

PRINCIPAL NEWS

The College ranked 99th in All India Ranking 2019 by NIRF. In another streamside survey conducted by India Today MDRA, the College ranked 10th in BCA, 19th in Commerce, 21st in Science, 22nd in BBA, and 33rd in Arts among the best Colleges in India. The College remained the first choice of students in the City for all the courses. Our College is passing on the legacy of brilliance as we move from one year into another.



COLLEGE INFRASTRUCTURE

Our College boasts of a sprawling campus with multiple teaching blocks, an ultra-modern auditorium and lush green lawns. New smart classrooms have also been added. The Administrative Block, besides the offices of the Principal and the Management Society, also has a Seminar Hall with a seating capacity of 210 people. The entire Administrative Block is centrally air-conditioned and has wifi facility. The pavement of the boys' hostel has been re-carpeted and more parking space has been created for the faculty. The College is well-equipped to handle any medical emergency with an availability of 24x7 ambulance service and a medical room. Also, the College has an underground reservoir with a storage capacity of 3 lakh litres of water and fully automatic gensets to provide uninterrupted power supply.



ICT & AUTOMATION

The College has automated its administrative functioning with TCSION ERP Solution Software under its 'Go Green Initiative'. Activities like students' admission, attendance and application for leaves, generation of payslips for the faculty and procurement of inventory and even hostel management, all are done online. Students can download Time-Table/Sections/ID Cards and various other documents through the ERP Solution Software.

LIBRARY

The College hosts state-of-the-art academic library in the region, with a long-standing reputation for technological innovation, and excellence in customer service. At present the physical collection of the library includes 69,588 books, 3,510 CD/DVDs, 105 journals and magazines and 22 newspapers. Digital collection of the library includes 35,000 e-books and more than 6,000 e-journals through INFLIBNET N-List programme and National Digital Library of India. The online resources subscribed to by the library are accessible to staff and students (using passwords) anytime, anywhere. Students can give feedback regarding library services and resources through an online-feedback form available on the College website. The Centralised Research Facility-cum-Digital Library, as it is called, has 15 i5 computers for students, and 10 i7 computers for staff to access e-resources, e-contents, CMIE Prowess IQ Database, Statistical Softwares like Minitab, and SPSS. The library is automated with integrated ERP software named TCSION. JAWS, a screen reading software for facilitating visually impaired students, has also been installed on two computers. Information services like OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue), Reprographic Service, ILL (Inter Library Loan), Internet Surfing, Current Content Alert, SMS Alert Services, Previous Year Question Papers Alert through email, Employment News, and New Arrival Books are provided to the users of the library.

ADMISSIONS

Our College is the first choice of students seeking admission in the region. Our College was also the first preference of students in the current session not only in the centralised admission of M.Com, B.Com, B.Sc. and BCA but also in other disciplines. As compared to 6919 students in 2018-19, this year 7034 students were given admission.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship under Sibling Category

S.No	Name	Class	Amount
1.	Laliba Rafiq	B.Sc. II	3,000
2.	Barisha Anjum	B.Sc. II	3,000
3.	Nidhi Thakur	M.Sc. I	3,000
4.	Nishant Kumar	B.Sc. III	3,000
5.	Shuibhangi Bhardwaj	M.Sc. II	3,000
6.	Abheeka Bhardwaj	M.Com I	3,000

Scholarships for PWD Cases

Sr. No	Name	Class	Basis	Amount
1	Vijay Lakshmi	B.A. II	Disabled	15,000
2	Suraj Malik	B.A. III	PWD	15,000
3	Abhinav Verma	B.A. II	Hearing Disability	15,000
4	Arundeeep	M.Sc I.T.	Disabled	15,000
5	Sania Garg	BBA I	PWD	15,000
6	Shankar Dyal	B.Com III	PWD	15,000
7	Kamal Goyal	B.Com III	PWD	15,000
8	Rahul Bhatia	B.Com III	PWD	15,000

Scholarship for Special Reason

				Basis
1	Ganga Singh	M.A. II	Youth Fest	10,000
2	Shivam	B.Com II	EWS	10,000
3	Ramandeep Kaur	B.Sc III	EWS (Fatherless)	10,000
4	Lakwinder	M.Sc (Chemistry)	EWS	10,000
5	Samiksha	B.Com I	EWS	12,000
6	Gaurav	B.Com I	EWS (SC)	10,000
7	Kashish	B.Sc (Bio informatics) I	SC	10,000
8	Himanshu Chauhan	B.A. I	EWS	8,000
9	Prabudh Mishra	B.A. I	EWS	10,000
10	Ayush Singh	BCA III	EWS	10,000
11	Aarti	M.Sc Physics	EWS	12,000
12	Tamanna Mehta	M.Sc Biotech II	EWS (Fatherless)	12,000
13	Gagan	B. Voc (HWNT) II	EWS	10,000
14	Jahanvie Saini	M.Sc Bioinformatics I	No Parents	10,000

15	Muskan Gupta	B.A. II	Parents Disabled	5000
			college fee and 20,000 hostel fee charged Rest is waived.	
16	Himanshu Manrai	B.Com III	EWS	8,000
17	Kritika Gupta	B.A. III	EWS (Fatherless)	8,000
18	Gurpreet	B.Com II	EWS	8,000
19	Mohammed Tabrez	BBA I	EWS	10,000
20	Sunita	EWS		8,000
21	Luxmi	B.Voc(FTAT)	EWS(Fatherless)	10,000
22	Sunakshi	B.A. II	EWS	10,000
23	Rubeena Begum	B.Sc III	EWS	6595
24	Kavita	BCA II	EWS	10,000
25	Paryat Malik	B.A.	EWS	8,000
26	Boota Singh	DMLT I	EWS(SC)	10,000
27	Parwinder Rani	M.Com I	EWS(OBC)	8,000
28	Dildar Singh	DMLT I	EWS(SC)	10,000
29	Anash Kumar	M.Sc Bio informatics I	EWS(B.C)	10,000
30	Kajal Rani Sharma	B.Sc Medical	EWS	10,000
31	Manpreet Kaur	B.Voc(FTAD) II	EWS	10,000
32	Dheeraj Mishra	B.Sc I	EWS	10,000
33	Akshita	B.Com I	Father is a Cancer Patient	10,000
34	Tejas	B.A. III	EWS	10,000
35	Mukul	BCA III	1841595EWS (Fatherless)	10,000
36	Isha Nahar	B.Com II	EWS (Single Mother)	10,000
37	Parmodh Kumar	B.Voc		10,000
38	Hanspreet Singh	BCA II		10,000
39	Anita	B.Com II	EWS(SC)	10,000
40	Apoorva Gupta	B.Com III	EWS	10,000
41	Priyanka	B.Voc (FTAD)	EWS	10,000
42	Prachi	B.Com I	Fatherless	10,000
43	Jasleen Kaur	B.Com III	Father Less	10,000
44	Salman Khan	B.A. III	EWS (OBC) (Fatherless)	10,000
45	Diksha	BCA III	EWS (Fatherless)	10,000
46	Abhishek	BA	EWS	12,000
47	Palak Narang	BA II	EWS	10,000

PLACEMENT CELL

Students shortlisted by companies during the session:

Sr No.	Name of the Company	Students Shortlisted	Package Offered/annum
1	Deloitte	41	RS. 4.50 Lakhs
2	Ernst & Young	12	RS. 3.33 Lakhs
3	Finvasia	8	RS. 3.50 Lakhs
4	Also Mill Technologies	4	Rs. 3.50 Lakhs
5	Hindustan Wellness	18	Rs. 3.00 Lakhs
6	ICICI Bank	12	Rs. 6.54 Lakhs
	Total	95	

*The number is approximate as conveyed verbally by the Recruitment teams.

STUDENTS' ELECTION

The elections for the Students' Council were held peacefully on 6 September 2019. Sahil Hartala (B.A. III), Yatin Mehta (B.A. III), Harpreet Singh (B.B.A. III) and Harleen Kaur Mahal (M.Sc. I.T. II) were elected as President, Vice President, Secretary and Joint Secretary respectively. Class Representatives were also elected on the same day.

RETIREMENTS

The College bid farewell to the following this year:

Dr Bhushan K. Sharma, Principal, GGDSD College, retired on June 30, 2019 after serving the College for more than six years. Dr Safri Lal, Head, Department of Physical Education, superannuated on 31 August 2019. Mr Suresh K. Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, superannuated on December 31, 2019.

COLLEGE ACTIVITIES AND FUNCTIONS

Havan: The tradition of beginning each new session with a *havan* is intrinsic to the cultural ethos of the College. A *havan* was performed on 25 July 2019 to sought divine blessings for the new academic session.

Independence Day: The College celebrated the 73rd Anniversary of Independence on 15 August 2019 and paid tribute to our great freedom fighters. Principal Dr

Balraj Thapar hoisted the National Flag and the campus reverberated with the National Anthem. The function concluded with the distribution of sweets among staff and students.

Janamashtami: With great zeal, the College staff and students celebrated *Janamashtami* on 24 August 2019. The students, who were urged to practice the teachings of Lord Krishna, recited *shlokas* from *The Bhagwat Gita*.

Pt. Mohan Lal Ji Remembered: The 20th Death Anniversary of revered late Pandit Mohan Lal Ji, Former Home, Finance, Industry and Education Minister, Punjab, and Founder President, GGDSD College Society, Chandigarh, was observed with a Prarthana Sabha on 30 August 2019. Also, a blood donation camp was organized by GGDSD College in association with Central Bank of India to mark the occasion.

Celebration of 550th Birth Anniversary of Sri Guru Nanak Ji: The College celebrated the 550th Birth Anniversary of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji with great enthusiasm on 14 November 2019. The College, in collaboration with the Students' Council, organized a book exhibition. The celebration started with the *paath* of Sri Sukhmani Sahib followed by *kirtan* and *DhadKavishri*. Principal Dr Balraj Thapar was felicitated with a *siropa*. The ceremony concluded with serving of *Guru ka Langar*.



Basant Panchmi: The students and staff celebrated *Basant Panchmi* in the College library on January 30, 2020. The day of Basant Panchmi is dedicated to Goddess Saraswati, the goddess of learning. The *parshad* of yellow rice was distributed among all present.



Lohri: The festival of *Lohri* was celebrated on the campus with great enthusiasm on 13 January 2019. Students danced to the tunes of the DJ and had a gala time.

SD Model United Nations (SDMUN) Conference 17-19th January 2020

The College organized the 7th edition of the International SD Model United Nations (MUN) 2020 from 17-19 January 2020. The theme for the conference was *Zimane Azadiye: The Language of Liberty is one that belongs to all*. The opening ceremony was marked by vibrant and energetic cultural performances and was graced by the presence of Prof Sanjay Kaushik, DCDC, Panjab University, who reiterated the importance of the theme of the conference. More than 240 delegates from renowned institutions across India and abroad, including delegates from Sudan, participated on all three days. The SD MUN 2020 comprised four committees to stimulate a discussion on vital agendas regarding contemporary geopolitics: United Nations

General Assembly (UNGA), United Nations Human Rights Council (UNHRC), All India Political Parties Meet (AIPPM) and United Nations Commission on the Status of Women (UNCSW). Professor Karamjit Singh, Registrar, Panjab University, was the chief guest at the closing ceremony.



Republic Day: The 71st Republic Day on 26 January 2020 was marked with flag hoisting by Principal Dr Balraj Thapar. A large number of students and staff participated in the celebrations.

Annual Alumni Meet: The Annual Alumni Meet, in collaboration with SDAAC, the alumni association, was organized on 26 January 2020. The College felicitated the eminent Alumni including Mr Dalvir Singh Khangura, MLA Dhuri, Punjab; Mr Charanjeet Singh Virk, DSP, Chandigarh; Mr Brij Bhushan Sharma, Chairman, ICAI, Chandigarh; Dr Shyni Paul, Principal, St Anne's School, and others from the 1993-1995 batches. Luminaries such as Mr Sumit Dalal (National, All India Gold Medalist in swimming and water polo), Ms Suman Yadav (World University Games Gold Medalist in Judo), Mr Ravi Sharma (World University Games, Gold Medalist, Fencing), Mr Sukhbir Singh (National Gold Medalist in handball) and Ms Arsh Mangat (Miss Chandigarh Punjab 2017) were awarded with Appreciation awards. The chief guest for the event, Mr Kumar Gaurav Dhawan (IRS), Deputy

Director, PGI, and the guest of honour, Mr. Charanjeet Singh Virk, DSP, Chandigarh, graced the occasion with their presence. The audience was treated to a plethora of cultural performances such as histrionics, mimicry, fusion Sufi dance, folk dance and *bhangra* performed by the talented students of the College.

