

Union Minister talks about qualities of good governance

DR. RAJKUMAR RANJAN SINGH SPEAKS AT IIM LECTURE SERIES

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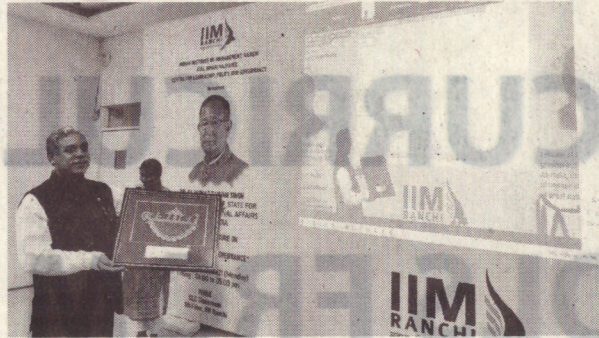
The Atal Bihari Vajpayee Centre for Leadership, Policy, and Governance, IIM Ranchi, conducted its 3rd anniversary lecture with Dr. Rajkumar Ranjan Singh Minister of State for Education and External Affairs at IIM Ranchi on September 27, 2021, as the distinguished speaker in the event.

Singh, presented his lecture titled "Reforms for Good Governance", where he spoke how 'Ek Bharat, Shreshtha

Bharat (One India, Great India)' and words like 'reform, perform and transform, provide insights about the concept of 'good governance. He discussed some of these positive developments in promoting good governance for India.

Singh said, "There are eight major qualities of good governance. It is democratic, consensus-driven, accountable, transparent, responsive, effective, and efficient, as well as equitable and inclusive, and it adheres to the rule of law."

He further said that the father of the nation, Mahatma Gandhi also emphasized "suraj" which essentially means good governance. "Right to Information and E-Governance are two key efforts that have recently been launched in India in order to empower the ordi-



Director, IIM Ranchi Prof. Shailendra Singh, during 3rd Anniversary Lecture organised by the Atal Bihari Vajpayee Centre for Leadership, Policy, and Governance, IIM Ranchi, in Ranchi on Monday

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nary man and ensure good governance," he added further.

In the end he concluded that the country's good governance will flourish if every Indian citizen ignites the flame of patriotism by sticking to

truth, peace, and nonviolence as methods of perceiving the India of our dreams. Every attendee should swear at this event that the moral ideals that guide our lives would never be swayed by money or

muscle strength. "We must allow our moral strength to triumph over our physical strength. As responsible citizens of the country, it is our primary responsibility to continue to vote for honest and upright citizens who can serve as effective administrators and reformers to bring constructive change to our country," Singh said.

Prof. Shailendra Singh, Director, IIM Ranchi graced the occasion. He said students and alumni of IIM Ranchi are making a significant impact all over the world and in the domain of management. He said that ABVCLPG, A Centre of Excellence at IIM Ranchi has done good work for budding public administrators in the fields of leadership, policy and governance.

Prof. Aditya Shankar Mishra highlighted the importance of good governance by quoting Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Sabka Vishwas and its mission to work for the country and its development. Prof. Angshuman Hazarika coordinated the Question and Answer session and vote of thanks. A token of appreciation was presented at the end to the distinguished speaker.

The ninth Indian Institute of Management was established at Ranchi in 2009. This year the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Ranchi has invited applications for five-year Integrated Programme in Management (IPM). Students who have cleared class 12, regardless of their subjects or streams, can apply for the programme.