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EDITORIAL

The year 2022 began at a positive note as we safely landed on the shores braving all the hurdles pitched in by the deadly COVID-19 Pandemic. For Central University of Jammu, it was all the more momentous as it ushered in a new phase of quantum leap at infrastructural, academic and administrative levels under the action-oriented guidance of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain. During the first half of 2022, the University was buzzing with well-thought out activities harnessing the strength and patriotic fervour of students during Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav and numerous sports and cultural activities wherein students exhibited their exemplary potential.

One of proudest moments for CUJ was the inauguration of Satish Dhawan Centre for Space Sciences which catapulted CUJ to hold the distinction of having a vibrant Space Centre. Moreover, various innovative and best practices were hosted by university besides high quality national and international level conferences and seminars and high impact research publications and projects.

As Gurudev Tagore said, " Reach high, for stars lie hidden in you. Dream deep, for every dream precedes the goal". We have started with a dream, to reach our goal of making CUJ a seat of higher learning with national and international ranking. The compilation of Campus Update is also a small step in this direction as it is an introspective enterprise to gauge our progress. Hope all readers and stakeholders find merit in our endeavours and respond with their valuable opinion. We hope to have you with us in this journey.

Dr. Vandana Sharma
Editor

Inauguration of Satish Dhawan Centre For Space Sciences

Department of Space and Central University of Jammu (CUJ) has jointly established a Space Science Centre for carrying out research in space science and technology in the Central University campus, Jammu. The Centre is named after the renowned Space Scientist,

teacher and former Chairman, ISRO, Prof. Satish Dhawan, who hailed from Jammu & Kashmir. The Satish Dhawan Space Science Centre was inaugurated by Dr. Jitendra Singh, Hon'ble Minister of State (MoS) for Space, in the presence of Shri Somanath S, Chairman, ISRO/ Secretary DOS, Dr. K. Radhakrishnan Former Chairman, ISRO & Member, Space Commission and Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Vice-Chancellor, CUJ on March 12, 2022. During the inaugural event that was held in Central University of Jammu, Dr. Jitendra Singh mentioned that the institute will open up new vistas in the region for academicians, industrialists and start-ups in the space domain. He also opined that the space applications cut across all the technology domains, and space will become an unavoidable technology in the years to come in all walks of life. The Centre houses different labs/ facilities related to geospatial data analysis, materials, astrophysics, natural disasters and avionics. Inauguration was followed by a two days conference on "Frontiers of Space Technology and Applications for Humanity" with technical sessions where Directors of IIRS, PRL, NARL, SPL and Sr. ISRO scientists participated and Sr. faculty from Central University of Jammu delivered talks related the above areas of research.



Chief Guest Dr. Jitender Singh, Chairman ISRO, Sh. Somanath S, Former Chairman ISRO, DR. K. Radhakrishnan in the presence of Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain inaugurating the Satish Dhawan Centre For Space Sciences.



Chairman ISRO, Sh. Somanath S delivering the Presidential remarks during the Inaugural of Conference on Frontiers of Space Technology and Applications For Humanity on 12th March, 2022.



Dr. Jitendra Singh interacting with the students during the visit of labs after inauguration of Satish Dhawan Centre for Space Sciences.



Vice Chancellor presenting a memento to Dr. K Radhakrishnan



Vice Chancellor presenting a memento to the Chief Guest

Visit of the Honourable CHANCELLOR

Vice Chancellor,
Prof. Sanjeev Jain
welcoming the
Hon'ble Chancellor,
Ambassador
G Parthasarthy
in the university
campus on
22nd March, 2022



Chancellor chairing
the 7th Court Meeting
held on
22nd March, 2022

Eminent Lecture on Emerging Foreign Policy Issues Post-Ukrainian Crises with Focus on India

Ambassador G Parthasarthy, Hon'ble Chancellor, Central University of Jammu, one of the towering diplomats of the country delivered a Talk on "Emerging Foreign Policy Issues Post-Ukrainian Crises with Focus on India" on 22 March, 2022 to the faculty, scholars and students. In the talk, Amb. Parthasarthy elucidated the global scenario in the wake of Russia-Ukraine war crises



and underscored Indian Foreign policy. The talk was followed by an interactive session wherein the students and scholars participated. The session ended with the presentation of memento to Hon'ble Chancellor by the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain.



Annual Sports meet Combatica 2022



The Directorate of Physical Education, Central University of Jammu (CUJ) organized the Annual Sports Meet 'Combatica- 2022' during May 12 - May 14, 2022.

About 1908 students participated in various events including Marathon, Cricket, Football, Table Tennis, Kabaddi, Volleyball, Badminton, Chess, Carrom, Kho-Kho, 100m race, 200m race, 400m Relay race, Long Jump, Javelin Throw, Discus Throw and Shotput.

The prize distribution ceremony was graced by Vice Chancellor CUJ, Prof Sanjeev Jain. The Vice Chancellor lauded the efforts of organizers for successfully organizing 'Combatica' and encouraged the Directorate of Physical Education and different coordinators to focus on building the qualities like sportsmanship, discipline, and zeal among the students for their holistic development. Rakesh Magotra, Additional Secretary, Youth Services and Sports Department J&K (UT) was the chief guest for the felicitation ceremony, while Kuldeep Handoo, DySP, JK Police and Dronacharya Awardee J&K (UT) was the guest of honour. The felicitation ceremony of the sports meet was started with the welcome address by Dr Yashwant Singh, Director, Directorate of Physical Education and Registrar (Incharge) of the University.

In cricket a total of 10 teams participated and a team of the department of CSIT led by Inamul-Haq won the tournament, while the cricket women's team led by Manpreet won the finals. The volleyball team led by Karthik Charak won the tournament, while Table Tennis men's category event was won by Vasab Gupta and Roqsana Batoon won the match in the women's category.

In Kabaddi, the men's team led by Rajak Dogra won the tournament, while the women's team led by Latika won the tournament. Kho-Kho men's team led by Mohd Farooq and Kho Kho women's team led by Chahat Mahajan won the tournament.

