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# One Day National Webinar On

**“National Professional Standards For  
Teachers (NPST): A Step towards  
Professional Development of Teachers  
in India”**

**15<sup>th</sup> September, 2021**

**Organized by:**

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN  
IN COLLABORATION WITH  
NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR TEACHER  
EDUCATION (NCTE), NEW DELHI**





## Central University of Rajasthan

The Central University of Rajasthan aspires to be one of India's most dynamic and vibrant universities, responsive to the changing global trends, providing unparalleled educational opportunities for the learner community especially for those coming from the diverse strata of society seeking quality education. The Central University of Rajasthan (CURAJ) has been established by an Act of Parliament (Act No. 25 of 2009) as a new Central University, and is fully funded by the Government of India. The President of India, His Excellency Shri Ram Nath Kovind, is the Visitor of the CURAJ. Prof. Kasturirangan. Prof. Neeraj Gupta is the Vice Chancellor (I/C) of the University. CURAJ is located in Ajmer district of Rajasthan. In order to meet the challenges of the knowledge era and to keep pace with the knowledge explosion in Higher Education, the Central University of Rajasthan is committed to inculcate and sustain quality in all the dimensions of Higher Education viz. teaching, learning, research, extension and governance while catering to the regional and global needs. CURAJ offers 70 UG/PG and PhD programmes in its 13 Schools and 35 departments. The University operates from its permanent campus of 550 (approx.) acres and it has adequate hostels housing nearly 2000 students in the campus.

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## About the Event

The Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, GOI has decided to celebrate Shikshak Parv 2021 commencing from 7<sup>th</sup> to till 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 through Virtual Mode. The theme for Shikshak Parv is "Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India." Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan in collaboration with NCTE, is organising a National webinar on the theme "National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST): A Step towards Professional Development of Teachers in India" on 15<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

### SUBTHEMES

- NPST: Need & Concerns
- NPST: Road Map for Implementation



F. No. NCTE-Acad012/3/2021-O/o US(Acad.)-HQ

Date: 5<sup>th</sup> September 2021

To,

Dr. Anjali Sharma,  
Associate Professor, Dean and Head (Department of Education)  
Central University,  
NH-8, Bandar Sindri,  
Ajmer, Rajasthan-305817

**Subject: Celebration of Shikshak Parv 2021 (7<sup>th</sup> – 17 September 2021) – reg.**

Madam,

The Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, GoI has decided to celebrate Shikshak Parv 2021 commencing from 7th till 17th September 2021 through virtual mode. The theme for Shikshak Parv this year is '**Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India.**'

2. During the Shikshak Parv, it has been decided to organize a One- Day Inaugural Conclave on 7th September 2021 at 11:00 am wherein the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India will be addressing the stakeholders associated with education. It will be followed by webinars, discussions, presentations etc. up to 17th September 2021.

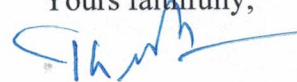
3. Necessary Circular on Celebration of the Shikshak Parv 2021 have been issued to TEIs through the Regional Directors (NRC/SRC/ERC/WRC) for wide dissemination and participation along with link.

4. We request the collaboration of Central University Rajasthan, the pioneers in the Teacher Education for conducting webinar as per schedule given below by involving more numbers of TEIs in vicinity. Your time and schedule should not be clashing with PMO or MoE programmes.

Name of the Institution	Date & Time (Tentative)	Organizers/ Contact Person	Theme
Central University of Rajasthan, Ajmer, Rajasthan	15 <sup>th</sup> September 2021 (11:00 am onwards)	Dr. Anjali Sharma	National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST): A step towards Professional Development of Teachers in India.

5. Expecting a favourable action and report be submitted on completion.

Yours faithfully,



(Dinesh Kumar Chaturvedi)  
Under Secretary

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Dated 28.08.2021

D.O. No. 7-4/2021-EE.1(Pt.)

Dear Mr. Kesang,

In recognition of valuable contribution of our teachers during the pandemic and to take the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 a step forward, like the previous year, this year too, the Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education would be celebrating Shikshak Parv, 2021 commencing from 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 till 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 through virtual mode. The theme for this year's Shikshak Parv has been decided keeping in view the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations, as 'Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India'.

During the Shikshak Parv, it has been decided to organize a one-day Inaugural Conclave on 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 in which the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India has consented to grace the occasion. He will be addressing a large number of teachers, parents and students on this occasion. The conclave will be followed by webinars, discussions, presentations etc. upto 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 in which the educational practitioners from various schools of the country have been invited to share their experience, learnings and the roadmap ahead.

The schedule of the inaugural conclave and webinars on the different themes are being attached with this letter (Annexure I & Annexure II). I would request you to kindly issue instructions to all the Regional offices under your administrative control so that all the stakeholders are able to join the Hon'ble Prime Minister's address during the Inaugural Conclave and subsequent webinars as per the schedule. The link for the event is as follows:

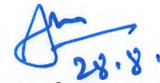
Youtube link for PM address : <https://youtu.be/Jrs3rClk8Z0>

PM webcast link (11:00 AM on 07<sup>th</sup> September, 2021): <https://pmindiawebcast.nic.in>

Shikshak Parv webpage link : <https://education.gov.in/shikshakparv>

I would request you to keep the DoSEL informed of the actions taken in this regard.

With regards,

  
28.8.21

(Santosh Kumar Sarangi)

Encl: As above

**Ms. Kesang Yangzom Sherpa**  
Member Secretary  
National Council for Teacher Education  
New Delhi





File No: NCTE-Acad012/3/2021-O/o US(Acad.)-HQ

Dated: 01<sup>st</sup> September 2021

**CIRCULAR**

**Celebrations of Shikshak Parv 2021 (7<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021 through Virtual Mode)– reg.**

The Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, GoI has decided to celebrate **Shikshak Parv 2021** commencing from 7<sup>th</sup> till 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021 through virtual mode. The theme for **Shikshak Parv** this year is '**Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India.**'

2. During the Shiksha Parv, it has been decided to organize a One-Day Inaugural Conclave on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 11:00 am wherein the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India will be addressing the stakeholders associated with education. It will be followed by webinars, discussions, presentations etc. up to 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021. **(The schedule of the inaugural conclave and webinars are attached)**

3. I am directed to request you to kindly forward the schedule of the inaugural conclave and webinars to the TEIs under your administrative control so that all the stakeholders are able to join the Hon'ble Prime Ministers address during the inaugural conclave and subsequent webinars as per the schedule. The link of the event is as follows:

**YouTube link for PM address:** <https://youtu.be/Irs3rClk8Z0>

**PM webcast link (11:00 AM on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2021):** <https://pmindiawebcast.nic.in>

**Shiksha Parv webpage link:** <https://education.gov.in/shikshakparv>

4. You are further requested to take the following initiative to make Shishak Parv a grand success.

- Kindly advise all the HODs/ Dean, Teacher Educators and other field formatives etc. under your jurisdiction to participate and benefit from the inaugural address/conclave and webinar series.
- All the stakeholders of teacher education sector from all over the country may also be advised for suggestions on the areas such as curriculum, pedagogy, inclusion and assessment etc. For this purpose, a questionnaire with multiple choice questions will be uploaded on MyGov on 5<sup>th</sup> September under the link:

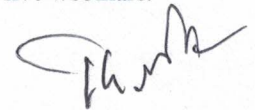
<https://innovateindia.mygov.in/stakeholders-engagement-for-NEP2020/>.

