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Research Scholars' Week

21-23rd February 2017



National Institute of Technology, Rourkela

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National Institute of Technology Rourkela, an institute of national importance, has a thriving academic and research ambience boosted by more than a thousand research students pursuing degrees at Masters and Doctoral level. The institute boasts of accomplished faculty members who lead scholarly activities in a spectrum of areas, often interdisciplinary, in engineering and applied sciences. Twenty academic departments and nine thematic research centres are currently engaged in more than hundred and fifty sponsored R&D projects.

The core of our activities however lies in the hard work and determination of the vast pool of research scholars in the campus. The Research Scholars' Week (RSW) is a celebration of their untiring efforts to delve deeper into a problem, yet performing systematic research. With RSW we hope to provide a forum where they can showcase their work, deliberate with guests, and be inspired by their peers. The emphasis here is not as much on neatly formulated conclusions as it is on the nuts-and-bolts of designing an elegant experiment or formulating logic for a complex electronic circuit. The engaging discussions and scientific criticism over three days of fanfare and the presence of internationally renowned academicians as plenary speakers are bound to motivate the young researchers to strive for the best.

Programme Schedule

Day 1: February 21, 2017

0900 – 0930	Inaugural Ceremony
0930 – 1000	Keynote Address
1000 – 1015	Tea Break
1015 – 1315	Session I: Engineering and Science
1315 – 1430	Lunch Break
1430 – 1730	Session II: Social and Natural Science

Day 2: February 22, 2017

0900 – 1000	Keynote Address
1000 – 1015	Tea Break
1015 – 1315	Session III: Social Science and Management
1315 – 1430	Lunch Break
1430 – 1730	Session IV: Engineering and Science

Day 3: February 23, 2017

0900 – 1000	Keynote Address
1000 – 1015	Tea Break
1015 – 1315	Session V: Engineering
1315 – 1430	Lunch Break
1430 – 1600	Session VI: Engineering, Science, and Management
1600 – 1645	Symposium Plenary: Finding the Way Ahead
1645 – 1730	Valedictory Ceremony

