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NEWSLETTER

CELEBRATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS

FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Various Departments of the University celebrated the 'University Founder's Day' on September 11, 2019. The University celebrates the Founder's Day every year on the birthday of Hon'ble Chancellor and Founder, Shri Tarsem Garg. On this occasion, the University's NSS Unit organised a blood donation camp. The camp was organised in collaboration with Rotary and Blood Bank Society Resource Centre, Chandigarh. 115 units of blood were donated by the volunteers during the camp. The University also organised a tree plantation drive to mark the occasion. Around 50 saplings were planted in and around the University campus during this drive.



University dignitaries during the Blood Donation Camp on September 11, 2019.

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS

The University celebrated the nation's 72nd Independence Day with great zeal and enthusiasm. The celebrations started with a flag hoisting ceremony. Ex-service man Shri Parkash Shandal (Major Sub.) addressed the students and regaled them with his stories from the Indian army. Prof. A.S. Kahlon from the Department of Agriculture of the University also addressed the students and talked about our hard earned independence. Students, faculty and staff members of all the departments of the University participated in large numbers in the ceremony.



Shri Parkash Shandal addressing the students during the Independence Day celebrations on August 15, 2019



Cadets during NCC day celebrations on November 26, 2019.



Dr. Dharmbir Singh reading the preamble to the Constitution of India on the occasion of the Constitution Day on November 26, 2019.



Faculty members and students during Janmashtmi and Teachers Day celebration on September 04, 2019.



Students participating in quiz competition during Hindi Divas celebrations on September 14, 2019.

List of other Important Days Celebrated by the University

S.No.	Day/Event	Date	Coordinating Club/Society
1	National Education Day	11.11.2019	NSS
2	World Diabetes Awareness day	05.11.2019	Drug Information Centre, MMSoP
3	World Arthritis Awareness Day	15.10.2019	Drug Information Centre, MMSoP
4	World Pharmacist Day	25.09.2019	Drug Information Centre, MMSoP
5	Ganesh Chaturthi	02.09.2019	Heritage Club, MMSoA
6	Heritage Day	22.08.2019	Heritage Club, MMSoA
7	Orientation Day	06.08.2019	University

INDUSTRIAL AND EDUCATIONAL VISITS



Students of MMSoP during their visit to Sarthak Biotech Pvt. Ltd, Karnal on October 22, 2019.



Students of Department of Agriculture during their visit to Kisan Mela, PAU, Ludhiana on September 21, 2019.



Students of MMSoP during their visit to CSIO, Chandigarh on September 26, 2019.



Students of MMSoP during their visit to Tau Devi Lal Herbal Nature Park, Khizrabad on September 03, 2019

List of Industrial and Educational Visits

S.No.	Organisation/Institute	Location	Date	Coordinating Club/Society
1	Milap Bricks Company	Naraingarh	20.11.2019	Heritage Club, MMSoA
2	The Tribune	Chandigarh	07.11.2019	Management Society, DoMS
3	Sarthak Biotech Pvt. Ltd	Karnal	22.10.2019	Industry- Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
4	CSIO-CSIR	Chandigarh	26.09.2019	Industry- Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
5	Kisan Mela, PAU	Ludhiana	21.09.2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture
6	North India Life Sciences Pvt. LTD	Karnal	13.09.2019	Industry- Institute Interaction Cell, MMSoP
7	Vita Milk Plant	Ambala	06.09.2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture
8	Tau Devi Lal Herbal Nature Park	Khizrabad	03.09.2019	Natural Product Centre, MMSoP
9	Vita Milk Plant	Ambala	03.09.2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture
10	Vita Milk Plant	Ambala	30.08.2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture

CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ENTREPRENEURSHIP AWARENESS CAMP

The Agro club of the Department of Agriculture organized a three day Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp under DST-NIMAT Project from October 22 to 24, 2019.

The workshop was sponsored by National Science & Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board (NSTEDB) and supported by Entrepreneurship Development Institute of India, (EDII), Ahmedabad. Over 250 students, faculty members, industry experts and progressive farmers participated in the awareness camp. Prof. Dr. Harish Sharma, Vice Chancellor, MMU welcomed the chief guest for the inaugural function Shri. D K Kapila, General Manager, Regional Office, NABARD, Chandigarh while Mr. Harjeet Singh Gulati, an eminent entrepreneur delivered the keynote address.



