



## Chairman's Message

A warm welcome to all the members of Heritage Group of Institutions and their families.

I am very happy to announce that in January 2014, Heritage Institute of Technology (HIT-K) organized the International Conference on Applied Algorithms under TEQIP-II followed by another International Conference on Electronics, Communication and Instrumentation where eminent scientists from various countries addressed the faculty members and students.

Hearty congratulations to The Heritage School for the success of IBDP and IGCSE programmes. It is gratifying to note that all the IBDP pass-outs have been selected in leading institutions of India and abroad.

All this would not have been possible without the excellent team work, cooperation and mutual understanding of all the stakeholders. I wish to express my thanks and appreciation to all the members of The Heritage family for their commitment and dedication.

H.K. Chaudhary

## HIT-K is now Autonomous

Heritage Institute of Technology (HIT-K) has been declared as an Autonomous Institution by West Bengal University of Technology on the recommendation of University Grants Commission.



## Success @ GATE



Avinash Kumar Shaw, B. Tech final year student of Department of Chemical Engineering, stood 3<sup>rd</sup> in All India GATE Exam 2014.

## Congratulations



Congratulations to the entire team! NBA Accreditation for CSE Programme is extended for 5 years from the date of Accreditation.

## THS tops, once again!!!!

Achievers of ICSE & ISC 2014



Mehendi Basu  
97.6% (ICSE)



Soumanti Sinha  
98.3% (ISC - Humanities)

## Success @ CAT 2013



Ms. Sabarni Sen (B.Tech-ECE)  
with 99.78 percentile



Ms. Monica Rekhan (B.Tech-CSE)  
with 98.74 percentile



Ritika Singhania  
97.5 % (ISC - Commerce)



Ayush Goenka  
95.8% (ISC - Science)

## Congratulations!!!

### The Heritage School (THS)

- ❖ Ayon Banerjee of Class X secured the 8<sup>th</sup> position in the 8<sup>th</sup> Chess for Youth Category “2013-14” (Boys’ category), organized by Dibyendu Barua Chess Academy in association with Bengal Chess Association.



- ❖ Advai Pal of Class XI secured the 3<sup>rd</sup> position in “**Concern for Kolkata**”, a debate organized by the Siddha Group on the topic ‘*Kolkata continues to be the cultural Capital of India*’.



- ❖ Rounak Chawla of Class VIII has been selected as the Star Correspondent for the Times of India.



- ❖ Agnideepa Sinha and Rounak Chawla of Class VIII were judged the Winner and Runner-up respectively in the ‘15<sup>th</sup> All Bengal Spelling Competition’.



- ❖ Akash Manna of Class X, who was a part of Bengal U-17 team, secured the 5<sup>th</sup> position in the ‘59<sup>th</sup> Archery National School Games’ organized by School Games Federation of India from 19<sup>th</sup> Jan to 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan 2014.



- ❖ This year too The Heritage School participated in ‘FILMIT’ and won ‘THE BEST FILM’ and ‘THE BEST DIRECTION’ awards in ‘INTACH FILM AWARD 2014’. The students involved in this project were Gaurav Parikh, Riddhi Agarwal, Tanvi Surana, Vidhi Agarwal, Sanjam Gujral, Aarshi Jain and Subhangi Agarwal. They went to various places in Kolkata to shoot for their films and then spent long hours in the computer laboratory editing their films.

- ❖ Gaurav Lath of Class IX, Ankush Jaiswal of Class IX, Kanishk Kanakia of Class XI and Rahul More of Class XI won 4 gold medals in various events organized under different categories at International Taekwondo Championship 2013 organized by Federation of Indian Taekwondo in Bengaluru on 27<sup>th</sup> December.



### Heritage Institute of Technology (HIT-K)

The Rotaract Club of HIT-K received the following Rotaract District Awards 2014 at RID 3291 “TRIONFO”:

- Best Club Membership Growth • Best work for Women Empowerment • Best Club in Community Service • Best Club in Professional Development and Leadership • Got a Presidential Citation from Rotary International • DRR’s Trophy • The project at Jharkhand made it to the top ten projects of the district • ‘Outliers’ was among the top three PD Projects of the district.

And the biggest achievement of the year, HIT-K Rotaract Club was adjudged the ‘3<sup>rd</sup> Best Club in the Rotary International District 3291’.



- ❖ Krishna Nath Dutta, a 3<sup>rd</sup> year student of B.Tech-Mechanical Engineering, received a Certificate of Excellence for having stood 1<sup>st</sup> in the Paper Presentation competition “PAPYRUS”, held on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2014 at the Annual Techno - Management Fest of Jadavpur University “SRIJAN 2014”.



