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*# Jharkhand @25' Programme Organised in London
A Global Celebration of Jharkhand's Journey of Struggle, Identity and
Nature-Aligned Growth*

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Under the leadership of Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Hemant Soren, the Government of Jharkhand organised the 'Jharkhand @25' programme in London to mark 25 years of Jharkhand's Statehood. The event brought together students, scholars, professionals and members of the Jharkhand diaspora to celebrate the State's journey and shared vision for the future.

Around 150 participants attended the programme, including students pursuing higher education in leading UK universities under the Marang Gomke Jaipal Singh Munda Overseas Scholarship Scheme, Chevening–Marang Gomke

Scholars, young professionals working in the UK after completing higher education, university faculty members, researchers, entrepreneurs and representatives from diverse fields associated with Jharkhand.

This initiative is among the first such overseas engagements by a State Government of India, aimed at connecting with its students, diaspora, entrepreneurs and knowledge partners abroad.

Moving Forward Together



Addressing the gathering, the Hon'ble Chief Minister said that Jharkhand @25 reflects the State's journey beyond 25 years of statehood towards infinite possibilities, where development remains in harmony with nature. He emphasised that Jharkhand's progress is rooted in collective participation, inclusivity and staying connected to its cultural and civilisational roots.

The Chief Minister noted that this journey draws inspiration from the visionary ideals of Marang Gomke Jaipal Singh Munda and Baba Dishom Guruji, whose principles of dignity, self-respect and justice continue to guide Jharkhand's path. He reaffirmed the State's commitment to inclusive, sustainable development while ensuring that no section of society is left behind.

Showcasing Jharkhand's Culture and Traditions



The programme also showcased the rich traditions and cultural heritage of Jharkhand. Marang Gomke Scholars and members of the Jharkhand community residing in the UK presented cultural performances, with Sadri songs resonating throughout the venue.

Students shared their academic and personal experiences, expressing gratitude to the Government of Jharkhand for its continued support in enabling access to global education and opportunities.

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