



Techno India University Concludes Its Convocation-2019 Ceremony

Kolkata, July 15th, 2019: Today is an historic day. Eastern India's famed **Techno India University (TIU)** is the 1st self-financed university (after Visva-Bharati University, founded by Nobel laureate world famous poet, writer & composer Guru Rabindra Nath Tagore in 1913) in the state of West Bengal which was established by the virtue of the WB State Legislature Act in the year 2012, held its convocation ceremony at Biswa Bangla Convention Centre, New Town, Kolkata.

His Excellency, **Sri Keshari Nath Tripathi**, the Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal has graced the occasion as Chief Guest as well as delivered the "Convocation Lecture", **Srimat Swami Biswatmananda**, the General Secretary of Bharat Sevashram Sangha as well **Smt. Arundhati Bhattacharya**, the renowned Indian banker and former Chairman of the State Bank of India were present as the Guests of Honour. TIU had conferred **D.Litt** (Honoris Causa) on legendary economist **Padma Shree Bibek Debroy** and eminent writer **Sri Buddhadeb Guha** in recognition of the great contributions they made to their respective fields.

TIU has become the the forerunner in offering the most advanced courses and identified itself as a leader in the field of unique job creation. TIU's pursuit of excellence is driven by the dreams of its founder Chancellor **Prof. Gautam Roy Chowdhury**, who is a unique entrepreneur who not only thinks about the growth of his own enterprise but also the society around him and the very nation he belongs to. In his extra-ordinary speech, Prof Roy Chowdhury out lined his dreams which are exclusive and could be termed as "rare" for such august occasion but much needed within the very context of the society and nation he belongs too.

Dr. Gautom Sengupta, Vice Chancellor, TIU shared the achievements of the students and the awards won under various categories, both in academics, research as well as industry-collaborated projects. 1703 **graduands** from all disciplines received their respective degree which includes Bachelor's, Masters and PhD.

Prof. M. Roy Chowdhury, the Co-Chancellor in her spell bound speech articulated about the need of the hour by veraciously identifying the challenges ahead and their mitigation plan where TIU and Techno India Group(TIG) as a whole can contribute for the cause of the nation. Her concerns for the Universal Basic Income (UBI) and resolution for the same is the real need of the time.

Guest of Honor, **Srimat Swami Biswatmananda**, the **General Secretary of Bharat Sevashram Sangha** found great values about TIU. He extended his hands to work together with TIU/TIG to bring benefits for the common people, especially eradication of poverty.

In his speech, the Chief Guest His Excellency, **Sri Keshari Nath Tripathi**, the Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal has expressed his happiness about the progress of TIU specially for its initiatives for the number of collaborations with the industry. He ended up his speech with a quotation of Swami Vivekananda which is very relevant for the way of work execution by the TIU Management.

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