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From the Vice Chancellor's Desk



Dear Students,

"Education is not filling a pail but the lighting of a fire," said the famous English poet W B Yeats. Education must guide human mind specially the youth to illuminate the inner spark and shine in the glory of self development. The young generation should learn the technique and follow certain universal principles of human excellence to become valuable global citizens.

At the ICFAI University Dehradun we offer this kind of education to nurture and harness essential knowledge, skills, attitude, aptitude and human values for all round development of students.

Skills such as critical thinking and problem solving, agility and adaptability, initiative and innovative spirit, assessing and analyzing information are essential criteria for holistic growth. Our students after being empowered to walk on the right direction are going to be the most valuable citizens and strong pillars of growth and progress in the national and international arena.

It gives me immense pleasure to express my best wishes and compliments to the Editorial team of The ICFAI Chronicle, Issue 7 which is a humble attempt to reflect the literary and creative talent of our students and staff. It is also a mirror of all our significant activities, events and achievements during the last six months.

Dr. Pawan K Aggarwal

Message from Pro-Vice Chancellor



Dear Students,

The significance of knowledge-based and skill-based learning has been recognized as the most important factor for nation building. Frontiers of knowledge are expanding rapidly by creating innovative ideas, methodologies and devices.

At The ICFAI University, Dehradun we accept and win over all academic challenges and contributes to the growth and enrichment of academic environment.

Our motto is to make the best use of all kinds of opportunities that come in our ways and contribute to the improvement of self and lead as professionals.

Let us together dream of a continuously evolving centre of excellence, the best destination for professional education and knowledge management. We have all the potentials to achieve this dream. Together we will certainly bring a remarkable transformation of ultimate satisfaction.

Dr. Muddu Vinay

Editorial

Role of Intuition in Human Evolution.

There is a common misconception regarding the concept of intuition. Intuition is wrongly related either to spirituality or to religion. Those who are not religious but rational endowed with pure minds and concentration can also acquire intuition.

If we analyze the role of intuition in the domain of science and scientific discoveries the result reveals the awe-inspiring importance of intuition for the evolution and progress of human civilization.



Dr. S Radhakrishnan says, "Intuition is the transcendent wisdom. It is to be distinguished from intellectual understanding which differs entirely. It is purity of mind that gives the intuitive faculty. Intuition leads to discovery which is later explained by logic. The intuitive knowledge is the direct revelation of truth which was dormant in one's mind and brings delight when brought out. It is in immediate union with oneself. Intuitive knowledge is a reality

According to Albert Einstein," The intuitive mind is a sacred gift and rationalism a faithful servant. We have created a society that honors the servant and has forgotten the gift."

He further observed that" every attempt at a logical deduction of the basic concepts and postulates of mechanics from elementary experience is doomed to be a failure. The ultimate taste of physical science is to arrive at these universal elementary laws of cosmos by pure deduction. Here there is no logical path to these laws, only intuition resting on sympathetic understanding of experience can reach them."

Swami Vivekananda's views on instinct, reason and intuition may be summed up as "reason is the vehicle one rides to reach a certain point beyond which one cannot move. Intuition goes beyond reason but reason with unbiased pure mind is the only guide to reach there. Instinct is like ice, reason is like water and intuition is the subtlest form like vapour and each one follows the other."

Ms. Malabika Sen

Alumni Meet and Special conversation with Mr. Bharat Agarwal on the book “I Love an Angel” on Nov. 28, 2018

The ICFAI University, Dehradun organized an alumni meet in which there was an interaction with Mr. Bharat Agarwal, an alumnus of IUD and a celebrated author. Mr. Sudhakar Rao, Director, Branding, ICFAI Group, held a fireside chat with Mr. Bharat Agarwal, the author of the book “I Love an Angel”.

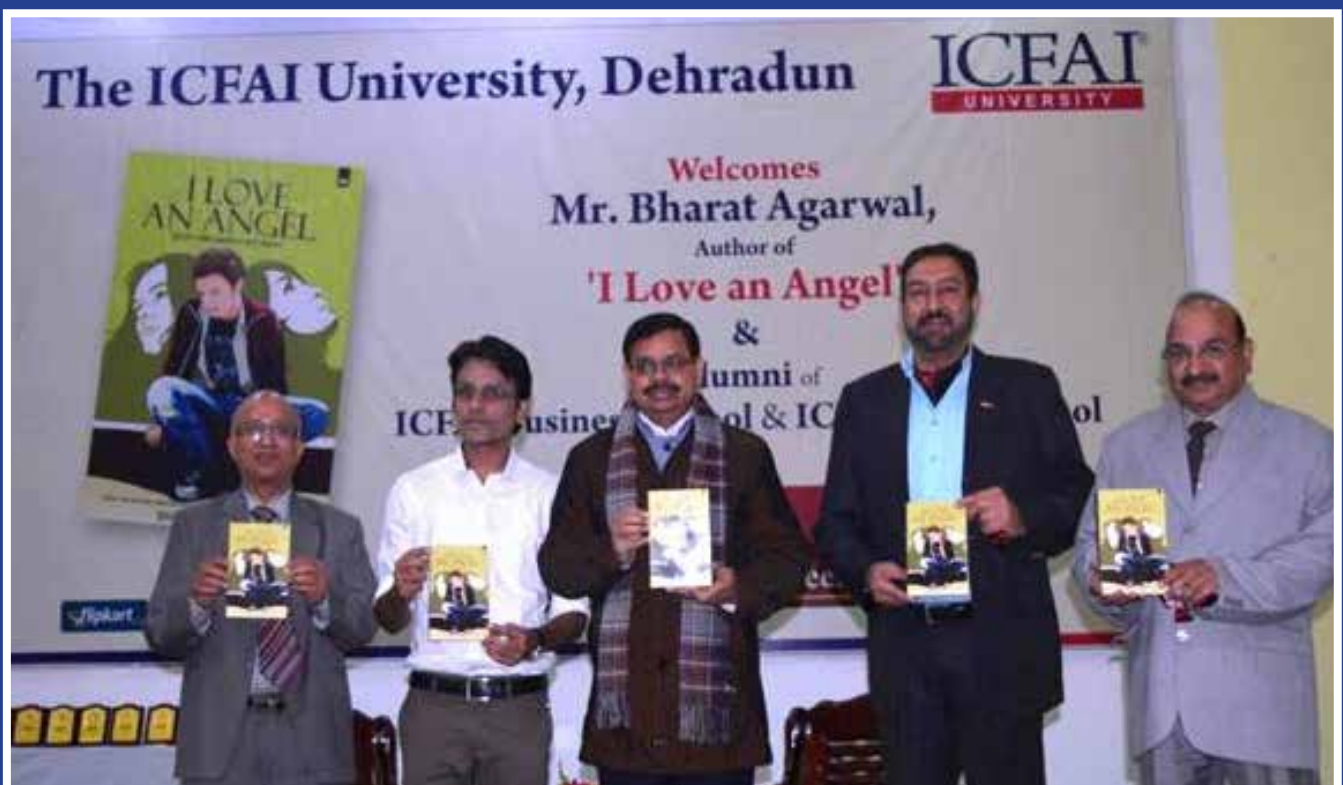
The book is about the college life experiences of the author and how his experiences shaped his personality and his life. This conversation was followed by a question & answer session where the current students of the ICFAI University and the author discussed about the student life experiences and learning shared in the book, which would help them in building up a strong personality and a successful career.

Along with Bharat Agarwal, 10 more alumni joined the conversation in the Alumni meet and showed keen interest to see how the University has progressed over the time by taking a tour of the University. The current students met all the Alumni in auditorium, where interactions took place and alumni shared their experiences of University life, trends of the corporate world and gave advice to the current students about the kind of career choices they can make for success in various fields of the corporate world.



Mr. Bharat Agarwal has authored his first novel “Love, Life and Ambition”, which won him the national bestselling author award. The book “I Love an Angel” is his second novel. He did his schooling from Scindia School, Gwalior. He graduated in B.Tech from IcfaiTech, Dehradun.

Dr. Pawan K Aggarwal, Vice Chancellor, Dr. Muddu Vinay, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Brig. Rajiv Sethi (Retd.), Registrar, Prof. Sanjeev Malaviya & Dr. Amit Joshi (Alumni Meet Coordinators) and Faculty members of the ICFAI University, Dehradun also interacted with the alumni of the University and wished them all the best for their future endeavors.



Weibermacht (Power of Women)

*Adi Shakti Namoh Namah: Sarab Shakti Namoh Namah: Prithum Bhagavati Namoh Namah:
Kundlaini Mata Shakti, Mata Shakti Namoh Namah:*



This is an ancient Hindu shloka which glorifies the power of women. The shloka when analyzed personifies the eternal power (Shakti) as a woman. The woman who has infinite power in herself and with that potent nourishes and cherishes the Universe.

Since time immemorial, when the civilization took the first breathe, men have considered themselves to be the most powerful being. The same old prejudiced view has descended numerous generations. The anecdotes dictate the flair of men in various wars, inventions, discoveries and all the other incredible events which have been responsible for the growth of civilization.

But the universal truth which has been ignored by the social animals regularly is about the participation of women in all the successful wonders. The contribution of women in the causes that shaped the mankind is inevitable but is doubtlessly deliberately unacknowledged. Women owing to their flamboyant attitude and dynamic nature ought to enjoy the best position on the Earth but with respect to the lower levels brutality and toughness in them are made to suffer the lowest position in the World. The suzerainty of women to men has been forced on the degrading their standards from normal human to second class beings. The life of women is full filled with a number of potential challenges which is easily tackled by them and is considered to be a normal task. But when the same situations are faced by the masculine counterpart, the work is positioned to be a herculean one and the doer is credited for the achievement. Women are naturally favored and are embellished with special powers and capabilities. They are the sole race on the Earth who has the ability to descend a new human life in the soil. They have been naturally declared as more responsible, capable and caring then the rough men. Their tenderness raises a new hope in the society. The biggest mistake done by men in the society is to underestimate the women. When the creator has designed them with special powers and capabilities then how can the society degrade them to sub-ordinates of men?

The significance of women in the life of men was realized during the time which was known as rebirth of thought or the period of Renaissance. In this period, ancient traditions, customs and obligatory thoughts were buried and eccentric as well as radiant thoughts were accentuated. The assiduous ideas were primarily mingled with the palates of modern thought to produce a new direction to human race. The restoration of the brilliance in the arts, music, literature and free thoughts was the principal act enjoying the center stage. During this period, the idea about the power of women was analyzed and started to spread like wildfire and reached the nook and corner of the World.

Various artists and literally laurels rejuvenated their works to portray the importance of women. The idea was so intense and deep that a new idealized society with women dominance was imagined. A society where the women celebrated their superior rights over the men and lived peacefully was the dream of the then thinkers. Owing to such visualizations, the concept of Weibermacht took birth which later became a worldwide movement. Many years after Renaissance, the Weibermacht changed its form from an ideal concept to a long struggle when the voting rights were finally granted to women in America. After that started the new era of women empowerment. The prowess of women started outshining men when equal chance and facilities was given to them. A new dawn in the dark society was witnessed by the people which changed the face of the social order allowing the women to enjoy a better life in the comparison to the earlier underprivileged one. In India, the earlier scene was different from today's picture and the main credit rests upon the Iron Lady of India. It should not be forgotten that when supreme power of the country was given to her she changed the face of the nation and dared to remain neutral in the cats and dogs war between the axis and allied powers. The women have developed their status in the present strata and have promoted from the monopolized life to a free and frank life. Modernization in the society at present but still is far behind the developed Western countries.

