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Educational institutions must be not be centre of knowledge but centre of development: Governor

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Shri P.B. Acharya visited the North Eastern Regional Institute of Science and Technology (NERIST), Nirjuli on 4th September 2017. In his maiden visit to the premier institute of technology in the State, the Governor, who is the ex-officio President of NERIST Society interacted with the members of the faculty.

The Governor was pleased to learn that some of the former students of the institute, who are from State, are now members of the faculty of NERIST.

The Governor emphasised on skill education and entrepreneurship. The products of NERIST must be job providers and not job seekers.

The Governor emphasised that the educational institutions must be not be centre of knowledge but centre of development.

On the eve of the Teachers' day, the Governor stressed that education provided must be a mission and not business. The education of the institute must be relevant to the society. Your research should be applicable to the social life. Your duty is not to provide only academic excellent but to make a vibrant society. The society will change for better if the educationally empowered people open up and reach out to the people under Citizen Social Responsibility.

The Governor advised the faculty members to adopt village which are far away from the institute

Earlier, the Director in-charge of NERIST Dr. Tomo Mibang, Vice Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University and Registrar DR. R.P. Bhattacharjee briefed the Governor about NERIST.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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