- Besides, the Department of School education & literacy is also inviting questions through MyGov from the stakeholders/ education practitioners on various stated themes of the conclave and webinar of Shikshak Parv 2021. The link at MyGov for the same is live until 5<sup>th</sup> September as under:

<https://innovateindia.mygov.in/inviting-questions-for-ShikshakParv2021-webinar/>

Few of these questions will be randomly picked up for response during the live webinars.

5. Looking forward to wide participation from teacher education sector.



(D K Chaturvedi)  
Under Secretary, NCTE

Encl: As stated above

To

**The Regional Director, NRC, ERC, WRC, SRC**

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**Shikshak Parv 2021**  
**Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India**

**A. Hon'ble Prime Minister's Address (During Conclave on 07.09.2021)**

Time	Activity
11:00 AM	Hon'ble Prime Minister comes online Welcome remarks by Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Minister for Education
11:05 AM	Hon'ble PM Launches ISL Dictionary of 10,000 words, Talking Books, FLN-NISTHA, Vidyanjali, and SQAAP { Accompanied by screening of a short film }
11:10 AM onwards	Address by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India

**B. Technical Session**

Date	Activity	Speakers
07.09.2021 (Tuesday) 11:55-13.30	Address by Chief Guest 11:55-12:00	<b>Hon'ble Minister of State for Education</b> <b>Smt. Annpurna Devi</b>
<b>Quality and Sustainable Schools – Learning from Schools in India</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. K. Kasturirangan Padma Vibhushan Chairman, National Education Policy Committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 12:00 -12:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 13:05 -13:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 13:25 -13:30</li> </ul>	1. Presenter (12:10 -12:20) Prof. J.S. Rajput Former Director, NCERT 2. Speaker 1 (12:20 -12:35) Dr. Anantha Jyoti Principal, Rishi Valley School, Madanapalle, Chittor District, Andhra Pradesh 3. Speaker 2 (12:35-12:50) Dr. Arunabh Singh Director, Nehru World School E Block, Shastri Nagar, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh 201002 4. Speaker 3 (12:50 -13:05) Ms. Sudha Painuli (National Teacher Awardee) Vice Principal, Eklavya Model Residential School Kalsi, Dehradun, Uttarakhand

**C. Conclave Concluding Session**

Date	Activity
07.09.2021 (Tuesday) 13:30-13.45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remarks by Prof. Sridhar Srivastava, Director, NCERT 13:30-13:35</li> <li>• Concluding remarks by Smt. Anita Karwal, Secretary, SE&amp;L 13:35-13:45</li> </ul>



### Schedule of Shikshak Parv Webinars

Date / Theme	Chairperson & Time slot	Speakers
08.09.2021 (Wednesday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Technology in Education: NDEAR</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Neeta Verma Director General (NIC)  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Mr. Rajnish Kumar, Director, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Dr. Sanjay Kumar, GPS Kuftu Dsitt, Himachal Pradesh  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Pratima Singh National ICT Awardee 2017, Head Teacher, Primary School Dhusah BALRAMPUR U.P.  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Mr S. Simon Peter Paul. National ICT Awardee, PST GHS, Ariyarkuppam, Puducherry
09.09.2021 (Thursday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Foundational Literacy and Numeracy: A Pre-requisite to Learning and ECCE</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Ms. Anita Karwal Secretary (SE&L), MoE  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Shri Maneesh Garg Joint Secretary, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Dr. Annie Koshi, Principal St. Mary's School, Safdarjung Enclave New Delhi  <b><u>Speaker 2(10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms. Nandini Deshmukh, Govt. Primary School Chhattisgarh  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Seema Chaudhary, Head Mistress, Kendriya Vidyalaya School Zirakpur, Chandigarh



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10.09.2021 (Friday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Culture of Innovation in our Schools</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Abhay Jere Chief Innovation Officer, MoE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Ms Rupa Chakravorty Suncity Group of Schools, Gurugram Haryana  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Sh. Manish Jain IIT Gandhinagar, Gujarat  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35-10:50)</u></b> Santosh Kumar Tarak, Asst. Teacher Govt. Primary School Shuklabhata Cluster Gona Mainpur Block, Chhattisgarh  <b><u>Speaker 3(10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Mr. Anil Pradhan Founder, Young Tinker Founder, School for Rural Innovation (IPSFRI), Founder, Navonmesh Prasar Foundation
11.09.2021 (Saturday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Nurturing Inclusive Classrooms</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Ms. Anjali Bhawra Secretary, DOPWD (TBC) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Ms. Ritu Sain, Director, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Dr. Sudha Acharya, Principal ITL School  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms Sumita Chavare, Air Force School, 9 BRD, Pune Nagar Road, Chandan Nagar, Pune, Maharashtra  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Lecturer DIET Shamlaghat, HP



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13.09.2021 (Monday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Innovative Pedagogy to Promote Enjoyable and Engaging Learning</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Ms. Nidhi Pandey Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Mr. Joseph Emmanuel Director (Academics) CBSE  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Mr. Naresh Kumar Lect(SN) Physics GSSS Mahunag Distt Mandi HP PIN- 175010  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Mr.Rudra Pratap Singh Rana Mob Assistant Teacher Village – Sakda P.O- khadgawan Distt- Koriya PIN 497449  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> K. Revathi primary school teacher, Govt. Primary School, pillaiyarkuppam no, 17, 4th cross, kamarajar nagar, ariyankuppam, Puducherry- 605007
14.09.2021 (Tuesday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Promoting Quality and Sustainable Schools</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Sh. Dhir Jhingran Founder Director, Language and Learning Foundation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Sh. Rahul Pachori, Deputy Secretary, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Sh Yudhveer Tandon, State Awardee, GPS, Anoga District, H.P  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms. Manju Arif Principal, Delhi Public School, Bangalore  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Sh Manit Jain, Co-founder, Heritage School, New Delhi