The empowerment of women has always been a lesson to the acrid society to change its point of view for the mass benefit. Underestimation of women guarantees swift destruction with unavoidable consequences. Thus, our mindset has to be changed and has to be propelled from the stalled conservative thought to fresh ideas. The women possess enough caliber to change the face of the entire World and can restore the Earth.

Ashirbad Sarangi, B.Tech (I Year)

Why not Embrace it?

Lying on the terrace,
I count the stars
1,2,3,4... Till the time my counting stops bcz I feel tired.
How would it be...
If just to ease out my weariness
I lay down for a while and close my eyes,
And just like the counting,
The process of me breathing also ceases?
How would it be to live in a world
Other than the one we live in?
How would it be to experience that eternal bliss?
How would it be to feel your body floating
in an abyss of void?
How would it be to feel free of all those feelings that you
feel creep up your spine?
Won't the world be a happier place without me?
Won't there be one mouth less to feed
With the limited amount of money
that people have in keep?
Lives would be much easier-
One pair of legs less would run in this
rat race to achieve success...
One head less to blame about all the malpractices.
One person would be subtracted from the list of
individuals who would hurt others.
LIVES WOULD BE SO MUCH BETTER
WITHOUT THAT ONE PERSON.
so why don't we implement that thought?
At Max what would happen?
The family would mourn for a period of time,
The close ones would reminisce their days of joy!
The friends would shed a tear or two
The acquaintances would express their grief..
And the enemies would rejoice for a bit.
But then what?
The life would continue in the same way
As it was before-
People hardly care whether you come and go..
Death is just a part and parcel of life
And instead of fearing it,
Why not embrace it?

Muskan Agarwal,
BBA-LLB (II Year)

Needle of Time

There're examples to plot,
As to how the needle of time
Makes us creatures mime,
I found many, down the lane of thought.
With the brimming brook of excitement,
Upon the request of my littlest cousin
As humblest humans need green flux-in,
My eyes witnessed a "zoo" oh! enticement.
Popping popcorn and slurping sundaes,
The thoughtful and supreme- us humans neared the bars
barring nature's tokens,
To hike grasp of wild, in vivid green & grey.
The mightiest captive of the robust,
Fierce once, now just tired and transfixed
the King put to show, as defeated,
Narrating "rancor" of jungle, the lion's cast.
Saw the wrath in sunbathing feline,
The wilderness hid beneath his skin,
Caged yet termed "adopted" by Peter, 34 London street,
Stared the akin king's eyes, sans roar, in decline.
And soon grew alien, the agnate eyes,
While shooting his flesh the biped,
Merry enough to drive king, vociferate,
I heard his pandiculation speak about moment's
inactivity and demise.
That juncture I grew up a bit more,
To realize the Valor of Time,
Before which even the king's roar mime,
And us thoughtful humans boon, to win "all" at core.
But the might in time arises with the transient needle,
As tide washes feet at time, but can induce tears
later when time comes and vortex grows fierce,
Lines are none, bounds gone, and who might win and
whose might wins-riddle.

Debosmita Choudhuri,
BBA-LLB (II Year)

तु और तेरी ख्वाहिसें,
हर पल ऐसे मेरे साथ हैं,
मानो,
सारा जहाँ मेरे साथ हो,
जब भी कभी कदम डगमगाते हैं,
तेरी ख्वाहिसें तेरी दुआयें मेरा साथ देती हैं,
माँ बस एक तु ही है, और तेरा साथ है,
जो तेरी ख्वाहिसों को पुरा करने की हिम्मत देता है,
वरना अभी तक तो बस टूटा ही हूँ,
जमाने के हर गम से,
याद है मुझे जब मैं रोया था,
किसी को पता नहीं चला बस तुने जाना,
मेरे दर्द को! मेरे टूटे हुए मन को,
मेरे टूटे हुए साहस को, मेरे टूटे हुए दिल को,
माँ तुझ जैसा मैंने नहीं देखा,
जो दर्द जनक ना समझ सका और ना भाई,
वो तुने जाना, और मुझे कुछ पता नहीं,
बस इतना जानता हूँ,
एक तू ही है जिसे मुझसे प्यार है,
एक तू ही है जिसे मेरी फिक्र है,
एक तु ही है जो मेरा प्यार है,
माँ बस अपना प्यार बरकरार रख,
तेरी कसम तेरे कदमों में एक दिन प्यारा सा जहाँ रखुंगा,
माँ बस इतना ही कह सकता हूँ,
प्यार बरकरार रखना,
क्योंकि,
तु और तेरी ख्वाहिसें,
हर पल मेरे साथ हैं।



Gaurav Kumar Singh, BBA-LLB (III Year)

The White Crown

Ascending the mountainous terrains of the Himalaya, as the rebarbative hairpin bends kept interrupting, frightening yet leading towards the end of the journey, en route. My mind shuddered in utter fright as the trenches and ditches seemed deeper, as we elevated. While the rough terrains kept challenging, discriminating laws and rules seemed negligent before the laws of nature viz. Gravity. Merciless and mighty, as I deciphered the mystery of the beauty of mountains, the gushing sound of waterfalls nearby roared like a giant tigress, personifying the pain of a queen who has been dethroned and made to fall from the greatest height, she once achieved.



The volume of the music system was turned up and I got back my senses, and was surprised to find my fellow companions enjoying the close encounter with dread and dire ditches. Perhaps I heard it from one part of me, that perils pour to strengthen our focus towards destination and thereafter I realized, these bends, turns and cause for alarm are all that make the journey enthralling, and metaphorical to the transcendental turns of life.

This journey, too has jeopardy and perplexity. Traveling more inside my insight, than through the materialistic and evident bewitching, bewildering beauty, we finally met the white crown, shining brighter than my realization of overcoming fear and thereby, play with perils. The black clouds over the white peak, drenched us with all its offerings and after overwhelming enjoyment on the heap of snowflakes, we returned... Creating a sweet, distant memory of today.

Debosmita Choudhuri BBA-LLB(II Year)

Thoughts...

*When the sun shines down
In the little town
And the activities of the day begin
And all set out to work.. Children and elders akin.
There, in the niche of the room..
Is the feeling of loneliness and gloom..
For the young girl who is usually merry,
Sits crouched, staring wordlessly at a cherry.
So lost is she in her thoughts
That she fails to notice the lot
Of mice scurrying about, some out searching for food
And others just wandering about.
The little girl imagines about a Faraway land
With castles of gold and everything grand,
Where people are happy
And there is lack of the emotion of worry
Where no one is judged
And nothing is enough to cause a fuss
Where acting child like, despite being grown up isn't
considered a taboo,
And you aren't judged if you wear a tattoo.*

*A land where people are not differentiated by caste,
colour or creed-
A land which still remains untouched by greed!
A land where people compete, but in a manner which is
healthy..
And where people value love, more than being wealthy.
Wonders she- whether such a land would ever exist?
Or would the world lose the last end of the rope that it
hold in it's grip?
The rope which has burnt over the time,
Left of which is now just a piece which wouldn't even sell
for a dime!
The rope was made of the threads of humanity, love,
care, peace, fraternity and other things nice,
And was bonded together with strong ties!
Will the world be able to hold the rope tight?
Or will the girl's thoughts remain alive only in her
dreams for the fear that they would be destroyed by the
blight!*

Muskan Aggarwal, BBA-LLB (H) (II Year)

प्रीत

हम कल की क्यों सोचें बोलो?
एक दूजे के हो आज रहें,
बस प्रीत निभाते जाएं हम,
सिंदूर के क्यूँ मोहताज रहें..

बोलो गर जिस्म करीब न हो,
तो प्यार नहीं होता है क्या?
हम एक दूजे के दिल में हैं,
ऐसे कोई रोता है क्या?

कल की कल को देखेंगे न,
क्यों सोच सोच कर रोना है?
और रीत यही तो कहती है,
जो पाया है वो खोना है..

ऐसा कर लो 'मुझ'को थोड़ा
यादों में साथ लिए जाना,
और जब तन्हा महसूस करो,
मुझ सा हो मुझे जिए जाना..

जब तक है जान कलेजे में,
हम बेशक प्यार निभाएँगे,
जो वादे बाँध रखें है वो,
सारे इकरार निभाएँगे..

पर छोड़ो न ये सब बातें,
ये सब तो कल की बात है न,
कल सुबह भले हम कहीं रहें,
अपने हिस्से एक रात है न,

तुम ने बोला था आँखों में,
अशकों को न आने दोगी,
क्या इतने सुन्दर मोती तुम,
बोलो यूँ बह जाने दोगी?

ये रात ही जी भर के जी लें,
क्यूँ रोना है, पछताना है?
हम एक दूजे में जीते हैं,
ऐसे ही जीते जाना है,

फिर क्यों इन कोमल अंखियों को,
तुम ग़म से बोझिल करती हो,
क्या मुझे नहीं मालूम कि तुम,
मुझ पर जाँ कितना मरती हो?

तो बोलो फिर क्यों गुमसुम हो,
हम बैठे यूँ नासाज़ रहें?
बस प्रीत निभाते जाएं हम,
सिंदूर के क्यूँ मोहताज रहें..

Tanmoy J Mishra, BA-LLB (V Year)

Driving Force of Life.

*As the darkness closes in, Creepy shadows crawling in, I feel alone,
Deserted on an island so dark, so cold. But, somehow, it feels like home.*

*As the surroundings turn cold, So does my heart, with time, a soul so bright, turns dark and shallow,
And then this feeling of "being so close, yet so far, creeps through my veins.*

*I know I am dying, but something is keeping me here pulling me back, getting me through, taking me higher.
Ridding me of my fears, I think its love, and the toil and tears that make me want to live without fear.*

Karan Upadhyaya, BBA-LLB (II Year)

DREAMING BIG ENOUGH.

Marcus Aurelius, the famous ancient Roman Philosopher rightly says-“Dare to dream big dreams, only big dreams have the power to move men’s souls.”

I have a general idea of what I want to do with my life. I have the ability to choose my attitude. I fully believe that there are three kinds of people in the world. Those who dream, those who encourage the dreamers and those who do nothing.

Dreams are never big enough until you act on them. You may keep telling yourself that you want to fulfill this dream one day. However, until you act on that statement the dream is just an idea. A truly big dream is the ultimate manifestation.

Are you dreaming big enough?

A dream doesn’t drive you, it draws you. It is like a big magnet that pulls you toward itself. I don’t believe that there is a man or woman without dream, because God designed every member of the human race to dream.

Our dreams do not even originate with us.. It resides within us. All things are not helpful to us, neither are they necessary to us. We might not have time to peruse every dream, but we must choose to spend time on

what’s important for us. We just have to follow that dream which matters to us, which is passion for us.

“Allow yourself to dream big.

Dream big dreams! Allow yourself to dream. Allow yourself to imagine and fantasize about all your career goals and the kind of life you would like to live. Helen Keller had no sight but that didn’t stop her from dreaming big. Karoly Takacs lost his right hand during army training in 1938. But that did not stop him to become the first shooter to win 2 Olympic gold medals in 25 meter rapid fire pistol event in 1948 and 1952 both with his left hand.

“When there is a will, there is a way.”

Similarly once you set a big dream you are bound to gather resources and work hard to attain it. The world may laugh at people who dream big, it is not an excuse for staying within once comfort zone. To be successful one needs to take risks. To be successful one needs to have a strong will power

“If you can’t stop thinking about it, don’t stop working for it.”

Pragati Srivastava B.Tech (II Year)

Is Spiritual Intelligence the Need of The Hour?

