

REPORT

Faculty Development Programme on NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme (ONLINE)

Batch – 29 | May 21 – 30, 2025 | 2:00 PM – 5:15 PM

Organized by:

**University Grants Commission – Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (UGC–
MMTTC)**

Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur

In collaboration with

Govt. N.P.G. College of Science, Raipur, Chhattisgarh

Introduction

The Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on *NEP Orientation & Sensitization* was organized by **UGC–MMTTC, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur**, in collaboration with **Govt. Nagarjuna P.G. College of Science, Raipur**, from **May 21 to May 30, 2025**. Conducted in an online mode, this programme was designed to build awareness and capacity among faculty members regarding the principles and actionable frameworks of the **National Education Policy (NEP) 2020**.

Objectives of the Program

- To develop leadership and governance capabilities in academic settings
- To promote research and innovation among educators
- To introduce and implement best practices in curriculum and pedagogy
- To foster inclusivity and embrace multidisciplinary education
- To understand the role of ICT in teaching-learning processes
- To integrate Indian Knowledge Systems into modern education

Inaugural Session

The inaugural session was held on **May 21, 2025**, and was graced by the following dignitaries:

- **Prof. Sachchidanand Shukla**, Vice-Chancellor, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur – *Chief Guest*
- **Prof. Preeti K. Suresh**, Programme Director, UGC–MMTTC, PRSU, Raipur – *Welcome Address & Programme Overview*
- **Dr. Amitabh Banerjee**, Principal, Govt. N.P.G. College of Science, Raipur – *Special Address*

The session emphasized the role of faculty in implementing NEP and fostering a learner-centric education system.

Programme Coordination

The programme was effectively coordinated by:

- **Dr. Brijendra Pandey**, UGC–MMTTC, PRSU, Raipur
- **Dr. Arvind Agrawal**, UGC–MMTTC, PRSU, Raipur
- **Dr. Suneeta Patra**, Govt. N.P.G. College of Science, Raipur

Their leadership ensured smooth conduct of the sessions and high levels of participant

engagement throughout the programme.

Themes Covered

The FDP covered diverse and critical areas of NEP 2020 through expert sessions:

- Holistic and Multidisciplinary Education
- Indian Knowledge Systems and Multilingualism
- Academic Leadership, Governance & Management
- Research and Development
- Skill Development
- Information and Communication Technology (ICT)
- Autonomy to Institutions & Choice to Students
- Curriculum Development, Pedagogy & Assessment

Each session was delivered by subject matter experts, fostering interactive discussions and practical insights.

ACTIVITY

THE ACADEMIC SESSIONS (21st–30th May 2025)

Summary

A comprehensive academic program was organized from **21st May to 30th May 2025**, aimed at enhancing the professional competencies of faculty members and educational leaders. A series of enriching academic sessions were organized covering diverse themes relevant to higher education, leadership, research, pedagogy, and national educational priorities. These academic sessions featured eminent academicians and experts from prestigious institutions across India from premier institutions and covered a wide range of topics including skill development, academic leadership, ICT, curriculum design, inclusive education, and the Indian Knowledge System.

21st May 2025 (Wednesday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Theme: Skill Development

Resource Person: Prof. Rajesh Khambayat, NITTTR, Bhopal
(Email: rpkhambayat@nitttrbpl.ac.in / Contact: 8989120801)

3:45 – 5:15 PM

Theme: Academic Leadership, Governance & Management

Resource Person: Prof. Anand Vardhan Sharma, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi
(Email: anandsharma_64@yahoo.co.in / Contact: 8208384895)

22nd May 2025 (Thursday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Themes: Research and Development

Resource Persons: Prof. Gurudutta Japee, Gujarat University

3:45 – 5:15 PM

Theme: Student Diversity and Inclusive Education

Resource Persons: Prof. Divya Sharma, Indian Institute of Teacher Education, Gandhinagar

23rd May 2025 (Friday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Theme:Information and Communication Technology

Resource Persons:Prof. K. Srinivas, NIEPA, New Delhi

3:45 – 5:15 PM

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26th May 2025 (Monday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Theme: Research and Development

Resource Person: Prof. Bhaskar Mukherjee, BHU, Varanasi

3:45 – 5:15 PM

Theme: Curriculum Design, Pedagogy and Assessment

Resource Person: Prof. Vijayan K., NCERT, New Delhi

Note:Assessment – I conducted.

27th May 2025 (Tuesday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Themes:Academic Leadership, Governance & Management

Resource Persons:Prof. Narendranath Menon, Osmania University, Hyderabad

3:45 – 5:15 PM

Themes:Holistic and Multidisciplinary Education

Resource Persons:Prof. Tapan Kumar Maity, Jadavpur University, Kolkata

28th May 2025 (Wednesday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Theme: Indian Knowledge Systems

Resource Person: Dr. Charul Jain, MSU Baroda

3:45 – 5:15 PM

Theme: Student Diversity and Inclusive Education

Resource Person: Dr. Subhash Chander, University of Delhi

29th May 2025 (Thursday)

2:00 – 5:15 PM (Two Sessions)

Theme: Higher Education and Society

Resource Person: Dr. Shakila T. Shamsu, Former OSD (NEP), Ministry of Education

30th May 2025 (Friday)

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Theme: Indian Knowledge Systems

Resource Person: Prof. Ramkrishna Bhat, IISER Pune

3:45 – 5:15 PM

Theme: Skill Development

Resource Person: Prof. Ashok Thorat, Institute of Advanced Studies in English, Pune

Note:Assessment – II conducted.

