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10th CONVOCATION CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

Amity University Haryana confers Honorary Doctorates on Dr Govindan Rangarajan, Director IISc, Bangalore; Mr Kishore Jayaraman, President, Rolls Royce (India & South Asia) & Reputed legal Luminary Mr Shardul Shroff at Convocation 2024



Gurugram, February 6, 2024 - The Xth Convocation of Amity University Haryana (AUH), held on Saturday, February 3, 2024, marked a momentous occasion as the university conferred degrees upon 1573 graduands, comprising 960 Undergraduate, 559 Postgraduate, and 54 PhD recipients. The ceremony, graced by esteemed dignitaries and luminaries from various fields, celebrated the academic achievements and contributions of its graduates.

The Convocation, presided over by Hon'ble Chancellor Dr. Aseem Chauhan and Hon'ble

Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) P.B. Sharma, witnessed the presence of Trustees of RBEF, distinguished faculty members, proud parents, and invited guests. Among the notable attendees were Prof. (Dr.) Govindan Rangarajan, Director of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore; Mr. Kishore Jayaraman, President of Rolls-Royce, India and South Asia; and legal luminary Mr. Shardul S. Shroff, Executive Chairman of Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co., who were honoured with Honoris Causa Doctorates for their remarkable contributions to their respective fields.

In addition to the honorary doctorates, AUH conferred Honorary Professorships upon Dr. Mukund Deshpande, Former Chief Scientist, CSIR-NCL; Prof (Dr) Chin-Tsan Wang, Director, Science and Technology Division, Taipei Economic and Cultural Center, India and Dr. Brent N

Holben, Senior Scientist, NASA, Goddard Space Flight Centre recognizing their significant contributions to academia and research. The Convocation commenced with an Academic Procession led by the majestic Rajputana Rifles band, setting the tone for the grandeur of the event. The ceremony began with Vedic Hawan in the morning followed by Saraswati Vandana, to invoke the blessings of the divinity.

Addressing the graduands, Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) P.B. Sharma emphasized the importance of responsibility and ethics in their future endeavours, urging them to strive for perfection. He also highlighted AUH's recent achievement of being ranked among the top 100 universities in India by NIRF University Ranking 2023. He shared his vision with the words "Kushlann Na Paramaditabhyam, Swadhyay Na Pamaditabhyam" inspiring the young professionals to work relentlessly for achieving perfection, being their own inspiration and not shying away from self-study.

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SANGATHAN FOSTERING THE SPIRIT OF SPORTSMANSHIP



Amity University Haryana (AUH) is part of the renowned Amity Education Group, a leading education conglomerate with over two decades of excellence in education. AUH is committed to providing world-class education and fostering holistic development among its students through a wide array of academic programs and extracurricular activities.

Amity University Haryana (AUH) has once again showcased its commitment to fostering the spirit of sportsmanship and camaraderie with the successful culmination of the Inter Amity Institutions Sports Meet, 'Sangathan.-2023. This month-long extravaganza celebrated the birthday of Hon'ble Dr Ashok K. Chauhan, the visionary Founder President of Amity.

Sangathan 2023 started on September 12, 2023, with great enthusiasm and passion, witnessing the participation of students. Over 400 medals were awarded to exceptional athletes who demonstrated outstanding talent throughout the event.

In his address, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of AUH, Prof. (Dr) P.B Sharma, passionately conveyed the message that Sangathan goes far beyond just being a sporting event; it is a powerful crucible for shaping the character and values of the university's students. Prof. Sharma emphasized that Sangathan serves as a great opportunity for the young participants to not only hone their physical abilities but also develop essential life skills. Discipline, ethics, professional morals, and universal human values are at the core of this transformative experience. Prof. Sharma reminded the young students that they are the future of this great nation and as such their character skills of truthfulness, integrity and firm commitment to Sustainability and above all their ability to excel as a team shall determine their success.

Pro Vice Chancellor Prof Vikas Madhukar in his address underscored that Sangathan is a platform where the university's students discover and nurture their potential beyond the confines of the classroom. He emphasized that it's a place where they learn the value of perseverance, teamwork, and resilience, attributes that are not only pivotal in sports but also in academic and professional pursuits.

Squadron Leader S.K. Singh, the Chairman of the Sangathan Committee, expressed his heartfelt gratitude during the Vote of Thanks. He acknowledged the athletes who graced this occasion with their dedication and unwavering perseverance. Additionally, he extended a special mention to the dedicated core committee members



for their relentless hard work and unwavering commitment to this event.

This year's Sangathan featured intense competition in 46 different sports events for both men and women, including basketball, volleyball, kabaddi, cricket, kho-kho, athletics, and more. In addition, there were 14 faculty and staff events and 13 AIMC (Amity Indian Military College) events, making Sangathan a prominent fixture in the landscape of university sports events in the country.

The event brought together over 1000 students and faculty members, graced by the esteemed presence of AUH's Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr) P.B. Sharma; Pro-Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) Vikas Madhukar; Dr. A.K Nagpal; Chairman, Amity Medical Education Board, Sangathan Chairman- Squadron Leader S.K. Singh; Registrar- Dr Ravi Manuja; DSW-Maj Gen Dhull, Prof. (Dr) Vijay K. Bhardwaj-Controller of Examinations; Deputy Deans Students Welfare (Dy DSW)- Prof. (Dr) Sanjna Vij and Prof Ranjana Kothari; sports officers faculty Dr Pritish Khare and Dr Priyanka along with Deans, Directors, faculty, staff, and the student from various institutes of AUH in great numbers.

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Dr. Ashok K Chauhan
Founder President,
Amity Education Group

“WHEN GOD PUSHES SOMEBODY,
INSPIRES SOMEBODY, LEADS
SOMEBODY - NO POWER IN THE
WORLD CAN STOP SUCH A PERSON.”



Dr. Aseem Chauhan
Chancellor,
Amity University Haryana

AMITY UNIVERSITY IS AN EPITOME
OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT
BLENDS MODERNITY WITH TRADITION
AND CULTURE, WHERE SCIENCE &
TECHNOLOGY BLEND HARMONIOUSLY
WITH PERFORMANCE, PROGRESSION
AND INNOVATION.



Prof PB Sharma
Vice Chancellor
Amity University Haryana

MESSAGE FROM VICE CHANCELLOR

It gives me immense pleasure and a sense of great pride to mention that Amity University Haryana under the visionary patronage of Hon'ble Founder President Dr Ashok K Chauhan and inspiring leadership of our Hon'ble Chancellor Dr Aseem Chauhan has always been on the front foot of research and innovation and has made highly impressive progress on Academic and Research fronts during the last 10 years.

Today, the University stands strong with more than 258 patents, 6500+ research publications, 105 funded higher end R & D projects funded by government agencies such as DST, DBT, ICMR, MoIT, AYUSH, ISRO, BARC etc. The establishment of world-class research labs such as Bio-Innova Research Cluster labs, Lipidomic Research Centre, Robotics and AI lab, Environment and Weather Monitoring Station, Aerosol Research facility supported by NASA Aeronet among others, have carved out a niche advantage for AUH for cutting edge research and path breaking innovations. With strong industry integration and introduction of NEP based curriculum, we have marched ahead with world class quality curriculum aligned towards creating industry ready professionals making Amity University Gurugram a world class destination for pursuit of learning and innovation in harmony with nature.

The University Chronicle provides glimpses of our vibrant campus environment, gives us an opportunity to rejoice our accomplishments and share our vision for higher education and research for future.

I am delighted to extend my heartiest congratulations to you on completing your Class 12 examinations! This is a significant milestone in your academic journey, and your dedication and hard work have truly paid off. Your achievement reflects not only your academic prowess but also your perseverance and commitment to excellence.

I extend to you a warm invitation to visit Amity University Gurugram and feel the positive glow of eminence that Amity Gurugram provides for the pursuit of education and innovations and prepares you for your illustrious professional journey.



RESEARCH HIGHLIGHTS

MARCH-2024

813 Research Students

219 Ph.D. Awarded

104 Extra Mural R&D Projects
(43.05 Cr)

66 Consultancy Projects
(5.22 Cr)

57 Completed R&D Projects
(20.49 Cr)

697 Submitted Project
(486 Cr)

258 Patents Filed

192 Patent Published

28 Copyrights

17 Patent Granted

718 Books/Chapters

1192 Conference/ Proceedings

235 Article/Newspapers/Magazines
/Bulletins/News Letter

4589 Research Articles

6734 Total Publication

2424 Scopus listed Publication

22633 Citations (Scopus)

58 AUH Scopus h Index

RESEARCH & INNOVATION

AT A GLANCE 2024



HIGHEST IMPACT FACTOR



7 scientists of Amity University Gurugram

Listed in the **Top 2% Most-cited Scientists** By Stanford University Ranking-2023

Dr. Kamal Kumar
Assistant Professor
Amity School of Applied Sciences, AUH

Dr. Dipti Vaya
Associate Professor
Amity School of Applied Sciences, AUH

Prof. (Dr.) Indu Shekhar Thakur
Director, ASEES
Head Centre of Excellence in Bio-Energy, AUH

Prof. (Dr.) Preeti Thakur
Professor
Amity School of Applied Sciences, AUH

Prof. (Dr.) Rajendra Prasad
Dean, Faculty of Science, Engineering, and Technology
Director, AIISH & AIB

Prof. (Dr.) Atul Thakur
Director, ACNT & ASAS,
Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, AUH

Dr. Gurvinder Singh Bumrah
Assistant Professor
Amity School of Applied Sciences, AUH

RESEARCH CLUSTERS @ AUH




INTEGRATING COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT IN CURRICULUM FOR POSITIVE LEARNING EXPERIENCE AND DEVELOPING SOCIAL SKILLS

In today's fast paced materialistic world where self-centeredness and egoistic patterns of behaviors are discernible, the importance of helping others can be a motivating component for individuals to identify their roles in society. The Indian Education landscape plays a dominant role in ensuring a smooth navigation from the self-centeredness approach to selflessness approach thereby fostering a culture of community service and empathy in their students. Inculcating civic responsibility, consciousness, and sense of belongingness in students should be identified as the main objective and likewise embedded in the curriculum of education institutions. The integration of Community Engagement learning in the curriculum would develop social skills, ethical character, voluntary engagement with society and humanism among students right from the beginning. It plays an exponential role in fostering sustainable development initiatives, ensuring the enriched life of society both in the urban and rural landscapes. Imbibing social skills and civic accountability are defined as the energetic involvement of an individual in a society. Thus, the education system is entrusted with the task of creating

decent character and excellent social skills for the students to make them ethical human beings before crafting them into skilled professionals.

The significance for community engagement services in education system is also acknowledged in the National Education Policy (NEP-2020) framework that laid emphasis on fostering social responsibility and community engagement and presented a transformative framework for higher education in the country.

Taking note of this watershed moment, AUH has successfully implemented its new curriculum and credit framework in which community engagement is embedded as one of the important components in the form of 3 credit course in the third semester. Throughout the course, the students will have the opportunity to step out of the traditional classroom setting and engage directly with local communities to understand their challenges and work collaboratively towards sustainable solutions. This hands-on

approach will not only enhance their practical skills but also foster a deep understanding of the complexities surrounding sustainability in the real-world.

There has been an increasing emphasis on community engagement to achieve sustainability goals and is one of the United Nations' Agenda for Sustainable Development with its 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with primary focus on community participation. Eventually, that would assist in creating an eco-system of stewardship, ownership, equity towards the environment resulting in sustainable urban development. Building trust and collaboration, empowering local communities, Co-designing sustainable solutions, Promoting Education & Awareness are a few of the methods harnessed for creating lasting impacts and building resilient communities for generations.

In a nutshell, Community engagement is a cornerstone of sustainable development that promotes environmental stewardship and social inclusion thereby catering to the needs of the citizens and create livable developed communities.