TEDx 2019: The theme of the fifth edition of TEDx was 'Approaching Infinity'. The event welcomed Anjan Mukherjee, Co-Founder, Taraltec Solutions; Piyush Goswami, Co-Founder, Rest of My Family; Tithi Tewari, Co-Founder and Managing Director, SmartVizX; Ven. Geshe La Dorji Damdul, Director, Tibet House, New Delhi, and official translator to His Holiness, the Dalai Lama; Rabindra Narayan, Managing Director and President, G Next Media Pvt. Ltd. & PTC Network; Chef Ajay Chopra, International Celebrity, Masterchef India; Ridhi Dogra, actor, dancer and model and Jubin Nautiyal, renowned singer in the Indian music industry. The event wrapped up with an energetic band performance by the band 'Sama'.

Condolence Meet: A Condolence Meet was held on 24 February 2020 by the Management, staff and students of the College, and UFV, to mourn the demise of Ms Muskan Mehta of M.Com I, and Ms Pakshi Grover of BBA I of University of Frazer Valley, who lost their precious lives in a tragic fire accident that occurred in their paying guest accommodation on 22 February 2020.

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

Dr Ambedkar Primary School

On 5 September 2019, Teacher's Day was celebrated at Dr BR Ambedkar Primary School, New Janta Colony, Mohali. Activities such as poetry, group song, enactment of a comical script, an insightful speech and *gidra* were organized. Dr Pardeep and Dr Mahak Sharma addressed the students and asked them to follow the path of righteousness. The volunteers distributed sweets amongst the students. On 26 October 2019, Diwali was celebrated in Dr BR Ambedkar Primary School, New Janta Colony, District Mohali, Punjab, which has been patronized by the College since 2011. The NSS volunteers emphasized upon the importance of Green Diwali to children. Rangoli was made by school students who also staged songs and speeches. S.K. Mago, the Principal of the school, shared thoughts about the festivities, and expressed gratitude to the SD College Committee. On 14 November 2019, Spirit India volunteers of GGDSD College, working under the aegis of NGO Aavahan, celebrated Children's Day with the students of B.R. Ambedkar School. A

series of short poems were recited by students of various classes, expressing their views about the Children's Day. A group song on patriotism was also presented. A short play on the national theme 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao' was delivered, with powerful monologues by various characters. The day ended with photo sessions, exchange of gift and snacks.

COLLEGE CLUBS

English Literary Club

Metamorphosis: The recruitments for the official [English Literary Club](#) were concluded on 10 August 2019 under the guidance of Ms. Poorva Trikha and Mr. Pranav Kapil along with the Student President of the club, Ms. Shivangi Ahuja. The recruitments witnessed 80 applications. The club provides its members an opportunity to explore the prospects of acquiring proficiency in literature.

Nimbus: On 9 September 2019, the English Literary Club opened its doors to curious minds with a meeting centred on the ideas discussed in Walter Benjamin's masterpiece 'The Work of Art in the Age of Mechanical Reproduction'. Ms. Poorva Trikha, the teacher in-charge, gave a presentation on the essay. Mr. Pranav Kapil, the co-teacher in-charge of the club, also delivered a lecture on the Marxist ideas referred to in the essay. The presentations were followed by a discussion.

Literati 1.0: A Creative Writing Workshop: Literati 1.0 was organized on 12 September 2019. The workshop, conducted by Mr. Pranav Kapil, had 80 students from different streams participating in it. The focus was upon enhancing their imagination and translating it into beautiful words.



Vigilance Week Observed: The Club, in association with the Central Bank of India, observed the Vigilance Week on 31 October 2019. A debate on 'Integrity: A Way of Life' was organized and the participants had to defend or argue against the motion “The Life of Integrity is an Obsolete Notion”. Nine teams participated in the event, which was graced by Shri Manoj Kumar Meena, IPS (UT Cadre, Batch 2012) who is currently working as SP Vigilance; Sh. Deepak Yadav, OSD Vigilance Cadre (DANIPS Batch 2010) and other high-ranking officials from the Central Bank of India. Trophies were handed to the winners by the esteemed chief guests accompanied by Principal Dr Balraj Thapar.

Academic Writing Workshop: The English Literary Club of GGDSD College, Sector 32, Chandigarh, organized an Academic Writing Workshop on 13 November 2019. The workshop was conducted by Mr Andrew Golden, English Language Fellow, US Department of State. Principal Dr Balraj Thapar gave a very warm welcome to the guest speaker, who has over 17 years of experience in Education having taught primarily in Japan and other Southeast Asian countries. As many as 200 students participated in the workshop and enthusiastically attempted the writing exercises.



Slam Poetry Competition: The English Literary Club, in association with the Chandigarh Literary Society, organized a Slam Poetry competition on 18 November 2019. The theme was “The Wall That Never Was”. Over 22 participants put forth their emotions on the metaphorical wall that restrict them from believing in and becoming the best versions of themselves. The audience decided on the winners through a secret ballot and first, second and third prizes were awarded to Lakshya, Ridhi and Rudrakshi, respectively by Principal Dr Balraj Thapar, GGDSD Society General Secretary Dr Anirudh Joshi, and Lily Swarn, an accomplished author. The event ended with a musical performance.

TrendsModa

The Club of the Department of Fashion Technology and Apparel Design displayed their work in Fashion Designing lab on 26 April 2019. The works included those of basic stitching samples, elements of design and surface enhancement samples, computer-aided design sheets and garments with special fabric such as fake fur and leather, stretchable satins, etc. and theme-based collection. Works of 66 students were showcased. Also, a two-day exhibition was organized by the Club on 8 and 9 November 2019. Dr Prabhdip Brar, Chairperson UIFT, Panjab University, Chandigarh, inaugurated the event, while Principal Dr Balraj Thapar, GGDSD College Management Society President Sh. Upkar Krishan Sharma and other members graced the occasion. The exhibition was coordinated by Dr Sumita Sikka, Head of the Fashion Designing Department. Faculty members Ms. Alpa Sharma, Ms. Jatinder Kaur, Ms. Priya Malik facilitated and guided the students for quality presentation.

Team Pristine: Fashion Models, named as Team Pristine, under the mentorship of Dr Sumita Sikka, Head, Department of Fashion Designing, participated in modelling events held in various Colleges in and around Chandigarh. They won four first prizes and one individual prize as follows:

- Punjab Engineering College - PECFEST 2019- **1st prize**
- CCET (Chandigarh College of Engineering and Technology) – Apratim 2019- **1st prize**
- CGC (Chandigarh Group of Colleges) - Parivartan 2019- **1st prize**
- CGC (Chandigarh Group of Colleges) - **Mr Ritz Contour Award** – Digvijay Singh Ratheef **BCA 3rd year.**
- Thapar University- Saturnalia 2019- **1st prize**

IIC

First Talk on Leadership Series: With the motto of “Innovation for Resurgent India”, HRD Minister Dr Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank' started the first leadership talk series on “Innovation for Resurgent India” telecasted on DD National Live. It was telecasted on various news channels and social media channels, including Facebook, YouTube, etc. A large number of College students witnessed the talk and curiously listened to the thoughts and ideas of Mr Pokhriyal.

EIM- Entrepreneurs in Making

TAG Entrepreneurship Fest-2019 was organized by T.A.G. Events founded by B.Com students Eva Ahlawat and Palac Chawla, on 20 October. The event consisted of three flagship events—Entrepreneurs in Making, Business Crisis and Battle of Bands. Each competition uniquely promoted an aspect of entrepreneurship as the teams of EIM were able to make profits of more than Rs 34,000 in just one day.

Ashra Club

On 'International Peace Day', the Ashra Club organized an interactive session on 'Human Rights as a Pre-requisite for Development' on 21 September 2019 for students of all streams. The Chief Guest, Dr Rani Mehta, Chairperson, Department of Sociology, Panjab University, discussed the crucial areas of human rights development. She also gave a talk on climate disaster management, titled 'Climate Action for Peace.' The event was co-ordinated by Dr Meenu Gupta, the teacher-in-charge of the Ashra Club.

Haritima - Environment Society of College

Won Third Prize: The College Environment Society, Haritima, bagged the third prize for the best Eco-Club, which was awarded on the World Environment Day, 5 June 2019 by the Department of Environment, Chandigarh Administration, under the National Green Corps Programme, for carrying out environment awareness activities.

Van Mahotsava Celebrations: Haritima celebrated Van Mahotsava in the College premises on 8 August 2019. To commemorate the memory of Smt. Adarsh Sharma, wife of Shri Upkar Krishan Sharma, GGDSD College Society President, a sapling was planted on the campus by their daughter, Ms Vaishali Sharma. Principal Dr Balraj Thapar initiated 'One Student One Tree' campaign on this occasion. The saplings for the campaign were provided free of cost by the Department of Forest, Chandigarh. Over 50 saplings of various species were planted during the plantation drive.

Swachh Bharat Swasth Bharat Campaign: As a part of the *Swachh Bharat* Campaign, Haritima in collaboration with NSS Unit of the College organized a rally on 21 September 2019 in the residential area and market of Sector 32, Chandigarh, to spread awareness about the importance of cleanliness. The rally was flagged off by Dr Bikram Rana, State Liaison officer, Education Department, UT Administration, Chandigarh, and Principal Dr Balraj Thapar. About 250 students and faculty members of the College took part in the drive.

'Harit Diwali' Celebrated: Haritima celebrated 'Harit Diwali' on 22-23 October 2019. While sensitizing the students on the theme of Harit Diwali, the club members also motivated them to celebrate safe and eco-friendly Diwali through eco-rangoli-making and calligraphy competitions. PowerPoint Presentations by students on 'Green and Safe Diwali' evoked a good response amongst the participants.

Reader's Club

Book exhibition on 550 years of Guru Nanak Dev: The Readers' Club of GGDSD College Library in collaboration with the Department of Hindi organized a Book Exhibition to commemorate the 550th Birth Anniversary of Guru Nanak Dev *ji*. The event was organized by College Librarian Mr Gurpreet Singh Sohal. Dr Pratibha, Head, Department of Hindi, spoke on Guru Nanak's concept of one God and universal brotherhood. Principal Dr Balraj Thapar hailed the efforts of the organizers and urged students to imbibe the teachings of Guru Nanak. Panjab Digital Library supported this event with collection of their books on Guru Nanak *ji*



Session on Anti-Plagiarism Software: A talk-cum-interactive session was organized on “Urkund” (anti-plagiarism software). MrGautamRaval, Manager, Business Development, eGalactic, Pune, interacted with students after his talk on research ethics and plagiarism detection techniques. He also demonstrated the use of Urkund for detection and removal of plagiarism from research papers and theses.

Legal Literacy Club

The Legal Literacy Club organized a talk on “Save the Girl Child” on the National Girl Child Day, 24 January 2020. Mr Mahavir Singh, District Sessions Judge, was the speaker on the occasion.

The Electoral Literacy Club

The Electoral Literacy Club celebrated the National Voters Day on 25January 2020. Slogan-writing and cartoon-making competitions were held to create awareness among the students about the importance of voting in a democratic country. Around 40 students participated in the event. The nodal officer of the club and the Head, Political Science Department, Ms Seema Kumari, encouraged the students to understand their right to vote as a duty also. Dr Virender Kumar, Head, Department of Bio-Informatics, gave away the prizes to the winners.

Bosons Club

Invited Lectures: Dr Manish Dev Sharma from Panjab University, Chandigarh, delivered a lecture on “Digital Electronics and Embedded System” on 9 November 2019, exploring the concepts of electronics and its future scope. He elaborated on the development of microprocessor and its applications. Also, an expert lecture on

“Particles, Fields and Fundamental Particles” was organized on 6 February 2020. Prof Emeritus Manmohan Gupta, Department of Physics, Panjab University, Chandigarh, was the speaker. As many as 200 students attended the lecture. Dean Sciences and IT, Dr Sajeev Soni, and Head of the Physics Department, Dr Shikha Gupta, graced the occasion.



Educational Visit: On 20 February 2020, Physics Department students visited Aryabhata Research Institute of Observational Sciences (ARIES), organized under the aegis of DBT Star College Scheme DBT (Government of India, New Delhi). It is one of the leading research institutes which specializes in observational Astronomy & Astrophysics and Atmospheric Sciences. This visit was covered under the aegis ARIES Science Popularisation and Outreach Programme (ASPOP).



Science Day: The "Science Day" was organized under the aegis of DBT Star College Scheme (Government of India, New Delhi), on 26 February 2020. The celebration included organizing various events such as Physics quiz, academic presentations, rangoli-making, poster-Making and "Just-a-Minute" related to scientific theme. Students gave power-point presentations on the topic "Greatest Physicists and their Contributions", and a poster-making competition on the topic 'E- Waste' was held. Approximately 200 undergraduate and postgraduate students participated in the event. Dean-Sciences Dr Sajeew Soni and Physics Department Head Dr Shikha Gupta congratulated all winners.