- ❖ Megha Nangia B.Tech Final year student of Department of CSE was selected as a participant in International Development Youth Forum (IDYF 2014) which was held in Tokyo, Japan for a week in March, 2014. She was selected as one of the five delegates from South Asia and she is the only one from India.

International Affairs

**International Conference on Electronics, Communication and Instrumentation 2014**



Prof. Samar Saha lighting the lamp during the inauguration



Prof. Shikharesh Majumdar lighting the lamp during the inauguration



Prof. Alex Mason  
Liverpool University, U.K.

The departments of ECE and AEIE, at HIT-K organized an International Conference on Electronics, Communication and Instrumentation 2014 sponsored by TEQIP-II and IEEE Kolkata Section. Prof. Alex Mason, Liverpool University, U.K., Prof. Samar Saha, Compact Modeling SuVolta, Inc, (USA) and Prof. Shikharesh Majumdar, Carleton University, (Canada) deliberated in the conference.

**International Conference on Applied Algorithms 2014**

Department of CSE and IT, HIT-K organized the 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Applied Algorithms 2014 sponsored by TEQIP-II.

It was a great opportunity to listen to the lectures of eminent scientists such as Prof. Christos Zaroliagis, University of Patras, (Greece); Prof. Assaf Schuster, Technion, Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, (Israel); Prof. Rina Panigrahy, Microsoft Research, Mountain View, (USA); Prof. Dimitrios Gunopulos, University of Athens, (Greece); Prof. Gautam Das, University of Texas, Arlington, (USA) and Prof. Bhargab B. Bhattacharya, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, (India). Research scholars and faculty members from eminent institutes made over 21 Presentations at this Conference.



Prof. Susanne Albers inaugurating the Conference in presence of the VC of BESU, Prof. Ajoy Ray



Prof. Assaf Schuster  
Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel



Prof. Dimitrios Gunopulos, University of Athens, Greece



Prof. Christos Zaroliagis, University of Patras, Greece



Prof. Gautam Das, University of Texas, Arlington, USA



Prof. Rina Panigrahy, Microsoft Research,  
Mountain View, USA

## Academic Value-added Programmes (AVAP)

- ❖ Professor Siben Dasgupta, Wentworth Institute of Technology, USA conducted a Seminar on 'Linear and Nonlinear Discrete and Classical Control System Experiments' on 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2014.



Prof. Siben Dasgupta (3rd from left)



Prof. Daljit Kang

- ❖ Prof. Daljit Kang, Principal Lecturer, Business School Executive, University of Roehampton visited The Heritage Academy on 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2014 and addressed the BBA (Hons) and BCA (Hons) students about career prospects for higher studies in UK.



From L to R- Prof. (Dr) Kevin S Paulson, University of Hull, Prof. Richard J. Cobley, Prifysgol Abertawe Swansea University and Dr. Mihaela Anca Ciupala, University of East London

- ❖ Prof. Richard J. Cobley from Prifysgol Abertawe Swansea University, Prof. (Dr) Kevin S Paulson from University of Hull and Dr. Mihaela Anca Ciupala, from University of East London visited HIT-K and addressed the students on 'Career prospects in Research and Development in Nano-Technology, Electronics and Telecommunications and Computer Science and Engineering' on 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 2014.

## Beyond AVAP

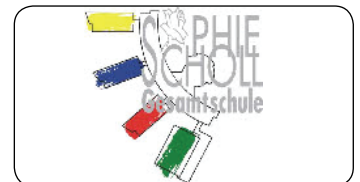


- ❖ Delegates from USA visited the campus on 16<sup>th</sup> Jan 2014.

- ❖ 15 students and 3 teachers from Whitecross School Herefordshire, UK visited THS as a part of an exchange programme on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2014.



- ❖ 15 students of THS visited Sophie Scholl of Germany, as a part of the Exchange programme in the month of May 2014.



- ❖ A dance troupe from Rhythmic Energy, Switzerland, visited THS and performed a dance programme on 24<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2014.

- ❖ Mr. Ben Sakker Kelly First Secretary (Education & Science) Australian High Commission visited HIT-K and addressed the students and faculty members on Australian Government Fellowship Programmes on 20<sup>th</sup> May.



- ❖ Dr. Julia Gonzalez & Dr. Maria Jose Arroyo from Tuning International Academy, University of Deusto, Spain visited HIT-K and addressed the faculty members on May 27<sup>th</sup>.



- ❖ The 7<sup>th</sup> Batch (13 B.Tech students), HIT-K successfully completed their Summer Research Programme at New Jersey Institute of Technology in June-July 2014. This year Mr. Clayton Moses, Academic Advisor also visited NJIT on invitation and conducted seminars for International students and faculty members of NJIT.



## News in Snapshots

### The Heritage School (THS)

❖ The School participated by setting up games stall in 'Golpo Mela'- PeaceWorks Storytelling Festival which was organized by PeaceWorks in association with Kolkata Police on 9<sup>th</sup> Nov 2013.



