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# NEWSLETTER

## CELEBRATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS

### INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

N.S.S. Unit of the University celebrated the 5th International Yoga Day on June 21, 2019. The participants were explained the right techniques and methods of performing various asanas by a certified yoga expert. The University had also organised a special lecture for the students on May 02, 2019, in the run-up to the international yoga day celebrations. The lecture focussed on highlighting various health benefits of yoga to the students. Under an outreach initiative for the international yoga day celebrations, Dr. Aradhana Jindal, Principal, MMSOA, conducted a special yoga session for the students of Government Senior Secondary School, Dharamshala.



Students and Faculty members performing Yoga Aasans during International Yoga Day celebrations

### 30TH NATIONAL ROAD SAFETY WEEK 2019

The NSS Unit and Road Safety Club of the University jointly organized a number of activities during the 30th National Road Safety Week 2019 held from 4th to 10 February 2019. A workshop on road safety was organized in which Mr. Rajender Saini, District Training Officer and Er. Deepak, Life Member of Indian Red Cross Society, Kurukshetra were invited as resource persons. At the end of the workshop all the students, faculty and staff took a pledge to follow the traffic and safety rules.



Dignitaries of University during the observance of National Road Safety week from February 4-10, 2019.

### List of other Important Days celebrated and observed by the University

S.No.	Day/Event	Date	Coordinating Club/Society
1	Anti- Terrorism Day	21.05. 2019	NSS
2	Hypertension Awareness Day	13.05. 2019	Drug Information Centre, MMSoP
3	Earth Day	23.04. 2019	NSS
4	World Heritage Day	18.04. 2019	Heritage Club, MMSOA
5	International Women's Day	08.04. 2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE
6	National Science Day	28.02. 2019	Royal Physics Society, Dept. of Physics
7	Matribhasha Diwas	21.02. 2019	Management Society, DoMS



Students of MMSOA took a heritage walk during the World Heritage Day celebrations on April 18, 2019.





Victorious students of various competitions organised during the celebrations of National Science Day on February 28, 2019.



A student reciting poetry during Matribhasha Day Celebrations on February 21, 2019.



Dr. Devi Singh delivering a lecture on the occasion of Anti-Terrorism Day on May 21, 2019.



Students and faculty members of MMSoP during the Hypertension Day celebrations on May 13, 2019.

## FESTIVITIES



Holi Celebrations by the students of MMSoA on March 22, 2019.



Dr. Manish Sharma, Principal, MMSoP during Basant Panchmi celebrations on February 13, 2019.



Lohri celebrations by MMSoP on January 13, 2019.

## INDUSTRIAL AND EDUCATIONAL VISITS

S.No.	Organisation/Institute	Location	Date	Coordinating Club/Society
1	National Dairy Research Institute	Karnal	07.05. 2019	Industry-Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
2	Alkem Laboratories Ltd.	Baddi	30.04. 2019	Industry-Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
3	Tau Devi Lal Herbal Nature Park	Khizrabad	27.02. 2019	Natural Product Centre, MMSoP
4	Central Research Institute	Kasauli	27.02. 2019	Chemical Education & Research, Dept. of Chemistry
5	Capital Super Speciality Cancer Hospital	Yamuna Nagar	04.02. 2019	Drug Information Centre, MMSoP



## VISIT TO ULTRA DRUGS PVT LTD.

The Industry-Institute Interaction Cell of Maharishi Marakandeshwar School of Pharmacy (MMSoP) organized an industrial visit to Ultra Drugs Pvt Ltd., Baddi for the students of the Department. The company is manufacturing oral solids – particularly tablets, granules as well as injectable formulations in their Baddi plant. During the visit the students familiarized themselves with equipment like fluidized bed dryer, automatic vial filling machines and lyophilizers along with brief introduction of various primary and secondary packing techniques.