Eligibility and Participation

Eligible participants included:

- Faculty from Central, State, Deemed-to-be, Private Universities, and Institutions of National Importance
- Members of HEIs under regulatory councils such as AICTE, NMC, BCI, INC, PCI, ICAR, etc.
- Contractual, Guest, and Ad-hoc faculty, Tutors, Demonstrators
- Ph.D. Scholars and Post-doctoral Research Associates

The programme received wide participation from academic institutions across India, with active involvement in both lectures and discussions.

Outcome and Feedback

The FDP succeeded in:

- Sensitizing educators to the goals and structure of NEP 2020
- Enhancing awareness of curriculum and institutional reforms
- Encouraging the adoption of ICT and skill-based learning
- Building leadership and governance capacity within institutions

Feedback from participants reflected high satisfaction, with many appreciating the balanced blend of policy understanding and actionable pedagogy.

Conclusion

The 10-day FDP on NEP Orientation & Sensitization proved to be a significant step toward equipping faculty members with the necessary tools, understanding, and motivation to implement NEP in their respective institutions. The organizers reaffirmed their commitment to fostering excellence and innovation in higher education through such impactful training initiatives.

The sessions provided a valuable platform for reflection, learning, and dialogue on various challenges and innovations in higher education. The contributions by the distinguished resource persons enriched the knowledge base of all participants and provided practical strategies for implementation in academic institutions.

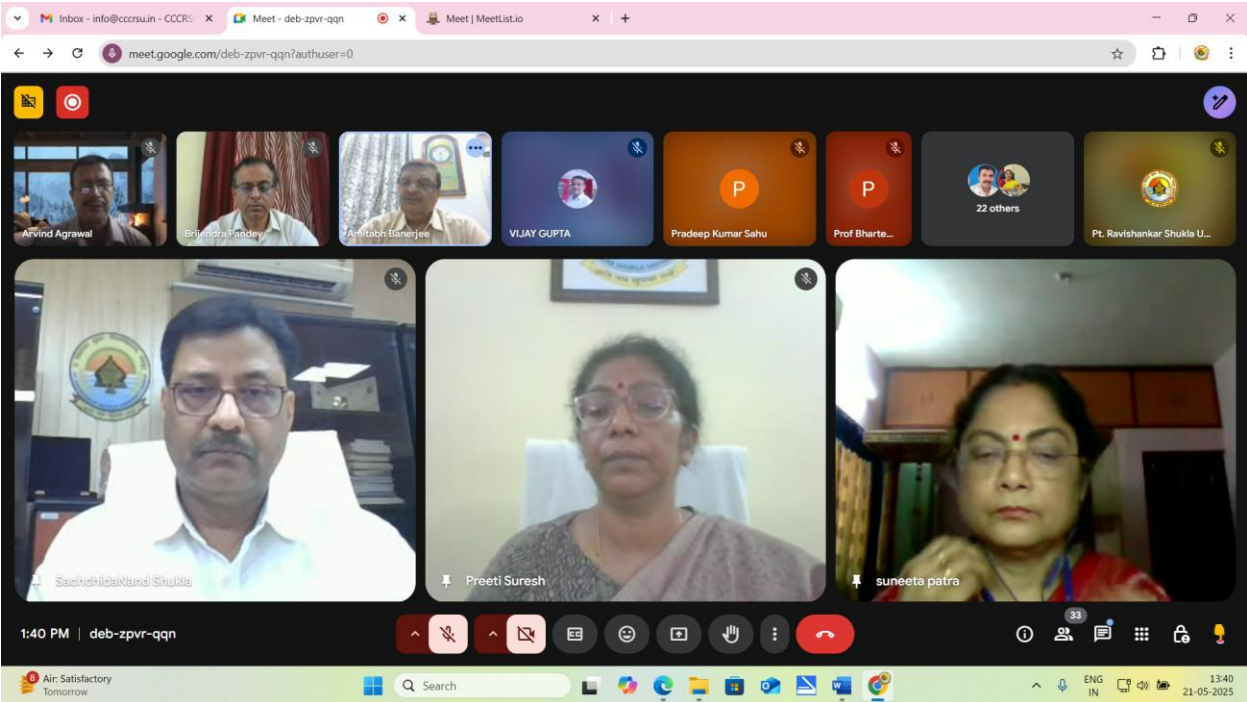
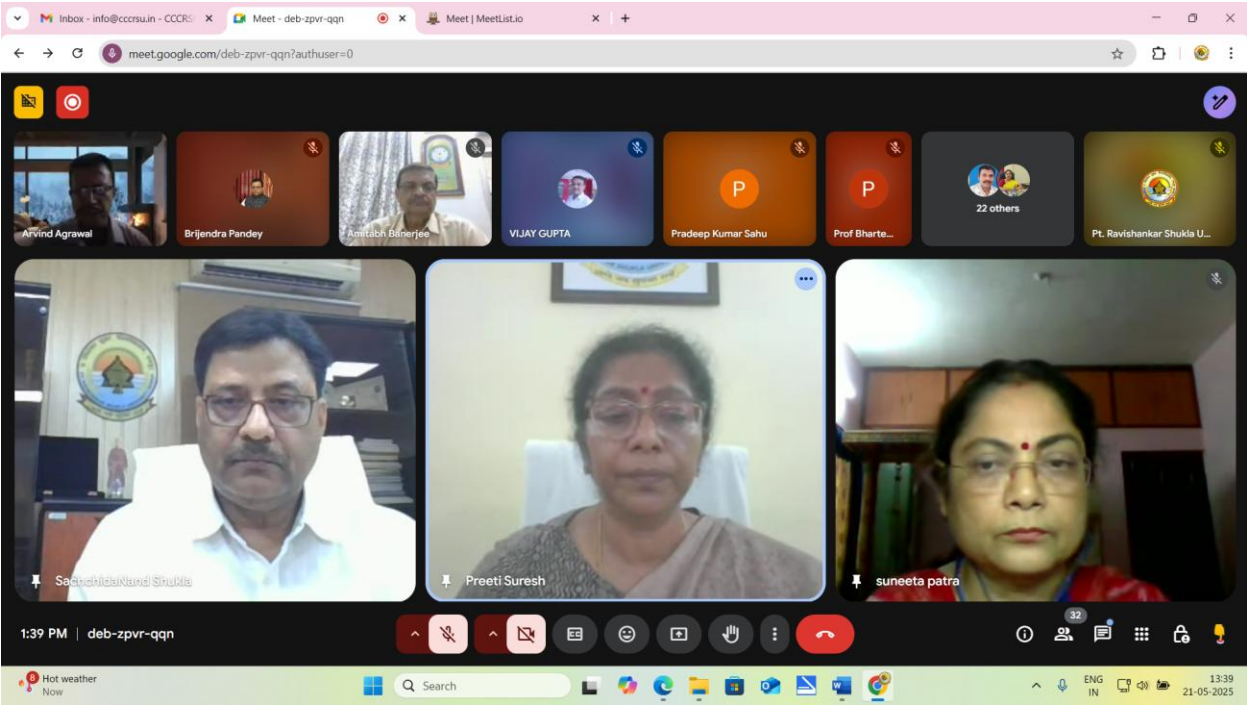
These interactive sessions helped bridge the gap between policy and practice and inspired participants to actively engage in educational reforms aligned with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020.