❖ National Science Day exhibition was organized by the Junior School on 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 2014.

❖ KHOJ 2014, Science Exhibition was organized on 22<sup>nd</sup> July, by the Senior School. Dr. Shivaji Raha, Director, Bose Institute of Sciences was the Chief Guest.



❖ Ankuran Showtime was organized by the Junior School on 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2014.

## News in Snapshots

### THS Excursions



Kerala Trip (Classes IV and V)



Saat Tal Trip (Classes V and VI)



Sunderbans Trip (Class VII)



Corbett National Park Trip (Class VI)



Dooars Trip (Class VI)



Shantiniketan Trip (Classes VI and VII)



Rajasthan Trip (Class XI)



Manali Trip IGSC (Class X)



❖ On 25<sup>th</sup> April and 26<sup>th</sup> April 2014, West Bengal Rifle Shooting Association organized the 1<sup>st</sup> State Level School Rifle Shooting Competition at The Heritage School, Kolkata. Major A.K. Deb, the Chief Coach of Rifle Shooting Association was present along with Mr. P.K. Acharya, the Chief Jury. 45 participants across West Bengal participated in the competition from North Calcutta Rifle Club, Howrah Rifle Club, Asansol Rifle Club, Midnapore Rifle Club, The Heritage School and DPS Megacity.

❖ Suryajyoti Summer camp (*learning beyond the classrooms*) was organized from 19<sup>th</sup> May till 24<sup>th</sup> May.



## Swimming Gala

### Senior School



❖ Senior School Swimming Gala was organized on 1<sup>st</sup> August 2014. The Chief Guest of the Programma was Sri Vikash Agarwal.

### Junior School



❖ Junior school Swimming Gala was organized on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2014. The Chief Guest of the Programme was Sri Bhushan Agarwal.

❖ THS Model United Nations was organized from 18<sup>th</sup> June to 20<sup>th</sup> June 2014. Students from various schools across the city took part. Four committees were formed in the Model United Nations and they discussed topics ranging from Women's Reservation Bill to Palestine Crisis. It was an event to be cherished.



## News in Snapshots

❖ The UGC team visited HIT-K on 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Feb 2014 for inspection to approve Autonomous Status to the Institute. The team consisted of Prof. K. Ramamurthy Naidu, Former Member, UGC as the Chairman of the team; Dr. L. M. Waghmare, Director, Shri Guru Gobind Singh Institute of Engg. & Technology (Autonomous); Dr. V. Lakshmi Prabha, Principal, Govt. College of Technology (Autonomous), Coimbatore; Prof. J. S. P. Rai, Director, Harcourt Butler Technology Institute (Autonomous), Nawabganj; Prof. Amalendu Basu, Addl. Director of Technical Education, Govt. of West Bengal; Dr. Goutam Sanyal, Professor, CSE & Dean, National Institute of Technology and Dr. (Miss) Ratnabali Banerjee, Former Joint Secretary, Eastern Regional Office, UGC.



❖ Senior School Prize Day was organized on 25<sup>th</sup> June, 2014. Shri Surajit Kar Purkayastha, IPS, Commissioner of Police, Kolkata inaugurated the Prize Day celebrations by lighting the lamp and also gave away Prizes to the toppers.



❖ Rev. Swami Ishatmanandaji Maharaj, Minister-in-Charge, Vivekananda Vedanta Society, Chicago, USA visited the campus on 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2014.



General A. K. Choudhary (Second from the Left)

❖ Lt. General A. K. Choudhary, former, GOC Bengal Area visited the school on 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2014 and addressed the students and faculty members on 'Facets of Military Leadership'. He was welcomed by Shri H. P. Budhia, Chariman, Heritage Business School and Trustee, Kalyan Bharti Trust.

❖ A one day workshop on 'Disaster Management' was organized by Chemical Engineering Department with technical support from Disaster Management Department, Govt. of India on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2014. The speakers at the workshop were Shri Amit Chaudhuri, former Joint Secretary, Disaster Management Department, Govt. of West Bengal; Dr. Muzaffar Ahmad, Hon'ble Member, National Disaster Management Authority; Dr. Chandan Ghosh, Professor & Head, GeoHazards, National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM) and Dr. Anish Banerjee, Lead Technical Expert, Hospital Disaster Management, NDMA.



❖ COMPASS 2014, Orientation Programme of new batch 2014-15 of B.Tech students was organized on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2014. It was inaugurated and addressed by Swami Atmapriyanandaji, Vice-Chancellor, R.K. Mission Vivekananda University, Belur, as the Chief Guest.



Members from GDC Memorial College

❖ Students from GDC Memorial College visited Heritage Group of Institutions from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> January 2014 as a part of their Excursion programme to Kolkata.



