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आईआईटी कानपुर के प्रोफेसर घपले के आरोप में गिरफ्तार

सागर/कानपुर, 23 फरवरी (एजेंसी): सीबीआई ने डॉ. हरीसिंह गौर केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय सागर के पूर्व कुलपति एन. एस. गजभिए को विश्वविद्यालय में हुए नियुक्ति घोटाले के सिलसिले में सोमवार को आईआईटी कानपुर से गिरफ्तार कर लिया। वह इस समय आईआईटी कानपुर में रसायन शास्त्र के प्रोफेसर के पद पर पदस्थ है।

मध्यप्रदेश के इस पहले प्रतिष्ठित केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय के गजभिए प्रथम कुलपति थे और तत्कालीन संप्रग सरकार ने इसे केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय का दर्जा दिया था। सीबीआई की एक विज्ञप्ति में बताया गया है कि डीएसपी नरेश इंदोरा के नेतृत्व वाली एक सीबीआई टीम ने गजभिए को कानपुर स्थित आईआईटी से गिरफ्तार किया है। इस टीम में डीएसपी डी.के. सिंह एवं प्रकरण के विवेचना अधिकारी पुलिस निरीक्षक शामिल थे। गजभिए इस नियुक्ति प्रकरण में मुख्य आरोपी हैं। इसमें कहा गया है कि गजभिए को आज शाम करीब पौने पांच बजे आईआईटी कानपुर के रसायन शास्त्र विभाग से विभागीय डीन की मौजूदगी में गिरफ्तार किया गया है और गिरफ्तारी पत्र की प्रतिलिपि गजभिए की पत्नी सुषमा गजभिए को मुहैया कराई गई है। उनकी गिरफ्तारी की सूचना संबंधित कल्याणपुर पुलिस थाना तथा आईआईटी कानपुर के रसायन शास्त्र विभाग प्रमुख को भी दी गई है।

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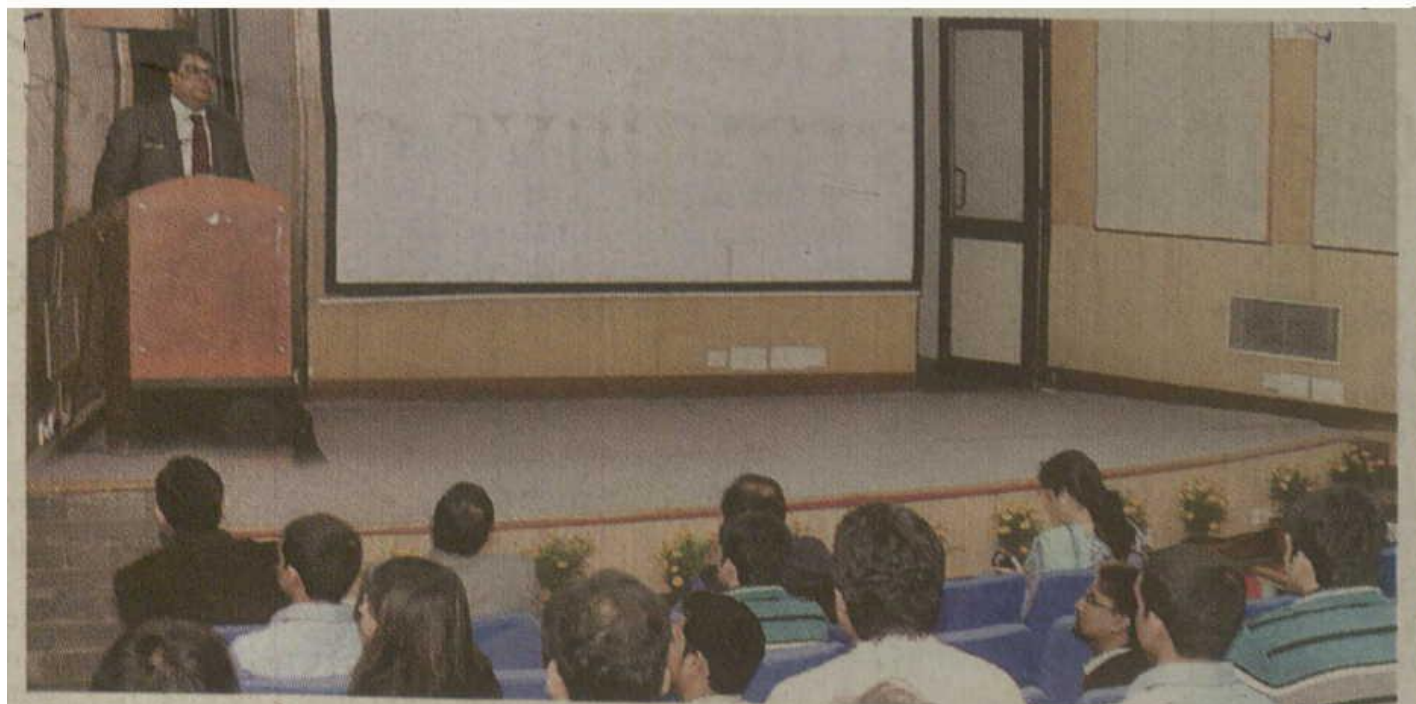
आईआईटी कानपुर के 47वें दीक्षांत समारोह में प्रो जैन, प्रो कृष्णन को मानद उपाधि

