



## ACADEMY OF HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT

The Academy of Human Resources Development (AHRD) entering into its 24<sup>th</sup> year, was founded in 1990 as a trust and registered society with support of the National HRD Network. The Academy's mission is to develop outstanding professionals to transform HRD practices in the country. The Academy conducts the Fellow (Ph.D. level) and Associate (M.Phil. level) programs for working executives, management faculty and consultants.

The Academy's Board consists of a number of distinguished professionals.

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Over the years, the Academy has launched and nurtured a number of activities and programs in pursuance of the objective of knowledge generation and dissemination and capacity building for making HRD a vital part of comprehensive management strategy.

The Director conducted an In-Company MDP at Verisk Health, Nepal, on Leadership Skills, which has been widely covered by the leading business newspaper of Nepal.

Prof. Imon Ghosh, who has been with the Academy as Director, since April 2010, shall be completing his term on January 31<sup>st</sup>. We wish him success in all his future endeavours.



**\* Our Fellow student Debaprasad Chattopadhyay's article on "Impact of Spirituality of Leaders at Work and Leaders' Reputation on Teams' Spiritual Climate" has been selected for publication in the Academy of Management Journal.**

**\* Our Fellow student Prasanjit Dasgupta has won the Best Research Paper in student category at the NHRDN Conference held at Kolkata in November 2013. The paper has been published by McGraw Hills Publishing House in the NHRDN Conference Journal.**

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