Who am I? What am I all about? What am I going to do with my life? In what way I am different from others? These questions are common and virtually universal during the period of adolescence. Adolescence is a turbulent time charged with conflict and mood swings. Adolescents’ thoughts, feelings, and actions oscillate between conceit and humility, good intentions and temptation, happiness and sadness. An adolescent might be nasty to a peer one moment and kind the next moment, in need of privacy one moment but seconds later want companionship. Influential ideals of Erik Erickson, a Neo-Freudian, have encouraged the idea that adolescents comprising a resilient nature of ambiguity naturally encounter identity diffusion. There is an essentiality in attaining a true sense of identity that can be described as “a feeling of being at home in one’s body, an impression of awareness in one’s direction”.

At this time, adolescents are faced with questions such as who they are, and where they are going in life. They tackle many new roles, from vocational to romantic. As part of their identity exploration, adolescents experience a psychosocial moratorium. According to Erikson there is a gap between childhood security and adult autonomy. Youth who successfully cope with these conflicting roles and identities emerge with a new sense of self that is both refreshing and acceptable. But adolescents who do not successfully resolve the identity crisis suffer what

Erikson calls identity confusion. Either they withdraw, isolating themselves from peers and family, or they immerse themselves in the world of peers and lose their identity in the crowd. Such dilemmas lead to a very painful experience of confusion and conflict.

This is where a relatively new concept called Spiritual Intelligence that encourages problem solving and critical existential thinking has recently come under serious consideration. Spirituality exists in the hearts and minds of men and women everywhere, within religious ethnicities and independently of tradition. Spirituality often refers to an idiosyncratic, flexible, liberating and subjective quest whereas the conceptualization of religion has been progressively moving towards a more narrow characterization that represents doctrinal, institutional, ritual, and authoritarian aspects of a specific creed. Spirituality connotes the self’s existential search for ultimate meaning through an individualized understanding of the sacred.

Now the question is can religion be distinguished from spirituality? A recent analysis by a number of researchers all over the world made the following distinctions:

- Religion is an organized set of beliefs, practices, rituals, and symbols that increase an individual’s connection to a sacred or transcendent other (God, higher power, or ultimate truth).



- Religiousness refers to the degree of affiliation with an organized religion, participation in its prescribed rituals and practices, connection with its beliefs, and involvement in a community of believers.
- Spirituality involves experiencing something beyond oneself in a transcendent manner and living in a way that benefits others and society.

Now what is this spiritual intelligence?

Spirituality can be viewed as a form of intelligence because it predicts functioning and adaptation. It offers capabilities that enable people to solve problems and attain goals. Spiritual Intelligence indicates a faith based ability to experience the Sacred as the supreme, an objective and absolute value. It is a capacity in bringing out ones spiritual gifts and resources for further search for meaning and resolution of certain existential and spiritual matters. Zohar and Marshall authors of the book “Spiritual Intelligence”, have defined it as “the intelligence with which we address and solve problems of meaning, value, and the intelligence with which we can place our actions and our lives in a wider, richer, meaning-giving context, the intelligence with which we can assess that one course of action or one life-path is more meaningful than another.”

A recent meta-analysis given by Yonker, Schnabelrauch, & DeHaan in 2012 revealed that spirituality was positively related to well-being, self-esteem, and three of the Big Five factors of personality (conscientiousness, agreeableness, openness). In this meta-analysis,

spirituality was negatively associated with risk behavior and depression. Spiritual intelligence can empower the adolescents to have a different glance on their problems and to find more reasonable solutions that might help them to critically contemplate the meaning of their life, understand the potentialities of self, to obtain greater satisfaction by expanding their vision to metaphysical aspects of existence such as the positive emotions of generosity, beauty, gratitude, hope, forgiveness, love for fellow beings and acts of nurturance, than just the mere physical aspects of human existence.

Intelligence quotients, multiple intelligence, and emotional intelligence are all important theories in the search to explain thinking and learning processes, which are beneficial for the youth. They do not adequately explain all of the multifaceted aspects of human intelligence. These theories seem to eliminate the soul, the essence, or the spirit of the youth and the actualizing tendencies.

Dorothy A. Sisk, a researcher, stated the following benefits of spiritual intelligence on youth.

- The ability to develop an inner knowing,
- The capacity to connect to the “Universal Mind or Big Mind” through deep intuition,
- The cultivation of oneness with the universe or nature,
- The acquisition of problem solving capabilities that benefit others.

It is the energy of the Spiritual Quotient, which makes up

and maximizes the attribute known as the “conscience”. Indeed it is the lack of this human conscience that is the root cause of all the negative emotions, degeneration and decadence. Spiritual Quotient (SQ) can be cultivated through questioning, seeking, inquiry, and practice of yoga and meditation.

At a very broad level, self-regulation refers to our ability to manage our stress, emotions, and behaviors. Psychological and neuro-scientific research is starting to show that yoga and meditation may help youth manage their stress and mood and behave more positively. The basic idea is that yoga helps to calm the fight or flight response, and induces the relaxation response, thus helping adolescents calm themselves down and be less reactive in difficult situations. So instead of lashing out in anger on the playground, a student might take a deep breath and walk away. Interestingly, the benefits of yoga and meditation also extend to classroom teachers.

Recent research suggests that providing educators with training in yoga and mindfulness-based skills may have several beneficial effects for educators, including increases in calmness, mindfulness, well-being, and positive mood, improvements in classroom management, emotional reactivity, physical symptoms, blood pressure, and cortisol awakening response, and

decreases in mind and body stress. Spiritual maturity is expressed through wisdom and compassionate action in the social world. It enhances human capacity to ask questions about the ultimate meaning of life.

Therefore, Spiritual intelligence is necessary in present times to achieve expertise in making rewarding choices that contribute to one’s psychological wellbeing and overall healthy development. Taken together, these competencies may lead to improvements in students’ behavior, mental state, health, and performance, as well as teachers’ effectiveness and overall classroom climate.

An individual with a high spiritual quotient is characterized by the ability to see the best in seemingly challenging circumstances as well as to appreciate the divine qualities beyond the games of a materialistic world. As Victor Frankl, an Austrian neurologist and psychiatrist once proclaimed, “Man’s search for meaning is the primary force in his life...” which is exactly what a human being requires to reach his ultimate goal of achieving excellence in life, the goal of self-actualization! Intuition which is a powerful faculty for realizing the ultimate truth is a gift of Spiritual intelligence.

We may conclude with the powerful statement of Albert Einstein

*“The intuitive mind is a sacred gift and the rational mind a faithful servant.
We have created a society that honors the servant and has forgotten the gift.”*

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मेरे जज़्बात

किसी ने कहा राम इसे किसी ने कहा खुदाई। क्या सचमुच है कोई देवता जो देता नहीं दिखाई।
लाल रंग के खून से सब मानव काया बनाई। फिर भी मानव ने इसमें ऊँच नीच जात पात दरशाई।
ईश्वर को भी बाँट लिया मंदिर मसजिद बनवाई। क्या सोचा कभी उस ईश्वर ने हममें क्या भिन्नताएँ बनाई।
सामाजिक श्रम समाज को देता है तुच्छ दिखाई। जबकी श्री कृष्ण ने भी थे झूठे पत्तल उठाई।
समझ न पाई किसने है जात पात बनाई। इतिहास ने मुझको बतलाया श्री राम ने शबरी के झूठे बैर खाई।
अंग्रेज़ ने तब लूटा था फूट डाल शासन करने की नीति थी अपनाई। आज राजनेताओं ने भी वही कूटनीति है दोहराई।
जिस देश में हिंदू, मुस्लिम, सीख, ईसाई है दर्शको से भाई भाई उस देश में फूट डालने की कोशिश बेकार है मेरे भाई।
जिस देश की नींव रखने में राजगुरु, सुखदेव, भगत सिंह जैसी ने अपनी बली चढ़ाई। उस देश के आँगन की रंगोली अब्दुल, हमीद, औरंगज़ेब जैसे बेटों ने अपने खून से सजाई।
सब भेदभाव मिट जाएगा मिट जाएगी सारी बुराई। जब देगा मानव को ही मानव में ही खुदा दिखाई।

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Convocation of The ICFAI University 2018

The ICFAI University, Dehradun celebrated Convocation-2018 on 14th July 2018. It was a matter of profound pleasure and privilege for the university to welcome Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu, who despite his hectic schedule and multiple responsibilities kindly consented to grace the Convocation 2018 of the ICFAI University Dehradun by his presence.

The convocation of the university is a formal occasion to acknowledge the academic achievements of its graduating students. ICFAI University endeavors to develop students to become creative and successful leaders, they are also equipped to face the challenges of global professional environment.

Hon'ble Vice president Of India, Shri. Venkai Naidu, Hon'ble Governor of Uttarakhand, Dr. K K Paul, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, Shri Trivendra Singh Rawat, Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge) Dr.Dhan Sing Rawat were received and welcomed on arrival by the Chancellor and Vice Chancellor and escorted to the Academic Procession Lobby.

The Chancellor, the Vice Chancellor, Members of the Board of Management, Academic Council, Research Committee and the Registrar assembled in the Academic Procession Lobby. All were given Angawastrams. All the students and their parents / Guardians, Faculty members and Non Teaching Staff occupied their respective seats in the convocation Hall by 1000hrs.

At 1109 hrs Academic Procession entered the convocation Hall(Auditorium) in pairs. After that" The National Anthem" was sung by the University choir. It was followed by the University Kulgeet. The Vice Chancellor welcomed the Dignitaries and presented a brief report about the university. He also requested the Chancellor to declare the convocation open. Mahasweta Naik of MBA, Ashish Kumar of B Tech Computer Science, Sahajdeep Singh of B Tech Electronics, Prasant Tripathi, of B Tech Mechanical and Vikash Singh Gautam of B Tech Civil Engineering, Vinod Sharma of BBA-LLB, Chithira Sasidharan of LLB and Cecily Anthony of B.Ed received Degrees and Bronze medals from the Chancellor,Dr.M Ramchandran of the university.

Manik Sharma, (MBA) Aniket Singh, (B Tech Computer Science), Juhi Shree(Electronics) Ala Krishna Vamsi, (Mechanical) Abhishek Srivastava, (Civil Engineering) Gauri, (BBA-LLB H), Davinder, (LLB) and Shubham Kapoor from B .d were awarded Degrees and Silver medals by the Governor of Uttarakhand, Dr. K K Paul.

Parul Chauhan from MBA, Rachit Shroff from Computer Science, M. Jeshan from Electronics, Vivek Jaiswal from Mechanical, Arrag Batra from Civil Engineering, Ankita Gandhi from BBA-LLB(H), Ayushi Gupta from LLB and Mainksha Lamba from B.Ed were awarded Degrees and Gold medals by the Vice President of India, Sri Venkaiah Naidu.

Mr. Gaurav Bhandari and Mr. Harshvardhan Kothari received Ph.D Degrees from the Vice President of India.

Convocation Addresses were delivered by Hon'ble Vice President of India, Governor of Uttarakhand and Chief Minister of Uttarakhand.

The convocation ceremony was declared closed by the Chancellor Dr. M Ramachandran of the University.



Welcome Address by the Vice Chancellor at the Convocation 2018 of The ICAFI University, Dehradun. (July 14, 2018)



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University Dehradun, by his presence. Sir, we express our heartfelt gratitude for giving us your valuable time.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome Hon'ble Governor of Uttarakhand, Dr K. K. Paul, who has always been our well-wisher and a constant source of inspiration and guidance. Sir, we value your close association with our University.