Aesthesia Club

A seminar on "Gratitude and Forgiveness-Pillars of Emotional Well Being" was organized by Aesthesia Club (Psychology Department) on 9 November 2019. The speaker, Ms Bharati Kapoor, dwelt on the importance of inculcating qualities such as gratitude and forgiveness in the students' lives. A talk on Personality Development was organized on 25 January 2020. Ms. Ritu Singal, L.L.M., Gold



Medalist and recipient of the "Woman Entrepreneur of the Year 2011" award by *The Economic Times* was the Guest Speaker. She is currently the Managing Director of Raglan Infrastructure Pvt. Ltd., and a life skills coach.

Rotaract Club

Tabeer: The Installation Ceremony: 'Tabeer: The Installation Ceremony' of Rotaract Club was held on 29 August 2019. The day was graced by the Principal Dr Balraj Thapar, DSW Dr Ajay Sharma, members of the Parents Rotary-Chandigarh Central Rotary and district members. The event started with the Club President sharing her vision for this tenure and was followed by the pinning of the Panel and the Board of Directors of the club.



Donation Event: On 30 August 2019, Rotaract Club held an event under the district's monthly theme of 'Literacy' at Fine Arts Hobby Centre in Sector 10 of Panchkula. The team of Rotaractors provided these children with books, notebooks, pens, pencils and other stationery items. They were also given biscuits, fruits, candy, chocolates and juices.

Facilitated Robinhood Army: Under the district's monthly theme of "Care for Care-Givers", the club organized an event at GMCH-32, Chandigarh, on 15 September 2019. The team of Rotaractors helped the Robinhood Army in distributing food to the people. The team also facilitated the Robinhood Army with bouquets and certificates for their noble deeds.



Event AABHAAR: An event called 'aabhaar', also under the district's monthly theme of “Care for Care-Givers”, was held on 16 September 2019, in the College premises. The team of Rotaractors distributed food to the College workers. The aim was to appreciate their services which they render daily and to felicitate all the workers who help in keeping our College clean and green.



Conference Organized: The Rotaract Club of GGDSD College, in association with Rotary Club Chandigarh, organized a conference on the topic 'Consumer is Always Right?' on 19 October 2019. Justice R.K Aggarwal (Retd), President NCDRC; Dr Balam Gupta, Director Judicial Academy; Dr B.C. Gupta, Former Member NCDRC and Sh. N.C. Rana, President Consumer Association, Panchkula, were the key speakers. The conference addressed the new set of challenges faced by consumers in the digital age.



Republic Day Celebrations: Rotaract Club organized an event in January 2020 under the theme “Patriotism” for the under-privileged children at Ashoka Buddha Vihar. The children were told about the significance of the Republic Day and what the National Flag symbolized.

Donation Drive: A three-day donation drive was conducted by SD Rotaract in the College premises from 27 to 29 January 2020 in which donations were collected in kind. This was followed by the distribution of the donated items among the needy at Town Park, Sector 5, Panchkula and Bachpan Smart School, Sector 10, Panchkula on 31 January 2020. The items donated included clothes, books, stationary, bags and biscuits.

Session on 'Recruitment Psychology of the Interviewers': Rotaract Club of SD College organized a session on 22 January 2020 'Recruitment Psychology of the Interviewers' by Mr Amit Hans, Chief Mentor at Educorp Consultancy Services.

'Sports Day 2020' and Exhibition

Rotaract Club organized 'Sports Day 2020' and Exhibition at SOREM School, Sector 36, Chandigarh, on 28 February 2020. The Rotaractors had provided training to the children at SOREM for fun-packed sports activities that encouraged their physical and social skills for last two weeks. In addition to this, an exhibition of the handmade articles that the kids make at their school was also put up to promote their craft and professional abilities. The event took another step in increasing the acceptance of specially-abled children in the society.



HOSTEL NEWS

The Boys' Hostel organized an inaugural *havanon* 22 August 2019 to pray for the welfare of its occupants. All the hostellers, Dr. Yashpal Taneja, and Mr. Gurpreet Singh Sohal, Chief Wardens, and Mr. Parveen K. Sharma, Warden, along with teachers and the supporting staff joined in this sacred ceremony. The puja was performed by Principal Dr Balraj Thapar. At the end, *Prasad* was served to all.

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

Department of Biotechnology

Workshops: As a part of the ongoing Foldscope Project, a series of workshops were conducted by Dr Samriti Dhawan and Dr Jasveen Dua for postgraduate and undergraduate students of Biotechnology and Bioscience. A one-day workshop-cum-demonstration was conducted on “Microscopic analysis of Thread and Yarn” for students of B.Voc (Fashion Technology and Apparel Design) on 5 April 2019 in which around 50 students participated. To celebrate International Day for Biological Diversity, a one-day workshop was conducted as an extension activity under Foldscope project on 23 May 2019 in which 40 students participated.

Collaboration: As a part of the Foldscope project, a collaboration was done between GGDS College and ICAR-NOFRI (Indian council of Agriculture Research-National Organic Farming Research Institute), Sikkim Centre, Tadong, Gangtok.

Visit: Dr Samriti Dhawan visited Plant Pathology laboratory for a twinning programme with Dr Chandramani Raj under Foldscope Project of DBT, Ministry of Science and Technology, GoI, New Delhi. Purpose of her visit, from 3-7 July 2019, was to share and disseminate information and findings about the use of Foldscope as a teaching and research tool for the benefit of both the institutes.

Department of Botany

One Student One Tree Initiative: The Department of Botany initiated a 'One Student One Tree' campaign. The campaign, as per the Education Department directive, aims at motivating each student to plant a tree in their vicinity and nurture it. A 'pau dh mela' was organized on the campus to mark the occasion. Several saplings were distributed amongst students who also pledged to take care of them.

Visit: A team of 66 students visited the Department of Botany, Panjab University, on 26 September 2019. They were apprised about the ongoing research activities,

Instrumentation Labs, Plant Tissue Culture labs, Greenhouse facility and the Herbarium. The students also visited the P.N. Mehra Botanical Garden, situated on the campus to study the biodiversity of plants. A one-day study tour to **Sukhna Wildlife Sanctuary and Nepali Forest Reserve** was organized on 31 January 2020. About 50 students participated actively in various activities like collection of flora, studying the biodiversity en route, trekking, etc.

Guest Lecture: A Guest Lecture on “Role of Plant Biotechnology in Crop Improvement” was organized on 27 September 2019. Prof. Promila Pathak from the Botany Department, Panjab University, Chandigarh, interacted with B.Sc third year students and apprised them about climate change, and how tissue culture can help solve the food security issues. Also, a lecture on “Herbal Biotechnology” was organized on 15 February 2020 as a part of lecture series on '**Sustainable Solutions**'. The resource person was Prof. (Dr) P.K. Pati, Head, Department of Biotechnology, GNDU. Prof. Pati is a recipient of various prestigious awards including BOYSCAST Fellowship of Department of Science and Technology and “INSA Teachers Award” from Indian National Academy of Sciences, New Delhi. He enlightened the audience on the latest initiatives and research avenues in medicinal plants research with a focus on Indian medicine plants.



Festival of Spring-2020: To celebrate the blooming season of Spring, an event that included activities of pot-painting, flower-arrangement, and garland-making was organized. While exhibiting students' creativity, the aim was to apprise them of Nature's beauty and to introduce them to different varieties of flowers found in the region.



Workshop: A One-day workshop on '**Exploring Nature & Herbarium Preparation**' was organized by Department of Botany on 24 January 2020 and was attended by about 70 students. The workshop was conducted under the guidance of senior technician Mr. Gurdev Singh from Panjab University, Chandigarh. He gave tips on the techniques of pressing, preserving and making Plant Herbaria.



Department of Chemistry

Special lecture: In collaboration with the Society for Promotion of Science & Technology in India and in association with Alexander Von Humboldt Foundation (Chandigarh Chapter), the department organized a special lecture on modern day periodic table and trans-uranic elements on 24 January 2020. Prof. Alok Srivastava from the Chemistry Department, Panjab University, was the invited speaker.

Seminar: A DBT-sponsored seminar on 'Chemistry Sensitization' was organized on 15 February 2020. Scientists from Panjab University, NIPER and IISER were invited to deliver lectures in their field of specialization.

Trip: A one-day educational excursion to Central Research Institute, Kasauli, was organized on 20 February 2020. As many as 50 students of B.Sc.-I were accompanied by four faculty members: Dr Neha Dhiman, Dr Akshpreet Singh, Dr Geetika Sharma and Ms Sarita.

Department of Fashion Designing

Fevicryl Workshop: A three-day workshop was organized for the students of B.Voc (Fashion Technology and Apparel Design). Fevicryl hobby art expert, Ms. Shashi Guleria and Head, Department of Fashion Designing, Dr. Sumita Sikka were resource persons. It was attended by 35 students along with faculty members, Ms. Jatinder Kaur and Priya Malik. Students learnt about liquid embroidery art using 3-D outlineurs, which can be used as alternate to actual embroidery. They also learnt the techniques of fluid art, resist painting, cut-work and eyelet embroideries, practiced various tie-and-dye techniques and created beaded jewellery products.

Lucknow Educational Trip: An educational tour was organized to Lucknow for 39 students of B.Voc (Fashion Technology and Apparel Design) from 12-16 October 2019. The students visited Aminabad, Chauk Market and Malihabad village and learnt about the craft of *chikankari* embroidery and *badla* work.

National Crafts Mela: An excursion was organized by Dr Sumita Sikka, Head, Fashion Designing Department for the students of B.Voc FTAD to the much awaited fair, National Crafts Mela at Kalagram, Chandigarh on 16 November 2019. They were accompanied by faculty members Ms Alpa Sharma and Ms Jatinder Kaur. Themed around “west to east” this time, the annual festival has 19 participating states and 210 stalls. The students witnessed an elaborate gate that is inspired by architecture of Arunachal Pradesh, wood carvings from Karnataka, Benarsi Sarees, Kashmiri shawls, artefacts from Thailand and antique crafts as old as 100 years.

Department of Hindi

In association with Central Bank of India, Sector 32, the department celebrated *Hindi Divas* with gusto. Mr. Madhav Kaushik, President, Chandigarh Sahitya Akademi, was the Chief Guest on the occasion. Mr. Avinash, Mr. Anil Chawla and Mr. Rakesh Gandhi from Central Bank of India also graced the occasion. In his keynote address, Mr. Kaushik, talked about various possibilities and future prospects of Hindi language. He also discussed the increasing use of Hindi in the business industry. Dr Pratibha Kumari, Head, Department of Hindi, also made the audience a ware of the growing popularity of the Hindi language, both at the local and global level. Ms. Sharmila, another faculty member, also spoke on the relevance of the language in present times. Various competitions for students were also organized and the students were felicitated with certificates.

Department of Information Technology

A lecture on “Application and Challenges of Emerging Technologies” was delivered by Dr Ravinder Singh, Civil Servant, Cabinet Office-Government Digital Services, London. He spoke about the application of artificial intelligence and the challenges being faced by the world to implement it.

Department of Journalism and Mass Communication

Second Prem Bhatia Memorial Lecture: To mark the the National Press Day, the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication organized the Second Prem Bhatia Lecture Series on 16 November 2019. Mr Mahendra Ved, President Commonwealth Journalists Association, was the resource person for the occasion



Workshop: An interactive session-cum-workshop on “Internships and Jobs in Journalism: Relevance, Scope and Need” was organized. Ms Renu Sinha, Deputy News Editor and Bureau in-charge, *The Tribune*, was the guest speaker.



Department of Political Science

EVP of College: On 18 October 2019, the Electoral Literacy Club of the College invited students of the College to make their Voter ID cards; those who possessed were asked to verify it online and through mobile applications. Around 2800 students responded to this call out of which 900 had their voter ID card and 1900 did not have it. A help desk was formed. The selected volunteers were given training on 9 October 2019 for Voter Verification Programme. The programme was held under the supervision of Ms Seema Kumari and Mr Akhil, the faculties in the Department.

Guest Lecture: A guest lecture was delivered on 15 November 2019 by Padma Shri Dr Ravindra Kumar, former Vice-Chancellor, Chaudhary Charan Singh University to celebrate the 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi. Dr Kumar enlightened the students about various facets of Gandhian ideology which is also a part of the students' academic curriculum.

Inter-College Declamation Contest: The department organized an inter-college declamation contest in the College auditorium on 15 November 2019 on various themes related to Mahatma Gandhi and his relevance in the contemporary society to mark his 150th birth anniversary. Dr Sudhir Hindwan of PGGCG, Sector 42, and Dr Shashi Wahi Khullar, Vice-Principal of PGGC Sector 46, Chandigarh, were the judges.

Department of Psychology

A Seven-day Life Skill Testing, training and enrichment programme was organized in the Department from 13–20 September 2019. The week started with students conducting tests on different Life Skills variables such as self-esteem, self-efficacy, wellbeing, decision making, leadership qualities, anger and personality types. As many as 320 students participated in this programme, which aimed at bridging the gap between theory and practical aspect of Life Skills which students keep on hearing about from different sources.