Prof (Dr) Vikas Madhukar
Pro-Vice Chancellor, AUH
Dean, Faculty of Management Studies
Director, Amity Business School

A VISIT TO THE JAGRAN FILM FESTIVAL


Amity School of Communication, Amity University Gurugram organised a visit to Jagran Film Festival, Apparel House, Sector 44, Gurugram on 1st September, 2023, for the fresher students. JFF being world's largest traveling film festival, gave an opportunity to explore the world of filmmaking and meet many distinguished guests from the industry.

Various renowned filmmaker, actors and artists had graced the event with their presence. Honorable Dy CM, Haryana Mr. Chautala inaugurated the program and demonstrated knowledge about the process of filmmaking and called it the medium of the masses during his speech. Mr. Rajesh Kumar talked about his journey of being a comedian, breaking stereotypes, to playing a role with grey shades in his new

movie HADDI, which was also been screened for the students in the program. Ms Ila Arun shared her experience, both as an actor and singer in the film industry. The event was been coordinated by Dr Amit Chawla, and attended by a total of 77 students and 3 faculty members.

In conclusion, the visit to JFF introduced to different types of cinema, including features, regional cinema, short films, OTT content as well as International films to the students, that otherwise are rare to be screened at a theatre or multiplex. Moreover, the interactions with the actors and film makers gave a first-hand insight on the process of film making and the nuances involved, along with gaining a better understanding of the power of cinema in shaping the society.


A VISIT TO THE THE DISTRICT COURT, GURUGRAM

Amity Law School, Amity University Gurugram organised a visit to the District Court, Gurugram for the freshmen, as a part of the student training program, on 5th September, 2023. The event was been coordinated by Dr. Shiv Raman and Mr. Sanjay Kumar Pandey. The students got a first-hand experience of the courtroom proceedings and decorum, which enhanced the practical understanding of the legal system.

Students got a better understanding of the various court hearings, including civil, criminal, and family law cases, and witnessed the presentation of evidence testimonies,

and legal arguments by attorneys. They engaged in discussions about the legal profession, the importance of court decorum, and the challenges faced by legal practitioners. A total of 40 students and 2 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the court visit was a valuable educational experience, which provided students with the opportunity to observe the legal system in action, as well as interact with legal professionals. This hands-on experience would contribute to the overall legal education and future career of the students in this field.

AN EXPERT TALK ON STRENGTHENING ONLINE SECURITY

Centre of Excellence for Innovation in Education, Amity School of Engineering and Technology and Academic Staff College, Amity University Gurugram, organised an expert talk on the topic 'Strengthening Online Safety: Nurturing Cyber Security awareness among the youth', on 04th September, 2023.

The event was a part of the initiative to launch the Cyber Security and Coders Club. Col Inderjeet Singh, Chief Cyber Officer at Vara Technology Pvt Ltd, and a renowned expert in the cyber security field was present as the expert speaker in the program. During the talk, Col Inderjeet Singh provided invaluable insights and guidance on implementing measures to ensure a secure online experience for the younger generation. The talk was designed to empower participants with the knowledge and tools necessary to navigate the digital

world securely. A total of 120 students and 3 faculty members participated in the event.

The program also highlighted the rising cyber-crime rates in Delhi, and various other forms of online scams like credit card and financial data theft, medical data breaches, insurance fraud, identity theft, and the exploitation of computer resources for activities like crypto mining and spamming. The significance of online privacy and security in the age of social media was being emphasized. Additionally, the talk had shed light on the thriving fake profile marketplaces online, emphasizing the importance of being cautious about digital footprints left behind on social media platforms.

In conclusion, the program enlightened the students about

internet privacy and best practices for mobile security hygiene. Overall, the expert talk served as a valuable resource for enhancing cyber security awareness among the youth and equipping them with the knowledge needed to protect themselves in the digital world.


A NUTRITION WEEK CELEBRATIONS ON BALANCED DIET AND HEALTH

Department of Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, Amity Medical School, Amity University Gurugram organized student activity programs on the occasion of Nutrition Week from 4th to 6th September, 2023. The event was been coordinated by Dr. Luxita Sharma, HOI, AMS. The three day



program consisted of many events which made the students and faculties aware about nutrition, balanced diet and health. A total of 30 students and 2 faculty members participated in the event.

The health camp organised on the 1st day with the primary intent to provide free nutritional assessment by using anthropometric measures, personalized diet plan and health counselling. The 3rd day consisted of poster making and quiz competition with the theme being "Nutrition for all". Mr. D. Karthik, MDAN 1st Semester, Ms. Riya Yadav, BDAN 3rd

Semester and Ms. Lyna, BDAN 1st Semester received the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes respectively in the poster making competition. In the quiz competition the 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes were been secured by Mr. Siddhartha and Mr. H. David, Ms. Khushboo and Ms. Ayushi and Ms. Tanya and Ms. Satakshi respectively. On the 3rd day, a recipe competition was been organised which was being judged by Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) P. B. Sharma, Honorable Mrs. Vice Chancellor Meena Sharma Honorable Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Vikas Madhukar, based on their nutritional value, affordability and sensory characteristics. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes were given to Mr. Dhyanjay and Ms. Kajal Dhama, Ms. Anishka and Ms. Versha and Mr. Sidhartha and Ms. Tanya Malhotra respectively, for this event.

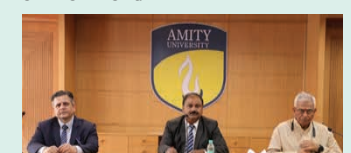
In conclusion, the Nutrition Week celebrations increased awareness about nutrition, balanced diet plans and health counselling. Many students of the college also got an opportunity to have a nutritional assessment and got their personalized diet plans based on the results of the evaluation.

A NATIONAL SEMINAR ON ENVIRONMENT AND ECOLOGY IN THE INDIAN KNOWLEDGE SYSTEM

The Amity Centre for Sanskrit and Indic Studies, Amity University Haryana organized a one-day National seminar on the topic : "Environment and ecology in the Indian knowledge system," on 14th September 2023 as part of the Evening School Initiative of the Ashtadashi Project, which was sponsored by the Central Sanskrit University in New Delhi.

The seminar featured a total of about 15 research papers, which were been presented both in online and offline mode. Dr. Dharmendra Dube presided over the research paper session, which added to the significance of the event. Additionally, the presence of Prof. Sanjay Kumar Jha, Director of Liberal Arts, and the esteemed guest Shri O.P. Pandey, who is not only an ISRO and NASA scientist but also a great scholar of Indian knowledge tradition, further heightened the enthusiasm of the participants.

In conclusion, the national seminar served as a valuable platform to explore various aspects of the Indian knowledge tradition, with a particular focus on its relationship with the environment.



SPECIAL G20 UNIVERSITY CONNECT PROGRAM

on "G-20 Presidency: Fostering Peace, Harmony & Hope for a Blissful World" at Amity University Haryana

by Globally renowned spiritual leader, Swami Mukundananda, an IIT & IIM Alumnus. Swami Mukundananda said that the Master Key of Happiness, Peace and Harmony lies in practicing the age-old, time-tested mantra - "Be Good, Do Good and Feel Good". Six hundred students participated the lecture and interesting question answer session was held.



A WORKSHOP ON ROLE OF QUALITY CONTROL IN FOOD SERVICE CHAIN



Amity School of Hospitality, Amity University Gurugram in collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell organised a workshop on Role of Quality Control in Food Service Chain, on 3rd November, 2023. The event was coordinated by Dr. Vinod Kumar Chauhan and Mr. Subrata Pal. The event aimed to educate ASH students about the

critical role of quality control in maintaining standards of safety, taste, and consistency throughout the food service chain. Dr. Sunita Sharma, the Deputy Director of IQAC, emphasized on the quality control processes, starting from ingredient selection, production, food preparation, storage, service, customer feedback and compliance with regulations. A total of 9 students and 4 faculty members participated in the event.

A CULTURAL FESTIVAL

Indian Knowledge System: Peace & Harmony through Performing Arts

Centre of Excellence for Innovation in Education, Amity University Gurugram, in collaboration with the Ministry of Culture and the Pandit Chandra Kumar Mallick Memorial Charitable Trust, organized a two-day cultural festival, named "Indian Knowledge System: Peace & Harmony through Performing Arts," on November 6th and 7th, 2023. The event aimed to celebrate India's rich cultural heritage and explore the profound connection between performing arts and the Indian knowledge system.

Ustad Wasifuddin Dagar, Rishi & Mahima Upadhyay, Pranshu Chatur Lal, and Namrata Rai, enriched the festival with captivating performances. A total of 500 students and 25 faculty members participated in the event.



During the event, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof (Dr) P.B. Sharma highlighted the deep connections between India's knowledge system and performing arts. Pandit Uday Kumar Mallick shared insights on "Festival Culture," emphasizing the significance of festivals as carriers of tradition and knowledge. Padma Shree Ustad Wasifuddin Dagar, a renowned classical music artist, spoke on the role of festivals in Indian culture and their contribution to preserving traditional knowledge. Internationally acclaimed artists, including

A GUEST LECTURE ON PERSONAL BRANDING AND LEADERSHIP EFFECTIVENESS

Corporate Resource Centre (CRC), Amity University Gurugram organised a Corporate Guest Lecture Series on 22nd November 2023. A guest lecture was orchestrated to familiarize students with the rich learning and experiences of industry champions. The aim was for students to take away best practices and implement them in their day-to-day lives. The event was coordinated by Mr. Ankur Gupta (Deputy Director- Corporate Resource Centre).

Ms. Simi Choudary from Sutherland Global, a speaker representing a large organization with over 100,000 global employees (22,000 in India), conducted a guest lecture on Personal Branding and Leadership Effectiveness.



Prof. Dr. Sanjna Vij, Prof & Deputy Director, Academic Staff College, Amity University Haryana has received the Outstanding Leadership in Education award from the International Council for Journalists and the Newspaper Association of India.



A WORKSHOP ON CAPABILITY ENHANCEMENT AND PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

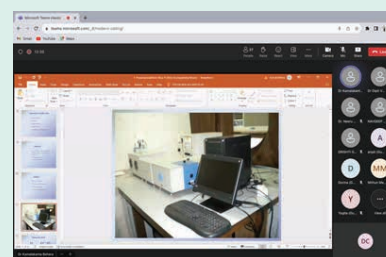


Amity Business School, Amity University Gurugram organized a dynamic workshop on "Capability Enhancement and Personality Development" on 3rd November 2023. The event aimed to empower participants for personal and professional growth by providing a platform to enhance self-awareness,

communication skills, and overall personality traits.

The event focused on key aspects like effective communication, self-confidence, leadership development, time management, emotional intelligence, and goal setting. Participants engaged in presentations, group discussions, and hands-on activities to gain practical insights and tools for refining their personalities and enhancing capabilities. Dr. Supriti Agrawal, an associate professor at ABS delivered a talk during the workshop, about Consumer Behavior, Health care service Marketing, and Pharmaceutical Marketing. A total of 27 students participated in the event.

A SEMINAR ON SELF-ASSEMBLED NANOSTRUCTURES FORMATION WITHIN ICONIC LIQUIDS MEDIA



The Department of Chemistry, Biochemistry and Forensic Sciences at Amity School of Applied Sciences, Amity University Gurugram organized a virtual seminar titled "Self-assembled Nanostructures Formation within Ionic Liquids Media," on 9th November, 2023.

Dr. Kamalakanta Behera from University of Allahabad was present as the expert speaker for the event. The discussion focused on the formation of self-assembled nanostructures, specifically micelles and microemulsions, within ionic liquids. Ionic liquids, characterized by unique physicochemical properties such as low melting point, negligible vapor pressure, and high thermal stability, were highlighted for their application potential in various fields. The seminar delved into the micellar properties of different surfactants, both ionic and nonionic, using the fluorescence probe pyrene for investigation. A total of 31 students and 7 faculty members.