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15.09.2021 (Wednesday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Transforming the System of Assessment: Holistic Progress Card</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Shri Manoj Ahuja Chairperson, CBSE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Dr. Praggya M. Singh J.S. (Academics) CBSE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Mrs. Anuradha Joshi, Principal, Sardar Patel Vidyalaya New Delhi  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms Anju Chazot, Mahatma Gandhi International School, Ahmadabad  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Parvinder Kumar, Winner of state award Principal, GBSSS, Tikri Kalan (currently posted with Govt of NCT)
16.09.2021 (Thursday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Stimulating Indian Knowledge System, Arts and Culture</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Harshad P. Shah, Vice Chancellor Children's University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Prof Ms. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, NIOS  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Prof Girishwar Misra, Ex Vice-Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya, Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Dr. Ameeta Mulla Wattal, Chairperson and Executive Director, DLF Foundation Schools and Scholarships  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Dr. Praveen Kumar Tiwari, Associate Professor, Department of Education Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University, Bareilly



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<p>17.09.2021 (Friday) 10:00 -11:30</p> <p><b>Reimagining Vocational Education and Skill building</b></p>	<p><b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Nirmaljeet Singh Kalsi Chairman, NCVET</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul> <p><b>Co-Chairperson:</b> Manish Sabharwal Chairman Team Lease Services Ltd</p>	<p><b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Dr. Biswajit Saha Director (Training &amp; Skill Education), CBSE</p> <p><b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Mr. Raj Gilda Lend-A-Hand, India Delhi</p> <p><b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms. Sheetal Bapat Shyamchi Aai Foundation Maharashtra</p> <p><b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Dr. Shaji B. Vocational Teacher, Kerala</p>



**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF RAJASTHAN**

**REPORT ON ONE DAY NATIONAL WEBINAR**

**“NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS FOR TEACHERS  
(NPST): A STEP TOWARDS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF  
TEACHERS IN INDIA”**

**on**

**15<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2021**

On the occasion of Shikshak Parv 2021 (commencing from 7<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021), Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan in collaboration with National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), New Delhi organized one day National webinar on “National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST): A Step Towards Professional Development of Teachers in India” on 15th September 2021 in online mode through Google meet platform.

The webinar was focused on National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST), its Needs & concerns and a Roadmap for implementation.

There were two sessions in this programme; the First session was organized on the subtheme “**NPST: Need & Concerns**”, and the second session was organized on the subtheme “**NPST: Road Map for Implementation**”.

**First Session**

**Subtheme: “NPST: Need & Concerns”**

The programme started at 12:00 pm with the welcome address by Dr Anjali Sharma, convenor of the National Webinar and Head and Dean School of Education, Central University of Rajasthan. The dignitaries on the event were **Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, Prof. Saroj Sharma Chairperson, National Institute of Open Schooling and Prof. Neeraj Gupta, Vice-Chancellor (i/c), Central University of Rajasthan.**

The first session was moderated by Dr Rina Godara, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan.

**Dr Anjali Sharma** delivered opening remarks and an introduction to the programme. She highlighted the key points of the webinar. Also, she thanked the **Ministry of Education along with National Council for Teacher Education Officials, Shri Santosh Kumar Sarangi, IAS Chairperson, NCTE Mrs Kesang Y Sherpa, Member Secretary, NCTE and Mr Dinesh Kumar Chaturvedi, Under Secretary, NCTE**, for choosing us to organize this one-day National Webinar.

**Prof. Neeraj Gupta, Vice-Chancellor (i/c), Central University of Rajasthan**, also welcomed the invited eminent speaker and expressed his gratitude for their presence for gracing this event.

Subject Experts, **Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh and Prof. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, National Institute of Open Schooling**, were the dignitaries invited for the first session of the webinar.



At the starting of the session, **Prof. Neeraj Gupta, Vice-Chancellor (i/c), Central University of Rajasthan**, said that it is quite interesting that due to online connectivity, we could be able to connect from Arunachal Pradesh to Rajasthan. He stated about the theme and subthemes of the webinar that it is the most critical topic of concern when we are talking about the implementation of the National Education Policy 2020. Skill and attitude are the two significant areas of concern that are missing among the teachers. In our education system, a teacher is sent to any institution without any training, so there is a need to train our teachers in these two specific areas, i.e. skill and attitude, before sending them to any institution.

**Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh** focused on the ground reality related to teacher education institutions. He said that in our universities, whether it is Central University or State University, the ratio of teachers is not managed. Due to the scarcity of teachers, institutes fail to release teachers for better training. He also talked about APAR (Annual Performance Appraisal Report). According to him, there is a need to look into the dynamics of differential treatment. He also emphasized that training is also required for future teachers so that they may be able to develop and synthesize the problems from the raw data. He said that teachers fail to build curiosity among our students, so we need to train our teachers in this aspect.

In the second part of the session Dr. Kanak Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan welcomed and introduced the second speaker of the session

The second speaker of the session, **Prof. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, National Institute of Open Schooling**, started her session with the Status of Teacher in Ancient times. She said that the teacher in the olden days shaped the future of society and was highly revered and superior to God. He was most learned. She also traced the development in the field of education by referring to various commissions and committees. She stated that in the 21<sup>st</sup>-century educator, we are looking for characteristics such as adaptor, communicator, learner, visionary, leader, model, collaborator and risk-taker. She defined professional standards as a set of principles, ethics and behaviours that members of a particular professional group need to adapt.

The speaker referenced Sustainable Development Goals (SDG 2030) on professional standards of teachers, which states, "By 2030, substantially increase the supply of qualified teachers, including through international cooperation for teacher training in developing countries, especially least developed countries and small island developing states." It also talks about the "Existence of National Quality Standards for Teachers."

She also discussed NPST and highlighted that there has to be motivation for teachers to enhance teacher education quality, and the high respect for teachers and high status of teaching needs to be restored. These things need to be kept in mind while preparing for NPST. It should focus on Expectation, Competency, Standard for Performance Appraisal and Designing of Pre-service teacher education Programme. UNESCO in 2019 also gave domains of professional teaching standards: Knowledge and understanding, practice (Pedagogy) and Teaching Relations (Professional Relationships). Towards the end, the speaker focused on the needs and concerns of the NPST like;

- we need to define the roles of teachers,
- provide the framework for self-learning and self-evaluation,
- make explicit the qualities of a 21<sup>st</sup>-century teacher,
- raise the profession's status, and demonstrate the appropriate level of professional knowledge, practice, and engagement.



