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GLIMPSES OF EIGHTH JKLU LAUREATE AWARD



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DEFINING MOMENTS



JKLU Laureate Award 2023 and Hari Shankar Singhania Memorial Oration

On April 14, 2023, JK Lakshmipat University, conferred the 8th JKLU Laureate Award to Padma Vibhushan Dr. R. A. Mashelkar, for his exemplary work in shaping Science, Technology and Innovation policies in post-liberalized India. The event was witnessed in person by over 500 guests and by another 500 people through live webcast. Dr. Mashelkar, former Director General of CSIR and Chairman of the National Innovation Foundation, is known for his world-class scientific research, transformative science and innovation institution leadership. He is also renowned for his pioneering different movements such as evolving global systems for traditional knowledge protection to helping create strong yet balanced IPR systems and inclusive innovation movement, based on the concept of Gandhian Engineering.

While welcoming the awardee, Vice Chancellor, Dr. Dheeraj Sanghi, thanked Dr. Mashelkar for his previous association with JKLU for helping students during exchange programs with different universities and said "When such a personality receives this award, it's not that he is being honoured; instead, he is honouring us by accepting this award". Pro-Chancellor, Shri H. P. Singhania, mentioned that our Laureate awardees are leaders in all walks of life and become role models for young minds and inspire them to excel in their own life. He also urged the youth to seize the opportunity for better nation-building. Dr. Mashelkar, who was touched by the affection received from JKLU's management, faculty and students, urged all the students to challenge their wisdom to create exponential innovation for society. During his Hari Shankar Singhania Memorial Oration on "*Leap Frogging to Pole Vaulting: Creating the Exponential Entrepreneurs*", he told the youth that rather than focusing on 'best practices', they should become trailblazers in setting up 'next practices'. He also asked everyone to challenge themselves with his Mashelkar Mantra, "Every morning, whether you are 18 or 80, say 'My best is yet to come' and that day can be today". The event, was moderated by Dr Ashwini Sharma and concluded with a vote of thanks from Pro Vice Chancellor Prof Asheesh Gupta. Post event, JKLU had organized a press conference, which was attended by over 30 journalists and media persons.



DEFINING MOMENTS



Jaipur Design Week

Jaipur Design Week (17th April to 23rd April 2023) is an exemplary, experiential and insightful Design Festival that serves the purpose of creating a constituency of Design in India. This six-day long 'Jaipur Design Week 2023', was organized at JK Lakshmipat University campus from April 17 to 22, 2023, to celebrate the spirit of creativity and innovation in design, when various workshops, panel discussions and film screenings of students' work were showcased. While inaugurating the event, Dr. Dheeraj Sanghi, Vice Chancellor, JKLU mentioned the launch of the 'Emerging Designer of the Year' award and hoped it will inspire our design students to achieve their true potential. The festival featured a variety of activities showcasing the emerging trends and innovations in the design world. Several events and activities including Open Studios, Designathon, Thoughtspot, Workshops, Panel Discussions, Exhibit D, Design Haat, and a Pantone Party made the festival a gala affair. The event was organized under the supervision of Prof A Balasubramaniam, Director, Institute of Design, JKLU and President, Association of Designers of India.

The Open Studio was a four-day workshop open to everyone, where attendees were able to learn directly from industry and academic experts. This year's Designathon was carefully curated for school students and undergraduate design students to engage with hands-on design exercises and solve complex human problems. A fun-activity afternoon was organized for school children on Friday with Gaurav Juyal, the erstwhile anchor for Disney's Art Attack. An Atal Incubation Centre session, Design Week's "ThoughtSpot" was a platform to inspire students and educate them about emerging domains of Design. Leading designers who talked about the domains of Service Design, Healthcare Design, Brand Design, and innovation in entrepreneurship included Anthony Lopez of Lopez Design, a brand design firm, Manan Pahwa, a Service Design Specialist, Neeraj Kumar, a Bio Design fellow from Stanford University, and Nidhi Kachwaha, CEO of Atal Incubation Centre at JKLU. The forum discussion on 'Jaipur beyond Crafts' featured design experts, entrepreneurs, and filmmakers from Jaipur discussing their work and innovation in design domains beyond traditional craft



design. Schools from around the country also participated in competitions on designing installations on sustainability, graffiti on crafts, logo design and animation with Gaurav Juyal. Participants enjoyed working on design workshops with diverse courses such as Design Management, Healthcare Innovation, and Sustainable Dyeing, taught by industry and academic experts at the JKLU Campus, Jaipur. Other Speakers, Panelists and Experts included Prem Lokesh, Suruchi Sharma, Abhimanyu Singh, Kallol Mohanty, Aditi Anuj, Anant Agarwal, Shivatmika Lala and Chandrasekhar Bheda.

The grand finale of Jaipur Design Week, which was celebrated by the university along with the Association of Designers of India, was held on April 22, 2023. It witnessed a series of talks by famous designers and culminated with the 'Emerging Designer of the Year', award. Emerging Designer of the Year, which is presented to a young design professional doing extraordinary work in the field of design, was conferred upon U R Siddharth, a recent graduate of NID (National Institute of Design) Haryana and a Designer at Philips Innovation. Siddharth has won a record 85 international awards for his work from RED DOT, IF Germany and DNA Paris.

DISTINGUISHED LECTURE

Distinguished lecture on “The Dawn of the AI Age”

An online distinguished lecture on the theme “The Dawn of the AI Age” was conducted on May 4, 2023. The session started with introduction of the speaker Dr. Vijay Saraswat, leading researcher in the past at Xerox' Palo Alto Research Center, AT&T Research, IBM'S TJ Watson and Goldman Sachs by Prof Sudheer Raniwala, Dean Faculty Affairs. Dr. Vijay Saraswat talked about various technical aspects of Artificial Intelligence such as Llama, GPT4 and BARD. The session was attended by faculty, staff, students of JKLU and also by many national and international academicians. Vice Chancellor Prof Dheeraj Sanghi enlightened the audience by his thought on the topic. The session was co-ordinated by Dr S Taruna, Professor, CSE department.



Academic Forum on Metaverse in Financial System

An academic forum session by Dr Riya Surekha was conducted on April 29, 2023. The title of the talk was 'Metaverse in Financial System'. Dr Riya discussed integration of the 'Metaverse' into the financial system, anticipated to accelerate, driven by advancements in cryptocurrencies, non-fungible tokens (NFTs), and digital financial services. She discussed the current scope of the Metaverse in finance and the necessary infrastructural developments for its adoption. She explored the potential research hotspots to direct future academic inquiries and economic endeavors.

