TribeX

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Why in News?

Recently, the Ministry of Tribal Affairs launched TribeX during the national workshop on strengthening Tribal Research Institutes (TRIs) in Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

- **TribeX –** India's 1st digital learning platform dedicated to tribal arts, culture, languages, and traditional knowledge.
- **Nodal Ministry –** Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

Key Features

- **Digital learning ecosystem –** Offers structured courses, certificate programmes, and UGC-recognised PG diplomas.
- **TribeX offers 5 UGC-approved 1-year hybrid diplomas –**
  - Tribal Language – Santali (Ol Chiki)
  - Sustainable Tribal-Culture-Based Livelihood Practices
  - Museology and Tribal Museum Management
  - Tribal Arts and Crafts of India
  - Tribal Textiles

  MoU with Sampurnanand Sanskrit University, Varanasi to conduct PG Diploma programmes

- **Learning Tools –** Integrated Learning Management System (LMS) and Repository Management System (RMS)
- **LMS –** It is a software application used to create, administer, deliver, and track educational courses and training programmes.
- **RMS –** It provides centralised storage and organisation for digital assets, source code, and build artefacts.

Tribal Research Institutes (TRIs)

- **Policy Think Tanks –** TRIs to act as centres of excellence for research, documentation, and policy support.
- **Workshop Outcomes –** The National TRI Roadmap was prepared; the Bhubaneswar Declaration was adopted for reforms, tech integration, and capacity building.
- **Technology Integration –** Use of AI, Geographic Information System (GIS), and digital tools for tribal research and governance.

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