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WELCOME NEW VICE CHANCELLOR

Alumni Association welcomes Prof. N B Singh as new Vice Chancellor of Harcourt Butler Technological University Kanpur.



For the message of the Vice Chancellor, visit :

<http://hbtu.ac.in/vice-chancellors-message/>

Prof. N B Singh took over from Prof. Vinay Pathak on 21st February 2018. Prior to this, Prof. Singh was serving as HOD, Department of Civil Engineering in IET Lucknow.

Alumni Association also thanks Prof. Vinay Pathak for his vision, leadership, guidance and mentoring to HBTU community & students.

ALUMNI AFFAIRS

Welcome to the second edition of this monthly newsletter. This newsletter is an outcome of one of the decisions made during first meeting of Executive Committee on 7th January 2018.

The Alumni Association HBTI Kanpur website (www.alumnihbtu.com) has been revamped and migrated to a robust and scalable platform on the cloud. This has resulted into nearly 60% growth in new registration of alumni on the website.

The new website is secure and has integration with Payment Gateway. Alumni can now pay life membership fees online from the website, after registration.

If you have not registered so far, then Visit <http://www.alumnihbtu.com/create-account.php>

STUDENT AFFAIRS

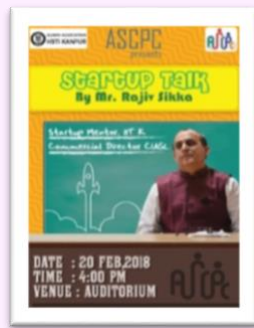
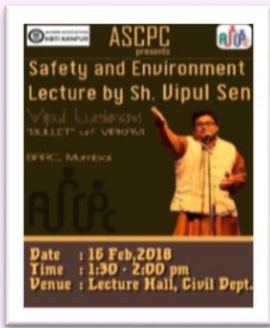
The Alumni Student Connect Program, an Alumni Association initiative formed under the Executive Member (Skill Development), Alumni Association, organized 2 lectures for the benefit of the HBTU Students.

On 16th Feb 2018, **Mr. Vipul Sen (1982 Bio)** addressed the students on safety and environment.

On 20th Feb 2018, **Mr. Rajiv Sikka (1986 Mech)** interacted students in person, spoke about the start-up/entrepreneurship and conducted small quiz during the session.

On 20th Feb 2018, **Mr. Radha Kant Jaiswal (1991 EC)** joined over Skype to make the students aware about the 'Soft-Skills', in professional life.

ASCPC EVENTS



ALUMNI IN NEWS

- **Mr. Ashutosh Karnatak (1980 Elect)**, Director Projects GAIL spoke at the World Bank's event on Smart Cities in New Delhi on 15 Feb 2018.
- **Mr. Ashish Kumar Saxena (1976 Elect)**, MD ASK Information Technology Services Pvt Ltd, is recognized as one of the fifty most innovative leaders on the World CSR Day & World Sustainability on 21 Feb 2018.
- **Mr. Atul Mehra (1985 Mech)**, made his company Tasty Dairy Specialties Limited public by entering into capital market by bringing IPO in Feb 2018.
- HBTU's Plastic Technology was established in 1964. Since then, HBTU alumni in Plastic Technology play a leadership role in various industry events. This year too, a large number of Harcourtians participated in **PLASTINDIA 2018**, on 7-12 Feb 2018 at Ahmadabad. Following Harcourtians attended this event :
 - Mr. S P Dehar (1976 Plastic) - Ulai Enterprises Pvt. Ltd (UEPL)
 - Mr. Vineet Gupta (1990 Plastic) - HPCL Mittal Energy
 - Mr. Dharam Pal Pandey (2005 Plastic) - Basell Polyolefins
 - Mr. Amit Gupta (2003 Plastic) - Henkel India
 - Mr. Satya Bhushan (2004 Plastic) - Borouge Pvt Ltd.
 - Mr. Ashok Gupta (1986 Plastic) - SCJ group of Industries
 - Mr. Prabhu Narayan Chakrawal (2012 Plastic), Mr. Bhalendu Chauhan (2012 Plastic), Mr. Anupam Mishra (2000 Plastic) and Mr. Rajneesh Yadav (1993 Plastic) - IOCL
 - Mr. Shailesh Gupta (2010 Plastic), Mr. Krishna Kant Verma (1998 Plastic) and Mr. Rajesh Gera (1985 Plastic) - Reliance
 - Mr. Hari Gusain (1990 Plastic) and Mr. Akhil Rastogi (2001 Plastic) – ExxonMobil
 - **A group of students of 3rd year, Department of Plastic Technology HBTU Kanpur**, under guidance of HBTU faculty member Mohd. Sharib.
- **Professor S. K. Singh (1991 Civil)**, Senior Principal Scientist and Professor, AcSIR at CSIR - Central Building Research Institute, Roorkee and team were conferred with CSIR-CBRI Diamond Jubilee Director's Technology Award for **Coal Ash Utilization through Geo-polymer Concrete for In-situ Construction**.