Department of Punjabi

Talk on Guru Nanak Dev Ji: The Department of Punjabi organized a talk on 'Guru Nanak Bani: Darshan te Vichaardhaara' to commemorate the 550th Birth Anniversary of Sri Guru Nanak Dev ji. Prof. Harpal Pannu, a learned scholar, was the keynote speaker on the occasion. Dr Pannu talked about the social change brought about by Guru Nanak, while reflecting upon Guru Nanak Dev ji's *bani*. Dr Anirudh Joshi, in his valedictory address, discussed the teachings of the Guru.

Naitek Sikhia Imtihaan: *Naitek Sikhia Imtihaan* was conducted in Punjabi Department in collaboration with Guru Gobind Singh Study Circle on the occasion of Guru Nanak Dev ji's 550th Parkash Purab.

Department of Physics

Extension lecture: Professor Sanjeev Kumar from Punjab Engineering College, Chandigarh, visited the department on 10 March 2019 and delivered a lecture on advanced function analysis in which he elaborated about magnetic materials.

NAEST: Students participated in the screening test of NAEST 2019 organized by Indian Association of Physics Teachers at IISER Mohali on 10 August 2019. Students sat through audio-visuals, PowerPoint Presentations and MCQs based on physics phenomenon. Harmanjot Singh of M.Sc. I, Komal Sharma of M.Sc. II, Gagandeep Singh of B.Sc. III and Swati Sharma of M.Sc. II cleared the first round.



Inter-College Poster-Making Competition: On the occasion of *Akshay Urja Diwas*, an inter-College poster-making competition was organized at PGGC-11, Chandigarh, on 21 August 2019. The main aim of the event was to educate the youth about energy conservation and sustainable environment. Komalika of B.Sc. II won the third prize.

Presentation: To mark the *Akshay Urja Divas* on 21 August 2019, B.Sc. I year student Mr Aman Mankotia, gave a 15-minute presentation on "Energy Conservation" to faculty and students of Department of Botany. In a second event, in lieu of DBT-initiative drive of inter-department knowledge transfer and collaboration, Dr Deepak Garg, Physics Department, demonstrated the principle of "Hall Effect" to students from Department of Botany and Biotechnology. Hall coefficient of Ge crystal was measured by the students.

Android App Development Workshop: Mr Dhruv Sharma of B.Sc. I year, participated in Android App Development Workshop conducted by Kyrion Technologies Pvt. Ltd. on 31 August and 1 September 2019 at the Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee.

National Seminar: The 4th National Seminar on "Recent Advances in Material Science (RAMS)-2020" was organized by Department of Physics under the aegis of Star College Scheme, DBT (Government of India, New Delhi). The seminar was inaugurated by Prof. K.N. Pathak, former Vice Chancellor, Panjab University, Chandigarh. Prof. Navdeep Goyal, Chairperson, Department of Physics, Panjab University, was the Guest of Honour. Prof. S.K. Tripathi from Panjab University, Prof. R.K. Moudgil from Kurukshetra University, Dr. Narinder Singh from Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Ropar, Dr Rajesh Kumar from Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Roorkee, and Dr Bipin Gupta from National Physical Laboratory, New Delhi were among the invited speakers. A poster-presentation competition for the students was also organized. The seminar concluded with the prize distribution to the winners of various activities



Department of Vocational Sciences

Industrial Visit: An industrial visit to Big Bazaar (Future Retail), Zirakpur, was organized for first-year students of B.Voc-Logistics Management and B.Voc.-Retail Management on 12 April 2019. The students were apprised about the intricacies of handling each division such as stock procurement, stock replenishment, sequencing activities, etc. especially in the Apparel Section and the Fruit and Vegetables Section by Mr Parminder Singh, the Floor Manager.

SSC Assessment: The Sector Skill Council (SSC) assessment of three of our batches of B.Voc. Retail Management students by the concerned SSC, Retailer's Association Skill Council of India (RASCI) was conducted from 29 April-1 May 2019 for Level 4 – Retail Sales Associate (2018-2021 Batch), for Level 5 – Team Leader (2017-2020 Batch), and for Level 6 – Departmental Manager (2016-2019 Batch) wherein all the students successfully passed in the assessment.

Industrial Training: The students of II, IV and V semesters underwent industrial training in various companies and industries. Three students of batch 2016-19 are doing part-time jobs. One student is doing his own business under the name 'Simran Solution' where he deals with hardware, server and LAN; another student works as online exam invigilator where he manages servers and the third student is working in 'Boss Computers'. Two students of batch 2017-20 are also doing part-time jobs—one is working as SSA (Seller Support Associate) in Amazon Transport Pvt.

Ltd and another is working as FSE (Field Service Engineer) in Airtel Marketing.

Guest Lectures: A series of guest lectures were delivered by Dr Priyank and Dr Rohit (Central Poultry Development Organization, Chandigarh) from August 2018 to May 2019. A guest lecture on 'Career in Floriculture' was delivered by Sh. Satinder Singh, renowned floriculture entrepreneur of Punjab in February 2019. A guest lecture on 'Agribusiness: The Next Best Thing' was delivered by Sh. Tajinder Kaushal, founder 'Livestock' on 10 April 2019.

Practical Training: The students of B.Voc. I were provided with practical training in leading Dairy Farms near Chandigarh. The students of B.Voc. II were provided with practical training at Central Poultry Development Organization and B.Voc. III were provided with practical training of floriculture in leading nurseries and floriculture centres in and around Chandigarh.

Guest Lecture: A guest lecture was organized on 'Ethics and Values in an Organization' in March 2019. The lecture was delivered by Sh. Krishan Mohan, IAS (Retd), Former Additional Chief Secretary and Financial Commissioner Revenue, Government of Haryana.

Department of Zoology

Quiz: A quiz on birds was organized in the department on 6 April 2019 in which students of B.Sc. (Medical) participated. The quiz master was Dr Ravneet Kaur from the Department of Zoology, Panjab University. The winners were given certificates and cash prizes.

Poster-Making Competition: A poster-making competition was organized for students of B.Sc. III year on 27 August 2019 in the Zoology labs to make them aware of 'Stop Ecocide', 'Swach Bharat' and 'Technology and Environment'. Thirty students participated in the event. Ms Jeevika stood first, Ms Shweta and Ms Simran Kaur Kang stood second and third, respectively. The consolation prize was bagged by Mr Kanwarpal Singh.

Visit to Government Museum and Art Gallery: A visit to Government Museum and Art Gallery, Sector 10, Chandigarh, was organized for the students of B.Sc. II on 13 September 2019. Around 50 students visited different sections of the museum to enhance their educational awareness about fossils, human evolution, and mythological history. The group was accompanied by Dr Indu Mehta, Dr Parul and Dr Sandaldeep.

Biotechnology Popularization Programme: DBT-CTEP Biotechnology Popularization Programme was organized in MCM DAV College, Sector 36, Chandigarh, on 18 September 2019. Around 14 students from the College attended the programme. Three students, Anchita, Jeevika and Jeevisha, of B.Sc. III year participated in the poster-presentation competition.

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

International Yoga Day: Around 100 volunteers along with the faculty members performed various *yogasanas* and did *pranayama* to mark the day. Mr Janak and Mr Surinder Singh from *Patanjali Yog Peeth*, Chandigarh Branch, guided the participants.



Rainwater Harvesting: NSS Unit of the College held a talk on 25 July 2019 on "rain water harvesting" wherein the volunteers and faculty members were shown how the rain water harvesting plant works.



Tree Plantation Drive & Swachta Pledge: The NSS Unit distributed saplings among girls in the College and other faculty members on 25 July 2019. NSS volunteers along with College NSS Programme Officers, Dr Mani Parti and Dr Mahak Sharma, and other faculty members took a pledge to keep their surroundings neat and clean and hygienic.



Programmes under Swach Bharat Abhiyan: The NSS Volunteers Gaurav Goyal, Lakshay Agnihotri, Sapna, Swati, Aashna Aggarwal, and Prakriti participated in the Swach Bharat Summer Internship 2019, wherein they completed 50 hours internship in rural areas adopted by them and undertook social welfare activities. Also, the NSS volunteers participated in poster-making activity based on the theme "Swach Bharat, Swasth Bharat" and in "cleaning the campus drive" on 13 August 2019. The volunteers were made aware of the segregation of waste and use of dustbins, green and blue. A talk by Dr Geetika on hand-wash techniques and how to maintain hygiene was also organized



NSS Orientation Programme: The NSS unit organized an Orientation Programme on 21 September 2019 for NSS volunteers to highlight the motto and aim of NSS which is “NOT ME, BUT YOU”. The Chief Guests were Dr Bikram Rana, State Liaison Officer, Education Department, and Dr Nancy Sahni, Dietetics Department, PGI, Chandigarh.

NSS Day: The NSS Day was celebrated on 24 September 2019 to mark the Golden Jubilee anniversary of NSS. The volunteers took a pledge to contribute to the welfare of society at large and lay focus on Swach Bharat, Poshan Abhiyan and “No to Plastic” mission.

Run for Unity: The NSS unit celebrated the Unity Day on 31 October 2019. To mark the celebrations, around 30 volunteers and programme officers of the college took part in “Run for Unity” held at Sukhna Lake.

Seven-Day Special Camp: Based on the theme of “Clean India, Green India”, a seven-day special NSS camp was inaugurated on 24 December 2019 on the campus. It began with introduction of certain rules and regulations by NSS programme officers, Dr Mani Parti and Dr Mahak Sharma, followed by distribution of NSS volunteers into seven groups. It was followed by a lecture by Dr Devi Singh about how NSS helps to boost our confidence and overall personality and the hand of youth in the development of society. During the camp days there were sessions on various topics and themes, including “Cleanliness of Soul” by Brahma Kumaris Didi Madhu and Didi Preeti; “youth awakening for a better tomorrow” by Nam Prem Prabhu ji and Saurav Prabhu ji from ISKCON; “stressed youth and how to overcome stress” by consultant psychologist Ms Mihul Narad; “Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation”; “role of youth in the empowerment of the society” by NSS state Liaison Officer Dr Bikram Rana and a poetry recitation competition on “Clean India Green India” was also held. Mr Janak and Mr Surinder Kumar from Patanjali, Chandigarh, conducted a yoga session. The “virtue of giving” was emphasized through a donation drive and students collected Rs 4500 and warm clothes for the needy. The volunteers were informed about a social organization, Don Bosco Society, which is working for the welfare and awareness of children by Dr Kiran Behl and Mr Ranjit. Ms Indra Beniwal, Deputy Director of Haryana Board, talked about how education plays an important role in the upliftment of the society, and helps people fight and stand for their rights. The chief guests for the valedictory function were Principal Dr Balraj Thapar and Panjab University NSS Coordinator Dr Navdeep.



Swachata App Drive:The Swachhata App Awareness drive was held in the college. Ms. Swaran and Mr Dinesh from the Chandigarh Municipal Corporation with their team members helped the students download the app and do the survey. Around 100 students did the survey and around 200 participated in the survey on 28 January 2020.

Traffic Awareness Workshop:On 15 January 2020, the NSS unit conducted a workshop on “Road Safety and Traffic Awareness” as a part of the 31stTraffic Awareness Week celebration. The chief guest was Sh. Shashank Anand, IPS, SSP, Chandigarh Traffic Police.Other Guests of Honour were WG CDR C.S. Grewal (Retd.), Chief Traffic Marshall, Sh. Charanjit Singh, DSP, Chandigarh Traffic Police, Sh.Neeraj Sarna, Inspector, and Ms. Uma Mahajan, Traffic Marshal. Around 200 students of the college attended the workshop.



NATIONAL CADET CORP (NCC)

The college has been granted 2 NCC platoons comprising 70 cadets each. During each session, NCC cadets attend 32 parades and 96 periods for the award of certificate. This year, a total of 47 first-year students were recruited as cadets in NCC and the total strength of NCC this year was 150 cadets. This year, the cadets participated in various activities like Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan, Traffic Rule Awareness Rally, Traffic Rule Police Attachment Duties and Celebration of the NCC Day with ADG Maj. Gen. R.S. Mann and other NCC officers at NCC group headquarters in Sector 31, Chandigarh.

The cadets also participated in various national camps this year:

- Under Officer Ikjot Singh attended Inter Group Shooting Competition, Inter Directorate Shooting Competition, GV Mavlankar Nationals, All India Shooting Team-2020.
- Cadet Abhinav Gaur was selected for SSB Training Course in Officer's Training Academy (Kamptee).
- Corporal Saksham Saini won gold medal for Best Coy. Senior in Advanced Leadership Camp-2019 held at Malout.
- Lance Corporal Aakash Kapoor won one silver and bronze medal in Tug of War competition in Advanced Leadership Camp held at Malout.
- Cdt Rahul Bisht won gold medal in volleyball in Basic Leadership Camp held at Malout.

