

**THE INDIAN INSTITUTE OF METALS, KOLKATA CHAPTER
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Report of Chapter activities for the period from 01-04-2015 to 31-03-2016

Dear Members,

I welcome you all to the 50th Annual General Meeting of the Kolkata Chapter of IIM. I have the pleasure in presenting the Annual Report of the Chapter for the year 2015-2016.

1. The 49th AGM was held on 22nd May, 2015.
2. A full day Quiz Contest of Indian Institute of Metals – Kolkata Chapter was arranged on 8th August, 2015, at Jadavpur University, Dept. of Metallurgy & Material Engg. participated by 11 Schools & 20 Teams.
3. We participated in the prestigious “Prof. Brahm Prakash Memorial Materials Quiz Contest” at Kalpakkam on September 19th, 2015 with two teams, from Hare School & 3 students from RKMV, Narendrapur who were the winners & Runners of IIM –Kolkata Chapter Quiz Contest. Our RKMV team could reach the Semi-final round of the event at Kalpakkam.
4. We arranged successfully a National Seminar on “ MAKE IN INDIA – CHALLENGES FOR INDIAN INDUSTRIES (Mining, Metal and Services) ” on 17th December, 2015 (Thursday) at Taj Bengal, Kolkata.. which was attended by top Indian Companies & Dignitaries.
5. National Workshop on "Advances in Corrosion Protection & NDT Techniques of Metals & Alloys" on 16th May, 2015 in the Conference Room of SMSNT, Jadavpur University.
6. Annual Get-together, we the IIM –Kolkata Chapter members arranged a picnic cum family Get together at Nal Ban Food Park, Salt Lake, Kolkata on 21st February, 2016 (Sunday) to celebrate the FOU DATATION DAY of The Indian Institute of Metals.
8. 4 Nos of General Technical Meetings were held in the evenings during the year as follows :
 - i) on 24-04-2015 - Dr.Ingit Mukherjee, former Director General, NCSM, India(National Council of Science Musiums) on “Non Formal Science Education”
 - ii) on 19-08-2015– Mr.R.N Parbat , Past President, I.I.M. and Management Consultant, Topic:- “On India’s Current Constrains For Higher Rate Of Economic Growth In Manufacturing Sector And Probable Solutions”
 - iii) on 20-11-2015 – Dr.A.L. Kundu, Ex. Director, LDC Institute of Technical Studies, Allahabad and Ex. DGM,SAIL Topic:- “Building Industry Academia Partnership—a novel means for growth of a Nation”.
 - iv) on 08-01-2016 – Dr.Ashim Kumar Roy, Engineering Consultant, Ex. G.M- D.S.P, SAIL & Vice-Chairman, I.I.M . Kolkata Chapter, Topic: “Innovation in Roll cooling for control of Flatness at Primary Cold Reduction”
9. 10 Nos of EC Meetings & AGM were held during this Financial Year 2015-2016.
10. Repairing works of our office building was done.
11. With all these activities, we could save a good amount to finance for our future activities.

The activities of your Chapter during the year are furnished in tabulated manner in the enclosure. Last not the least, I thank all my colleagues who assisted me to discharge my responsibilities as a Hony. Secretary of this Chapter successfully, during the year. I also thank our Chapter Chairman and our Vice-Chairmen, as without their guidance and support I could not discharge my duty successfully. I also thanks Jadavpur University for extending there support to organized events at university campus. My thanks to HQ for their timely guidance & support.

We look forward for your active participation, continued support and suggestions for further improvements of our chapter activities. Our chapter membership has increased to 474 from 443 nos. With our efforts we could able to record the contact nos of only 200 members. I would request all members to intimate in sending the address & Ph no at the earliest to serve them better.

S K Basu, Honorary Secretary