

Event Report

Introductory cum Inaugural Lecture of the Mandatory Value-Added Course “राष्ट्र बोध”

Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University, Dehradun

Date: 23 December 2025

1. Background and Context

Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University (RBBSU), Dehradun, in pursuance of its commitment to **holistic, value-oriented, and nation-centric education**, introduced a mandatory value-added course titled “राष्ट्र बोध” for all faculties from the Academic Session 2025–26.

The course has been conceptualized in consonance with the **National Education Policy (NEP) 2020**, which emphasizes Indian knowledge systems, ethical values, constitutional morality, and civic responsibility as integral components of higher education. The Introductory-cum-Inaugural Lecture held on 23 December 2025 marked the **formal academic launch** of this initiative.

2. Event Overview

- **Event Title:** Introductory-cum-Inaugural Lecture on “राष्ट्र बोध”
- **Date:** 23 December 2025
- **Time:** 02:00 PM onwards
- **Venue:** Lecture Theatre, Lal Bahadur Shastri Lokpriya Hospital, University Main (KS) Campus
- **Theme:** National Reality, National Awareness, and Civic Responsibility
- **Nature of Event:** Academic, cultural, and value-orientation programme

The program was conducted in a **solemn, disciplined, and patriotic atmosphere**, befitting the national character of the course.

3. Ceremonial Proceedings

The programme commenced at 2:00 PM with the formal welcome of distinguished guests and dignitaries:

- The Hon’ble Chief Guest, **Dr. Devendra Bhaseen**, Vice Chairman, Uttarakhand State Higher Education Promotion Committee, Government of Uttarakhand, was ceremonially felicitated with a **shawl and a sapling**, symbolizing respect, sustainability, and growth.
- This was followed by the **lighting of the ceremonial lamp**, signifying the illumination of knowledge.
- A **floral tribute to Mother India** was offered, reinforcing national reverence.
- Students of the Nursing Faculty presented a soulful rendition of “**Vande Mataram**”, which deeply resonated with the audience and set a tone of patriotism and collective responsibility.

4. Participation and Attendance

The event witnessed **wide and diverse participation**, reflecting the interdisciplinary outreach of the University:

- Over 400 students from various undergraduate and postgraduate programmes
- Teaching faculty from medical and non-medical disciplines
- Non-teaching and administrative staff
- Doctors and healthcare professionals from Lal Bahadur Shastri Lokpriya Hospital and allied institutions
- University officials and invited dignitaries

The presence of such a diverse academic and professional audience demonstrated RBBSU's integrated approach to instilling *Rashtra Bodh* across education, healthcare, and administration.

5. Key Addresses and Academic Contributions

5.1 Address by Dr. Atul Krishna

**President, Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University
Founder & President, MTV Buddhist Religious and Charitable Trust**

Dr. Atul Krishna delivered the **foundational address**, articulating the vision, philosophy, and academic objectives of “राष्ट्र बोध”. He highlighted:

- The NEP 2020 envisages an education system rooted in Indian values, aimed at developing India into an **egalitarian, inclusive, and knowledge-based global leader**.
- RBBSU has resolved to implement *Rashtra Bodh* as a **compulsory value-added curriculum** across all faculties from the 2025–26 academic session.
- The course aims to foster **character building, constitutional awareness, ethical conduct, and civic duty**, especially among the youth.
- Universities have a responsibility to prepare students not only as professionals, but as **conscious, disciplined, and committed citizens of India**.

5.2 Address by the Acting Vice-Chancellor and Registrar

- **Prof. (Dr.) Pradeep Kumar Sharma**, Acting Vice-Chancellor, RBBSU
- **Mr. Khalid Hasan**, Registrar, RBBSU

Both dignitaries described the introduction of *Rashtra Bodh* as a **transformative step towards holistic education**, emphasizing that **academic excellence must be complemented by ethical values, national consciousness, and social sensitivity**.

5.3 Ideological Perspective

Major General (Dr.) G. K. Thapliyal, Director General, MTV Buddhist Religious and Charitable Trust, He elaborated on the **ideological and philosophical foundations** of *Rashtra Bodh*, stressing its relevance in contemporary times marked by rapid social change. He underscored the role of such courses in **strengthening national unity, discipline, and moral responsibility**.

5.4 Inaugural Academic Lecture

Dr. Rita Tiwari, Dean, Faculty of Fine Arts & Fashion Design

Dr. Tiwari delivered a comprehensive lecture on राष्ट्र बोध, presenting **national consciousness through the lens of Indian art, culture, and traditional values**. Her lecture demonstrated how **cultural expression, aesthetics, and heritage** play a crucial role in shaping national identity and social harmony.