4<sup>th</sup> Film Festival

❖ Pravasana Club of HIT-K organized the 4<sup>th</sup> Film Festival and a Photography and Painting exhibition on 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> February 2014.

❖ Annual Sports was organized by Students' Council, HIT-K on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2014.



❖ SINOFIA 2014, the 42<sup>nd</sup> Rotaract District Conference was organized on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2014 in the Campus.



❖ Prof. (Dr.) T. K. Ghosh, Emeritus, Professor, Central Knowledge System, Jadavpur University addressed 50 newly registered Ph.D scholars from West Bengal University of Technology on the topic 'Research Methodology' on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2014.



## News in Snapshots

❖ Dr. Debnath Chaudhuri, Professor & Head, Department of Biochemistry & Nutrition, All Indian Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Kolkata, addressed the faculty members and students of Biotechnology on the topic '*Foods: Myths and Reality*', on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2014. The distinguished lecture was organized by the Department of Biotechnology.



❖ 28 faculty members from UGC Academic Staff College, University of Calcutta, visited the Solar Power panels at the roof-top in the campus on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2014 as a part of Refresher Course in Environment Science which was organized by the UGC Academic Staff College for them.

❖ Department of Electrical Engineering organized a National Conference on '*Recent Trends in Power Engineering*' on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> March 2014 in the campus under TEQIP-II. The Conference was



Mr. A. Bose lighting the lamp during the inauguration of the National Conference



Mr. M. Majumdar lighting the lamp during the inauguration of the National Conference



From L to R- Prof. Samiran Choudhuri, HOD, EE Department, Mr. A. Bose, Mr. M. Majumdar, Dr. Prithwiraj Das, Associate Prof. EE Dept.

inaugurated by Mr. A. Bose, Executive Director, Power Transmission, CESC Ltd as the Chief Guest. Mr. M. Majumdar, Former MD, Durgapur Projects Ltd was present as the Guest-of-Honour.

❖ Department of Humanities had arranged a panel discussion on '*Professional Ethics: Honesty is Still the Best Policy*' on 20<sup>th</sup> of March, 2014. The speakers were Prof. Gopa Dutta (Professor of Lady Brabourne College), Prof. Timir Baran Chatterjee (Senior Executive Vice President, DIC India Ltd), Prof. Suman K. Mukherjee (Principal Dean, Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan Institute of Management Sciences, Kolkata) and Mr. Nilabhra Dasgupta (Dy. Commissioner, Income Tax Dept., Kolkata).



Panelists on the dais (from L to R) Prof. Gopa Dutta, Prof. Suman Mukherjee, Mr. T. B. Chatterjee, Mr. Nilabhra Dasgupta



❖ A 7 Day workshop was organized by the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering on "Android Application" from 23<sup>rd</sup> March till 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014 as a part of Finishing School Programme under TEQIP-II.

❖ A Faculty Development Programme was organized on the topic '*Occupational Safety and Health Hazards*' jointly by the Mechanical, Civil and Chemical Engineering Departments on 27<sup>th</sup> March 2014. The programme was attended by Dr. Amitava Mustafi as the Chief Guest. Dr. Tapas Kr. Gupta, Mr. Saroj Kr Sarkar, Dr. P. K. Ganguly, Mr. Sujoy Ghosh and Mr. Amarnath Bhadra were the key speakers in the programme.



From L to R- Prof. B.B. Paira, Dr. Amitava Mustafi, Dr. Pranay Chaudhuri and Prof. Dulal Ray



❖ On 5<sup>th</sup> April 2014, the CSE Department organized its 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Departmental Meet, '*CSE Rendezvous*', which presented students a unique opportunity to interact with their seniors, professors as well as the alumni of the Department in an informal setting, unbound by the constraints often imposed by the four walls of the class rooms.



❖ Advantage Intercollege Lawn Tennis competition was organized by HIT-K on 9<sup>th</sup> April 2014.



❖ Professor Kaushik Roy, from School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Purdue University visited HIT-K on 23<sup>rd</sup> April and delivered a talk on 'NANO-ELECTRONICS: A Bottom-up Approach'.



❖ Mr. Mrinal Das, Vice President of Sankalp Semiconductor Pvt. Ltd. addressed the students of ECE Department on 'Global trends in Electronics: Impact on India' on 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2014.

❖ ITI Training for the students of ITI, Tollygunge was organized by the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering from 19<sup>th</sup> May till 28<sup>th</sup> May 2014.



❖ CONFLUENCE-2014, the New Parents Orientation Programme for the New batch of B.Tech Students 2014-2018 had been organized on 2nd August 2014.



## Glimpses of some Industrial Visits



3<sup>rd</sup> Year B.Tech (Chemical Engineering) students went for an Industrial Visit to Haldia Petrochemicals Ltd.



