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FRI (DEEMED) UNIVERSITY DEHRADUN

Forest Research Institute (Deemed) University Dehradun inaugurated today i.e. 1st August, 2011 a new course of M.Sc. Cellulose & Paper Technology in the conference Hall of the University. The University was previously running a one year P.G. Diploma Course in Pulp & Paper Technology which has been discontinued. The course shall be run in collaboration with Central Pulp & Paper Research Institute, Saharanpur and is of two years duration. It is for students with Chemistry as one of the subject in B.Sc. Besides students of M.Sc. Cellulose & Paper Technology the various dignitaries who attended the inaugural function were Dr. R.M. Mathur, Director, CPPRI, Saharanpur, Dr. Vimlesh Bisht, Dr. Nitin Endlay, Dr. R.D. Godiyal, Dr. Vasandura Thakur, Scientists, CPPRI Saharanpur, Registrar FRI University, Dr. Salil Dhawan, Dr. Mridula Negi, Course Coordinators, FRI University and all heads of divisions FRI University. Chief Guest on the occasion was Dr. S.S. Negi IFS Director and Vice Chancellor, FRI University. Dr. R.K. Aima IFS Dean, FRI University presented the welcome address followed by addresses by Dr. Sanjay Naithani, Head, C & P Division, FRI and Dr. R.M. Mathur, Director, CPPRI, Saharanpur. The Chief Guest in his address said that this is a unique course where two National level institutions known for their research and industrial applications have collaborated to cater to the growing demands of Cellulose and Paper experts in paper industries. He further exhorted the students to take advantage of the expertise of FRI University as well as CPPRI Saharanpur to emerge as leaders in the field. Dr. S.P. Singh, Scientist and Course Coordinator of the course presented the vote of thanks.