Governor awards degrees to 1,595 students at Centurion convocation

Wallace expresses interest in collaboration between Centurion & Charles Darwin University for exchange of knowledge

Always focus on the outcomes you wish to achieve and put in the effort of planning your job, your career now, at the beginning. Your journey will not only be easier, but much more successful, said Steven Herbert, former minister, skill development, training, Government of Victoria, Australia. He was addressing the 5th Convocation of Centurion University of Technology and Management here today. Odisha Governor, Dr. SC Jamir, who is the Visitor of the University presided over the ceremony. Besides Mr Steven Herbert, Prof Ruth Wallace, Director, Northern Institute, Charles Darwin University (Australia) also addressed the students. Prof Ruth Wallace, director, Northern Institute, Charles Darwin University also addressed the students. She expressed deep interest in collaboration between Charles Darwin University and Centurion and hoped that this visit would open channels for exchange of knowledge for mutual benefit and enhanced productivity.

1,595 graduates of various disciplines were awarded degree. 17 students have been awarded gold medals for their outstanding performances in the various disciplines and 25 scholars were conferred Ph.D degrees. Governor Dr SC Jamir congratulated the graduates and appreciated Centurion University for “being pioneer in skill integrated higher education and creating a set of viable social enterprises, both in rural and urban spaces, that are integral to its unique educational ecosystem.”

The world has moved from an industry-driven society to a knowledge-driven society, the nature of capital, resources, structures, processes all underwent a redefinition. Since knowledge is the principal resource that the university creates and disseminates, its position becomes all the more important said Governor Dr SC Jamir.

The smartphone in pocket contains an advanced technology. The new computer models can now map the geography of our minds. Microscopic nanorobots can swim through our veins. Science fiction is turning into science fact. Research is a key aspect of university functioning, said Governor.

The medal winners in different disciplines were Ashwarya Subhadarsini, Anjaneya Acharya, B. Jeevan, Keshabha Chandra Sahu, Maras Ranjan Garnayak, Manisha Pradhan, N lam Priyadarshini Sethy, Priti Pallabi Patra, Ruchismita Gahir, Sabyasachi Mohanty, Simhadri Deepthi, Subarna Satapathy, Sudhashree Deb, Sujit Kumar Sahoo, Sunil Barad, Sushmita Boiti, Swayamprajna Padhan.