Five cadets of our college got selected for the NCC Army Wing Parade at Sector 17, Chandigarh, for the Independence Day Parade. Two cadets were also selected for DCAT Camp. The cadets attended camps like Annual Training Camp-2019, Basic Leadership Camp-2019, Advanced Leadership Camp-2019, Shooting Camp-2019, Directorate Combined Annual Training Camp-2019, Combined Annual Training Camp-2019, Army Attachment Camp-2019, Officer's Training Academy SSB Camp-2019. All the activities took place under the supervision and guidance of Capt. Varinder Singh (ANO) and Senior Under Officer (SUO) Brijesh Kumar, Under Officer (UO) Sameer Ghana, Under Officer (UO) Vishal Chauhan, CQMS Ayush Singh, CQMS Sidhant Nayyar, CQMS Jobanjeet Singh, Sgt. Jagdeep Singh, Sgt. Goldy Kumar, Cpl. Sahil Kanet, Cpl. Saksham Sain, L.Cpl. Aakash Kapoor.



Lecture: The College's Senior Cadets, having the experience of the camps, gave a lecture to the second year and first year cadets on leadership qualities.

Swachh Bharat Abhiyan: NCC Army wing contributed in the mission of making India clean and a better country by organizing Swachh Bharat Abhiyan in the College premises on 2 October 2019. All the cadets and the ANO took up the task of cleaning the College campus. Cadets campaigned among college students, making them aware of self-hygiene and sanitation and also the mischief caused by living in unhygienic condition



Annual Tree Plantation: In September 2019, 2 CHD BN NCC organized an event for tree plantation across the tricity. The Commanding Officer Col. Rohit Thakur, JCOs, NCOs, and ANOs of all the colleges participated in this event. Around 50 cadets of our College participated in this event



Blood Donation: 2 CHD BN NCC organized a blood donation camp on 14 November 2019 and 15 cadets of our college donated blood at the camp.



Rifle Shooting in NCC: The cadets went for the Annual Rifle Shooting and prepared for competitions like the All India Shooting camp.

Passing on the Legacy: SUO Brijesh Kumar gave a lecture on his journey as a cadet, from being a cadet in first year to holding the highest rank appointment of SUO in the College and shared his experience of the camps and the lessons he learned while being in NCC.

PU ZONAL YOUTH & HERITAGE FESTIVAL 2019-20

Our College won the **Overall Trophy** for the sixth time in a row in the 61st Punjab University 'Zonal Youth and Heritage Festival' (Zone-A), held at GCCBA College, Sector 50 from 27 September to 30 September 2019. The theme of the Youth Festival was “Aapni Mool Pahchan”.

S.No.	Item	First	Second	Third
1	Bhajan	-	-	-
2	Group Folk Orchestra	✓	-	-
3	Group Singing	-	✓	-
4	Clay Modelling	-	-	✓
5	Poster Making	✓	-	-
6	Still Life Painting	-	-	✓
7	Cartooning	-	✓	✓
8	Folk Instrument	✓	-	-
9	Orchestra	✓	-	-
10	General Group Dance	-	-	✓
11	Quiz	-	-	✓
12	Classical Dance	-	✓	-
13	Chhikku Making	✓	-	-
14	Pranda Making	✓	-	-
15	Naala Making	✓	-	-
16	Tokri Making	-	✓	-
17	Mitti de Khidone	-	✓	-
18	Khiddo Making	✓	-	-

19	Peerhi Making	-	✓	-
20	Rassa Vattna	✓	-	-
21	Eennu Making	✓	-	-
22	Folk Song	✓	-	-
23	Bhand (Group Item)	✓	-	-
24	Vaar Singing (Group Item)	-	-	✓
25	Kavishri (Group Item)	✓	-	-
26	Kali (Group Item)	✓	-	-
27	Poem Recitation (Individual Item)	-	✓	-
28	Embroidery - Bagh (Individual item)	✓	-	-
29	Embroidery- Bagh (Individual item)	✓	-	-
30	Embroidery-Dasuti or Cross Stitch (Individual Item)	-	-	✓
31	Pakkhi Making (Individual Item)	-	-	✓
32	Knitting (Individual Item)	✓	-	-
33	Mehandi Designing & Application (Individual Item)	-	✓	-
34	Rangoli (Individual Item)	✓	✓	-
35	Bhand (Individual Item)	✓	-	-
38	Ladies Traditional Song (Individual Item)	✓	-	✓
39	Vaar Singing (Individual Item)	✓	-	-
40	Kavishri (Individual Item)	-	-	✓
41	Kali (Individual Item)	✓	-	-

PU INTER-ZONAL YOUTH & HERITAGE FESTIVAL 2019-20
[Held at Guru Nanak College, Doraha, Ludhiana (1 November 2019)]

S.No	Category	First	Second	Third
1	Group Bhajan (Team)	✓	-	-
2	Group Bhajan (Individual)	✓	-	-
3	Rangoli	-	✓	-

PU NORTH ZONE INTER ZONE UNIVERSITY HELD AT GNDU

1. Cartooning - 2nd Position

SPORTS DEPARTMENT

1. During the session 2019–20, our college participated in 49 sports disciplines (Men – 33 and Women – 16)
2. Dr Rakesh Verma has been nominated as a member of the Panjab University Basketball (Men & Women) Club for selecting P.U. team, which would participate in All India Inter University Basketball Tournament for the session 2019–20.
3. Dr Rakesh Verma has been elected as a member of the Executive Committee of Panjab University Sports Committee (PUSC)M. He has been elected as a member of the Board of Studies (UG) from 2019–21.
4. Mr. Sukhbir Singh has been nominated as a member of the University Handball Selection Committee (Men) for selecting P.U. team, which would participate in All India Inter University Handball Tournament for the session 2019–20.
5. Mr. Sukhbir Singh has been nominated as an official for conducting 48th Senior Women National Handball Championship at New Delhi from 22-27 December 2019.
6. Mr. Sukhbir Singh has been nominated as an official for conducting 13th All India Railways Handball Championship at Varanasi from 13-15 January 2020.

PU INTER-COLLEGE TOURNAMENTS

S. No	Game	Dates	Venue	Position
1	Basketball	30 Oct-1 Nov. 2019	GNC Narangwal	Puic Runners Up
2	Taekwondo (W)	6 – 8 Nov. 2019	PUCampus	PUIC Runners Up Gold- Raman (DMLT) Silver- Madhu (BA 2) Bronze- Lalita (BA 2)
3	Fencing (W)	24 Nov. 2019	Sports Complex Sector 43	PUIC 2 nd Runners Up 1 Gold In Epee Individual - Chhavi Kohli 1 Silver In Foil Individual- Chhavi Kohli 1 Bronze In Epee Individual- Disha Thakur 1 Bronze In Epee Team-Chhavi Kohli, Disha Thakur & Shubhangi Singh 1 Bronze In Foil Team- Chhavi Kohli, Disha Thakur & Shubhangi Singh
4	Fencing (M)	25 Nov. 2019	Sports Complex Sector 43	PUIC CHAMPIONS 1 Gold In Foil Individual- Amit Kumar 1 Bronze In Foil Individual - Deepak Singh Bisht 1 Silver In Epee Individual- Mohan Chand 1 Bronze In Epee Individual- Puran Chand 1 Gold In Sabre Individual- Harsh Rajawat 1 Bronze In Sabre Individual- Vishavjeet Silver In Foil Team- Amit Kumar, Nikhil Rawat, Deepak Singh Bisht, Harsh Rajawat Gold In Epee Team- Puran Singh, Mohan Chand, Vimal Chauhan, Siddharth Jindal Gold In Sabre Team- Puran Singh, Vishavjeet, Harsh Rajawat & Amit Kumar
5	Archery (W)	27-28 Nov. 2019	PU Campus	PUIC Champions Recurve Girls Team - Gold (Monika, Kriti & Simran) Recurve Individual Bronze – Kriti Recurve Individual Silver – Monika
6	Boxing (M)	27-28 Nov. 2019	DAV Hoshiarpur	PUIC Champions Gold (49 Kg)- Kuldeep Kumar Gold (52 Kg)- Meva Singh Gold (60 Kg)- Rahul Gold (81 Kg)- Harpreet Gold (64 Kg)- Dharminder Singh Gold (91+ Kg)- Sagar Silver (56 Kg)- Rohit Kumar
7	Boxing (W)	25-26 Nov. 2019	DAV Hoshiarpur	Puic 1 st Runners Up Gold (48-51 Kg)- Monika Gold (51-57kg)- Jaismine

8	Kabaddi (M)		PU Gymnasium Hall	PUIC Champion
9	Archery (M)	28 Nov.2019	PU Campus	PUIC 2 nd Runners Up Recurve Boys Team Bronze (Priyanshu, Ayush &, Aashish) Recurve Individual Bronze - Priyanshu
10	Table Tennis (M)	22-23 Nov. 2019	PU Campus	PUIC Champion
11	Table Tennis (W)	22-23 Nov. 2019	PU Campus	PUIC Champion
12	Karate (W)	29 Nov. 2019	PU Campus	PUIC Champions Gold (Individual Kata) Janhavi (Kumite)- Gold Below 50 Kg Madhu- Gold Above 68 Kg Janhavi- Bronze Below 68 Kg
13	Pencak Silat (W)	17 Jan 2020	PU Campus	2 Gold- Vinita- Ganda Fight Anjali- Ganda Fight 3 Silver- Riya – Regu Vinita – Reghu Anjali – Reghu 3 Bronze- Riya – Fight Riya – Tungal Diksha - Fight
14	Taekwondo (M)		PU Campus	2 Gold- Bhavjot – Poomse Individual Harshit – U-58 5 Silver- Bhavjot,Shishir,Ritik – Poomse Team Gunjan – U-63 Ritik - U-80 2 Bronze- Sahil – U-68 Virender – Over 80

15	Pencak Silat (M)	17 Jan 2020	PU Campus	2 Gold- Ram Rajat – Ganda Sonu – Ganda 1 Silver- Sumeet – Tungle
16	Kayaking	27-29 Jan 2020	Sukhna Lake	2 Silver- K2 200m- Parveen Kumar & Sumit K4 500m- Sarwan Singh & Sumit Parveen & Deepak 2 Bronze- K1 1000m- Parveen K4 1000m- Sarwan, Deepak, Sumit & Parveen
17	Canoeing	27-29 Jan 2020	Sukhna Lake	C1 200m- Sidharth Kumar C2 200m- Harjeet Singh & Baljeet Singh C2 1000m- Tarun Kumar& Sidharth
18	Dragon Boat	27-29 Jan 2020	Sukhna Lake	1 Bronze Dragon Boat Race 500m: Sarwan, Sumit, Parveen, Deepak, Gurdeep Singh, Rishav Khandelwal, Harjeet Singh, Baljeet Singh, Rakshit, Harsh Yadav, Tarun Kumar& Sidharth Kumar Chauhan 1 Silver Dragon Boat Race 500m: Sarwan, Sumit, Parveen, Deepak, Gurdeep Singh, Rishav Khandelwal, Harjeet Singh, Baljeet Singh, Rakshit, Harsh Yadav, Tarun Kumar & Sidharth Kumar Chauhan

N. Zone & AIU (North Zone and All India Inter University Tournaments)

S. No	Game	Dates	Venue	POSITION	
				North Zone Inter University	All India Inter University
1	Chess (W)		Chandigarh University	Silver – Ishaa Kumari (BBA 2) Pooja (B.Voc 2)	
2	Wrestling (M) (GR)			1 silver	Rajneesh
3	Handball			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mahavir • Abhishek • Gourav • Navpreet 	
4	Basketball			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shubham rishi • Harkirat jattana • Aditya bishnoi 	
5	Fencing (W)				1 Gold In Epee Individual 1 Silver In Foil Team 1 Gold In Epee Team Chhavi Kohli
6	Archery (W)				1 Gold In Compound-Monika
7	Roller Skating	11-14 Feb. 2020	RIMT UNIV.		Participation Ankita Goel & Akashdeep

KHELO INDIA UNIV GAMES

S. No	Game	Dates	Venue	Position
1	Wrestling	21-29 Feb 2020	Bhubneshwar	Gold Medal - Rajneesh
2	Fencing	21-29 Feb 2020	Bhubneshwar	2 Gold 1 Silver Medal- Chhavi Kohli Silver Medal- Deepak Singh Bisht Bronze Medal- Harsh Rajawat Silver Medal- Amit Kumar Bronze Medal – Vishawjeet

International Tournaments

S. No	Game	Dates	Venue	Position
1	Cricket			• Arshdeep
2	Roller Hockey			• Ankita & Anirudh

National Tournaments

S. No	Game	Dates	Venue	Position
1	Netball	5-8 Feb. 2020	Anandpur Sahib, Punjab	Sr. National Bronze Medal- Prince (BA-2) Ankit (BA-2); Anubhav (BA-3)
2	Roller & Inline Hockey	14-24Dec. 2019	Vishakhapatnam	Senior Girls Quad(Bronze)-Kriti Arora, Ankita Goel Senior Boys Inline(Bronze)-Anirudh Arora, Aakashdeep & Aditya Rampal Senior Girls Inline(Silver)Aakriti Sharma & Nishtha









FACULTY NEWS

Research Project Awarded

Department of Economics

- **Dr Ruchi Sharma** was awarded a major research project titled “Development of Commercial Banks in India: A Study of Inter-State Disparity” by ICSSR, New Delhi, under the IMPRESS Scheme. A grant of Rs 5 lakhs has been sanctioned for the project.