ACADEMIC ROUND-UP

Academic Forum on A Morphological Analysis for Designing Outcome-based Contracts



An academic forum session by Dr. Sameer Mittal was conducted on April 1, 2023. The title of the talk was “A Morphological Analysis for Designing Outcome-based Contracts”. Dr Saurabh introduced PSS-Product-Service Systems and OBCs- Outcome-based Contracts and then presented the morphological analysis developed during the SNOBI (Systematic Development of Novel Business Models) project. He discussed the advantages of OBCs such as high sustainability, high revenue, and access to data, using everyday examples such as cars, refrigerators, air conditioning etc. He also explained types of OBCs and explored how the operations should be done in the era of 4.0 industrialization. Moreover, he emphasized how the PSS approach can develop a product-oriented model, especially taking the models of footwear industries. The session was thought-provoking and engaged faculties from all the departments in an interdisciplinary discussion.

Research Workshop on “Systematic literature review and Bibliometric analysis”

A two-day online research workshop was conducted by Institute of Management, JK Lakshmipat University on “Systematic literature review and Bibliometric analysis” on April 1st and 2nd, 2023. Dr Riya Sureka from JKLU's Institute of Management was the resource person of the workshop. On the first day, she covered the fundamentals and conceptual understanding of systematic review of literature, bibliometric analysis and explained the need of doing a quality review in academic research. On the second day, she explained the PRISMA method and helped the participants get familiar with R- Biblioshiny and VOS Viewer software.



Total 71 registrations were received with participants from various prominent universities like BITS Pilani, University of Jammu, Manipal University, Chandigarh University, Mody University of Science and Technology, Amity University, Asian Business School, Lovely Professional University, etc. The session was moderated by Dr. Monika Soni from Institute of Management, JKLU. Interactive session with crisp presentation provided maximum benefits to the participants who gave very positive feedback about the workshop.

ACADEMIC ROUND-UP



Project Exhibition

JK Lakshmipat University organized a Project Exhibition on May 12, 2023 featuring innovative projects developed by first-year engineering students. The exhibition showcased a wide range of creative and technically advanced projects in the field of automation. With the guidance of experienced course faculty members, the students presented their groundbreaking work done with confidence. Vice Chancellor Prof Dheeraj Sanghi and Pro Vice Chancellor Prof Asheesh Gupta praised the students' hard work and emphasized the importance of such exhibitions in fostering creativity. The faculty, staff and students of JK Lakshmipat University also visited the exhibition. The projects included Cleaning Robot, Battery Thermal Management System, Eco-Ventilate, Smart Solar Grass Cutter, Toll Gate Control System, Vehicle Overload Management System and many more. The Project Exhibition not only provided a platform to display cutting-edge projects but also fostered a spirit of creativity and critical thinking amongst students. The Project exhibition was coordinated by 'Fundamental of Automation Engineering' course faculty members.

Workshop on Microfinance and Financial inclusion



JKLU has hosted a 2-day workshop on May 22 and 23, 2023 for first-year BBA students on microfinance and financial inclusion. Mr. Saurabh Jain, Zonal Training Head at Fincare Small Finance Bank from Indore to Jaipur to enlighten our students for two days. It was an excellent workshop at our campus covering microfinance and financial inclusion. The students, who were happily engaged for the two days, said they had great insights and learned about a different customer segment.

Extempore Event



The Centre for Communication and Critical Thinking at JK Lakshmipat University organised a competitive Extempore event for students on May 5, 2023. Students participated individually, showcasing their impromptu speaking skills in a friendly but competitive environment. The objective of this event was to help in simulating a situation where the speaker has very little time to think about what to say, but is expected to deliver a cohesive and relevant talk nevertheless. There were 15 registrations, and the participants performed both enthusiastically and skilfully, with individual feedback given to each participant to help them to improve their public speaking abilities. The winners of the event were Ishita Agarwal from BTech 1st year (First Prize) and Aaditya Kakkar from BDes 1st year (Second Prize).

Online session on Integrating Design, Technology and Business

An informative online session was conducted at the IM Amphitheatre for students across Management, Technology and Design to discuss about the course "Integrating Design, Technology and Business" on May 12, 2023 with Prof. Rakesh Basant from IIM-Ahmedabad. Due to the nature of the course and the pedagogical approach being used, it will be limited to 12 students each from Design, Engineering and Management.



ACADEMIC ROUND-UP

Pre-orientation session on The Joy of Learning: Developing Learning Agility



A pre-orientation session (Online) on "The Joy of Learning: Developing Learning Agility" was organized on June 14, 2023, for the newly admitted BTech and BCA students. The session aimed to introduce the concept of learning agility and its significance in the pursuit of academic and personal growth. Ms. Shraddha Bharatiya, Coordinator and Faculty at the Centre for Communication and Critical Thinking (CCCT) in JK Lakshmipat University, Jaipur, conducted the session.

She began by emphasizing the importance of evolving and adapting to new learning experiences and encouraged students to embrace challenges and view them as opportunities for growth. The session focused on the aspects of Evolving Mindset, Engaging with Learning, Finding Meaning and Purpose, Embracing Challenges and Evolving to Grow. She discussed the importance of lifelong learning and the need to adapt to the rapidly changing world. Students were encouraged to develop skills such as critical thinking, problem-solving, and adaptability to thrive in dynamic environments. Overall, the session set a positive tone for the students' upcoming academic experience and highlighted the value of lifelong learning and personal growth. The Session was coordinated by Dr. Pushpendra Singh, First Year Coordinator-IET.

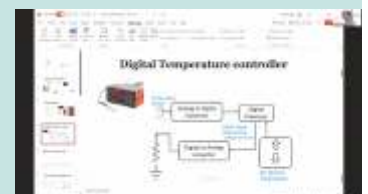
Pre-orientation Session on Introduction to Programming and Online platforms



A pre-orientation session (Online) on "Introduction to programming and Online platforms" was organized on June 21, 2023, for the newly admitted BTech and BCA students. The session was organized conducted by Mr. Devendra Bhavsar, Assistant Professor, CSE Dept. The session aimed to provide participants with a comprehensive overview of programming concepts and familiarize them with various online platforms available for learning and practicing programming skills. The session was organized to prepare attendees for future programming courses and equip them with the necessary knowledge to excel in the field of programming. Participants are introduced to the fundamental concepts of programming, including variables, data types, control structures, and algorithms. Emphasis was placed on developing a problem-solving mindset and logical thinking skills, which are essential for programming success. The session then moved on to exploring different programming languages, such as C, C++, Java, Python and JavaScript, providing an overview of their features and use cases. Participants were guided through popular platforms like GitHub, Stack Overflow, and Codecademy, where they could access code repositories, seek guidance from the programming community, and participate in interactive coding exercises. By the end of the Pre-Orientation Session participants had a reasonable understanding of programming fundamentals and navigating online platforms. The Session was coordinated by Dr. Pushpendra Singh, First Year Coordinator-IET.

