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PANELISTS deliberated on solutions to the roadblocks in achieving demographic dividend and making rural youth more productive during a discussion on 'Achieving aspirations of rural youth - Challenges and avenues'.

The panel discussion, organised by Bansidhar and Ila Panda Foundation (BIPF) in partnership with FICCI, Odisha, here on Thursday was curated by 'Ideate'. President and CEO of Centre for Policy Research in New Delhi, Yamini Aiyar was the keynote speaker.

The other panelists included group president (HR) of Reliance Industries limited, Bijay Sahoo; senior, vice president of TeamLease Services limited, Neeti Sharma; Research Professor at Xavier Institute of Management-Bhubaneswar, Fakir Mohan Sahoo and founder of International Public School for Rural Innovation, Odisha, Anil Pradhan. Speaking on the occasion, CEO of BIPF, Shaifalika Panda emphasised on the importance of understanding the ambitions of rural youth and said, "India's ability to harness the potential of its demographic dividend will decide its future."

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BHUBANESWAR, 21 NOVEMBER:

Aspiration of Rural Youth is rising beyond the rural hinterlands. They are willing to get educated, develop skills and compete with anybody else in the world. They just need a supporting hand from government, industry and society, said Bijay Sahoo, president (HR), Reliance Industries Ltd here today.

He was participating in a panel discussion on 'Achieving Aspirations of Rural Youth - Challenges & Avenues' organised by Bansidhar & Ila Panda Foundation (BIPF) in partnership with FICCI, Odisha.

The keynote speaker for the event was Ms. Yamini Aiyar, President & CEO, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi.

Other panellists included Ms. Neeti Sharma, Senior Vice President, TeamLease Services, Bengaluru; Dr. Fakir Mohan Sahoo, Research Professor, Xavier Institute of



Management, Bhubaneswar; and Mr. Anil Pradhan, Founder, International Public School for Rural Innovation, Odisha. Ms. Fatima Mahdi Karan.

Ms. Shaifalika Panda, CEO, BIPF, emphasised on the importance of understanding the ambitions of rural youth, and said, "India's ability to harness the potential of its demographic dividend will decide

its future. To achieve this potential, collective action is required to set up an ecosystem which will address the virtuous cycle of skilling, upskilling and new employment generation."

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Understand ambitions of rural youth: Shaifalika Panda

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BHUBANESHWAR, NOV 21

BANSHIDHAR & Ila Panda Foundation CEO Shaifalika Panda on Thursday emphasised on the importance of understanding the ambitions of rural youth.

"India's ability to harness the potential of its demographic dividend will decide its future. To achieve this potential, collective action is required to set up an ecosystem which will address the virtuous cycle of skilling, upskilling and new employment generation," she said at a panel discussion organized in partnership with FICCI Odisha on 'Achieving Aspirations of Rural Youth - Challenges and Avenues' here.

The panel discussion is curated under BIPF's flagship thought leadership platform, 'Ideate'.

The keynote speaker for the event was President & CEO, Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi Yamini Aiyar.

The other distinguished panellists included Group President (HR), Reliance Industries & Chairperson, FICCI Skill Development Committee, Mumbai Bijay Sahoo, Senior Vice President TeamLease Services Bengaluru Nitiee Sharma, Research Professor, Xavier Institute of Management, Bhubaneswar Dr. Fakir Mohan Sahoo, and Founder, International Public School for Rural Innovation, Odisha Anil Pradhan.

Fatima Mahdi Karan, Business Editor, New Delhi moderated the panel discussion.

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Group President (HR), Reliance Industries Limited Bijay Sahoo said, "Aspiration of Rural Youth is rising beyond the rural hinterlands. They are willing to get educated, develop skills and compete with anybody else in the world.



They just need a supporting hand - from Government, industry and society. BIPF has rightly chosen the theme for this year under Ideate- Aspiration of Rural Youth. This will help in identifying opportunities and supporting the rural youth."

Today's event was the eighth in 'Ideate' series.

Since its launch in 2012, this leadership platform by the Bansidhar & Ila Panda Foundation has organised panel discussions on topics ranging from maternal & newborn health, education, water & sanitation, immunisation, sports for development and urban health care.

BIPF is the social arm of Indian Metals & Ferro Alloys Ltd (IMFA), working in the verticals of Health, Education, Water & Sanitation, Livelihood and Advocacy & Appreciation.

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was sent to judicial custody after court rejected his bail plea.

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'Time to harness potential of rural youth'



POST NEWS NETWORK

Bhubaneswar, Nov 21: A panel discussion on 'Achieving Aspirations of Rural Youth - Challenges and Avenues' was organised here Thursday. The discussion was organised by FICCI and Bansidhar & Ila Panda Foundation (BIPF).

Speaking on the objective of the panel discussion, Shaifalika Panda, CEO, BIPF, emphasised on the importance of understanding the ambitions of rural youth, and said, "India's ability to harness the potential of its demographic dividend will decide its future. To achieve this potential, collective action is required to set up an ecosystem which will address the virtuous cycle of skilling, upskilling

and employment generation." Panellists deliberated on solutions to the roadblocks in achieving demographic dividend and making the rural youth more productive.