In Marathon Prasuail, Sakshi Thakur was the winner in the women's category, whereas the team of Prof Rasal Singh, and Dr Shaveta Kohli were the winners in the faculty category and the team of Ankur Sharma and Kairavi was declared winners in the non-teaching category.





Three Minute Thesis Competition

Founded by University of Queensland, Australia

Under the dynamic leadership of Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Central University of Jammu is scaling newer heights for carving a niche at international level – one such initiative was 3MT, Three-Minute Thesis Competition organised by the Department of English, School of Languages on 29th April, 2022. 3MT is a global level competition which was developed by the University of Queensland, Australia with the objective of providing a platform to young researchers to present and explain research in language appropriate to a non-specialist audience in THREE MINUTES with only one PowerPoint slide. Young enthusiastic researchers from Central University of Jammu and various other universities, to name a few Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Central University of Kashmir, Aligarh Muslim University and VFTR Deemed to be University, Hyderabad participated. Prof. Devanand Padha, Vice Chancellor In charge presided over the competition. While speaking on the occasion, the Head, Department of English, Dr. Vandana Sharma and the convener of CUJ



3MT said that CUJ is committed to amplify the research output – whether it is through high quality publication, research projects or chiseling the research acumen of young researchers and replicating 3MT founded by University of Queensland, Australia is a step in this direction. Around twenty five young researchers from different disciplines of Humanities and Social Sciences presented their research in Three minutes who were adjudicated by a panel of judges who were Prof. Bhavatosh Guru from Dr. Hari Singh Gour University, Madhya Pradesh; Prof. B S Bhau, Dean Research Studies from CUJ and Dr. Meenu Gupta from Punjab University Chandigarh. The first, second and Third prizes in 3MT were bagged by Ms. Tania Shri, from Department of English, CUJ, Ms. Arti Devi, Department of English and Ms Bazila Ehsan from Department of English, Central University of Kashmir. Prof. Devanand Padha gave away prizes and certificates to winners.

Curtain Raiser Ceremony and Exhibition on National Calendar of India



A curtain raiser program for the 2-day National Conference and Exhibition on 'National Calendar of India' that was held in Ujjain on 22nd and 23rd April 2022, was conducted in Central University of Jammu in collaboration with Vijnana Bharati and Ministry of Culture, Govt of India and Rashtriya Dindarshika Prasar Manch. The main focus of the event was to disseminate the ethos of the National Calendar of India that was passed by the Parliament of India in 1957. Copies of the calendars were also released by the visiting dignitaries.

The chief guest of the programme was Rajiv Rai Bhatnagar, Advisor to Lieutenant Governor of UT of J&K. In his address, Sh. Bhatnagar focused on adopting various other programs which may help in the successful implementation of various initiatives taken by Govt of J&K and Government of India. The guests of honour were Dr. Ranjana Aggarwal, Director CSIR-NISCAIR/NISTADS, Abhay Marathe from Rashtriya Dindarshika Prasar Manch and



Dr. Gautam Mengi, Prant Sanghchalak, RSS J&K. Dr. Ranjana, in her keynote address, explained the five key points, put forth by the Prime Minister of India on the eve of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav and also deliberated on the science behind the Swadeshi Calendar.

In his welcome address, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu, Prof Sanjeev Jain briefed about the importance of such events and various other initiatives taken by the Central University of Jammu regarding NEP 2020 and technological advancement for enhancing the teaching and research standards. This was followed by the introductory speech delivered by Prof Rajni Kant, President, Vigyan Parishad (State Chapter of Vijnana Bharati) and the Vision & Mission of Vigyan Parishad. On behalf of Abhey Marathe, Sanjay Parlikar briefed about the concept behind the National Calendar.

Counselling on Covid Appropriate Behavior

The world has been dealing with an unprecedented pandemic, Covid -19, which posed unanticipated challenges requiring collective action and support from all. While the Central and the state governments had been leading all the necessary measures to fight the crisis, there was a pressing need to reinforce the importance of preventive measures and practices in a sustained manner, to deal with the disease over the long run. In this regard, the student counselling Cell, under the aegis of GSCASH, organised counseling sessions on the topic: Covid Appropriate behaviour and medical assistance. The sessions were conducted in the online mode , spread over four days from 7th Feb. 2022 to 10th Feb. 2022. All the students across all the departments were sensitized on the burning and relevant issue. Medical officers of the University, Dr. Harpreet Singh and Dr. Vijayata Puri were the key resource persons who were effectively and patiently discussed the issue and also handled the queries that students had regarding dealing with Covid-19. Dr. Jaya Bhasin, chairperson GSCASH, expressed that, adherence to covid appropriate behaviour needed be followed and these counselling sessions not only reinforced the relevant behaviours as also enabled the students to handle covid related anxieties. Dr. Ritu Bakshi, convener, student counselling cell and Dr. Neelika Arora, coordinator expressed their gratitude to the resource person and all the faculty members of all the Departments to coordinate with them during the first phase of the sessions.



AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV



Central University of Jammu
became one of the torch bearers in the 44th Chess olympiad
under Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav



Students and Faculty of Central University of Jammu presided by Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh participated and became one of the torch bearers in the 44th Chess olympiad.




Central University of Jammu (CUJ) organized
Free Tour to Suchetgarh Border
For Students of CUJ, Every Saturday to inculcate feelings
of Nationalism towards the country
under Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav



Free Tour to Suchetgarh Border
For the Students of Central University of Jammu
Under
'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'

Patron



Prof. Sanjeev Jain
Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Jammu


Timing - 03 PM - 08 PM (During Summer)
02PM - 07 PM (During Winter)
Day- Every Saturday

On Spot Registration at the office of Co-Ordinator, Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav (Basement, Professor Quarter No-06, Centre for Comparative Religions and Civilizations) till Thursday every week

Registration will be on a first-come-first-serve basis

Bus Pickup Point- Central University of Jammu Boys Hostel Sainik Colony (Jammu)