Pre-orientation Session on "Digital System Design"

A pre-orientation session (Online) on "Digital System Design" was organized on June 28, 2023, for the newly admitted BTech and BCA students. The session was conducted by Dr. Devika Kataria, Professor and Coordinator, EEE Deptt. The pre-orientation session on "Digital System Design" was conducted with the aim of familiarizing participants with the key concepts and practical aspects of designing digital systems, including concepts like analog to digital conversions, significance of processor width, use of logic gates for making arithmetic circuits and Circuit Verse simulator. The combination of theoretical presentations, hands-on activities, and interactive discussions provided participants with a foundation for their future studies. Overall, the session set a positive tone for the students' upcoming academic experience. The Session was coordinated by Dr. Pushpendra Singh, First Year Coordinator-IET.



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Spot the Station



Nakshatra – The Astronomy Club organised an event on April 6, 2023 from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the garden near the Technology Block. The club and the event is under the guidance of faculty coordinator Ms. Videsha Bansal. The event was attended by 22 participants. The primary objective of the event was to observe the International Space Station (ISS) flyby and educate people about the various celestial bodies, including Venus, which were visible during the event. Student coordinators, Aaditya Saxena, Ishita Agarwal, Piyush Solanki, and Lakshya Choudhary, helped participants to observe the flyby through binoculars. The participants attended the event and witnessed the spectacular flyby of the ISS, which appeared 10° above NW and disappeared 12° above SE. The maximum height of the ISS during the flyby was 74°. The participants were thrilled to spot the ISS and were amazed by the view of Venus through the binoculars. "SPOT THE STATION" observing event organized by Nakshatra - The Astronomy Club of JKLU was a grand success. It provided an opportunity for the participants to witness the spectacular flyby of the ISS and observe the beauty of Venus through binoculars. The event also educated people about the Orion Nebula, which is a fascinating object to observe in the night sky. The event successfully ended by 7:45 PM, leaving the participants awestruck with the celestial beauty. At the end participants were given free cans of RedBull.

Kabaddi Tournament by Elite Power Sports

The Kabaddi team comprising 12 players of JK Lakshmipat University participated in a tournament hosted by Elite Power Sports from April 12 to 14, 2023. The team displayed great skill and tenacity throughout the tournament, and their hard work and dedication in their training sessions paid off as they put up an excellent performance. They competed against teams from various universities and showed great teamwork, athleticism, and strategic play in all their matches. The players exhibited exceptional physical strength, agility, and quick thinking, which helped them secure victories in several matches. Despite facing tough competition, the team did not lose heart and kept fighting till the end. The coaches and fellow students are proud of their achievements, and their performance in the tournament has brought honour and glory to the university.



Workshop on 'What's your Identity? An Exploration through Storytelling'



The Centre for Communication and Critical Thinking at JK Lakshmipat University organised a workshop titled "What's your Identity? An Exploration through Storytelling", on April 15, 2023. The workshop was conducted by Ms. Meghana Koppala, a Creative Director, Copywriter, and Storyteller, who has worked in the film industry as well, and has been teaching courses on Storytelling in various universities. Presenting oneself and one's ideas in an engaging manner is a challenge that most graduates will have to face at some point in their professional careers, and at the same time, it is something that, if successful, has the potential to make a significant difference to their progress. Convincing presentations end up being more than just presentations – they are stories that speak to an individual's identity and journey of development. Effective storytelling through presentations is thus an essential skill that can differentiate a student from others. The objective of this workshop was to help students learn how to leverage storytelling techniques to effectively present themselves and their ideas. The morning session of the workshop started with a demonstration of how most regular slide presentations end up being boring, and hence how the power of storytelling and visuals can be used to make them lively and more interesting. The speaker highlighted the importance of "reading visuals, seeing words, and making connections" to create a cohesive story, and thereby communicate better. The afternoon session focused on ways to make a pitch deck more interesting. This included personifying characters, leaving space for the audience's imagination, making their mind move, and eventually creating the core of the story/presentation that is being made. The students were also asked to engage in a brainstorming exercise for generating and organizing ideas, which some of them were then invited to present. They were also given an assignment on communicating their identity. With a series of lively examples from her own life, the speaker managed to leave the audience with several helpful guidelines to light their path towards presenting their identity better through storytelling.

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Hack JKL 2.0

J KLU organized its annual hackathon, Hack JKL 2.0 during April 22-23, 2023. The hackathon received over 800 registrations, out of which 350 were shortlisted. There were over 250 participants present on campus for the hackathon. The hackathon started with a lot of zeal, and all the teams had been distributed into three different rooms on the campus. The teams worked on their projects until the first evaluation, which took place between 5 pm to 7 pm. The first day of the hackathon saw participants brainstorming and working on their projects. To help alleviate stress and elevate spirit, club activities alongside the hackathon were organized. The Competitive Programming Club of the university organized a coding contest, which took place in three rounds, to challenge the participants and provide them with an opportunity to showcase their coding skills. The Quiz Club of the university also held a quiz, which engaged the participants and provided a fun way to learn.

One of the most exciting events hosted in collaboration with Nakshatra, the astronomy club of the university, and the Jaipushya Astronomy Society (JAS), was the Lyrid Meteor Shower. The organizations guided the participants in witnessing the meteor shower, various constellations, binary star, and other celestial objects with the help of telescopes arranged by them. About

50+ people, apart from 250 participating students of the hackathon and university students, came outside of the university and were engulfed in the spirits of celestial glory. In addition, a music jam session was held and refreshments were provided throughout the night to help the participants keep up with the competitive energy of the hackathon. The Applied Robotics Club of the university organized the 'Wings and Wheels' Event where students got a chance to fly a plane and play with combat robots, providing a much-needed break from the hackathon. The jury arrived for the final evaluation and evaluated the projects on various criteria. After the evaluation, an online session was organized with the Founder and CEO of GeeksforGeeks, 'Mr. Sandeep Jain', who shared his journey in building GeeksforGeeks. This was followed by a question and answer session where a few students got the opportunity to ask him questions. The valedictory ceremony commenced after this session, where the jury members were presented with mementoes, and the winners of the hackathon were declared by the Vice Chancellor of the university. The winning team was Team Meta Masters from Chitkara University Punjab, and the first runner-up was Ignitors from the International School of Informatics & Management. The second runner-up was Silent Verse from Abes Institute of Technology.