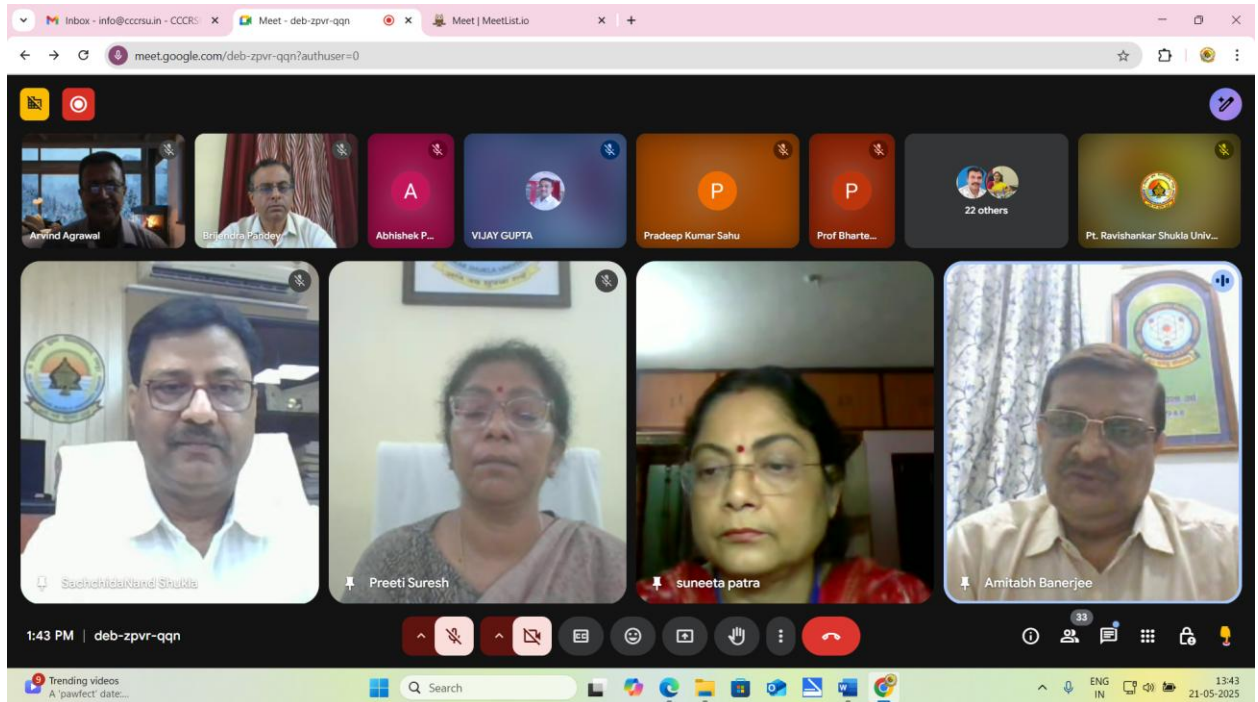
The sessions collectively addressed crucial aspects of the Indian higher education landscape, offering participants a broad spectrum of insights into policy, pedagogy, governance, technology integration, inclusivity, and skill development. The expert resource persons provided valuable perspectives that will contribute significantly to academic enrichment and institutional growth.

