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Programme in Brief

Srusti Academy of Management organized International Youth Day-2020 in association with Youth Red Cross and Red Ribbon Club on 12.08.2020 by organizing an online conference on the topic "Role of Youth in Covid19 Pandemic". The programme was held in Google meet web platform. Dr. Sushanta Kumar Das, Principal Srusti Academy of Management inaugurated the webinar and in his welcome address highlighted the role of youth in national building. **Prof.** Major(Dr.) Kalpana Das, Treasurer, IRCS, Odisha State Branch addressed in the webinar on the subject role of youth towards needy people during this covid19 pandemic. She cited the life of Swami Vivekananda and some of his sayings to highlight on the importance of youth and the way he should present and conduct himself in the society. **Dr. Ajaya Kumar Tripathy**, Youth

Red Cross Officer, Indian Red Cross Society, Odisha, spoke on the responsibility of youth towards international peace. He told to get international peace, each should bring national peace and prosperity. If each nation is in peace the whole world will be in peace. He said the term nation building or national development is usually used to refer to a constructive process of engaging all citizens in building social cohesion, economic prosperity and political stability in a nation in an inclusive and democratic way. Going by the definition, it is seen that all citizens are to be involved in building or developing a nation. Thus, the involvement of youth in national development is a must. In fact, youths play one of the most important roles in nation building. Youth are not only the leaders of tomorrow, but also the partners of today. Dr. Sadhana Satpathy, Reader in Economics, B.J.B. College and Conveyor Secretary, Youth Red Cross Bhubaneswar Region said that Young people are social actors of change and progress. They are a crucial segment of a nation's development. Their contribution, therefore, is highly needed. Swami Sadananda Saraswati, Head Chinmaya Mission, Odisha, in his address emphasized the responsibility of youth toward their parents during this Covid19 pandemic situation in the world. During this crises time parents required greater care and attention from youth. So each youth must feel it and must show greater sensitivity towards the parents as he emphasied in his talk. Dr. Sushil Kumar Patnaik, Head, Dept. of Music, Ramadevi Womens University and Co-Ordinator, Bhubaneswar Region, YRC, Odisha in his address in the webinar expressed his views on benefits of practicing yoga regularly on the mental and physical well being of youth. The programme was ended with a vote of thanks by Prof. Parshuram Mishra, YRC Counselor of the Institute. More than hundred fifty participants from around two institutes/colleges/Universities participated in the programme.