Basketball Tournament by Elite Power Sports

The basketball team of JKL recently participated in a tournament hosted by Elite Power Sports from 22nd April to 25th April. The team performed exceptionally well and gave their best in competing against other teams from different universities. They showed great spirit, sportsmanship, and resilience, even in the face of challenging situations. The team's hard work and dedication in their training sessions paid off as they were able to display a remarkable level of skill and teamwork throughout the tournament. The players exhibited their athleticism, strategic play, and determination, which helped them secure victories in several matches. The team reached the Quarter Final round and the coaches and fellow students are proud of their achievements, and their performance in the tournament has brought pride and glory to the university.



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Codin Game Competition Hack JKLU 2.0

The Competitive Programming Club organized a coding competition on the CodinGame platform during HackJKLU 2.0 on 22.04.2023. Total 41 participants attended this event. Winners were decided after considering all the points they score in the CodinGame contests, according to ranks.

Lyrid Meteor Shower



On April 22, 2023, Nakshatra- Astronomy Club, JK Lakshmipat University in association with Jaipushya Astronomy Society (JAS) organized 'Lyrid Meteor Shower' at JKLU Campus. The event was open to all JKLU students, participants of Hack JKLU 2.0 and registered members of JAS. In total, the club hosted 90+ participants. The event started at 10:30 pm and continued till 1:00 am. Along with meteors the participants were also engaged in different activities where they learned about the big bang theory and various constellations. Nakshatra team successfully ended the event. This initiative was taken by Ms Videsha Bansal (Faculty Coordinator- Nakshatra) and her team. This event was a special attraction for the participants of Hack JKLU 2.0. Paraj Bhargava supported the event by bringing in free bees from RedBull.

Invited session on Learn to Invest: Techno-fundamental approach

JKLU organized a invited session on 'Learn to Invest: Techno-fundamental approach' for the BBA Sem IV and VI students on April 25, 2023. Total 104 students participated this session. Speaker of this session was Mr. Kshitiz Y. Bharti who is an entrepreneur, software programmer, capital market analyst, and trainer. He is the Director at Mytask, Founder of LiqWeTrading has mentored 300 professionals on the capital market and has been training more than 1200 members across India. Mr. Bharti spoke about the various aspects of investing in the capital market and shared valuable insights and strategies for investing effectively to ensure maximum returns. He discussed the technofundamental approach and explained how using this approach we can identify the best investment alternatives. He also enlightened students about how to manage their individual portfolios, what should be the ideal structure of portfolio, what are the different avenues to invest and how they can do this. It was an interactive and motivating session.

Techno Trivia



On April 22nd, 2023, the InQuizitors Quiz club organized a Techno Trivia event as part of the Hack JKLU 2.0 hackathon. The Techno Trivia event was designed to test the knowledge of the participants in the field of technology. It was a quiz competition in which participants had to answer questions related to different aspects of technology. The event was coordinated by Poorna Bhati, Student Coordinator & Dr Jaya Gupta, Faculty Coordinator. The quiz was conducted at 3 venues of the hackathon, in which around 100 participants participated with zeal and enthusiasm. The quiz was conducted over Quizizz platform in 2 rounds. The top 10 participants from round 1 were qualified for the second round, out of which top 3 participants in second round were declared as winners. It was an open quiz event in which students from different colleges and universities participated with zeal and enthusiasm. The event was a huge success, and the participants enjoyed the quiz competition thoroughly. Overall, the Techno Trivia event conducted by the InQuizitors Quiz club was an excellent opportunity for the participants to learn and showcase their knowledge of technology.

VC's interaction with Honors list students

Vice Chancellor, Prof Dheeraj Sanghi interacted with Honors List students and their parents on April 28, 2023. The aim of the interaction was to acknowledge and appreciate the performances of students and convey the same to their parents and make them feel proud. JKLU considers parents as key stakeholders of the University and remains in dialogue with them to understand and share the progress and development of their wards while studying at JKLU. About 50 students and their parents attended this interaction. Prof. Sanghi shared the progress made at the University and addressed the issues and concerns of students and parents.

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Students participation in the Arya Cup Tournament



JK LakshmiPat University (JKLU) participated in the Arya Cup Tournament held at Arya College of Engineering in Kukas on April 29-30, 2023. The JKLU team displayed excellent skills, coordination, and teamwork throughout the tournament. Team played qualifiers.

Farewell party - IET



The farewell party "ALVIDA" was organized on May 20, 2023 at IET Amphitheatre of JK LakshmiPat University where the students, Faculty and staff of the University bid farewell to the outgoing students of 2019-23 B.Tech, 2020-23 BCA and 2021-23 B.Tech batch with great enthusiasm. The day was a fiesta devoted to the years spent together with friends and teachers to reminisce joyous moments. The ceremony commenced with the blessings of the Vice Chancellor, Dr. Dhreej Sanghi, Mr. Deepak Sogani, Staff and faculty of JKLU. The Amphitheatre was well decorated with balloons, dazzling lights and ribbons. Through a range of engaging activities, including games, and the Mr. and Ms. Farewell contest, attendees were able to create lasting memories and strengthen their bonds. The event concluded on a note of gratitude and appreciation, acknowledging the contributions of both students and faculty members. The passing students shared their experience of the time spent in the university with the audience and they thanked the student coordinators for organizing the wonderful evening. The program concluded with dinner at IET Lobby. This event was Coordinated by Faculty Mr. Divanshu Jain and Dr. Jitendra Singh along with student volunteers team led by Mridul Goyal, Jinal Swarnakar and K Bhanu Prakash Reddy.



Farewell programme – IM

Institute of Management conducted farewell programme for the batch of BBA 2020 and MBA 2021, on May 6, 2023. The event was organized by the BBA 2020 batch. There were playful competitions, quizzes and other trivia. The event was ably conducted by Vansh Vyas and his team and included prizes like Mr Farewell, Ms Farewell and more.

Awareness Programme on PMS and SMART Goal Setting



Awareness programme on Performance Management System (PMS) and Goal setting organized for Teaching & Non-Teaching staff of JKLU on May 24, 2023. Chief of HR & Administration, JKLU, Shri SR Pandey was the speaker of this session. Total 80 participants attended. Views on 7 JKLU issues were offered through web link- Microsoft form.

