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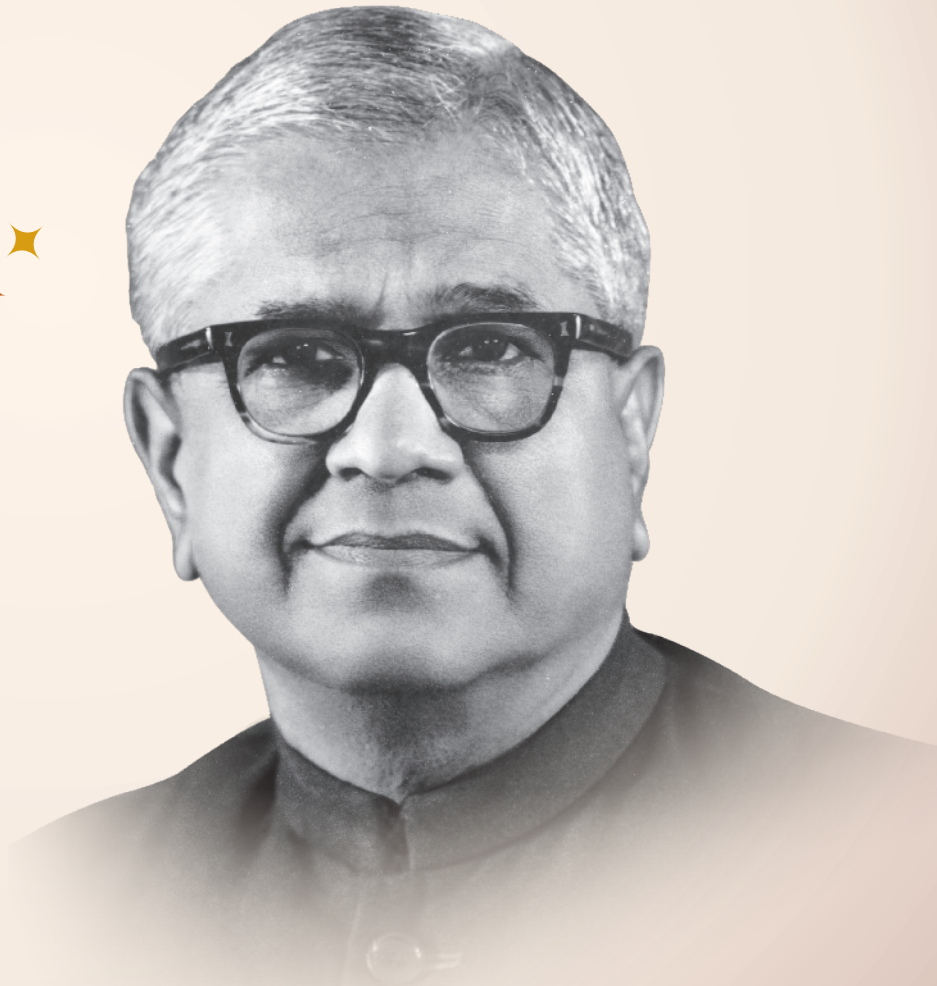

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Message I

Message

Looking back on our achievements of 2025, I take immense pride in the continued evolution of Manipal Academy of Higher Education as a globally respected institution of learning, research, and societal impact. This year stands as a testament to our solid quest for excellence and our readiness to lead in a rapidly transforming academic landscape.

In 2025, MAHE notably strengthened its standing as one of the top three universities in the country in the NIRF ranking and in various international rankings, reinforcing our reputation for academic quality and research rigour. Our faculty and students made significant contributions across diverse disciplines, driving impactful research, interdisciplinary innovation, and meaningful solutions to real-world challenges. The expansion of research ecosystems, along with enhanced industry and global academic collaborations, further amplified our reach and relevance.

The year also witnessed important developments in infrastructure and digital capabilities, creating future-ready learning environments that support innovation, inclusivity, and sustainability. These milestones reflect the collective commitment of the MAHE community to progress with purpose.

As we look ahead, we remain guided by our core values, confident in our ability to embrace new opportunities and responsibilities. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to our students, faculty, staff, alumni, and partners whose dedication continues to propel MAHE forward. Together, we will inspire a passion for knowledge, foster innovative discoveries, and profoundly transform lives through the empowering journey of education.

Dr Ramdas M Pai
Chancellor

INSTITUTION of EMINENCE

Message

It is a privilege to pen this message for the Annual Report of Manipal Academy of Higher Education for the year 2025, a year marked by strategic growth, academic distinction, and strengthened global engagement.

Throughout the year, MAHE achieved significant progress across key institutional priorities. Improvements in academic rankings, the launch and expansion of focused research initiatives, and increased research output reflect our sustained emphasis on quality and impact. Our growing portfolio of international collaborations and partnerships has further enhanced student and faculty mobility, joint research, and global academic exchange.

2025 also saw continued investment in state-of-the-art infrastructure, advanced laboratories, and technology-enabled learning spaces, supporting an ecosystem that nurtures innovation and holistic development. These achievements underscore MAHE's ability to adapt, lead, and remain relevant in an evolving higher education environment.

As we celebrate the year's accomplishments, we remain firmly committed to our mission of delivering holistic education rooted in ethical values, research excellence, and societal responsibility. I would like to express my sincere appreciation to our students, faculty, staff, alumni, and partners whose collective efforts have made these milestones possible.

With confidence and clarity of purpose, we move forward to build on this momentum and further elevate MAHE's impact on the global education landscape.

Dr H S Ballal
Pro Chancellor

INSTITUTION of EMINENCE

Message

It is a moment of reflection and pride for Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) while I pen this message. Guided by the enduring vision of our founder, the late Dr TMA Pai, MAHE continues to evolve as a globally engaged, research led, multidisciplinary institution committed to excellence, inclusivity, and service to society.

As an Institution of Eminence, MAHE has strengthened its academic and research standing during the year. In NIRF 2025, MAHE was ranked 3rd among Universities, 14th overall, and 19th in Research, with several constituent institutions achieving top discipline level rankings. Our continued presence in global rankings such as QS, Times Higher Education, and Shanghai Rankings, including subject specific recognitions, reflects sustained international visibility and credibility.

MAHE currently consists of 29 professional institutions, including the University teaching departments that were upgraded to form 3 new institutions this year.

Research and innovation remain central to our mission. New state of the art research laboratories and national recognition as an AI Centre of Excellence in Healthcare, MAHE continues to contribute meaningfully to knowledge creation and societal impact.

Beyond academics, MAHE's contributions to healthcare, community engagement, Indian knowledge systems, and a 2.7 lakh-strong global alumni network remain integral to our identity.

These achievements are a reflection of the dedication of our faculty, staff, students, alumni, and administrators, supported by the guidance of the MAHE Trust and leadership. As we move forward, MAHE remains steadfast in shaping responsible global citizens and advancing knowledge for the public good.

Before concluding, I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the Editorial Team, headed by the Director, Quality, for their dedicated efforts in creating this extensive report, which will serve as a vital knowledge repository for all University stakeholders

Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh
Vice Chancellor

INSTITUTION of EMINENCE

Message

The annual report of MAHE reflects the progress made by the university and its Constituent Units/Teaching Departments. It has been a fantastic year for Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) on all fronts. MAHE is now ranked #3 in NIRF 2025, ranked #206 in QS Asia World University Rankings, #601–800 in Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings, and #851–900 in QS World Rankings. This is in addition to being #1 in the UI Green Metric World University ranking in India and #117 Globally.

The year 2025 has been an excellent period for MAHE in terms of admissions, the start of new programs, the quality & quantity of research publications, and student & faculty achievements. The quality of the content and its delivery, along with the niche programs offered, have generated a lot of interest, enhancing significant brand recall.

On behalf of all at MAHE, we thank you and your team for your significant contributions towards the growth of the University/Institute/School/Department and look forward to working with you in building on the successes achieved over the years, in making MAHE the preferred destination for multi-disciplinary programs.

I congratulate the Editorial Team of the Annual Report 2025 for their efforts in successfully compiling and presenting all the activities and accomplishments of the University and its constituent units.

Dr P Giridhar Kini
Registrar, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE)
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Prominent Visitors on Campus

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Prominent Visitors on Campus

Sl No	Date and Month	Country	University	Guest Name and Designation
1	22–23 Jan 2025	Philippines	Holy Cross of Davao College	Br Noelvic H Deloria, S C, President Dr Teresa P Fabiania, Vice President for Academic Affairs Ms Sheryl J Urdaneta, Head of the Center for Linkages, Internationalization, and Language Studies Engr Gernanate Polestico, Head, Information Communication Technology
2	01-Feb-25	UK	University of Surrey	Prof Max Lu, President and Vice Chancellor Prof Satheesh Krishnamurthy, Director of Surrey Ion Beam Centre Dr Tina Schilbach, International Partnerships Manager
3	29–30 Jan 2025	Australia	Deakin University	Prof David Dunstan, Head, Baker-Deakin Department Lifestyle and Diabetes, Chair of Lifestyle and Diabetes, Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition, Faculty of Health Prof Robin Daly, Chair in Exercise and Ageing, Faculty of Health/School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences/Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition Prof Jane Speight, Chair, Behavioural and Social Research in Diabetes, Faculty of Health/School of Psychology/Institute for Health Transformation Dr Saleh Gharaie, Senior Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering, School of Engineering, Faculty of Science, Engineering and Built Environment Dr Paul Jansons, Executive Dean, Senior Research Fellow, Faculty of Health/School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences/Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition Associate Professor Chandan Karmakar, Associate Professor, Faculty of Science Engineering and Built Environment/School of Information Technology Prof Bas Baskaran, Associate Dean, International and Partnerships Faculty of Science Engineering and Built Environment/Office of the Executive Dean Science Engineering Prof Bernard Rolfe, Associate Dean (Research) – Faculty of Science, Engineering and Built Environment (SEBE), Professor of Advanced Manufacturing (Mechanical) at Deakin University, Australia Prof Abbas Kouzani, Professor Faculty of Science Engineering and Built Environment/School of Engineering/Centre for Sustainable Bio-Products

Sl No	Date and Month	Country	University	Guest Name and Designation
				Prof Pubudu Pathirana, Professor, Faculty of Science Engineering and Built Environment/School of Engineering/Institute for Health Transformation Dr Rena Logothetis, Senior Research Fellow, Applied Artificial Intelligence Institute (D) Prof Sally McArthur, Director, Institute for Frontier Materials Prof Joselito M. Razal (Joe), Institute for Frontier Materials/Institute for Frontier Materials Fibres and Textiles Associate Professor Samer Hanoun, Associate Professor of Simulation and Scheduling, Institute for Intelligent Systems Research and Innovation Mr Basab Choudhury, Head – Recruitment & Business Development (South Asia) Ms Irfa Javed, Manager—Research Engagement (South Asia) Mr Shijomon Yesudhas, Manager—Business Development (South Asia)
4	18 Feb 2025	England	University of Manchester	Dr Ingo Schiessl, Associate for Dean Internationalisation for the Faculty of Biology, Medicine and Health Ms Aprajita Kalra, Principal Advisor, UK India Business Council
5	12 Feb 2025	Singapore	National University of Singapore	Professor Nick Watts, Director of the Centre for Sustainable Medicine Ms Sweny Rokani, Representative India, Academic Programmes Business Unit
6	14 Feb 2025	Ireland	University College of Dublin	Prof Eileen Gibney, Director, University College Dublin Institute of Food and Health Prof Frank Monahan, Head of School, School of Agriculture and Food Science
7	4 Mar 2025	Australia	University of Queensland	Mr. Saravanan (Saran) Nagarathinam, Manager, Strategy and Partnerships, Global Strategy and Partnerships
8	6 Mar 2025	US	EducationUS @ US—India Educational Foundation (USIEF), Chennai	Mr Eric Atkins, Cultural Affairs Officer Ms Shanthi Mohan, Education US Adviser and Team
9	11 Mar 2025	South Africa	North-West University	Prof Binu Luke, Extraordinary Associate Professor, Head of Clinical Services
10	13–15 Mar 2025	Canada	University of New	Dr John A Kershaw, Jr, Assistant Vice President Academic (Partnerships), Professor of Forest Mensuration/Faculty of

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			Brunswick	Forestry and Environment Management Prof Rhonda Bourque, Assistant and Manager of Partnership Processes
11	24 Mar 2025	Australia	Deakin University	Dr Rakesh Pati, Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Business and Law Ms Irfa Javed, Manager, Research Partnerships (South Asia)
12	20 Mar 2025	Austria	Montanuniversität Leoben	Dr Susanne Feiel, Director of International Relations Office Mr Clemens Weihs, Communication and Stakeholder Management
13	28 Mar 2025	Canada	Capilano University	Dr Aurelea Mahood, Associate Vice-President, Academic, and Vice provost Dr Chris Bottrill, Associate Vice President, International
14	8–10 Apr 2025	France	University of Lille	Prof Didier Gosset, President for Strategic Partnerships and Ambassador Prof Joseph Armando Soba, Director for International Development
15	10 Apr 2025	England	Global Training and Education Centre and NHS England	Professor Ian Cumming OBE, Chair in Global Healthcare at Keele University and UK Ambassador for Healthcare to the Overseas Territories Professor Ged Byrne MBE, Director of Global Health at NHS England and Professor of Medical Education at the University of Manchester Professor Heidi Fuller, Professor of Medical Science and Head of the School of Allied Health Professions and Pharmacy at Keele University Mr AV Vidhyashankar, Chief Executive Officer of Abhinava Global Academy and Ambassador, India
16	16 Apr 2025	US	Northeastern University	Mr Vamshi Krishna Janga, Assistant Director of Academic Partnerships, South Asia
17	22 May 2025	UK	University of Manchester	Prof Stephan Flint, Associate Vice President International Prof Keith Brennan, Associate Dean for Internationalization
18	28 Apr 2025	France	France Consul General	Mr Marc LAMY, Consul General of France Ms Vinisha Paiva, Deputy Attaché for Academic and Scientific Cooperation, Embassy of France in India
19	28–30 Apr 2025	Australia	The University of Melbourne	Dr Justin Bilzta, Director, Custom Programs A/Prof Anita Horvath, Course Convenor, Master of Clinical Research, and Academic Leader for Dual Degrees Dr Nilakshi Waidyatillake, Course Convenor, Bachelor of

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				Medical Science Honours
20	12–15 May 2025	New York	City University	Dr Sunil Bhaskaran, Professor, City University of New York (BCC and Graduate Center) and Founding Director, Bronx Community College Geospatial Center of the City University of New York CREST Institute [BGCCCI]
21	14–15 Jul 2025	UK	The University of Manchester	Ms Deborah Williams, Placement and International Programmes Officer
22	11 Jul 2025	Australia	Deakin University	Mr Abhinandan, Manager, Business Development Ms Irfa Javed, Manager, Research Partnerships (South Asia)
23	8 Aug 2025	Australia	Deakin University	Mr Basab Choudhury, Head, Recruitment and Business Development (South Asia)
24	9–10 Sep 2025	Bangalore	Scientific Attache and Alliance Francaise	Mr Antoine Guillemet, Attaché for Academic and Scientific Cooperation, Central South, Embassy of France in India Mr Jean-Marc Dépierre, Director, Alliance Française Bangalore Ms Fanny Brun, Course Director, Alliance Française Bangalore
25	25 Sep 2025	Australia	Deakin University	Ms Janine McBurnie, Head, School of Life and Environment Sciences Dr Motilal Mathesh, Professor, Biotechnology, School of Life and Environment Sciences Ms Irfa Javed, Manager, Research Partnerships (South Asia)
26	17 Sep 2025	Austria	Montanuniversität Leoben	Dr Peter Moser, Rector Dr Ing Susanne Feiel, Head, Department of International Relations and European University Mr Clemens Weihs, Team Lead for Strategic Partnerships—International Relations and European University Ms Viruschka Tewary, Operational Implementation of the Strategic Country Initiative Focus India
27	31 Oct 2025	Russia	HSE University Saint-Petersburg	Dr Anna Tyshetskaya, Vice Chancellor and Director, Associate Professor at the Department of Media, School of Arts and Humanities Dr Manoj Sharma, Vice President Mr Selivanov Dmitry, Head of the Department of India Ms Daria Ivanova, Assistant to Director on international relations
28	16 Dec 2025	France	Embassy of France in India—Olympism	Mr Antoine Guillemet, Attaché for Academic and Scientific Cooperation, Central South, Embassy of France in India Prof Eric Monnin, French sports historian and sociologist, specializing in the International Olympic Movement

Overview III

Mission, Vision, Objectives

Mission

Be the most preferred choice of students, faculty and industry
Be in the top 10 in every discipline of education, health sciences, engineering and management

Vision

Global leadership in human development, excellence in education and health care

Objectives

a. To provide for higher education leading to excellence and innovations in such branches of knowledge as may be deemed fit, primarily at postgraduate and research degree levels.

b. To engage in areas of specialization with proven ability to make distinctive contributions to the objectives of the higher education system and also with such other subjects that the University may start with.

c. To provide for high-quality teaching and research and the advancement of knowledge and its dissemination through various research programs undertaken in-house by full-time faculty/ research scholars (PhDs and Post-Doctoral) in diverse disciplines.

d. To support, promote and undertake the advancement of academy education leading up to and including Undergraduate, Postgraduate, Doctoral and Post-Doctoral courses in arts, Science, Commerce, Engineering, Medicine, Pharmacy, Dentistry, Nursing, Management, Music, Languages and Fine Arts, Architecture and such others discipline/subjects as the trustees may deem fit.

e. To provide for research and the advancement of and dissemination of knowledge through extension and community service.

f. To promote the Konkani language and the culture of the Konkani speaking people in general and that of the students speaking Konkani in the aforesaid institutions in particular.

g. To do all other acts and things as may be necessary or desirable to further the objectives of the institutions.

Composition of the Board of Management

Sl No	Name and address	Designation
1	**Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh (Retd)** Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Manipal	Chairperson
2	**Dr Sharath Kumar Rao K** Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE, Manipal	Member (Pro Vice Chancellor)
3	**Dr H Sudarshan Ballal** Chairman, Manipal Health Enterprises Private Limited (MHEPL), Bengaluru	Member (Nominee of the Chancellor)
4	**Dr Vishwa Mohan Katoch** President, Tuberculosis Association of India	Member (Nominee of the Chancellor)
5	**Prof Rishikesha T Krishnan** Professor of Strategy, Indian Institute of Management, Bengaluru	Member (Nominee of the Chancellor)
6	**Mr Vaitheeswaran S** Vice Chairman and M D, Manipal Education and Medical Group, Bengaluru	Member (Nominee of the Trust)
7	**Mr Rajen Padukone** "Sharan", 7/8, Palace Cross Road, 2nd Main, Bengaluru 560020	Member (Nominee of the Trust)
8	**Dr H Prakash Chandra Khincha** Chamarajpet, Bengaluru	Member (Nominee of the Trust)
9	**Prof S Sadagopan** Electronics City, Hosur Road, Bengaluru	Member (Nominee of the Trust)
10	**Dr Rajeev Kumra** Professor and Director, T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	Member (Deans of Faculties)
11	**Dr Iven Jose** Professor and Director, Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru	Member (Deans of Faculties)
12	**Dr Padmakumar K** Professor, Department of Corporate Communication, Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal	Member (Teacher Nominee–Professor)
13	**Dr Gagan Bajaj** Associate Professor, Dept. of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	Member (Teacher Nominee–Associate Professor)
14	**Dr Afiya Eram** Assistant Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	Member (Teacher Nominee–Assistant Professor)
15	**Dr P Giridhar Kini** Registrar, MAHE, Manipal	Secretary

Composition of Executive Committee

1)	Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh (Retd), Vice Chancellor	Chairperson
2)	Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar	Member Secretary
		Members
3)	Dr Dilip G Naik	Pro Vice Chancellor (Mangalore campus)
4)	Dr Narayana Sabhahit	Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science)
5)	Dr Sharath Kumar Rao K	Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences)
6)	Dr Madhu Veeraraghavan	Pro Vice Chancellor (Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences) and Pro Vice Chancellor (Bangalore campus)
7)	Dr Anil K Bhat	Dean, KMC, Manipal
8)	Dr Unnikrishnan B	Dean, KMC, Mangalore
9)	Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana	Director, MIT, Manipal
10)	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	Principal, MCOPS, Manipal
11)	Dr Gopalakrishnan Dharmarajan	Dean, MCODS, Manipal
12)	Dr Satish Jayaram	Principal, WGSHA, Manipal
13)	Dr Ashita S Uppoor	Dean, MCODS, Mangalore
14)	Dr Judith Angelitta Noronha	Dean, MCON, Manipal
15)	Dr Hareesha K S	Director, ICAS, Manipal
16)	Dr Shubha H S	Director, MIC, Manipal
17)	Dr Keerthana Jayadeva Prasad	Director, MSIS, Manipal
18)	Dr G Arun Maiya	Dean, MCHP, Manipal
19)	Dr Rajasekharan Pillai K	Incharge Director, MIM, Manipal
20)	Dr Satish Rao B S	Director, MSLS, Manipal
21)	Dr Jyothi Prasanna S	Dean, MIRM, Bengaluru
22)	Dr Kalyan Kumar Mukherjee	Director, MSAP, Manipal
23)	Dr Cherian Varghese	Director, PSPH, Manipal
24)	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	Incharge Director, MIV, Manipal
25)	Dr Arindam Das	Director, SMI, Bengaluru
26)	Brig (Dr) Harish Chander Bandhu	Incharge Dean, MTMC, Jamshedpur
27)	Dr Rajeev Kumra	Director, TAPMI, Manipal
28)	Dr Iven Jose	Director, MIT, Bengaluru
29)	Dr Sarasu Esther Thomas	Director, MLS, Bengaluru
30)	Dr Navaneetha Krishnan S	Dean, TAPMI, Bengaluru
31)	Mrs Saraswathy K	Director, Finance

List of other Committees at the University Level

1 Academic Council
2 Academic and Administrative Heads Committee
3 Advisory Committee for Centre for Doctoral Studies (CDS)
4 Artificial Intelligence (AI) Governing Council
5 Board of Studies
6 Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) under DOE (Directorate of Online Education)
7 Committee for Empowerment of Persons with Disability
8 Committee for Prevention of Caste Based Discrimination
9 Committee of Experts (Fee Fixation Committee)
10 Cultural Coordination Committee
11 Endowment Fund Committee
12 Examination Committee
13 Faculty Selection Committee
14 Finance Committee
15 General Services Committee
16 Grievance Committee
17 Grievance Redressal Committee (Students)
18 Hostel Management Committee
19 Housing Committee
20 Institutional Biosafety Committee
21 Intellectual Property Advisory Board
22 Internal Complaint Committee for Prevention and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Woman at Workplace
23 Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
24 IT Devises Disposal Board (IDDB)
25 Joint Review Committee to monitor Outsourced services
26 MAHE Ethics Committee
27 Malpractice Enquiry Committee
28 Management Review Committee
29 Monitoring Cell on Ragging
30 Monitoring Committee for Hombelaku
31 National Service Scheme (NSS) Advisory Committee
32 Non-teaching Staff Promotion Committee
33 PhD Core Committee
34 PhD Protocol Approval Committee
35 Planning and Monitoring Board
36 Proposal Evaluation Committee (PEC)–Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS)- DST, MAHE Hub
37 Scientific Advisory Committee
38 Scrutiny Committee–Recommending Fee relaxation
39 Sports Council
40 Staff Selection Committee
41 Student Affairs Committee
42 Tree Preservation Committee
43 University Research Committee
44 University Selection Committee (HOD)

MAHE Administrative/Functional Heads as on 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name	Designation
		Top officials
1	Dr Ramdas M Pai	Chancellor
2	Dr H S Ballal	Pro Chancellor
3	Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh	Vice Chancellor
4	Dr Narayana Sabhahit	Pro Vice Chancellor - Technology & Science
5	Dr Dilip Naik	Pro Vice Chancellor - MAHE Mangalore Campus
6	Dr Sharath Kumar Rao K	Pro Vice Chancellor - Health Sciences
7	Prof (Dr) Madhu Veeraraghavan	Pro Vice Chancellor - MAHE Bengaluru Campus
8	Dr Anand Venugopal	Chief Operating Officer - Operations
9	Dr P Giridhar Kini	Registrar
10	Dr Vinod V Thomas	Registrar - Evaluation
		MAHE Administrative/Functional Heads
1	Dr Aditya Mohan Jadhav	Principal Officer - Student Acquisition and Marketing, MAHE Manipal
2	Dr Raghavendra U	Deputy Registrar - Administration & Nodal Officer - Institution of Eminence (IoE)
3	Dr Guruprasad Rao	Deputy Registrar - Academics (Health Sciences)
4	Dr Bore Gowda S B	Deputy Registrar - Academics (Technical)
5	Dr Madhukar Mallya	Deputy Registrar - Evaluation (Health Sciences)
6	Dr Sreedhar D	Deputy Registrar - Evaluation (Health Sciences)
7	Dr Sreejith G	Deputy Registrar - Evaluation (Health Sciences)
8	Dr Madhwesh N	Deputy Registrar - Evaluation (Technical)
9	Dr Sudhakar Kantipudi	Chief Operating Officer - Teaching Hospitals (Manipal, Udupi, Karkala)
10	Mr Saghir Siddiqui	Chief Operating Officer - MHE & Teaching Hospitals (KMC Hospital Attavar, Mangalore & DSMH, Kateel)
11	Mrs Saraswathy K	Director - Finance
12	Dr Geetha M	Director - Student Affairs
13	Mr Mahesh Prabhu	Director - Admissions
14	Dr Anup Naha	Director - International Collaborations
15	Dr Naveen Sulakshan Salins	Director - Research
16	Dr Harish Kumar S	Director - Corporate Relations
17	Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige	Director - Directorate of Online Education
18	Mr Jerry K Joseph	Director - People Compliance & Administration
19	Mr Satish T Pai	Director - HR
20	Ms Vineeta Sharma	Director - Marketing
21	Mr Bharathkumar	Director – PR, Media & Social Media
22	Mrs Mirul Dhaval Bhavsar	Head - Legal
23	Dr Sandeep S Shenoy	Director - Compliance
24	Dr Christopher Sudhaker	Director - Quality
25	Dr Rohit Singh	Director - Alumni Relations
26	Mr Shridhar K Rao	Director - General Services
27	Dr Ganesh Prasad Padubidri	Director -IT & Digital Transformation
28	Mr Khilesh Ajaykumar Surana	Director - Projects
29	Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi	Director - MAHE-FAIMER International Institute for Leadership in Interprofessional Education (M-FIILIPE)
30	Dr Seema Rajesh Rao	Director - MHRC, MAHE, Manipal
31	Mr Rajesh Komarla	Deputy Director - Purchase
32	Dr Vasudha Devi	Deputy Director - Centre for Doctoral Studies
33	Hon'ble Justice Basavaraj Andanagouda Patil	Ombudsman, MAHE
34	Mr Somanath Das	Officer on Special Duty, MAHE, Manipal
35	Dr Saraswathy Sreeram	Associate Director - Alumni Centre, MAHE Mangalore & Bengaluru campus

Sl No	Name	Designation
36	Dr Arvind Kumar Pandey	Deputy Director - Student Affairs
37	Dr Rashmi Yogesh Pai	Deputy Director - Student Affairs
38	Dr Nithin Kumar	Deputy Director - Student Affairs
39	Dr Santhosh K V	Deputy Director - Research (Technical)
40	Dr Mangala M Pai	Deputy Director - Quality & Compliance (Mangalore Campus)
41	Mr Balakrishna Prabhu	Estate Officer
42	Dr Ullas Kamath	Member Secretary - MAHE Ethics Committee
43	Dr Vinod C Nayak	Secretary, MAHE Sports Council
44	Dr Shobha U Kamath	Chairperson, MAHE Cultural Coordination Committee
45	Dr Praveen Kumar	Chief Coordinator- Volunteer Services Organization (VSO) MAHE & Program Coordinator – NSS
46	Lt Col Raghavendra M K	Head - Campus Safety
47	Lt Col Ramanatha Shetty	Chief Warden - MAHE Mangalore Campus
48	Lt Col Manjunath Pai G	Chief Warden, MAHE Manipal
49	Dr Shobha K L	Deputy Chief Warden – Health Sciences
50	Dr Nagaraj N Katagi	Deputy Chief Warden - Technology & Management
51	Mr T Devidas Kini	Deputy Director - International Admissions
52	Dr Kishore Ginjupalli	Deputy Director - Admissions
53	Mr Sathish Kamath M	Deputy Director - Information Technology
54	Mr Jude Francis Daniel Dsouza	Assistant Director - Projects
55	Mr Shrinidhi Kamath	Assistant Director - Marketing
56	Mrs Archana R Nayak	Assistant Director – PR, Media and Social Media
57	Mrs Linsy Mathew	Assistant Director - Corporate Relations
58	Dr Bharath Prasad	Assistant Director - PR, Medial and Social Media
59	Dr Chythra R Rao	Deputy Director - Research (Health Sciences)
60	Dr S Varadharajan	Deputy Director - Intellectual Property & Technology Transfer Office, MAHE
61	Dr Shama K Prasada	Deputy Director - Grants & Consultancy, MAHE
62	Dr Vadiraj Jagannatha Rao	Assistant Director - Marketing Research
63	Mr Abhaya Shankar Puranik	Assistant Director - Projects
64	Mr Ramesha Kamath	Assistant Director - Projects
65	Mr M Rajesh Kamath	Assistant Director - Projects
66	Mr Deepak Sadanand Shetty	Assistant Director - Purchase
67	Dr Ramesh Holla	Assistant Director - Research (Health Sciences) - Mangalore Campus, MAHE
68	Dr Brayal Carry D'Souza	Assistant Director - Research (Health Sciences) - Manipal Campus, MAHE
69	Dr Ujjwal Verma	Assistant Director - Research (Technical, Management & Humanities) - Manipal Campus, MAHE
70	Dr Joseph Thomas	Assistant Director - Grants & Consultancy, Manipal & Mangalore Campus
71	Dr Dhas Namdev Laxmanrao	Assistant Director - Intellectual Property & Technology Transfer Office - Manipal & Mangalore
72	Dr Shashidhara Y N	Assistant Director - Centre for Doctoral Studies (Research Centres), MAHE Manipal
73	Dr Ankitha Shetty	Assistant Director - Centre for Doctoral Studies (Technical, Management & Humanities) - Manipal Campus
74	Dr Jisha B Krishnan	Assistant Director - Centre for Doctoral Studies (Health Sciences) - Manipal, Mangalore & Jamshedpur Campus
75	Mr Leslie Joseph D'Souza	Chief Fire Safety Officer

Sl No	Name	Designation
	MAHE Bengaluru Campus, Bengaluru - Administrative/Functional Heads	
1	Prof Madhu Veeraraghavan	Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
2	Dr Raghavendra Prabhu P	Additional Registrar & Director - Administration MAHE Bengaluru Campus
3	Mr Canute F Rodrigues	Deputy Registrar - Evaluation, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
4	Dr Shwetha M	Assistant Director – CDS (Technical Management & Humanities)
5	Dr Deepta Sateesh	Deputy Director - International Collaborations, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
6	Dr Arjuna S R	Assistant Registrar – Academics, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
7	Dr Vishweswar Sastry	Assistant Director - Quality & Compliance, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
8	Ms Saritha Vijayanagar	Chief Warden & Student Officer, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
9	Mr Basawaraj S Kuppasad	Deputy Director - General Services, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
10	Dr M Arun Prem	Deputy Director - Physical Education, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
11	Dr Ishappa Channapa Bandi	Chief Librarian, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
12	Ms Sujaya Prabhu	Assistant Director - Student Services, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
13	Ms Madhushri Hegde	Assistant Director - Finance, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
14	Ms Akila S Poduval	Assistant Director - Human Resources, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
15	Mr Prashanth Sherigar	Assistant Director - Information Technology, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
16	Ms Divyadarshini K	Assistant Director - Admissions, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
17	Col Manjunath Hegde	Head - Security, Safety & Ancillary Services, MAHE, Bengaluru Campus
18	Dr Mangalampalli Surya Sudheer	Assistant Director - Research (Health Science & Technical, Management & Humanities), MAHE Bengaluru Campus
19	Dr Devisha Sasidevan	Assistant Director - Student Affairs, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
20	Dr Rashmi S	Assistant Director - Alumni Relations, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
21	Dr Deepa Prabhu	Assistant Registrar - Evaluation, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
22	Dr Arun Y Patil	Assistant Director - Innovation & Entrepreneurship, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
23	Dr V Sravani	Chairperson - Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
24	Mr Ekalabya Barooah	Deputy Director-Corporate Engagement and Career Services, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
25	Dr Arya Parakkate Vijayaraghavan	Assistant Director - Public Relations, MAHE Bengaluru Campus
	MTMC Jamshedpur - Administrative/Functional Heads	
1	Dr Harish Chander Bandhu	Incharge-Dean
2	Dr Hirdesh Sahni	Medical Superintendent
3	Dr Rajiva Dwivedi	Director - Academic Administration and Quality, MTMC, Jamshedpur
4	Dr Nadia Ahmad	Deputy Director - Student Affairs, MTMC Jamshedpur
5	Dr Anjaneyulu Konuri	Deputy Director - Admissions, MTMC Jamshedpur
6	Dr Takkella Nagamma	Deputy Registrar - Evaluation, MTMC Jamshedpur
7	Mr Nihar Ranjan Sahu	Officiating Head - HR
8	Mr Prasad G	Head General Administration
9	Dr Babban Jee	Assistant Director - Research (Health Sciences) - MTMC Jamshedpur

Details of Programs

Sl No	Academic Stream	Institution/ Department	Academic Programs	UG/PG	Course duration
1	Medicine	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)	UG	4.5 Years+1 Year Internship
2	Medicine		DM Cardiology	PG	3 years
3	Medicine		DM Critical Care Medicine	PG	3 years
4	Medicine		DM Gastroentrology	PG	3 years
5	Medicine		DM Nephrology	PG	3 years
6	Medicine		DM Neurology	PG	3 years
7	Medicine		DM (Medical Genetics)	PG	3 years
8	Medicine		DM (Infectious Disease)	PG	3 years
9	Medicine		DM (Medical Oncology)	PG	3 years
10	Medicine		DM (Paediatric Oncology)	PG	3 years
11	Medicine		DM (Endocrinology)	PG	3 years
12	Medicine		DM (Neonatology)	PG	3 years
13	Medicine		MCh Cardiothoracic Surgery	PG	3 years
14	Medicine		MCh Hand Surgery	PG	3 years
15	Medicine		MCh Paediatric Orthopedics	PG	3 years
16	Medicine		MCh Reproductive Medicine and Surgery	PG	3 years
17	Medicine		MCh Neuro Surgery	PG	3 years
18	Medicine		MCh Paediatric Surgery	PG	3 years
19	Medicine		MCh Urology	PG	3 years
20	Medicine		MCh (Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery)	PG	3 years
21	Medicine		MCh Surgical oncology	PG	3 years
22	Medicine		MCh (Head and Neck Surgery)	PG	3 years
23	Medicine		MD (Anaesthesiology)	PG	3 years
24	Medicine		MD (Anatomy)	PG	3 years
25	Medicine		MD (Biochemistry)	PG	3 years
26	Medicine		MD (Community Medicine)	PG	3 years
27	Medicine	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	MD (Dermatology, Venereology and Leprosy)	PG	3 years
28	Medicine		MD (Forensic Medicine and Toxicology)	PG	3 years
29	Medicine		MD (General Medicine)	PG	3 years
30	Medicine		MD (Hospital Administration)	PG	3 years
31	Medicine		MD Emergency Medicine	PG	3 years
32	Medicine		MD (Microbiology)	PG	3 years
33	Medicine		MD (Paediatrics)	PG	3 years
34	Medicine		MD (Pathology)	PG	3 years
35	Medicine		MD (Pharmacology)	PG	3 years
36	Medicine		MD (Physiology)	PG	3 years
37	Medicine		MD (Psychiatry)	PG	3 years
38	Medicine		MD (Respiratory Medicine)	PG	3 years
39	Medicine		MD (Radio diagnosis)	PG	3 years
40	Medicine		MD (Radiation Oncology)	PG	3 years
41	Medicine		MD Palliative Medicine	PG	3 years
42	Medicine		MD (Immunohematology and Blood Transfusion)	PG	3 years
43	Medicine		MS (General Surgery)	PG	3 years
44	Medicine		MS (Obstetrics and Gynaecology)	PG	3 years
45	Medicine		MS (Ophthalmology)	PG	3 years

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46	Medicine	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	MS (Orthopaedics)	PG	3 years
47	Medicine		MS (Oto - Rhino - Laryngology)	PG	3 years
49	Medicine		MSc Medical – Anatomy	PG	2 Years
50	Medicine		MSc Medical – Biochemistry	PG	2 Years
51	Medicine		MSc Clinical Embryology	PG	2 Years
52	Medicine		MSc Medical – Microbiology	PG	2 Years
53	Medicine		MSc Medical – Pharmacology	PG	2 Years
54	Medicine		MSc Medical – Physiology	PG	2 Years
55	Medicine		MSc Genetic Counseling	PG	2 Years
56	Medicine		MSc Forensic Science	PG	2 Years
57	Medicine		MSc Reproductive Genetics	PG	2 Years
58	Medicine		MSc Reproductive and Developmental Biology	PG	2 Years
59	Medicine		MSc (By Research) in Neuroscience	PG	2 Years
60	Medicine		Fellowship in Fetal Medicine	Others	2 Year
61	Medicine		Fellowship in Paediatric Anesthesia	Others	1 Year
62	Medicine		Fellowship in Oncopathology	Others	2 Years
63	Medicine		Fellowship in Advanced Obstetric ultra sound	Others	1 Year
64	Medicine		Fellowship in Gynaecologic Oncology	Others	1 Year
65	Medicine		Fellowship in Paediatric Otorhinolaryngology	Others	1 Year
66	Medicine		Fellowship in Glaucoma	Others	1 Year
67	Medicine		Fellowship in Regional Anaesthesia	Others	1 Year
68	Medicine		Fellowship in steriotactic Body Radiotherapy (SBRT) in Thoracic and Gastrointestinal Oncology	Others	1 Year
69	Medicine		Fellowship in Medical Retina and Uvea	Others	1 Year
70	Medicine		Fellowship in Neuro-Radiation Oncology	Others	1 Year
71	Medicine		Fellowship in Gastrointestinal Hepato Pancreatico Biliary Surgery	Others	1 Year
72	Medicine		Fellowship in Urogynecology, Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery	Others	1 Year
73	Medicine		Fellowship in Advanced GI Endoscopy	Others	1 Year
74	Medicine		Fellowship in Advanced Radiation Oncology Techniques	Others	2 Years
75	Medicine	CIMR, Division of Yoga, Manipal	MSc Yoga Therapy	pg	2 Years
76	Medicine	CIMR, Division of Ayurveda, Manipal	Certificate Course in Panchakarma Technician and Massage Therapy	others	1 Year
77	Medicine		PG Certificate Course in Panchakarma	others	6 Months
78	Medicine	CIMR, Division of Siddha, Manipal	PG Certificate Course in Siddha Varmam Therapy	others	6 Months
79	Dentistry	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS)	UG	4 Years +1 Year internship
80	Dentistry		MDS Public Health Dentistry	PG	3 years
81	Dentistry		MDS Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics	PG	3 years
82	Dentistry		MDS Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	PG	3 years
83	Dentistry		MDS Oral Medicine and Radiology	PG	3 years
84	Dentistry		MDS Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Oral Microbiology	PG	3 years

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85	Dentistry		MDS Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics	PG	3 years
86	Dentistry		MDS Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry	PG	3 years
87	Dentistry		MDS Periodontology	PG	3 years
88	Dentistry		MDS Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge	PG	3 years
89	Dentistry		PG Certificate Course in Aesthetic Dentistry	Others	1 Year
90	Dentistry		PG Certificate Course in Oral Implantology	Others	1 Year
91	Dentistry		PG Certificate Course in Laser Dentistry	Others	6 Months
92	Pharmacy	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal	Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharm)	UG	4 Years
93	Pharmacy		Diploma in Pharmacy	OTHERS	2 Years
94	Pharmacy		BPharm (Lateral Entry)	UG	3 years
95	Pharmacy		PharmD	UG	5 Years+1 year internship
96	Pharmacy		PharmD Post Baccalaureate	PG	2 Years +1 year internship
97	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmaceutical Biotechnology	PG	2 Years
98	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry	PG	2 Years
99	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance	PG	2 Years
100	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmaceutics	PG	2 Years
101	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmacognosy	PG	2 Years
102	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmacology	PG	2 Years
103	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs	PG	2 Years
104	Pharmacy		MPharm Industrial Pharmacy	PG	2 Years
105	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmacy Practice	PG	2 Years
106	Pharmacy		MPharm Pharmaceutical Analysis	PG	2 Years
107	Allied Health Sciences	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	Bachelor of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology (BASLP)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
108	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
109	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Emergency Medicine Technology (EMT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
110	Allied Health Sciences		Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (BOT)	UG	4 Years + 6 months internship
111	Allied Health Sciences		Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)	UG	4 Years +6 months internship
112	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Cardivascular Technology (CVT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
113	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Health Information Management (HIM)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
114	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Medical Imaging Technology	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship

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116	Allied Health Sciences	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	BSc Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
117	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Radiotherapy Technology (RTT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
118	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Nuclear Medicine Technology (NMT)	UG	3 Years+ 1 Year PGDNMT
119	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Clinical Psychology *	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
120	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
121	Allied Health Sciences		Bachelor of Optometry (BOptom)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
122	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Respiratory Therapy (RT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
123	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology (RRT and DT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
124	Allied Health Sciences		Bachelor of Prosthetics and Orthotics	UG	4 Years + 6 Months Internship
125	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Physician Assistant	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
126	Allied Health Sciences		BSc (Neuroscience Technology)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
127	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Perfusion Technology (PFT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
128	Allied Health Sciences		BSc (Exercise and Sports Sciences)*	UG	3 Years
129	Allied Health Sciences		MSc in Audiology - MSc (Aud.)	PG	2 years
130	Allied Health Sciences		MSc in Speech Language Pathology - MSc (SLP)	PG	2 years
131	Allied Health Sciences		MOT (Children and Adolescents)	PG	2 Years
132	Allied Health Sciences		MOT Hand and Musculoskeletal conditions	PG	2 Years
133	Allied Health Sciences		MOT Neuro Rehabilitation	PG	2 Years
134	Allied Health Sciences		MOT Mental Health and Psychosocial Rehabilitation	PG	2 Years
135	Allied Health Sciences		MOT Developmental Disabilities	PG	2 Years

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136	Allied Health Sciences	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	MOT Occupational Therapy for the Aging Adult	PG	2 Years
138	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Cardio-pulmonary Science	PG	2 Years
139	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Community Physiotherapy	PG	2 Years
140	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Neurosciences	PG	2 Years
141	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Musculoskeletal Sciences	PG	2 Years
142	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Paediatrics	PG	2 Years
143	Allied Health Sciences		MPT OBG	PG	2 Years
144	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Geriatrics	PG	2 Years
145	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Oncology	PG	2 Years
146	Allied Health Sciences		MSc RT Adult Respiratory Care	PG	2 Years
147	Allied Health Sciences		MSc RT Neonatal and Paediatric Respiratory Care	PG	2 Years
148	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Medical Radiochemistry) with integrated PhD	PG	2 Years
149	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Health Information Management (HIM)	PG	2 Years
150	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Medical Imaging Technology	PG	2 Years
151	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Medical Radiation Physics (MRP)	PG	2 Years
152	Allied Health Sciences		MSc in Radiotherapy Technology	PG	2 Years
153	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology	PG	2 Years
154	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Emergency Medical Technology	PG	2 Years
155	Allied Health Sciences		MSc MLT - Clinical Biochemistry	PG	2 Years
156	Allied Health Sciences		MSc MLT - Microbiology and Immunology	PG	2 Years
157	Allied Health Sciences		MSc MLT (Haematology and Immunohaematology)	PG	2 Years
158	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Nuclear Medicine Technology	PG	2 Years
159	Allied Health Sciences		Master of Optometry (MOptom)	PG	2 Years
160	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Renal Respiratory therapy and Dialysis Technology (RRT and DT)	PG	2 Years
161	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Echocardiography	PG	2 Years
162	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Cardiac Cath and Intervention Technology	PG	2 Years
163	Allied Health Sciences	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	MSc Health Informatics - Health Care IT Management	PG	2 Years
164	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Exercise and Sports Science	PG	2 Years
165	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Clinical Psychology	PG	2 Years

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166	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Perfusion Technology)	PG	2 Years
167	Allied Health Sciences		MPhil Clinical Psychology	PG	2 Years
168	Allied Health Sciences		Lateral BSc Respiratory Therapy	PG	2 Years + 1 Year Internship
169	Allied Health Sciences		Lateral Bachelor of Optometry	UG	2 Years + 1 Year Internship
170	Allied Health Sciences		Lateral BSc Medical Laboratory Technology	UG	2 Years + 1 Year Internship
171	Life Sciences	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal	BSc Biotechnology*	UG	3 Years
172	Life Sciences		MSc Bioinformatics	PG	2 Years
173	Life Sciences		MSc Medical – Biotechnology	PG	2 Years
174	Life Sciences		MSc Medical – Molecular Biology and Human Genetics	PG	2 Years
175	Life Sciences		MSc Systems Biology	PG	2 Years
176	Life Sciences		MSc (by Research) in Life Science	PG	2 Years
177	Life Sciences		MSc Genome Engineering	PG	2 Years
178	Life Sciences		MSc Tissue Engineering	PG	2 Years
179	Life Sciences		MSc Biomolecular Physics	PG	2 Years
180	Nursing	Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	BSc Nursing	UG	4 Years
181	Nursing		BSc Nursing(UNB)	UG	4 Years
182	Nursing		PBBSc Nursing	UG	2 Years
183	Nursing		MSc Community Health Nursing	PG	2 Years
184	Nursing		MSc Medical Surgical Nursing	PG	2 Years
185	Nursing		MSc Obstetrics and Gynaecologic Nursing	PG	2 Years
186	Nursing		MSc Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing	PG	2 Years
187	Nursing		MSc Psychiatric (Mental Health) Nursing	PG	2 Years
188	Nursing		Nurse Practioner Critical Care Residency Program	PG	2 Years
189	Nursing	Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal	Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery	Others	3 years
190	Public Health	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal	Master of Public Health - Non-communicable diseases and Occupational Health	PG	2 Years
191	Public Health		Master of Public Health - One Health	PG	2 Years
192	Public Health		Master of Public Health - Maternal Child Health and Nutrition	PG	2 Years
193	Public Health		Master of Public Health - Global Health Policy	PG	2 Years
195	Public Health		Master of Social Work - Community Development	PG	2 Years
196	Public Health		Master of Social Work - Human Resource Management and Industrial Relations	PG	2 Years
197	Public Health		Master of Social Work - Medical and Psychiatric Social Work	PG	2 Years
198	Data Sciences		MSc (Digital Epidemiology)	PG	2 Years

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199	Public Health		Masters in Hospital Administration	PG	2 Years
200	Data Sciences		MSc (Data Science)	PG	2 Years
201	Data Sciences		MSc Health Technology Assesment	PG	2 Years
202	Data Sciences		MSc Biostatistics	PG	2 Years
203	Medicine	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal	MSc Clinical Virology	PG	2 Years
204	Engineering	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	BTech in Aeronautical Engineering*	UG	4 Years
205	Engineering		BTech in Automobile Engineering*	UG	4 Years
206	Engineering		BTech in Biomedical Engineering*	UG	4 Years
207	Engineering		BTech in Biotechnology Engineering*	UG	4 Years
208	Engineering		BTech in Chemical Engineering*	UG	4 Years
209	Engineering		BTech in Civil Engineering*	UG	4 Years
210	Engineering		BTech in Computer Science and Engineering*	UG	4 Years
212	Engineering		BTech in Cyber Physical Systems*	UG	4 Years
214	Engineering		BTech in Electrical and Electronics*	UG	4 Years
215	Engineering		BTech in Electronics and Communication*	UG	4 Years
216	Engineering		BTech in Industrial Engineering*	UG	4 Years
219	Engineering		BTech in Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering*	UG	4 Years
220	Engineering		BTech in Mechanical Engineering*	UG	4 Years
221	Engineering		BTech in Mechatronics*	UG	4 Years
222	Engineering		BTech in Mathematics and Computing *	UG	4 Years
223	Engineering		BTech in Computer Science and Financial Technology *	UG	4 Years
224	Engineering		BTech in Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology) *	UG	4 Years
225	Engineering		BTech Mechatronics (Dual Degree Program with Deakin University)*	UG	4 Years
226	Engineering		BTech Mechanical Engg (Dual Degree Program with Deakin University) *	UG	4 Years
227	Engineering		BTech Electrical and Electronics Engineering (Dual Degree Program with Macquarie University)	UG	2 Years
228	Engineering		BTech Civil Engineering (Dual Degree Program with Macquarie University)	UG	2 Years
229	Engineering		BTech (Lateral Entry)	UG	3 Years
230	Engineering		Master of Computer Applications (MCA)	PG	2 Years
231	Engineering		MTech Applied Computational Fluid Dynamics	PG	2 Years
232	Engineering		MTech in Aeronautical Engineering(Avionics)	PG	2 Years
233	Engineering		MTech in Automobile Engg	PG	2 Years
234	Engineering		MTech in Biomedical Engg	PG	2 Years
235	Engineering		MTech in Chemical Engg	PG	2 Years

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236	Engineering		MTech in Mechanical Enginerring(Computer Aided Analysis and Design)	PG	2 Years
237	Engineering		MTech (Computer Networking and Engineering)	PG	2 Years
238	Engineering		MTech in Computer Science and Engineering	PG	2 Years
239	Engineering	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	MTech (Computer Science and Information Security)	PG	2 Years
240	Engineering		MTech in Civil Engineering (Construction Engg and Management)	PG	2 Years
241	Engineering		MTech in Computer Science and Engineering(Data Sciences)	PG	2 Years
242	Engineering		MTech in Electronics Engineering (Embedded Control and Automation)	PG	2 Years
243	Engineering		MTech in Electronics Engineering (Digital Electronics and Communication)	PG	2 Years
244	Engineering		MTech in Electrical Engineering (Electric Vehicle Technology)	PG	2 Years
245	Engineering		MTech Defence Technology	PG	2 Years
246	Engineering		MTech (Engineering Management)	PG	2 Years
247	Engineering		MTech in Civil Engineering(Environmental Engineering)	PG	2 Years
248	Engineering		MTech in Electronics Engineering (Industrial Automation and Robotics)	PG	2 Years
249	Engineering		MTech in Biotechnology (Industrial Biotechnology)	PG	2 Years
250	Engineering		MTech in Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Decision Science)	PG	2 Years
251	Engineering		MTech (Manufacturing Engineering)	PG	2 Years
252	Engineering		MTech in Biomedical Engineering (Medical Informatics)	PG	2 Years
253	Engineering		MTech in Electronics Engineering (Microelectronics)	PG	2 Years
254	Engineering		MTech in Electrical Engineering (Power Electronics and Drives)	PG	2 Years
256	Engineering		MTech Civil Engineering(Structural Engineering)	PG	2 Years
257	Engineering		MTech in Electronics Engineering (Immersive Technologies)	PG	2 Years
258	Engineering		MTech in Mechanical Engineering (Theramal Science and Engergy Systems)	PG	2 Years
259	Advanced Science	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	MSc Chemistry	PG	2 Years
261	Advanced Science		MSc Applied Mathematics and Computing	PG	2 Years
262	Advanced Science		MSc Physics	PG	2 Years
263	Advanced Science		MSc (Computational Molecular Sciences)	PG	2 Years
264	Advanced Science		MSc Immersive Technologies	PG	2 Years

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265	Advanced Science		MSc Geology	PG	2 Years
266	Engineering	Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	ME (Embedded Systems)	PG	2 Years
267	Engineering		ME (VLSI Design)	PG	2 Years
268	Engineering		ME (Big Data and Data Analytics)	PG	2 Years
269	Engineering		ME Cyber Security	PG	2 Years
270	Engineering		ME (Microelectronics and VLSI Technology)	PG	2 Years
271	Engineering		ME (Cloud Computing)	PG	2 Years
272	Engineering		ME in Computer Science and Engineering	PG	2 Years
273	Engineering		ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Embedded Systems), Study Abroad Program with ESIGELEC, France*	PG	2 Years
274	Engineering		ME (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)	PG	2 Years
275	Advanced Science	International Centre for Applied Sciences, Manipal	BSc Applied Sciecnes	UG	3 Years
276	Architecture	Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, Manipal	Bachelor of Architecture (BArch)	UG	5 Years
277	Architecture		MDes Sustainable Design	PG	2 Years
278	Architecture		MArch (UDD)	PG	2 Years
279	Design	Department of Design, Manipal	Bachelor of Design (Fashion Design) [BDes (FD)]	UG	4 Years
280	Design		Bachelor of Design (Interior Design) [BDes (ID)]	UG	4 Years
281	Design		MDes Product Design	PG	2 Years
282	Design		MDes (Interior Design)	PG	2 Years
283	Design		MA (Fashion Management)	PG	2 Years
284	Design		Lateral BDesign (Fashion Design)	UG	3 Years
285	Design		Lateral BDesign (Interior Design)	UG	3 Years
286	Design		MDes (Design Computation)	PG	2 Years
287	Design		Certificate in Fashion Design (CFD)	Others	1 Year
288	Atomic and Molecular Physics	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal	BSc Physics *	UG	3 Years
289	Atomic and Molecular Physics		MSc (Photonics)	PG	2 Years
290	Atomic and Molecular Physics		MSc (Nanoscience and Technology)	PG	2 Years
291	Management	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal	BBA (Banking)*	UG	3 Years
292	Management		BBA (Finanical Markets) *	UG	3 Years
293	Management		BBA (Professional) *	UG	3 Years
294	Management		BBA (Logistics and Supply Chain) *	UG	3 Years
295	Management		BBA (Human Resource Management) *	UG	3 Years
296	Management		BBA (Marketing) *	UG	3 Years
297	Management		BBA (Family Business Management) *	UG	3 Years
298	Management		BBA (Insurance) *	UG	3 Years
299	Management		BBA Business Analytics *	UG	3 Years
300	Management		BBA Economic Studies *	UG	3 Years

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301	Management		BBA (Sports Management) *	UG	3 Years
302	Commerce		BCom (Professional)*	UG	3 Years
303	Commerce		BCom (Capital Markets)	UG	3 Years
304	Commerce		BCom (Fintech and Data Analytics)	UG	3 Years
305	Commerce		BCom Business Process Management *	UG	3 Years
306	Commerce		MSc (Supply Chain Management)	PG	2 Years
307	Commerce		MCom (Professional)	PG	2 Years
309	Commerce		MCom (Fintech and Analytics)	PG	2 Years
310	Commerce		MSc (Health Economics)	PG	2 Years
311	Commerce		MSc (Finanical Economics)	PG	2 Years
312	Commerce		MSc (Business Analytics)	PG	2 Years
313	Commerce		MA in Digital and Creative Marketing	PG	2 Years
314	Commerce		Masters of Sports Management	PG	2 Years
315	Commerce		PG Diploma (Logistics and Supply Chain)	Others	1 Year
316	Hotel Management	Welcomgroup Graduate	Bachelor of Hotel Management (BHM)	UG	4 Years
317	Hotel Management	School of Hotel Administration,	BSc Hospitality and Services Management	UG	4 Years
318	Allied Hospitality Studies	Manipal	BA / BA (Hons) (Culinary Science)	UG	3 years
319	Allied Hospitality Studies		MA Indian Cusine and Applied Nutrition	PG	2 Years
320	Allied Hospitality Studies		Master of Hotel Management	PG	2 Years
321	Allied Hospitality Studies		MSc in Dietetics and Applied Nutrition	PG	2 Years
322	Natural Sciences	Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences (MCNS)	Integrated MSc PhD Natural Sciences	PG	5. 5 Years
323	Media and Communication	Manipal Institute of	BA (Media and Communication) *	UG	3 years
324	Media and Communication	Communication ,	BSc Animation	UG	3 years
325	Media and Communication	Manipal	BVoc Graphics and Dgital Media Marketing	UG	3 years
326	Media and Communication		MA (Media and Communication)	PG	2 Years
327	Media and Communication		PG Diploma in Corporate Communication	Others	1 Year
328	Media and Communication		PG Diploma in Health Communication	Others	1 Year
329	Media and Communication		MA (Film Art and Film Making)	PG	2 Years
330	Media and Communication		Certificate Course in Animation Technology	Others	6 Months
331	Media and Communication		PG Diploma in Sports Communication	Others	1 Year
338	Humanities	Manipal Institute of	MA (English/European Studies/History/Philosophy/Sociology)	PG	2 Years
339	Humanities	Social	MA (Sanskrit Studies)	PG	2 Years
340	Humanities	Sciences, Humanities and Arts,	BA/ BA (Hons) with Major / Double Major in (English / History / Philosophy / Sociology / French/German/Spanish	UG	4 Years
341	Humanities	Manipal	PG Diploma Indian Philosophy	Others	1 Year

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342	Humanities		PG Diploma in Sanskrit Studies	Others	1 Year
343	Geopolitics		MA (Geopolitics and International Relations)	PG	2 Years
346	Library and Information Sciences	Department of Library and Information Sciences, Manipal	Master of Library and Information Science	PG	2 Years
347	Biotherapeutics	DBR, Manipal	MSc (Research) in Biotherapeutics	PG	2 Years
348	Allied Health Sciences	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	Bachelor of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology (BASLP)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
349	Medicine		Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)	UG	4.5 Years+1 year Internship
350	Allied Health Sciences		Bachelor of Physiotherapy	UG	4 Years + 6 months internship
351	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Radiotherapy Technology	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
352	Allied Health Sciences	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	BSc Respiratory Therapy (RT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
353	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Medical Imaging Technology (MIT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
354	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Cardivascular Technology (CVT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
355	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology (RRT and DT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
356	Allied Health Sciences		MSc in Audiology - MSc (Aud.)	PG	2 years
357	Allied Health Sciences		MSc in Speech Language Pathology - MSc (SLP.)	PG	2 years
358	Allied Health Sciences		MSc RT Adult Respiratory Care	PG	2 years
359	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology	PG	2 years
360	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Emergency Medical Technology	PG	2 years
361	Medicine		MD (Anaesthesiology)	PG	3 years
362	Medicine		MD (Anatomy)	PG	3 years
363	Medicine		MD (Biochemistry)	PG	3 years
364	Medicine		MD (Dermatology, Venereology and Leprosy)	PG	3 years
365	Medicine		MD (General Medicine)	PG	3 years
366	Medicine		MD (Microbiology)	PG	3 years
367	Medicine		MD (Paediatrics)	PG	3 years
368	Medicine		MD (Pathology)	PG	3 years
369	Medicine		MD (Pharmacology)	PG	3 years
370	Medicine		MD (Physiology)	PG	3 years

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371	Medicine		MD (Radio diagnosis)	PG	3 years
372	Medicine		MD Community Medicine	PG	3 years
373	Medicine		MD (Psychiatry)	PG	3 years
374	Medicine		MD Radiatio Oncology	PG	3 years
375	Medicine		MD Respiratory Medicine	PG	3 years
376	Medicine		MD Emergency Medicine	PG	3 years
377	Medicine		MS (General Surgery)	PG	3 years
378	Medicine		MS (Obstetrics and Gynaecology)	PG	3 years
379	Medicine		MS (Ophthalmology)	PG	3 years
380	Medicine		MS (Orthopaedics)	PG	3 years
381	Medicine		MS (Oto - Rhino - Laryngology)	PG	3 years
382	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Cardio-pulmonary Sciences	PG	2 Years
383	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Community Physiotherapy	PG	2 Years
384	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Neurosciences	PG	2 Years
385	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Geriatrics	PG	2 Years
386	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Musculoskeletal Sciences	PG	2 Years
387	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Paediatrics	PG	2 Years
388	Allied Health Sciences		MPT OBG	PG	2 Years
389	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Clinical Psychology	PG	2 Years
390	Medicine		MSc Medical – Anatomy	PG	2 Years
391	Medicine		MSc Medical – Biochemistry	PG	2 Years
392	Medicine		MSc Medical – Microbiology	PG	2 Years
393	Medicine		MSc Medical – Pharmacology	PG	2 Years
394	Medicine		MSc Medical – Physiology	PG	2 Years
395	Medicine		MSc Forensic SCience	PG	2 Years
396	Medicine		Fellowship Geariatrics	Others	1 Year
397	Medicine		Fellowship Interventiona Radiology	Others	1 Year
398	Medicine		Fellowship Paediatric Haematology and Oncology	Others	1 Year
399	Medicine		Fellowship in Head and Neck Oncology	Others	1 Year
400	Dentistry	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore	Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS)	UG	4 Years+1 Year internship
401	Dentistry		MDS Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics	PG	3 years
402	Dentistry		MDS Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery	PG	3 years
403	Dentistry		MDS Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Oral Microbiology	PG	3 years
404	Dentistry		MDS Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics	PG	3 years
405	Dentistry		MDS Paediatric and Preventative dentistry	PG	3 years
406	Dentistry		MDS Periodontology	PG	3 years
407	Dentistry		MDS Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge	PG	3 years
408	Dentistry		MDS Public Health Dentistry	PG	3 years

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409	Dentistry		MDS Oral Medicine and Radiology	PG	3 years
410	Dentistry		PG Certificate Restorative Dentistry	Others	1 Year
411	Dentistry		Certificate Course in Forensic Odontology	Others	6 Months
412	Medicine	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bangalore	MSc (Stem Cell Techology and Regenerative Biology)	PG	2 Years
413	Medicine		MSc (Research) in Translational Neuroscience	PG	2 Years
414	Medicine		MSc (Research) in Translational Immunology	PG	2 Years
415	Medicine		Advanced PG Diploma Digital Imaging in Molecular Diagnostics	Others	1 Year
416	Medicine		Advanced PG Diploma in Stem Cells and Regenerative Medicine	Others	1 Year
417	Allied Health Sciences	MHS, Bangaluru	MPT Cardio-pulmonary Sciences	PG	2 Years
418	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Neurosciences	PG	2 Years
419	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Musculoskeletal Sciences	PG	2 Years
420	Allied Health Sciences		MPT Paediatrics	PG	2 Years
421	Allied Health Sciences		MSc MLT (Clinical Biochemistry)	PG	2 Years
422	Allied Health Sciences		MSc MLT (Haematology and Immunohaematology)	PG	2 Years
423	Allied Health Sciences		MSc MLT Microbiology and Immunology	PG	2 Years
424	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Clinical Psychology	PG	2 Years
425	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Cardiac Cath and Intervention Technology	PG	2 Years
426	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Echocardiography	PG	2 Years
427	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Genomic Counseling)	PG	2 Years
428	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology (RRT and DT)	PG	2 Years
429	Engineering	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Bengaluru	BTech Computer Science and Engg *	UG	4 Years
430	Engineering		BTech Computer Science and Engg (Artificial Intelligence)*	UG	4 Years
432	Engineering		BTech Electronics and Communication Engg*	UG	4 Years
435	Engineering		BTech Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology)	UG	4 Years
436	Engineering		BTech Electronics and Computer Engineering	UG	4 Years
437	Engineering		MTech Computer Science and Engineering	PG	2 Years
438	Engineering		MTech Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science)	PG	2 Years
439	Engineering		MTech Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design)	PG	2 Years
440	Engineering		BTech Lateral	UG	3 Years
441	Medicine	MTMC, Jamshedpur	Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)	UG	4.5 Years + 1 year Internship

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442	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Medical Imaging Technology (MIT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
443	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Cardivascular Technology (CVT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
444	Allied Health Sciences		Bachelor of Optometry (BOptom)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
445	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
446	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Clinical Psychology	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
447	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Medical Laboratory Technology (Clinical Biochemistry)	PG	2 Years
448	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Medical Imaging Technology	PG	2 Years
449	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Health Information Management	PG	2 Years
450	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Cardiovascular Technology (Echocardiography)	PG	2 Years
451	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Cardiovascular Technology(Cardiac Catheterization and intervention)	PG	2 Years
452	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology	PG	2 Years
453	Allied Health Sciences		M. Optometry	PG	2 Years
454	Allied Health Sciences		MSc Clinical Psychology	PG	2 Years
455	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Medical) Anatomy	PG	2 Years
456	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Medical) Physiology	PG	2 Years
457	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Medical) Microbiology	PG	2 Years
458	Allied Health Sciences		MSc (Medical) Biochemistry	PG	2 Years
459	Allied Health Sciences		BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology (RRT and DT)	UG	3 Years + 1 Year Internship
460	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences	Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology	BDes (Business Services and System Design)	UG	4 Years
461	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Creative and Applied Computation)	UG	4 Years
462	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Creative Education)	UG	4 Years
463	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Human Centered Design)	UG	4 Years

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464	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Industrial Arts and Design Practices)	UG	4 Years
465	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Information Arts and Information Design Practices)	UG	4 Years
466	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Public Space Design)	UG	4 Years
467	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BDes (Visual Communication and Strategic Branding)	UG	4 Years
469	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BVoc (Creative Manufacturing)	UG	3 Years
471	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BVoc (Digital Media Production)	UG	3 Years
472	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BVoc (Graphic Arts and Design Practices)	UG	3 Years
473	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BVoc (Interior Design and Build)	UG	3 Years
474	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BVoc (User Interface and Interaction Engineering)	UG	3 Years
475	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BFA (Contemporary Art Practice)	UG	4 Years
477	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BFA (Digital Media Arts)	UG	4 Years
478	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		BFA (Film)	UG	4 Years
479	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MDes (Design-Led Innovation)	PG	2 Years
480	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MDes (Human Centered Design)	PG	2 Years
481	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MDes (Industrial Arts and Design Practices)	PG	2 Years
482	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MDes (Information Arts and Information Design Practices)	PG	2 Years
483	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MA (Contemporary Art Practice)	PG	2 Years

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484	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MA (Filmmaking)	PG	2 Years
485	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MA (Animation)	PG	2 Years
486	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MA (Experience Design)	PG	2 Years
487	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MA (Visual Communication)	PG	2 Years
488	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		MA (Comics and Graphic Literarure)	PG	2 Years
489	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		PGDP in Industrial Arts and Design Practices	Others	1 Year
490	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		PGDP Experience Design	Others	1 Year
491	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		PGDP Information Arts and Information Design Practices	Others	1 Year
492	Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences		PGDP in Animation	Others	1 Year
494	Commerce	Department of Commerce (DOC), Bengaluru	BCom Business Analytics *	UG	3 Years
495	Commerce		BCom Corporate Accounting and Taxation*	UG	3 Years
496	Commerce		BCom Banking and Finance*	UG	3 Years
497	Commerce		MCom Finance and Accounting	PG	2 Years
498	Media and Communication	Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Bengaluru	BA Journalism and Mass Communication*	UG	3 Years
499	Humanities		BA Psychology *	UG	3 Years
500	Humanities		BA English*	UG	3 Years
501	Humanities		BA (Double Major)*	UG	4 years
502	Media and Communication		MA Multimedia and Communication	PG	2 Years
503	Humanities		MSc (Applied Psychology)	PG	2 Years
504	Humanities		MA English Language and Literature	PG	2 Years
506	Management	TAPMI, Bengaluru	BBA*	UG	3 Years
507	Management		MBA Technology Management	PG	2 Years
508	Buisiness Practice	TAPMI, Manipal	Integrated Program in Management	UG	5 Years
509	Management		MBA Banking and Financial Services	PG	2 Years
510	Management		MBA Human Resource Management	PG	2 Years
511	Management		MBA Marketing	PG	2 Years
512	Management		MBA International Buisiness	PG	2 Years
513	Management		MBA	PG	2 Years
514	Law	Manipal Law School,	Master of Law (LLM) in International Investment and Commercial Arbitration	PG	1 Year

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515	Law	Bengaluru	Master of Law (LLM) in Construction Law and Arbitration	PG	1 Year
516	Law		Master of Law (LLM) in Data Privacy and Information Technology Law	PG	1 Year
517	Law		BA LLB (Hons)	UG	5 years
518	Law		LLB (Hons)	UG	3 years
519	Law		BBA LLB (Hons)	UG	5 years
520	Law		PG Diploma in Construction Law and Arbitration	Others	1 Year
521	Health science	Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DMBS)	BSc in Health Sciences	UG	3 years
522	Health science		BSc – MSc Integrated Program	UG	5 Years

* Honours Option is available

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Sl No	Names of the Constituent Colleges/Institutions	Level	Total		
			Men	Women	Total
		Faculty of Health Sciences			
1	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	UG	586	638	1,224
		PG	360	496	856
		M.Phil	2	5	7
		PhD	103	204	307
2	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	UG	772	974	1,746
		PG	209	408	617
		PhD	12	29	41
3	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	UG	135	391	526
		PG	35	59	94
		PG Certificate	10	34	44
		Certificate	2	12	14
		PhD	1	2	3
4	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore	UG	138	323	461
		PG	16	64	80
		Certificate	21	31	52
		PhD	1	9	10
5	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal	UG	145	283	428
		PG	111	144	255
		Pharm D	54	126	180
		Pharm D Post Baccalaureate	9	20	29
		Diploma	13	43	56
		PhD	90	120	210
6	Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	UG	140	438	578
		PG	5	31	36
		P B BSc Nursing	20	29	49
		Nurse Practitioner	2	5	7
		PhD	2	18	20
7	Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal	Diploma	44	122	166
8	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	UG	474	1,476	1,950
		PG	146	373	519
		MPhil	1	27	28
		PhD	1	27	28
9	Manipal College of Health Professions, Bengaluru	PG	8	27	35
		PhD	2	2	4
10	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru	PG	29	80	109
		PG Diploma	2	2	4
		PhD	15	33	48
11	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal	PG	8	19	27
		PhD	6	10	16

Sl No	Names of the Constituent Colleges/Institutions	Level	Total		
			Men	Women	Total
12	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal	UG	34	135	169
		PG	49	125	174
		PhD	44	74	118
13	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal	PG	106	260	366
		Certificate	68	168	236
		PhD	21	28	49
14	Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur	UG	470	637	1,107
		PG	2	10	12
		PhD	7	7	14
15	Department of Biotherapeutics Research, Manipal	PG	7	17	24
		PhD	6	24	30
16	Department of Basic Medical Science, Manipal	UG	6	33	39
		PhD	9	14	23
17	CIMR, Division of Yoga, Manipal	PG	1	9	10
		PhD	2	2	4
18	CIMR - Division of Ayurveda, Manipal	Certificate	3	9	12
		PhD	1	1	2
	Faculty of Technology and Science				
19	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	UG	7,572	2,626	10,198
		PG	705	554	1,259
		PhD	387	388	775
20	Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru	UG	2,857	1,243	4,100
		PG	62	30	92
		PhD	86	115	201
21	Manipal School of Architecture & Planning, Manipal	UG	222	359	581
		PG	6	14	20
		PhD	0	2	2
22	Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Bengaluru	UG	333	950	1,283
		PG	35	109	144
		PG Diploma	3	8	11
		PhD	33	53	86
23	Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	PG	338	122	460
		PhD	14	10	24
24	International Centre for Applied Sciences, Manipal	UG	51	19	70
25	Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences, Manipal	Integrated Msc Phd	4	5	9
		PhD	15	10	25
26	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal	UG	41	22	63
		PG	6	7	13
		PhD	21	20	41
27	Department of Design, Manipal	UG	32	202	234
		PG	7	34	41
		PhD	0	2	2
	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences				
28	Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration, Manipal	UG	494	299	793
		PG	38	101	139
		PhD	1	3	4

Sl No	Names of the Constituent Colleges/Institutions	Level	Total		
			Men	Women	Total
29	T.A. Pai Management Institute, Manipal	PG	561	535	1,096
		UG-PG	85	73	158
		PhD	18	16	34
30	Manipal Institute of Management, Manipal	UG-PG	24	24	48
31	Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal	UG	142	177	319
		PG	25	41	66
		PhD	4	13	17
32	T.A. Pai Management Institute, Bengaluru	UG	421	383	804
		PG	42	21	63
		PhD	2	6	8
33	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts, Manipal	UG	20	58	78
		PG	46	92	138
		PhD	12	22	34
34	Department of Library and Information Science, Manipal	PG	1	2	3
		PhD	1	2	3
35	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal	UG	766	435	1,201
		PG	214	235	449
		PhD	46	64	110
36	Department of Commerce, Bengaluru	UG	179	122	301
		PG	9	2	11
		PhD	5	4	9
37	Manipal Law School, Bengaluru	UG	168	438	606
		PG	31	41	72
38	Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Bengaluru	UG	139	504	643
		PG	53	286	339
39	Department of Public Policy, Bengaluru	PG	1	11	12
Other					
40	Directorate of Online Education	UG	149	87	236
		PG	6852	5892	12744
Off Shore Campus					
41	MAHE Dubai	UG	1,301	1,061	2,362
		PG	265	271	536
		PhD	0	2	2
		Certificate (both foundation & CID)	50	32	82
		PG Diploma	42	9	51
	Grand Total		**29,603**	**26,955**	**56,558**

Teaching Staffs as on 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Constituent Colleges/Departments	Male	Female	Total
	Faculty of Health Sciences			
1	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	305	282	587
2	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	240	221	461
3	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	34	60	94
4	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore	28	42	70
5	Melaka Manipal Medical College, Manipal	8	6	14
6	Manipal-TATA Medical College, Jamshedpur	109	101	210
7	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal	54	15	69
8	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal	22	5	27
9	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	68	144	212
10	Department of Basic Medical Sciences	22	29	51
11	Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	10	52	62
12	Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal	1	15	16
13	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru	4	6	10
14	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal	8	3	11
15	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal	16	20	36
16	Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutic Research	5	4	9
17	Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (Ayurveda)	4	1	5
18	Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (Yoga)	2	3	5
19	Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (Siddha)	1	0	1
	Faculty of Science, Technology, and Management			
1	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	495	222	717
2	Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, Manipal	36	40	76
3	Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration, Manipal	50	15	65
4	International Centre for Applied Sciences	1	1	2
5	Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	20	5	25
6	Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru	78	100	178
7	Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Bengaluru	81	67	148
8	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal	13	2	15
9	Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences, Manipal	12	3	15
	Faculty of Humanities, Liberal Arts, Social Sciences, and Law			
1	Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal	13	11	24
2	Manipal Institute of Management, Manipal	1	0	1
3	T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	43	31	74
4	T A Pai Management Institute, Bengaluru	15	24	39
5	Manipal Law School, Bengaluru	12	19	31
6	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts, Manipal	19	14	33
7	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal	28	25	53
8	Department of Commerce, Bengaluru	10	5	15
9	Department of Library and Information Sciences, Manipal	2	1	3
10	Department of Public Policy, Bengaluru	1	0	1
11	Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Bengaluru	15	39	54
	Others			
1	Centre for Distance and Online Education (CDOE)	8	6	14
2	Manipal Academy of Banking, Bengaluru	56	51	107
	Off-Shore Campus			
1	MAHE Dubai	36	49	85

Non Teaching Staffs as on 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Constituent Colleges/Departments	Male	Female	Total
	Faculty of Health Sciences			
1	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	167	224	391
2	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	243	656	899
3	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	38	96	134
4	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore	35	60	95
5	Melaka Manipal Medical College, Manipal	1	3	4
6	Manipal-TATA Medical College, Jamshedpur	289	140	429
7	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal	25	34	59
8	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal	18	21	39
9	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	24	34	58
10	Department of Basic Medical Sciences	5	4	9
11	Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	7	12	19
12	Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal	1	2	3
13	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru	14	8	22
14	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal	17	17	34
15	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal	7	10	17
16	Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutic Research	7	1	8
17	Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (Ayurveda)	3	12	15
18	Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (Yoga)	2	0	2
19	Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (Siddha)	1	1	2
	Faculty of Science,Technology and Management			
1	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	415	266	681
2	Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, Manipal	18	20	38
3	Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration, Manipal	56	46	102
4	International Centre for Applied Sciences	2	6	8
5	Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	5	3	8
6	Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru	56	50	106
7	Srishti Manipal Institute Of Art, Design and Technology, Bengaluru	63	44	107
8	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal	14	4	18
9	Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences, Manipal	6	2	8
	Faculty of Humanities, Liberal Arts, Social Sciences and Law			
1	Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal	16	11	27
2	Manipal Institute of Management, Manipal	0	1	1
3	T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	93	99	192
4	T A Pai Management Institute, Bengaluru	33	24	57
5	Manipal Law School, Bengaluru	10	7	17
6	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts, Manipal	8	16	24
7	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal	11	11	22
8	Department of Commerce, Bengaluru	3	0	3
9	Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences, Bengaluru	2	5	7
	Others			
1	University Departments, Manipal	642	335	977
2	MAHE Bengaluru Campus, Bengaluru	197	101	298
3	Fortune Valley View, Manipal	111	26	137
4	Hostel	423	420	843
5	Kasturba Hospital, Manipal	897	3,310	4,207
6	KMC Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore	178	659	837

Sl No	Name of the Constituent Colleges/Departments	Male	Female	Total
7	Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi	64	232	296
8	Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	29	122	151
9	Durga Sanjivani Manipal Hospital, Kateel	24	53	77
10	Centre for Distance and Online Education (CDOE)	10	5	15
11	Security/Terrior	687	137	824
12	MaGE	51	105	156
	Off-Shore Campus			
1	MAHE Dubai	38	27	65

University Convocation 2025 (Mangalore & Manipal)

Chief Guest: Dr Abhijat Sheth, President of the National Board of Examination in Medical Science (NBEMS), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.
Date: 24 May 2025
Venue: Dr TMA Pai International Convention Centre, M G Road, Mangalore

Chief Guest: Professor Ananya Mukherjee, Vice Chancellor, Shiv Nadar University, Delhi
Date: 21nd November 2025
Venue: KMC Greens, Manipal

Chief Guest: Mr Bikram Singh Bedi, Vice President Asia Pacific Strategic Initiatives, Google Cloud
Date: 22nd November 2025
Venue: KMC Greens, Manipal

Chief Guest: Professor (Dr) Hany Eteiba, President, Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow
Date: 23rd November 2025
Venue: KMC Greens, Manipal

Glimpses of the University

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Indian Admissions

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) is a global knowledge destination celebrating six decades in education, educating more than 40,000 students from 65+ countries. Students have the largest number of courses to choose from. There are over **420** UG and PG specializations/courses from nearly 30 diverse disciplines are offered across **27** Institutions and **12** University Teaching Departments. The admissions to these programs are centralized and the MAHE admission office is entrusted with the selection and enrolment of the students. MAHE takes pride in stating that we follow the "Admission by merit only" policy. Online/Physical Counselling for admission was conducted for various courses where the prospective students appeared in the counselling as per their rank and took admission to various courses.