Organizer



Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh
Coordinator, Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, Central University of Jammu
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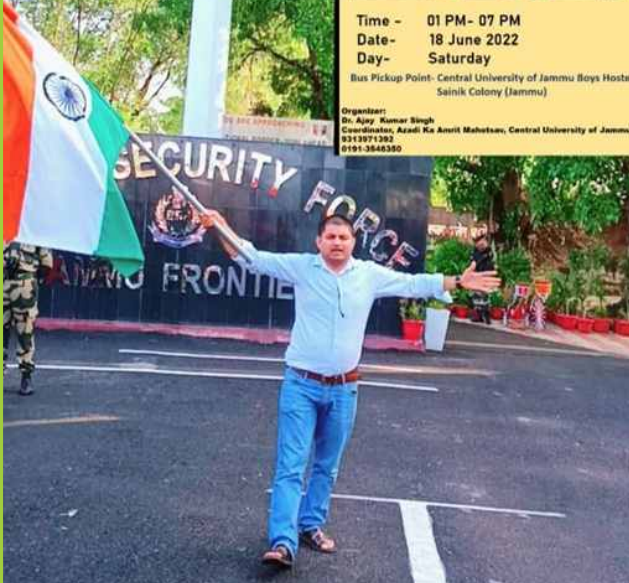
Free Tour to Suchetgarh Border
For Central University of Jammu Students
Under
'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'



Time - 01 PM - 07 PM
Date - 18 June 2022
Day - Saturday

Bus Pickup Point- Central University of Jammu Boys Hostel Sainik Colony (Jammu)

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Central University of Jammu Celebrated International Day Against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking under Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav

Directorate of Social Welfare, J&K in Collaboration with Central University of Jammu Celebrated
International Day Against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking, on 26th June 2022 at Boys Hostel, CUJ



MoUs & COLLABORATIONS

MoU between CUJ and Exigo-Recycling Pvt. Ltd.

A Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Central University of Jammu and Exigo-Recycling Pvt. Ltd., a leading electronic waste recycling company on 18th March, 2022. Strategic methods to get rid of increasing electronic waste are expected to be shared under the understanding. The MoU also envisages Exigo-recycling methods, indigenously developed, safe and environmentally secure ways to solve the issue of increasing of e-waste generation.

MoU Inked for Promotion of Science through Dogri

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between Vigyan Prasar (VP) Department of Science & Technology, Govt of India & Central University of Jammu (CUJ) on 17th April, 2022 for Science Communication Popularization & its Extension (SCoPE)-in-Dogri.

The main activities to be undertaken under this MoU will be publishing science magazine, science books, translation of already published books in Dogri, producing short popular science films in Dogri, organizing Sci-comm training workshops, organizing Science Poster-cum-Model competition in Dogri for school students, national level Science quiz competition in Dogri for school students.

Dr. Nakul Parashar, Director Vigyan Prasar briefed about the activities to be undertaken for the promotion of Science through Dogri.



CUJ signed MoU with Vigyan Prasar, Dept. of Science & Technology, Govt. of India on Science & Technology Communication Popularisation & its Extension (SCoPE)-in-Dogri

Department of English Inks MoU with Kiel University, Germany



(L-R) Prof. Jutta Zimmermann, Chair Department of English, Prof. Nele Matz Luck, Vice President Kiel University, Germany; Prof. Rasal Singh, Dean School of Languages; Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Vice Chancellor, CUJ, Dr. Vandana Sharma, HOD, English; Dr. Yashwant Singh, Registrar I/C, CUJ during the Signing Ceremony.

Central University of Jammu, is making rapid strides in its endeavours to enhance academic standards and to foster international quality standards of excellence in Academics & Research. In one such stride, Department of English, Central University of Jammu has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with English Department of Kiel University, Germany on 12th May, 2022 to promote Exchange of researchers, students and faculty; Cooperation in research projects; Organization of lectures, symposia, conferences, and workshops.; Development of mutually beneficial academic programmes and courses; Exchange of information, teaching materials, and scientific publications. The Memorandum of Understanding is intended to promote international cooperation between the Department of English, represented by Professor Jutta Zimmermann of Kiel University (hereinafter referred to as CAU), represented by its President Prof. Dr. Simone Fulda and the Head, Department of English, represented by Dr. Vandana Sharma of Central University of Jammu (herein after referred to as CUJ) represented by its Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain. The English Department of CAU and the English Department of the Central University of Jammu have been working in a fruitful cooperation in the last years. Specific links have been established in the fields of (online) teaching and research. Both institutions wish to continue and deepen the existing collaboration in regard to academic exchange and cooperation in study, teaching and research. This Memorandum will be in force for an initial period of five years as of the date of signing by the representatives of both universities. Thereafter, the agreement will automatically be renewed annually as long as neither party terminates it 9 months prior to the beginning of an academic year. Ever since Prof. Sanjeev Jain has taken over as Vice Chancellor of CUJ, the university is rapidly taking strides for excellence in teaching and research at par with global standards and in tune with NEP2020. In his

message, Prof. Jain declared that all institutional support is always there for facilitating all those linkages which are in national interest and for promoting academic standards.

MOU inked with Prevest Den-Pro Bari Brahmna

Central University of Jammu signed a strategic memorandum of understanding with Prevest DenPro, a Jammu-based dental materials manufacturing company, for promoting research with special emphasis on nanotechnology, biosensors, and materials for biomedical applications on 27th May 2022. The MoU was signed by the Vice Chancellor of CUJ, Professor Sanjeev Jain and Dr S Sai Kalyan, Director Research and Academics, Prevest DenPro Limited.