PhDs Completed in 2019-20

- **Dr Manu Sehgal**, Department of Information Technology, was awarded PhD degree from Amity University, Rajasthan in 2019. The title of her thesis is “Design and Implementation of Knowledge Mining Agent for Education Database”.
- **Dr Shailja Agnihotri**, Department of Information Technology, was awarded PhD degree from Chitkara University in 2019. The title of her thesis is “Heuristic and Swarm Intelligence based Routing Protocol Stack to Resolve the Heterogeneity Issues of Internet of Things”.
- **Dr Preet Kamal**, Department of Information Technology, was awarded her PhD degree from Chitkara University in 2019. The title of her thesis is “Predicting the Performance of Students At-Risk Using Data Mining Techniques”.
- **Dr Paramjit Singh Waraich**, Department of Information Technology, was awarded his PhD degree from Maharishi Markandeshwar (Deemed to be) University Mullana. The title of his thesis is “VANET based Intelligent Transportation System”.

Books/Papers Published in Journals/Chapters in Books

Department of Commerce

- **Ms Sheetal Sharma** published a paper titled “A Relative Study of Work-Life Effectiveness in Indian Commercial Banks” in *Our Heritage*.

Department of Information and Technology

- **Dr Himani Mittal**, and **Dr Pooja Mohan**, published their research titled “E-waste Management: State-of-the-Art and Assessment of Awareness”, in the proceedings of *International Conference on Recent Trends in Computer*

Applications and Information Technology (Sponsored by CSI), held from 19 to 20 April 2019 at Ambala.

- **Dr Himani Mittal** published a paper titled “*Cloud Computing: A Review*” in *CSI Communications*, Vol 43(7), October 2019.
- **Dr Himani Mittal** published a paper titled “Multiagent based Solution for Smart Cities: Essentials and Challenges” in *New Horizons: A Research Journal*, 2019.

Department of Psychology

- **Dr Nidhi Chadha** published a paper titled “Child Development- Creativity over IQ” in *International Journal of Emerging Technologies and Innovative Research* Vol. 6 (Issue 5), May, 2019. She also published a paper titled “Why Women Stay in Dysfunctional Relationships” in *International Journal of Emerging Technologies and Innovative Research*, Vol. 6 (Issue 5), May 2019.

Department of Journalism

- **Dr Priya Chadha** published two papers titled “Jalliawalla Bagh Massacre: History and Politics” and “Virtual Classrooms and E-learning: The Changing Pedagogy” in *Research Review*, an International Multidisciplinary Journal, 2019.

Department of English

- **Dr Nidhi** published two papers titled “Matigari: A Revival of the Lost Tradition of the Gicannadi Narrative” (Volume 7 Issue 5, May 2019), and “History and Fiction in the Novels of Chinua Achebe” (Vol. 7 Issue 4 April 2019) in the *International Journal of Language and Literature in Humanities* (IJELLH).
- **Dr Archana Sahnip** published a chapter titled “Indian in Canada, Canadian in India: Reflections on Living Inter-Nationally” in M.G.Saudelli, J.Kusch and S.Carroll (Eds.) *Voices from Far Away Lands: From Divergent to Convergent*. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, England, 2019.
- **Mr Pranav Kapil** published one paper titled “Challenges of Identity in the Social Discourse” in the *International Journal of Research and Analytical Reviews*, Volume 6 Issue 2, June 2019; and another paper titled “The Ethics of the Early Photographic Narrative: A Study of Felice Beato's Staged

Photographs of the First War of Independence Taken in 1958” in the *International Review of Social Sciences and Humanities*, Volume 9 Number 7, July 2019. He also published a book titled *The Mountain Gardener's Son*, 2019.

Department of Hindi

- **Dr Pratibha Kumari** published a book titled *Vaishvik Dharatal Par Hindi* in December 2020.

Department of Political Science

- **Dr Monika Soni** published a paper titled “Prisoners and Human Rights in India - A Comparative Study of Normative/ Existential Order with Special Reference to Custodial Torture in India” in the journal *Think India* (Vol.22-Issue 14) in December 2019.

Papers/ Posters Presented in Conferences/ Seminars/ Workshops

Department of Botany

- **Dr Jasveen Dua** presented a poster entitled “An Innovative Teaching and Learning Tool: Its Explorations” at National Symposium on Biotechnology: Trends and Innovations, organized by Department of Biotechnology, Goswami Ganesh Dutta S.D. College, Sector 32-C, Chandigarh, on 7-8 February 2020.
- **Dr Supriya Vaid** and **Dr Shivani Saini** presented a poster entitled 'Biotechnological Interventions for the Improvement of Salinity Stress in Rice' in National Symposium on Biotechnology: Trends and Innovations organized by Department of Biotechnology, Goswami Ganesh Dutta S.D. College, Sector 32-C, Chandigarh on 7-8 February 2020.

Department of Biotechnology

- **Dr Samriti Dhawan** presented a paper entitled “Recent Advances in Plant and Agricultural Sciences” at National Conference organized by the Department of Agriculture and Environmental Sciences, SGGSW University, Fatehgarh Sahib, on 15-16 March 2019.

Department of Commerce

- **Ms Sheetal Sharma** presented a paper on “Work-Life Effectiveness Policies, Practices and Trends in Public and Private Sector Commercial

Banks: A Comparative Study” at the International Conference on “India's Global Ascendancy: Confluence of Innovation and Sustainability in Business and Society”, organized by U.I.A.M.S., Panjab University, Chandigarh on 23 January 2020.

Department of Information Technology

- **Dr Pooja Mohan** presented a paper titled “ICT as a Tool for Managing Disaster” at a National Seminar on “Innovations in Computing and Communication Technologies” at AKMV College on March 16, 2019. She also presented a paper titled “Review of ICT Usage in Disaster Management” at the International Conference on Recent Trends in Computer Applications and Information Technology (RTCAIT) held at Maharishi Markandeshwar University, Mullana, on 19-20 April 2019
- **Dr Shailja Agnihotri** presented a paper titled “An Enhanced Routing Algorithm for Internet of Things that Resolves Heterogeneity Issues” at the 6th International Conference on “Computing for Sustainable Global Development”, BVICAM, INDIACOM 2019, New Delhi, held on 15 March 2019.

Department of Physics

- **Dr Shikha Gupta** presented a poster at the National Seminar on “Role of Higher Education towards Promoting Environment Sustainability” held at Government College for Women in Shahzadpur, District Ambala, Haryana on 24 January 2020.
- **Dr Samandeep Sharma** presented a poster at the Young Scientists' Conference titled “Peeping Deep into the Matter-Theoretical And Experimental Advances”, as a part of India International Science Festival, held at Biswa Bangla Convention Center, Kolkata, during 5-8 November 2019.
- **Dr Kriti Sharma** presented a poster at the National Seminar on “Role of Higher Education towards Promoting Environment Sustainability” held at Government College for Women in Shahzadpur, District Ambala, Haryana on 24 January 2020.

Department of Psychology

- **Dr Minakshi Rana** presented a paper titled “Yoga & Spirituality” at an International Seminar on “Language, Culture and Environment:

Experiment, Protection and Observation” held on 9-10 September 2019. She also presented a paper titled “The Role of Environmental Factors on Aggressive Behavior” at a state-level seminar at Sidharth Government College, Nadaun (HP) on 26 June 2019.

Library

- **Mr Gurpreet Singh Sohal** presented a paper on “Use of E-Resources in Case of GGSDS College Library” at the 6th CLA National Conference on “Information Technology and Knowledge Society: Role of Libraries” at Dev Samaj College for Women, Sector 45, Chandigarh, on 22 August 2019.

Department of Sanskrit

- **Dr Devi Singh** presented a paper titled “*Veshvik Shanti Mei Sanskrit ki Upyogta*” at National Seminar at D.A.V. College, Pihova (Haryana) on 10 August 2019. He also presented a paper titled “*Adunik Yug Mei Tentriya Brahman ke Aachar Darshan Ki Upadyta*” at a National Seminar at Gurukul Prabhat Ashram, Meerut, held on 13 January 2020.

Notable Achievements, Nominations and Awards

Department of Journalism

- **Dr Priya Chadha** was awarded the 'Academic Professional Award' by The American College Dubai, and GISR Foundation at the International Conference held on October 30th and 31st, 2019, in Dubai (UAE). She also chaired the session for the same.

Lectures Delivered/FDP/Workshops Organized

Department of Botany

- **Dr Jasveen Dua, Dr Supriya Vaid and Dr Anuprabha** were resource persons in “The Training Programme on Agri-Business and Agri-Business Centers” conducted by Regional Institute of Co-operative Management (RICM), Chandigarh for Masters/Graduates in Agriculture in on 6-7 February 2020.
- **Dr Supriya Vaid** was a resource person in *Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan* (KVS) at 27th Regional Level National Children Science Congress (NCSC, 2019-20) held at Kendriya Vidyalaya, Sec 80, Mohali, on 7-8 November 2019.

Department of Hindi

- **Dr Pratibha Kumari** delivered a lecture on the teachings of Guru Nanak Dev ji on the occasion of “550th *Prakash Purav*” on November 13, 2019. She also delivered a lecture on "*Vaishvik Star Par Hindi*" at the Bank of Baroda, Sector 17, Chandigarh, on 10 January 2020.

Department of Sanskrit

- **Dr Devi Singh** delivered a lecture on “*Dhvani* Chanting of *Mantras* and *Shlokas*”, a Skill Enhancement Initiative, conducted under the aegis of Skill Development Committee, and Department of Sanskrit on 12 September 2019 at MCMDAV College for Women Sector 36-A, Chandigarh. He also delivered a lecture as a Resource Person titled “*Shandnirmit av Upyogita*” on 12 February 2020 at DAV College Sector 10, Chandigarh.

Workshops/FDP/Courses Attended

Department of Botany

- **Dr Jasveen Dua, Dr Supriya Vaid, Dr Anuprabha and Dr Anu Sharma** attended i-week Faculty-Cum-Student Skill Development Programme on Biological Data Analysis And Data Science, under RUSA, organized by Department of Bioinformatics and Department of Biochemistry, GGDSD College, Chandigarh from 27 February-4 March 2020.
- **Dr Shivani Saini** attended 21st INDO-US Flow Cytometry Workshop and Symposium on 'Applications of Laser Flow Cytometry in Biomedical Research' organized by Panjab University, Trust for Education and Training in Cytometry and Live Education Task Force-International Society for Advancement of Cytometry held at Panjab University, Chandigarh from 2-5 February 2020.
- **Dr Anuprabha** attended a Foundational and Laboratory Level Biorisk Management Workshop organized by Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 3-5 January 2020.
- **Dr Supriya Vaid** attended a National Workshop on “RTI Awareness: Issues and Challenges” at ICSSR complex, organized by the Centre for Academic Leadership and Education Management, Panjab University, on 7-8 June 2019.

Department of Chemistry

- **Dr Shweta Wadhawan** attended the UGC-Sponsored Short Term Course on “Research Methodology” at the Human Resource Development Centre, Panjab University, Chandigarh, from 11-17 October 2019.

Department of Commerce

- **Dr Monika Mittal** attended a Workshop on “IBM SPSS Software” at Department of Statistics, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 4-12 December 2019,. She also attended a Short Term Course/ FDP on Strategies for Enhancing GER at UGC-HRD Centre, Panjab University, sponsored by Department of Statistics, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 17-23 December 2019.
- **Dr Nidhi Grover** attended a seven-day Short Term Course on “Developing MOOCs” conducted by the University Business School, and HRDC at Panjab University, Chandigarh from 27 December 2019 to 2 January 2020.
- **Ms Jyoti Jindal, Dr Monika Khindri and Dr Nidhi Choudhary** attended the 125th Orientation Course from 26 December 2019 to 15 January 2020, at Panjab University, Chandigarh.

Department of Information Technology

- **Dr Pooja Mohan** attended the UGC-Sponsored Short Term Course on “Research Methodology” at the Human Resource Development Centre, Panjab University, Chandigarh from 11-17 October 2019.

Department of Physics

- **Dr Amit Goyal** attended the UGC-Sponsored Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on “India Studies” at the Human Resource Development Centre, Panjab University Chandigarh, from 10-23 October 2019.
- **Dr Neelu Mahajan** attended, and gave an oral presentation, at the International Workshop on “Frontiers in High Energy Physics” organized by the University of Hyderabad, from 14-17 October 2019.
- **Dr Shikha Gupta** attended a Workshop on “Electrochemical Techniques for Energy, Sensor and Corrosion Application” (WET 2019) held at CSIR-CSIO, Chandigarh on 18-19 November 2019.

