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It was a matter of great pride and privilege for me to take over as the President of the Calcutta Chamber of Commerce which has a 194-

year-old tradition

behind it. It was interesting and rewarding and I want to express my deepest gratitude to every one of you. The year was immensely valuable, exciting and stimulating for me and I hope that it was of benefit to the Chamber.

Reverting to Chamber activities, I would like to share with you some of the major events organized by the Chamber. During the year, issues pertaining to India's Macroeconomic Prospects, Indian Narrative and Agenda for Amrit Kaal, Social Stock Exchange, MSME Development, IT, women empowerment, Education & skill development, Taxation, Health were effectively discussed. By empowering our members and offering them the necessary resources and support, the Chamber aimed to create a thriving ecosystem where businesses can flourish.

Hon'ble Member, Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister, Government of India Mr. Sanjeev Sanval, revealed that there's a must counter world narratives constructed on "absurd and irrelevant" information factors, and India's second-largest score company CareEdge will quickly begin publishing sovereign rankings. Dr. Nilesh Shah part-time member of the Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister observed that India has shifted from follower to leader of global growth and advocated businesses to handhold each other to create healthy growth trajectories in Amrit Kaal. Shri Debashis Sen, IAS (Retd.), Hon'ble Former Chairman, HIDCO, West Bengal highlighted the transformative potential of artificial intelligence in various sectors. "AI is not just a technological advancement: it is a revolution that can drive social empowerment and inclusion." The Chamber with

# President's Message

the Department of Higher Education, West Bengal, orchestrated a ground breaking Symposium on the significance of industry-academia collaboration.

On the international front, members of the Chamber had the opportunity to interact separately with Consul General of Germany & Japan in Kolkata & Ambassador of Indonesia in India, to discuss investment opportunities there and to help boost trade ties with these two countries. The sessions provided valuable insights into the growing economic ties between the nations.

India is well on the path to becoming one of the two largest economies in the world by 2047. By accomplishing specific goals during the Amrit Kaal, the government strives to achieve the vision India@100. Achieving such a milestone requires a gradual transformation of the economy from an investment-driven stage to an innovation-driven stage. The goal of Amrit Kaal is to create a united India where the level of facilities does not divide villages and cities. The aim is to develop the country into a fully developed nation by the time it celebrates its 100th year of independence in 2047.

In conclusion, I would like to express my debt of gratitude to the Past Presidents, Office-bearers, entire Executive Committee members and the members of Chamber for the great teamwork and for their invaluable support and advice throughout. I would like to take this opportunity to strongly thank all the members of Ladies Forum for their unwavering support. I must also express my gratitude and thanks to the media for their cooperation. Special thanks to the Secretariat for their strong support. I once again want to thank each and every one for giving me this opportunity.

Wishing all of you the very best and a very happy New Year.

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Hari Shankar Halwasiya



### **Executive Committee Members for 2023-24**

### Office Bearers & Committee Members for 2023-24

1. Shri Hari Shankar Halwasiya

2. Shri Anant Saharia - Sr. Vice President

3. Shri Annurag Jhunjhunwala - Vice President

4. Shri Purushottam Agrawal - Vice President

### **Elected Members**

1. Shri Brahmanand Agarwala

2. Dr. Mahesh Kumar Maheshwari

3. Shri Arun Laddha

4. Shri Ritesh Agarwal

5. Shri Rajat Agrawal

6. Shri Hemant Marda

7. Shri Neeraj Agrawal

President

8. Shri Pramod Dayal Rungta

9. Shri Hemant Tibrewalla

10. Shri Rakesh Bhatia

11. Shri Ajoy Agarwal

12. ShriSurendra Kumar Sharma

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2. Shri Shyam Sunder Dey

3. Shri Puneet Keyal

4. Shri Champalall Baid

5. Shri Nathmal Nevatia

6. Shri Girish Ganeriwala

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1. Shri Ashok Pareek

2. Shri Akhilesh Kumar Jain

3. Shri Dilip Bansal

4. Shri Hariram Garg

5. Smt. Manjula Jain

6. Shri Vijay Kr. Chandak

7. Shri Alok Kumar Beniramka

8. Ms. Priyanka Chatterjee

9. Smt. Sarla Newatia

10. Shri Sandeep Kumar Soni

11. Ms. Rashmi Biyani

12. Shri Piyush Doshi

13. Shri Saurabh Maheshwari



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Š	. Health, Hygiene & Public Affairs	Co-Chairman	:	Shri Rajendra Khandelwal Shri Ritesh Agarwal
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1	3. Tourism and Delegation	Co-Chairman	:	Shri Hemant Marda Smt. Alifiya Calcuttawala (Invitee)
1	4. Information Technology	Co-Chairman	:	Shri Amit Sharma Shri Annurag Jhunjhunwala
1	5. Press and Media	Co-Chairman	:	Shri Kishan Kr. Kejriwal Shri Piyush Doshi
1	6. CCC Ladies Forum	Co-Chairman	:	Smt. Manjula Jain Smt. Swati Saraf
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# **Past Presidents**

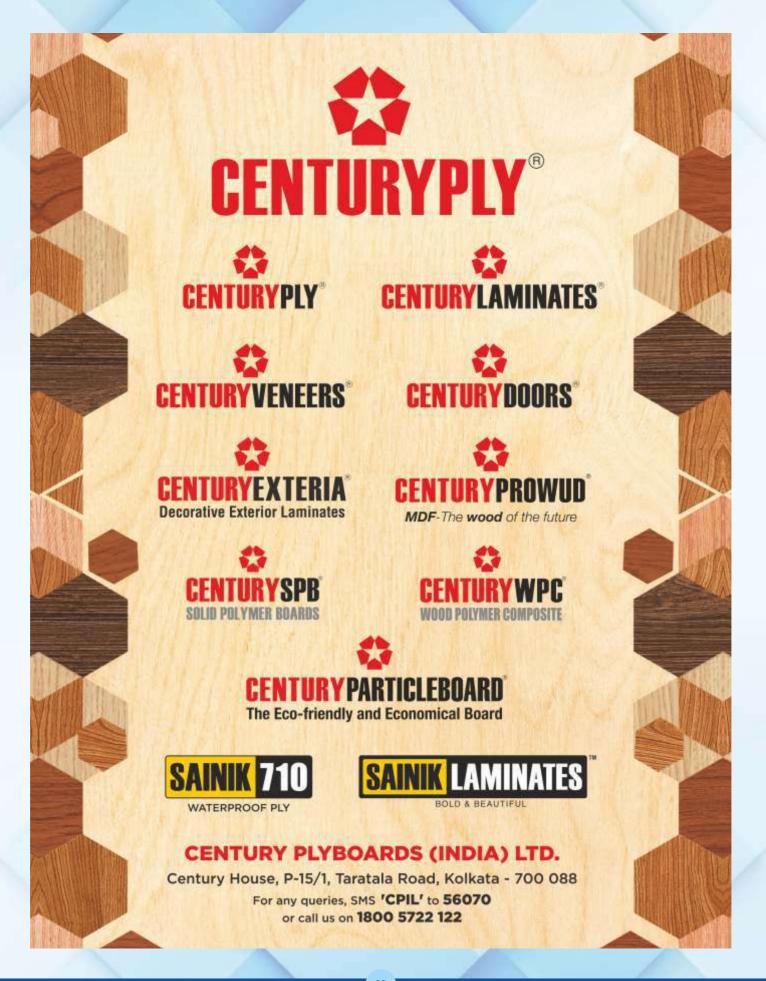
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Over the years, leading industry veterans have guided Calcutta Chamber's growth journey.