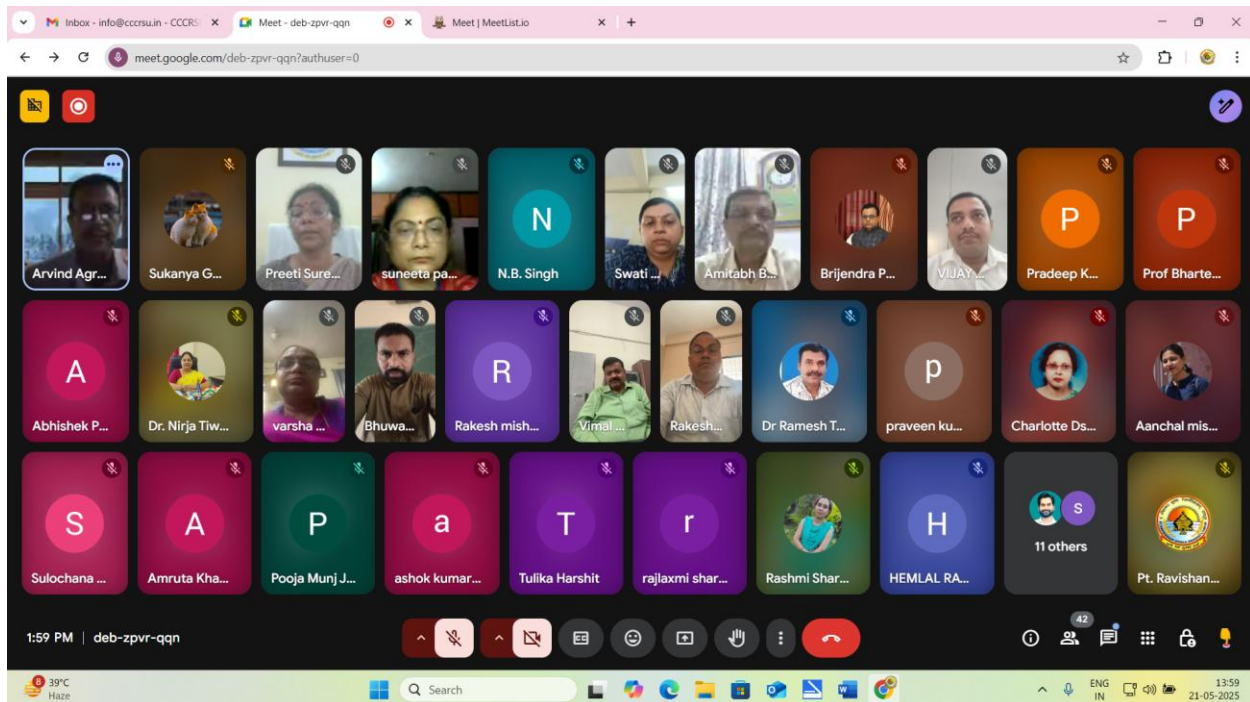
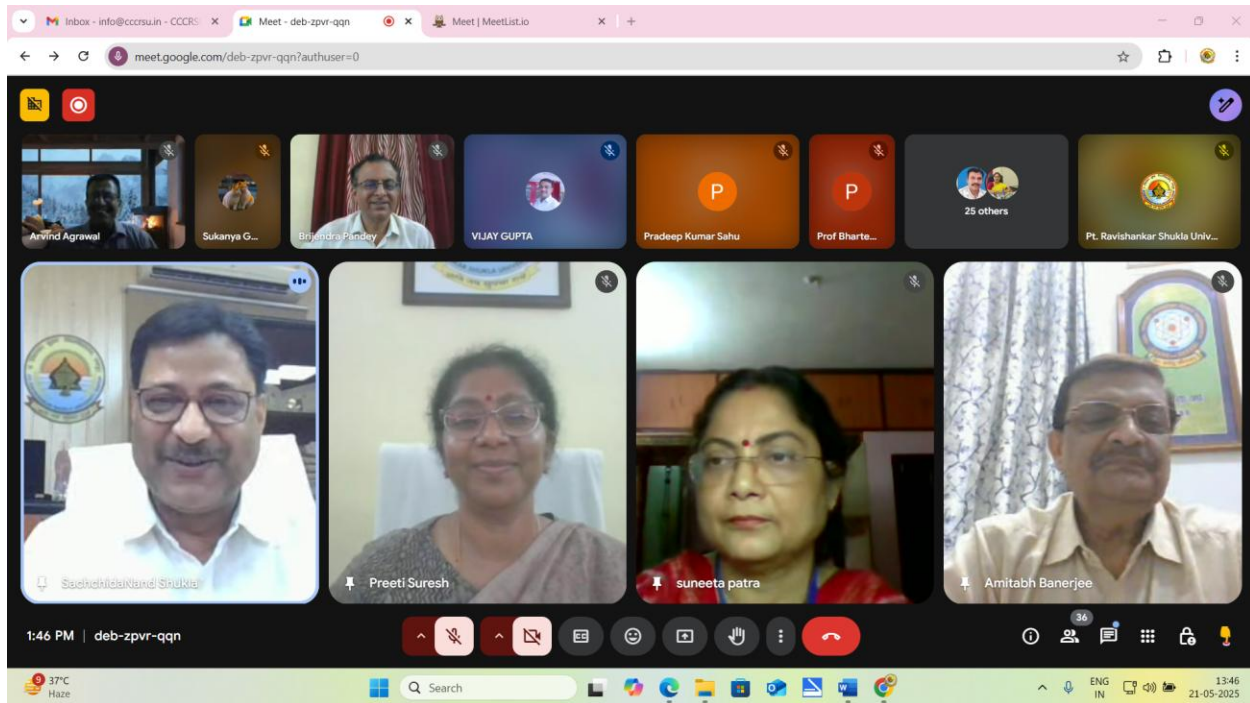
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We extend our heartfelt thanks to all the speakers, organizers, and participants for making this event a success.