3<sup>rd</sup> year B.Tech (Mechanical Engineering) students went for an Industrial visit to Metalics House.



2<sup>nd</sup> Year B.Tech (Civil Engineering) students went for a site visit to Belur Railway Bridge Project.



4<sup>th</sup> year B.Tech (Biotechnology Engineering) students visited Keventer Group.



2<sup>nd</sup> year B.tech (Mechanical Engineering) students visited Kiswok Industries.

## News in Snapshots

### The Heritage Academy (THA)



- ❖ On the occasion of **International Woman's Day**, the Academy organized a programme on "Corporate Social Responsibility with special reference to Women's Participation, Role and Empowerment" on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2014 which was addressed by Dr. Nimurji Prasad, Professor, Organizational Behavioral Sciences, IIM Calcutta.

- ❖ WIPRO Ltd organized pooled campus recruitments for BCA students on 8<sup>th</sup> April 2014.



- ❖ The Heritage Academy, started off with the Orientation Programme of its new batch of BBA (Hons) and BCA (Hons) Programme (2014-2017) which was inaugurated by Swami Samarpananandaji Maharaj, Ramkrishna Mission Vivekananda University, Belurmath, on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2014, as the Chief Guest, in the Swami Vivekananda Auditorium of the campus.

### Heritage Business School (HBS)



From L to R- Ms. Reshmi Chatterjee, Ms. Minu Budhia, Ms. Urmi Basu, Ms. Bratati Bandhyopadhyay, Ms. Agnimitra Paul, Shri Samir Kr. Ghosh, Dr. Alope Kr. Sen & Dr. Rimu Chaudhuri

- ❖ A panel discussion was organized by Heritage Business School (HBS) on "Women in Metros: Breaking the Glass Ceiling" on 18<sup>th</sup> February 2014 on World CSR Day. Well known elocutionist Ms. Bratati Bandhyopadhyay, Ace Fashion Designer Ms. Agnimitra Paul and eminent philanthropist Ms. Urmi Basu were the panelists along with Ms. Minu Budhia, MD, ADD-LIFE CARING MINDS as the Chief Guest and Ms. Reshmi Chatterjee, eminent curator, Halo Heritage as the Guest-of-Honour. The programme was also attended by Dr. Alope Kr. Sen, Director, HBS, Shri Samir Kr. Ghosh, Director, EDI and Dr. Rimu Chaudhuri, Asst. Prof. HBS.

- ❖ A panel discussion was organized on 7<sup>th</sup> March on "Interim Budget Analysis", which was attended by Dr. Alok Ray as the moderator along with Prof. Paresh Bandhyopadhyay, University of Burdwan, and Shri Anubrata Ganguly, an eminent Chartered Accountant.



Panel Discussion on Interim Budget analysis from L to R- Dr. Alok Ray, CA Anubrata Ganguly, Prof. Paresh Chattopadhyay



HBS students participating in Gallery Gold

- ❖ Dr. Rimu Chaudhuri, Asst. Prof. along with few students participated in a panel discussion on the topic "Aajker Narira" on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2014, organized by Gallery Gold on the occasion of International Women's Day 2014.



- ❖ Students' Orientation Programme of new 12<sup>th</sup> Batch (2014-2016) was organized on July 15<sup>th</sup> 2014 which was attended by the Vice-Chancellor of Jadavpur University, Dr. Abhijit Chakraborty, as the Chief Guest.

## Celebrations

❖ **DAKSHH 2014**, the Tech Fest of HIT-K, organized from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> April 2014 witnessed participation of 16 colleges across the city.



❖ **Eclecia 2014**, the Annual Fest of HIT-K was organized from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> April. 20 colleges from across the city took part in it. Eminent singer KK's fabulous performance mesmerized the youth at the end of the programme.

❖ **Prarambh 2014**, the management fest of Heritage Business School was organized on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2014 which witnessed huge participation of students from various B-schools across the city.



❖ **Youthopia**, the Annual Fest of The Heritage School was organized from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> May 2014. 13 schools from the city participated in the mega event which comprised of unique competitions like sports, music, dance, one minute to fame, ADspooF, photography, fashion show and many more. The Fest was inaugurated by eminent Bengali actor Saswata Chatterjee. It also witnessed the presence of the former First Lady Smt. Padmini Narayanan, as the Chief Guest during an NGO event as well as eminent dancer Ms. Alokanda Ray as the Guest-of-Honour. THS won the overall Championship Trophy in the fest followed by Don Bosco Park Circus as the 1<sup>st</sup> Runners-up and South Point High School as the 2<sup>nd</sup> Runners-up.



❖ Eminent Actor Govinda visited THS on July 5<sup>th</sup> 2014.



❖ Annual Fest "EPIGNOSIS 2014", was organized by the Students' Council (THA), on 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2014.