- **Dr Kriti Sharma** attended a Workshop on “Electrochemical Techniques for Energy, Sensor and Corrosion Application” (WET 2019) held at CSIR-CSIO Chandigarh on 18-19 November 2019.

Department of Psychology

- **Dr Nidhi Chadha** attended a one-day Workshop on “Psychosocial Adversity and Child Development” at the Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh on 4 October 2019.

Department of English

- **Dr Nidhi** attended a Workshop on “Developing MOOCS” at HRDC, Panjab University from 26-30 August 2019.
- **Mr Pranav Kapil** of the Department of English attended a Workshop on “Academic Writing” organized by the Regional English Language Office of U.S. Embassy (New Delhi) and Regional Institute of English (Chandigarh) on 11 May 2019.

Department of Biotechnology

- **Dr Samriti Dhawan** attended an International Workshop on “Foundational-Laboratory Level Bio-risk Management” at the Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University from 3-7 June 2019. The workshop was organised by Sandia National Laboratories, USA. She also attended a one-day Workshop/Short Term Course on “Managing Research Funding as Principal Investigators (for Government Funded Projects)” on 13 May 2019 at Human Resource Development Centre, Panjab University. The workshop was sponsored by RUSA, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India.

Department of Hindi

- **Dr Pratibha Kumari** attended the Refresher Course at Panjab University, Chandigarh from 18-30 November 2019.

Library

- **Mr Gurpreet Singh Sohal** attended a one-day Workshop for librarians on “Implementation Challenges of RFID Technology and KOHA ILMS” organised by DAV College, Chandigarh, in collaboration with Rapid Radio Solutions Pvt. Ltd., Ahmedabad held at DAV College, Sector 10,

Chandigarh on 3 August 2019. He also attended a one-day “Wiley Author Workshop” at IISER (Indian Institute of Science Education and Research), Mohali, on 7 December 2019.

Department of Political Science

- **Dr Monika Soni** attended a Short Term Course under RUSA 2.0 Scheme of MHRD at Panjab University, Chandigarh from 17-23 December 2019.

Department of Mathematics

- **Dr Mahak Sharma** attended a seven-day NSS Orientation Training Programme at the Institute for Development and Communication (IDC), Sector 38-A, Chandigarh, from 25 November 2019 to 1 December 2019.

College Activities during Lockdown


Particular	Date
College created a General Advisory for all staff members and students of the GGDSD College, Chandigarh, to ensure their safety during the prevailing medical emergency.	23.03.2020
The Institute switched on to online mode of teaching. The teachers were instructed to take all necessary measures for virtual teaching. For this the teachers used the facility of LX (TCS Module) for creating course material of the pending syllabus that was quite effective. Weekly report of teachers was generated.	25.03.2020
Contribution of one-day salary to PM CARES FUND by GGDSD College staff	04.04.2020
The Principal addressed all students via E-mail & social media to ensure about their mental health and well-being,	05.04.2020
Counselling address to students by Dr. Tarundeep, Asstt. Professor in Psychology, via e-mail & social media	05.04.2020
Downloading of ArogyaSetu App by all the staff members (Teaching and Non-Teaching) and students.	11.04.2020
In order to facilitate students during the lockdown and providing them information regarding Examination and Admission, the helpline numbers of PU regarding Examination and Admission were circulated among staff & students.	11.04.2020
To ensure the download of ArogyaSetu app awareness amongst students and faculty was carried out and the feedback was collected via Google forms from students & faculty.	14.04.2020
Recommended Advisory for COVID -19 – during 2nd Lock down Period to staff&students which included - a video on the use of reusable face cover and document on measures to boost immunity released by Ayush.	15.04.2020
One-week Online Training Workshop on Personality Development for students.	16.04.2020
Student Satisfaction Survey on COVID -19 carried to review the efforts being done by the Institute	17.04.2020

On-Line Workshop on “Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research & Publications” by library staff.	25.04.2020 to 30.04.2020
Virtual meeting of faculty held for applying for B.Voc courses.	08.05.2020
Teaching & learning feedback during COVID lockdown sought from teachers.	11.05.2020
Virtual meeting of faculty : Address by Sh. Upkar Krishan Sharma, President, GGDSD College Society.	14.05.2020
NSS unit of the college joined the Government of India campaign to counter stigma and discrimination and compose a Sandesh to encourage Frontline Warriors. They contributed by composing poems and messages to overcome the fear of pandemic.	16.05.2020
Webinar on ‘How to Read Scientific Literature and Introduction to MANAV -The Human Atlas Initiative’, Dept. of Bioinformatics in collaboration with MANAV.	22.05.2020
Click & Caption contest by Dept. of Botany to Celebrate International Day of Biodiversity	22.05.2020 to 25.05.2020
3-week activity-based Learning Programme on Biodiversity & Environment	22.05.2020
Online slogan writing & quiz competition on World Biodiversity day by Zoology Department	22.05.2020
Online Commerce & Management Fest -PANACHE	25.05.2020
E-Biorhythm 2020	25.05.2020
Virtual Panache 2020: webinar on Academia as Catalyst to Foster Enterprise & Innovation	03.06.2020
Vivacity 2020 “The Lockdown Time” online edition of contributions of faculty and students was released.	12.06.2020
Webinar by Biotechnology Department on Creativity & Intellectual Property: Creating a Seamless Linkage, the key speaker was Dr. Naresh K Sahajpal, former “Scientist H” and Head Human Resource & Development Centre/Division of Research Planning and Business Development CSIR, New Delhi.	04.06.2020

Online Parliamentary Debate organized by SD Rotract Club.	05.06.2020
The Boson Club celebrated the birth centenary of the father of 'Indian Space Research Vikram Sarabhai' under DBT Star College Scheme.	05.06.2020
Webinar by Commerce Department on 'Plastics : Invest or Divest'. The resource person was Mr Avinash Kumar Singh , Business Unit Head, Head PPC & Head Customer Service Max Speciality Films Limited.	07.06.2020
PG Department of Economics organized a workshop on Financial Services	13.06.2020
The NSS unit of College organized Inter College Online Competition on International Yoga Day .	21.06.2020
Webinar by Department of Biochemistry on SARS – CoV2, Origin, Pathogenesis and Management Strategies. The resource person was Dr. Binod Kumar, Sr. Research Associate , Department of Microbiology Loyola University, Chicago, USA.	21.06.2020
PG Department of Information Technology conducted online national lecture series on Gamification Machine Learning IOT & Security. The key speakers were Mr. Ganesh S CEO Campus Levers , Chennai, Dr. Manoj Chaudhary DATA Scientist IIT Roorkee & Dr. K R Ramkumar Associate Professor, Chitkara University.	25.06.2020 26.06.2020
PG Department of Biotechnology organised a webinar on Combating Covid-19 using Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. The key speaker was Dr. Priyanka Sabherwal, National Centre for Nano Science & Nanotechnology, Mumbai University.	25.06.2020
PG Department of Biotechnology organised a webinar on Biorisk Management: Appropriate use of personal protective equipment for good lab work practices. The speakers were Prof. Prince Sharma Dean Faculty of science PU & President AMI (Chandigarh Unit) & Prof. Neena Capalash Dept of Biotechnology, Panjab University.	29.06.2020
Department of Psychology organised webinar on 'Managing Stress & Self Care during Covid -19'. The speaker was Ms. Bharti Sharma , Consultant Psychologist & Healer.	29.06.2020

Faculty Activity during Lockdown

	Virtual Learning Details (Webinar/FDP/Workshop/On-Line Course, etc.)	Date(s)
Madhur M. Mahajan	Resource Person in a webinar organized by NGO Rising India Youth Organization on the topic 'Economic Implications of Covid-19 Pandemic'	10.5.2020
Madhur M. Mahajan	Attended an online workshop on Agriculture organized by Agriculture Skill Council of India	8.5.2020
DrSargamWasu	On-line courseon 'Fat Chance: Probability from the Ground Up', Harvard University	18.4.2020
Gagandeep Singh	Webinar: Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications.	25.4.2020 to 30.04.2020
Dr Arvuda Sharma	Power Seminar: Job Skills to Succeed in a Post-Pandemic	4.5.2020
MrGurpreet Singh	Online Workshop on Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications organised by CollegeLibrary	25.4.2020 to 30.4.2020
MrGurpreet Singh	Webinar on Librarianship-Panel Discussion organised byMadhya Pradesh Library Association	26.4.2020
MrGurpreet Singh	Webinar on Digital Library of the Future: Impact of Covid-19 organised by Madhya Pradesh Library Association	02.5.2020
Dr. SamritiDhawan	Webinar organized by Biological Industries USARoad to the Clinic - Improving your MSC Cultures withHuman Platelet Lysate	02.4.2020
	National Online Seminar Organized by Departmentof Biochemistry, Panjab University, Chandigarh on BioriskAssessment and Management: Preparedness for Future Researchers	25.4.2020
	Webinar by ICT Academy Season-3 ofSkycampus - 'The Future is Here'	28.4.2020
	Webinar by Plaksha Tech. 'Talks-Rebooting Higher Education'	26.4.2020
	3-week online course organized by Future learn-'How To Teach Online '	23.4.2020 to 10.5.2020
	One week MOOC course organized by RKUniversity on COVID-19: 'The Pandemic'	10.5.2020 to 15.5.2020
	Webinar Series:'Sustainable BioSolutions 2020'	12.5.2020 -18.5.2020
Dr. JasveenDua	Attended webinar on "Managing Human Capital and Ensuring Organizational Sustainability during crisis" organized by the Max Institute of Healthcare Management at the Indian School of Business (ISB) in association with the Equitable Healthcare Access Consortium	12.5.2020
	Webinar in Zoology - "Controlling Mosquitoes to Protect Public Health: West Nile,	11.5.2020

	SKYCAMPUS-Digital Knowledge Series 2020, Season-5 on 'Future of Skills -Education Employment & Entrepreneurship', by ICT Academy	11.5.2020 -15.5.2020
	Webinar on 'Unseen Epidemic: Addressing Mental Health and Well being', by Prof. Nusrat Husain, Mental Health Expert from the University of Manchester, UK, by IIHMR University	9.5. 2020
	Webinar on 'NAAC Awareness programme', by NAAC.	6.5. 2020
	SKYCAMPUS - Digital Knowledge Series 2020, Season-4 on 'Future of Education Employment & Entrepreneurship', ICT Academy	4.5.2020-8.5.2020
	Virtual Faculty Development Program on 'Emotional Intelligence' organized by ICT Academy	29.4. 2020-5.5. 2020
		1.5.2020
	Online workshop on 'Design, Develop and Deliver Online Courses with MOODLE Learning Management System' organized by UGC HRDC, JNU	30.4.2020 – 1.5. 2020
	Online workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publication', by G.G.D.S.D. College Library, Chandigarh	25.4.2020- 30.4.2020
	Online national seminar on 'Biorisk Assessment & Management Preparedness for Future Researchers', by Biochemistry Department, Panjab University, Chandigarh	21.4.2020-25.4.2020.
Dr. Shikha Gupta and Dr. Kriti Sharma	Online workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications' by G.G.D.S.D. College, Sec 32-C, Chandigarh	25.4.2020-30.4.2020
	Online seminar on 'Biorisk Assessment and Management: Preparedness for Future Researchers', by Department of Biochemistry Panjab University, Chandigarh	23.4.2020
	Webinar on 'Research Methodology and Frontiers in Science', jointly organized by Department of Physics, Saurashtra University, Rajkot, Gujarat Science Academy & EssenceTech	26.4.2020-29.4.2020
	Attended online workshop on 'Design, Develop and Deliver Online Courses with Moodle Learning Management System' organized by UGC-HRDC, JNU, New Delhi	30.04.2020 - 01.05.2020
	Webinar series to celebrate International Day of Light 2020, 'Diffraction Optics in Optical Engineering Design, Fabrication, Metrology', by CSIR-CSIO, Sector 30-C, Chandigarh	9.5.2020
	'Holography for 3D Imaging and Displays', by CSIR-CSIO, Sector 30-C, Chandigarh.	10.5.2020
	Webinar: NAAC Awareness Program Affiliated/ Constituent Colleges. Registration No :	8.5.2020