Bijay Sahoo, Group President (HR), Reliance Industries Limited, said, "Aspiration of rural youth is rising beyond the rural hinterlands. They are willing to get educated, develop skills and compete with anybody else in the world. They just need a supporting hand from government, industry and society." President & CEO of Centre for Policy Research, New Delhi, Yamini Aiyar highlighted the importance of development of health and education sectors and the challenge of employability of rural youth.

'ଭାରତରେ ଗ୍ରାମୀଣ ସୁବର୍ଗଜ୍ଞ ଆକାଂକ୍ଷା' ଆଲୋଚନାଚକ୍ର



ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର, ୨୧।୧୧(ଇମିସ): ବଂଶୀଧର ଓ ଇଲା ପଣ୍ଡା ଦ୍ୱାରା ଶ୍ରେୟନ୍ (ବିଆଇପିଏଫ୍) ପକ୍ଷରୁ ଫିକ୍ସଡ୍ ଓଡ଼ିଶା ସହକାରୀତାରେ 'ଗ୍ରାମୀଣ ସୁବର୍ଗଜ୍ଞ ଆକାଂକ୍ଷା'କୁ ହାସଲ କରିବା - ଆହୁନ ଓ ଉପାୟ ଶୀର୍ଷକ ଏକ ଆଲୋଚନାଚକ୍ର ଆଜି ହୋଟେଲ କ୍ରାଉନ୍‌ଠାରେ ଅନୁଷ୍ଠିତ ହୋଇଯାଇଛି। ଏହି ଆଲୋଚନାଚକ୍ର ବିଆଇପିଏଫ୍ ପ୍ରମୁଖ ବିତରଣ ମଧ୍ୟ 'ଆଇପିଏଫ୍' ଅଧୀନରେ ସଂକଳିତ ହୋଇଛି।

ନୂଆଦିଲ୍ଲୀସ୍ଥିତ ସେଣ୍ଟର ଫର୍ ପଲିସି ରିସର୍ଚର ଅଧ୍ୟକ୍ଷ ଯାମିନି ଆୟର୍ ଆଲୋଚନାଚକ୍ରରେ ମୁଖ୍ୟବକ୍ତା ଭାବେ ଯୋଗ ଦେଇଥିଲେ। ଅନ୍ୟ ବକ୍ତାମାନଙ୍କ ମଧ୍ୟରେ ରିଲାଏନ୍ସ ଇଣ୍ଡଷ୍ଟ୍ରିଜ୍ ଗ୍ରୁପ୍ ପ୍ରେସିଡେଣ୍ଟ (ଏନ୍‌ଆର୍) ବିଜୟ ସାହୁ, ବେଙ୍ଗାଳୁରୁସ୍ଥିତ ଟିମଲିଜ୍ ସଭାସଭ୍ୟର ବରିଷ୍ଠ ଉପାଧ୍ୟକ୍ଷା ନୀତି ଶର୍ମା, କାରିଆର୍ ଇନ୍‌ଷ୍ଟିଚ୍ୟୁଟ୍ ଅଫ୍ ମ୍ୟାନେଜମେଣ୍ଟର

ରିସର୍ଚ୍ଚ ପ୍ରଫେସର ଫକୀର ମୋହନ ସାହୁ, ଇଣ୍ଡିଆନ୍‌ସର୍ଭିସ୍ ପବ୍ଲିକ୍ ସ୍କୁଲ୍ ଫର ରୁରାଲ୍ ଇନୋଭେସନ୍‌ର ପ୍ରତିଷ୍ଠାତା ଅନୀଲ ପ୍ରଧାନ ପ୍ରମୁଖ ଯୋଗ ଦେଇଥିଲେ। ଏହି ଆଲୋଚନାଚକ୍ରରେ ସଭାପତିତ୍ୱ କରିଥିଲେ ନୂଆଦିଲ୍ଲୀସ୍ଥିତ ବିଜିନେସ୍ ଏଡିଟର ଫାତିମା ମହସି କରନ୍।

ବିଆଇପିଏଫ୍‌ର ସିଇଓ ଶୈଫାଲିକା ପଣ୍ଡା ଗ୍ରାମୀଣ ସୁବର୍ଗଜ୍ଞ ଆକାଂକ୍ଷାକୁ ବୃଦ୍ଧିଦାନ ମହତ୍ତ୍ୱକୁ ଗୁରୁତ୍ୱ ଦେଇ କହିଲେ, ନିଜ ଲୋକସମ୍ମୁଖରେ ଦକ୍ଷତାକୁ ସବୁପ୍ରୟୋଗ କରିବାର ସଚ୍ଚିତ୍ତ ହିଁ ଭାରତର ଉଦ୍ଦେଶ୍ୟ ନିର୍ଦ୍ଧାରଣ କରିବା। ଏହି ଦକ୍ଷତା ହାସଲ କରିବା ପାଇଁ ଏକ ପରିବେଶ ସୃଷ୍ଟି କରିବାକୁ ସାମ୍ବିଧାନିକ ପଦକ୍ଷେପର ଆବଶ୍ୟକତା ରହିଛି। ଯାହାକି କୌଶଳ ଶିକ୍ଷା, କୌଶଳର ବିକାଶ ଏବଂ ନୂତନ ନିୟୁତ୍ତି ସୃଷ୍ଟିର ମହାନ ଚକ୍ରକୁ ପ୍ରତିପାଦନ କରିବ।