## Social Initiatives

- ❖ Counseling session for admissions to Suryakiran was organized on 16<sup>th</sup> January 2014. Nearly 200 children from the neighboring villages attended the session.



## Health Camp

- ❖ A health camp was organized by Kalyan Bharti Trust (KBT) in association with Lion's Club Kolkata Adarsh in the campus on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2014. Rotaract Club members of HIT-K actively participated in the health camp.



- ❖ 151 students of THS participated in "The Kolkata Marathon" held on 5<sup>th</sup> January 2014 which was organized by Tata Medical Centre to support the underprivileged children suffering from cancer in Kolkata.



- ❖ Rotaract Club members of HIT-K also organized an educational trip to Science City Kolkata on 15<sup>th</sup> February 2014 for the kids of Socio Legal Aid Research and Training Centre (SLARTC).



- ❖ Rotaract Club members of HIT-K organized a programme "Rang Barse" for the unfortunate children of the Cancer Ward of S.S.C.C.R.I., Cancer Hospital at Thakurpukur on 15<sup>th</sup> March 2014 as a prelude to the colorful event of Holi.

- ❖ In collaboration with KHOLO ANKHI, an NGO, that runs KHOLO ANKHI Slum School in Beliaghata, Rotaract Club of HIT-K organized a workshop 'Project Koshis – Health & Hygiene' for the said slum school on 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2014.

## Annual Sports



- ❖ Annual sports for the students of Suryakiran was organized by Rotaract Club of HIT-K on 28<sup>th</sup> March 2014 at The Heritage School Grounds.

- ❖ A Cancer Awareness Programme was organized by Global Cancer Trust in association with THA on 28<sup>th</sup> Feb 2014. Eminent Oncosurgeon Dr. Vikash Agarwal, Chairman, Global Cancer Trust addressed the audience.



## We Welcome...



❖ **Prof. K. K. Chaudhuri** has been appointed as Advisor, Heritage Business School. Dr. K. K. Chaudhuri is M.Sc, Ph.D. from the University of Calcutta. He held the position of Director, Army Institute of Management for over a decade. Prior to that he was Dean of IISWBM, Kolkata.



❖ **Prof. Malay Kumar Banerjee** joined as Dean of Heritage Business School. Prof. Malay Kumar Banerjee is a National Merit Scholar having 38 years of industrial experience in the Infrastructure and Construction Sector around the globe. He has 11 years of teaching experience and just before joining HBS, he was Director of Isolux Corsan – a Six Billion Euro conglomerate based in Spain.

## You have made us Proud!

❖ **Dr. Sushovan Sarkar**, Assistant Prof. and Departmental Coordinator, Civil Engineering Department, received an Award for Best Paper Presentation in Intellectual Property Rights Congress 2013-2014 organized by West Bengal State Council of Science and Technology, Govt. of West Bengal.



Dr. Sushovan Sarkar



Dr. Sangita Bhattacharjee

❖ **Dr. Sangita Bhattacharjee**, Assistant Prof. and Departmental Coordinator, Chemical Engineering Department, presented her research work which is carried out under AICTE-RPS scheme on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2014 at a seminar organized at Calcutta Regional Centre, Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers.

❖ **Prof. Siladitya Sen**, Associate Professor, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, presented a paper at the International Conference on Advances in Computer Science, Engineering and Technology (ICACSET 2014) on 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> January 2014 at Bangkok, Thailand under TEQIP-II.



Prof. Siladitya Sen



Prof. Santanu Ghorai

❖ **Prof. Santanu Ghorai**, Associate Professor, Department of Applied Electronics and Instrumentation, presented a paper under TEQIP-II at the International Conference on Control, Instrumentation, Energy & Communication organized by Department of Applied Physics, University of Calcutta, from 31<sup>st</sup> Jan - 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2014.

❖ Paper presentation of B.Tech Final Year students of Department of Computer Science & Engineering under the guidance of Prof. Subhashis Majumder, won the 2014 Best Poster of Bigdata Science Award at Beijing.



## We bid adieu...



**Prof. Samiran Choudhuri**, HOD, Department of Electrical Engineering, HIT-K retired on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2014.



**Prof. Arun Kumar Ray**, Associate Professor, Department of Applied Electronics and Instrumentation, HIT-K retired on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2014.



**Ms. Basabi Ghosh** retired on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2014 as the first IB-DP coordinator of THS.

## Completion of Ph. D



Anisha Haldar Roy  
Assistant Prof.  
Department of ECE, HIT-K



Nimai Pada Mandal  
Assistant Professor  
Mechanical Engineering  
Department, HIT-K

Times of India



## Students win laurels

Three city students have done their schools proud by winning laurels at the 4th Annual Pramerica Spirit of Community Awards held in New Delhi recently. Tanya Malik of The Heritage School, Ishan Agarwal from St James' School and Anushka Mandal of La Martiniere for Girls were among 15 students who won silver medals in recognition for their remarkable community service efforts.