I express our sincere gratitude to the Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, Shri Trivendra Singh Rawat, who has always supported us whenever the need has arisen.

I extend a cordial welcome to the Minister of State (Independent Charge), Dr. Dhan Singh Rawat, for gracing the occasion.

A warm welcome to the Chancellor, The ICAFI University Dehradun, Dr. M. Ramachandran. Sir, we have immensely benefitted by your visionary inputs and progressive suggestions.

I extend warm greetings to the Members of Board of Governors, Board of Management, Academic Council, Board of Studies, and Research Committee, who have always inspired us to move forward and take the University to greater heights.

I welcome the Pro Vice Chancellor (IUD), Registrar (IUD), Director (Indian Institute of Petroleum), our other distinguished guests from Academia and Industry, all other members of the ICAFI family, our friends from Media, and the graduating students and their parents.

A warm welcome to all of you to the Convocation ceremony of The ICAFI University, Dehradun. Your presence at the Convocation is a great source of encouragement to us.

The Convocation of the University is a formal occasion to acknowledge the academic achievements of its graduating students. Dear students, all of us feel very proud of you for your wonderful achievements.

The ICAFI University Dehradun is a constituent of the ICAFI Group that is a pioneer in the field of education for over 33 years and is widely recognized as a centre of excellence. The ICAFI Group comprises of 11 Universities, 9 B-Schools, 7 Tech Schools, and 5 Law Schools.

The ICAFI University Dehradun was established in 2003, and it comprises four Schools of higher learning, namely, ICAFI Law School, ICAFI Business School, ICAFI Tech School, and ICAFI Education School. The University offers 17 programs and it focuses on holistic development of its students. We endeavor, to develop them, to become creative and successful leaders, and they are equipped, to comfortably face the challenges of global professional environment.

The University has embraced new technology infrastructure and has set up hi-tech innovative labs like: Texas Instrument Lab in collaboration with Texas Inc., USA, e-Yantra Robotics lab in collaboration with IIT Bombay and Virtual Lab Resource Center in collaboration with IIT Delhi to facilitate imparting knowledge to our students about latest technology on Internet of Things and use of Simulators. The University is also the Northern Region hub for the FOSS Project (Ministry of HRD) to facilitate the use of free and open-source software.

To ensure highest academic standards, faculty is drawn from IITs/NITs and top Universities.

Given the high standards maintained by the University, the University has been awarded excellent rankings by various external rating agencies. To name a few,

- Our ICAFI Law School, is ranked 1st in Uttarakhand with a rating of AAA by Careers 360, Survey 2018, and 4th in North India among the Private Law Colleges by The Week, Survey 2018.
- Our ICAFI Business School (IBS), is ranked 7th in North India by Silicon India B-School Survey 2018, and 1st in Outstanding Excellence Group by CSR-GHRDC Survey 2017.
- Our ICAFI Tech School is ranked 2nd in Uttarakhand by CSR-GHRDC Engineering Colleges Survey 2018.

The University is committed to contribute to the prosperity of Uttarakhand, and it gives utmost importance to community service including Blood donation, Swachh Bharat, Legal Aid and Education support to the poor.

The University is on the growth trajectory. Five new programs were introduced last year. The option of Japanese Foreign Language and a Certificate program in Cyber Security is being introduced from the current academic year. Also, the University is exploring the possibility of conducting programs in collaboration with Oracle and Ernest and Young.

This day marks a significant milestone in the lives of all our graduating students. It is a day of joy, fulfillment, and achievement, and I think it is the first step towards a bright and fulfilling career and life ahead. I hope you will light up the world with your glorious achievements and make us proud to have you as Alumni.

Jai Hind!

Speech by Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri M.Venkaiah Naidu,

At the Convocation 2018 of The ICFAI University, Dehradun (July 14, 2018)

Address- Dr. K. K. Paul, Honorable Governor of Uttarakhand, Sri Trivendra Singh Rawat, Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, Dr. Dhan Singh Rawat, Minister of Higher Education, Dr. M. Ramachandran, Chancellor, Dr. Pawan Aggarwal, Vice chancellor, members of the Boards and Academic Council, Guests, Faculty members and my dear Students.

I feel extremely delighted to be a part of the convocation of The ICFAI University, Dehradun. On this momentous occasion, I would like to congratulate the students for acquiring the coveted degrees and awards. I also congratulate the esteemed teachers for sharing and imparting invaluable knowledge and skills to mould the young minds in different disciplines. I am told that The ICFAI University Dehradun is offering world class quality education for over 15 years by nurturing and enriching the young human resources of our country and commends them for their endeavors.

The world is shrinking into a global village because of information technology resources. The universities of today have to build the competencies required for functioning effectively on a globalised world. Students should know how to access, absorb, adopt and adapt new knowledge. They should know how to collaborate, coordinate and compete in different contexts. They should aim for excellence and efficiency and not settle for mediocrity and ordinary approach. As we all are aware, India is on the threshold of emerging as a major economic power. My dear students, we are an old civilization with a young population. No other country is having this kind of demographic advantage.

The world is moving fast. There is huge competition now. We are living in an era of LPG (Liberalization, Privatization and Globalization). We are facing both opportunities and challenges. We are facing the challenge of climate change and new trend of protectionism in different countries. Keeping these in mind the universities must educate and train the students to understand, adapt and accept the challenges and move ahead in the fore front.

As you are aware, India is emerging as a major economic power. Yesterday, News Papers reported that India has become the sixth largest economy of the world. It is a proud moment for all of us.

The Prime Minister Sri Narendra Modi is leading the country from the fore front. With all the zeal and enthusiasm PM Modi is pushing the country forward. We have seen the result of GST. How it has brought revenue and comfort to the people.

Social changes like Beti Bachao, Beti Padhao, Swachh Bharat, Draft for craft, Make in India, creation of smart city etc. are bringing progress and improvement in the nation.



The P.M has given us three mantras.” Reform, Perform and Transform”. Opportunity has come to us to strengthen our economy and growth. The growth should be wide spread. Everybody, even the last bencher should feel and enjoy the advantage of economic growth and development. In order to achieve this goal, accountability and transparency should be practiced in the nation.

As far as our culture is concerned, there is no threat to secularism. It is in the DNA of Indians that they have sympathy for all. Everyone is well protected under the constitution of India.

India was once known as ‘Vishwaguru’ and was the global centre of learning as knowledge seekers from all corners of the world used to come here and study at Takshila, Nalanda and other learning centres. Huangshan and Fa, Hien gave account of our ancient rich cultural heritage and education system. We are an old civilization with young population. It is a beautiful combination. No other country has got this unique position.

Students, you should dream big and aim high. We should recall Dr. Abdul Kalam’s valuable statement. “Dream big and aim high along with hard work and transform the dream into reality.”

This world is full of opportunities. You must seize them. As swami Vivekananda stated 100 years ago “Awake, Arise and stop not till your goal is reached”. Use the knowledge and skills you acquire to go further, transform your world and the world of people around you. Today’s world is a world of unprecedented changes in many spheres of human life. Innovative technologies and creative disruptions are changing the way we live our lives.

Our country is facing a number of challenges like global warming, ocean acidification, loss of biodiversity, urban migration, increasing demand for energy, shortage of drinking water, polluted air, lack of safe waste, disposal mechanism and fuel inefficient



transportation. Universities should equip students with multidisciplinary knowledge and interdisciplinary skills to study these problems and look for solutions to meet the challenges. Our future depends upon to what extent we are smart and swift to handle these challenges and problems.

Education is the single most important element in converting our young population into national assets. If the young generation of our nation is empowered, it will constitute a very strong and productive workforce to tackle the above mentioned challenges. Education is for enhancement of knowledge, education is for enlightenment, education is for empowerment and education is for employment. It is not just for employment. Unfortunately we are looking it from the bottom. That is not the case.

Science and technology are for the betterment of human society. Recently, I visited Oceanography Institution in Hyderabad. Technology has been developed to know

about the probability of tsunami, availability of fish in a particular area of an ocean and probability of cyclone in the near future.

We have played with nature. We must take care of nature. We must learn to love nature and live in nature. Nature, culture and better future should be our aim. The state of Uttarakhand is green. Steps are being taken to make it greener. That is why the people are comparatively healthy and wealthy. There is no guarantee that if someone is wealthy will be healthy. But if a person is healthy he will be wealthy also.

It is critically important to provide equal opportunity to all to receive higher education. Special importance should be given to women to receive higher education. Our civilization from ancient days has given a lot of importance to women. The names of the rivers such as Ganga, Yamuna, Kaveri, Krishna, Tapti, Saraswati, Triveni, Mahendra, Tanaya have been given after the names of women. Therefore we must provide respect and equal opportunity to women. We believe in "Vasudeva kutumvakam and Sarve Bhavantu Suhkino". "Sabka sath sabka vikas". "Share and care" is the motto of Indian Philosophy. We must get back to our root and cultural heritage. From the past experience we must become strong. In spite of being Vishwa Guru in ancient time, India never attacked any foreign land. 27% GDP of world used to come from India but we have never attacked any land. Others have come, attacked us and looted our wealth.

We should not think only about ourselves, but must think about the society, state, nation, world and the entire humanity.



Universities are preparing students for tomorrow. Traditional method of teaching should be modified. Change is inevitable. Classrooms should become exciting, interactive centres of learning for students and not teacher centric sermon halls. Healthy spirit of competition should be encouraged in higher education. It is a challenge that none of the universities in India is qualified to be among the first 100 universities of the world. Everyone must work hard to meet this challenge. ICFAI University which is a private institution is doing a great job by providing quality education. There are 11 ICFAI universities all over India. I feel happy to state that ICFAI University Dehradun provides relevant applied learning experiences to its students through research, internships and community outreach projects. You are fortunate to have Dr. Ramachandran as the Chancellor of your University who is providing proper guidance to you all. I am sure ICFAI university will emerge as a centre of learning and excellence soon.

At present we need objective based, need based, industry based, agriculture based and programme outcome based learning. We need to acquire both knowledge and wisdom. This is the need of the hour.

The system of education must change so that students can directly get involved in social service. Students should visit villages so that they can know about the real life situation of the villagers and can find solutions for their problems. Students must participate in social services like tree plantation, cleanliness programme and other such relevant social activities. They should develop social outlook. Students should think for the society, think for the nation. We all should stand by the people of the nation. Whoever is negatively affected we should feel their pain and stand by them.

Let us not forget what Mahatma Gandhi understood by true education. "By education, I mean an all-round drawing of the best in child and man in body, mind and spirit", said the Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi. He also said "Education which does not mould character is absolutely worthless". As the Mahatma has rightly emphasized character is the most important quality for an individual to chart out the right path. Otherwise, despite having the privilege of getting educated in one of the best educational institutions, there is a danger of the individual going astray. My dear young friends please remember that character, caliber, capacity, conduct, compassion, hard work and discipline are important qualities for achieving success and realizing dreams. As far as moral science is concerned only science is there, morality is gone. We need to reestablish morality. Our foundation should be based on morality, ethics and civic sense.

Every student must remember 5 things, 1. Mother, 2. Birth place, 3. Mother tongue, 4. Mother land, 5. Guru. We should give respect to them. We should give importance to our mother tongue and practice this language at home. Instead of saying mummy and daddy we should address our parents in our mother tongue.

I am very happy to see that there are girls who have received gold medals in the convocation. Girls are very important in our society. When you educate a man you educate a person but when you educate a girl you educate the entire family.

My best compliments to all of you. Fulfill the dreams of your parents and devote your services to the nation. When you enter the new life go with confidence. I am sure you will stand in excellent state throughout your life. My best wishes to all of you.