What is the way forward now? How do we move ahead? For this, the speaker discussed four professional standard resources: Professional Standard Framework for teachers, Professional Standard Self-development Guide, Professional Standard Assessment tools, Professional Standard Research tools.

The speaker shared her experiences at NIOS how they are working towards the professional development of their teachers. She also shared about the Virtual school initiated by NIOS and NDEAR Scheme of Government. She believed that teachers should also work for their professional development. In these times of pandemic, the teachers have worked on their capacity building and equipped themselves with the new technology. There is an utter need to keep on working on the professional development of teachers. We need to work on their capacity development and ensure that they are ready with 21<sup>st</sup>-century skills.

At the end of the session, the speaker answered the queries of the participants. The programme wrapped up around 1:45 pm. The vote of thanks was given by Dr Narendra Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan.

## **Report of Second Session**

### **Sub Theme: NPST: A Road map for Implementation**

**The Speaker: Prof. Shri Prakash Mani Tripathi**, Vice-Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, Madhya Pradesh

The session was moderated by Dr T Sangeetha, Assistant Professor, Department of Education.

The session began with the welcome speech by Dr Anjali Sharma, Head, Department of Education; Dean, School of Education.

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. Neeraj Gupta made the introductory remark.

Dr Subhashish Batra, Associate Professor, Department of Social Work, Head, Department of Sports Psychology, introduced the honourable speaker, Prof. Shri Prakash Mani Tripathi, Vice-Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak.

The speaker started by appreciating the topic to which he was invited. He praised for the first time the Samagra policy came, emphasizing all over the development of the individual. It incorporates traditional knowledge as well as modern knowledge. The main focus is on developing good citizenship, focusing on all three aspects of Chintan, Manan, and Adhayan. We all should be aware of educational psychology and educational objectives. Education is one of the vital tools which helps you in progress. The role of a teacher is crucial who enlightens the individual. He shared that we come across four teachers during our life, beginning from mother being the first teacher at home, in our initial phase, who teaches words and makes us aware of the relationship. At the second level, we come across a teacher in school who gives us subject knowledge. And in higher education, the teacher instils in us the skill and professional knowledge. At the fourth stage, we are left with no one to guide us and here, the Sasthras place an essential role in guiding us. He also talked about the importance of both intrinsic as well as extrinsic development. There is a need to focus on traditional knowledge wherein we can develop our inner sense. Extrinsic development takes place with the help of science and technology, which will help progress in our lives; the teacher plays an important link in all this. He has to focus on individual development, national development as well as the development of humanity. The teacher is a role model in society, and he is assessed at every stage by the students and society, the way s/he speaks, his conduct, behaviour, everything is observed. The teacher has to be continuously curious and a lifelong learner as he is the one



who creates the future generation. Skill development is highlighted in the New Education Policy, and various other important components related to holistic development are emphasized. The success of implementation of this Policy NEP 2020 lies in the hands of a teacher. For all this, institutional readiness is needed. Good infrastructure facilities and well-equipped libraries, laboratories should be there. The classrooms need to be good, the place where the students are sitting. The teacher needs to be provided with appropriate infrastructure facilities such as seating arrangements, technology etc.

Nowadays, artificial intelligence is the buzzword. We can have information at the click of a button, but he suggested that teachers should not become the slave of technology but make technology their slaves. Teachers need to trust their knowledge rather than depend on technology; for this, they need to keep updating. It's the era of technology; we are all talking about startups now. NEP 2020 has also taken care of all these aspects. He also referenced the covid scenarios of how the teachers worked hard to cope with the situation.

He emphasized four points that one needs to focus on the sense of inquiry, discussion, discovery, analysis, and synthesis. He gave the example that many people contribute to the literature, art, etc. though they do not hold any formal positions. He emphasized that these people should be identified and brought to the forefront and learn them through their experiences. Their experiences can be utilized, and we can also preserve the culture in this manner.

The teacher needs to work for their continuous professional development. They should think about how to teach the students, what different learning resources they can provide, and what innovations they can bring in their teaching-learning process. All these aspects need to be thought. In future, the promotions of the teachers will not be time-bound one need to perform and develop professionally on their own to get promoted. The teachers have to act as an agent for social change. The teachers have to impart knowledge of constitutional values to their children. Apart from giving subject knowledge, the knowledge of liberal arts will now be given more importance. Importance should be given to sports also. All these need to be included in teaching by the teacher, and to do this, they have first to learn them or gain knowledge in this area.

The speaker also emphasized the need to interact with different teachers and teachers of other educational institutions. We need to create a network and learning environment wherein we can learn from each other's experiences. The teacher can make the students global citizens and also make them brand ambassadors of the nation. We need to prepare them for all fields.

We need to trust our nation and take pride in our nation and the national language. We should focus on self-reliance, find out what is renowned in your neighbourhood. Start appreciating the local resources. We need to take pride in our local heritage. We need to be vocal for locals. These local resources can be later taken to the national level and promote. The teacher needs to take the students from ignorance to knowledge. Every student has the ability and potential now; it is up to the teachers to nurture those potentials.

The session followed the discussion.

Dr Gobind Singh, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, proposed the vote of thanks.

With this Seminar was declared to be closed.





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Dear Mr. Kesang,

In recognition of valuable contribution of our teachers during the pandemic and to take the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 a step forward, like the previous year, this year too, the Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education would be celebrating Shikshak Parv, 2021 commencing from 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 till 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 through virtual mode. The theme for this year's Shikshak Parv has been decided keeping in view the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations, as 'Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India'.

During the Shikshak Parv, it has been decided to organize a one-day Inaugural Conclave on 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 in which the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India has consented to grace the occasion. He will be addressing a large number of teachers, parents and students on this occasion. The conclave will be followed by webinars, discussions, presentations etc. upto 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 in which the educational practitioners from various schools of the country have been invited to share their experience, learnings and the roadmap ahead.

The schedule of the inaugural conclave and webinars on the different themes are being attached with this letter (Annexure I & Annexure II). I would request you to kindly issue instructions to all the Regional offices under your administrative control so that all the stakeholders are able to join the Hon'ble Prime Minister's address during the Inaugural Conclave and subsequent webinars as per the schedule. The link for the event is as follows:

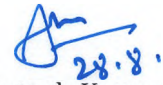
Youtube link for PM address : <https://youtu.be/Jrs3rClk8Z0>

PM webcast link (11:00 AM on 07<sup>th</sup> September, 2021): <https://pmindiawebcast.nic.in>

Shikshak Parv webpage link : <https://education.gov.in/shikshakparv>

I would request you to keep the DoSEL informed of the actions taken in this regard.

