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Press Release

JMI renews partnership with IBM Skillsbuild CSRbox for enhancing student's employability

The University Placement Cell (UPC), Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) renewed its partnership with IBM- CSRBOX SkillsBuild foundation for enhancing student's employability. IBM SkillsBuild is a free access digital learning platform with various learning activities that focuses on industry-relevant skill development in students and jobseekers.

The LOU which had the approval of the competent authority was signed by Prof. Rahela Farooqi, Hony. Director, University Placement Cell, Prof. Rihan Khan Suri, TPO, JMI and Rohit Rajput, Manager CSR programs IBM Skillsbuild, CSRBOX foundation in the presence of Prof. Sabah Khan, Hony. Deputy Director, UPC and Zoya Khan, Associate Manager, CSR Programs IBM Skillsbuild, CSRBOX foundation on 1st February, 2024.

Under this partnership, IBM Skillsbuild and CSRBOX foundation will provide access to around 8000 free courses and a series of offline workshops across departments to impart industry relevant skills set, enhance the employability prospects of students/learners. The courses and sessions would cover a wide range of topics like Resume writing, Soft skills and also subject specific areas like data analytics, cyber security etc.

According to Prof. Rahela Farooqi, Hony. Director, UPC, "this is our second year of partnership with IBM Skillbuild CSRBOX and it has been very fruitful for the students. This year we wish to take it to the next level and try to cover more and more students. In the present era of digital transformation, up-skilling and continuous updating of knowledge is mandatory for the students to survive in the competitive environment."

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