JAI HIND.



Speech by the Hon'ble Governor of Uttarakhand, Dr. K.K. Paul at The ICFAI University Dehradun Convocation 2018 (July 14, 2018)

Esteemed Sri Venkaiya Naidu, honorable Vice President of India, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, Sri Rawatji, Hon'ble Minister of Higher Education, Sri Dhan Sing Rawatji, honorable Chancellor, ICFAI university, Dr. Ramchandran, Director of Indian Institute of Petroleum, Chief Secretary, Members of the governing bodies of The ICFAI University, and my dear students.

It is a matter of great pleasure and honor for me to be welcoming Honorable Vice President of India to the convocation ceremony of the ICFAI University. Today is not only a very special day for the ICFAI University but a significant mile stone in the field of higher education in Uttarakhand. As a part of this historical occasion I feel proud to extend a hearty and warm welcome to the Vice President of India Sri Venkaiya Naidu on behalf of all the people of Uttarakhand. I also take the opportunity to congratulate all the students who have successfully completed their Programs and would be receiving Degrees to enter the professional world and assume their responsibilities. My greetings to all of you present here.

This is an occasion to complement the teaching faculty of the ICFAI University as well as the parents of the students who have worked hard to receive the degrees. I am glad to see that ICFAI University, Dehradun is marching ahead by providing a suitable platform for the young students to develop their personality and preparing them for challenges ahead. In this context, I am aware that ample opportunities are being given to the students to unfold their hidden talents.

Today Character signifies integrity. It means pursuit of excellence within the individual's limitations, commitment to social and national causes and commitment to justice and social equality. It is rightly said that character is developed in class rooms and nation can also be built in classrooms. Our schools, colleges, institutions and universities have to play a strong and positive role to tackle various problems and cotemporary challenges of the world so that the students passing out are fully equipped to stand on their own feet and be confident to face the world.

The demand of 21st century is to face the challenges of globalization and to take our country to the top in every field so that the nation can march ahead to the zenith. In order to achieve this goal we have to understand the significance of balancing science and technology with our own culture, value system and Indianess. We need knowledge of both. Only one dimensional growth may not serve the purpose. While strongly rooted in our value system and cultural ethos we must not forget that in the world community we have to assume a leadership role and that will be possible if we achieve highest point of development.



As such we have to appreciate that, the role of the university is not merely to provide degrees but education that helps in competing globally and helps students to benefit from knowledge economy. It has to equip the students with required knowledge and skills so that they are confident to face the world and adapt quickly to the rapidly changing scenario of new technology and continuous emerging new fields.

Our students must learn to innovate. Every day there cannot be new inventions. The modern mantra for growth is innovation. With the advent of new concepts like internet, proficiency in newer technology is needed. It will be helpful for the youth to compete better in this fast changing world. The recently released list of top universities and institutions of eminence does not include universities from Uttarakhand. We have to achieve a lot in this direction.

Under the inspirational leadership of our Prime Minister, the govt of India has recently planned to frame national policy related with promotion of Make in India Program. The implementation for such a plan should start from university campus itself.

I hope ICFAI University is dedicated towards this aspect of holistic growth and organizes a number of specialized courses interfaced with industry, workshops, and seminars at the campus emphasizing and fulfilling these needs so as to contribute towards nation building in the real term.

I once again congratulate all the students of ICFAI University graduating today and their parents and wish them for their future endeavors.

I congratulate and thank ICFAI University, the Board, the Executive, and Faculty for their hard work and success in shaping the bright young minds.

In the end, I would like to once again thank the honorable Vice President of India for coming to Uttarakhand and blessing the graduating students with his words of wisdom.

Thank you and JAI HIND

Address by Shri Trivendra Singh Rawat, The Chief Minister of Uttarakhand At the Convocation 2018 of The ICFAI University, Dehradun (July 14, 2018)

आज के इस दीक्षांत समारोह के मंच में विराजमान हमारे मुख्य अतिथि महामहिम उपराष्ट्रपति आदरणीय श्री वेकेट नायडू जी, चांसलर इक्फाई विश्वविद्यालय, माननीय राज्यपाल एवम मंत्री मंडल में मेरे सहयोगी प्रदेश के उच्च शिक्षा और सहकारिता मंत्री डा० घनासिंह रावत जी और इस पंडाल में उपस्थित सभी अधिकारीगण, विश्वविद्यालय के फैकल्टी, डीन्स और इस दीक्षांत समारोह में उपस्थित छात्र, छात्राओं आज का दिन आप सब के लिए एक ऐतिहासिक दिन है जब देश के उपराष्ट्रपति द्वारा यँहा पर आपको डिग्रीया प्रदान करने का यह कार्यक्रम हो रहा है। मैं समझता हूँ कि ऐसा मौका बहुत कम लोगों को नसीब होता है और आप सब लोग उन सौभाग्यशाली लोगों में से हैं जिनको ऐसा अवसर मिला है। इक्फाई विश्वविद्यालय को ऐसे चांसलर मिले हैं जिन्होंने उत्तराखण्ड राज्य के साथ-साथ देश की सेवा भी की है और आज आप सबको उनका मार्ग दर्शन मिल रहा है। ये आपके लिये भी और मेरे लिये भी बेहद गर्व की बात है कि ऐसा व्यक्तित्व आपको सौभाग्य से मिला है। मित्रो आज हमारे लिये बहुत खुशी की बात है कि आप अपनी शिक्षा पूरी करके, दीक्षांत के लिये यँहा पर उपस्थित हैं। अब हमें अपने जीवन के और अपने गणतन्त्र की ओर बढ़ने का यह मौका है। यह सच है कि यह बहुत खुशी का मौका है, लेकिन हम इसे चुनौती के रूप में भी ले सकते हैं। हमारे देश के समुख जो चुनौतिया हैं उनको हल करने का एक सुनहरा अवसर भी मान सकते हैं। आप सब विज्ञान और आधुनिक तकनीक से जुड़े हुए छात्र छात्राएँ हैं और आप से देश की काफी अपेक्षा है। हमारे वैज्ञानिकों ने तारकोल से बिजली पैदा करने का महत्वपूर्ण कार्य किया है। प्रधानमंत्री जी ने स्वच्छ भारत कि परिक्रमा की है और उसका असर देश में दिख रहा है। जम को कैसे इमेज में बवदअमतज कर सकते हैं, ये हम सब लोगो को विचार करना है। मुझे नागपुर में माननीय गडकरी जी बता रहे थे कि नागपुर महापालिका सिवर वेस्ट से 86 करोड़ की सलाना पदबवउम पा रही है। वँहा के वैज्ञानिको ने उस जम को इमेज में बवदअमतज किया है। विद्या धन, सर्वधन प्रधानम है, यानी चोर जिसको चोरी नहीं कर सकते हैं। जिसका भाइयो में बटवारा नहीं किया जा सकता, कोई राजा उसको छीन नहीं सकता, बलकी हम इसको जितना बाँटते हैं वो बढ़ता चला जाता है, ऐसा धन आप अर्जीत करके जा रहे हैं। इस विद्या धन का कैसे बेहतर इस्तेमाल कर सकते हैं, इस पर विचार करना जरूरी है। मुझे स्वामी विवेकानन्द के जीवन



कि एक घटना याद आती है। उनके पास कुछ लोग गये और कहा, साहब उन्होंने 15 साल की साधना की और अब पानी के ऊपर चल सकते हैं। तो विवेकानंद जी ने कहा की 15 साल मैहनत करी, तो ये पानी के ऊपर चल सकते हैं, भाई 50 पैसे नाव पे खर्च करके भी हम नदी पार कर सकते थे। इसका आखिर समाज के लिये क्या उपयोग है। कोई जवाब नहीं था। इसलिए हमारी विद्या हमारा ज्ञान, इस समाज के लिए कैसे काम आ सकता है, वो अवसर भी हमारे पास आज सोचने का है। मैं तो आपसे यही कहना चाहूंगा, आप बुद्धिजीवी मास है, आप को समाज कल्याण के लिए काम करना है। जिस विश्वविद्यालय से आपने शिक्षा दीक्षा ग्रहण कि है, उसके लिये आप क्या कर सकते हैं, ये भी जरूर हमको विचार करना चाहिये। आप लोग अब जतदेपजपवद चमतपवक ;संक्रमण कालद्ध में हैं, कई तरह की बाते मन में आ सकती हैं, हताशा भी होती है, निराशा भी होती है, हर तरह का मौका हमारे जीवन में आता है। जो यँहा सब लोग बैठे हुए हैं इनके जीवन में भी हर तरह के अनुभव आये हैं, आप सब के भी जीवन में ऐसे अनुभव आयेंगे और ऐसे मौके पर मुझे हरिवंश राय बच्चन जी की कुछ पक्तियाँ याद आ रहीं हैं जो उन्होंने अपने बेटे के लिए लिखी हैं। अमिताब बच्चन ने जब अपनी शिक्षा-दीक्षा पूरी की तो वह जॉब ढूँढ़ रहे थे और जॉब नहीं मिला। अमिताब बच्चन कहते हैं कि हम सब दोस्त एक दिन कॉफी हॉऊस में कॉफी पी रहे थे और ये ही बात चल रही थी कि हमने इतनी पढ़ाई-लिखाई कर ली और हमें जॉब नहीं मिली, क्या करें, आखिर गलती क्या है



Activities at the University

Tree Plantation by Law School: Tree plantation ceremony and briefing of historical relevance of the place Kharakhet village and Noon River.

16 students of ICFAI Law School, faculties and Academic head of the Department, representatives from Forest Department, Government Department, Education Department, NGO workers and others visited Kharakhet village on 9th August 2018. Trees were planted by the students, faculties and other members of the visiting group.



Historical background and relevance:

Kharakhet village is situated 20 km from Selaui. Even today, one would have to trek for over an hour to get there because there is no motorable road leading right up to the village.

In 1930, however, the villagers of Kharakhet were so closely connected with India's freedom struggle that when Gandhiji announced his Salt Satyagraha, villagers made salt from the uniquely salty water. Walking through the dense vegetation, one can still see the memorial stone that commemorates the Salt Satyagraha in the village that occurred on April 20, 1930.



Villagers were called to join the Satyagraha by local leaders -- Mahavir Tyagi, Narayan Dutt Dangwal, Nardev Shastri, Vicharanand Saraswati and Abdul Aziz. The salt that was collected from the river was packed in bags and sold in the municipal grounds of the city, breaking the laws laid down by the British government, which granted the colonial government monopoly in salt production.

The water in the Noon River of Kharakhet is salty even today. Little has changed on the banks of this river for over seven decades.