With regards,

  
28.8.21

(Santosh Kumar Sarangi)

Encl: As above

**Ms. Kesang Yangzom Sherpa**  
Member Secretary  
National Council for Teacher Education  
New Delhi





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**Celebrations of Shikshak Parv 2021 (7<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021 through Virtual Mode)– reg.**

The Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, GoI has decided to celebrate **Shikshak Parv 2021** commencing from 7<sup>th</sup> till 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021 through virtual mode. The theme for **Shikshak Parv** this year is '**Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India.**'

2. During the Shiksha Parv, it has been decided to organize a One-Day Inaugural Conclave on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 11:00 am wherein the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India will be addressing the stakeholders associated with education. It will be followed by webinars, discussions, presentations etc. up to 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021. **(The schedule of the inaugural conclave and webinars are attached)**

3. I am directed to request you to kindly forward the schedule of the inaugural conclave and webinars to the TEIs under your administrative control so that all the stakeholders are able to join the Hon'ble Prime Ministers address during the inaugural conclave and subsequent webinars as per the schedule. The link of the event is as follows:

**YouTube link for PM address:** <https://youtu.be/Irs3rClk8Z0>

**PM webcast link (11:00 AM on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2021):** <https://pmindiawebcast.nic.in>

**Shiksha Parv webpage link:** <https://education.gov.in/shikshakparv>

4. You are further requested to take the following initiative to make Shishak Parv a grand success.

- Kindly advise all the HODs/ Dean, Teacher Educators and other field formatives etc. under your jurisdiction to participate and benefit from the inaugural address/conclave and webinar series.
- All the stakeholders of teacher education sector from all over the country may also be advised for suggestions on the areas such as curriculum, pedagogy, inclusion and assessment etc. For this purpose, a questionnaire with multiple choice questions will be uploaded on MyGov on 5<sup>th</sup> September under the link:

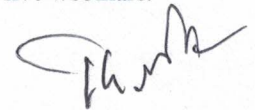
<https://innovateindia.mygov.in/stakeholders-engagement-for-NEP2020/>.

- Besides, the Department of School education & literacy is also inviting questions through MyGov from the stakeholders/ education practitioners on various stated themes of the conclave and webinar of Shikshak Parv 2021. The link at MyGov for the same is live until 5<sup>th</sup> September as under:

<https://innovateindia.mygov.in/inviting-questions-for-ShikshakParv2021-webinar/>

Few of these questions will be randomly picked up for response during the live webinars.

5. Looking forward to wide participation from teacher education sector.



(D K Chaturvedi)  
Under Secretary, NCTE

Encl: As stated above

To

**The Regional Director, NRC, ERC, WRC, SRC**

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**Shikshak Parv 2021**  
**Quality and Sustainable Schools: Learnings from the Schools in India**

**A. Hon'ble Prime Minister's Address (During Conclave on 07.09.2021)**

Time	Activity
11:00 AM	Hon'ble Prime Minister comes online Welcome remarks by Shri Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon'ble Minister for Education
11:05 AM	Hon'ble PM Launches ISL Dictionary of 10,000 words, Talking Books, FLN-NISTHA, Vidyanjali, and SQAAP { Accompanied by screening of a short film }
11:10 AM onwards	Address by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India

**B. Technical Session**

Date	Activity	Speakers
07.09.2021 (Tuesday) 11:55-13.30	Address by Chief Guest 11:55-12:00	<b>Hon'ble Minister of State for Education</b> <b>Smt. Annpurna Devi</b>
<b>Quality and Sustainable Schools – Learning from Schools in India</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. K. Kasturirangan Padma Vibhushan Chairman, National Education Policy Committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 12:00 -12:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 13:05 -13:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 13:25 -13:30</li> </ul>	1. Presenter (12:10 -12:20) Prof. J.S. Rajput Former Director, NCERT 2. Speaker 1 (12:20 -12:35) Dr. Anantha Jyoti Principal, Rishi Valley School, Madanapalle, Chittor District, Andhra Pradesh 3. Speaker 2 (12:35-12:50) Dr. Arunabh Singh Director, Nehru World School E Block, Shastri Nagar, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh 201002 4. Speaker 3 (12:50 -13:05) Ms. Sudha Painuli (National Teacher Awardee) Vice Principal, Eklavya Model Residential School Kalsi, Dehradun, Uttarakhand

**C. Conclave Concluding Session**

Date	Activity
07.09.2021 (Tuesday) 13:30-13.45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remarks by Prof. Sridhar Srivastava, Director, NCERT 13:30-13:35</li> <li>• Concluding remarks by Smt. Anita Karwal, Secretary, SE&amp;L 13:35-13:45</li> </ul>



### Schedule of Shikshak Parv Webinars

Date / Theme	Chairperson & Time slot	Speakers
08.09.2021 (Wednesday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Technology in Education: NDEAR</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Neeta Verma Director General (NIC)  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Mr. Rajnish Kumar, Director, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Dr. Sanjay Kumar, GPS Kuftu Dsitt, Himachal Pradesh  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Pratima Singh National ICT Awardee 2017, Head Teacher, Primary School Dhusah BALRAMPUR U.P.  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Mr S. Simon Peter Paul. National ICT Awardee, PST GHS, Ariyarkuppam, Puducherry
09.09.2021 (Thursday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Foundational Literacy and Numeracy: A Pre-requisite to Learning and ECCE</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Ms. Anita Karwal Secretary (SE&L), MoE  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Shri Maneesh Garg Joint Secretary, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Dr. Annie Koshi, Principal St. Mary's School, Safdarjung Enclave New Delhi  <b><u>Speaker 2(10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms. Nandini Deshmukh, Govt. Primary School Chhattisgarh  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Seema Chaudhary, Head Mistress, Kendriya Vidyalaya School Zirakpur, Chandigarh