5.5 PROGRAM SHEDULE



(Sanskriti Vibhag)

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PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Introductory-cum-Inaugural Lecture on "राष्ट्र बोध"


Date: 23rd December 2025

Venue: Lecture Theatre, Lal Bahadur Shastri Lokpriya Hospital,
University Main (KS) Campus

Start Time: 02:00 PM

| Time | Programme |
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| 02:00 – 02:05 PM | Welcome of the Dignitaries |
| 02:05 – 02:10 PM | Welcome of the Hon'ble Chief Guest, Dr. Devendra Bhaseen , Hon'ble Minister of State, Govt. of Uttarakhand, by the President, MTV Buddhist Religious and Charitable Trust & Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University (<i>Felicitation with Shawl and Planter</i>) |
| 02:10 – 02:15 PM | Lighting of the Lamp & Pushpanjali to Bharat Mata (<i>with background music</i>) |
| 02:15 – 02:20 PM | Vande Mataram by the students of the Faculty of Nursing |
| 02:20 – 02:25 PM | Introduction of the Visionary Dr. Atul Krishna , President, MTV Buddhist Religious and Charitable Trust & Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University, by Major General (Dr) G. K. Thapliyal , Director General, MTV Buddhist Religious and Charitable Trust |
| 02:25 – 02:30 PM | Introduction to Rashtra Bodh by Dr. Atul Krishna , President, MTV Buddhist Religious and Charitable Trust & Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University |
| 02:30 – 02:45 PM | Inaugural Lecture on Rashtra Bodh by Dr. Rita Tewari , Dean, Faculty of Fine Arts & Fashion Design |
| 02:45PM – 02:50PM | Introduction of the Hon'ble Chief Guest Dr. Devendra Bhaseen , Hon'ble Minister of State, Govt. of Uttarakhand, by Dr. Rajesh Tewari , Head, Department of Sanskriti Vibhag |
| 02:50PM onwards | Speech of Dr. Devendra Bhaseen , Hon'ble Minister of State, Govt. of Uttarakhand |
| After Speech of Chef Guest | Vote of Thanks by Dr. Jiwan Asha Chandra , Director, LBSLH & Beehive Hospital |
| After completion of inaugural program | Continuing of Lecture on Rashtra Bodh by Dr. Rita Tewari , Dean, Faculty of Fine Arts & Fashion Design |

Anchoring:- Mr. Raman Krishna Kimothi (Member, Department of Sanskriti Vibhag)


(Dr.) Rajesh Tewari
Head of the Department,
Department of Sanskriti

5.6 EVENTS GLIMPSE





5.7 MEDIA COVERAGE

Subharti University pledges to prioritize Nation Awareness in Education, announces mandatory course for all students

Dehradun, Dec 23 (HTNS) : A grand inaugural lecture on "Nation Awareness" was organized at the university's main (KS) campus in Dehradun on December 23. The event began with the welcome of esteemed guests. The Chief Guest, Dr. Devendra Bhasin, Vice President of the Uttarakhand State Higher Education Promotion Committee (Uttarakhand Government), was honored with a shawl and a plant.

The event was followed by the lighting of lamp, offering of flowers to Bharat Mata, and a soulful presentation of "Vande Mataram" by students of the Faculty of Nursing, which filled the event with national spirit.

Addressing the gathering,

Dr. Anil Krishna, President of the university, clearly stated that the National Education Policy-2020 envisions education based on India-centric values that create not just degree holders but responsible citizens. He announced that the university will implement "Nation Awareness" as a compulsory value-added course across all faculties and subjects from the academic session 2025-26.

He emphasized, "Nation Awareness is not just a curriculum but a laboratory for character building, where constitutional values, civic duties, and social responsibility are nurtured together. This education will make India an equi-



table, vibrant, and knowledge-based global power."

During the program, Dr. G.K. Thapliyal, Director General of MTV Buddhist and Charitable Trust, shed light on the conceptual background of "Nation Awareness". This was followed by Dr. Rita Tiwari, Dean of the Faculty of Fine Arts and Fashion Design, who

delivered the inaugural lecture, effectively presenting national consciousness through Indian art, culture, and life values.

Dr. Rajesh Tiwari, Head of the Department of Culture, presented the formal outline of the program, introducing "Nation Awareness" and the department, and formally introducing the Chief Guest.

In his address, Chief Guest Dr. Devendra Bhasin stated that education, culture, and youth are the foundation of nation-building, and termed "Nation Awareness" as a necessary demand of the time.