Students of MMSoP during industrial visit to Ultra drugs Pvt. Ltd. on May 2, 2019

## VISIT TO VITA MILK PLANT

The students of the Department of Management Studies visited Vita Milk Plant, Ambala City on February 19, 2019. The visit was organised by the Management Society of the department. The students interacted with the managers and professionals at the milk plant and also learned various aspects of milk production and packaging. The students acquainted themselves with the complete production process of the milk plant i.e. from procurement of raw milk from co-operative farms to packaging and selling it to the end consumer. At the end of the visit, the managers of the milk plant interacted with the students and answered their doubts about various logistic issues regarding distribution of their products.



Students of the Department of Management Studies during their visit to Vita Milk Plant. on Feb 19, 2019



Students of the Department of Chemistry during their visit to Central Research Institute, Kasauli on February 27, 2019.



Students of MMSoP during their visit to the Capital Super Speciality Cancer Hospital on February 04, 2019



Students of MMSoP interacting with Industry experts during visit to NDRI-Karnal on May 07, 2019.

## KISAN GOSTHI

Kisan Gosthi was organised by the Agro Club of the Department of Agriculture at Zaffarpur Village of Ambala district. In this Gosthi, more than sixty farmers as well as village sarpanch, Mr. Sushil Rana took active participation. The expert team of Department of Agriculture from various fields were present to share their knowledge and experiences. Senior faculty members from the department shared their knowledge with the farmers. Dr. Pradeep Srivastava, Associate Professor from the Department talked about the importance of soil conservation and soil testing. Dr. O.P. Mehla, Professor from the Department talked about diversification in farming and how animal husbandry and farm management can play an important role in it. Dr. Lokender Kashyap, Associate Professor from the Department shared information about some of the major crops diseases. At the end of the Gosthi, Dr A. S. Kahlon, Professor from the Department provided detailed information regarding various central government and state government schemes available for the farmers.



Faculty members of the Department interacting with farmers during Kisan Gosti on Feb 16, 2019

# CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

## SEMINAR ON GLOBAL ASPECTS OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY



Delegates expressing their views during the National Seminar

A seminar on the global aspects of intellectual property rights on research methodology was organized by the Industry-Institute Interaction Cell of M.M. School of Pharmacy on April 19, 2019. The seminar was sponsored by the Patent Information Centre, Haryana State Council for Science & Technology, Department of Science & Technology, Government of Haryana and by Society of Pharmaceutical Education & Research (SPER). Dr. G. D. Gupta, Director, ISF College of Pharmacy, Moga and Dr. Rahul Taneja, IPR Scientist, Haryana State Council for Science & Technology, Panchkula graced the occasion as the guests of honour. Thought provoking lectures were delivered by eminent speakers such as Mr. Ashish Sharma, IP-Nation, New Delhi and Dr. Amit Sharma, ISF College of

## NATIONAL SEMINAR ON AGRO-FOOD PROCESSING

The Agro Club of the Department of Agriculture organised a National Seminar on 'Agro-food processing: Trends and Prospects in India' on March 29, 2019. The seminar was sponsored by National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD). Progressive farmer and entrepreneur Padma Shri Chaudhary Sultan Singh graced the occasion as the chief guest while Prof. Manjeet Aggarwal, Dean Research, NIFTEM was invited as the keynote speaker.



Vice Chancellor Dr. Harish Sharma delivering his address during the National Seminar

## NATIONAL SEMINAR ON SEVERITY IN RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS



Dignitaries releasing the abstract book of the papers presented during the seminar

The Drug Information Centre of M.M. School of Pharmacy organized a national seminar on Severity in Rheumatoid Arthritis: New Insights and Treatment Strategies on February 26, 2019. The seminar was sponsored by Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India. Chief Scientific Officer, Panacea Biotech Ltd., Lalru, Dr. Sukhjeet Singh graced the occasion as the chief guest while Mr. Ved Prakash Yadav, Member of Pharmacy Council of India, New Delhi and Haryana State Pharmacy Council, Panchkula, was invited as a guest of honour.