)	Name	Year		Name	Year
	Kishan Kumar Kejriwal	2022-23		H. C. Goenka	1968-69
	Shailja Mehta	2021-22		J. C. Sharma	1966-67
	Rajeev Maheshwari	2020-21		A. F. S. Mascarenhas	1964-65
	Madhav Prasad Sureka	2019-20	1	J. C. Sharma	1962-63
	Om Prakash Agarwal	2018-19		M. L. Bhartia	1960-61
	Rajendra Khandelwal	2017-18		J. C. Sharma	1958-59
	Dinesh Jain	2016-17		A. Phelps	1958
	Pawan Kr. Agrawal	2015-16		P. E. Walde	1957
	Shree Prakash Saharia	2014-15		A. Phillippou	1955-56
	Raj Kumar Chhajer	2013-14		P. E. Walde	1953-54
	Alka Bangur	2011-13		J. Morgan Jones	1951-52
	Shyam Sunder Agrawal	2010-11		C. Ortner	1949-50
	Sushil Kumar Agrawal	2008-10		C. E. Clarke	1947-48
	Harsh Vardhan Patodia	2006-08		F. J. Read	1946
	Manoj Mohanka	2005-06		C. E. Clarke	1944-45
	Pradeep Sancheti	2004-05		A. D. Gillespie	1943
	Satish Kr. Jhunjhunwala	2003-04		C. E. Clarke	1941-42
	Purusottam Das Tulsyan	2001-03		H. R. Norton M.B.E	1940
	Hemant Kanoria	1998-2001		K. A. Hamilton	1939
	Basant Kumar Nahata	1997-98		F. J. Read	1937-38
	Vinod Baid	1996-97		K. A. Hamilton	1935-36
	Sushil Kr. Jhunjhunwala	1994-96		Mark Leslie	1934
	Dr. (Ms.) Prabha Khaitan	1993-94		Geo Lander	1933
	Mahesh Kumar Saharia	1991-93		C. H. Pratt	1932
	P. M. Singhvi	1989-91	'	Mark Leslie	1930-31
	Prabhat Kumar Jalan	1987-89		H. R. Norton M.B.E.	1929
	S. K. Rajgaria	1986-87		G. F. Eatwell	1928
	S. S. Swaika	1984-86		Chevr E. Peleti	1927
	Basant Kumar Nahata	1982-84		J. Couper Davie	1926
	B. K. Mohta	1980-82		J. F. Snaith	1925
	Nand Kishore Jalan	1978-80		Trevor J. Phelps	1924
	Hari Prasad Kanoria	1976-77		Jhon Cottle	1923
	S. K. Maskara	1975		William Leslie	1921-22
	Indra Chand Sancheti	1973-74		W. H. Phelps	1920
	Nand Kishore Jalan	1970-72		Frank E. Bushby	1919



Name	Year		Name	Year
J. H. Wigget	1917-18		Fredk Jennings	1876
C. F. Hooper	1916		Robert Alladrice	1874-75
Andres Gibb	1915		J. B. Knight C.I.E.	1873
W. J. Bradshaw	1914	1	T. W. Brookes	1872
W. H. Phelps	1913	6	Bouchton Newman	1871
Wm. Smith	1912		Charles Kelvey	1870
E. C. Emerson	1911		F. F. Wyman	1869
R. Anderson	1910		J. C. Bowerman	1868
E. J. Breakwell	1909		Gordon Robb	1867
J. S. Harris	1907-08		Charles Lazarus	1866
Wm. Smith	1906		Jhon Mackintosh	1865
W. G. Grice C.I.E.	1905		J. B. Knight C.I.E.	1863-64
E. B. Eden	1903-04		Fredk Jennings	1861-62
FA. Larmour	1901-02		G. F. Remfry	1860
W. J. Bradshaw	1900		W. Payne	1858-59
H. Elworthy C.I.E.	1899		W. Roberts	1856-57
Donald Mcgregor	1898		R. S. Loley	1855
T. W. Spink	1896-97		W. Roberts	1852-54
E. F. Longley	1894-95		W. Spink	1851
A. H. Wallis C.I.E.	1893		C. J. Pittar	1849-50
W. T. Spink	1892		J. P. Parker	1847-48
J. G. Womack	1891		R. C. Lepage	1845-46
H. T. Ottewill	1890	-	Henry Burkinyoung	1844
A. Action	1889		G. F. Remfri	1843
H. W. Hallette	1888		R. J. Cattey	1842
J. G. Womack	1887		Henry Burkinyoung	1841
H. Pratt	1886		G. F. Remfri	1840
C. F. Larmor	1885		C. Shearwood	1840
A. H. Wallis C.I.E.	1884		W. Turner	1839
H. Pratt	1883		Samuel Smith	1838
D. J. Zemin	1882		R. Scott Thomson	1837
Geo Irving	1881		F. H. Burkinyoung	1836
J. E. Caithness	1880		Alex Rogers	1834-35
C. J. Brookes F.R.G.S.	1878-79		F. H. Burkinyoung	1832-33
F. Mcalpin	1877		Samuel Smith	1830-31







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# 192<sub>nd AGM</sub> Business Session

# Business Session of 192nd Annual General Meeting



he Annual General Meeting (AGM) represents one of the most significant opportunities for members to come together to network, discuss policy issues and shape advocacy agenda for the year ahead. The Business Session of 192nd AGM took place on 28th September, 2024, at Lalit Great Eastern, Kolkata.

At the Business Session of Calcutta Chamber of Commerce, the former President Mr. Kishan Kumar Kejriwal in his deliberation exhibited a small video presentation that summarized activities in the past year and the growth of the Chamber. He welcomed the new President Mr. H. S. Halwasiya and his team of Office Bearers and the Executive Committee.



The Business Session of the Chamber is in progress.

Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, Senior Vice President felicitating Mr. Kishan Kumar Kejriwal, President.



