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ATAL Faculty Development Program Starts at IIT Bhubaneswar – Latest Breaking News

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BHUBANESWAR: AITTE Training and Learning (ATAL) faculty development program has been started at IIT Bhubaneswar. This initiative is ensuring improvement in the skills of All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) affiliated teachers in these challenging times of Kovid-19 epidemic.

IIT Bhubaneswar is organizing the ATAL Faculty Development Program (FDP) for the first time, which provides continuous learning opportunities to faculty members of AICTE approved institutes from across the country. It will continue till November 6.

The event was inaugurated on Monday in the presence of Parliamentary Standing Committee Chairman Vinay Sahasrabudde of HRD, AICTE Chairman Anil Sahasrabudde and IIT Bhubaneswar Director RV Raja Kumar.

Official sources said that faculty members, research scholars, post-graduate scholars, government participants, CBSE teachers, industry (bureaucrats / technicians / industry participants) and staff from host institutions can participate in the program, faculty members of AICTE approved institutions.

FDPs are free for all participants. A participant can apply for a maximum of two FDPs. The total number of participants of the program should be less than 30 percent of the host institution's participants.

ATAL academies have been set up by AICTE to oversee these training programs. The main objective of these academies is to plan and help support technical institutions in providing quality technical education in the country and to promote research, innovation and entrepreneurship through training in various emerging fields.

“Through our continuous learning programs, IIT Bhubaneswar always paves the way for teaching and learning with continuous effort to enhance the skill set of teachers across the country. Around 200 faculty members from AICTE accredited institutions across the country participate. Has been a week-long event,” said Raja Kumar.

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