrigation Gold Medals were awarded to 2 students of the Engineering College.

900 students were given initiation at the convocation and were awarded degrees. Out of these, 687 students were

given graduation, 148 students were given post-graduation and 65 students were awarded the degree of education. Out of these students, 27.5 per cent, 48.6 per cent and 40 per cent are undergraduate, postgraduate and academic students respectively, thus, the total share of the students who got the degree was 38.5 per cent.

Graduates include 194 in the Faculty of Agriculture, 390 in the Faculty of Engineering and Technology, 21 in the College of Community and Applied Sciences, 56 in the Faculty of Dairy and Food Sciences and 26 in the Faculty of Fisheries. Similarly, postgraduate degrees include 61 from the Faculty of Agriculture, 60 from the Engineering Faculty, 22 from the Community and Applied Sciences and five from the

Out of the PhD degrees, 25 degrees were awarded to the Faculty of Agriculture, 22 to the Faculty of Agriculture, two to the Faculty of Engineering and 16 to the students of the College of Community and Applied

Convenor of Convocation Ceremony, Dr. Ajay Kumar Sharma, Founder of Engineering College, told that the students, parents and all the officials who attended the convocation followed the dress code in the ceremony. Kurta and women made the ceremony dignified by wearing white saree, salwar suit etc. He informed that the program was conducted by the Registrar, Mrs. Kavita Pathak and Controller of Examinations Dr. Sunil Intodia. Media in-charge Dr. Subodh Sharma said that the ceremony was simple and peaceful. On this occasion, the enthusiasm of the student students was at its peak, after the program everyone photographed with degrees and medals along with their teachers, parents and guests. He informed that the Vice Chancellor of various State Agricultural Universities of Rajasthan -Prof. R. P. Singh, Prof. J., S. Sandhu, Prof. B. R. Chaudhary, Prof. DC Joshi, several former Vice Chancellors, distinguished guests, members of the Board of Management, Finance Controller, Dr. Sanjay Singh, former and current Director, Founder, OSD, Guardian, Professor and student students etc. were present. The ceremony commenced with the arrival of the academic procession, the worship of Mata Saraswati, the singing of the national anthem and the Kulgeet and concluding the national anthem.

### **Governor inaugurates** Shilpgram festival

Udaipur: Governor Shri Kalraj Mishra has said that our folk arts, craft traditions, food, clothing, jewelery and even our ethos and thoughts are able to bind us together. The 'Shilpagram Utsav' is also the best medium to reveal the true nature of 'Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat' by placing India's unity and superiority on the world stage through rich art heritage and culture.

Governor Shri Mishra expressed these views while inaugurating "Shilpagram Utsav" organized by the Western Zone Cultural Center in Udaipur.

He said that the 'Shilpagram' festival organized with the aim of bringing India's rich diversified art heritage to the general public, showcasing art to artists and artisans and making the craftsman directly contact the buyers of craft products with a new artist Used to be. In which artists of folk, classical and sub-classical arts and crafts have been invit-

He said that festivals, festivals and festivals are an integral part of the culture of India. These are the occasions when people gather together in one place to express their feelings through dance, music, singing, playing with mutual love, harmony and fraternity. Giving information about the creative activities happening during the Shilpgram festival, the Governor said that for the first time, the Young Talent Folk Art Award of the Government of India has been included in the festival. In addition to folk art exhibits and crafts in the festival, "Hivda Ri Hook" and "Cultural Quiz" will also be organized at Banjara



Theater to increase participation of general public. He also informed about the art presentations of 800 folk artists from all over India and the craftsmanship of 400 craftsmen from all over India during the festival

At the ceremony, state's Art and Culture Minister Dr. BD Kalla said that every particle of Mewar has history and moment to moment inspiration. Every new morning starts with music and the evening also with music. Here every festival, festival, fairs have unique philosophy of diversified culture. He said that Shilpgram has a special contribution in terms of preserving and promoting folk arts.

Here folk artisans from different corners of the country get their culture visualized. He termed the contribution of former Prime Minister of India Rajiv Gandhi in the preservation and promotion of folk arts as important and said that the state government would fully contribute to the devel-

opment of this institution. While addressing the program, Leader of Rajasthan Legislative Assembly and Udaipur City MLA Gulabchand Kataria said that the culture and art of Mewar holds its own special place not only in the country but around the

The credit of saving folk arts and giving them a unique identity goes to this Shilpgram. He said that all possible assistance will be given by the Central Government in the development of Shilpagram. Udaipur MP Arjunlal Meena and Chittorgarh MP CP Joshi were also present on the occasion.Director in charge Sudhanshu Singh greeted all the guests by presenting mementoes during the program.

Shilpagram festival started by playing the song:

Earlier, the Governor Shri Mishra and the guests started the Shilpagram festival by lighting the lamp after lighting the lamp in front of the Shri Ganesh image at Muktakashi Theater.

Dr. Komal Kothari Honors to Folk Artologist

At the inauguration ceremony of the Shilpgram festival, the Governor awarded the Life Time Achievement Folk Art Award to the folk artist of Guiarat. Hasmukh Vrajlal Yagnik, for his remarkable work in the field of folk art in the member states of the center in memory of Dr. Komal Kothari, folk artist of Rajasthan. be provided.

The Governor and the Minister of Arts and Culture presented the honor to the Yagnik after offering a wreath with a shawl and offering a cash amount of Rs 2.51 lakh, silver plaque

### 13 students of Pacific got Placements in AU bank



**Udaipur:** The Placement of 13 more students took place at the campus placement drive held on December 8, 2019, at the Faculty of Management of the Pacific University.

Au Small Finance Bank selected these 13 students for the post of Relationship

Officer with a package of 3.50 lakh. Dean, Prof. Mahima Birla told that all these students are M.B.A. Studying in the third semester. The campus drive was conducted by the cluster head and HR manager of the bank. In the selection process conducted in two stages, first, the selection was made on the basis of group selection and then personal interview.

Dr. Shivoh Singh of the college said that these 13 selected students are as follows - Aditi Nahar, Deeksha Srivastava, Harshita Soni, Meghna Saini, Shraddha Sharma, Kriti Jain, Kriti Joshi, Nikhil Suthar, Neha Swarnakar, Rasik Tandon, Upendra Kumar, Vishwas Soni, and Jaideep Kothari. All these students will be posted in various branches located in Udaipur division of the bank.

It is worth mentioning that the placements of these students have been completed during the third semester only, while their fourth semester is still remain-

College Placement Incharge Dr. Shankar Chaudhary and Dr. Narendra Chavda informed that before this, 31 students of the college have been placed in ICICI Bank and other reputed companies and 4 other companies are going to drive the campus in the next few days. It is worth mentioning that last year, 92 percent of the students of the college were selected through Campus Drive.

#### Seven-month-old girl gets rid of a rare tumor



Udaipur: Physicians at the Pacific Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS), Umrada, has given a new life to a seven-month-old girl by removing a lump of coconut size from her

PIM's chairman Ashish Agarwal said that seven-month-old Lali (name changed), resident of Udaipur, was admitted to PIMSfew days back. Investigations revealed a tumor lump as large as the size of a coconut in the

baby's abdomen. This tumor lump was rare, as well as just below the main blood vessels of the body (aorta and vena cava). In this way (child surgeon) Dr. Praveen Jhanwar, (cancer surgeon) Dr. S. Das and (anesthesiologist) Dr. Suresh performed a successful operation of the baby girl. After the operation under the supervision of Dr. Vivek Parashar (Child Specialist), the girl was looked after in intensive treatment. The girl was discharged when she was healthy. After 15 days of followup, the baby is in a healthy state.