A LECTURE ON CONVENTIONAL TO MODERN HISTOPATHOLOGICAL TECHNIQUES INCLUDING ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

The Department of Medical Laboratory Technology at Amity Medical School, Amity University Gurugram organized a lecture titled "Conventional to Modern (Digital) Histopathological Techniques including Artificial Intelligence" on 8th November 2023. The event was coordinated by Dr. Ranjay Kumar Choudhary, Professor and Head of MLT, AMS.

During the event, Dr. Ashwani Bhardwaj, Ph.D., Head of the Department at KC Govt. Polytechnic for Women, who was present as the expert speaker, delivered an engaging presentation on the evolution of histopathological techniques, from traditional methods to cutting-edge digital and artificial intelligence-assisted approaches. Dr.

Bhardwaj's lecture emphasized the transformative journey from conventional to modern histopathological techniques, highlighting the significant impact of artificial intelligence on pathology. He discussed how these advancements have revolutionized medical diagnostics and research, providing valuable knowledge to the students. A total of 30 students and 7 faculty members participated in the event.



TRANSFORMATIVE FIVE-DAY FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM ON "EMPOWERING YOUR TEACHING WITH OER AND MOODLE"

Gurugram, November 20-24, 2023, The Academic Staff College, Amity University Haryana (AUH) and The Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia (CEMCA) have successfully concluded an impactful Five-Day Faculty Development Program (FDP) from November 20th to 24th, 2023. Themed "Empowering Your Teaching with OER and Moodle," this meticulously designed program aimed to align with the objectives of the National Education Policy (NEP) of 2020. It centered on enhancing digital skills and empowering educators to proficiently create Open Educational Resources (OERs) and engage in

Massive Online Open Courses (MOOCs).

A distinctive feature of this FDP was its outcome-oriented training approach, where participants were equipped to become trainers for their respective institutions. Through hands-on training, educators were prepared to seamlessly integrate OER and Moodle into their teaching methodologies.



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AUGMENTED REALITY

WORKSHOP WITH SEEN

Amity School of Communication, Amity University Gurugram organized a Business News Analysis program with SEEN on 13th September, 2023. The event was been coordinated Esha Jainiti and Mr. Ubair Shoukat. SEEN being a leading company in the field of Augmented Reality (AR) conducted an engaging and informative AR.



The Workshop, which aimed to provide participants with a comprehensive understanding of AR technology, its applications, storytelling techniques, and practical skills in creating AR content. Ms. Antara Mudgal conducted the workshop, focusing on storytelling using mobile phones. Participants learned about scriptwriting, storyboarding, presentation

The second half of the event was led by Mr. Dhiraj Tibrewal and supported by Ms. Antara Mudgal and Ms. Ayushi. Participants were guided through the use of Lens Studio, an AR development platform, to bring their creative ideas to life. The workshop concluded with a hands-on session on creating Snapchat filters, allowing attendees to apply their newfound AR knowledge effectively. A total of 191 students and 8 faculty members participated in the event.



A BUSINESS NEWS ANALYSIS PROGRAM



Amity Business School along with Amity School of Economics, Amity University Gurugram organised a Business News Analysis program on 13th September, 2023. The event was been coordinated by Dr. Bushra Khalid, ABS. The program aimed to enhance participants' critical thinking and analytical skills by delving into current news articles related to the business and financial sectors.

The program consisted of elaborate discussions about various important topics such as Tomato

Price Fluctuation, Competition in India's Premium Motorcycle Market and Addressing Food Insecurity in India. The event provided information about current business news items, encouraging participants to critically analyse and interpret the real-world events to enhance their analytical capabilities and understanding of the business and financial domains. A total of 62 students and 5 faculty members participated in the event.

10TH CONVOCATION

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Chancellor Dr. Aseem Chauhan commended the graduates for their commitment to making a positive impact on society, emphasizing AUH's mission to instill a sense of social responsibility in its students. The Chancellor hailed the graduands on their achievements and urged them to "walk the talk" and make their nation and Alma Mater proud.

Expressing gratitude for the honorary doctorate, Prof. Dr. Govindan Rangarajan lauded AUH's focus on research and innovation, highlighting the university's unique approach to education that integrates human values and ethics.

Mr. Shardul S. Shroff, recipient of the Honoris Causa Doctorate in Law, inspired the graduands with his words on perseverance and excellence, urging them to pursue success with dedication and effort. The ceremony also recognized academic excellence with the conferral of 176 medals and the presentation of the Baljit Shastri Award for Human & Traditional Values. Additionally, AUH honoured students for their outstanding work in sustainability with the GBCI Corporate Award of Sustainability.

AUH's commitment to sustainability and innovation was underscored by its LEED Platinum certification and impressive patent portfolio. The university's dedication to research and academic excellence has solidified its position as a leading institution in India and beyond. Today, AUH stands taller with 242 patents filed out of which 168 have been published. In 2023, The Ministry of Education, Government of India, awarded AUH with a 4-Star rating in the University category. The Amity Universe hosts 13 campuses in India and 17 reputed international campuses. In a short span of 14 years, AUH has emerged as a major hub for world class research and a cradle for innovation.

For more information about Amity University Haryana, please visit <https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/>

IN SHORTS

G20 INITIATIVES @ AMITY UNIVERSITY HARYANA

Amity University Haryana's Participation in G20: University Connect meeting, held on 01st December 2022 at Sushma Swaraj Bhawan, New Delhi. The event provided a unique platform for our students and faculty to engage with global leaders and experts, exchange ideas, and contribute to the vital discussions surrounding the G20 agenda.

Glimpses of Participation in G20: University Connect meeting



G-20 Sensitization lecture was conducted on: "The Future of Mobility in India - The Metro Experience, Emerging Trends and Opportunities" by Eminent Expert Speaker Dr Mangu Singh, Former Managing Director, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC). Six hundred students from various departments of Amity University Haryana attended the lecture. The question-answer session was also conducted and respected Dr Mangu Singh responded to all the questions raised by the Faculties and Students.



New Science for Holistic Health and Sustainable Development Needed by Prof Narendra K Mehra at S-20 Invited Lecture at Amity University Haryana.



G-20 Poster Competition: G-20 Poster Competition was organised for students to showcase their Creativity and Express their thought on the topic: "One Earth, One Family, One Future "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" - the Essence of India's G20 Presidency. The posters highlighted a wide range of topics like:

- climate change
- poverty reduction
- gender equality



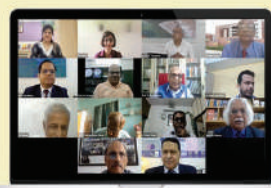
Universities – Industries and Government should work together to foster a new era of Science and Technology Innovations for Accelerated Sustainable Development – Dr VK Saraswat, Hon'ble Member NITI Aayog at G-20 India Presidency Lecture at Amity University Haryana, Gurugram:



AMITY UNIVERSITY GURUGRAM

SHEDS LIGHT ON INDIA'S RIVER FUTURE IN AN INSIGHTFUL ONLINE PANEL DISCUSSION.

In celebration of Innovation Week, the Centre of Excellence for Innovation in Education and Academic Staff College at Amity University Gurugram organized a thought-provoking online panel discussion titled "Rivers of India - A Journey through Past, Present, and Future," on 22nd September, 2023. The event aimed to explore India's rich river heritage, discuss the current state of its for these vital water bodies. The event was coordinated by Prof Sanjna Vij, Dy Excellence for Innovation in Education,



The event was been graced by many Chancellor, Prof. Dr. P. B. Sharma and Shri S.P. Vashishth, Executive Director Ganga emphasized the historical civilizations, citing examples of civilizations like Mesopotamia, the Indus Valley, Harappan, and Egyptian civilizations. As the Executive Director (Technical) of the National Mission for Clean Ganga, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India, Shri D.P. Mathuria highlighted the significance of instituting annual river management strategies within urban areas to ensure access to clean water. He emphasized floodplain zoning and the importance of culturally significant water bodies in effective water resource governance.

eminent speakers along with Hon'ble Vice Pro Vice Chancellor, Dr Vikas Madhukar. (Admin), National Mission for Clean

importance of rivers as cradles of ancient Prof M L Kansal, Professor (HAG) and Former Head at WRD&M and NEEPCO & JPSS Chair at the Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee, focused on the adverse impact of industrial pollution on rivers. He highlighted the various ways in which industrial discharges pose a significant threat to river ecosystems and water quality. Prof. Kansal emphasized the role of governance and well-designed urban infrastructure in preventing pollution.

SANGATHAN

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The concluding function on October 17, 2023, witnessed a spectacular display of vigour during the March Past, with 13 contingents and over 500 students representing more than 20 different academic disciplines, including Science and Engineering, Biotechnology, Communications, Behavioural Sciences, Pharmacy, and many others. Following intense inter-departmental competitions, Amity Institute of Behavioural Sciences and Amity Institute of Clinical Psychology emerged as the overall Champions of Sangathan 2023.

Sangathan has once again demonstrated its prominence in promoting a holistic development approach, bringing students and faculty together in the spirit of sports, unity, and excellence. The event has left an indelible mark, fostering a culture of sportsmanship and camaraderie within the Amity community.

WORKSHOP ON

A SUSTAINABILITY AND FUTURE FOOD WITH VEZLAY FOODS



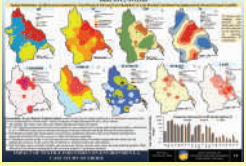
Amity School of Hospitality, Amity University Gurugram organised a Sustainability and Future Food workshop on 22nd September, 2023. The Sustainability & Future Food Workshop aimed to educate ASH students about the health benefits of incorporating Vegetarian & Vegan Soya Food into their daily diets. The event was been coordinated by Dr. Kunal Seth, Assistant Professor, ASH.



Mr. Pramod Kumar, General Manager, Vezlay Foods, conducted cooking demonstrations of various Vegetarian & Vegan Soya Food Products in ASH's Food Production Lab, providing hands-on learning opportunities for the participants. A total of 33 students and 7 faculty members participated in the event.

STUDENTS' WORK TRANSFORMING IDEAS, IGNITING INNOVATIONS

AMITY SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE & PLANNING



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POOJA KUMARI B. ARCH. (2022-27)



NISANTH MENON B.ARCH (2019-2024)



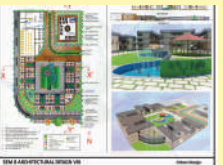
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PRIYAMVADA B.ARCH (2018-2023)



APURV JAIN BID (2020-2024)



YASHIKA YADAV B.ARCH (2019-2024)

AMITY SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION



Tushar Bhatnagar Bsc A&VG



Harshita Jain Bsc A&VG



Deshmukh Rawat Bsc A&VG



Sharmishta Rawat Bsc A&VG



Sohil Bansal Bsc A&VG



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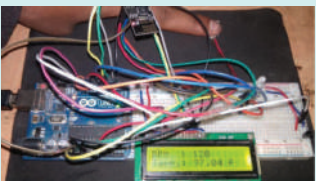
INTELLIGENT HUMANOID ROBOT
Developed by: I. Pavan Raju, S. Kiran M.Tech-AI and Robotics Mr. Nitesh Raj, Center of Robotics & AI, ASET



MEDICINE DRONE
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IOT BASED LOW-COST VENTILATOR
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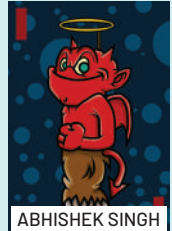


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Developed by: Vanshika Jain, B.Tech-CSE Aakarsh Sharma, (B.Tech + M.Tech)-AIML Sonali Behura, B.Tech-CSE

AMITY SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS



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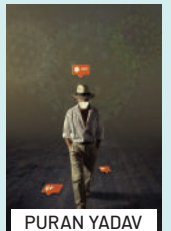
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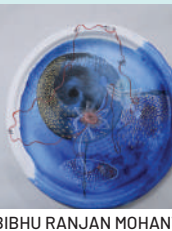
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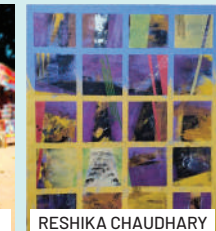
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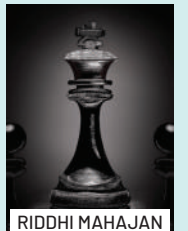
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RESHIKA CHAUDHARY



RIDDHI MAHAJAN

AMITY SCHOOL OF FASHION TECHNOLOGY



Nitish Aadya Pattnaik Prachi Painuli Nitish Nema Mirza Surya Topa

Sakshi Singh Nema Mirza Gunjan Pant Cheshta Sheetal Dahiya

PREMIUM PLACEMENTS



Mansi Srivastava
M.Sc. - Biotechnology



Vaani Gupta
B.Tech - CSE + MBA
(Dual Degree)



Tushar Agarwal
B.Tech + M.Tech
(AL & ML)



Dongala Praveen Sai
MBA Banking & Finance



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M.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)



Zera Hussain
M.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)



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B.Sc. (Clinical Psychology)



Sahil Khan
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Neha Dhariwal
MA (English)

COLLEGE TOUR



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GROUP DISCUSSION PREPARATIONS



BOOT CAMP

TECHNICAL SESSIONS IN PROGRESS- SOFT SKILLS AND TECHNICAL SKILLS ASPECT GROOMED.



