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ICFAI University Jharkhand organizes 3rd NJ Yasaswy Memorial lecture on “Value-less Education is Root Cause of all Evils” and Blood Donation Camp

Ranchi, 6th Nov 2014: The ICFAI University Jharkhand organized a **memorial lecture** today on the theme “Value-less Education is Root Cause of all Evils” , to commemorate the 3rd death anniversary of Late N J Yasaswy, founder of the ICFAI Group. It was preceded by a **Blood donation camp conducted in association with Red Cross Society**. Dr AK Agrawal, Associate Professor, RIMS and Dr Sushil Kumar conducted the camp, wherein over 40 students, parents, alumni and employees of the University donated blood.

Welcoming the audience, Prof. O R S Rao, Vice Chancellor of the ICFAI University Jharkhand said that Late N.J. Yasaswy was a man of principles and values and set up the ICFAI group of Institutions (consisting of 11 Universities and 7 IBS Business schools) , with the motto of Meritum Ethics, meaning Merit and Ethics. “Besides, he was keen to provide access to quality education all over India, particularly in underserved regions like East. Today 7 of the Universities are in East and North East’ (Our University being one among them), added Prof Rao. “In order to commemorate him, our University decided to institute awards to students and teachers that demonstrate values and ethics in their day-to-day working. These awards are besides for to the rankers in their academics”, mentioned Prof Rao.

Delivering the memorial lecture, **Dr Ahmed Sajjad**, Renowned Urdu Writer, Former Dean, Faculty of Humanities, Ranchi University and **chief guest** highlighted the need for education which can inculcate values among the students as it is critical for success and happiness.

Dr. K K Nag, Dr AA Khan, Members of Board of Governors of the university (Former VC of RU) also spoke on the occasion. A vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. B M Singh, the Registrar of the University, who assured the speakers that all employees of the University have rededicated themselves to live up to the aspirations and values of late Yasaswy.

The programme was attended by luminaries, visitors, academicians, faculty, Staff & Officials, Alumni and students of the University.