

## Launching of Industry 4.0, Growth, Networking, Innovation Technology & Entrepreneurship (IGNITE) Centre of Excellence at Ghani Khan Choudhury Institute of Engineering & Technology, Malda

To accelerate all-round training and prepare future engineers for challenges of tomorrow, Ghani Khan Choudhury Institute of Engineering and Technology (GKCIET), Malda is setting up the Industry 4.0, Growth, Networking, Innovation Technology, Entrepreneurship (IGNITE) Center of Excellence for the students & faculty of this Institute. The Centre will help students create and nurture their simple ideas and convert them into cutting edge technologies of tomorrow, market their creativity to the outside world and help build startups together with help of faculty members of this Institute. The Hon'ble Director of this Institute, Prof. Parameswara Rao Alapati, highly emphasized on the need of imparting soft skills among the students and faculty which are not getting addressed within the limits of their regular syllabus. After much deliberation and research, the institute is setting up the IGNITE Center of Excellence in a tie-up with M/s InnovatioNext, a Gurgaon based company. M/s InnovatioNext with its unique solution build over an experience and research of 20 plus years will organize industry-academia co-innovation programs for this institution. Its industry-academia tools & pedagogy will help in developing future ready leaders, technopreneurs, intrapreneurs, marketpreneurs and entrepreneurs. This will scale up the evolutionary ideas of students into revolutionary business models in the industry. Overall, it will offer an opportunity of placement for the students in MNCs and leading companies and encourage startups.

### Schedule for Inauguration Session for Launching of Industry 4.0 GNITE CoE

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2019

- 2:00 PM: Welcome by Dr. Debrup Hui, T&P Officer
- 2:03 PM: Lighting of the Lamp
- 2:05 PM: IGNITE- A Necessary and Integral Part of GKCIET by Hon'ble Director
- 2:10 PM: IGNITE- A Brief Introduction by Pravin Rajpal
- 2:20 PM: Speech by Hon'ble Chairman, BoG
- 2:25 PM: Vote of Thanks
- 2:27 PM: Press Briefing
- 3:00 PM: Students' Orientation Program

**Venue:** Seminar Hall, Academic Block- A  
Ghani Khan Choudhury Institute of Engineering & Technology  
Narayanpur – 732 141, Malda, West Bengal

  
20.11.2019

Program Schedule for launching of Industry 4.0, Growth, Networking, Innovation Technology & Entrepreneurship (IGNITE) Centre of Excellence at  
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| Date       | Time             | Description  |
|------------|------------------|--|
| 21.11.2019 | 10am- 1:00pm     | Setting up of Lab &IT  |
|            | 2:00pm - 4:00pm  | Inaugural Session & Students' Orientation Program<br>(Tea Break of 10minutes ) |
|            | 4:00pm-5:30pm    | Faculty Development Program (FDP)  |
| 22.11.2019 | 10:00am - 1:00pm | Faculty Development Program (FDP)  |
|            | 2:00pm-5:00pm    | Faculty Development Program (FDP)  |

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