A total of 1,19,639 applications were received for 2025–26 admissions

From 01 Oct 2024 to 30 Sep 2025	
Total Emails and Calls Received	Emails: **82,697;** Calls: **1,61,727**
Bulk Emails and SMS sent	Emails: **85,00,067;** SMS: **59,00,598;** WhatsApp: **74,10,540**

Scholarships

With the objective of encouraging meritorious students and academic excellence, MAHE offers a wide variety of scholarships across the programs offered and may offer a complete waiver of course and hostel fees. Listed below is the information on scholarships offered in 2025.

Type of Scholarship	Eligible Scholarship (%)	No of Students	Scholarship Amount
AICTE Scholarship	NA	111	3,62,71,000.00
Alumni Child Scholarship	10%	9	10,65,635.10
AGE Scholarship	10%	82	19,78,500.00
Konkani Scholarship	10%	183	65,76,400.00
MAHE TATA Merit Cum Means Scholarship	10%-25%	2	1,92,500.00
Scholar Scholarship	10%-50%	328	2,56,77,869.15
Staff Child/Spouse Scholarship	10%-100%	87	2,28,07,874.00
Merit Students (MLS, Bengaluru)	15%-20%	79	40,23,450.00
Merit Students (DoC, Bengaluru)	15%-20%	93	23,46,000.00
Merit Students (DLHS, Bengaluru)	15%-20%	148	38,37,150.00
Merit Students (MSc Nursing)	20%	14	4,84,400.00
Merit Students (MPharm)	20%	16	13,63,200.00
Merit Students (BArch)	20%	20	17,48,000.00
Merit Students (MTech/ME)	20%	509	2,20,98,600.00
IDAN Scholarship	25%	1	31,250.00
Merit Students (MSc Health Technology Assessment)	25%	1	55,500.00
MTMC-Unreserved Category Scholarship	25%	11	44,24,750.00

Type of Scholarship	Eligible Scholarship (%)	No of Students	Scholarship Amount
Merit Students (PBBSc Nursing)	25%-50%	5	1,65,000.00
Scholarship for Meritorious Girl students joining MIT Manipal	30%	71	89,06,700.00
Merit Students (MD/MS/MDS)	35%-100%	30	1,78,50,000.00
Manipal Foundation-MAHE Scholarship	38%	2	2,31,000.00
Dr TMA Pai Polytechnic Faculty Scholarship	50%	1	1,00,000.00
MTMC-Reserved Category Scholarship	50%	14	1,12,63,000.00
Merit Students (BSc Nursing)	50%	15	15,00,000.00
Merit Students (BTech Lateral)	75%	36	1,17,71,250.00
SAGES Scholarship	75%	187	5,14,20,000.00
MAHE Srishti Scholarship	100%	2	8,70,000.00
Freeship	100%	14	1,91,00,000.00
MSS Staff Child/Spouse Scholarship	100%	40	1,09,35,000.00

New courses introduced

A total of 40 new programs were introduced for the academic year 2025-26

Institution	Level	Programs
Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), Manipal	PG	MCom (Fintech and Analytics)
Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), Manipal	UG	BCom (Capital Markets)
Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), Manipal	UG	BCom (Fintech and Data Analytics)
Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DBMS)	UG	BSc–MSc Integrated Program
Department of Design (DOD) Manipal	PG	MDes (Design Computation)
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Advanced GI Endoscopy
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Advanced Radiation Oncology Techniques
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Gastrointestinal and Hepato Pancreatico Billiary Surgery
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Glaucoma
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Medical Retina and Uvea
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Neuro Radiation Oncology
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Regional Anaesthesia
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Fellowship	Fellowship in Stereotactic Body Radiotherapy (SBRT) in Thoracic and Gastrointestinal Oncology
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	PG	MSc (By Research) in Neuroscience
Kasturba Medical College (KMC) Mangalore	Fellowship	Fellowship in Otology and Endoscopic Ear Surgery
Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	UG	BSc Neuroscience Technology

Institution	Level	Programs
Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	PG	Master Occupational Therapy (MOT) for the Aging Adult
Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	PG	ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Automotive Embedded Systems), Study Abroad Program with ESIGELEC, France*
Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Manipal	PG	MSc (Computational Molecular Sciences)
MHS, Bengaluru	Fellowship	Fellowship in Cross Section Imaging
MHS, Bengaluru	Fellowship	Fellowship in Molecular Genetic Pathology
MHS, Bengaluru	Fellowship	Fellowship in Skull Base Surgery (Advanced)
MHS, Bengaluru	Fellowship	Fellowship in Skull Base Surgery (Basic)
Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Bengaluru	UG	BTech in Robotics and Artificial Intelligence
Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Bengaluru	PG	MTech Computer Science and Engineering
Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Bengaluru	PG	MTech Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science)
Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Bengaluru	PG	MTech Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design)
Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology (SMI), Bengaluru	PG	MA (Comics and Graphic Literature)
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Medical Laboratory Technology (Clinical Biochemistry)
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Medical Imaging Technology
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Health Information Management
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Cardiovascular Technology (Echocardiography)
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Cardiovascular Technology (Cardiac Catheterization and intervention)
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	Master of Optometry
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc Clinical Psychology
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc (Medical) Anatomy
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc (Medical) Physiology
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc (Medical) Microbiology
MTMC, Jamshedpur	PG	MSc (Medical) Biochemistry

International Admissions

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, has an International Admissions Office at its Manipal campus to cater to the requirements of international students seeking admission to various programs offered across its constituent institutions in Manipal, Mangalore, Bengaluru, and Jamshedpur. Admission of international students is limited to fifteen per cent of the total seats in each program. Candidates with foreign nationality/foreign passports, PIO/OCI cardholders, Non-Resident Indians (NRIs), and candidates sponsored by NRIs who meet the eligibility requirements may apply under the Foreign/NRI/NRI-sponsored category.

Admissions under this category are conducted on a first-come-first-serve merit basis, subject to the candidate's performance in the qualifying examination, i.e., 10+2 for UG programs and a bachelor's degree for PG programs of India or an equivalent examination, and compliance with the eligibility requirements stipulated by the regulatory bodies. There will be no entrance examination.

However, admissions under the Foreign/NRI/NRI-sponsored category to medical and dental programs are based on the rank obtained in the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) and the online counselling and seat allotment by the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS) or the Medical Counselling Committee (MCC).

Further, for admissions into the BArch program under the Foreign/NRI category, candidates must have qualified through a recognized aptitude test in Architecture, i.e., the National Aptitude Test in Architecture (NATA) conducted by the Council of Architecture (COA).

Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal, is one of the participating institutions under the Direct Admission of Students Abroad (DASA), an initiative of the Government of India for the BTech program. In the year 2025-26, MAHE admitted 34 students to its BTech program at MIT, Manipal through DASA, based on their performance in the JEE Main examinations.

A total of 2,088 applications seeking admission to various programs were received in the year 2025-26, and 555 international students (excluding MD and MS, for which admissions for 2025-26 are still open) were admitted to various UG and PG programs.

To attract international students, MAHE has been offering Scholar and Achiever Scholarships for candidates admitted under the Foreign/NRI category since the year 2020-21 to selected courses. Of the students admitted in the academic year 2025-26, 30 students were awarded a 15 per cent scholarship, and 129 students were offered a 10 per cent scholarship under the 'Scholar' Scholarship. Additionally, 188 students are eligible to receive the 'Achiever' Scholarship, subject to their academic performance in the first year.

The International Admissions Office at MAHE, Manipal, handles all matters related to the admission of students under the Foreign/NRI category. The office assists international students in complying with regulatory requirements governing foreign registration, including obtaining a student visa from the Indian Embassy or Consulates abroad, FRRO registration to obtain a Registration Certificate and Registration Permit, extension of a student visa, and other related processes.

In 2025, MAHE, Manipal, participated in the international educational fairs conducted in Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Kuwait, Oman, and Sohar.

MAHE Hostel (Health Sciences & Technology), Manipal

General Information about Hostels:

- Manipal has grown into an international hub of academic excellence, accommodating a substantial population of both Indian and foreign students in two campuses, mainly Health Science and Technology & Management Campus. The Health Science Campus Hostels accommodate **6,794** students from all disciplines related to Health Sciences, and **7,590** students are housed in the hostels of the Technology & Management Campus.
- To address the diverse residential requirements of students from across the globe, there are separate hostels for boys and girls, and the hostels provide a range of accommodation categories, including Single AC, Double AC, Single Non-AC, and Double Non-AC rooms.
- These hostels are well-equipped and well-maintained. Caretakers and block supervisors are available round the clock, every day of the year. In addition to the basic amenities, other facilities include 24-hour electricity and water supply, solar heated hot water, Aquaguard-processed drinking water, fire safety equipment, recreation rooms, visitor lounges, indoor sports facilities, and in-house gym.
- The hostels have access-controlled doors to regulate entry and exit. CCTV cameras have been installed in all hostels, and each hostel has a security guard to ensure the safety of residents.

Details of Hostels:

Health Science Campus:

	Total no of hostels	Total no of rooms	Intake capacity	Occupied seats	Single/Double AC	Single/Double/Triple Non-AC
Boys	8	1,573	2,459	1,694	1,604	855
Girls	13	3,070	4,335	3,478	2,757	1,578

Technology & Management Campus:

	Total no of hostels	Total no. of rooms	Intake capacity	Occupied seats	Single/Double AC	Single/Double/Triple Non-AC
Boys	12	3,384	5,120	4,997	3,583	1,537
Girls	11	1,338	2,470	2,458	1,330	1,140

Hostels for Boys

- **Health Science Campus:** C V Raman, Rabindranath Tagore, Nehru A, Nehru B and C, NIH C Block, Amartya Sen, WGSHA Boys, Annex MAHE Hostel (Satkar Paradise).
- **Technology & Management Campus:** Hostel Block Nos. 5, 6, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 23.

Hostels for Girls

- **Health Science Campus:** NIH A Block, NIH B Block, Old S Chandrashekar, New Chandrashekar, Nehru Ladies, Indira, Sonia, Charaka, PG Block, New Sarojini, Rajaji, Sharada, WGSHA Girls.
- **Technology & Management Campus:** Hostel Block Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 21, and 22.

Common Facilities

- All hostels are furnished with uninterrupted electricity and water supply, wi-fi connection, supplemented by solar-heated water systems, water purification units, and laundry services, thereby ensuring a comfortable and convenient living environment for all residents.
- A state-of-the-art MAHE-affiliated hospital, supported by round-the-clock ambulance services, is available to address medical emergencies at any time. Additionally, a dedicated student clinic located at the Student Plaza for T&M Campus students offers prompt medical assistance and primary healthcare services to students.

- Centralized facilities include a gymnasium and sports complex (MARENA).

Mess/Cafeteria

- There are four university-sponsored service providers, viz., Canara Integrated, Spices N Chefs, Bluspring and Indian Kitchen. All meals are provided, comprising Vegetarian/Non-Vegetarian options. The messes also cater to foreign students and serve continental meals. Students are free to dine at any mess of their choice, ensuring flexibility and variety. In addition, there are canteens that provide snacks and small eats beyond meal timings. All eating joints and kitchens are regularly inspected for cleanliness and hygiene.
- The campus also provides night-canteen facilities, along with food delivery options, cafés, and multiple food kiosks located around the campuses and other convenient points across the campuses, catering to diverse food preferences and schedules.

Management of Hostels

Hostels are managed by a Hostel Management Committee, headed by the First Lady of the MAHE University, Madam Vasanthi R Pai, and assisted by the Chief Operating Officer/Chief Warden. Each Hostel has Wardens drawn from the teaching faculties (35 male, 39 female), who administer the hostels on a day-to-day basis, maintain discipline, and address the needs and grievances of residents. In addition, professional student counsellors are available to support the well-being and academic progression of the residents. Lt Col Manjunath Pai G (Retd) serves as the Chief Warden of Health Science and Technology & Management campuses. The Chief Warden is responsible for the overall upkeep and maintenance of the hostels. He is assisted by Dr Shobha K L as the Deputy Chief Warden of the Health Science Campus Hostels and Dr Nagaraj N Katagi as the Deputy Chief Warden of the Technology & Management (T&M) Campus Hostels. The Chief Warden also functions as a mediator between the University management & the hostels. Contact details are-
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Photos Gallery

New International Hostel

Hostel Reception/Lounge

MAHE Hostel Rooms 2

MAHE Hostel Rooms 1

MAHE Hostels In-House Gym Facility

MAHE Hostel Food Court-Dining Hall

MAHE Hostels, Mangalore

General Information about Hostels: Our hostels provide a safe and secure **"Home away from Home"** environment to over 2150 students right in the heart of the city, near their academic and clinical venues. The hostels have single and double-seater rooms with attached baths, both air-conditioned and non-air-conditioned, along with an independent messing facility. The hostels also have reading/study rooms, TV rooms, and recreational facilities, including Wi-Fi internet connection, biometric access, and CCTV coverage for security aspects. A state-of-the-art indoor and outdoor sports complex caters to the recreational and fitness needs of the students. First-year students are accommodated separately in the Bejai Basic Science Campus. Designated hostels are available for first-year students, Interns, and PGs as well as for MBBS, BDS, and Allied Health courses in line with NMC directives. During the academic year 2025-26, 37 MBBS Foreign/NRI students have been accommodated in AC rooms in Bejai New Hostel.

Details of Hostels

Category	Total no of hostels	Total no of rooms	Intake capacity	Occupied seats	Single/Double rooms	AC/non-AC
Boys	5	488	855	787	121/367	389/99
Girls	6	672	1295	1035	49/623	442/230

- **Hostels for Boys:** Male students are accommodated in five Hostel blocks, housing various categories of students. First-year students are accommodated in a separate Hostel block in the Basic Sciences Campus, while the rest of the UG students, Interns and PG students are housed in different blocks in Kaprigudda Hostel, Falnir PG Hostel, and Sturrock Hostel.

- **Hostels for Girls:** Female students are accommodated in six hostel blocks, housing various categories of students. First-year UG students and Allied Health Sciences UG students are housed in three blocks in the Basic Sciences Campus, while the rest of UG students, Interns and PG students are housed in various blocks of Nandagiri, Falnir, Attavar, AHS, and Sturrock Hostels

- **Common Facilities:** All hostels have reading/study rooms, TV rooms, Wi-Fi connectivity, and provision of hot and cold filtered drinking water. All hostels have biometric access control and CCTV coverage. A state-of-the-Art sports facility, the MARENA, is a shared facility for all students, while there is a basketball and badminton court in the Basic Sciences Campus and a basketball court in Kaprigudda Hostel.

- **Mess/Cafeteria:** All hostels have independent messes with adequate dining halls, run by the Chef on Wheels, a subsidiary company. Additionally, Chef on Wheels also runs two cafeterias, one in the Basic Sciences Campus and the other in the KMC Light House Hill Road building.

- **Management of Hostels:** The MAHE Hostels in Mangalore are managed by the Chief Warden, Lt Col Ramanatha Shetty (Retd), and his team of Wardens, Managers, Matrons, and other staff under the guidance of the Chief Operating Officer, MAHE, and the Pro Vice Chancellor, Mangalore

Campus. Logistic support for housekeeping, maintenance, and security of the hostels is provided by the Regional Manager, Blue Spring Ltd.

- **Photo Gallery.**

Kaprigudda Hostel

Bejai New Hostel

Sturrock Hostel

Attavar Hostel

AHS Hostel B Block

MARENA Sports Complex

MAHE Hostel, (MTMC) Jamshedpur

General Information about Hostels

MTMC hostels are situated 1 KM from the college campus. There are separate Hostels for girls and boys. The students can choose single or double accommodation with AC and Non-AC facilities. Hostel campuses are enabled with Wi-Fi connectivity, a CCTV surveillance system, and a Common room for Boys and Girls with a television. There are indoor sports facilities for carrom, chess, and Table Tennis, and an outdoor play area is available for playing badminton, volleyball, and futsal. A visitor area is available for parents visiting their wards. Hostels are equipped with a mess, serving hygienic food. We have a vehicle facility available at the hostel to visit the hospital in case of an emergency.

We have an in-house caretaker supervising the functioning of the hostel 24/7. Many housekeeping staff maintain hygiene in the hostel premises. Laundry facilities are also available. The hostel premises are well-guarded by security personnel.

The main market is just beside the Hostel Campus, so they can have all their necessary items anytime. Transport is provided to the students to travel from the hostel to the college campus. Buses or other vehicles carry out all the transportation from hostels to the campus.

In each phase, one mess has been provided. A total of three messes are available in the hostels, with one combined mess provided for Phase I and II, both Boys and Girls Hostels. Hostel clinic and Ambulance provided for students in Phase I, II, and Phase V Hostel.

Details of Hostels: -

Students	Total No of hostels	Total No of rooms	Intake capacity	Occupied seats	Single	Double	AC	Non - AC
Girls	4	358	538	461	169	292	357	104
Boys	4	308	464	340	128	212	251	89
Total	08	666	1002	801	297	504	608	193

Note:

- (R/Admin/NT Staff Accommodations) Hostel stores are included in the total no of Rooms/Intake capacity - 48
- Total no of vacant Accommodation – 153
- Total no of Accommodation Occupied Students – 801

Hostels for Boys: -

(a)	Phase - II	-	01
(b)	Phase - IV	-	01
(c)	Phase - V	-	01
(d)	Phase – V(New)	-	01
	Total	=	04

Hostels for Girls: -

(a)	Phase - I	-	01
(b)	Phase - IV	-	01
(c)	Phase -V	-	01
(d)	Phase –V(New)	-	01
	Total	=	04

Common Facilities: -

(a) Phase I and II

(I) Mini Football Ground
(ii) Badminton Court
(iii) Carrom Board
(iv) Table Tennis
(v) Chess
(vi) Ludo
(vii) Skipping Rope.
(viii) Hostel Clinic

(b) Phase IV-

(I) Volleyball Court
(ii) Carrom Board
(c) Phase V -
(I) Mini Cricket Ground
(ii) Volleyball Court
(iii) Carrom Board
(iv) Table Tennis
(v) Shatranj
(vi) Ludo
(vii) Skipping Rope.
(viii) Badminton court
(viii) Hostel Clinic

Mess/Cafeteria: -

(a) Phase II - Mess and Cafeteria
(b) Phase IV - Mess and Cafeteria
(c) Phase V - Mess and Cafeteria

Management of Hostels: -

Chief Warden – MTMC Hostels: Mr Kamal Kishore

Student Officer: Dr Vinay A V
Faculty Warden Boys Hostel: Dr Abhishek Kumar
Mr Sushil Yadav
Warden Girls hostel: Dr Sulekha Sinha
Faculty Warden, Girls hostel: Dr Sreeshma Pavithran Ms Tina Ralhan

Care Takers – 13 Members (08 Males and 05 Females)

Photographs of Phase - V

Photographs of Phase – IV

Photographs of Phase – I & II

MAHE Hostel, Bengaluru

General Information About Hostels

Welcome to MAHE, Bengaluru! We're proud to share that MAHE has secured the 3rd position in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) 2025 rankings. Our hostels provide a range of accommodation options, from quadruple to single occupancy, ensuring a diverse and inclusive community. Allocation for first-year students is based on preferences; while in subsequent years, academic performance is also considered. Our committed team strives to create a "Home Away from Home", fostering a vibrant atmosphere for students across various disciplines, including Engineering, Design, Management, Commerce, Law, Public Policy, and Liberal Arts. Hostel rules, overseen by the Hostel Management Committee, guarantee a secure and comfortable environment. From housing and food to recreation and wellness, our hostels cater to the diverse needs of students. While hostel accommodation is optional, it's a valuable service for those meeting specific criteria. We encourage local students to explore our transport options. At MAHE, Bengaluru, our goal is to collectively create a safe and inclusive space for all students.

Details of Hostels

	Total no of hostels	Total no of rooms	Intake capacity	Occupied seats	Single/Double	AC/Non AC
Boys	5	1,704	3,481	2,936	Double/triple (attached/common)	AC/Non AC
Girls	2	1,237	2,543	2,385	Single/double/triple (attached/common)	AC/Non AC

- **Hostels for Boys:**
  1. HB-2
  2. HB-3
  3. HB-4 (South Wing)
  4. HBO-1 (JM Complex)
  5. HBO-2 (Villas)
  6. HBO-3 (Shanti Bachchan)

- **Hostels for Girls:**
  1. HB-1
  2. HB-4 (North Wing)

- **Common Facilities:**
  - Cot and mattress
  - Individual study table with chair
  - Storage units
  - Wi-fi
  - Laundry facilities
  - Dining facilities (Breakfast, lunch, snacks, dinner)
  - Indoor games like chess and carrom board (common space)
  - Purified drinking water
  - Hot water facility
  - Stationery store on campus
  - Reprography services on campus
  - Sick bay
  - Lifts

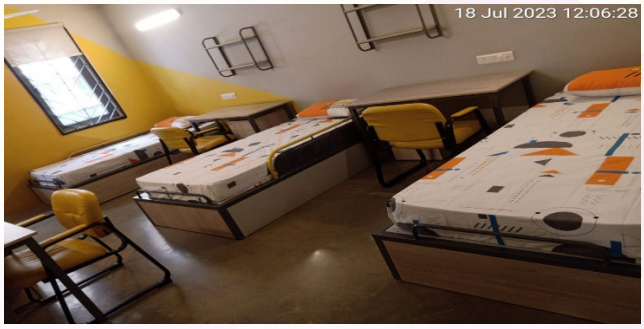
- **Mess/Cafeteria:**
  - Chef's Touch
  - Blue Dove

- **Management of Hostels:**
  - MAHE Hostels

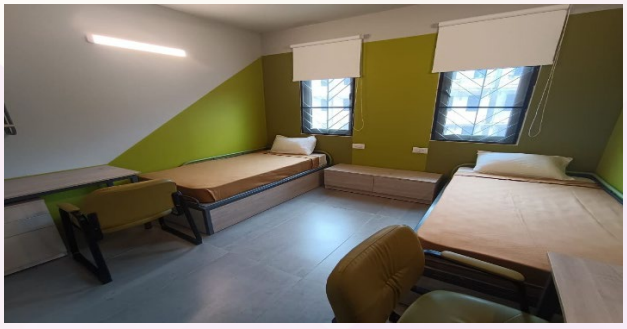
Photos Gallery

Mahe-Bengaluru Hostel Blocks

Hostel Corridor



Hostel Rooms



Hostel Rooms

MAHE Hostel (TAPMI), Manipal

General Information About Hostels:

- All air-conditioned (AC) rooms with bathrooms attached
- 24/7 Security guards and technical support staff
- All rooms are fitted with smoke detectors
- All hostel blocks have a fire detection panel, public address system, hooters and a hose reel
- Dedicated fire control room
- Seamless complaint management system
- Separate block caretakers for girls and boys
- Separate blocks for girls and boys
- Common rooms, night canteens
- Badminton courts and playgrounds with cricket pitches and a basketball court
- No restricted timing to enter the hostel blocks at night

Details of Hostels

	Total no of hostels	Total no of Rooms	Intake Capacity	Occupied seats	Single/Double	AC/Non-AC
Boys	03	274	338	541	Double	All AC rooms
Girls	02	365	524	524	Single/Double	All AC rooms

- Hostels for boys: Hostel # 2, Partly Hostel # 3, and Hostel # 1—Fully air-conditioned room with attached washroom.
- Hostels for girls: Hostel # 4, Partly Hostel # 3, and Hostel # 5—Fully air-conditioned room with attached washroom.
- Common facilities: Common rooms in Hostel # 1, 2, 3, and 5 with modern chairs and tables.
- Mess/cafeteria: One vendor serving hygienic vegetarian and non-vegetarian foods. One chat and juice counter and one cafeteria, fully air-conditioned mess with a seating capacity of 700 students.
- Management of Hostels:

Office of the Registrar-Evaluation

Examinations at a Glance:

- Examinations are conducted for 85 undergraduate courses and 211 postgraduate courses, including super specialty and PhD programs.
- Online Entrance Examinations are conducted for the admission to various undergraduate, postgraduate, and PhD courses.
- Examinations of off-campus are also conducted.
- Question Banks are generated in each subject (by the internal subject experts) and question papers are selected from the Question Bank.
- Examinations are conducted through the Epad system across all the institutions, which is one of the best practices of MAHE. The question paper selected from the question bank is uploaded in the Epad cloud and approved on the previous day, which gets administered on the day of examination on time. Computer-based central evaluations are done in a question wise distributed manner.
- Prior to the publication of the results, students are allowed to see their answer scripts by assembling in the dedicated place according to the schedule released by the respective institution. In this process, students may request for reviewing/reevaluating of certain questions if they are not satisfied with the given marks. In such cases the reevaluated marks will be the final marks.
- However, for paper-based examinations (for only Medical PG and super specialty and Dental PGs), question papers selected from the question bank are photocopied and distributed to the examination hall on the day of examination. The paper valuation is done by two evaluators through the "On Screen Marking" system after scanning the answer scripts and uploading them into the software (the candidate's identification is masked to the evaluators). The third valuation is done if there is a difference of more than 15% of marks between the double valuations.
- All the Results are published within 15 days from the date of the last examination.
- MAHE Academic Council has given autonomy in assessment status for the following institutions/departments for 3/5 years.

Institute Name		
MIT*	MAHE Dubai Campus	MIAP
WGSHA	TAPMI, Manipal	Manipal Academy of Banking and Insurance
MSIS	SMI	MCOPS
ICAS	MISHA	MSAP

*For programs not offered in MIT Bengaluru

Objectives of the Department:

- Scheduling and facilitating the conduction of the examinations in compliance with regulatory body/university guidelines as per the annual calendar approved by the MAHE Examination Committee.
- Carry out the evaluation process as per regulatory body/university guidelines.
- Declare the result within the stipulated timeframe.
- Monitor/guide the examination process of the institutions that are given decentralization (autonomy) in assessment status.

I. Total number of days on which the examinations have been conducted during 2025:

Month	Days	Month	Days
January	25	July	21
February	21	August	20
March	22	September	18
April	16	October	17
May	25	November	19
June	24	December	25
		Total Days: 253	

II. Programs for which the examinations have been conducted and the number of candidates appeared and passed out in final year examination:

A. Undergraduates: Passed out during the year 2025 *(November 2024 – October 2025)*

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
1	DLHS-BLR	BA (English)	1	1
2	DLHS-BLR	BA (Journalism and Mass Communications)	10	10
3	DLHS-BLR	BA (Political Science and Economics)	2	2
4	DLHS-BLR	BA (Political Science and Sociology)	1	1
5	DLHS-BLR	BA (Psychology)	8	8
6	MSCE, Manipal	BCom (Business Process Services)	9	9
7	MSCE, Manipal	BCom (Honours)	1	1
8	MSCE, Manipal	BCom (Professional)	133	133
9	MSCE, Manipal	BBA	211	211
10	MSCE, Manipal	BBA (Honours)	4	4
11	DOC-BLR	Bachelor of Commerce-BCom	4	4
12	MISHA	BA (Aesthetics and Peace Studies)	4	4
13	MISHA	BA (Aesthetics and Peace Studies)-Honours	3	3
14	MTMC-JMD	MBBS	128	128
15	KMC-MLR	MBBS	242	242
16	KMC-MPL	MBBS	243	243
17	MIM	BA (Foundations in Management)	30	30
18	MISHA	BA Humanities	13	13
19	KMC-MNG	BSc Cardiovascular Technology	11	11
20	KMC-MNG	BSc Radiotherapy Technology	1	1
21	KMC-MNG	BSc Respiratory Therapy	6	6
22	KMC-MNG	Bachelor of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (BASLP)	25	25
23	KMC-MNG	Bachelor of Physiotherapy-BPT	36	36
24	MCHP-MPL	BSc (Psychology)	48	48
25	MCHP-MPL	BSc Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology	18	18
26	MCHP-MPL	BSc Cardiovascular Technology	35	35
27	MCHP-MPL	BSc Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics	28	28
28	MCHP-MPL	BSc Emergency Medical Technology	7	7

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
29	MCHP-MPL	BSc Exercise and Sports Science	11	11
30	MCHP-MPL	BSc Medical Imaging Technology	23	23
31	MCHP-MPL	BSc Medical Laboratory Technology	29	29
32	MCHP-MPL	BSc Nuclear Medicine Technology	14	14
33	MCHP-MPL	BSc Perfusion Technology	15	15
34	MCHP-MPL	BSc Physician Assistant	9	9
35	MCHP-MPL	BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology	3	3
36	MCHP-MPL	BSc Respiratory Therapy	32	32
37	MCHP-MPL	BSc Health Information Management	7	7
38	MCHP-MPL	Bachelor of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (BASLP)	33	33
39	MCHP-MPL	Bachelor of Optometry	11	11
40	MCHP-MPL	Bachelor of Physiotherapy-BPT	57	57
41	MCHP-MPL	BOT	34	34
42	MCODS	BDS	16	16
43	MCON	BSc Nursing	94	94
44	MCOPS	Bachelor of Pharmacy	99	92
45	MCOPS	Diploma in Pharmacy	23	21
46	MIAP	BSc (Physics)	5	5
47	MIC	BA (Honours) in Media and Communication	7	7
48	MIC	BSc Animation	46	46
49	MIC	BA (Media and Communication)	68	68
50	MIC	Bachelor of Vocation (BVoc) Graphics and Digital Media	7	7
51	MISHA	BA European Languages and Intercultural Studies	13	13
52	MIT, Manipal	BE-Aeronautical Engineering	64	64
53	MIT, Manipal	BE-Automobile Engineering	28	28
54	MIT, Manipal	BE-Bio-Medical Engineering	49	49
55	MIT, Manipal	BE-Biotechnology	56	56
56	MIT, Manipal	BE-Chemical Engineering	51	51
57	MIT, Manipal	BE-Civil Engineering	57	57
58	MIT, Manipal	BE-Computer and Communication Engineering	168	168
59	MIT, Manipal	BE-Computer Science and Engineering	212	212
60	MIT, Manipal	BE-Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)	111	111
61	MIT, Manipal	BE-Data Science and Engineering	118	118
62	MIT, Manipal	BE-Electrical and Electronics Engineering	122	122
63	MIT, Manipal	BE-Electronics and Communication Engineering	186	186
64	MIT, Manipal	BE-Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering	12	12
65	MIT, Manipal	BE-Industrial and Production Engineering	16	16
66	MIT, Manipal	BE-Information Technology	184	184

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
67	MIT, Manipal	BE-Mechanical Engineering	157	157
68	MIT, Manipal	BE-Mechatronics	103	103
69	MIT, Manipal	BE-Media Technology	14	14
70	MIT, Manipal	Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering	61	61
71	MIT, Manipal	Instrumentation and Control Engineering	2	2
72	MIT-BLR	BTech	90	90
73	MLSC	BSc Biotechnology	39	39
74	MLSC	BSc (Honours) in Biotechnology	20	20
75	MSAP	BArch	141	141
76	MSAP	BDes (Fashion Design)	22	22
77	MSAP	BA (Interior Design)	1	1
78	MSAP	Bachelor of Design (Interior Design)	31	31
79	SMI-BLR	Bachelor of Design	182	182
80	SMI-BLR	Bachelor of Fine Arts	36	36
81	SMI-BLR	Bachelor of Vocation	79	79
82	TAPMI-BLR	BBA	3	3
83	WGSHA	BSc Hospitality and Catering Studies	3	3
84	WGSHA	BA (Culinary Arts)	164	164
85	WGSHA	Bachelor of Hotel Management (BHM)	149	134

B: Postgraduates: Passed out during the year 2025 ***(November 2024 – October 2025)***

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
1	CIMR-DOY	MSc (Yoga Therapy)	8	8
2	CIMR-DOA	Post Graduate Certificate Course in Panchakarma	5	5
3	DLHS-BLR	MA (English Language and Literature)	14	14
4	DLHS-BLR	MA (Multimedia and Communications)	19	19
5	DLIS	Master of Library and Information Sciences	5	5
6	MSCE, Manipal	MA (Digital and Creative Marketing)	19	19
7	MSCE, Manipal	MCom (Banking Technology)	10	10
8	MSCE, Manipal	MCom (Logistics and Supply Chain)	18	18
9	MSCE, Manipal	MCom (Professional)	59	59
10	MSCE, Manipal	MSc (Business Analytics)	31	31
11	MSCE, Manipal	MSc (Financial Economics)	19	19
12	MSCE, Manipal	MSc (Health Economics)	8	8
13	MSCE, Manipal	PG Diploma (Logistics and Supply Chain)	17	17
14	MIT, Manipal	BSc (Mathematics and Computing)	9	9
15	MIT, Manipal	MSc Applied Mathematics and Computing	24	19
16	MIT, Manipal	MSc Chemistry	38	34
17	MIT, Manipal	MSc Geology	26	26

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
18	MIT, Manipal	MSc Physics	17	17
19	DPP-BLR	Master of Arts-MA (Public Policy)	15	15
20	KMC-MLR	MSc (Medical)-Biochemistry	4	4
21	KMC-MLR	MSc (Medical)-Microbiology	5	5
22	KMC-MLR	MSc (Medical)-Pharmacology	4	4
23	KMC-MLR	MD (Anaesthesiology)	14	14
24	KMC-MLR	MD (Community Medicine)	3	3
25	KMC-MLR	MD (Dermatology, Venereology and Leprosy)	3	3
26	KMC-MLR	MD (General Medicine)	26	26
27	KMC-MLR	MD (Microbiology)	2	2
28	KMC-MLR	MD (Paediatrics)	6	6
29	KMC-MLR	MD (Pathology)	8	8
30	KMC-MLR	MD (Psychiatry)	2	2
31	KMC-MLR	MD (Radiation Oncology)	2	2
32	KMC-MLR	MD (Radio-Diagnosis)	9	9
33	KMC-MLR	MD (Respiratory Medicine)	2	2
34	KMC-MLR	MS (General Surgery)	10	10
35	KMC-MLR	MS (Obstetrics and Gynaecology)	15	15
36	KMC-MLR	MS (Ophthalmology)	4	4
37	KMC-MLR	MS (Orthopaedics)	6	6
38	KMC-MLR	MS (Otorhinolaryngology)	5	5
39	KMC-MPL	DM (Cardiology)	4	4
40	KMC-MPL	DM (Critical Care Medicine)	2	2
41	KMC-MPL	DM (Infectious Disease)	1	1
42	KMC-MPL	DM (Medical Gastroenterology)	3	3
43	KMC-MPL	DM (Medical Genetics)	2	2
44	KMC-MPL	DM (Medical Oncology)	2	2
45	KMC-MPL	DM (Nephrology)	4	4
46	KMC-MPL	DM (Neurology)	4	4
47	KMC-MPL	Fellowship in Gynaecologic Oncology	1	1
48	KMC-MPL	Fellowship in Oncopathology	2	2
49	KMC-MPL	MCh (Hand Surgery)	2	2
50	KMC-MPL	MCh (Neurosurgery)	2	2
51	KMC-MPL	MCh (Paediatric Orthopaedics)	2	2
52	KMC-MPL	MCh (Paediatric Surgery)	1	1
53	KMC-MPL	MCh (Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery)	2	2
54	KMC-MPL	MCh (Reproductive Medicine and Surgery)	3	3
55	KMC-MPL	MCh (Urology)	6	6
56	KMC-MPL	MSc (Genetic Counselling)	5	5
57	KMC-MPL	MSc (Medical)-Anatomy	2	2

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
58	KMC-MPL	MSc (Medical)-Biochemistry	5	5
59	KMC-MPL	MSc (Medical)-Microbiology	5	5
60	KMC-MPL	MSc (Medical)-Pharmacology	5	5
61	KMC-MPL	MSc in Reproductive Genetics	2	2
62	KMC-MPL	MD (Anaesthesiology)	17	17
63	KMC-MPL	MD (Biochemistry)	1	1
64	KMC-MPL	MD (Community Medicine)	7	7
65	KMC-MPL	MD (Dermatology, Venereology and Leprosy)	6	6
66	KMC-MPL	MD (Emergency Medicine)	3	3
67	KMC-MPL	MD (Forensic Medicine and Toxicology)	2	2
68	KMC-MPL	MD (General Medicine)	24	24
69	KMC-MPL	MD (Hospital Administration)	2	2
70	KMC-MPL	MD (Immuno Haematology and Blood Transfusion)	2	2
71	KMC-MPL	MD (Microbiology)	3	3
72	KMC-MPL	MD (Paediatrics)	13	13
73	KMC-MPL	MD (Palliative Medicine)	2	2
74	KMC-MPL	MD (Pathology)	12	12
75	KMC-MPL	MD (Pharmacology)	1	1
76	KMC-MPL	MD (Psychiatry)	9	9
77	KMC-MPL	MD (Radiation Oncology)	2	2
78	KMC-MPL	MD (Radio-Diagnosis)	7	7
79	KMC-MPL	MD (Respiratory Medicine)	4	4
80	KMC-MPL	MS (General Surgery)	19	19
81	KMC-MPL	MS (Obstetrics and Gynaecology)	20	20
82	KMC-MPL	MS (Ophthalmology)	6	6
83	KMC-MPL	MS (Orthopaedics)	13	13
84	KMC-MPL	MS (Otorhinolaryngology)	4	4
85	KMC-MPL	MSc (Reproductive and Developmental Biology)	6	6
86	KMC-MPL	MSc Forensic Science	9	9
87	KMC-MPL	MSc-Clinical Embryology	14	14
88	MIM	MBA	23	23
89	DBR	MSc (By Research) in Biotherapeutics	13	13
90	MISHA	MA European Literature and Culture	1	1
91	MISHA	MA European Studies	2	2
92	MISHA	MA English	13	13
93	MISHA	MA History	4	4
94	MISHA	MA Sociology	8	8
95	KMC-MNG	MSc (Clinical Psychology)	22	22
96	KMC-MNG	MSc in Speech Language Pathology MSc (SLP)	13	13
97	KMC-MNG	MPT	19	19

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
98	MCHP-MPL	MPhil (Clinical Psychology)	26	26
99	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology)	5	5
100	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Audiology)	24	24
101	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Cardiac Cath and Intervention Technology)	3	3
102	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Clinical Psychology)	26	26
103	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Echocardiography)	8	8
104	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Emergency Medical Technology)	6	6
105	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Exercise and Sports Sciences)	13	13
106	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Health Information Management)	5	5
107	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Medical Imaging Technology)	9	9
108	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Medical Radiation Physics)	7	7
109	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Nuclear Medicine Technology)	11	11
110	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Perfusion Technology)	2	2
111	MCHP-MPL	MSc (Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology)	1	1
112	MCHP-MPL	MSc (RT)	6	6
113	MCHP-MPL	MSc Health Informatics (Healthcare IT Management)	3	3
114	MCHP-MPL	MSc in Speech Language Pathology MSc (SLP)	12	12
115	MCHP-MPL	MSc Medical Laboratory Technology	11	10
116	MCHP-MPL	Master of Optometry	13	13
117	MCHP-MPL	MOT	20	20
118	MCHP-MPL	MPT	31	31
119	MCNS	Integrated MSc-PhD	7	7
120	MCODS	MDS	1	1
121	MCON	Post Basic BSc Degree in Nursing	17	17
122	MCOPS	Doctor of Pharmacy	30	29
123	MCOPS	Doctor of Pharmacy (Post Baccalaureate)	7	7
124	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Industrial Pharmacy	12	12
125	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmaceutical Analysis	7	7
126	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmaceutical Biotechnology	7	7
127	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmaceutical Chemistry	7	6
128	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance	13	13
129	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs	15	15
130	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmaceutics	15	15
131	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmacology	15	15
132	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy-Pharmacy Practice	4	4
133	MCOPS	Master of Pharmacy in Pharmaceutical Chemistry	3	3
134	MH-BLR	MSc (Echocardiography)	1	1
135	MIAP	MSc (Nanoscience and Technology)	5	5
136	MIAP	MSc (Photonics)	5	5
137	MIC	MA (Film Art)	2	2

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
138	MIC	MA (Media and Communication)	51	51
139	MIC	PG Diploma in Corporate Communication	3	3
140	MIM	MBA	2	2
141	MIRM	PG Diploma in Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology	8	8
142	MISHA	MA Geopolitics and International Relations	38	38
143	MISHA	MA Indian Philosophy	4	4
144	MISHA	PG Diploma in Indian Philosophy	1	1
145	MIT, Manipal	Applied Computational Fluid Dynamics	1	1
146	MIT, Manipal	Construction Engineering and Management	21	21
147	MIT, Manipal	Defence Technology	8	8
148	MIT, Manipal	Environmental Engineering	3	3
149	MIT, Manipal	Internet of Things	1	1
150	MIT, Manipal	Master of Computer Applications	160	160
151	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Avionics	5	5
152	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Bio-Medical Engineering	12	12
153	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Chemical Engineering	10	10
154	MIT, Manipal	MTech - Computer Aided Analysis and Design	12	12
155	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Computer Networking and Engineering	13	13
156	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Computer Science and Engineering	29	29
157	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Computer Science and Information Security	28	28
158	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Control Systems	1	1
159	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Data Science	28	28
160	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Digital Electronics and Communication Engineering	11	11
161	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Electric Vehicle technology	4	4
162	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Embedded Control and Automation	3	3
163	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Engineering Management	3	3
164	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Industrial Automation and Robotics	15	15
165	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Industrial Bio-Technology	18	18
166	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Machine Intelligence and Decision Sciences	13	13
167	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Medical Informatics	2	2
168	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Microelectronics	26	26
169	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Power Electronics and Drives	5	5
170	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Software Engineering	19	19
171	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Structural Engineering	28	28
172	MIT, Manipal	MTech-Thermal Sciences and Energy Systems	7	7
173	MIV	MSc (Clinical Virology)	13	13
174	MLS-BLR	LLM (Construction Law and Arbitration)	10	10
175	MLS-BLR	LLM (Data Privacy and Information Technology Laws)	27	27
176	MLS-BLR	LLM (Data Privacy and Cyber Law)	2	2

Sl No	Institute	Course name	Appeared	Passed
177	MLS-BLR	LLM (International Investment and Commercial Arbitration)	9	9
178	MLS-BLR	PG Diploma in Construction Law and Arbitration	34	34
179	MLSC	MSc (Bioinformatics)	26	26
180	MLSC	MSc (Genome Engineering)	8	8
181	MLSC	MSc (Medical Biotechnology)	18	18
182	MLSC	MSc (Molecular Biology and Human Genetics)	20	20
183	MLSC	MSc (Research) in Life Sciences	4	4
184	MLSC	MSc (Systems Biology)	4	4
185	MLSC	MSc (Tissue Engineering)	9	9
186	MSAP	MArch (Urban Design and Development)	12	12
187	MSAP	MDes (Interior Design)	15	15
188	MSAP	MDes (Sustainable Design)	13	13
189	MSAP	Master of Arts (Fashion Management)	8	8
190	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)	28	28
191	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (Big Data Analytics)	28	28
192	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (Cloud Computing)	28	28
193	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (Cyber Security)	26	26
194	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (Embedded Systems)	28	28
195	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (Microelectronics and VLSI Technology)	23	23
196	MSIS	Master of Engineering-ME (VLSI Design)	28	28
197	PSPH	MSc (Biostatistics)	19	19
198	PSPH	MSc (Data Science)	13	13
199	PSPH	Master of Hospital Administration	5	5
200	PSPH	Master of Public Health	61	61
201	PSPH	Master Of Social Work	29	29
202	SMI-BLR	Master of Arts	36	36
203	SMI-BLR	Master of Design	22	22
204	SMI-BLR	Master of Fine Art	1	1
205	SMI-BLR	Post Graduate Diploma Program	14	14
206	TAPMI	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	350	350
207	TAPMI	Master of Business Administration (MBA)-Banking and Financial Services	59	59
208	TAPMI	Master of Business Administration (MBA)-Human Resource Management	44	44
209	TAPMI	Master of Business Administration (MBA)-International Business	25	25
210	TAPMI	Master of Business Administration (MBA)-Marketing	51	51
211	WGSHA	MA (Indian Cuisine and Food Culture)	14	14

B: Postgraduates: Passed out during the year 2025 ***(November 2024 – October 2025)***

III. Average number of days taken for result announcement after the last exam: 22

IV. Revaluation Details:

Total candidates applied for revaluation : 1,082

Total subjects applied for revaluation : 1,507

V. Number of malpractice cases reported : 21

VI. Number of student complaints/grievances about evaluation: Nil

VII. Doctorate (PhD) in the year 2025:

Sl No	Institution	No of PhD awarded
	Constituent Institute/Teaching Department of MAHE	
1	DBMS, MAHE, Manipal	1
2	MISHA, MAHE, Manipal	3
3	Department of Library and Information Science, MAHE, Manipal	
4	Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal	1
5	MSCE, MAHE, Manipal	4
6	KMC, Mangalore	10
7	KMC, Manipal	22
8	MAHE Dubai Campus, Dubai	1
9	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics (MIAP), MAHE, Manipal	4
10	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), MAHE, Manipal	14
11	MCHP, Bengaluru	2
12	MCHP, Manipal	17
13	MCODS, Mangalore	2
14	MCON, Manipal	6
15	MCOPS, Manipal	27
16	MIC, Manipal	3
17	MIM, Manipal	3
18	MIRM, Bengaluru	4
19	MIT, Manipal	93
20	MMMC, Manipal	5
21	MSAP, Manipal	4
22	MSIS, Manipal	7
23	MSLS, Manipal	20
24	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal	4
25	T A Pai Management Institute, MAHE, Manipal	3
26	***External Research Centres***	
27	ATREE, Bengaluru	3
28	Bangalore Speech and Hearing Research Foundations (BSHRF), Bengaluru	1
29	Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan, Bengaluru	2
30	CDFD, Hyderabad	3
31	Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences (CeNS), Bengaluru	5

Sl No	Institution	No of PhD awarded
32	Centre for Brain Research (CBR), Bengaluru	2
33	Centre for Stem Cell Research (CSCR), Vellore	5
34	Centre for Wildlife Studies, Bengaluru	1
35	DRILS, Hyderabad	2
36	IBAB, Bengaluru	4
37	ICMR-Centre for Cancer Pathology (ICMR-CCP), (Formerly ICMR-National Institute of Pathology), New Delhi	1
38	InStem, Bengaluru	4
39	IOB, Bengaluru	3
40	Nature Conservation Foundation, Mysuru	3
41	L V Prasad Eye Institute, Hyderabad	6
42	Lupin Research Park, Pune	2
43	Mazumdar Shaw Medical Foundation, Bengaluru	1
44	NIAS, Bengaluru	4
45	RCC, Thiruvananthapuram	2
46	RERDS-Centre for Pharmaceutical Research (CPR), Anantapuramu	1
47	RGCB, Thiruvananthapuram	5
48	SACON, Coimbatore	1
49	St John's Research Institute, Bengaluru	2
	Total	**323**

VIII. Number of candidates appeared for Manipal Online Entrance Examinations (MET 2025):

PG	3,756
UG	58,141

IX. Degree Certificate issued in the year 2025:

Total number of Degree Certificate issued in 2025	20,834

X. Issue of Various Certificates in the year 2025:

Total Mark Cards issued	41,622
Total Provisional Pass Certificates issued	4,786
Total Consolidated Marks Card issued	92
Total Duplicate Marks Card issued	160
Total Name Corrections in Mark Card	200

Alumni Relations

Alumni Relations at MAHE serves as a platform that brings together Manipal alumni from different institutions to create a global community of Manipalites and build long-lasting relationships. We, at Alumni Relations, work closely with Manipal alumni to create networking opportunities, share nostalgic moments, and partner in the growth of their alma mater, MAHE.

Our aim is to build a strong and engaged global alumni network. To achieve this goal and foster a mutually beneficial relationship between alumni and their alma mater, Alumni Relations, MAHE, has introduced a new alumni logo with the theme **Connect, Inspire & Support**.

Connect

In this era of digitalization, we connect through emails and social networks such as Facebook and LinkedIn. Alumni Relations also manages an alumni portal at **alumni.manipal.edu**, which maintains alumni data and provides updates on alumni activities and achievements. MAHE proudly has close to 2.5 lakh alumni who continue to make their mark across various spheres of life.

Inspire

Effective engagement with alumni happens across institutions through roles such as adjunct faculty, visiting faculty, and guest lecturers. Last year, over 500 alumni visited the campus as faculty and interacted with students to enhance their educational experience. Additionally, more than 600 alumni returned to deliver guest lectures, and notable alumni delivered around 30 orations as part of the annual lecture series. Over 60 alumni reunion events for various departments and batches were held across MAHE.

Support

MAHE offers a 10 per cent fee waiver for the wards of alumni to pursue higher education at any MAHE institute. As a result, scholarships worth over one crore rupees have been awarded to alumni children for various courses. Furthermore, MAHE plans to extend insurance and Medicare facilities to alumni in the near future.

The Alumni Relations office addresses alumni requirements and queries through emails, phone calls, and social media platforms. Special efforts are made to make alumni visits memorable by organizing campus tours, which include visits to the Experience Theatre, hostels, library, indoor sports complex, end point, Smrithi Bhavan, museum, and experiential projects. Alumni are also facilitated to meet and felicitate their teachers during batch reunions.

Alumni can stay at MAHE's New International Guesthouse, located adjacent to the **manipal.edu** building, offering a panoramic view of the Arabian Sea on one side and a bird's-eye view of Manipal from a height of around 150 feet. Those wishing to relive the campus dining experience can enjoy meals at any of the five large food courts on campus.

Our alumni play a vital role in advancing their alma mater through generous contributions. MAHE has established an endowment fund in the name of **Dr H Aravinda Ballal** with a corpus of 1.5 crore INR, matched by MAHE. Another endowment, the **Golden Batch of 1969 Endowment**, was instituted by KMC/CODS alumni to support meritorious students from economically disadvantaged families enrolling in MBBS/BDS programs at MAHE.

Significant contributions include:

- **Mr Faizal Kottikollon (MIT alumnus)**: Established the MIT KEF R&D Centre, worth over 15 crore INR.
- **Chef Vikas Khanna**: Instrumental in setting up the Museum of Culinary Arts, worth over 10 crore INR.
- **Mr Harish Shah (MIT alumnus)**: Donated 12 crore INR to sponsor 60 students for tuition and hostel fees at MIT.

The **HBSF-MAHE EduEmpower Scholarship Program** will expand to cover about 240 students, with an annual financial commitment of 12 crore INR (approximately 50 crore INR over four years).

These are just a few examples of the many contributions made by our alumni. Similar initiatives, such as endowment orations and scholarships for meritorious and needy students, continue throughout the year.

Alumni Reunions/Homecoming events held at Manipal, Mangalore Institutions and different places

Sl No	Name of the Institution	Alumni Reunions held in 2025	Date
1	KMC, Manipal	The MBBS 1955-65 Alumni Reunion was held at Kochi, Kerala	11 Jan 2025
2	KMC, Manipal	The 1980 MBBS batch Alumni Meet was held at Manipal	10 Jan 2025
3	KMC, Manipal	Urology Alumni Meet 2025 was held at Manipal	10 Jan 2025
4	KMC, Manipal	The 1995 Batch Alumni Reunion was held at Manipal	21 Feb 2025
5	KMC, Manipal	KMC Alumni Meet held at Lucknow	23 Feb 2025
6	KMC, Manipal	The Dermatology Alumni Meet was held at Manipal	14 Mar 2025
7	KMC, Manipal	The Department of ENT Alumni Meet was held at Manipal	06 Apr 2025
8	KMC, Manipal	Malaysian Doctors' Alumni Meet held in Sri Lanka	20 Jun 2025
9	KMC, Manipal	The Department of General Surgery at KMC, Manipal, organized a reunion for postgraduate alumni who joined between 2010 and 2019, under the guidance of Dr Prasad S S (Associate Dean and Head of Department) and in the presence of senior faculty. The event was well attended by 30 departmental faculty, 35 alumni and their families, along with current postgraduates. Dr Ranjani R (Assistant Professor and alumnus of the 2015 batch) delivered the vote of thanks. The evening concluded with a dinner, fostering camaraderie and nostalgia among participants.	25 Jul 2025
10	KMC, Manipal	The 1993 MSc batch KMC, Manipal Alumni Reunion was held at Manipal	12 Jul 2025
11	KMC, Manipal	Pathology Alumni Meet 2025	23 Aug 2025
12	KMC, Manipal	Gastro Alumni Meet 2025	13 Sep 2025
13	KMC, Manipal	The KMC Manipal MBBS batch of 2009 was held at Manipal	27 Sep 2025
14	KMC, Manipal	The Alumni Meet UK Chapter was held in London	27 Sep 2025
15	KMC, Manipal	The Forensic Science 1st Alumni Meet was held at Manipal	05 Oct 2025
16	KMC, Manipal	Psychiatry Alumni Meet 2025	11 Oct 2025
17	KMC, Manipal	Manipal Alumni Summit 2025 held at Penang, Malaysia	08 Nov 2025
18	KMC, Manipal	Batch of 1988 MBBS KMC, Manipal Alumni Reunion held at Dubai	11 Dec 2025
19	KMC, Manipal	Alumni Meet 2025-Emergency Medicine was held at Manipal	13 Dec 2025
20	KMC, Manipal	MD Medicine Alumni Meet 2025	13 Dec 2025
21	KMC, Manipal	Alumni Reunion 1996-1998 batch PG Radiodiagnosis	18 Dec 2025

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22	KMC, Mangalore	The MBBS Batch of 2004, who joined KMC Mangalore during its Golden Jubilee year, returned to celebrate their 20-Year Reunion in the Platinum Jubilee year of this iconic institution.	04 Jan 2025
23	KMC, Mangalore	The MBBS Batch of 1991 reunited in Kochi with over 150 alumni travelling from across the globe.	10 Jan 2025
24	KMC, Mangalore	Coral SANGAM - 35th year reunion MBBS batch of 1989: 1989 (Coral Sangama): The MBBS Batch of 1989 was back at *Namma Kudla* for a nostalgic homecoming from 24 to 26 January 2025. From reconnecting at the KMC Mangalore campus to mentorship sessions and heartfelt tributes, this reunion celebrated friendships and memories spanning 35 years.	24 Jan 2025
25	KMC, Mangalore	The MBBS Batch of 1984 returned to their alma mater for their 40th-year reunion, reliving memories, reconnecting with friends, and witnessing the transformation of KMC Mangalore. They also participated in the Republic Day 2025 celebrations, making it a truly special homecoming!	25 Jan 2025
26	KMC, Mangalore	On 15 March 2025, the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in collaboration with KMC Hospital Attavar, hosted the MSK-MRI Masterclass and an Alumni Reunion and Dinner at Hotel Avatar, Mangalore. These events were part of the celebrations marking the launch of the 3 Tesla MRI, a significant advancement in Radiodiagnostic Technology. The evening culminated with an alumni reunion and dinner	15 Mar 2025
27	KMC, Mangalore	The Department of Gastroenterology, KMC Hospital, hosted *Anubhuthi 2025—KMC Gastro Alumni Meet* on 29 March. Graced by the senior leadership of MAHE, the reunion brought together alumni, faculty, and mentors in celebration of legacy and learning.	29 Mar 2025
28	KMC, Mangalore	The KMC CONNECT alumni meet, organized by the KMC Alumni Association Bengaluru (KMCAAB), was held on 20 April 2025, at Bengaluru City Institute, Chamarajpet. The event brought together over 170 alumni from various batches across Bengaluru, celebrating decades of camaraderie and shared memories. Established in 1973 and inaugurated by Dr TMA Pai, KMCAAB is the oldest alumni chapter, serving as a vibrant platform for networking, mentorship, and institutional bonding. The Chief Guest was Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor of MAHE, joined by Guests of Honour Dr Unnikrishnan B, Dean of KMC Mangalore, and Dr Saraswathy Sreeram, Associate Director of Alumni Relations, MAHE. Distinguished alumnus Dr Ashwath Narayan (MBBS 1988), former Deputy Chief Minister of Karnataka, graced the occasion, sharing fond memories of his KMC days. The evening featured a meet-and-greet, a stage program with speeches, alumni reflections, and the release of *KMC Chronicles 2025*, KMCAAB's special edition magazine. The event left attendees with pride, nostalgia, and renewed connection to their alma mater, reinforcing KMCAAB's legacy of uniting and engaging the KMC alumni community.	20 Apr 2025
29	KMC, Mangalore	The 1994 batch of KMC Mangalore celebrated their Reunion "Reveries" at Kochi (09 to 10 August). With heritage tours, houseboat cruises and evenings of laughter, it was a blissful journey down memory lane.	09 Aug 2025
30	KMC, Mangalore	Alumni Meet and Greet. Organized by KMC Mangalore Alumni (1980-1995) at Mangalore. About 400 alumni participated. Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro VC (Health Sciences), MAHE and KMC Mangalore alumnus, was in attendance, alongside the leadership teams of MAHE Mangalore Campus.	10 Oct 2025

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		The day continued with a nostalgic Meet and Greet at Kaprigudda Hostel—with many distinguished alumni, including Dr C N Ashwath Narayan, Former Deputy CM of Karnataka. Lunch at the iconic Kaprigudda quadrangle rekindled laughter, memories, and stronger bonds.	
31	KMC, Mangalore	KMC Mangalore Mahamilan 2025: The 3rd consecutive KMC Mangalore Mahamilan, hosted by the KMC Alumni Association at Delhi, was held on 16 November 2025, bringing together alumni across decades to celebrate the legacy, pride, and spirit of KMC Mangalore. Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore, was the Chief Guest, and Dr Baljit Kaur Gulati (Batch of 1959) was the Special Guest of the evening. KMC Ratan Awards were given to distinguished alumni from 1955 to 1994.	16 Nov 2025
32	KMC, Mangalore	The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, conducted the Guruvandana and Annual Alumni Meet on 18 December 2025, marking 61 years of postgraduate training in the department. The event brought together former faculty, alumni, current faculty, and postgraduate students in a spirit of gratitude, legacy, and academic bonding. The evening featured an alumni guest lecture by Dr Sankalp Singh, Director, Yaami Fertility and IVF Centre, Indore, on "Is it Time to Offer Universal Ovarian Reserve Screening for All Women of Reproductive Age?"	18 Dec 2025
33	KMC, Mangalore	The Department of Pathology celebrated its Diamond Jubilee Alumni Reunion, marking 60 years of excellence in medical education and diagnostics. Alumni from multiple batches, senior faculty, retired professors, and current staff participated enthusiastically. Highlights included *Guruvandana*, honouring senior and retired faculty for their invaluable contributions, and a CME featuring the Dahiya Memorial Oration by Dr Hema Kini, Professor, KMC Mangalore. Scientific sessions by distinguished alumni focused on surgical pathology grossing, immunohistochemistry, and dermatopathology. The event concluded with interactive sessions and fond reminiscences, strengthening alumni bonds and reaffirming commitment to the department's legacy and growth.	20 Dec 2025
34	KMC, Mangalore	The 25th Year Reunion of the MBBS Batch of 2000 was held on 26 to 27 December 2025 at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, bringing together alumni, faculty, and families to celebrate a remarkable milestone. The reunion brought together approximately 144 alumni, making it one of the largest gatherings of a single alumni batch at the institution. Marking the occasion with gratitude and purpose, the alumni collectively contributed INR 20 lakhs towards the procurement of an echocardiography machine for the Cath Lab at Wenlock Hospital. This meaningful gesture stands as a testament to their enduring bond with their alma mater and commitment to strengthening patient care and public health services.	26 Dec 2025
35	KMC, Mangalore	The 25th Year Reunion of the Bachelor of Physiotherapy Batch 2000 was held from 25 to 27 December 2025 at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore. The reunion featured campus visits, student–faculty interactions, academic sessions by alumni, informal meets, and shared meals—celebrating 25 years of professional growth, camaraderie, and enduring ties with the alma mater.	27 Dec 2025

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36	MIT, Manipal	The 2007 batch Alumni Reunion was held at MIT	03 Jan 2025
37	MIT, Manipal	The 2003 batch Alumni Reunion was held at Manipal	04 Jan 2025
38	MIT, Manipal	Golden Reunion of 1975 and above batches, held in Hyderabad: The Telugu alumni of MIT, Manipal, belong to the States of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh and the Union Territory of Yanam (part of Puducherry). Although in 2019 it was decided to form a formal Telugu MIT Alumni Association at Hyderabad, it was deferred due to COVID 2020. The Batch of 1975-80 has decided to invite all their seniors and finally, on 26 January 2025, the formal program was arranged at Hyderabad. The total number of alumni attending the program was about 55.	26 Jan 2025
39	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 2019 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	12 Apr 2025
40	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 1980 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	21 Apr 2025
41	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 2007 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	02 May 2025
42	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 2012 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	03 May 2025
43	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 1984 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	16 May 2025
44	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 2014 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	18 Jul 2025
45	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 2007 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	21 Jul 2025
46	MIT, Manipal	Manipal Aluminate 2025–Alumni Meet at Westgate Resorts, Las Vegas: The Manipal Aluminate 2025 alumni meet was held at Westgate Resorts, Las Vegas, USA, bringing together Manipal alumni under one roof for three days of educational talks and engaging discussions. The event united alumni from KMC, MIT, TAPMI, MCHP, and MCOPS, showcasing the strength of a global, multidisciplinary network and bridging generations of Manipal graduates. This meet helped strengthen global alumni connections and highlighted alumni relations at the institute and university levels. Special appreciation goes to the organizing team, coordinated by alumnus Dr Madhu Shettian, for making the event memorable and meaningful. It was heartening to witness the spirit of camaraderie thriving across borders.	22 Sep 2025
47	MIT, Manipal	Alumni from the Batch of 2023 reunion was held at MIT, Manipal	10 Oct 2025
48	MIT, Manipal	MIT Manipal hosted *Punaragaman–2025* on December 16, celebrating the 45-year Golden Reunion (1975-80) with 55 alumni in attendance. The formal event at the Library Auditorium was inaugurated by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor of MAHE, who highlighted MAHE's global alumni network of 2.5 lakh, research achievements, and upcoming AI-driven digital systems. Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Director of MIT, showcased MIT's milestones—2,500 publications, 270 patents, 160 startups worth 600 crore INR, and major	16 Dec 2025

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		projects like a 50 crore INR Central Analytical Instrumentation Facility and quantum computing initiatives. Dr Kanthi Hegde emphasized strong alumni engagement, with over 220 alumni revisiting campus this year and contributions from distinguished alumni including Harish Shah, Faizal Kottikollon, Mukesh Sangwi, and Daya Shankar Shetty. As part of the celebrations, an interaction was held with Mr Harish Shah (Batch of 1980), benefactor of the Harish and Bina Shah Foundation scholarships, supporting 21 students with full financial aid for four years.	
49	MIT, Manipal	The Punaragaman 2025–Ruby Batch Alumni Meet, held on 17 December 2025, at MIT Manipal, celebrated the 40-year milestone of the 1981–1985 (Ruby) batch. The event brought together alumni, faculty, and institutional leaders for a series of commemorative, academic, and cultural engagements that strengthened alumni bonding and reaffirmed their connection with the Institute. Key highlights included a ceremonial campus procession, the christening of the MHRC Clinic, visits to Access Life, campus and departmental tours, and formal sessions featuring floral tributes, addresses by the director and senior leadership, and an overview of alumni relations and philanthropic impact. Overall, the meet successfully celebrated four decades of shared memories while reinforcing alumni engagement, collaboration, and continued support for the growth of MIT Manipal.	17 Dec 2025
50	MIT, Manipal	MITMAA Annual Meet 2025: Conversations and Celebrations The MIT Manipal Alumni Association (MITMAA) hosted its Annual Meet on 18 December, 2025, at the Central Library Auditorium, bringing together 250+ alumni for a day of dialogue, networking, and nostalgia. Themed *"Conversations and Celebrations"*, the event featured alumni talks, panel discussions, cultural performances, departmental visits, and an excursion to Delta Beach. Mr Narendra Kumar Dhaveji (1979 Electrical), Honorary Director of MITMAA, outlined plans for utilizing membership fees for student activities, staff welfare, CSR initiatives, and administrative expenses. He proposed quarterly online MC meetings, transparent reporting, and setting up MITMAA chapters in major cities. Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Director of MIT, highlighted alumni's role in strengthening MIT's academic and industry ecosystem, MAHE's No. 3 national ranking, global collaborations, and student achievements—including the MIT Rocketry Team's 9.4 km launch in the United States The meet concluded with renewed commitments to collaboration and growth, followed by a vote of thanks by Dr Suhas Y Nayak, Treasurer, MITMAA.	18 Dec 2025
51	MIT, Manipal	The Punaragaman 2025 – Silver Batch Alumni Meet concluded successfully on 19 December 2025. This Alumni Meet witnessed the active participation of 234 members of the alumni family, primarily comprising 1996-2000 pass-outs, along with a few members from the adjacent pass-outs, resulting in a rich atmosphere of nostalgia and reunions. Members from various branches of Engineering and Architecture participated enthusiastically, with the majority belonging to Computer Science Engineering and Electronics and Communication branches, respectively, followed by Electrical and Electronics, Mechanical, Industrial Production, and other branches.	19 Dec 2025
52	MIT, Manipal	Punaragaman–2025 celebrates the 10-Year Decennial Reunion: the 2011-15 Batch Alumni Decennial Reunion was held at MIT, Manipal.	20 Dec 2025

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53	MCOPS, Manipal	The School of Pharmaceutical Sciences (SOPS), Manipal University Jaipur (MUJ), in collaboration with Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), MAHE, organized the MCOPS Alumni Meet on Saturday, 26 April 2025, at the MUJ campus in Jaipur. Around 60 MCOPS alumni from academia and industry attended the event. The Chief Guest was Prof. (Dr) Niti Nipun Sharma, President of MUJ, and the Guest of Honour was Dr Karunakar A Kotegar, Pro President of MUJ. The event was graced by Dr Srinivas Mutalik (Principal, MCOPS), Dr Krishnamurthy Bhat (Director, SOPS, MUJ), Dr Anoop Kishore (Alumni Coordinator, MCOPS), and Dr Jayesh Mudgal (Associate Professor, SOPS, MUJ).	26 Apr 2025
54	MCOPS, Manipal	MCOPS Alumni Hyderabad Chapter Meet – 27 July 2025 The Hyderabad chapter of MCOPS Alumni hosted a meet at Hotel Daspalla, Jubilee Hills, with faculty members including Dr Srinivas Mutalik (Principal) and department heads in attendance. Over 80 alumni from leading pharmaceutical and healthcare organizations such as Amgen, Aurobindo Pharma, Bristol Myers Squibb, Dr Reddy's, Novartis, Sanofi, Lupin, and many others participated, making it a vibrant networking event.	27 Jul 2025
55	MCOPS, Manipal	Alumni from the BPharm Batch of 1997 gathered at MCOPS and interacted with the faculty and students.	29 Nov 2025
56	MCOPS, Manipal	On 20 December 2025, alumni of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) gathered for an informal meet during IPC 2025 at the Bengaluru International Exhibition Centre. Around 40 alumni from various batches reconnected, shared memories, and engaged in academic and professional discussions. The event was graced by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, along with senior faculty and prominent alumni, reaffirming the strong bond between MCOPS and its alumni community. MCOPS extends heartfelt gratitude to all alumni for their presence and continued support.	20 Dec 2025
57	MCODS, Manipal	The batch of 1986 returned to their alma mater on 26 July 2025, revisiting college and university facilities, engaging with faculty and staff, and participating in an interactive session with Dean Dr Gopalakrishnan Dharamrajan and Associate Dean Dr Shashi Rashmi Achaya. The day concluded on a nostalgic note as MAHE Alumni Relations hosted a heartfelt dinner with their beloved mentors —Dr Mariette D'Souza, Dr Shama Bhat, Dr Sripathi Rao, and Dr Motwani—reminiscing about golden memories and timeless bonds.	26 Jul 2025
58	MCODS, Manipal	The Batch of 1988 Alumni Reunion was held at MCODS, Manipal.	18 Jan 2025
59	WGSHA, Manipal	In its pursuit to remain connected with stakeholders, WGSHA invited the alumni of 10 to 12th courses living in different parts of the country and the UAE to join the silver reunion organized by WGSHA. On 07 February 2025, Team WGSHA was overwhelmed to meet some of the "evergreen" gentlemen and ladies of one-time WGSHA and proud alumni. It was quite a nostalgic environment where all of them relieved memories of a common place that touched all their lives.	07 Feb 2025
60	WGSHA, Manipal	On 26 July 2025, 51 WGSHA alumni from the BHM, BCA, and MSc programs gathered at 10 Downing, Gachibowli, Hyderabad, for the launch of the Hyderabad Alumni Chapter. The event was organized by Mr Vikram Velamuri (8th Course, BHM) and Mr Harkirat Singh Bedi (5th Course, BHM). Distinguished alumni from diverse industries attended, showcasing WGSHA's strong professional network. Dr Vidya	27 Jul 2025

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		Patwardhan, Alumni Coordinator, represented MAHE and highlighted the importance of alumni engagement. Each participant received a souvenir from MAHE Alumni Relations. WGSHA aims to establish more chapters across India, strengthening its global community of over 5,000 alumni and celebrating their legacy of excellence.	
61	WGSHA, Manipal	On 06 September 2025, 21 alumni from the BHM and BCA programs gathered at Lord of Drinks, Chennai, for the launch of the WGSHA Chennai Alumni Chapter. The event was led by Mr Vikram Velamuri (8th Course, BHM) with support from Mr Madura Madan, Mr Kevin Kundargi, and Mr Rohit Suresh. Alumni from diverse fields reconnected and discussed ways to contribute through mentorship, expert talks, internships, industry collaborations, and crowdfunding. Professor Dr Satish Jayaram, Principal, WGSHA, conveyed his message encouraging alumni engagement, while Dr Vidya Patwardhan, Alumni Coordinator, addressed the gathering on the importance of alumni networks. Souvenirs from MAHE Alumni Relations were presented as tokens of appreciation. The event concluded with a commitment to expand alumni chapters across India to strengthen connections and support WGSHA's growth.	06 Sep, 2025
62	MCODS, Mangalore	MCODS Alumni Reunion at IAPHD NATCON 2025 During the 29th IAPHD NATCON at TMA Convention Centre, Mangalore, MCODS hosted an alumni reunion at the Diner of TMA Pai, bringing together 25 Public Health Dentistry alumni for networking and reconnection. The evening featured introductions, professional updates, a presentation on MCODS achievements, and an open discussion on future alumni initiatives. Attendees explored collaborative opportunities, shared memories, and expressed strong interest in a formal mentorship program, regional meetups, and a digital newsletter. The gathering successfully strengthened professional bonds and institutional pride, laying the foundation for sustained alumni engagement with MCODS, Mangalore.	28 Nov 2025
63	MCODS, Mangalore	Silver Jubilee Reunion-Batch of 2000 MCODS, Mangalore was held at Mangalore	29 Dec 2025
64	MCHP, Manipal	The Medical Radiation Physics (MRP) Program at MCHP, MAHE, organized an Alumni Homecoming event titled "From Classroom to Research: Alumni Experiences at Manipal." The session aimed to strengthen alumni–institution connections and provide students with insights into professional growth, research exposure, and clinical career pathways. Three alumni from the MRP 2023 batch—Ms Ajanya Chandran, Mr Sonu Thomas, and Ms Sandra S—shared their experiences transitioning from academic training to clinical roles as Resident Medical Physicists at Aster hospitals. They emphasized the importance of strong theoretical foundations, practical exposure, and research involvement in modern radiotherapy practice, along with key competencies like treatment planning, quality assurance, and teamwork. Students actively engaged in discussions on internships, skill development, and industry expectations. The event, attended by BSc RTT and MSc MRP students along with interns, concluded with appreciation notes from faculty, reinforcing alumni–student–faculty bonds.	21 Nov 2025
65	MCHP, Manipal	On 06 December 2025, the Department of Clinical Psychology, MCHP, celebrated its Silver Jubilee Alumni Meet, marking 25 years of academic excellence, clinical service, and community outreach. The event, held in the Smart Classroom, brought together alumni from MSc and MPhil	06 Dec 2025

