

Internationalization

Internationalization is viewed as a very important step in providing global experience to students. This section presents information through Visitors at the University Departments and Colleges, Faculty as well as students visits to foreign universities, MOU'S signed with foreign universities, grants received, and International Collaboration.

Visitors at the University Departments and Colleges

Departments

Applied Linguistics

 Dr. Zdravaka Matcic, University of Zagreb, Croatia, visited Department of Applied Linguistics on 17th January, 2013.

Continuing & Adult Education

- Mr. Keshav Sharma, PRISM, Nepal, Kagad Kach Patra Kashtakari Panchayat (KKPKP), SWaCH work, visited Dr. Jagtap regarding waste management, on 07th September 2012.
- Nirmal Sikdel, PRISM, Nepal, kkpkp, SWaCH work, visited Dr. Jagtap regarding waste management, on 24th December 2012.
- Rhonda Douglas & Pauline, from Manchester, UK, WIEGO Projects Representatives for Review, on 23rd May 2013.

Economics, Mumbai

- Dr. Gunnar Gilbert, Gothenburg University, visited the Department for the Collaborative Research, on 04th March 2013.
- Dr. Alice Clark, USA, visited the P.G. Department of Economics, Mumbai, for Research purpose, on 11th March 2013.

Education

 Dr. Yael Sharon, member of the board of directors of the International Association for the Study of Cooperation in Education and a member of the International Association for Intercultural Education, Israel, gave a one day workshop on Co-Operative Learning, on 2 February 2013

Educational Technology

Following experts participated in the International Conference on 'Open and Flexible Distance Learning' organized by the department during February 20-22, 2013.

- Prof. Tan Sri Anuwar Ali, Vice Chancellor, Open University, Malaysia
- Prof. Rory McGreal, COL-UNESCO Chair in OER, Australia (Prof. at Athabasca University, Canada)

- Prof. Matiual Alam, University of British Columbia, Canada. He also visited the Department to deliver a lecture to 'E learning experience of University of British Columbia, Canada on February 25, 2013 to students.
- Prof. Madhumita Bhattacharya, Centre for Asia-Pacific Initiatives, University of Victoria, Victoria, BC, Canada
- Prof. Dr. Mansor Fadzil, Senior Vice President, Open University, Malaysia
- Prof. Frank Banks, Director, International Teacher Education, The OU, UK

There were 12 foreign delegates attending this conference

English

- Inez Barnay, University of Istanbul, Turkey, gave a lecture on creative writing on 24 December 2012.
- Ahdaf Soueif, Novelist, Egypt and U.K., talked about Women in Public Sphere: Perspectives from Egypt and U.K, in collaboration with British Council, on 8 February 2013.
- Parvin Cooper, California State University, Long Beach, CA gave a lecture on Comparative World Literature on 30th November 2012.

Gujarati

 Mr. Pritam Lachlan, Poet from USA visited the department and recited poems for the Students on 26 March 2013

Human Development

 Dr. Lily Wong, Executive Director of Advent Links-SAUC and Education Centre for Children and Family Studies, Singapore, visited the Department for the purpose of Paper presentation in Conference, on 25-26 February 2013.

Psychology, Mumbai

 International trainer Dr. Gary Quinn from EMDR Institute, Inc, California, USA conducted EMDR trauma Counselling during July 10-17, 2012.

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Research Centre for Women's Studies

- Dr. Margaret Allen, Professor Emerita, Gender Studies & Social Analysis, University of Adelaide, South Australia, conducted a seminar on Australian Women Missionaries in India in the Late 19th & 20th Centuries, on 10 Jan 2013.
- Professor Patricia Uberoi, Honorary Fellow & Vice-Chairperson, Institute of Chinese Studies, Delhi, visited RCWS and participated in an interactive discussion on the film- My Mother India, on 25th September 2012.

Sanskrit

 Prof. Ramesh Ganguli from University of Washington, USA delivered lecture on "Aesthetics of space, music and dance" on Feb. 13, 2014.

Special Education

 Ms. Marit Vroog, The Estonian Chamber of Disabled People, Estonia, visited Department of Special Education & Arushi- The Learning Centre & CARE, for the purpose of Placement in Arushi for Profession and Cultural Exchange Program under Council of International Fellowship. She worked in the department during the period 3-14 December 2012.

