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## **CEO MESSAGE**







Dear Colleagues,

We at Hindustan Zinc have given the highest priority to the safety of our people and ensured sustainable growth through technology and innovation. In recent years we have invested in technology to keep pace with the challenges of the changing business environment. We have consciously adopted low-carbon and less-emission technologies, enhancing our renewable energy capacity, and constantly reducing the GHG emission of our operations. We also emphasize our local sourcing network to support vocal local and community well-being.

It's a new day, a new world and a new normal. The world has changed in the last two years that has transformed our perspective and has taught us to value health, happiness, and home. Let us continue to focus on the good part, learn from the past and plan for the future. It is time for us to collaborate, innovate and leverage our strengths to contribute significantly to the development of our state and nation. Have an Ama'Zinc' 2022!

Thanks Arun Misra CEO – Hindustan Zinc

Click the icon to engage with our CEO on Twitter:



## **COVER STORY**







# MINING LEADERS, BUILDING TOMORROW

#### **HINDUSTAN ZINC - FOSTERING A CULTURE OF LEADERSHIP**

We at Hindustan Zinc believe that **'Every One of Us is a Leader'** and an important pillar in achieving the vision of our organization. Our workplace culture thrives on the principle that our biggest asset are our People. As an equal opportunity employer, we are consciously driving a bouquet of highly coveted programs and initiatives to empower our employees and build them as Leaders.

#### LEAD - Paving the Way for Potential Leaders

The LEAD program is a transformative journey of personal and professional development of high potential leaders, giving them a chance to enhance their leadership and be instrumental in taking the organisation to greater heights of business excellence. It gives the participants a valuable opportunity to learn and work with the top management





#### **MEP - Empowering Managers, Creating Leaders**

The Manager Empowerment Program (MEP) is centred around first-time managers to help them better acclimatise to varied and challenging needs that come as part of their role and responsibilities.

## COVER STORY





#### WILP BITS Pilani - Work 'n' Learn

With an objective to provide continuous learning opportunities for the executives, the Work Integrated Learning Program (WILP) was designed. We partnered with the premier institute BITS Pilani for their Business Analytics course. In it's 2nd year the initiative got 33 exectuvies enrolled from different functions across the organization. The batch kickstarted with a leadership connect session with our CHRO, Mr Ajay Kumar Singhroha.





#### **TQM - Quality First**

At Hindustan Zinc, we are committedly and consciously working to ensure the highest and best standards of quality in everything we do. Quality is continuous learning and understanding this core principle we have an extensive Total Quality Management (TQM) framework and knowledge sessions for our people to emulate in everyday working.

#### Train the Trainer: Creating in-house Experts

For enhancing the capabilities of our internal Experts a series of "Train The Trainer" sessions were conducted under the broader vision of developing Subject Matters Experts (SMEs). This unique program has so far helped develop over 200 Subject Matter Experts across locations & functions.





#### **TOC Workshop - One Team One Dream**

Theory Of Constraints (TOC) is a gloablly acknowledged and tested strategy that has helped organizations deliver high value and be leaders in their business. It systematically builds a holistic understanding amongst the workforce of how a corporation is an interlinked, interdependent system and everyone collectively working towards one common goal can be a game-changer. The first batch of TOC covered 41 leaders while for the second batch 110 leaders were engaged.

#### Inclusivity - LGBTQ + Sensitization Sessions

We at Hindustan Zinc have embarked on promoting diversity of all kinds, inclusivity, and gender parity. With this objective, a sensitization session on LGBTQ Community was organized in partnership with 'The Humsafar trust' for more than 35 from Mancom and ExCo



## COMMUNITY





#### DISTRIBUTION OF SPORTS KITS AT ZAWAR

To promote and uplift the sports talent of Newa Talai, the Zawar team distributed cricket and hockey kits to the girls and boys of the village. These kits will help them in the upcoming Rural Olympic Sports Competition.

#### FOUNDATION STONE OF COMMUNITY WORK AT DEBARI

For the development of the community around Debari, the foundation stone of Bichri School Hall, Sinhada Sakhi Hall and Sinhada Classroom was laid which will benefit almost 1000 to 1500 people.





#### SHIKSHA SAMBAL CLASS 10TH WINTER CAMPS

More than 1600 students participated in the weeklong Shiksha Sambal Winter Camp at Zawar for board exam preparation. The classes were taught by 44 volunteers from renowned colleges of Delhi University along with 56 project teachers.

#### FIGHTING MALNUTRIITON

With the joint effort of Hindustan Zinc, Women and Child Development Department Ajmer, Rural and Social Development Organization Ajmer, a community-based malnutrition management camp was started at Ajmer's Gagwana Community Health Center under the Khushi project.



## COMMUNITY





#### YOUTH - THE LEADERS OF TOMORROW

On the occasion of National Youth Day, various activities such as quiz competition, skit, poster making contest, portrait making contest, career file making contest, alumni meet, a motivational session with poet Mrs Chanda Prashar, and others were held both online and offline while adhering to all COVID guidelines.

#### **PANTNAGAR SAKHI SPECIAL**

Our Sakhi women have been an integral part of oursocial commitment and over the last few years have now become part of our extended family. Across our locations we are proud to be working with more than 27000 Sakhis. A glimpse of our enterprising and dynamicSakhis sharing their thoiughs and the change that has come to their living standards with the CEO and senior leaders at Pantnagar. interacted with the CEO and senior leaders of Pantnagar.







## AWARENESS SESSION ON WORLD LEPROSY ERADICATION DAY

On World Leprosy Eradication Day, awareness sessions were organized under Hindustan Zinc's health program. More than 480 people benefitted from the session in which information was given on the common myths and misconceptions related to leprosy.