Meet-up with Orthopedic Surgeon and Physiotherapist for Sports Injuries Rehabilitation



On May 30, 2023 a meetup was organized with the aim of promoting collaboration and knowledge exchange between the sports department and experts in the field of orthopedic surgery and sports injuries rehabilitation. The meetup was attended by Mr Arun Saraswat, President, Rajasthan Hockey Association and Member of IOA (Indian Olympic Association), Dr. Dileep Mehta, Orthopedic Surgeon (specializing in sports injuries), Mr Vishal Saxena, Physiotherapist (experienced in sports injuries rehabilitation) and Mr Vaibhav Topiwala, Sports Officer, JKLU. The primary objective of the meetup was to facilitate an exchange of knowledge and ideas between the sports department of various different educational institutions and the orthopedic surgeon and physiotherapist. The aim was to strengthen the university's approach to sports injuries prevention, diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation. Outcome will reap through the means of increased awareness about sports injuries and timely prevention of injury through training programs and majorly through networking we have a clear referral system through which handling sports related injuries will be much more effective and convenient.

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Blood Donation Camp- 2023



JK LakshmiPat University, in collaboration with Swasthya Kalyan Blood Bank, Jaipur, organized a Blood Donation Camp on June 20, 2023. The event was

held on the university campus to commemorate the 90th Birth Anniversary of Late Shri Hari Shankar Singhania, the Founding Chancellor of JKL. This annual camp has been conducted since 2014, with employees, students, and local residents voluntarily donating blood. Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Dheeraj Sanghi, welcomed the medical team from Swasthya Kalyan Blood Bank and acknowledged the significance of organizing this blood donation camp every year in memory of Late Shri Hari Shankar Singhania and highlighted his benevolent approach towards such social causes. A total of 59 blood units were collected during the Blood Donation Camp.



Open Counseling Session –Ajmer



On June 18, 2023 an Open Counseling Session was organized for interested students of Ajmer and surrounding areas. The JKL Reel was boosted on Instagram and Facebook. There were 5245 Video plays, 118260 Reach, 209896 Impressions and 545 All clicks. 39 students registered for the same through the Google form link.



World Environment Day-2023 Report

JK LakshmiPat University celebrated World Environment Day 2023 on June 5, 2023. The theme of this year was "Solutions to Plastic Pollution". On this occasion a Plantation Drive was planned out of the campus. Off Campus, JKL collaborated with Mahindra SEZ for the plantation of trees. A team of students and faculty went to Mahindra World City for a Plantation drive and planted more than 40 saplings.

International Day of Yoga Celebration 2023

"Yoga for Vasudhaiva Kutumbkam", the 9th edition of International Yoga Day was observed on June 21, 2023 at JKL's Health Centre from 07:00 AM to 08:00 PM. The event aimed to raise awareness about the benefits of incorporating yoga into our daily lives and promoting overall well-being. The event started with an opening address by Shri SR Pandey, Chief of HR & Admin, welcoming all attendees and introducing the significance of the International Day of Yoga. Yoga instructor Mr. Gajendra Yadav conducted a one-hour yoga session suitable for participants of all levels. The session included various asanas (poses), pranayama (breathing exercises), and meditation techniques. Throughout the session, instructors explained the benefits of each yoga practice and provided guidance on correct posture and breathing techniques. The event witnessed a remarkable turnout, with students, teaching staff, non-teaching staff, and their family members actively participating. The event effectively conveyed the importance of yoga in achieving balance and harmony between the body, soul, and mind. It provided participants with valuable knowledge and practical experience, empowering them to incorporate yoga into their daily lives. The Participants resolved to follow Yoga as our ongoing activities in their lives.



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Visit to Counselling Cells/Centers



In light of developing policy and searching new initiatives in the wellness section of JKLU, Ms. Pallavee Sharma, Sr Executive Wellness visited 3 universities in Jaipur on June 12, 2023, with the objective of observing the work styles and approach of other universities towards Mental Health & Wellness of their students. Different psychological counselling cells/centers of Rajasthan University, IIS University and Amity House were visited. All Universities have different setups for counselling, like Psychological Counselling Cell, Student Advisory Bureau and Counselling & Career Development Center. Ms. Pallavee met with the HODs of Psychology Departments, Counsellors, and PhD Scholars; visited their cells and had productive interactions on current cases of students, their dealing, measures and support. She also talked about prevention & interventions of contemporary situations for betterment of young minds. People met included Prof. Mukta Singhvi, Prof. Perna Kumar and Prof. Sushila Pareek of University of Rajasthan, Dr. Mridul Sharma and Dr. Monika Sharma from IIS University and Dr. Megha Bhargava of Amity University.

Visit by Alumnus

On June 29, 2023 Mr. Vipul Sharma, 2021 Pinnacle MBA alumnus of JKLU, visited the campus as a prospective vendor for JKLU. It was nice to have a real demonstration of the after-learning sales management experience of an alumnus. Vipul represents Somany Ceramics, where he looks after B2B and Institutional Business Development.



Ask Me Anything Webinar series

An Ask Me Anything Session on "An Overview of B.Tech" was held on June 24, 2023 on Instagram Live and Zoom. The speaker of the session was Prof Dheeraj Sanghi, Vice Chancellor, JKLU. There were 311 Live Viewers on Instagram and 28 Participants on Zoom. The average attendance duration was 14 minutes and 9 accounts were engaged. The reach on Instagram Reach was 833. Prof. Sanghi summarized the key takeaways and encouraged the students to pursue their passion in the field of B.Tech. The attendees left the session feeling inspired, equipped with a clearer understanding of the field and its potential. The session was coordinated by Prasuk Jain and Bismanpreet Singh.



The second Ask Me Anything Session on "An Overview of BBA" was held on June 25, 2023 on Instagram Live and Zoom. The speaker of the session was Prof Asheesh Gupta, Pro-Vice Chancellor, JKLU. There were 200 Live Viewers on Instagram and 32 Participants on Zoom. The average attendance duration was 10 minutes and 5 accounts were engaged. The reach on Instagram Reach was 500. Prof. Gupta summarized the key takeaways and encouraged the students to pursue their passion in the field of BBA. The event not only provided valuable insights into the BBA program but also inspired and motivated participants to pursue their aspirations in the field of business. The session was coordinated by Prasuk Jain and Bismanpreet Singh.



Open House

The Open House Day at JK Lakshmipat University was held on June 25, 2023 with a total of 20 candidates in attendance. The event provided an opportunity for prospective students to learn about the university, its programs, and the admission process. At the end of the day, five application forms were received, out of which three candidates were admitted. Out of the five application forms received following the Open House Day, three candidates were successfully admitted to JK Lakshmipat University. The admissions team evaluated the applications based on the university's admission criteria, including academic records, entrance exam scores, and personal interviews. The Open House Day aimed to showcase the facilities, programs, and campus life at JK Lakshmipat University to prospective students and their families. Attendees had the chance to interact with faculty members, current students, and staff. The event included informative sessions conducted by faculty members, who presented detailed information about the university's various undergraduate and postgraduate programs, admission requirements, scholarships, extracurricular activities and placements track record. The sessions provided candidates with a comprehensive overview of the university and its offerings and was followed by an informal networking lunch in the students' mess, which also gave a first-hand feel of quality of food and daily life of a student.