CELEBRATIONS & COMMEMORATIONS

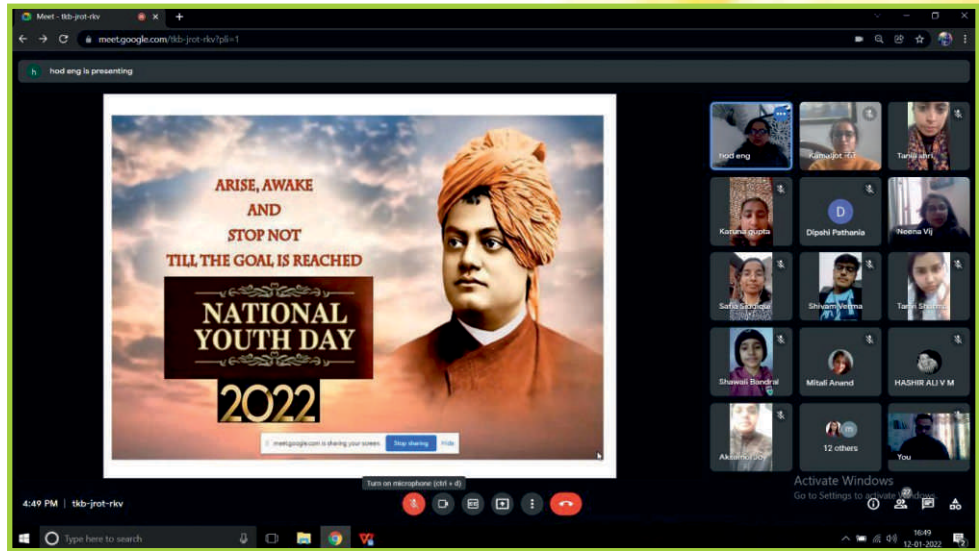
Republic Day

The Republic Day was celebrated on 26th January, 2022 in the University Campus. On the 73rd Republic Day, the Tricolour was unfurled by the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Sanjeev Jain, in the presence of, Deans, Heads, Registrar, Finance Officer, Faculty, Staff and their family numbers. In the address, Prof. Jain greeted everyone on the occasion and shared his vision of making CUJ a temple of higher learning which has recognition at national and international level. He further urged the CUJ fraternity to work with commitment and zeal and underscored the significance of independence which was attained with the sacrifices of freedom fighters, which every citizen of the country must value a great deal and try to repay by showing patriotic fervor and true devotion to work.



National Youth Day

On 12th January, 2022, Department of English celebrated National Youth Day also known as Rashtriya Yuva Diwas to commemorate the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda, one of the greatest philosophers and spiritual leaders. On the occasion, students and scholars of the department spoke



about the theme, history and significance of the day. The celebration was presided over by Dr. Vandana Sharma who coordinated the commemoration. In the address, Dr. Sharma advised students to emulate Swami Vivekanand's ideals, principles and philosophies. She underscored that objective behind the celebration is to make a better future for the country by motivating the youth and spreading the ideas of the Swami Vivekananda.

Women's Day

In sync with the United Nation's theme for 2022 Gender equality today for a sustainable tomorrow, Department of English celebrated Women's day on 8th March, 2022 in the university campus so as to recognize and celebrate the women and girls who are leading the charge on climate change, adaptation and



to honour their leadership and contribution towards a sustainable future. The students of the department presented a thoughtful programme on the importance of the day, its history and evolution which was followed by an extension lecture by Ms. Tahera Jadhav Director, Barli Development Institute for Rural Women, Indore on the topic, 'Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow'. Mrs Tahera Jadhav has been actively working for women empowerment and gender equality and is involved with administration of the Institute, fund raising and training of mostly illiterate rural and tribal women in literacy, health, vocational skills and community development.

Webinar on Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow

On the occasion of International Women's Day on 8th March 2022, Department of Tourism and Travel management organized two events. The first event was a Plantation Ceremony. The second event was a webinar organized on the theme of "Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow" which focused on entrepreneurial opportunities and challenges for women in Tourism sector. Dr Parul Jasrotia was the key note speaker, a renowned Traveller, Entrepreneur, Vlogger, Volunteer and Researcher and founder of Team Travel Tales India, LLP Travel as well as a homestay namely Tales Eco Stay at Sanasar, she shared her experiences regarding her entrepreneurial journey and the challenges faced by her in initial days and how she emerged as a strong woman, and is performing different roles.

Department of Social work celebrated the international women's day on 8th March, 2022 with the slogan, 'The women who inspired you the most' by putting up the posters in the in the university premises. Various students of the department participated in the event.

International Social Work Day

Department of Social work celebrated the international social work Day on 17th March, 2020. The theme of this year's social work day was 'Co-building a New Eco-Social World: Leaving No One Behind'.

Earth Day

On Earth Day, 22 April, 2022, Department of English organized a 'Feed the Birds' Activity wherein water bowls and grains were kept at specified locations within the campus by Prof. Devanand Padha, Dean, School of basic and Applied Sciences, Dr. Vandana Sharma, faculty members, scholars and students of the department. The activity was planned to create eco-consciousness among students and to instill a sense of concern for birds, particularly house sparrows which are an endangered species.

Students of MA English, Semester -II who study a course Eco-literature as part of their curriculum organised an On the Spot Quiz on "Check My Eco-knowledge" in the university on 22 April, 2022 to create eco-sensitivity among students.



8th International Day of Yoga

A grand celebration of International Yoga Day was organized at the Central University of Jammu. About 200 people, including all the deans, heads of departments, officers, registrars, research scholars and students of the university practiced the Asanas of Yoga from 6:30 AM to 8 AM. The program was presided over by the Vice Chancellor Prof. Sanjeev Jain.



National Tourism Day

On 26th January 2022, the Department of Tourism organized webinar to mark the celebration of National Tourism Day. In 2022, the Ministry of Tourism is observing National Tourism Day under the aegis of "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav" which is a 75 week grand celebration to mark 75 years of India's Independence. In the webinar five prominent speakers and experts were invited namely S. M Sahni, Convener, Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage (Jammu Chapter) and Ex-Director Tourism, Jammu; Arvind Kotwal, ex-MD Housing and Urban Development, Jammu, and Ex Deputy Director Tourism, Jammu, Sachiv Gupta, Director Travel Green Earth, Swapan Slathia, Director Jubilant Holidays and Mr. Sanjay Jeena, Director Travel Merchant.