SPECIAL THANKS TO MR. VIPUL SEN (1982 BIO)

It was a heart-warming gesture on the part of **Mr Vipul Sen (1982 Bio)** who gifted one Public Announcement (PA) system to the Alumni Association. Actually Mr Vipul visited HBTU to give guest lecture, but finding Alumni Association scrambling for PA system, he responded in a quick manner by gifting the PA system on the spot.

The gesture is highly appreciated by the all Alumni Members.



ALUMNI CHAPTERS IN NEWS

Lucknow chapter organized a get together on 11th Feb 2018 which was attended by over 20 alumni members.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- The Lucknow Chapter is organizing HOLI MILAN & 5th Lucknow HBTU Alumni Meet on 17 Mar 2018 at Hotel Dayal Paradise, Gomati Nagar, Lucknow. For participation, kindly contact Mr Raj Kumar on 9415483816 or rajkr412@gmail.com
- Department of Paint Technology, HBTU Kanpur in association with Paint and Coating Technologists' Association is organizing a National Seminar on 'Expanding Horizon in Surface Coating' on 17-18 Mar 2018 at HBTU Kanpur. Dr. P K Kamani, HOD Department of Paint Technology, HBTU Kanpur is the Organizing Secretary. You may reach him on pkkamani@rediffmail.com

ALUMNI FEEDBACK

It is a welcome move. I hope the new team of alumni will do really better and best for HBTU. My heartiest congratulation and best wishes for future.

Vipul Sen

Alumni Association newsletter is really a great initiative. We may also think & decide regarding the publication of HBTU Technical Journal / Magazine like others institute IISC, IIP etc. Technical articles may be contributed by Alumni, Faculty, Students and campus events can be also captured in journal/ magazine like a departmental seminar, VIP visits etc.

Prabhu N. Chakrawal

Firstly, I am very thankful to you for sharing such delightful information. It is quite nice and substantially required initiative by the committee in the endeavor to transform the scenario of our prestigious college into a better one. This will give us a better way to remain aware about any of the events happening. I will be contributing towards this act which is a laudable initiative among the students community.

Nikhil Anand

Excellent Initiative, it must continue. I am sure the newsletter would become the vital bridge between the institute and the alumni.

Satyendra Sinha

Your feedback is great encouragement for us. Kindly write to newsletter@alumnihbti.com

APPEAL

- In order to receive periodic communication, we urge you to kindly register yourself at alumni website :
<http://www.alumnihbti.com/create-account.php>
- The students of HBTU face problem in arranging Projector/ good chairs in Rajiv Agha Memorial Alumni Association Hall which is utilised by the student for Alumni Student Connect Program. This Hall is also used for Group Discussion and Interviews by Training & Placement Cell, HBTU Kanpur. If you wish to come forward and help, kindly contact secretary@alumnihbti.com
- President, Alumni Association, Prof (Dr) Onkar Singh exhorted all to come forward and support our Alma Mater. See the full text on <http://www.alumnihbti.com/appeal.php>

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