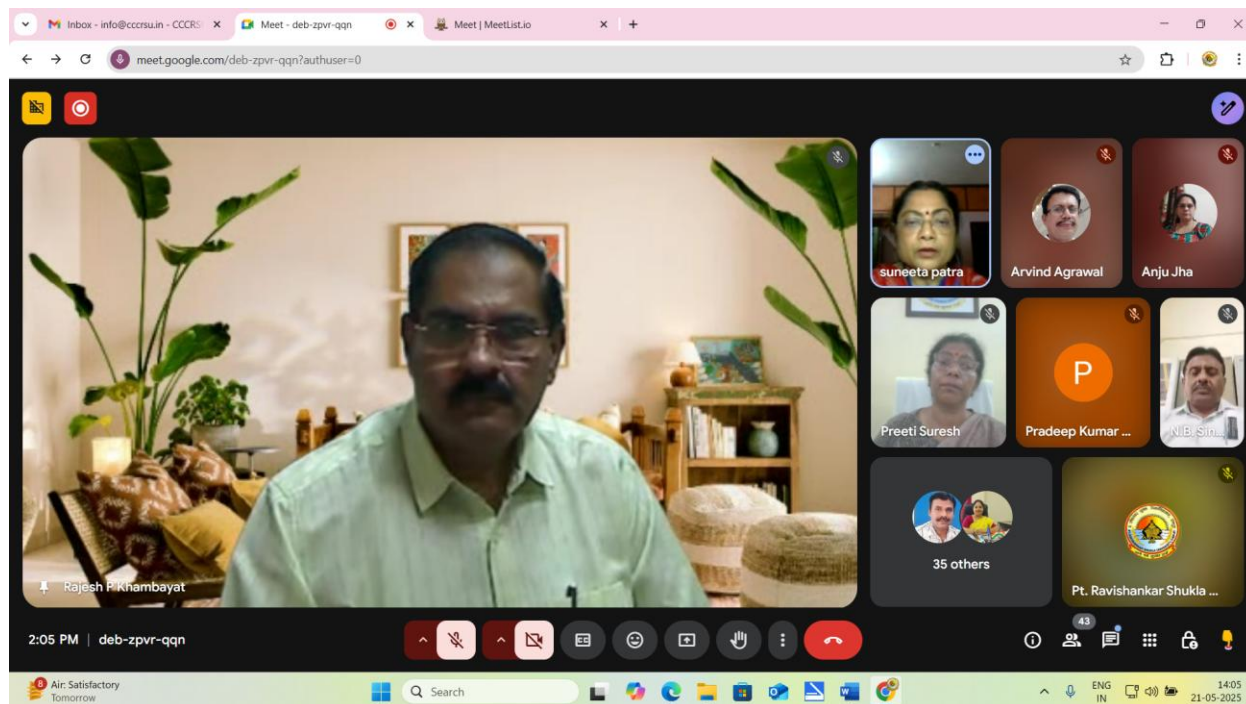
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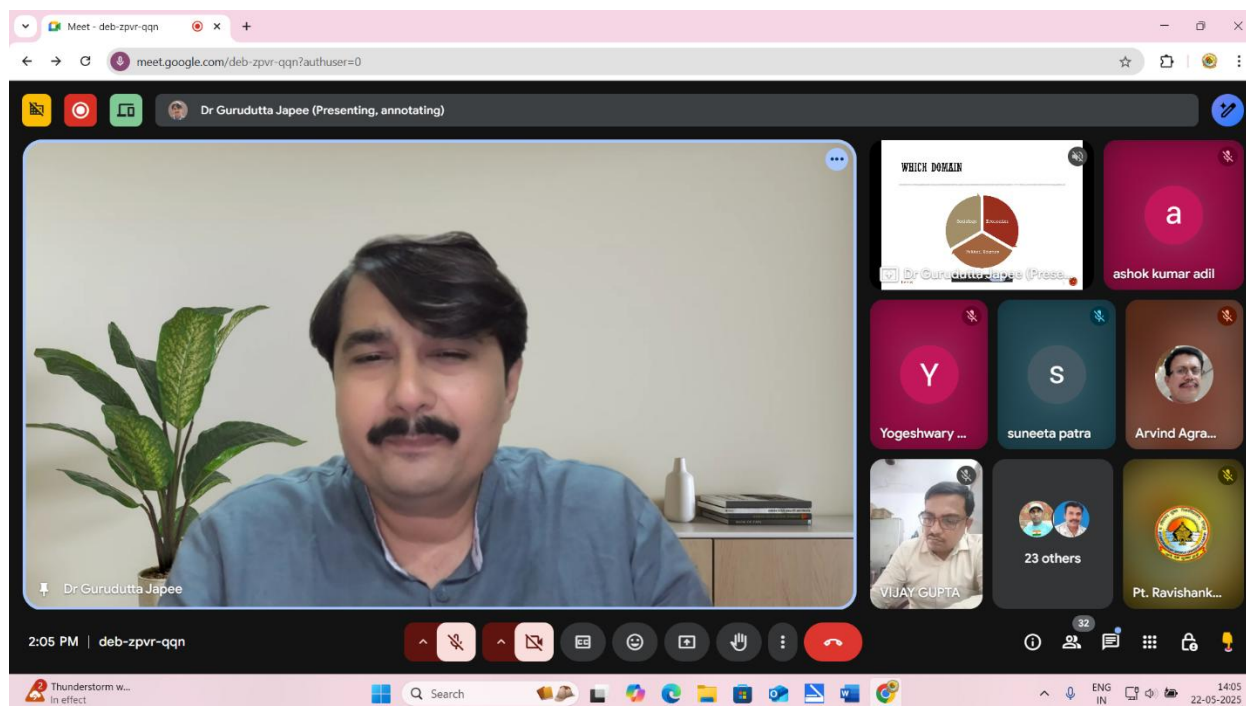