International Mother Tongue Day

(Antrrashtriya Matri Bhasha Divas) was celebrated by Department of Hindi and Other Indian Languages on 25th February, 2022

SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS

National webinar on Changing Paradigms in Plant Taxonomy

Department of Botany organized one day National webinar on Changing Paradigms in Plant Taxonomy to mark the 75th glorious celebration of "Amrit Mahotsav" on 6th January, 2022. Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu graced the occasion as Chief Patron. Prof. B.S. Bhau, Dean, School of Life Sciences, Head, Department of Botany, Central University delivered the welcome address where he highlighted the significance of the webinar and said that such webinars would not only accelerate the different plant conservation strategies, but would also help students to know more about the advanced aspects of taxonomy, identification, conservation and their utilization. On the occasion, Dr. Mudassir Ahmad Bhat, faculty, in the department and organizing secretary made the introductory speech and conducted the proceedings of the morning session. In the webinar, keynote lectures on various aspects of plant identification, utilization and conservation were delivered by eminent field plant taxonomists. The resource persons were, Prof. A.K Pandey, Vice Chancellor, Mansarovar Global University, Sehore; Prof. S R Yadav, INSA scientist, Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kohlapur; Prof. D. Narasimhan, member, State Biodiversity Board, Tamil Nadu; Dr. R.K. Choudhary, Scientist-D, Agharkar Research Institute, Pune. Many eminent professors, scholars and students from different institutes and universities from India, Egypt, Turkey, South Africa and Sri Lanka attended the webinar. MohdDaler and Harshita Sharma got first prize while Lavanya Abrol clinched the second prize in E-Poster Making Competition on the theme "Biodiversity and conservation of nature". Monika Sharma won first prize, Vrinda Sharma the second prize and Nikita Pathania bagged the third prize while Jyoti Priya and Quratul Ain claimed Consolation Prizes in Photography Competition on the same theme.



Workshop on self-Leadership through Neuro Linguistic Programming

A workshop on self-leadership through Neuro-Linguistic Programming was conducted for MBA & MBA (HRM) 4th semester students on 25th February, 2022 wherein the concepts of self-awareness and self-mastery were deliberated upon by way of role plays and gaming. Dr. Neelika Arora was the resource person for the workshop.

Workshop on Introduction to LATEX

Three days' workshop on "Introduction to LATEX" was organized by the Department of Mathematics, Central University of Jammu from 25th to 27th February, 2022. The workshop was held through virtual mode. The specific objectives of the workshop to give beginners with a thorough theoretical and practical understanding of LATEX and to familiarize the use LATEX with advanced tricks and shortcuts to minimize the time constraint.

Workshop on Biofuels and Green Technologies

The Department of Environmental Sciences organized a SERB sponsored One day Online workshop on 'Biofuels and Green Technologies' (BGT-2022) on 8th March, 2022. In this SERB Sponsored One day Online workshop on 'Biofuels and Green Technologies' (BGT-2022), a total of 172 participants registered for this workshop from various states and UT's like J&K, Madhya Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Haryana, Punjab, Bihar, Odisha, Jharkhand, West- Bengal, Ladakh, Assam, Maharastra, Uttrakhand. Dr. Anita Singh deliberated that the workshop aims at imparting the knowledge to the participants towards biofuels and green technologies which are becoming increasingly important in the current scenario of depleting conventional energy resources. Prof. B.S. Bhau (Dean, School of Life Sciences) enlighten the participants with the need and advantages of biofuels. Prof. S.K. Samdarshi, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi, Dr. Yogalakshmi from Central University of Punjab, Bathinda; Dr. Renu Singh, Principal Scientist, IARI, New Delhi; Dr. S. Venkatesh, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tamil Nadu; Prof. Sushil Kansal, Punjab University, Chandigarh; Dr. Adarsh Kumar Pandey, Sunway University, Malaysia delivered invited talks on various aspects of biofuels. Concluding remarks was presented by Dr. Anita Singh, Convener. Dr. Richa Kothari, Department of Environmental Sciences, CUJ, delivered the formal vote of thanks in which she thanked the participants of BGT-2022 and organising team members Dr. Pankaj Mehta, Dr. Shweta Yadav and Dr. Dinesh Kumar.



Workshop on Entrepreneurship Development

School of Management organised a Workshop on "Entrepreneurship Development" from 31st March 2022 to 1st April, 2022 so as to encourage students to transform from being job seekers to job providers. The programme was conducted on Entrepreneurship Development-Startups and Incubation by Jammu and Kashmir Entrepreneurship Development Institute (JKEDI), Samba.

Webinar on “Opportunities and Challenges for Tourism Professional”

On 4th April 2022, a webinar on “Opportunities and Challenges for Tourism Professional In 2022” was conducted on Google meet. The Key Note Speaker was Mr. Lokesh Bagga, Assistant Vice President, Le Passage To India. In this he apprised the student about the challenges that are faced by the Tourism industry after the Covid – 19 pandemic. He also enlightened the students about the untouched potential and upcoming future avenues of the tourism industry.

Campus to Corporate

A session on Campus to Corporate was conducted for empowering Youth through addressing their placement needs for the students of MBA (Marketing Management) on 4th April, 2022. The session was organised by Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) J&K in online mode. The focus of the session was on student's transition from their campus life to the corporate world. Mr. Beni Kehna was Chief Resource Person for the session. He focused his talk on knowledge and skills required to be ready for the corporate environment.



Workshop on Data Analysis

For imparting statistical knowledge and data analysis a workshop on SPSS 28.0 was conducted by the Department of MBA (Marketing Management) for students, research Scholars and faculty members of on 8th April, 2022. Basic knowledge of SPSS is vital for research scholars and faculty members before they proceed to surveys and data analyses. IBM SPSS 28.00 predictive analytics software offers advanced techniques in an easy-to-use package to help analyze data and find meaningful patterns in it. The Department in collaboration with SPSS South Asia (P) Ltd. conducted workshop.

GIAN Course

GIAN (Global Initiatives for Academic Networks) of Ministry of Education, Government of India course namely “Skill Based Creative Tourism Development for Revitalizing the Identities of Local Communities” was coordinated by Dr. Bharti Gupta, host faculty in online mode

during 18th April 2022 – 24th April 2022. Prof. Flavia Stara from University of Macerata, Italy delivered lectures in the course as foreign faculty.