Mr. Kishan Kumar Kejriwal, President presenting his Presidential address.









Newly elected President Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya delivering his speech.



Mr. Satish Jhunjhunwala, Past President honouring newly elected President Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya.

Mr. Om Prakash Agarwal, Past President presenting bouquet to newly elected Senior Vice President Mr. Anant Saharia.





Mr. S.P. Saharia, Past President felicitating newly elected Vice President Mr. Annurag Jhunjhunwala.



Mr. Rajendra Khandelwal, Past President presenting bouquet to newly elected Vice President Mr. Amit Sharma.

Office Bearers and Elected Members of 2023-24 of the Chamber.

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## Talk & Interactive Session on "Social Stock Exchange"

he Session was addressed by eminent speakers Rotarian Shekhar Mehta, Rotary International President – 2021-22 & Smt. Mamta Binani, Advocate and Company Secretary.

Mrs. Mamta Binani in her presentation said that the Social Stock Exchange (SSE) provides stock market listings for non-profit organizations. She defined the social stock exchange and its advantages and explained the operation of the social stock exchange in India. The concept of SSE is very unique, it says zero coupon, zero principle, which means it will not bear any interest, zero principle means it is in the format of donation, where investor will not even get back the principle amount. The SSE has two formats — SSE can be used by NGOs in the format of non-profit making organization (NPO). Even FPOs can come and use SSE. Social Stock Exchange are

allowed to — i) Section 8 company; ii) Public trust; iii) Society or any other entity or

organization permitted by SEBI; iv) Trust under Indian Trust Act and v) One where SEBI reserves the right, any other entity notified by SEBI from time to time. SEBI has come out with simplified provisions for NGOs and FPOs.

Rtn Shekhar Mehta mentioned that over the years the corporate and non-corporate organizations made efforts to support the government in its welfare initiatives, raising funds through various conventional methods like donations, grants etc. SSE is a unique method introduced by the government for raising funds through a stock exchange which is dedicated to non-profit organizations.

Social Stock exchange comes with tremendous transparency with the mechanism as to where to give, how much to give and whom to give.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President, CCC delivering his Welcome Address.



Mr. M.K. Saharia, Past President, CCC felicitating Rtn. Shekhar Mehta, International President – 2021-22 with a memento.



Rtn. Shekhar Mehta, International President – 2021-22 describing the quality of the unique concept of social stock exchange and its working.



Ms. Mamta Binani, Advocate and Company Secretary making her presentation.



Mr. Madhav Prasad Sureka, Past President, CCC introducing the speakers of the session.



Mr. B. K. Bagla, Senior Committee Member, CCC presenting vote of thanks



### Session on How Build an Indian Narrative

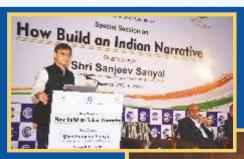


he Session was addressed by Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal, Hon'ble Member, Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister, Government of India. The Session was a compelling discourse that unfolded the growth narrative of India in the near future.

Hon'ble Member Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal stated that India's economy will grow at close to 7 per cent during the ongoing fiscal. He said there is a need to counter global narratives built on "absurd and irrelevant" data points, and India's second-largest rating agency CareEdge will soon start publishing sovereign ratings.

He said "We will be growing at somewhat close to 7 per cent for the year, and that would easily make us the world's fastest-growing,". Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal, said that for too long, India's growth has been defined by others."It's time we start taking control of our own narrative and defining ourselves on our own terms,".

"CareEdge will begin publishing these readings (sovereign ratings) in the next few months, followed by indices on democracy, freedom, sustainability and corporate governance within the next year," he added. However, India cannot ignore the existing global indices as they currently hold a 20 per cent weightage on investment and cost of capital. Sanyal also reaffirmed the government's commitment to increasing the share of manufacturing in the GDP mix. He highlighted several ongoing initiatives, including Production-Linked Incentives (PLI), aimed at achieving this goal."We are putting a very big effort into getting manufacturing going in India. A lot of effort has been put in, for example protecting Indian companies from Chinese dumping, which happens all the time.



Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal, EAC-PM making his presentation on "Global Indices and Indian Economy.

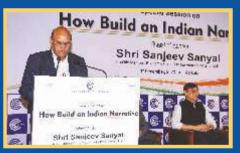




Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President felicitating Hon'ble Member, EAC-PM Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal.



Mr. Sanjeev Sanyal, EAC-PM releasing Chamber's Year Book "A Look At The Year Gone By 2022-23" along with the Office-Bearers of the Chamber.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President delivering his welcome address.



Mr. Raj Kumar Chhajer, Former President, CCC, introducing the speaker of the Session.



Mr. Annurag Jhunjhunwala, Vice President proposing vote of thanks.





## Session on Indian Economy & Policies – Agenda For Amrit Kaal

r. Nilesh Shah, Group President and Managing Director, Kotak Mahindra Asset Management Co Ltd & Part-Time Member of Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister was Chief Guest and CA Vinod Kumar Goyal, National President, Association of National Exchanges Members of India was the Guest of Honour.

Mr. Nilesh Shah was optimistic about the country's growth trajectory, its immense potential and the opportunities, amid several challenges. He stated, 'India's economic journey in the Amrit Kaal era is a tale of remarkable progress and persistent challenges. Our GDP contribution has risen significantly, with states like Maharashtra now matching the economic output of the entire nation from just two decades ago. This growth trajectory suggests India could expand 5 to 10 times its current size. However, we must acknowledge the uneven nature of this growth, with just 13 districts generating half of our GDP. The

COVID 19 pandemic has temporarily slowed our momentum, and the disparity between our thriving 1%, expanding middle class and the 72% still struggling for basic needs is stark.

As we move towards Viksit Bharat, our task is clear: to ensure inclusive growth that reaches every corner of our nation, bridging the gap between our economic achievements and the everyday realities of our citizens. This is the key to aligning our economic success with voter satisfaction and truly realizing our potential as a global economic power house'.

Mr. Shah, highlighted how long-term capital investment can create wealth for retail investors and Indian companies.

CA Vinod Kumar Goyal added in today's market, stringent regulations have fostered an environment of trust and security, exemplified by SEBI's vigilant oversight.

Mr. Nilesh Shah, Group President & MD Kotak Mahindra Asset Management Co. Ltd. sharing insights on macro trends shaping the Indian





CA Vinod Kumar Goyal, National President, Association of National Exchanges Members of India (Anmi) making his remarks on current market trends.



Mr. H. S. Halwasiya, President, CCC delivering his welcome speech.



Mr. R. K. Chhajer, Past President and Chairman, Committee on Industry, MSME and Trade & Commerce, CCC introducing the speakers of the session.



Mr. Anant Saharia, Sr. Vice President, CCC proposing vote of thanks.