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		batches, faculty, and students to honour the department's journey and foster future collaboration. The program began with a floral tribute and lamp lighting, followed by a welcome address by Dr Shwetha T S, Head of the Department. Dignitaries including Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, and Associate Deans Dr John Solomon and Dr B Reshmi applauded the department's contributions to mental health. Felicitations were extended to eminent alumni and faculty for their outstanding service. An informal session featured interactive games, alumni reflections, and a video montage of past batches. The event concluded with souvenir distribution and refreshments, leaving participants with a sense of pride and renewed commitment to the department's vision.	
66	MCHP, Manipal	The Institutional Alumni Relation and Industry Liaison Committee of MCHP organized an alumni reunion on 6th December 2025 at Sharda Hall, MCHP. The event saw 254 alumni in attendance. Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science), MAHE, was the Chief Guest, and Dr Seema Rajesh Rao and Professor Rajesh Shenoy were Guests of Honour. The program began with a welcome by Dr Arun G Maiya, Dean, MCHP, followed by the inauguration and unveiling of the Wall of Fame 2025. Alumni participated in campus tours, departmental interactions, and cultural programs, concluding with an evening gathering at MAHE Beach House. Alumni expressed appreciation for the well-organized event, shared fond memories, and showed willingness to contribute in the future.	06 Dec 2025
67	MCHP, Manipal	The Department of Medical Imaging, MCHP, organized an Alumni Interaction and Reunion on 06 December 2025 at the Demo Lab, Room No. 517. The event aimed to strengthen alumni relations, share industry insights, and inspire students through the experiences of distinguished alumni. Mr Abhishek Dubey, Regional Manager – MRI and CT (Delhi and Kolkata Region) at Philips India Limited, graced the occasion and shared his career journey, highlighting the evolving role of MRI and CT technologies, essential skills for success, and leadership in healthcare technology. Mr Dubey was also honoured with the Distinguished Alumni Award 2025 during the Annual Day celebrations on 05 December 2025 for his outstanding contributions to the imaging sector and enduring association with MCHP.	06 Dec 2025
68	MCHP, Manipal	The Perfusion Technology Program, MCHP, organized an Alumni Interaction and Reunion on 06 December 2025 at the Simulation Lab. The event aimed to strengthen alumni relations, provide insights into industry trends. The gathering focused mainly on discussion and interaction. Alumni from different batches providing their experiences, career progress, and insights from their professional journeys. Alumni discussed the growth of the institution, changes in the field over the years, and ideas for future collaboration and mentorship. The session was informal and interactive, creating a comfortable space for open conversation, reflection, and strengthening professional connections.	06 Dec 2025
69	MCHP, Manipal	The Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, celebrated the Alumni Reunion on 06 December 2025, along with the MCHP alumni reunion. The reunion helped to build a strong, engaged community, showcased successful graduates, and fostered future support.	06 Dec 2025
70	MCON, Manipal	An Alumni reunion was conducted by Manipal College of Nursing (MCON) and Manipal School of Nursing (MSON), MAHE, Manipal, along with Sikkim Manipal College of Nursing, on 21 March 2025, in	21 Mar 2025

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		Sikkim, India. This event brought together former students from MCON and MSON, providing a platform for reconnecting, networking, and celebrating shared experiences. https://www.manipal.edu/mcon-manipal/news-events/report-on-alumni-reunion-mcon-and-mson.html	
71	MCON, Manipal	The Annual Alumni Reunion of MCON was held on 08 July 2025 at 06:00 pm. The event began with a welcome address and introduction of the Chief Guest by Dr Tessy Treesa Jose, Associate Dean, MCON. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, highlighted the college's progress and praised alumni as true ambassadors enhancing its global reputation. Chief Guest Dr Vishnu Renjith, Program Director at the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, shared his inspiring journey and credited MCON for his success. The reunion saw 145 alumni, including faculty alumni, from countries like Australia, Muscat, and Ireland. The event was coordinated by Dr Anjalin D'souza, Alumni Coordinator, MAHE.	08 Jul 2025
72	MIC, Manipal	Alumni Day and Silver Reunion were held at the MIC premises	25 Jan 2025
73	PSPH, Manipal	"Samavaya" – Alumni Meet and Annual Day 2025: Lt Gen Dr M D Venkatesh (Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Manipal) was the Chief Guest. Dr Saraswathy Sreeram (Associate Director, Alumni Relations, MAHE, Manipal) was the Guest of Honour. Director, Associate Director, HODs, Program Coordinators, Faculty, Staff, Students, Alumni of PSPH, MAHE, Manipal were present.	22 Feb 2025
74	MIV, Manipal	MIV hosted in conjunction with the Annual Day celebrations. The event featured an evening ceremony dedicated to honouring alumni, reminiscing about shared experiences, and celebrating their professional achievements.	26 Feb 2025
75	MSAP, Manipal	Alumni Meet for the Batch 1996-2001 of Architecture	18 Dec 2025
76	SMI, Bengaluru	Alumni Connect-Ahmedabad Chapter	17 Apr 2025
77	SMI, Bengaluru	Alumni Connect-Mumbai Chapter	27 Apr 2025

Alumni Awards, Achievements and other Activities

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1	KMC, Manipal	Dr Sandeep Rai (Batch 1996)	Dr Sandeep Rai, distinguished alumnus of the Batch of 1996, became Dean of KSHEMA in March 2025, and was felicitated by ASI Mangalore and IAPS-Karnataka chapter	01 Apr 2025
2	KMC, Manipal	Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle (Batch 2012 MD Biochemistry)	Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle has completed the fellowship in Health Professions Education offered by FAIMER, a division of Intealth USA, in partnership with PSG Institute of Medical Sciences Research India, through the PSG	01 Apr 2025

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			Institute of Medical Sciences and Research – FAIMER Regional Institute (PSG-FRI)	
3	KMC, Manipal	Dr Ajay Tandur (Batch 1998 DPM)	Dr Ajay Tandur (DPM 1998) - "Karana Hasige", a 12th century book – rewritten with scientific, psychological alongside spiritual explanations, released on 30 April 2025 at Ilkal, Bagalkot.	30 Apr 2025
4	KMC, Manipal	Dr Sanjay Chandragiri (Batch 1992 MD)	Dr Sanjay Chandragiri (MD 1992), distinguished Life Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association - Mind Games Masters Finalist (Top 3) at the American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting in May 2025	01 May 2025
5	KMC, Manipal	Dr Sadananda C (Batch 1989 DPM)	Dr Sadananda C (DPM 1989) Elected as President, Indian Psychiatric Society – Tamil Nadu Chapter in July 2025	01 Jul 2025
6	KMC, Manipal	Ms Aparna A Nayak (Batch 2022)	Ms Aparna A Nayak pursued her MSc in Reproductive and Developmental Biology, Division of Reproductive Biology, Dept of Reproductive Science, KMC, Manipal, in the year 2022-2024. She is enrolled for a PhD under the supervision of Professor Dr Ruth Appeltant, Professor, Gamete Research Centre, University of Antwerp, Belgium, from August 2025. She is working in the area of in-vitro gametogenesis, particularly to derive oocytes from induced pluripotent stem cells (iPSC) in the context of conservation of endangered species.	01 Aug 2025
7	KMC, Manipal	Dr Wilma Delphine Silvia C R (Batch 1996, MD Biochemistry)	Indian Medical Association Teachers Day Award 2024 to Dr Wilma Delphine Silvia C R.	05 Sep 2025
8	KMC, Manipal	Dr Satheesh Naya (Batch 1990 MSc Anatomy)	Dr Satheesha Nayak Alambi, Professor of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE, Manipal tops the list of Indian Anatomy researchers as per the Stanford list of top 2 per cent researchers in the world.	19 Sep 2025
9	KMC, Mangalore	Dr (Professor) Ramneek Ahluwalia (MBBS Batch of 1997	Recognized as one of the Top 10 Visionary Leaders Leading Global Health Initiatives by Insights Success World.	12 Feb 2025
10	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Mudit Tyagi (Batch 1998 MBBS)	Dr Mudit Tyagi wins IG Award for Excellence in Retinal Research.	19 Feb 2025
11	KMC, Mangalore	Dr N Ramprasanna Naik (Batch 1984 MBBS)	Dr N Ramprasanna Naik (MBBS 1984, KMC Mangalore) is honoured by the World Book of Records, London.	03 Apr 2025
12	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Bhavan Prasad Rai (Batch 1996 MBBS)	Dr Bhavan Prasad Rai wins the Karl Storz Harold Hopkins Golden Telescope Award.	04 Jul 2025
13	KMC, Mangalore	Dr M Annayya Kulal Ulthur (MBBS Batch of 1992)	Conferred the National Doctors Day Award 2025 (IMA Community Service Award) by the Indian Medical Association.	13 Jul 2025
14	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Nayanika Reddy (MS Otorhinolaryngology, Batch 2021)	Clinched Bronze in Open Women's Singles and Bronze in Open Women's Doubles at the World	26 Jul 2025

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			Medical Tennis Championship 2025 held in Gdynia, Poland.	
15	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shwetank Prakash (Batch of 1997)	Honoured by the White House Medical Unit, USA, for his outstanding achievement in support of the White House Medical Unit and the Vice President of the United States.	25 Nov 2025
16	KMC, Mangalore	Professor Rajesh Shenoy (MSc Microbiology Batch 1987)	Nominated as a member for South Zone-Karnataka for the National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.	28 Feb 2025
17	KMC, Mangalore	Dr N Sitharam Shetty (MBBS 1976)	Karnataka Rajyotsava Award (Samaja Seve)	01 Nov 2025
18	KMC, Mangalore	Dr P Raghu Ram (MS Batch 1992)	Elected to the Apex Council of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow (RCPSG) for a three-year term (2025–2028).	05 Dec 2025
19	MIT, Manipal	Arko Chattopadhyay, Enrique Ferrao, and Pranav Reddy (ECE and Mechatronics Department, 2023 Batch)	Pipeshift (YC S24), an AI infrastructure startup, for securing 2.5 million USD in seed funding led by Y Combinator and Sense AI Ventures. Founded in 2023 by Arko Chattopadhyay, Enrique Ferrao, and Pranav Reddy	07 Feb 2025
20	MIT, Manipal	Tanushaka Singh (EEE Department, 2022 Batch)	First female pilot in the country to fly the Jaguar, a deep-penetration strike aircraft.	25 Feb 2025
21	MIT, Manipal	Madhav Nair (E & E 1993 Batch)	CEO-India, Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait, Deputy Chairman (2025) - Indian Banks' Association (IBA), Co-Chairman ASSOCHAM, Member- FICCI, IMC National Committee on Banking 2023.	25 Feb 2025
22	MIT, Manipal	Saatvik M (MTech Defence Technology, Batch of 2024)	Saatvik M has secured a prestigious position as a CFD Engineer at the Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL), a renowned DRDO facility in Hyderabad, Telangana.	01 Mar 2025
23	MIT, Manipal	Sarthak Dubey (Computer and Communication Engineering, Batch of 2018)	Sarthak Dubey has been recognized in the Forbes Asia 30 Under 30 list for 2025. Mohit Anand and Sarthak Dubey co-founded Mitigata, a cyber-insurance provider that also offers cybersecurity services.	01 May 2025
24	MIT, Manipal	Aishwarya Shetty (Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 2016)	Education Alumni Award winners: Aishwarya Manjunath Shetty, GED'23, winner of this year's Kwame Nkrumah Distinguished Alumni Award by UPenn Graduate School of Education, Pennsylvania.	05 May 2025
25	MIT, Manipal	Aparna Bhat (Department of Biotechnology, Batch of 2023)	Aparna Bhat has been selected as a Sub-Lieutenant in the Indian Navy under the Short Service Commission.	10 May 2025
26	MIT, Manipal	Manish Shukla (Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 1991)	Manish Shukla was the Director at Rand* Construction Corporation, Washington, DC-Baltimore Area.	01 Jul 2025

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27	MIT, Manipal	Pramod D'Souza (Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 1997)	Pramod D'Souza takes over as president of KE Bangalore and has been featured in the 2025 Power List: India's Most Influential VC Leaders.	10 Jul 2025
28	MIT, Manipal	Sushma S (MTech Structural Engineering, Batch of 2016)	Sushma S has been selected as a **Chevening-Karnataka Scholar 2025-26** to pursue an MSc in Policy Evaluation at the University of Aberdeen, Scotland.	10 Aug 2025
29	MIT, Manipal	Arun Narayan (Dept of Electronics & Communication, Batch of 1993)	Arun Narayan is to be appointed as CEO of Tanishq at Titan Company Limited, effective from 01 January 2026.	10 Aug 2025
30	MIT, Manipal	Amit Kapur (Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 1995)	Amit Kapur, Chairman of NICO Nanobubble India Co and IOTA Group, was recognized at the 6th Samurai Awards and Conference, where NICO won the prestigious Innovation Samurai Award for their revolutionary work in nanobubble technology, applied across water treatment, agriculture, and wellness (IOTA Water), showcasing deep tech for sustainability and impacting industries from industrial water to consumer health	12 Aug 2025
31	MIT, Manipal	Dr Sunaina Shrivastava (Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 2009)	Dr Sunaina Shrivastava recognized as one of MSN's Top 10 Inspiring Women Leaders of 2025.	15 Sep 2025
32	MIT, Manipal	Aashish Mahajan (Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 2007)	Mr Aashish Mahajan is in his new role as City CEO at Blinkit.	18 Sep 2025
33	MIT, Manipal	Dr Leon Ittiachen (Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 2007)	Dr Leon Ittiachen has been honoured with the prestigious Kerala State Award for Best Teacher.	03 Oct 2025
34	MIT, Manipal	Deepak Choudhary (Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 1995)	Mr Deepak Choudhary has recently taken on the role of Vice President of Engineering at Qualcomm.	10 Oct 2025
35	MIT, Manipal	Sanjeev Rao (Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 1991)	Mr Sanjeev Rao has been appointed as Partner – Priscus Finance for India.	25 Oct 2025
36	MIT, Manipal	Dr Sanjay Bahl (Department of Electrical and Electronics, Batch of 1984)	Dr Sanjay Bahl, Director General, CERT-In, Ministry of Electronics and IT, Government of India. His leadership in advancing India's cybersecurity framework has been recognized in the World Economic Forum's Global Cybersecurity Outlook report, which highlights CERT-In's AI-enabled cyber fraud detection and	10 Nov 2025

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			early-warning capabilities that are setting global benchmarks.	
37	MIT, Manipal	Gaurav Agarwal (Department of Biomedical, Batch of 1996)	Mr Gaurav Agarwal, Managing Director at Innvolution Healthcare Private Limited, was a featured speaker at the World Health Innovation Forum (WHIF) 2025, hosted by Andhra Pradesh MedTech Zone Limited from December 11–13, 2025.	11 Dec 2025
38	MIT, Manipal	Mr Deepak Prakash (Batch 2007 CS)	Mr Deepak Prakash is inducted as Minister in the Bihar Cabinet	11 Dec 2025
39	MCOPS, Manipal	Mr Jatish Sheth (BPharm–1982-1986) Director–Srushti Pharmaceuticals Pvt Ltd Bengaluru	Mr Shah is elected as the President of the Karnataka Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Manufacturers' Association (KDPMA).	01 Oct 2025
40	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Kunal Gupta (Batch 2001-2004 MDS)	Elected as Vice President of ISPPD	23 Nov 2025
41	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Sridevi Padmanabhan (Batch 1986-1991 BDS)	Elected as President of the Indian Orthodontic Society, at the 59th IOC 2025, Visakhapatnam.	28 Nov 2025
42	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Neeraj Deshpande (Batch 2001 to 2004 MDS)	Elected as President of the Indian Society of Periodontology and Implantology	17 Dec 2025
43	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Rohit Ramachandran (9th course BHM)	Receive Distinguished Alumnus Award 2025	26 Feb 2025
44	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Swatee Chaturvedi (10th course BHM)	Receive Distinguished Alumnus Award 2025	26 Feb 2025
45	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Anahita Nair (23rd Course BHM)	Director of Marketing and Communications at Novotel Hyderabad Convention Centre and HICC	10 Mar 2025
46	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Setu Gupta (21st Course BHM)	Appointed as Executive Chef at Hyatt Centric Hebbal, Bengaluru.	01 Apr 2025
47	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Abhirup Bandyopadhyay (20th Course BHM)	Appointed as General Manager of Holiday Inn, Goa, Candolim.	08 Aug 2025
48	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Tripti Pandey (13th Course BHM)	Recognized as one of the "HR Icon of the Year" at the People Tech Summit and Awards 2025 in Mumbai.	29 Aug 2025
49	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Akshay Kavra (16th Course BHM)	Appointed as General Manager of ITC Narmada, Ahmedabad.	29 Aug 2025
50	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Atul Jain (7th Course BHM)	Honoured with the prestigious "Presidential Service Award".	24 Aug 2025
51	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Malvika Sahay (20th Course BHM)	Received the prestigious "National Award for Excellence 2025 – Woman in Leadership".	13 Jul 2025
52	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Nikhil Nagpal (15th Course BHM)	Chef Nikhil Nagpal, on being recognized among Food Superstars – India's Top 30 Chefs, presented by @godawansinglemalt.	28 Sep 2025
53	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Hussain Shahzad (20th Course BHM)	Chef Hussain Shahzad, on being inducted into the Hall of Fame 2025 of FoodSuperstars – India's Top 30 Chefs, presented by @godawansinglemalt.	28 Sep 2025

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54	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Vivek Sharma (9th Course BHM)	Recognized as the Hotel General Manager/Hotel Manager of the Year – Upscale.	20 Sep 2025
55	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Sumeet Saigal (10th Course BHM)	Chef Sumeet Saigal represented in the Vegetarian Category at the World Food Championships 2025, Australia.	21 Sep 2025
56	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Girish Nayak (18th Course BHM)	Chef Girish Nayak, on being recognized among the FoodSuperstars, presented by @godawansinglemalt	28 Sep 2025
57	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Udiksh Arya (34th Course BHM)	Udiksh Arya, on being recognized among WineSuperstars – India's Top Sommeliers, presented by Culinary Culture and @fratelliwines	28 Sep 2025
58	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Rajat Alve (32nd Course BHM)	Chef Rajat Alve, on being recognized among FoodSuperstars – India's Top 30 Chefs, presented by @godawansinglemalt.	28 Sep 2025
59	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Divya Prabhakar (7th Course BHM)	Ms Divya Prabhakar, whose Bengaluru Oota Company (#32) shines bright on the list of India's Top 50 Restaurants!	28 Sep 2025
60	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Hussain Shahzad (20th Course BHM)	Chef Hussain Shahzad, on being ranked #14 in "The ET Under Forty" 2025 list—honouring India's most visionary and inspiring young leaders	28 Sep 2025
61	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Sibin Mathew (27th Course BHM)	Promoted "Assistant Director–Sales" at JW Marriott Hotel Muscat.	04 Sep 2025
62	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Tripti Pandey (13th Course BHM)	Ms Tripti Pandey, on being honoured with the Women Trailblazers Award 2025, celebrating women who pave the way for future generations.	26 Oct 2025
63	WGSHA, Manipal	Karan Mahesh (27th Course BHM)	Mr Karan Mahesh, received prestigious Rising Star Asia Pacific Award, an honour that celebrates emerging leaders in the APAC region, presented in partnership with ISHC	01 Oct 2025
64	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Shayantan Sinha (18th Course BHM)	Mr Shayantan Sinha appointed as Assistant Vice President–Business Development at MBD Group.	07 Oct 2025
65	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Sujeet Kumar (3rd Course BHM)	Mr Sujeet Kumar appointed as Cluster General Manager at Hilton and Hilton Garden Inn Bengaluru Manyata Business Park.	09 Oct 2025
66	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Atul Bapat (15th Course BHM)	Mr Atul Bapat on his appointment as Hotel Manager at The Oberoi, New Delhi.	12 Nov 2025
67	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Sahil Ranaut (20th Course BHM)	Mr Sahil Ranaut, appointed General Manager at Hyatt Centric, MG Road, Bengaluru.	06 Nov 2025
68	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Shanila Laiju (Batch 1988 BDS)	Dr Shanila Laiju (MCODS, Mangalore, Batch 1988 BDS), Group Chief Executive Officer, Medcare Hospitals and Medical Centres, UAE, was the guest of Honour on the occasion of the 19th Annual convocation of MAHE Dubai campus	14 Nov 2025

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69	MSIS, Manipal	Shubham Tripathi (ME Batch 2017-19)	MSIS alumnus of the ME Big Data Analytics 2017-19 batch, Shubham Tripathi, working as Senior Engineer - AI and Data Science at L&T Technology Services, has been selected as L&T Technology Services (Tag) Brand Ambassador!	05 Feb 2025
70	MSIS, Manipal	Mr Srikanth Shenoy (Batch 2021-23)	MSIS proud alumnus of the #AIML #MastersProgram 2021-23 batch, Mr Srikanth Shenoy, CEO/CTO and Co-Founder Coachbuddy AI, MUTBI Manipal for having emerged as one of the top three startups and the winner of #MangaluruBlue2025.	02 Apr 2025
71	MSIS, Manipal	Srikanth Shenoy (Batch 2021-23)	MSIS proud alumnus of the ME - AIML Master's Program 2021-23 batch, Mr Srikanth Shenoy, CEO/CTO and Co-Founder of Coachbuddy AI, MUTBI Manipal, for his company Coachbuddy AI being recognized and winning a grant at the Elevate 2024 event organized by the Karnataka Digital Economy Mission (KDEM) and IT BT Department, Karnataka. "Adding to this momentum, we are excited to be incubated at ARTPARK Indian Institute of Science Bengaluru and K-Tech CoE Data Science and AI–NASSCOM, Bengaluru, which will further expand our horizons. by providing cutting-edge R&D support, industry collaborations, and market access, enabling us to scale Coachbuddy and ShuttlePro to new heights."-Srikanth Shenoy	02 Apr 2025
72	MSIS, Manipal	Srikanth Shenoy (Batch 2021-23)	MSIS proud alumnus of the ME-AIML Master's Program 2021-23 batch, Mr Srikanth Shenoy, CEO/CTO and Co-Founder of Coachbuddy AI, MUTBI Manipal for his company Coachbuddy AI emerging as the winner of the Startup Maharathi Challenge ahead of StartupMahakumbh2025, and for being recognized as one of the top innovative Gaming and Sports startups in India! Coachbuddy.AI is an Indian deeptech startup solving a major challenge in racquet sports like badminton and tennis—helping players practice effectively when there's no one better to play with. Our vision is to democratize high-quality sports training using technology. We aim to become the go-to platform for AI-based training in racquet sports. "We are building a future where any player can train like a champion, anywhere, anytime, at a fraction of current costs and at the press of a button."-Srikanth Shenoy	02 Apr 2025
73	MSIS, Manipal	Mr Shubham Tripathi (Batch 2017-19)	MSIS, Manipal proud alumnus of the ME Big Data Analytics 2017-19 batch, Shubham Tripathi, working as Senior Engineer-AI and Data Science at L&T Technology Services, has	09 May 2025

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			been selected as L&T Technology Services (Tag) Brand Ambassador! Your dedication and hard work in championing yourselves with Engineering skills to bring out the innovation has borne its fruit that you truly deserve. Manipal School of Information Sciences and Manipal Academy of Higher Education heartily congratulate you for this recognition and wish you all the very best in your future endeavours.	
74	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Snithin Sashindran	Received the Gold Star Excellence Award at the prestigious Arab Hospitals Federation Awards ceremony representing SEHA Clinics, Dr Snithin received this honour.	25 Sep 2025
75	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Mohammad Sabir	Received SEHA CARE Award: The SEHA CARE Award is a Recognition Program by SEHA (Abu Dhabi Health Services Company) that highlights and rewards outstanding employees across its hospitals and medical facilities.	02 Oct 2025
76	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Karthika Bindhu (BSc CVT batch 2010-2014)	The Department proudly records a significant international achievement by our alumna, Ms Karthika Bindhu, who was awarded the British Society of Echocardiography (BSE) Image of the Year 2025. Currently serving as Chief Cardiac Physiologist and Lead Educator at Royal Brompton and Harefield Hospitals, UK, she received this honour for her outstanding echocardiographic image demonstrating an incidental papillary fibroelastoma attached to the non-coronary cusp of the aortic valve. This recognition by a prestigious global professional body reflects her clinical excellence, academic commitment, and advanced expertise in echocardiography. The department takes immense pride in her accomplishments, which stand as an inspiration to our students and faculty and highlight the global impact of our alumni.	01 Nov 2025
77	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Rohan Kalita (2020-PG)	Best Faculty of the Year–2025 Award, honoured at ASCON by the Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry (ASCO-India).	02 Nov 2025
78	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Sushma (2018 UG and 2022 PG)	Best Faculty of the Year–2025 Award, honoured at ASCON by the Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry (ASCO-India).	02 Nov 2025
79	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Nagarajan (PG 2013 PhD)	First Prize in oral presentation preparation at ASCON 2025.	02 Nov 2025
80	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Medha	First Prize in Oral Presentation at ASCON 2025.	02 Nov 2025

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81	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Smitha Jinu	Received an award for clinical practice and excellence from the Abu Dhabi Health Department.	07 Nov 2025
82	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Prathamesh Shasane (2020-PG)	Has written a book and published his first one titled "Dear Krsna".	18 Nov 2025
83	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Deepthi Poovayya (2008-2012)	Received the Best Student Award 2025 in the Global MBA, University of Manchester.	28 Nov 2025
84	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Sumansh Sivalanka (BPT 2008, MPT 2013)	MCHP Distinguished Alumni Award of 2025. Mr Sumansh Sivalanka (BPT 2008, MPT 2013) was conferred with the Distinguished Alumnus award during the Annual and Awards Day 2025 of MCHP held on 05 December 2025. The award was presented in recognition of his immense contributions to the professional field, reflecting his dedication, excellence, and lasting impact on the profession.	05 Dec 2025
85	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Abhishek Dubey (BSc MIT 2009-2012) MSc MIT (2012-2014)	Mr Abhishek Dubey was honoured with the Distinguished Alumni Award 2025 during the Annual Day celebrations on 05 December 2025 at MCHP, in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the field and his enduring association with the institution.	05 Dec 2025
86	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Mohit Kumar Singh (BSc HIA 2007)	Mr Mohit Kumar Singh was conferred with the Distinguished Alumnus award during the Annual and Awards Day 2025 of MCHP held on 05 December 2025. The award was presented in recognition of his immense contributions to the professional field, reflecting his dedication, excellence, and lasting impact on the profession.	05 Dec 2025
87	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Kanishka Sharma (BOT 2009, MOT 2014)	Ms Kanishka Sharma was conferred with the Distinguished Alumna Award during the Annual Awards Day 2025 of MCHP, held on 05 December 2025. The award was presented in recognition of her outstanding contributions to the professional field, reflecting her dedication, excellence, and enduring impact on the profession.	05 Dec 2025
88	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Nithin Lalu (BSc CVT Batch 2013)	Mr Nithin Lalu has been honoured with inclusion on the prestigious Wall of Fame at MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, in recognition of his outstanding contributions. This distinction will be held for a period of two years, commencing on 06 December 2025.	06 Dec 2025
89	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Damien Marwin (BSc MIT batch 2003)	Mr Damien Marwin has been honoured on the Wall of Fame at MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, for a period of two years, starting from 06 December, 2025, in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the field and his long-standing association with the institution.	06 Dec 2025

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90	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Namratha (UG 2002 PG 2006)	1. Awarded second-best poster presentation at the Neuro-Optometric Rehabilitation Association (NORA) Annual Conference, Denver, Colorado, USA, September 2025. 2. She was also chosen to be on the "Wall of Fame" MCHP 2025.	06 Dec 2025
91	ICAS, Manipal	Mr Rakshit C and Ms Sneha Sinha (Batch 2023-25)	Computer Science students won second place in the Hult Prize event organised by MIT, Manipal.	22 Feb 2025
92	ICAS, Manipal	Mr Gokul Jain (Batch 2000 ICAS)	Mr Gokul Jain (ICAS Batch 2000) has become the Director, Prag Industries India Ltd.	05 Mar 2025
93	ICAS, Manipal	Mr Jatin Mamtani (Batch 2020-2022)	Mr Jatin Mamtani is the Software Development Engineer at Amazon.	02 Apr 2025
94	ICAS, Manipal	Mr Gaurav Dutta (Batch 2011-13)	Mr Gaurav Dutta is the R&D Engineer at TESLA.	04 Apr 2025
95	MSLS, Manipal	Haya Fathima (Batch 2022)	Actively participated in inter-college chess competitions, an active member of OPTICA.	01 Sep 2025
96	MSLS, Manipal	Anushka Iyer (Batch 2021)	Selected for the DATAETHICS Winter School on the use of AI in biomedicine. Received a grant that covers stay and food during the winter school.	05 Sep 2025
97	MSLS, Manipal	Ponnamma M (Batch 2023)	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal-33rd MAHE Convocation	01 Nov 2025
98	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Fadil Ali, (Batch of 2021–2024),	MSCE distinguished alumnus from the BBA Sports Management program, has been awarded the prestigious Erasmus Mundus Scholarship, a highly competitive and globally recognized initiative funded by the European Union. This achievement reflects his academic excellence, professional commitment, and strong global outlook and brings great pride to the institution.	05 Jan 2025
99	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Danica Kapse (Batch 2017–2020)	MSCE alumna, who has been recognized as one of the Top Five Sales Managers at Sobha Realty, Dubai, for 2025. This prestigious recognition reflects her exceptional professional competence, consistent performance, and leadership excellence in the highly competitive global real estate sector.	10 Feb 2025
100	MSCE, Manipal	Sindhura Sudharshan Suvarna (BCom Batch of 2019 – 2023)	Dreams took flight from textbooks and business principles of her BCom program; now, Ms Sindhura is ready to navigate flight paths. MSCE proud alumni have earned her Commercial Pilot License from EAGLE Flight Academy.	03 Mar 2025
101	MSCE, Manipal	Aishwarya Srinivasan, Lead, Policy and Strategy G Narayanamma Institute of Technology and Sciences (BBA Batch of 2015-2018, MSCE)	From Aishwarya Srinivasan's BBA classroom to the global stage—MSCE proud alumni represented Global Shapers Hyderabad at the World Economic Forum's Global Shapers Annual Summit 2025, joining 503 young leaders worldwide. Her work on the Longevity	25 Mar 2025

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			Economy is shaping ideas for a more equitable, sustainable future.	
102	MSCE, Manipal	Faris Ayoob, Country Marketing Head, ABC Ceramics Tanzania (BBA Batch of 2013-16)	Faris Ayoob, MSCE, a proud alumni, has been named "Phenomenal Leader" of the Year 2024, a true example of vision, dedication, and impact.	30 Mar 2025
103	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Ria, Human Resources Executive, Ultra Tech Cement (BBA Batch 0f 2017-20)	MSCE proud alumna has been recognized among the Jombay–HR 100 Under 30 – 2025, a prestigious acknowledgement of emerging talent in the human resources domain. This recognition reflects months of rigorous learning, thoughtful self-assessment, and active engagement with industry leaders, highlighting her commitment to building meaningful connections, creating impact, and driving continuous growth in the field of HR.	05 Apr 2025
104	MSCE, Manipal	M Kevin Rodrigues Vice President at JPMorgan Chase & Co (BBM Batch 2007 -10) Priyanka Tiwari Vice President at Goldman Sachs (BBA Batch of 2013 –2016) Chanpreet Singh Vice President at Wells Fargo (BBM Batch of 2007–10)	M Kevin Rodrigues, Priyanka Tiwari and Chanpreet Singh - remarkable alumni who have recently been promoted to Vice President positions in their respective organisations.	06 Apr 2025
105	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Chinmaya Subrahmanya Bhat. (Batch 2016-2018)	MSCE Alumnus was honoured to represent MSC Mediterranean Shipping Company Sweden AB at a truly inspiring event, the Sweden-India High-Level Trade and Investment Policy Forum, that brought together visionaries, policymakers, and industry leaders. He had meaningful interactions with H E Piyush Goyal, India's Minister of Commerce and Industry, and with several distinguished delegates. The event was a powerful reminder of the growing synergy between Sweden and India and the immense potential that lies ahead in our bilateral trade relations.	08 Apr 2025
106	MIV, Manipal	Ms Akila Swaminathan (Batch 2022 MSc Clinical Virology)	Ms Akila Swaminathan completed her PhD in the year 2025.	01 Jun 2025
107	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Sandeep Mahapatra (Batch 2011-2013)	Dr Sandeep Mahapatra (Batch 2011-2013) is the Associate Manager in Real World Evidence, Novo Nordisk, Bengaluru.	05 Feb 2025
108	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Shailesh Wagle (Batch 2011-13)	Dr Shailesh Wagle (Batch 2011-2013) is the Associate Vice President at United Way, Mumbai.	01 Apr 2025

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109	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Pradeep Acharya (MSc Biostatistics 2007-2009)	Associate Director-Biostatistics and Programming, Ephicacy.	01 Aug 2025
110	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Abey John (Batch 2011-2013)	Joined Norstella, Bengaluru as the Director of Epidemiology.	01 Sep 2025
111	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Shivangi Agarwal (MPH Batch 2021-2023)	Founder of NGO Niramaya Jeevan Foundation.	05 Oct, 2025
112	PSPH, Manipal	Ms Rinila Das (MPH 2022-2024)	The PANPREP–Dr Cyrus Poonawalla Centre for Infectious Diseases and Pandemic Preparedness, IIPH Hyderabad, recognized six outstanding research contributions under the One Health Research Paper Award 2025. Among the awardees was PSPH alumna Ms Rinila Das for her study "Antimicrobial usage, awareness, and animal health management practices among household dairy farmers in West Bengal, India," which she did when she was a student in PSPH.	07 Nov 2025
113	MIAP, Manipal	Sanjay S (MSc Photonics 2023-2025)	Alumni Award for the Best All-Rounder Student from the Outgoing Batch of MSc.	07 Sep 2025
114	MIV, Manipal	Mr Kiran Chunduru (2015-17 Batch)	Awarded a PhD degree from Manipal Academy of Higher Education.	10 May 2025
115	MIV, Manipal	Ms Snigdha Maity (2022-24 Batch)	Awarded for the UQIDRA PhD Scholarship - a joint PhD program offered by the University of Queensland and the Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi, under the UQ-IIT Delhi Research Academy.	30 May 2025
116	MIV, Manipal	Ms Akila Swaminathan (2022-24 Batch)	Awarded the prestigious DAAD PhD Scholarship	02 Jun 2025
117	MIV, Manipal	Ms Giselle Raisa Dsouza (2011-13 Batch)	Awarded a PhD degree from Imperial College, London	02 Jul 2025
118	MIV, Manipal	Ms Swathi Muralidhar (2016-18 Batch)	Awarded a PhD degree from the University of Queensland, Australia	05 Aug 2025
119	MIV, Manipal	Ms Praisy Anna John (2023-25 Batch)	Won second prize in the scientific paper presentation competition at Manipal Quest 2.0 (MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference)	21 Sep 2025
120	MIV, Manipal	Ms Shweta Ramakrishna Chelluboina (2015-17 Batch)	Awarded a PhD degree from the Interactive Research School for Health Affairs, Pune	05 Dec 2025
121	MIV, Manipal	Ms Preetiparna Parida (2017-19 Batch)	Awarded a PhD degree from Manipal Academy of Higher Education	10 Dec 2025
122	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Ms Dipti	Manipal Dubai proudly welcomed distinguished alumna and National Award winner Ms Dipti Prasad. From being part of the very first BBA batch to earning national recognition, Dipti's return to campus was truly inspiring. Organized by the Career Services Department, the event gave students and staff an opportunity to hear her remarkable journey firsthand, an honest reflection of ambition,	09 Jan 2025

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			resilience, and the enduring Manipal spirit. Dipti also took time to reconnect with former faculty, sharing memories that beautifully bridged past and present.	
123	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Mariyam Kisat, Anjali Bohra, Afrah A J Parth Joshi and Rashmi Vijayan	Alumni return as judges to the very stages they once competed on—sharing their stories, inspiring the next generation, and reminding us why we do what we do.	01 May 2025

Alumni Guest lectures organized (you may also include Alumni webinar/keynote address/workshop/seminar/oration lecture, etc.):

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1	KMC, Manipal	Dr Deepti Vepakomma	Research Dean at AIIMS Mangalgiri	Dr Deepti Vepakomma (Batch 1992 MBBS and MCH Paediatric Surgery 2002) is now Research Dean at AIIMS Mangalgiri visited the department and gave a talk on "Research opportunities in Paediatric Surgery and the importance of collaborative research" on 18 March 2025.	18 Mar 2025
2	KMC, Manipal	Dr Vivek R Joshi	Associate Professor, Drexel University College of Medicine Alumni and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, MAHE organizes Alumni Adjunct Faculty talk on "Using PRISMA Protocol for Literature Review and Manuscript Writing" by Dr Vivek R Joshi (Batch 2007 MD Biochemistry), Associate Professor, Drexel University College of Medicine Alumni and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, dated 29 March 2025.	29 Mar 2025

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3	KMC, Manipal	Dr Moinak Sen Sharma	Associate Professor and Head of Paediatric Gastroenterology, SGPGI Lucknow	Dr Moinak Sen Sharma (MBBS 1997 and MD Paediatrics 2003), a distinguished alumnus currently working as Associate Professor and Head of Paediatrics Gastroenterology, SGPGI Lucknow, gave a guest lecture on "Difficult cases in Paediatric gastroenterology" dated 12 June 2025.	12 Jun 2025
4	KMC, Manipal	Dr Ashok Shetty	Adjunct faculty of Department of Anatomy, KMC, Manipal and University Distinguished Professor, Associate Director and Professor, Institute for Regenerative Medicine, Department of Cell Biology and Genetics, School of Medicine Texas A and M University, Fellow of American Association for the Advancement of Science	Department of Anatomy and Division of Molecular Neuroscience, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal organized alumni guest lecture and scientific interaction with Dr Ashok Shetty (MSc Anatomy Batch 1980), Adjunct Faculty of Department of Anatomy, KMC, Manipal and University Distinguished Professor, Associate Director and Professor, Institute for Regenerative Medicine, Department of Cell Biology and Genetics, School of Medicine, Texas A & M University, Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science on 01 July 2025.	01 Jul 2025
5	KMC, Manipal	Dr Amoolya Gowda	Associate Global Medical Director, Novo Nordisk, Copenhagen, Denmark	The Department of Pharmacology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal organized alumni guest talk on "Transforming Patient Lives Beyond the Clinic: Evolving Role of Physicians in Drug Development and Medical Affairs" by Dr Amoolya Gowda (MD Pharmacology Batch	30 Jul 2025

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				2010), Associate Global Medical Director, Novo Nordisk, Copenhagen, Denmark, dated 30 July 2025.	
6	KMC, Manipal	Dr Ramesh Raghavan	Professor at New York University, Silver School of Social Work	Dr Ramesh Raghavan (MD Psychiatry 1994), Professor at New York University, Silver School of Social Work conducted a two-day program at the Department of Psychiatry, KMC, Manipal, on "Implementation research in mental health" and moving towards evidence-based public mental health policy. He also engaged the faculty in an interactive session on career building in research dated 07 August 2025.	07 Aug 2025
7	KMC, Manipal	Dr Vinod Nayak	Professor, Department of Forensic Medicine and Associate Dean, KMC, Manipal	MIC, Manipal organized a session on "Choices and Consequences– Understanding Substance Abuse" by Dr Vinod Nayak (KMC, Manipal Batch 2002, MD Forensic Medicine), Professor, Department of Forensic Medicine and Associate Dean, KMC, Manipal, on 01 September 2025.	01 Sep 2025
8	KMC, Manipal	Dr Malini Mohan	Assistant Professor, Department of Medical Oncology, KMC Mangalore	KMC, Manipal and KH, Manipal -Department of Medical Oncology organized an alumni guest talk on "Anemia in Patients with Cancer Care" by Dr Malini Mohan (KMC, Manipal DM Medical Oncology Batch-2024) Assistant Professor, Department of Medical Oncology, KMC	15 Oct 2025

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				Mangalore, dated 15 October 2025.	
9	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Arif Mohd Ansari	Paediatric Registrar at Birmingham Hospital, UK	Alumni guest lecture on "Teamwork in Paediatrics" by Dr Arif Mohd Ansari, Paediatric Registrar at Birmingham Hospital, UK.	06 Jan 2025
10	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Kaushik Murali	Consultant, Paediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus, Sankara Eye Hospital, Bengaluru	Paediatric Ophthalmology, Bright Eyes, Bright Future, talk by Dr Kaushik Murali (MBBS), Consultant, Paediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus, Sankara Eye Hospital, Bengaluru.	06 Jan 2025
11	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shivaprakash S	Associate Professor of Anatomy, J.S.S Medical College, Mysuru	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Shivaprakash S (Anatomy Batch 2009) Associate Professor of Anatomy, JSS Medical College, Mysuru.	08 Jan 2025
12	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Prasanna Mithra P	Additional Professor, Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore	How to apply for grants? – Alumni guest lecture by Dr Prasanna Mithra P (MBBS, MD 2005, 2009) Additional Professor, Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore.	14 Jan 2025
13	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sharath Manya	Senior Clinical Fellow in Paediatric Hepatology, King's College Hospital, London	Unlocking Paediatric Liver Mysteries: A Case-Based Discussion by Dr Sharath Manva Senior Clinical Fellow in Paediatric Hepatology, King's College Hospital, London.	20 Jan 2025
14	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Kavitha Krishna Pai	Consultant Histopathology, Royal Stoke University Hospital, UK	Diagnostic Delights: A potpourri of interesting cases: Alumni talk by Dr Kavitha Krishna Pai (MD Pathology 2011), Consultant Histopathology, Royal Stoke University Hospital, UK	31 Jan 2025

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15	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sreenivas Kishore	Consultant ENT and OSA Specialist, Star Hospitals, Hyderabad	CME on Coblator Assisted OSA surgeries – talk by Dr Sreenivas Kishore (MBBS 1990, MS 1996) Consultant ENT and OSA Specialist, Star Hospitals, Hyderabad.	03 Feb 2025
16	KMC, Mangalore	Ms Pashyanthi Nagendra	Founder and Director, Turtle Express, Paediatric Intervention Clinic, Bengaluru	Alumni guest lecture on "Clinical practices in Speech Language Pathology" by Ms Pashvanthi Nagendra (MASLP Batch 2013), Founder and Director, Turtle Express, Paediatric Intervention Clinic, Bengaluru.	18 Feb 2025
17	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Fatima Shamsuddin	Consultant Histopathologist, Jabar Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah Hospital, Kuwait	Overview of the Paris system of reporting urine cytology by Dr Fatima Shamsuddin (MD Pathology 2009), Consultant Histopathologist, Jabar Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah Hospital, Kuwait.	22 Feb 2025
18	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Srinivas Narayan	Scientific Director and Supervisor, Vero Dx, Texas, USA	LC/GC-MS/MS: Instrumentation, Performance and Maintenance talk by Dr Srinivas Narayan (MSc Biochemistry Batch 1990) Scientific Director and Supervisor, Vero Dx, Texas, USA	25 Feb 2025
19	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Ravi Varma	Professor of Community Medicine, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute, Trivandrum	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Ravi Varma (Community Medicine Batch 1995) Professor of Community Medicine, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute, Trivandrum.	10 Mar 2025
20	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Vasudev Kamath	Assistant Professor, Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine, New York	Alumni guest lecture on: Case-based discussion: Phenylketonuria for I PY MBBS (Batch 2024) by Dr Vasudev Kamath (MSc Biochemistry Batch 1999), Assistant Professor, Touro College	12 Mar 2025

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				of Osteopathic Medicine, New York.	
21	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Ritesh G Menezes	Professor, College of Medicine, Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University, KSA	Alumni guest lecture on Ethics in Medical Research: Foundation, Standards and Illustrations by Dr Ritesh G Menezes (MD Forensic Medicine 1994) Professor, College of Medicine, Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University, KSA.	14 Mar 2025
22	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Abhishek Patil	Fellowship in Intervention Radiology, InnoVision, Mumbai	MRI of the pubic symphysis talk by Dr Abhishek Patil (MD 2017), Fellowship in Intervention Radiology, InnoVision, Mumbai.	14 Mar 2025
23	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Anusha Rohit	Specialty Doctor, The Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust	AMS for blood culture talk by Dr Anusha Rohit (MD Batch 2007) Specialty Doctor, The Princess Alexandra Hospital NHS Trust.	15 Mar 2025
24	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Raksha Bhat	Consultant Microbiology, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru	Restricted Antibiotic Usage talk by Dr Raksha Bhat (MD Batch 2011), Consultant Microbiology, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru.	22 Mar 2025
25	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Anil Handoo, Dr Chethan Manohar	BLK-Max Super Speciality Hospital, Delhi	Alumni guest lecture on Dyspoiesis: Exploring Evidence-Based Concepts in Myelodysplastic Syndrome (MDS) by Dr Anil Handoo and Dr Chethan Manohar.	23 Mar 2025
26	KMC, Mangalore	Ms Christina Mithra	Advanced Audiologist, Bart's Health NHS Trust, Whipps Cross University Hospital, London, UK	Audiology Practices in the UK talk by Ms Christiana Mithra (BASLP, MASLP Batch 2005, 2009), Advanced Audiologist, Bart's Health NHS Trust, Whipps Cross University Hospital, London, UK.	25 Mar 2025

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27	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sampath Chandra Prasad	Consultant Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Oncologist, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru	Skull Base Paragangliomas: State of the Art–talk by Dr Sampath Chandra Prasad (MBBS, MS 2003-2006) Consultant Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Oncologist, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru	07 Apr 2025
28	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Ashwin Krishnamurthy	Guest Lecture, KS Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore	Alumni talk on Clinical Scenarios–Neuroanatomy by Dr Ashwin Krishnamurthy (MD 2001-2004) Guest Lecture, KS Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore.	09 Apr 2025
29	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Maneesh Paul S	CEO, Microvioma/Orchid Pharma	Alumni talk on Inventing an Anti-Infective Drug in India by Dr Maneesh Paul S (MSc Batch 1990) CEO, Microvioma/Orchid Pharma	10 Apr 2025
	KMC, Mangalore	Dr G Seethapathy	Senior Consultant, Ophthalmic Plastic and Orbital Surgeon, Manipal Hospital Salem	Applied Anatomy of the Eyelids, Lacrimal System and Orbits–talk by Dr G Seethapathy (MBBS) Senior Consultant, Ophthalmic Plastic and Orbital Surgeon, Manipal Hospital Salem.	10 Apr 2025
30	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Muktha R. Pai (MD Pathology 1983)	Ex Professor and Head, KMC Mangalore	CME: Lymph Node Pathology–Navigation through morphology by Dr Muktha R Pai (MD Pathology Batch 1983), Ex-Professor and Head, KMC Mangalore.	11 Apr 2025
31	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Amith Sitaram	Consultant Stroke Neurologist, Queen Elizabeth University Hospital Glasgow	Understanding the basics of stroke and its pathophysiology – talk by Dr Amith Sitaram (MBBS 1999) Consultant Stroke Neurologist, Queen Elizabeth University Hospital Glasgow.	14 Apr 2025

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32	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sachin Alva	Consultant in Anaesthetics and Pain Management, East and North Hertfordshire NHS Trust, UK	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Sachin Alva (MBBS Batch 1999), Consultant in Anaesthetics & Pain Management, East and North Hertfordshire NHS Trust, UK.	18 Apr 2025
33	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Godfred A. Menezes	Chairperson-Scientific Committee, ESCM, RAKMHSU, UAE	Infectious diseases: Present and Future –talk by Dr Godfred A Menezes (MSc Batch 2000) Chairperson-Scientific Committee, ESCM, RAKMHSU, UAE	24 Apr 2025
34	KMC, Mangalore	Dr K Ramnarayan	Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University	KMC, Mangalore, Department of Pathology is celebrating the "Diamond Jubilee" of Pathology Postgraduate training this year(2025) the resource person for the program is Dr K Ramnarayan (KMC Manipal MD Pathology–1977) Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University, Emeritus Professor of Medical Education -MAHE, Chief National Coordinator – Direct to Home (DTH) SWAYAM Prabha – Medicine Content Development, Ministry of Education, GOI on topic " Pedagogic Effectiveness: Being a Teacher" dated 25 April 2025.	25 Apr 2025
35	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shivashankar AR	Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Shivashankar A R (MSc Batch 1992) Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore.	08 May 2025

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36	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Charu Yadav	Consultant and Quality Manager, Medanta Gurugram	Industry-Academia Symposium on Analytical Techniques and Lab Instrumentation 2.0 talk by Dr Charu Yadav (MD 2013), Consultant and Quality Manager, Medanta Gurugram.	08 May 2025
37	KMC, Mangalore	Mr Vijayasimha Madhurao	Senior GM Marketing, Siemens Healthcare Pvt Ltd	Industry-Academia Symposium on Analytical Techniques and Lab Instrumentation 2.0 talk by Mr Vijayasimha Madhurao (MSc 1990) Senior GM Marketing, Siemens Healthcare Pvt Ltd.	08 May 2025
38	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sukanya Shetty	Vice Dean, Professor, Department of Biochemistry, KSHEMA	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Sukanya Shetty (MD Batch 1994), Vice Dean, Professor, Department of Biochemistry, KSHEMA.	08 May 2025
39	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Hilda Priya (MD 2000)	Professor, Department of Biochemistry, A.J. Institute of Medical Sciences	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Hilda Priya (MD Batch 2000), Professor, Department of Biochemistry, A J Institute of Medical Sciences.	08 May 2025
40	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Ganesh Prasad V (MD 1997)	Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore	Alumni Visit / Interaction by Dr Ganesh Prasad V (MD Batch 1997) Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore.	08 May 2025
41	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Madhurima A Nayak	Assistant Professor, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	Pupils Dynamics: Understanding Normal and Abnormal–talk by Dr Madhurima A Nayak (MBBS 2005, MS 2011-2014) Assistant Professor, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore.	19 May 2025

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42	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Bhagat Singh Lali	Junior Consultant, Oncopathology, Tata Medical Center Kolkata	Approach to Neuroendocrine Tumors in Lung and GI NEN Case Discussion–talk by Dr Bhagat Singh Lali (MD 2016-2019) Junior Consultant, Oncopathology, Tata Medical Centre Kolkata	May 2025
43	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Vinay Kumar V Shetty	Guest Lecture, A.J. Institute of Medical Science and Research, Mangalore	Clinical Scenarios of Thorax – talk by Dr Vinay Kumar V Shetty (MD Batch 2006–2009) Guest Lecture, A.J. Institute of Medical Science and Research, Mangalore.	02 Jun 2025
44	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Asher George Joseph	Senior Clinical Fellow, Cardiothoracic Department, Wythenshawe Hospital, UK	When the heart fails: Surgeon's perspective – talk by Dr Asher George Joseph (MBBS 2007) Senior Clinical Fellow, Cardiothoracic Department, Wythenshawe Hospital, UK.	08 Jun 2025
45	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Tishya Vepakomma	Consultant, Paediatric Ophthalmology, Narayana Nethralaya, Bengaluru	Prescription of glasses in Children- talk by Dr Tishya Vepakomma (MS Batch 2018–2021) Consultant, Paediatric Ophthalmology, Narayana Nethralaya, Bengaluru.	16 Jun 2025
46	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Rohit Tapadia	Director, Tapadia Diagnostic Centre and COO Kanopy Diagnostics	Quality Control in IHC and AI in Breast Pathology – talk by Dr Rohit Tapadia (MD 2014-2017) Director, Tapadia Diagnostic Centre and COO Kanopy Diagnostics.	27 Jun 2025
47	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Vandana Jain	Professor of Paediatrics, Endocrinology, AIIMS Delhi	Congenital Hyperthyroidism-talk by Dr Vandana Jain (MD) Professor of Paediatrics, Endocrinology, AIIMS Delhi.	30 Jun 2025

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48	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Varsha Shenoy	Guest Lecture, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	Case scenarios of Abdomen–talk by Dr Varsha Shenoy (MD Batch 2005-2009) Guest Lecture, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore.	30 Jun 2025
49	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shylaja Someshwar	Professor and Head, MGM Institute of Health Sciences	Skin aging and its Dermatologic intervention–talk by Dr Shylaja Someshwar (MD Dermatology 1997) Professor and Head, MGM Institute of Health Sciences.	07 Jul 2025
50	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Beena Susheel Suvarna	Lecturer, James Cook University, Australia	Cardiovascular Pharmacology (3-part series) – talk by Dr Beena Susheel Suvarna (MD Pharmacology Batch 1998) Lecturer, James Cook University, Australia	08 Jul 2025
51	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Cherishma D'Silva	Principal, Father Muller College of Physiotherapy	Resilience, Recovery, Rehabilitation: An Update on Cancer Care–talk by Dr Cherishma DSilva (MPT Batch 2008), Principal, Father Muller College of Physiotherapy.	08 Jul 2025
52	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sheela Devi C S	Professor and Head, JSS Medical College, Mysore	Cytopathology Odyssey: Current Trends in Diagnosis–talk by Dr Sheela Devi C S (MD Pathology Batch 1994), Professor and Head, JSS Medical College, Mysuru.	03 Aug 2025
53	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Vijayasimha Madhurao	Senior General Manager Marketing, Siemens Healthineers	AI in Clinical Biochemistry and Laboratory Practice–talk by Dr Vijayasimha Madhurao (MSc Batch 1994) Senior General Manager Marketing, Siemens Healthineers.	07 Aug 2025

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54	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Kirana Pailoor	Professor and Head, Immunohematology, Fr. Muller Medical College, Mangalore	Basics in Immunohematology and component therapy–talk by Dr Kirana Pailoor (MD Pathology 2003) Professor and Head, Immunohematology, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore.	03 Sep 2025
55	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shrinath Pratap Shetty	Consultant Endocrinologist, KMC Hospitals Mangalore	Clinical Implications of HbA1c Testing–talk by Dr Shrinath Pratap Shetty (MBBS 2002), Consultant Endocrinologist, KMC Hospitals Mangalore.	09 Sep 2025
56	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Gopinath Pai	Professor, KVG, Sullia	Alumni Visit/Interaction Dr Gopinath Pai (MS General Surgery 1990) Professor, KVG, Sullia.	13 Sep 2025
57	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Puneet Kalra	Therapy Area Lead-Vaccines, Takeda Biopharmaceuticals India	Latest Update in Dengue Prophylaxis–talk by Dr Puneet Kalra (MD Batch 2003) Therapy Area Lead-Vaccines, Takeda Biopharmaceuticals India	21 Sep 2025
58	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Kavitha Bhat	Paediatric Endocrinologist, Aster Hospitals, Bengaluru	Paediatric Obesity–a talk by Dr Kavitha Bhat (MBBS) Paediatric Endocrinologist, Aster Hospitals, Bengaluru.	21 Sep 2025
59	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Niveditha Kamath	Professor of Paediatric Nephrology, St. John's Medical College, Bengaluru	Paediatric Nephrology Case discussion –talk by Dr Niveditha Kamath (MBBS 2003) Professor of Paediatric Nephrology, St John's Medical College, Bengaluru.	22 Sep 2025
60	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Mithun Pai G	Associate Professor, KMC Manipal	Alumni Visit/Interaction by Dr Mithun Pai G (MS Orthopaedics 2017), Associate Professor, KMC Manipal.	27 Sep 2025

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61	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shiva Shanker Aithal	Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, East Lancashire Hospitals, UK	Progressive Collapsing Foot Deformity – talk by Dr Shiva Shanker Aithal (MS Orthopaedics 1989), Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, East Lancashire Hospitals, UK.	30 Sep 2025
62	KMC, Mangal	Dr Santhosh A Upadhyaya	Clinical Associate	Guest Lecture by Dr Santhosh A Upadhyaya (MD Paediatrics)	13 Oct 2025
63	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Amit Khurana	Hematologist, Haemato-Oncologist	CME: The Saga of Red Blood Cells by Dr Amit Khurana (MD Pathology Batch 2009) Haematologist, Haemato-Oncologist	18 Oct 2025
64	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Amit Khurana	Haematologist, Haemato-Oncologist	CME: The Saga of Red Blood Cells by Dr Amit Khurana (MD Pathology Batch 2009) Haematologist, Haemato-Oncologist	18 Oct 2025
65	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Anand A R	Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, Sankara Nethralaya, Chennai	Guest Lecture (Microbiology) by Dr Anand A R (MSc Microbiology Batch 1991), Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, Sankara Nethralaya, Chennai.	23 Oct 2025
66	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Raksha K Bhat	Consultant Microbiology and Infection Control Officer, Manipal Hospitals, Bangalore	Guest Lecture (Microbiology) by Dr Raksha K Bhat (MD Microbiology 2011), Consultant Microbiology and Infection Control Officer, Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru.	23 Oct 2025
67	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Lipika Singhal	Associate Professor, Government Medical Hospital, Chandigarh	Guest Lecture (Microbiology) by Dr Lipika Singhal (MD Microbiology Batch 2006), Associate Professor, Government Medical Hospital, Chandigarh.	23 Oct 2025

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68	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Shylesh Dabke	Managing Director, Dr Dabke's Infinity Vision Eye Care Hospital, Bidar	Guest Lecture (Ophthalmology) by Dr Shylesh Dabke (MS Ophthalmology 2013) Managing Director, Dr Dabke's Infinity Vision Eye Care Hospital, Bidar	23 Oct 2025
69	KMC, Mangalore	Ms Jui C Jagtap	Founder and Head, Athena Rehabilitation	Guest Lecture: From testing to training using Athletic Assessments to prevent injury by Ms Jui C Jagtap (BPT, MPT Batch 2016)	24 Oct 2025
70	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Mayur Rai	Orthopaedic Surgeon, AJ Hospital and Research Centre	Beyond Basics: Mastering Complex Total Knee Arthroplasty CME-talk by Dr Mayur Rai (MBBS Batch 2000) Orthopaedic Surgeon, AJ Hospital and Research Centre.	05 Nov 2025
71	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Anuradha K	Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, Farookh Academy of Medical Education, Mysore	Alumni Series: "Clinical Relevance of Diagnostic Microscopy for Management in the Molecular Era" by Dr Anuradha K (MD Microbiology Batch 1988) Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, Farookh Academy of Medical Education, Mysuru.	08 Nov 2025
72	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Prameela	Professor, Srinivas Institute of Medical Sciences, Mangalore	Clinical Scenarios of Upper Limb Part 2 – talk by Dr Prameela (MD Anatomy Batch 2005, MBBS Batch 1994) Professor, Srinivas Institute of Medical Sciences, Mangalore.	24 Nov 2025
73	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Kiran A N Saldanha	Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, NHS Trust, UK	Principles of deformity corrections – talk by Dr Kiran A N Saldanha (MS Orthopaedics 1997) Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, NHS Trust, UK	09 Dec 2025

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74	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sunil Karanth	Chairman, HOD and Consultant, Critical Care Medicine, Manipal Hospital, Bangalore	Basics of mechanical ventilation–talk by Dr Sunil Karanth, Chairman, HOD and Consultant, Critical Care Medicine, Manipal Hospital, Bengaluru.	09 Dec 2025
75	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Harigovindan Nampoothiri	CEO, Interim Health Care Home Health, Brownsville, Texas	Guest Talk: Community Rehabilitation of Stroke–An Interdisciplinary Approach by Dr Harigovindan Nampoothiri (BPT, MPT Batch-1993) CEO, Interim Health Care Home Health, Brownsville, Texas.	12 Dec 2025
76	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Anup Rao	Associate Professor, Subbiah Institute of Medical Sciences, Shimoga	Clinical Scenarios of Lower Limb Part 1 – talk by Dr Anup Rao (MD Anatomy Batch 2009)	18 Dec 2025
77	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Hema Kini, MD Pathology	Professor Emeritus, Pathology, KMC Mangalore	Second Dahiya Memorial Oration at Department of Pathology–Resource person was Dr Hema Kini, MD Pathology, Professor Emeritus, Pathology, KMC Mangalore.	20 Dec 2025
78	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Divya Sharma	Associate Professor, Director (GI Pathology)	Diamond Jubilee Pathology CME by Dr Divya Sharma (MD Pathology Batch 2006) Associate Professor, Director (GI Pathology).	20 Dec 2025
79	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Dayananda S Biligi	Professor, Bangalore Medical College	Diamond Jubilee Pathology CME by Dr Dayananda S Biligi (MD Pathology Batch 1992) Professor, Bengaluru Medical College.	20 Dec 2025

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80	KMC, Mangalore	Dr Sanjay Navani	Founder and Director, Lab Surgical Diagnostics	Diamond Jubilee Pathology CME by Dr Sanjay Navani (MD Pathology Batch 1989) Founder and Director, Lab Surgical Diagnostics.	20 Dec 2025
81	MIT, Manipal	Dr Albin Antony	Applications and Field Service Specialist, Oxford Instruments Nano Analysis, UK. Adjunct Faculty, Department of Physics, MIT, Manipal.	Alumni Guest Lecture on topic "Scientific Career Development" by Dr Albin Antony (Batch 2016 Department of Physics). Applications and Field Service Specialist, Oxford Instruments Nano Analysis, UK. Adjunct Faculty, Department of Physics, MIT, Manipal.	04 Jan 2025
82	MIT, Manipal	Mr Arjun Bhattacharya	PhD Scholar, University of Tennessee, US.	Alumni Guest Lecture on the topic "Challenges and Opportunities in the Power System Domain" (Batch 2023 E&E) PhD Scholar, University of Tennessee, US.	14 Jan 2025
83	MIT, Manipal	Mr Sarthak Mathur Mr Siddharth Chauhan Ms Bhavya Das	Cost Schedule and Control Engineer at ExxonMobil Product Manager at Nippon India Mutual Fund. Consultant- Sports Advisory at PwC, Ahmedabad.	Alumni Talk by Sarthak Mathur (Batch 2021 Civil Eng.) Siddharth Chauhan (Batch 2021 Civil Engineering) Bhavya Das (Batch 2021 Civil Engineering) on the topic "Beyond the Blueprint: Diverse Career paths for Civil Engineering".	14 Jan 2025
84	MIT, Manipal	Mr Arjun Bhattacharya	PhD Student–Energy Science and Engineering, The Bredesen Center–The University of Tennessee, Knoxville	Alumni talk by Mr Arjun Bhattacharya (Batch 2023 E&E) on the topic "Machine Learning for Power Grid Reliability and Resilience".	14 Jan 2025

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85	MIT, Manipal	Mr Deepak Chandrasekhar	Media Startup, Barcelona, Spain.	Alumni talk by Mr Deepak Chandrasekhar: "Discovering Your Path: Alternative Careers with a Biotechnology Background".	17 Jan 2025
86	MIT, Manipal	Mr Aayush Parikh	Mechanical Design Engineer-Tesla	Alumni talk by Mr Aayush Parikh (Batch 2022, Mechatronics) on the topic "Looking into the future".	18 Jan 2025
87	MIT, Manipal	Mr Kanishk Kaushal	MS Robotics-Northeastern University	Alumni talk by Mr Kanishk Kaushal (Batch 2024, Mechatronics) on the topic "Looking into the future".	18 Jan 2025

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88	MIT, Manipal	Mr Tanaya Gupte	MSE Robotics- University of Pennsylvania.	Alumni talk by Mr Tanaya Gupte (Batch 2023, Mechatronics) on the topic “Looking into the future”.	18 Jan 2025
89	MIT, Manipal	Mr Vehzan Rustamji	Calibration and Integration Engineer at DAF Trucks	Alumni talk by Mr Tanaya Gupte (Batch 2016, Mechatronics) on the topic “Looking into the future”.	18 Jan 2025
90	MIT, Manipal	Mr Achyut Saxena	Associate-Flipkart	Alumni talk by Mr Achyut Saxena (Batch 2023, Mechatronics) on the topic “Looking into the future”.	19 Jan 2025
91	MIT, Manipal	Mr Rohith Narayan	Operations Manager-Amazon	Alumni talk by Mr Rohit Narayan (Batch 2023, Mechatronics) on the topic “Looking into the future”.	19 Jan 2025

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92	MIT, Manipal	Mr Kushal Kamal	PhD Scholar, University of Tennessee, US.	Alumni talk by Mr Kushal Kamal (Batch 2010 E&E) on the topic "Low Power VLSI Design"	25 Jan 2025
93	MIT, Manipal	Mr Giridhar B	Software Engineer at ZAMP, Bengaluru	Alumni talk by Mr Giridhar B (Batch 2021 CSE) "Threads in Operating Systems".	03 Feb 2025
94	MIT, Manipal	Mr Harshit Srivastava	Senior Software Engineer at Microsoft, Hyderabad	Alumni talk by Mr Harshit Srivastava (Batch 2013 CSE) on the topic "Building Foundations on Courses and Crack the Code".	08 Feb 2025

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95	MIT, Manipal	Mr Shiv Ram Krishna Pande	Chief Business Officer at BitSave by Casper Wealth	Alumni talk by Mr Shiv Ram Krishna Pande (Batch 2011 E&C) on the topic "Bitcoin and Blockchain 101".	10 Feb 2025
96	MIT, Manipal	Mr Vaibhavi Salvi	Staff Software Engineer	Alumni talk by Ms Vaibhavi Salvi (Batch 2019 I&C), a distinguished alumna and an SRE and DevOps professional at Media.net. The session focused on key concepts in DevOps, SRE, Kubernetes, Docker, Cloud Infrastructure Management, and CI/CD pipelines. Drawing from her industry experience, Vaibhavi provided a detailed understanding of modern software deployment and operational strategies.	22 Feb 2025
97	MIT, Manipal	Mr Raghav Kumar	Systems Engineer, Lucid Motors, USA	Alumni Interaction by Mr Raghav Kumar (Batch 2020 Aeronautical and Automobile)	24 Feb 2025
98	MIT, Manipal	Mr Gaurav Rajput	Scientific Officer, DAE, TIFR – Hyderabad	Alumni talk by Mr Gaurav Rajput (Batch 2018 Aeronautical Engineering) on the topic "Exploring Career Horizons in the Aeronautical Domain: Opportunities and Future Trends"	27 Feb 2025

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99	MIT, Manipal	Mr Saurav Misra	Staff Software Engineer	Alumni talk by Mr Saurav Misra (Batch 2019 Aeronautical Engineering) on the topic "CI/CD and Compliance: Ensuring Speed, Stability, and Security in Software Delivery".	27 Feb 2025
100	MIT, Manipal	Mr Yeddula Satya Narayana Reddy	Managing Director, YNR Associates, Architects and Engineers, Kurnool, Andhra Pradesh, India	Alumni talk by Mr Yeddula Satya Narayana Reddy (Batch 2019 Civil Engineering) on the topic "Stakeholders' Involvement in Project Lifecycle"	27 Feb 2025
101	MIT, Manipal	Rachana Kalkur	Oracle Cerner Healthcare Solutions Pvt Ltd Software Engineer IC2	Alumni talk by Rachana Kalkur (MTech Computer Networking and Engineering, Batch of 2019) on the topic "Data Analysis in Healthcare".	10 Mar 2025
102	MIT, Manipal	Apoorv Mishra	Assistant Commandant in SSB	Alumni talk by Apoorv Mishra (Dept of Information Technology, Batch of 2016) on the topic "Cloud computing in military operations".	10 Mar 2025
103	MIT, Manipal	Rashi Kishore	Construction Manager, Jacobs, USA	Alumni talk by Rashi Kishore (Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 2018) on the topic "Technology impact on safety-Automatic safety checking of construction models and schedules".	13 Mar 2025
104	MIT, Manipal	Ashrith Barthur	Principal Security Scientist, Mountain View, CA	Alumni talk by Ashrith Barthur on the topic "Data Science, AI, and Cybersecurity".	17 Mar 2025

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105	MIT, Manipal	Chethan Ravi B R	Technical Expert, Siemens India	Alumni talk by Chethan Ravi B R (Dept of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, Batch of 2014) on the topic "Stimulation, Digital Twin and Sustainability: Current Challenges and Opportunities for Mechanical Engineers in Industry".	18 Mar 2025
106	MIT, Manipal	Shah Vatsalkumar Nikhilkumar	Gravure Packaging Products Partner/ CEO	Alumni Guest lecture by Shah Vatsalkumar Nikhilkumar (MTech-Network Engineering, Batch of 2015) on the topic "Recent Industry Trends".	20 Mar 2025
107	MIT, Manipal	Mr Yudistir Lokhande		Alumni lecture by Mr Yudistir Lokhande (Dept of Information and Communication Technology, Batch of 2021) on the topic "Insights into Real-World Industry"	20 Mar 2025
108	MIT, Manipal	Mr Suvayan Nandi	Deputy General Manager (DGM), Addverb Technologies Ltd.	Alumni Interaction by Mr Suvayan Nandi (Batch 2015 Mechatronics).	21 Mar 2025
109	MIT, Manipal	Unmesh Deshpande	KPIT –Hardware in loop Development, HIL Model Based Development (ePowertrains) |Master of Engineering (Sensor Technology)	Alumni talk by Unmesh Deshpande (Department of Instrumentation and Controlling Engineering, Batch of 2022) on the topic "Role of Instrumentation Engineering in the Automotive Industry".	21 Mar 2025
110	MIT, Manipal	Shwetank Anand	Mareana Software India PVTSr Software developer	Alumni talk on "Data, Cybersecurity and Bioinformatics" by Shwetank Anand (MTech Computer Network and Engineering, Batch of 2019).	21 Mar 2025

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111	MIT, Manipal	Mukul Shahi	Assistant Manager, Federal Bank	Alumni talk on "Quality, Efficiency, Safety, Waste Reduction and Cost Reduction" by Mukul Shahi (Dept of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch of 2017).	22 Mar 2025
112	MIT, Manipal	Herschelle Saldanha	Robot Engineer –Electronics Business Line at ABB India Limited, Bengaluru, Karnataka, India.	Alumni talk on "From IAR to Industry" by Herschelle Saldanha (Department of Mechatronics, Batch of 2023).	22 Mar 2025
113	MIT, Manipal	Sidharth	Junior design engineer, Design Tree Consultants, No. 64/9, Kembathalli Main Road, 9th Phase, JP Nagar, Bangalore	Alumni talk on "Designing multistorey buildings–Industry perspective" by Sidharth (Department of Civil, Batch of 2023).	22 Mar 2025
114	MIT, Manipal	Mr Aadarsh S U	Got admission for a doctorate position at Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey	Alumni talk by Mr Aadarsh S U (Batch 2024 Chemistry) on the topic "Study abroad: Brain beyond borders".	27 Mar 2025
115	MIT, Manipal	Dr Pratishtah Sobrun	Patent Attorney, Madderns Patent and Trade Mark Attorneys	Alumni talk on "My Career Story: Engineering, Research, and Patents" by Dr Pratishtah Sobrun (Department of Biomedical Engineering, Batch of 2014).	27 Mar 2025
116	MIT, Manipal	Faizan Mohammed	Software Engineer at Enquero	Alumni talk on "Deep learning, neural networks, and large language models (LLMs)" by Faizan Mohammed (Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch of 2019).	27 Mar 2025

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117	MIT, Manipal	Mr Satyam Chaturvedi and Mr Amartya Gupta	CEO and Co-founder, Cre-AID LABS® (Satyam) COO and Co-founder, Cre-AID LABS® (Amartya)	Alumni talk on "Interdisciplinary innovation, industry trends and entrepreneurial motivation in Mechanical Engineering" by Mr Satyam Chaturvedi (Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 2019 and Mr Amartya Gupta, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 2019).	28 Mar 2025
118	MIT, Manipal	Ms Ruchi Surekha	Director of Manufacturing at Amgen	Alumni guest lecture on "Embracing Uncertainty – Importance of Decision making in your career" by Ms Ruchi Surekha (Department of Biomedical, Batch of 2007).	28 Mar 2025
119	MIT, Manipal	Chandrasekar	Firmware Developer - Firmware Developer Janitza Electronics GmbH	Alumni guest lecture by Chandrasekar (Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch of 2018) on the topic "Germany as a Potential Destination for Higher Studies".	28 Mar 2025
120	MIT, Manipal	Aniket Das	Software Engineer	Alumni talk by Aniket Das (Dept of Information Technology, Batch of 2022) on the topic "Envisioning the Future Prospects for Engineers: The Dos and Don'ts to Get into the AI Industry".	28 Mar 2025
121	MIT, Manipal	Jaideep Rao	General Manager, Fernandez Hospitals	Alumni talk on "AI in Healthcare" by Jaideep Rao (Department of Information and Communication Technology, Batch of 2012).	02 Apr 2025
122	MIT, Manipal	Reeshabh Karan	Account Manager, Mercer	Alumni talk on "Data Analytics: Transforming Industries and Shaping Careers in the Digital	03 Apr 2025

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				Age" by Reeshabh Karan (Department of Information and Communication Technology, Batch of 2017).	
123	MIT, Manipal	Ms Deepthi Shenoy	Trainee Engineer (E0), TCE Ltd	Alumni guest lecture by Ms Deepthi Shenoy (Department of Civil, Batch of 2024) on the topic "Significance of Particle Packing in Concrete Mix Design".	03 Apr 2025
124	MIT, Manipal	Harshal Kunal Bhawe	Development Team Lead at Omda Fertility, Uppsala-Sweden	Harshal Kunal Bhawe (Department of Biotechnology, Batch of 2019) gave a talk on "Discovering Your Path: Alternative Careers with a Biotechnology Background".	05 Apr 2025
125	MIT, Manipal	Dr Manu Hegde	Senior Post Doctoral Researcher, University of Duisburg – Essen, Germany	Dr Manu Hegde (Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, Batch of 2016) gave an alumni talk on "Constitutive Modelling of Soft Tissues: A Continuum Approach".	05 Apr 2025
126	MIT, Manipal	Shivam Tripathi	Director – Technical, GeoCon Infra Pvt Ltd, Noida	Shivam Tripathi (Department of Civil Engineering) gave an alumni talk on "Geotechnical Engineering-Applications in Real World".	05 Apr 2025
127	MIT, Manipal	Mr Riju Ray	Supply Chain Consultant, EY	Alumni guest lecture by Mr Riju Ray (Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, Batch of 2022) on the topic "Experience Sharing in Supply Chain Industry: Insights into Industrial Engineering".	08 Apr 2025