Investor Awareness Program

School of Business Studies organised Investor Awareness Program on 23rd April, 2022 in an endeavour to strengthen the industry-academia outreach. Department of Marketing &



Supply Chain Management and Department of HRM & OB, C in collaboration with Association of Mutual Funds in India (AMFI) organized Investor Awareness Program on 'Financial Empowerment through Wealth Creation' under patronage of Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu. The student-centric awareness program slated towards financial empowerment strategies for Management students began with the welcome address by Prof. Jaya Bhasin, Dean, School of Business Studies, CUJ. She informed the august gathering that this is the 35th event in row on industry-academia interface. The keynote speaker Shri. A. Balasubramanian, MD & CEO, Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Ltd. emphasized on optimum utilization of financial resources, the dynamics of market behaviour and the way banking & financial sector acts as a proxy to the economy. Shri N.S. Venketesh, CEO of AMFI engaged the students with the concept of 'Power of Compounding'. Mr. K.S. Rao, Head-Investor Education & Distribution Development, Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund reinvented the concept of CTC from Cost- to- Company to Contribution- to- Country. The Presidential remarks by Prof. Devanand Padha, encapsulated the deliberations by all the speakers. The awareness program fully sponsored by AMFI & Aditya Birla Life AMC Ltd was applauded by the students and faculty with more than 250 audience benefitting from the deliberation. Dr. Shahid Mushtaq, Head, Department of MSCM coordinated the event under the overall supervision of Dean SBS. Others involved in conduct of the event included Dr Gowhar Rasool, Dr. Asif Ali, Ms. Anjali Pathania, Dr. Salil Seth and Dr. Naresh Sharma. Dr. Anju Thapa conducted the proceedings of the program and Dr. Asif Ali proposed vote of thanks.

IPR Awareness Programme

School of Business Studies organized IPR Awareness Programme under Kalam Program for IP Literacy and Awareness on 28th April, 2022 sponsored by MoE. The Workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights Awareness Programme" was jointly organized by Department of MSCM and Department of HRM & OB in collaboration with 'National Intellectual Property

Awareness Mission (NIPAM) under Kalam Program for IP Literacy and Awareness (KAPILA). This program aimed to establish the prerequisite IP filing ecosystem thus creating a culture of systematically protecting new ideas, research, and innovation having national and global relevance. The workshop was conducted under able guidance and support of Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor. During the inaugural session of the workshop, Prof. Devanand, I/C Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jammu flagged certain pertinent issues regarding the role of universities as a Centre of higher learning. He emphasized the need to integrate technology, knowledge and further develop intellect in the University systems such that the students should start focusing on self-employed ventures. Speaking on the occasion Sh. Arpit Joshi, Resource Person of the day highlighted that it is necessary not only to invent for the self-sufficiency of the country, but also to patent the inventions. Earlier Prof. Jaya Bhasin welcomed the participants and the Guest speaker. She said that we have to be more aware of protecting intellectual property. Dr. Neelika Arora and Dr. Salil Seth coordinated the event. Others involved in conduct of the event included Ms. Anjali Pathania, Dr. Salil Seth, Dr. Anju Thapa and Dr. Naresh Sharma. Dr. Salil Seth conducted the proceedings of the programme and Dr. Neelika Arora presented a formal vote of thanks.

Workshop on New Labour code

Workshop on the changes in the New Labour code- Implementation & Execution was conducted in online mode on 29th April, 2022. Students, Research scholars and Faculty members participated in the workshop conducted by UN Global Compact Network India. Shri. Jatinder Singh Assistant Secretary General PHD Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Delhi and Shri. Prabhakar Mishra Ex. Deputy Labour Commissioner, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh were Chief Resource Persons for the sessions.

Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights Awareness under Kalam Program for IP Literacy and Awareness(KAPILA)

A One Day Seminar on Intellectual Property Awareness was organized jointly by the Department of HRM & OB and Department of Marketing and Supply chain on 28th April, 2022. The program initiated with National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission (NIPAM) under KAPILA was aimed to establish the prerequisite IP filing ecosystem thus, creating a culture of systematically protecting new ideas, research, and innovation having national and global relevance. Sh. Arpit Joshi, was resource person from NIPAM. The Seminar was chaired by Prof. Devanand and Prof. Jaya Bhasin.



Workshop on Research Methodology on R – software

The Department of MBA organized a Research Methodology workshop on R – software through online medium from 2nd May 2022 to 6th May 2022, with a special session on 8th May 2022. More than 350+ students from 150+ Institutes and universities registered for the workshop. Students from international universities of China, United Kingdom, Africa and Kenya also participated in the workshop. The key note speakers for the workshop were Dr. Dhaval Maheta (Assistant Professor, Veer Narmada South Gujarat University, Surat, Gujarat) and Dr. Hitesh Parmar (Assistant Professor, Sardar Patel University, Gujarat). The sessions covered various topics of research such as Introduction to R software, Data management using R software, Data manipulation using R software, Graphical representation of data, descriptive statistics, Parametric and non-Parametric tests.

International Conference on “Recent Innovations in Computing”

The 5th International Conference on “Recent Innovations in Computing” (ICRIC-2022) was organized by the Department of Computer Science & Information Technology, Central University of Jammu on 16th - 17th May, 2022 in blended mode. This year the theme of the conference was “Inclusive innovation for a Better Digital World”. The Conference aimed at exploring significant contributions to all major fields of the Computer Science Engineering and Information Technology in theoretical and practical aspects. It brought together experts from industry, government and academia, experienced in engineering, design and research. ICRIC is being organized by Department of Computer Science & Information Technology, Central University of Jammu since 2018 with sponsorship of Springer LNEE.



VC CUJ addressing the participants during the valedictory function of ICRIC-2022 held on 16-17 May, 2022

Workshop on Air Pollution and Health Impacts

On 1st June, 2022 a National workshop on "Air Pollution and Health Impacts" (Need of interdisciplinary Research) was presided over by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor. The keynote speaker Prof. S.N. Tripathi (National Coordinator, NKN, NCAP) from IIT Kanpur delivered a very insightful and informative lecture on Capacity Building and Technology Development by Universities in India's Clean Air Program. The sessions (I: Air Pollution and its Impact on Human health: An Indian Perspective and II: Aerosol Oxidative Potential: Relating Air Pollution and Human Health) were led by the eminent atmospheric scientists Prof. Sagnik Dey, Center for Atmospheric Science, IIT Delhi and Prof. Neeraj Rastogi, Physical Research Laboratory, Ahmedabad respectively. Prof. Sunil Dhar (Head) welcomed the dignitaries and Dr. Richa Kothari (Coordinator) presented formal vote of thanks. Co-coordinators Dr. Anita Singh and Dr. Dinesh Kumar played pivotal role in organizing the event. This interactive workshop was webcasted (live) on YouTube and attracted attendees from all over India. In his presidential remark, Honorable Vice Chancellor extended full support to workshop theme and called for meaningful contribution through interdisciplinary research for betterment of air quality and human health of people of Jammu and Kashmir. Dr. Shweta Yadav (Convener) thanked all for making the workshop a great success. On 2nd June 2022, the event was presided over by Prof. Dhar and convened by Dr. Kothari with Dr. Singh, Dr. Yadav and Dr. Kumar.