A total of 6 stories were uploaded at OPEN HOUSE

VC Interaction Session
474 Views
Placement Talk 1
476 Views
Placement Talk 2
469 Views
Campus Movement
464 Views
Networking Lunch
473 Views
End Story
457 Views



AIC-JKLU INITIATIVES

- "Jaipur Design Week": AIC-JKLU & Institute of Design (JKLU) conducted Jaipur Design Week from April 17-22, 2023 at JKLU Campus. Our IIC Partner ICFAI University had 41 students participating in Designathon (logo competition) conducted on April 21, 2023. Additionally, AIC-JKLU also conducted an AIC Thoughtspot on the final day with speakers like Nidhi Kachhawa (CEO, AIC-JKLU), Manan Pahwa (Sr. Behavioral Designer, BIAS), Neeraj Kumar (Co-Founder & CTO, Crimson Healthcare) and Anthony Lopez (Founder, Lopez Design Pvt Ltd).
- HACK JKLU 2.0: AIC-JKLU & JKLU collectively conducted the second edition of Hack JKLU 2.0 hackathon on 22nd & 23rd April, 2023. A 24-hour event aimed to provide a platform for students to showcase their technical skills and develop innovative solutions to societal problem statements. The participants came up with solutions to various societal problem statements, including waste management, education, healthcare, and agriculture. The event saw participation from more than 250 students from various colleges and universities, which provided an opportunity for the participants to network and learn from each other.
- ICFAI Visit to AIC-JKLU: AIC-JKLU hosted a visit to ICFAI University on April 21, 2023 and had a total of 44 members including faculty and students. Paritosh Prasad (Associate Manager, AIC-JKLU) has given an overview of the foundation of AIC-JKLU, services, achievements and organization structure.
- Boot camp at KRMU: In collaboration with Wadhvani Foundation, AIC-JKLU conducted a day-long Entrepreneurship Boot camp on April 27, 2023 at KR Mangalam University, Gurgaon. Over 100 students attended the Boot camp. The session during the Boot camp was delivered by Mr Chandan Kar who is Head of Product Deployment at Wadhvani Foundation.
- SAIP Evaluation Session: AIC-JKLU conducted an Evaluation session under SAIP (Sector Agnostic Incubation program) for 10 shortlisted startups. The jury for the evaluation was Mr. Rahul Maheshwari, Dr, Devika Kataria & Dr. Sheetal Mundra.
- G20 and Startup20 Rajasthan Sabha: AIC-JKLU along with the whole AIM Rajasthan Network (which includes AIC-Catalyst, AIC-Banasthali Vidyapeeth, AIC-MUJ, and AIC-VGU), hosted the first 'Startup20x and Rajasthan Startup20 Sabha' under G20 and Startup20 on May 26, 2023 in which 7 of our selected JKLU students also participated. The event aimed to provide a platform for entrepreneurs, investors, policymakers, and other stakeholders to discuss the draft of the policy communicate that will be coming out during the Startup20 Summit, along with the latest trends and challenges in the startup ecosystem and share their experiences and insights. The event featured keynote session by Mr. Amit Jain, CEO&Co-Founder, CarDekho and

three fireside chats where six successful entrepreneurs/enablers engaged in a lively discussion on various topics related to the startup world. The speakers for the fireside chat include Mr. Dharamveer Singh Chouhan, Co-Founder&CEO, Zostel; Mr. Mahavir Pratap Sharma, Chairmen & Co-Founder, RAIN; Mr. Amit Singh, Founder&CEO, WoWLabz; Ms. Sheenu Jhawar, President, TiE Rajasthan; Mr. Ajay Data, MD - Data Group of Industries; Mr. Rajendra Lora, Co-Founder&CEO, Freshokartz Agri, all of whom have achieved notable success in their respective fields.

- Partnership with Aspire Labs Accelerator: On May 19, 2023 Aspirelabs Accelerator has signed an MoU with AIC-JKLU towards working together in plastic waste management. We have joined forces to tackle this challenging problem hand in hand. The FINILOOP PLASTIC LAB Program, supported by IKEA Foundation and implemented by Aspirelabs Accelerator, WASTE NL, and Trust of People, is on a mission to make Udaipur and Amritsar plastic waste-free cities.
- Startups Selected for Incubation Program: 5 Startups have been selected for the sector agnostic incubation program, the onboarding documentation process is in process, after which the cohort will begin as per the program structure.
- Kickstart Your Agri-Startup:-On June 6, 2023, the National Institute of Agricultural Marketing (NIAM) organized a significant event, where they unveiled their upcoming program launches, opportunities for startups and students, and a variety of offerings. The event aimed to engage the audience, promote collaboration, and provide valuable insights into the initiatives undertaken by NIAM. The attendees included entrepreneurs, students, professionals from the agricultural industry, and esteemed guests from various sectors.
- Partnered with Headstart for Bharat Pitchathon 2.0:-AIC-JKLU did partner with headstart for their upcoming event Bharat Pitchathon 2.0 on 16th June, in which AIC-JKLU is the north region incubation partner. The partnership between AIC-JKLU and Headstart for Bharat Pitchathon 2.0 signifies their shared vision of nurturing and promoting the startup ecosystem in India. As the North Region Incubation Partner, AIC-JKLU is committed to supporting startups, providing them with mentorship, and networking opportunities. Through this partnership, the event aims to showcase the innovative ideas and entrepreneurial talent in the northern region, facilitate meaningful connections, and foster the growth of startups. The collaboration between AIC-JKLU and Headstart holds immense promise for startups participating in Bharat Pitchathon 2.0 and reflects their dedication to building a thriving entrepreneurial ecosystem in India.

