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International Day of Persons with Disability Uniquely Observed at Tezpur University

The “International Day of Persons with Disability” was uniquely observed at Tezpur University on December 3, 2014 at 5 pm in the Council Hall. Continuing with its inclusive gesture towards persons with disabilities, the University has transcribed its brochure “*Tezpur University At A Glance*” into the Braille version which was released by Prof. Amarjyoti Choudhury, Pro Vice Chancellor of the University. While the function witnessed an enthusiastic attendance of students, faculty and administrative staff members, Ms. Manu Bezbaruah, a visually disabled student of Tezpur was felicitated and a copy of the Brochure was presented.



Addressing the gathering, Prof. Amarjyoti Choudhury encouraged the persons with disabilities by calling them equal members of the society who can also contribute

equally towards national growth with appropriate technological support. Dr. Biren Das, Registrar of the University enumerated the objectives of observing the International Day of Persons with Disabilities while Dr. Rajeev Doley, Head of the Centre for Inclusive Development explained its theme for the year 2014, i.e., “Sustainable development : the promise of technology”. Participating in the function, renowned scientist Prof. Rajpal S. Sirohi lamented that the facilities currently available for persons with disabilities are not sufficient and called for higher technological support so such persons can feel various worldly things. Copies of the Braille version of the brochure were also presented to the Central Library of the University for a wider use.

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