National level Open House Discussion on "Re - imagining English Studies Vis-à-vis Indian Languages: Roadmap for Implementation of NEP-2020



Department of English organised a National level Open House Discussion on "Re - imagining English Studies Vis-à-vis Indian Languages: Roadmap for Implementation of NEP -2020 in the university campus on 1st April 2022 wherein eminent academicians, scholars and students from different parts of country participated. Prof. Z. N. Patil from EFLU Hyderabad and President ELT@I Pune Chapter, Prof. Pankaj Sharma from CDLU Sirsa, Haryana Prof. Geetanjali Rana from Cluster University of Jammu, Prof. Ashu Vashisth, Principal GDC, Ramkote, Prof. Rasal Singh, Dean, School of Languages, Dr. Vandana Sharma, Head, Department of English CUJ, Dr J N Baliya Head, Dept. of Education Sciences deliberated upon implementation of NEP-2020. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Vandana Sharma in the welcome address initiated the discussion with thrust on reinventing the pedagogies wherein a balance can be made English language studies and Indian languages. Prof. Z N Patil in his keynote welcomed the NEP2020's thrust on Indian languages however he also iterated the difficulties in achieving its herculean aims. Dr. Pankaj Sharma emphasised on the need for fresh approaches in fluency, translation, communication and life skills and also the global importance of English with special thrust on skill oriented courses. Prof. Rasal Singh emphasised that NEP2020 is not a competition between English and the Indian languages rather a competition with the idea of linguistic hegemony of English. Prof. Gitanjali Rana emphasised that the thrust on the revival of Indian languages is much necessary as the endangered Indian languages also mean the loss of culture and heritage. Prof. Ashu

Vashisth deliberated that NEP2020 laid a clear road map that aims at developing a cognitive ecosystem that is holistic and all inclusive. This was followed by engaging question and answer session wherein students and various participants who had joined through online mode participated. The event was moderated and coordinated by Dr. Neena Gupta Vij and concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Raj Thakur.

National Seminar on Hindi Sahitya Mein Jammu Kashmir aur Jammu Kashmir Mein Hindi Bhasha



Department of Hindi and Other Indian Languages organized a National Seminar on Hindi Sahitya Mein Jammu Kashmir aur Jammu Kashmir Mein Hindi Bhasha during 24-25 March, 2022. Prof. Vishva Murti Shastri, Padma Shree awardee delivered the keynote address who underscored the significance of cultural revival and profundity of Indian languages. Prof. Devanand Padha presided over the inaugural session and Prof. Rasal Singh delivered the welcome address and shared the importance of the seminar. The guest of honour, Sh. Ashutosh Bhatnagar, Director, JKSC - emphasized the necessity of situating the history, culture and languages of Jammu and Kashmir in larger perspective.

STUDENT ROUND-UP

Department of Social Work

- ❖ The students of 1st semester, in collaboration with Nada India Foundation, undertook a major awareness campaign for sensitising and spreading awareness about COPTA (Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Act, 2003). The students did a mass campaign along with rallies regarding the COPTA.

Department of Environmental Sciences

- ❖ Ms. Barina, an M.Sc. student, secured the second position in the presentation competition during National Science Day (NSD)-2022, at the Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ms. Anisha, Ms. Sana, Ms. Adhiksha, Ms. Avnee (M.Sc. students) secured the second position in Rangoli competition during National Science Day (NSD)-2022 at the Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ms Sunali Sharma, M.Sc. student, Department of Environmental Sciences secured 2nd position in Carrom, in the annual sports meet Combatica 2022 at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ms Sunali Sharma, M.Sc. student, Department of Environmental Sciences secured 'Player of the series in Women cricket, in the annual sports, meet Combatica 2022, at Central University of Jammu.

Department of Mathematics

- ❖ Adeb Abdulla MC, roll no. 0100321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 1st position in Relay in annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu
- ❖ Ms. Latika Choudhary, roll no. 1600321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 1st position in Cricket in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Pavithra. S roll no. 2500321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 2nd position in Discus Throw in Annual Sports Meet 2022 in Central University of Jammu.



- ❖ Ms. Suman, roll no. 4200321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 1st position in Cricket in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ M.s Suman, roll no. 4200321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 1st position in Kabaddi in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.

- ❖ Ms. Latika Choudhary, roll no. 1600321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 1st position in Kabbadi in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ms. Suman, roll no. 4200321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 2nd position in Kho-Kho in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ms. Suman, roll no. 4200321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 2nd position in 100m race in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.
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- ❖ Pavithra. S roll no. 2500321 of Semester-II, Department of Mathematics bagged 2nd position in Javelin Throw in Annual Sports Meet 2022 held in Central University of Jammu.

Department of MSCM

- ❖ Hitesh Khajuria, 2nd semester Department of Marketing Management student, played Inter-University Badminton Tournament held at DCRUST University, Sonipat 20th to 23rd Feb. 2022.
- ❖ Abhishek Anand 2nd semester student of the Department of Marketing Management has successfully completed The Fundamentals of Digital Marketing Certificate course on 24-05-2021.
- ❖ Divesh Gawshinde 2nd semester student of the Department of Marketing Management completed an internship as a Youth Influencer under Ulead, an initiative by Unschool, on 31-01-2022.
- ❖ Kiran Kumari 4th semester student of the Department of Marketing Management, received a Memento and Certificate on the occasion of National Girl Child Day in a National Webinar Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav organised by Central University of Jammu on 24-01-2022.
- ❖ Deepak Jha 4th semester student of the Department of Marketing Management, has participated in Online LEAN SIX SIGMA Green Belt Training by Value enablers' Academy 15-04-2022.