## SAFETY







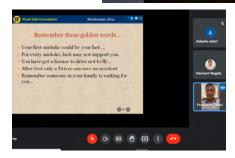
"Every Accident can be Avoided" was the theme of 33rd Road Safety Awareness Week which was observed from 11th to 17th January across locations. Throughout the week, activities were planned for employees, families of employees, the workforce, youth and the communities both on-ground and virtually.



**Roko Toko** and badge distribution were done at the company's sites to raise awareness about Road Safety amongst all vehicle riders.











Other activities like quiz competitions, commitment board signing, **PUC camp**, road safety awareness sessions for school students were also organized to promote a culture of safety first in everyday living across all stakeholders

## HINDUSTAN ZINC'S 2022 CALENDAR THE SEED OF GREEN CHANGE



At Hindustan Zinc, we have taken a pledge to make green choices every day. The 2022 calendar is another step in bringing ESG to our daily life.

## The Seed of Green Change



The first page of the calendar is made using **Seed Paper** – which can be planted to grow a sapling.

Walking the ESG talk, all pages of the calendar are made using **Recycled Paper** – in line with our 3R (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) policy.





The calendar print uses **Chlorine Free Ink**; kick-starting a sustainable choice that all of us have already made.

And the other exciting part of this calendar is that it is a **Zinc Parivaar Collective**; each page has either a painting, photograph or artwork specially made by our employees and their families.



## MOMENT OF PRIDE



## HINDUSTAN ZINC CEO, MR ARUN MISRA 1ST INDIAN CHAIR OF IZA

26th January 2022 has become a proud milestone for all of us at Hindustan Zinc, Vedanta and India with our CEO Mr Arun Misra being appointed as the 1st ever Indian – Asian Chairperson of the International Zinc Association (IZA) – making our Republic Day even more special.

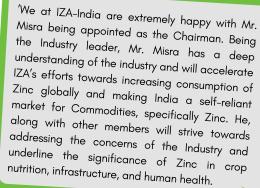
IZA is the only organization dedicated exclusively to the interests of zinc and its users and its members represent 60% of the worldwide production of zinc and 80% of production in the Western Hemisphere.



Arun Misra has been a key supporter of IZA's activities globally and especially in India. His leadership and experience will be a great resource for us, and I look forward to working with him on guiding IZA and the zinc industry through the opportunities and challenges ahead on the global stage.

Executive Director

ZINC NEWS



It is a privilege for me to take on the

role of IZA Chair and continue the tradition of excellence of those who

came before me. The IZA has an exceptional team of professionals and I look forward to working together to

grow global demand for zinc and promoting its essentiality to human

health, crop nutrition, sustainable development, and modern life.



Dr Rahul Sharma, Director IZA India

Along with India, the global media applauded the announcement





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## CELEBRATIONS











#### The Ama'Zinc' 2022

New Year at Hindustan Zinc saw celebrations across the units and locations with our "जोशीले Miners", "मेहनती Smelterians" and all the employees coming together with great enthusiasm.













## CELEBRATIONS

























73rd Republic Day

Republic Day was celebrated with great zeal and enthusiasm across all our locations. The celebrations witnessed overwhelming participation from the employees, families of employees & business partners showcasing high spirits & patriotic zeal.

## RECOGNITION









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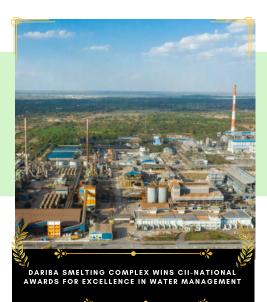






RAMPURA AGUCHA MINE WINS THE 'CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION' AT RAJASTHAN ENERGY CONSERVATION AWARDS 2021





## RECOGNITION







## **MEDIA HIGHLIGHTS**

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#### Hindustan Zinc CEO elected as acting chairman of International Zinc Association

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New Delhi, Jan 27 (PTI) Hindustan Zinc CEO Arun Misra has been elected as the acting chairman of the International Zinc Association (IZA). Misra is the first Indian and Asian to hold this position, according to a statement.

"It is a privilege for me to take on the role of IZA Chair and

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#### Business decisions entwined with ESG, not traditional financial metrics: Sandeep Modi, CFO, Hindustan Zinc

The company is steps for the transition to green energy in a constructive manner and there will be returns in the long run, says Modi. Vartika Rawat • ETCFO • Jaruary 19, 2022, 09:34 IST

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India's largest integrated producer of zinc and lead Hindustan Zinc's CFO Sandeep Modi discusses how the company would spend Ss billion over the next five years for mining green transition while

#### **ECONOMIC TIMES**

## **CLOSING NOTE**

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Dear Employees,

Hope you enjoyed reading the January 2022 edition of Zinc News. We are initiating a different game this time.

Share with us 3 things you really like about Life at Hindustan Zinc.

3 lucky winners will each get an exciting prize!

#### FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Dear Readers,

A new year. A new resolution. Cliched as it may sound and for many of it us may just be a change of date on the calendar but it still is a great time to remind ourselves to be a leader and commit to doing better than before by pushing ourselves for greater accountability.

I am proud to share that we have started this year not just with celebrations but also with taking a big step of small impactful actions towards sustainability in everyday life through our 'seeds of green change' eco friendly annual calendar. Hope you enjoy and plant it soon.

The biggest news though still remains the huge moment of pride for all of us as our CEO is appointed as the CHAIR of IZA, truly reflecting and cementing our global leadership.

As we celebrate our 55th Foundation Day in January, let us come together and create many more legacies and landmarks.

So here's wishing all our readers an Ama'zinc' 2022!

Cheers Dipti Agrawal Head Corporate Communication

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