OUR STUDENTS LEARN FROM GLOBAL LEADERS



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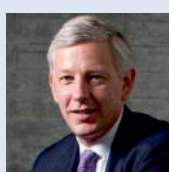
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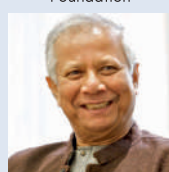
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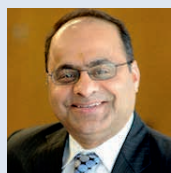
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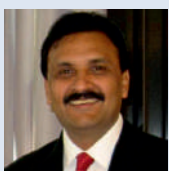
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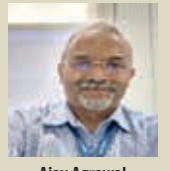
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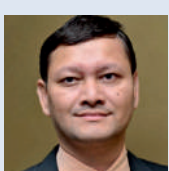
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OTHER IMPORTANT VISITS



INDUSTRY COLLABORATION



CAMPUS BUZZ

AN EDUCATIONAL TOUR TO

THE INDIAN AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Amity School of Economics, Amity University Gurugram organized an educational tour to the Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), PUSA Campus, New Delhi, on 5th October, 2023. The program offered students a multitude of benefits for their academic and professional development. The event was coordinated by Dr A M Jose and Dr Faraz Ahmad.



A SEMINAR ON SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP



Amity Business School, Amity University Gurugram organized a seminar on Social Entrepreneurship on the theme "New Hope For Better World", on 18th OCTOBER, 2023. The event aimed to educate, inspire, and empower participants by delving into the principles and practices of social entrepreneurship. The event was coordinated by Dr. Supriti Agarwal.

The seminar on social entrepreneurship served as a knowledge-sharing platform, bringing together experts, entrepreneurs, and enthusiasts to explore innovative ways of addressing societal challenges through sustainable business

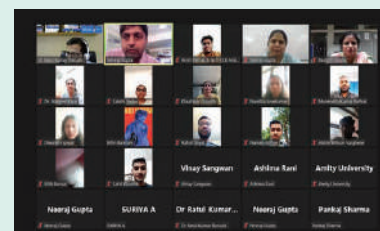
models. Mr. Divya Prakash and Mrs. Meenakshi, Co-Founder of Donate an Hour, were present as the expert speakers for the event. They focused on the potential of social entrepreneurship to drive positive change, along with emphasizing on the importance of innovative business models that balance social and environmental impact with profits. Moreover, the speakers encouraged individuals to use their entrepreneurial spirit to tackle pressing societal issues. A total of 133 students and 4 faculty members participated in the event.

A SEMINAR ON

CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES IN SEMICONDUCTOR RESEARCH

Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering of Amity School Engineering Technology, Amity University Gurugram in collaboration with Tezpur University, Assam organized a virtual seminar on Challenges and Opportunities in Semiconductor Research, on 19th October 2023. The event was coordinated by Dr. Neeraj Gupta; Associate Professor, AEST.

The event aimed to inspire and educate participants about the Challenges and



Opportunities in Semiconductor Research, focusing on the semiconductor industry's current landscape and the need for innovative solutions. Dr. Ratul Kumar Baruah from Tezpur University, Assam was present as the expert speaker, who introduced the concept of semiconductors and the importance of chips, debunked myths about semiconductor devices, discussed topics like Moore's law, MOSFET operation, along with challenges faced with scaled devices and new device structures. Additionally, issues such as increased product demand in the future due to AI, IoT, smartphones, and high-tech industries, international trade disputes affecting costs and global collaboration, and need for sustainable processes and recycling semiconductor materials were also being emphasized during the lecture. A total of 48 students, 5 faculty members and 25 outside participants attended the event.

A GUEST LECTURE ON

INDIAN PENAL CODE- 1860

Amity Law School, Amity University Gurugram organized a guest lecture on "Indian Panel Code- 1860" on 14th September, 2023. The event was coordinated by Dr. Shiv Raman, Associate Professor and Mr. Sanjay Kumar Pandey, Assistant Professor. The event was being held as a part of the ongoing MoU of ALS with Pahuja Law Academy for the same, with the aim to provide continued guidance to the students in their endeavors to attempt competitive examinations.

The distinguished speaker of the guest lecture was Ms. Ginny Rajvanshi, Senior Faculty at Pahuja Law Academy, Delhi, who expressed

her happiness in organizing such a lecture where students could learn the intricacies of the IPC and technique of answering questions during exams. Elaborate explanation of the provisions of the code and case studies along with discussions about the intricate differences between investigation and inquiry and their importance in trials took place during the program. Ms. Ginny further highlighted on the skills and qualities needed for qualifying in the Judicial Services Examination and explained tricks and techniques, to be followed in Prelims, Mains and Interview. A total of 120 students and 2 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event demonstrated knowledge about the Indian Panel Code- 1860, various legal proceedings, and strategies to qualify in professional examinations. The event proved to be valuable for the students who want to pursue a career in the field of judiciary.



A FACULTY

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Amity Institute of Pharmacy in collaboration with Association of Indian Universities (AIU) and Amity Academic Staff College organized a Faculty Development Program, on the topic "Recent Technological Trends and Advancements in Pharmaceutical Sciences", from 9th to 13th October 2023. The event was coordinated by Dr. Asim Kumar, Dr. Atin Kalra, Dr. Shrestha Sharma and Dr. Kiran Sharma.

The event aimed to inform participants about contemporary trends and advancements in pharmaceutical sciences. The inaugural address by Vice Chancellor Prof. P. B. Sharma

highlighted the role of pharmaceutical sciences in healthcare and the importance of innovation. The event was graced by 12 esteemed speakers, who sensitized participants to novel developments in pharmaceutical sciences. Various topics such as the advancements in drug delivery systems, protective effects of natural compounds in neuro inflammation models, pedagogy in pharmaceutical sciences, pharmaceutical regulatory environments, recent trends in Drug Regulatory affairs and Drug Discovery. A total of 15 students and 99 faculty members participated in the event.

WASTE TO ART A SUSTAINABLE SCULPTURE WORKSHOP



Amity School of Fine Arts, Amity University Gurugram in collaboration with Gandhi Smriti and Darshann Smriti, organised a sustainable sculpture workshop, titled "Waste to Art", at Satyagrah Mandap, Gandhi Darshann, Rajghat, New Delhi, on 20th October, 2023. The event aimed to introduce participants to the concept of creating sculptures using environmentally friendly and sustainable materials and techniques. The event was coordinated by Dr. Animesh Mahata and Mr. Ramesh Sampui.

A total of 41 students and 3 faculty members participated in the event.

During the event participants gained valuable knowledge about sustainable materials and techniques for creating sculptures. They learned how to work with materials like paper, cardboard, wood, glass, plastics, metals, and rubber to create art with minimal environmental impact. Participants created numerous sustainable sculptures, showcasing their newfound skills and creativity in the process. Additionally, the workshop raised awareness about the environmental impact of traditional art materials and emphasized the importance of adopting sustainable art practices.

A SOCIETY OUTREACH PROGRAM ON THE OCCASION OF WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

Amity College of Nursing in collaboration with Amity Institute of Clinical Psychology, Amity University Gurugram organised a Mental Health Awareness Program at Farkharpur village under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, on 1th October, 2023.

The event aimed to empower student nurses with comprehensive knowledge about mental health and its connection

to physical well-being. The B.Sc Nursing 7th Semester students conducted a health assessment camp and mental health awareness session in an engaging manner to inform the community about their physical health. The event highlighted the importance of understanding how physical parameters can impact mental health. A total 12 students and 2 faculty members participated in the event.



A FRENCH FILM SCREENING

Amity School of Languages, Amity University Gurugram organised a French film named "Mystère" by Denis Imbert, on 26th October, 2023. The movie, based on a true story, follows the journey of Stéphane, a father who, after his wife's passing, relocates to the mountains with his 8-year-old daughter Vicky, who has become non-verbal. The narrative unfolds as Vicky discovers a puppy in the forest, naming him Mystery.

The inspiration and objectives of the event were centred on expanding the horizons of language by introducing students to French words, sounds, and pronunciation through an engaging cinematic experience. The event also provided insight into French culture, customs, and expressions, fostering a deeper understanding beyond the linguistic aspect. A total of 90 students participated in the event.

EVENT

"EMBARCKING ON EMPOWERMENT: A WEEK OF LEADERSHIP ENLIGHTENMENT SPARKS ENTHUSIASM AT AMITY UNIVERSITY GURUGRAM" - COMMENCING INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION AND BEYOND.

"Embarking on a Transformative Journey: Amity University Gurugram's International Women's Week Celebration starts with a week-long Leadership Development Program, aptly named 'Empowering Women for Leadership: Progressing Together,' curated by the Academic Staff College." from 04-08 March, 2024

During the Inaugural, Prof PB Sharma, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Amity University Gurugram, shed light on the profound role of women in mythology, emphasizing the timeless importance of honesty and kindness in their narratives. Prof Sharma address served as a beacon for the empowering journey that lay ahead, leaving a lasting impact on all those fortunate enough to be present during this significant event.

Dr. Meeta Brahma, Director NIIT Ltd introduced the concept of "Discover, Dream, Design, Deliver." This framework encapsulated a holistic approach to goal setting and achievement, inspiring the audience to envision their aspirations, strategize a plan, and diligently work towards realizing their dreams.

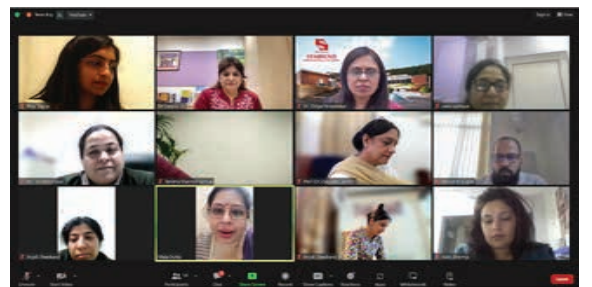
Ms. Anna Roy, Principal Economic Adviser - NITI Aayog, Government of India emphasized the value of hard work and cited Prime Minister Modi's proactive stance on AI. Ms. Anna Roy's insights underscore the need for collective efforts and strategic focus for an empowered future.

Dr Sangita Reddy, Joint Managing Director, Apollo Hospitals Group, Chair - G20 Empower India & Past President - FICCI

delivered a compelling address on International Women's Day. With eloquence and authority, she shared insights and perspectives that resonated with the spirit of empowerment and gender equality.