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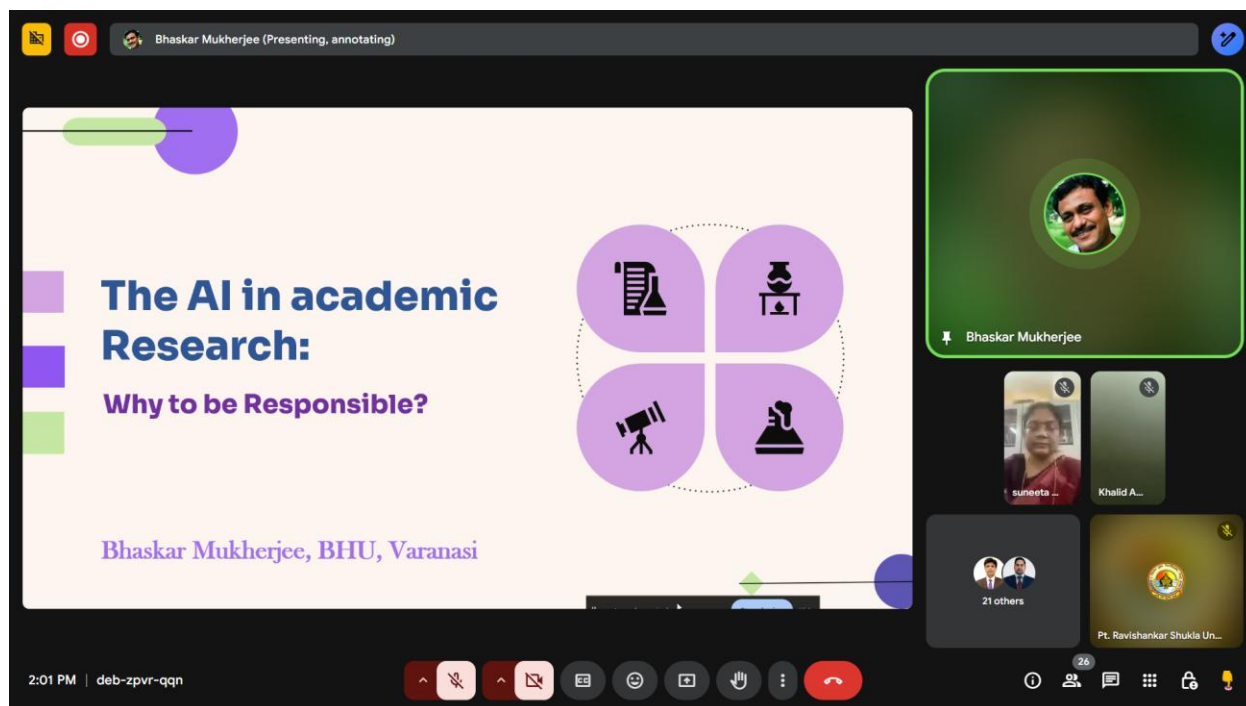
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The screenshot shows a Google Meet window with a presentation slide titled "STUDENT DIVERSITY & INCLUSIVE EDUCATION". The slide features the IITE logo and the text: "Prof. Divya Sharma, COE, IITE, Gujarat, divyasharma@iite.ac.in, UGC, MMTTC, Raipur, 22-05-2025". The presenter, Divya Sharma, is visible in a video feed on the right. The bottom of the screen shows the Windows taskbar with the time 4:05 PM and the meeting ID deb-zpvr-qqn.