Ishan is a peer educator for slum children, teaching them basic English and maths. He tries to motivate them to seek formal education in a mainstream school. Anushka has been into social service since the age of 10. On the verge of leaving school and looking forward to college life, Tanya plans to streamline her education in such a way that she can continue working with people and for the environment to make a difference. The three were shortlisted from over 5,000 applications received in a nationwide search for the country's top student volunteers.

## BRAINY SESSIONS

**What:** International Conferences sponsored by World Bank.

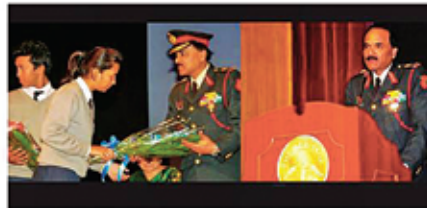
Heritage Institute of Technology Kolkata (HIT-K) is organising 'First International Conference on Applied Algorithms' (ICAA 2014), sponsored by Technical Education Quality Improvement Plan (TEQIP) Phase-II which is a joint initiative of ministry of human resource development and World Bank. The conference will be inaugurated by VC, BESU, Prof Ajoy Kr Ray. There will be 21 research paper presentations and lectures by 7 speakers. On January 16 and 17, department of electronics and communication engineering and department of applied electronics and instrumentation, HIT-K, is organising an International Conference of Electronics, Communication and Instrumentation (ICECI 2014)

**Where:** Heritage Institute of Technology Kolkata campus

**When:** January 13 - 17, 2014.

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## General encourages students at Heritage



ARMY'S WAY OF LIFE PRODUCES TRANSFORMATIONAL LEADERS WHO ARE ALSO FUNCTIONAL MANAGERS: A K CHOUDHARY

Shahyar Hossain

If one wants to be a leader in business, follow the facets of military leadership which is relevant in every aspect of life - this was the valuable piece of advice for the students of Heritage Group of Institutions.

A K Choudhary, Lieutenant General and General Officer Commanding Bengal Area, interacted with the students at the campus auditorium on January 10. "Army's way of life produces transformational leaders who are also functional managers. Skills and values inculcated in the army can be applied universally in every sphere of life," said Choudhary who is also the recipient of Ati Vishist Seva Medal.

Choudhary was welcomed by H F Bhatia, Heritage Business School chairman and Trustee of Kalyan Bharti Trust, Sonna Saha, principal of The Heritage School and others were present on the occasion.

Comparing the traits of business leaders and military leadership, Choudhary elaborated the ten principles of leadership - leading from the front, seeing the battlefield, indomitable way to win, leading by example, imagination, ar-

bitigation and innovation, leading in uncertainty, embracing change, ethics and values, quality and concern for others.

"Army is not a professional sphere but a complete way of life. Leadership in army is the fundamental ingredient of warfare. A military leader is determined, charismatic, and confident in the delegation of command and authority. He motivates his men to achieve the impossible," pointed out Choudhary while interacting with students.

Garbling military leadership and corporate world ethics, the Army system focused on how branded products like Google, Intel survive in the market and others do not. "The reason why branded products attain reach and-of-life status is based solely on the consistent commitment to deliver quality product each time," he added.

Minutes before concluding his interaction, Choudhary repeated former US President John F Kennedy's version, "I repeat Kennedy's quote - Leadership and learning are indispensable to each other," quoted Choudhary.

Just after the interactive session, the students were allowed to clarify their doubts by asking questions. This was followed by the memento felicitation ceremony to Choudhary. The programme concluded by the vote of thanks by Saha.



## Panel Discussion on "Women Entrepreneurship: Women in Metro, Breaking the Glass Ceiling"



Heritage Business School in association with Enterprise Development Institute (promoted by Bengal National Chamber of Commerce and Industry) had organized a panel discussion on "Women in Metro, breaking the glass ceiling" in the auditorium of the Heritage Business School campus. The programme was addressed by eminent elocutionist Ms. Bratati Bandhyopadhyay. Chief Guest for the programme was Ms. Minu Budhia, Director and Founder, Add-life Caring Minds and the Guest-of-Honour for the same was Ms. Reshmi Chatterjee, Founder, Halo Heritage.