Mr. Dinesh Jain, Past President presenting memento to CA Vinod Kumar Goyal, National President, Association of National Exchanges Members of India (Anmi).





Mr. S.P. Saharia, Past
President felicitating Mr.
Nilesh Shah, Group
President & Managing
Director, Kotak Mahindra
Asset Management Co. Ltd.



### Special Session on Scope of Industry in Jammu & Kashmir



on'ble Lieutenant Governor, Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir Shri Manoj Sinha graced the occasion as Chief Guest and the Guest of Honour was Commissioner / Secretary to Govt., Industries & Commerce Department of Jammu and Kashmir Shri Vikramjit Singh, IPS.

In his address, Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor Mr. Manoj Sinha highlighted the rapid and unprecedented transformation in Jammu & Kashmir, opportunities in various sectors, appropriate policies for investors, economic growth and employment generation in the Union Territory. The Lt Governor invited the Industry leaders and potential investors to explore the prospects of profitable investments and economic opportunities in J&K.

He said the comprehensive approach of the UT Administration through new industrial scheme is aimed at creating a conducive and dynamic environment for growth in Agriculture, Health & Pharmaceuticals, Manufacturing, Tourism & Hospitality, Education & Skill development, Handicraft & Handloom and IT & Electronics. Digitalization is one of the top priorities of the government to build e-society and ensure long-term prosperity.

Mr. Vikramjit Singh made a presentation on current investment benefit packages those are being offered to investors of various

Mr. Vikramjit Singh, IPS, Commissioner / Secretary, Industries & Commerce Dept. of Jammu & Kashmir making his presentation on the immense possibilities of businesses in Jammu & Kashmir.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President presenting his welcome speech.



Mr. Sushil Kr. Agrawal,
Past President
making his opening
remarks.





Mr. Manoj Sinha, Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Jammu & Kashmir enthralling the audience with his remarks on prospects of industry in Jammu & Kashmir.

categories. He also mentioned about opportunity to invest in industries where some parties are initiating disinvestments. There exists public — private partnership investment opportunities in tourism. Sixty plus brownfield investible projects are available. Mr. Singh said focus sectors for investment are healthcare and pharmaceuticals, herbal and medicinal plants, manufacturing and mining, infrastructure and real estate, tourism and hospitality, film tourism and others.

Mr. Singh said today any industrialist can buy land from private land owners to set up industries. Jammu & Kashmir Government will provide industrial land in different Industrial Estate on lease initially for 40 years which may be extended to 99 years. In Udhampur, a special industrial estate especially for MSMEs has been set up. Jammu & Kashmir is offering 300% assured ROI through GST linked incentives and maximum up to the extended of 400% including all the incentives in IDS package.

Mr. Raj Kr. Chhajer, Past President summing up the discussion and proposing vote of thanks.





A Section of the gathering.





Budget Watching & Analysis Session 2024-25



Mr. M. P. Sureka, Past President felicitating CA S. S. Gupta, S. Swarup & Co.



Union Budget Watching Session was held at the Chamber Conference Room for its members.



A section of the audience.



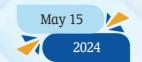
CA S. S. Gupta speaking at the Session.





# SME Development

### Session on Role of MSMEs in Propelling Economic Development of India



he Guest of Honour was Mr. Debasis Barman, Asstt. Director, MSME-Development and Facilitation Office, Kolkata, Ministry of MSME, Government of India.

Mr. Debasis Barman presented an overview of MSME sector in growth and development of West Bengal. MSMEs sector broadly classified into two categories i.e. manufacturing and service sector. Mr. Barman said MSME Development and Facilitation office in Kolkata is involved in implementing Government of India's MSME policies to boost and expand MSME sector in West Bengal as well as trying to find solutions of various challenges faced by currently functioning MSMEs in the State within the framework of existing MSME policies.

Mr. R. K. Chhajer, Chairman, Industry, MSME and Trade & Commerce Committee mentioned MSMEs are playing major role in livelihood creation not only in West Bengal but across India and empowering youth, women, families as well as boosting economic development.



Mr. Annurag Jhunjhunwala, Vice President, CCC



Mr. R. K. Chhajer, Past President and Chairman of Industry, MSME and Trade & Commerce Committee giving his remarks on the role of MSMEs in the growth of economy.



Mr. H.S. Halwasiya, President, Calcutta Chamber of Commerce presenting his welcome address.



Mr. Debasis Barman, Asstt. Director, MSME-Development & Facilitation Office, Kolkata, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India making his presentation on different schemes of the government on MSMEs.



Mr. Purushottam Agrawal, Sr. Committee Member, CCC proposing vote of thanks.

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# Session on Artificial Intelligence – The Next Wave

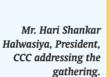


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Mr. Debashis Sen, IAS (Retd.), Hon'ble Former Chairman, HIDCO, WB enthralling the audience of the session with his deliberation.







Mr. Annurag Jhunjhunwala, Vice President, CCC introducing the speakers of the Session.

Mr. Sandeep Sengupta, Director, Indian School of Anti Hacking (ISOAH) deliberating on the opportunities and challenges of AI.



Mr. Anant Saharia, Sr. Vice President, CCC proposing vote of thanks.



r. Debashis Sen, IAS (Retd.), Hon'ble Former Chairman, HIDCO, West Bengal was Chief Guest and the Guests of Honour were Mr. Sandeep Sengupta, Director, Indian School of Anti Hacking (ISOAH) and Mr. Sumesh Dugar, Founder and CEO, Webbies.

Mr. Debashis Sen spoke on scope & opportunity of application of AI in improving wide spectrum business activities in every sector of industries and economy. Mr. Sen mentioned AI is improving productivity and quality of services many fold. He said Kolkata's Charnak hospital is using AI to monitor patients and also mentioned about role of AI in improving treatment of patients, hospital management, service of tourism & hospitality industries, telecommunication, urban planning and development, education delivery mechanism as well as education as a whole. Mr. Sen stressed need for developing rules and regulation on application of AI in collaboration with global stakeholders to avoid any misuse of AI that can cause human made disaster in life of single individual to entire humanity.

Mr. Sandeep Sengupta said application of AI tools is enhancing Cyber security, improving crime detection, individual crime analysis and more. Mr. Sengupta also mentioned about prompt engineering. He said AI is a tool & will benefit humanity when proper human ethics is used while deploying AI.

Mr. Sumesh Dugar mentioned he and his team have developed AI technologies to understand emotions and expressions. Mr. Dugar said adaptation of AI will increase creativity many times.



Mr. Sumesh Dugar, Founder and CEO, Webbies making his presentation on the basics of Artificial Intelligence.



