

Vice Chancellor's Message on New Year - 2025



Dear Members of the UTU family,

Warm greetings and best wishes for a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year 2025 to you and your family.

As we embark on the new year after the completion of 2024, it is time to reminisce about and celebrate the remarkable achievements of the past year and acknowledge the collective efforts of the UTU community towards the goal of **excellence with accountability**. It is with great satisfaction that I witness the positive impact of the changes we have made to improve transparency and accountability in our academic procedures. These reforms not only fortify our processes but also elevate the perception of our university. The smooth functioning of all academic programs as per choice-based credit system, maintaining

the academic calendar, starting of new programs, capacity enhancement in existing programs, streamlined single window admissions, end-to-end digitalization comprising of affiliation, admission, enrolment, registration, attendance management, accountable examination conduction & management, on-screen evaluation, mandatory disclosure of evaluated answer books to students before results, stakeholder feedback system, etc. has been possible due to the wholehearted participation of all functionaries in UTU ecosystem. The overall impact of the transformations envisaged two years back has started fructifying in the form of a sustained increase in student enrolment compared to previous academic sessions.

Indisputably, moving forward with comprehensive student development while maintaining high academic and ethical standards is challenging. However, UTU's dedicated faculty and staff will help produce professionals with essential competencies and modern skills in communication, collaboration, creativity, and critical thinking. With quality-focused, accountable governance and academic systems in place, the institutions can create dynamic learning environments by 2025. Given current challenges, they must emphasize research and innovation culture, and endeavour for best teaching outcomes and excellence in the education system.

At the outset of 2025, I urge all the teachers, students, officers, alumni, parents, employers, and management to take keen interest in strengthening the value-based technical & professional education system incorporating futuristic requirements for the overall good of the society.

Let us unite in our pursuit of excellence with a strong emphasis on accountability and elevate the Veer Madho Singh Bhandari Uttarakhand Technical University to even greater heights in the year 2025.

With Best Wishes!

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