कानपुर, (भाषा)। आईआईटी कानपुर के दीक्षांत समारोह के दौरान भारतीय गुणवत्ता परिषद के अध्यक्ष आदिल जैनुलभाई ने कहा कि देश को बेहतर बनाने की जिम्मेदारी विद्यार्थियों के कंधे पर है और उन्हें इसे पूरे जोश से निभाना होगा।

भारतीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान :आईआईटी: कानपुर के 47वें दीक्षांत समारोह में आज 510 विद्यार्थियों को डिग्री प्रदान की गयी। समारोह के मुख्य अतिथि भारतीय गुणवत्ता परिषद के अध्यक्ष आदिल जैनुलभाई थे। संस्थान के इतिहास में इस वर्ष पहली बार दो दीक्षांत समारोहों का आयोजन होगा। आज के दीक्षांत में स्नात्कोत्तर छात्रों को उपाधि दी गयी जबकि मई-जून 2015 में होने वाले दूसरे दीक्षांत में स्नातक स्तर के छात्रों को डिग्री दी जाएगी। दीक्षांत समारोह में हावर्ड मेडिकल स्कूल, अमेरिका के प्रोफेसर आफ ट्यूमर

बायलोजी प्रोफेसर राकेश जैन को ट्यूमर की पहचान एवं उसके उपचार के क्षेत्र में अभूतपूर्व योगदान के लिये 'डाक्टर आफ साइंस' की मानद उपाधि तथा भौतिकी में उत्कृष्ट योगदान के लिये प्रोफेसर टीवी रामाकृष्णन को 'डाक्टर आफ साइंस' की मानद उपाधि दी गयी। अपने दीक्षांत भाषण में जैनुलभाई ने विद्यार्थियों से कहा कि देश को बेहतर बनाने की जिम्मेदारी उनके कंधों पर है। हम ऐसे दौर से गुजर रहे हैं जब पुरी दुनिया में प्रौद्योगिकी तेजी से बढ़ रही है और उसके आधार पर दुनिया तरक्की कर रही है। इस विकास में भारत को महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका अदा करनी है। उन्होंने कहा, "यदि आप किसी क्षेत्र में नाकाम होते हैं तो घबराएं नहीं बल्कि पूरी मेहनत और लगन सों जुटें। एक दिन सफलता आपके कदम चूमेगी क्योंकि नाकामयाबी ही कामयाबी के रास्ते खोलती है।"

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Sincerity, enthusiasm, communication skills and the need to be always ahead of change are basic requisites for the budding business leaders and entrepreneurs said Arup Roy Choudhury, CMD, NTPC while delivering the keynote address at the Annual Management Festival Parivartan at Department of Management Studies IIT, Delhi. He shared rich experiences from his journey as CEO of leading Public Sector companies for over 13 years with the students.

ROPAR

IIT scholars hold protest

Research scholars of the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Ropar, joined the nationwide agitation of research scholars on Monday. The protest is being held against the abolition of slab system for grant of fellowship and disparity in dates of implementing a decision regarding hike in fellowship. The agitating scholars boycotted mess food in protest.

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Varsity students take to streets, protest UGC NET application fee hike

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NEW DELHI: Research scholars and students of Delhi University (DU) and Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU) staged a protest outside the University Grants Commission on Monday against the hike in the application fee of the CSIR-UGC National Eligibility Test (NET).

The fee has been hiked by almost 150 percent.

The Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) UGC NET award of junior research fellowship and eligibility for lectureship is conducted for science stream students. In a notification circular, the application fee has been raised to ₹1,000 for general candidates, ₹500 for students belonging to the OBC and ₹250 for the SC/ST.

Earlier, the fee used to be ₹400 for general, ₹200 for OBC and ₹100 for SC/ST and physically handicapped candidates.

On Monday, the Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP) of DU and JNU led the protest. On February 20, the JNU students union had also carried out a similar protest.

"The application fee for the NET exam which has been increased from ₹400 to ₹1000 should be rolled back in the interest of students from all financial backgrounds," Saket Bahuguna, ABVP Delhi state secretary said.

The JNUSU led by the Left wing All India Students' Association criticized the government. "This is the real Ache Din unfolding and Modi Sarkar is intensifying the war on students. We demand an immediate roll-back," Ashutosh Kumar, JNUSU president said.

आईआईटी कानपुर में बनेगा फ्लेक्सिबल इलेक्ट्रॉनिक सेंटर

कानपुर। आईआईटी कानपुर में देश का पहला फ्लेक्सिबल इलेक्ट्रॉनिक सेंटर बनने जा रहा है और इलेक्ट्रॉनिक एंड इन्फार्मेशन टेक्नालोजी विभाग के सहयोग से शुरू होने वाली इस परियोजना को केंद्र सरकार ने हरी झंडी दे दी है। आईआईटी कानपुर के निदेशक (डायरेक्टर) डा इंद्रनील मन्ना के मुताबिक 133 करोड़ के इस प्रोजेक्ट के लिए 113 करोड़ रूपए की सहायता इलेक्ट्रॉनिक एंड इन्फार्मेशन टेक्नालोजी विभाग देगा जबकि 20 करोड़ रूपए की धनराशि आईआईटी को स्वयं जुटानी होगी। इस फ्लेक्सिबल इलेक्ट्रॉनिक सेंटर में टीवी व एलसीडी समेत अन्य फ्लेक्सिबल डिस्पले इकाइयां बनाने पर रिसर्च होगा। इसके लिए आईआईटी एक चीफ टेक्नालोजी आफिसर और चार टेक्नालोजी आफिसर की नियुक्ति करेगा। उन्होंने बताया कि तीन महीने में फ्लेक्सिबल इलेक्ट्रॉनिक सेंटर का काम शुरू हो जाएगा। इसकी इमारत बनने में दो साल लग जाएंगे। इस पर कुछ छात्र और शिक्षक प्रोजेक्ट व रिसर्च तैयार कर रहे हैं। इस सेंटर में सेंसर, सोलर पैनल, डिस्पले यूनिट व सिक्यूरिटी पैकेजिंग आदि पर अनुसंधान होगा।

INTERVIEW TAKESHI YAGI

'Japan wants to attract Indian students'

Gauri Kohli

Takeshi Yagi, the Japanese ambassador, was present at the India-Japan Education Summit in the Capital recently where he discussed the possibility of boosting collaborations with Indian institutions and invitational programmes for Indian students wanting to study in Japan.

Are there any new policies that the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Government (MEXT) has devised for Indian students?

MEXT has designated The University of Tokyo India office as 'Coordinator in India for Higher Education in Japan'. This coordinator is designated only in three countries — Myanmar, Zambia and India, which are a good source of international students for Japan. MEXT has also designated four universities, such as The University of Tokyo (UTokyo), Nagaoka University of Technology (NUT), Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (JAIST) and Ritsumeikan University (RITS), as representatives of the Re-Inventing Japan project, especially for India. They will create new relationships with prestigious Indian universities and promote a human-to-human exchange, which include researchers exchange as well as student exchange. Though there are no direct policies for students, these attempts will make Japanese universities more familiar with Indian students.

Tell us about the Coordinator of Study in Japan project (India).

Its task is mainly following these points — to deliver the information about Japanese higher education to Indian students, teachers and parents; to gather the information about Indian situation of education; and to communicate with students, teachers and parents and build a good relationship between them.

Are Japanese universities collaborating with Indian universities? Pls elaborate with examples.

UTokyo has collaborated with IIT Kharagpur in the field of railways. RITS signed an MoU with IIT Hyderabad to promote educational and academic exchange. Nihon University sends students to Goa University every year. We also have a student exchange programme with Delhi University. We want Japan to be a preferred option for Indian students.

Is the Japanese government announcing any new scholarships for Indian students? Tell us more.

