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INSTITUTE NEWS

Foundation Training Programme for Scientists and Technologists

The 20th Foundation Training Programme for Scientists and Technologists for eight weeks (December 6, 2021 -January 28, 2022) was successfully organised by IIPA. Shri Surendra Nath Tripathi, Director General, IIPA gave valedictory address and distributed certificates. A total of 18 participants successfully completed the training programme coordinated by Prof. Vinod K. Sharma and Dr. Shyamli Singh.



HIGHLIGHTS

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The IIPA fraternity wishes everyone a very Happy New Year.

Training Programme on Participatory Planning, Implementation and O&M for Har Ghar Jal



The training programme for the Middle Management Level Officers of National Jal Jeevan Mission, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India on Participatory Planning, Implementation and O&M for Har Ghar Jal was conducted from January 4-5, 2022. It was sponsored by the Ministry. The objective of the programme was to impart training on the overview of Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) and effective planning; participatory monitoring and surveillance of water quality in Har Ghar Jal Yojana; Planning for Sustainable and Affordable Water Supply in Har Ghar Jal; Local Governance and participative water management in rural context; O&M

and evaluation of service efficiency of JJM; application of modern technology in successful implementation of JJM. Around 62 officials at the rank of level 2 middle management including Additional Director, Joint Director, Additional Chief Engineer, Superintendent Engineer, Executive Engineer, Analyst (Chemist), Technical Manager, Dy. Technical Manager and State water Consultant from the states of Odisha attended the online training. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Gadadhara Mohapatra.



Training Programme on Public Utility Approach in Rural Water Supply and Service Delivery/Functionality of FHTCs

Training programme for the Middle Management Level Officers of National Jal Jeevan Mission, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India on Public Utility Approach in Rural Water Supply and Service Delivery/Functionality of FHTCs was conducted on January 12, 2022. It was sponsored by the Ministry. The objective of the programme was to impart training on concepts for Public Utility systems & Sustainable Models at Gram Panchayat level

for Rural Water Supply; Functionality and Efficiency of FHTCs; Good Governance and Service Delivery in Rural Water Supply. Around 35 officials at the rank of level 1 senior management including Executive Director, Additional Chief Engineer (PHE), Executive Engineer and Superintendent Engineer from the states of Puducherry and Sikkim attended the online training. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Gadadhara Mohapatra.



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A one-week Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on *Inclusive Growth & Affirmative Action in India -a Road Map* was organised in collaboration with RamLal Anand College and Ramanujan College DU on January 17, 2022. Dr Neetu Jain coordinated the event.



The 10th Training Programme on *Financial Management in Scientific Organization* sponsored by Department of Science and Technology was organised on January 17, 2022. Twenty-two senior scientists from CSIR, ISRO, DRDO, IMD, NABL, ICMR, CFSL, FRI etc., attended the training. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Pawan K. Taneja.



A National Online Conference on Strengthening DNA Analysis, Cyber Forensic and related facilities in SFSLS *Schemes for Safety of Women under Nirbhaya fund* was organised in collaboration with WSD, Ministry of Home Affairs from 12 states from January 17-21, 2022. The conference was organized by Dr Surabhi Pandey.



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FACULTY/CAMPUS NEWS



- Hon'ble Union Minister and the Chairman of IIPA Executive Council, Dr Jitendra Singh and Director General of IIPA, Shri SN Tripathi exchanged season's greetings on the occasion of New Year.

- Senior IIPA Faculty, Prof Vinod Kumar Sharma was conferred with Subhas Chandra Bose Aapda Prabandhan Puraskar by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi. "Prof Vinod Kumar Sharma is a widely respected academic and has strengthened many institutions working on disaster management. He made Sikkim a model state in various aspects of disaster management. Glad that he is conferred the 2022 Subhas Chandra Bose Aapda Prabandhan Puraskar", the Prime Minister tweeted.



