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The UIET Department of Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University hosted the inaugural session of a 6-days refresher course on Machine Learning sponsored by AICTE-ISTE. Director UIET, Dr. Bristi Mitra while explaining about the purposes of this refresher course said that it is intended to enhance the understanding, and development in Machine Learning Sector. The Refresher course will be organised from 18th to 23rd February.

The chief guest of this inaugural session was Vice-Chancellor Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University Prof. Vinay Kumar Pathak and the guest of honour for this session was Asst. Director ATAL -AICTE Dr. Girdhari Lal Garg and Prof. Dharmendra Singh, IIT-Roorkee. The keynote speaker of this inaugural Session was Ms. Sattwati Kundu, Sr. Data Scientist and Manager Data Science, IBM.

The Chief Guest of the Inaugural Session Vice-Chancellor Prof. Vinay Kumar Pathak Said that Machine Learning has become the part of mainstream lifestyle, and it is the need of time. Furthermore, encouraging the participants of this refresher course, he said the productivity through the online medium needs to be utilized to its full potential and this workshop has the potential for the enhancement of understanding of the participant about ML. Addingly, he said that competition will be held at the end of this refresher course to evaluate the understanding of the participant about Machine Learning.

The guest of Owner Dr. Girdhari Lal Garg, Asst. Director ATAL -AICTE in his address said that they have trained more than 1.5 lakh individuals in 120 distinct sectors of Machine Learning and online medium has broadened the spectrum of Learning as intellect from different parts of the world can share their ideas with the world. Moreover, he said that teaching is a noble profession so everyone should strive for Contribution, not competition. Lastly, he said that the Refresher course will have the full support of AICTE.

Another guest of Honour of the session Prof. Dharmendra Singh, IIT Roorkee globally renowned across the globe for his work in the field of AI said that while working on Artificial Intelligence the ethics and responsibilities of those models needs to be the primary focus in the

developmental stage. Moreover, the nutshell of this refresher course needs to be about solving the challenges of Machine Learning.

The Keynote speaker of this inaugural Session Mr Sattwati Kundu said that the research mind and Industries are converging towards the application of AI in the real world. In her speech she said implored the various possibilities of AI and Machine Learning and the importance and patterns of AI Infusion in the Industry. While explaining about the need for AI she said, when manual efforts become unscalable then ML model can be deployed to solve the problems. Lastly, she said that workshops like this are needful to upskill individuals' understanding of the Upgrade in AI.

The Coordinator of this Refresher course was Dr. Rashi Agarawal and the Vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Prateek Srivastava. Prof. Rajiv Mishra (IIT Patna), Prof M.K. Dutta (AKTU), Prof. Balbantaray (IIIT Bhubaneshwar), Prof Debi Acharya (VIT), Prof. Surya Prakash (IIT Indore), Dr. Shiv Ram Dubey (IIIT Allahabad), Achal Agarwal (AI Nagarro), Dr Satyam Srivastava CSIR, Prof. Rahuraj Singh (HBTU, Kanpur), faculties and students of UEIT were the participant of the Inaugural Session.

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