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From the Editor's Desk

Dear Readers,

I am sure you all must be waiting for the June issue of NU newsletter. Well, the wait is over and we are here. As the holidays are on, the activity at campus is slightly low, but things are still happening and our team makes it a point to record them and bring it to you.

This issue carries, some news items, a few articles and a few achievements by our students. We hope you enjoy reading this issue.

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We all at Newsletter team wish you all a very Happy Reading experience

Best Wishes,

Anshima P Srivastav

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NU Newsletter

Campus News



Prof. VS Rao- NU's Next President

NIIT University (NU) welcomes Prof. VS Rao as its next president, who is currently the acting vice chancellor of BITS Pilani, overseeing the campuses in Pilani, Hyderabad, Goa and Dubai. He has been a renowned name in institution building for the last three decades and has ample experience in implementing innovative ideas in industry-linkage programs. Prof Rao will be joining NU in July this year.



Global Space Balloon Challenge

There are various ways of reaching 'Space' the most generic one is via a Rocket which sometimes is wrongly considered by many as the only way, in fact the most common way is by using a High Altitude Balloon which could either use a Helium or a Hydrogen gas

Students of BTech 3rd Year, Salahuddin Khan, Saptorshi Dana, Shruti Nair, Varshnee Raj, Rahul Kumar, Samit Singh, Shashank Ramesh and Ashwin Kumar successfully launched a High Altitude Balloon as a part of the Global Space Balloon Challenge by MIT(USA) on 20th May, 2016.





Satya Nadella Speaks with Students and Developers in New Delhi

NU students got the opportunity to attend a session “Tech for Good, Ideas for India” event in New Delhi with Microsoft CEO Satya Nadella.

Some important lines from his session:

– It is not just your dreams being fulfilled, it is your ability to dream things that are worth dying for.

– Microsoft is building the future of computing on three pillars- cloud, bots and mixed reality apps.

– Our mission is to empower every person and every organization on the planet to achieve more. It’s not about celebrating our technologies; it is about really celebrating the technologies that you all in India create





Dean Tanuja Singh's Visit to NU

Tanuja Singh, Professor and Dean of the Greehey School of Business at St. Mary's University, was at NU in June 2016. Dean Singh has earned her doctorate in Marketing from Southern Illinois University in Carbondale, Ill., with emphasis in International Business and Research Methods. She has an M.B.A. from Millsaps College in Jackson, Miss., and a Master of Science in Physics from Allahabad University in India.

She spent some quality time at NU, interacting with the leadership team and gaining insight into the vision and mission of NIIT University. She also planted a sapling, as per NU's tradition.





International Yoga Day

NU celebrated the International Yoga Day with the students, faculty and local residents of Neemrana participating in the event. Mohan Chowdary, student of 2nd year Btech and a Yoga expert at National level and Deep Parikh guided everyone through the exercises and the postures. People from within and outside the university participated enthusiastically making this event a grand success









Expressions





Chahat Suri
B.Tech (2014-18)

(NARIR GHOTHA)(An ODE to WOMAN)

(oh nari tumi thako chiro kalin amalin,)

(Oh woman may you be forever Bright,)

(thako tumi oi projapotir moto,)

(May you be like that Butterfly,)

(je shob paristhiti te nije ke atal rakhte pare,)

(Who can defend herself from every wind and calamity,)

(thako tumi oi projapotir moto,)

(May you be like that Butterfly,)

(je asthir hoye sthir thakte pare,)

(Who being restless is yet calm,)

(thako tumi oi projapotir moto shundor.)

(May you be as beautiful as a Butterfly.)

(oh nari tumi thako chiro kalin amalin,)

(Oh woman may you be forever Untainted,)

(thako tumi oi mriger moto,)

(May you be like a Deer,)

(dushtu, sushthu aar nithar,)

(Naughty, Elegant and Tranquil,)

(thako tumi oi mriger moto,)

(May you be like a Deer,)

(shorol, shadhu aar buddhijeebee,)

(Honest, Childlike, Kind-Hearted and Intellectual,)

(thako tumi oi mriger moto bipojjonok.)

(May you be as adventurous as a Deer.)

oh nari tumi thako chiro kalin amalin,)

(Oh woman may you be forever Unfading,)

(thako tumi nirdhaarito.)

(May you be determined.)

(thako tumi shoktishali-uddoma.)

(May you have strong will.)

(karon tumi je rochoita.)

(because you are the creator.)

(tumi je upadorsika.)

(You are the overseer.)

(tumi je abhibhabika.)

(You are also the protector.)

(tumi Durga, tumi Kamala, tumi Swarasoti,)

(You are goddess Durga, goddess Lakshmi, goddess Sawraswati,)

(tumi Kali, tumi Parboti,)

(You are also goddess Kali and Parvati,)

(Gangao tumi, Jumanao tumi.)

(You are also like the rivers Ganga and Yamuna.)

(tumi maa, tumi konna, tumi bon,)

(You are a mother, a daughter, a sister,)

(tumi shokhi, tumi premika, grihineeo tumi.)

(and also a friend, a lover, a wife.)

(tumi aamar shargo, tumi aamar norok.)

(At times you are also my heaven and hell.)

(ai puro bishho tumi,)

(You are this world,)

(aamar bishho tumi.)

(You are my world.)

(tumar astito te aamar astito,)

(My identity is because of you,)

(tumar abartomaane aami nei!)

(Who am I without you?.....Nothing!)

(oh nari tumi thako chirokalin amalin.)

(Oh woman may you be forever Pure.)

Siddhant Pradeep Bhattacharya

B.Tech.(2013-17)

Achievements

NU student selected for GSOC 2016

Aswin Kumar J, a 3rd year B.tech student got selected among the 1206 people for the Google Summer of Codes 2016. He has been selected to work with Red Hen Labs “To Construct Bootstrapping Human motion data for Gesture Analysis” during this summer.

NU student selected for Andhra Pradesh Higher Education Summer Fellowship

A B.tech 2nd Year student- Manoj Kumar has been selected for the Andhra Pradesh Higher Education Summer Fellowship 2016 for E-Learning Platform, as a part of AP Knowledge Mission with a stipend of Rs. 1 lakh.



Best Student Project Award for M.Tech GIS Students

Two M.Tech GIS students – Ms Sayali Holankar and Ms Payal Gajbhiye from MTech GIS area have won ‘BEST STUDENT PROJECT AWARD IN THE FIELD OF GEOINFORMATION SCIENCES’ at Indian Society of Geomatics Pune Chapter for their project work during internship.



Research @ NU

Sibeli Mukherjee's paper presentation

NU student Sibeli Mukherjee presented her paper titled "SEED- Secure and Energy Efficient Data transmission in wireless sensor network" at the 4th IEEE International Conference on Information and Communication Technology, on 26th May 2016 in Bandung, Indonesia.



Sanya Mittal Paper Presentation

Sanya Mittal, a B.Tech 3rd Year student presented her paper work at International Conference on Information and Communication Technology, at University of Kuala Lumpur, 16th-17th May. She worked on Secure and Wearable computing of WBAN's with Jetendra Joshi sir.

