

## LIST OF ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR STUDENTS AND FACULTIES

Sl	Name of the Programme	Students/Faculties	Date	Graced by
1	Mentor and the Mentees	Students	23.08.2014	Dr K M Bujarbarua, Dr N V Deshpande, Dr S Sudhakar & Dr N K Chaudhury
2	Youth and Media	Students	19.12.2014	Smt Nidhi Kulpati
3	Corporate Social Responsibility and the students	Students	30.05.2015	Mr K Ahmed
4	Academics and Societal transformation	Faculties	11.03.2016	Prof Ved Prakash
5.	Life Skills among the teaching faculties	Faculties	24.08.2017	Ms Sweta Choudhury

## 1. Orientation Programme for students

**Topic: “Mentor and the Mentees”**

**Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2014**

The orientation programme of more than one thousand students of the new batch of USTM was held on 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2014 which was graced by Dr. K. M. Bujarbarua, Vice Chancellor of Assam Agricultural University, Dr. N. V. Deshpande, Director of NIT, Silchar, Dr. S. Sudhakar, Director of North East Space Application Centre, Shillong and Dr. N. K. Chaudhury, Former Vice Chancellor of Gauhati University on the topic “Mentor and the Mentees” While addressing to the new batch of students the chancellor of the University Mr. M. Hoque urged them to be sincere in their studies for which they will be rewarded accordingly.

**Pic: Orientation Programme 2014 addressed by Dr K M Bujarbarua, Dr N V Deshpande, Dr S Sudhakar & Dr N K Chaudhury**



## 2. Orientation Programme for students

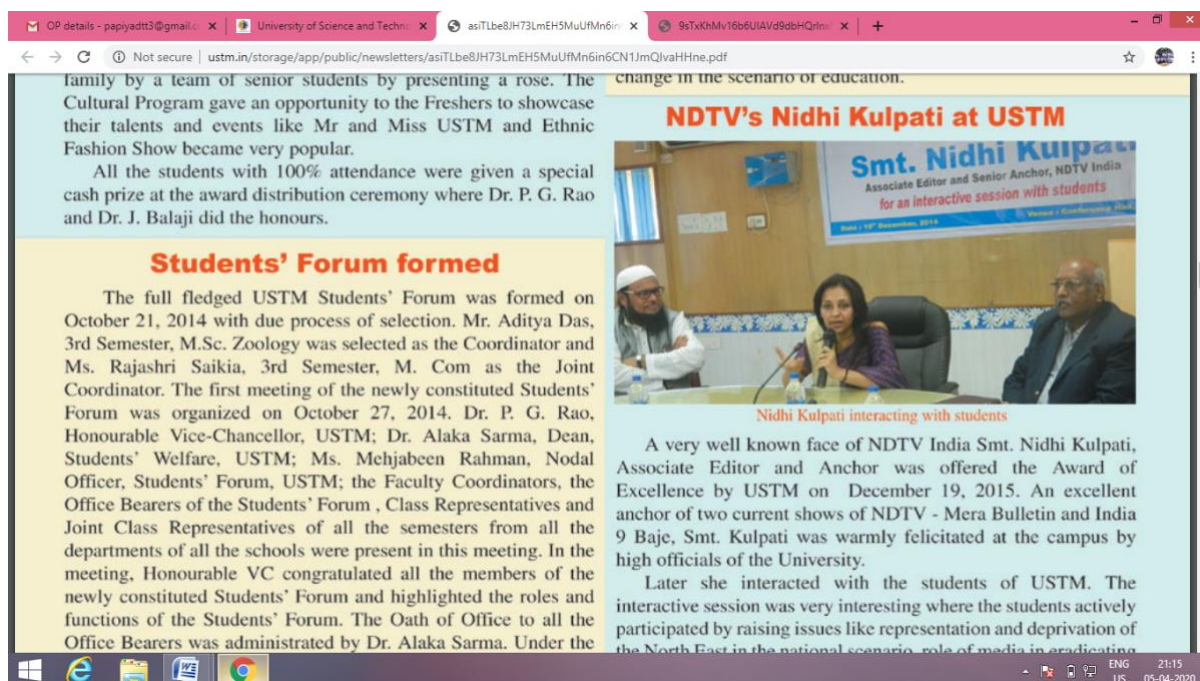
**Topic: “Youth and Media”**

**Date: 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2014**

A very well known media personality Smt. Nidhi Kulpati, Associate Editor and Anchor addressed the students of USTM on 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2014. The interactive session titled as

“Youth and Media” was very interesting where the students actively participated by raising issues like representation and deprivation of the North East in the national scenario, role of media in eradicating corruption, priority between humanity and duty etc. Smt. Kulpati was overwhelmed by the response of the students and warm hospitality by the management of the University.

**Pic: Smt Nidhi Kulpati addressed to the students.**



### 3. Orientation Programme for students

**Topic: “Corporate Social Responsibility and the students”**

**Date: 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2015**

The students of USTM was addressed by Mr. K Ahmed, Project Advisor, i-STED Project on the topic “Corporate Social Responsibility and the students” which was followed by one day workshop on 'Corporate Social Responsibility, Industrial Dispute Act 1947, Contract Labour Regulation and Abolition Act 1970', on 30th May 2015 at the techno city campus.

### 4. Orientation Programme for Faculties

## Topic: “Academics and Societal transformation”

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2016

The Hon’ble Chairman of University Grants Commission, New Delhi, Prof Ved Prakash and Shri Kiren Rijiju, the Hon’ble Union Minister of States for Home Affairs had addressed the faculties of USTM by highlighting the topic “Academics and Societal transformation”. While addressing the faculties, Shri Rijiju said that skill development training and linkage between universities and industries are important in Northeast region to eradicate unemployment. He further stressed on the need of industry based training in the universities. Shri Rijiju also encouraged the universities to adopt villages nearby their own establishment for the overall socio economic growth of the country. Prof Ved Prakash, in his speech said that, if a university want to be the best all the departments should perform equally and education must be the priority for the varsity. Prof Ved Prakash stressed that the universities should provide additional facilities for the students and diversifies the curriculum, so that our students can cope up with the present job market.

**UGC Chairman with VC's of North East India at USTM**

The Hon’ble Chairman of University Grants Commission, New Delhi, Prof Ved Prakash had addressed the Vice-Chancellors of Central, State as well as Private Universities and Principals of few prominent colleges of North region through an Interactive Session organized by University of Science & Technology, Meghalaya on 11th March, 2016. Prof Ved Prakash remarked in his entire career it is his first visit to a private university. He expressed satisfaction by seeing the dedication, vision and growth of USTM and remarked that soon it would be one of the best universities of India.

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## 5. Orientation Programme for Faculties

**Topic: “Life Skills among the teaching faculties”**

**Date: 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2017**

USTM hosted an Orientation Programme on 'Life Skills among the teaching faculties' on 24th August 2017, where Ms. Sweta Choudhury, founder and chief trainer at 'Amrit Asmi, talked about some issues related to students relating to attitude and personality development. Sweta Choudhury is a bestselling author, a counseling psychologist, a regression therapist, soft skills and life skills trainer. The programme highlighted on temperament management, dealing with inner conflicts, decision making, problem solving techniques followed by activity and interaction.