





Newsletter

Mission Karmayogi – Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs (MoHUA)

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Empowering Urban Governance: National Workshop on Capacity Building of Urban Local Bodies

In a collaborative initiative between the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA) and the Capacity Building Commission, a National Workshop on Empowering Urban Local Bodies was held on October 5, 2023, at Bharat Mandapam in New Delhi. The event was graced by the presence of the Hon'ble Union Minister of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, who launched MoHUA's "Annual Capacity Building Plan" (ACBP).









MoHUA's Officials Find Stress Relief and Renewed Focus at 'Karmayogis' Yogshala Workshops

At 'Yogshala,' officials from Coordination, Public Grievances, Parliament Section, Housing for All (HFA), Directorate of Estates, Central Public Works Department, Works, and Central Vista Divisions participated in Desk Yoga and Well-Being Workshops. These sessions, took place on September $6^{\rm th}$, $13^{\rm th}$, $21^{\rm st}$, and $22^{\rm nd}$, aimed to help attendees alleviate stress, rejuvenate, and regain focus.



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The workshop also featured the unveiling of ACBP of six Urban Local Bodies (ULBs), namely Ahmedabad, Bhubaneswar, Mysuru, Nagpur, Rajkot, and Pune and as well as a Framework for developing the Capacity Building Strategies for ULBs. Throughout the sessions, participants had a valuable opportunity to brainstorm ideas for the development of a comprehensive system for last-mile service delivery, enhancements in operational efficiency, and the integration of cutting-edge digital technologies.

Ministry's Capacity Building Unit Gathers to Chart ACBP and Mission Karmayogi Roadmap



The 2nd and 3rd meetings of the Capacity Building Unit (CBU) were convened on September 19th and October 19th, respectively. These meetings, chaired by the Joint Secretary of the NULM, brought together members to engage in discussions concerning the progress of Mission Karmayogi. During these sessions, the implementation strategy of the ACBP for the upcoming year was explored, for formalizing a clear pathway to achieve Ministry's targets.





Focused Group Discussion (FGD) for Self Assessment and iGOT registration

A FGD was held, on 14th September 2023, with the officials of Administration Division, MoHUA, to apprise about the status of activities undertaken in Mission Karmayogi and discuss the way forward. Officials were also apprised about the curation of Induction Module for the Division.

MoHUA Hosts Workshops on Generative AI and Prompt Engineering for Officials

Artificial Intelligence (AI), Machine Learning (ML), and other cutting-edge technologies are transforming the way we live and work. Recognizing the need to harness these technologies for the benefit of citizens, workshops were organized on GenAI and Prompt Engineering for officials on Sept. 27th and Oct 17th, 2023. in collaboration with the Wadhwani Institute of Technology & Policy (WITP).





Meeting with National CPWD Academy Officials for Content Creation for iGOT Platform



In a recent follow-up meeting on October 12, 2023, officials from the National CPWD Academy (NCA) collaborated to augment the content curation for the iGOT platform. The discussions also encompassed the development of courses, ensuring content standards, and incorporating quality assurance measures. NCA officials have been equipped to take on key roles such as Content Creator, Reviewer, and Publisher on the iGOT Karmayogi Portal, promoting seamless knowledge sharing within the public sector.

RCUES-Mumbai Collaborates for Content Creation for iGOT Platform

A virtual meeting held on October 30, 2023, between stakeholders and RCUES-Mumbai marked a significant step in the ongoing effort to enrich the iGOT Karmayogi Platform. The primary focus of this consultation was the identification and curation of courses to align with the iGOT Content Framework and Quality Assurance standards.



NIUA's National Urban Conclave 2023: Empowering Urban India with Data and Capacity Building



On World Cities Day, October 31, 2023, the National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA) organized the 'National Urban Conclave 2023.' This event celebrated the transformative journey of urban India, emphasizing the pivotal role of data and capacity building. At the conclave, the launch of NULP 3.0 took center stage, and discussions revolved around the critical role of data in urban development. The conclave also delved into the integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) in shaping the future of urban spaces.