PLACEMENTS



The Career Services department achieved 100% Placements for the Graduating Batch of 2024. In BTech, 10 students received offers of Rs 10 LPA or more, including 3 job offers exceeding Rs 20 LPA and 1 student getting selected in the Indian Air Force. The Median CTC is Rs 7.00 LPA while the Average salary is Rs 8.00 LPA. In BBA, 8 students received offers of Rs 6 LPA or more. The Median CTC is Rs 5.60 LPA while the Average salary is Rs 5.11 LPA. There was a particularly successful hiring drive by Khatabook, in which BBA and MBA students participated in a pool campus drive organized by JKLU. 14 out of 15 of our participating students got selected by the company in comparison to 28% selection from other institutions. The company mentioned that they had never come across another institute in which every student had a unique reply to their questions and they were clearly thinking critically before speaking. Our BBA students were clearly better than MBA students of many other institutes.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS

- Faculty-IET, Dr Amit Sinhal was recognized for best Idea in the Innovation, Design and Entrepreneurship (IDE) BootCamp 2023, organized by Centre for Science and Society, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Bhopal.
- Dr. Pushpendra Singh has sent an application for Patent (Utility) on "A novel priority-based energy management process at electric vehicle's charging station with grid" Application No. 202311020134 published on May 19, 2023.
- Dr. Rajlakshmi Nayak, completed a prestigious SERB International Research Exposure fellowship on 24 April, 2023—a rewarding six-month visit to "The System Realization Lab, University of Oklahoma, USA". During her fellowship, Dr. Nayak had the privilege of working closely with renowned Professor Janet K Allen and Professor Farrokh Mistree, a distinguished figure in the field of cyber-physical systems.
- Dr. Sheetal Mundra and Dr. Monika Soni participated in FDP Conference cum Reunion conducted by IIM Ahmedabad on May 26-27, 2023 and won Best Paper Awards in their respective tracks.
- Mr. Afreen G Faridi completed a PhD Course titled 'Emancipating knowledges and sociocultures: anticolonialism and decolonisation debates' at the University of Oslo, Norway on May 2023.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

- BBA 3rd year student Hardik Garg was awarded a "Special Honour" prize for his Startup "Dufferz" in a Vendor Development Programme by MSME-DFO Jaipur.
- 43 Engineering students participated in Technical Fest "Apogee" at BITS Pilani was held from 31st March to 3rd April 2023.
- 02 of our students Jaya Sodhani and Omprakash Kumawat applied to do 01 semester at IIT Kanpur for semester exchange program on June 6, 2023.
- JKLU team comprising of students Sunandini Bansal, Devashish Nagpal and Vivek Pareek have won incubation prize at Circular Campus Innovation Challenge 2023 held on June 7, 2023 in online mode. The team has been offered incubation fund of USD 2500 by Circular Cities Asia through the support of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation's Regional Project Energy Security and Climate Change Asia-Pacific (KAS RECAP). The team has been mentored by Dr Devika Kataria at IET, JKLU.

Networking and Reputation Building

- Dr. Pushpendra Singh invited to deliver a keynote on "The Smart Grid Standardization Roadmap: Paving the Way for Energy Justice" in All India Seminar on "Smart Grid Standardization Roadmap" organized of Institution of Engineers Kota Local Centre and Rajasthan Technical University Kota on April 15, 2023.
- Dr. Pushpendra Singh invited to deliver an expert talk on "Energy Management Systems" for the students at Rajasthan Technical University Kota on April 17, 2023.
- Dr. Vipin Kumar Jain invited as resource person to conduct a workshop on 'Joy of Learning Physics through Hands-on Experiments' at Vivekanand Global University, Jaipur, Rajasthan on April 15, 2023.
- Dr Richa Sharma was Resource person in a two-day workshop on "Hands-on Data Analysis for Research and Publication Workshop" held during April 12-13, 2023, at Sri Balagi College of Engineering and Technology, Jaipur.
- Dr Richa Sharma has been contributed as Session Chair on "International Conference on Smart Applications, Network Security & Communication", held during April 14-15, 2023, hosted by Arya Institute of Engineering & Technology, Jaipur.
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- Dr. Vipin Kumar Jain was a resource person in a Teachers Training Workshop on 'Experimental Learning in Science' was organized by Cambridge Court High School, Jaipur in association with Indian Association of Physics Teachers (IAPT) – RC06 on 24th June 2023.
- Dr. Monika Soni participated in an online Women Leadership Programme conducted by AIMA on June 16, 2023.
- Dr. Shivram Choudhary participated in Teaching with Cases Workshop organised by IIM Ahmedabad Case Centre and Harvard Business Publishing at IIM Ahmedabad on June 14-15, 2023.
- Mr. Afreen G Faridi co-organised the Ecologies of Labour: Symposium and Workshop 2023 at Nottingham Trent University, UK on June 15-16, 2023. The event addressed the urgent crisis of climate change, biodiversity loss and the broader issue of human-environment relations, by focusing on labour. He also chaired the session on the theme of 'Beyond Extractivism: Ecological Labour and Human Bonds with Nature' and presented a paper in the roundtable on the theme of pastoralism and extractivism.

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- Article in “AIC-JKLU to be among 5 incubations under AIM Rajasthan Network hosting startup event in Jaipur under G-20 Movement” published in India Education Diary on May 24, 2023 and IT Voice on May 23, 2023.
- Dr. Loknath Mishra published a Journal Article “Exploring the factors influencing the effectiveness of online learnings: A study on college students” in the Social Sciences & Humanities Open, Science Direct.
- Dr. Sheetal Mundra presented a paper at the FDP Conference cum Reunion in IIM Ahmedabad on May 26–27, 2023 and has been awarded the 'Best Paper Award' in the track of Novel Research in Business Analytics: Economics, Public Policy and Governance, Entrepreneurship and Innovation.
- Book Chapter : Mundra, S. & Gupta, U. (2023). Embedding Community Engagement in the Architecture of JK Lakshmipat University for Achieving the SDGs. In M. Singh, P. Bhatt et al. (Eds), Community Engagement in Higher Education, eBook ISBN 9781003285670, Imprint Routledge India DOI

RECRUITMENTS



Prof. Sujit Kumar

Prof. Sujit Kumar joined on April 03, 2023 as Director- Hari Shankar Singhania School of Business (HSB). The new school will be launched soon and will be home for the new MBA program to begin with. Prof. Sujit has done Bachelor of Arts (Economics) from St Stephen's College, Delhi University and MBA in General Management from Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad. He has more than 37 years of experience in the corporate sector in India, Europe and USA. Prof. Sujit successfully launched Sony Entertainment Television, followed by other TV Channels in the Sony portfolio. His work domain is in strategic, policy, financial and operational levels with different segments like Consumer Goods, Broadcasting, Telecom, Infrastructure, Private Equity, Real Estate, Automotive, and Public Policy. He has also worked with other global companies including Reckitt Benckiser, J Walter Thomson, Turner International, Merrill Lynch, and Caparo Group. For the last 12 years, he has been working as visiting faculty in top business schools of the country including IIM Bangalore, IIM Ahmedabad, and the newly launched BITSOM.



Dr. Renu Jain

Dr. Renu Jain joined on April 14, 2023 as Dean in Institute of Engineering and Technology. Dr. Renu Jain completed her B.Sc (Honors) from Meerut University and M.Sc.(Maths) from Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi. She is certified in Computer Based Information Systems Software Technology from McGill University, Canada. She did her Ph.D. in Computer Science from B.I.T.S. Pilani.

