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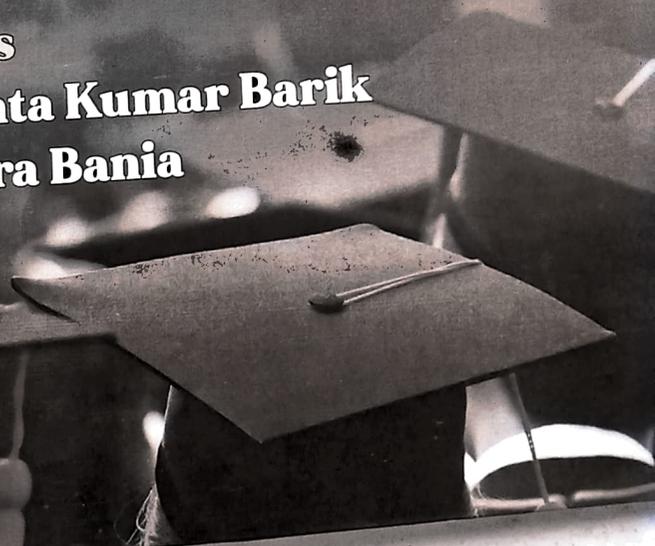
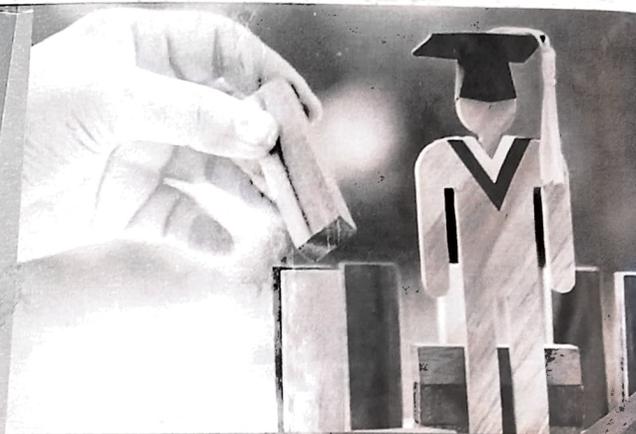
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Revitalizing Liberal Education: Cross Fertilization of Ideas Across Disciplines

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Abstract

India is a developing country starvoing for the best quality education in its every stage. Changes have been occurred since the last policy on education has been introduced in India. Now in the era of science and technology needs and requirements are different. So there is a need to introduce new strategies to its education system and after thirty years government of India launched the New Education Policy 2020 which focuses on each level of education right from pre-primary to higher education. This policy came up with the idea of revitalizing liberal education to higher education which will bring new enthusiasm, a fresh work culture and abundant confidence, creativity among the youngsters. It becomes the need of the hour to completely transform the traditional higher education to a more liberal one.

Keywords: Liberal education, Holistic development, Higher education, Quality education.

THE PROLOGUE

In India students are being specialized in one discipline. They are being taught in one specified area like Mathematics, Physics, Fine Art, History, Geography etc. Institutions try to put students into one vessel of science, humanities, commerce or any other professional or vocational course. They are bound and confined to focus in one section from the broader scope of education. But

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