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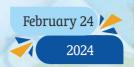
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# Symposium on Chamber-led Initiatives: Connecting Academia and Industry through Internship

alcutta Chamber of Commerce, in collaboration with the Department of Higher Education, Government of West Bengal, orchestrated a ground breaking Symposium.

The Inaugural Session was addressed by Mr. Manish Jain, IAS, Principal Secretary, Department of Higher Education & School Education, Govt. of West Bengal, Mr. Rudra Chatterjee, Managing Director, Luxmi Tea Co. Pvt. Ltd., Mr. Hari Mohan Bangur, Managing Director, Shree Cement Ltd., Mr. Sajjan Bhajanka, Chairman, Century Plyboards (India) Ltd., & Prof. Saibal Chattopadhlyay, Director-in-Charge, Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta.

Prof. Dhrubajyoti Chattopadhyay, Vice Chancellor, Sister Nivedita University, Prof. (Dr.) Siddhartha Das, Dept. of Metallurgical & Materials Engineering, IIT, Kharagpur, Dr. Sivaji Chakravorti, Prof. of Electrical Engineering Dept. Jadavpur University & Former Director, NIT Calicut, Prof. (Dr.) Krishnendu Chakrabarty, Principal, Govt. College of Engineering & Ceramic Technology, Mr. Atul Agarwal, Director, Apt. Software Avenues Pvt. Ltd., Mr. Sandeep Kumar, Managing Director, Tata Steel Downstream Products Limited (TSDPL), Mr. Sandeep Sengupta, Director, ISOAH Data Securities Pvt. Ltd., Dr. Dipankar Chakrabarti, Executive Director & Data Control Officer, PwC India and Mr. Sanjoy Chatterjee, Director, ENTIOVI Technologies Pvt. Ltd. participated in the Business Session. Prof. Amlan Chakrabarti, Director, Dr. A. K. Choudhury School of Information Technology, University of Calcutta was Moderator at the session.

Mr. Manish Jain, Hon'ble Principal Secretary of the Department of Higher Education and School Education, Govt. of West Bengal, reiterated the importance of creating platforms for students and introducing new opportunities to drive India's economic growth. He emphasized, "As India gears to become the third largest economy globally, the collaboration between industry and academia is paramount in facilitating the transition of students from educational institutions to the industry,".

Highlighting the significance of industry-academia collaboration, Mr. Rudra Chatterjee, Managing Director of Luxmi Tea Co. P. Ltd., emphasized, "The partnership between academics and industry is paramount for India's economic growth. Just as capital and labor are essential, collaboration between academia and industry is integral to fostering innovation and propelling our nation's economy forward." Echoing this sentiment, Mr. Hari Mohan Bangur, Managing Director of Shree Cement Ltd., emphasized the critical role of internships in shaping the future workforce, stating, "Internships provide invaluable experience to students, preparing them for the demands of the industry". Mr. Sajjan Bhajanka, Chairman, Century Plyboards (India) Ltd. was of opinion that "It is essential for companies to invest in these opportunities to nurture and empower our youth, who are eager to contribute to the workforce."

Prof. Saibal Chattopadhyay, Director-in-Charge of IIM Calcutta, shared insights into the institution's commitment to fostering industry-academia linkages through comprehensive internship programs. "At IIM Calcutta, we recognize the significance of internships in bridging the gap between academia and industry. Our mission is to equip students with practical skills and industry exposure to prepare them for successful careers," he affirmed.



### Symposium on Chamber-led Initiatives : Connecting Academia and Industry through Internship

# Inaugural Session

Mr. Manish Jain, IAS, Hon'ble Principal Secretary,
Dept. of Higher Education,
Govt. of West Bengal along with the other
dignitaries lighting the Inaugural lamp.



Mr. Manish Jain, IAS, Principal Secretary addressed on the importance of creating avenues for students through internship to be industry ready.





Mr. Hari Mohan Bangur pointing out the need for companies to focus on internship.



Mr. Sajjan Bhajanka explaining the essence of internship towards human resource development.



Mr. Rudra Chatterjee focusing on the partnership between academy and industry.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President making his opening remarks.





Mr. Saibal
Chattopadhyay
remarking on the
significance of
internship and the role
of IIM



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### Symposium on Chamber-led Initiatives: Connecting Academia and Industry through Internship



### Business Session

he symposium was followed by panel discussion that concentrated on enhancing collaboration between academia and industry, with a focus on optimizing internship experiences for students to meet the evolving demands of the workforce. Attendees were immersed in insightful panel discussions, and networking opportunities, all

aimed at bridging the gap between academia and industry. In this eventful symposium participants witnessed the birth of new ideas, forged alliances, and laid the groundwork for future collaborations, ushering in a new era of symbiotic growth and innovation in the realms of education and industry.

Mr. Amlan Chakrabarti. Director, A. K. Choudhury School of I.T., Calcutta University speaking on the subject & conducting the Panel discussion.





Mr. Sandeep Kumar, MD. Tata Steel Downstream Products Lt. focusing on the role of TSDPL in the collaboration of industry and academy.



Mr. Atul Agarwal, Director, Apt. Software Avenues Pvt Ltd making his subjective remarks.



Dr. Sivaji Chakravorti, Prof. of Electrical Engineering Dept., JU pointing out the role of both industry and academia to fulfil the objective of internship.



Prof. Siddhartha Das, IIT, Kharagpur mentioning how IIT, Calcutta is working on skill development of budding entrepreneurs.



Dr. Dipankar Chakrabarti, Executive Director & Data Control Officer, PwC expressing his views.



Prof. Krishnendu Chakrabarty, Principal, Govt. College of Engineering & Ceramic Technology focusing on collaboration.



Mr. Sandeep Sengupta, Director, ISOAH Data Securities Pvt Ltd talking on the projects undertaken by his company.





Mr. Annurag Ihunjhunwala, Vice President proposing vote of thanks.







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# Session on Practical Guidelines to Search & Seizure Under Income Tax Act

The Guest of Honour was Dr. Paras Kochar,
Distinguished Advocate, Author and Tax
Consultant.

Dr.Kochar shared practical insights into handling search and seizure procedures. He highlighted the need for operational flexibility to minimize disruptions during searches. Key advice included removing sensitive documents and digital traces to reduce risks, as well as ensuring cash and jewellery were properly documented if seized. He also stressed the importance of accurate and truthful statements under Section 132(4) to avoid legal complications.



Mr. H. S. Halwasiya, President, Calcutta Chamber of Commerce

presenting his

welcome address.

Dr. Paras Kochar,
Distinguished
Advocate,
Author and Tax
Consultant explaining
different aspects of
survey, search and
seizure of Income Tax
Act.





Mr. Annurag Jhunjhunwala, Vice President, CCC felicitating Dr. Paras Kochar, Distinguished Advocate, Author and Tax Consultant.