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128	MIT, Manipal	Mr Praveen Nagaraj	Software Engineer, DoorDash	Alumni guest lecture on "Advancements in Emerging Technologies" by Mr Praveen Nagaraj (Department of Computer and Communication Engineering, Batch of 2018).	10 Apr 2025
129	MIT, Manipal	Mr Keshav T R	Senior Specialist (Global Regulatory Science) at Bristol Myers Squibb. Hyderabad-India	Alumni guest lecture on the topic "Pharma Pathways: Navigating Careers and Opportunities Ahead" by Mr Keshav T R Department of Biotechnology, Batch of 2021).	12 Apr 2025
130	MIT, Manipal	Ms Niharika M P	PhD scholar, VIT-AP University, AP, India	Alumni guest lecture on the topic "From Learner to Researcher: The Impact of My Master's Journey" by Ms Niharika M P (Department of Physics, Batch of 2020).	12 Apr 2025
131	MIT, Manipal	Athul M Srinivas Srinithya Halaharvi	Associate Developer, SAP Integration Quality Associate, SAP	Alumni guest lecture on the topic "Session on SAP Certifications" by Athul M Srinivas (Department of Computer Science, Batch of 2025) and Srinithya Halaharvi (Department of Information and Communication Technology, Batch of 2025).	21 Apr 2025
132	MIT, Manipal	Vishnu Kolal	Globus Medical in Pennsylvania	Invited talk on "Surgical Robotics" by Vishnu Kolal (Department of Mechatronics, Batch of 2020), Globus Medical in Pennsylvania.	25 Jul 2025

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133	MIT, Manipal	Pranay Agarwal	Co-founder and CEO @ TIF Labs Pvt Ltd | IOT devices	Entrepreneurial journey talk by Pranay Agarwal (Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch 2014), Co-founder and CEO at TIF Labs Pvt Ltd |IoT devices'.	25 Jul 2025
134	MIT, Manipal	Dr Harshitha M Jathanna	Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology, NMAM Institute of Technology, Nitte	Navigating the Academic Spectrum: From Student to Mentor in Biotechnology-a talk by Dr Harshitha M Jathanna (Department of Biotechnology, Batch 2012) Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology, NMAM Institute of Technology, Nitte.	27 Jul 2025
135	MIT, Manipal	Alston Gomes	Musician - Wind Instrumentalist/multi-instrumentalist | Former Senior Software Engineer at Bosch (BGSW)	Changes in Higher Studies- a talk by Alston Gomes (Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch of 2021), Musician-Wind Instrumentalist/multi-instrumentalist| Former Senior Software Engineer at Bosch (BGSW).	31 Jul 2025
136	MIT, Manipal	Loy Sabson Fernandes	Education sales Representative, Mathworks	MTech Engineering Management–New Batch Orientation by Loy Sabson Fernandes (Department of Humanities and Management, Batch of 2020) Education Sales Representative, Mathworks.	04 Aug 2025
137	MIT, Manipal	Tirthankar Hazarika	Vice President, Goldman Sachs, Bengaluru	Navigating the World of Consulting- talk by Tirthankar Hazarika (Department of Mechatronics, Batch of 2015) Vice President, Goldman Sachs, Bengaluru.	05 Aug 2025

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138	MIT, Manipal	Rajendra Kalbavi	Executive Director, Dakshina Kannada Nirmithi Kendra, Surathkal, Karnataka, India	Beyond Structures: Engineering with Purpose for a Sustainable World - talk by Rajendra Kalbavi (Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 1988), Executive Director, Dakshina Kannada Nirmithi Kendra, Surathkal, Karnataka, India.	05 Aug 2025
139	MIT, Manipal	Dr Shashwat Alok	Associate Professor of Finance, ISB, Hyderabad	IVI Masterclass with ISB talk by Dr Shashwat Alok (Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 2008), Associate Professor of Finance, ISB, Hyderabad.	06 Aug 2025
140	MIT, Manipal	Dhanesh Pai	Vice President of Engineering at PrimeSoft Solutions	Transformative role of Artificial Intelligence in today's technology landscape-a talk by Dhanesh Pai (E&C Batch of 2003), Vice President of Engineering at PrimeSoft Solutions.	07 Aug 2025
141	MIT, Manipal	Bapi Soubhagya Chandra	Deputy General Manager, L& T Energy Hydrocarbon	Role of Instrumentation Engineers in Process Control Industry–a talk by Bapi Soubhagya Chandra (Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch of 2007) Deputy General Manager, L&T Energy Hydrocarbon.	08 Aug 2025
142	MIT, Manipal	Priyanshu Shekhar	Design Engineer and Samsung Semiconductor India Research	Opportunities in the Semiconductor Domain- a talk by Priyanshu Shekhar (Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Batch of 2018), Design Engineer and Samsung Semiconductor India Research.	09 Aug 2025
143	MIT, Manipal	Nikhil Bhargav	Assistant Manager – Supply Planning, ITC Ltd	Decoding Supply Chain Logistics – talk by Nikhil Bhargav (Department of	09 Aug 2025

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				Mechanical and Industrial Production, Batch of 2023), Assistant Manager–Supply Planning, ITC Ltd.	
144	MIT, Manipal	Snigdha Uppala	Senior Consultant, Capgemini	Prepping for Success–The Pre-Placement Effort-a talk by Snigdha Uppala (Department of Automobile Engineering, Batch of 2018).	11 Aug 2025
145	MIT, Manipal	Shreyans Toshniwal	Marketing Executive at MATPLAT	Inspiring journey in materials science–a talk by Shreyans Toshniwal (Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 2022), Marketing Executive at MATPLAT.	14 Aug 2025
146	MIT, Manipal	Pradyoth	Staff Physical Design Engineer	VLSI Design and Verification Challenges in Industry-an alumni talk by Pradyoth (Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 2022).	14 Aug 2025
147	MIT, Manipal	Durgesh Devadiga	Self-Employed, Guru Builders and Developers, Behind Board High School, Moodanidambur, Udupi 576101, Karnataka	Application of the Differential Global Positioning System in Surveying-an alumni talk by Durgesh Devadiga (Department of Civil Engineering, Batch 2021), Self-Employed, Guru Builders and Developers, Behind Board High School, Moodanidambur, Udupi 576101, Karnataka.	20 Aug 2025
148	MIT, Manipal	Soumodeep Sarkar	Doctoral candidate at the Schmoller Lab, Institute of Functional Epigenetics, Helmholtz Zentrum München, Germany. Master's in Molecular and Cell Biology from Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Germany	Manipal, Mitacs, Munich, and Mitochondria – talk by Soumodeep Sarkar (Department of Biotechnology, Batch of 2022,) doctoral candidate at the Schmoller Lab, Institute of Functional Epigenetics, Helmholtz	23 Aug 2025

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				Zentrum München, Germany. Master's in Molecular and Cell Biology from Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Germany.	
149	MIT, Manipal	Abhishek Bhattacharya	DFT Engineer	VLSI Engineers in the Current Era–a talk by Abhishek Bhattacharya (Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Batch of 2010) DFT Engineer.	23 Aug 2025
150	MIT, Manipal	Ajay Prabhu	Managing Director, KVP Solutions	Inspiring Pathways–MIT to KVP Solutions–a talk by Ajay Prabhu (Department of Mechanical and Industrial Production, Batch of 1997), Managing Director, KVP Solutions.	25 Aug 2025
151	MIT, Manipal	Rohith Narayan	Program Manager, Amazon Robotics	Alumni Insight: MIT to AMAZON talk by Rohith Narayan (Department of Mechatronics, Batch of 2024) Program Manager, Amazon Robotics.	30 Aug 2025
152	MIT, Manipal	Annesh Salian	System Engineer, Honeywell	Bridging Classroom Learning with Real-World Aerospace Challenges- talk by Annesh Salian (Department of Aeronautical and Automobile Engineering, Batch of 2023) System Engineer, Honeywell.	30 Aug 2025
153	MIT, Manipal	Dr Elton Nazareth	Technical Engineer, Ontario Power Generation-Canada	FROM MIT TO CANADA: Research Experiences to Real World Applications in Energy Engineering- talk by Dr Elton Nazareth (Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, Batch of 2023) Technical	02 Sep 2025

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				Engineer, Ontario Power Generation-Canada.	
154	MIT, Manipal	Purvabh Surana	Founder, Thoughtkarft.AI	GenAI Hacks for Dream Jobs- talk by Purvabh Surana (Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 2013) Founder, Thoughtkarft.AI.	05 Sep 2025
155	MIT, Manipal	Suvayan Nandi	Deputy General Manager, CEO Office, Addverb Technologies	Alumni Insight: Managing Complex Robotics Automation Problems – talk by Suvayan Nandi (Department of Mechatronics, Batch of 2015) Deputy General Manager, CEO Office, Addverb Technologies	10 Sep 2025
156	MIT, Manipal	Priyanka Sarkar	Vice President, Global Acceptance Solutions, Mastercard	Being Future Ready for AI-Powered Product Careers–talk by Priyanka Sarkar (Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Batch of 2005), Vice President, Global Acceptance Solutions, Mastercard.	22 Sep 2025
157	MIT, Manipal	Gajanan Pai	Co-founder, Amith Cashew Pvt Ltd	Alumni Talk for Seventh Semester Students by Gajanan Pai (Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, Batch of 2012), Co-founder, Amith Cashew Pvt Ltd.	24 Sep 2025
158	MIT, Manipal	Samarth Garg	DGM, DLF Ltd	My Journey–Road to Success talk by Samarth Garg (Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 2015), DGM, DLF Ltd.	27 Sep 2025
159	MIT, Manipal	Deepthi Shenoy	Senior Engineer, Project Management Office, Mining and Metallurgy Business Unit, Tata Consulting Engineers, Kolkata	From Classroom Concepts to Real-World Project Management: Bridging Theory and Practice–talk by Deepthi Shenoy, Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 2022-24), Senior	03 Oct 2025

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				Engineer, Project Management Office, Mining and Metallurgy Business Unit, Tata Consulting Engineers, Kolkata.	
160	MIT, Manipal	Prashant Mathur	Senior Director, TATA Electronics	Challenges in Evolving Semiconductor Industry in India–talk by Prashant Mathur (Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 2005), Senior Director, TATA Electronics.	04 Oct 2025
161	MIT, Manipal	Dr Uttam Shanbhag	Director, Air Liquide Advanced Separations (ALaS)	Career Opportunities for Chemical Engineers in Industries–talk by Dr Uttam Shanbhag (Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1990), Director, Air Liquide Advanced Separations (ALaS).	04 Oct 2025
162	MIT, Manipal	Lyon Mathais	Sales Account Manager, Aviation training, CAE, Polland	From Classrooms to Board Rooms-a talk by Lyon Mathais (Department of Computer and Communication Engineering, Batch of 2019), Sales Account Manager, Aviation Training, CAE, Poland.	23 Oct 2025
163	MIT, Manipal	Pratiti Sharma	State and UT engagements at Startup India under DPIIT, Government of India	From Classrooms to Board Rooms–talk by Pratiti Sharma (Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 2019) State and UT engagements at Startup India under DPIIT, Government of India.	24 Oct 2025
164	MIT, Manipal	Swati Awasthi	Entrepreneur, Women in Product, India.	AI as a Superpower–talk by Swati Awasthi (Department of Information Technology, Batch of 2014)	24 Oct 2025

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				Entrepreneur, Women in Product, India.	
165	MIT, Manipal	Eshwari Dathathri	Post-Doctoral Researcher, University of Twente, Netherlands	Interaction with fifth semester students–talk by Eshwari Dathathri (Department of Biomedical Engineering, Batch of 2016), Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Twente, Netherlands.	24 Oct 2025
166	MIT, Manipal	Daksh Dadhania	DevOps Associate, Optum	Terraforming the Cloud: CI/CD, Chef, Terraform Automation and Web Security–talk by Daksh Dadhania (Department of Information Technology, Batch of 2025) DevOps Associate, Optum.	27 Oct 2025
167	MIT, Manipal	Dr Vinayak Mathur	Assistant Professor at the University of Delaware	From Application to Understanding: My Journey Back to Basics of Biology talk by Dr Vinayak Mathur (Department of Biotechnology, Batch of 2009) Assistant Professor at the University of Delaware.	27 Oct 2025
168	MIT, Manipal	Dr Namrata B	Assistant Professor and Research Coordinator for Faculty of Science, Yenepoya (Deemed to be University, Mangalore)	The Next Step: Opportunities After Completing Your Master's Program – talk by Dr Namrata B (Department of Chemistry, Batch of 2012), Assistant Professor and Research Coordinator for Faculty of Science, Yenepoya (Deemed to be University, Mangalore).	07 Nov 2025
169	MIT, Manipal	Ambika Sharma	AI and Cyber Security at Google, Harvard Business School	MIT, Manipal Alumni Association presented an alumni talk series on "Leading with Emotional Intelligence" by Ambika	30 Aug 2025

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				Sharma (Batch 2009 E&C), AI and Cybersecurity at Google, Harvard Business School, dated 30 August 2025.	
170	MIT, Manipal	Mr Samarth Garg	Deputy General Manager, Investments and Acquisitions, DLF Limited, Gurgaon	Department of Civil Engineering, MIT Manipal organized an alumni talk on "My Journey – Road to Success" by Mr Samarth Garg (BTech-Civil Engineering, Batch 2015), Deputy General Manager, Investments and Acquisitions, DLF Limited, Gurgaon, dated 27 September 2025.	27 Sep 2025
171	MSON, Manipal	Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh	Nursing Officer, Grade A, TATA Memorial Hospital Actrec Khargar, Navi Mumbai	An alumni guest lecture was arranged by Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh an alumna of MSON, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, Diploma(N) Batch (2014-2018), on "Safety Practices While Handling Chemotherapeutic Drugs" on 29 January 2025. He stressed the classification of chemotherapeutic drugs. Mr Siraj also explained the preparation and precautions to be taken while handling chemotherapeutic and vesicant drugs.	29 Jan 2025
172	MSON, Manipal	Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza	Band 5, Staff Nurse at Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital, UK	An alumni guest lecture was arranged by Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza, Band 5, Staff Nurse at Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital, UK (Diploma (N) Batch 2019-2022), on "Care of the Elderly" on 22 February 2025. She emphasized NHS protocol for geriatric	22 Feb 2025

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				patients, primarily focused on "frailty" identification and management.	
173	MSON, Manipal	Ms Sushmitha	Staff Nurse, MGH Hospital, Navi Mumbai	An alumni guest lecture was arranged by Ms Sushmitha, Staff Nurse, MGH Hospital, Navi Mumbai (Diploma (N) Batch 2012-2016), on "Role of a Nurse in the Triage System" on 05 May 2025.	05 May 2025
174	MSON, Manipal	Ms Vidhya Manjunath Acharya	Staff Nurse, University Hospital, Sharjah, UAE	Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal organizes, the Effective Alumni Engagement guest lecture series by Ms Vidhya Manjunath Acharya (Diploma (N) Batch 2004-2007) Staff Nurse, University Hospital, Sharjah, UAE, on the topic "Role of a Nurse in Labour Room" dated 10 October 2025.	10 Oct 2025
175	MSON, Manipal	Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi	Director, M-FIILIPE, Coordinator, CEIAWC, Professor and QMR, MCON Deputy Director CCEID, Manipal	MCON, Manipal, organized "Copy-Right: A Hands-on Workshop". The speaker for the workshop is Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi (GNM, MSON, Manipal, Batch 1996), Director, M-FIILIPE, Coordinator, CEIAWC, Professor and QMR, MCON Deputy Director CCEID, Manipal, dated 30 October 2025.	30 Oct 2025
176	MSON, Manipal	Mr Gilbert Dsouza	Nurse Practitioner, Veterans Administration Hospital, US	Mr Gilbert Dsouza (Batch 1981-1984) gave a talk on "Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)". He emphasized that the understanding of PTSD is essential to provide holistic, trauma-informed care to patients in a variety of health care settings. Mr Gilbert also	10 Nov 2025

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				highlighted the nurses play a vital role in early detection, patient education, and the coordination of evidence-based treatment by integrating trauma-informed and compassionate care. He also stressed that the nurses can empower the patients to achieve recovery and improve the quality of life.	
177	MCOPS, Manipal	Mr G Sathya Murthy	Former Vice President QA at Strides Arco Labs, Former Vice President and Director of Technical Services at Himalaya Drug Company, Bengaluru.	Quality in Pharmaceutical Products: Mr G Sathya Murthy, an alumnus of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, visited the college on 22 February 2025 and delivered a guest lecture on the topic "Quality In Pharmaceutical Products". He completed a Bachelor of Pharmacy from MCOPS during 1973-77. In the guest lecture, Mr Sathyamurthy presented the evolution of the quality management system and talked about the need for complying with the cGMP regulations in the manufacture, packing, holding and distribution of pharmaceutical products. He narrated several cases of fatal failures due to deficiencies in the manufacturing practices. Mr G Sathya Murthy enriched the talk with events from his experiences in industry. He has nearly four decades of experience in Pharmaceutical	22 Feb 2025

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				Industries like J L Morison Son and Jones, AstraZeneca, Strides Arco Labs, Orchid Pharmaceuticals, Himalaya Drug Company, etc. He has served as the Vice President QA at Strides Arco Labs and Vice President and Director of Technical Services at Himalaya Drug Company, Bengaluru.	
178	MCOPS, Manipal	Mr G Sathya Murthy	Former Vice President QA at Strides Arco Labs, Former Vice President and Director of Technical Services at Himalaya Drug Company, Bengaluru.	Mr G Sathya Murthy (BPharm 1973-1977), an alumnus of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, visited and the college on 22 February 2025 and delivered a guest lecture on the topic "Career Opportunities for Pharmacy Graduates". He interacted with the students and provided a detailed presentation on the job opportunities for fresh pharmacy graduates. The event was held in Dr P Gundu Rao Conference Hall, MCOPS.	22 Feb 2025
179	MCOPS, Manipal	Niraja Randive	Scientific Writer at Novartis Healthcare Pvt Ltd. Hyderabad	Niraja Randive (BPharm 2012-2015) delivered a guest lecture on "Scientific writing as a career path". She interacted with master's students and explained the prospects of scientific writing and the qualities needed for the graduates to enter into this profession.	15 Oct 2025
180	MCOPS, Manipal	Ms Prateeksha Prakash Kamath	Healthcare Research and Data Analyst at Clarivate, Bengaluru,	Alumni Talk titled "My Journey: From PG to Clarivate–Roadmap to Success" by Ms	16 Oct 2025

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				Prateeksha Prakash Kamath (BPharm 2016-2020) shared her inspiring professional journey from postgraduate studies to her current role, offering valuable insights on interview preparation, internship experiences, and transitioning into the corporate environment. Ms Prateeksha also discussed the importance of continuous learning, resume building, networking, and staying updated with emerging trends in the pharmaceutical industry. The session provided a practical perspective on how students can align their academic skills with real-world applications in healthcare research and data analytics. The talk concluded with an interactive discussion, motivating postgraduate students to pursue professional excellence and prepare strategically for career success.	
181	MCOPS, Manipal	Dr Ahsan Farooq	Clinical Medical Manager at Novo Nordisk, Bengaluru.	Applications of AI in Clinical Research: Dr Ahsan Farooq (Post Baccalaureate PharmD 2012) discussed the transformative impact of Artificial Intelligence in clinical research, elaborating on its applications in drug discovery, clinical trial design, and real-world data analysis. He also addressed ethical challenges and practical considerations in implementing AI-driven technologies in	23 Oct 2025

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				healthcare research. Drawing from his professional journey, Dr Farooq provided valuable insights that inspired students to explore the intersection of pharmacy, data science, and innovation. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A segment that encouraged thought-provoking discussions among students and faculty. The talk served as an excellent platform for bridging academic learning with evolving industry trends in clinical research and technology integration.	
182	MCOPS, Manipal	Mr Kaushik Desai	Executive Committee Member of International Pharmaceutical Federation (FIP	"GMP in the Digital Age- Trends, Technologies and Transformations" Mr Kaushik Desai (BPharm 1974-1978) presented an overview on the importance of quality by design in product development. The talk was useful for the Masters Students of Pharmaceutics, Quality Assurance and Pharmaceutical Analysis.	25 Oct 2025
183	MCOPS, Manipal	Dr Dinesh Shenoy B	President – R&D, Eugia Pharma Specialities Ltd, Hyderabad	"Dose of Growth- Your Pharma Career" Dr Shenoy (BPharm 1990-94, MPharm 1994-96, PhD 1996-2000) addressed the BPharm and MPharm emphasized on, basic etiquette and career possibilities for budding pharma graduates.	25 Oct 2025
184	MCOPS, Manipal	Dr C Senthil Kumar	Head – Intellectual Property, Ashland Inc., Hyderabad	"Specialty Chemicals and Functional Excipients–Overview" by Dr Senthil Kumar	25 Oct 2025

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				(MPharm Pharmaceutical Chemistry, 1998-2000) presented insights on Specialty Chemicals and Functional Excipients and the recent trends and advancements.	
185	MCOPS, Manipal	Vijay Ivaturi	Co-Founder and CEO Pumas-AI	"Emerging Drug Development Scenario in India" by Dr Vijay Ivaturi (BPharm 2000-2004) was one of the panellists who engaged in impactful discussions on the current landscape, evolving paradigms, and stakeholder needs for implementing innovative and quantitative approaches in drug development in India. The deliberations addressed key barriers hindering the broader adoption of quantitative methodologies and identified actionable strategies to advance national capabilities in Quantitative Drug Development.	08 Nov 2025
186	MCODS, Manipal	Dr J Muruganandhan	Currently Professor, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology Sri Venkateswara Dental College and Hospital, Chennai	Alumni Interaction Program "Histopathology in General Dentistry – An Oral Pathologist Perspective". An alumni interaction session was conducted where MCODS alumnus (MDS Batch 2006) Dr J Muruganandhan (Currently Professor, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, Sri Venkateswara Dental College and Hospital, Chennai) interacted with the undergraduate students and highlighted	07 Jan 2025

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				the importance of histopathology in general dental practice with interesting case scenarios. He also shared his experiences in dental practice and stressed on the importance of biopsy and correlation of pathology, its role along with clinical, radiographic and laboratory workup in diagnosis of common oral lesions and its relevance to management and treatment.	
187	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Vidushi Garg	Application Specialist at W&H Dental India Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru	The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted a talk titled "Industry-Academia Collaboration: An Alumni Connect" on 19 February 2025. The resource person for the day was Dr Vidushi Garg (Batch 2013), an undergraduate alumnus of MCODS, Manipal. She is an Application Specialist at W&H Dental India Pvt Ltd. She briefed the students about the technical aspects of radiology from an industry perspective. Final year undergraduate and postgraduate students and the faculty attended this program. The Managing Director and the Technical Engineer of W&H were also present for the program.	19 Feb 2025
188	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Manish Valiathan	Professor and Associate Dean of Clinical Affairs, Director of Cleft	Pre-surgical orthodontics and Orthognathic surgery with Department of OMFS:	18 Mar 2025

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			Craniofacial Orthodontics and Special Care Fellowship Program at the School of Dental Medicine, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, USA	The first lecture was by Dr Manish Valiathan (Batch 1988) on principles of pre-surgical orthodontics for Class II and Class III cases treated at the School of Dental Medicine, Case Western Reserve University and was followed by surgical management of Class III malocclusion by Dr Srikanth G and surgical management of facial asymmetry by Dr Adarsh Kudva. The afternoon session (02:00 pm-04:00 pm) had chair side case discussion of orthognathic surgery cases in various stages of treatment.	
189	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Padmaja Sharma	Professor, Manu Bhai Dental College, Vadodara, Gujarat, India Fellow-Orofacial Pain, TMJ Disorders, Dental Sleep Apnoea	Keynote Speaker for Manipal Dental Conference 4.0 is Dr Padmaja Sharma (Professor, Manu Bhai Dental College, Vadodara, Gujarat, India. Fellow-Orofacial Pain, TMJ Disorders, Dental Sleep Apnoea) on Topic: Decoding Non-odontogenic Pain.	14 Jul 2025
190	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Sushma R	Consultant Orthodontist at Aster Whitefield Hospital, Bengaluru. Director and Head, Star Dentistry, Bengaluru	Keynote Speaker for Manipal Dental Conference 4.0 is Dr Sushma R (Consultant Orthodontist at Aster Whitefield Hospital, Bengaluru. Director and Head, Star Dentistry, Bengaluru) on the Topic: Digital Treatment Planning-Decoding Modern Dentistry.	15 Jul 2025

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191	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Wasiur Rahman Choudhury	PhD Scholar (Molecular Genetics) Department of Medical Genetics, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Alumni Talk on "Role and Scope of Genetics Research in Dentistry" by Dr Wasiur Rahman Choudhury (PhD Scholar (Molecular Genetics), Department of Medical Genetics, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal).	06 Oct 2025
192	MCODS, Manipal	Dr Abhishek Parolia	Associate Professor, Research Director, and Director of Predoctoral in the Department of Endodontics at the University of Iowa College of Dentistry and Dental Clinics, USA.	Webinar: "Evidence-Based Strategies to Improve Endodontic Outcomes". The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal, successfully conducted a webinar titled "Evidence-Based Strategies to Improve Endodontic Outcomes" on 23 December 2025. The session was delivered by Dr Abhishek Parolia (BDS 1998, MDS 2003), Associate Professor, Research Director, and Director of Predoctoral Education, Department of Endodontics, University of Iowa College of Dentistry and Dental Clinics, USA. He shared contemporary evidence-based insights with emphasis on translating research evidence into routine clinical practice. The programme was conducted under the guidance of Dr Tina P, Professor and Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS Manipal, with the support of the institutional leadership,	23 Dec 2025

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				Dr Gopalakrishnan Dharmarajan, Dean; Dr Shashi Rashmi Acharya, Associate Dean; and Dr Srikanth G, Associate Dean, MCODS Manipal. The programme witnessed enthusiastic participation from faculty members and postgraduate students of MCODS Manipal and MCODS Mangalore, making it a collaborative and enriching academic event. The webinar reinforced the importance of evidence-based strategies in enhancing clinical decision-making and patient-centred endodontic care.	
193	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Jayalakshmi Shenoy	Nutrition Consultant	Lecture Series (Alumna–3rd Course, MSc DAN).	16 Jan 2025
194	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Nikesh Kumar Jain,	Founder–NSR NutriEduTech Solutions Pvt Ltd	Lecture Series (Alumnus–8th Course MSc DAN).	16 Jan 2025
195	WGSHA, Manipal	Dr Anahita Deo	Chief Executive Officer and Founder, Odigio Careers	MCODS, Mangalore organized "Research as a career option" an interactive session with expert Dr Anahita Rao (Batch 2014) Chief Executive Officer and Founder, Odigio Careers dated 05 February 2025.	05 Feb 2025
196	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Lakshminarayanan Srinivasan		Online Expert Session (Alumnus-14th Course BHM).	22 Feb 2025

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197	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Nandheetha Varadaraj,	Pastry Chef, Consultant, and Educator	Workshop on Pastry and Chocolate Techniques (Alumnus-2nd Course BACA).	01 Apr 2025
198	WGSHA, Manipal	Chef Nandheetha Varadaraj,	Pastry Chef, Consultant, and Educator	Formal Banquet 2025 (2nd Course BACA).	08 Apr 2025
199	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Manas Krishnamoorthy	Cluster General Manager, ITC Grand Goa	Formal Banquet 2025 (Alumnus 11th Course BHM).	09 Apr 2025
200	WGSHA, Manipal	Sunil Tarneja	Additional General Manager IRCTC Delhi	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (5th Course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
201	WGSHA, Manipal	Harkirat Singh Bedi	CEO Stockspeak India pvt.ltd.Hyderabad	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (5th Course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
202	WGSHA, Manipal	Cyrus Madan	Director of Development India and south asia Accoor Hotels Delhi	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (7th Course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
203	WGSHA, Manipal	Vikram Velamuri	Hospital and Hotel Operation and Training Consultant Delhi	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (8th Course BHM).	02 Aug 2025

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204	WGSHA, Manipal	Gowri Kushtagi	Head of Business HR and Talent Management Tata Electronics Bengaluru	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (7th Course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
205	WGSHA, Manipal	Ruchi Kohli	Chief of the Experience of Away and the co division of Creative Travels, Delhi	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (7th course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
206	WGSHA, Manipal	Swatee Chaturvedi	Director of HR, Taj Hotels, Mumbai	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (10th course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
207	WGSHA, Manipal	Swati Singh	AVP Operations and Education The job plus Bengaluru	Online Fireside Chat with WGSHA World Alumni (11th course BHM).	02 Aug 2025
208	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Janani S	Head Clinical Dietitian, Aster Hospitals, Dubai, UAE	PG Orientation Program (Alumna-2nd Course MSc DAN).	20 Aug 2025
209	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Shambavi Kamat	Senior Dietitian, Bombay Hospital and Medical Research Centre, Mumbai	PG Orientation Program (Alumna-6th Course MSc DAN).	20 Aug 2025
210	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Prerana Solanki	Registered Dietitian, Co-Founder, Nutridiction, Kolkata and Bengaluru.	PG Orientation Program (Alumna-6th Course MSc DAN).	20 Aug 2025
211	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Divya Jha	Revenue Analyst, Gujarat-Chhattisgarh Cluster, Marriot International	PG Orientation Program (Alumna-2nd course BHM).	20 Aug 2025

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212	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Nidhi Kaushik	Jr Sous Chef, Compass Group	PG Orientation Program (Alumna-1st Course MAIC).	20 Aug 2025
213	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Prakyath Naik	Partner Juice Junction and Punjabi Dhaba, Mangalore	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 (Alumnus-23rd Course BHM).	23 Aug 2025
214	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Shibin Shetty	Founder and Managing Partner, Smart Hospitality	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 (Alumnus-26th Course BHM)	23 Aug 2025
215	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Sudhindra Prabhu	Founder-Prabhava Caterers and Partner Maharaja Hospitality, Mangalore	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 (Alumnus-28th Course BHM).	23 Aug 2025
216	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Gavin Rodrigues	Founder–THE ROSHOW HUT, Mangalore and Manipal	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 (Alumnus-29th Course BHM).	23 Aug 2025
217	WGSHA, Manipal	Ms Vaishali Shenoy	Founder – Panda's Kitchen, Mangalore	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 (Alumna-6th Course BACA).	23 Aug 2025
218	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Subhash Ullal	Proprietor- Azure and Assistant Manager – Marketing, The Avatar Hotel and Convention	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 (Alumnus-8th Course BACA).	23 Aug 2025

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219	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Shubhojit Pakrasi	Vice President, Leasing and Operations, Omaxe Ltd, Gurugram	Online Fireside chat with WGSHA World Alumni (Alumnus-5th Course BHM).	08 Nov 2025
220	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Vikramdev Mohapatra	Actor, Writer, Entrepreneur, Educator - Delhi,	Online Fireside chat with WGSHA World Alumni (Alumnus-7th Course BHM).	08 Nov 2025
221	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Nitin Tandon	Proprietor, The Bharat Hospitality, Kanpur	Online Fireside chat with WGSHA World Alumni (Alumnus-12th Course BHM).	08 Nov 2025
222	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Deepak Srinivasan	Regional Sales Head – UAE and Oman Banking and Financial Services, Tech Mahindra	Online Fireside chat with WGSHA World Alumni (Alumnus-13th Course BHM).	08 Nov 2025
223	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Rohit Sabharwal	General Manager, The Bristol, Gurugram,	Online Fireside chat with WGSHA World Alumni (Alumnus-16th Course BHM).	08 Nov 2025
224	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Aman Sharma	Associate Director, WeWork India, Hyderabad,	Online Fireside chat with WGSHA World Alumni (Alumnus-21st Course BHM).	08 Nov 2025
225	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Manish Airan,	Founder, Scan Pro Dental	Career Guidance Committee and Alumni Relations, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, conducted a session titled “Future Career Prospects After BDS”. The resource person was Dr Manish Airan, an alumnus of the 2006	13 Feb 2025

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				batch, Founder of Scan Pro Dental, and a successful dental practitioner. Dr Manish emphasized on the need to focus on skills and shared his experience	
226	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Lekha Airan	Consultant Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon	Dr Lekha Airan (PG Alumna Batch 2013) conducted an interactive session with OMFS postgraduate students on challenges faced by early-career maxillofacial surgeons and ways to overcome them.	13 Feb 2025
227	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr J Shanthi Swarup	Senior Associate Professor, Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Tamil Nadu Govt Dental College, Chennai	MCODS, Mangalore organized faculty development program on "Crafting a Compelling Grant Proposal" by Dr J Shanthi Swarup (Batch PG 2009), Senior Associate Professor, Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Tamil Nadu Govt Dental College, Chennai.	17 Feb 2025
228	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Nikita Agarwal	Chief Dentist, Studio Dentale, Nepal	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge organized a masterclass on "Guided Implant Surgery and Digital Smile Designing". The resource person for the program is Dr Nikita Agarwal (Batch 2010 BDS), Chief Dentist, Studio Dentale, Nepal, dated 20 February 2025.	20 Feb 2025
229	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Chandani Batra	Clinical Associate Professor, Indiana University	The Department of Periodontology organized a session focused on peri-implantitis, its rising prevalence, and	24 Mar 2025

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				advancements in its management. The event began with a journal club presentation where postgraduate students actively discussed recent literature on peri-implantitis, emphasizing risk factors, diagnosis, and treatment modalities. The interactive session encouraged critical thinking, as participants analyzed various clinical studies and proposed evidence-based solutions. Dr Batra's lecture provided valuable insights into the growing incidence of peri-implantitis, highlighting the role of biofilm control, implant surface modifications, and regenerative approaches in treatment. She also addressed emerging trends in laser therapy, antimicrobial protocols, and surgical interventions.	
230	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Palak Bhandari	Medi Study Go, an Educational Technology Company	Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology organized a webinar on "Mastering Oral Pathology: 500+ High-Yield MCQs for NEET MDS Aspirants" by Dr Palak Bhandari (Batch BDS 2017), Medi Study Go, an Educational Technology Company, featured the live solving of over 500 NEET MDS relevant MCQs.	05 Apr 2025
231	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Samarika Dahal,	Associate Professor, In charge HOD Faculty of Dentistry Maharajgunj Medical College, Kathmandu Nepal	The Department of Oral Pathology organized a talk for the third-year BDS students on the	11 Apr 2025

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				topic of Forensic Odontology. Ms Dahal (who was actively involved in the Disaster Victim Identification (DVI) efforts during the Nepal air crash incident, shared her first-hand experience and the challenges encountered in real-world forensic investigations. Her talk provided valuable insights into the identification of victims using dental evidence, bite mark analysis, age estimation, and the legal importance of maintaining accurate dental records. The session was highly informative and interactive, with students showing great enthusiasm and curiosity. Ms Dahal's real-life case experience brought a unique and practical perspective to the topic, leaving a lasting impact on the attendees.	
232	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Kacharaju Kranthi Raja	Consultant Endodontist	Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS Mangalore organized a CDE program on "Mastering the Management of C-Shaped Canals: Techniques, Tools and Tips for Successful Endodontic Treatment" by Dr Kacharaju Kranthi Raja (Batch 1999 BDS) dated 15 May 2025.	15 May 2025
233	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Ankita Tyagi	Regional Medical Advisor for South India, Abbott Healthcare	Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology organized a CDE program on "Role of Antimicrobials in	21 May 2025

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				Dentistry". The resource person is Dr Ankita Tyagi (Batch 2009 BDS), Regional Medical Advisor for South India, Abbott Healthcare, dated 21 May 2025.	
234	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Astha Singhal	Associate Professor, College of Dentistry, University of Florida	The Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted a session by Dr Astha Singhal (Batch 2001), who interacted with the students. The session was informative and well-appreciated.	01 Jun 2025
235	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Ankita Tyagi	Regional Medical Advisor for South India, Abbott Healthcare	The Department of Periodontology organized a session on the theme "Role of Antibiotics in Periodontology: Clinical Insights and Current Perspectives," aiming to enhance students' understanding of antibiotic use in periodontal therapy. Dr Ankita (Batch 2009) provided a comprehensive overview of antibiotic classification and clinical indications, discussed the distinction between systemic and local applications, and highlighted evidence-based protocols through real-life case presentations.	09 Jun 2025
236	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Tapasya Juneja	Consultant Orthodontist	The Department of Orthodontics organized a session on Aligners by a renowned orthodontist, Dr Tapasya Juneja (Batch 1999 PG), and key opinion leader for Invisalign.	01 Jul 2025
237	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Saurabh Gupta	Founder, White Z Dental Academy	Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge, MCODS Mangalore	18 Jul 2025

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				organized a CDE program on "Introduction to Zirconia Implants: Properties, Protocols, and Potential" by Dr Saurabh Gupta (BDS Batch 2004) dated 18 July 2025.	
238	MCON, Manipal	Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh		Alumni guest lecture by Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh (Diploma(N) batch (2014-2018)) on the topic "Safety practices while handling chemotherapeutic drugs".	29 Jan 2025
239	MCON, Manipal	Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza	Band 5, Staff Nurse at Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital, UK	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE Manipal, hosted an alumni guest lecture on "Care of the Elderly" on 22 February 2025. The target audience is first-year GNM students. Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza, Band 5, Staff Nurse at Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital, UK (Diploma (N) Batch 2019-2022), was the resource person. She emphasized NHS protocol for geriatric patients, primarily focused on "frailty" identification and management. Ms Deona also highlighted the assessment of elderly individuals using the Clinical Frailty Scale, prioritizing early identification and delivering tailored care plans that address the multiple health issues of the elderly. A total of 60 participants attended the session.	22 Feb 2025

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				This session contributed to achieving SDG 4: Quality Education.	
240	MCON, Manipal	Ms Arkierupia Shadap	Associate Professor at Sikkim Manipal College of Nursing.	A session on the breast crawl and skin-to-skin contact (SSC) was conducted for sixth semester BSc nursing students to create awareness about the significance of immediate breastfeeding initiation and its benefits through the breast crawl and SSC on 13 March 2025 by Ms Arkierupia Shadap, alumna of the MCON-MSc-OBG Nursing Speciality Batch (2011-2013), who is currently employed as an Associate Professor at Sikkim Manipal College of Nursing.	13 Mar 2025
241	MCON, Manipal	Dr Manju Avinash Nair	Assistant Professor, RAK College of Nursing, RAK Medical and Health Sciences University, Ras Al Khaimah	As part of the Effective Alumni Engagement, a highly informative and engaging guest lecture was organized for the first year MSc Nursing Students on the Impact of Concept Maps on Learning. The session was organized by the Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE, Manipal, on 10 April 2025. The session was led by Dr Manju Avinash Nair, Assistant Professor, RAK College of Nursing, RAK Medical and Health Sciences University, Ras Al Khaimah, who provided valuable insights into the transformative role of concept mapping in nursing education.	10 Apr 2025

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242	MCON, Manipal	Mrs Smitha Jyothi Saldanha	Diabetes Educator in Nursing Administration at Mediclinic WellCare Hospital, Mediclinic Middle East (MCME), Dubai, UAE	The Department of Child Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, organized an Alumni Guest Lecture as part of its ongoing Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture Series. The session took place on 16 April 2025 via the Microsoft Teams platform. The guest speaker for the session was Mrs Smitha Jyothi Saldanha, Diabetes Educator in Nursing Administration at Mediclinic Welcare Hospital, Mediclinic Middle East (MCME), Dubai, UAE, and an esteemed alumna of MCON, Manipal (MSc Nursing Batch 2020–2022).	16 Apr 2025
243	MCON, Manipal	Ms Vidhya Manjunath Acharya	Staff Nurse, University Hospital Sharjah, UAE	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, hosted a guest lecture on "Role of nurse in the Labour Room" on 13 October 2025. The target audience is third year GNM students. Ms Vidhya Manjunath Acharya (DNM Batch 2004-2007), Staff Nurse, University Hospital Sharjah, UAE, was the resource person. She emphasized the role of a nurse in each stage of labour and the protocol followed during medication administration and management.	13 Oct 2025
244	MCON, Manipal	Mr Gilbert D Souza	Nurse Practitioner at Veterans Administration Hospital, United States	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE Manipal, hosted a guest lecture on "post-traumatic stress disorder" on 10	10 Nov 2025

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				November 2025. The target audience were thid year GNM students. Mr Gilbert D Souza (Diploma (N) Batch 1981-1984), Nurse Practitioner at Veterans Administration Hospital, United States, was the resource person. He emphasized that the understanding of PTSD is essential to provide holistic, trauma-informed care to patients in a variety of healthcare settings.	
245	MIC, Manipal	Mr Aayush Khanna	Associate Creative Director, Sports Channels at Sony Pictures Networks India Private Limited	MIC, Manipal organized alumni talk on the occasion of MIC Orientation 2025 for the newly joined students. Mr Aayush Khanna (Batch 2002 BA Journalism and Communication), Associate Creative Director, Sports Channels at Sony Pictures Networks India Private Limited, dated 22 July 2025.	22 Jul 2025
246	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Suzanna Rupal	Consultant Occupational Therapist	Ms Suzanna Rupal shared her professional experiences with the final-year BOT students and faculty members. She also shared her valuable insight on the role of occupational therapy in long-term care.	28 Jan 2025
247	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Siya Shetty	Vision Specialist, L V Prasad Eye Institute, India	Department of Optometry, MCHP Manipal organized an alumni session with Ms Siya Shetty (Bachelor of Optometry Batch 2019) Optometrist/Low Vision Specialist, L V Prasad Eye Institute, India, on the	05 Feb 2025

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				topic "Vision for all– Optometrist's role in special needs care" dated 05 February 2025.	
248	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Priyanka Rajpaul	Consultant, Occupational Therapist, Sukoon Health, Gurgaon	Alumni guest lecture on "Role of Occupational Therapy in Substance Abuse Prevention in Adolescents and Adults" by Ms Priyanka Rajpaul (Batch 2021 MOT) dated 28 February 2025.	28 Feb 2025
249	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Saurav Das	Lead Education and Clinical Application Specialist CT and ADW system, Malaysia	The Department of Medical Imaging Technology, MCHP, Manipal, organized an Alumni Webinar Lecture on the topic "Gemstone Spectral Imaging in CT-A Radiographer's Perspective" by Mr Saurav Das (BSc MIT Batch 2013), Lead Education and Clinical Application Specialist CT and ADW System, Malaysia dated 27 March 2025.	27 Mar 2025
250	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Sreebha Sreedhar	Senior Lecturer, Department of ASLP National Institute of Speech and Hearing Trivandrum	Conducted an alumni guest lecture on 02 April 2025, on the topic Video head impulse test by Ms Sreebha Sreedhar (MASLP Batch 2008-2010), Senior Lecturer, Department of ASLP National Institute of Speech and Hearing, Trivandrum.	02 Apr 2025
251	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Srikanth Nayak	Assistant Professor at Department of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology at Yenepoya Medical College, Yenepoya University (Deemed to be University), Mangalore	Conducted an alumni guest lecture on 04 April 2025. Topic Videonystagmography by Ms Srikanth Nayak (BASLP Batch 2011-2015), Assistant Professor Stage II, Yenapoya, Medical College, Mangalore.	04 Apr 2025

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252	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Najwa Shabbar	Consultant Optometrist De Cure Centre, Bengaluru	"Exploring Ocularistry: The Optometrist's Role in Restoring Aesthetics and Confidence" aims to enhance students' knowledge and provide exposure to real-world insights from industry/academic professionals. The session was held on 06 May 2025 and was attended by optometry students and faculties. The session began with the introduction of the guest speakers by Ms Judith Shefali Jathanna (Assistant Professor Senior Scale, Department of Optometry). Mr Jibran started the lecture by discussing recent trends and creating awareness on ocularistry, followed by our alumni Ms Najwa (UG Alumna 2011) who briefed us on her journey of being an ocularist. The session concluded with a closing remark by Dr Shovan Saha (Chairperson, Institutional Alumni Relation and Industry Liaison committee) and by Dr Krithica S (HOD, Department of Optometry) handing over the speaker's token of appreciation. The lecture was informative and well-received by the audience. It provided valuable insights and encouraged students to further explore the topic.	06 Apr 2025
253	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Trisha Saldanha	Occupational Therapist, Sethu Centre for Child Development and Family Guidance, Goa	Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, MAHE Manipal,	07 Apr 2025

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				organized an alumni guest lecture on "Supporting Autism" by Ms Trisha Saldanha (BOT Batch 2015) Occupational Therapist, Sethu Centre for Child Development and Family Guidance, Goa, dated 07 April 2025.	
254	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Nireeksha	Working as clinical perfusionist in Manipal hospitals, Bengaluru	Ms Nireeksha (BSc PFT 2020-2023) MSc PFT (2023-2025) delivered a brief seminar on CABG surgery, focusing on the basic principles, indications, and overall workflow of the procedure. The session highlighted key steps involved in coronary artery bypass grafting and emphasized the role of the cardiac team in ensuring successful outcomes.	12 Apr 2025
255	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Nitya Waghray	Nuclear Medicine Physicist	The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized an alumni guest lecture as part of Radiance 2025 on 24 April 2025. The guest speaker Dr Nitya Waghray (alumni UG batch 2004), Nuclear Medicine Physicist, Apollo Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, delivered a lecture on the topic titled "Revolutioizing Mental Health Diagnostics: PET and SPECT in the Era of Molecular Imaging and Personalized Medicine".	24 Apr 2025
256	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Nilanjan Bhor	Senior Specialist in HIS Implementation at India Health Action Trust and Expert Member at the HIM Council, NCAHP (MoHFW).	Alumni Webinar on "A Vision for Health Information Management in the 21st Century" by Mr Nilanjan	25 Apr 2025

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				Bhor (BSc HIA Batch 2003).	
257	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Rashmi Bandelwar	Consultant, Occupational Therapist, Central India Institute of Medical Sciences and New Health City Hospital and Research Center, Nagpur.	Alumni guest lecture on “From fragile beginnings to functional futures” by Ms Rashmi Bandelwar (Batch 2020 MOT) dated 02 May 2025.	02 May 2025
258	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Nazwa Shabbar	Consultant Optometrist, De Cure Centre, Bengaluru	Department of Optometry, MCHP Manipal organized an alumni guest lecture on the topic "Exploring Ocularistry: The Optometrist's Role in Restoring Aesthetics and Confidence” by Ms Nazwa Shabbar (Bachelor of Optometry, Batch 2011), Consultant Optometrist, De Cure Centre, Bengaluru dated 06 May 2025.	06 May 2025
259	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Karthik G Kamath K	Associate Professor, Mangala Group of Educational Institutions, Mangalore	Alumni session on Career Enhancement, an alumni guest lecture on Career Enhancement was organized by the Department of Medical Laboratory Technology on 07 July 2025 at 02:00 pm to 04:00 pm by Mr Karthik G Kamath K (Batch 2014 MSc MLT). An opening talk and welcome speech was given by Dr Saritha Kamath U, Head, Department of MLT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. The alumni session was delivered by Mr Karthik G Kamath K, Associate Professor, Mangala College of Allied Health Sciences, Mangalore. Vote of thanks was delivered by Dr	07 Jul 2025

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				Kalaivani, Assistant Professor-Selection Grade, Department of Medical Laboratory Technology. More than 35 delegates participated in this session and gave feedback with the average score of 4.65.	
260	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Priyanka Antony	Grade 4 Cardiac Sonographer at the Heart Centre, St John of God Hospital, Victoria, Australia.	The Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized a virtual Alumni Interaction Session on 09 August 2025 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM in the Smart Classroom, Ground Floor, MCHP. The session aimed to strengthen alumni-student engagement and provide insights into global career opportunities in cardiovascular technology. Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Additional Professor and Head of the Department of CVT, addressed the gathering and highlighted the importance of alumni interactions in shaping students' professional outlook. Mr Karthik A Naik, Alumni Coordinator, Department of CVT, served as the Master of Ceremony for the event. The session was conducted via Google Meet and featured Ms Priyanka Antony, an accomplished alumna from the 2008–2012 undergraduate and 2012–2014	09 Aug 2025

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				postgraduate batches. Currently working as a Grade 4 Cardiac Sonographer at the Heart Center, St John of God Hospital, Victoria, Australia, Ms Antony shared her inspiring journey from Manipal to a successful career abroad. She provided valuable guidance on skill development, adaptability, and global healthcare practices. The interaction concluded with an engaging Q&A session, where students actively participated.	
261	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Prathamesh H Shasane	Counsellor Training Specialist Johnson and Johnson Medtech	"A Successful Failure: Clinics to Industry"- Mr Prathamesh shared his experience on his journey as a clinician to industrialist. He also spoke on IOLs, its advancements, present and future scopes in this area. He also enlightened our students on how to build professional connections right from the time of studentship and its importance in career building. The feedback of the session shows above 90% of respondents strongly agree with the topic and guest delivery.	23 Aug 2025
262	MCHP, Manipal	by Mr Ahmed Ziyad	Mr Ahmed Ziyad	Alumni session on Antimicrobial Resistance–was organized by the Department of Medical Laboratory Technology on 26 August 2025 from 03:00 pm to 05:00 pm. An opening talk and	26 Aug 2025

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				welcome speech was given by Mr Vivek Raghavan, Department of MLT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. The alumni session was delivered by Mr Ahmed Ziyad (Batch 2021). A vote of thanks was delivered by Ms Rakshitha, Department of Medical Laboratory Technology. More than 30 UG third-year students participated in this session and gave feedback with an average score of 4.5.	
263	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Purna Chander Reddy Nimma	Associate Manager, Clinical Validation at Sutherland Healthcare Solutions, Bengaluru	Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE Manipal organized an Alumni Webinar Lecture on the topic "Medical Device Design and Development Life Cycle in R&D" by Mr Purna Chander Reddy Nimma (Batch 2009-11 MSc Medical Imaging Technology), Associate Manager, Clinical Validation at Sutherland Healthcare Solutions, Bengaluru on 29 August 2025.	29 Aug 2025
264	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Pranav Kumar	Clinical Entrepreneur, Founder of Manipal Physiotherapy and Fitness Centre / Pro Spine and the Managing Trustee of Sujla Foundation, Bhagalpur, Bihar	Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP Manipal, organized Global Alumni Series on Physiotherapy Practice in India Current Scenario, Challenges and Future Directions" by Dr Pranav Kumar (BPT 1999) Clinical Entrepreneur, Founder of Manipal Physiotherapy and Fitness Centre/Pro Spine and the Managing	10 Sep 2025

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				Trustee of Sujla Foundation, Bhagalpur, Bihar, dated 10 September 2025.	
265	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Karthika Bindhu	Chief Cardiac Physiologist, Lead for Education and Training in Harefield Hospital, London. (BSc CVT Batch 2010-2014)	The Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal organized a virtual Alumni Lecture Session on 13 September 2025 from 04:00 pm to 05:00 pm in the Smart Classroom, Ground Floor, MCHP. Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Professor and Head, Department of CVT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, addressed the gathering. Mr Karthik A Naik, Alumni Coordinator, Department of CVT, MCHP, was the Master of Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted virtually via Google Meet. Ms Karthika Bindhu, one of our accomplished alumni from the 2010-2014 undergraduate batch, was the speaker. She is currently working as a Chief Cardiac Physiologist, Lead for Education and Training in Harefield Hospital, London. She shared her inspiring journey from being a student in Manipal to becoming a cardiac sonographer in the United Kingdom and guided the students on career pathways to become highly qualified cardiac sonographers. The session concluded with a question-and-answer session.	13 Sep 2025

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266	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Harshitha Ramesh	Senior Specialist -Clinical Support MED-EL India	On 22 and 23 September 2025, AUDICON IX conference alumni lecture was conducted on the topic Updates on device and sound processor (MED-EL) by Ms Harshitha Ramesh (MASLP Batch 2012-2014), Senior Specialist -Clinical Support MED-EL India.	23 Sep 2025
267	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Sushmitha Upadhya	Clinical audiologist, Cochlear Limited Pvt Ltd.	On 22 and 23 September 2025 AUDICON IX conference alumni lecture was conducted on the topic Updates on device and sound processor (Cochlear) by Ms Sushmitha Upadhya (BASLP Batch 2016-2020), Clinical Audiologist, Cochlear Limited Pvt Ltd.	23 Sep 2025
268	MCHP, Manipal	Ms H Dhanalakshmi	Assistant Professor, School of Allied and Healthcare Professions, RV University, Bengaluru	The Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized an alumni lecture session on 25 September 2025 from 04:00 pm to 05:00 pm in SH2 Classroom, MCHP. Dr Krishnanand Nayak, Professor and Head, Department of CVT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, addressed the gathering. Ms M Swathi Poojary, Department of CVT, MCHP, was the convener and Master of the Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted in physical mode. One of our proficient alumni from the 2020-2022 PG	25 Sep 2025

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				batch, Ms H Dhanalakshmi, was the speaker for the session. She is currently working as an Assistant Professor at the School of Allied and Healthcare Professions, RV University, Bengaluru. She spoke on the topic "RV function in focus: Practical updates from contemporary echocardiography". The session concluded with a question-and-answer session.	
269	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Bhaskar Tiwary	Monitoring and Evaluation Manager Centre for Research in Schemes and Policies (CRISP), Hyderabad	From Protocol to Publication: Mr Bhaskar Tiwary (BSc RRT and DT Batch: 2014) highlighted the preliminary work that students must do before writing a research protocol for IRC, IEC and grants. He emphasized the importance of crafting a strong introduction, including the need for a clear study rationale, methodology, and effectively preparing a literature review for the manuscript. He also discussed the challenges faced during publication in high-quality journals. He emphasized the importance and scope of the qualitative studies.	11 Oct 2025
270	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Lubna Subhair	Data Analyst, Optum, USA	Alumni Webinar on Application of Data Analytics for Providing Healthcare Data-Driven Insights by Ms Lubna Subhair (BSc HIM 2016) Data Analyst, Optum, USA.	15 Oct 2025

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271	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Nachiket Gudi	Technical officer CHRI (a PATH affiliate)	Interoperability Challenges among Digital Systems in India's Public Health by Mr Nachiket Gudi (BSc HIA 2014), Technical Officer CHRI (a PATH affiliate).	15 Oct 2025
272	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Rincy Rahman	Data Analyst, Vizhi	Bridging Gaps in Health Informatics using Evidence-Based Research by Ms Rincy Rahman (MSc HI 2020) Data Analyst, Vizhi	15 Oct 2025
273	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Qsee H S	Nuclear Medicine Specialist and research scientist the medical city for Military and Security Services Oman	The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized an alumni webinar on 16 October 2025. The guest speaker Captain Dr Qsee H S (Alumni), Nuclear Medicine Specialist and Research Scientist at the medical city for Military and Security Services Oman and delivered lecture on the topic titled "Theranostics in Oman: Progress Updates and Path Ahead".	16 Oct 2025
274	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Vikranth Patil	Proprietor, Chief Audiologist, and Speech Pathologist at Ear Science Centre, Hubli	Dr Vikranth N Patil, who obtained his graduation (BASLP) in 2006 and postgraduation (MASLP) in 2008 from MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. Currently, he is the Proprietor, Chief Audiologist, and Speech Pathologist at Ear Science Centre, Hubli, delivered an alumni session on 29 October 2025. Topic Real-Ear Measures in Hearing Aid Programming.	29 Oct 2025
275	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Vikranth Patil	Proprietor, Chief Audiologist, and Speech Pathologist at Ear Science Centre, Hubli	Dr Vikranth N Patil, who obtained his graduation (BASLP) in 2006 and postgraduation (MASLP)	05 Nov 2025

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				in 2008 from MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. Currently, he is the Proprietor, Chief Audiologist, and Speech Pathologist at Ear Science Centre, Hubli, and delivered an alumni session on Patient-Centered Care on 05 November 2025.	
276	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Agrawal Umang Sanjeev Kamar	Senior Sports Physiotherapis, Olympic Gold Quest	MCHP, Manipal, Department of Physiotherapy organized Jishnu Memorial lecture on "Physiotherapy in Para Sports: Science, Strength and Success" and the speaker for the program was Mr Agrawal Umang Sanjeev Kamar (BPT 2013, MPT 2018) Senior Sports Physiotherapist, Olympic Gold Quest (OGQ) dated 11 November 2025.	11 Nov 2025
277	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Vikranth Patil	Proprietor, Chief Audiologist, and Speech Pathologist at Ear Science Centre, Hubli	Dr Vikranth N Patil, who obtained his graduation (BASLP) in 2006 and postgraduation (MASLP) in 2008 from MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. Currently, he is the Proprietor, Chief Audiologist, and Speech Pathologist at Ear Science Centre, Hubli, and delivered an alumni session on Private Practice and Entrepreneurship in Audiology on 12 November 2025.	12 Nov 2025
278	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Smrithi Natanasubramanian	Co-founder and Occupational Therapist, Ahana and Her.	Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, MAHE Manipal, organized an alumni guest lecture on "Entrepreneurship in Occupational Therapy"	13 Nov 2025

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				by Ms Smrithi Natanasubramanian (BOT Batch 2018) Co-founder and Occupational Therapist, Ahana and Her, Mangalore, dated 13 November 2025.	
279	MCHP, Manipal	Tenzin Choejor Zongpa	Founder – Vajra Academy of Sports, IAAF-level Athletics Coach, Sports Scientist	Topic: Optimizing Strength Conditioning Through Wearable Tech and Data-Driven Periodization. The online webinar occurred on 19 November 2025, from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm IST, attended by BSc (first-third year) and MSc (first-second year) students. Mr Tenzin Choejor Zongpa (Batch 2017) delivered insights on training young athletes aged 10-20 at grassroots levels under 19. He highlighted strategic methodologies for foundational talent development, unique challenges in this stage, and the need to educate parents on structured physical preparation and effective talent identification. Zongpa shared his professional evolution from Bridges of Sports to founding Vajra Academy, detailing major milestones, operational shifts, recruitment, and assessment processes for young athletes. Emphasis was placed on holistic, individualized programs focusing on safety, long-term performance, injury prevention, program design, and athlete	19 Nov 2025

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				evaluation. Blending theoretical knowledge with practical field examples, the session illuminated scientific principles of strength and conditioning, real-world challenges, career pathways, and modern program design in Indian and global sports contexts. Students gained exposure to contemporary athletic development practices.	
280	MCHP, Manipal 	1.Ms Ajanya Chandran 2. Mr Sonu Thomas 3. Ms Sandra S	Medical Physicist, Aster Med City, Ernakulam Medical Physicist, Aster Med City, Ernakulam Medical Physicist, Aster MIMS, Calicut	The alumni shared their experiences transitioning from academic training at MAHE to their current clinical roles. Their talks highlighted the relevance of strong theoretical foundations, the importance of hands-on practical exposure, and the growing need for research involvement in modern radiotherapy settings. They also discussed challenges encountered during early career stages and provided guidance on essential competencies such as treatment planning, quality assurance, and interdisciplinary teamwork. Students actively interacted with the speakers, seeking advice on internships, skill development, research opportunities, and industry expectations. The session created an open platform for productive dialogue, helping students understand real-world clinical workflows and	21 Nov 2025

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				the evolving technological landscape in medical physics.	
281	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Ripsy Merrin Chacko	Academic Advisor and Lecturer, EFREI Paris Panthéon–Assas Université, Paris Researcher, Integrative Oncology, Institut Rafaël, Paris	Webinar on: Building a Research Career in Health Information Management and Health Informatics by Ms Ripsy Merrin Chacko (MSc HIM 2012), Academic Advisor and Lecturer, EFREI Paris Panthéon–Assas Université, Paris Researcher, Integrative Oncology, Institut Rafaël, Paris.	24 Nov 2025
282	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Lavanya BN	Faculty Emergency Medical Services, Higher Colleges of Technology Abu Dhabi	On 01 December 2025, the Department of Emergency Medical Technology successfully organized an alumni talk titled "Discover, Develop, and Deliver: Career Pathways for EMT," delivered by our esteemed alumnus, Ms Lavanya B N (Masters in Emergency Medical Technology). The session was attended by both UG and PG students, who actively participated and engaged in discussions. Ms Lavanya shared her professional journey, insights into various career opportunities within the EMT field, and practical guidance on skill development and career planning. The students gained a comprehensive understanding of potential career paths, emerging roles in emergency medical services, and the importance of continuous learning and	01 Dec 2025

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				professional growth. The event provided a valuable platform for students to interact with an experienced professional and broaden their perspective on future opportunities in the EMT domain.	
283	MCHP, Manipal 	Dr S Shanmukhi	Consultant Clinical Psychologist in Pvt Practice, Hyderabad Alumni Adjunct Faculty, Department of Clinical Psychology, Manipal	A two-day workshop titled "Bridging Brain and Behaviour: The Evolving Story of Neuropsychology" was conducted on 04 and 05 December 2025 (02:00–05:00 pm) by the Department of Clinical Psychology, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal. The sessions were facilitated by Dr S Shanmukhi (MPhil Batch 1998-2000), Consultant Clinical Psychologist, KIMS Hospital, and Adjunct Faculty, MCHP, and attended by first- and second-year MPhil Clinical Psychology trainees. **Day 1** introduced foundational concepts of neuropsychology, covering brain structure–function relationships, historical developments, and contributions of key theorists. Dr Shanmukhi highlighted the role of international neuropsychological societies in advancing research and standards. The session concluded with hands-on training on the Tapping Test from the Frontal Lobe	04 Dec 2025

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				Assessment Battery, enabling participants to connect theory with practical application. **Day 2** continued with detailed administration and interpretation of the Frontal Assessment Battery (FAB), demonstrations of major cognitive screening tools such as MoCA and MMSE, and discussions on assessments across cognitive domains—attention, memory, executive functions, language, and visuospatial skills. The workshop concluded with an overview of emerging approaches in neuropsychology, including fMRI, MEG, neuromodulation techniques (TMS, tDCS), and pharmacological interventions, offering participants an integrated understanding of evolving clinical and neuroscientific practices.	
284	MCHP, Manipal 	Mrs Lincy George	Founder and Consultant Occupational Therapist	Mrs Lincy George, an alumna and Paediatric Occupational Therapist practising in Australia. She outlined the application and registration process for working or studying in Australia, including documentation, eligibility, and timelines, and shared practical insights from her professional experience. The session was especially beneficial for interns and postgraduate students for career planning and	06 Dec 2025

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				understanding real-world practice.	
285	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Pallavi Kamath	Postgraduate student at Prassana School of Public Health	Ms Pallavi Kamath. She shared her journey in hospital administration, highlighting how her BOT background supported her transition and demonstrated the broader scope of OT in leadership and administrative roles. She also discussed her interest in pursuing a PhD integrating Occupational Therapy and Hospital Administration, encouraging students to explore interdisciplinary and research-orientated career pathways.	06 Dec 2025
286	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Kanika Bansal	Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA and Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Delivered a series of lectures for the postgraduate students, PhD scholars and Interns on 15 and 16 December 2025 by Dr Kanika Bansal (MPT 2014). • Mapping Physical, Biopsychosocial, and Environmental Influences on Community Ambulation Post-Stroke-15 December 2025 • Measuring What Matters: The Accuracy and Utility of Wearables for Real-World Walking Performance-15 December 2025 • Objective Measurement of Perceived Walking Challenge Differentiates between Home and Community Ambulation Levels Post-Stroke-16 December 2025	15 Dec 2025

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				• How to choose and apply to a journal for your manuscript?-16 December 2025 • PhD application process and pathways in physiotherapy-USA/Canada-16 December 2025 • Resume/academic CV building-16 December 2025	
287	MCHP, Manipal 	Mrs Akshatha P Nayak	Dialysis Practitioner, Farwaniya Hospital, Kuwait.	Cross-Cultural Comparison of Dialysis Practices: Mrs Akshatha P Nayak (BSc RRT & DT Batch: 2014, MSc RRT & DT Batch: 2018) discussed the differences in clinical setups and vascular access preferences for haemodialysis among patients in India and Kuwait. She also highlighted the government funding available for dialysis treatments in Kuwait. Additionally, she demonstrated videos of the machines used in the dialysis unit and explained the procedures conducted under strict aseptic conditions. Ms Akshatha emphasized the growing demand for dialysis technologists in these countries.	27 Dec 2025
288	MSCE, Manipal 	Ms Pallavi Mahajan	Regional Brand Marketing L'Oreal	MSCE, Manipal organized an Alumni Guest Talk on "Strategies in Marketing Campaigns" by Ms Pallavi Mahajan (BBA Batch 2013), Regional Brand Marketing L'Oreal, dated 13 March 2025.	13 Mar 2025

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289	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Prerana Manohar	Associate, Beghou Consulting, Bengaluru	MSCE Manipal organized an alumni guest talk on the topic "Unlocking the Market Potential of Academic Excellence" by Prerana Manohar (Batch 2023-25 MSc Business Analytics), Associate, Beghou Consulting, Bengaluru, dated 08 August 2025.	08 Aug 2025
290	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Mohan Narayan,	Assistant Manager –Digital Analytics, Genpact, Bengaluru.	Alumni talk by Mr Mohan Narayan (Batch 2015-2017) on topic "Clicks, Conversions and Careers: Exploring the Digital Analytics Ecosystem"	20 Aug 2025
291	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Chinmaya Subrahmanya Bhat	International Trade and Business Developer, Mediterranean Shipping Company, Sweden	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics organized alumni guest talk on the topic "Beyond Borders: A Worldwide Glimpse of Logistics" by Mr Chinmaya Subrahmanya Bhat (Batch 2016-18 MCom), International Trade and Business Developer, Mediterranean Shipping Company, Sweden, on 22 August 2025.	22 Aug 2025
292	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Renita Pinto	Lead-Analyst – LiveOps at 99Games	Alumni talk by Ms Renita Pinto (Batch 2013-2015) on the topic "Analytics in Gaming Industry" dated 22 August 2025.	22 Aug 2025
293	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Aishwarya Srinivasan	Lead-Policy and Strategy, G Narayanamma Institute of Technology and Science, Hyderabad	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics organized an alumni guest talk on "Journey from the classroom to the World Economic Forum and Beyond" by Ms Aishwarya Srinivasan (Batch 2015-18), Lead-Policy and Strategy, G	23 Aug 2025

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				Narayanamma Institute of Technology and Science, Hyderabad.	
294	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Jubie Joseph	Co-Founder and CEO at Yoactiv	Alumni talk on "Strategies for managing expansion at Yoactiv" by Mr Jubie Joseph (Batch 2005-2006) dated 02 September 2025.	02 Sep 2025
295	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Jyothsna Samanth	HR Manager at SuperProcure	MSCE, Manipal, Industry-Alumni-Academia Connect Series 2.0 organized an alumni talk on "Skills, Knowledge and Network: The Career Triangle" by Ms Jyothsna Samanth (Alumnus Batch 2016-19 BBA HR), HR Manager at SuperProcure, on 06 September 2025.	06 Sep 2025
296	MSCE, Manipal	Dr Roopa Modem	Assistant Professor, School of Innovation and Management, Hyderabad	MSCE, Manipal, Alumni-Industry-Academia Connect Series 2.0 organized an alumni talk on "The Research Journey: From Idea to Publication" by Dr Roopa Modem (Batch 2015), Assistant Professor, School of Innovation and Management, Hyderabad, dated 10 September 2025.	10 Sep 2025
297	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Pooja Vasudeva Murthy	CPA, Product Owner, FIS Global, Bengaluru, India	Alumni talk by Ms Pooja Vasudeva Murthy, CPA (Batch 2023-2025), on the topic "Balancing Books and Building Trust to Bridge the Professional Gap with CPA Excellence", dated 22 October 2025.	22 Oct 2025
298	MIAP, Manipal	Dr Surekha Barkur	Optical Scanning Engineer, ASML, Eindhoven, Netherlands Product Image Engineer, Axis Communications, Lund, Sweden)	Alumni Webinar–Workshop on CV-making. This was a much sought-after session by our UG and PG students alike. The panel of speakers	26 Apr 2025

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		Dr Shraddha Rao M S Dr Uday Gowda Mr Arun T V Dr Adarsh Ananthachar Mr Flanish D'Souza	Test Engineering Lead, Meta, Cork, Ireland) Senior Engineer-CAE Optics, Atlas Copco Group, Pune Quantum Photonics Engineer, QuiX Quantum, uLm, Germany Marie Curie Fellow, Lund University, Lund, Sweden	included researchers /postdocs as well as those from the corporate sector. They briefed on how to customize the CVs in accordance with the requirements in each sector. Sample CVs were shown. Prospective software's and apps for CV making were suggested.	
299	MIAP, Manipal 	Mr Rohit M	PhD Scholar at the University of Bordeaux, France.	Invited Speaker at the One-Day Symposium on Recent Advances in Photonics. He gave a talk titled "From neuromorphic Cameras to Nanotubes: My short story in Microscopy" by Mr Rohit M (MSc Photonics Batch of 2021-2023).	14 Jun 2025
300	PSPH, Manipal 	Dr Ankita Sarkar	Deputy Manager, Operations, Kasturba Medical College [KMC] Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore	Alumni Interaction Session on "Behind the Surgical Mask: Insights from the Operating Room" by Dr Ankita Sarkar (Batch 2017 MHA), Deputy Manager, Operations, Kasturba Medical College [KMC] Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore, dated 07 March 2025.	07 Mar 2025

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301	PSPH, Manipal 	Dr Songa Isaac Raj	Assistant General Manager, Healthcare Operations, AIG Hospitals	Alumni Interaction Session on "From Hospital Administration to Politics: An Unconventional Journey" by Dr Songa Isaac Raj (Alumnus, MHA Programme [2017-2019]). It was an eye-opening session that highlighted the dynamic intersection of healthcare and governance. He shared his experiences transitioning from hospital administration to a political role, emphasising how his expertise in healthcare operations, quality management, and policy implementation continues to shape his work in politics. He discussed the challenges of this shift, the impact of leadership in both fields and the importance of public health policies. His journey was both inspiring and insightful, offering valuable lessons on adaptability, decision-making, and making a meaningful societal impact. This was followed by a question-and-answer session during which the resource person	22 Mar 2025

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				answered questions from the audience.	
302	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Vaibhav Kumar Tiwari	Group Manager, MediBuddy	An Alumni Interaction Session on "Healthcare Startups and Job Opportunities" by Dr Vaibhav Kumar Tiwari (Batch 2014-16 MHA) addressed the audience and spoke regarding how healthcare has evolved over the years and how doctors and nurses have been delivering care, treatment; how pharma companies are delivering medicines. He spoke about Medibuddy, how it was founded, what services it provides, how it has tied up with pharmacy chains, hospitals, doctors, insurance companies; how Medibuddy facilitates virtual doctor consultations, catering to healthcare needs, getting medicines from pharmacy shops, availing health insurance; he spoke regarding job opportunities in organizations such as Medibuddy, operations.	17 Apr 2025
303	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Purnima Parmar Dr Kantinath P Ainapure Dr Sanidhya Bhargava	Dr Purnima Parmar (Working with Care Support and Treatment Division, NACO [National AIDS Control Organisation] Dr Kantinath P Ainapure (Senior Consultant, Universal Immunization Programme, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi	Alumni Interaction Session: The alumni addressed the second year MPH program students of PSPH and spoke regarding their life in PSPH, their studies, what part of their curriculum they focussed, how they prepared for interviews, CV preparation, how to apply for jobs; their career journey, their	28 Apr 2025

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			Dr Sanidhya Bhargava (State Program Lead/NLEP [National Leprosy Eradication Program] Consultant	organisations, their nature of work and job profile. Alumni also addressed the queries and concerns the second-year students had related to the public health jobs in India by Dr Purnima Parmar (2012-2014 Batch, MPH Program) Dr Kantinath P Ainapure (2015-2017 Batch MPH), and Dr Sanidhya Bhargava (2018-2020 Batch MPH).	
304	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Ranjitha G P	Policy Officer–NHS [National Health Service], England	Alumni Interaction Session on "Unlocking Global Public Health Careers: Post-MPH Jobs and Professional Degrees Abroad" by Dr Ranjitha G P (Batch 2016-18 MPH) spoke regarding how to prepare for job interviews, CV preparation, higher education opportunities in India and abroad, job opportunities in India and abroad, internships, fellowships, studentships and scholarships, how to write dissertations, Coursera certificate courses and statistical analysis tools.	26 May 2025
305	PSPH, Manipal	Mr Pradeep Acharya Mr Prajwal Salins Ms Redolen Rose	Mr Pradeep Acharya [Associate Director, Ephicacy Lifescience Analytics Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru]	The Alumni Cell, Placement Cell, Career Counselling Cell (CCC), Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal Academy of	31 Jul 2025

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		Mr Mahantesh A H	Mr Prajwal Salins [Assistant Professor, Department of Health Information Management, Manipal College of Health Professions [MCHP], MAHE, Manipal] Ms Redolen Rose [PhD Scholar, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal] Mr Mahantesh A H [Associate Manager, People's Service – Getronics]	Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, organised an Alumni Interaction Session on Thursday, 31 July 2025, in Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC Building, MAHE, Manipal. Students, staff, faculty of PSPH, MAHE, Manipal, attended the session. The alumni are Mr Pradeep Acharya (MSc Biostatistics 2007-2009 Batch), Mr Prajwal Salins (Master of Hospital Administration 2014-2016 Batch), Ms Redolen Rose (Master of Public Health 2018-2020 Batch), Mr Mahantesh A H (Master of Social Work 2011-2013 Batch).	
306	PSPH, Manipal 	Dr Sandra Johnson Dr Keertana Gogia	Dr Sandra Johnson [Assistant Program Manager-Health, OLA Foundation] Dr Keertana Gogia [Program Manager, Feeding India; Zomato]	Alumni guiding the students on the skills that need to be built on for their careers and to sensitise them about the various job opportunities in the domain of CSR. The alumni are Dr Sandra Johnson [2021-2023 Batch MPH], and Dr Keertana Gogia [2021-2023 Batch MPH].	02 Aug 2025

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307	PSPH, Manipal	Ms Shreya Ramakrishnan	St Jude India ChildCare	Ms Shreya Ramakrishnan [2023-2025 Batch MSW] talks about her experiences about her school life in Manipal, her career journey.	07 Aug 2025
308	PSPH, Manipal	Ms Anusha Prabhu	Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	Ms Anusha Prabhu [2021-2023 Batch MHA] interacts with the PSPH students and narrates her experiences regarding school life and her career journey.	09 Aug 2025
309	PSPH, Manipal	Mr Dheeraj Shenoy	Generalist Manager – SWM, Namathi Resource Management Pvt Ltd, Udupi	Mr Dheeraj Shenoy [2020-2022 Batch MPH] a resource person explained regarding the functioning of CMC MRF and accompanied the PSPH students on a guided tour.	19 Aug 2025

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310	PSPH, Manipal	Ms Siri Sharma	Human Resource Business Partner, Tata Elxsi, Bengaluru	To educate the PSPH students regarding organisations, organisational structures, organisational cultures. Ms Siri Sharma [2022-2024 Batch MSW] gave a talk.	16 Sep 2025
311	PSPH, Manipal	Ms Siri Sharma	Human Resource Business Partner, Tata Elxsi, Bengaluru	Guest lecture by Ms Siri Sharma [2022-24 Batch MSW] to educate the PSPH students regarding the Concept of HR as a Business Partner, Key Roles of HR as a Business Partner, Challenges in Implementing HRBP Role, Skills Required by	19 Sep 2025

