



**Outreach & Dissemination Services Office**  
**CSIR – Central Building Research Institute Roorkee – 247667 (UK)**  
**Skill Development Training Programme on**  
**“Recent Technologies in Building Construction and Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)”**  
**21–22 January 2026.**

A two-day training program by CSIR–Central Building Research Institute (CSIR–CBRI) was organized at Integral University, Lucknow, from 21–22 January under the MoU between CSIR–CBRI and Integral University, during which CSIR–CBRI scientists were invited to the university. Around 100 B.Tech and M.Tech Civil Engineering students participated in the program.



Dr. Sayeed Aqeel Ahamad, Professor & Head, Civil Engineering, welcomed the CSIR–CBRI team and highlighted the objectives of the MoU, while Dr. Neeraj Jain, Sr. Principal Scientist presented the skill development initiatives and R&D activities of CSIR–CBRI. The program featured expert lectures by Dr. Tabish Alam, Principal Scientist on Energy Efficiency in Buildings and Dr. Muslim Ansari, Sr. Scientist on Prefabricated Structural Elements, along with sessions by Er. Vineet Saini and Shri Ajay Dwivedi. The Director, CSIR–CBRI, emphasized that such programs strengthen industry–academia linkages and prepare future engineers with practical, research-oriented skills. Overall, the program provided valuable exposure to industry-oriented research and modern construction practices.



The participation also strengthened collaboration prospects between CSIR-CBRI and state government agencies, implementing authorities, and development stakeholders. Discussions focused on technology adoption, capacity building, and the integration of advanced construction solutions into ongoing and future rural housing and infrastructure programs.