Vice Chancellor Dr. Harish Kumar Sharma delivering welcome address during the inaugural function of the three day entrepreneurship awareness camp

INDUSTRY-ACADEMIA INTERACTION

The Management Society of the Department of Management Studies organised a special industry-academia interaction session and a guest lecture for the students of B.Com, BAJMC and BBA on October 04, 2019. Mr. Ajay Sharma, Head, Human Resources, Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited was invited as the guest speaker on the occasion. In this talk, Mr. Sharma highlighted various facets of corporate culture and lifestyle. He said that in order to succeed in today's world of cut throat competition one should be abreast with the recent developments around us. While sharing his professional experiences with the students, Mr. Sharma stressed on the importance of developing an inquisitive and dedicated approach towards work. He was of the view that a successful corporate professional should exhibit admirable levels of confidence and proficiency through his or her work. At the end of his talk, Mr. Sharma answered the queries of the students and cleared their doubts.



Mr. Ajay Sharma interacting with the students of the Department of Management Studies on October 04, 2019

SEMINAR ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

The Drug Information Centre of M.M. School of Pharmacy, organised a seminar on Intellectual Property Rights on August 28, 2019. The seminar was organised in association with the Consortium of Women Entrepreneurs of India, New Delhi. Dr. Shashi Singh, Chairperson, Consortium of Women Entrepreneur of India, New Delhi graced the seminar as a chief guest.



Dignitaries and participating students during the seminar on Intellectual Property Rights on August 28, 2019.



Dr. Nandan Dhir with the students and faculty members of MMSoP after the lecture on upmost requirement of talent from industry on November 07, 2019.



Students of MMSoP at A.P. Residency during their one day training programme on August 08, 2019.



Mr. Sikander Dhiman delivering lecture on Current Aspects on Data Integrity on September 10, 2019.



Prof. Aradhana Jindal honouring the guest speaker Ar. Dishant Bhatia on August 23, 2019.

List of Other Curricular Activities

S.No.	Event	Speaker(s)	Date	Club/Society
1	Lecture on Horticulture Scenario in India: Challenges and opportunities	Dr. J. S. Bal, Department of Horticulture, PAU, Ludhiana	21.09.2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture
2	Lecture on Influence of Le Corbusier on Global and Indian Architecture	Ar. Surinder Bahga, Practicing Architect	18.09.2019	Heritage Club, MMSoA
3	Lecture on Electro analytical Methods	Prof. S.K. Mittal, Thapar University, Patiala	26.07.2019	Society for Chemical Education and Research, Dept. of Chemistry
4	Lecture on Challenging Design boundaries	Ar. Nikita Verma, ETHOS, India	24.07.2019	Heritage Club, MMSoA

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

SRIJAN-2019

The two days annual fest, 'Srijan-2019' was organized at MMSchool of Architecture during September 15-16, 2019. The chief guest of the inaugural function was Dr. Vinay Malhotra, Co-chairman of *Sneh Sparsh*- A palliative care unit, Ambala Cantt. Various events under cultural, technical, fun, social and sports categories were organized during the two day fest.



Glimpses of SRIJAN, 2019

WORKSHOP ON CREATIVE WRITING

The Management Society of the Department of Management Studies organised a workshop on the art of creative writing for the students of the Department on August 29, 2019. The students of B.Com, BA-JMC and PGDJMC attended the workshop. The workshop was conducted by Mr. Ripudaman Singh, Assistant Professor, Department of Management Studies. During the workshop Mr. Singh highlighted the many forms and facets of creative writing. He gave them tips on how to write creatively and imaginatively. Mr. Singh told the students that in order to write creatively one has to be a keen observer of things happening around himself/herself. He stressed that creative writing is an art and in order to master this art form the students require strict discipline and regular practice. He advised the students to write as much as they can in order to hone their skills. At the end of the workshop the students were given a task to write a creative piece in the form of poetry, song, short story, limerick etc. and the students performed the task enthusiastically.



Mr. Ripudaman Singh conducting workshop on the art of creative writing on August 29, 2019.

SPORTS BIKE ACTIVITY BY KTM RACING

The University organised a sports bike activity for the students on August 20, 2019. The activity was performed by international motorcycle company KTM Racing. The professionally trained stunt performers enthralled the audience comprising of students and faculty members of the University with their par excellence display of bike control, synchronization and athleticism.



The performers from KTM Racing entertaining the audiences with their stunts



Students participating in Badminton competition organised by the Department of Management Studies on November 14, 2019.