Dr. Paras Kochar presenting a book on "Practical Aspects on Survey, Search and Seizure – Frequently Asked questions" authored by him to CCC President Mr. H.S. Halwasiya.



Mr. Madhav Prasad Sureka, Past President, CCC and Chairman, Tax Committee making his introductory remarks.



Mr. Anant Saharia, Sr. Vice President, CCC proposing vote of thanks.



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# Session on Good Health for All – Alzheimer's, Diabetes & Knee Problems

March 31 2024

he Guests of Honour were Dr. Shuvendu Sen, Eminent Physician, Alzheimer's Disease, Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri, Orthopaedician & Knee Replacement Expert & Thalassemia Rotary Ambassador and Dr. Bijay Patni, Senior Consultant Diabetologist.

Keynote speaker of the seminar was Dr. Shuvendu Sen. MD. Vice Chair, Professor of Medicine, Jersey Shore University Medical Center, USA who spoke on Alzheimer's disease affecting wide section of population across the planet Earth but no cure is available at this point in time. Dr. Sen stressed due care must be taken by caregivers so that Dignity of Alzheimer patients should not be undermined during management of the Alzheimer patients. Dr. Sen's prescription to manage Alzheimer patients and fight Alzheimer are: Music. Movement and Meditation. Dr. Sen suggested everyone should try to lead proactive lifestyle every day as well as sleep good amount of time to relax and rejuvenate biological body and spend in nature.

Dr. Ramendu Homechaudhury, Orthopedician& Knee Replacement Expert & Thalassemia Rotary Ambassador spoke on osteoarthritis and thalassemia. Dr. Homchaudhury mentioned exposure to sunlight is good for bone health. He indicated there is need to spread awareness on various bone health issues as well as early diagnosis so that corrective measures can be initiated at early stage. Thalassemia is an inherited blood disorder that affects the production of haemoglobin and red blood cells. It is passed down from one or both parents through their genes.

Dr. Bijay Patni, Senior Consultant Diabetologist mentioned various types of diabetes are affecting large section of Indian population due to fast changing lifestyle of Indian population including youths and children. Early diagnosis and treatment can help in better health management for any person. Causes of diabetes are damaged metabolism resulting in damage of vital organs. Weight reduction is the key behind

both remission and reversal of

diabetes.

Dr. Shuvendu Sen enthralling the audience on different aspects of Alzheimer's disease.





Dr. Ramendu Homchaudhuri deliberating on the common Knee Problems - myths and facts and Thalassemia.

Dr. Bijay Patni, making his presentation on diabetology.





Mr. Rajendra Khandelwal. Chairman, Health, Hygiene & Public Affairs Committee, Calcutta Chamber of Commerce making introductory remarks.

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Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President, CCC felicitating Ms. Minakshi Mishra, Director & Zonal Head. ICCR.

# nternational Affairs





## Session on Furthering Trade Ties Between India and Germany

The Session was addressed by Ms. Barbara Voss, Hon'ble Consul General, Consulate General of the Federation Republic of Germany and Mr. Tom Reiner, Regional Director, Indo-German Chamber of Commerce, Kolkata.

Consul General Mrs. Barbara Voss said after successful hosting of G20 summit by India, multi-dimensional cooperation between India and Germany is being pushed to attain Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Consul General mentioned as there is only one Earth to live, efforts are on to tackle climate change as well as global warming issues. Also, Technological collaboration are need of the hour to reduce dependency on fossil fuels. Consul General of Germany mentioned Germany is going to change policies to make it easier for Indian Students to go to Germany to study as well as work in Germany after completion of study. Currently, approximately 45000 Indian students are studying in Germany which is largest foreign students group in that country. Mrs. Barbara Voss is representing Germany in 11 States in Eastern India.



Mr. Anant Saharia, Sr. Vice President, CCC introducing the speakers of the session.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President, CCC presenting memento to Hon'ble Consul General of Consulate General of the Federal Republic of Germany Mrs. Barbara Voss.

Hon'ble Consul General Mrs. Barbara Voss highlighting the mutual beneficial business environment for the two nations.





Mr. Tom Reiner, Regional Director of Indo-German Chamber of Commerce focusing on emerging areas of business between India and Germany.



Mr. Amit Sharma, Vice President, CCC proposing vote of thanks.

Regional Director of Indo German Chamber of Commerce (IGCC) in Kolkata Mr. Tom Reiner mentioned quality of human capital of India is appreciated by Germany. Reiner mentioned one of the major challenge faced by Indian skilled workers is language of communication. While German is primary language of communication in Germany, most of skilled workers from Indian institutions use English for communication. Indian skilled workers need training in German language to work in Germany. Indian young well trained quality human resources are going to play significantly important role in boosting trade as well as facilitate economic collaboration between Germany and India in short, medium as well as long term.



# nternational Affairs

## Special Session on India - Indonesia Business Cooperation and Investment



H.E. Ms. Ina H. Krisnamurthi, Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia in India graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Dadang Hidayat, Minister Counsellor, Indonesian Embassy, M. Iqbal Djamil, Trade Attache, Indonesian Embassy and Nugroho P. Pratomo, Director, Indonesian Trade Promotion Center, Chennai were the Guests of Honour.

H.E. Ina H. Krisnamurthi, Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia in India stated "May peace be upon us all. It is a profound honor to be here in Kolkata, a city that embodies the spirit of entrepreneurship and innovation. With a trade relationship between Indonesia and West Bengal totaling \$1.24 billion in 2023, our economic ties are strong, yet there remains vast untapped potential. Kolkata's strategic location and vibrant economy make it a vital nexus for international trade. As we celebrate 75 years of diplomatic relations, it's crucial to

honor our shared history while focusing on the future. We must drive forward with development and progress, leveraging our Comprehensive Strategic Partnership to explore new avenues of collaboration, including more direct flights between our nations. This will require consistent and sustainable traffic, involving cargo and passengers, to ensure economic growth. Our shared enemy now is not colonial power but the challenges of development and progress. Let's work together to overcome these challenges and strengthen our bilateral ties for a prosperous future."

Mr. Mahesh Kumar Saharia, Hony. Consul of the Republic of Indonesia in Kolkata and Past President of the Calcutta Chamber of Commerce addressed the gathering, emphasizing the importance of synergizing efforts to expand maritime connectivity and economic opportunities in the region.

The session concluded with a discussion on the potential for deeper collaboration between India and Indonesia, focusing on public-private investments and new partnerships.



H.E. Ms. Ina H. Krisnamurthi, Ambassador sharing recommendations to create mutual beneficial business climate for the two nations.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President, CCC presenting memento to H.E. Ms. Ina H. Krisnamurthi, Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia in India.



Mr. M. K. Saharia, Past President introducing the dignitaries of Indonesian Embassy & conducting the panel discussion.