She has more than 31 years of experience. She has worked in I.I.T. Delhi, B.I.T.S. Pilani, I.I.T. Kanpur, Kanpur University, Krishna Girls Engineering College, Kanpur, CSJM University, Kanpur and NSUT, Delhi. Dr. Jain served as Director, Institute of Engineering and Technology, Kanpur University and is the founding Director of Krishna Girls Engineering College, Kanpur. She also held the position of Dean at Kanpur University for several years.



RECRUITMENTS

Dr. Deepika Prakash

Dr. Deepika Prakash joined on April 05, 2023 as Associate Professor in Computer Science Department (Institute of Engineering & Technology). She has completed her B.Tech. (Biotechnology) from Vellore Institute of Technology, M.Tech. (IT) from IIT Bangalore and Ph.D. from Delhi Technological University. She has 10 years of experience in teaching and IT industry. Immediately preceding, Dr. Deepika was Assistant Professor in NIIT, Neemrana. She has also worked with Central University of Rajasthan, Mind Infotech & Design, Mascon Global Limited and Qi Network Pvt. Ltd.



Mr. Anil K. Sharma

Mr. Anil K. Sharma joined on April 06, 2023 as Training & Placement Officer in Placement Department. He has completed his B.A. from Maharshi Dayanand University, Haryana, and Master's in Corporate Social Responsibilities (MACSR) from IGNOU. He has 10 years of experience in training & placements. Immediately preceding, Mr. Anil was Training & Placement Officer in Jagannath University, Jaipur. He also worked as Training & Placement Officer in Compucom Group of Colleges (CIITM), Jaipur and as Movement Manager in Kherwadi Social Welfare Association (KSWA), Jaipur Branch.



Ms. Kumari Neha Gaurav

Ms. Kumari Neha Gaurav joined on April 10, 2023 as Trainee Executive in Admissions Department. She has completed her Bachelor of Arts in Psychology from Alankar P.G. Girls College, Jaipur. Neha belongs to Delhi.



Mr. Abhishek Meena

Mr. Abhishek Meena joined on April 24, 2023 as Lecturer in Institute of Design. He has completed his B.Des. (Furniture & Interior Design) in 2017 from NID Ahmedabad. Abhishek is an entrepreneur and working in his own Design Studio – SACCA DESIGN at Jaipur since the past over 5 years.



Mrs. Manju Gujral

Mrs. Manju Gujral joined on April 25, 2023 as Warden-Girls Hostel (Administration). She has completed her B.A. from Gujarat University (Ahmedabad), M.A.(History) & B.Ed. from Rajasthan University (Jaipur). She has 15 years of experience in teaching and 7 years in administration. Immediately preceding, Mrs. Manju was Warden in I-India NGO, Jaipur. She also worked as Teacher & Warden in Rajasthan International School (Jaipur), as Principal in Learning Step School (Jaipur) and as Teacher in My Own Sr. Sec. School (Jaipur).



Mr. Swapnil Saxena

Mr. Swapnil Saxena joined on April 26, 2023 as Lecturer in Institute of Design. He has completed his B.Des. (Furniture & Interior Design) in 2013 from NID Ahmedabad (Gujrat) and as a part of his B. Des. Course, he has completed 1 year credit transfer from the University of Northumbria, England with specialization in Illustrations. Immediately preceding, Mr. Swapnil was a freelancer in different Corporates and Education Sector as Visual Designer. He has also worked with Jaipur Rugs, MRS Hospitality, Sabyasachi Mukherjee Couture, 91 Degrees and Amrapali Jewels and has over 7 years experience.



Mr. Indrajit De

Mr. Indrajit De joined on May 01, 2023 as Program Manager – Hari Shankar Singhania Business School (HSB). Mr. Indrajit has completed his B.Des. (Fashion Design) from NIFT Kolkata, PG Certificate (Higher Education) from Nottingham Trent University, UK, and PG Program (Management) from Indian School of Business, Hyderabad. He has 17 years of experience as Entrepreneur, Asst. Professor, Manager Education Services and Consultant. Immediately preceding, Mr. Indrajit was Asst. Vice President in Liqvid e-Learning Services Pvt. Ltd. He has also worked in 9.9 Education Pvt. Ltd., Pearl Academy, SightLife and IICD Jaipur. Mr. Indrajit belongs to Kolkata. He is fond of Visual Storytelling, Martial Arts and Endurance Sports.



Ms. Aditi Singh

Ms. Aditi Singh joined on May 17, 2023 as HR Executive. Ms. Aditi has completed her B.Com. in 2020 from Lucknow University and PGDM (HR & Finance) from Jaipuria Institute of Management, Lucknow in 2023. She had been a brilliant scholar throughout. She has done a diploma in Kathak and is also a classical dancer. In addition to routine HR functions, she will also be entrusted to coordinate for MDP and soft skill development functions. Ms. Aditi belongs to Lucknow. She is fond of traveling and painting.



Ms. Ridhma

Ms. Ridhma joined on June 1, 2023 as Assistant Professor – Institute of Engineering & Technology. She completed her B.E. (Computer Science) from Punjab University and completed her M.Tech (Computer Science) from Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh. She has submitted her Ph.D. thesis at Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh. Her research interest areas include deep learning, machine learning, computer vision and image processing. Ridhma belongs to Jalandhar and is fond of travelling and sketching.



Mr. Prasuk Jain

Mr. Prasuk Jain joined on June 15, 2023 as Executive in Admissions Department. Prasuk has completed his Graduation in Bachelor of Business Administration from JK Lakshmipat University. He has done his internship from Fincare Small Finance Bank. Prasuk belongs to Jaipur and he is fond of Cricket and reading books.



RECRUITMENTS

Dr. Gaurav Mani Khanal

Dr. Gaurav Mani Khanal joined on June 8, 2023 as Assistant Professor in Institute of Engineering and Technology. He completed his B.Tech (ECE) from Bundelkhand University, did double Master's in Microelectronics Systems Design from Liverpool John Moore's University, Liverpool, UK and Wireless Systems and Related Technology from Polytechnique University of Turin, Turin, Italy. Dr. Gaurav has also done Ph.D in Electronic Engineering from University of Rome, Rome, Italy, with specialization in beyond CMOS devices for Low power VLSI applications. He has more than 5 years of experience. Immediately preceding, he was Assistant Professor in Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh. Gaurav has also worked with University of Rome, Atal Tinkering Lab and Lovely Professional University. He belongs to Dehradun.



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