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				fresh HR Business Partners and Practical with examples.	
312	PSPH, Manipal	Mr Ashish Joseph	Trainee Human Resource Business Partner, Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru	Guest lecture by Mr Ashish Joseph [2022-24 Batch MSW] To educate the PSPH students regarding Human Resource Practices, HR Functions, Internship Experience, learning by doing, Experience, Observations, Learnings and Reflections with examples.	20 Sep 2025
313	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Anshul Chauhan Ms Eunice Lobo	Dr Anshul Chauhan [Medical Consultant, ICMR [Indian Council of Medical Research] – NIRDHDS [National Institute for Research in Digital Health and Data Science] Ms Eunice Lobo [PhD Fellow, Maastricht University; Senior Research Associate, IIPH [Indian Institute of Public Health] Bengaluru and Centre	Alumni Interaction Session: By Dr Anshul Chauhan [2014-16 Batch MPH] and Ms Eunics Lobo [2011-12 Batch Certificate in Public Health] to provide opportunities to the PSPH students to interact with the alumni; alumni could share their experiences.	16 Oct 2025

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			for Development and Life course Research, PHFI [Public Health Foundation of India]	Indian Institute of Public Health (IIPH), Bangalore. IIPH Bangalore is part of PHFI. It has been ranked second worldwide among public health institutions for 2024-2025 according to the Public Health Academic Ranking (PHAR) by the International Journal of Public Health.	
314	PSPH, Manipal	Mr Pillalamarri Sai Praveen Mr Srikrishna Sajjarao	Mr Pillalamarri Sai Praveen Associate Statistical Programmer, Johnson & Johnson Innovative Medicine, Hyderabad Mr Srikrishna Sajjarao RWE Analyst, Neuro Discovery AI [Remote]	PSPH alumni Mr Pillalamarri Sai Praveen (2022-2024 Batch MSc Data Science) and Mr Srikrishna Sajjarao (2022-2024 Batch, MSc Data Science) could interact with their faculty in PSPH, narrate their experiences and provide their inputs regarding the curriculum revision.	17 Oct 2025
315	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Prachi Pundir	Co-Founder and Co-CEO, Collaboration for Evidence Synthesis; Research Fellow, The George Institute for Global Health	Dr Prachi Pundir [2012-2014 Batch, Department Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH] gave a talk to educate the PSPH students regarding the reporting and quality of health research.	21 Oct 2025

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316	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Shradha S Parsekar	Evidence Synthesis Specialist; Senior Research Associate [HCM], Goa Institute of Management, Goa; Co-Founder, Collaboration for Evidence Synthesis	Dr Shradha S Parsekar [2012-14 Batch, MPH] alumna shared her experiences in her career journey and also explained to students about the significance of networking in public health.	27 Oct 2025
317	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Deepukrishna C	State Implementation Lead, Khushi Baby	Dr Deepukrishna C [2019-2021 Batch, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance [GPHPG], PSPH] alumnus could share experiences about his school life, career journey; guide the PSPH students about their jobs, and careers.	07 Nov 2025

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	PSPH, Manipal	Dr Sainath Podagu, Dr R Shruthi, Dr Razeena Fadra and Dr Siddharth Chattopadhyay, Dr Parul Malik	Dr Sainath Podagu, Dr R Shruthi, Dr Razeena Fadra and Dr Siddharth Chattopadhyay, Dr Parul Malik	The Alumni Meet held in New Delhi on 21 November 2025 brought together Master of Public Health graduates and faculty from the Prasanna School of Public Health. The purpose of the gathering was to strengthen alumni–institution engagement, discuss emerging opportunities, and explore avenues for enhancing student learning and career readiness. Objectives: The session focused on key areas relevant to academic growth, professional development, and future program expansion: 1. Strengthening internship and placement opportunities 2. Enhancing communication and analytical skills within the MPH curriculum 3. Encouraging alumni to serve as mentors for current MPH students 4. Updating alumni on the One Health specialisation offered in the MPH program 5. Sharing information about the launch of the new Bachelor of Public Health (BPH) program at PSPH. The resource persons are Dr Sainath Podagu, Dr R Shruthi, Dr Razeena Fadra and Dr Siddharth Chattopadhyay: MPH Programme (2021-2023 Batch), Department of Global Public Health	21 Nov 2025

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				Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, Manipal). Dr Parul Malik: MPH Program (2018-2020 Batch), Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, Manipal).	
318	MIV, Manipal	Dr Ritu Paul Stansilaus	Institute of Cell and Molecular Biology, University of Strasbourg, France	Dr Ritu Paul (2013-2015) delivered a guest talk on "Genetic Reassortment in Influenza Viruses - An RNA Perspective" during the MIV Annual Day.	26 Feb 2025
319	MIV, Manipal	Dr Chaithra Rao	Breakthrough T1D Postdoctoral Fellow Emily Sims Lab IU School of Medicine Center for Diabetes and Metabolic Diseases 1210 Waterway Blvd Ste 4100 Indianapolis, IN	Dr Chaithra Rao (Batch 2012-2014) delivered a guest talk during the MIV Annual Day.	26 Feb 2025
320	MIV, Manipal	Dr Suresha G Prabhu	Graduate Student - Prof Tahir Rizvi's lab Department of Microbiology and Immunology College of Medicine and Health Sciences United Arab Emirates University Al Ain, UAE	Dr Suresha G Prabhu (Batch 2011-2013)- Interaction with the New Batch of PG students during the Orientation Program of MSc Clinical Virology.	09 Aug 2025
321	MIV, Manipal	Mr Shahin Sheik	Laboratory Supervisor First Stem Cell and Genomics Laboratory Dubai, UAE	Mr Shahin Sheik (2012-2014)- Interaction with the New Batch of PG students during the Orientation Program of MSc Clinical Virology.	09 Aug 2025
322	MSAP, Manipal	Mr Srinath Pai Kasturi	LEED AP, Executive Vice President, CADENCE MCSHANE, Central Texas	MSAP organized an International Guest Talk on "Journey of A Manipal Graduate Architect-An Adventure Filled with Pivoting and Learning" by Mr Srinath Pai Kasturi (Batch 1994	17 Nov 2025

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				BArch), LEED AP, Executive Vice President, CADENCE MCSHANE, Central Texas, dated 17 November 2025.	
323	ICAS, Manipal	Mr Calin Simon		Mr Calin Simon (Batch 2021-23) recalled his Manipal memories and focused on how ICAS taught him work ethics, which helped him to cope with a foreign environment. Other than academics he urged to focus on personality development.	09 Aug 2025
324	ICAS, Manipal	Ms Lasya Madhuri Gundapaneni	Computer Scientist Intern at Supply Tiger	Ms Lasya Madhuri Gundapaneni (Batch 2022-24) had emphasized on maintaining balance between academics and fun, freedom and responsibility.	09 Aug 2025
325	ICAS, Manipal	Ms Yamini S		Ms Yamini S (Batch 2022-24) said time is the most important resource and we must utilize it carefully during student life. ICAS is a launchpad, from here you can find your destination.	09 Aug 2025
326	MSIS, Manipal	Ganesh Kamath	Member of Technical Staff, AMD, Bengaluru	Conducted a workshop by Ganesh Kamath (MS Embedded and Wireless Technology – Gold Medallist 2011 Batch) on "Windows Device Driver Development and Debugging". The activity was coordinated by our faculty Dr B Dinesh Rao.	07 Jan 2025
327	MSIS, Manipal	Ganesh Kamath	Member of Technical Staff, AMD, Bengaluru	Conducted a workshop by Ganesh Kamath (MS Embedded and Wireless Technology – Gold Medallist 2011 Batch) on "Wireshark for Network Packet Analysis". The activity was coordinated	08 Jan 2025

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				by our faculty Dr B Dinesh Rao.	
328	MSIS, Manipal	Charan S Suhas V Natasha Avryl Lasrado Lakshmi S Patil		Alumni of the ME Cloud Computing program 2021 Batch, voluntarily conducted mock interview sessions for the students of MSIS as part of Internship Placement Activity. Event was coordinated by our faculty Mr Sreepathy H V.	17 Jan 2025
329	MSIS, Manipal	Vishweshwara Sharma	Senior Product Security Engineer, Mozarc Medical, Bengaluru	Conducted a one-day workshop on “Penetration Testing” by Vishweshwara Sharma (MS Embedded and Wireless Technology-2016 Batch). The activity was coordinated by our faculty Ms Keerthana B.	01 Feb 2025
330	MSIS, Manipal	Mohan Yelnadu	Head of App, Offensive and AI Security, Vulnerability Management, Trust Bank - Singapore	Conducted a guest lecture on the topic "GenAI Landscape, Opportunities and Challenges” by Mohan Yelnadu (MS E-Commerce 2000 Batch) and Ex-Faculty of MSIS. The event was coordinated by our faculty Dr Prashanth Kumar Shetty.	01 Mar 2025
331	MSIS, Manipal	Amrut J	Senior Design Engineer, Infineon Technologies, Bengaluru.	Conducted a webinar on the topic "ASIC IP RTL Design” by Amrut J (MS VLSI Design 2012 Batch). The event was coordinated by our faculty Mr Shridhar Nayak.	23 Mar 2025
332	MSIS, Manipal	Mr Vishweshwara Sharma	Senior Product Security Engineer, Mozarc Medical India Private Limited, Bengaluru	MSIS, Manipal organized a workshop on “Web Application Security Testing-Deep Dive” by Mr Vishweshwara Sharma (ME-Embedded Systems and Wireless Technology (Batch 2016-2018), Senior Product	17 Oct 2025

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				Security Engineer, Mozarc Medical India Private Limited, Bengaluru.	
333	MSAP, Manipal	Krishna Satish	CEO and Founder Weavers Stores	MSAP organized a workshop on Entrepreneurship, From Vision to Venture: My Journey as an Entrepreneur, by Krishna Satish (Batch 2015 BDes), CEO and Founder of Weavers Stores, dated 08 March 2025.	08 Mar 2025
334	MSAP, Manipal	Ar Nishith Urwal		MSAP organized a three-day Workshop on Architectural Rendering Bringing Designs to Life, by Ar Nishith Urwal (Batch 2008 BArch, MArch), dated 17 March 2025.	17 Mar 2025
335	MSAP, Manipal	Ar Sharath Nayak	Architect and Director, Biome Environmental Solutions Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru	MSAP organized guest lecture on "The Architecture of Early Learning: Kindergarten Design Strategies" by Ar Sharath Nayak (Batch 1997 BArch) Architect and Director, Biome Environmental Solutions Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, dated 11 July 2025.	11 Jul 2025
336	Directorate of Online Education (DOE)	Mr France Patrick Dhelonga Vaseli		Mr France Patrick Dhelonga Vaseli (MBA 2022-24) was invited as a special guest for the Batch 6 Virtual Student Induction Programme Inauguration of our institution held on 29 March 2025.	29 Mar 2025
337	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Ms Nida Painak	Food and Beverage Sales Coordinator at DoubleTree by Hilton, Dubai	Ms Nida Palnak, an accomplished Food and Beverage Sales Coordinator at DoubleTree by Hilton and MAHE Dubai Alumna, returned to Manipal Dubai to inspire	09 Apr 2025

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				the next generation of students from the @School of Life Sciences. She gave a talk on "Career Milestones: My Story of Growth and Resilience". Her journey from student life to thriving in the hospitality industry in Dubai is a true example of where dedication and passion can lead.	
338	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Ms Nida Haroon Palnak	F&B Sales Coordinator, DoubleTree by Hilton, Dubai	Ms Nida Haroon Palnak, F&B Sales Coordinator, DoubleTree by Hilton, Dubai alumnus, School of Life Sciences- MAHE Dubai (BSc Food and Nutrition Science 2022). She gave the session. Hosted an interactive alumni session on 'Career Journey– Challenges and Opportunities in the Hospitality Industry,' where an alumna shared valuable experiences and guidance from her professional path.	09 Apr 2025
339	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Srijesh Pillai	Data Analyst at Rapid Global Growth (Puffy), Dubai	Srijesh Pillai, a Data Analyst at Rapid Global Growth (Puffy), Dubai, delivered a talk on "Data-Driven Decisions: Unlocking E-Commerce Potential with Advanced Analytics & AI". The session focused on transforming customer data into business insights, sales forecasting, and AI-driven solutions.	21 Apr 2025
340	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Mr Ammar Hussain	Planning Engineer, Alec Engineering and Contracting Marine Structures Engineer, CWP Engineering	The Department of Civil Engineering, School of Engineering and IT at Manipal Dubai, hosted a special guest lecture featuring Alumni Mr	23 Apr 2025

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		Mr Atif Mulla		Ammar Hussain, Planning Engineer, Alec Engineering and Contracting and Mr Atif Mulla, Marine Structures Engineer, CWP Engineering, on the topic "Alumni Stories and Strategies on: The Road Ahead". Students gained real-world insights and career guidance from our accomplished alumni.	
341	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Karan Mathews Shaji Joshua Augustine	Electrical Engineer, Condor Group. MEP Engineer-DUTCO	An engaging guest talk was organized by our esteemed alumnus from Electrical Engineering, who shared valuable insights on career pathways and industry opportunities. The session provided students with practical guidance to prepare for their professional journey. The topic was "From Campus to Career: Insights from Research, Internships, and Growth".	07 May 2025
342	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Ms Subbiksha S	Junior Mechanical Engineer at PPA Engineering Consultants.	The Department of Mechanical Engineering, School of Engineering and IT at Manipal Dubai, hosted a special guest lecture on Blueprints through Breakthrough—Ms Subbiksha S, Junior Mechanical Engineer at PPA Engineering Consultants. It was a power-packed session full of industry insights, career guidance, and real-world experiences from a successful alumnus.	14 May 2025
343	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Ms Fathima Thayer		Ms Fathima Thayer alumnus, School of Life Sciences-MAHE Dubai (MSc Nutrition and Dietetics 2023) gave the	20 May 2025

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				session. An interactive alumni session was hosted on 'Understanding DHA Process for Licensing,' where our alumna guided students through the key steps and shared valuable first-hand insights.	
344	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Mr Tejash Sharma	Currently serving at Drydocks	In this session, Mr Tejash Sharma (Senior Subcontract Engineer Drydocks, Dubai), an alumnus with over 10 years of industry experience, shared insights from his professional journey. Having worked at Petrofac and currently serving at Drydocks, he inspired students to embrace challenges and pursue their careers with confidence and determination.	26 May 2025
345	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Mr Fouad Anwar	Head of Technology, Leap Interactive	Career Services, in collaboration with the School of Engineering and IT, Leap Interactive, and the IEEE MAHE Dubai Student Branch, organized an inspiring workshop led by Mr Fouad Anwar from Leap Interactive and MAHE DUBAI alumnus. Students explored the fusion of creativity and technology through hands-on training in TouchDesigner and live projection mapping—discovering how design and engineering come together to spark innovation. A unique experience that blended art, technology, and learning!	27 May 2025

Alumni activities/events held at the Institution (other than Alumni Re-unions)

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1	KMC, Mangalore	Batch of 1989 Dr Krishna Murthy Karpe (Australia)–Nephrology Dr Sudhanva S Hegde (USA)–Cardiology Dr Kavitha Saravu (India)–Infectious Diseases Dr Sathish Bangalore (UK)-Paediatrics Dr Murali Srinivasan (India)–Neurology Dr Prithviraj Rai (USA)-Cardiology Dr Navin Mathias (UK)-Radiology	The Alumni Mentorship Session, titled "Global Horizons: Inspiring Medical Careers," was conducted on 24 January 2025, bringing together distinguished alumni from the MBBS Batch of 1989 to guide undergraduate students on global career pathways and medical specialisations. Dr Anil Paramesh, Director of Tulane Transplant Institute, USA, delivered a talk on "The Globalisation of Organ Transplantation," shedding light on advancements and career opportunities in the field. Dr Sarang Sapare, Consultant Spinal Orthopaedic Surgeon, NHS UK, spoke on "Building a Medical Career in the UK: A Guide to International Medical Graduates," detailing pathways for Indian doctors in the UK healthcare system. A thought-provoking panel discussion followed, featuring alumni: The discussion revolved around global healthcare systems, career pathways, medical licensing requirements, and work-life balance for physicians abroad. This event reinforced the strong alumni-student bond of KMC Mangalore and highlighted the role of mentorship in navigating medical careers globally.	24 Jan 2025
2	KMC, Mangalore	Dr P Raghu Ram, MS General Surgery 1992	The College Day and Awards Ceremony of Kasturba Medical College Mangalore was held on 06 June 2025, to celebrate academic excellence, research achievements, and alumni contributions. The chief guest for the occasion Dr Raghu Ram, Padma Shri and Dr B C Roy Awardee, Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, was felicitated with the Distinguished Alumnus Award. Dr Raghu Ram, in his inspirational address, shared nine 'sutras'—guiding life principles that have shaped his remarkable journey: trust and ethics, highlighting the nobility of medicine and prioritising patient welfare; communication skills; focus; hard work; honesty; transformative habits, including meditation; staying positive and manifesting dreams; and gratitude towards your parents and motherland. These principles deeply resonated with the	06 Jun 2025

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			audience, offering valuable life lessons for aspiring medical professionals.	
3	KMC, Mangalore	Batch 1980-1995	REVIVE 2025 | CME on Emergencies in Clinical Practice: Organized by KMC Mangalore Alumni (1980-1995), the CME brought frontline insights on acute stroke, toxicology, shock, vascular calls, neonatal emergencies, situational awareness, and more.	11 Oct 2025
4	MIT, Manipal	Mr Apoorv Mishra (Batch 2016 ICT Department)	Guest of honour for the launch of the Revels Cup 2025 (Assistant Commandant, Sashastra Seema Bal).	09 Mar 2025
5	MIT, Manipal	Mr Ram Aswani (Batch 1983 EEE Department)	Chief guest for Revels 2025 (CEO, Cos Phi Electricals).	11 Mar 2025
6	MIT, Manipal	Mr Vishal Sharma (Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 1992)	Chief Guest for MIT Pravesh 2025 (Executive Director and CEO at Godrej Industries (Chemicals))	10 Jul 2025
7	MIT, Manipal	Dr Abeera Sharma (Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 2008)	Chief Guest for MIT Pravesh 2025 (Senior Director, R&D Strategy & Programs, Integrated Product Development Organization, Dr Reddy's Laboratories, Hyderabad).	12 Jul 2025
8	MIT, Manipal	Mr Mukesh Sanghvi (Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1984)	Chief Guest for Techtatva 2025 (Managing Director at Indore Composite Pvt Ltd).	07 Oct 2025
9	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Gurukeerat Singh (Batch 1989 BDS, Batch 1994 PG)	Dr Gurukeerat Singh, UG alumnus 1989 and PG alumnus 1994, delivered this year's oration Dr V Surendra Shetty Dr Subraya Mogra Oration. The topic was "Relevance of Orthodontic Education over 30+ years". The program was well appreciated.	05 Jul 2025
10	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Shanila Laiju (Batch 1988)	Dr Shanila Laiju, UG Aluma from the Batch of 1988 and CEO of Medcare Hospitals, UAE, was the chief guest for our college Annual Day and Awards Ceremony.	26 Sep 2025
11	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Liza George (Batch 1993 BDS)	Dr Liza George, UG alumna from the Batch of 1993 was the chief guest for Deeksharambh 2025, the UG Orientation Day.	22 Sep 2025
12	MCODS, Mangalore	Dr Arvind Shenoy (Batch 1987 BDS)	The Dr Premanand Kamath Oration was instituted by the alumni of MCODS Mangalore, spearheaded by the UG Alumni batch of 1987. Dr Arvind Shenoy, Professor of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, was the speaker. The oration was attended by over 100 participants.	11 Oct 2025

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13	MCODS Mangalore	Dr Prateek Raj (Batch 1991)	The Dr Soben Peter Oration was organized by the alumni of MCODS Mangalore, spearheaded by the UG Alumni batch of 1991. Dr Prateek Raj, Associate Professor of Business Management and Health Sciences, UCL Global Business School for Health, London, was the speaker. The oration was well attended.	22 Dec 2025
14	MSIS, Manipal	Mr Prashanth Kumar Mattu (MS Medical Software–2002 Batch)	Mr Prashanth Kumar Mattu visited his alma mater MSIS at MAHE during his India visit. He is presently working for the US Government Defense industry in Michigan.	11 Jan 2025
15	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Sushmitha (BASLP Batch 2016-2020)	Ms Sushmitha (BASLP Batch 2016-2020), a clinical audiologist with experience at Cochlear Limited Pvt Ltd, delivered an engaging lecture titled "Cochlear Implants: Counselling and Candidacy Criteria" for students in the Department of Speech and Hearing. The session attracted a strong attendance, with enthusiastic participation from fourth and sixth semester BASLP students, as well as second and fourth semester MSc Audiology students. Faculty members Ms Rekha Patil and Ms Bhargavi also attended, contributing to a collaborative learning environment.	20 Feb 2025
16	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Sushmitha (BASLP 2016-2020)	Ms Sushmitha (BASLP 2016-2020), a clinical audiologist with experience at Cochlear Limited Pvt Ltd, led a hands-on training session on cochlear implant mapping for fourth semester MSc Audiology students at the Preclinical Lab of the Department of Speech and Hearing at MCHP. The session featured a live mapping demonstration with a cochlear implant recipient, allowing students to observe the procedure in action.	30 Apr 2025
17	MCHP, Manipal	Mr Srijesh Ram (MIT, Batch 2020)	Mr Srijesh Ram (MIT, Batch 2020), currently working as a Medical Imaging Application Specialist at Esente Healthcare Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, Karnataka, visited the Department of Medical Imaging Technology on 03 May 2025. Mr Srijesh Ram is an alumnus of the BSc MIT batch 2020 and interacted with the students of the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, MCHP, MAHE from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm in LH1. Mr Srijesh provided insights into potential career opportunities in the role of Application Specialist and collected the résumés of interested students for referring them for the upcoming job opportunities within his organization.	03 May 2025

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18	MCHP, Manipal	Ms Rujutha Dragger Medicals- Clinical specialist Ms Harshitha Assistant Professor Department of RT, KMC Mangalore Mr Louin Assistant Professor, Yenepoya Mangalore Ms Kavya Assistant Professor, Yenepoya Mangalore Ms Anjali Kotian Assistant Professor, Yenepoya Mangalore Ms Renuga Devi Telerehabilitation, Madhurai Ms Roseline Senior Respiratory Therapist, CMC, Vellore Ms Mansi Assistant Professor, KS Hegde Mangalore Mr Anirudh Assistant Professor, Yenepoya Mangalore Mr Sabeer Lecturer, Devraj URS, Kolar Dr Saumy Sleep and Respiratory Care, AIMS, Kochi	RESCARE 2025, the 18th National Conference of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC), brought together over 500 delegates, including clinicians, academicians, students, alumni, and industry partners, fostering collaboration and knowledge exchange in respiratory therapy. Eighteen alumni of the Department of Respiratory Therapy actively contributed by facilitating workshops, mentoring students, leading discussions, judging competitions, and delivering sessions. Their involvement enhanced the learning experience and strengthened ties between past graduates and current academic initiatives.	24 Oct 2025

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		Ms Salma Senior Respiratory Therapist, NH, Bangalore Mr Vignesh MSc Adult Respiratory Care, MCHP, Manipal Ms Laxitha MSc Adult Respiratory Care, MCHP, Manipal Dr Usha Rani HOD Department of Health care and Health Management, PSPH Mr Mouleshwar Assistant Professor, Akash Institute Bangalore Mr Goutham Respiratory Therapist, Tan Tock Hospital, Singapore Ms Gauthami Senior Respiratory Therapist, Yashoda Hospital, Hyderabad Mr Anirudh Assistant Professor, Yenepoya Mangalore		
19	MCHP, Manipal	Outgoing Batches of MCHP interns 2025	An exit interaction with Dean, MCHP, for outgoing batches of MCHP interns was conducted on 10 November 2025 from 03:00 pm to 04:00 pm at Sharada Hall, MCHP.	10 Nov 2025
20	MCHP, Manipal	Dr S Shanmukhi (MPhil Batch 1998-2000)	Dr Shanmukhi is a consultant clinical psychologist with over 23 years of experience, currently serving as adjunct	07 Dec 2025

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			faculty at the Department of Clinical Psychology, MCHP, MAHE. She specializes in the area of neuropsychology and its applications in rehabilitation and crisis management. She was an invited alumni speaker at the One-Day National Seminar "Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies". She delivered a talk titled "Invisible Wounds: Neuropsychological Assessment and Cognitive Rehabilitation in Disasters and Emergencies". During the talk she facilitated a comprehensive understanding of the rehabilitation process and current trends in the care of individuals in the face of emergencies and disaster.	
21	MCHP, Manipal	Dr Keerthi Pai (MPhil Batch 1999-2001)	Dr Keerthi Pai is an alumna of our department and currently serving as a Mental Health Advisor to the Apollo Shine Foundation, Partner at Element H, Guest Faculty at the Institute of Mental Health Chennai, and Vice President (South Zone) of the Clinical Psychology Society of India. A certified CBT trainer and TEDx speaker (2025). Her areas of specialization are grief and maritime psychology. She was an invited alumni speaker at the One-Day National Seminar "Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies". She delivered an experiential talk titled "Handling Grief During Crisis" where she facilitated learning of the management of grief from the expert lens as well as from her own experience with it.	07 Dec 2025
22	MIAP, Manipal	Dr Sumesh Sethumadhavan Nair (MSc Photonics Batch of 2016-2018)	Alumni Interaction Session 1: In this session, Dr Sumesh who had just completed his PhD at NTU, Taiwan, spoke about the research activities and his experiences in Taiwan. He also spoke about the process of applying for postdoc positions, as he had recently got a postdoc position in Denmark.	16 Jan 2025
23	MIAP, Manipal	Mr Rohit M (MSc Photonics Batch of 2021-2023)	Alumni Interaction Session 2: In this session, Mr Rohit who is a research scholar at the University of Bordeaux, France, spoke about the research opportunities there. He also spoke about the options of higher education in France, the policies and processes related to it, etc. The session was highly beneficial to all our students.	14 Nov 2025
24	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Gagan Shetty, (Batch 2013-2015)	Industry-Academia Conclave–08 and 09 October 2025.	09 Oct 2025

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			Invited as an Alumni Industry Expert for the Panel Discussion for the theme "Human–AI Collaboration: Building Trust, Skills, and Culture in the Future Workplace"	
25	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Vathika Pai	Industry-Academia Conclave–08 and 09 October 2025 Invited as an Alumni Industry Expert for the Panel Discussion for the theme "From Idea to Impact: Building AI Powered Products Customers Love"	09 Oct 2025
26	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Shravya VJ, (Batch 2018–2021).	Invited and joined as Chief Guest for our intercollegiate fest Conscendo 14.0.	28 and 29 Oct 2025
27	MSCE, Manipal	Ms Poonam Hedge (Batch 2020-2023)	Invited and joined as an Event Judge for our intercollegiate fest Conscendo 14.0.	28 and 29 Oct 2025
28	MSCE, Manipal	Mr Hiral Sundar, ACCA (Batch 2022-2025)	Invited and joined as an Event Judge for our intercollegiate fest Conscendo 14.0.	28 and 29 Oct 2025
29	Directorate of Online Education (DOE)	Mr France Patrick Dhelonga Vaseli (Master of Business Administration - 2022–2024)	Mr France Patrick Dhelonga Vaseli was invited as a special guest for the Batch 6 Virtual Student Induction Program Inauguration of our institution, held on 29 March 2025.	29 Mar 2025
30	Directorate of Online Education (DOE)		Launch of MAHE Online Alumni Portal by Dr Rohini Srivathsa, Chief Technology Officer – Microsoft India and SA, in the immersion program-PANORAMA 2025 for MAHE online learners on 31 May 2025	31 May 2025
31	Directorate of Online Education (DOE)	Mr Arthur Egulu (Master of Business Administration-2022–2024)	Mr Arthur Egulu was invited as a special guest for the Batch 7 Virtual Student Induction Program Inauguration of our institution held on 04 October 2025.	04 Oct 2025
32	MAHE, Dubai Campus	Renith Sunil, Jasim K, Harisankar S G (Hari), Parvathi Shine, Indhu Lekha, and Muhammed Thashrif	Screening of Aparan-The Manipal Institute of Liberal Arts (MILA) at MAHE, Dubai was incredibly proud to host the screening of Aparan, a heartfelt project by our talented alumnus Diyab Basheer, along with an extraordinary crew of alumni—Renith Sunil, Jasim K, Harisankar S G (Hari), Parvathi Shine, Indhu Lekha, and Muhammed Thashrif. Watching them come together, driven by their shared love for cinema, to create something so special in just one night	01 May 2025

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			is nothing short of inspiring. This is the kind of dedication, teamwork, and creativity that fills us with pride.	

Alumni giving: (donation – Cash/in kind (equipment, books, etc., with approximate value)

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1	MIT, Manipal	From different batches	Sponsorship received for the AICTE-IDEA LAB by the alumni Bharat M Shetty, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1974, Mr Ayush Pandey, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 2019, Mr Pradeep Sinha, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 1984 (FYS), Mithil Bhuta, Department of Aeronautical Engineering, Batch of 2020, Mukesh Sanghvi, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1984, Jiten Hiran, Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 1984, Ketan Salot, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Batch of 1984, G Suresh Chandran Nair, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1984 (NSS), Dr Naozer B Baldawala, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1984, (NSS) , Abhijeet Shankar, Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 2007, Shashank Shetty, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 2024.	36,51,000
2	KMC, Mangalore	Batch of 2000	Contribution towards equipment for the Cath lab at Government Wenlock Hospital	20,00,000
3	MCODS Mangalore	Batch of 1987 and MCODS Alumni	Dr Premanand Kamath Oration	14,50,000
4	KMC, Mangalore	Batch of 1999	Dr Arunachalam Kumar Oration	14,00,000
5	MIT, Manipal	Mr Dayashankar Shetty	Sponsorship received for the student award by alumni	10,00,000
6	MCODS Mangalore	Dr Shanila Laiju, 1988	For Public Health Dentistry National Conference	8,00,000
7	KMC, Mangalore	MBBS Batches 1984, 1989, and 2004	Donated necessary equipment and materials for providing better healthcare to District Wenlock and Lady Goschen Hospitals, Mangalore	5,00,000
8	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Akshay Kulkarni	Mr Akshay Kulkarni Memorial Endowment Fund	5,00,000
9	KMC, Mangalore	Batch of 1989	Contributed to the Ophthalmology Department, Government Wenlock Hospital	4,90,000
10	WGSHA, Manipal	Mr Rishit Bhandari (7th course BHM)	Shri Basanti Lal Bhandari Trust Scholarship	3,00,000

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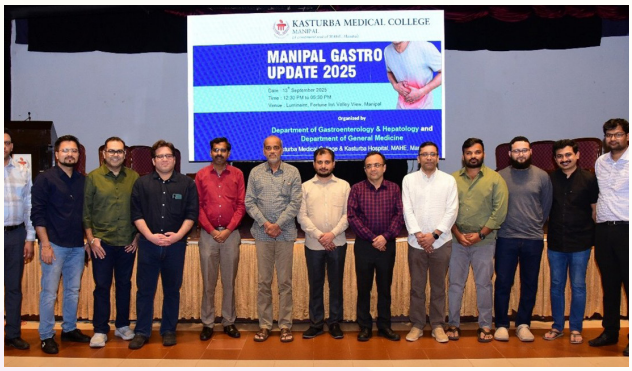
11	MCOPS, Manipal	Mr G Sathya Murthy-BPharm Batch 1973-77	Instituted two endowment awards – the "Positive Attitude Award"–to recognize two deserving students (one each from UG and PG) of MCOPS and contributed INR 2 lakhs towards the same. Mr G Sathya Murthy, former Vice President–QA at Strides Arcolab and former Vice President and Director of Technical Services at Himalaya Drug Company, Bengaluru, made this generous contribution.	2,00,000
12	MSON, Manipal	2004-08 Batch	Classroom teaching	40,000
13	MSON, Manipal	2012-16 Batch	Classroom teaching	34,190
14	MSON, Manipal	2014-18 Batch	Classroom teaching	33,973
15	KMC, Mangalore	Batch of 2004	Digital Visual Acuity Monitor, which was successfully installed at the Wenlock District Hospital Ophthalmology OPD	21,280

Photo gallery

Alumni Get-Together of the MBBS Batch of 1980, KMC Manipal, held in Manipal in January 2025.



Reunion of the MBBS Batch of 1995, KMC Manipal, held in Manipal in February 2025.

Department of Gastroenterology Alumni Meet 2025, held at FIVV, Manipal, in September 2025.

Alumni Reunion of MBBS Batches 1955–1965, KMC Manipal, held in Kochi during the KMC Conference in January 2025.

Malaysian Doctors Alumni Meet, held in Sri Lanka in June 2025.

KMC Manipal Alumni Summit 2025, held in Penang, Malaysia.

Department of General Surgery Reunion for postgraduate alumni (2010–2019), held in July 2025.

Coral SANGAM–35th Year Reunion of the MBBS Batch of 1989, KMC Mangalore, held in January 2025.

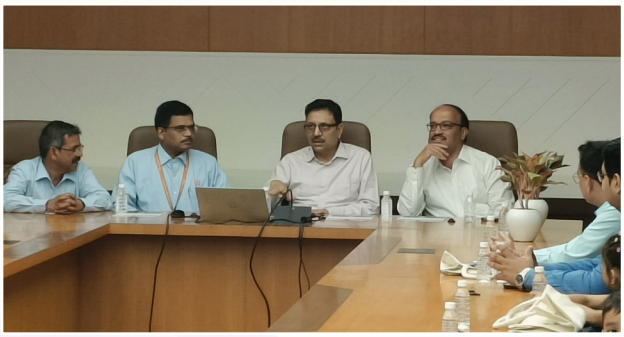
20th Year Reunion of MBBS Batch of 2004, KMC Mangalore, held in January 2025.

40th Year Reunion of MBBS Batch of 1984, KMC Mangalore, held in January 2025.

Alumni Reunion of BDS Batch of 1988, MCODS Manipal, held in January 2025.

Alumni Meet of BDS Batch of 1986, MCODS Manipal, held in July 2025.

MCON Alumni Meet, held in Manipal in July 2025.



MCOPS Alumni Meet, held in Jaipur in April 2025.

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MCOPS Alumni Meet, held in Hyderabad in July 2025.

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MIT Manipal Alumni Meet 2025, held at Westgate Resorts, Las Vegas, USA.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batches of 2004 and 2007, held in January 2025.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batches of 2006 and 2003, held in January 2025.

MIT Manipal Golden Reunion for 1975 and earlier batches, held in Hyderabad.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batches of 2004 and 2019, held in April 2025.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batch of 2007, held in May 2025.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batch of 2012, held in May 2025.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batch of 1984, held in May 2025.

MIT Alumni Meet–Batch of 2014, held in July 2025.

PSPH celebrated "Samavaya"–Alumni Meet and Annual Day in February 2025.

Silver Alumni Reunion 2025 of WGSHA, Manipal, held in 2025.

Hyderabad WGSHA Alumni Chapter Launch, held in July 2025.

MIV Alumni Meet, held in February 2025.

Alumni Reunion of MBBS Batch of 1988, KMC Manipal, held in Dubai.

Alumni from the BPharm Batch of 1997 gathered at MCOPS, Manipal, in November 2025.

MCOPS alumni gathered for an informal meeting during IPC 2025 at the Bengaluru International Exhibition Centre on 20 December 2025.

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MCOPS alumni gathered for an informal meeting during IPC 2025 at the Bengaluru International Exhibition Centre on 20 December 2025.

KMC CONNECT Alumni Meet, organized by the KMC Alumni Association Bangalore (KMCAAB), held in April 2025.

Reunion "Reveries" of the MBBS Batch of 1994, KMC Mangalore, celebrated at Kochi, Kerala.

The 3rd consecutive KMC Mangalore Mahamilan, hosted by the KMC Alumni Association at Delhi, held in November 2025.

MCODS Alumni Reunion at IAPHD NATCON 2025.

25th Year Reunion of the MBBS Batch of 2000, held on 26 and 27 December 2025 at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.

Alumni Meet of Batch of 2007, held at MIT Manipal in July 2025.

Alumni Reunion of Batch of 2023, held at MIT Manipal.

Punaragaman 2025–45-Year Golden Reunion, organized at MIT Manipal on 16 December 2025.

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The Department of Clinical Psychology, MCHP, celebrated its Silver Jubilee Alumni Meet on 06 December 2025.

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Mr G Sathya Murthy handing over a cheque of ₹2 lakhs to Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS.

MBBS Batches of 1984, 1989, and 2004 donated essential equipment and materials to improve healthcare at District Wenlock and Lady Goschen Hospitals.

Pipeshift (YC S24), an AI infrastructure startup by MIT, Manipal alumni.

Tanushaka Singh (MIT, Manipal)-First female pilot in the country to fly the Jaguar, a deep-penetration strike aircraft.

Madhav Nair (MIT, Manipal)-CEO-India, Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait, Deputy Chairman (2025)-Indian Banks' Association (IBA), Co-Chairman ASSOCHAM, Member-FICCI, IMC National Committee on Banking 2023.

Alumni Guest lecture by Mr Arjun Bhattacharya (Batch 2023 E&E) PhD Scholar, University of Tennessee, US.

Talk by MIT, Manipal alumni Sarthak Mathur (Batch 2021 Civil Engineering), Siddharth Chauhan (Batch 2021 Civil Engineering), Bhavya Das (Batch 2021 Civil Engineering).

Talk by Mr Kushal Kamal-MIT, Manipal Alumni (Batch 2010 E&E) on topic "Low Power VLSI Design".

Mr Calin Simon (Batch 2021-23) recalled his Manipal memories and focused on how ICAS taught him work.

Guest lecture by Ms Lasya Madhuri Gundapaneni (ICAS Batch 2022-24).

Guest Lecture by Ms Yamini S (ICAS Batch 2022-24).

Sindhura Sudharshan Suvarna (Batch 2019-23) MSCE proud alumni has earned her Commercial Pilot License from EAGLE flight Academy.

Aishwarya Srinivasan MSCE proud alumni represented Global Shapers Hyderabad at the World Economic Forum's Global Shapers Annual Summit 2025.

Faris Avoob MSCE proud alumni has been named "Phenomenal Leader" of the Year 2024.

Ms Ria, has been named among the Jombay–HR 100 Under 30 – 2025

Ms Akila Swaminathan from MIV completed PhD in the year 2025.

Dr Bhavan Prasad Rai (MBBS 1996, KMC Mangalore) wins Karl Storz Harold Hopkins Golden Telescope Award.

Dr Mudit Tyagi (MBBS 1998 KMC Mangalore) wins IG Award for Excellence in Retinal Research.

Dr N Ramprasanna Naik (MBBS 1984, KMC Mangalore) is honoured by the World Book of Records, London.

Saatvik M (MTech Defence Technology, Batch of 2024) has secured a prestigious position as a CFD Engineer at the Defence Research and Development Laboratory (DRDL).

Sarthak Dubey (Computer and Communication Engineering, Batch of 2018) has been recognized in the Forbes Asia 30 Under 30 list for 2025.

Aishwarya Manjunath Shetty (Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 2016), GED'23, winner of this year's Kwame Nkrumah Distinguished Alumni Award by UPenn Graduate School of Education, Pennsylvania.

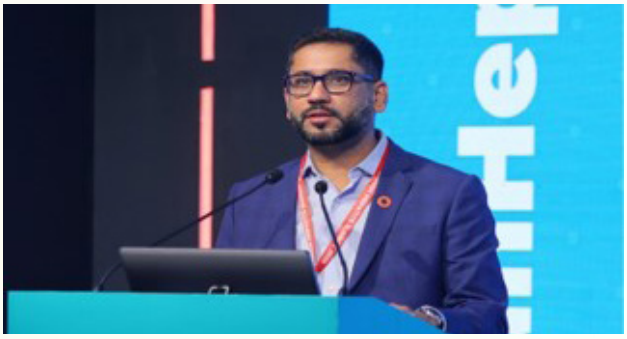
Manish Shukla (Department of Civil Engineering, Batch of 1991) has the Director at Rand Construction Corporation, Washington, DC-Baltimore Area.*

Mr Apoorv Mishra (ICT Department, 2016 Batch, MIT) is Guest of honour for launch of the Revels Cup 2025.

Mr Ram Aswani (EEE Department, 1983 Batch, MIT) is the Chief guest for Revels 2025.

Mr Srikanth Shenoy (MSIS Batch 2021-23), CEO/CTO and Co-Founder Coach buddy AI as one of the top three startups and the winner of #MangaluruBlue2025.

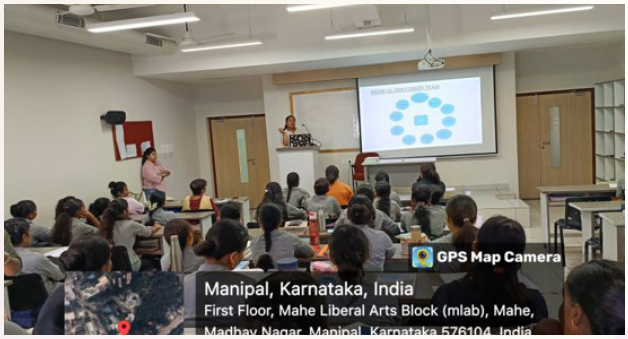
Shubham Tripathi (MSIS Batch 2017-19) has been selected as L&T Technology Services (Tag) Brand Ambassador.



Dr Shailesh Wagle (PSPH, Batch 2011-2013) is the Associate Vice President at United Way, Mumbai.

Dr Sandeep Mahapatra (PSPSH, Batch 2011-2013) is the Associate Manager in Real World Evidence, Novo Nordisk, Bengaluru.

Guest lecture by Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh an alumnus of MSON, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, Diploma(N) Batch (2014-2018).



Guest lecture by Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza (MSON, Diploma (N) Batch 2019-2022).

Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle (MD Biochemistry Batch 2012) has completed the fellowship in Health Professions Education offered by FAIMER a Division of Intealth.

Indian Medical Association Teachers Day Award 2024 to Dr Wilma Delphine Silvia C R.

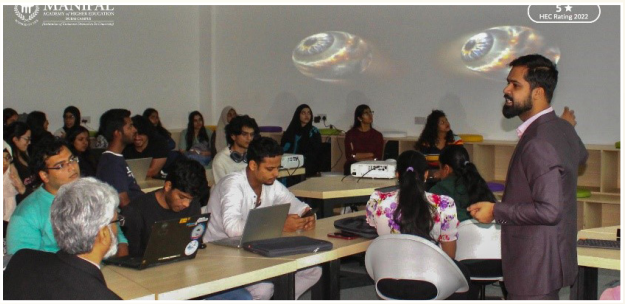
Dr Moinak Sen Sharma (KMC, Manipal MBBS 1997 and MD Paediatrics 2003) guest lecture on "Difficult cases in Paediatric gastroenterology".

Dr Ramesh Raghavan (KMC, Manipal MD Psychiatry 1994) guest lecture on "Implementation research in mental health" and moving towards evidence based public mental health policy.

Dr Sandeep Rai (KMC, Manipal Batch of 1996) became Dean of KSHEMA and was felicitated by ASI Mangalore and IAPS-Karnataka chapter.

Ms Aparna A Nayak (KMC, Manipal Batch 2022) enrolled for PhD under the supervision of Prof Dr Ruth Appeltant, Professor, Gamete Research Centre, Universi

Manipal Dubai proudly welcomed distinguished alumna and National Award winner, Ms Dipti Prasad.

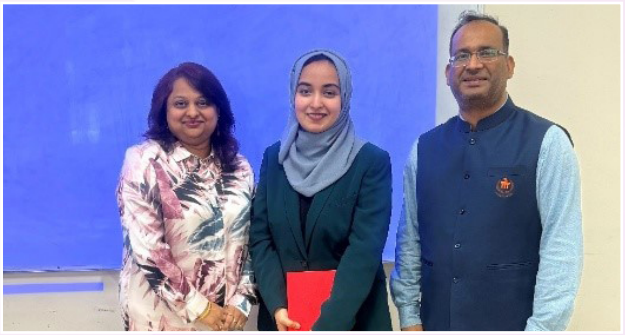


Mr Fouad Anwar DUBAI alumnus gave a talk.

Ms Nida Palnak, MAHE Dubai alumna gave a talk on "Career Milestones: My Story of Growth and Resilience".

Mariyam Kisat, Anjali Bohra, Afrah A J, Parth Joshi and Rashmi Vijayan–Alumni visit MAHE Dubai campus.

Screening of Aparan-The Manipal Institute of Liberal Arts (MILA) at Manipal Academy of Higher Education-MAHE, Dubai.



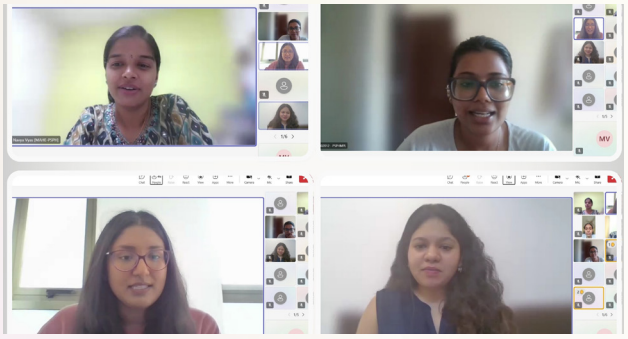
Guest talk by Ms Nida Haroon Palnak, F&B Sales Coordinator, DoubleTree by Hilton, Dubai alumnus of MAHE Dubai campus.

Ms Fathima Thayer alumnus, School of Life Sciences-MAHE Dubai (MSc Nutrition and Dietetics 2023) gave the session.

Mr Tejash Sharma (Senior Subcontract Engineer Drydocks, Dubai), an alumnus of MAHE Dubai gave a talk.

Alumni Interaction Session by Dr Ankita Sarkar (PSPSH-Batch 2017 MHA).

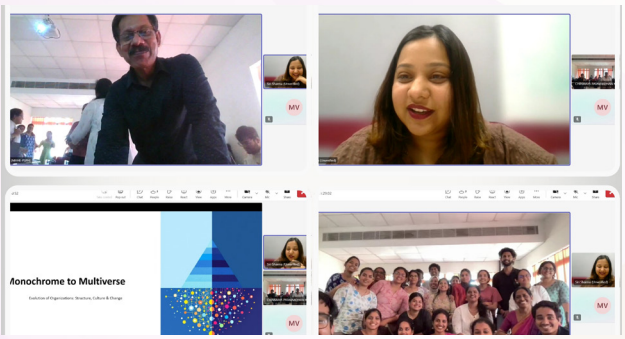
Alumni Interaction Session by PSPH Alumni.



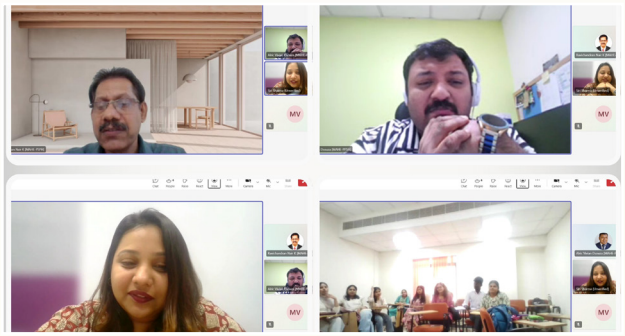
Dr Sandra Johnson [2021-2023 Batch MPH], Dr Keertana Gogia [2021-2023 Batch MPH] alumni talk from PSPH.

Ms Shreya Ramakrishnan [2023-2025 Batch MSW] PSPH alumni talk.

Ms Anusha Prabhu [2021-2023 Batch MHA] interact with the PSPH students.



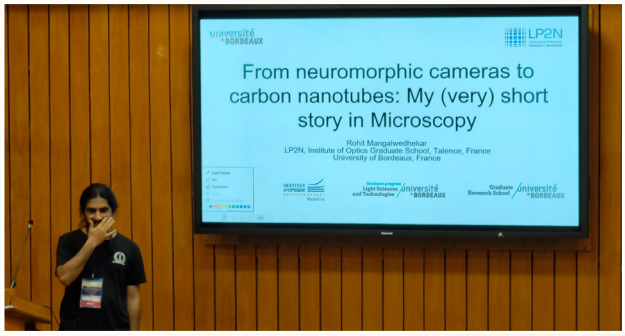
Ms Siri Sharma [2022-2024 Batch MSW] PSPH alumna gave a talk.



Guest lecture by Ms Siri Sharma [2022-24 Batch MSW] to educate the PSPH students.

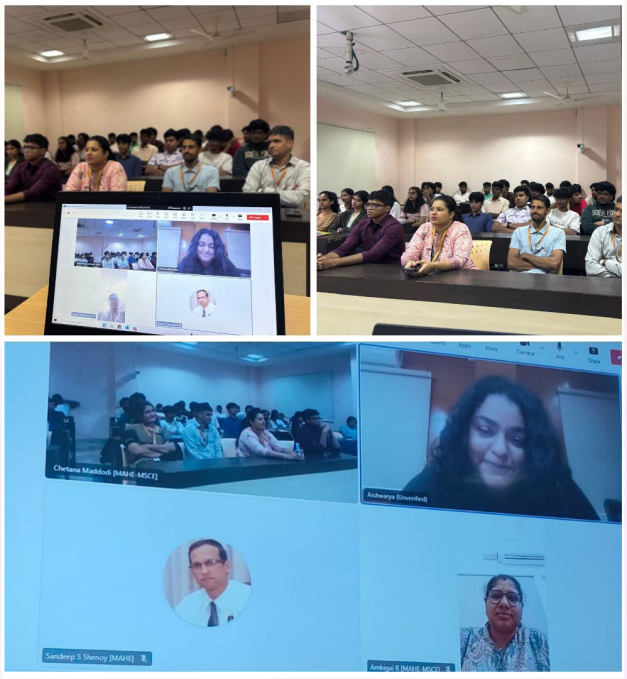
PSPH alumni Mr Pillalamarri Sai Praveen [2022-2024 Batch MSc Data Science] and Mr Srikrishna Sajjarao [2022-2024 Batch MSc Data Science] alumni talk.

Dr Shradha S Parsekar [PSPH, 2012-14 Batch MPH] alumna talk.



Mr Rohit M (MIAP-MSc Photonics Batch of 2021-2023) gave a guest talk.

MSCE alumni talk by Ms Renita Pinto (Batch 2013-2015).



MSCE alumni talk by Ms Aishwarya Srinivasan (Batch 2015-18).

MSCE Alumnus Mr Chinmaya Subrahmanya Bhat (Batch 2016-2018) was honoured to represent MSC Mediterranean Shipping Company Sweden AB.

Launch of MAHE Online Alumni Portal by Dr Rohini Srivathsa, Chief Technology Officer–Microsoft India & SA, in the immersion program-PANORAMA 2025.

Guest lecture by Dr Manish Valiathan (MCODS, Manipal BDS Batch 1988).

An Alumni Interaction session was conducted where MCODS alumnus (MDS Batch 2006) Dr J Muruganandhan.

Alumni Guest lecture by Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh (Diploma(N) Batch (2014-2018) MCON, Manipal).

Alumni guest lecture by Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza (Diploma (N) Batch 2019-2022) MCON, Manipal.

Alumni guest lecture by Ms Arkierupia Shadap (MSc-OBG Nursing Speciality Batch (2011-2013) MCON, Manipal.

Alumni guest lecture by Dr Manju Avinash Nair (MCON, Manipal).

Alumni guest lecture by Ms Smitha Jyothi Saldanha (MSc Nursing Batch 2020–2022, MCON, Manipal).

Alumni guest lecture by Ms Vidhya Manjunath Acharya (DNM Batch 2004-2007, MCON, Manipal)

Alumni guest lecture by Mr Gilbert D Souza (Diploma (N) Batch 1981-1984, MCON, Manipal)

Dr Shanila Laiju (Batch of 1988) and CEO of Medcare Hospitals, UAE, was the chief guest for college Annual Day and Awards Ceremony.

Alumni guest lecture by Dr Anahita Rao (BDS, Batch 2014).

Dr Lekha Airan (MCODS, Mangalore, PG Batch 2013) gave an alumni guest lecture.

Dr Liza George (MCODS, Mangalore, UG Batch of 1993) was the chief guest for Deeksharambh 2025, the UG Orientation Day.

Aparna Bhat (MIT, Manipal Department of Biotechnology Batch 2023) has been selected as a Sub-Lieutenant in the Indian Navy under the Short Service Commission.

Mrs Lincy George, MCHP, Manipal alumna guest talk.

Pramod D'Souza (MIT, Manipal, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Batch of 1997) has been featured in the 2025 Power List: India's Most Influential VC Leaders.

*Sushma S (MIT, Manipal MTech Structural Engineering, Batch of 2016) has been selected as a **Chevening-Karnataka Scholar 2025-26** to pursue MSc in Policy Evaluation at the University of Aberdeen, Scotland.*

Arun Narayan (MIT, Manipal, Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 1993) to be appointed as CEO of Tanishq at Titan Company Limited, effective from 01 January 2026.

Amit Kapur (MIT, Manipal Department of Mechanical Engineering, 1995) was recognized at the 6th Samurai Awards and Conference where NICO won the prestigious Innovation Samurai Award.

Mr Gaurav Agarwal (MIT, Manipal Department of Biomedical, Batch of 1996) was a featured speaker at the World Health Innovation Forum (WHIF) 2025.

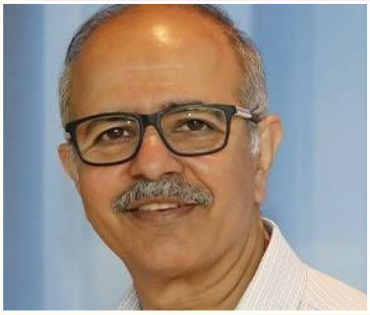
Dr Sunaina Shrivastava (MIT, Manipal Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 2009) recognized as one of MSN's Top 10 Inspiring Women Leaders of 2025.

Mr Aashish Mahajan (MIT, Manipal, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 2007) is in his new role as City CEO at Blinkit.

Dr Leon Ittiachen (MIT, Manipal, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 2007) has been honoured with the prestigious Kerala State Award for Best Teacher.

Mr Deepak Choudhary (MIT, Manipal, Department of Electronics and Communication, Batch of 1995) has recently taken on the role of Vice President of Engineering at Qualcomm.

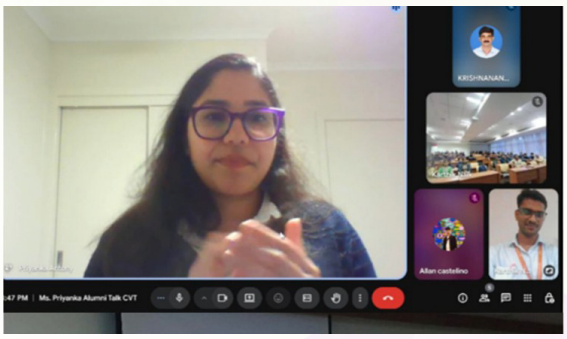
Mr Sanjeev Rao (MIT, Manipal Department of Electronics & Communication, Batch of 1991) has been appointed as Partner–Priscus Finance for India.



Dr Sanjay Bahl (MIT, Manipal Department of Electrical & Electronics, Batch of 1984)-his leadership in advancing India's cybersecurity framework has been recognized in the World Economic Forum's Global Cybersecurity Outlook report.

Mr Vishal Sharma (MIT, Manipal, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Batch of 1992) is the Chief Guest for MIT Pravesh 2025.

Dr Abeera Sharma (MIT, Manipal, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 2008) is the Chief Guest for MIT Pravesh 2025.



Ms Priyanka Antony-MCHP alumna from the 2008–2012 undergraduate and 2012–2014 postgraduate batches Virtual Alumni Interaction.

Mr Mukesh Sanghvi (MIT, Manipal, Department of Chemical Engineering, Batch of 1984) is the Chief Guest for Techtatva 2025.

Ms Karthika Bindhu (MCHP, Manipal BSc CVT batch 2010-2014) Alumni guest lecture.

Mr Ahmed Ziyad (MCHP, Manipal Batch 2021)–Alumni talk.

Mr Karthik G Kamath K (MCHP, Manipal Batch 2015)– Alumni session.

MCHP, Manipal alumni from MRP 2023 batch Ms Ajanya Chandran, Mr Sonu Thomas, and Ms Sandra S gave a session.

Mr Nithin Lalu (MCHP, Manipal-BSc CVT Batch 2013) has been honoured with inclusion on the prestigious Wall of Fame at MCHP, MAHE, Manipal.

The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized Alumni guest lecture by Dr Nitya Waghray (UG batch 2004).

Ms Pallavi Kamath, MCHP, Manipal alumni talk.

Ms Smrithi Natanasubramanian (MCHP, Manipal) alumna delivered a session.

Dr Kanika Bansal (MCHP, Manipal MPT 2014) delivered guest lecture.

Mr Bhaskar Tiwary (MCHP, Manipal BSc RRT & DT Batch:2014) gave a guest lecture.

Human Resources Department (HRD)

The Human Resources Department (HRD) continues to serve as a strategic pillar in advancing the vision and mission of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). During the year 2025, HRD played a critical role in strengthening institutional capability by fostering an inclusive, equitable, and high-performance work environment that enables academic excellence, research advancement, and administrative effectiveness.

Guided by MAHE's core values and long-term strategic priorities, HRD focused on building resilient people practices that support organizational agility, leadership continuity, and sustainable workforce development. The year marked a significant phase in HR transformation, with a strong focus on strengthening learning and development ecosystems, modernizing people systems, reinforcing governance, and enhancing organizational responsiveness to the evolving expectations of a diverse, knowledge-driven workforce.

HRD's strategic agenda was built on mutually reinforcing priorities - promoting a diverse and inclusive organizational culture; Enhancing talent capability through focused learning initiatives, retention, and ensuring competitive, sustainable compensation and benefits that support employee well-being and performance.

Building Talent, Strengthening Capacity

Talent acquisition remained a critical enabler of MAHE's growth trajectory and academic expansion. During the year, the University welcomed 1,855 new employees, supported by structured recruitment processes, digital outreach, and a strengthened employee value proposition aligned to MAHE's employer brand.

Concurrently, HRD placed deliberate emphasis on internal career mobility and talent progression, enabling employees to pursue meaningful growth opportunities within the institution. This balanced approach, integrating external recruitment with internal advancement, enhanced retention outcomes, preserved institutional knowledge, and strengthened organizational continuity and agility.

Performance Management and Career Progression

In alignment with MAHE's strategic objectives, the Performance Management System for faculty was reintroduced during the year as a comprehensive Performance Appraisal System built into the HRMS software – MSPM for the faculty members. The revised framework enables digitally enabled, data-driven assessments across key performance dimensions, including teaching and academics, research, clinical services, and administrative contributions.

Complementing this initiative, MAHE's career advancement and promotion frameworks continued to reinforce a culture of meritocracy, accountability, and professional growth. As a result of these structured mechanisms, 708 employees were promoted during the year, reflecting the institution's commitment to recognizing performance excellence and supporting long-term career pathways.

Advancing Learning and Development to Build Organizational Capability

Learning and Development (L&D) emerged as a central strategic lever in HRD's agenda, reinforcing MAHE's commitment to continuous learning, leadership readiness, and institutional capability building.

Succession Planning

Recognizing the importance of leadership continuity, HRD implemented a structured Succession Planning initiative in collaboration with People Business. The program engaged 193 employees identified as potential future leaders. As a direct outcome, 43 participants were entrusted with administrative responsibilities across the University, ensuring leadership readiness and a strong internal pipeline for critical roles.

SMILE 4.0 - Leadership Development Program further strengthened leadership capability by focusing on self-awareness, values-based leadership, strategic thinking, and stakeholder engagement. This edition introduced curated masterclasses and alumni interactions, enabling participants to learn from both external experts and experienced MAHE leaders who have successfully translated leadership learning into practice.

Academic Leadership Development

Acknowledging the pivotal role of academic leadership in sustaining institutional quality, HRD facilitated a structured Academic Leadership Program for newly appointed Heads of Departments and equivalent academic leaders. Delivered by MAHE's senior leadership, the program focused on academic governance, pedagogical leadership, assessment practices, and people management capability.

Being@MAHE – Structured Induction Framework

The Being@MAHE induction framework was institutionalized to provide a consistent, structured, and values-driven onboarding experience for new employees across MAHE. The framework moves beyond transactional onboarding to foster early engagement, accelerate cultural assimilation, and orient new joiners to MAHE's ethos, policies, and people practices from the outset.

Capability-Building and Workforce Development Programs

HRD continued to invest in broad-based capability building through structured training programs for teaching and non-teaching staff. These programs focused on professional communication and etiquette, functional and digital skill enhancement, and employee well-being through stress management and work–life balance initiatives. Collectively, these interventions strengthened functional competence, professionalism, engagement, and organizational effectiveness.

Workplace Safety and POSH Sensitization

Workplace dignity, safety, and statutory compliance continued to receive focused attention. Over the past eight months, approximately 150 POSH awareness and sensitization sessions were conducted across MAHE campuses in Manipal, Mangalore, Bengaluru, and Jamshedpur. These sessions covered nearly 98% of the workforce, reaching approximately 14,000 employees, and reinforcing a culture of respect, inclusion, and zero tolerance for misconduct.

HR Capability Development and Innovation

As part of HRD's transformation journey, a structured HR Capability Development Program was launched in collaboration with TAPMI, Manipal. Following a diagnostic assessment, HR team members were mapped to customized learning pathways of 30, 60, or 90 hours, aligned with role requirements, and identified capability gaps. The program focuses on strategic HR, organizational development, HR analytics, governance, and change leadership, enabling HR to evolve as a more consultative and transformational function.

In addition, HRD initiated a Design Thinking Program for faculty at the Manipal Institute of Communication, in collaboration with Dr Satish Jayaram, Principal, WGSHA. Pre-work commenced during the year, with core sessions scheduled in 2026, followed by the development of actionable implementation plans. Based on outcomes, the initiative is proposed for scale-up across other institutions to strengthen innovation and future-ready thinking.

Employee Well-Being, Social Security, and Care-Driven Practices

Employee well-being remained central to MAHE's people philosophy. HRD administered a comprehensive range of statutory and non-statutory benefits, including medical and healthcare support, reimbursement of school fees, and merit-cum-means scholarships for employees' children pursuing higher education at MAHE.

Faculty members were supported through fully paid study leave to pursue higher studies, reinforcing MAHE's emphasis on academic excellence and lifelong learning. All employees continued to be covered under a group term life insurance policy.

Reflecting MAHE's deeply embedded care-driven culture, HRD facilitated life insurance benefits for the families of 09 deceased staff members, providing critical financial support during times of loss.

The initiatives undertaken during the year reflect MAHE's sustained commitment to inclusive excellence, leadership development, learning agility, and employee well-being. Through strategic alignment, data-enabled systems, and a strong emphasis on capability building, the Human Resources Department continues to play a vital role in enabling MAHE's vision of a resilient, high-performing, and future-ready institution.

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Balance Sheet as at March 31, 2025

(Rupees In Lakhs)

Particulars	SCH	31 March, 2025	31 March, 2024
Sources of Funds			
NPO Fund			
Unrestricted Funds	1	2,56,798.89	2,24,081.96
Restricted Funds	2	20,097.70	18,855.86
		2,76,896.59	**2,42,937.82**
Non-current liabilities			
Long-term Borrowings	3	93,438.99	75,102.43
Other Long-term Liabilities	4	5,755.27	3,399.66
Long-term Provisions	5	3,845.71	3,596.02
		1,03,039.97	**82,098.11**
Current Liabilities			
Short-term Borrowings	6	2,660.00	1,925.00
Payables	7	24,164.66	20,153.42
Other Current Liabilities	8	1,16,676.31	1,19,326.17
Short-term Provisions	9	2,204.01	1,970.17
		1,45,704.98	**1,43,374.76**
Total Sources of Funds		**5,25,641.54**	**4,68,410.69**
Application of Funds			
Non-current Assets			
Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible assets	10		
Property, Plant and Equipment		3,09,077.62	2,18,955.17
Intangible Assets		297.79	275.09
Capital work in progress		52,671.22	50,306.11
Intangible asset under development		-	-
		3,62,046.63	2,69,536.37
Non-current Investments	11	28,936.58	35,670.06
Long-term Loans and Advances	12	11,837.37	49,875.91
Other Non-current Assets	13	2,472.13	3,440.28
		4,05,292.71	**3,58,522.62**
Current assets			
Current Investments			
Inventories	14	2,069.00	1,795.86
Receivables	15	23,431.98	19,781.56
Cash and Bank Balances	16	76,305.66	72,305.60
Short-term Loans and Advances	17	2,733.74	2,578.30
Other Current Assets	18	15,808.45	13,426.75
		1,20,348.83	**1,09,888.07**
Total Application of Fund		**5,25,641.54**	**4,68,410.69**

Income and Expenditure Account for the Year Ended on March 31, 2025

(Rupees In Lakhs)

Particulars	SCH	2024-25	2023-24
Income			
Donation and Grants	19	6,377.29	3,778.84
Fees from Rendering of Services			
Tuition and Other Fees	20	2,04,099.96	1,75,491.85
Hospital Income	21	42,946.10	35,749.05
Hostel and Other Facilities	22	21,094.18	15,202.88
Other Services	23	194.22	123.24
Sale of Goods	24	31,414.39	26,438.35
Other Income			
Interest Income	25	8,351.02	8,482.94
Other Income	26	20,134.11	15,609.45
Total Income		**3,34,611.27**	**2,80,876.60**
Expenses			
Material Consumed	27	15,912.10	13,642.07
Donations, Grants, and Contributions	28	3,193.04	3,007.12
Employee Benefits Expenses	29	1,08,370.07	97,015.23
Other Expenses			
Hospital Consumables	30	12,289.51	10,521.39
Academic Expenses	31	28,129.90	23,869.35
Research Expenses	32	15,320.49	10,187.58
Admission Expenses	33	3,904.98	4,492.81
Utilities and Services	34	38,443.86	34,882.96
Free and Concession	35	4,418.89	4,502.61
Office and General	36	31,118.59	25,228.70
Allocation to Funds	37	2,480.14	1,499.11
Finance Charges	38	4,367.73	5,495.53
Depreciation	39	41,087.84	31,778.42
Total Expenses		**3,09,037.14**	**2,66,122.88**
Surplus/(Deficit) before Exceptional Items		**25,574.13**	**14,753.72**
Exceptional Items (Refer Note No: IV(G) Other Information)	40	5,862.46	-
Surplus/(Deficit)		**31,436.59**	**14,753.72**

Departments of Quality and Compliance/Internal Quality Assurance Cell, MAHE

The Quality and Compliance departments/IQAC, MAHE functions to achieve the following objectives:

1.0 Quality Initiatives:

- ✓ Implementation of an Integrated Management System (IMS) in a phased manner in all the institutions of MAHE with a focus on its Mission and Vision. IMS shall comprise the implementation of relevant standards, accreditations, and practicing business excellence models. It will also aim to develop an integrated quality model to encompass all relevant standards.
- ✓ To take necessary steps towards sensitization, training, and maintain the auditors' pool for MAHE and its constituent units and to arrange cross audits at various constituent units and associate hospitals.
- ✓ To create an atmosphere to nurture Quality/Environment responsiveness as a culture.
- ✓ To facilitate the sharing of best practices across institutions of excellence at national and global levels and to get a deep insight into the working of our own institutions to understand our strengths and weaknesses, the quality department from time to time, processes and compiles applications for national and international awards and accreditations by various statutory and regulatory bodies.

2.0 Compliance:

- ✓ To assist the constituent units to comply with requirements of Statutory/Regulatory/Government bodies.
- ✓ To organize academic audits at constituent units.
- ✓ To assist the constituent units in starting new programs and renewal of existing programs.
- ✓ To assist university in preparing applications for starting new units/departments/programs.

3.0 Quality, Environment, and Energy Management:

3.1 Status of ISO certification of MAHE and its constituent institutions and associated teaching hospitals

Sl. No.	Name of the institute	Date when first certified for ISO 9001 QMS	Date when first certified for ISO 14001 EMS	Date when first certified for ISO 50001 EnMS	Present status
1	MAHE, Manipal	27 Dec 2004	23 Jan 2009	08 Jun 2017	Both ISO 9001 and 14001 were integrated as an Integrated Management System (IMS), effective from 26 Apr 2011. Present certificate validity is till 2026. Initial EnMS certification was only for the Manipal campus. In the year 2020, Mangalore, Udupi and Karkala sites were added and the present certificate is valid till June 2026.
2	Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	08 Apr 2005	23 Jan 2009	--	Both the systems integrated with University as above and recertified. Present certification is valid till 2026
3	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal	05 Jun 2005	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-

Sl. No.	Name of the institute	Date when first certified for ISO 9001 QMS	Date when first certified for ISO 14001 EMS	Date when first certified for ISO 50001 EnMS	Present status
4	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	07 Apr 2007	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-
5	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	28 Aug 2006	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-
6	Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Management, Manipal	29 Aug 2006	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-
7	Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal	04 Jul 2007	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-
8	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	29 Aug 2006	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-
9	Kasturba Hospital, Manipal.	10 Jun 2004	23 Jan 2009	--	Both the systems integrated with University during 2012 and recertified. Present certificate validity is till 2026.
10	Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	26 Jun 2012	23 Jan 2009	--	Implemented QMS and integrated with University during 2012 and. Present certificate validity is till 2026.
11	Manipal School of Life Science, Manipal	26 Jun 2012	23 Jan 2009	--	-do-
12	Manipal School of Architecture & Planning, Manipal	26 Jun 2012	15 Aug 2012	--	Implemented IMS during 2012 and recertified. Present certificate validity is till 2026.
13	Dr. TMA Pai Hospital Udupi	26 Jun 2012	15 Aug 2012	--	-do-
14	Dr. TMA Pai Rotary Hospital Karkala	26 Jun 2012	15 Aug 2012	--	-do-

Sl. No.	Name of the institute	Date when first certified for ISO 9001 QMS	Date when first certified for ISO 14001 EMS	Date when first certified for ISO 50001 EnMS	Present status
15	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, M'lore	28 Aug 2006	10 Apr 2014	--	Implemented EMS and integrated with University during 2014. Present certificate validity is till 2026.
16	Kasturba Medical College Hospital M'lore	10 Jun 2004	10 Apr 2014	--	-do-
17	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	01 Apr 2014	23 Jan 2009	--	Implemented QMS and integrated with University during 2014. Present certificate validity is till 2026.
18	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	01 Apr 2014	10 Apr 2014	--	Implemented IMS during 2014 and the present certificate validity is till 2026.
19	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal	26 Apr 2020	06 May 2020	--	Implemented IMS during 2020 and the present certificate validity is till 2026
20	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal	26 Apr 2020	06 May 2020	--	Implemented IMS during 2020 and the present certificate validity is till 2026
21	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru	--	--	--	Under process
22	Srishti Manipal Institute of Arts, Design & Technology, Bengaluru	--	--	--	-do-
23	Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur	--	--	--	-do-
24	Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru	--	--	--	-do-
25	T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal	--	--	--	-do-
26	T A Pai Management Institute, Bengaluru	--	--	--	-do-

Sl. No.	Name of the institute	Date when first certified for ISO 9001 QMS	Date when first certified for ISO 14001 EMS	Date when first certified for ISO 50001 EnMS	Present status
27	Manipal Law School, Bengaluru	--	--	--	-do-
28	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal	--	--	--	-do-
29	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal	--	--	--	-do-
30	Manipal Institute of Social Science, Humanities & Arts, Manipal	--	--	--	-do-

4.0 Accreditation and Ranking:

Accreditations

- MAHE has been re-accredited with the highest grade of A++ with a CGPA score of 3.65, with the certificate validity up to 30 May 2027.
- Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), Manipal-BCom (Professional), BCom (Honours) Professional re-accredited, and MCom Professional programs are accredited by ACCA, UK
- Department of Commerce Bengaluru-BCom (three years)/BCom (Hons) (four years) and MCom-Finance and Accounting accredited by ACCA, UK
- Six UG Engineering programs at Manipal Institute of Technology-Computer Science and Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electronics and Communication Engineering, Chemical Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering are reaccredited by NBA
- T A Pai Management Institute-MBA-Banking and Financial Services Program accredited by NBA
- Kasturba Medical College Hospital, Attavara-IMA AMR Smart Hospital certification
- Manipal Institute of Virology Lab-Medical testing reaccredited by NABL
- NABH re-accreditation for Kasturba Medical College Hospital, Attavara, and Kasturba Hospital–Nursing Excellence
- NABH re-accreditation for Kasturba Hospital
- Manipal Comprehensive Cancer Care Centre–Kasturba Medical College, re-accredited as an ESMO Designated Centre of Integrated Oncology and Palliative Care for the period 2026-2028
- NABL reaccreditation for Kasturba Hospital Laboratory service for medical testing

Rankings

I. **Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings 2026**
Ranked No 601-800 in the prestigious Times Higher Education World University Ranking 2026

II. **THE University Impact Rankings 2025**

- Overall Impact Rankings–Ranked 101-200
- SDG 3–Good Health and Wellbeing–Ranked 74
- SDG 4–Quality Education–Ranked 43
- SDG 5–Gender Equality–Ranked 11
- SDG 17–Partnership for the Goals–Ranked 601-800

III. **Times Higher Education Asia Rankings 2025**

Ranked 201-250 in the prestigious THE ASIA University Ranking 2025

IV. **Times Higher Education Subject Rankings 2025**

- Ranked 301-400 in the subject: Clinical and Pre-Clinical
- Ranked 601-800 in the subject: Life Sciences
- Ranked No 801+ in the subject: Business and Economics
- Ranked No 601-800 in the subject: Social Science
- Ranked 801-1000 in the subject: Computer Science
- Ranked 801-1000 in the subject: Engineering and Technology
- Ranked 801-1000 in the subject: Physical Sciences

V. **QS World University Rankings 2026**

Ranked 851-900 in the prestigious QS World University Ranking 2026

VI. **QS University Rankings: ASIA 2026**

Ranked 206 in the prestigious QS ASIA University Ranking 2026

VII. **QS Subject Rankings 2025**

- Ranked No 51-120 in the Dentistry subject, Domestic rank 2
- Ranked No 101-150 in the Pharmacy subject, Domestic rank 2
- Ranked No 251-300 in the Medical subject, Domestic rank 2
- Ranked No 501-550 in the Biological Sciences subject, Domestic rank 7
- Ranked No 501-550 in Chemistry under the natural science subject, Domestic Rank is 13
- Ranked No 601-650 in Computer Science and Information Systems under the engineering subject, Domestic Rank is 13
- Ranked No 401-450 in Chemical under engineering subject for the first time, Domestic Rank is 7
- Ranked No 551-700 in Economics and Econometrics under the Social Sciences and Management subject for the first time, Domestic Rank is 11

VIII. **QS Sustainability Ranking 2026**

Ranked No 467 under the Overall Category, Ranked No 104 in Asia, and Ranked No 10 in India

IX. **Shanghai Rankings 2025**

- Ranked No 801-900 in the Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) 2025 by Shanghai Ranking Consultancy. (National/Regional Rank–10-13)
- Shanghai Ranking in 2025 Global Ranking of Academic Subject
  - Public Health 301–400
  - Clinical Medicine 401–500

X. **Scimago Institution Ranking 2025**

Ranked No 4–In India under University Overall Rank, Ranked No 3 in Research, Ranked No 119 in Innovation, Ranked No 4 in Societal Rank–all subjects.

