



“AI enabled Classes in General & Professional Programmes: The Transition”

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Programme Report

The five day training on “AI enabled Classes in General & Professional Programmes: The Transition” offered by the Academic & Administrative Development Centre (AADC), under the aegis of the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) and NGB(DU), Prayagraj, was inaugurated on Oct 13, 2025 in the presence of Prof Rohit Ramesh, Vice Chancellor, NGB; Dr S.C Tiwari, Pro Vice Chancellor, NGB; Dr Rajesh Keshewani, Organizing Sec.; Dr Sandeep Anand, Organizing Sec; and Dr Himanshu Tandon, Coordinator-AADC. The Chief Guest for this session was Prof. Rajeev Tripathi, Vice Chancellor, Rajeev Gandhi Prodyogiki Vishwavidyalaya, Bhopal (M.P.). Mrs Ranjana Parihar, Joint Sec. (AIU) also joined the session in the virtual mode. The session was also graced by the Founder Chancellor of NGB, Sri J.N. Misra; & the present Chancellor, Sri Manish Mishra.

Speaking on this occasion Prof Rajeev Tripathi highlighted the role of AI for modern University teachers, and appreciated this effort. He ignited the debate around the issues related to privacy and misuse of AI tools; and how it should not discourage the adoption of AI in HEIs. Mrs Parihar highlighted the role of the AIU for the Universities landscape in India and what the AIU plans on accomplishing through the establishment of the AADC in various Universities. Prof Rohit Ramesh, highlighted the emergence of new opportunities for teachers due to AI and how it can be harnessed.

Dr S.C Tiwari used anecdotal evidence to shed light on the the relationship between AI use and the users. Sri J.N. Misra blessed the efforts and expressed his satisfaction on the direction NGB was taking related to newer technologies, and tools. Sri Manish Mishra congratulated the organizing team, and hoped that many more such programmes would be floated under the banner this AAADC. Dr Himanshu Tandon, introduced the AADC at NGB, and its objectives. Dr Sandeep Anand introduced the five day programme. Dr Keshewani proposed the vote of thanks on the occasion. Dr Meet Tiwari, HoD (Geog) conducted the proceeding in the inaugural session. Deans, Directors, and HoDs from NGB attended the opening session, in person. The proceedings of the opening session was conducted in a hybrid mode.

The first session of the five day programme was handled by Dr Himanshu Tandon, NGB, wherein he introduced AI as a concept and discussed the perceptual standpoints about AI applications in Higher Education in both global and Indian contexts. He also discussed the current initiatives taken by the various HEIs.



The next session was handled by Prof. Anil Kr Singh, Dept. of Comp. Science Engg, MNNIT, Prayagraj who tailored his talk around the requirements of Faculty members in HEIs related to AI usage. His talk was interspread with relevant examples and emphasised the benefits arising out of AI in the space of higher Education.

Dr Sandeep Anand, NGB, talked about the role of AI esp. in domains of Social Sciences and Humanities. He addressed the potential benefits for the teachers of these domains when using AI in their classes. He cited current examples to help the participants get an insight into the contemporary settings.

Day two began with Dr Shanshank Srivastava, Dept. of Comp. Science Engg, MNNIT, Prayagraj who talked about the use of AI in Research work. He introduced and demonstrated the use of multiple tools to the participants. He also spelled out the limitations of each of the tools he talked about. He took questions, and prompts from the audience, and made the talk highly interactive.

Dr Rajesh Keshewani, NGB took the next session and focused on multiple tools useful for teachers in higher education, He was thorough in covering a couple of different usage and applications and showcased these tools with precise benefits and limitations. He took questions and set aside doubts in his session.

Dr Rajesh Tiwari, NGB took the next session on 'the mixing of Philosophy and AI' and generated considerable discussion from the participants. His talk was both informative and interactive.

The session on 'AI and its applications in History, Tourism and Linguistics' was handled by Dr Upendra Kumar, Dept. of Comp. Science Engg, IET, Lucknow. He talked at length on applications in these identified domains, with actual examples and gave the participants enough stimulus to raise multiple queries.

Mr Tuhinanshu Mishra, NGB handled the next session on AI's application in applied science, and went on to share his thoughts on the applications, and also on his own related research work and its possible rollout in the next semester.

Prof Rohit Ramesh NGB, handled the first session on AI's use in applied domains like management and law and talked extensively on the possible incorporation of AI in these areas, his talk was interspread with numerous examples, and evoked many questions/comments from the participants. He highlighted the newer areas of legal writing assistance etc for legal education.

Dr Rakesh Srivastava, Gatuam Buddha University, Noida took the session on AI in spotchecks and focused on applications in the area of Finance and Accounting. He used case studies to drive home his ideas on the subject.

Dr Rajesh Keserwani, NGB handled a session on AI in healthcare and shared with the participants his own research and publications in this area. His talk was well received by the audience.

The last Day opened with a session by Prof Rohit Ramesh. The theme was 'Is AI dumbing us?'- the session evoked considerable debate as a number of participants leaned into the discussions. The session moved from AI to philosophy and back.

Dr S. Anand, NGB handled the last session on ethics in AI use and gave us a fair idea into the contentious areas and current debate surrounding it.

The Validatory session was chaired by the Prof Rohit Ramesh, Vice Chancellor, NGB. The session was graced by the Dr S.C. Tiwari, Pro Vice Chancellor as well. The Dr Himanshu



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Tandon, Coordinator-AADC read out the report on the deliberations of the five days of the programme. And the feedback was taken from the participants in both offline, online, and through a structured questionnaire form. The Session saw the distribution of Certificates to the participants. Dr Rajesh Keshewani, Organizing Secretary conducted the proceedings and Mr S.S. Mishra, Registrar, NGB, proposed the Vote of Thanks on the occasion. The session was conducted in an informal setting with free flowing comments/suggestions coming in from the participants, inhouse guests (namely Deans/Directors etc) and the online participants.

The informal setting was planned to bring about greater interaction and build a sense of camaraderie amongst the participants. It was decided that the AADC would be sharing the reading materials in the Programme group, in order to facilitate referencing, at a later date. The programme ended with a high tea.

We had 60 seats for this programme and 58 participants took part in it representing 11 institutions in all. Position/Designation wise there were 08 full Professors, 15 Associate Professors, and the rest were Asst Professors.

We are thankful to the AIU for providing us the opportunity to offer this programme and all our Speakers, for having accepted our requests and giving insightful talks. Moreover, thanks are due to the participants, who chose to go with us on a five day journey on this theme. Thanks are also due to the technical team at NGB for having supported the execution of this five day event.