- Shri SN Tripathi, DG, IIPA attends 24th National Conference on e-Governance - India's Techade: Digital Governance in a Post Pandemic World organised by the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances at Hyderabad from January 7-8, 2022. He chaired a plenary session on presentation by Gold Awardees (Centre/State). The event was inaugurated by Hon'ble Union Minister, Dr Jitendra Singh.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

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- Dr. Charru Malhotra moderated a breakout session on '*Replicability and sustainability in e-Governance - Best Practices*' at the 24th National Conference on e-Governance at Hyderabad.



- Dr Charru Malhotra and Dr Mamta Pathania made a presentation on *District level Governance* during the DARPGs Vision India @2047.

NEWS FROM BRANCHES

Rajasthan Regional Branch

- ◇ The branch in collaboration with the Centre for Administrative Change organised a webinar on January 2, 2022 on *Good Governance: Agenda for Action in 2022*. Ms. Meenakshi Hooja, IAS (Retd.), Shri I C Srivastava, IAS (Retd.), Shri S S Bissa, IAS (Retd.), Shri H L Chauhan, Vice Chairman of the branch and Dr. V P Ganda were the chief resource persons. Dr. Meena from Kota and 40 other participants attended the event. The issues highlighted were quality of education, improving the health infrastructure, strengthening the public service delivery system, making administration citizen-centric through effective execution of laws on guarantee of public service delivery in prescribed time and making the sanitation system more efficient. Prof. Ramesh K. Arora, Chairman of the branch referred to the findings of the recently released second Good Governance Index of the state governments. Ms. Daisy Sharma coordinated the programme.
- ◇ The branch in collaboration with the Centre for Administrative Change organised a webinar on *How to Prevent Cyber Crimes?* on January 16, 2022 in which Dr. C B Sharma, IPS (Retd.), Director, Cyber Security Service, was the keynote speaker. Around hundred participants attended the webinar. Shri H L Chauhan, Vice Chairman of the branch explained the applied aspects of cyber security. Prof. Ramesh K Arora, Chairman of the branch presided over the programme, while Ms Daisy Sharma coordinated the programme.
- ◇ The branch in collaboration with the Centre for Administrative Change organised a webinar on *Indian Governance System since Independence* on January 23, 2022 in which the keynote speaker was Mrs. Meenakshi Hooja (IAS Retd.), former Member, Central Administrative Tribunal. There were 100 participants. Prof. Ramesh K Arora, Chairman of the branch presided, while Ms. Daisy Sharma, Vice Principal, University Maharani's College, coordinated the programme.

- ❖ The branch in collaboration with the Centre for Administrative Change organised a webinar on *Good Governance and e-Governance* on January 30, 2022. The webinar was inaugurated by Dr. S.N. Tripathi, IAS, Director General, IIPA. The keynote speaker of the webinar was Dr. Sadhana Bhandari, Head of the Department of Public Administration, Government Dungar College, Bikaner. Prof. Ramesh K Arora, Chairman of the branch introduced the subject and welcomed guests. Shri H L Chauhan, Vice Chairman of the branch presided over the webinar, while Ms. Daisy Sharma, coordinated the programme. There were 100 participants in the programme.

