

On 28th April, 2018, Shri. Dharmendra Pradhan, Hon. Minister of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, launched foundation laying ceremony of GJSCI's skill center for Tarkashi in Cuttack.

In Cuttack, people are majorly involved in creating this art. More than a hundred families in Cuttack city are engaged in producing various patterns of filigree jewelry. The filigree art is popularly known as 'Cuttacki Tarkasi'. For its intricate designs and brilliant artistic patterns, filigree jewelry of Orissa is famous all over the world. For the people of Orissa, filigree has been a significant export item since ancient times. Not only this, it also symbolizes the excellence and showcased the talent of Orissa's craftsmen.

The Skill center with a common facilitation center will provide a major boost to silver filigree work artisans in Cuttack.

