

Speech of Hon'ble Governor on the occasion of Foundation Day of IIM, Ranchi on 15th December, 2017.

Chairman of the Board of Governors of I.I.M., Ranchi, Mr Praveen Shankar Pandya, Director, Prof. Shailendra Singh, Members of the Board, Members of Press and Media, dignitaries, faculties and students.

It gives me a great pleasure to be present on the occasion of the 9th Foundation Day celebration of IIM Ranchi. This is a very prestigious Management Institute in our state of Jharkhand. I understand, IIM Ranchi has established itself as one of the most innovative IIMs amongst the new IIMs. Having a vast pool of academicians and bright students, this institute will grow from strength to strength. In this fast growing competitive world, it is essential to cultivate a winning spirit besides developing the right skills to sustain and grow in any organization. We also need to guide students in developing the right values and attitudes which will help them to sail through at the time of turbulence in this fast changing world.

As a flag bearer of IIM Ranchi, each one of you should ensure that you uphold the ideals of this institute and also demonstrate in your actions. This will help in attracting more organizations and entrepreneurs to our state.

You should aim to demonstrate leadership qualities and work in an ethical and transparent manner at every stage of your career and life. Your success on the job should not only be how much wealth you create for yourself but also how much you contribute towards the growth of the

underprivileged people in the society. If each one of you help at least one such person in the society, it will make a lot of difference to his life.

Our Government has launched a lot of new initiatives like Skill India, Make in India and Digital India. I look forward to your engagement in such initiatives to take our country forward.

I once again extend to you my best wishes on your foundation day.

Jai Hind! Jai Jharkhand!