Prof. Sanjita Vij, Prof, Liberal Arts, Director, Academic Staff College, Amity University Haryana delivered an opening address on Women's Day, emphasizing the Leadership Development Program's role in enhancing faculty growth and fostering essential leadership skills.

Eminent personalities like Prof Dr. Rajita Kulkarni, President, Sri Sri University, Odisha, Prof (Dr.) Sayalee Gankar, the Vice-Chancellor of D Y Patil University, Dr Vidya Yeravdekar, Pro Chancellor, Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Prof. (Dr.) Ami Umakant Upadhyay, Vice-Chancellor, Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University, Ahmedabad enlightened the audience with their thought provoking words.



A MENTAL HEALTH FIESTA

Amity Institute of Behavioural and Allied Sciences, Amity University Gurugram organised a Mental Health Awareness Fiesta on the occasion of World Mental Health Day, on 10th October, 2023. The impact of the event was heightened by its diverse educational mediums, engaging the student community in understanding the importance of mental health maintenance.

Through compelling student performances, including role-plays, skits, and poetry, the event effectively

conveyed the message of normalizing mental health conversations and prioritizing therapy or intervention. A psychology related quiz was also been conducted which helped the participants demonstrate knowledge about psychological facts. An art therapy session was being conducted by the faculty, which played a crucial role in simplifying the process of introspection and fostering a more positive self-concept through the use of colours. A total of 107 students participated in the event.



A WORKSHOP BY AIBAS

Amity Institute of Behavioural Science organised Hands-on workshop on Introduction to Neuroscientific Tools in Psychology on 20 February, 2024. The objective was to inspire students for innovation in the field of psychology in general and to train them in application of neurofeedback techniques in particular.

The aim of the workshop was to educate participants on EEG and GSR, emphasizing how external stimuli influence brainwave patterns, particularly delta and theta waves. Additionally, the workshop aimed to introduce participants to the concept of eye tracking and its potential for uncovering unconscious feedback.

START-UPS INCUBATED BY IN-HOUSE AMITY INNOVATION INCUBATOR OF AMITY GURUGRAM

A GUEST LECTURE ON QUANTUM AND POST QUANTUM CRYPTOGRAPHY

The Department of Mathematics at Amity School of Applied Sciences, Amity University Gurugram organized a seminar on Quantum and Post Quantum Cryptography on 3rd November, 2023. The primary inspiration and objective were to enhance participants' knowledge in the field of cryptography and its applications. Mr. Dhananjay Dey, an esteemed professor from IIT

Lucknow was present as the speaker, who covered various aspects of cryptography, including applications, cryptosystems, secure communication, and advancements in quantum computing. A total of 26 students and 8 faculty members participated in the event. In conclusion, the event demonstrated in-depth knowledge of cryptography, along with fostering future collaboration in this field.



AN INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM WITH QMUL



The Office of International Affairs, Amity University Gurugram organized an International Exchange Program on 21st November, 2023. Ms. Clare Burke and Ms. Jaspreet Kaur from Queen Mary University, London graced the program with their presence. The objectives were centered on global academic excellence, cultural exchange, and research innovation.

The meeting, led by Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Vikas Madhukar and Ms. Vanita Verma, discussed collaboration activities in fields like Management, Psychology, and Biotechnology. The Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) P.B. Sharma, suggested inviting QMUL students to AUH and collaborating on research projects related to environment and health. The event concluded with plans for an online meeting to finalize the draft and proposal for the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between AUH and QMUL, setting the stage for future collaborations and partnerships. A total of 9 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event helped in understanding global perspectives, exploring collaboration opportunities, recognizing the strategic importance of international partnerships, enhancing educational experiences, acknowledging cultural diversity, and awareness of supportive resources.



AN EXPERT TALK ON NANOTECHNOLOGY AND NANOMATERIALS

Amity Centre for Nanotechnology, Amity School of Engineering and Technology, Amity University Gurugram organised an Expert Talk on Nanotechnology and Nanomaterials, on 22nd December, 2023.

The event featured an expert talk by Prof. Chin-Tsan Wang, Director of the Science and Technology Division at the Taipei Economic and Cultural Center in India and Ms. Elli Chang, Taiwan Embassy. The focus of the talk was on transformative opportunities in education, particularly through programs such as TEEP, Faculty Exchange, and Dual Degree Programs. Prof. Wang highlighted these initiatives as means to provide students and faculty with global exposure, contributing to a diverse and inclusive learning environment. A total of 12 students and 16 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the session inspired collaboration and idea exchange, emphasizing the potential for fruitful interactions among participants to further educational advancements.



A WORKSHOP ON PROBLEM SOLVING AND IDEATION

Amity Institute of Pharmacy in collaboration with Institution Innovation Council, Amity University Gurugram organized a two day workshop on Problem Solving and Ideation, on 21st and 22nd December, 2023. A total of 22 students and 5 faculty members participated in the event.

The first session delved into the theme "Unraveling the Dynamics: Trends in Indian Innovation," where Dr. Gautam explored recent innovation trends in India, offering real-time examples and discussing the evolution of innovation dynamics over the past decade. Additionally, he also focused on the crucial role of intellectual property in economic growth and advocating for collaboration between academia and industry.

On the second day, Dr. Atin Kalra took the stage, starting with a brief introduction by Dr. Asim Kumar. The theme of the first session was "Cracking the Code: Strategies for Effective Patent Protection," where Dr. Kalra elaborated on ways academic and industrial organizations can protect intellectual property. In the second session, titled "Beyond the Lab: Practical Insight into Safeguarding Your Intellectual Property," he highlighted innovative teaching practices and the role of teachers in nurturing students' problem-solving skills. Dr. Kalra discussed case studies, encouraging students to prepare for patent agent exams and adapt to the evolving patenting landscape.

In conclusion, the event demonstrated knowledge about the dynamic landscape of innovation and intellectual property rights in India. Moreover, the students were encouraged to generate innovative ideas and prototypes with commercial potential, along with protecting them through intellectual property rights.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM ON EVALUATION RESEARCH

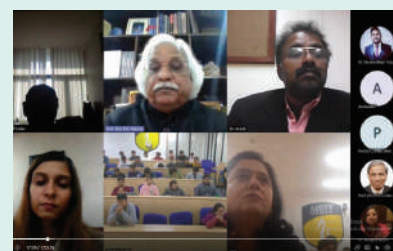


Amity School of Communication, Amity University Gurugram organized a Faculty Development program on Evaluation Research, on 20th November 2023. The event aimed to inspire faculty and researchers in communication to explore Evaluation Research, delving into the intricate relationship between research and evaluation. The speaker, Prof. Vinod Pavarala (Senior Professor, Dept of communication, University of Hyderabad and UNESCO Chair on Community Media) covered various facets of evaluation, emphasizing its impact on organizations and discussing evaluation strategies, including scientific-experimental, management-oriented, qualitative/anthropological, and participatory research models.

The address highlighted the functions and methods of evaluation, underscoring the significance of participatory research and key topics such as log frame analysis, project management tools like PERT, and the importance of considering people as agents in the evaluation process. The speaker encouraged critical reflection, mutual learning, and stakeholder involvement, distinguishing between formative and summative evaluation types and providing an overview of the evaluation cycle. A total of 15 students and 15 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event provided valuable insights, distinguishing between anthropological and participatory models, understanding the extended process of the latter, and recognizing the positive impact of listening to stakeholders. Discussions on mixed methods, political acumen in participatory practices, and real-world applications of evaluative techniques enriched attendees' perspectives.

A GUEST LECTURE ON THE OCCASION OF NATIONAL ENERGY CONSERVATION DAY



Solar Engineering Department and Amity Centre of Excellence in Ocean, Atmospheric Science and Technology in collaboration with Institution Innovation Council, Amity University Gurugram organized a guest lecture aligning with the mission of the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), on the occasion National Energy Conservation Day, titled "Influence of Meteorology on Air Quality," on 14th December, 2023.

The event aimed to raise awareness about energy conservation and climate change, with a focus on the initiatives undertaken by the university in energy efficiency. The event commenced with a welcome address by Prof. (Dr.) P C S

Devara, highlighting AUH's efforts in monitoring air quality on campus and showcasing research on the impact of air pollution on human health. Prof. (Dr.) P B Sharma, the Vice Chancellor, stressed the importance of energy conservation for sustainable development. Dr. Anikender Kumar delivered a guest lecture on the "Influence of Meteorology on Air Quality," discussing the effects of atmospheric pollution on ozone levels and its implications for health. The lecture emphasized the importance of energy conservation in reducing greenhouse gas emissions and its positive impact on the environment. A total of 39 students and 14 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion the event demonstrated knowledge on energy conservation and the importance of taking the Renewable Energy Pledge, symbolizing their commitment to environmental conservation. Moreover, the event fostered connections among the college students and encouraged them to work for a better future.

AN EXPERT LECTURE ON NEUROBIOLOGY OF SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

Amity Institute of Clinical Psychology, Amity University Gurugram organized an expert lecture on the Neurobiology of Substance Use Disorder, on 3rd January, 2024.

The lecture was conducted by Dr. Nimay Sachdeva, MD Psychiatry, which covered a broad range of topics related to Substance Use Disorder, including the overview of ICD criteria for addiction, etiology of addiction, psychosocial issues in individuals with addiction, mental health stress, stages of addiction, pathways for addiction, coping models for positive mental health, and prevention models for promoting individual mental health. The session also highlighted Motivational Enhancement Therapy (MET) as a coping strategy for dealing with addiction issues. Trainees gained insights through personal

experiences, and the program emphasized early identification and prevention strategies for mental health issues in individuals with substance use disorder. Attendees were encouraged to seek treatment for mental illnesses associated with substance use disorders from psychiatrists and psychologists. A total of 30 students and 6 faculty members participated in the event.

In summary, the expert lecture provided valuable information on the neurobiology of Substance Use Disorder, offering insights into prevention strategies, coping models, and the role of practical and service-oriented aspects in the community. The program inspired awareness and prevention initiatives for psychosocial issues related to substance use disorders.

A DAY WITH EXCELLENCE IN ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Amity Institute of Integrative Sciences and Health, Amity Centre of Excellence in Ocean-Atmospheric Science and Technology (ACOAST) and Amity Academic Staff College, Amity University Haryana hosted an event titled, "A Day with Excellence in Environment and Health Sciences," on 10th January, 2024.



Facilitated by Hon'ble VC Prof PB Sharma and Prof. (Dr.) Qamar Rehman, the event aimed to foster collaboration between the university and experts from the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) and Oregon State University. The luminaries, including Dr. Rick Woychik, Dr. Srikanth S. Nadadur, and Prof. Robyn Tanguay, shared insights on climate change's impact on human health. The program addressed environmental challenges, emphasizing the link between environmental health and human well-being.

In conclusion, the event created a platform for collaboration and research initiatives, fostering interdisciplinary approaches to address global environmental issues. The participants gained exposure to cutting-edge research and were motivated to contribute to solutions for air and water pollution.



A GUEST LECTURE ON 'UNLOCKING PATHWAYS OF MATHEMATICS' BY ASAS ON 9TH JANUARY, 2024

Department of Mathematics, Amity School of Applied Sciences organised a guest lecture on, 'Unlocking Pathways to Mathematics: Exploring Algebra, Analysis, and quantum Computing', on 9th January 2024. The speaker was an eminent professor of mathematics who delivered a lecture on Quantum computing and application of mathematics.

The aim of the webinar was to enlighten participants about the practical applications of Algebra, Analysis, and quantum computing, thereby offering them insights into potential career paths in mathematics. Additionally, the event aimed to foster understanding and interest in the field of quantum computing and promote collaborative efforts towards its development and application.

