

Activity Report

Name of the conference/workshop

PMAY-G Rural Mason Training Program

Objective of the programme:

To upgrade the skills in rural areas

Faculty Coordinator: Prof. Dillip Kumar Bera

Resource Person:

N. P. Das, Director General, KIIT; Prof. Dillip Bera, School of Civil Engineering; Mr. Soumendra Choudhury, Director, Skill; Mr. Debendra Samal and Mr. Iswar Nayak, Dy. Directors, KISS

Duration: 1 day

Schedule/Programme: 27th January 2021

Summary:

One of the major initiatives of Government of Odisha is to ensure 'Skill Development of Rural Masons' through a formal mechanism of training, assessment and certification to improve quality of construction and provide avenues for career Progression. This is to be regarded as Part of the strategy for upgrading skills in rural areas.

Panchayati Raj & Drinking Water Dept., Govt of Odisha and ORMAS have given a target of 4440 nos. to KIIT-DU to train Rural Masons both in Kandhamal & Boudh Districts. Under the direct supervision of Prof. Dillip Kumar Bera, Project Manager, RHMTTP, mason training was conducted across all blocks of Kandhamal & Boudh Districts. Er. Laxmikant Jena, Project coordinator, co-ordinated the day-to-day activities of this programme.

Prof. Achyuta Samanta Hon'ble M.P. (Lok Sabha), Kandhamal & Founder, KIIT & KISS. distributed toolkits to those masons who have completed training on 27th January forenoon in Khajuripada Block, Kandhamal District & in the afternoon of the same day in Harbhanga Bock, Boudh District.



Full Name of Faculty Coordinator: Dillip Kumar Bera

Date: 2.2.2021