There are no new scholarships. But other than the MEXT scholarships, there



■ Takeshi Yagi, Japan's ambassador for India wants to boost collaboration.

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are many ways to afford higher studies in Japan. There are various kinds of scholarships which are offered by the local government and private organisations too offer funding these days.

Have Japanese universities announced initiatives to attract Indian students?

Recently, many Japanese universities have started offering the English medium course because one of the biggest barriers for Indian students to study in Japan is knowledge of the Japanese language. Most of Japanese universities want to be more international and diverse. They want to invite students from all over the world, including India. These are no special initiatives only for Indians, but if Indians come to know more about Japanese universities, we are confident that Japanese universities become a preferred destination.

The Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST), working closely with MEXT, has launched a new short-term invitational programme for Indians up to 40 years of age. The Sakura Science Exchange Programme in Science will invite some 300 Indian university students and young professors to Japan for up to three weeks in 2015-16 with the necessary costs borne by JST. All the applications should be submitted by a Japanese host institute. For details, visit <http://ssp.jst.go.jp/EN/index.html>

Now, an armband to track fever

Device Sounds Alarm If There's A Rise In Body Temperature

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London: Scientists have invented a fever alarm armband — a flexible, self-powered wearable device that sounds an alarm in case of rise in body temperature.

The flexible organic components developed for this device by the University of Tokyo researchers are well-suited to wearable devices that continuously monitor vital signs, including temperature and heart rate, for applications in health-care settings.

The device developed by research groups lead by Takayasu Sakurai at the Institute of Industrial Science and Takao Someya



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KEEPING TABS: The new wearable device will also ensure hygiene

at the Graduate School of Engineering combines a flexible amorphous silicon solar panel, piezoelectric speaker, temper-

ature sensor and power supply circuit created with organic components in a single flexible, wearable package.

“Our fever alarm armband demonstrates that it is possible to produce flexible, disposable devices that can greatly enhance the amount of information available to carers,” Someya said.

“The system could also be adapted to provide audible feedback on body temperature, or combined with other sensors to register wetness, pressure or heart rate,” he added.

The armband is the first organic circuit able to produce a sound output, and the first to incorporate an organic power

supply circuit. Constant monitoring of health indicators is the focus of intense interest in the fields of infant, elderly and patient care.

Sensors for such applications need to be flexible and wireless for patient comfort, maintenance-free and not requiring external energy supply, and cheap enough to permit disposable use to ensure hygiene.

Conventional sensors based on rigid components are unable to meet these requirements, so the researchers have developed a flexible solution that incorporates organic components that can be printed by an inkjet printer on a polymeric film.

NIT-T likely to sign MOUs with German universities

“The number of Indian students in Germany had doubled in last 5 years”

<http://www.thehindu.com/news/cities/Tiruchirapalli/nitt-likely-to-sign-mous-with-german-universities/article6927786.ece>

The National Institute of Technology-T (NIT-T) is exploring all possibilities of entering into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with a few German universities for mutual exchange of students and faculty members, according to its Director S.Sundararajan.

“Negotiations are on with a few technical universities. We are eager to collaborate with them as Germany possesses tremendous technical expertise in various areas. It will be beneficial to the students and faculty members of both the countries,” Mr.Sundararajan said here at NIT-T after holding discussion with a team representing various academic intuitions of Germany.

Besides collaborating on technical studies, there were possibilities of starting a joint programme on Sanskrit and German languages as both had deep connection, he said.

Apoorv Mahendru, Director (Marketing), German Academic Exchange Service, said the team had preliminary discussion with the senior officials of the NIT-T, which was one of the leading technical and management institutes in India. Some of the German universities were open to collaborate with it on a few areas.

There was huge interest among Indian students to visit Germany for academic programmes. The number of Indian students in Germany had more than doubled in the past five years. India ranked third among the top countries of origin of international students enrolled in Master’s degree programmes. It ranked second on the list of international students enrolled in Ph.D.

Poonam Suri, Programme Officer, DFG (Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft) India office, said international graduates of German universities had now unrestricted access to the German job market with the introduction of the EU Blue Card. There were over 1,600 International Programmes across all subject fields with English as the medium of instruction.

Ulrich Podewill, Representative of Freie Universitat, Berlin, Hanna Kriebel, India Liaison Officer, Technische Universitat, Munchen, Amisha Jain, Country Head-India, University of Cologne, and Ashwani Arya of JULICH were among those present.