The webinar explored practical applications of mathematics, particularly in Algebra, Analysis, and quantum computing, aiming to highlight career opportunities in the field. It was inspired by a desire to deepen understanding of quantum computing and underscored the significance of collaboration in advancing mathematical research and application.

A SITE VISIT BY AMITY SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE & PLANNING ON 19TH JANUARY, 2024



Amity School of Architecture & Planning organised Site Visit for office space along with case study at Liv Space Gurugram on 19th January 2024. The students assessed both positive and negative aspects of office space design, analysed the needs of an office complex, understand essential services for an interior design firm's office, and learned about on-site considerations.

The session aimed to give students practical insights into office space design evaluation, analysing office complex needs, understanding essential services for interior design firms, and learning on-site construction and renovation techniques. Students learned construction and building facade methods crucial

for space design, alongside a case study of Livspace, offering insight into office requirements and services for societal needs and future designs. Overall, the goal was to equip students with real-world knowledge and skills in office space design and interior architecture.

In conclusion, the session equipped students with practical insights and skills for office space design and interior architecture. Through activities like site visits and case studies, they gained valuable knowledge in evaluating office space, understanding complex needs, and mastering essential services. This real-world exposure prepares students to excel in designing effective office spaces.

A MOTIVATIONAL TALK BY INNOVATORS UNDER "MY STORY"

AlB, AISH and Institute Innovation Council organised a Motivation Talk by Innovators under "My Story" talk series on 23rd January 2024. This event showcased the inspiring entrepreneurial journey of Prof. Dhar an provided valuable insight into the world of biotechnological research, innovation, and the challenges and triumphs of founding and running successful companies in the field.

The talk aimed to address the latest developments and challenges in entrepreneurship within the life science industry, using the journey of Clear Meat Pvt. Ltd. as a case study. Students convened to hear from Prof. Pawan Dhar about his motivational journey, providing them with insights into innovation and collaboration in the dynamic

field of life sciences.

In conclusion, the talk provided valuable insights into entrepreneurship in the biotechnology sector, addressing challenges and successes. Participants gained understanding of innovation, funding, and bridging the gap between research and commercialization. The interactive session facilitated knowledge exchange, fostering collaboration and exploration of new opportunities for advancing the life sciences.



A CULTURAL EVENT ON INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE DAY

Department of Chemistry, Biochemistry and Forensic Science organised an Industrial Visit on January 31, 2024. The main purpose of this visit was to educate students about the functioning of instrumentation and the processing of data derived from the initial steps.

The industrial visit aimed to educate students about pharmaceutical instrumentation and data processing. They learned about synthesizing APIs to replicate existing drugs and explored various machinery for crucial steps like DSC, TGA, and purity analysis. Supervised by Dr. Dipti Vaya and Dr. Manish Shandilya, students gained insights into instruments like LC-MS, GC-MS, HPLC, enhancing their understanding for future careers.



In conclusion, the visit offered students valuable insights into pharmaceutical instrumentation and drug development processes. They gained practical knowledge about synthesizing APIs and utilizing various machinery for quality analysis. This experience enriched their understanding of pharmaceutical science and equipped them with skills essential for their future careers in the industry.

AN INDUSTRIAL VISIT BY AMITY SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS.

Amity School of Economics organised an industrial visit to Maruti Suzuki from 21st- 22nd February, 2024. The visit focused on understanding the manufacturing plant of an automobile industry and gaining insight into the culture of Maruti Suzuki.

The visit aimed to gain comprehensive insights into the automobile industry. It delved into understanding the manufacturing plant, technology, and techniques employed in car production. Additionally, it examined the company's production and distribution strategies, alongside its production process and planning methods.

In conclusion, the study offered insights into Maruti Suzuki's manufacturing, production strategies, and supply chain management, enhancing understanding of its operations within the automotive industry.

IN SHORTS



Dr H R P Yadav, Professor & Head- Civil Engineering, AUG sharing his thoughts as a Panelist representing AUH during Leadership Panel Discussion on "Advanced Biofuels- Opportunities and Challenges " on 03 May 2024 during International Summit on "Bioenergy Value Chain " held at Hotel Le Meridien, New Delhi organised by Indus Expositum Pvt. Ltd. New Delhi

Amity School of Communication, Amity University Gurugram and Media Entertainment Skill Council collaborated to host a CBSE-sponsored one-day teacher's training on the Capacity Building Program for Multimedia, Mass Media & Photography. Over 65 school principals and teachers participated on March 15th 2024 to enhance their skills in line with the New Education Policy 2020. Kudos to all for investing in the future of education!



Amity University Gurugram hosted more an 300 CEO's of MSME Companies in Global Suppliers Meet of Motherson Group. Dr. Sachin Juneja, Director-Admissions & Marketing showcased our campus academic and research strength during presentation to elite group of 300+ CEOs and Founders of various MSME co.



workshop on Luxury Fashion Management and Fashion Styling. Tailored for students, it provided valuable insights and networking opportunities. Stay tuned for more exciting events!

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Sharing glimpses of the vibrant Republic Day celebrations at #AmityUniversityGurugram ! Proud moments as we come together to honor the spirit of unity and patriotism.

#AUHRepublicDay
#CelebratingUnity
#republicday



A BUSINESS MODEL PRESENTATION
TIDE OF IDEAS

Amity College of Commerce, Amity University organised an innovative business model presentation named "Tides of Ideas", on 20 September, 2023, as a part of the innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Dr. Renuka Sharma, Assistant Professor, ACC.

The participants got an opportunity to present their ideas to the panel of judges, which included Dr. Savita (Assistant Professor, ACC) and Dr. Renuka Sharma (Assistant Professor, ACC). Participants took turns presenting their innovative business models, showcasing their dedication and vision. After the presentations, the judges engaged in cross-questioning, allowing participants to demonstrate their knowledge and adaptability. The results were announced by the judges, based on criteria like feasibility, market potential, and pitching skills. The winners were recognized and rewarded for their ingenuity and determination. A total of 12 students participated in the event.

In conclusion, the program provided a dynamic platform for aspiring entrepreneurs to present their innovative business models. The event also promoted learning, creativity and innovation among students, along with fostering personal as well as professional growth.


A WORKSHOP ON UNCONVENTIONAL ATTIRE

Amity School of Fashion Design and Technology, Amity University Gurugram organised a Workshop on Unconventional Attire from 18th to 28th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Dr. Suniti Sood, Ms. Aditi Sharma and Ms. Kavita.

During the workshop, students embarked on a creative journey, producing original designs and crafting garments inspired by their chosen themes. The process involved designing unique dresses for young women, starting from scratch and progressing through fully rendered illustrations to the construction of final garments. A total of 9 students and 5 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the program demonstrated unique ideas, styles and trends, along with fostering creativity and critical thinking while working in the various attires.


A NATIONAL SEMINAR ON ECO-CENTRIC DEVELOPMENTS UNDER THE PURVIEW OF INDIA KNOWLEDGE SYSTEM

The Amity School of Liberal Arts, Amity University Haryana in collaboration with Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi organized a National Seminar titled "Eco-Centric Developments under the Purview of Indian Knowledge System," on 14th September, 2023. This seminar aimed to celebrate and explore the eco-centric wisdom found in India's ancient knowledge systems. It brought together scholars, experts, environmentalists, indigenous communities, and concerned citizens. A total of 600 participants were present in the event.

The seminar began with a traditional lamp lighting ceremony and the enlightening speech of Honourable Vice Chancellor Prof. P.B. Sharma, who highlighted the Indian Knowledge System's contributions to environmental betterment. Shri. K.N. Govindacharya, the founder of Bharat Vikash Sangam and a renowned ambassador of the Indian Knowledge System, served as the Chief Guest and encouraged attendees to read books that address environmental degradation and



emphasized the importance of global thinking and local action. Shri Jeev Kant Jha, an expert speaker and social activist, focused on water conservation, while Dr. O.P. Pandey, an ISRO scientist, emphasized the connection between consciousness, science, and technology in addressing environmental issues. Dr. Ravi Manuja discussed the division between those favouring and destroying nature.

In conclusion, the seminar aimed to equip attendees with the knowledge, skills, and values necessary to address current and future environmental challenges, advocate for positive change, and contribute to a more sustainable and equitable world. The seminar also included paper presentations by scholars, educationists, and environmentalists, providing a platform for sharing knowledge and insights on environmental challenges and solutions.

WORKSHOP ON CREATIVE AND SUSTAINABLE SCULPTURE MAKING

Amity School of Fine Arts, Amity University Gurugram organised a Creative and Sustainable Sculpture Making Workshop using waste materials, on 19th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Dr. Animesh Mahata and Mr. Ramesh Sampui. During the workshop, students enthusiastically crafted sculptures using various waste materials, including corrugated cardboard sheets, foil paper, paper rolls,

paper mache, wooden sticks, wood panels, wooden branches, plastic used bottles, and plastic sheets. The students not only enjoyed the process but also experimented with different materials, drawing upon their knowledge and artistic sensibilities to create unique sculptural forms. A total of 42 students participated in the event.

In conclusion, the workshop successfully achieved its aim to enhance students' creative under-

standing while promoting critical thinking and problem-solving. Additionally, it taught the students how to transform waste materials into creative objects, along with nurturing their artistic skills and aesthetic appreciation for various forms of artwork. The students developed a wide range of techniques for handling different mediums and cultivated their unique artistic styles.


AN ILLUMINATE FURNI-TECH CHALLENGE

Amity School of Architecture Program, Amity University Gurugram organised an "Illuminate Furni Tech Challenge", from 18th to 25th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Dr. Pallavi Sharma and Ms. Kumud Dhanwantri. The competition emphasized on problem-solving and creative design solutions, highlighting the importance of attention to detail and precision in furniture design. It challenged them to create innovative furniture pieces for indoor or outdoor use, allowing them to explore various design themes and experiment with different materials, such as wood, plastic, and fabric. A total of 18 students participated in the event. In conclusion, the competition fostered

artistic skills, along with encouraging creativity and collaboration. The experience enhanced the students' abilities in creative thinking, design, and problem-solving, which are essential skills in the fields of architecture and interior design.


FRAMED PERSPECTIVE A PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

Amity School of Architecture and Planning, Amity University Gurugram organised a photography competition titled "Framed Perspective", on 19th September, 2023. The event was coordinated by Poorva Priyadarshini.

The primary intent of the program was to encourage young photographers to explore their creative potential, and think outside the box in capturing and presenting their subjects. Additionally, the competition offered opportunities for participants to receive constructive feedback from judges and peers, helping them in improving their skills. A total of 5 students and 3 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event provided a platform for the students to display their vision, skills and their unique perspectives to a wider audience. Moreover, it helped the students in building a sense of community and camaraderie among the photographers, creating a space for them to connect, share experiences and learn from one another.

A WORKSHOP ON INNOVATIVE KID'S COLLECTION

Amity School of Fashion Design and Technology, Amity University Gurugram organised a Workshop on Innovative Kid's Collection from 18th to 28th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Dr. Suniti Sood, Dr. Shikha Bhardwaj and Ms. Pravesh Bhardwaj.

The workshop provided a platform for students to engage in the rigorous process of fashion design, addressing specific challenges and fostering innovation. During this workshop, students delved into the world of children's fashion, creating original designs and garments inspired by various themes. In addition to staying in tune with fashion trends, sustainability and ethical fashion were integral considerations in the construction of children's clothing during the program. A total of 11 students and 5 faculty members participated in the event.



In conclusion, the students successfully created innovative dresses for children in the age group of 6-12 years, embodying both creativity and practicality in their designs. The workshop demonstrates the commitment to nurturing out of the box thinking and addressing the evolving needs of the fashion industry.

AN EVENT ON
INNOVATION IN THE PHARMACEUTICAL REGULATORY AFFAIRS

Amity Institute of Pharmacy, Amity University Gurugram organised an event on Innovation in the Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs, on 20th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. A major objective of this event was to encourage students to embrace research and innovation as a fundamental part of their academic and professional journey. The event was coordinated by Dr. Asim Kumar and attended by 15 students.

