

VC attends DLL Annual event Releases DLL News letter, distributes certificates

Srinagar KU October 19: Vice chancellor Kashmir university Prof Talat Ahmad today released the DLL times, the annual newsletter of the Directorate of Lifelong Learning (DLL) and presented certificates to the students who successfully completed various technical short term courses during the current academic year.

Vice chancellor said that in order to reach out to larger sections of the community for promotion of Lifelong Learning as a part of total education programme through formal, non-formal education and extension activities in the framework of teaching,

training, research and awareness in order to develop the socio-economic and knowledge based society DLL has been performing a great contribution. Reiterating his commitment to take KU closer to society Prof Talat Ahmad said that DLL should be linked more with various government / semi-government welfare schemes/self employment generation schemes at state and national level. He also said that DLL should take pro active role in preparing our student community for the State, national level Competitive Examinations.

In his address Dean Academic affairs Prof A M Shah said that lifelong learning concept of education is being practiced the world over. He praised the DLL Kashmir University the way it has turned vibrant over the last few years and carried its outreach programmes. Prof Shah who was the guest of honour at the event appreciated the way DLL is conducting skill based job oriented, and short term trainings courses for students of Kashmir.

In his address Director DLL, Dr G H Mir said that Directorate of Lifelong Learning (DLL), facilitates to bring the change in the lives of the common masses of the region by providing professional, vocational, skill based and job oriented courses, workshops, trainings, seminars, sensitization cum awareness programmes > He said the Directorate endeavors to renew the relevance, interest and economic potential of youth through its vision said Dr Mir. adding that thrust area of DLL is also to enable youth to set the income generation units and promoting the professional abilities through required inputs.

The DLL is actively involved in setting up of Career Counseling Cell, Rehabilitation Programme, and Establishment of Community Development Centers to plan and prepare critical understanding of requirements of maximum population and projection of newer opportunities based on possible intervention.

Prof Mir said that the directorate has been playing a major role in focusing the practical needs of the marginalized and weaker sections of the society through its diverse outreach programmes thereby developing a meaningful and sustained rapport between the university and the society. Dr G H Mir said that DLL conducts number of short-term technical and vocational courses with different durations to equip the students, unemployed youth with the skills, trainings required for employment in different sectors. It also conducts courses for the employees working in different Government and Non-Government sectors to upgrade their knowledge and skills at various levels. Thus, the Directorate designs and implements need based innovative academic and skill building programs in tune with the changing and emerging needs.

In his address DLL Consultant Prof B L Zutshi said that the Directorate has not only made a breakthrough in the sphere of extension education, but also has taken up major developmental and awareness programmes related to social and environmental. Mr M Premchand jamad, AGM Amoha Education Pvt Ltd Chennai also spoke on the occasion.

Copies of the DLL times, Edited by Altaf Hussain, Project officer DLL were distributed on the occasion. Printed in multicolor glazed paper DLL time was well appreciated by participants for its get up and editing. The proceedings of the event were conducted by Zahoor Akram project officer DLL. The short term training courses were done in collaboration with EMMRC KU, which was represented by Senior faculty EMMRC Dr Salima Jan on the occasion