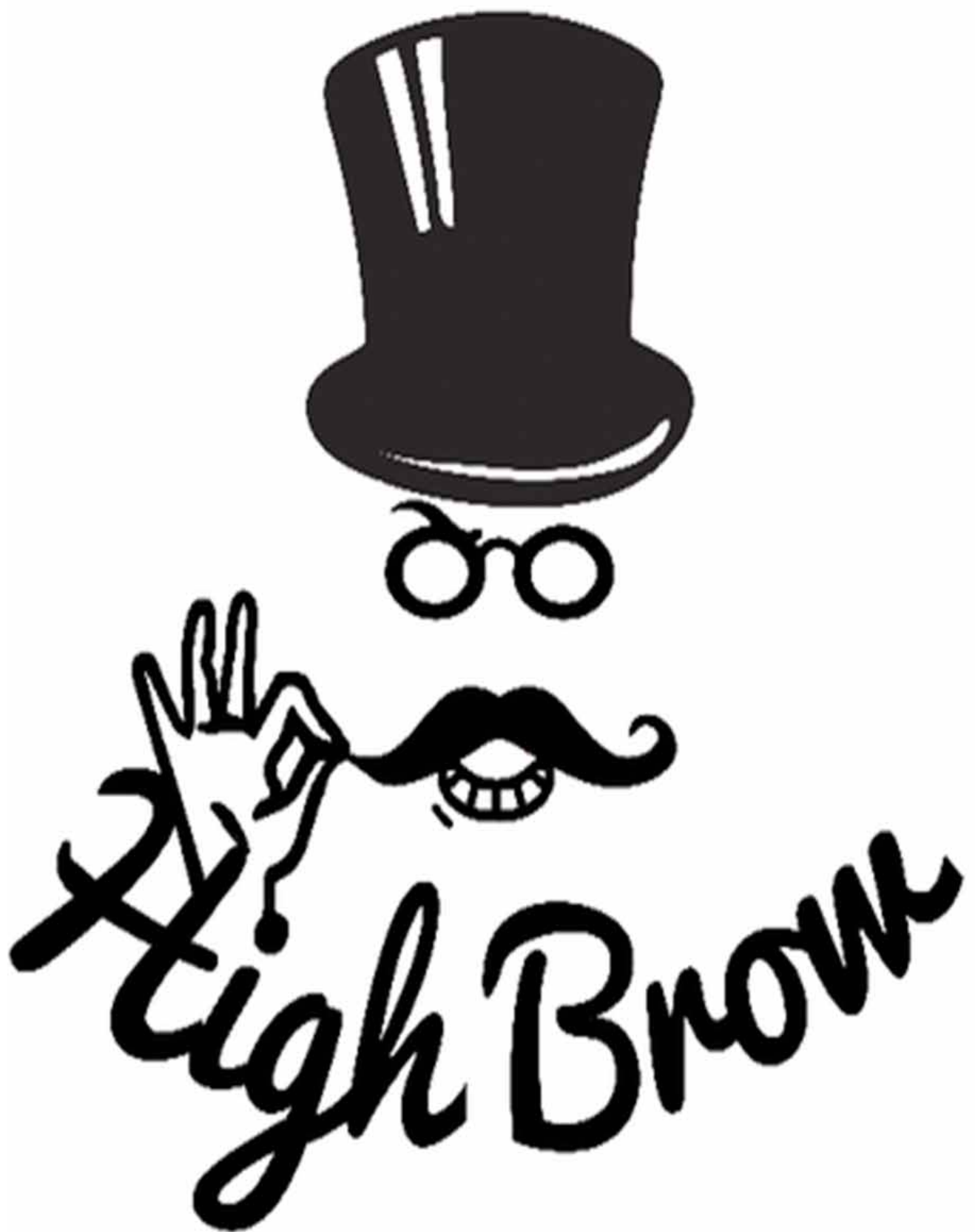
Children's Day Celebration: Children's Day is celebrated on the 14th of November in India as a tribute to Jawaharlal Nehru, who was born on Nov. 14, 1889.

Pupil Teachers of ICFAI Education School, The ICFAI University Dehradun, celebrated Children's day with the students of Govt. Primary School, Selaui. On this occasion they have organized various activities like games, poem recitation, story narration, skit and GK Quiz. The children felt very happy and participated in all the activities with great zeal and enthusiasm. Sangita Kumari narrated a letter of Jawaharlal Lal Nehru which he wrote for the children of India during his Prime Minister ship. GK Quiz was also organized by Himanshu Joshi. Sapna came forward with an interesting and meaningful poem for students. Debarati DebBarman asked students if they wanted to speak about their hobby, showcase their talent to bring out the best in them. Students came up with various short stories. At last, students of Primary and Middle school were given snacks and stationery by pupil teachers of B.Ed. The event was organized by Prof. Sarita Negi and assisted by Ms. Atulya Verma.

Celebration of National Unity Day: National Unity Day was introduced by the Government of India and was inaugurated by Indian Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi in 2014 to pay tribute to Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel, who played an instrumental role in keeping India united. Students of ICFAI Education School observed this day in the form of conducting Seminar, Poster making and slogan writing.

Seminar presented by Sangita Kumari highlighted the early life, Education and freedom struggle of Sardar Patel as he acted as Supreme Commander-in-chief of Indian army during the political integration of India and the Indo-Pakistani War of 1947. He also promoted the Quit India Movement. He is well known by several names such as "Iron man of India", "Unifier of India", "Patron saint of India's civil servants" etc. One of the slides depicted the Statue of Unity dedicated to him, located in Gujarat. Various posters and slogans prepared by students reflected the essence of unity among people. Himanshu Joshi presented a few facts on the life of Sardar Patel in his speech. Sunil Anand recited a poem on "Unity". The program was organized by Ms. Atulya Verma and guided by Prof. Sarita Negi.





Creation of Student Clubs

The ICAI University, Dehradun is Running various in house student clubs for the overall grooming/ development of students. The Clubs are created to up bring the inner talent of the students.

All the Clubs organized Innovative, diverse and intelligent interactive sessions for students during the In House Club Activities at University. These activities are conducted to nurture in each student the feeling of self-confidence and to build team spirit and leadership skills among the students. Students are encouraged to participate in diverse range of activities to develop their potential.

The different Clubs as managed by the ICAI University are as follows with the Club Incharges names as mentioned against the Clubs.

CLUB	IN-CHARGE
Yoga Club	Ms. Malabika Sen, Ms. Ria Juneja
Campus to Corporate Club (Udaan)	Ms. Aditi Singhal
Blog Writing Club (Express World)	Ms. Aditi Singhal
Cultural Club	Ms Debanjali Barman Roy
Photography & Media Club	Dr. Gaurav Bhandari
Sports & Trekking Club	Mr. Avnish Bhatt, Dr. Mriganshi Wilson
Art & Painting Club	Ms. Amita Sharma
Laughter Club	Mr. Saurabh Siddharth
Social Activity	Ms. Monica Kharola



Yoga Club

The young generation, especially the youth today needs proper guidance and some powerful techniques for holistic growth and development of their complete personality. Only academic performance and skill development is not sufficient to face the new challenges of modern world. Keeping this in mind, Yoga Club has been introduced in the University to take care of body, mind, intellect and spirit of the young students in the academic year 2018, in the month of August. The club activity resumed on 16th August, 2018.

Objectives: The club will not only enhance their hidden potential to realize the ultimate goal of life but also help them overcome stress, tension, fear, distraction and other negative aspects of life. The ultimate aim of this club is to provide a platform for the students in which they can express their problems and challenges and receive adequate solutions to strengthen their

character. Yoga and meditation together has a profound impact on any body's life to taste real happiness, peace and tranquility which are the basic conditions for success in life.

The club focuses on enhancing the 3 C's in a student's life, i.e.

- CONCENTRATION
- CLARITY OF MIND
- CONFIDENCE

How? Through warming up exercises, surya namesake, pranayam ,yogic ashanas and guided meditation.



Campus To Corporate Club (Udaan)

This Club has been formulated at University level to build upon the Soft Skills & develop the overall Personality of all the students of the Four Schools (ILS, ITS, IBS & IEdS).

Objectives:

- To enhance the Employability Ratio by making the students presentable.



- To improve the quality of Professional & Personal Life.
- To hone the Public Speaking, Oratory, Leadership, Interpersonal, Interview handling, Communication, Body Language, Grooming & Etiquettes, Anger & Stress Management, Goal Setting, Time Management, Self Analysis, Personality Styles and Conflict Resolution Skills.

Methodology: Ice Breakers, Just A Minute Games, Situation Reaction Test's, Activities, Quizzes, Competitions, Role Plays, Workshops, Seminars, Guest Lectures, Debates, Group Discussions, Mock Interviews, Extempore, Creative Writing Contests, Brainstorming Sessions etc. are conducted at Inter & Intra University Level.

Venue, Day & Timings: In Auditorium on Every Tuesday at Sharp 4pm.

Membership: - Joining Forms are available with the Mentor in Room No. A 307 (IInd Floor) on payment of Rs. 100 as Membership Fees.

Logo: Pegasus which A unique creature formed with the combination of a Horse & an Eagle. It signifies Strength, Speed, Power, Freedom, Height & Sharpness.

Punch line: "Reach The Pinnacle Of Success"



Blog Writing Club (Express World)

This Club has been formulated at University level to enhance the Creativity & Innovation quotient of all the students of the Four Schools (ILS, ITS, IBS & IEdS).

Objectives:

- To develop the capability of converting Thoughts into Words.
- To enhance the Vocabulary base with correct Spellings.

- To hone the Written Communication & Language Skills.

Methodology: Essay / Paragraph / Blog / Creative Writing Contests are conducted at Inter & Intra University Level.

Venue, Day & Timings: In Auditorium on Every Tuesday at Sharp 4pm. Joining Forms are available with the Mentor in Room No. A 307 (IInd Floor).



Cultural Club

IUD Cultural Club organizes "Jamming Session" on every Friday from 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM, which has different tag lines, like Hunarbaaz, Fantastic etc, in which the student volunteers showcase their singing, dancing, poetry and other relevant skills. The IUD Family gets involved and enjoys the events. The IUD Book and Photography Club student volunteers take the snaps of each Jamming Session and make videos for the various events performed by the IUD Cultural Club.

The IUD Cultural Club runs a Facebook page where the students volunteers upload the pictures and the videos taken by the IUD Books & Photography Club volunteers.



Objectives: The main objective is to provide opportunities to the students to enhance their potentials in music, dance, dramatics, and other cultural activities.

Sports and Trekking Club

“Gold Medals aren’t made of gold. They are made of sweat, determination, and a hard-to-find alloy called guts” – Dane Gable. As the saying goes this club is dedicated to all the Students who wish and strive to bring laurels in the field of sports. The club is headed by Mr. Avnish Bhatt and Dr. Mrigankshi Wilson. The main objective of the sports club is to provide an opportunity for all students to take part in some of the indoor games like Carom, Table Tennis, Chess and outdoor games like basketball, cricket, football, etc. The college team takes part in inter collegiate competitions but the other students can have a platform to demonstrate their talents through this club.

Trekking being a soft-adventure sport, almost anyone in reasonable physical condition can go trekking. To get initiated into trekking we begin with day hikes, returning to the starting point in the evening. Then we plan to move on to a multi-day trek which is relatively easy, in order to get to know ones ability and aptitude.

The college provides facilities for sports and games and those who are interested can make use of the opportunities. It is our desire to extend, each student the opportunity to participate in a sport of their interest. With mutual interests in sporting activities, the sports club is administered by the student members administered by the club mentors.

Objectives:

- To shortlist the students who have the potential to excel and to bring laurel to ICFAI University in the recognized and reputed events.
- Organization of different outdoor and indoor games competition within the University.
- To invite outstanding sportsperson in ICFAI University as a Guest appearance.
- To organize Inter-University sports events (Friendly matches) at regular intervals so that the students should be motivated to take part in the Sports activities.
- To invite Professional Coaches of different games for special coaching classes.

The ICFAI Cricket team won the Inter-University Cricket-Tournament at Dehradun on 21st October 2018.

Art And Painting Club

Art is an activity through which students express their ideas. Art Club provides platform for students to enhance their creativity and self-expression, and gain a greater understanding of concepts and ideas in art. Art club is an association of all students of the ICFAI University, Dehradun who are interested in organising and participating in various activities.