The core element of the event was a competition where students presented innovative practices adopted by various pharmaceutical regulatory affairs agencies. These presentations highlighted novel and efficient approaches being employed in this field. The participating students also conducted a comparative study of regulatory requirements in different countries, illustrating how innovative practices were enhancing the efficiency of regulatory affairs. The best presentation was delivered by Pratham, who discussed "Strengthening Regulatory Affairs in Academics (STARS)" and covered recent developments in the regulatory landscape. The second-best presentation was by Sakshi, and Apama followed in the third position.

In conclusion, the event successfully achieved its goal of promoting innovation, raising awareness about contemporary regulatory practices, and encouraging students to be more research-oriented in the field of pharmaceutical regulatory affairs.





PIXELS

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION AND EXHIBITION



Amity School of Communication, Amity University Gurugram organised a Photography competition and Exhibition titled "Pixels", with the theme being "Innovation and Me", on 22nd September, 2023. The primary objective of this event was to foster an understanding among students about the significance of innovation in their daily lives and how it could be creatively depicted through photography. The event was coordinated by Dr. Amit Chawla, Assistant Professor, ASCO.

The program inspired the students to become more observant and appreciative of innovative practices in their surroundings. Through the process of selecting, capturing, and presenting their photographs, participants were encouraged to think creatively and artistically, enhancing their creative skills. The exhibition aspect of the event allowed students to share their perspectives on innovation, fostering dialogue and appreciation for diverse viewpoints. A total of 15 students and 8 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the photography competition and exhibition served as a creative and educational platform for students to explore and express their understanding of innovation in daily life. Moreover, it encouraged students to reflect on the role of innovation and present it through photography.

AN ENTREPRENEURIAL

QUIZ COMPETITION

Amity Business School, Amity University Gurugram organised an Entrepreneurial Quiz Competition on 18 September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation Week celebration.

The competition aimed to nurture future business leaders and entrepreneurs by challenging students with tough questions on business start-up, tactics, and emerging market trends. Jyotimoy Nath, Kusum Joshi, and Anubhay Yadav from MBA (3th Semester) received the 1st prize. A total of 77 students and 4 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event successfully created a start-up like ecosystem for the students, along with fostering connections amongst the fellow participants and faculty members. Moreover, it provided a platform for students to showcase their entrepreneurial abilities while encouraging networking and idea exchange.



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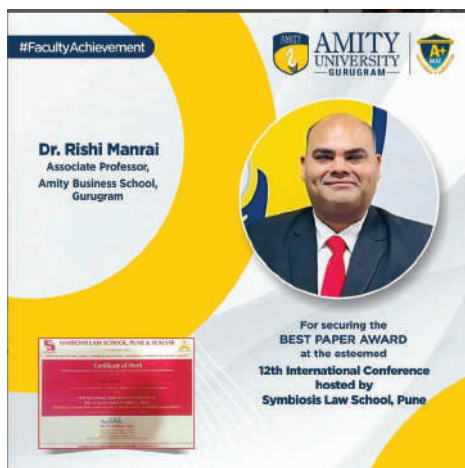
CELEBRATION OF IDEAS & RESEARCH

Amity University celebrates 'Day of Innovation' every year on September 28 to mark the birthday of Dr Aseem Chauhan, Chancellor of Amity University, who is well known for his 'innovative and creative thinking' and contributed immensely through constant innovation in education and business domain, pioneered the 'entrepreneurship and start-up ecosystem' in Amity and incubated hundreds of business ideas and by providing life to them through Amity Innovation Incubator. He has taken Amity to unprecedented heights on international map by setting Amity's campuses in Singapore, Mauritius, Kenya, South Africa, 170-acre campus in New York city & campus in San Francisco in US. This day is a culmination of yearly long activities on campus showcasing innovative practices from various domains from different Amity campuses. More than 90 events were conducted by

various departments to encourage the spirit of innovation and research amongst students. In order to foster the future generation of business leaders and entrepreneurs, Events like Entrepreneurial Quiz competition, scientific model making, sustainable material workshop, workshop on pharmaceutical & regulatory affairs, Modelling of Health Risk Assessment of Air Pollution Juvenile Justice System, Exploration of the History of Pachgaon through Oral Narratives, Poetry Reciting competition, Workshop on Unconventional Creations, Sculpture Workshop on Creative & Sustainable sculpture using waste material, Poster competition "Chandrayan - An Epitome of Innovation, HACKATHON, Panel Discussion on Problem Solving and Ideation etc were conducted.

The competition included difficult inquiries about starting a business, business tactics, and new

market trends. In addition to giving students a chance to demonstrate their entrepreneurial skills, the event promoted networking and idea sharing. The focal point of the event was the innovative projects by the students of Amity in all areas including Science, Technology, Biotechnology and Liberal Arts. The day concluded after students' innovative vigour and zest culminated into a colorful, cultural show by various institutes of Amity Gurugram.



AN EXPERT TALK ON

HOSPITALITY ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Amity School of Hospitality, Amity University Gurugram organized an expert talk on Hospitality Entrepreneurship, on 18th September, 2023. The event was coordinated by Mr. Subir Kumar Malakar, an Associate Professor at ASH. The program aimed to provide ASH students with insights into innovative entrepreneurship and startup opportunities within the hospitality sector.



Chef Jai Kumar Bhasin, an Executive Chef from Royal Caribbean International Cruise Lines was present as the guest speaker for the event,

who demonstrated knowledge about marketing research and niche identification, technology integration, employee training, customer care, alternative accommodations, innovations in food and beverages and sustainability and eco-friendly initiatives in the field.

In conclusion, the event provided a comprehensive understanding of the various innovative entrepreneurship and startup opportunities in the hospitality sector, along with insights into the critical aspects of these endeavors to the students. Moreover, it encouraged students to attend more such seminar and gain practical knowledge about this industry.

AN ENTREPRENEUR'S TALE

A START-UP SAGA

Amity College Commerce, Amity University Gurugram organised a start-up saga named "An Entrepreneur's Tale", on 18th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Dr. Renuka Sharma, Assistant Professor, ACC. Throughout the event, participants took turns sharing the entrepreneurial stories of companies that have become household names in the Indian business landscape.

The teams presented the stories of various start-ups like Infosys, Nat Habit and OYO. The participants were tasked with narrating their entrepreneurial stories and demonstrating their creativity by enacting advertisements for these companies, either



live on stage or through recorded videos. The event was judged by Dr. Vidhi and Dr. Renuka Sharma. A total of 8 students and 3 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the primary intent to shed light on the challenges faced by the entrepreneurs while building successful companies were been accurately demonstrated during the event. The narratives also provided valuable lessons about persistence, innovation, and adaptability in the face of adversity.



UNEARTHING

THE HISTORY OF PACHGAON THROUGH ORAL NARRATIVES - A SURVEY

Amity School of Liberal Arts, Amity University Gurugram organized a survey on the topic "Unearthing the History of Pachgaon through Oral Narratives", on 20th September, 2023. The event was conducted as part of the Innovation Week celebration, under the esteemed guidance of Prof. Dr. Sanjay Kumar Jha, Director of ASLA, and was organized by Dr. Ajay Kumar Sharma (Department of History), Dr. Neelam Jain (Department of Political Science), and Dr. Anshu Rawat (Department of History).

The research findings were presented by students in groups of two. The first group, comprised of History (Hons.) students, including Om Shree Bhaskar, Anshika Upadhyay, Adit Raj, Nitish Singh Chauhan, Ankita Devi, and Mansi, under the guidance of Dr. Ajay Kumar Sharma and Dr. Anshu Rawat, focused on various aspects. Their presentation highlighted the significance of oral history, the socio-cultural composition and changes in Gwalior village, Faddni Haveli, its architectural evolution, and pivotal historical events such as partition and the creation of separate panchayats.

The second group consisted of Political Science (Hons.) students, including Pooja Khurana, Ankshu, Ishu, and Simran, who worked under the guidance of Dr. Neelam Jain. They focused on the work of Dr. Lokesh Abrol, the founder of Gurukul Kalashetra Arvindam. Their presentation shed light on Dr. Abrol's efforts to provide education to the underprivileged, promote cultural heritage, and preserve various plant species. A total of 37 students and 10 faculty members of AUH enthusiastically participated in the event.

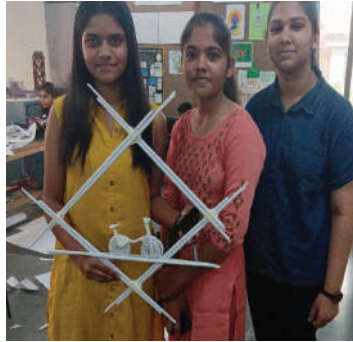
In conclusion, the event provided a platform for sharing and discussing research findings, along with learning about the history of Panchgaon. Interviews with residents of Gwalior village and Gurukul Kalashetra Arvindam were conducted to gain deeper insights into the people, their traditions, culture, and history.



Dr. Sumit Narula, Director, Amity School of Communication received IRE Excellence Award

GREEN VOTE

A WORKSHOP ON NAVIGATING THE FUTURE WITH SUSTAINABLE MATERIALS



Amity School of Architecture and Planning, Amity University Gurugram organised a workshop on navigating the future with sustainable materials titled "Green vote", on 20 September, 2023, as a part of the innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Ar. Rahul Mehta and Dr Doreshor.

The program aimed to encourage the creative use of paper waste to make products, in order to promote environmental sustainability and resourcefulness. The students also learnt to evaluate the positive and negative traits in product design with paper, fostering critical thinking and design analysis. A total of 22

students and 2 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the students gained practical experience in creating a variety of products from paper, such as vases, paper plates, wall frames, and even furniture, expanding their skills and knowledge in product design and craftsmanship.

AN E-QUIZ ON

RECENT ADVANCES IN NANOTECHNOLOGY

Amity Centre for Nanotechnology, Amity University Gurugram organised an E-Quiz on Recent Advances in Nanotechnology, on 21st September 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Prof. Preeti Thakur. The event was organized with the aim of fostering a spirit of celebrating innovation and creativity among the students, focusing on the field of nanotechnology. A total of 28 students and 5 faculty member participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event successfully ignited a sense of curiosity among students towards science. Additionally, it raised awareness within the department about the recent advancements in the field of nanotechnology, thus contributing to the celebration of innovation and creativity in this domain.

AN INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON NUTRITION, HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Amity Medical School and Academic Staff College, Amity University Gurugram in collaboration with IAPEN India Association, Delhi organised an International Workshop on Nutrition, Health and Wellbeing on 3rd and 4th October, 2023. The program was coordinated by Dr. Luxita Sharma, HO, AMS.

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. P.B. Sharma emphasized the role of nutrition in health and well-being during his speech. Guest of Honor, Prof. (Dr.) N. R. Dash, President of IAPEN India, Delhi Chapter, focused on the connection between nutrition, health, and well-being. The event also featured plenary sessions by experts in the field of nutrition, health, and well-being, addressing topics such as obesity, immunity, diet, and more.

The second day of the workshop included discussions on manuscript writing, hearing loss, optometry clinical practice, and workshops on topics such as scleral contact lenses and cochlear implants. Speakers covered subjects like nutrition, stress, and the nutrition transition. The event also featured a poster/model presentation and a quiz contest. A total of 244 students and 12 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the program educated and raised awareness about the critical role of nutrition in health and well-being, and it brought together experts and participants from various fields to discuss and share their experiences. The workshop served as a valuable platform for learning, collaboration, and knowledge exchange in the areas of nutrition and health.