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10.09.2021 (Friday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Culture of Innovation in our Schools</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Abhay Jere Chief Innovation Officer, MoE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Ms Rupa Chakravorty Suncity Group of Schools, Gurugram Haryana  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Sh. Manish Jain IIT Gandhinagar, Gujarat  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35-10:50)</u></b> Santosh Kumar Tarak, Asst. Teacher Govt. Primary School Shuklabhata Cluster Gona Mainpur Block, Chhattisgarh  <b><u>Speaker 3(10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Mr. Anil Pradhan Founder, Young Tinker Founder, School for Rural Innovation (IPSFRI), Founder, Navonmesh Prasar Foundation
11.09.2021 (Saturday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Nurturing Inclusive Classrooms</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Ms. Anjali Bhawra Secretary, DOPWD (TBC) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Ms. Ritu Sain, Director, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Dr. Sudha Acharya, Principal ITL School  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms Sumita Chavare, Air Force School, 9 BRD, Pune Nagar Road, Chandan Nagar, Pune, Maharashtra  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Lecturer DIET Shamlaghat, HP



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13.09.2021 (Monday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Innovative Pedagogy to Promote Enjoyable and Engaging Learning</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Ms. Nidhi Pandey Commissioner, Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Mr. Joseph Emmanuel Director (Academics) CBSE  <b><u>Speaker 1(10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Mr. Naresh Kumar Lect(SN) Physics GSSS Mahunag Distt Mandi HP PIN- 175010  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Mr.Rudra Pratap Singh Rana Mob Assistant Teacher Village – Sakda P.O- khadgawan Distt- Koriya PIN 497449  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> K. Revathi primary school teacher, Govt. Primary School, pillaiyarkuppam no, 17, 4th cross, kamarajar nagar, ariyankuppam, Puducherry- 605007
14.09.2021 (Tuesday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Promoting Quality and Sustainable Schools</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Sh. Dhir Jhingran Founder Director, Language and Learning Foundation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Sh. Rahul Pachori, Deputy Secretary, MoE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Sh Yudhveer Tandon, State Awardee, GPS, Anoga District, H.P  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms. Manju Arif Principal, Delhi Public School, Bangalore  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Sh Manit Jain, Co-founder, Heritage School, New Delhi



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15.09.2021 (Wednesday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Transforming the System of Assessment: Holistic Progress Card</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Shri Manoj Ahuja Chairperson, CBSE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Dr. Praggya M. Singh J.S. (Academics) CBSE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Mrs. Anuradha Joshi, Principal, Sardar Patel Vidyalaya New Delhi  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms Anju Chazot, Mahatma Gandhi International School, Ahmadabad  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Parvinder Kumar, Winner of state award Principal, GBSSS, Tikri Kalan (currently posted with Govt of NCT)
16.09.2021 (Thursday) 10:00 -11:30 <b>Stimulating Indian Knowledge System, Arts and Culture</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Harshad P. Shah, Vice Chancellor Children's University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul>	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Prof Ms. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, NIOS  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Prof Girishwar Misra, Ex Vice-Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya, Hindi Vishwavidyalaya, Wardha  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Dr. Ameeta Mulla Wattal, Chairperson and Executive Director, DLF Foundation Schools and Scholarships  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Dr. Praveen Kumar Tiwari, Associate Professor, Department of Education Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University, Bareilly



Date / Theme	Chairperson & Time slot	Speakers
17.09.2021 (Friday) 10:00 -11:30  <b>Reimagining Vocational Education and Skill building</b>	<b>Chairperson:</b> Dr. Nirmaljeet Singh Kalsi Chairman, NCVET  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introductory Remarks by Chair: 10:00 -10:10</li> <li>• Q &amp; A conducted by Chair: 11:05 -11:25</li> <li>• Wrap up by Chair: 11:25 - 11:30</li> </ul> <b>Co-Chairperson:</b> Manish Sabharwal Chairman Team Lease Services Ltd	<b><u>Presenter (10:10 -10:20)</u></b> Dr. Biswajit Saha Director (Training & Skill Education), CBSE  <b><u>Speaker 1 (10:20 -10:35)</u></b> Mr. Raj Gilda Lend-A-Hand, India Delhi  <b><u>Speaker 2 (10:35 -10:50)</u></b> Ms. Sheetal Bapat Shyamchi Aai Foundation Maharashtra  <b><u>Speaker 3 (10:50 -11:05)</u></b> Dr. Shaji B. Vocational Teacher, Kerala