The event was attended by many dignitaries, including Balwant Bohra and Ravindra Kumar Saini, adding to the

grandeur of the occasion.

The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Jeevan Ansh Chandra, Director of LRSHI and Bhojive Hospitals.

After the inaugural session, Dr. Rita Tiwari continued with a lecture on "Nation Awareness". The program was conducted by Raman Krishna Kamthi, member of the Department of Culture.

The event was attended by university officials, teachers, students, and a large number of esteemed guests. The occasion conveyed the message that Subharti University is committed to placing nation-centric education at the core of its academic framework.

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2025-26 से सभी संकायों में अनिवार्य मूल्यवर्धित पाठ्यक्रम लागू

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देहरादून, रास बिहारी बोस सुभारती विश्वविद्यालय में 'राष्ट्र बोध' विषय पर परिषदात्मक-सह-उद्घाटन व्याख्यान का भाग आंशिक 23 दिसम्बर 2025 को रास बिहारी बोस सुभारती विश्वविद्यालय के मुख्य (KS) परिसर के व्याख्यान थिएटर में गरिमायुक्त वातावरण में सम्पन्न हुआ। कार्यक्रम का शुभारंभ अपराह्न 02:00 बजे गरिमायुक्त अतिथियों के स्वागत के साथ हुआ। माननीय मुख्य अतिथि डॉ. देवेन्द्र भस्मिन, उपमुख्य-उत्तराखण्ड राज्य उच्च शिक्षा प्रोत्साहन समिति (उत्तराखण्ड सरकार) का शौल एवं पोषा मंत्र कर अभिनन्दन किया गया। इसके पश्चात दीप ज्वलन, भारत माता की प्रणामार्पण तथा महीन सकार की प्रायोजकों द्वारा 'ये भारत' की भावपूर्ण प्रस्तुति ने आयोजन को राष्ट्रभाव से ओत-प्रोत बन दिया। कार्यक्रम को संबोधित करते हुए विश्वविद्यालय के अध्यक्ष डॉ. अजय कुमार ने स्पष्ट भावों में कहा कि राष्ट्रीय

शिक्षा नीति-2020 भारत-केंद्रित मूल्यों पर आधारित ऐसी शिक्षा की परिकल्पना करती है जो केवल डिग्री नहीं, बल्कि जिम्मेदार नागरिक तैयार करे। उन्होंने घोषणा की कि विश्वविद्यालय शैक्षणिक सत्र 2025-26 से 'राष्ट्र बोध' को सभी संकायों एवं विषयों में अनिवार्य मूल्यवर्धित पाठ्यक्रम के रूप में लागू कर रहा है। उन्होंने जोर देकर कहा, 'राष्ट्र बोध'। केवल पाठ्यक्रम नहीं, चरित्र निर्माण की प्रक्रिया है-जहाँ सैद्धांतिक मूल्य, नागरिक कर्तव्य और सामाजिक उत्तरदायित्व एक साथ आकार लेते हैं।



के कार्यवाहक कुलपति प्रो. डॉ. प्रदीप कुमार शर्मा एवं रजिस्ट्रार श्री खालिद हसन की गरिमामयी उपस्थिति रही। दोनों ने इस पहल को विद्यार्थियों के सर्वांगीण विकास तथा राष्ट्र निर्माण की दिशा में निर्णायक कदम बताया। कार्यक्रम में डॉ. जी. के. थपलियाल, मानविकी विभाग की अध्यक्ष एवं परीक्षा केंद्र 'राष्ट्र बोध' की वैचारिक पुनर्निर्माण पर प्रकाश डाला।

इसके उपरांत डॉ. रीता तिवारी, टीन-कैल्कटी और फाइन आर्ट्स एंड फैशन डिजाइन ने उद्घाटन व्याख्यान

संस्कृति और युवाओं को राष्ट्र निर्माण की आधारशिला बनाते हुए 'राष्ट्र बोध' जैसे पाठ्यक्रम को समय की अनिवार्य मांग करार दिया। कार्यक्रम में श्री बलवंत बोहरा एवं श्री रविंद्र कुमार सैनी सहित अनेक गरिमायुक्त व्यक्तियों की उपस्थिति रही, जिससे आयोजन की गरिमा और बढ़ी। समापन अवसर पर डॉ. जीवन आशा चंद्रा, निदेशक-एलबीएसएलएच एवं बीहाइव अस्पताल ने धन्यवाद ज्ञापन प्रस्तुत किया। उद्घाटन सत्र के पश्चात डॉ. रीता तिवारी द्वारा 'राष्ट्र बोध' पर व्याख्यान का क्रम आगे बढ़ाया गया। कार्यक्रम का संचालन श्री रमण कुमार किन्नी, सदस्य-संस्कृति विभाग द्वारा किया गया। इस अवसर पर विश्वविद्यालय के अधिकाधिक शिक्षक, विद्यार्थी तथा बड़ी संख्या में गरिमायुक्त श्रेणियाँ उपस्थित रहे। आयोजन ने स्पष्ट संदेश दिया कि सुभारती विश्वविद्यालय राष्ट्र-केंद्रित शिक्षा को आकांक्षित ढांचे के अंतर्गत स्थापित करने के लिए प्रतिबद्ध है।

