



Event Snapshots

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IIT Bhubaneswar signs MoU with Institute of Life Sciences for collaboration in technical education and research

Special Emphasis on research for development of vaccine to prevent tuberculosis

With an objective to explore opportunities of collaboration in technical education and research, IIT Bhubaneswar has signed an MoU with Institute of Life Sciences (ILS). The MoU was signed by Prof. Rajesh Roshan Dash, Dean-Sponsored Research & Industrial Consultancy (SRIC) (In-Charge) and Prof. Debasis Dash, Director of Institute of Life Sciences, in the presence of Director Prof. Shreepad Karmalkar on 30th May 2024.



The MoU intends to have collaboration between the two premier institutions to bring about excellence in technical education, particularly in the fields of Biological Sciences, Molecular Biology, and Microbiology to improve the quality of academic practices and to build research capabilities of their students and faculty members. It may be mentioned that both institutes have agreed to carry out research projects with special emphasis on the development of vaccine for preventing tuberculosis. Also, as per the MoU, the Faculty members from IIT Bhubaneswar and ILS will be free to collaborate and train students of both institutes in their area of expertise based on mutually agreed programs; they can jointly organize symposia, colloquium, workshops, seminars, and conferences on chosen topics and areas to train students in both the institutes; and conduct joint research projects based on specific interest of individual faculties of both the institutes.

Cloth Donation Drive by Team UBA



Under the Health & Hygiene Theme, team Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) of IIT Bhubaneswar held a Cloth Donation Drive at the Migrant Workers' Colony inside the institute premises on 26th May 2024. All good conditioned clothes were segregated and donated to the needy residents of the colony. It is noteworthy that UBA team is continuously making efforts towards the welfare of society.

STORY OF ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations Prof. Rajan Jha!

For being appointed as an Associate Editor for Optics Express



Prof. Rajan Jha, Head of School, School of Basic Sciences has been appointed as an Associate Editor for Optics Express, (ranked 1st in Optics Category), OPTICA, USA: (<https://opg.optica.org/oe/journal/oe/about.cfm>).

Key Journal Metrics

Impact Factor: 3.8

Eigenfactor Score: 0.11061 (ranked 1st out of 102 journals)

Total Citations: 141,373

Journal Citation Indicator: 1.19

Google Scholar h5-index: 105⁺

"To touch the sky, you just have to get that little bit closer."

— Anthony T. Hincks



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