23/05/2025 Resource Persons: Prof. K. Srinivas, NIEPA, New Delhi

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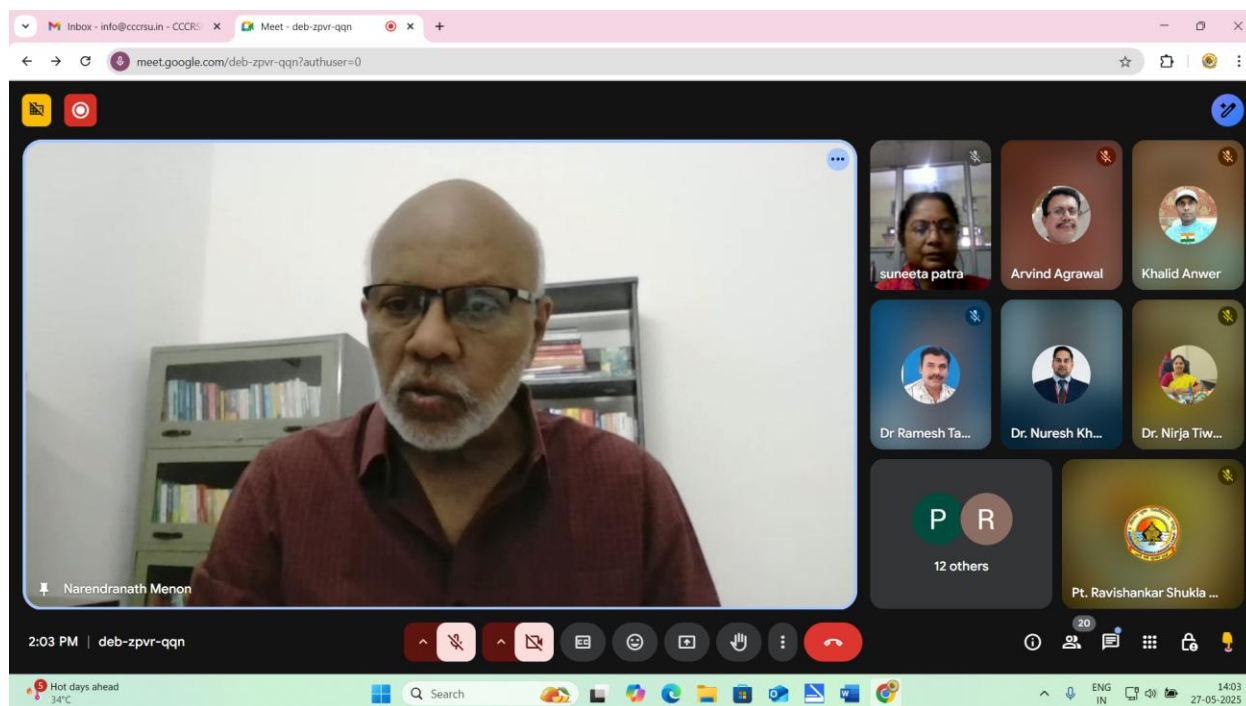
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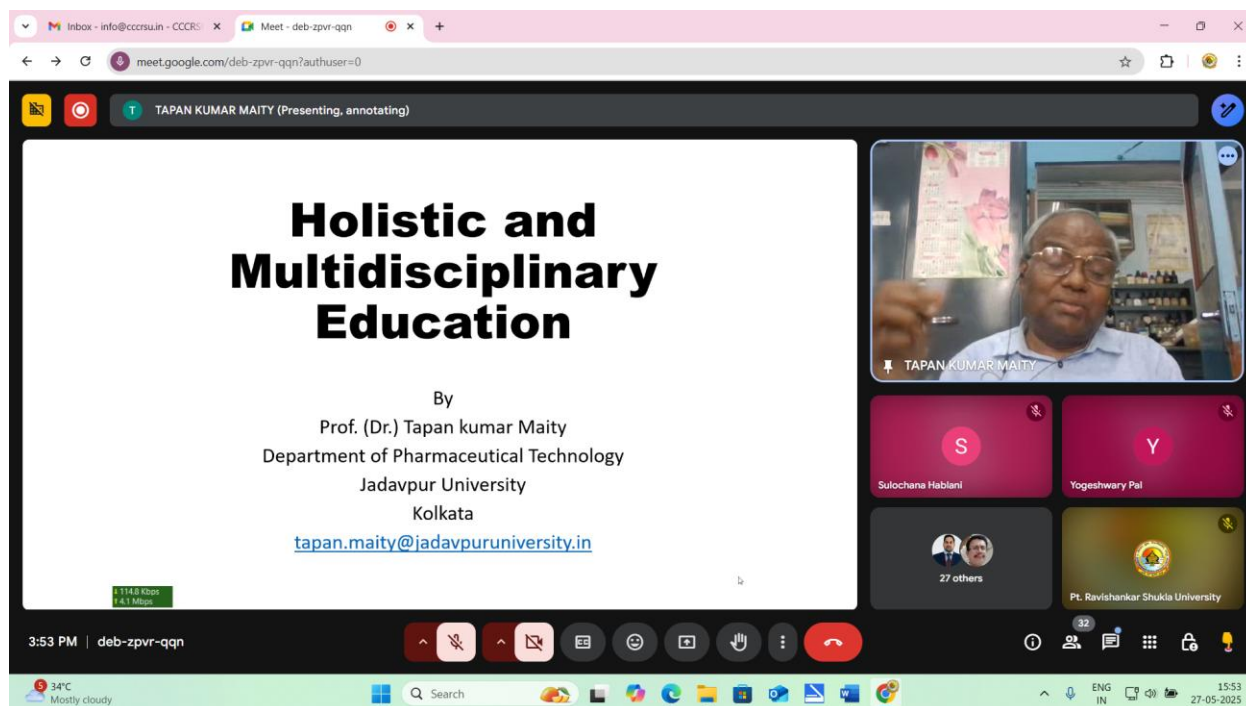