IN SHORTS



#AmityUniversityGurugram dazzled as our athletes showcased their remarkable skills at the three-day sports fest hosted by G.D. Goenka University. Dominating in Badminton, Basketball, Football, and Table Tennis, our teams emerged victorious, claiming Gold medals in each discipline! A special shout out to our standout Women's Badminton Singles champion, Ms. Aananya, B Sc (Clinical Psychology), and the tenacious Women's Basketball team led by the exceptional Ms. Neetanshi Rohilla, B Sc (Nursing). #AmityGlory #Sportopia2024 #GoldWinners



Reflecting on the enlightening session held yesterday at #AmityUniversityGurugram, where Dr. Uday P Singh, Secretary-General of ACECC, delved into the intertwining realms of climate change and water resources management. Dr. Singh emphasized the imperative for global cooperation in addressing these challenges. From advocating for water reuse to championing nature-based solutions, actionable strategies were highlighted amidst the hurdles posed by climate change. Join us in reminiscing about this impactful dialogue! #ClimateChangeSolutions #WaterManagement #ACECC #GlobalChallenges

Reflecting on the lively event from yesterday, where Amity School of Languages partnered with The Embassy of the Russian Federation in India to commemorate the Russian festival Maslenitsa #Maslenitsa #RussianFestival #Memories #AmityUniversityGurugram #Gurugram #Gurgaon



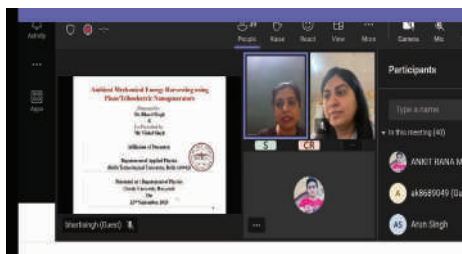
AN EXPERT TALK ON

AMBIENT MECHANICAL ENERGY HARVESTING THROUGH PIEZO OR TRIBOELECTRIC NANOGENERATORS

The Department of Physics of Amity School and Applied Sciences, Amity University Gurugram organised a virtual Expert Talk on Ambient Mechanical Energy Harvesting through Piezo or Triboelectric Nanogenerators, on 22nd September, 2023, as a part of the innovation week celebration. The event was coordinated by Prof. Jyotsna Sharma, ASAS.

Dr. Bharti Singh, an esteemed member of the

Department of Physics at Delhi Technological University, was the keynote speaker for this event. Dr. through



Singh's lecture provided profound

insights into the world of Ambient Mechanical Energy Harvesting through Piezo/Triboelectric Nanogenerators, a topic that is highly relevant in the context of sustainable energy solutions today. A total of 100 students and 4 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event successfully achieved its aim of demonstrating knowledge about nanogenerators, energy harvesting and sustainable energy development. Moreover, it created an environment for learning, creativity and innovation.

TECHNO VISION

Amity School of Engineering & Technology, Amity University Gurugram organised Techno Vision, on 28th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation Day celebration. A total of 27 participated in the event which was been coordinated by Dr. Khusbhoo Tripathi and Dr. Rashmi Gupta.

During the event the students crafted visually captivating posters focused on the theme of technology and its impact on our lives. The event celebrated the fusion of innovation and artistic expression, while providing networking opportunities among participants. Dr. Subhra Das, Dr. Sunil Sikka and Dr. Shweta Sinha were present as the judges for the event.

In conclusion, the event contributed to the

personal growth of participants by providing a platform for skill development and creative expression. Moreover, the program promoted innovation, creativity, and the understanding of technology's influence on our society.



BEST OUT OF WASTE

A WORKSHOP ON MAKING ARTWORKS BY RECYCLING WASTE PRODUCTS

Amity School of Architecture and Planning, Amity University Gurugram organised a photography competition titled "Framed Perspective", on 19th September, 2023. The event was coordinated by Poorva Priyadarshini.

The primary intent of the program was to encourage young photographers to explore their creative potential, and think outside the box in capturing and presenting their subjects. Additionally, the competition offered opportunities for participants to receive constructive feedback from judges and peers, helping them in improving their skills. A total of 5 students and 3 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the event provided a platform for the students to display their



vision, skills and their unique perspectives to a wider audience. Moreover, it helped the students in building a sense of community and camaraderie among the photographers, creating a space for them to connect, share experiences and learn from one another.

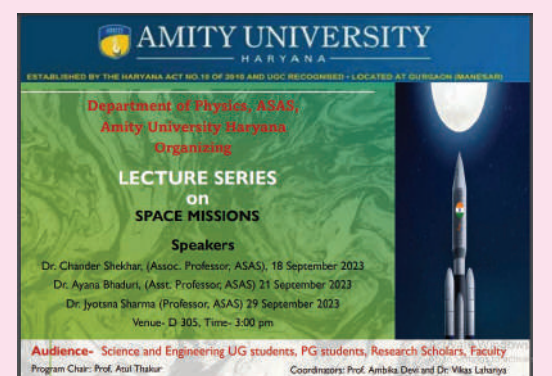
SPACE MISSION

A LECTURE SERIES

The Department of Physics of Amity School of Applied Sciences, Amity University Gurugram organised a lecture series titled "Space Mission", organised from 18th to 29th September, 2023, as a part of the Innovation week celebration.

The primary objective behind this event was to create an environment for the students to explore and understand various space missions, their significance, and their contributions to our knowledge of the universe. The program inspired the next generation by showcasing the stories about various missions and the individuals who played key roles in their success. The lectures were delivered by Dr. Chander Shekhar, Dr. Ayana, and Dr. Jyotsna Sharma. A total of 30 students and 9 faculty members participated in the event.

In conclusion, the lecture series proved to provide an educational platform for students to learn about the achievements and significance of space missions, fostering an appreciation for the innovations and challenges that drive space exploration.



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Amity University Haryana, Gurugram in association with Amity Innovation Incubator and Amity School of Engineering and Technology supported by Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MEITY) Organises Two Day Ideathon "InnovaThon-23"-Innovate with ideas, Elevate with code Date : 2nd and 3rd November 2023. Sponsored by Plum Bodylovin, Hack2Skill, Eduversity, Kyari.Co, Trigvent Solutions. The objective was to encourage cross-disciplinary collaboration and to give the students an opportunity to apply their ideas and skills in a real-world context and To provide the students with an opportunity to form networks with industry experts and specialists which can lead to future internships and job placements

InnovaThon ' 23 consisted of three rounds:

1. The Idea Round: Involves the proposition of the tentative solution to the problem statement chosen by the team (4 Hrs.)
2. The Development Round: Involves the formation of code-based proof of concept (13 Hrs.)
3. The Presentation Round: Involves the explanation of the working of the code-based solution (2.5 Hrs.)

these teams had the opportunity to work on and code their solutions for a continuous 12-hour period from 9pm to 9am the next day. The venue for this round was well equipped with LAN service, food and beverage section, a games section to be able to relax a bit through the clock with resting area and ample space to develop the practical aspects and solutions of ideas pitched in the first round. After the 12-hour development phase, participants moved to the crucial third round, the Presentation. Here, each of the ten teams showcased their solutions, elaborating on the concepts initially pitched in the first round and their development process in the second round. In-depth technical details and the functionality of their ideas were discussed. They were judged by three jury members Mr. Dewansh Poddar, Mr. Vijay Vir Singh and Mr. Harshit. Out of the ten selected teams, three were chosen as winners based on the effectiveness of their ideas, their practicality, and the feasibility of deployment. The event celebrated innovation and problem-solving skills, with the focus on transforming ideas into actionable solutions.

The selected winners are:

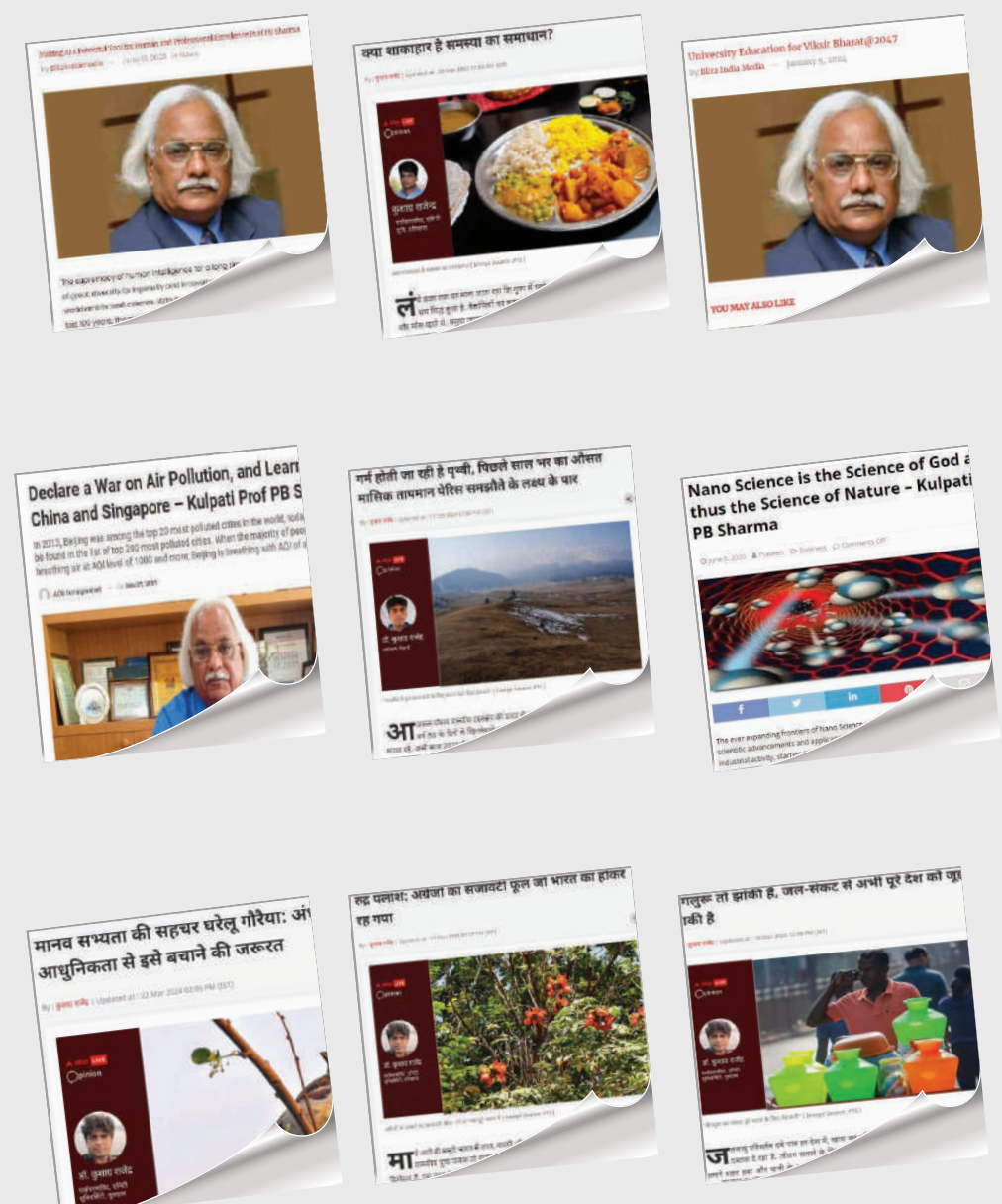
Position	Team Name	Prize Won
1st	Genesis	Rs. 75000 + Incentives (incubation support)
2nd	Befikre Coders	Rs. 50,000
3rd	Code Error	Rs 25, 000

There were 319 participants overall from the 92 teams that applied to take part in InnovaThon'23. Notably, attendees from over 35 institutions demonstrated how much interest this event generated and Amity University Haryana had 22 of these institutes physically present spanning across 9 states. These include some very esteemed institutions like IIT Delhi, IIT Ropar, IIIT Delhi, IIIT Una, NIT Kurukshetra, VIT Vellore, amongst others.

The top 30 teams that came from the prelims were put to test by our esteemed jury members who were amongst the leading entrepreneurs. In the development round,



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