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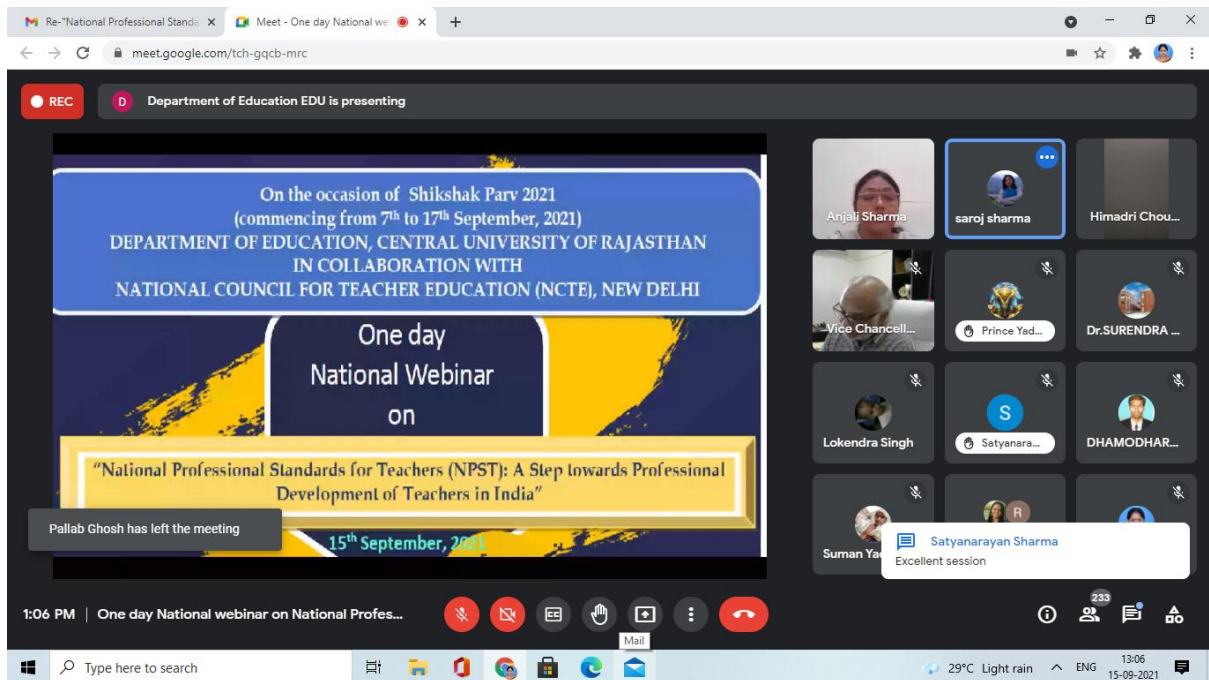
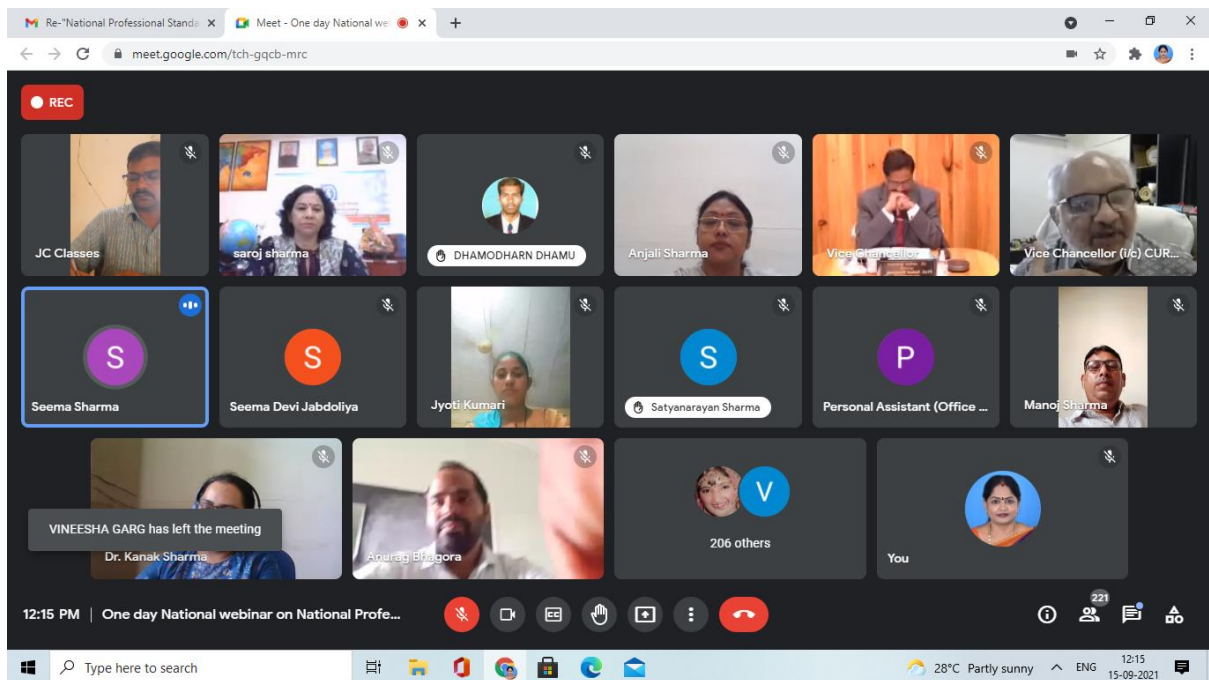
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**REPORT ON ONE DAY NATIONAL WEBINAR**

**“NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS FOR TEACHERS  
(NPST): A STEP TOWARDS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF  
TEACHERS IN INDIA”**

**on**

**15<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2021**

On the occasion of Shikshak Parv 2021 (commencing from 7<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2021), Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan in collaboration with National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE), New Delhi organized one day National webinar on “National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST): A Step Towards Professional Development of Teachers in India” on 15th September 2021 in online mode through Google meet platform.

The webinar was focused on National Professional Standards for Teachers (NPST), its Needs & concerns and a Roadmap for implementation.

There were two sessions in this programme; the First session was organized on the subtheme “**NPST: Need & Concerns**”, and the second session was organized on the subtheme “**NPST: Road Map for Implementation**”.

**First Session**

**Subtheme: “NPST: Need & Concerns”**

The programme started at 12:00 pm with the welcome address by Dr Anjali Sharma, convenor of the National Webinar and Head and Dean School of Education, Central University of Rajasthan. The dignitaries on the event were **Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh, Prof. Saroj Sharma Chairperson, National Institute of Open Schooling and Prof. Neeraj Gupta, Vice-Chancellor (i/c), Central University of Rajasthan.**

The first session was moderated by Dr Rina Godara, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan.

**Dr Anjali Sharma** delivered opening remarks and an introduction to the programme. She highlighted the key points of the webinar. Also, she thanked the **Ministry of Education along with National Council for Teacher Education Officials, Shri Santosh Kumar Sarangi, IAS Chairperson, NCTE Mrs Kesang Y Sherpa, Member Secretary, NCTE and Mr Dinesh Kumar Chaturvedi, Under Secretary, NCTE**, for choosing us to organize this one-day National Webinar.

**Prof. Neeraj Gupta, Vice-Chancellor (i/c), Central University of Rajasthan**, also welcomed the invited eminent speaker and expressed his gratitude for their presence for gracing this event.

Subject Experts, **Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh and Prof. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, National Institute of Open Schooling**, were the dignitaries invited for the first session of the webinar.



At the starting of the session, **Prof. Neeraj Gupta, Vice-Chancellor (i/c), Central University of Rajasthan**, said that it is quite interesting that due to online connectivity, we could be able to connect from Arunachal Pradesh to Rajasthan. He stated about the theme and subthemes of the webinar that it is the most critical topic of concern when we are talking about the implementation of the National Education Policy 2020. Skill and attitude are the two significant areas of concern that are missing among the teachers. In our education system, a teacher is sent to any institution without any training, so there is a need to train our teachers in these two specific areas, i.e. skill and attitude, before sending them to any institution.

**Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh** focused on the ground reality related to teacher education institutions. He said that in our universities, whether it is Central University or State University, the ratio of teachers is not managed. Due to the scarcity of teachers, institutes fail to release teachers for better training. He also talked about APAR (Annual Performance Appraisal Report). According to him, there is a need to look into the dynamics of differential treatment. He also emphasized that training is also required for future teachers so that they may be able to develop and synthesize the problems from the raw data. He said that teachers fail to build curiosity among our students, so we need to train our teachers in this aspect.

In the second part of the session Dr. Kanak Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan welcomed and introduced the second speaker of the session

The second speaker of the session, **Prof. Saroj Sharma, Chairperson, National Institute of Open Schooling**, started her session with the Status of Teacher in Ancient times. She said that the teacher in the olden days shaped the future of society and was highly revered and superior to God. He was most learned. She also traced the development in the field of education by referring to various commissions and committees. She stated that in the 21<sup>st</sup>-century educator, we are looking for characteristics such as adaptor, communicator, learner, visionary, leader, model, collaborator and risk-taker. She defined professional standards as a set of principles, ethics and behaviours that members of a particular professional group need to adapt.