Mr. Satish Jhunjhunwala, Past President, CCC presenting book on "Ancient Trade and Cultural Relations with South East Asia" to H.E. Ms. Ina H. Krisnamurthi, Ambassador.



Mr. Dadang Hidayat, Minister Counsellor making his presentation on the various facets of Investment in Indonesia.



Mr. M. Iqbal Djamil, Trade Attache speaking on Emerging areas of business between India – Indonesia.



Mr. Nugroho P. Pratomo, Director dwelling on the bilateral engagements across various sectors and prospects.



Mr. Anant Saharia, Sr. Vice President offering vote of thanks.



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Special Session on
Overview of Japan-India Relationship
and Furthering Economic & Business Relationship
between Japan and India

Mr. NAKAGAWA Koichi, Hon'ble Consul General of Japan in Kolkata graced the occasion as Chief Guest.

Consul General of Japan Mr. Nakagawi Koichi expressed confidence that India's relationship with Japan will continue to strengthen under the new Prime Minister of Japan. He said that the bilateral relationship has grown significantly over the years.

Koichi emphasised the importance of infrastructure development in the India-Japan partnership, highlighting the high-speed railway project and identifying areas like artificial intelligence, electric vehicles, and green energy as key areas for future cooperation. He also mentioned that around 1,400 Japanese companies are currently operating in India, with approximately 25 headquartered in West Bengal and two each in Jharkhand and Odisha.

Koichi expressed Japan's interest in addressing the congestion at the Petrapole Land Customs Checkpost, which is the largest land trade and passenger border between India and Bangladesh. While no specific projects have been identified yet, he indicated that Japan is open to discussing potential solutions to streamline the border trade.



Mr. Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President, CCC delivering his welcome speech.



Mr. Purushottam Agrawal, Vice President, CCC presenting memento to Mr. NAKAGAWA Koichi, Hon'ble Consul General of Japan in Kolkata.



Mr. Annurag Jhunjhunwala, Vice President, CCC introducing the speaker of the Session.



Hon'ble Consul General Mr. NAKAGAWA Koichi describing the status of India-Japan economic relations and prospects of bi-lateral trade.



Mr. Anant Saharia, Sr. Vice President offering vote of thanks.



Group photo of Hon'ble Consul General with Members of Calcutta Chamber of Commerce.





November 03



# [Pre-Diwali Meet]



The Calcutta Chamber of Commerce Ladies Forum's Pre-Diwali event was a delightful evening filled with introductions, insights from Dietician Priyanka Shah on "Nourishing Your Way to Weight Loss and Radiant Skin," and a captivating game of "Hauté Housie."











# Fort William Heritage Walk

The Heritage Walk of the historic Fort William under the aegis of CCCLF deserves accolades and hearty commendations. The warm winter sun saw a good number of history enthusiasts gathering to take the Heritage Walk and to see and hear first - hand the historical significance of the iconic Fort William and the discipline and dedication of our Indian Soldiers who fought bravely for their Motherland to ensure the security and safety of its citizens. The names of our martyrs etched in the walls and chronicled year - wise was a great tribute and a respectful salute to them.

The tapering 177 acres of territory of Fort William was designed to have 3 lines of defence - the top area being the fortified cannon area, the 2nd line of defence being the moat and lastly the residential area. The compelling contributions of the Assam Rifles, Gorkha Regiment which is remarkable. The Command Museum which held all the interesting pictures, army strategies, and all the history lessons learnt in school were there to see and read in real.









The Calcutta Chamber of Commerce Ladies Forum organized a captivating Nalen Gur Walk at 6:00 am to discover the rich heritage of Bengal's date palm as the ladies embarked on a journey to explore the art of extracting "new jaggery", a winter delicacy known as Nolen Gur. Nolen Gur, or "New Jaggery", extracted from the tree's sap is a winter speciality of Bengal. The foggy weather with a cool, winter breeze blowing in, definitely

set the mood for the day. Each one had a wonderful experience walking down the country side road to reach the site and explore the art of extracting this winter delicacy. The serene countryside road led to the Nolen Gur site, where attendees immersed themselves in an unforgettable winter morning experience of tradition and taste!









# A Visit to Apanalay – A Home for Senior Citizens



From laughter-filled conversations to heartfelt interactions, it was truly an afternoon of warmth and compassion.

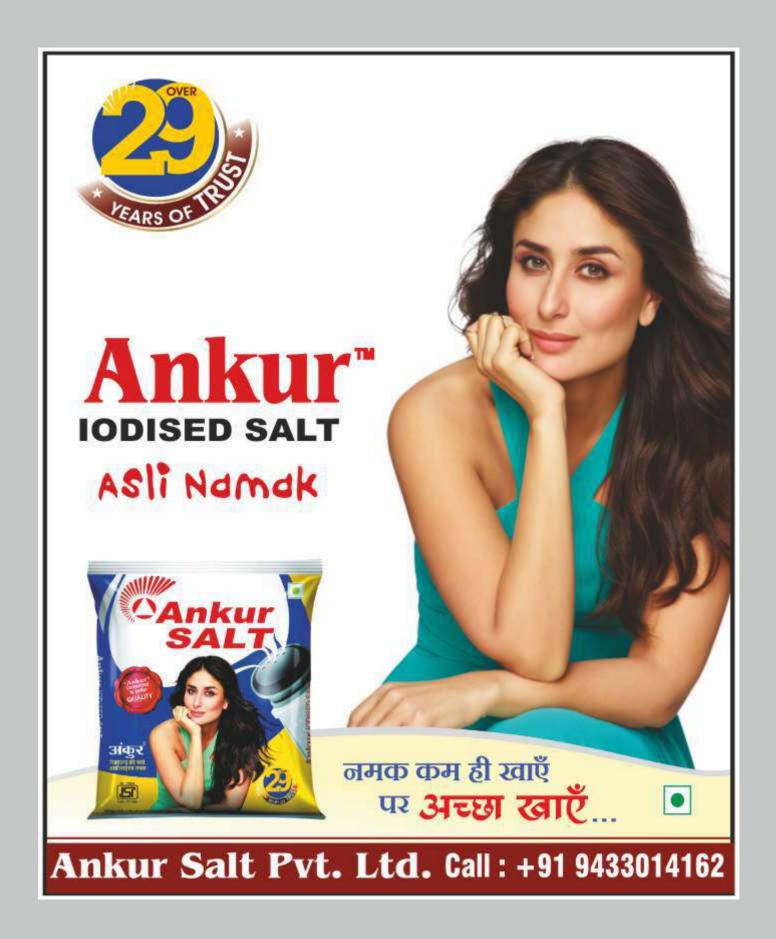












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# Lifestyle Exhibition "MINERVAS" – powered by Women

The City of Joy recently witnessed completion of the second edition of a unique art and lifestyle exhibition "MINEVAS" – held under the aegis of Calcutta Chamber of Commerce {CCC} and Calcutta Chamber of Commerce Ladies Forum (CCCLF) – an initiative organized by women for women to champion the cause of women entrepreneurship. Held at Hotel Hindustan International, it was a sight to behold as it testified to the artistic prowess and palpable enthusiasm of our MENERVAS on ground!