राष्ट्र बोध विषय पर कार्यक्रम आयोजित

देहरादून। रास बिहारी बोस सुभारती विश्वविद्यालय में राष्ट्र बोध विषय पर कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। इसमें उत्तराखण्ड राज्य उच्च शिक्षा प्रोत्साहन समिति के उपाध्यक्ष डॉ. देवेन्द्र भस्मिन ने मुख्य अतिथि के तौर पर शिरकत की। विवि के अध्यक्ष डॉ. अतुल कृष्ण ने कहा कि राष्ट्रीय शिक्षा नीति-2020 भारत-केंद्रित मूल्यों पर आधारित ऐसी शिक्षा की परिकल्पना करती है, जो केवल डिग्री नहीं, बल्कि जिम्मेदार नागरिक तैयार करे। घोषणा करते हुए उन्होंने बताया कि विवि शैक्षणिक सत्र 2025-26 से राष्ट्र बोध को सभी संकायों व विषयों में अनिवार्य मूल्यवर्धित पाठ्यक्रम के रूप में लागू कर रहा है। राष्ट्र बोध केवल पाठ्यक्रम नहीं, चरित्र निर्माण की प्रयोगशाला है। इस अवसर पर विवि के कार्यवाहक कुलपति प्रो. डॉ. प्रदीप कुमार शर्मा, रजिस्ट्रार खालिद हसन, डॉ. जीके थपलियाल, डॉ. रीता तिवारी, डॉ. राजेश तिवारी, बलवंत बोहरा, रविंद्र कुमार सैनी आदि मौजूद रहे। मा.सि.रि.

6. Address by the Hon'ble Chief Guest

Dr. Devendra Bhaseen, Vice Chairman, Uttarakhand State Higher Education Promotion Committee, Government of Uttarakhand

In his address, Dr. Bhaseen emphasized that **education, culture, and youth are the foundational pillars of nation-building**. He described a curriculum like *Rashtra Bodh* as a **necessity of the present time**, especially for equipping young citizens with awareness of **constitutional values, social duties, and national priorities**.

7. Institutional Coordination and Management

- **Dr. Rajesh Tiwari**, Head, Department of Culture, formally introduced the Chief Guest and provided an overview of the Department of *Rashtra Bodh* and Culture.
- **Dr. Jeevan Asha Chandra**, Director, LBSLH & Beehive Hospital, delivered the vote of thanks.
- **Mr. Raman Krishna Kimothi**, Member, Department of Culture, efficiently moderated the program.
- Distinguished dignitaries such as **Mr. Balwant Bohra** and **Mr. Ravindra Kumar Saini** enhanced the prestige of the occasion.
- Deans, Principals, Heads of Institutions, and Heads of Departments ensured smooth coordination and disciplined participation.

8. Outcomes and Significance

The Introductory-cum-Inaugural Lecture successfully:

- Formally launched the mandatory "**राष्ट्र बोध**" course for the 2025–26 academic session
- Oriented over 400 students, faculty members, non-teaching staff, and doctors to the **philosophy and objectives** of the course
- Reinforced awareness of **Indian values, constitutional ethics, civic duties, and national identity**
- Established a strong **academic, moral, and motivational foundation** for effective implementation throughout the academic year

9. Conclusion

The Introductory-cum-Inaugural Lecture held on **23 December 2025** stands as a **landmark academic and cultural event** in the history of Ras Bihari Bose Subharti University.

The dignified proceedings, visionary leadership, and enthusiastic participation of students, teachers, non-teaching staff, medical professionals, and eminent dignitaries collectively reflect the University's **dedication to nation-centric and value-based education**.

This initiative aligns closely with the educational vision of the **Hon'ble Prime Minister of India** and contributes meaningfully to nurturing **ethically grounded, socially responsible, and nationally conscious citizens** during India's Amrit Kaal.

Submitted with due respect,

Dr. Rajesh Tiwari

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