The speaker referenced Sustainable Development Goals (SDG 2030) on professional standards of teachers, which states, "By 2030, substantially increase the supply of qualified teachers, including through international cooperation for teacher training in developing countries, especially least developed countries and small island developing states." It also talks about the "Existence of National Quality Standards for Teachers."

She also discussed NPST and highlighted that there has to be motivation for teachers to enhance teacher education quality, and the high respect for teachers and high status of teaching needs to be restored. These things need to be kept in mind while preparing for NPST. It should focus on Expectation, Competency, Standard for Performance Appraisal and Designing of Pre-service teacher education Programme. UNESCO in 2019 also gave domains of professional teaching standards: Knowledge and understanding, practice (Pedagogy) and Teaching Relations (Professional Relationships). Towards the end, the speaker focused on the needs and concerns of the NPST like;

- we need to define the roles of teachers,
- provide the framework for self-learning and self-evaluation,
- make explicit the qualities of a 21<sup>st</sup>-century teacher,
- raise the profession's status, and demonstrate the appropriate level of professional knowledge, practice, and engagement.



What is the way forward now? How do we move ahead? For this, the speaker discussed four professional standard resources: Professional Standard Framework for teachers, Professional Standard Self-development Guide, Professional Standard Assessment tools, Professional Standard Research tools.

The speaker shared her experiences at NIOS how they are working towards the professional development of their teachers. She also shared about the Virtual school initiated by NIOS and NDEAR Scheme of Government. She believed that teachers should also work for their professional development. In these times of pandemic, the teachers have worked on their capacity building and equipped themselves with the new technology. There is an utter need to keep on working on the professional development of teachers. We need to work on their capacity development and ensure that they are ready with 21<sup>st</sup>-century skills.

At the end of the session, the speaker answered the queries of the participants. The programme wrapped up around 1:45 pm. The vote of thanks was given by Dr Narendra Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Rajasthan.

## **Report of Second Session**

### **Sub Theme: NPST: A Road map for Implementation**

**The Speaker: Prof. Shri Prakash Mani Tripathi**, Vice-Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak, Madhya Pradesh

The session was moderated by Dr T Sangeetha, Assistant Professor, Department of Education.

The session began with the welcome speech by Dr Anjali Sharma, Head, Department of Education; Dean, School of Education.

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. Neeraj Gupta made the introductory remark.

Dr Subhashish Batra, Associate Professor, Department of Social Work, Head, Department of Sports Psychology, introduced the honourable speaker, Prof. Shri Prakash Mani Tripathi, Vice-Chancellor, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak.

The speaker started by appreciating the topic to which he was invited. He praised for the first time the Samagra policy came, emphasizing all over the development of the individual. It incorporates traditional knowledge as well as modern knowledge. The main focus is on developing good citizenship, focusing on all three aspects of Chintan, Manan, and Adhayan. We all should be aware of educational psychology and educational objectives. Education is one of the vital tools which helps you in progress. The role of a teacher is crucial who enlightens the individual. He shared that we come across four teachers during our life, beginning from mother being the first teacher at home, in our initial phase, who teaches words and makes us aware of the relationship. At the second level, we come across a teacher in school who gives us subject knowledge. And in higher education, the teacher instils in us the skill and professional knowledge. At the fourth stage, we are left with no one to guide us and here, the Sasthras place an essential role in guiding us. He also talked about the importance of both intrinsic as well as extrinsic development. There is a need to focus on traditional knowledge wherein we can develop our inner sense. Extrinsic development takes place with the help of science and technology, which will help progress in our lives; the teacher plays an important link in all this. He has to focus on individual development, national development as well as the development of humanity. The teacher is a role model in society, and he is assessed at every stage by the students and society, the way s/he speaks, his conduct, behaviour, everything is observed. The teacher has to be continuously curious and a lifelong learner as he is the one



who creates the future generation. Skill development is highlighted in the New Education Policy, and various other important components related to holistic development are emphasized. The success of implementation of this Policy NEP 2020 lies in the hands of a teacher. For all this, institutional readiness is needed. Good infrastructure facilities and well-equipped libraries, laboratories should be there. The classrooms need to be good, the place where the students are sitting. The teacher needs to be provided with appropriate infrastructure facilities such as seating arrangements, technology etc.

Nowadays, artificial intelligence is the buzzword. We can have information at the click of a button, but he suggested that teachers should not become the slave of technology but make technology their slaves. Teachers need to trust their knowledge rather than depend on technology; for this, they need to keep updating. It's the era of technology; we are all talking about startups now. NEP 2020 has also taken care of all these aspects. He also referenced the covid scenarios of how the teachers worked hard to cope with the situation.

He emphasized four points that one needs to focus on the sense of inquiry, discussion, discovery, analysis, and synthesis. He gave the example that many people contribute to the literature, art, etc. though they do not hold any formal positions. He emphasized that these people should be identified and brought to the forefront and learn them through their experiences. Their experiences can be utilized, and we can also preserve the culture in this manner.

The teacher needs to work for their continuous professional development. They should think about how to teach the students, what different learning resources they can provide, and what innovations they can bring in their teaching-learning process. All these aspects need to be thought. In future, the promotions of the teachers will not be time-bound one need to perform and develop professionally on their own to get promoted. The teachers have to act as an agent for social change. The teachers have to impart knowledge of constitutional values to their children. Apart from giving subject knowledge, the knowledge of liberal arts will now be given more importance. Importance should be given to sports also. All these need to be included in teaching by the teacher, and to do this, they have first to learn them or gain knowledge in this area.

The speaker also emphasized the need to interact with different teachers and teachers of other educational institutions. We need to create a network and learning environment wherein we can learn from each other's experiences. The teacher can make the students global citizens and also make them brand ambassadors of the nation. We need to prepare them for all fields.

We need to trust our nation and take pride in our nation and the national language. We should focus on self-reliance, find out what is renowned in your neighbourhood. Start appreciating the local resources. We need to take pride in our local heritage. We need to be vocal for locals. These local resources can be later taken to the national level and promote. The teacher needs to take the students from ignorance to knowledge. Every student has the ability and potential now; it is up to the teachers to nurture those potentials.

The session followed the discussion.

Dr Gobind Singh, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, proposed the vote of thanks.

With this Seminar was declared to be closed.