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## 'Women in metros can be entrepreneurs'

SAYAN BANERJEE | STUDENT CORRESPONDENT

The working identity of women has always been a question in our society. Around the globe there have been infinite variations of their status, differing according to the culture, family structure, class, race, property rights, etc. yet they are successful in their own ways. In the early 20th century there were hardly any women entrepreneurs who have increased manifold over the years. Female entrepreneurs have made significant contributions to the economic growth round the world. They have already shown how they can break the glass ceiling to be successful in life. Recently to celebrate World CSR Day, the Heritage Business School in association with Enterprise Development Institute promoted by INCCIL, held a panel discussion on "Women in metro-breaking the glass ceiling" in the auditorium of the HBS campus. The ob-



jective of the discussion was to create a platform where the successful entrepreneurial women shared their backgrounds, career path, to motivate and inspire others who want to be like them. The delegates present were elocutionist Bratati Bandhyopadhyay, philanthropist Urmil Basu and fashion designer, Agnimitra Paul. The chief guests were Minu Budhia, director and founder, Add-life caring mind and Reshmi Chatterjee, founder, Halo Heritage. The discussion mainly stressed on taking risks on life and how one can turn one's passion into profession.

Alok Kumar Sen, director, HBS, and Samir Kumar Ghosh, director, EDI, thanked all the delegates for their presence. In the panel discussion, Bratati Bandhyopadhyay said how she had become a self-made woman and talked about her childhood days. A nostalgic Agnimitra Paul also went back to old memories to describe the journey of her life. "Women have the power to balance all sides," she said. Minu Budhia concluded by saying how despite being a housewife and a mother she still managed to become an entrepreneur. Urmil Basu and Reshmi Chatterjee also echoed the same.

## प्रभात खबर

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## छात्रों ने मनायी कैसर पीड़ित बच्चों के साथ होली



कोलकाता. हेरोटेज इन्स्टीट्यूट ऑफ टेक्नोलॉजी, कोलकाता के रोटेरेक्टर्स क्लब के छात्रों की एक उत्साही टीम ने एस.एस.सी.सी.आर.आइ., ठाकुरपुकर के कैसर वार्ड का दौरा किया. इन छात्रों ने होली का पर्व कैसर पीड़ित

बच्चों के साथ मनाया. उनके साथ खुलकर बातें कीं और उनका मनोरंजन किया. छात्रों की इस टीम के साथ निखिल बंग समिति के 11 बच्चे भी कैसर वार्ड में अस्वस्थ बच्चों से मिलने गये. एक अनाथालय के रूप में सत्रिय निखिल बंग समिति के साथ रोटेरेक्टर्स क्लब के छात्रों ने पहले भी काम किया है. कैसर वार्ड में कैसर से पीड़ित लगभग 45 बच्चे मौजूद थे, जिनकी आयु 2 महीने से लेकर आठ महीने तक थी. इस मौके पर एचआइटी के छात्रों ने कहा कि इस बार की होली उनके लिए काफ़ी खास रही, क्योंकि उन्होंने इन पीड़ित, अस्वस्थ बच्चों को मुस्कान दी है. बच्चों के चेहरों पर खुशी व आनंद के कई रंग देखकर उनका भी उत्साह बढ़ गया है. यह होली उनको हमेशा याद रहेगी.

## The 1st IBDP (2012 - 14) Graduation Ceremony!!!



Yash Sinha secured 43 out of 45 Grade Points in the IBDP Examinations 2014. He was awarded the Chairman's Trophy at the Graduation Ceremony on 9<sup>th</sup> September, '14 by Ms. Helen La Fave, U.S. Consul General in Kolkata, in the presence of Shri Jaydeep Chitlangia, Chairman of THS, Shri H.P. Budhia, Trustee of KBT, Mrs. Seema Sapru, Principal of THS and other dignitaries. Yash will soon be joining an undergraduate programme at the University of Chicago in U.S.A.

### Our 1st IBDP Batch does WONDERS!!!

Students of the first batch (2012-14) of The Heritage School - International Baccalaureate Development Programme (THS - IBDP) were selected by reputed Colleges & Universities, in India & overseas:

Name of Student	Name of College/ University
Aditi Kabra	Shrishti School of Art, Design & Technology
Aishwarya Shastri	University of Edinburgh, U.K.
Anchal Jhunjhunwala	Amity University
Asad Ahmed	University of Northampton, U.K.
Dhairyya Singh	Ashoka University
Karan Shah	Bhawanipur Education Society College
Laksh Banthia	Ashoka University
Radhika Lakhotia	University of Newcastle, U.K.
Rohit Kapoor	Narsee Monjee College

Name of Student	Name of College/ University
Samriddha Basu	University of Buffalo, U.S.A.
Sayak Chatterjee	Tufts University, U.S.A.
Shaaz Alam	Northeastern University, U.S.A.
Surit Thekken	The University of Adelaide, Australia
Tanya Malik	University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign, U.S.A.
Umaid Ahmed	Cesar Ritz Colleges, Switzerland
Upasana Roy	Babson College, U.S.A.
Yash Rathi	Narsee Monjee College
Yash Sinha	University of Chicago, U.S.A.