

**Inaugural Session of UGC-HRDC 21 Inter/Multidisciplinary Refresher Course on  
Teaching, Research and Assessment**

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The virtual inaugural function of the Inter/Multidisciplinary Refresher Course was organised by Department of Education, University of Allahabad and UGC-HRDC on the theme “on Teaching, Research and Assessment” on February 01, 2023. Prof. R. K. P. Singh, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor, Dr. Shakuntala Mishra National Rehabilitation University, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh was the Chief Guest. In his inaugural address, he emphasized the need for teachers to prepare themselves beforehand what they have to teach in class in order to be systematic in teaching. He said that teachers must encourage restriction of single use plastic and water conservation. Teachers need to manage teaching and research together. Guest of Honour of the Inaugural session was Prof. Ram Shankar, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor, Pt. S. N. Shukla University, Shahdol, M.P. In his inaugural address he highlighted the dream of NEP 2020 i.e Access, Equity and Inclusion. He focused on the ethical dimension of research in India and the importance of futurology in the field of education. He advised the teachers that base of teaching should be the research conducted in that particular area and that teachers should adopt analytical perspective. Prof. Ashish Saxena, Director, UGC HRDC delivered the welcome address pointing on online ethnography and increased involvement of ICT in the field of education. Prof. Dhananjai Yadav, Head, Department of Education welcomed the guests. The virtual session was conducted by the course coordinator Dr. Ruchi Dubey. Vote of thanks was given by Dr. Saroj Yadav. The refresher course includes 65 participants across India. Prof. K. S. Misra, Former VC, University of Allahabad and Dr. Patanjali Mishra were also present in the inaugural session..