Department of Computer Science and Information Technology

- ❖ The cricket team from the Department of Computer Science and Information Technology won the university-level inter-department cricket tournament in the annual Sports Meet Combatica 2022 held at the Central University of Jammu
- ❖ Ms Bharti Rana, research scholar, Department of Computer Science and Information Technology, secured 3rd rank in Marathon in the annual sports meet Combatica 2022 at Central University of Jammu.



Department of Marketing Management

- ❖ Ijaz Ahmed (4th semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in Discus Throw (Men) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Kiran Kumari (4th semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 2nd position in Marathon (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Kiran Kumari (4th semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in 200m (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Kiran Kumari (4th semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in 400m Relay (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.



- ❖ Kiran Kumari (4th semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in 200m (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ijaz Ahmed, Basil V and Junaid R (4th semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 2nd position in Football (Men) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Pooja Singh (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in Discus Throw (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Dhildev (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 3rd position in Shot Put (Men) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Pooja Singh (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 2nd position in Shot Put (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.

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- ❖ Pooja Singh (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in Javelin (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Hitesh Khajuria (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 2nd position in Badminton (Men) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Pooja Singh and Chanda (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in Cricket (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Pooja Singh and Chanda (2nd semester) Department of Marketing Management bagged 1st position in Kabaddi (Women) in Annual Sports Meet Combatica- 2022 held at Central University of Jammu.
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Department of Travel and Tourism Management

- ❖ During the pandemic, the department organized Online Campus Placement on 10th February 2022 wherein three students of B.Voc and Tourism Management received attractive job offers from Thrillophila.

Department of Economics

- ❖ Ragini Koul, a student of M.A. Economics, Semester-II got selected for the Internship Programme in the Department of Economics and Statistics, UT J&K under the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.
- ❖ Abdul Baist Pokhat, a student of M.A. Economics, Semester-II got selected for the Internship Programme at the National Statistical Office (FOD), RO Srinagar under the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.
- ❖ Gregory Tom Thomas, a student of M.A. Economics, Semester-IV got selected for the Internship Programme at the National Statistical Office (FOD), Gangtok, Sikkim under the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.
- ❖ Ziyadh, a student of M.A. Economics, Semester-II has secured 1st position in both 400 meters and 100 meters Race competition in the Annual Sports Meet, COMBATICA 2022

held at the Central University of Jammu.

- ❖ Ragini Koul, a student of M.A. Economics, Semester-II has secured 2nd position in the Cricket competition in Annual Sports Meet, COMBATICA 2022 held at the Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Ajay Singh, Javed Iqbal, Manoj Kumar, Abade Rashid students of M.A. Economics, Semester-II & IV has secured 1st position in Kho-Kho competition in Annual Sports Meet, COMBATICA 2022 held at the Central University of Jammu.
- ❖ Shivani Jamwal and Ragini students of M.A. Economics, Semester-II has secured 1st position in the Kho-Kho competition in Annual Sports Meet, COMBATICA 2022 held at the Central University of Jammu.

Department of HRM & OB

- ❖ Muskan Mahajan, student of MBA(HRM) has won KORF Ball, Senior National Championship 2021-22
- ❖ Lovkesh Deep Raina, MBA (2021-23) invented a Borewell ATM Security System and patented it.

Department of Botany

- ❖ Ms. Jahnvi Ganotra cleared the NET-JRF exam on 24.03.2022
- ❖ Ms. Nikita Pathania presented various items in the National webinar on the importance of the latest trends in plant taxonomy, at the Central University of Jammu on 1.06.2022.
- ❖ Ms. Monika Sharma presented various items in the National webinar on the importance of the latest trends in plant taxonomy, at the Central University of Jammu on 1.06.2022
- ❖ Ms. Harshita presented an e Poster in the National webinar on the importance of the latest trends in plant taxonomy, at the Central University of Jammu on 1.06.2022.
- ❖ Md. Daler Khan presented an e Poster in the National webinar on the importance of the latest trends in plant taxonomy, at the Central University of Jammu on 1.06.2022.
- ❖ QuratUl Ain took part in Photography in the National webinar on the importance of the latest trends in plant taxonomy, at the Central University of Jammu on 1.06.2022.
- ❖ Ms. Palak Verma, Ms. Niharika Chalotra, Ms. Chetna Sharma and Mr. Akarshit Kumar participated in Rangoli competition on National Science Day on 28.03.2022.

Department of English

- ❖ Ms. Sonali Manhas won Silver Medal in Javelin throw in Combatica, Annual sports meet 2022
- ❖ Ms. Varsha Sharma won Gold Medal in 400M rally race in Combatica, Annual sports meet 2022



Achievements of Students in SWAYAM MOOCs SWAYAM PLATFORM -NPTEL (During the Phase Jan-June 2022)

Central University of Jammu is involved in the rigorous exercise of implementing the New Education Policy (NEP) 2020 which aims at reshaping and transforming the education system and structure in the country. In compliance with one of the special thrusts of NEP 2020, the University is maximizing the benefits of digital learning in India. Students are oriented and encouraged to register for Online tools and platforms like NPTEL, SWAYAM (Study Webs of Active learning for Young Aspiring Minds) MooCs which enhances the scope of learning in addition to upgrading the level of multidisciplinary learning. During January to June 2022, a smart number of students enrolled for online courses and won accolades as detailed below:

Sr.	Courses Duration	Gold Medals	Silver Medals	Elite Medals	Topper 1%	Total
1	Jan-March 22	03	14	45	-	62
2	Jan -April 22	01	39	72	04	116
	Total	04	53	117	04	178

Gold Medallists of CUJ

Sr.	Name	Dept.	NPTEL Course
1	Adti Bakshi	English	Post Colonial Literature
2	Metali Anand	English	Post Colonial Literature
3	Tania Suri	English	Post Colonial Literature
4	Umesh Zadoo	Botany	Enhancing Soft Skill and Personality Development

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