

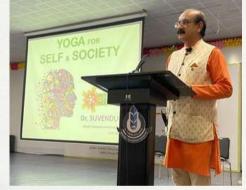
# Event Snapshots

### International Day of Yoga

IIT Bhubaneswar celebrated the 10th Edition of International Yoga Day with great enthusiasm and fervor on June 21, 2024. The event was organized under the ambit of Institute's Extra Academic Activity (EAA) and healthcare units in association with the health club of the campus. This year, the theme for International Yoga Day was 'Yoga for Self and Society,' effectively encapsulating the efforts towards attaining holistic wellbeing of human society.



Dr. Suvendhu Das, a People Management Expert, Professional Trainer and Inspirational Speaker graced the International Yoga Day celebration as the Chief Guest and enlightened the audience about the role of yoga in self-awakening and social well-being.





At the outset, an array of yoga asanas (postures), pranayama (breathing exercises), and meditation techniques were performed under the guidance of yoga instructors, Mr. Ramkrishna and Ms. Jharna. Participants of various age groups actively engaged in the session, demonstrating their commitment to holistic well-being.



## Seminar on New Criminal Law





IIT Bhubaneswar has organized a seminar to spread awareness on the new Criminal Law of India on 22nd June 2024. Dr. Sarthak Sarangi, IPS, Odisha (in the rank of DIG Police), SP Berhampur graced the occasion and sensitized the members of the institute on three new Criminal Laws namely, **Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita, 2023**, **Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023** and **Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023**, which will replace the British era colonial laws, namely, the Indian Penal Code, 1860, the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (Original version 1882) and the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 respectively. He elaborately discussed the different modifications being made through the implementation of the new Criminal Laws and addressed the queries of the audience. The seminar was coordinated by Prof. Rajesh Roshan Dash, Dean-Student Affairs.



### Hindi Workshop on 'Use of Hindi in Government work: Opportunities and Limitations'

IIT Bhubaneswar has organized a Hindi workshop on 20th June 2024 with the theme 'Use of Hindi in Government work: Opportunities and Limitations'. The workshop was conducted by the Official Language Unit of IIT Bhubaneswar. The programme was presided over by Prof. Shreepad Karmalkar, Director, IIT Bhubaneswar. On this occasion, Dr. Abhishek Sharma, Senior Assistant Professor, Ravenshaw University registered his dignified presence as a guest speaker and shared his valuable thoughts with the participants. Shri Bamadev Acharya, Registrar, IIT Bhubaneswar also graced the programme.

In his address, Dr. Sharma emphasized the importance of Hindi for the development of the country. He also highlighted the importance of languages in nation building and said that use of Hindi, along with regional languages and mutual communication can open the doors of growth and prosperity. He mentioned that the implementation of National Education (NEP-2020) would lead Policy to development Indian languages, thereby paving way for the overall development of the country. With examples, he suggested the judicious use of Hindi in the regular official work, which provided a valuable insight to the participants.





Dr. Chetan, Professor-in-Charge (Raj Bhasha) introduced the guest speaker and mentioned the relevance of the theme of the workshop.

Dr. Sambhunath Sahoo, Assistant Librarian and Hindi Officer in-charge, IIT Bhubaneswar delivered the welcome address. The programme was coordinated by Shri Hemant Kumar Yadav, Hindi Translator of the Institute.

# **Conference on Mathematics**



Prof. Steven Dale Cutkosky and Prof. Hema Srinivasan from the University of Missouri-Columbia, USA visited School of Basic Sciences during the period of 20th to 24th June 2024. As part of their visit, they delivered talks on different concepts.

Prof. Cutkosky's spoke on 'Resolution of singularities', wherein he discussed the concept of singularity and known results on resolution of singularities in algebraic geometry and indicated how resolution of singularities holds in positive characteristic if there is no defect in suitable projections.

Prof. Srinivasan delivered a talk on 'Numerical semigroups via principal matrices' wherein she defined the principal matrix of a numerical semigroup and discussed the problem of determining numerical semigroups with the given matrix as principal.

Dr. Arpan Dutta, Assistant professor, School of Basic Sciences coordinated the programme.

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