	Webinar: 'The Design of Analytics: When Behavioural Economics Makes Sense of Emotions in Product Design'	07.05.2020
	Webinar: Awareness Program on Understanding and Promoting Mental Health	12.05.2020
Dr. Savita Sindhu	Webinar: 'Business Case Study Writing and Solution', University Business School, PU Regional Centre, Ludhiana	7 th May 2020
	Webex: NAAC Awareness Program -Affiliated/Constituent Colleges, NAAC Bangalore, India	6 th May 2020
	Webinar-10: A Motivational National Webinar on 'Towards Excellence in Higher Education in India in the 21 st Century: Challenges and Opportunities', PDM University and GAD-TLC of MHRD	1 st May 2020
	Online workshop on 'Enhancing Research Effectiveness using Scopus, Science Direct and Mendeley', FDC, Kurukshetra University	1 st May 2020
	Webinar: 'Managing in VUCA World -COVID 19', University Business School, PU regional Centre, Ludhiana	26 th April 2020
	Online workshop: 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications', by College Library, G.G.D.S.D. College, Chandigarh.	25 th April to 30 th April 2020
Dr. Sumeet Kaur Sibal	Workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications', by College library, G.G.D.S.D. College, Chandigarh	25 th April-30 th April, 2020
	Webinar on 'Managing in VUCA World - COVID 19', by UBS, Ludhiana.	26 th April, 2020
	Online workshop on 'Enhancing Research Effectiveness using Scopus, Science Direct and Mendeley', by Faculty Development Centre, Kurukshetra University	01 st May, 2020
	Workshop on 'Towards Excellence in Higher Education in India in the 21 st Century: Challenges and Opportunities', by PDM University and GAD/TLC of MHRD	01 st May, 2020
	Webinar on 'NAAC Awareness Program -Affiliated / Constituent Colleges' by NAAC, Bangalore, India	06 th May, 2020
	Virtual Faculty Development Programme on 'Digital Marketing', by ICT Academy	06 th May-12 th May, 2020
Dr. Diksha	Webinar on 'COVID 19 - Economic Consequences and Future Strategies', by University Business School, PU Regional Centre, Ludhiana	20.04.2020
	Online workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications', by GGSDS College	25.04.2020 to 30.04.2020
	Master Class Webinar - II with Amit Jain, Managing Director, Shingora Textiles on 'Managing in VUCA World - COVID 19', organized by University Business School, PU Regional Centre, Ludhiana	02.05.2020

	ICT Academy Power Seminar on Job skills to succeed in a Post Pandemic, ICT Academy	04.05.2020
	'Ayuryog Expo Webinar V: Medicinal Plants Sector – Supply Chain Management Issues and Challenges'.	05.05.2020
	Webex meeting invitation: NAAC Awareness Program - Affiliated / Constituent Colleges	06.05.2020
	Ayuryog Expo Webinar VI: Pranayama To Combat Covid -19 Induced Anxiety, Stress & Insomnia.	06.05.2020
	Webinar: Business Case Study Writing and Solution, University Business School, PU Regional Centre, Ludhiana	07.05.2020
	Effect of COVID 19 on Indian Economy - Policy and Programmatic Implications"	09.05.2020
Dr. Shailja Agnihotri	SERB-CII PM Fellowship Webinar, Chitkara University	April 8, 2020
	Understanding Machine Learning with Python- Course Completed online	April 8, 2020
	AWS IoT: The Big Picture - Course Completed online	April 10, 2020
	Webinar - ICT Academy in association with AWS - Introduction to Machine Learning and the ML Pipeline	April 27, 2020
	Participated in Online FDP – “LEARNING THROUGH GAMIFICATION”	April 30, 2020
	Enrolled in Online course- “Mobile Application Development”-ICT Academy	May 6 to May12 2020
Dr. Rina	Created You tube Channel: “Creative learning” for e-learning of students during this pandemic time	17.04.2020
Amit Goyal	NCOVID-19 Awareness and Prevention(Conducted by Apollo MedSkills)	28-04-2020
	Three Days Basic ‘Online Research Method Workshop’ (Organized by REST Society for Research International (RSRI), Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu, India)	28-30 April 2020
	Webinar-Optical Trapping of Deformable Material(Organized by Optical Society of America)	05-05-2020
	Webinar-Future Education in Photonics(Business Joensuu Oy, Finland)	08-05-2020
	Webinar-Wiki Needs Women in Optics: A Wikipedia Edit -a-Thon(Organized by Optical Society of America)	10-05-2020
Dr Harvinder Kaur	Webinar Skycampus Digital Knowledge series	11.05.2020
Dr. Samandeep	Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications	25th April to 30th April, 2020

Dr Shallu Sharma	Managing in VUCA World-COVID19, UBS, PU Regional Centre, Ludhiana	26.4.2020
	Employment and Labour Law Challenges Faced by the Industry in COVID 19, ET Legal World	28.4.2020
	COVID 19- Managing Uncertainties	30.4.2020
	Enhancing Research Effectiveness using SCOPUS, Science Direct and Mendeley, Faculty Development Centre, KU.	01.5.2020 (Morning)
	Towards Excellence in Higher Education in India in the 21 st Century.	01.5.2020 (Afernoon)
	NAAC Webinar	06.5.2020
Dr. SupriyaVaid	6-day online workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications', by G.G.D.S.D. College, Chandigarh	25.04.2020 to 30.04.2020
	Virtual Power Seminar on Job skills to Succeed in a Post-Pandemic World organized by ICT Academy	4.05.2020
	Ayuryog 2020 Webi nar Series Part V on the theme 'Medicinal Plants Sector-Supply Chain Management Issues and Challenges'	5.05.2020
	Virtual Faculty Development Programme on Teaching Techniques organized by ICT Academy	6.05.2020 to 11.05.2020
DrManiParti	Webinar on covid-19 Economic Consequences and Future Strategies by UBS, Ludhiana	20.4.2020
	Webinar on an introduction to behavioural shift	23.04.2020
	Six-day online workshop: research ethics and quantitative techniques for research publications	25.04.2020 to 30..04.2020
	Webinar on economics post-pandemic organized by Panchkula collage sector1	29.04.2020
	AttendedPanIndiaseminarbyICTacademyonjobskills tosucceedinapost-pandemic	04.05.2020
	Webinaronstressmanagementintimeoflockdownof covid19bynsswingpu	06.05.2020
Dr. NeeluMahajan	NAAC Awareness Program me	07 May 2020
	ICT Academy Power Seminar	04 May 2020
	Anusandhan :Webinar on Research Methodology and Frontiers in Science	27 -29 April 2020
Dr. Mahak Sharma	Online Training on Basics of Covid19 done at igot.gov.in	April 21,2020
Dr. Monika Khindri	Online workshop on "Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications", organized byGoswami GaneshDutta S.D. College, Chandigarh	25-30 April, 2020
	National Level Webinar on Research Methodology in Social Sciences, Research Orientation Series Organized by the Post Graduate Department of Commerce, Government College, Tripunithura	26 & 27 April, 2020

	'International Webinar on Academic Publishing in Top Rated Journals', by the Post Graduate Department of Commerce, Government College, Tripunithura	30 April, 2020
	'Master class on: Importance of Mental Health & Physical Health In Challenging Times' Organised by Punjab State Chapter of PHD Chamber of Commerce & Industry	2 May, 2020
	5-day online workshop on 'Research Methodology', by University Business School, Maharaja Ranjit Singh Punjab Technical University Bathinda	4-8 May, 2020
	National webinar on 'Yogic Solution To Mental Problems Arising During Corona Crisis & Lockdown Period', Uttarakhand Sanskrit University, Haridwar, Uttarakhand	10 May 2020
	ICT Tools For Teaching Learning And Assessment, by ChaudharyBansiLal University Bhiwani, Three days Faculty Development Programme (FDP)	12-14 May, 2020
ArchanaGoyal	Online course on advance mind management techniques	27-04-2020 to 29-04-2020
Monika Sethi	6-dayworkshop on Research Ethics andQuantitative Techniques for Research and Publications	25-04-2020 to 30-4-2020
Dr.Nidhi Mittal	Global online conference Combating COVID-19, Biotech to the rescue; Bennett University, TOI Group	16 th April, 2020
	Online seminar on 'Biorisk Assessment and Management: Preparedness for Future Researchers'	21 st April 2020
	Online workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications'	25 th April to 30 th April 2020
	Online workshop on 'Navigating the Crisis', UGC-HRDC, PU, Chandigarh	29 th April – 1 st May 2020
	Webinar on 'Challenges of Higher Education under the impact of COVID-19'	10 th May 2020
Dr. Meenu Gupta	Online workshop on Research Ethics at GGSDS College, Chandigarh	25 April, 2020 to 30 April, 2020
	Webinar on Employment and Labour Law Challenges Faced by the Industry in Covid-19	28 April, 2020
	National e-seminar on 'Post Covid 19-business opportunities in India Lessons from 1918 pandemic'	5 May, 2020
	Webinar on NAAC Awareness programme	7 May 2020
	FDP on Teaching Techniques by ICT Academy	6 May, 2020 to 11 May, 2020

Dr Neetu Sharma	Online workshop on Intellectual Property Rights organized by PanditDeendayal Petroleum University (PDPU) and Intellectual Property Protection Organization (IPPO)	10th & 11th April 2020.
	'Biorisk Assessment and Management: Preparedness for Future Researchers', by the Department of Biochemistry, Panjab Univ, Chandigarh	23 rd April 2020
	Online workshop on 'Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications', by GGSD College, Chandigarh	25th to 30th April 2020
	Webinar on 'How to be an effective peer reviewer', by Taylor & Francis	29th April 2020
	The webinar 'COVID-19 PANDEMIC DEMONSTRATES THE POWER OF BIOTECHNOLOGY', organized by Dr B. Lal Institute of Biotechnology, Jaipur, Rajasthan	2 nd May, 2020
	'Online workshop on Research Methodology', by PanditDeendayal Petroleum University	5 th -7 th may, 2020
Sureet Singh	Marketing online course on Hubspot (14 video lessons)	12/04/2020
	Digital Marketing Webinar on YouTube	17/04/2020
	Webinar: Marketing in a Crisis on YouTube	09/04/2020
	Online Talk 'Philip Kotler: Marketing' on YouTube	05/05/2020
Dr. Pooja Mohan	ICT Academy Power Seminar on Job skills to succeed in a Post Pandemic	04-05-2020
	Ayuryog Expo Webinar V: Medicinal Plants Sector – Supply Chain Management Issues and Challenges	05-05-2020
	ICT Academy Virtual Power Seminar on Campus to Corporate	06-05-2020
	FDP on "Fundamentals of Machine Learning (Online Live FDP)" with ICT Academy	06-05-2020 to 12-05- 2020
	ICT academy power seminar on employability skills for the future	08-05-2020
	Webinar on NAAC Awareness Program – University	08-05-2020
	Webinar on 'Cyber Security for Women' by IQAC Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi and Delhi State Legal Services Authority	08-05-2020
	Webinar on Digital Transformation with Robotic Process Automation by Mind Map Consulting	08-05-2020
	Webinar on 'Unseen Epidemic: Addressing Mental Health and Well-Being' by IIHRM university	09-05-2020
	Webinar on 'Effect of COVID 19 on Indian Economy - Policy and Programmatic Implications' by IIHRM university	09-05-2020
	Ultimate Secrets to get quickly published as a scientific author & Hasten your PhD Research Writing by Aristocrat IT Solutions Pvt Ltd.	10-05-2020
	Season 5, ICT Academy SKYCAMPUS - Digital Knowledge Series 2020, 'The Future Of	11-05-2020

Dr. Ashima Phatak	Seminar on 'Biorisk Assessment & Management Preparedness for Future Researchers'	22-4-2020
	Workshop: Research Ethics & Quantitative Techniques for Research & Publications	25-04-2020
	Digital Knowledge Series 2020, Session 3, 'The Future is Here Now'	27-04-2020
	Lecture on Strategies to Profitably Increase Local Fresh Vegetable, Berry, & Fruit Production in Warm and Hot Climates.	30-04-2020
	Ayuryog Expo Webinar V Medicinal Plants Sector-Supply Chain Management Issues & Challenges	05-05-2020
	NAAC Awareness Program NAAC Awareness Program - Affiliated/ Constituent Colleges	06-05-2020
	Ayuryog Expo Webinar VIII, 'Healing from Within'	09-05-2020
	Ayuryog Expo Webinar VII, 'Covid-19 Era - Challenges & Scope in Ayurveda Industries'	08-05-2020
	Ayuryog Expo Webinar VI, 'Pranayama To Combat Covid-19 Induced Anxiety, Stress & Insomnia'	07-05-2020
	Virtual FDP on Presentation Skills	06-05-2020
Dr. Indu Mehta	Workshop: "Research Ethics and Quantitative Techniques for Research and Publications"	25.4.2020 to 30.4.2020
	Webex meeting under "NAAC awareness Program"	6.5.2020
	Started virtual FDP on "presentation skills" through ICT on Webex.	5.5.2020 to 11.5.2020
Shruti	Research in the Time of Pandemic (7-days e-learning workshop) organized by Department of English and Cultural Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh.	21 st -27 th April, 2020
	One-day online workshop on "Book and Article Publishing and Springer Link Platform Demonstration", Guru Nanak University, Amritsar.	22 nd April, 2020