

National e-Governance Division partners with IIM-Calcutta for Training Programme on 'Digital Governance & Data Management'

The National e-Governance Division (NeGD), under the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), in partnership with the Indian Institute of Management Calcutta (IIMC), inaugurated a 2.5-day training program on "Digital Governance & Data Management" on 23rd October 2024. The program is a part of the broader efforts under the **Digital India initiative** to equip government officials with essential knowledge and skills to drive digital transformation and enhance governance efficiency across India.

A total of **twenty-seven government officials** from Central Line Ministries and various state departments including New Delhi, Kerala, Odisha, Rajasthan, Telangana, Assam, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Bihar, Chandigarh, Lakshadweep and West Bengal, are participating in the program. The diverse representation underscores the program's national significance and its wide-reaching impact in enhancing digital governance practices across the country.

The training program focuses on key areas of digital governance, including **data management, cybersecurity, digital service delivery, e-governance frameworks, and emerging technologies**. Participants will gain hands-on experience and practical knowledge to address current challenges in governance and utilize digital tools to improve service delivery and operational efficiency within their respective departments. Special attention is given to enabling officials to design citizen centric digital governance projects, ensuring that government services become more transparent, accessible, and efficient.

This initiative is a key component of the **Capacity-Building scheme** under the **Digital India Program**, which is aimed at building relevant capacities across all levels of government. By providing targeted training on critical topics such as data governance, cybersecurity, and digital leadership, the scheme is designed to enhance the ability of government officials to conceptualize, lead, and implement e-governance projects. The program also promotes the development of digital ecosystems that can deliver high-quality, citizen-centric services at scale.

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