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**Dhempe College of Arts and Science Miramar, Panaji-Goa**

## **Report on visit to BITS-Goa to attend talk by S. Somnath on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2024**

As a part of outreach program 67 students, 6 faculty and, 1 support staff of Dhempe College students under DBT Star College scheme were taken to attend talk by Dr. S. Somnath, ISRO Chairman at BITS -Goa on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2024 on "**India's Space Journey: in National & Global Perspective**"

Dr. Somnath's talk provided a comprehensive overview of India's evolution as a spacefaring nation and its significance both domestically and on the global stage. He illuminated the pivotal role that India's space program has played in driving technological innovation, National development, and International collaboration. He traced India's space journey from its humble beginnings to its current status as a leading player in the global space arena. He highlighted how initiatives such as satellite communication, remote sensing, and navigation have revolutionized various sectors including telecommunications, agriculture, disaster management, and environmental monitoring. These applications not only contribute to India's socio-economic progress but also empower other developing nations through technology transfer and capacity building.



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