Objectives :

- The objective of Art Club is to provide an extracurricular activity for those students who enjoy and or excel in the visual arts area.
- To encourage students to express their thoughts, feelings and creativity through the various visual art forms.
- To develop innovation & self expression.
- To develop imagination, confidence & team spirit among students.
- Activities under Art Club
- Painting
- Sketching
- Rangoli making
- Tattoo making
- Collage making

These activities will be conducted on the basis of competitions, exhibitions & workshops etc

Laughter Club

Objectives:

- Laughter has been known to increase blood flow through the veins, your blood pressure tends to lower, and the immune system is boosted.
- One can get a complete workout of the diaphragm, abdominal, anal, and muscles in the face.
- Laughter is a strong medicine, and whereas most drugs affect everyone differently, the effect of laughter is always positive.
- Laughing exercises every part of the body causing the euphoric feeling of eliminated pain. If laughter is such good medicine, good one's overall health and can alleviate many ills including the pressure on the pain caused by hemorrhoids, why don't we spend more time laughing.

Four pillars of laughter club

- **C-Clean Humour** (We Don't Tolerate Obscenity, Vulgarity, Racism)

- **L-Lively** (We Are Not Serious !)
- **A-Affectionate** (We Are United And Full Of Affection & Respect)
- **P-Positiveness** (We Hold Exceptionally Optimistic & Daring Approach)

Photography & Media Club

Students can opt for this Club if they have passion for photography. Students of this club are capable of nurturing their photography skills.



*Photographs By Dev Garg B.Tech (I Year)
(Photography Club)*



Rudranil Bhandari BBA-LB (I Year)

Global Expedition to Europe (Paris, Dusseldorf, Brussels, Amsterdam)

Fifteen students of IBS Dehradun with Coordinator Dr Amit Joshi went on a global expedition to Europe for Industrial Visits, Guest Lectures, Workshops and leisure from 16 October 2018 to 23 October 2018.

The day started with extreme tiredness, jet lag and yet loads of excitement. We landed in Paris at around 11:30 in the morning (Paris time). The weather was not very cold as we had expected. We boarded a bus and reached our first destination-OPERA HOUSE. The Opera house was large and beautiful with the architecture and majestic features from the golden centuries. We spent minutes admiring its authenticity and also took a few pictures. We also came across the historic CHAMPS ELY SEES- A long bridge, on which the pompous ceremony and marches are held on the, 14th

of July. Our second destination was the ‘DU MUSEE PARFUM’ FRAGONARD; a perfume museum. Once we entered each of us were given a red sticker with the capital ‘F’ letter written on it. We were first given a small introduction about Fragonard and its past history and then we got to see the making of perfumes what they were all about and why were they different. We stopped at McDonalds for a short lunch and then our next stop was The EIFFEL TOWER. The view of the tower took our breath away. We got a chance to take pictures at distance first and then after a long wait right under the



Eiffel tower we finally got a ride up the tower till the 2nd floor. We had an appointment at 7:30 to go up the Eiffel tower. The elevator was big and could take up to 50 people and it would go up slanting!! Once were on the top the view of the whole city blew our minds away. The twinkling little lights and the cool breeze were just too much to take in.



BRUSSELS: We began our journey to the city of Brussels at 9 A.M, and our first stop was Coca Cola Industry. There we learned about how Coca cola is manufactured and distributed, we were informed about the safety norms followed by the company then we went on to see the fully automated warehouse of the plant. Next stop was the, Museum of the National Bank of Belgium; there we learned the history of money from how the humans if agree upon would consider rocks and shells currency, to the part where the monarchs printed their own face as propaganda.

DUSSELDORF: Our day started at 8:30 in the morning. We had a lavish and extremely delicious breakfast including pancakes sandwiches juices croissants coffee and much more. After the filling and extremely satisfying breakfast we had set out to tour around Brussels. We first were taken to an amazing chocolate shop where each of us were given a yummy piece of chocolate to taste. We were allowed to look around the shop and buy chocolates.

Workshop: Doctor Stiner, a visiting faculty soon to be turned permanent conducted a workshop on “Digital Thinking”, the workshop helped students learn about the new features that would be in trend in the near future in businesses.

The next part of the lecture was followed by the opportunities that an individual might get, in Germany, as they are facing a problem of decreasing working population they are trying to soften up the visa process for the working class qualified professionals so finding work in Germany would become easy.

During the time the Students were busy with the workshop, Our Professor Doctor Amit Joshi, also after being invited gave a guest lecture, to the Students of FOM, which received a lot of positive reviews.



Guest Lecture by Dr Amit Joshi:

As we were busy in analyzing and estimating how we could get our placement in this magnificent country, our professor was escorted to a different facility, where he was required to conduct a session for the final year students belonging to BBA Program with specialization in International Business. It was a coincidence that Dr Joshi holds a diploma in International Business and the topic he had chosen for the session was cross cultural communication.

AMSTERDAM: We packed our bags and left our hotels as early as we could, as the Next destination was the one that all were waiting for eagerly, Amsterdam. After this we reached Amsterdam, the first place was the beautiful Victoria hotel, and right in front of that was the famous canals that flowed beautifully, and we all took a tour of the city via a cruise, it was a beautiful experience , after which the students were given the evening free, where they shopped, and roamed around the Dam Square, the evening in Amsterdam was like a dream come true, and like a dream the day came to an end, and we headed back to our hotels after a nice warm meal.

The students today visited the famous Zaanse Schans village, “Henri Willi” found this place, where cheese was manufactured.

Like all good things come to an end so did this trip, we woke up, and packed our bags and left for the airport to catch a connecting flight to New Delhi. This trip has been an amazing opportunity for all of us to hone our skills, and give us exposures, we learnt so much not from just the workshops, but visiting each location and mingling with local population, this one week will be remembered throughout our lives and we cannot wait, for an opportunity to go back once again to the beautiful Nations of Europe.



Spell Binders



Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp 24th Oct 2018 to 26th Oct 2018

Incubation and Entrepreneurship Development Cell of The ICFAI University, Dehradun in collaboration with National Science and Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board (NSTEDB) Department of Science and Technology, Government of India conducted the Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp (EAC), at IUD Auditorium.

The EAC was inaugurated by Prof.(Dr.)Pawan Kumar Aggarwal Vice Chancellor, ICFAI University Dehradun. The Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof.(Dr.) Muddu Vinay and faculty members were present on the occasion.

78 M.Tech and B.Tech. students from IUD and Shivalik Engineering College participated in the EAC. The Guest Speakers included Mr.Shikhar Saxena, General Manager, Directorate of Industries; Mr.Pradeep Kumar Singhal, Central Manager UCO Bank and Mr. Nitin Mittal, Proprietor Instruments-Systems.



Sessions were taken by Maj.(Dr.)V.N.Saxena, In charge IEDC, IUD, Ms. Malabika Sen, Mr. Sanjeev Kumar and Mr.Mohd. Imran.

Students were briefed on what skills are required to be a good entrepreneur and how the Directorate of Industries & Banks can facilitate them for opening a start up.

Vishwakarma Pooja Celebration

The ICFAI Tech School celebrated Vishwakarma Puja on 17th September 2018 at IUD Workshop.



Vishwakarma Day, also known as Vishwakarma Jayanti or Vishwakarma Puja, is a day of celebration for Vishwakarma, a Hindu God, the divine architect. He is considered as swayambhu and creator of the world. He constructed the holy city of Dwarka where Krishna ruled, the Maya Sabha of the Pandavas, and was the creator of many fabulous weapons for the Gods. He is also called the divine carpenter. His name is mentioned in the Rig Veda, and is credited with Sthapatya Veda, the science of mechanics and architecture.

The holy rituals were carried out and prasad was distributed among the faculty members, the staff and the students.

Communication & Creativity

On 8th Aug. 2018, Ms. Aditi Singhal, organized a few Team Building and Communication Skill Activities like “Chinese Whisper”, “Passing the Coin”, “Swap Places”, “I belong to you”, “Tom & Jerry”, “Finish Me”, “Build A Tower”, “Story Showcase” etc. along with a brain storming “Group Discussion” session for the students of ICFAI Tech School in order to emphasize concepts discussed below:



Team Work: It is the collaborative effort of a team to achieve a common goal or to complete a task in the most effective and efficient way. This concept is seen within the greater framework of a group of interdependent individuals who work together towards a common goal.

Competitive Spirit: This is being enthusiastic about the competitive atmosphere in whatever they do. These people are often seen as being very confident and always up for a challenge.



Give a deaf ear to Gossips: It focused on the fact that how Gossips in an organization can be harmful and how adversely they distort the initial conversation with lot of gaps in between.

Coordination: The process of organizing people or groups so that they work together properly and in harmony with synchronization.

Communication Skills: In a group while sharing your opinions and exchanging views with others you will automatically improve your communication skills.

Divergent Thinking: Group Discussion enables a participating candidate to think in divergent directions to generate more points and a good presentation of the topic in the group.

Analytical Skills: One should have enough analytical ability to analyse the topic and the points and then present them in front of others for discussion. You need to be careful so that there is no logical inconsistency in your points.



Freshers Party 2K18

Fresher party 2K18 was jointly organized by ITS, IEdS and IBS (for BBA only) on 12th September 2018 at IUD auditorium. The event was coordinated by Prof. Debanjali Barman Roy and Dr. Gaurav Bhandari (SAC coordinators, ITS). B.Tech and B.Sc 2nd year students did a fabulous job in organizing the Freshers' Party. The event was a great success having a blend of singing, Dancing and skits. The I-Next danik jagran programme (Fresh and crazy) was also a part of Fresher party. Different tags were given to the 1st year students.

Mr. Fresher: Mr. Garvit Sharma

Ms. Fresher: Shruti KC

Ms. Eve: Monisha

Mr. Entrainer: Abhishek Asthana

Ms. Theme: Kanishka Reddy

Techno-Vision

ICFAI Tech School organized technical event day "TECHNO-VISION" on 27th September 2018. The event started with the lightning of the lamp and the



speech of the Associate Dean of ITS, Dr. Sandip Vijay. The highlight of the show was the skit played by the ITS students which reflected the life of an engineering students.

The following technical events were organized.

1. Technical Quiz
2. Coding
3. Extempore
4. Poster making
5. Counter strike

The ITS students participated in all the events with full zeal and enthusiasm. The event was a great success.

Newbie JAM (Just A Minute) Event

The Campus to Corporate (Udaan) Club organized a Newbie Just A Minute Event under the mentorship of Ms Aditi Singhal on 09th August. 2018. All the students participated with lot of Energy and Enthusiasm.

Many Activities were conducted starting from "Dumb Charades" which tested the Team Work and Non-Verbal Communication Skills. Then was "The Game of Pyramids" which taught us Concentration, Strategy Formulation and giving a deaf ear to Distractions. Next in row was "The Catchy Bucket" which demanded a high level of Focus and Aim. The fourth activity that came up was "Childhood Days" which tested the Time Management and Precision Skills. Next was "Word Power" which spoke about the importance of correct spellings and Memorizing things. The Last but not the least activity was "Blow and Blast" which focused on Co-ordination and Speed.





The Event ended with an appreciation and encouragement Speech by Asst Prof. Aditi Singhal and Prizes were distributed to the winners. The organizing Committee members were Garvit Sharma, Kaushiki Keshari, Devashish, Devanshi Bajpayee, Abhineet Kumar, Rajnandini Dutta, Himanshu, Kaushiki Mukherjee and Gaurav Mishra.

IBS Debate Competition

A Debate competition was organized by IBS on 28th July 2018. The topic for debate competition was “Do B –schools fit square nuts into round holes?”