## VISIT OF PROF. JOSÉ JOAQUÍN RODES ROCA FROM ALICANTE UNIVERSITY, SPAIN

Prof. José Joaquín Rodes Roca from Alicante University, Spain visited the University campus on February 20, 2019 to have a look at the infrastructure available for proposed collaboration between MM University, Sadopur and Alicante University, Spain. The proposed collaboration will facilitate student and faculty exchange programmes. He discussed the programmes offered and pedagogies followed at Alicante University with Registrar of the University, Prof. Raman Gupta, Principal MM School of Architecture, Prof. Aradhana Jindal and Head, Department of Physics, Dr. Dharambir Singh.



Prof. José Joaquín Rodes Roca interacted with the University Functionaries



## WORKSHOP ON EXPLORING DESIGN POSSIBILITIES

Student Council of MM School of Architecture organised a workshop on exploring design possibilities on February 18, 2019.. The workshop was conducted by Ar. Hemant Dhanvantrai Wala, a leading academician and practicing architect from Ahmedabad. The workshop began with Ar. Hemant Wala's address where he asked students to think critically about their thought processes and view buildings as an envelope for life. In the question answer session, he further expanded on how to overcome mental blocks by comparing the approaches of well-trained and professionals.



Ar. Hemant Dhanvantrai Wala during the workshop on exploring design possibilities.

### Some other Curricular Activities

S.No.	Event	Speaker(s)	Date	Department
1	Workshop on Tally ERP 9	Ms. Yamini Dadwal, Senior Financial Analyst, FinPro Group	03.05.2019	Management Society, DoMS
2	Workshop on Web Development and Web Hosting	Mr. Amit Jain, Senior Software Developer, Infosys	30.04.2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE
3	Lecture on FinTech and the transformation of financial services	Ms. Yamini Dadwal, Senior Financial Analyst, FinPro Group	16.04.2019	Management Society, DoMS
4	Lecture on guidelines of clean room area of A grade	Mr. Narinder Goyal, Plant Head, VHB Medi-Sciences Pvt. Ltd	12.04.2019	Industry-Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
5	Seminar on Women Entrepreneurship in Patriarchal Society	1. Ms. Namrata Gaur, Member, Haryana State Commission for Women. 2. Ms. Purna Kalra, CEO & Founder of Open Hand Solution 3. Ms. Shashi Singh, Chairperson, Consortium of Women Entrepreneur of India 4. Ms. Meenu Dhiman, Assistant Director, MSME-Karnal	30.03.2019	Chemistry Fusion, MMSoP
6	Workshop on Financial Modelling	Mr. Vishal Chopra, iNurture Education Solutions Pvt. Ltd.	02.02.2019	Management Society, DoMS
7	Workshop on the concept of Virtualisation	Dr. Sandeep Rana	22.02.2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE
8	Lecture on Research analytical techniques	Dr. Susheel Mittal, Professor, Thapar University.	20.02.2019	Chemical Education & Research, Dept. Of Chemistry
9	Workshop on Fundamentals of Storage & Implementation of RAID	Mr. Ajit Punchi	18.02.2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE
10	Workshop on Statistical Data Analysis using Excel/SPSS	Dr. Ramani Swarna, Miranda House, Delhi University	15.02.2019	Management Society, DoMS
11	Lecture on Good Laboratory Practices	Dr. Bikash Medhi, Department of Pharmacology, PGIMER, Chandigarh	23.01.2019	Industry-Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
12	Workshop on Dynamic Programming Approach	Mr. Kundan Munjal	22.01. 2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE
13	Workshop on front end and back end connectivity	Mr. Sandeep Rana	17.01. 2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE



Mr. Amit Jain conducting the workshop on web development and web Hosting on April 30, 2019.



Vice Chancellor, Dr. Harish Sharma honouring the guest speaker during seminar on women entrepreneurship in patriarchal society March 30, 2019



Ms. Yamini Dadwal delivering the lecture on financial services on April 16, 2019.



Dr. Sandeep Rana conducting the workshop on the concept of virtualisation on February 22, 2019.



Dr. Ramani Swarna with the students of Department of Management Studies on February 15, 2019.