30 exhibitor stalls were arranged — ranging from lifestyle; health supplements; organic cooking items; apparels and accessories; jewellery; stationary; incense and associated fragrance products and so on. Four of the 30 stalls belonged to NGOs working in areas of women empowerment and mainstreaming of marginalized populations—their participation was supported and subsidized by CCC and CCCLE.

The inauguration ceremony was marked by lighting of the lamp accompanied by beautiful recitation of the Ganesh stotram. As guests of honour, we had Dignitaries, who have made an indelible mark in the society through their works and achievements: Mrs. Saira Shah Halim: Social Activist, Educator & Writer; Mrs. Kavita Agarwal: Founder of Career After Family Enterprise (CAFÉ) and Mrs. Hena Nafis: Consultant, Nutritionist and Public Health Practitioner.

We thank all members of CCC and CCCLF; exhibitors; participants and patrons at the show without whose presence we could not have made the Exhibition a grand success.













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# Workshop





### Myths about Digital Marketing DEBUNKED!

This interactive and insightful workshop was conducted by Mr Kishore Nag, the Brand Strategist and Ms. Brinda Das, the content strategist of Techwala K3 Solutions Pvt. Ltd. The session was aimed at clearing prevalent misconceptions that often hinder informed decision-making in the digital marketing realm.

Kishore, leveraging his extensive experience and expertise in Brand and Marketing in the digital space, tackled various myths head-on—from the misconception that digital marketing is only about social media to misunderstandings about the real ROI of digital campaigns. He emphasized the importance of a holistic digital strategy and provided attendees with actionable insights

to enhance their marketing efforts. The workshop was highly engaging and interactive, equipping participants with the knowledge to make more strategic, data-driven decisions in their digital marketing endeavours.

Ms. Brinda Das, a seasoned expert in content marketing, delved into the latest trends and strategies that are reshaping the landscape of content and inbound marketing. The workshop gave the members a deeper understanding of how to implement these practices to enhance their online presence, build stronger customer relationships, and drive sustainable growth with their digital marketing efforts.













# Celebrations

# Diwali Rendezvous - A Festive Get Together

Dazzling lights, soulful tunes, and the warmth of camaraderie marked the Diwali Rendezvous at the Calcutta Chamber of Commerce. Hosted by President Hari Shankar Halwasiya, this festive get-together was a magical blend of music, Diwali surprises, delectable cuisine, and the delightful spirit of the distinguished members.









# UNISON'24 - The New Year Get Together







The event moments captured the spirit of unity, joy and strong solidarity between the members, setting the momentum for the year ahead.



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### Celebrating International Women's Day Women of Valor - Quiet Power, Loud Impact to Honour

Calcutta Chamber of Commerce and Calcutta Chamber of Commerce Ladies Forum celebrated the incredible achievements. resilience, and courage of women who are leading the way toward a stronger and more sustainable future for all. This event encourages all to continue inspiring and empowering each other every day!

Dr. Sharmishtha Banerjee, Professor, Dept. of Business Management, University of Calcutta, Mrs. Kanta Chakraborty. Teacher, Dumdum, Ms. Satarupa Majumder, Founder & Secretary, Teacher, Swapnopuron Sundarbans, Tazkira Begum, Kantha Embroidery Artist, Birbhum and Ms. Dolly Gurung, Auto Driver were honoured by Calcutta Chamber of Commerce & Calcutta Chamber of Commerce Ladies Forum.

Dr. Sharmistha Banerjee, Professor at the Department of Business Management, University of Calcutta remarked, "heartfelt thanks to Calcutta Chamber of Commerce and Calcutta Chamber of Ladies Forum. Encouraging entrepreneurship among students amidst rising global employment demands is vital. My role is to bridge academia and real-world business".

Tazkira Begum, Kantha Embroidery Artist from Birbhum said, "I invested Rs.1 for buying a needle and now I have 350 artisans working under me and I have been felicitated from across the world. I wish my workers get empowered and they also can stand on their feet".

Mrs. Kanta Chakraborlty, Teacher from Dumdum stated, "I first started with 2 girls at Dumdum station. Now I have around 50 students. Most of them are orphans and consider me their mother. Apart from academics I train them with dancing, theatre and karate".

Ms. Satarupa Majumder, Founder & Secretary, Teacher, Swapnopuron-Sundarbans said, "I started this school in 2012 with 25 student and now we have around 800 students and till now around 1700 students have passed out from this school".





Members of CCCLF performing the play



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Mrs. Meenakshi Gupta, Member, CCCLF reciting a poem.



Prof. of Business Management, University of Calcutta enthralling the audience with her journey.



Mrs. Kanta Chakraborty, Teacher, narrating the building up of Nihar Kanya Rehabilitation Centre.



Ms. Dolly Gurung presenting her story.



Tazkira Begum sharing her tale of Kantha Embroidery journey.



Ms. Satarupa Majumder<sup>\*</sup> talking on her dream project "Swapnopuron".



Mrs. Manjula Jain, President, CCCLF proposing vote of thanks.



# Executive Committee Meetings

In its meetings, the members of the Executive Committee deliberated on issues and government policies affecting the business sector, discussed and analysed emerging market

developments and financial regulatory issues. The

members suggested activities such as seminars/events, programmes to accomplish objectives of the Chamber. They also discussed their ideas, exchange information for the overall growth & expansion of the Chamber.











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# THE TIMES OF INLIA

### I&K's security better than Bengal's: Lt-guv. Tutored, false: TMC

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### J&K LG: Attack on Armymen unfortunate

Kolkata: J&K lieutenant-gov ernor Manoj Sinha, at an event in Kolkata, apparently alluded to Pakistan, without directly naming the country blaming "our neighbour" for attempts to disturb the peace in J&K.
"It is a very unfortunate in-

cident," he said about Thurs-day's terror affack, that left four Armymen deed. "We con-demn such violence. Our neighbour has been doing such things to disturb puace in the valley But it's all in vain, as terrorism is on its deathbed in Kashenic The security situation has improved to a large co tentafter the abrogation of Ar-

TMC spokesperson Kunal Ghosh said Sinha should "keep the dignity of his chair" instead of making such "distorted claims", TAN & ACCHOUS

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### The Indian EXPRESS

### I&K LG says 'security in Valley better than Bengal', TMC hits out

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