



**National Science
Week**



INNOVATION FESTIVAL

February 26 - 28, 2024

Theme:

Indigenous Technologies for Viksit Bharat

Day 1: - Innovation Festival

Date: 26th February 2024

S. No.	Name of Session	Speaker/ Topic	Venue/ Time
Arrival of Guest			
			10.30 a.m.
1.	Welcome Address	Dr D. P. Uniyal, Joint Director, UCOST	10.30-10.40 a.m.
2.	Presidential Address	Prof. Durgesh Pant, Director General, UCOST	10.40-10.50 a.m.
3.	About the Program	Shri G. S. Rautela, Former Director- National Council of Science Museum (Gol), Advisor Science City, Dehradun	10.50-11.00 a.m.
4.	NASI Plenary Lecture	Chief Guest- Prof. S. P. Singh, Former VC, HNBSGU, Uttarakhand	11.00-11.20 a.m.
5.	Expert Lecture	Guest of Honour, Dr Kalachand Sen, Director, Wadia Institute of Himalayan Geology, Dehradun	11.20-11.40 a.m.
6.	Vote of Thanks	Dr Piyush Joshi, Senior Scientific Officer, In-charge RSC	11.40-11.45 a.m.
Tea Break (11.45-12.00 p.m.)			
7.	Inauguration of Exhibition of Innovators/ Demonstration of Innovative Ideas		12.00 p.m
8.	Meet the Experts	Innovations and Start-up- panel discussion 1 1. Dr Nitin Maurya, Head NIF, Uttarakhand, India 2. Prof Akshay Dvivedi, Dean, SRIC, IIT, Roorkee Coordinator- Dr D. P. Uniyal, Joint Director, UCOST	12.15-1.30 p.m. (RSC Auditorium)
Lunch (1.30-2.30 p.m.)			
9.	Popular Lecture	Inspiring Innovations Lecture by- Shri G. S. Rautela, Advisor Science City, Former DG, NCSM, Gol	2.30-3.00 p.m. (RSC Auditorium)
10.	Lecture	Lecture by- Advocate Shri Lalit Joshi and Ms Sonal Kaushal Gupta on Say no to Drugs, yes to Science, Technology and Innovation Coordinator- Dr Ashutosh Mishra, Senior Scientific Officer, UCOST	3.00 - 3.30 p.m. (RSC Auditorium)
11.	Problem solving contest/ Quiz	For school students (contest on various mathematical problems and their possible solution) Coordinator- Shri GS Rautela, Saurav Chamoli, /Dr Poonam Gupta and Ms Jagriti Uniyal	3.30 pm - 5.00 pm (RSC Auditorium)
12.	Workshops (Parallel sessions)	Artificial Intelligence: AI Lab (Coordinator- Mr Siddhant Uniyal) Robotics: Innovation Hub (Coordinator- Ms Sonia Bhandari) Creativity: Chemistry Lab (Coordinator- Shri Nitin Kapil)	3.30 pm - 5.00 pm

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Day 2: Innovation Festival

Date: 27th February 2024

S. No.	Name of Session	Speaker/ Topic	Venue/ Time
1.	Meet the Expert: Start-up and Entrepreneurship development	Innovations and Start-up - panel discussion 2 1. Expert 1- Shri Parwal Pratap Singh, MD Innovator Dehradun 2. Expert- 2- Shri Arvind Gupta, CEO, ASI Network 3. Expert- 3- Prof. Amit Kumar, Proje Director, Devbhoomi Udyamita Yojna (DUY), Dehradun <i>Coordinator-Dr Piyush Joshi, Senior Scientific Officer & In-charge RSC</i>	10.30 - 11.30 a.m. (RSC Auditorium)
Tea Break (11.30 to 11.45 a.m.)			
Exhibition of Innovators/ Demonstration of Innovative Ideas			
2.	Workshops (Parallel sessions)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intellectual Property Rights- Shri Himanshu Goyal, UCOST (RSC Auditorium) Creativity Workshop (Chemistry Exhibition Hall) <i>Coordinator- Shri Nitin Kapil, Shri Pankaj Thapliyal</i>	11.45 - 12.30 p.m.
3.	Idea Contest	Poster presentation <i>Coordinator- Shri G. S. Rautela, , Ms Kanchan Dobhal, UCOST</i>	12.30 p.m. - 1.00 p.m. (RSC Auditorium)
4.	Science Demonstration Lecture (SDL)	Shri G. S. Rautela, Shri Ankit Kandiyal	1.00 p.m. – 1.30 p.m. (RSC Auditorium)
Lunch (1.30-2.30 p.m.)			
5.	Innovation Presentation	Innovators with their Products/ Processes/ Ideas <i>Coordinator-Dr Piyush Joshi , Shri Pankaj Rawat</i>	2.30 p.m. -3.30 p.m. (Innovation Hub)
6.	Science Drama	School/ College students <i>Coordinators- Dr Poonam Gupta, Kanchan Dobhal, UCOST</i>	3.30 p.m. - 5.00 p.m. (RSC Auditorium)

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Day:3 National Science Day Celebration and Valedictory Function of Innovation Festival
Date: 28th February, 2024

Science March by students on Public Awareness on Current Science and Technology Issues
(From Sudhowala Chowk to Vigyan Dham, Jhajra)

10.00 to 11.30 a.m.

Activities

**Time
(RSC Auditorium)**

1.	Arrival of Guest	12.15 p.m.
2.	National Anthem	12.15-12.16 p.m..
3.	Welcome of Dignitaries	12.16- 12.20 p.m.
4.	Welcome Address by Prof. Om Prakash Singh Negi, Patron-18 th USSTC, Vice Chancellor, Uttarakhand Open University, Haldwani	12.20-12.25 p.m.
5.	Address by Prof Durgesh Pant, Director General, UCOST	12.25-12.32 p.m.
6.	Screening of USSTC Video Clip	12.32-12.36 p.m.
7.	Award ceremony and Experience sharing by participants	12.36 - 12.56 p.m.
8.	Address by Chief Guest, Lt. General (Retd.) Shri Gurmit Singh, PVSM, UYSM, AVSM, Honourable Governor of Uttarakhand	12:56 -01:11 p.m.
9.	Vote of Thanks by Dr. DP Uniyal, , Joint Director, UCOST & Organizing Secretary, 18 th USSTC, UCOST	01:11-01:14 p.m.
10.	National Anthem	01:14-01:15 p.m.

Lunch

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