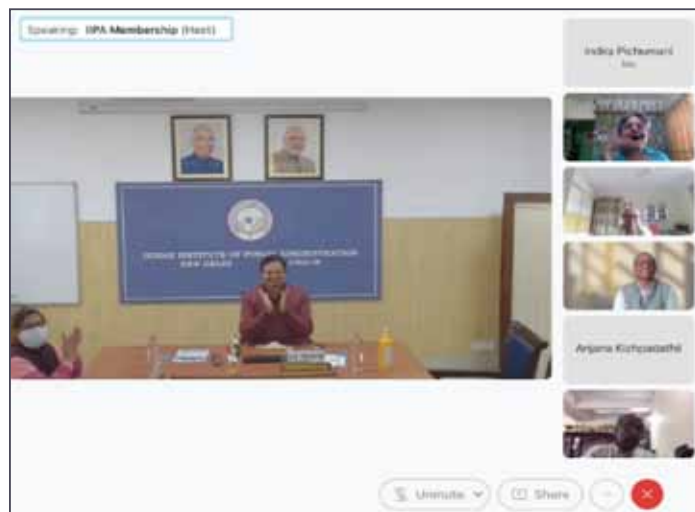
Bihar Regional Branch

- ❖ The branch organised an online talk on *Data Analysis and Interpretation in Social Science Research* on January 22, 2022. The main speech was delivered by Dr Ravindra Kumar Verma, Hony. Secretary of the branch. Dr Nutan Kumari, Assistant Professor, PhD, Research Scholars Mr Anand Pandey, Mr Pradeep Kumar, Ms. Anuradha Kumari, Ms. Vishakha Kashyap were among the participants. The branch received appreciative feedback from Prof Viresh Kumar Singh, Head, Dept. of Political Science, Patli Putra University, Patna and from participant research scholars. A sizeable number of young teachers, researchers, and PhD Scholars of the faculty of Public Administration and Political Science from Patli Putra University, Patna and B R A Bihar University, Muzaffarpur attended the talk.



Karnataka Regional Branch

- ❖ The branch in collaboration with the Public Affairs Centre, Bengaluru organised a webinar on January 18, 2022 on *Public Affairs Index-2021: Governance in the States of India*. Mr. S. Ramanathan, IAS (Retd.), Chairman, IIPA-KRB congratulated PAC on the publication of PAI-2021 and lauded its efforts at developing the Index in his opening remarks. Shri. S.N. Tripathi, IAS (Retd.), Director General of IIPA emphasised the unfaltering, universal application of 'good governance'. Ms. Anjana Kizhpadathil, Programme Officer, Public Affairs Centre presented the methodology and findings of the report. The first panellist, Dr. Shalini Rajneesh, IAS, Additional Chief Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Karnataka also gave his inputs. The second panellist was Dr. Supriya Roychowdhury, former Professor, Centre for Political Institutions, Governance and Development (CPIGD), ISEC, Bengaluru. The final panellist was Mr. K. Jairaj (IAS), Additional Chief Secretary (Retd.) Government of Karnataka, Bangalore. Dr. Annapoorna, Head, Policy Engagement and Communication at PAC presented the vote of thanks.



Jammu and Kashmir Regional Branch

- ◇ The branch organised the 12th *Sat Paul Sahni Memorial Lecture on Indi-China Conflict* on January 22, 2022. The lecture was delivered by Shri Maroof Raza, Security Analyst and Commentator, New Delhi. Major General Dr GG Dwivedi (Retd.), SM, VSM (Bar) presided over.

Odisha Regional Branch

- ◇ The branch organised a webinar in collaboration with the Think-Tank Odisha on *Odisha Maritime Heritage, Coastal Security and Citizen's Responsibility* on January 30, 2022. Shri Arun Kumar Rath, Chairman of the branch presented the opening remarks. Major General Atanu K Pattnaik (Retd.), Capt Saroj K Pradhan, Anil Dhir, a historian and eminent writer and explorer, Commander (Dr) Debi Prasad Padhi were the eminent speakers. Shri SN Tripathi, DG, IIPA also spoke during the webinar. There was an active and lively floor participation where former Chairpersons of the branch, Sri Sanjib Hota and Sri Sarat Ch Misra also placed their valuable opinions. Guests were introduced by Sri Swadesh S Pattnaik, Secretary, Think Tank and vote of thanks was proposed by Sri BP Tripathy, Treasurer of the branch.

Tirupati Local Branch

- ◇ The branch organised a talk on *Telugu Emerged as Global Language in Future* on January 7, 2022. Prof Danial Negers, Anthropologist, Head, INLCO, Paris France spoke about the development of French-Telugu languages in future. Prof M Ravi Kumar, Head, Department of Telugu, Dr Mynawamy, Correspondent on Tourism, Anantapur also spoke during the occasion. Prof A Ranga Reddy, President of the branch presided over and Prof A Samanthakamani, Secretary of the branch proposed the vote of thanks.