Mr. Rajesh Sharma conducting the self-defence workshop for girls on October 22, 2019



Students participating in Unnat Bharat Abhiyan during the observance of Nai Talim week from September 26, 2019 to October 02, 2019



The University team led by Dr. D. Singh during one of the many awareness drives conducted at primary schools during Swachhata hi Sewa Campaign 2019.



Jal Shakti Abhiyaan team surveying water resources and conservation process.



Students and Faculty members of the Department of Management Studies during Freshers Party on August 31, 2019.



Faculty members and students of MMSoA and Dept. of Agriculture during Tree Plantation Drive on August 19, 2019.



University Dignitaries and staff members during poster making competition and exhibition on Sri Guru Nanak Darshan on August 09, 2019.

List of other Co-curricular Activities

S.No.	Day/Event	Date	Coordinating Club/Society
1	Donation Activity	24.11.2019	NSS
2	Rally for awareness against stubble burning	06.11.2019	NSS
3	Vigilance Awareness Week	28.10.2019- 02.11.2019	NSS
4	Talent Hunt Competition	23.10.2019	Management Society, DoMS
5	Activities regarding SVEEP programme	19.10.2019	NSS
6	Workshop of Leadership	18.10.2019	Management Society, DoMS
7	Quiz Competition	18.10.2019	Royal Physics Society, Dept. Of Physics
8	Best out of waste competition	11.10.2019	Dosage Form Discovery Club, MMSoP
9	Street play	10.10.2019	Gender Champion Club, MMSoP
10	Poster Competition and Nukkad Natak for promoting self-reliance/self-employment among women	09.10.2019	NSS
11	Candle light vigil against sexual violence	09.10.2019	NSS
12	Freshers Party	05.10.2019	Chemistry Fusion, MMSoP
13	Student Solar Ambassador Workshop	02.10.2019	NSS
14	Freshers Party	25.09.2019	Student Council, MMSoA
15	Generate a Business Plan Activity	19.09.2019	Management Society, DoMS
16	Tree Plantation	19.09.2019	Natural Product Centre, MMSoP
17	Blog Writing Competition	17.09.2019	Chemistry Fusion, MMSoP
18	Quiz Competition on the life of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji	13.09.2019	NSS
19	Freshers Party	28.09.2019	Agro Club, Dept. of Agriculture
20	Swachhta hi Sewa Campaign 2019	11.09.2019- 02.10.2019	NSS
21	Make and Take Art Swap	10.09.2019	Management Society, DoMS
22	Teachers Day	05.09.2019	Dept. of Agriculture
23	Celebration of Fit India Movement	29.08.2019	NSS
24	Actor for a Day	28.08.2019	Management Society, DoMS
25	Logo Making Competition	21.08.2019	Student Council, MMSoA
26	Management Quiz	14.08.2019	Management Society, DoMS
27	Workshop on Holistic Living	29.07.2019	Management Society, DoMS
28	Vegetable and Fruit Carving Competition	25.07.2019	Management Society, DoMS
29	Sculpture Workshop	24.07.2019	Student Council, MMSoA
30	Seminar on moral values in Gurbani	19.07.2019	NSS
31	Visit to slum area	17.07.2019	Management Society, DoMS
32	Extracurricular Activity	10.07.2019	Student Council, MMSoA

RESEARCH OUTPUT

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

28
Total no. Of
Publications

26
International
Publications

33
Cumulative
Impact Factor



CONFERENCE/SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS BY FACULTY MEMBERS

63
Total no. of
Conferences/Seminars/
Events Attended/Presented

57 National
Conferences/
Seminars/
Events Attended

06 International
Conferences/
Seminars/
Events Attended

28 Total no. of
Conferences/
Seminars/
Events Indexed

**TOTAL NO. OF BOOK(S)/BOOK CHAPTER(S)
PUBLISHED: 4**

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

S.No.	Name of the Student	Class	Achievement
1	Ankit Singh	B.Sc Agriculture	Got Sanctioned Rupees 25 lakh from Agri Incubation Centre, Hisar for a Business Startup

STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

S.No.	Faculty Member	Designation	Department	Achievement
1	Ms. Purna Sharma	Assistant Professor, Pharmacognosy	MMSoP	Young Scientist Award by Society of Pharmaceutical Education and Research, Thailand Industrial Pharmacist Association and Silpakorn University, Thailand



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