

In-person Japan Chapter Alumni Meet held on 21.09.2023 at Tokyo, Japan

In collaboration with the Secretary/Joint Secretary/Alumni, Japan Alumni Chapter, the DORA office IIT Mandi successfully organized the in-person Japan Chapter Alumni Meet on 21.09.2023 at Tokyo, Japan.

It was a highly successful meeting that brought together a diverse group of IIT Mandi graduates living and working in Japan. Prof. Laxmidhar Behera, Director, IIT Mandi, along with Dr. C. S. Yadav graced the event with their presence. This event served as a testament to the enduring spirit of the Institute's alumni community.

The Secretary Japan Alumni Chapter, Mr. Gopal organized a site visit of his company followed by a meeting of the Director, IIT Mandi with the CEO (Mr. Takeda) and his colleague Mr. Nishikawa, Executive Director of his company Tonichi Printing Company Ltd., Japan.

- **Key Highlights of the Meet:**

1. Warm Reunion: The alumni meet was a heartwarming reunion, with graduates from various batches gathering to reconnect, reminisce about their college days, and share their life experiences.

2. Inspirational Talks: The event featured inspiring talks by accomplished alumni who have made significant contributions in their respective fields. These talks served as a source of motivation and enlightenment for the attendees.

3. Networking Opportunities: Alumni had the chance to expand their professional networks and explore potential collaborations. The meeting encouraged knowledge sharing and the exchange of ideas among attendees.

4. Updates from IIT Mandi: Participants were updated on the latest developments and initiatives at IIT Mandi. They learned about the Institute's growth and its commitment to academic excellence and innovation.

5. Cultural Exchange: The meet also showcased the rich cultural diversity among the alumni, with attendees sharing their cultural experiences and traditions.

6. Collaborations: The possibilities of collaborations have also been explored in the area of a Japanese Language and Cultural Course at IIT Mandi.

The get-together function was a great success and received positive feedback from attendees. It served as a platform to celebrate the achievements of IIT Mandi alumni while strengthening

the bonds within the alumni community. It also helped the alumni to strengthen their interpersonal relationships.

Mr. Gopal K. Agarwal (Secretary) and Mr. Chandan Purbiya (Joint Secretary), esteemed alumni of IIT Mandi and key organizers of the event, expressed their gratitude to all the attendees and highlighted the importance of such gatherings in fostering collaboration and mutual growth.

Quotes by the Japan Alumni, Speakers & Guests

1. This alumni meet was more than just an event; it was a celebration of our shared experiences and accomplishments. It's incredible to see how far we've come since our college days.
2. IIT Mandi has produced exceptional individuals, and this meeting was a testament to their achievements. It was an honor to be part of this event.
3. The Japan Chapter Alumni Meet 2023 serves as a shining example of the enduring bond between IIT Mandi and its alumni. It reaffirms the institute's commitment to nurturing talent and fostering lifelong connections.

For more information about IIT Mandi and its alumni activities, please visit <https://iitmandi.ac.in/dora/>.

- About IIT Mandi: The Indian Institute of Technology Mandi, located in the scenic Himalayan region of Himachal Pradesh, India, is one of India's premier engineering institutions. Known for its academic excellence, research contributions, and vibrant campus life, IIT Mandi continues to produce leaders and innovators who make a positive impact worldwide.

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