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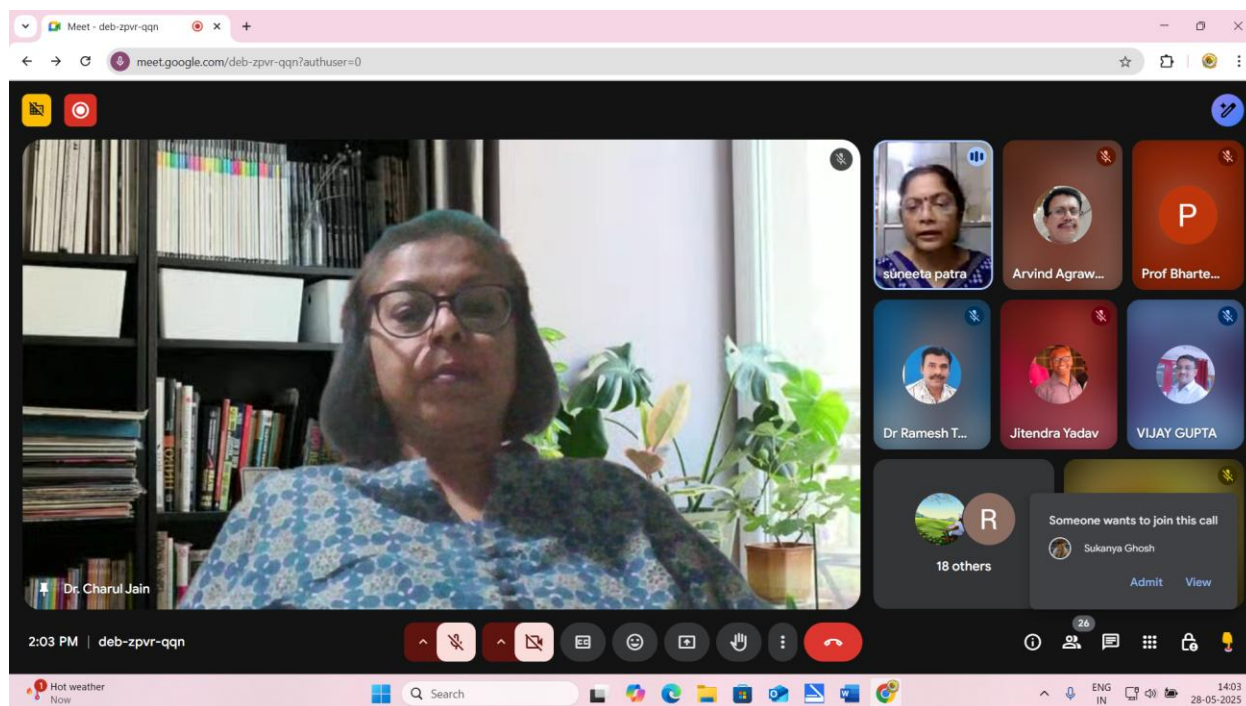
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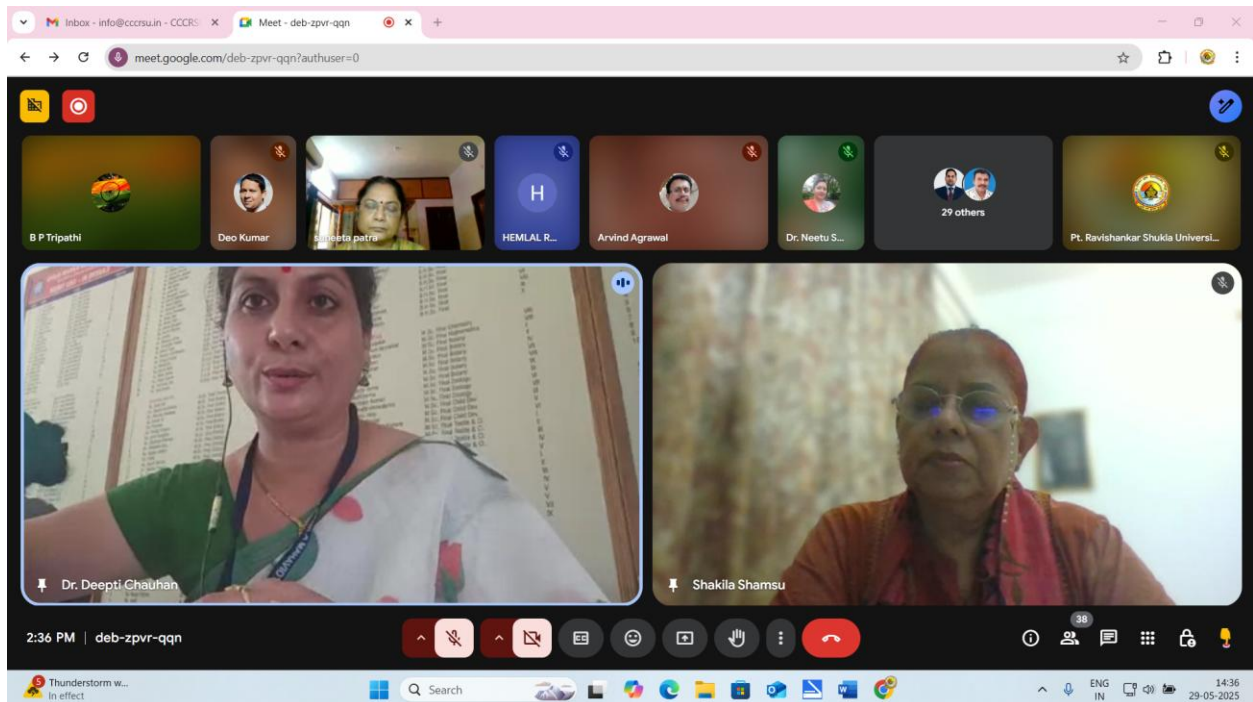
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30/05/2025, Resource Person: Prof. Ramkrishna Bhat, IISER Pune

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30/05/2025, Resource Person:: Prof. Ashok Thorat, Institute of Advanced Studies in English, Pune

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