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Myanmar and Tezpur University Initiate academic Collaborations

A team from Myanmar led by the Chief Ministers of Sagaing Region and Kachin State accompanied by Indian Ambassador to Myanmar Shri Gautam Mukhapadhyay and other officials visited Tezpur University on December 4, 2014. A meeting was held in the Board Room of the University to welcome the guests and to explore the possibilities of collaboration between Tezpur University and Myanmar. On behalf of Tezpur University, Dr. Biren Das, Registrar, welcomed the dignitaries. Prof. Amarjyoti Choudhury, Pro Vice Chancellor, made a presentation on the academic programmes and facilities available at Tezpur University while Dr. Rajeev Doley, Head of the Centre for Inclusive Development, showed the physical infrastructure in a virtual tour of the campus.



Appreciating the infrastructure of Tezpur University, both the Myanmar Chief Ministers in their speeches expressed their willingness to go into collaborations with the University in various fields, such as harnessing the forest and water resources, English teaching, computer application, food processing technology, etc. U Lajon Ngan Sai said that till now Myanmar students have been going to countries like the USA, UK, Singapore, Australia and China to receive higher and technical education. With the proposed collaborations, the North-East India would be a much nearer destination for such students.

Indian Ambassador to Myanmar Shri Gautam Mukhapadhyay expressed his happiness to accompany the team to various educational institutions of the region for initiating multilevel collaborative activities which will be beneficial to both sides.

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