

ICFAI UNIVERSITY, RAIPUR CELEBRATES ANNUAL FUNCTION i-fest 2019

ICFAI University Raipur held its Annual Day and prize distribution ceremony in the university campus today (01st May 2019). Shri. Dilip Mohanti, President (HRM), Jaiswal NICO Industries Limited, Raipur was the chief guest and Shri Swapnil Upadhyaya, President, Nagar Palika Parishad, Kumhari, was the guest of honour and Dr S.B. Shukla, Member, CGPURC, Raipur, Shri Ashok Sahu, Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Kumhari, was the special guest on the occasion. The program started with the lightening of the lamp by guests in the benign presence of honourable Vice-Chancellor (I/C) Dr L.S. Nigam of the University, followed by a patriotic song devoted to the holy land of Chhattisgarh sung by Dr Ravi Shrivastava, Faculty Member, FST. The guests were honoured by the flower bouquet presented by the students. The nominated students for Best student of the year award from undergraduate & post-graduate courses are Mr Sukhdeep Singh (BBA-III year) and Mr Dishant Madhwani (MBA-II year) were also awarded mementoes. Students who had achieved laurels in several areas of academics and extracurricular activities were presented awards. Members of the administrative and non-teaching staff were also felicitated for various achievements and their contribution to the institution.



Shri. Dilip Mohanti made a detailed elaboration on the higher education and its importance in nation-building. He also noted the contribution of Swami Vivekananda in Moral building which is of high importance in today's era. He urged the students and academicians to contribute towards the betterment of the society by benefitting with the knowledge and wisdom. Honourable Vice-Chancellor

(I/C) Dr Nigam congratulated the students shared his vision with students and talked at length on 'purusartha'. He said 'purusartha' is a combination of purusa and artha. Purusa means a human being. Artha means an objective. Hence, "purusartha" means 'objectives of a human being'. Purusa does not only mean male in the physical sense but any soul in its differentiated aspect. So the purusartha applies to both men and women equally. He related 'purusartha' to modern time.