SHPT School of Library Science

 Prof Gail McMilllan, from Virginia Tech's University Library visited the Department and had interactive session on Digital Libraries and virtual tour of Virginia Tech University Libraries, on 9 January 2013

Colleges

C.U. Shah College of Pharmacy

- Sevda Senel, Professor Pharmaceutical Technology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Department of Pharmaceutical Technology, from Hacettepe University, Turkey, delivered lecture on Buccal Drug delivery systems, on 23rd January 2013.
- Mr. Vinod Labhasetwar, Department of Biomedical Engineering (ND20), Cleveland Clinic Lerner Research Institute, USA, delivered lecture on Nanomedicine for treatment of cancer, on 23rd January 2013.
- Professor Antony D'Emanuele, School of Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences, University of Central Lancashire, UK, delivered lecture on "Dendrimers Applications in Nnaomedicine" on 14th January 2013.

L.T. College of Nursing

 Witney Fernandes, University of Wollongong Australia, Sydney, Australia, gave a Lecture on Evidence based practise, on 19th December 2013.

Visits by Vice-Chancellor, Pro-Vice Chancellor and University Officers

- Prof. Vasudha Kamat, Vice Chancellor participated in the WISE Education Leadership Programme in Doha, Qatar, jointly organised by the International Institute of Education, USA and WISE, Qatar. (Oct 7-11, 2012)
- Dr. Vandana Chakrabarti, Pro-Vice Chancellor visited 7 universities and 5 colleges in USA under Fulbright Fellowship for Senior Educational Administrators. Oct 18-Nov 4, 2012.
- Prof. Madhura Kesarkar, Director, BCUD presented a paper on 'Evaluation of Learning Objects' at Regional Symposium on Open Education Resources: An Asian Perspective on Policy and Practices, Wawasan Open University, Malaysia, September 19-21, 2012
 - Please refer to section on "Papers presented by the faculty members" for faculty presenting papers at foreign universities.

Student's visit to foreign universities Department of Educational Technology

 Ms. Meenal Bandivdekar and Ms. Dimple Shah, Sem IV students worked as interns for 2 months at Sampoorna Foundation University, Jakarta, Indonesia (May 2013)

MOU'S signed with foreign universities during the year 2012-13

Name of the Organisation	Date
University of Stirling, Scotland	May 17, 2012
Universitй du Quйbec Montrйal (UQAM), Montreal, Canada	June 7, 2012
The University of British Columbia, Faculty of Education (UBC), Vancouver, Canada	November 8, 2012
Consulate General of Canada	February 18, 2013
Open University Malaysia (OUM)	February 18, 2013

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MOU with Open University Malaysia

Grants and Awards received

 Dr. K K Singh, Principal, C U Shah College of Pharmacy received £3000 grant under UKIREI (UK India Educational Research Initiatives) Fellowship. She visited University of Bradford, UK during Nov 5-23, 2012.

Seminars, Meetings, Talks Organised (International Collaboration)

International Cell

- Organised One day Seminar for faculty (Oct 3, 2012) on Internationalization at SNDTWU was conducted at Juhu.
 Prof. Powar, Ex VC, Shivaji University, Kolhapur and Dr. Lavakare Consultant, IIE, USA were invited as resource persons.
- Prof Vandana Chakrabarti, Chairperson, International Cell had a meeting with Director, ICCR, for granting scholarship to at least 100 foreign students in 2013-14 on 3 campuses.
- Seminar on Sustainable Development: Perspectives from India and Canada was organized on March 19-20, 2013.

Department of Educational Technology

- India-Canada International Conference on "Open and Flexible Distance Learning" was organised in collaboration with UGC Area Centre in Canadian Studies, SNDT Women's University from February 20-22, 2013.
- The Department in collaboration with Commonwealth of Learning, Canada conducted five workshops on "Integrating ICTs in Higher Education" from June 2012 to April 2013 for SNDT Women's University faculty members.

Department of English

- International Seminar on Round table on Rethinking Literature Studies: Perspectives India-Canada, was organised by the department in collaboration with UGC Area Studies for Canadian Studies on March 21-22, 2013.
- Ms. Mridula Nath Chakraborty, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Writing and Society Research Centre, School of Humanities and Communication Arts, University of Western Sydney, Australia conducted a seminar in February 2013.
- In Collaboration with British Council a symposia on Women in the Public Sphere: Perspectives from Egypt and Uk
 was conducted by Ahdaf Soueif, an eminent novelist from Egypt and the UK in February 2013
- Organised Quйbec Film Utsav (Discovery of Quйbec through Cinema) on 29-30, January 2013, in collaboration with UGC Area Studies Centre for Canadian Studies, SNDTWU and Bureau du Quйbec: Mumbai. Quebec Minister Jean-Fransois Lisйe (International Relations, Francophonie, External Trade) and Minister Elaine Zakanb (State minister for Finance, Industrial Policy) inaugurated the Film Utsav and had an open interaction with the students.