The jury team comprised of Ms. Aditi Singhal & Ms. Malabika Sen. The judges also gave their views on the topic and wished all the participants a better future and appreciated them for participation in the debate competition.

The results were as follows:

1ST Prize- Harshita Kore MBA III

2ND Prize- Dimple Roy MBA III

3RD Prize- Bharat Sharma MBA I

All the participants were given certificates. The organizers were Divisha Sinha, Manish Kumar Verma & Abhishek Toppo.



Learning Management System and Moodle - Mobile Application Workshop

A two days workshop on Learning Management System and Moodle - Mobile Application was conducted by Dr. Indira Koneru from IBS Hyderabad on 13-14 Oct, 2018 for IUD faculties at Dehradun campus. Ms. Sonia Gambhir and Dr. Rashmi Chaudhary from IBS were the coordinators for the workshop. Selected faculties from all the department of IUD attended the workshop and was given hands on training by the trainer. The workshop was organized to train the IUD faculties on building skills and knowledge in developing courses in a digital format. The focus of the workshop was on teaching the practical skills of using the Moodle Learning Management System platform.

Over the course of the 2 days, faculties were immersed in learning about Moodle platform and instructions were followed by practical learning and apply skills learned.

The workshop concluded with all participants having overview to a Moodle platform for practice and to build out their specific online course resources and activities.



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साल 1947 में जब अंग्रेजी हुकूमत से भारत आजाद हुआ तो उसके सामने भाषा को लेकर सबसे बड़ा सवाल था. क्योंकि भारत में सैकड़ों भाषाएं और बोलियां बोली जाती हैं. 6 दिसंबर 1946 में आजाद भारत का संविधान तैयार करने के लिए संविधान का गठन हुआ. संविधान सभा ने अपना 26 नवंबर 1949 को संविधान के अंतिम प्रारूप को मंजूरी दे दी. आजाद भारत का अपना संविधान 26 जनवरी 1950 से पूरे देश में लागू हुआ.

लेकिन भारत की कौन सी राष्ट्रभाषा चुनी जाएगी ये मुद्दा काफी अहम था. काफी सोच विचार के बाद हिन्दी और अंग्रेजी को नए राष्ट्र की भाषा चुना गया. संविधान सभा ने देवनागरी लिपी में लिखी हिन्दी को अंग्रेजों के साथ राष्ट्र की आधिकारिक भाषा के तौर पर स्वीकार किया था. 14 सितंबर 1949 को संविधान सभा ने एक मत से निर्णय लिया कि हिंदी ही भारत की राजभाषा होगी.

देश के पहले प्रधानमंत्री जवाहरलाल नेहरू ने कहा कि इस दिन के महत्व देखते हुए हर साल 14 सितंबर को हिंदी दिवस मनाया जाए. बता दें पहला हिंदी दिवस 14 सितंबर 1953 में मनाया गया था.



Expert talk on 'Challenges in Cyber Security'

Cyberspace comprises IT networks, computer resources, and all the fixed and mobile devices connected to the global Internet. A nation's cyberspace is part of the global cyberspace; it cannot be isolated to define its boundaries since cyberspace is borderless. This is what makes cyberspace unique. Unlike the physical world that is limited by geographical boundaries in space—land, sea, river waters, and air—cyberspace can and is continuing to expand. Increased Internet penetration is leading to growth of cyberspace, since its size is proportional to the activities that are carried through it.

Protection of critical infrastructure operations has emerged as a major challenge. This is because trillions of dollars move through the networks every day involving a broad range of activities, including e-commerce, e-governance, travel,



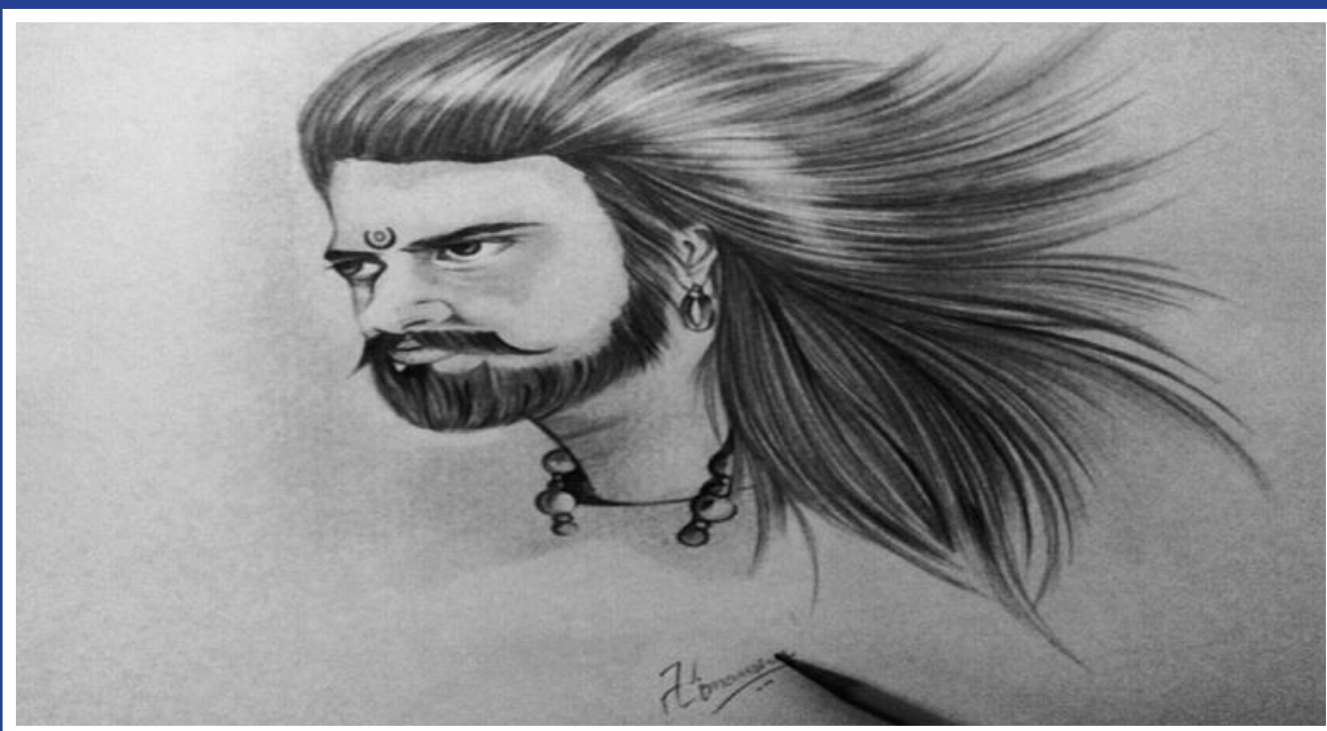
hospitality, health care, and general communications. Several security surveys point to this need. They reveal a lack of adequate knowledge among executives about security policy and incidents, the latest technological solutions, data leakage, financial loss, and the training that is needed for their employees.

Students were briefed about the various challenges of cyber security by Professor Alok Aggarwal. The students had a healthy discussion where they were able to speak about the issues freely, understand them fully, and consider them honestly

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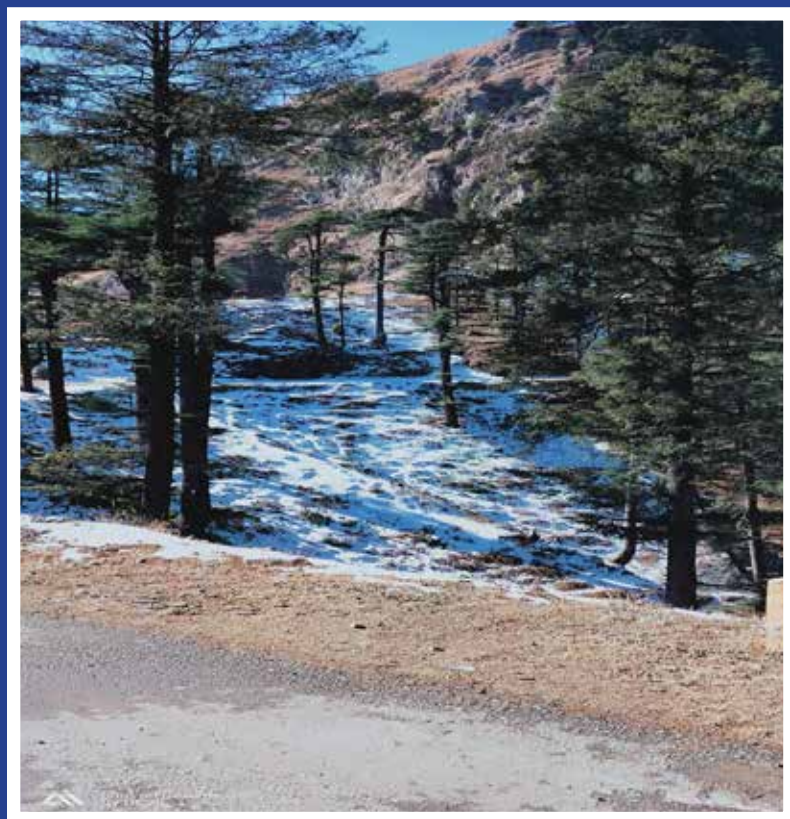
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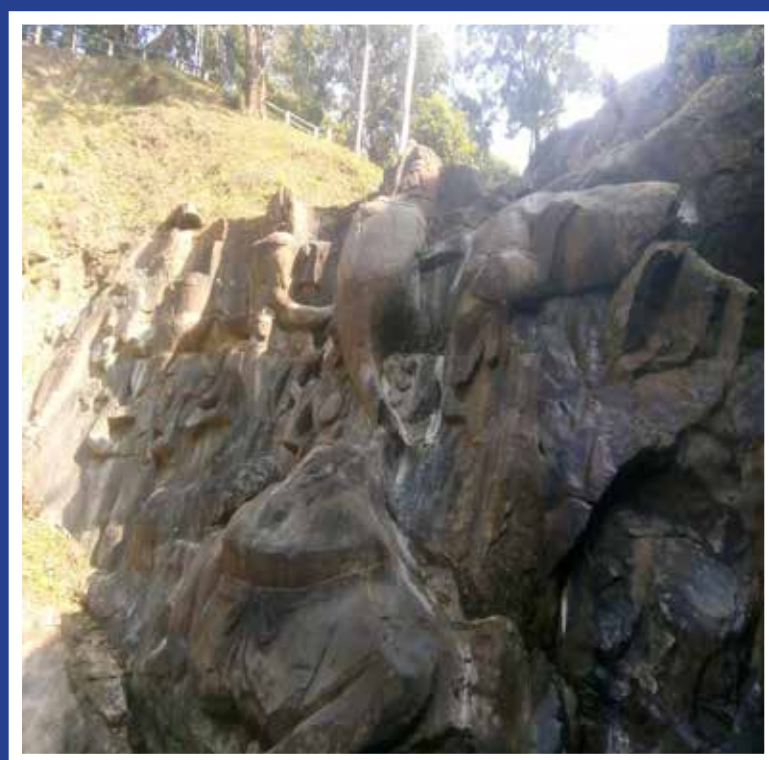
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"Friendship among Earth Ice and Sky" by Dev Garg B. Tech (I Year)



“Celebrating festivity” by Mohit Kumar Singh B.Tech (I Year)



*“A Historical Marvel” (Tribal Sculpture of Tripura, created 2500 years ago,
Found at Kailasahar, North Tripura) by Subhrajit Roy, M Tech (CSE)*



The ICFAI University Dehradun pic by Rudranil Bhandari, BBA-LLB (I Year)

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