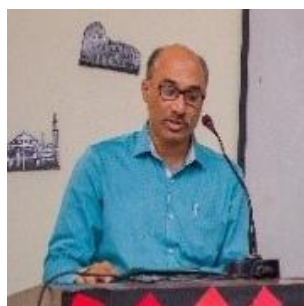


Dr. Bikash Medhi being honoured by faculty members of MMSoP during the lecture on Good laboratory practices on January 23, 2019.

## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

### SwaroopMM'19

The two day techno-cultural festival SWAROOPMM'19 was held in the University campus from 05-06 April 2019. The chief guest of the inaugural function was Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the University, Dr. Harish Sharma. More than 20 events under cultural, technical, fun and photography, social and sports categories were organized during the two day fest.



Glimpses of SwaroopMM '19

### MUSICAL CUM MEDITATION SESSION- 'YOGADHARA'

The Student Council of MM School of Architecture organized a special 'Musical cum Meditation Programme- Yogadhara' on March 13, 2019. The programme was conducted by 20 dynamic meditators of the Yogadhara team who had come from Ukraine, Russia, Poland, Australia, UK, USA and Spain. The meditation session was organized by 'Shri Mataji Nirmala devi Sahajayoga Pariwar'



Glimpses of Musical cum Meditation Session- 'Yogadhara'



## CHARITABLE ACTIVITY: A VISIT TO KUSHT ASHRAM

The Management Society of Department of Management Studies organized a charitable activity and visited Pashupathi Nath Kusht Ashram, Ambala City on January 25, 2019. The students, along with the faculty members donated food items like wheat flour, rice, pulses and fruits to residents of the Kusht Ashram.



Students of the Department donating essential items to the residents of Kusht Ashram

## ART OF MEMORIZING WORKSHOP

The University organized a one day workshop on the "Art of Memorizing" for the students of nearby schools on January 23, 2019. The workshop was conducted by the Guinness world record holder and world's strongest memory man, Mr. Krishan Chahal. The workshop was attended by the students of KPAK Mahavidyalaya, Ambala, Nand Lal Geeta School, BD Senior Secondary School, SD Kanya School and Farukha Khalsa Senior Secondary School.



Memory King Mr. Krishan Chahal during the workshop on Art of Memorising.

### Some other Co-curricular Activities

S.No.	Day/Event	Date	Coordinating Club/Society
1	Farewell Party	May 10, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
2	Indoor Games	April 30, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
3	Business Success Stories	April 18, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
4	Saksharta Abhiyan	April 15, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
5	Tree Plantation Drive	April 10, 2019	Natural Product Centre, MMSoP
6	Creative Writing Competition	April 02, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
7	Workshop on SWOT analysis	March 15, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
8	Flower Show and Competition	March 14, 2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture
9	Ad-Mad Show	March 07, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
10	Inter House Debate Competition	March 06, 2019	Student Council, MMSoA
11	Spell Bee Competition	February 20, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
12	Quiz Competition	February 13, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
13	Blood Donation Camp	February 12, 2019	NSS
14	Group Discussion and Debate	February 06, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
15	Debate on Gender Sensitization	January 30, 2019	Burning Comet Club, CSE
16	Poster Making Competition: Eat Right India	January 25, 2019	NSS
17	Management Games Activity	January 18, 2019	Management Society, DoMS
18	Gully Cricket	January 16, 2019	Student Council, MMSoA
19	Group Discussion	January 15, 2019	Management Society, DoMS



Students and Faculty members of the Department of Management Studies on the occasion of farewell party on May 10, 2019.



Students and Faculty members of MMSoP during the tree plantation drive on April 10, 2019.



Mr. Deepak Yadav conducting the workshop on SWOT analysis on March 15, 2019.



University officials and staff members during the flower show and competition on March 14, 2019.



Students of MMSoA during the debate competition on March 06, 2019.



Plants on display during the flower show and competition on March 14, 2019.



University dignitaries and staff members during Kisan Gosthi on March 30, 2019.



A student expressing his views during the debate on gender sensitization on January 30, 2019.



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