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MESSAGE

I am extremely pleased to know that this year the present students and Alumni members of former Tripura Engineering College & now NIT ,Tripura are organising a Global Alumni Meet from 9th to 11th Jan, 2015. This type of Meet is a good opportunity to ex-change the views & experience of present students, Alumni members, present and retired faculty members and also the distinguished persons who will participate in the Meet . As 50% students of the NIT are from other different States of India and spending four years in this Institute ,there will be an excellent scope to exchange with different cultures and different mother languages of the students of different States of India and enhance the national integration of India through the NITs located in different States of India.

I had an opportunity to visit the NIT Campus last year due to the initiatives of the Director and Alumni members and was highly impressed to see the vast development of the Institute which has already established as one of the most developed Technical Institutions of India and making significant contributions towards development of the State of Tripura and rest of our Country. But unfortunately the Policy makers are giving emphasis on quantitative development instead of qualitative development. For deterioration of the standard of education in India, even the top ranked Technical Institute of India has not the position within 250 top ranked Institutions of the World. Recently our Hon'ble President also lamented for the fact. I personally I believe that technological knowledge & achievements based on materialism alone cannot minimize the global and local problems of the world without practice of spiritualism. Major problems of the world have generated due to hatred, envy , egoism, terrorism, selfishness, lack of humanity, lack of respect & love among different communities of the World etc. which cannot be minimised by technology and materialism alone. The World is bleeding deeply due to lack of humanity and not for lack of Technology.

As I have spent major period of my teaching and research profession at Tripura Engineering College ,I have a special nostalgia and love to this Institute & the students and my deepest love and blessings to the present and past students will continue till the last day of my life. My only achievement of my entire life is the love and respect I got from my students.

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