Burdwan Local Branch

- ◇ The branch in collaboration with the District Consumer Protection and Welfare Centre jointly organised a *Training Programme for Trainers* on December 12, 2021. Prof. Bijoy Chand, Honorary Secretary of the branch introduced the theme. Md. K. Abedin, Secretary of the Consumer - NGO spoke at length on the recent changes brought about the Consumer Protection Act and its benefits thereof. Shri Jiten Choudhury, President of the Consumer NGO delivered the welcome address at the beginning and also proposed the vote of thanks.

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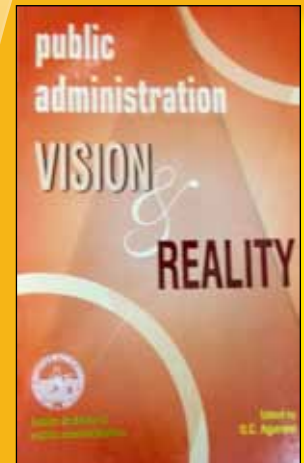
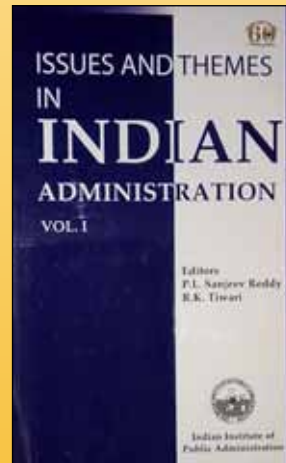
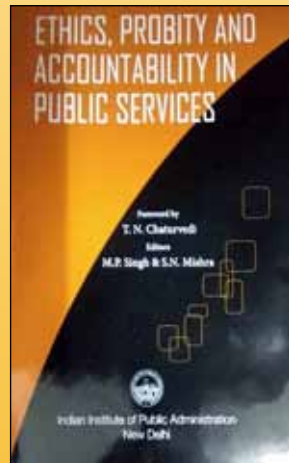
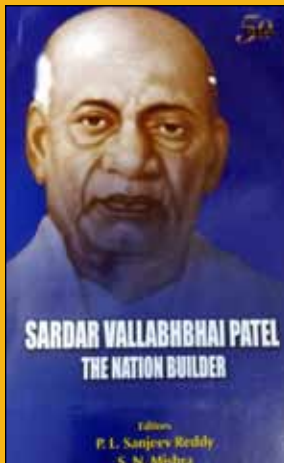
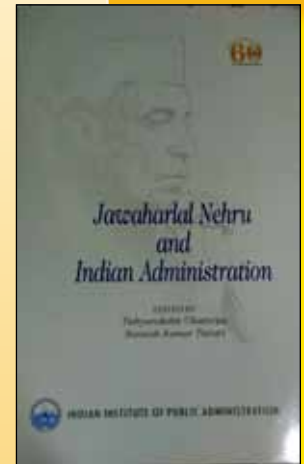
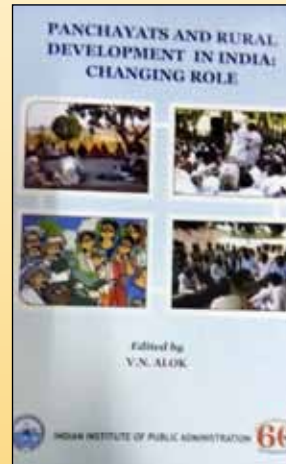
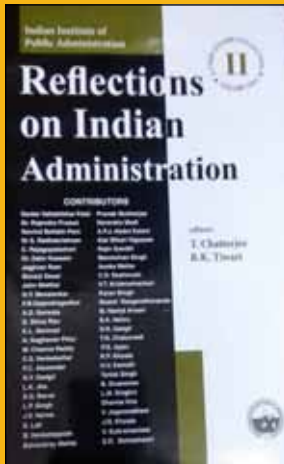
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