

# REPORT

## "National Seminar on 'New Directions in Higher Education' Organized by IQAC at Shri Guru Ram Rai University"

**Date: August 18, 2023**

Shri Guru Ram Rai University's Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) successfully organized a one-day National Seminar on "New Directions in Higher Education" on August 17, 2023. This seminal event, spearheaded by the IQAC, brought together leading educational experts, scholars, and students to delve into the transformative aspects of the new education policy.

### **Key Highlights of the Seminar:**

1. **Organized by IQAC:** The event was meticulously organized by the university's IQAC, showcasing its dedication to promoting quality and excellence in higher education.
2. **Renowned Speakers:** The seminar featured prominent personalities like UGC Ex-Chairman Dr. Ved Prakash and Dr. Shimla, Ex-Director of Lok Sabha, offering their valuable insights on the new education policy.
3. **Focus on NEP:** The primary discussion revolved around the New Education Policy (NEP), with a deep dive into its proposed impact and the changes it brings to the higher education system.
4. **Dr. Ved Prakash's Expertise:** Dr. Ved Prakash's session highlighted the need for innovation in higher education, aligning with the challenges and opportunities of the 21st century.
5. **Dr. Shimla's Contribution:** Dr. Shimla elaborated on the fundamental principles of the NEP, providing clarity on its vision and goals.
6. **Wide Participation:** The seminar witnessed the participation of nearly 800 attendees, including students, faculty members, and scholars, reflecting its significance in the academic community.
7. **Engaging Discussions:** Interactive sessions encouraged open discussions, questions, and sharing of ideas among the participants.
8. **Networking Platform:** The event served as a valuable networking opportunity for attendees to connect with educational experts and peers.
9. **Conclusion and Forward Steps:** The seminar concluded with an emphasis on the collective effort needed to implement the NEP effectively, and the crucial role of educational institutions in this journey.

# नई शिक्षा नीति में शैक्षणिक गुणवत्ता बढ़ाने के अवसर : प्रो. प्रकाश

■ सहारा न्यूज ब्यूरो  
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एसजीआरआर विश्वविद्यालय ने एक दिवसीय राष्ट्रीय सेमिनार का आयोजित किया, जिसमें उच्च शिक्षा में नई दिशा विषय पर चर्चा की गई। इस दौरान यूजीसी के पूर्व चेयरमैन प्रो. वेद प्रकाश ने छात्रों से संवाद किया।

बृहस्पतिवार को एसजीआरआर मेडिकल कॉलेज के ऑडिटोरियम में आयोजित सेमिनार में बतौर मुख्य वक्ता विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग (यूजीसी) के पूर्व चेयरमैन प्रो. वेद प्रकाश ने देश में उच्च शिक्षा के इतिहास, प्राचीन शिक्षा प्रणाली व नई शिक्षा नीति पर व्याख्यान दिया। उन्होंने कहा कि बच्चों को सशक्त व शिक्षित बनने के साथ ही जिम्मेदार नागरिक बनाना बेहद जरूरी है। उन्होंने छात्रों से अपना समय शिक्षा में निवेश करने का आह्वान किया।

प्रो. वेद प्रकाश ने कहा कि नई शिक्षा नीति में शैक्षणिक गुणवत्ता बढ़ाने का पूरा

■ एसजीआरआर विवि में उच्च शिक्षा पर सेमिनार आयोजित



अवसर है। उन्होंने पश्चिमी देशों के जीडीपी के सापेक्ष शिक्षा के लिए जारी बजट के अनुपात के तुलनात्मक आंकड़े भी पेश किये। साथ ही विवि के प्राध्यापकों को शैक्षणिक गुणवत्ता व नवाचार स्थापित करने के टिप्स दिए। विवि के कुलपति प्रो. यशवीर दीवान ने उच्च शिक्षा में छात्रों के लिए नवाचार व शैक्षणिक वातावरण स्थापित करने की दिशा में विचार रखे। कुलसचिव डॉ. अजय कुमार खंडूड़ी ने नई शिक्षा नीति के विभिन्न पहलुओं पर प्रकाश डाला।



The National Seminar on "New Directions in Higher Education," organized by the IQAC of Shri Guru Ram Rai University, marked a significant milestone in discussing and understanding the new education policy. This event underscored the university's commitment to being at the vanguard of educational policy discourse and its dedication to fostering an environment of quality education and academic excellence.

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&  
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Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

is  
**Organizing**  
**One-Day National Seminar**  
On  
**"New Directions in Higher Education"**

**Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> August 2023**  
Venue : Auditorium SGRR Medical College, Patel Nagar, Dehradun.  
Time 11 AM TO 5 PM

**Prof. Ved Prakash**  
Formerly, Member, Council of Higher Education (11AM TO 5 PM)  
Education Department, University Grants Commission (UGC), Govt of India

**Dr. (MS) Shima**  
India's foremost experts 01:00 PM to 2:00 PM  
Formerly, Director, UGC, Higher Education & Technology, Ministry of Education, Government of India

**Shri Mahant Devendra Dass, Ji Maharaj**  
Honourable Chancellor,  
Shri Guru Ram Rai University