XI. **UI Green Metric World University Rankings 2025**

Ranked No 1 in India, No 59 in Asia and No 117 globally in the overall category in the prestigious UI Green Metric World University Rankings 2025 as the most Eco-sustainable campus.

XII. **National Institutional Ranking Framework–NIRF 2025**

Ranked No 3 in the All India University Ranking survey under the UNIVERSITY category and No 14 under the OVERALL category, No 5 under SDG Institutions, No 19 under the RESEARCH Category and Rank band 11-50 in the Innovation ranking conducted by the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) 2025, MOE, Government of India.

5.0 Training/Workshops/Conferences/Review Meetings

- Two batches of Internal Auditor training programs for ISO 9001 and ISO 14001 standards were conducted from 06 to 11 January 2025 at the Manipal campus. The training was led by Mr Srinivas Bhargav, the Promoter of Suprabha Quality Solutions, Bengaluru. A total of 53 new faculty and staff members were certified as Internal Auditors in this training.

- Dr Christopher Sudhakar, the Director of Quality, and Mr Srikant Gumaste, a data scientist, attended the QS India Summit held in Goa from 27 to 29 January 2025. Our

esteemed Vice Chancellor was a speaker at one of the sessions during this summit.

- The team from St Aloysius Deemed to be University, Mangalore, visited MAHE on 06 February 2025. The aim of the visit was to foster collaboration and learn from MAHE officers on key administrative areas such as Human Resources, Public Relations, Quality Assurance, Domestic and International Relations, NAAC Accreditation, and Library Management. Dr Christopher Sudhakar, Director of Quality, facilitated this visit.

- Dr Sandeep Shenoy, Director Compliance, attended a national-level consultative meeting/workshop online on 19 February 2025. This event was organised by the National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (a deemed university under the Ministry of Education, Government of India). The Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India, had requested NEIPA to conduct a status review and assessment of the implementation of NEP 2020 in the context of higher education.

- A team of six IQAC Coordinators from Christ University, Bengaluru, visited MAHE on 25 to 26 February 2025, to learn about the best practices implemented at MAHE in various domains and explore the facilities at MAHE. Dr Christopher Sudhakar, the Director of Quality, facilitated this visit.

- Dr Sandeep Shenoy, Director of Compliance, visited MGM College on 01 March 2025 as a Steering Committee member to study the available facilities and prepare a blueprint for the development of this college.

- Final data review meeting with the top management related to THE World University Ranking 2026 held on 22 March 2025.

- **Shaping the Future: The PSPH Vision 2030 Initiative**

  The **Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH)** has officially unveiled its **Vision 2030** document, a strategic roadmap designed to navigate the evolving landscape of global health over the next decade. This comprehensive document is not merely a top-down mandate, but the result of a deeply inclusive and academic exercise led by **Dr Christopher Sudhakar, Director of Quality**.

  A Collaborative Blueprint
  Recognizing that a vision is only as strong as the community behind it, Dr Sudhakar spearheaded a participatory approach that engaged the entire PSPH faculty. The development process was centred around **two intensive, hands-on workshops** designed to harvest the collective expertise of the institution's diverse departments.

  Workshop I: Ideation and Analysis – Faculty members engaged in rigorous SWOT (Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities, and Threats) analyses and brainstorming sessions to identify the core pillars of the school's future mission.

  Workshop II: Strategy and Framework – Participants translated broad goals into actionable objectives, ensuring that the final document reflected a shared commitment to academic excellence, research impact, and community engagement.

  The Road to 2030
  Under Dr Sudhakar's guidance, the Vision 2030 document serves as a "living framework." By involving all faculty members, PSPH has ensured that the strategic goals are grounded in the daily realities of public health education while remaining ambitious enough to address 21st-century global challenges and be one of the top colleges in the world under the Public Health domain.

  Through this unified effort, PSPH stands ready to set new benchmarks in quality, innovation, and leadership in the field of public health.

- Dr Christopher Sudhakar, Director Quality, and Dr Sandeep Shenoy, Director Compliance, conducted the first academic audit at Manipal University Jaipur (MUJ) on 05 May and 06 2025. This audit was part of the initiatives by the Manipal Academic Audit team of MESVCC. The audit team also included Dr Vishweswar Shastry, the Assistant Director of Quality and Compliance from the Bengaluru campus, along with two additional members from SMU.

- Dr Christopher Sudhakar, Director Quality, conducted an ISO awareness session on 04 July 2025, at the Bangalore campus. The session aimed to prepare for bringing the MAHE Bengaluru campus under the scope of ISO certification ahead of the University's upcoming recertification audit next year, as suggested by the Honourable Vice Chancellor.

- Dr Christopher Sudhakar, Director Quality, conducted a workshop on implementing Quality and Environmental Management Systems (ISO 9001 and 14001) for MSCE, MISHA, and MIAP on 09 July 2025, at the seminar hall of WGSHA Manipal.

- Dr Sandeep S Shenoy, Director Compliance, attended the Akhil Bharatiya Shiksha Samagam 2025, coinciding with 5th anniversary of the National Education Policy 2020, held at New Delhi, organized by the Ministry of Education on 29 July 2025, along with the Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor, Health Sciences.

- Mr Srikant R Gumaste–Data scientist and Mr Starwin Johnson–Executive Environment Sustainability attended the conference on the theme of "Sustainability and Circular Economy" held at Gurugram from 30-31 July 2025, organized by the International Council for Circular Economy. MAHE was presented with special recognition as a PROGRESSIVE CIRCULAR CAMPUS at this conference.

- Dr Sandeep Shenoy, Director Compliance, attended the 30th Meeting of the Manipal Education System Vice Chancellors' Council (MESVCC), held on 29 and 30 August 2025 at the MAHE Bengaluru Campus and made a presentation on the topic "Navigating UGC Reforms: Strategic Roadmap for Manipal Group Universities" before the Council members.

- Conducted the ISO awareness session and new Internal Auditor training program for the staff members to fulfill the shortage of internal auditors at the MAHE Manipal campus, by Mr Srinivas Bhargav from M/s Suprabha Quality Solutions, Bengaluru on 22 to 24 September 2025. This training helped the institutions in the documentation of their processes as per ISO 9K and 14K standard requirements. Total 30 auditors were trained.

- Dr Sandeep Shenoy, Director Compliance attended the Round-Table Meeting for India Rankings, under the Chairmanship of the Secretary (HE), MoE, held on 17 October 2025 at Casuarina Hall, India Habitat Centre, Delhi.

- NIRF Ranking result performance analysis and strategy presentation meetings with top management were held on 23 and 24 October for all disciplines.

- Conducted the ISO awareness session and new Internal Auditor training program for the staff members at the Bengaluru campus by Mr Srinivas Bhargav from M/s Suprabha Quality Solutions, Bengaluru on 29 to 31 October 2025. This training helped the institutions in documentation of their processes as per ISO 9K and 14K standard requirements. A total of 24 auditors were trained.

- Dr Christopher Sudhakar, Director–Quality and Mr Srikant R Gumaste, Data Scientists attended the **QS Asia Pacific Summit** held at Seoul from 04 to 06 November 2025. MAHE representatives actively interacted with

multiple universities participating in the summit. Discussions centered around opportunities in joint research, student and faculty mobility, academic collaborations, and institutional partnerships. MAHE's corporate gift boxes were shared with institutions as a gesture of professional goodwill.

- As part of the Manipal Academic Audit team's initiatives, the Director-Quality, Director-Compliance, Data Scientist and the MAAT Team conducted an academic audit at SMU from 06 to 11 December 2025, followed by SMU's NIRF data review and analysis meeting.

7.0 Achievements:

I. Won the prestigious FICCI Higher Education Excellence Award 2025 under the award category "Excellence in Research and Innovation"

II. Special recognition as Progressive Circular Campus Awards in Circular Economy, ICEF 2025 by the International Council for Circular Economy (ICCE)

III. Won the CII Awards on Excellence in Women in STEM in December 2025, conducted by the Confederation of Indian Industry.

IV.

V. Other Rankings

- India's Top Non-Government (Private and Deemed) Multidisciplinary Universities-The WEEK–Hansa 2025
- India's 2nd Top Private University-Education World India Private University Ranking (EWIPUR)-2025
- Ranked No 2 under the private category by Career360 Ranking–Top Private Universities in India 2025

Compliance:

1. Assisting the University and constituent units in complying with the requirements of the following statutory and regulatory bodies:

    1. Government of India, New Delhi
    2. Government of Karnataka, Bengaluru
    3. University Grants Commission, New Delhi
    4. National Medical Council, New Delhi
    5. Dental Council of India, New Delhi
    6. All India Council for Technical Education, New Delhi
    7. Council of Architecture, New Delhi
    8. Pharmacy Council of India
    9. Indian Nursing Council and Karnataka State Nursing Council
    10. Rehabilitation council of India
    11. Karnataka State Pollution Control Board

2. NAAC Annual Quality Assurance Report for the AY 2023-24 was submitted on 17 January 2025
3. Criteria-wise review meetings of the Annual Quality Assurance Report for the AY 2024-25 were held in November and December 2025
4. AICTE–Extension of Approval application successfully submitted on 13 December 2025 for the courses under MSIS, WGSHA, MSCE, Department of Design, and Online Education

Statistical Bureau

- The University Annual Report was published on 17 July 2025, and the University Convocation Report on 30 June 2025 (Mangalore) and 3rd January 2026 (Manipal).
- Provided data on request to Regulatory Bodies
- Streamlining and coordinating with colleges and students for the smooth running of the State Scholarship Portal, National Scholarship Portal, Karnataka Labour Scholarship, Sikkim State Scholarship Portal, and Tribal Scholarship
- AISHE (All India Survey for Higher Education) report for the period 2023-24 was submitted on 15 February 2025, and the report for 2024-25 was submitted to the Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India, on 31 October 2025

Academic audit at SMU

Departments of Quality & Compliance, Mangalore

1.0 Quality initiatives:

KMC Mangalore

The standard operating processes and aspect-Impact register were reviewed and updated. New SOPs and aspects were added to the institutional document.

KMC Lab Quarterly Newsletter – Diagnostica Plus Issue 1 released on October 2025. The Central Lab Catalogue was created with details of lab services. Induction Organogram (Pictorial) was created and shared. It was decided to conduct yearly training for technical staff during Lab Professional Week.

The following CQI projects were initiated:

- **Quality Management System:** Rationalizing Pre-operative Diagnostic Testing through Diagnostic Stewardship in GWH
- **Microbiology:** To identify analytical errors during the processing of culture samples by VITEK 2 compact systems
- **Microbiology:** To monitor TB culture contamination rates
- **Pathology:** Auto verification in Haematology-Enabling Delta check in CBC analyzer

MCODS Mangalore:

Dr David K, Associate Professor, from the Department of Periodontology, took over as the chairperson of the infection control committee of the institution on 09 August 2025. Regular monthly monitoring of infection control in all the departments in the college is being conducted.

2.0 Compliance:

KMC Mangalore:

New committees were constituted as per regulatory requirements. Academic self-audits are performed quarterly in the respective departments. Half-yearly internal audit was conducted in the month of January 2025 and July 2025.

At the KMC lab, the KPIs are monitored in real time, and the RCA and CAPA for outliers are discussed in monthly department meetings, monthly lab quality meetings and presented during biannual MRM in accordance with NABL accreditation. The lab participated in the following audits:

Date	Audits
10 Feb 2025	NABL standard transition from 2012 to 2022
22 Feb 2025	AJ hospital - Vendor Evaluation Audit
14 Mar 2025	NABH-for KMCH AT
22 Mar 2025	NABH-for KMCH AC
28 Apr 2025	Navita's (Acunova) - Vendor Evaluation audit
04 to 12 Jun 2025	1st NABL Internal Audit
08 to 13 Dec 2025	2nd NABL Internal Audit
12 Dec 2025	NABH-for KMCH AT

MCODS Mangalore:

MCODS Mangalore - 15th Audit was conducted on 15 and 16 January 2025, and 16th Audit was conducted on 09 and 10 July 2025.

3.0 Quality, Environment and Energy Management:

Regular monthly monitoring of infection control in all departments in both colleges in the Mangalore Campus is being conducted.

Environment and Energy Management: A regular check on electricity, water, and Paper consumption is being conducted. Objectives and targets are set, monitored and discussed in MRM meetings. Old ACs are replaced with new energy-efficient models in departments and offices.

4.0 Accreditation and Ranking:

College	Ranking	All India Medical Colleges Ranking
KMC Mangalore	NIRF	35
	INDIA TODAY	29
	Outlook	1st Department of Physiotherapy

College	Ranking	All India Medical Colleges Ranking
	The Week	20
		6 (**Private Medical Colleges)**
MCODS Mangalore	NIRF	11
	INDIA TODAY	11
	Outlook	11
	The Week	8
		3 (Private Dental Colleges)

5.0 Training / Workshops/Conferences/Review Meetings

Induction training for newly joined staff is conducted every two months. MRM meetings are held half-yearly to discuss the status of institutional achievements and objectives. Laboratory MRM meetings were conducted in the month of January and July. The following trainings were conducted for non-teaching staff in 2025: Guidelines of ISO 50001 Energy Management Systems, Breast Cancer Awareness Program, Fire Training, Gender Sensitisation Program, and Legrand Innovative Solution.

KMC lab conducted the following training sessions for its faculty and technicians

Risk management in clinical laboratories: Contain, control, conquer

EQAS workshop for the lab Technicians of SA-ICTCs of Dakshina Kannada, Kodagu, and Hassan Districts, by SRL

Industry-Academia Seminar on-MU: Certain about Uncertainty of Measurement

Industry-Academia symposium on Analytical Techniques and Lab Instrumentation 2.0

6.0 Achievements: (include awards and rankings):

Dr Mangala M Pai, Deputy Director, Quality and Compliance, Mangalore Campus, participated as a keynote speaker in the 1st International Conference on Accreditation Ranking and Quality in Higher Education and gave a talk on The Ranking and Accreditation Landscape: Trends and Challenges held at Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research from 19 to 21 June 2025.

Photographs

Risk Management in Clinical Laboratories: Contain, Control, Conquer

Lab Professional Week April 2025

Quality CME ISO 20658:2023 April 2025

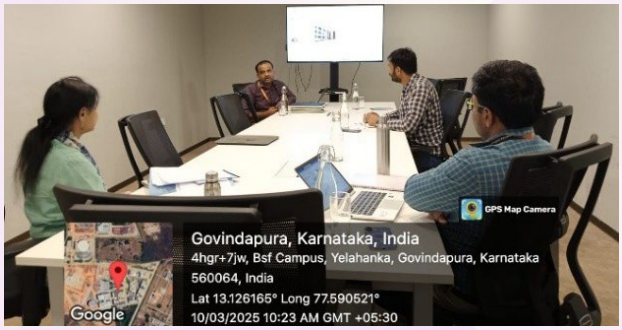
Quality Workshop ISO 20658:2023 April 2025

Department of Quality and Compliance, Bengaluru

Name of the Event: Internal Academic Audit
Date: 11 to 18 March 2025

The Department of Quality and Compliance scheduled an internal audit for all nine institutions, including laboratories. The audit was conducted under the guidance of Dr Christopher, Director–Quality, Manipal, and Dr Sandeep Shenoy, Director–Compliance, Manipal, and was carried out by Dr Vishweswara Sastry, Assistant Director, MAHE, Bengaluru, and Dr Neena Rani, Deputy Manager, MAHE, Bengaluru.

The team visited all nine institutions (Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Department of Library and Health Sciences (DLHS), Department of Commerce (DoC), Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine (MIRM), T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), School of Management and Innovation (SMI), Department of Public Policy (DPP), Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP)) and audited the academic processes. Other relevant documents were scrutinized, and a few suggestions were provided to the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) Coordinators. The team also visited the laboratories. The report of the same was shared with the main Manipal team for their review and suggestions.



Name of the Event: *International Organization for Standardization (ISO) Awareness Session*

Date: 4 July 2025

A half-day awareness and training session on ISO 9001:2015 (Quality Management System) and ISO 14001:2015 (Environmental Management System) was conducted to prepare MAHE Bengaluru Campus for upcoming internal and external quality assessments. The session was facilitated by Dr Christopher Sudhakar, who provided in-depth insights into ISO requirements and expectations from internal stakeholders.

ISO 9001:2015 focuses on quality management systems that ensure consistent delivery and continual improvement. ISO 14001:2015 relates to environmental management and compliance with statutory environmental obligations.

Dr Christopher also presented the ten ISO clauses and their contents.

Name of the Event: Workshop on Internal Quality Auditor Training Program
Date: 29 to 31 October 2025
The workshop titled "Internal Quality Auditor Training Program commenced" with a formal welcome to the resource person Mr Srinivasa Bhargava, by Dr Vishweswara Sastry, Assistant Director, Department of Quality and Compliance.

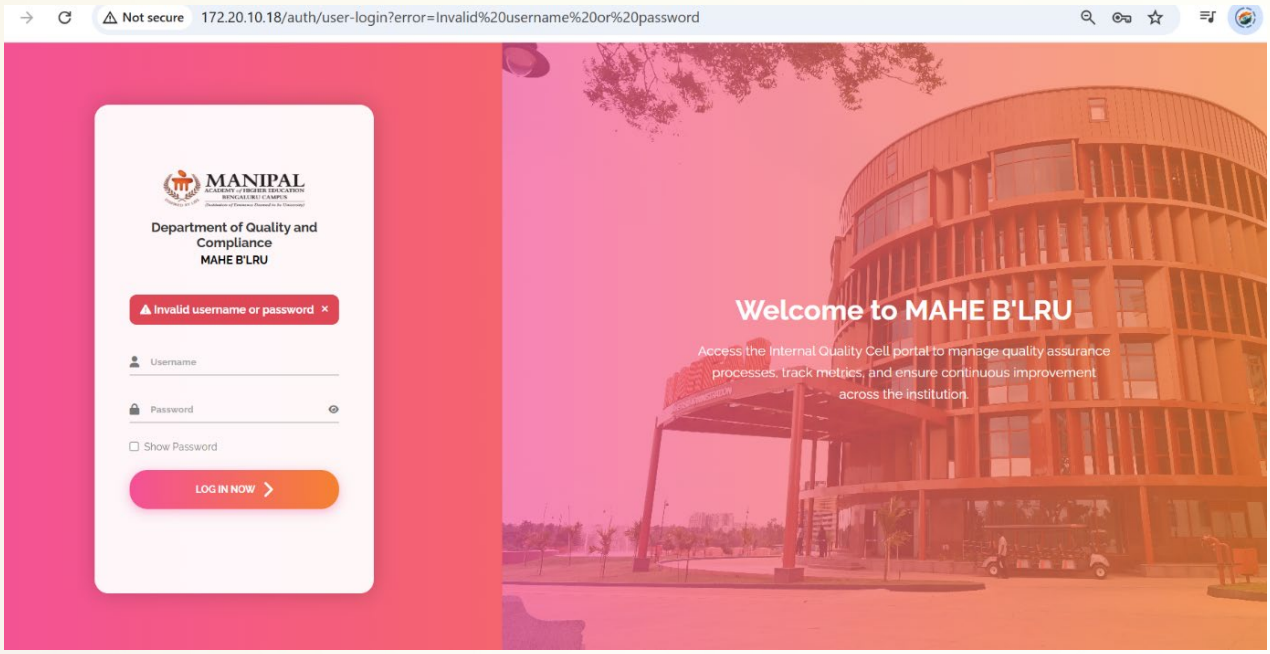
A total of 26 participants, nominated by the Heads of various Departments, attended the three-day workshop. The sessions primarily focused on the ISO Standards 9001:2015 (Quality Management System) and 14001:2015 (Environmental Management System). The trainer provided valuable insights into the practical application of these frameworks within the institution to strengthen internal processes and promote sustainability practices.

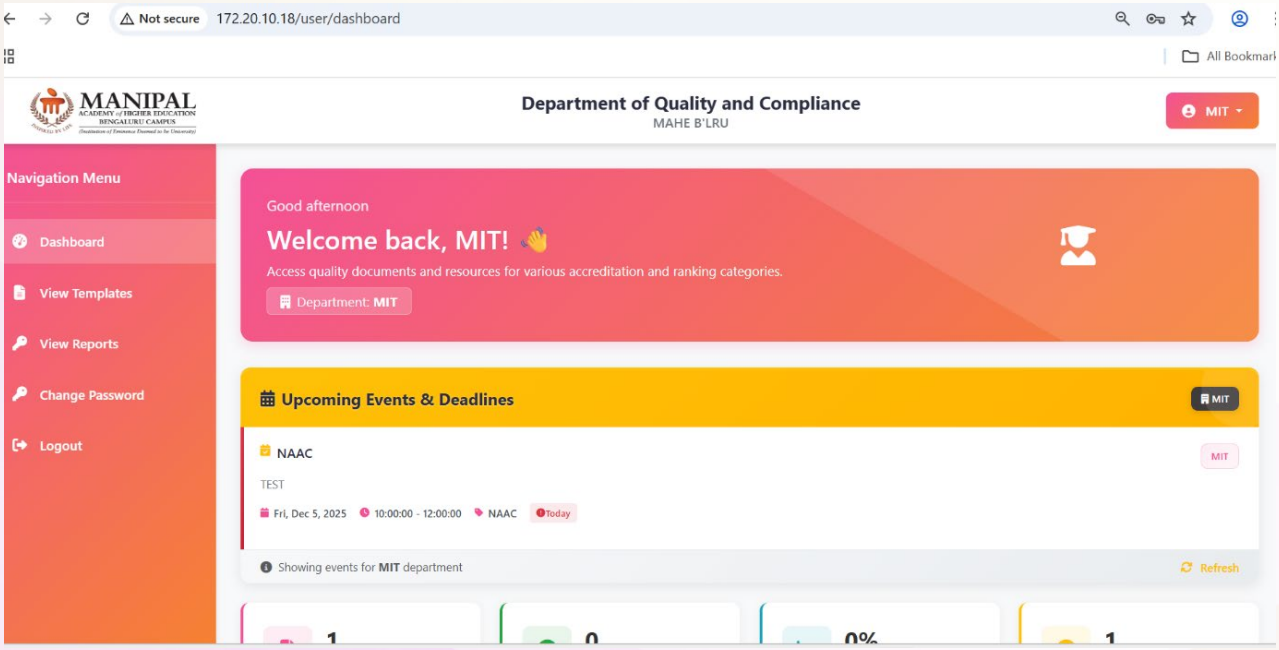
The workshop included several interactive activities and mock audits, allowing participants to gain hands-on experience. Key highlights of the sessions included discussions on the need for internal audits, the roles and responsibilities of internal auditors, and the development of auditor competencies.

Participants demonstrated great enthusiasm, curiosity, and engagement throughout the program, making the sessions highly interactive and enriching. Their active involvement reflected the true spirit of continuous improvement that MAHE upholds.

Special appreciation is due to Ms Himashwetha, Admin Executive and Mr Preetham, Senior Executive, for their efficient coordination and logistics support.

The Department of Quality and Compliance introduced an interface where data from all departments/institutions can be stored year-wise and criteria-wise. The data can be reviewed and scrutinized by the team members. Standardized data templates were made available for frameworks such as the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), ISO, the National Board of Accreditation (NBA), and Quacquarelli Symonds Rankings (QS Rankings), etc. The interface was designed to have a total of three logins: one for the Super Admin (to be used by the Head of the Department), another for the Department Admin, and the third for the Department/Institution IQAC Coordinator.





Departments of Quality and Compliance, Jamshedpur

Introduction

The Quality Department played a pivotal role in strengthening the institutional quality framework in 2025 through systematic reviews, audits, and capacity-building programs. The department focused on effective implementation, monitoring, and continual improvement of management systems in alignment with International Organization for Standardization (ISO) standards, particularly Educational Organizations Management System (EOMS) ISO 21001:2018 and Environmental Management System (EMS) ISO 14001:2015. This report provides a comprehensive overview of the major quality-related programs and activities conducted during the year.

1. First Management Review Meeting (MRM)

Dates: 15, 16, and 17 January 2025

Objective

- To review the effectiveness of the EOMS and EMS standards.
- To assess compliance with ISO standards and institutional quality objectives.
- To evaluate performance indicators, risks, opportunities, and resource requirements.

Participants

- Top Management
- Heads of Departments
- Director–Academic Administration and Quality
- Consultant, Quality Management Representative (QMR), and Quality Team Members
- Process Owners and Section Heads

Key Agenda Points

- Review of previous MRM action items
- Analysis of internal and external issues
- Review of quality objectives and key performance indicators
- Stakeholder feedback and satisfaction analysis
- Non-conformities, corrective, and preventive actions
- Resource adequacy and training needs

Outcomes

- Action plans were formulated for addressing identified gaps.
- Revised quality objectives were approved.
- Emphasis was laid on strengthening documentation, monitoring mechanisms, and stakeholder engagement.

Second Internal Audit (EOMS ISO 21001:2018)

Dates: 11 to 27 February 2025

Objectives

- To assess conformity of institutional processes with EOMS ISO 21001:2018 requirements.
- To identify non-conformities, observations, and areas for improvement.

Scope

- Academic processes
- Administrative and support services
- Student support and evaluation systems

Methodology

- Process-based internal auditing
- Document review and record verification

- Interviews with process owners and staff

Key Findings

- Few major and minor non-conformities related to documentation and record maintenance.
- Opportunities for improvement in process monitoring and feedback mechanisms.

Corrective Actions

- Departments were advised to submit Root Cause Analysis (RCA) and corrective action plans (CAPs).
- Follow-up reviews were scheduled to ensure closure of non-conformities.

3. Second Management Review Meeting

Dates: 24 to 28 June 2025

Objectives

- To review the effectiveness of corrective actions taken after the second internal audit.
- To evaluate mid-year performance of quality objectives.

Participants

- Top Management
- Heads of Departments
- Director–Academic Administration and Quality
- Consultant, QMR, and Quality Team Members
- Process Owners and Section Heads

Key Agenda Points

- Status of non-conformities and corrective actions
- Review of audit outcomes and compliance status
- Review of stakeholder feedback and satisfaction levels
- Risk management and mitigation strategies

Outcomes

- Management emphasized continual improvement and proactive risk-based thinking.
- Decisions were taken to strengthen training and awareness programs.

4. Internal Auditors Training Program – EMS ISO 14001:2015

Dates: 8 to 10 September 2025

Objectives

- To build internal capacity for conducting EMS ISO 14001:2015 audits.
- To enhance understanding of environmental management principles and audit techniques.

Participants

- Nominated faculty members and administrative staff

Program Highlights

- Overview of EMS ISO 14001:2015 requirements
- Environmental aspects and impacts assessment
- Audit planning, execution, reporting, and follow-up
- Practical case studies and mock audits

Outcome

- Participants were trained and qualified as internal auditors for EMS.
- Enhanced institutional preparedness for environmental audits.

5. Third Internal Audit (EOMS ISO 21001:2018 and EMS ISO 14001:2015)

Dates: 26 November to 9 December 2025

Objectives

- To evaluate compliance with both EOMS ISO 21001:2018 and EMS ISO 14001:2015.
- To assess the integration and effectiveness of educational and environmental management systems.

Scope

- Academic and administrative processes
- Environmental aspects, impacts, and controls
- Legal and regulatory compliance

Key Findings

- Improved compliance compared to previous audits.
- Minor observations related to environmental documentation and awareness.

Outcomes

- Departments were guided to enhance environmental performance indicators.
- Corrective actions were initiated with defined timelines.

6. Internal Auditors Training Program—EOMS ISO 21001:2018 and EMS ISO 14001:2015

Dates: 6 to 8 November 2025

Objectives

- To provide integrated training on EOMS and EMS standards.
- To develop competent internal auditors capable of auditing multiple management systems.

Program Highlights

- Interpretation of ISO 21001:2018 and ISO 14001:2015 clauses
- Integrated management system approach
- Risk-based auditing and reporting
- Hands-on audit exercises

Outcome

- Creation of a pool of trained internal auditors.
- Improved audit quality and consistency across departments.

Compliance

1 Manipal Tata Medical College submitted an application to the National Medical Commission (NMC) on 16th January 2025 for the enhancement of MBBS intake capacity from 150 to 200 seats. The National Medical Commission conducted a surprise inspection on 23rd June 2025 to assess compliance for the proposed seat increase. Following satisfactory evaluation, Manipal Tata Medical College was granted the Letter of Permission (LOP) on 04th September 2025, approving the increase of MBBS seats from 150 to 200.

Conclusion

In 2025, the Quality Department successfully conducted management review meetings, internal audits, and training programs in line with ISO standards. These initiatives significantly contributed to strengthening compliance, promoting a culture of quality, and ensuring continual improvement across the institution. The systematic approach adopted by the department has laid a strong foundation for sustained excellence in educational and environmental management systems.

Department of General Services

The Department of General Services, headed by the Director, Mr Shridhar Rao is responsible for the supervision of estates and maintenance of all support services such as ancillary, civil, electrical, Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC), telecommunication, transportation fleet, plumbing, and water supply. The various branches of the department ensure the smooth, seamless functioning of the institutions and hospitals in multiple locations. The application of state-of-the-art technology, with an eye on efficiency, cost-effectiveness, and resource conservation is inbuilt into the team's DNA.

Introduction: The Civil Department focuses on the repair and renovation of buildings, including Underground Drainage (UGD) maintenance. Ancillary services handle housekeeping, road cleaning, solid waste and garbage management, façade cleaning, pest control, horticulture, landscaping, waste management, and composting. The Electrical Department maintains the 33/11 kV substation and 38 11/0.433 kV substations and performs the critical function of ensuring 24/7 power supply. A 100 per cent backup power supply is maintained through Diesel Generator (DG) sets. The inclusion of green energy is a priority area, along with fuel efficiency. Additionally, two 11 kV express feeders have been added from the Mangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited (MESCOM) 33/11 kV Parkala substation to the Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT)/Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutics Research (MCBR) campus. Water Supply and Plumbing departments address plumbing complaints, supervise and monitor the water supply system, and operate and maintain sewage treatment plants and grey water treatment plants. The Air Conditioning department operates 19 central chiller plants, with 6,800 standalone units functioning on campus. The department contributes to effective cost saving by optimizing resource use and improving efficiency. HVAC systems are upgraded in phases to adopt the best available energy-efficient technology. The Telecommunications department enables MAHE to communicate effectively with its constituent units via intercom and cellular services. Maintenance is proactively planned to deliver a high standard of service, including system upgrades. The transportation fleet ensures safe and secure mobility for university staff, students, and guests.

Environment and Energy Management

Energy Management

MAHE institutions follow an energy efficiency policy to procure only energy-efficient appliances and to phase out older ones. The emphasis is now on improving energy management through better controls, monitoring via Building Management System (BMS), and reducing losses. More than 90 per cent of the campus has replaced conventional appliances with energy-efficient alternatives.

The university has steadily increased its rooftop solar Photovoltaic (PV) bank by four times since 2015 and has doubled its green-wheeling energy bank. Currently, the university has a rooftop solar PV capacity of 3.4 MWp. In addition to solar power, solar water heaters have also been installed in the residential and hospital buildings on campus to meet hot water requirements, with an installed capacity of 4,87,891 Litres per Day (LPD), thereby reducing dependency on electric water heating facilities.

The campus has installed a biogas plant with a capacity of 6 m^3/day, capable of converting 50 kg of organic waste into cooking fuel. Approximately 8,424 kg of organic waste has been converted into biogas so far. This energy is used as cooking fuel in the campus food court kitchen and is equivalent to 13,842.84 kWh of calorific energy.

Energy efficient transformers

Solar water heaters

Synchronization of DGs for power efficiency

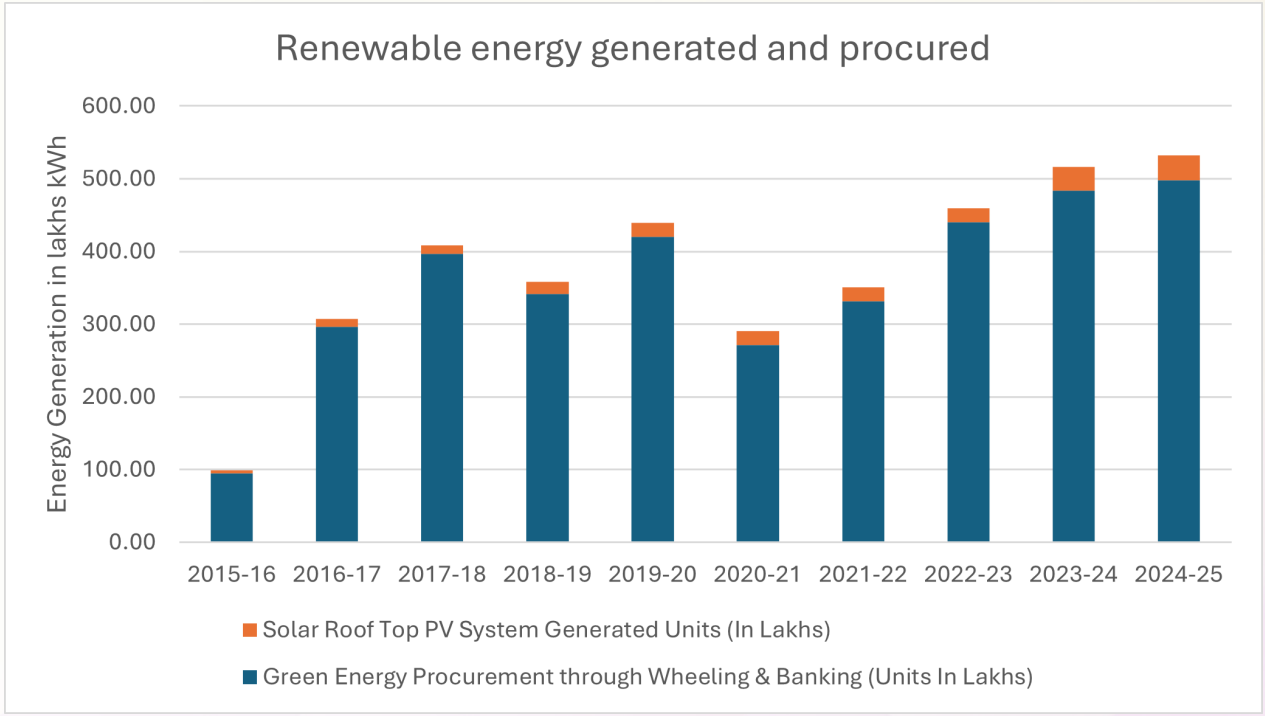
Roof top PV on MLCP

Central chiller plant

Roof top PV on Mareena – Indoor sports complex

Heat pumps used instead of electric coils

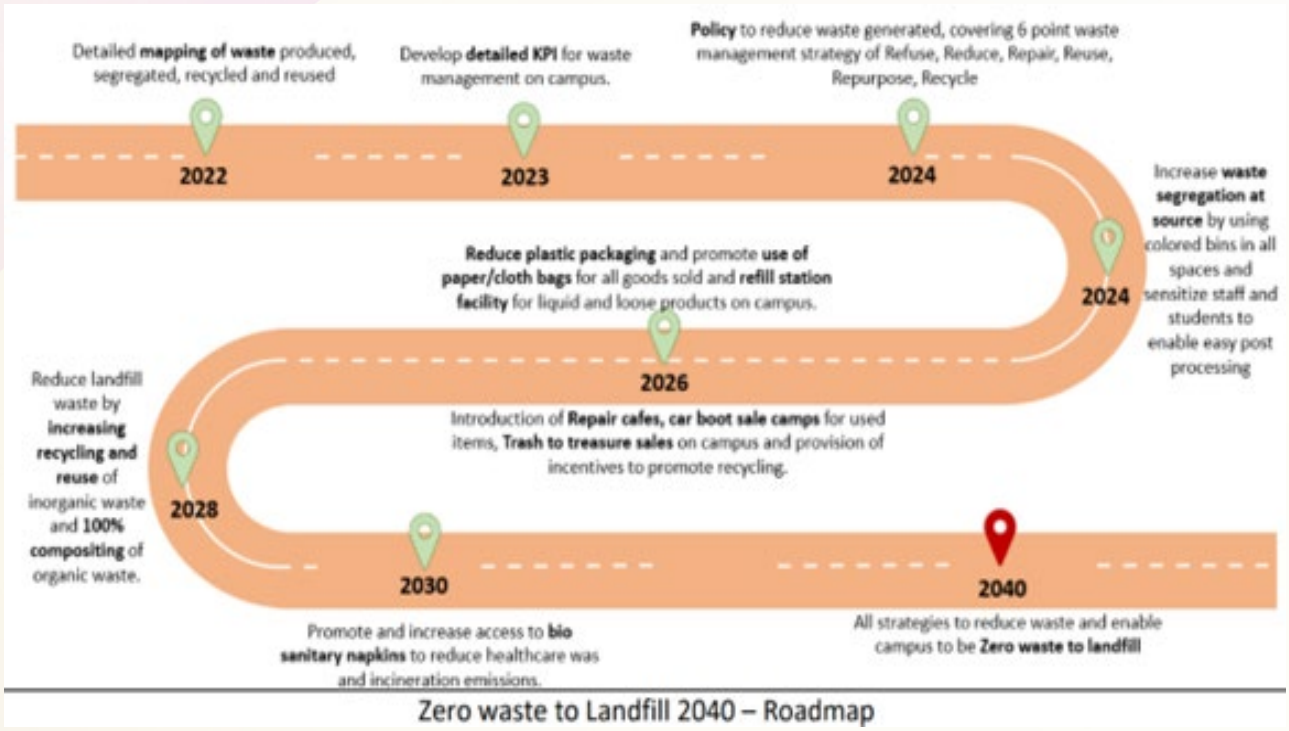
Biogas Plant



Total electricity used on campus = 8,41,36,221 kWh
Total green energy generated through rooftop solar PV = 34,47,500 kWh
Total green energy procured through green-wheeling = 4,97,71,000 kWh
Percentage of green energy use = 63.3 per cent

Solid Waste Management

The MAHE campuses have a massive footprint in terms of waste produced. To ensure that all types of waste are handled from source to end-of-life, the university has established mandatory protocols and policy measures.



Zero waste to Landfill 2040 – Roadmap

Water bottling plant

Sewage treatment plant

Use of e-pads for examinations has saved 430 trees

Organic waste converter

Vermicomposting

Styrofoam recycler

A few of the initiatives taken up by MAHE to curb solid waste generation:

- The student exams on campus are managed and delivered on Exam Pads, a tablet PC custom-built for education. One can write and draw as on paper, thus reducing paper usage by 19.1 tons.
- The use of e-pads for examinations has saved 461 trees.
- An initiative to reduce paper usage by phasing out hard copies of convocation reports since 2018.
- The campus's solid waste management policy commits to minimising plastic products, and a ban on single-use plastic has been implemented as per Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) guidelines.
- The use of Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET) water bottles on campus has been reduced by installing a bottling plant, which ensures clean, reusable glass bottles for drinking water. This initiative has reduced 6,000 kg of PET bottle consumption.
- An organic waste composter of 400 kg/day capacity aids in converting all wet waste collected on campus into pre-compost within eight hours, which is a vital input for the University gardens.
- The campus also adopts a traditional system of using earthworms to digest wet waste and turn it into vermicompost, which is utilized for green cover development on campus.

MAHE introduced an e-waste collection system on its campuses in 2021 and has been successfully segregating this waste stream for eco-friendly management. Items collected include batteries (AA/AAA/Laptop), CDs/DVDs, USB/memory sticks, and printer cartridges. Separate collection is maintained for IT and electrical end-of-life equipment. E-waste is sold to authorized recyclers, and batteries are returned to the manufacturers.

Thermocol or Styrofoam is a persistent pollutant that impacts soil, water bodies, and marine life if not properly managed. Hence, the University has set up an in-house melting machine that melts the thermocol and produces raw material that can be used as input for the plastic recycling industry.

Water

The wastewater generated on the campus is recycled in state-of-the-art sewage treatment plants with a capacity of 7,400 Kilolitres per Day (KLD) and three sullage treatment plants of 450 KLD within the campus. Treated water from the sullage treatment plant is reused for flushing in the buildings. Sewage Treatment Plant (STP)-treated water is mainly used for irrigation of the landscape. This ensures that all the black and grey water is treated and reused.

The treated wastewater from both the sewage treatment plant and the sullage treatment plant is reused on campus for irrigating and flushing, significantly reducing the freshwater demand. Ninety-eight per cent of the treated water generated is reused on campus, with the remaining lost in conveyance.

Sewage treatment plant 1

Sullage treatment plants for flushing use

MAHE has successfully implemented the following programs to ensure water conservation at the campus level:

- **Rainwater collection**: Rooftop rainwater is collected and sent to trickle sand filters with a 10,000 Liters/hour filtering capacity.
- **Artificial lakes:** The existing artificial lakes on campus are conserved, and their capacity is enhanced from 8,000 kl to 11,000 kl.
- **Irrigation water**: The freshwater demand for landscape irrigation is reduced by using STP-treated water and rainwater.
- **Water metering:** Water consumption is continuously metered and regularly monitored to identify any malfunctions or leakages in the network.
- **Urinals:** Sensor flushes are installed for urinals, and a majority of the urinals have been retrofitted to waterless urinals to reduce water demand.

Transportation

The entire campus is well-connected via shuttle service, reducing the need for private vehicle parking. All major assembly blocks and residential buildings have sufficient parking spaces to meet the needs of both the public and campus residents.

The MAHE campus has actively worked to reduce the use of private vehicles and encourage zero-emission vehicles, thereby reducing the overall parking area requirement on-site.

- 1,500 free bicycle rentals are provided on campus, which require less parking space and produce no pollutants.
- E-bikes are available for on-campus student transportation, which requires less parking space.
- E-buggy cars are used by students and staff to commute between hostels and academic buildings on campus.
- A bus shuttle service is provided by the university for the daily commute to and from the campus for all staff and students.
- Staff housing on campus reduces commute time and the need for private transport.
- A multi-level car parking (MLCP) facility accommodates approximately 1,220 vehicles, including two-wheelers and four-wheelers, reducing the need for on-ground parking. The MLCP covers only 25 per cent of the ground area compared to on-ground parking for the same number of vehicles.
- Students are restricted from bringing their own vehicles to the MIT campus to reduce parking requirements and encourage the use of public transport.

Campus Buses for intercampus as well as intra campus trips

Buggy transport

Multilevel car parking

Sl. No.	Shuttle vehicle	No of Vehicles
1	Bus	44
2	E-buggy	6
Sl. No.	**Other university-managed vehicles**	**No of Vehicles**
1	Cars (Fuel-based)	41
2	Electric Vehicle (EV) cars	9
3	E-Minitruck	1
4	Motorcycles	4
5	Service vehicles (Trucks, Tankers, and Tractors)	10
6	Ambulances	9

The University manages a total vehicle fleet of 124; which includes 16 EV vehicles, one hybrid car, and 107 fully fuel-based combustion engine vehicles. The fuel-based vehicles include cars, shuttle buses, motorcycles, ambulances, and service vehicles.

Electric cars for inter-intra-campus transport and airport drop-off Closed parking facility for bicycles and E-bikes

Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) Mapped:

This year, the UI Green Metric Ranking Agency ranked MAHE as the greenest campus in India, placing it 1st nationally and 117th globally.

Office of International Affairs and Collaborations

Established in 2014, the Office of International Affairs and Collaborations (OIAC), serves as the University's central hub for global engagement. Led by the Director of International Collaborations and his team, the OIAC synchronizes international efforts across all 31 colleges and academic units at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE).

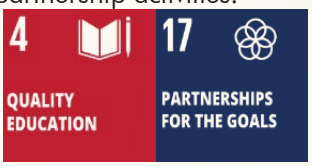
The OIAC provides a unified framework to streamline international initiatives while balancing institutional oversight with faculty innovation. Key responsibilities include:

- Providing direction and synchronization for all university-level international work.
- Acting as the primary point of contact for overseas institutions and government bodies.
- Aligning international opportunities with program curricula to enable student mobility and transnational enrolment.

The OIAC functions as a comprehensive resource for international study, research, and internships abroad and at MAHE. By providing information regarding intercultural competence and language acquisition, the office empowers students and faculty to exceed traditional academic boundaries.

Key Achievements and Activities:

1. **Program administration:** Managing student exchange programs ranging from one week to full semesters.
2. **Global networking:** Facilitating both inbound and outbound mobility through a robust network of partner institutions.
3. **Scholarly development:** Promoting meticulous knowledge sharing through academically sound international experiences.
4. **Ancillary student services and compliance:** The OIAC ensures institutional adherence to evolving statutory regulations. In coordination with the Office of Quality and Compliance, the department manages the well-being and legal status of all international students, faculty, staff, and scholars.
5. **Centralized regulatory functions:** Support for visa application and processing support along with issuing of official invitation letters for consular use.
6. **Immigration compliance (Foreigners Regional Registration Officer (FRRO)):** Facilitating entry/exit requirements, including Form C (stay), Form S (student information at institution/college), Bonafide certificates, and RC/RP (Registration Certificate/Permit) online registrations.
7. **Logistics management:** Coordinating on-campus accommodation, arrival/departure logistics, and international guest itineraries.
8. **Financial oversight:** Reviewing fees and financial matters in collaboration with Finance and Human Resources departments.
9. **Data analytics:** Maintaining comprehensive records of mobility metrics and international partnership activities.



2025 initiatives

The Culinary Boot Camp: The Korea Culinary Boot Camp was inaugurated on 20 January 2025 as a part of internationalization endeavours by Welcome Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA), MAHE. The flavourful exchange of ideas was not just about learning recipes, but also about understanding and appreciating each other's cultures through the universal language of cuisine. Mr Kim Joo Nam, Faculty Coordinator at Korea Global Chef High School, mentioned that "Events like these are crucial in fostering global friendships and nurturing a new generation of chefs who will carry the spirit of international collaboration forward." Welcomed warmly by the college Principal, the delegation was treated to a tantalizing showcase of WGSHA's infrastructure, innovative curriculum, and dynamic teaching methods. As the day unfolded, the delegation embarked on a sensory adventure, traversing the campus's culinary museum, state-of-the-art classrooms, bustling training kitchens, inviting restaurants, and student amenities. Through these interactive experiences, students can enhance their culinary skills as well as develop a profound appreciation for India's cultural heritage.

Towards excellence: Office of International Affairs and Collaborations (OIAC), MAHE hosted a graduate student fair event called The Education@US – India Educational Foundation (USIEF) with Top US Universities on Wednesday, 06 March 2025, at MAHE, Manipal. The event provided an opportunity for

students to learn about graduate programs at 31 renowned US universities including: Arizona State University, Avila University, Bradley University, California State University Channel Islands, City University of Seattle, Colorado State University, DePaul University, George Washington School of Business, Illinois Institute of Technology, Lawrence Technological University, Lehigh University, Northeastern University, Northern Arizona University, Southern Utah University, Syracuse University, The Catholic University of America, The University of Arizona, Troy University, University of Denver - Daniels College of Business, University of Louisville - College of Business, University Of Missouri - Kansas City (UMKC), University of New Haven, University of San Francisco, University of Southern California Viterbi School of Engineering, University of Southern California's Marshall School of Business, University of Utah - David Eccles School of Business, University of Wisconsin Milwaukee, Wake forest University School of Business, Wayne State University, and Worcester Polytechnic Institute (WPI) Business School.

MAHE Bengaluru collaborates with New Zealand: The University of Auckland, New Zealand, has collaborated with MAHE Bengaluru for student and faculty exchange programs between the two universities on 12 March 2025.

In a landmark for international collaboration at MAHE, the Centre of Excellence in Clinical Embryology at Kasturba Medical College (KMC) Manipal, partnered with the University of Münster, Germany, to host the Indo-German workshop on translational andrology (February 28 – March 1, 2025). The summit focused on integrating cutting-edge research, such as non-invasive sperm selection and fertility preservation for paediatric cancer patients, into clinical practice. This strategic exchange highlighted MAHE's commitment to addressing the global decline in male fertility through high-impact international partnerships and innovative, patient-centric solutions.

MAHE engages international students on an academic cum cultural drive: The Manipal International Summer School (MISS) 2025, held from 07 to 18 July 2025, offered interdisciplinary learning and cross-cultural experiences to both international and Indian students. This program fostered global connections at MAHE's vibrant campus.

MAHE's National Model United Nations Conference (MAHE-MUN) 2025 concluded with resounding success, inspiring future global leaders: MAHE successfully hosted the prestigious MAHE-MUN conference from 15 to 17 August 2025. This international conference welcomed over 400 delegates from 45+ leading institutions across India. Entirely student-led, the event featured 40+ executive board members, 100+ organising committee and secretariat members, and a strategic board of directors, exemplifying MAHE's commitment to empowering student leadership and fostering collaborative excellence. The conference commenced on August 15 with a grand opening ceremony graced by legendary cricketer Mr Anil Kumble, whose inspiring address set the tone for the transformative three-day experience. The conference's inspiring tagline, "Unity in diplomacy, strength in diversity", was fully realised through the successful integration of diverse academic and cultural backgrounds, creating an extraordinary exchange of ideas and perspectives. MAHE-MUN 2025 redefined the Indian circuit with 15 dynamic committees spanning domains from international relations to creative crisis simulations. The conference featured groundbreaking debuts such as the Indian National Committee on Space Research (INCOSPAR), Fortune Global Forum, and the White House Situation Room, setting new standards for innovation. Exceptional outcomes were achieved across diverse simulations, ranging from Red Sea Crisis strategies proposed by the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) to the landmark legal proceedings by the International Court of Justice (ICJ). From security frameworks of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) to the rights charter of the fictional Ministry of Magic, the event delivered high-impact solutions and unprecedented diplomatic depth.

Collaborations with MAHE: On 22 September 2025, MAHE was part of the New Jersey delegation's economic mission to India, where New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy witnessed the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the New Jersey Institute of Technology (NJIT), US and MAHE, Manipal at the Ritz-Carlton in Bangalore. The agreement aims to strengthen academic and research collaboration between the two institutions and create opportunities for student and faculty exchanges, joint research, and dual-degree programs in areas like artificial intelligence (AI), robotics, and computing.

Rhea Chaudhary, a first-year Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) student at Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, MAHE, secured the Second-Best Team award in the Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) program. Representing her institution globally, she competed alongside an international team during the intensive program held from 20 November to 4 December 2025.

Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, MAHE, organized an enriching session on "Charting the future: Career pathways for business analytics professionals" by Professor Jamie Mustard, Pro Vice Chancellor at Deakin Business School, attended by BBA students on 20 August 2025. This session offered

insights into emerging career opportunities and employability skills in the field of business analytics.

Four students from the Department of Occupational Therapy, Manipal College of Health Professions, successfully completed a prestigious four-week clinical placement at Barwon Health, Australia, facilitated through our strategic partnership with Deakin University, Australia. The participants achieved all clinical competencies, specifically noting significant growth in professional documentation and hands-on practice under expert supervision. The students highly commended the collaborative environment, describing the opportunity to integrate into an international healthcare team as a transformative and "fabulous" educational experience.

The University of Melbourne, Australia; City University, New York; University of Manchester, UK; University College Dublin, Ireland; National University of Singapore, Singapore; and University of Surrey, UK have been some of our top visitors for 2025.

MAHE hosted "KAIROS" to celebrate International Students' Day under the theme "Empowering students to be agents of change" on 17 November 2025. This included an international fair with country-wise cultural stalls and cultural performances, which highlighted the diverse student body of MAHE with representation from over 30 countries. MAHE students and staff participated and celebrated this event with absolute vigour.

Team Austen from the Manipal Institute of Communication, MAHE, was selected as a Top 10 finalist in the "Creative shock global social business" case competition held in Lithuania from 20 to 23 November 2025. Outperforming 51 international teams, the students successfully developed complex financial and communication strategies for NGOs, demonstrating high-level expertise despite rigorous academic schedules. This achievement brings significant global recognition to MAHE, showcasing the institution's excellence in fostering world-class strategic and social entrepreneurship skills.

Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA), MAHE, achieved international acclaim as one student, Mr C D Harsh, represented India at the WorldSkills Asia 2025 competition held in Taipei from 26 November to 28 November 2025. Competing in the "Restaurant service" category, he showcased the exceptional technical finesse and hospitality standards cultivated at the institute. His participation was bolstered by intensive training under Mr Paritosh Dabral, faculty member at WGSHA, who served as the National Expert for the category. This global milestone underscores WGSHA's commitment to excellence and its role in placing MAHE on the map of world-class vocational training.

International Student Associations for Student Exchange

International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Experience (IAESTE): IAESTE is the flagship student exchange program of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). IAESTE India and its local chapter IAESTE Manipal, is a student-driven organization supported by the constituent units of MAHE. As an organization of the students, by the students and for the students, it has over 2,000 members. Through this platform, a plethora of opportunities are offered to the students to enhance their careers by pursuing technical internships abroad. For details, contact chairperson@iaeste.in.

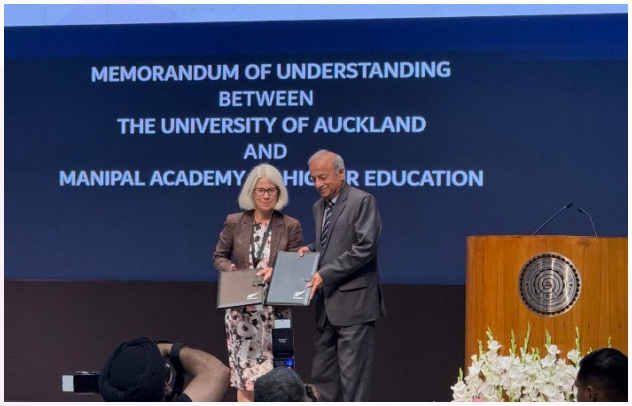
Association Internationale des Étudiants en Sciences Économiques et Commerciales (AIESEC): AIESEC, on the other hand, is a global volunteer organization for inbound and outbound exchange students that primarily handles projects of social importance and that have a deep impact on society at large. For details, visit https://opportunities.aiesec.org/.

International Pharmaceutical Students' Federation (IPSF): Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) is the only association across pharmacy institutes in India to have the membership status from IPSF, Netherlands. The Manipal Association of Pharmacy Students (MAPS), a student body of MCOPS Manipal, runs this association and facilitates the student exchanges. IPSF is among the world's oldest international student organization for pharmacy students and pharmacists and represents more than 3,20,000 students and recent graduates from 80 countries. This leap comes as a boost to promote internationalization on campus and will be a milestone for MCOPS to initiate student exchanges and internships.

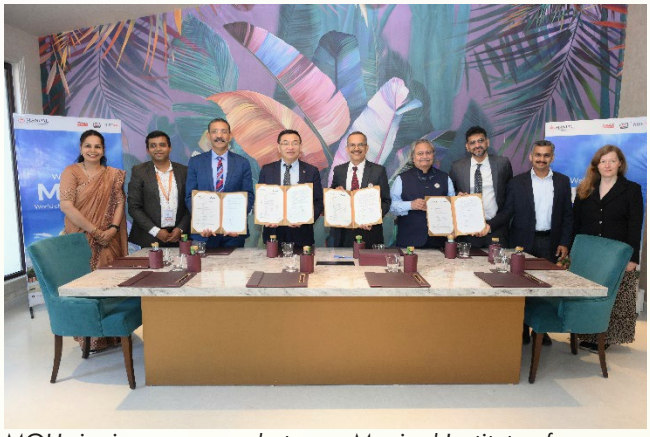
KAIROS - International Students Day was celebrated on 17 Nov 2025 by the Office of International Affairs and Collaborations (OIAC), MAHE.

Graduate Student Fair - The Education@US – India Educational Foundation (USIEF) on 06 Mar 2025

Manipal International Summer School (MISS) 2025 held from 07 to 18 Jul 2025



MAHE MoU signing ceremony, The University of Auckland, New Zealand, held on 12 Mar 2025



MOU signing ceremony between Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE and University of Surrey, UK, held on 01 Feb 2025

The Culinary Boot Camp: The Korea Culinary Boot Camp was inaugurated on 20 Jan 2025

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EducationUSA India Roadshow organized by Office of International Affairs and Collaborations (OIAC) held on 06 Mar 2025

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

Sl No	University Name	Country	Signed On	Expires On	Agreement Name	Related Institution at MAHE
1	ACEMAPP—Michigan Health Council	US	12 Jun 2025	11 Jun 2026	Student inbound mobility subscription agreement	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal (KMC)
2	Adam Mickiewicz University—AMU	Poland	09 Apr 2025	08 Apr 2026	Staff exchange—Erasmus Inter-Institutional Agreement (IIA)	MISHA
3	Aimst University	Malaysia	27 Mar 2025	26 Mar 2028	General Agreement	Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE)
4	Aix-Marseille University— AMU	France	25 May 2025	29 May 2030	General and Student exchange agreement	MAHE
5	Asia College of Exercise Medicine	Malaysia	21 Feb 2025	20 Feb 2030	General agreement	MAHE/Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine (MIRM)
6	Cast Alimenti—Center of food Art, Sciences and Technology	Italy	11 Jun 2025	10 Jun 2028	Articulation agreement—Dual/Joint Program (Bachelor) Scholarship agreement	Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA)
7	Deakin University	Australia	19 Sep 2025	18 Sep 2030	General agreement—Executive education for working professional	T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI) Bengaluru
			08 Dec 2025	07 Dec 2030	Articulation agreement—Dual Master agreement	MAHE Dubai
8	Drexel University	US	10 Jan 2025	09 Jan 2028	General agreement	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT)
9	EDHEC Business School	France	06 Mar 2025	05 Mar 2030	Student Exchange agreement	TAPMI Manipal
10	Emotional WellBeing Istitute	Switzerland	28 Apr 2025	27 Apr 2030	General agreement	Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH)
11	Flinders University	Australia	22 Apr 2025	21 Apr 2030	Student exchange agreement and study abroad	MAHE/Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS)
12	Gems Modern Academy	Dubai	04 Mar 2025	28 Feb 2027	General agreement	MAHE
13	Genwise	India	15 May 2025	14 May 2026	Addendum student traning program	MAHE
14	Global Training and Education Centre at Wrightington Wigan and Leigh Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (GTEC WWL)	England	26 Jul 2025	25 Jul 2030	General agreement	KMC Manipal/Mangalore, Manipal College of Nursing (MCON)

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15	Hamburg University of Technology	Germany	17 Dec 2025	16 Dec 2030	General agreement General and Student exchange agreement	MAHE MIT Manipal
16	Harvard Business Publishing Education	US	15 Sep 2025	14 Sep 2026	Student exchange agreement Postgraduate-Online (Site License agreement) Student exchange agreement Undergraduate-online (Unlimited catalog access agreement)	TAPMI Bengaluru
17	Hasselt University	Belgium	05 Jun 2025	04 Jun 2028	General agreement	TAPMI Manipal/MAHE
18	Hotel Schools of Distinction (HSD)	US	03 Apr 2025	28 Feb 2026	Membership agreement	WGSHA
19	HSE University Saint Petersburg	Russia	31 Oct 2025	30 Oct 2030	Student exchange agreement	MAHE
20	IESEG School of Management	Paris	25 Nov 2025	24/11/2030	General agreement	TAPMI Bengaluru
21	Illinois institute of technology	US	08 Jun 2025	07 Jun 2028	Student exchange agreement	International Centre for Applied Sciences, (ICAS)/MAHE
22	Indiana University (IUPUI)	US	09 Oct 2025	08 Oct 2030	Student exchange agreement	Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP)
23	Jean Monnet University (UJM)	France	05 Nov 2025	04 Nov 2030	General agreement	Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology
24	Karolinska Institutet	Sweden	20 Mar 2025	19 Mar 2030	Research consortium agreement	Manipal Institute of Virology (MIV)
25	Kumamoto University	Japan	02 May 2025	01 May 2030	Student exchange agreement	MIT Manipal
26	Laurentian University	Canada	31 May 2025	30 May 2030	General agreement	MAHE/TAPMI Manipal
27	Maastricht University	Netherlands	17 Sep 2025	03 Jun 2026	Student exchange agreement—Global Study program-Addendum	PSPH
28	Macquarie University	Australia	19 Feb 2025	18 Feb 2030	Articulation agreement—Twinning agreement 2+2	MIT Manipal
29	MAHSA University	Malaysia	17 Apr 2025	16 Apr 2028	General Agreement	MAHE/Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore (MCODS)
30	Miami University	US	13 May 2025	12 May 2030	General agreement	MAHE/MIT Bengaluru

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31	Monash University	Australia	09 Apr 2025	08 Apr 2030	Articulation agreement —Credit transfer agreement	ICAS
			01 Dec 2025	30 Nov 2030	Articulation agreement—Dual Degree agreement	MIT Manipal
32	Monash University Malaysia	Malaysia	04 Jun 2025	03 Jun 2030	General agreement	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS)/MAHE
33	Montan University of Leoben	Austria	26 Nov 2025	25 Nov 2026	Student exchange agreement (Scholarship agreement for MAHE students)	MIT Manipal
34	National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University	Taiwan	31 Jan 2025	30 Jan 2028	General agreement	MAHE/MSLS
35	New Jersey Institute of Technology (NJIT)	US	22 Sep 2025	21 Sep 2030	General agreement	MAHE
36	Northeastern University	US	19 Mar 2025	18 Feb 2030	General agreement	MAHE
37	Nottingham Trent University	UK	04 Jun 2025	03 Jun 2028	General agreement	MAHE/MIT Bengaluru
38	Osnabruck University	Germany	11 Dec 2025	10 Dec 2030	Student exchange agreement	MAHE
39	Prince of Songkla University	Thailand	30 Sep 2025	29 Sep 2030	Student exchange agreement	MIT Manipal/ Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Dubai Campus (MAIP)
40	Pullman Regional Hospital	US	09 Jul 2025	08 Jul 2026	Student exchange—Clinical Training Affiliation agreement out bound	KMC Manipal
41	Tallinn University	Estonia	27 Jan 2025	26 Jan 2026	Student exchange agreement—Erasmus Inter Institution agreement	MAHE/MISHA
42	Tamkang University	Taiwan	01 Sep 2025	31 Aug 2030	General agreement	MAHE
			01 Sep 2025	31 Aug 2030	Student exchange agreement	MIT Manipal
43	Technische Hochschule Ingolstadt	Germany	15 Apr 2025	14 Apr 2030	General agreement	MAHE/ MIT Bengaluru
44	Thammasat University	Thailand	29 Dec 2025	28 Dec 2030	General agreement	PSPH/MAHE
45	The University of Akron	US	08 Apr 2025	07 Apr 2030	General agreement	MAHE/TAPMI Manipal
46	The University of British Columbia (UBC)	Canada	10 Jan 2025	09 Jan 2028	General agreement	MAHE
47	The University of	UK	22 May	21 May	General agreement	MAHE

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	Manchester		2025	2028		
48	The University of Salford Manchester	England	18 Nov 2025	17 Nov 2029	General agreement	MAHE/MSLS
49	Technical University Dublin	Ireland	07 Apr 2025	06 Apr 2030	General agreement	TAPMI Manipal/MAHE
50	Umea University	Sweden	07 May 2025	06 May 2030	Student exchange agreement	MAHE
51	Universidad Estadual De Campinas (UNICAMP)	Brazil	22 Jan 2025	21 Jan 2028	Student exchange agreement— Exchange of two students per semester	TAPMI Manipal
52	Universita Degli Studi Di Milano	Italy	02 Sep 2025	31 Aug 2030	General agreement	MAHE
			02 Sep 2025	31 Aug 2030	Student exchange agreement	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)
53	Universitas Multimedia Nusantara	Indonesia	10 Apr 2025	09 Apr 2030	General agreement	MAHE
54	Universitas Multimedia Nusantara	Indonesia	19 Aug 2025	18 Sep 2030	Student exchange agreement	MAHE
55	University of Auckland	New Zealand	12 Mar 2025	11 Mar 2030	General agreement	MIT Bengaluru/MAHE
			15 Dec 2025	14 Dec 2030	Articulation agreement — 3+1.5/2 (Maste degree agreement), 2+1+1 (Dual degree)	MAHE/MIRM
56	University of Castilla-La Mancha	Spain	08 Jan 2025	07 Jan 2029	Student exchange agreement	MISHA
57	University of Latvia	Latvia	03 Feb 2025	02 Feb 2027	Student exchange agreement— Erasmus IIA	MISHA
58	University of Luxembourg	Luxembourg	25 Mar 2025	31 Dec 2030	Research agreement	KMC Mangalore
59	University of Naples Federico II	Italy	13 Feb 2025	12 Feb 2030	Student exchange agreement	KMC Manipal
60	University of Pittsburgh	US	25 Aug 2025	24 Aug 2030	General agreement	MAHE/MIRM
61	University of Sao Paulo	Brazil	18 Dec 2025	17 Dec 2030	General agreement	PSPH/MAHE
62	University of Southampton	UK	16 Jan 2025	15 Jan 2030	Articulation agreement— Integrated Bachelor Master Program (Admission agreement)	MISHA
63	University of Surrey	UK	01 Feb 2025	31 Jan 2030	Articulation agreement— Integrated Master	MIT Manipal

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					Progression agreement and 1+1 Dual Master Progression agreement	
64	University of Technology Sydney	Australia	09 Apr 2025	08 Apr 2030	Articulation agreement— Twinning agreement 2+2	ICAS
65	University of Lille	France	21 Jul 2025	20 Jul 2030	General agreement	MAHE
66	Utrecht University	Netherlands	17 Sep 2025	16 Sep 2028	Research agreement Equity in International Mobility (EQUIMOB Project)	PSPH
67	Virginia Commonwealth University	US	06 Apr 2025	05 Apr 2030	Articulation agreement— 3.5+1.5 Master degree program	MIT Bengaluru
			06 Apr 2025	05 Apr 2030	Articulation agreement— 4+1 Master degree program	MIT Bengaluru
			24 Apr 2025	23 Apr 2030	Articulation agreement— Twinning agreement 2+2	ICAS
			09 May 2025	08 May 2030	Articulation agreement— 3.5+1.5 Master degree program	MIT Manipal
			09 May 2025	08 May 2030	Articulation agreement—4+1 Master degree program	MIT Manipal
68	Volda University College (VUC)	Norway	10 Jan 2025	01 Sep 2027	Student exchange agreement— Erasmus IIA	MIC
69	Western Sydney University (WSU)	Australia	05 Feb 2025	30 Nov 2029	General agreement	MAHE/MCODS Mangalore

Cultural Coordination Committee (CCC)

Chairperson: Dr Shobha U Kamath, Additional Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, MAHE; Secretary: Dr Mohandas Rao K G, Professor of Anatomy, Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE; Joint Secretaries: Ms Swathi Acharya K, Assistant Professor (Senior Scale), Department of Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, WGSHA, Manipal, and Mr Prajwal L Salins, Assistant Professor, Department of Health Information Management, MCHP, Manipal.

Throughout 2025, the Cultural Coordination Committee (CCC) of MAHE has actively worked towards encouraging cultural diversity and artistic expression. Through an array of programs, including spellbinding musical events, dramas, dance performances, and major cultural celebrations, CCC has created meaningful and engaging experiences for students, faculty, and the community at large.

The New Year Award Ceremony- Solo dance performance by Dr Vasundhara Doraiswamy (11 January 2025)

The New Year Award Ceremony was held on 11 January 2025 at KMC Greens, Manipal, in a dignified and celebratory atmosphere. The event marked the beginning of the year by honouring individuals for their outstanding contributions and achievements.

As part of the cultural segment of the ceremony, the CCC, MAHE, organized a Bharatanatyam solo dance performance by Dr Vasundhara Doraiswamy, who was also one of the MAHE New Year Awardees for 2025. The performance added artistic elegance and cultural depth to the occasion.

Dr Vasundhara Doraiswamy's Bharatanatyam recital was a fine blend of grace, rhythm, and expressive storytelling reflecting the richness of Indian classical dance traditions. Her performance captivated the audience and was received with great appreciation by the dignitaries, faculty members, students, and guests present.

Overall, the New Year Award Ceremony 2025 at KMC Greens was a well-organized and enriching event, setting a positive and inspiring tone for the year ahead.

Classical Music and Dance Concert (23 January 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, organized a Classical Music and Dance Concert on Thursday, 23 January 2025, at 6:30 PM. The program was held at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, TMA Pai Halls, MAHE, Manipal, and witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, faculty members, and art enthusiasts.

The concert featured a rich blend of Carnatic classical music and Indian classical dance, showcasing the depth and diversity of India's performing arts traditions. The musical segment was led by Sri Venkidesh B S, a Carnatic vocalist and a research scholar who is currently pursuing his PhD at the Manipal School of Life Sciences. Sri Venkidesh was ably accompanied by Sri Haripriya and Sri Narayana, whose support added rhythmic and melodic strength to the performance. The rendition included classical compositions that reflected technical finesse, emotive expression, and adherence to traditional Carnatic aesthetics.

The dance segment featured Ms Manasa, a Research Associate at Bioplus Lifesciences and an alumna of MCOPS, MAHE, and Ms Keerthana Rajeev, a PharmD student at MCOPS, MAHE. Ms Manasa, trained in Bharatanatyam since the age of six and a recipient of the Government of India's Scholarship for Young Artists, delivered a graceful and expressive performance. Ms Keerthana Rajeev, with expertise in Bharatanatyam, Kuchipudi, and Mohiniyattam,

impressed the audience with her technique, stage presence, and emotive storytelling.

Overall, the classical music and dance concert was a memorable cultural evening that reinforced MAHE's commitment to promoting Indian classical arts and providing a platform for accomplished and emerging artists.

Kannada Play "Yogi Mattu Bhogi" (01 February 2025)
The CCC, MAHE, successfully organized a Kannada theatrical performance titled "Yogi Mattu Bhogi" on 01 February 2025 at 6:30 PM. The event was held at the Amphitheatre, Madhav Vihar, Manipal, and was open to all.

"Yogi Mattu Bhogi" is a free adaptation of the classical Sanskrit farce Bhagavadajjuka. The play was directed by Shri Mahesh Dattani, with Yakshagana choreography by Shri Bannanje Sanjeeva Suvarna, and was translated into Kannada by Shri Vishvajith Madhavanmurthy. The performance seamlessly blended classical Indian theatrical elements with folk traditions, making it engaging and thought-provoking for a contemporary audience. The play explored the contrasting philosophies of asceticism and worldly pleasure through humour, satire, and expressive movement. The incorporation of Yakshagana-style choreography added visual richness and cultural depth to the narrative, enhancing the overall theatrical experience.

Overall, Yogi Mattu Bhogi was a significant cultural event that successfully promoted classical Indian literature, regional language theatre, and traditional performing arts, reaffirming MAHE's commitment to nurturing cultural appreciation and artistic excellence.

Hindustani Classical Vocal and Rudraveena Recitals (18 February 2025)
The CCC, MAHE, in association with Chiranthana Charitable Trust, organized a Hindustani Classical Vocal and Rudraveena Recital on Tuesday, 18 February 2025, at 6:30 PM at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, Dr TMA Pai Halls, MAHE.

The event featured two distinguished exponents of Hindustani classical music, offering the audience a deeply enriching and meditative musical experience rooted in the Dhrupad and Khayal traditions.

The first recital was presented by Ustad Bahauddin Dagar, a renowned torchbearer of the Dhrupad tradition and an eminent Rudraveena maestro. Upholding the illustrious legacy of his father, Ustad Zia Mohiuddin Dagar, Ustad Bahauddin Dagar captivated the audience with his profound exploration of raga, marked by tonal depth, contemplative phrasing, and spiritual intensity. His performance highlighted the meditative essence of the Rudraveena and reflected his significant contribution to reviving

global interest in this rare and ancient instrument. He was ably accompanied by Sri Sanjay Agle, whose support enhanced the rhythmic and aesthetic framework of the recital.

The second segment featured Dr Mithun Chakravarthy, a distinguished Hindustani classical vocalist trained in the Jaipur-Atrauli Gharana and a disciple of Pt Rajshekhar Mansur. An 'A' Grade artist of All India Radio, Mangalore, Dr Mithun Chakravarthy delivered a compelling vocal recital that demonstrated his mastery over raga development, intricate taan patterns, and emotive expression. He was accompanied by Sri Bharavi Deraje and Sri Prasad Kamath, whose sensitive accompaniment complemented the vocal presentation.
The concert was well attended by students, faculty members, and connoisseurs of classical music, who appreciated the rare opportunity to experience both Rudraveena and Hindustani vocal traditions on a single platform.

Overall, the Hindustani Classical Vocal and Rudraveena Recitals stood as a memorable cultural evening, reinforcing MAHE's commitment to preserving and promoting India's rich classical music heritage while fostering cultural awareness within the academic community.

Cultural Event during FICCI FDP-Workshop and Meet (20 February 2025)

On the occasion of the FICCI Faculty Development Program Workshop and Meet, held on 20 February 2025, the CCC, MAHE, organized a vibrant cultural event to complement the academic proceedings and provide a refreshing artistic experience to the participants.

The cultural program showcased a harmonious blend of classical, folk, and contemporary music performances by talented members of the MAHE community. The event commenced with a Bharatanatyam performance by Mr Ranjith PJ from the Department of Pharmacology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. His graceful movements, precise rhythm, and expressive abhinaya beautifully highlighted the depth and elegance of Indian classical dance, captivating the audience.

This was followed by a Yakshagana performance by Ms Vaishnavi A Hegde, an MSc student of Molecular Biology and Human Genetics from the Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS). Her energetic presentation, traditional music, and vivid gestures brought alive the rich folk theatre tradition of coastal Karnataka and were greatly appreciated by the gathering.

The cultural evening concluded with light music and popular film songs performed by Ms Shravya S Basri from the Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences, MAHE, Manipal. Her melodious renditions created a lively and engaging atmosphere, leaving the audience thoroughly entertained.

The cultural event organized by CCC added significant value to the FICCI FDP by offering a platform to showcase artistic talent within the university while promoting India's diverse cultural heritage. The program was well-received by the delegates and contributed to making the FDP a holistic and memorable experience.

Cultural Event during MESVCC Meet (07 March 2025)

On the occasion of the MESVCC Meet, held on 07 March 2025, the CCC, MAHE, organized a well-curated cultural program to enrich the event and provide a refreshing cultural experience for the participants and delegates.

The program began with a soulful Mohana Veena performance by Mr Adhyatma Trivedi, a third-year MBBS student from Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. His instrumental rendition set a serene and contemplative tone, showcasing musical depth and technical finesse that was warmly appreciated by the audience.

This was followed by a vibrant Yakshagana performance by Ms Chaithra Shetty, nursing staff, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal. Her energetic presentation, marked by expressive movements and traditional elements, vividly portrayed the richness of Karnataka's folk theatre tradition and captivated the gathering.

The cultural evening continued with a graceful semi-classical dance performance by Ms Anika B and Ms Arshia Tarkunde, BSc Biotechnology students from the Manipal School of Life Sciences. Their coordinated movements, expressive storytelling, and aesthetic presentation reflected a fine blend of classical and contemporary dance elements.

The program concluded with light music performances by Mr Suhas Kowshik, Faculty in the Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, MIT, Manipal. His melodious renditions of popular songs created a lively and engaging atmosphere, drawing enthusiastic appreciation from the audience.

The cultural event organized by CCC successfully brought together students, faculty, and staff from diverse disciplines, highlighting the vibrant artistic talent within the MAHE community. The program added warmth and cultural richness to the MESVCC Meet, making the occasion both memorable and meaningful.

Shraddha Kusum– A Tribute to Ustad Zakir Hussain (08 March 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, organized a special musical program titled "Shraddha Kusum–A Tribute to Ustad Zakir Hussain" on Saturday, 08 March 2025, at 6:15 PM, at KMC Greens, Manipal, as a part of the celebration of International Women's Day.

The event was conceived as a reverential homage to the legendary tabla maestro Ustad Zakir Hussain, celebrating his immense contribution to Indian classical music. The open-air venue provided a serene and evocative ambience, well-suited to the contemplative and rhythmic depth of the performance.

The concert featured two eminent exponents of the Banaras Gharana of tabla. The lead recital was presented by Pt Ramkumar Mishra, a celebrated tabla artist and one of India's foremost representatives of the Banaras Gharana. His performance was marked by profound rhythmic clarity, aesthetic sophistication, and a deep sense of tradition. The recital reflected his

rich musical lineage and illustrious career, adorned with prestigious honours such as the Taal Mani Award, Haridas Award, Laya Bhaskar Award, and the Tabla Shiromani Award conferred by the Government of Bihar.
Accompanying him was Pt Rahul Kumar Mishra, one of India's emerging tabla maestros and the grandson of Pandit Chhannulal Mishra. His performance demonstrated remarkable virtuosity, creative expression, and technical command, earning widespread appreciation from the audience. His artistry reflected the continuity of a rich musical legacy, complemented by national recognition, including the Sangeet Natak Academy Award.

The program attracted a large and attentive audience comprising students, faculty members, staff, and residents of Manipal. The performances were received with sustained applause and deep appreciation, underscoring the audience's engagement with the spiritual and rhythmic essence of Indian classical percussion.

Overall, Shraddha Kusum stood as a poignant and memorable tribute, aligning the celebration of International Women's Day with the timeless values of dedication, discipline, and artistic excellence embodied by Indian classical music.

Utsav 2025 (08 March and 24 March – 28 March 2025)
Utsav 2025, MAHE's flagship cultural festival, was a grand five-day intercollegiate celebration that united students from various MAHE campuses, including Manipal, Dubai, Malaysia, Jamshedpur, Jaipur, Sikkim, and Bengaluru. The fest witnessed enthusiastic participation from 2,971 students and the involvement of over 400 faculty members. A total of 40 competitions were conducted across diverse categories such as music, dance, theatre, and literary arts. Nearly 125 highly qualified judges evaluated the various competitions during the event.

The inaugural ceremony was held on 25 March 2025, at KMC Greens and was graced by distinguished dignitaries, including Mrs Vasanthi R Pai, Trustee of the MAHE Trust; Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE; Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE; Dr Geetha Maiya, Director of Student Affairs, MAHE; Dr Shobha Kamath, Chairperson, CCC MAHE; and Dr Sambit Dash, Secretary, CCC MAHE.

Event Schedule and Highlights:
08 March 2025–Staff Utsav Cooking Competition: Held at WGSHA Kitchen, featuring vegetarian, non-vegetarian, and dessert categories.

24 March 2025–Staff Variety Entertainment: A fantastic showcase of performances by MAHE faculty and staff at Utsav Main Stage, KMC Greens.

Utsav 2025; Day 1 (25 March 2025):
Painting and Cartooning–Organised by MIT Manipal and MCOPS, respectively.
Debate and Extempore–Hosted by MCODS Manipal and KMC Manipal.
Instrumental (Solo) and Eastern Vocal (Solo)–Showcased at Dr TMA Pai Halls and KMC Greens.
Cultural Parade and Folk Dance (Group)–Celebrating cultural diversity with colourful performances.

Utsav 2025; Day 2 (26 March 2025):
Rangoli and Collage–Conducted at Dr TMA Pai Halls.
Indian Classical Vocal (Solo) and Dance (Solo)–Featured at Dr TMA Pai Halls
Creative Jam, Quiz Finals, and Eastern Dance (Group)–Dynamic and engaging performances at Utsav Main Stage.

Utsav 2025; Day 3 (27 March 2025):
Spot Photography and Installation–Held at Dr TMA Pai Halls, 3rd floor.
Poetry (English and Hindi), Mimicry and Antakshari Finals–Hosted at Dr TMA Pai Halls and Utsav Main Stage.
Western Vocal (Solo and Group) and Western Dance (Solo and Group)–Bringing contemporary vibrance to Utsav held at Utsav Main Stage.
Utsav 2025; Day 4 (28 March 2025):

Poetry (Kannada), JAM, Clay Modelling, and Mime–Showcasing creativity across multiple venues.
Street Play and Mad Ads–Enthralling audience with social and comedic skits conducted at Utsav Main Stage.

Fashion Show and Best of Utsav Showcase–A grand finale highlighting the top performances performed at the Utsav Main Stage.
Valedictory and Prize Distribution–Concluding the festival with awards for outstanding participants and overall champions of the fest.
The festival concluded with the Valedictory Ceremony, where the top three overall winners were announced:

Final Results:
MCODS, Mangalore-First Place
MCODS Manipal-Second Place
KMC Mangalore-Third Place

Utsav 2025 emerged as a memorable showcase of talent, creativity, and cultural richness, truly reflecting the dynamic spirit of MAHE's student community. The festival reaffirmed MAHE's dedication to holistic education by offering students a remarkable platform to explore and express their artistic and cultural interests.

Yakshagana Performance–Brahmakapala (18 July 2025)
The CCC, MAHE, organized a traditional Pauranika Yakshagana performance titled Brahmakapala on 18 July 2025 at 05:00 PM. The program was held at the Luminair (Chaitanya) Auditorium, Hotel Fortune Valley View, Manipal, and witnessed an appreciative audience comprising students, faculty members, staff, and lovers of folk and classical performing arts.

The performance was presented by the Abhinethri Arts Trust®, Nelyadi, a well-known Yakshagana troupe committed to preserving and propagating this vibrant

traditional theatre form of Karnataka. The evening showcased the rich blend of music, dance, dialogue, elaborate costumes, and expressive abhinaya that are hallmarks of Yakshagana. The himmela included Sri Raghavendra Acharya Janasale as Bhagavata, Sri Shashank Acharya Kirumaneeshwara on Maddale, and Sri Prajwal Mundadi on Chende, whose powerful rhythmic and vocal support brought depth and dynamism to the narrative. Their coordination played a crucial role in sustaining the dramatic intensity of the performance.

The cast featured accomplished Yakshagana artists portraying key mythological characters, including Devendra, Kirata, Eshwara, Brahma, Sharade, Manmatha, Vishnu, Mahogara, and Kumude. Each role is rendered with a striking costume, vigorous footwork, and expressive dialogue. The performers' command over this traditional dance form and stagecraft captivated the audience throughout the presentation.

Overall, the Yakshagana performance of Brahmakapala was a culturally enriching experience that offered the audience an authentic glimpse into coastal Karnataka's rich theatrical heritage and reinforced the importance of preserving indigenous performing traditions.

Azadi Ka Mahotsav and Suhana Safar-The Spirit of Freedom Evergreen Patriotic Melodies (14 August 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, organized a special musical evening titled "Azadi Ka Mahotsav and Suhana Safar" on Thursday, 14 August 2025, from 05:30 PM to 08:00 PM, at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal. The program was conceived as a tribute to India's freedom movement and its enduring spirit, presented through evergreen patriotic and classic Hindi film melodies.

The event celebrated the legacy of legendary playback singers such as Lata Mangeshkar, Mohammed Rafi, Mukesh, Manna Dey, and Mahendra Kapoor, whose songs continue to inspire generations with themes of patriotism, hope, and national pride. The auditorium was filled with students, faculty members, staff, and music enthusiasts, creating a vibrant and emotionally charged atmosphere in the run-up to Independence Day.

The evening featured soulful vocal performances by Dr Kumble Ananth Prabhu, runner-up of Eternal Voice of Doctors Worldwide–Season 2, and Dr Malini Keshav Prasad, Jury Member of Sa Re Ga Ma Pa Zee Kannada. They were joined by talented singers Vidya Shenoy and Umakanth Nayak, whose renditions added variety and depth to the musical presentation.

The musical ensemble was led by Muralidhar Kamath and Party, with special accompaniment by Deepak, an internationally acclaimed musician from Bengaluru. Their orchestration brought authenticity and richness to the classic melodies, evoking nostalgia and patriotic fervour among the audience. The program was effectively compèred by Sri Kumble Narasimha Prabhu, who also added elements of mimicry, keeping the audience engaged throughout the evening with his lively and seamless narration.

Overall, Azadi Ka Mahotsav and Suhana Safar were a memorable cultural celebration that beautifully blended music, patriotism, and nostalgia. The program not only paid homage to India's freedom struggle but also reinforced MAHE's commitment to promoting cultural awareness, national pride, and artistic excellence within the academic community.

Mooru Chote Plays–Three Plays, One Show (03 October 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, organized a unique tri-lingual theatre production titled "Mooru Chote Plays" on 3rd October 2025 at 06:30 PM. The event was held at the MIT Library Auditorium, 4th Floor, Manipal, and attracted a diverse audience comprising students, faculty members, and theatre enthusiasts.

Mooru chote plays presented three short plays in a single show, performed in English, Kannada, and Hindi, thereby celebrating linguistic diversity and contemporary theatre practices. The total duration of the program was 90 minutes, and concise summaries of all three plays were provided to the audience, enabling greater appreciation across language barriers.

The production featured adaptations of internationally and nationally acclaimed works: "One for the Road" by Harold Pinter, "Piano Vadaka" by Anton Chekhov, and "Marnoparant" by Surendra Varma. Each play explored complex human emotions, power dynamics, and social realities, offering the audience thought-provoking perspectives through minimalist yet powerful performances.

The plays were directed by Soumya Zacharia, Faisal Ahmed, Bhavya Bhardwaj, Trisha Shetty, and Kritika Verma, whose collaborative efforts ensured thematic coherence while preserving the individual essence of each script. The overall conceptualization and smooth execution of the program were guided by the showrunners, Venumadhav Bhat and Subramanya Kini. The production values, stage design, and transitions between the plays were executed with precision, maintaining audience engagement throughout the evening.

Overall, Mooru Plays was a compelling theatrical experience that underscored MAHE's commitment to promoting multilingualism, experimental theatre, and cultural inclusivity within the academic community.

Music Concert on the Occasion of World Sight Day (09 October 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, Manipal, in association with ASARE Manipal (a joint project of MAHE and Archana Trust), organized a Music Concert on the occasion of World Sight Day on 09 October 2025 at 06:00 PM. The program was held at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal.

The concert was presented by a visually impaired talented troupe from Sri Pandith Puttaraju Gawayi's Cultural and Social Service Charitable Trust (R), Hospet. The event aimed to highlight the extraordinary musical abilities of visually impaired artists while creating awareness about inclusion, accessibility, and the celebration of diverse talents, in keeping with the spirit of World Sight Day.

The troupe delivered a captivating performance featuring Indian classical and light music compositions. Despite visual challenges, the artists demonstrated remarkable coordination, rhythm, and musical sensitivity. The performances on vocal music, accompanied by traditional instruments such as tabla and harmonium, drew sustained appreciation from the audience. The concert stood as a powerful testimony to the idea that artistic excellence transcends physical limitations.

The program was attended by students, faculty members, staff, children of the Asare Trust, Hombelaku, and members of the public, who were deeply moved by the dedication, confidence, and artistry of the performers. The audience response was warm and encouraging, with repeated applause reflecting admiration for the musicians' skill and perseverance.

Before the commencement of the program, Dr Sulatha V Bhandary, Professor, Unit Chief, Department of Ophthalmology, KMC Manipal, gave a brief talk on the prelaunch of the Dristi Chakra bus project initiated by MAHE.

Overall, the music concert commemorating World Sight Day was an inspiring and meaningful cultural event. It not only provided a platform for visually impaired artists to showcase their talent but also reinforced MAHE's commitment to inclusivity, social responsibility, and the promotion of art as a medium of empowerment.

Children's Day Cultural Program–Ranga Nade (14 November 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, organized a special cultural program as part of the Children's Day celebrations on 14 November 2025 at 06:00 PM. The event was held at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal, and showcased the artistic talents of children through music and traditional Yakshagana.

The evening commenced with a light flute concert presented by Master Sampreeth Nayak and Master Srijan Nayak. Their performance demonstrated commendable musical sensitivity and technical control, setting a serene and engaging tone for the program.

This was followed by "Ranga Nade", a vibrant Yakshagana Poorva Ranga and Oddolaga performance by Yaksha Geetham, Udupi. Designed specifically to introduce young audiences to the fundamentals of Yakshagana. The program highlighted key pre-theatre elements (Sabha Lakshana) such as Soothradhara, Balagopala, Shanmukha Subraya, and Peetika Sthree Vesha, offering insights into the structure and aesthetics of Yakshagana.

The Oddolaga segment illustrated the traditional entry of characters, featuring Pandavara Oddolaga, the entry of Sri Krishna, Bannada Vesha, Kirata Pade, and Yuddha Kunita. The colourful costumes, rhythmic movements, and expressive gestures captivated the audience, particularly the young viewers. The program also included a segment from the Yakshagana prasanga "Jambavati Kalyana", which was well received for its narrative clarity and dramatic appeal.

The program was conducted under the guidance of Himmela of Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, parents, faculty members, and staff, creating a lively and culturally enriching atmosphere.

Overall, the Children's Day program Ranga Nade was an engaging and educative cultural performance by children that successfully introduced the audience to India's rich performing arts heritage while encouraging appreciation for music, dance, and traditional theatre.

4 QUALITY EDUCATION

Odissi Dance Performance by Shree Rahul Acharya in association with SPICMACAY (08 December 2025 to 12 December 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, Manipal, in association with SPICMACAY, organized an Odissi dance performance by Shree Rahul Acharya, acclaimed as "The Divine Dancer", on 08 December 2025 at 6:30 PM. The program was held at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal, and witnessed an enthusiastic gathering of students, faculty members, and lovers of classical dance.

The evening presented a captivating exposition of Odissi, one of India's oldest classical dance traditions, known for its lyrical grace, sculpturesque postures, and spiritual depth. Shree Rahul Acharya's performance reflected rigorous training, aesthetic refinement, and emotive storytelling, seamlessly blending abhinaya, lasya, and tandava elements. His expressive movements and nuanced interpretations brought alive the spiritual and mythological themes central to the Odissi tradition, leaving a lasting impression on the audience.

The performance was marked by precision, rhythmic clarity, and profound expressiveness, enabling the audience, especially students, to gain deeper insight into the philosophy and discipline of Indian classical dance. The program aligned closely with SPICMACAY's mission of promoting Indian classical arts among the youth through live demonstrations by accomplished artists.

As part of the same MAHE-SPICMACAY circuit 2025, Shree Rahul Acharya also conducted performances and lecture-demonstrations at various educational institutions of the Academy of General Education, Manipal, including Madhava Kripa School, Manipal; Bhandarkar's College, Kundapur; MGM College, Udupi; Bhuvanendra College, Karkala; Vijay College, Mulky; and KMC, Mangalore, thereby extending the outreach and educational impact of the program.

Overall, the Odissi dance performance by Shree Rahul Acharya was a spiritually enriching and aesthetically fulfilling experience. The event reaffirmed MAHE's commitment to cultural education and the promotion of India's rich classical heritage while providing students with a rare opportunity to engage closely with a master artist.

4 QUALITY EDUCATION

Cultural Program during the 100th MAHE Board Meeting Dinner (19 December 2025)

As part of the celebrations marking the 100th MAHE Board Meeting, the CCC, MAHE, organized an engaging cultural program on 19 December 2025 at the MAHE Beach Guest House, alongside the Board Meeting dinner. The program was curated to add artistic elegance and a festive spirit to this landmark institutional occasion.

The evening commenced with a unique Jugalbandi performance that brought together Mridangam, Flute, and Beatboxing, performed by students from TAPMI, Mr Samarth Bansal, Mr Vishwajit Hariharan, Mr Tanmay Kapur, and Mr Sreeram. This innovative fusion of classical rhythm, melodic flow, and contemporary beatboxing created a captivating musical dialogue and was met with enthusiastic appreciation from the audience.

This was followed by a soothing light music vocal performance by Ms Ujwala K R, a PhD scholar from Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS). Her melodious rendition of popular compositions added warmth and charm to the evening, creating a relaxed and engaging atmosphere for the guests.

The cultural program concluded with a graceful contemporary dance performance by Ms Sneha Acharya. Her expressive movements and dynamic choreography brought a modern artistic touch to the event, effectively complementing the diverse musical presentations earlier in the evening.

The cultural program organized by CCC was well-received by the esteemed board members and invitees. By blending classical, contemporary, and fusion art forms, the program added a memorable cultural dimension to the 100th MAHE Board Meeting dinner, making the occasion both celebratory and enriching.

Kannada Drama Show – Kattale Rajyada Markata Raja (27 December 2025)

The CCC, MAHE, Manipal, organized an enchanting Kannada drama show titled "Kattale Rajyada Markata Raja" on 27 December 2025 at 06:30 PM. The program was held at the 3rd Floor Auditorium, Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal, and was attended by students, faculty members, staff, and theatre enthusiasts.

The play was presented by the talented children of Team Viprashree Kodavoor, under the direction of Mr Rajesh Bhat Paniyadi, a noted theatre artist. Despite their young age, the performers demonstrated remarkable confidence, stage presence, and expressive ability, captivating the audience throughout the performance.

Kattale Rajyada Markata Raja is a socially relevant and engaging theatrical presentation that blends humour, fantasy, and moral undertones. Through lively dialogue, vibrant costumes, and imaginative stagecraft, the play conveyed meaningful messages while remaining entertaining and accessible to audiences of all age groups.

The production was marked by effective use of music, movement, and visual elements, which enhanced the narrative flow and dramatic impact. The coordinated effort of the cast and creative team reflected disciplined rehearsal and strong artistic guidance by the director.

Overall, Kattale Rajyada Markata Raja was a delightful and inspiring cultural experience that highlighted the potential of young artists and reaffirmed MAHE's commitment to nurturing creativity, theatre arts, and cultural education within the academic community.

Conclusion

In 2025, the CCC of MAHE effectively carried forward its vision of nurturing artistic and cultural excellence. By organizing a wide array of performances, such as dramas, musical performances, dances, and large-scale festivals, CCC has played a key role in celebrating India's rich cultural legacy while simultaneously inspiring modern artistic expression among students and faculty. Unwavering support from MAHE top management and the enthusiastic involvement and positive response from the MAHE community further highlight CCC's significant contribution to strengthening cultural participation across the university.

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Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID)

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Programs:

- Orientation programs and Continuing Professional Development Programs focusing on pedagogy, research, and academic leadership for MAHE faculty
- FAIMER Fellowship program in collaboration with the Foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research (FAIMER), Philadelphia

About the Department:
The CCEID was established to lead, drive, and facilitate Continuing Professional Development (CPD) activities among the constituent institutions of MAHE. The Centre also provides consultancy services to academia and industry in India as well as abroad. CCEID has a unique governance model that utilizes a participatory approach wherein subject experts from MAHE serve as resource faculty on a voluntary basis for the various programs offered by the centre.
CCEID also conducts the international fellowship program in collaboration with the Foundation for the Advancement of International Medical Education and Research (FAIMER), Philadelphia, and the Canadian Interprofessional Health Collaborative (CIHC), Canada. The goal of the institute is to provide approaches and develop concepts that will help health policy-makers implement the elements of interprofessional education and collaborative practice, which will be supportive in their own jurisdiction. Commenced in 2015, this program has enrolled 235 fellows from many Indian states and a few from abroad. The representation of diverse professions has created a unique transdisciplinary model of faculty development capable of enhancing health outcomes in the region. Projects undertaken by MAHE FAIMER fellows have won accolades in national and international fora and found their place in reputed journals.

National consultations organized by MAHE-FAIMER Institute every year that focus on sustainable development goals (built environment, climate change, patient safety, good health and wellbeing, quality education, etc.) have generated valuable recommendations from stakeholders and are shared with relevant policy makers.

Institutional activities/curricular activities
Initiatives
CCEID offers an online **"Induction"** for the newly joined faculty members in association with the HR department of MAHE. This induction program familiarizes new joiners with the university's history, culture, values, and strategic as well as operating programs and policies. The **"Orientation program - [M-FITLAR]"** offered post-induction covers fundamentals in teaching-learning, assessment, research, and academic leadership. The unique blend of M-FITLAR introduces faculty to a comprehensive range of duties and responsibilities at their workplace. The program also assists them in identifying professional mentors in their career trajectory.

In addition, CCEID offers a **'Growth'** strand, which helps faculty focus on key areas in professional development. Themes covered include advanced topics related to teaching-learning, student assessment, research, and academic leadership. There is also a **'Succession'** strand, which is designed for senior academicians and administrators, so as to identify and create a talent pool of future leaders for the organization.

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course.

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1	17 Jan 2025	**Session on Grant Writing** By Dr Muralidhar M K, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr Sreejith G, Associate Professor of Microbiology, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, Deputy Registrar - Evaluation (Health Sciences), MAHE Manipal Dr Abdul Ajees Abdul Salam, Associate Professor, Department of Atomic and Molecular Physics, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal	26
2	06 Feb 2025	**Workshop on Cultural Humility** By Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Deputy Director – Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), Director, MAHE-FAIMER, Professor, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal Mr Pramod Dattaram Lambo, Assistant Professor, Occupational Therapy, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE Manipal Mr Sreenidhi Jogi, PhD Scholar, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal	42
3	27 to 29 Mar 2025	**M-FITLAR:** An Orientation Module for the newly inducted MAHE Faculty on Fundamental in Teaching-Learning, Academic leadership, and Research in collaboration with HR Department, MAHE	39
4	27 May 2025	**Workshop on Every Wound Tells a Story – At Life's End, Comfort Over Cure** in collaboration with Manipal Centre of Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care and Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC) By Dr Krithika S Rao, Associate Professor, Department of Palliative Medicine and Supportive Care, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal, Co-course Director, International Neuro Palliative Care Certificate Course by Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal, INPCS, and BHT Karunashraya, Bangalore. Dr Olga Gershuni, Lecturer and Researcher, Fontys University of Applied Sciences and Maastricht University Prof Avtar Singh Cheema, Founder/CEO, Palliative Peace, Punjab Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, MAHE-FAIMER, Professor and Quality Management Representative (QMR), Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal Deputy Director, Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), Centre	43

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		Coordinator, Manipal, Centre for Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care, MAHE Manipal	
5	27 Jun 2025	**Webinar on Portfolio-Based Assessment** By Prof Soumendra Sahoo, Director, Centre for Transformative Learning (CTL), HOD Ophthalmology, Manipal University College Malaysia Dr Nirmala N Rege, Professor Emeritus, Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics, Seth Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College (GSMC) and King Edward Memorial (KEM) Hospital, Mumbai, Professor, Department of Pharmacology, Era's Lucknow Medical College Dr Ganesh Kamath M, Associate Professor, Department of Physiology, Manipal University College Malaysia	46
6	28 Jun 2025	**Workshop on Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care** in collaboration with Manipal Centre of Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care, Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC) and Nursing Services, Kasturba Hospital, by Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, MAHE-FAIMER, Professor and QMR, Manipal College of Nursing, Deputy Director, Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), MAHE Manipal, Coordinator, CEIAWC Dr Sushmitha Karkada, Associate Professor, Department of OBGN, Manipal College of Nursing, Co-coordinator, CEIAWC Ms Precilla Noronha, Infection Control Nurse, Kasturba Hospital, MAHE Manipal Ms Shalini, Nurse Educator, Kasturba Hospital, MAHE Manipal Mr Prasannakumara, Nurse Practitioner, Critical Care, Kasturba Hospital, MAHE Manipal Ms Effienia D Wahlang, PhD Scholar, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal Ms Mahalakshmi, Staff Nurse, Burns High Dependency Unit (HDU), Kasturba Hospital, MAHE Manipal	31
7	15 Sep 2025	**Data-Driven Insights: Leveraging Digital Assessment Systems for Learning Analytics** By Dr Sreejith G, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE Manipal Dr Anoop Kishore, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacology, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, MAHE Manipal Dr Prateek Jain, Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal	20

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		Dr Praveen Iyer, Co-Director, GSMC-FAIMER Regional Institute, Mumbai (Goddard Medical College, FAIMER Regional Institute)	
8	15 Sep 2025	**Interprofessional Education (IPE) and Interprofessional Collaborative Practice in Diabetes Care** By Dr Shivashankar K N, Professor, Department of Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr M Mukhyaprana Prabhu, Professor and Head, Department of Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Mrs Suvarna Hebbar, In charge Dietitian, Assistant Professor-Senior Scale, Coordinator of the Programme Clinical, Nutrition and Dietetics, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE Manipal Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle, Associate Professor of Biochemistry, FAIMER fellow, Biochemistry Lab In-Charge, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, Manipal College of Health Professions, Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE Manipal Dr Arun S, Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, FAIMER fellow, Consultant Physician, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Mangalore Dr Smitha Bhat, MD, MRCP(UK), FRCP (Edin.), FRCP (London), FACP, Fellowship Diabetes (CMC Vellore), FAIMER 2010, Professor of Medicine, Professor and Unit Head, Department of Medicine, and Member, former convenor, Medical Education Unit, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore. Dr Ganesh Kamath, Associate Professor, Department of Physiology, Manipal University College Malaysia	9
9	15 Sep 2025	**Interprofessional Outdoor Leadership – Resilience Building** By Mr Ganesh Nayak, Assistant Professor, Senior Scale, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal Dr Praveen K Shetty, Assistant Professor - Selection Grade, Department of Humanities and Management, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal Mr Tejas K Rao, Student, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal Dr Suneeta Kalasuramath, Department of Physiology, S S Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre (SSIMSRC), Davangere	18

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10	15 Sep 2025	**Interprofessional Advanced Woundcare** By Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, MAHE-FAIMER, MAHE Manipal Dr Sushmitha Ramona Karkada, Assistant Professor-Senior Scale, Obstetrical and Gynecological Nursing, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal Dr Joseph Thomas, Professor & Head, Department of Plastic Surgery, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr Vishal Shanbhag, Associate Professor, Department of Critical Care, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr Seema Rajesh Rao, Director, Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC), MAHE Manipal Dr Krithika Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Palliative Medicine and Supportive Care, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Mr Sreenidhi Jogi, PhD Scholar, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal Mr Prasanakumara, PhD Scholar, Kasturba Hospital, MAHE Manipal	18
11	15 Sep 2025	Simulation in SITU By Dr Vimal Krishnan Surendran Pillai, Professor and Head, Department of Emergency Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr V N Mahalakshmi, Vice Chancellor, Santosh Deemed to be University, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh Dr Sanjan A, Associate Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Mangalore Dr Mohammad Khalid, Senior Resident, Department of Emergency Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal Dr Tatiyana Mandal, Assistant Professor, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE Manipal	24
12	15 Sep 2025	**Comprehensive Oral Health Care Delivery for Optimum Oral Health Outcomes: An Interprofessional Dental Perspective** By Dr Gopalkrishnan Dharmarajan, Dean, Manipal College of Dental Science, MAHE Manipal Dr Ramprasad V P, Professor and Head, Department of Public Health Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Science, MAHE Manipal Dr Swathi Shourie, MDS, PhD, New South Wales, Australia, Adjunct Faculty, Department of Public Health Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Science, MAHE Manipal	26

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		Dr Vineetha R, Professor, Oral Medicine and Radiology, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, MAHE Manipal	
13	15 Sep 2025	**Innovating and Integrating Traditional Medicine: Biotechnological Perspectives on Homoeopathy and Ayurveda** By Dr Jessica Monteiro, Associate Professor, Practice of Medicine, KLE, Homoeopathic Medical College, Belagavi Dr Salmataj S A, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal	17
14	15 Sep 2025	**Alternatives to Animal Model** By Dr S V Kirthanashri, Associate Professor and Coordinator, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Ms Mrunmayi Gadre, PhD Scholar, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Ms Vidhi Mathur, PhD Scholar, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Ms Prachi Agarwal, PhD Scholar, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Ms Vinita Dsouza, PhD Scholar, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Ms Amrutha H K, PhD Scholar, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Ms Swathi Borra, Research Assistant, Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE Manipal Dr Arun Mayya, Senior Lecturer, Department Of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Manipal College of Dental Science, MAHE Manipal Mr Roopak Poddar, CELLINK Pvt. Ltd. Ms Vijetha Jaiswal, CELLINK Pvt. Ltd. Dr Ashwini Kumar, BI Biotech Pvt. Ltd. Mr. Ranjith Kumar, Biodimension Pvt. Ltd.	4
15	16 Sep 2025	**National Consultation on From Silos to Synergy: Amplifying Stakeholder voices in Health** By Dr Anand R, Professor of Respiratory Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Mangalore Dr Rajgopal Shenoy K, Professor, Department of Surgery, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal	48

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16	30 Oct 2025	**Copy-RIGHT A Hands-on Workshop** in collaboration with Manipal Centre of Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care and Technology Transfer Office, Department of Research, MAHE, Manipal By Dr S Varadarajan, Deputy Director, Intellectual Property and Technology, Transfer Office (IPTTO), Associate Professor, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Manipal Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, M-FIILIPE, Coordinator, CEIAWC, Professor and QMR, Manipal College of Nursing, Deputy Director, Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), MAHE Manipal Advocate Pranav Bhat, Intellectual Property Strategist	32
17	19 Nov 2025 	**Indo-Australian Collaborative Workshop on Humility-The Heart of End-of-Life Care,** in collaboration with Pillar III: Expanding Reach and Internationalization, Manipal College of Nursing, Deakin University, Australia, and Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC) By Dr Seema Rao, Professor and Director, Manipal Hospice and Respite Care (MHRC), MAHE Manipal Dr Patricia Nicholson, Associate Professor of Nursing, Faculty of Health/School of Nursing and Midwifery/Institute for Health Transformation, Deakin University Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director M-FIILIPE, MAHE Manipal, Professor of Nursing, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE Manipal Dr Matthew Jackson, Faculty of Health/School of Nursing and Midwifery/Institute for Health Transformation, Deakin University Dr Sudhakar Nayak, Former Director, Manipal Center for Professional and Personal Development (MCPD), Former Professor, Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE Manipal	22

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Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor, addressing the Fellows of Batch 2025

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Department of Digital and Information Technology

Digital Transformation Roadmap - SHIFT

MAHE is in the process of transforming its end-to-end education experience through a comprehensive future-gazing exercise. The success of which would be based on key stakeholders, i.e., leadership, department heads, faculty, staff, and students, understanding, accepting, and championing this initiative.

The output is a three-year strategic roadmap after having identified key problem areas and providing respective solutions to make MAHE the university of choice in India and globally.

Leaders at MAHE first conceived Project SHIFT as a catalyst to propel the university into a new future.

The idea was to embark on a journey that would help MAHE not only transform but also challenge traditional models, leading the way to a new era in higher education.

One of the most significant aspects of this endeavour was the decision to involve students, faculty, staff, parents, alumni, and industry in co-creating this future. We kept these stakeholders at the centre of every activity throughout the project to ensure that the resulting transformation roadmap addresses all the articulated and unarticulated needs of these important stakeholders.

Exhaustive primary research was conducted to understand MAHE in its entirety; obtain an inside-out and outside-in perspective of the university from the university's key stakeholder groups, i.e., leadership, students, teaching and non-teaching staff, researchers, parents, alumni and industry experts.

The research included an ethnography (in-depth interviews and focus group discussions) with key stakeholder groups and a quantitative survey with students across all MAHE's constituent institutes. Through this research, MAHE's key strengths, weaknesses, associations and consideration drivers were identified, which were then analysed alongside the disruption scan to arrive at ten key opportunity areas for MAHE's improvement.

MAHE has been investing in these digital transformational projects year on year, and three projects were taken up for implementation during the year 2025.

(SLCM V2.0) Student Life Cycle Management Software Project

Major Milestone Achieved: Roll out of the Attendance and Timetable Module of SLCM v2.0 for Pilot Institute (TAPMI, MIT, KMC Manipal, Bengaluru and MTMC Jamshedpur) completed in December 2024, post-production is getting configured. UAT for all the modules has been planned for and completed during May 2025. Go Live for all 38 Institutes of MAHE, covering more than 35,000 users, has been completed during July and August 2025. Also, results have been processed and published in December 2025 related to the odd semester.

Description:

MAHE has initiated a robust and scalable Student Lifecycle Management project to replace the existing SLCM Platform. Through the SLCM Application, MAHE seeks to provide all the following modules:

- Mentor Mentee Mapping
- Attendance
- Internal Marks
- Midterm Marks
- Exam Scheduling
- Student Feedback
- End Term Marks
- Evaluation
- Demand generation
- Course Fee Payment
- Makeup Exam Option Availability

Enterprise Resource Planning:

Major Milestone Achieved:

- MAHE has initiated an ERP implementation project of a new ERP solution to upgrade the legacy Finance, Purchase and Inventory solution to make it more robust, scalable, and reliable.
- Development phase-wise is ongoing, MVP1 development was completed in December 2024, and post-testing issues are being fixed in phase 2 (MVP2).
- Requirement Gathering and To Be document sign-off completion is expected for Purchase, Projects, Inventory and Stores by January 2025. General Service and Finance is expected to be completed by February 2025. Development is ongoing side by side.
- Technical Go Live has been planned for January 2026. The business go-live has been planned for April 2026.

The Key objectives of implementing the new Finance solution are:

- Seamless Integration - To seamlessly integrate financial and procurement modules to streamline operations, reduce manual data entry, and ensure data accuracy.
- Enhanced Financial Management - To improve financial controls, budgeting, forecasting, and reporting capabilities for better financial decision-making and compliance.
- Efficient Procurement - To automate and optimize procurement processes, vendor management, and purchase requisition workflows, reducing costs and enhancing vendor relationships.
- Real-time Insights - To provide real-time access to financial and procurement data through dashboards, reports, and analytics, enabling data-driven decision-making.
- Scalability - To accommodate the growth of the institution and adapt to evolving business needs by offering a scalable and future-proof ERP solution.
- User-Friendly Interface - To ensure user adoption and productivity, the ERP system should have an intuitive and user-friendly interface.

Digital Marketing Campaign, CRM, and Admission initiatives

Major Milestone Achieved:

The project has achieved significant milestones, including the successful deployment of a custom admission flow for TAPMI, processing 6,500+ applicants and issuing 2,000+ offer letters with 1,100+ fee collections. An automated roll number system was implemented for 1,100+ paid candidates, while Marketing Cloud now syncs parent details for targeted communications. Additionally, email functionality was streamlined into three efficient approaches: Education Cloud, Marketing Cloud API, and automation.

Description:

The scope of work ensures a holistic approach to digital marketing, CRM, and admission initiatives at MAHE, aligning with institutional goals for student engagement, recruitment, and satisfaction.

These initiatives collectively aim to boost MAHE's reputation, attract the right students, provide a personalized and efficient experience throughout their journey, and contribute to the overall success and satisfaction of students at the institution. The use of digital marketing, CRM systems, and admission strategies aligns with modern trends in higher education and helps MAHE stay competitive and student focused. Below are the key objectives:

1. Digital Marketing Campaign
2. Customer Relationship Management (CRM)
3. Admission

Learning Management System (LMS)

Major Milestone Achieved:

- LMS went live in September 2024. Adoption is in process along with postproduction fixes.
- Complete 42 institutes have been onboarded.
- Total number of users in LMS: 32,976 (active users)
- Planning of 2,500 (PhD scholars) to be onboarded by July 2026

Description:

Learning Management System is an innovative, cloud-based Learning Management System from D2L (Desire to Learn) for creating, hosting, and editing online learning resources. It contains a flexible suite of tools to create content aligned to outcomes in a course as well as adding content from other tools, like linking to Google Drive, OneDrive™, web links, videos, external learning activities, and more. Video note allows users to record short videos and add them anywhere the HTML editor is available. To help ensure all users can learn without barriers, closed captions are automatically created. An online library for storing, managing, and sharing your learning resources.

From one central spot on a course homepage, faculties and students can communicate easily about upcoming assignments, new content, or discussions, knowing that their content will be seen by everyone. To access a Brightspace LMS application without having to log in, that is, without having to enter username and password credentials each time, single sign-on is available from the Institution Microsoft Office application.

Brightspace is designed for the mobile world—and the platform can be accessed from any mobile device for a true anywhere, anytime, any device learning experience. The mobile app i.e., "Pulse", is optimized to make it super easy for students to complete the tasks and receive push notifications to stay on track.

LMS implementation was completed for all institutes by December 2025.

Almashines - Alumni Engagement Portal and App

Major Milestone Achieved:

- Go Live completed in September 2024.
- Key User adoption training first round completed in October 2024.
- Postproduction activity on-going, along with the onboarding of 17 pending institutes, has been completed by March 2025.

Description:

Almashines is a comprehensive alumni management platform to drive alumni engagement, boost their participation in events, reconnect with unengaged alumni and lay a strong foundation for lifelong relationships.

The Almashines – Alumni Engagement Portal and App has been implemented for MIT, Manipal, during the year 2021-22. During the previous years, the platform has been implemented for 11 institutions. The remaining 30 institutes and University Teaching Departments will be implemented from 01 April 2024 onwards.

UX/UI

Major Milestone Achieved:

- The Website UX/UI design has been completed and approved in August 2025.

Description:

MAHE has initiated UX Strategy, UX/UI & Digital Design, and Tech Development to develop a holistic and cohesive experience that embodies its status as an Institution of Eminence across various educational disciplines–Health Sciences, Technology, Management, and Allied Sciences. The aim is to create a unified, world-class digital experience that seamlessly integrates the flagship website (manipal.edu) and diverse application portals, emphasizing a "MobileFirst" approach to accommodate a substantial mobile and tablet user base. Providing an initial usability/UX assessment, as well as continuous monitoring, reporting and ongoing excellence in user experience for all users of MAHE digital assets.

Website Development

Major Milestone Achieved:

- Vendor finalised and SOW completed.
- The website project was commenced during September 2025 and planned to go live during July 2026.

Description:

MAHE has initiated to create a state-of-the-art Digital experience Platform that revolutionizes the way MAHE as a brand is perceived by all the target diverse audience including students, faculty, staff, alumni, and external stakeholders. Our platform will serve as a transformative digital platform, connecting internal and external stakeholders worldwide. It will offer a user-friendly and intuitive interface that facilitates a seamless journey for users to browse and find the required information on the website and engage them in interactive personalised content, simplifying acquisition.

IT Service desk implementation

Major Achievements:

- Number of CR/SRs received and completed across all domains, like Network, on average for IT is 49,422/week, and resolution is 48,922/week.
- MAHE has implemented an IT Service Desk on the Freshservice platform during the year 2021, and all IT-related services for staff members at the Manipal and Mangalore campuses. And have extended the IT Service Desk services to TAPMI, Manipal, and MAHE Bengaluru Campus and Jamshedpur Campus by April 2024, including the IT support of students.

Planned Activity:

Service Desk enhancement for Automation - Ticket diversion and integration with service providing departments initiated in December 2024. The project has been completed during June 2025.

HRMS (Human Resource Management System)

Description

The HRMS Software Project was started in October 2023 to replace the existing MSPM HR Solution. Currently, Darwinbox is being implemented for 10,000 users with a comprehensive portal. It is a cloud-based Integrated HR platform that automates HR processes, engages and empowers employees while automating and simplifying all HR processes. The Darwinbox HRMS software is expected to go live in April 2025. However, due to platform incapability to support the complete Payroll Module, it has been decided to terminate the Darwinbox HRMS Project during August 2025.

It has been decided to explore a new solution for HRMS software. The new HRMS software solution will be identified and finalised during January 2026.

HMS (Hostel Management System)

Major Milestone Completed

- The HMS Project kick-off was done during March 2025
- The first phase of go-live was completed in July 2025

Description

Hostel management system software manages all hostel activities, like hostel allotment, shifting, vacating, fee payment and generation of related reports for smooth transactions. It is also used to manage monthly bill calculation. The key features include:

- Modules covering room preference submission, room allotment, waiting list, vacating, and notification services.
- Integration with payment gateway, ERP, and external hostel mess systems.
- Scalable and secure IT infrastructure.
- Biometric Attendance System Integration
- Room Management
- Announcement and activities support
- Dashboard

The solution will be developed in two phases. The first phase will cover the basic operations like student enrolment, room allocation/de-allocation and related financial integrations. The second phase will cover the additional functionalities like biometric integrations, self-service like room/announcement management, and related integrations.

Services Portal

Major Milestone Completed

- The project was initiated in March 2025
- The first phase of the project has been completed and has gone live on 01 January 2026

Description

The Services Portal is a unified platform to host the services offered and events organized by MAHE. The solution offered should serve the specific needs of each service provider (like Lab, swimming pool, etc.) and also should satisfy the finance department mandate of consistent handling of the payments and payment-related reconciliations that take place at the finance application.

The following are the various services and events that are to be brought under a single platform:

- Library Internet and Xerox Billing
- Student Event – General
- Utsav, Tech Tattva, Revels Events
- Marena Manipal/Bengaluru/Mangalore
- Alumni Privilege Card and Coursera Fees – MIT campus
- Conference and Workshop Manipal and Bengaluru
- MIT Swimming Pool
- MAP/Audio Visual Billing/Forensic Medicine Billing
- Vehicle Registration
- Consultancy services offered by different labs/COEs of MAHE

  In the first phase, the following line items are covered
- Library Internet and Xerox Billing
- Conference and Workshop Manipal and Bengaluru
- MAP/Audio Visual Billing/Forensic Medicine Billing
- Vehicle Registration - Admin Portal based Bulk Billing
- Consultancy Services offered by different Labs/COEs of MAHE

Student Finance and Hostel Finance Project

Major Milestone Completed

- The project was initiated in August 2025
- The planned go live of the project will be in April 2026

Description

The Student Finance and Hostel Finance Modules will be developed on the SLCM 2.0 Platform (Salesforce Education Cloud). The purpose of the Student and Hostel Finance Application is to provide a comprehensive and streamlined platform that efficiently manages the financial details of a student through his academic and hostel journey. Through the Student and Hostel Finance Application, MAHE seeks to achieve the following coverage:

Student Finance:

- Manage Revenue Recognition
- Demand Generation, Fee Notification
- Managing payments for:
- Course Fee Payment – Promotion and non-promotion cases
- Student Exchange Programs
- Other Academic Fees – Reject and Rejoin, Re-registration, Re-evaluation, Make-up, Certificate Fees, Duplicate Grade sheets/Transcripts
- NRI Student Payments, Institute Transfers, Exchange Program
- PhD Students' Fee Payments, Fee Demand
- Academic Withdrawals and Refunds
- Additional Fee and Scholarship Payments
- Caution Fee Deposit
- Fine/Charges
- Certificate Portal Integration
- Manage Admission withdrawal and refunds. Issuing of fee certificates for education loan
- Maintain relevant General Ledgers as per the chart of accounts to record the transactions related to student finance
- Reports – Customized reports as per client requirements
- Integration of Student Finance application with Business Central ERP system
- Integration with Campus CRM and Campus SLCM modules
- Integration with Online programs Lead-square (CRM) and Salesforce (SLCM)

Hostel Finance:

- Integration with Hostel Management System (HMS)
- Utility Billing and Advances
- POS Payments
- Appliance Management
- Demand Generation and Fee Reconciliation
- Refunds, Late Fees and Penalty Management
- Maintain relevant General Ledgers as per the Chart of Accounts, to record the transactions related to Hostel Finance
- Reporting and Auditing: Reports –
- Reports to be developed based on the named reports in the business scope
- Integration of the Hostel Finance application with the Business Central ERP system

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Brief About the Department of Student Affairs

Vision: To facilitate students' transformation into confident and successful individuals that are worthy citizens of their country

Mission: To ensure holistic development and a healthy study and work atmosphere for all students of MAHE

Objectives

(i) To address student concerns with need-based counselling

(ii) To facilitate and provide holistic healthcare

(iii) To effectively address student grievances with appropriate redressal mechanisms.

The Department of Student Affairs (DSA) at MAHE, Manipal, is committed to enhancing student well-being and campus life. It provides comprehensive support through counselling services, access to medical facilities, and academic assistance such as tutoring and workshops. The DSA also oversees student clubs, organizes cultural, sports, and academic events, and implements welfare initiatives including scholarships, financial aid, and emergency support.

The department ensures a transparent system for addressing student grievances related to academics, hostel, and campus life. Led by experienced professionals, the DSA collaborates with university departments and external partners to deliver various

programs, including leadership and wellness initiatives, diversity and inclusion efforts, sustainability activities, and support for international students. Overall, DSA plays a vital role in fostering a holistic, supportive, and enriching campus environment.

Manipal Campus

Activities/Workshop/Seminar/Training, etc.

1. **01 February 2025: Mental Health, Emotional Intelligence, and Community Visit**

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, conducted an awareness program on mental health and emotional intelligence at Konchadi Radha Shenoy Government Higher Primary School, Karvikere, Gangolli. The program aimed to promote holistic development among school students through interactive sessions and discussions. Dr Geetha Maiya, Director, Department of Student Affairs at MAHE Manipal, and her team served as resource persons, emphasizing the importance of emotional well-being and healthy lifestyle practices from an early age.

2. **04 and 05 February 2025: Empowering Educators: Enhancing Counselling Skills for Student Support – Series 4.0**

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized a two-day workshop titled "Empowering Educators: Enhancing Counselling Skills for Student Support – Series 4.0." The program focused on strengthening educators' counselling competencies, improving communication skills, and enhancing their ability to identify and support students facing academic and emotional challenges, thereby promoting a supportive learning environment.

3. **04 February 2025: Installation Ceremony of Think Tank Club**

Report

The Think Tank Club under the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, conducted its Installation Ceremony at KMC Interact Hall, Manipal. The event marked the formal induction of student leaders and promoted critical thinking, leadership, and innovation. The ceremony encouraged student participation in intellectual dialogue and institutional engagement.

4. **15 February 2025: Outbound Activity for Staff**

Report

An outbound activity was organized for the staff of the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, at Tinton Adventure Resort, Kundapura. Conducted under the leadership of Dr Geetha Maiya, the program aimed to enhance teamwork, leadership skills, stress management, and interpersonal relationships, contributing to workplace well-being and productivity.

5. 01 March 2025: Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, in association with Manipal College of Dental Sciences, organized Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav at KMC Greens, Manipal. As part of the NEP SAARTHI initiative, the event celebrated India's linguistic and cultural diversity through performances, traditional art forms, and cultural exhibitions, fostering respect for mother languages and heritage.

6. 21 and 22 March 2025: Empowering Educators: Enhancing Counselling Skills – Series 5.0

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, conducted Series 5.0 of the "Empowering Educators" workshop. MAHE student counsellors presented role plays highlighting real-life counselling scenarios, focusing on empathetic listening, communication, and effective intervention strategies to support student well-being.

7. 23 March 2025: Fireside Chat – Think Tank Club

Report

The Department of Student Affairs and the Think Tank Club, MAHE, hosted a Fireside Chat with actor and poet Chintan Rachchh. The interactive session provided students with insights into creative careers, self-expression, and personal growth, encouraging open dialogue, inspiration, and experiential learning.

8. 29 March 2025: From Investigation to Action: Workshop for Enquiry Committee Members

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized a workshop titled "From Investigation to Action" for the enquiry committee members. The program focused on strengthening skills related to grievance redressal, disciplinary procedures, and ethical decision-making, promoting transparency and accountability within institutional processes.

9. 25 April 2025: From Investigation to Action – Health Sciences

Report

A specialized workshop titled "From Investigation to Action" was conducted for Health Science institutions of MAHE. Student counsellors presented structured role plays depicting student and faculty challenges, facilitating awareness, dialogue, and effective problem-solving in academic environments.

10. 09 and 10 May 2025: Empowering Educators: Enhancing Counselling Skills – Series 6.0

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized a two-day workshop under Series 6.0 focusing on counselling skills for educators. The sessions addressed empathetic listening, student distress identification, communication strategies, and work-life balance. Role plays by student counsellors demonstrated practical approaches to student support.

11. 15 May 2025: Strengthening Self and Supporting Others – International Nurses Day

Report

On the occasion of International Nurses Day, a program titled "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" was conducted at Fortune Academy of Health Sciences. Sessions addressed professionalism, stress management, addiction awareness, yoga, and mental well-being, emphasizing resilience, compassion, and self-care among nursing students.

12. 15 May 2025: Enhancing Caretaker Capacity to Recognize Vulnerable Residents – Health Science Hostels

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized a one-day workshop for Health Science hostel caretakers at MAHE Guest House, Kadike. The program included yoga, CPR training, awareness on sexual harassment prevention, group discussions, and role plays, enabling caretakers to identify and support vulnerable students effectively.

13. 16 May 2025: Enhancing Caretaker Capacity to Recognize Vulnerable Residents – Technical Science Hostels

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, conducted a one-day workshop for Technical Science hostel caretakers at Interact, MAHE. The sessions included

yoga, CPR training, prevention of sexual harassment, interactive discussions, and role plays, strengthening caretakers' capacity to ensure student safety and well-being.

14. 10 May 2025: "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" – Yoga for Better Mental Health

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, inaugurated the "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" initiative on 10 May 2025 at the open ground near Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences. The program focused on promoting mental and physical well-being through yoga and holistic wellness activities. The session was addressed by Dr Geetha Maiya, and Chief Guest Dr Sulatha Bhandary emphasized the importance of self-care, while yoga sessions were conducted by Dr Annapoorna. The event also included a tree plantation drive and the announcement of a series of wellness activities, reinforcing MAHE's commitment to a healthy and sustainable campus environment.

15. 21 May 2025: "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" – Barkur

Report

The Department of Social Work, Rukmini Shedthi Memorial National Government First Grade College, Barkur, in collaboration with the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized a half-day workshop titled "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" on 21 May 2025. The program included sessions on personal and professional development, medical and psychiatric social work, anxiety management, understanding depression, and the role of yoga in mental health. The workshop aimed to equip social work students with practical tools and awareness, emphasizing mental well-being, self-growth, and the importance of supporting others.

16. 29 May 2025: World Environment Day Celebration at Government High School, Shetti Bettu, Parkala

Report

The Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB), Mangalore and Udupi Divisions, in collaboration with the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized a World Environment Day celebration on 29 May 2025 at Government High School, Shetti Bettu, Parkala, Udupi. The program included a symbolic tree plantation drive and awareness sessions on environmental conservation, plastic pollution, and sustainable living practices, aiming to foster environmental responsibility among school students.

17. 31 May 2025: Enhancing Caretaker Capacity to Recognize Vulnerable Residents – Hostel Caretakers (III Batch)

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, conducted the third batch of the workshop titled "Enhancing Caretaker Capacity to Recognize Vulnerable Residents" on 31 May 2025 at the Counselling Hall, MAHE. The program trained 68 hostel caretakers to identify and support students facing psychological and social challenges. Sessions included prevention of sexual harassment, CPR demonstration, interactive group discussions, and role plays highlighting empathy and early intervention. The workshop strengthened caretaker sensitivity and reinforced MAHE's commitment to a safe, inclusive, and student-centric residential environment.

18. 24 June 2025: "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" – Capacity-Building Workshop for Housekeeping Staff

Report

On 24 June 2025, the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, conducted a capacity-building workshop titled "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others" at TMA Pai Hall, reaching over 240 housekeeping staff across two batches. The program aimed to equip participants with skills to identify and support at-risk students, while promoting personal well-being and workplace harmony. Sessions included prevention of sexual harassment, CPR awareness, yoga and wellness, and interactive group discussions on student care, addiction awareness, and work-life balance. The event was supported by senior leadership and concluded with participants taking an oath for a drug-free India, reinforcing MAHE's commitment to a safe and responsive campus.

19. 26 June 2025: International Day Against Drug Abuse – Awareness Programme

Report:

On 26 June 2025, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with Dr. A. V. Baliga Memorial Hospital, Udupi District Police, Kamal A Baliga Charitable Trust, and the Department of Pre-University Education, organized an awareness programme themed "Breaking the Chains: Prevention, Treatment and Recovery for All" at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal. The event brought together students, educators, mental health professionals, and law enforcement to address substance abuse. Sessions covered causes of drug abuse, legal aspects, behavioural addictions, coping strategies, and rehabilitation, reinforcing community commitment to a drug-free and mentally healthy society.

20. 30 June 2025: Training Workshop on Managing Animal-Related Issues on Campus

Report:

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with the One Nature – Animal Welfare Club, organized a training workshop on 30 June 2025, at KMC Interact Hall for campus security personnel. The workshop focused on humane,

responsible, and effective approaches to managing animal-related issues on campus, including understanding animal behaviour, legal awareness, emergency response, and promoting peaceful co-existence. The initiative emphasized empathy, preparedness, and collaboration, reflecting MAHE's commitment to a safe, compassionate, and sustainable campus environment.

21. 14 to 18 July 2025: Student Induction Program – Awareness Sessions at MIT Manipal

Report

As part of the student induction program at Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal, the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE, conducted a series of awareness sessions from 14 to 18 July 2025 for all 32 sections of first-year students. Led by Dr Geetha Maiya, Director, and supported by Deputy Directors and Student Counsellors, the sessions focused on managing emotions to enhance emotional intelligence and mental well-being, and on Prevention of Sexual Harassment (PoSH) to promote respectful conduct and legal awareness. The program reinforced MAHE's commitment to a safe, inclusive, and supportive academic environment.

22. 29 July 2025, Workshop on Emotional Intelligence and Prevention of Sexual Harassment – Department of Basic Medical Sciences

Report

The Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE Manipal, organized a half-day workshop on the need and importance of emotional intelligence and the Prevention of Sexual Harassment at the Workplace. Resource persons included Dr Geetha Maiya, Ms Shilpa Joshi, and Dr Rayan Charles Mathias from the Department of Student Affairs. The workshop fostered understanding of emotional intelligence, empathy, communication, and workplace ethics, while promoting a safe, respectful, and inclusive work environment through interactive discussions and activities.

23. 12 August 2025: Anti-Ragging Observation Week – MAHE

Report

MAHE inaugurated its Anti-Ragging Observation Week on 12 August 2025, coinciding with International Youth Day 2025. The event featured a street play by MCHP students highlighting the harms of ragging, along with speeches by the Vice Chancellor, Superintendent of Police, Registrar, Dean, and legal expert Advocate Latha Holla. Dr Geetha Maiya welcomed participants, followed by ceremonial lamp lighting, a floral tribute to Dr TMA Pai, and the Nasha Mukt oath. Over 500 students participated in workshops, awareness drives, legal sessions, and cultural activities, promoting a safe, respectful, and inclusive campus.

24. 14 August 2025: Partition Horrors Remembrance Day – MAHE

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, observed Partition Horrors Remembrance Day on 14 August 2025 at the Counselling Hall, Edu Building. The program was presided over by Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, with Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, as Chief Guest. The event paid tribute to the countless lives affected during the Partition and highlighted the importance of remembering history to promote peace, unity, and resilience among the campus community.

25. 24 August 2025: TEDxMAHE 2025 – "Portrait of a Mind"

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, TEDxMAHE, organized TEDxMAHE 2025 on 24 August at the MIT Library Auditorium, themed "Portrait of a Mind." The event featured speakers including Mr Aaquib Wani, Ms Simrun Chopra, Mr Vivek Atray, Mr Shah Umair, Ms Nalina Sareen, and Ms Chetan Jaydeep, who shared insights on creativity, resilience, and innovation. Students, faculty, and guests actively participated in interactive sessions, fostering dialogue, inspiration, and holistic learning. The program promoted critical thinking, leadership, and personal growth, reflecting MAHE's commitment to cultivating a vibrant intellectual and innovative campus environment.

26. 21 and 22 August 2025: Orientation Program – Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA)

Report

The Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration, MAHE Manipal, organized an orientation program for newly admitted graduate students on 18, 21, and 22 August 2025. Sessions were focused on Emotional Intelligence and the Management and Prevention of Sexual Harassment at the Workplace. Led by Dr Geetha Maiya and student counsellors Ms Karuna Devadiga and Mr Calvin Dsouza, the program enhanced life skills, promoted workplace sensitivity, and nurtured professional values among the students, reflecting MAHE's commitment to holistic student development and a safe, inclusive academic environment.

27. 23 September 2025: Discussion with MAHE Ombudsperson – Justice B A Patil

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE, organized an insightful discussion with the MAHE

Ombudsperson, Honourable Justice B A Patil, on 23 September 2025.

The session began with a welcome address by Dr Geetha Maiya, Director, Student Affairs, and Mr Vasanth Krishna, Legal Consultant. Students, faculty, wardens, and caretakers participated, engaging in meaningful dialogue on governance, ethics, and student welfare. Following the discussion, Justice Patil interacted with the MAHE leadership team and visited the Manipal Hospice and Respite Care Centre (MHRC) to understand its impactful initiatives, reflecting MAHE's commitment to ethical leadership and community engagement.

28. 26 and 27 September 2025: Leadership Training Camp – In Collaboration with M R Pai Foundation

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with the M R Pai Foundation, organized a two-day Leadership Training Camp on 26 and 27 September 2025. Held in memory of Shri M R Pai and supported by the Forum of Free Enterprise, Mumbai, the program aimed to empower students through experiential learning, leadership insights, and value-based training. The camp fostered skills in teamwork, responsibility, and vision, enabling participants to develop leadership qualities and contribute meaningfully to society.

29. 29 September 2025: Awareness Workshop on Suicide Prevention – Creating Safe Spaces

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized an awareness workshop on Suicide Prevention on 29 September 2025 at the Medical Education Hall, EDU Library Building. The session aimed to foster understanding, compassion, and resilience by promoting safe and supportive spaces. Dr Tessy Treesa Jose, Associate Dean, Manipal College of Nursing, was the Chief Guest, and resource persons from the Department of Psychiatry, KMC, shared insights on recognizing warning signs, providing support, and building a caring campus culture. The workshop inspired participants to advocate empathy, awareness, and hope.

30. 11 October 2025: Run for Mental Health 2025 – MAHE

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with the Student Support Team, FITVIB, VSO, and the Sports Committee, organized the Run for Mental Health on 11 October 2025 at the EDU Building. Supported by Federal Bank, Karnataka Bank, Bank of Baroda, KNND Bangalore, and Canara Bank, the event commemorated World Mental Health Day. It promoted mental health awareness, physical well-being, and community

engagement among students and staff, with enthusiastic participation reflecting the message "Running Towards Wellness, Together."

31. 28 October 2025: Investiture Ceremony – Girl Up MAHE Manipal

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, organized the first Investiture Ceremony of Girl Up MAHE, celebrating leadership, empowerment, and social responsibility among students. The newly invested council received their badges, symbolizing courage, compassion, and commitment to gender equality. The event emphasized creating inclusive spaces where every voice is heard and every girl is empowered to lead, reflecting MAHE's dedication to student leadership development and social impact initiatives.

32. 19 November 2025: Flea Market – Girl Up MAHE Manipal

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with Girl Up – MAHE Students' Club, organized a vibrant Flea Market on 19 November 2025 at the MMC Lobby Area. The event brought together students, creators, and entrepreneurs, providing a lively platform for expression, engagement, and community building, while fostering creativity, collaboration, and an inclusive campus culture.

33. 14 December 2025: Beach Yoga '25 – MAHE Manipal

Report

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE, in collaboration with FitVib, KMC Manipal, organized Beach Yoga '25 on 14 December 2025 at Kadike Beach. The event, themed "Strengthening Self and Supporting Others," brought together students and staff for guided yoga and Zumba sessions, promoting physical fitness, mental well-being, mindfulness, and community bonding. Aligned with Viksit Bharat Abhiyan and FIT India initiatives, the program encouraged self-care, resilience, peer support, and a positive health-conscious campus culture, with enthusiastic participation reflecting MAHE's commitment to holistic well-being.

Mangalore Campus

1. 10 January 2025: Awareness Talk on Substance Use

Mr Ashok Pujari, Superintendent of Excise, Office of Joint Commissioner of Excise, Mangalore Division, delivered a session for first-year MBBS students on preventing narcotic/psychotropic drug abuse, its harmful effects, and legal implications.

This initiative was part of the State Excise Department's Drug-Free Dakshina Kannada Program.

2. 26 January 2025: Republic Day

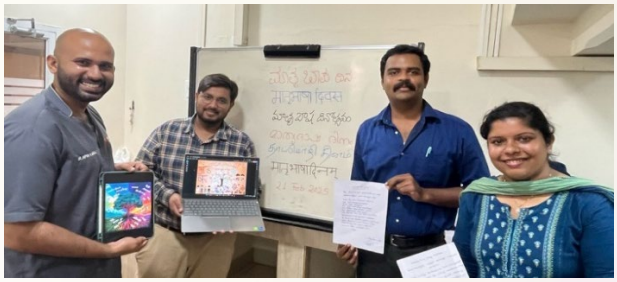
Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, commemorated Republic Day 2025 with patriotic fervor and enthusiasm. The event was graced by Dr Pavan Hegde (MBBS Batch of 1984), Professor of Paediatrics, Father Muller Medical College, as the Chief Guest. Dean Dr B Unnikrishnan welcomed the gathering, followed by the flag unfurling and an inspiring Republic Day message by Dr Pavan Hegde, emphasizing the importance of dedication to the nation's progress. The student team added to the patriotic spirit with soulful performances of national songs. A special highlight of the event was the felicitation of the doctors and nurses, recognizing their role in a historic first-ever organ donation in the District Government Wenlock Hospital's 176 year legacy. The celebration embodied patriotism, teamwork, and medical excellence, reflecting KMC's commitment to healthcare and national service.

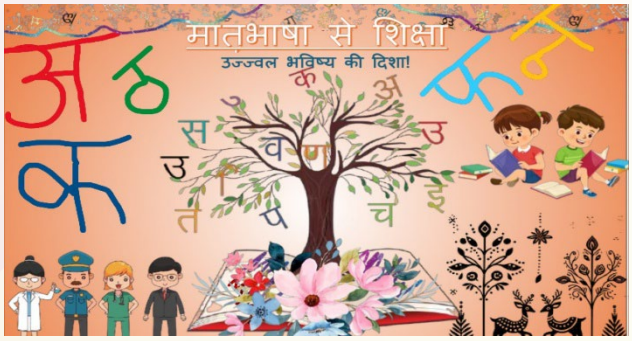
3. 26 January 2025: Fit India Program

The Manipal Marathon promo run was held on 26 January 2025 at the MAHE Mangalore campus, with enthusiastic participation. Flag off by Dr Murali Srinivasan, an alumnus of the 1989 batch, consultant Neurologist, and chief of medical services, at Manipal Hospitals, Bangalore, Mr Vasudev Kamath, and Mr Chandrashekhar Shetty, the run saw great energy and community spirit. The closing ceremony was presided over by Pro Vice Chancellor Dr Dilip G Naik. The event was supported by the Mangalore Runners Club (MRC) and KMC Hospital, Ambedkar Circle.

4. 21 February 2025: Matribhasha Diwas

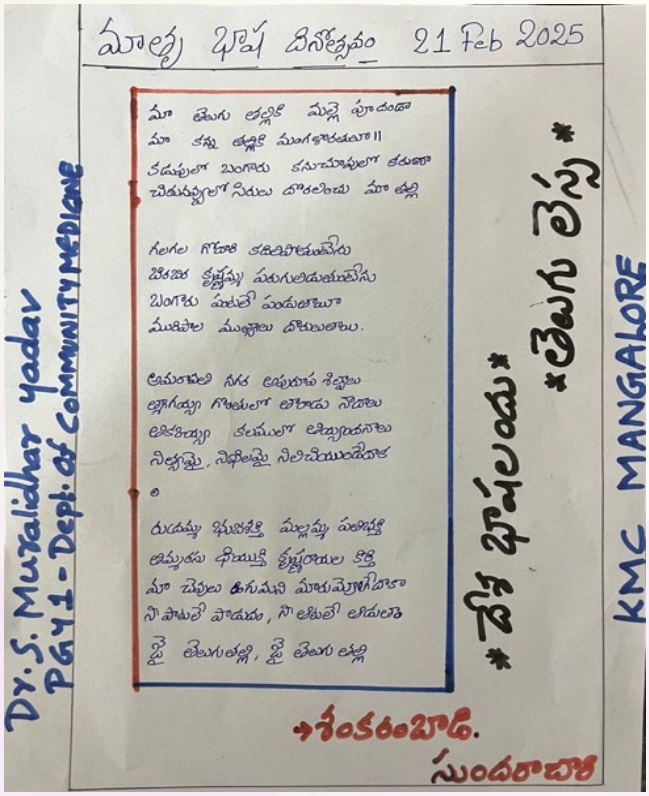
As part of the Matribhasha Diwas celebrations, KMC Mangalore organized poster-making and poetry competitions, engaging students in creative expression of their linguistic heritage. The event aimed to instill pride in their mother tongues and emphasize the role of language in cultural identity. Poster Making Competition: Participants showcased visually compelling posters reflecting themes of multilingualism, cultural diversity, and the significance of mother tongue in education and communication. Poetry Competition: Students composed and recited poems in various Indian languages, celebrating linguistic traditions and the beauty of native expressions. Both activities received enthusiastic participation from students, fostering awareness about the linguistic diversity of India and its role in knowledge development and heritage preservation. Outcome: The event successfully highlighted the importance of mother tongue in education, research, and communication, reinforcing the cultural and intellectual significance of linguistic diversity.





5. 01 March 2025: Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav

The Department of Student Affairs MAHE, in Association with Manipal College of Dental Sciences MAHE Manipal organized "Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav" on 01 March 2025 at KMC Greens, Manipal. Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav is a NEP SAARTHI activity - an initiative by UGC, India, with the objective of promoting and preserving mother languages. 20 of our students participated in the event.



6. International Yoga Day Celebrations: 02 to 21 June 2025

Essay Writing Competition

To promote a deeper understanding of yoga and its holistic benefits, an Essay Writing Contest was conducted on 02 June 2025 at the Bejai campus, as part of the International Yoga Day celebrations. The event witnessed insightful and well-researched submissions, reflecting a profound awareness of yoga's impact on physical health, mental peace, and overall well-being.

Poster Making Competition: As part of the International Yoga Day celebrations on 21 June, a Poster Making Contest was organized on 16 June at Bejai Campus, to encourage students to express the essence of yoga through art. The theme, "Yoga for Wellness," inspired participants to creatively depict the benefits of yoga for physical and mental well-being.

Slogan Writing Contest

As a creative initiative to mark International Yoga Day, a Slogan Making Contest was held online inviting students to craft catchy and meaningful slogans that captured the spirit of yoga. The contest highlighted the participants' ability to convey impactful messages in just a few words. All three events highlighted the importance of yoga in daily life and saw enthusiastic participation of around 45 plus students across various batches. The prize winners were awarded during the International Day of Yoga celebrations on 21 June 2025.

Yoga Demonstration

A yoga demonstration session was organized at Bejai campus, on 20 June 2025 in collaboration with Yenepoya Naturopathy and Yogic Science College and Hospital, Deralakatte, Mangalore and National Institute of Naturopathy, Pune. Dr Sangeetha Laxmi, Associate Professor, Yenepoya Naturopathy and Yogic Science College and Hospital was the resource person. More than 100 participants were actively involved in this event, which included undergraduate and postgraduate students, staff members and faculty.

Yoga Sangam 2025

Yoga Sangam 2025 was organized at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, on 21 June to commemorate the **International Day of Yoga**. The event brought together students, faculty, and staff to promote physical and mental well-being through yoga practice. The Common Yoga Protocol, led by a certified yoga instructor focusing on asanas, pranayama, and relaxation techniques was conducted to mark the day. Over 50 participants, including students, faculty members, and support staff, took part in the session.

7. Samvidhan Hatya Divas: 05 July 2025

Debate Competition

As part of the observance of the 50th anniversary of Samvidhan Hatya Diwas, a Debate Competition was organized on 05 July 2025 to encourage critical thinking and stimulate discussion around constitutional values and their relevance in today's society.

The event saw enthusiastic participation from four teams, each comprising two members, who presented diverse perspectives on a range of thought-provoking topics.

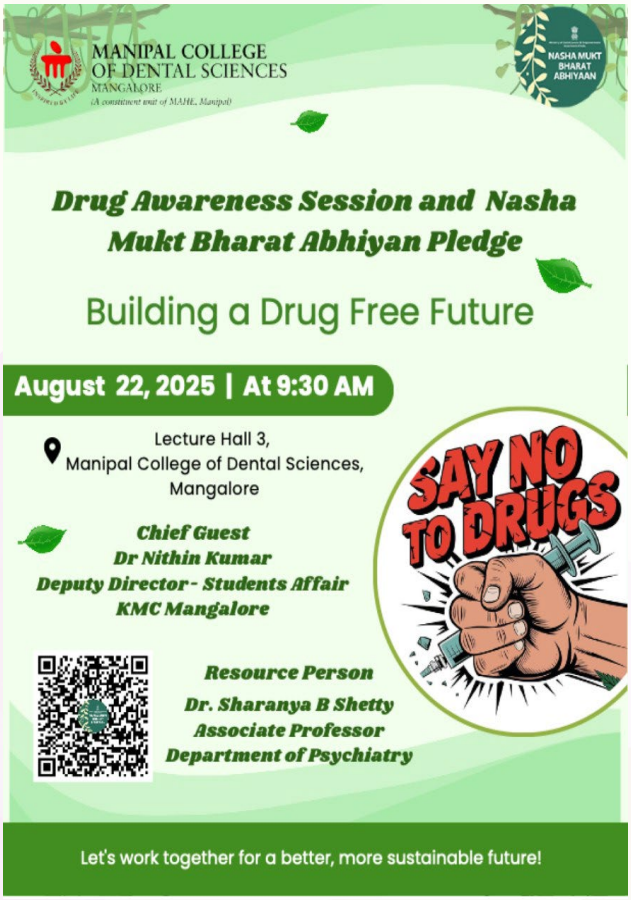
The teams were as follows:

Team 1- Pramath Chandra and Mudigonda Mahi
Team 2- Mansi Ranjan and Souma Gosh
Team 3- Mishika Chawla and Ansh Dwiwedi
Team 4- Eshanya B U and Abhishek G

The event was well-received and marked a fitting tribute to the spirit of the Constitution through informed, youth-led discourse. The event was judged by Dr Rajat Rao and Dr Jithin Surendran, Assistant Professor from the Department of Community Medicine.

8. Nasha Mukth Bharat Abhiyaan: 19 August 2025 (SDG 4)

As part of the nationwide *Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan*, a **Drug Awareness Session** and **Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan Pledge** were organized by the *Nasha Mukt Club* in collaboration with the Department of Physiology, KMC Mangalore, on **19 August 2025** at LH1, Bejai Campus. The program commenced with a welcome address by **Dr Sneha S Shetty**, Associate Professor, Department of Physiology. This was followed by the **inaugural address** by **Dr Suresh Kumar Shetty**, Associate Dean of Student Affairs, who highlighted the crucial role of youth in building a healthy, addiction-free society. The **pledge** was administered by **Dr Nithin Kumar**, Deputy Director of Student Affairs. An enlightening talk titled *"Curiosity to Crisis: Preventing and Managing Substance Abuse"* was then delivered by **Dr Priyanka Renita Dsouza**, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, KMC Mangalore. The event concluded with a **vote of thanks** proposed by **Dr Rashmi K S**, Associate Professor, Department of Physiology. The session effectively raised awareness among participants and fostered a collective sense of responsibility towards creating a drug-free environment.



9. Swachhata Pakhwada: 01 to 09 September 2025

As part of the nationwide initiative Swachhata Pakhwada, our institution actively organized few activities to spread awareness about cleanliness and responsible waste management. Two major events were successfully conducted during the observance - Swachhata Pledge Taking Ceremony and Reel Making.

Swachhata Pledge Taking Ceremony:

The program began with the Swachhata Pledge, where students and faculty members collectively affirmed their commitment towards maintaining cleanliness in their surroundings and promoting hygiene practices in daily life. The pledge emphasized the importance of devoting time to cleanliness and encouraging others to do the same. The event instilled a sense of collective responsibility, reminding participants that cleanliness is not just an individual habit but a social duty. The large turnout and enthusiastic participation reflected the sincerity with which the students embraced the cause.

Reel Making

To extend the reach of the campaign beyond the campus, students actively participated in making short reels and videos focused on the importance of cleanliness and sanitation. These reels were shared across social media platforms to spread awareness among a larger audience in an engaging and relatable way. By using digital platforms, the initiative ensured that the message of Swachhata reached friends, families, and the community at large, thereby multiplying its impact.

10. Rashtriya Ekta Diwas 31 October 2025

"A pledge was taken to uphold the unity, integrity, and security of India, inspired by Sardar Vallabhai Patel's Vision: Together, we are stronger."

11. Celebration of Constitution Day – 26 November 2025

KMC Mangalore observed Constitution Day 2025 with a collective reading of the Preamble to the Constitution of India on 26 November, in accordance with the University Grants Commission (UGC) guidelines. Faculty, staff, and students joined together to reaffirm our commitment to the values of justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity. A

proud moment celebrating the spirit of our Constitution.

Bangalore Campus

1. Re-Orientation to DSA to D LHS Students - 24 January 2025

The re-orientation program on DSA and the counselling process was held on 24 January 2025, with the aim of providing students with a clear understanding of the resources available under the Department of Student Affairs (DSA) and the counselling process. The session began with a brief introduction of all DSA members, followed by an engaging icebreaker activity to create a relaxed atmosphere. Then it was explained when students should consider meeting a counsellor and where they can access the services. The session also provided insights into the general rules of therapy, emphasizing structure and safety, elaborated on confidentiality in counselling, addressing its importance, and the rare scenarios of breaching it for safety concerns. Later, we detailed the therapy process, breaking it down into simple steps to help students understand how it works. Finally, we introduced the various DSA initiatives and activities, highlighting current and future opportunities for students. The session concluded with an interactive Q & A segment, ensuring students' doubts were addressed and fostering trust and clarity.

2. Manovrtti Mindfulness Session: Mandala Colouring - 31 January 2025

The Manovrtti mindfulness session held on 31 January was conducted in collaboration with the Department of Commerce. The session centered around the theme of Mandala Colouring, offering participants a unique and creative approach to mindfulness. It was designed to foster a deep sense of presence and focus through the intricate process of colouring mandalas, an ancient practice that blends art with mindfulness.

Session Overview: The session provided the participants with mandala templates and colouring materials. As they engaged in the act of colouring, they were encouraged to focus on their breath, the movement of their hands, and the patterns emerging within the mandala. The January Manovrtti mindfulness session successfully combined the practice of mindfulness with the therapeutic benefits of mandala colouring. The session not only helped participants cultivate mindfulness but also provided a creative outlet for emotional expression and relaxation.

3. Peer Support Training - 05 February 2025

This was a dynamic hybrid peer support training session hosted by DSA to help students in understanding the crucial roles and boundaries of peer counselors, setting the stage for effective support while emphasizing the importance of recognizing one's limitations. We discussed the essential basic counseling skills, including active listening, clear communication, problem-solving, and assertiveness, enriched by practical examples that resonated with the audience. Finally, we addressed the critical aspect of referral skills, outlining when and how to direct students to appropriate professional resources for issues beyond peer support, such as academic, disciplinary, or mental health concerns. The session concluded with a brief assessment to ensure the students had grasped the material, marking a successful training that has equipped our campus community with enhanced peer support capabilities.

4. Manovrtti Mindfulness Session: Macrame Making Workshop - 28 February 2025

The February Manovrtti mindfulness session focused on a macrame-making workshop, conducted in collaboration with the Department of Public Policy. The session was led ed by Ms Navya Shree (Student Counsellor) and Ms Sanjana and team from Solace in Crafting. It combined the art of macrame crafting with mindfulness, offering a creative and calming experience for all involved.

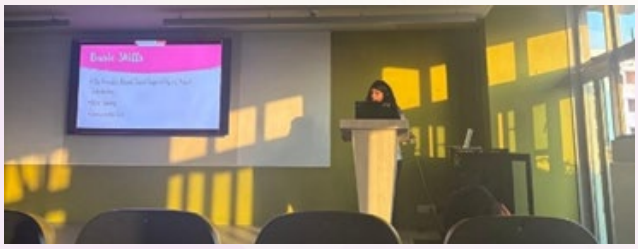
Session Overview: The session began with a brief introduction to mindfulness and its benefits, followed by an introduction to macrame and a demonstration of basic macrame knots. Participants were then guided through the process of creating their own macrame pieces, with a focus on staying present and mindful throughout the activity. Instructors encouraged the participants to be aware of their breathing, the rhythm of their hands, and the patterns emerging as they worked. The session fostered a calm environment where participants could immerse themselves in the process, combining creativity with mindfulness. Overall, this session successfully blended mindfulness with creativity, offering participants a meaningful and relaxing experience. We look forward to continuing these collaborations to support well-being and personal growth.

5. Stress Management Techniques" to DPP Students - 29 February 2025

The stress management techniques session was held on 28 Feb 2025. The objective of the session was to equip the students of DPP with tools and techniques to better handle and deal with their stress, both academic and personal. The session began with the counsellors addressing the classroom and understanding their major areas of concern. The counsellors were asked to understand that the students have been experiencing major stressors related to their academics, examinations, assignments, deadlines, etc. The session was conducted by Mr Aditya, who gave tips to manage their stress successfully.

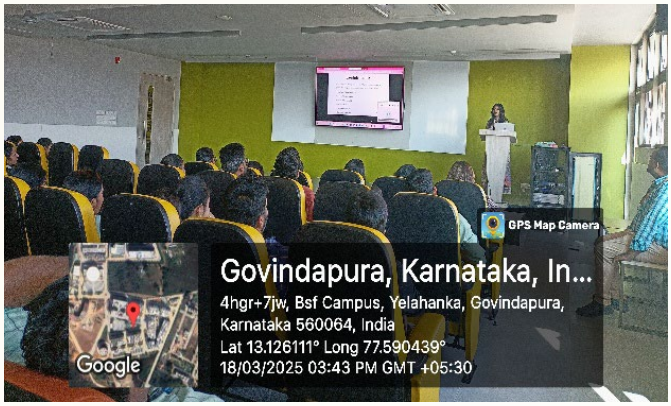
6. Peer Support Training II - 12 Mar 2025

We hosted a second round of dynamic hybrid peer support training sessions facilitated by Ms Sanmitha, Ms Lakshmi, and Dr Arjuna S R. The session engaged students in understanding the crucial roles and boundaries of peer counselors, setting the stage for effective support while emphasizing the importance of recognizing one's limitations. We also discussed essential basic counseling skills, including active listening, clear communication, problem-solving, and assertiveness, enriched by practical examples that resonated with the audience. Finally, Dr Arjuna addressed the critical aspect of referral skills, outlining when and how to direct students to appropriate professional resources for issues beyond peer support, such as academic, disciplinary, or mental health concerns. The session concluded with a brief assessment to ensure the students had grasped the material, marking a successful training that has equipped our campus community with enhanced peer support capabilities.



7. Orientation Program for the PhD Scholars of MAHE-BLR - 18 March 2025

The Department of Student Affairs conducted an orientation program for the PhD Scholars of MAHE-BLR. The session was conducted in hybrid mode to ensure that the part- time PhD scholars were also able to attend. There was a total of 33 in-person attendees and 10 online, making a total of 44 attendees. In the hour, we first began with an introduction to all the team members, followed by a focus on answering relevant questions, including 'when people can come for therapy', 'who can come for therapy', and other important aspects. We concluded the orientation by sharing our contact details, location, and timings regarding our evening shift.



8. Wellness Wednesday Session - 19 March 2025

The Wellness Wednesday session on 19 March 2025, focused on Goal Setting and Visualization, and was facilitated by Ms Sanmitha. The session aimed to help participants set clear goals and create a vision for their future.

The session began with a guided yoga practice, allowing participants to center themselves and prepare mentally for the vision board activity. Following this, students engaged in vision board creation, using images, quotes, and affirmations to visually represent their aspirations for 2025.

To conclude, protein bars were distributed to participants as a token of encouragement for their wellness journey. The session was well-received, with students expressing motivation and clarity in their goal-setting process

9. Manovṛtti – Mindful Doodling with Music - 27 March 2025

As part of the Manovṛtti mindfulness series, the Department of Student Affairs conducted a creative wellness session titled "Mindful Doodling with Music" on 27 March 2025. The session was a calming space for students to pause and reconnect with themselves through free-form doodling, accompanied by soothing background music. Led by Student Counsellor Ms Navya Shree C, participants were encouraged to let go of perfection, follow their instincts, and simply enjoy the process of creating without rules or pressure. The rhythmic movement of drawing, paired with ambient music, helped guide students into a state of relaxed focus, supporting emotional regulation, self-expression, and present-moment awareness. No artistic experience was required, making the activity inclusive and welcoming for all.

Feedback

The event received a warm response, with 16 participants and positive feedback from students who appreciated the opportunity to de-stress and slow down amid their academic routines.

10. Manovṛtti – Mindful Moments with Origami - 15 April 2025

As part of the Manovṛtti series, the Department of Student Affairs conducted a creative mindfulness session titled "Mindful Moments with Origami" on 15 April 2025. Held during the peak of exam season, the session offered students a much-needed pause, a chance to slow down, breathe, and reset through the meditative practice of origami. Guided by Ms Navya Shree C, students explored the therapeutic rhythm of folding paper into simple, elegant forms like hearts and cats. Each fold served as a mindful act, helping participants steady their thoughts, reduce anxiety and engage their senses in the present moment.

Feedback

The session was attended by 9 participants. All materials were provided, and no prior origami

experience was required, making it an accessible and inclusive experience for all.

This initiative continues to reflect the department's commitment to fostering emotional resilience and self-awareness through creative, student-centered wellness programming.

11. Wellness Wednesday Session, "Letting Go of Worries" - 16 April 2025

The Wellness Wednesday session, "Letting Go of Worries", offered students a peaceful start to their day through gentle yoga, calming breathwork, and a creative worry doll-making activity. Designed to help students release stress and reconnect with themselves, the session combined mindful movement, reflection, and hands-on expression in a supportive environment.

This session included guided yoga and pranayama practice to ease tension and calm the mind, mindful reflection, creative expression through worry doll making, and a safe space to pause and reset. Feedback was overwhelmingly positive, with students appreciating the blend of relaxation and creativity.

12. Gate Keepers Training - 22 April 2025

This event was facilitated by Dr Ashwini N V, a renowned scholar and founder of Muktha Foundation. The session was specifically designed for peer supporters on MAHE BLR campus. The mode of the session was both online and in person. Around 40 students joined this session. The facilitator went on to train students on awareness, acknowledgement, and an action plan for emergency situations. They were trained to understand the signs and symptoms of high-risk cases. Post this, they were also given tips and taught skills on how to handle sensitive conversations and referrals, therefore.

13 Care Beyond Curfew: Creating Safe Spaces for Housekeeping Staff - 23 June 2025

The Department of Student Affairs MAHE-BLR conducted a 1.5-hour workshop for housekeeping staff, focusing on identifying vulnerable students from their perspective. The workshop began with introductions, guided visualization meditation, and a discussion on basic skills such as communication, empathy, and a non-judgmental attitude. The workshop covered key topics such as incident-based observations, scenarios, and response strategies, emphasizing the importance of observing and reporting. A quiz activity reinforced the learning, and participants who answered correctly were awarded chocolates. The workshop concluded with a summary and sharing of DSA members' contact details. The session was well-received, with active participation and engagement from the audience, and was

conducted in Kannada and Hindi to ensure relatability and comprehension. Overall, the workshop was a success in equipping housekeeping staff with the necessary skills and knowledge to support student well-being.

14. Care Beyond Curfew: Creating Safe Spaces for Security Team - 24 June 2025

The Department of Student Affairs, MAHE-BLR, conducted a 1.5-hour workshop for the security team, focusing on identifying vulnerable students from their perspective.

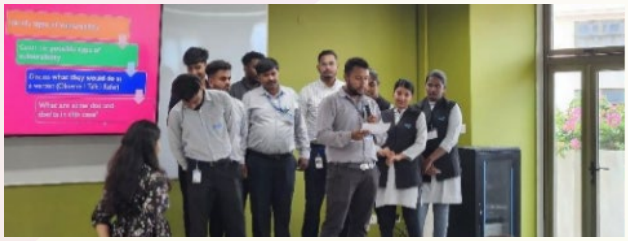
The workshop covered key topics such as effective and assertive communication, including verbal and non-verbal cues, and assertiveness. A role-play demonstration showcased effective de-escalation skills, and a quiz activity reinforced the learning. The session concluded with a summary and sharing of DSA members' contact details. The workshop was well-received, with active participation and engagement from the audience, and was conducted in Hindi to ensure relatability and comprehension. Overall, the workshop equipped security staff with essential skills and knowledge to support student well-being and safety.

15. Care Beyond Curfew: Creating Safe Spaces for Hostel Wardens - 25 and 26 June 2025

The Department of Student Affairs (MAHE-BLR) conducted a 6-hour workshop for hostel wardens, focusing on identifying vulnerable students and developing essential skills to support them. The workshop was divided into three segments: "Introduction to Vulnerability", "Skills Training" and "Self-care for Wardens". The session began with an ice-breaker activity, followed by a detailed discussion on various types of vulnerabilities, including academic, emotional, and identity-related concerns. The importance of identifying neuro-divergent students and reporting accordingly was also emphasized.

The "Skills Training" segment equipped wardens with essential skills such as listening, empathy, non-judgment, boundaries, communication, and conflict resolution. Practical activities, including group discussions and role-plays, helped wardens understand the application of these skills in real-life scenarios. The segment also covered strategies for working with neuro-divergent students and providing additional support when needed.

The final segment, "Self-care for Wardens," the importance of emotional self-awareness, grounding techniques, and breathing exercises to manage stress and emotional triggers. Wardens received resources, including hotline numbers and contact details of DSA MAHE-BLR members, to support their own well-being and student referrals. The workshop was well-received, with active participation and engagement from the audience, and provided wardens with the necessary skills and knowledge to support vulnerable students effectively.



16. Orientation Session' 2025 - 15 July to 06 August 2025

The session aimed to introduce the Department of Student Affairs team and the wide range of facilities and support systems offered by MAHE.

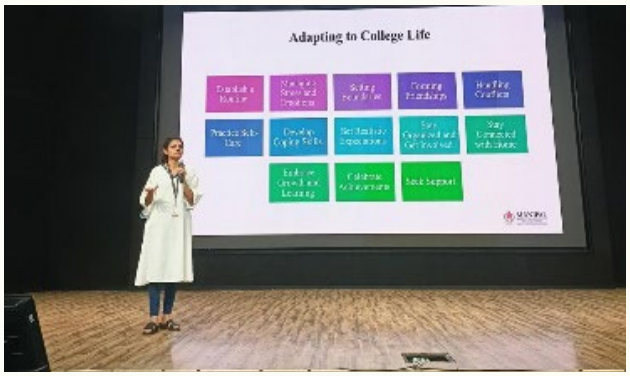
The Mental Health facilities and Wellness Initiatives session guided students on recognizing when to seek counselling, such as when struggling to maintain routines, withdrawing from social interactions, noticing changes in physical health, facing persistent mental health challenges, seeking perspective shifts, or needing a safe space to process emotions. Students were reminded of their right to choose a therapist, informed about referral options within campus and through Your Dost, and assured of strict confidentiality covering legal and ethical obligations, informed consent, scope and limits, third-party presence, and secure record keeping. The standard therapy process was explained, from relationship building and assessment to goal setting, intervention, and evaluation or referral.

The students were given details of the MAHE Student Support System, the committees under DSA, such as Anti-Ragging, Grievance Redressal, ICC for POSH, the Anonymous Reporting System, and the Policy for Prevention of Substance Abuse. Students were also made aware of NCC, NSS, and VSO opportunities. The students were made aware of the relevant posters displayed across campus and contact details of department-wise coordinators were shared with all attendees.

17. Transition to College Life - 15 July to 28 August 2025

The Transition to College Life sessions were designed to ease first-year students into the academic, cultural, and social environment at MAHE Bengaluru. The sessions began with Human Bingo, an icebreaker aimed at helping students meet and connect with their peers in a relaxed, fun setting. Following the activity, "Expectation vs Reality" was taken up, giving students an honest view of what college life entails and addressing common misconceptions. Then, the session spoke on "Culture Stages and their Unseen Benefits", guiding students through the process of adjusting to a diverse campus community and highlighting the advantages of embracing cultural differences. The session concluded with "Adapting to College Life", offering strategies for time management, building support networks, and maintaining well-being. The session closed with the "Survival Kit" segment - a compilation of practical tips, essential contacts, and

self-care suggestions to support students in their transition.



18. Mental Health and Wellness session for PhD Scholars - 22 July 2025

This session started with sharing essential techniques and tips on the management of the researcher and how best a research scholar may utilize the facilities provided to them. Some of the points shared also included managing expectations, technical guidance, and support system details. It then went over the importance of self-care for research scholars, including understanding and recognizing emotions, a guide to professional help, and importantly, relaxation and grounding techniques for stressful days.

19. Manovṛtti – My Anchor Deck - 30 July 2025

The Department of Student Affairs hosted a post-summer edition of the Manovṛtti mindfulness series titled "My Anchor Deck." The session invited students to design personalized grounding cards featuring calming affirmations, visuals, and words that inspire balance and focus.

Led by Student Counsellor Ms Navya Shree C, the activity encouraged mindful reflection, creativity, and emotional regulation as students identified supportive messages that could serve as daily anchors throughout the semester. The session was attended by 39 students, who described it as "a gentle restart to the semester." Participants appreciated the balance of creativity and introspection, noting that the activity helped them reconnect with their goals and emotional well-being.

20. Anti-Ragging Week - 12 to 18 August 2025

The Anti-Ragging Week was observed on the MAHE-BLR campus , including both online and offline participation. Offline/In-campus events included a Campus Wide Awareness Walk by MIT students, Nukkad Natak's presented by the students of two separate departments (DLHS and SMI), Dance-drama, and Flash-mob by DLHS students.

Various competitions were held online included 'Logo making competition', 'Essay and Slogan writing competition' , and 'Reel making competition'.

21. Peer Support Club Inauguration Ceremony 2025 -18 August 2025

The Peer Support Investitures 2025 was held on 18 August 2025 at Academic Block 4, Seminar Hall, MAHE Bengaluru, under the theme "With You, For You."

There was an inspiring talk by the Chief Guest, Dr Kavita Rai Sinha, on the role of peer supporters in campus well-being.

Ms Sanmitha (Peer Support Coordinator) presented a recap of the training journey, scope of peer support, and the responsibilities undertaken by the peer supporters. Our peer supporters, Avanti and Rashi, shared heartfelt reflections on their experiences.

The highlight of the event was the Investiture and Badge Ceremony, where certificates and badges were awarded to all inducted Peer Supporters. The ceremony concluded with the Peer Supporter Pledge, reaffirming their commitment to empathy, confidentiality, and ethical practices, followed by a group photo and refreshments.

22. Manovṛtti – Mindful Hues - 21 August 2025

As part of the Manovṛtti mindfulness series, the Department of Student Affairs conducted an engaging, creative wellness session titled "Mindful Hues" on 21 August 2025. The session invited students to experience the meditative process of glass painting, blending mindfulness with art-based relaxation. Ms Navya Shree C guided participants through a short mindfulness exercise, helping them settle into the present moment before transitioning into the painting activity facilitated by Ms Sanjana. Participants explored colour, flow, and form as metaphors for calmness and inner balance, creating vibrant art pieces that reflected both creativity and composure. Feedback: The session

saw enthusiastic participation from 33 students, many of whom described it as "soothing, refreshing, and therapeutic." Students appreciated the opportunity to slow down, focus, and express themselves freely through colour, while also learning a new artistic skill.

23. Managing Test Anxiety - 16 September 2025

The focus of the session was on test anxiety, owing to the upcoming exams. The session was conducted across five different sections for I-year students from the Department of Commerce. The session began with an ice-breaking activity called Anxiety Bingo. It then focused on what test anxiety is and how to identify it, including common signs and symptoms.

Coping strategies were introduced to the students across the cognitive, affective, and behavioural domains. The students were also taught to identify the critical point beyond which help-seeking becomes imperative. Details about the functioning of the Department of Student Affairs and how to reach out were shared.

24. Psychological First Aid - 17 September 2025

The session was conducted for faculty members from TAPMI. The focus of the session was on sensitizing faculty members to student stressors and familiarizing them with the look-listen-link framework as part of psychological first aid. Case studies were utilized to help faculty members identify signs that indicate a student might need help. Warning signs and common manifestations of stress and lack of well-being were delineated as per behavioural, emotional, and physical cues as well as risk factors. The faculty members were also introduced to basic listening skills to help provide immediate support.

Lastly, the session focused on identifying when to link a student with professional services and pathways for the same. Self-care was also highlighted.

25. From Mind to Body: Expression through Dance Movement - 09 October 2025

The session was open to all students of MAHE-BLR. Ms Preethi Rajagopalan opened the session with gentle warm-up and ice-breaking activities. The session progressed to build bodily awareness and enhance physical expression. Students were encouraged to experiment with movement under the guidance of the facilitator. The session also explored artistic and creative expression and created a safe space for students to gently explore emotions that surface and process them through the mind-body connection.

26. The Art of Being: An Exploration of Expressive Arts - 10 October 2025

The session was open to all students of MAHE-BLR. The session focused on art-based activities such as Kintsugi Paper Art to help students process their narratives and meaningful life experiences through the medium of art. Students then built their Tree of Strengths, illustrating adaptive aspects of the self. The activities were accompanied by guided reflections to help students connect artistic expression with emotional exploration.

27. Manovṛtti – The Art of Gentle Words - 13 October 2025

In observance of World Mental Health Day, the Department of Student Affairs organized a special Manovṛtti session titled "The Art of Gentle Words". The session centered on mindful letter writing, encouraging students to cultivate compassion and empathy through words. Guided by Student Counsellor Ms Navya Shree C, participants wrote Letters of Kindness to themselves, a friend, or someone who may need encouragement. The activity invited students to slow down, reflect on gratitude, and connect with emotions through the written word. The session concluded with a short grounding exercise on kindness, allowing participants to internalize calmly and carry it forward into their daily lives.

28. Integrated Workshop on Solution-Focused Brief Therapy (SFBT) and Trauma-Informed Approach - 05 and 07 November 2025

Solution-Focused Brief Therapy (SFBT) Workshop

The Student Counsellor Team attended the Solution-Focused Brief Therapy (SFBT) workshop on **05 November 2025 from 10:00-16:00.** The session was highly beneficial, strengthening our ability to use a goal-oriented and strengths-based approach in student counselling. It equipped us with practical techniques to help students identify solutions, build on their existing resources and work toward achievable goals.

Trauma-Informed Approach (TIA) Workshop

The Student Counsellor Team participated in the Trauma-Informed Approach workshop on **07 November 2025 from 10:00-13:00**. This session deepened our understanding of trauma and highlighted the importance of creating safe, supportive and trustworthy spaces for students. The workshop offered meaningful insights into recognizing trauma responses and integrating trauma-informed principles into our daily counselling work, enriching our ability to provide empathetic and responsive support.

29. Peer Support Club: Chocolate with Kindness - 26 November 2025

The *Chocolates with Kindness* event was conducted on 26 November 2025 to promote wellness, positivity, and emotional support during the exam season. Peer Supporters and Ms Sanmitha (peer support coordinator, student counsellor) distributed chocolates along with personal encouraging notes to help students feel supported and motivated. Students also received information about the Peer Support Club and DSA services, along with a QR code that gave them instant access to Peer Supporters and their contact details. The event emphasized that support is always available on campus and encouraged students to reach out whenever needed.

MTMC (Jamshedpur)

1. Topics of Program - Handling Conflicts and Behaviour Management

   Dated – 04 January 2025

   Target Audience: Hostel caretakers

The session prepares caretakers to support the emotional and psychological well-being of the MBBS students while also maintaining a harmonious living environment in the hostel.

2. Topics of Program - Emotional Regulation in Academic Settings

Dated – 08 March 2025

Target Audience - MBBS Students

To help and equip the students with practical skills and strategies for recognizing and regulating their emotions.

3. Topics of Program - Building Self-esteem and Confidence

Dated – 11 April 2025

Target Audience - AHS Students

To prepare students to become confident practitioners and better equipped to make informed and timely decisions, especially in high-pressure situations.

4. Topics of Program - Problem Solving and Decision Making

Dated – 13 May 2025

Target Audience - Hostel Caretakers

To equip hostel caretakers with structured methodologies to identify issues, analyze root causes, and implement effective solutions in exceptional scenarios.

5. Topics of Program - Resilience Building

Dated – 08 July 2025

Target Audience - Supportive staff members

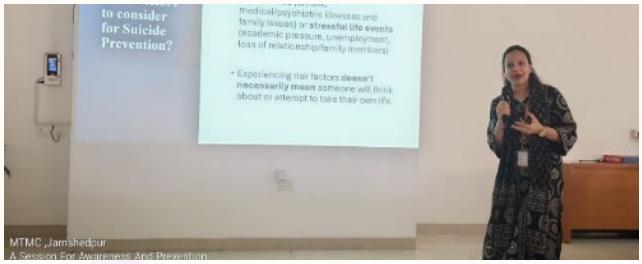
To enhance flexibility and adaptability within an evolving work culture.

6. Topics of Program - Let's Talk: A Session on Awareness and Prevention

Dated – 06 September 2025

Target Audience - MBBS Batch

To discuss the theme "change the narrative on suicide".



7. Topics of Program - Working with Peer Mentor Circles

Dated – 06 September 2025

Target Audience - MBBS Batch

Focused group session was conducted involving peer mentors to enhance their capacity in guiding mentees on mental health matters.

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Brief About the Department

The Office of Corporate Relations at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) serves as a strategic bridge between the university and the corporate world. It actively fosters partnerships with industries and foundations whose missions align with MAHE's vision of academic excellence, innovation, and societal impact. Through these collaborations, the Office facilitates co-creation and co-development of products, services, and technologies; supports industry-funded research projects and CSR initiatives; and enables sponsorships and program support. In addition, it facilitates internship and placement opportunities for students with leading organizations. These sustained partnerships not only strengthen MAHE's research and innovation ecosystem but also contribute to building a robust academia-industry interface that drives mutual growth and long-term value creation.

National and International Industry Collaboration Quarter-wise data (Agreements):

Collaborations	2025 (Jan to Dec)				
	Jan-Mar	Apr-Jun	Jul-Sep	Oct-Dec	**Total**
National	11	17	10	16	**54**
International	1	4	1	1	**7**

Total funding from Industries from January 2025 – December 2025:

Sl No	Details	Amount (INR)
1	Industry-sponsored consulting by Faculty	3,10,000
2	Industry-sponsored Management Development Programs	1,04,36,348
3	Industry-sponsored Continuing Education Programs	77,58,537
4	CSR funds sponsored through industries	9,53,51,637
5	Industry-sponsored Research Projects	3,50,26,960
6	Technology Training by Faculty for skilling	63,21,200
7	Testing Consultancy	10,19,38,808
8	Sponsorship	5,29,38,974
	Total	**31,00,82,465**

Request letters sent for Corporate Social Responsibility Funds:

Year	Number of Companies	No Response	Response
2025 (Jan to Dec)	47	-	26

Corporate Social Responsibility Fund Received from Companies

Date of Receipt	Company Name	Received Fund (INR)
09 Jan 2025	**Siemens Healthineers** (MHRC- Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre) 	37,50,000
09 Jan 2025	**D D International Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	19,00,000
09 Jan 2025	**AMDD Foods Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	19,00,000
10 Jan 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring of Dialysis and Cataract at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel) 	87,000
23 Jan 2025	**KNND Associates Pvt Ltd** (Manipal version of the Assertive Community Treatment program for people with severe mental illness) 	2,00,000
30 Jan 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments) 	85,14,368
06 Feb 2025	**Siemens Healthineers** (MHRC- Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre) 	25,00,000

Date of Receipt	Company Name	Received Fund (INR)
08 Feb 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments) 	39,79,064
28 Feb 2025	**RailTel Corporation of India Limited** (Amputation Prevention Program for people with Type-2 diabetes in Udupi district) 	7,30,000
28 Feb 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring of Dialysis and Cataract at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel) 	87,000
13 Mar 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring of Dialysis and Cataract at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel) 	87,000
21 Mar 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments) 	34,57,374
31 Mar 2025	**D D International Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	10,00,000
31 Mar 2025	**AMDD Foods Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	10,00,000
31 Mar 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Manipal version of Assertive Community Treatment program for people with severe mental illness)	9,10,270

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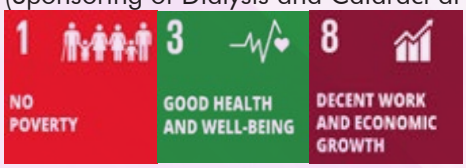
31 Mar 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments)	84,02,314
17 Apr 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring of Dialysis and Cataract at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel)	87,000
22 Apr 2025	**Indore Composite** (Sponsorship for AICTE-IDEA Lab at MIT Manipal)	1,00,000
07 May 2025	**Kanungo Ferromet Pvt Ltd** (Development of Psychiatrist Care and Treatment Program)	21,00,000
15 May 2025	**D D International Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer)	14,00,000
15 May 2025	**AMDD Foods Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer)	19,00,000
19 May 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring of Dialysis and Cataract at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel)	87,000
		

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25 May 2025	**Indore Composite** (Sponsorship for AICTE-IDEA Lab at MIT Manipal) 	1,00,000
27 May 2025	**Kotak Securities Limited** (Treatment of children with cancer) 	25,00,000
23 Jun 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring of Dialysis and Cataract at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel) 	83,000
12 Jul 2025	**Encube Ethicals Private Limited** (Sponsoring of Phase 2 of the Digital Museum "MANIPAL cGMP MUSEUM) 	2,00,000
31 Jul 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring for dialysis, cataract operation, and hip and knee surgery at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, Mangalore) 	4,85,000
31 Jul 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments) 	59,81,489
06 Aug 2025	**D D International Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	19,00,000
06 Aug 2025	**AMDD Foods Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer)	9,50,000

Date of Receipt	Company Name	Received Fund (INR)
13 Aug 2025	**Incred Financial Services Ltd** (Treatment of children with cancer) 	82,50,000
25 Aug 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring for dialysis, cataract operation, and hip and knee surgery at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, Mangalore) 	4,85,000
31-08-25	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners of the family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments) 	29,08,209
15-09-25	**Kotak Securities Limited** (Treatment of children with cancer) 	25,00,000
18 Sep 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring for dialysis, cataract operation, and hip and knee surgery at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, Mangalore) 	4,85,000
29 Sep2025	**RailTel Corporation of India Limited** (Amputation Prevention Program for people with Type-2 diabetes in Udupi district) 	7,30,000
30 Sep 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments)	30,90,268

Date of Receipt	Company Name	Received Fund (INR)
13 Oct 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring for dialysis, cataract operation, and hip and knee surgery at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, Mangalore) 	4,85,000
22 Oct 2025	**D D International Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	3,00,000
22 Oct 2025	**AMDD Foods Pvt Ltd** (Support for bone marrow transplant to underprivileged children with cancer) 	7,50,000
30 Oct 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and breadwinners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments) 	24,57,107
04 Nov 2025	**Kotak Securities Limited** (Treatment of children with cancer) 	85,00,000
26 Nov 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring for dialysis, cataract operation, and hip and knee surgery at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, Mangalore) 	4,85,000
30 Nov 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and bread winners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments)	26,40,635

Date of Receipt	Company Name	Received Fund (INR)
30 Nov 2025	**Supernova Engineers Limited** (Sponsoring for MAHE Bangaluru Marathon 2026)	2,00,000
30 Dec 2025	**Avashya Foundation** (Sponsoring for dialysis, cataract operation, and hip and knee surgery at Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, Mangalore)	4,85,000
31 Dec 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and bread winners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments)	4,77,750
31 Dec 2025	**Manipal Foundation** (Treatment of children and bread winners ofthe family belonging to the marginalized section having threatening ailments)	37,44,789
	Total fund received (INR)	9,53,51,637

In Kind Contribution (Project Name)	Company Name	Amount (INR)
Drishti Chakra	Manipal Foundation	94,48,638

Webinars/Programs/Events/MoU signings:

MoU Signing: MAHE and Kedia Organic Chemicals Pvt Ltd, Mumbai (01 February 2025) SDG – 4 and 8

Clinical Consultancy Delivery Program for the Philips Image Guided Therapy (IGT) engineers' leadership team (20 and 21 March 2025) SDG – 4, 9, and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and Karanji Infotech Pvt Ltd, Mangalore (07 February 2025) SDG – 4, 9, and10

Visit of Ms Anushree Singh, Director – HR and CSR, InCred Financial Services, at Manipal

FICCI Leadership Development Program at MAHE, Manipal (20 to 22 February 2025) SDG – 17 and 4

MoU Signing: MAHE and Dure Technologies Pvt Ltd, SA (01 April 2025) SDG – 4, 9, and 10

MoU Signing: MAHE and Orangewoods Automation Pvt Ltd, Uttar Pradesh (20 March 2025) SDG – 4 and 9

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) at Startup Mahakumbh 2025 – Celebrating Innovation, Academia, and Entrepreneurship (03 to 05 April 2025) SDG – 4, 10, and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and Infosys Springboard (07 April 2025) SDG – 4

MoU Signing: MAHE and Medisim VR (14 April 2025) SDG - 9

MoU Signing: MAHE and Gravitas AI, UK (17 April 2025) SDG – 4, 9, and 10

MoU Signing: MAHE and Laerdal Medical India (22 April 2025) SDG – 4, 9, and 17

Visit of Ms Shwetanjali, CSR Head at Siemens Healthineers India (Bengaluru)

Launch of the new Industry-Academia Collaboration Data Collection Portal and Official Theme Logo (07 May 2025) SDG – 9 and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and BPL Medical Technologies Pvt Ltd (13 May 2025) SDG – 7 and 9

MoU Signing: MAHE and Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) - Central Institute of Fisheries Technology (CIFT) - ICAR-CIFT (21 May 2025) SDG -4, 6, 14, and 17

Visit of Mr Anuj Gupta, Managing Director of Hitachi Systems India Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai

Ambulatory Monitoring and Diagnostic team at Philips Innovation Campus to MAHE as part of the Clinical Consultancy Delivery Program (30 May 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

Becton Dickinson Technology Campus India (BD) to MAHE as part of the Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program (16 and 17 June 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

Becton Dickinson Technology Campus India (BD) for a one-day Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program at MAHE (20 June 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MoU Exchange: MAHE and HTL Co Japan Ltd (26 June 2025) SDG - 9

Meeting at the MAHE Dubai Campus to connect with esteemed industry partners

BD Engineers join MAHE for the Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program (21 and 22 August 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and Shri Sode Vadiraja Mutt Educational Institutions (SSVMEI), Bantakal, Udupi (22 August 2025) SDG – 4 and 17

BD Engineers at MAHE for the Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program (25 August 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

BD Engineers at MAHE for the Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program (18 and 19 September 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and MusculaRx Sports Pharmacy Pvt Ltd (MSP) (04 September 2025) SDG - 3

Visit of Mr Ryan Stapleton, Senior Director – Urology and Critical Care, Becton Dickinson (BD), USA, at MAHE, Manipal

BD Engineers at MAHE for the Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program (12 September 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and Nanovea India Pvt Ltd (31 October 2025) SDG – 4, 9, and 17

Clinical Consultancy Delivery Program for second cohort of the Philips Image Guided Therapy (IGT) engineers' leadership team (15 and 16 September 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

Launch of Drishti Chakra – Mobile Eye Screening Unit - A CSR Initiative of MAHE; SDG – 1, 3, and 10

BD Engineers at MAHE for the Clinical Consultancy and Immersion Program (06 and 07 November 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

Clinical Consultancy Delivery (CCD) Program for the Philips Image Guided Therapy (IGT) (17 and 18 November 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MoU Signing: MAHE and Odigio Careers (11 November 2025) SDG – 4 and 9

Visit of Dr Alec Ginggen, Senior Vice President – R&D, Medical Segment, Becton, Dickinson and Company (BD), New Jersey, USA to MAHE (18 November 2025)

Visit to Becton Dickinson Technology Campus, Bengaluru

MDS, Becton Dickinson Technology Campus India, Bengaluru at MAHE (27 and 28 November 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MAHE Corporate Cricket Championship 2025 – Trophy Launch and Corporate Leadership Meet (15 November 2025); SDG – 3 and 9

MAHE Manipal honoured with the CII Industry–Academia Partnership Award in the Platinum Category in New Delhi. (05 December 2025)

Clinical Consultancy Delivery Program for Engineers from Becton Dickinson Technology Campus India, Bengaluru (11 and 12 November 2025) SDG - 4, 9, and 17

MoU Exchange: MAHE and OptoSigma Europe SAS (23 December 2025) SDG – 4 and 9

MoU Exchange: MAHE and Rising Roos Pvt Ltd (24 December 2025) SDG - 17

Academics - New Courses Report

Programs Introduced During January – December 2025

Sl No	Program name	Institution/Department
1	BSc (Neuroscience Technology)	Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP)
2	B Tech in Robotics and Artificial Intelligence	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Bengaluru
3	M Tech in Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security)	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal
4	MBA (Artificial Intelligence and Data Science)	T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal
5	M Tech in Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design)	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Bengaluru
6	MSc by Research in Neuroscience	Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
7	Integrated BSc-MSc (Basic Medical Sciences and Clinical/Computational Neuroscience)	Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DBMS)
8	MSc (Immersive Technologies)	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal
9	MSc (Computational Molecular Sciences)	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal

Tulunadu Parba

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) proudly hosted "Aati da Tulu Parba," a vibrant cultural celebration dedicated to the traditions of Tulunadu, the coastal region of Karnataka. The event brought together students, local communities, and international guests for an immersive experience of Tulu heritage through music, dance, cuisine, and customs.

The celebration was more than a showcase of folklore; it was a tribute to a living language and culture that continues to thrive against the odds. As languages around the world disappear at an alarming rate, events like this serve as a powerful reminder of the irreplaceable wisdom embedded in linguistic and cultural diversity. It's an annual event held every two weeks on 13 August 2025.

Inauguration of Aati da Tulu Parba

33rd MAHE Convocation

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Institution of Eminence Deemed to be University, concluded the third day of its 33rd Convocation on Sunday, 23 November 2025, in Manipal. The event highlighted MAHE's commitment to nurturing competent graduates, encouraging transformative approaches, and promoting academic rigour and excellence across disciplines. On the third day of the convocation ceremony, 1,645 students received their degrees, including 58 PhD graduates, and 3 outstanding students were honoured with the Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal.

7th Manipal Marathon

Over 20,000 runners participated in the seventh edition of Manipal Marathon 2025, organized by MAHE. The theme was "Innovation in motion: embracing technology for health and fitness". An addition to the event was the "Manipal global virtual 5K run", introduced for the first time in India. As many as 7,000 runners from all over the world participated virtually. Over 100 international athletes participated in the event.

Photography Contest

MAHE hosted MeghMalhar: A Tribute to Rain and Rhythm, the inaugural National Photography Contest 2025 on 17 September 2025. The contest invited photographers across India to explore the multifaceted impact of monsoons through compelling visual narratives. The event witnessed participation from all five campuses of MAHE: Manipal, Mangaluru, Bengaluru, Jamshedpur, and Dubai; to capture the spirit, charm, and uniqueness of their university life and surroundings.

MeghMalhar A Tribute to Rain and Rhythm, the inaugural National Photography Contest 2025

Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre

MAHE Manipal inaugurated India's one-of-its-kind, Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC) by the Hon'ble Justice Shri Syed Abdul Nazeer, His Excellency, Governor of Andhra Pradesh, on 30 April 2025. It commenced clinical services in July 2025. This high social impact initiative by MAHE is entirely free of cost and aims to be a one-stop destination for excellent, compassionate, and holistic palliative care. It will provide comprehensive hospice and respite care to patients and their families facing serious and life-limiting illnesses. The facility is strategically planned to operate with support from multiple partners, including Kasturba Medical College, Kasturba Hospital Manipal, and the Indian Association of Palliative Care; offering specialist palliative care by a multidisciplinary team of trained palliative medicine physicians, nurses, psychologists, social workers, and other support teams, alongside several corporates and non-profit organisations contributing to its funding.

Formal inauguration of MHRC

National Cadet Corps (NCC)

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Brief About NCC

The college's National Cadet Corps (NCC) unit plays a vital role in shaping disciplined, responsible, and service-oriented youth. Functioning under the motto "Unity and Discipline," the NCC provides cadets with opportunities for all-round development through a blend of military training, leadership activities, community service, and nation-building programs.

The college NCC unit comprises Army and Naval wings, offering structured training in drill, weapon handling, physical fitness, map reading, seamanship, and leadership skills. Cadets actively participate in camps, firing practices, field visits, mock drills, adventure activities, and inter-unit competitions, which enhance confidence, teamwork, and resilience.

In addition to military training, NCC cadets are deeply involved in social and community outreach activities, including Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, tree-planting drives, road safety awareness, blood donation camps, disaster preparedness drills, and observance of national and international days. These activities instill values of civic responsibility, environmental consciousness, and social commitment.

Through NCC, cadets develop qualities of discipline, integrity, patriotism, leadership, and service to the nation, preparing them to become responsible citizens and future leaders who contribute positively to society and national development.

Vision

To develop character, discipline, leadership, secular outlook, spirit of adventure, and ideals of selfless service among young citizens, thereby creating a pool of motivated, disciplined, and responsible youth committed to the service of the nation.

Mission

To provide opportunities to the youth of the country for all-round development through military training, adventure activities, community service, and national integration programs, with the aim of developing leadership qualities, moral values, and a sense of social responsibility, and to motivate young people to become responsible citizens and leaders in all walks of life.

Objectives

- To develop character, comradeship, discipline, leadership, and self-confidence among cadets
- To inculcate a secular outlook, national integration, and a spirit of patriotism
- To encourage a sense of social responsibility through community service and nation-building activities
- To create a pool of organized, trained, and motivated youth who can contribute to national security and development
- To provide a suitable environment to motivate young people to pursue a career in the Armed Forces and other uniformed services

Firing Session for MIT NCC Army cadets

Date: 18 March 2025
Venue: MIT Firing Range

The cadets set up the Firing Range and were briefed about the decorum that has to be maintained in the Firing Range in order to avoid any mishap. The cadets were briefed about the procedure to handle the 0.22 Mark IV Rifle and were given brief training about the correct laying position, holding position, parallax error, etc., by ANO, Lt Dundesh S Chiniwar, and PI Staff. The Rifle was also cleaned before use. This was followed by reporting to the Commanding Officer, Lt Col P S Chauhan, and starting the firing process. The firing was in the order of III-year cadets, followed by II-year cadets and I-year cadets. 64 MIT NCC Army cadets participated. The firing process included the cadet taking the firing position and wearing the headgear, followed by firing 5 rounds and the collection of cases. Then the target and the rounds fired were documented, and the grouping of the cadet's target was checked. A total of 170 cases were

collected by the end of the firing process. The firing practice was concluded after documentation of all the cases collected. The activity aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by strengthening disciplined and capable youth and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through skill-based training and experiential learning.

Forest Cleaning Drive
Date: 06 April 2025
Venue: Athrady Forest

As part of community service and social responsibility activities, a cleanliness drive was conducted by the 4 KAR Engineer Company NCC, in association with the 6 KAR Naval NCC, with the aim of promoting cleanliness and environmental awareness. The cadets were divided into two groups to clean both sides of the road. All cadets were instructed by the PI staff to wear face masks and hand gloves to ensure hygiene and safety during the activity. The cadets also interacted effectively with the local villagers, which motivated several civilians to actively participate in cleaning their own village. The villagers further extended their support by providing refreshments to the cadets during the drive. The cleanliness drive concluded with a five-kilometre trek, during which a total of 26 bags of plastic waste were collected. The activity was successfully completed at 11:00 hours, with the participation of 17 NCC cadets along with Army PI staff. The forest cleaning drive aligns with SDG 15 (Life on Land) by promoting forest conservation and biodiversity protection, and also supports SDG 13 (Climate Action) through environmental preservation

Field Visit to Indian Naval Ship (INS) Kadamba (Karwar Naval Base)
Date: 13 April 2025
Venue: Indian Naval Ship (INS) Kadamba, Karnataka

A field visit to INS Kadamba Naval Base was conducted by 4 KAR ENGR COY, NCC, and 6 KAR NAVAL UNIT, NCC, to provide cadets with firsthand exposure to naval operations and defence preparedness. All cadets reported at 0515 hours at MIT Students Plaza in proper NCC uniform and departed the campus by 06:00 hours. The visit aimed to enhance cadets' understanding of India's maritime security, operational discipline, and the functioning of frontline naval assets. During the visit, cadets completed security formalities and were given guided exposure to INS Mormugao, where ship systems, bridge operations, and weapon decks were explained by naval personnel. Cadets later visited INS Vikrant, India's first indigenous aircraft carrier, and were briefed on flight deck operations, hangar layout, and carrier-based aviation. Interaction with naval officers provided valuable insight into naval life and responsibilities. The visit concluded with the cadets returning to campus at 2045 hours. The field visit to INS Kadamba aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by strengthening awareness of national defence institutions, and supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through experiential learning.

Inter COY Sports
Date: 19 April 2025
Venue: MIT Volleyball Court

The NAVY vs ARMY Intercoy Volleyball Match was conducted at the MIT Volleyball Court, Manipal, and witnessed enthusiastic participation from cadets of 4 KAR Engineer Company NCC and 6 KAR Naval Unit NCC. A total of 32 MIT NCC cadets took part in the event. The match featured teams from five companies: Kohima, Naushera, Jessami, Shaurya, and Trident. It was marked by high energy, teamwork, and sportsmanship. The friendly rivalry between the Army and Navy cadets, held in the presence of JCO Harikrishna, created an engaging and competitive atmosphere. After a series of intense matches, Trident Company (Navy) secured the 1st position with a strong and consistent performance. Kohima Company (Army) claimed the 2nd position, while Jessami Company (Army) earned the 3rd position by demonstrating commendable resilience and team spirit. The inter-NCC company sports activities align with SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being) by promoting physical fitness and healthy competition, and support SDG 4 (Quality Education) through character and leadership development

Air Raid Mock Drill
Date: 10 May 2025
Venue: C V Raman Hostel Block KMC, Manipal

The MAHE Safety and Security Team conducted an Air Raid Mock Drill to create awareness on emergency preparedness during wartime situations. Cadets of 4 KAR Engineer Company NCC and 6 KAR Naval Company NCC actively participated in the drill and demonstrated safe evacuation procedures for hostel residents. The cadets also explained and demonstrated the correct protective postures during an air raid and ensured that the hostel residents practiced the same. The drill was carried out smoothly under the supervision of MAHE officials and the ANO of 4 KAR Engineer Company NCC. A total of 21 NCC cadets participated in the exercise. The air raid mock drill aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by strengthening disaster preparedness and institutional resilience, and also supports SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) by enhancing community safety awareness.

Vikas Bhi Virasat Bhi Seminar
Date: 25 May 2025
Venue: M V Seminar Hall, MIT Manipal

The 4 KAR Engineer Company NCC, Manipal, conducted a seminar on 25 May 2025 on the theme 'Vikas Bhi Virasat Bhi'. The seminar was held at Sir M Visvesvaraya Seminar Hall, MIT, Manipal, with online participation via Microsoft Teams. Dr Praveen K Shetty, Coordinator, CISD, MAHE, and Assistant Professor, MIT, was the resource person. He emphasized the importance of balancing development with the preservation of cultural heritage. The session highlighted the cultural identity of the Udupi (Tulunadu) region. Traditional practices such as Hulivesha (Tiger Dance) were explained. The cultural and sporting significance of the Kambala festival was discussed. Dr Shetty also spoke about Boothas and the ritual of Bhoota Kola. Lt Dundesh Chiniwar, PI staff,

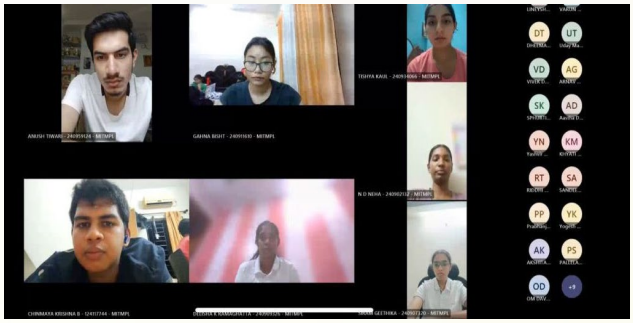
and 43 MIT NCC cadets were present for the seminar. The program was well-received and underscored the need to preserve heritage for future generations. The 'Vikas Bhi Virasat Bhi' seminar aligns with SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) by promoting the preservation of cultural heritage alongside development and supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through awareness and educational outreach.

Tree Plantation Drive
Date: 30 May 2025
Venue: Parkala

As part of Vana Mahotsav, a tree plantation drive was organized at Parkala, with the active participation of 25 MIT NCC cadets. A Police Officer addressed the cadets, emphasizing the significance of Vana Mahotsav and environmental conservation, with support from retired Army personnel. The cadets were subsequently divided into groups of two and carried out the plantation activity with enthusiasm and discipline. The program was successfully conducted with the presence of 4 KAR PI staff and Army veterans, whose guidance ensured the smooth execution of the event. The drive effectively promoted environmental awareness and a sense of social responsibility among the cadets. The tree plantation drive aligns with SDG 15 (Life on Land) by promoting afforestation and environmental conservation and also supports SDG 13 (Climate Action) through climate change mitigation.

World Ocean Day
Date: 08 June 2025
Venue: Online (Microsoft Teams Platform)

On the occasion of World Ocean Day, an online awareness session was conducted for NCC cadets through Microsoft Teams, as the cadets were on summer break. The session aimed to create awareness about the importance of oceans, marine biodiversity, and the threats faced by coral reefs.
The program was organized by 4 KAR Engineer Company, MIT NCC, in association with 6 KAR Naval Unit MIT NCC. The session was coordinated by Cdt Lineysha Tirumala and presented by Cdt Uday Manoj M, who screened an informative video on the Global Reef Expedition in the Indian Ocean. Additional documentary materials were also shared with the cadets for further learning. A total of 34 NCC cadets participated in the session. The activity aligns with SDG 14 (Life Below Water) by promoting ocean conservation and marine ecosystem protection and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through environmental education and awareness.



International Yoga Day
Date: 21 June 2025
Venue: Manipal

The 11th International Yoga Day was observed on 21 June 2025 as part of International Yoga Week, with the theme "Yoga for Self and Society." The observance aimed to promote awareness about the importance of yoga for physical, mental, and spiritual well-being among NCC cadets. As part of the week, cadets participated in article writing, logo design, painting, and a quiz competition conducted on 17 and 18 June 2025. On 21 June 2025, cadets shared videos of performing yoga asanas from their homes. A total of 41 cadets participated in the activities, which encouraged adoption of a healthy lifestyle. The International Yoga Day activity aligns with SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being) by promoting physical and mental wellness and supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through health education and awareness.

Kargil Vijay Diwas
Date: 26 July 2025
Venue: Academic Block 3, MIT Manipal

Kargil Vijay Diwas, observed annually on 26 July, commemorates India's victory in the Kargil War. To mark the occasion, NCC cadets delivered a presentation highlighting the key events of the war and the supreme sacrifices made by Indian soldiers. As part of the observance, the cadets recited patriotic poems and exhibited drawings paying tribute to the brave soldiers of the Kargil War. An informative documentary was also screened, showcasing major military operations and acts of valour. The program concluded with an interactive discussion involving the cadets, Associate NCC Officer (ANO) Lt Dundesh Chiniwar, and the PI staff, which further enhanced understanding and reflection. The Kargil Vijay Diwas celebration aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by honouring the armed forces and strengthening national unity and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through historical awareness and value-based learning.

Visit by Naval Band of INS Kadamba
Date: 12 August 2025
Venue: Student Plaza, MIT Manipal

On 12 August 2025, a performance by the Naval Band of INS Kadamba was held at the Student Plaza, Manipal Institute of Technology. The event was attended by students, faculty, and staff, with NCC cadets assisting in coordination and crowd management. A total of 80 NCC cadets participated in the program. The Naval Band performed a range of patriotic and institutional compositions, including the MAHE Anthem, *Jai Ho*, *Teri Mitti*, and the Navy Song, creating an atmosphere of patriotism and unity across the campus. The program concluded successfully, leaving a lasting impression on the audience. The Naval Band performance aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by strengthening institutional engagement and civic discipline and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) by promoting cultural awareness and civic values.

Independence Day
Date: 15 August 2025
Venue: Melaka Manipal Medical College (MMMC), Manipal

On 15 August 2025, Independence Day was celebrated with the active participation of MIT NCC cadets. The Army and Navy cadets assembled at Melaka Manipal Medical College (MMMC) for the march past and flag hoisting ceremony. The Independence Day parade was led by ANO Lt Dundesh Chiniwar, with Cdt Kuwar Rudra Pratap Singh serving as the Contingent Commander. The cadets presented a disciplined and well-coordinated march past, reflecting strong values of patriotism, unity, and national pride. A total of 80 NCC cadets participated in the event. The Independence Day celebration aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by fostering patriotism, discipline, and civic responsibility, and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through value-based learning and national awareness.

Cross Country Run
Date: 29 August 2025
Venue: MIT, Manipal

On 29 August 2025, a Cross Country Run was organized at Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal, to mark National Sports Day. The event saw participation from students of MAHE, along with NCC cadets and PI staff, who assisted in the smooth conduct of the run. A total of 32 NCC cadets were present for the event. The run covered a distance of 3 km, promoting fitness, endurance, and sportsmanship in remembrance of Major Dhyan Chand. The top three finishers in both men's and women's categories were awarded medals, while certificates were distributed to all participants. The event concluded successfully, reinforcing the importance of physical fitness and unity. The Cross Country Run, organized on the occasion of National Sports Day, aligns with SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being) by promoting physical fitness and healthy living, and supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through holistic development and sports education

Participation in RESAREX-25
Date: 09 October 2025
Venue: New Mangalore Port, Mangalore

MIT Navy cadets attended an Indian Coast Guard program, during which the cadets were first assembled and briefed on the day's schedule. Cadets of the 6 KAR Naval Unit NCC were then divided into groups and assigned to different Indian Coast Guard Ships (ICGS). All cadets initially boarded ICGS Vikram, the commanding ship of Mangalore Port, before proceeding to their respective vessels. The ships sailed towards the operational area at approximately 09:00 hours, around 14 nautical miles from the port, where a search and rescue demonstration were conducted. During the program, the cadets observed maritime patrol, surveillance, and anti-terrorist operations, including coordination with rafts, aircraft, and Chetak helicopters. The cadets also gained practical insight into navigation systems and ship communication procedures. A total of 10 MIT Navy cadets participated in the program. The activity aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by enhancing awareness of maritime security and national safety mechanisms and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through experiential and practical learning.

Cleanliness Drive
Date: 10 October 2025
Venue: Manipal

MIT NCC cadets participated in a cleanliness drive conducted under the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, led by Naik Subedar Hari Krishna. Prior to the commencement of the activity, the cadets were briefed on the importance of cleanliness, respect for public monuments, and community responsibility. The cadets carried out the cleaning of the Mahatma Gandhi statue and its surrounding area by removing dirt and debris and ensuring proper upkeep of the premises. The activity was conducted in a disciplined and orderly manner, demonstrating strong teamwork and civic sense among the cadets. A total of 45 NCC cadets participated in the drive. The cleanliness drive aligns with SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) by promoting clean and well-maintained public spaces and also supports SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production) through responsible waste management and civic responsibility.

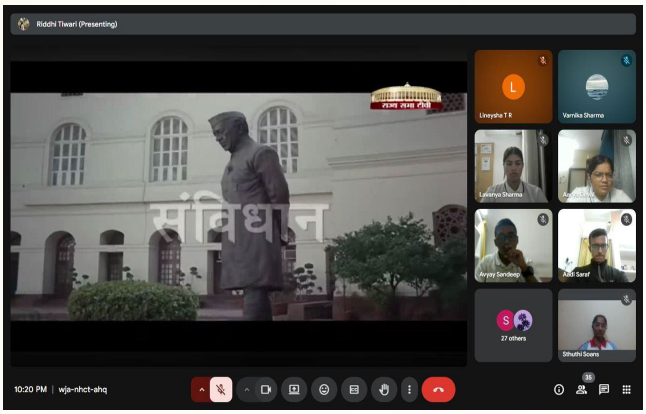
Celebration of 150 Years of 'Vande Mataram'
Date: 07 November 2025
Venue: Academic Block 3, MIT Manipal

The program commemorating 150 years of the national song "Vande Mataram" commenced with a formal report submitted to ANO Lt Dundesh S Chiniwar, in the presence of the PI staff. As part of the celebration, an Intra-Company Poster Making Competition was organized, in which cadets participated individually as well as in groups, showcasing their creativity, enthusiasm, and teamwork through their artwork. Following the competition, all cadets collectively sang "Vande Mataram", accompanied by a music band formed by cadet musicians of the unit, creating a vibrant and patriotic atmosphere. The Officer Commanding was present on the occasion and addressed the cadets, motivating them with encouraging words. A total of 76 NCC cadets participated in the event. The program aligns

with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by fostering patriotism, unity, and respect for national values, and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through cultural awareness and value-based learning.

Constitution Day
Date: 29 November 2025
Venue: Online (Google Meet Platform)

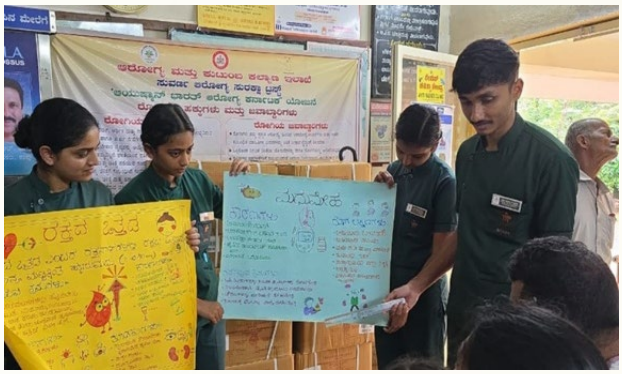
NCC cadets participated virtually via Google Meet to observe Constitution Day (26 November). The online program was conducted to raise awareness of the Constitution of India, its core values, and its national significance. During the session, the cadets were briefed on the role of the Constitution in upholding fundamental rights, equality, justice, liberty, and fraternity, and were encouraged to discharge their constitutional duties as responsible citizens. An educational documentary titled "Samvidhaan" was screened, highlighting the framing of the Constitution, the contributions of Dr B R Ambedkar and the Constituent Assembly, and the evolution of democratic governance in India. The program concluded with an interactive discussion and question-and-answer session, with active participation from the cadets. A total of 34 NCC cadets attended the program. The Constitution Day observance aligns with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions) by promoting awareness of democratic values, rule of law, and civic responsibility, and also supports SDG 4 (Quality Education) through civic and constitutional education.



National Service Scheme (NSS)

Throughout the year, the NSS MAHE has been actively involved in serving the community and building social responsibility among students. We conducted various activities such as cleanliness drives, health awareness programs, blood donation camps, environmental initiatives, rural outreach, and skill-development sessions. Every event was aimed at creating awareness, encouraging volunteerism, and making a positive impact on society. Our volunteers have consistently shown dedication, teamwork, and a true spirit of service, reflecting the motto of NSS — *Not Me, But You*.

Series of Health awareness programme on Non-Communicable Diseases



The seventh-semester BSc Nursing students of the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of MCON, organized a series of health awareness programs on non-communicable diseases (NCDs) on 18 September 2025 at PHC Hirebettu. The initiative aimed to improve community awareness of common NCDs such as diabetes mellitus, hypertension, malaise, and cancer, focusing on their causes, risk factors, symptoms, complications, prevention, and management.

The program utilized interactive teaching methods, including health talks, posters, charts, flashcards, video demonstrations, pamphlet distribution, and home visits for residents unable to attend. Emphasis was placed on lifestyle modifications such as a balanced diet, reduced sugar and fat intake, regular exercise, weight management, medication adherence, monitoring of blood sugar and blood pressure, stress management, avoidance of tobacco and alcohol, proper foot care, and regular health screenings, including Pap smears, mammograms, oral examinations, and blood tests.

A total of 30 participants attended and actively engaged in discussions, clarifying doubts and expressing willingness to adopt healthier practices. Conducted bilingually in Kannada and Tulu, the program enhanced community knowledge and promoted positive health behaviours. It also provided valuable practical experience for nursing students and contributed to the achievement of SDG 3 and SDG 4.

The seventh semester BSc Nursing students from the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of MCON, organized a series of health awareness programs on Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) on 13 September 2025 at PHC Hiriyadka. The initiative aimed to enhance community awareness about common NCDs such as diabetes mellitus, hypertension, malaise, and cancer, focusing on their causes, risk factors, symptoms, complications, prevention, and management, while promoting early detection, lifestyle modification, and self-care practices.

The sessions were conducted using interactive teaching methods, including health talks, posters, charts, flashcards, video demonstrations, pamphlet distribution, and home visits for individuals unable to attend the centre-based programme. Emphasis was placed on adopting a balanced diet, reducing sugar and fat intake, engaging in regular physical activity, maintaining healthy body weight, adhering to prescribed medications, monitoring blood sugar and blood pressure, managing stress, avoiding tobacco and alcohol, practicing proper foot care, and undergoing regular screenings such as Pap smears, mammograms, oral examinations, and blood tests.

A total of 25 participants attended and actively participated in discussions. Conducted bilingually in Kannada and Tulu, the program effectively improved

community knowledge, promoted healthy behaviours, provided practical learning for students.

BSc Nursing students of the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit, organized a series of health awareness programs on Non-Communicable Diseases on 13 and 18 September 2025 at PHC Pernankila. The programs aimed to increase community awareness about common NCDs such as diabetes mellitus, hypertension, malaise, and cancer, focusing on their causes, risk factors, symptoms, prevention, early diagnosis, and management.

Health education was delivered through interactive methods including health talks, posters, charts, flashcards, video demonstrations, pamphlet distribution, and home visits. Emphasis was placed on lifestyle modifications such as a balanced diet, regular exercise, weight management, medication adherence, monitoring blood sugar and blood pressure, stress management, avoidance of tobacco and alcohol, and regular health screenings. A total of 55 participants attended across the two days and actively participated in discussions. Conducted bilingually in Kannada and Tulu, the program enhanced community knowledge, promoted healthy behaviours, provided practical learning experiences for students, and contributed to SDG 3 and SDG 4.

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Awareness program: National Nutrition week-2025 Theme: "Eat Right for A Better Life"

The fifth-semester BSc Nursing students and the Department of Community Health Nursing, in association with the NSS unit of Manipal College of Nursing, organized an awareness program for National Nutrition Week 2025 on the theme "Eat Right for A Better Life" on 11 September 2025 at AHPS, Indira Nagar, Kukkikatte.

The program began with a welcome dance and speech, followed by addresses highlighting the importance of balanced nutrition. A PowerPoint presentation on essential nutrients, healthy eating practices, and the harmful effects of junk food was delivered. A skit and action song reinforced the theme, and nutrition-based riddles engaged the students.

The body weight of 153 children was assessed, revealing that 42 per cent were underweight. They were advised to include low-cost, protein-rich foods in their diet. Nutritious snacks were distributed to all students. The program, attended by 153 students and eight teachers, successfully promoted awareness about healthy eating habits and growth monitoring, contributing to a healthier future generation.

Awareness Program on First Aid and Climate Change Hazards

On 11 September 2025, the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the NSS Unit of MCON and 33 fifth-semester BSc Nursing students, conducted an awareness program at Government Higher Primary School, Athradi. The program aimed to educate school children on essential first aid measures and climate change.

The event began with a welcome speech by Ms Eva Vas, followed by an address by Mr Amol Powar, Assistant Lecturer, MCON. Students performed role plays demonstrating first aid management for emergencies such as drowning, snake bites, road accidents, and burns. A CPR demonstration on a manikin by Ms Sanya Mathews highlighted the importance of timely intervention during cardiac emergencies. Climate change awareness was

promoted through a PowerPoint presentation and a Kannada video on global warming.

A quiz competition concluded the program, with prizes distributed by the school Principal and faculty. A total of 61 students and four teachers participated enthusiastically, making the program informative and impactful.

School Health Education Program: Personal Hygiene and Healthy Lifestyle

The Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, along with seventh-semester BSc and first-year MSc Nursing students, organized an awareness session on "Personal Hygiene and Healthy Lifestyle" on 13 January 2025, at Government Higher Primary School, Manipura, Katpady, from 02:00 pm to 04:00 pm. The program aimed to provide basic knowledge on healthy living, personal hygiene, and the prevention of tobacco and substance abuse.

A total of 130 students from 1st to 7th standard participated. The session included interactive lectures, role plays, and an action song on hand hygiene. Topics covered were healthy lifestyle practices, pranayama techniques, harmful effects of substance abuse, and menstrual health education for girls in the 5th to 7th standard. Pens were distributed to all students.

The program received positive feedback from students and teachers. It successfully promoted health awareness and responsible habits, contributing to SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being), SDG 4 (Quality Education), and SDG 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation).

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Slum Visit

The Health and Social Welfare and Health Education Committee of the Student Nurses Association (SNA) 2025–26, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE, organized a "Slum Visit" at Indrali Slum, Udupi, on 17 November 2025 from 05:00 pm to 07:00 pm. The program aimed to promote health awareness and community engagement among residents.

During the visit, students delivered health education sessions on malaria, dengue, and rabies, focusing on causes, prevention, and early management. Interactive games were conducted to enhance participation, and prizes were distributed to winners. Children were encouraged to display their talents, creating a supportive and inclusive environment. Gifts and clothes were distributed to the residents at the end of the program.

A total of 80 inhabitants actively participated. The event was carried out by 18 students under the guidance of three faculty members. The initiative contributed to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly Goal 2 (Zero Hunger), Goal 3

(Good Health and Well-being), and Goal 4 (Quality Education), by fostering health awareness, community support, and social responsibility.

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Report of School Health Program: "Adolescent Health Problems"

On 07 November 2025, the Department of Community Health Nursing and second year MSc Nursing students of Manipal College of Nursing (MCON), in collaboration with the NSS unit of MCON and PHC Manipura, conducted a school health awareness program on "Adolescent Health Problems" at U S Nayak High School, Patla. The program aimed to educate students on common adolescent health issues and promote healthy preventive practices.

The session began with a welcome address, followed by speeches from the school Principal and faculty representatives. An interactive session on adolescent health problems was conducted, highlighting physical and emotional changes, nutrition, and healthy habits. The importance of avoiding substance abuse was emphasized, and a focused session on menstrual hygiene was delivered to 59 girls from classes VIII, IX, and X.

A total of 101 students (35 boys and 66 girls) and seven teachers participated. The program concluded with prize distribution and a vote of thanks.

Report on School Health Program on Nutrition Awareness

The Department of Community Health Nursing faculty and seventh semester BSc Nursing students of Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE, Manipal, organized a School Health Program on Nutrition Awareness titled "Healthy Plate, Healthy Future" on 07 November 2025 at Karnataka Public School, Hiriyadka, Udupi Taluk. The program aimed to promote healthy dietary habits among school children.

The event began with a welcome address, followed by messages from the Headmistress and faculty highlighting the importance of balanced nutrition and healthy eating practices during childhood. Students conducted engaging activities, including a skit on nutritious diet and personal hygiene, a dance on hand hygiene, poster presentations on balanced diet, and a video on healthy food habits. A quiz competition was also organized, and prizes were distributed to the winners.

A total of 212 participants, including 202 students and 10 teachers, attended the program. The initiative enhanced awareness about nutrition and healthy lifestyles.

Save Wetland Campaign

Date: 20 January 2025
Venue: KMC Greens and MCOPS Garden

The NSS unit of MCOPS organized the 'Save Wetlands Campaign' to raise awareness about the importance of wetlands and their role in environmental conservation. The initiative highlighted the need to protect wetlands, which are essential for water filtration, climate regulation, biodiversity support, and overall ecosystem stability.

In the afternoon, students gathered at KMC Greens to take the Wetland Mitral Oath, emphasizing their

collective responsibility to preserve wetlands and keep them healthy. The session helped students understand the environmental, social, and economic significance of wetlands and encouraged them to adopt sustainable practices. Later in the evening, the campaign continued with a tree plantation activity in the garden near MCOPS. Students came together to plant mango saplings, symbolizing the importance of increasing green cover and contributing positively to environmental health. The activity reinforced the value of trees in improving air quality, supporting ecosystems, and enhancing overall quality of life.

The event was coordinated by Dr Prasanna K Shetty, the teacher coordinator for the NSS.

Blood Donation Drive Date: 24 February 2025 Venue: Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS)

The NSS Unit of MCOPS successfully organized a **Blood Donation Drive** on 24 February 2025, demonstrating its commitment to community welfare and life-saving voluntary service.

The event was inaugurated by Dr Shamee Shastry, an esteemed Immunohematology and Transfusion Medicine expert and Professor at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. The ceremony began with a welcome address by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, followed by an insightful inaugural message from Dr Shamee Shastry. The formal inauguration took place with the unveiling of the event banner. Dr Prasanna Kumar Shetty, Faculty Coordinator of NSS, concluded the ceremony with a vote of thanks.

The donation process began with donors completing registration forms and undergoing preliminary eligibility assessments. This was followed by vital checks and blood group testing conducted by trained medical professionals. Eligible donors then proceeded to donate 350 ml of blood, after which they were provided with refreshments and adequate rest time.

The drive saw enthusiastic participation from 113 volunteers, including students, faculty, and staff. A total of 82 donors successfully donated blood. Each donor received a certificate and goodies as a token of appreciation for their valuable contribution.

The event was conducted in collaboration with the Blood Bank of Kasturba Medical Hospital, ensuring a safe, well-coordinated, and impactful donation experience. The Blood Donation Drive marked a significant contribution toward life-saving efforts and reflected the true spirit of NSS — "Not Me, But You."

The NSS Annual Camp in collaboration with MIT Manipal, and MIT Bengaluru

NSS Camp Day 1

The camp kicked off with a warm inaugural ceremony featuring an invocation song, lamp lighting, and sapling watering—symbolizing knowledge and sustainability. Chief Guest Dr Vidya Kumari (IAS) and Director Dr Anil Rana inspired volunteers with powerful messages. Dr B S Maddodi outlined the camp goals, and volunteers were divided into 5 groups for smooth coordination. A detailed briefing, followed by a hearty lunch, wrapped up a purposeful and inspiring start to the camp!!

NSS Camp Day 2

A day rooted in service and culture! We began with a peaceful yoga session, followed by mulching and gardening at the Kannada and Cultural Department, promoting sustainability and teamwork.

Post-lunch, Ms Poornima K inspired us with insights on preserving Kannada heritage. A visit to ITI Udupi opened our eyes to vocational education and skill-building

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The day ended on a high with vibrant cultural performances, a joyful bonfire, and shared laughter—strengthening bonds and the spirit of unity.

Day 3 and 4 Highlights

Day 3 began with a peaceful yoga session by Vaibhav, followed by eco-activities at the Kannada and Culture Office—sapling plantation, rainwater harvesting, and weed removal. An inspiring talk by Mr Khadri Narasimhaiah and a socio-economic survey in Pragathi and Lakshman Nagar deepened our community connection. The day ended with vibrant cultural performances by Group 2.

Day 4 focused on service and sensitivity with visits to Asare and Hombelaku centres, where volunteers offered support and learned about therapies. Post-lunch expert sessions covered Women Empowerment, Make in India, and AI in social work via ChatGPT. A beach clean-up at Hoode and Group 3's cultural show closed the day beautifully.

NSS Camp Day 5

From receiving official NSS T-shirts to mastering public speaking, Day 5 was packed with energy and learning! Dr Jyoti Shetty and volunteer Srinavith led an inspiring seminar that boosted our confidence and communication skills.

Despite the rain, our spirits stayed high during the cloth donation drive—spreading warmth and gratitude across the community. The day ended on a joyful note with Group 4's cultural night—a vibrant mix of music, dance, skits, and poetry that brought everyone together.

NSS Camp Day 6

A day of culture, craftsmanship, and reflection- All happened in Karkala!! We began with a serene visit to the Gomateshwara Temple, followed by an inspiring tour of the Canara Bank–sponsored Artisan Training Centre—where traditional sculpture thrives. Next, we explored Bolas Agro's dry fruit processing unit, learning about food tech, exports, and quality control. A stop at the historic Attur Church deepened our appreciation for communal harmony. The day wrapped up with an experience-sharing seminar and a vibrant cultural night by Group 5—featuring dance, music, skits, and folk art that celebrated talent and teamwork.

Day 7: A Heartfelt Farewell

The final day was filled with emotions as the camp came to an end—seven days felt like just seven hours. The ceremony began with a tree plantation by ADC Shri Abid Gadyal. Camp reports were shared by NSS leaders Bharath, Supreetha, and Vijayansh. Representatives Sameeksha, Sanjana R, and Sanjana N shared their experiences. The event ended with the NSS anthem, a group photo, and a warm send-off to all the new friends made.

Walkathon on Organ donation and Nasha Mukth Bharath Abhiyan

Date: 31 August 2025
Venue: KMC Interact Hall, Manipal

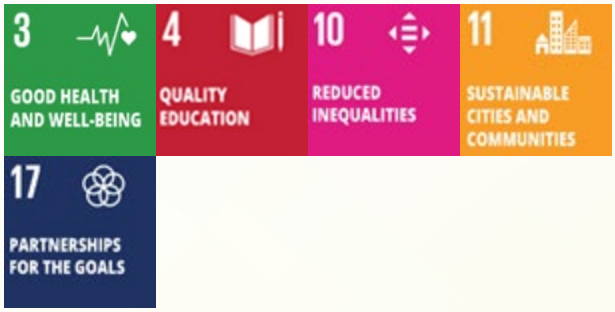
The NSS Walkathon 2025 was organized in collaboration with Rotary International District 3,182 and Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, with the aim of spreading awareness on organ donation and Nasha Mukth Bharat Abhiyaan. The event commenced at 07:30 am at the KMC Interact Hall.

The program began with an inaugural ceremony, which included a meaningful skit on organ donation performed by NSS volunteers. This effectively conveyed the importance of organ donation to all the participants. Following the inauguration, the walkathon on organ donation started from KMC Interact Hall, passed through MIT Babbu Swami Temple, and proceeded to Syndicate Circle. The return walk to KMC Interact marked the beginning of the Nasha Mukth Bharat Abhiyaan segment. The event concluded with a street play on substance abuse, presented by NSS volunteers, followed by a collective pledge taken by all participants to work towards a drug-free society. The walkathon successfully raised awareness on organ donation and substance abuse prevention, while uniting the community under a shared vision of building a healthier and socially responsible society.

International Literacy Day and Teacher's Day Celebration Date: 06 September 2025

The NSS Unit celebrated International Literacy Day with great enthusiasm and active participation from the children. The event was designed to raise awareness through educational and engaging activities while ensuring a fun-filled and creative experience. The program began with two impactful skits. The first skit highlighted the harmful effects of excessive screen time on children's health, learning, and social skills. The second skit focused on dengue fever awareness, emphasizing preventive measures and the need to maintain a clean environment. Both performances were delivered in an informative yet entertaining manner, leaving a strong impression on the audience. Following the skits, a series of interactive games such as musical chairs, pass the ball, and guess the logo were conducted. These activities encouraged teamwork, participation, and quick thinking while creating a cheerful and lively environment.

As part of Teachers' Day children made beautiful handmade cards to express their gratitude and affection towards their teachers. This activity helped them showcase their creativity and heartfelt appreciation. The celebration concluded on a high note, with the children joyfully dancing to popular songs, spreading smiles and positive energy throughout the venue. Overall, the International Literacy Day celebration by the NSS Unit was a memorable, educational, and enjoyable event that blended awareness, creativity, and entertainment seamlessly.



NSS Inauguration–AAROHAN
Date: 09 October 2025

The NSS Unit of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) organized its annual inauguration ceremony titled "AAROHAN" on 09 October 2025. The event marked the beginning of a new year of service, learning, and leadership for the NSS volunteers. The ceremony commenced with the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries, followed by a soulful invocation rendered by Ms Ishani Roy, setting a serene and graceful tone for the evening. The program was smoothly compered by Mr Rishi Arun Bhat and Ms Sameeksha, ensuring a seamless flow of events.

The gathering was honoured by the presence of the Chief Guest, Dr Balakrishna Maddodi, whose inspiring address motivated volunteers to uphold the true spirit and values of NSS. The event was also attended by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Dr Prasanna Kumar (NSS Teacher Coordinator, MCOPS), Dr Usha Nayak, and Dr Shreedharan. The Highlights of the Year were presented by Mr Karthikeya Mahesh Hegde, followed by an introduction of the newly formed committee by Supreetha Nayak. The ceremony concluded with a heartfelt Vote of Thanks delivered by Mr Shashank. To commemorate the occasion, a plantation drive was conducted in the MCOPS garden, symbolizing sustainability, growth, and collective responsibility. The event beautifully embodied the NSS motto—*"Not Me, But You."*

Wealth From Waste
Venue: Indrali English Medium School Date: 17 October 2025

A Wealth Out of Waste competition was conducted at Indrali English Medium School on 17 October 2025, encouraging students to showcase creativity through recycling and sustainable practices. Around 90 students enthusiastically participated, creating innovative and useful items from waste materials.

NSS volunteers actively monitored and guided the students throughout the event. The occasion was graced by Dr Salim, who shared inspiring and insightful words with the children. Additionally, Ms Sanjana delivered an informative talk on Disaster Management, enhancing the students' awareness and preparedness.

The event concluded with the prize distribution ceremony, recognizing the efforts of the winners,

followed by a vote of thanks delivered by Dr Prasanna Kumar. The session was enriching, creative, and successful in promoting environmental consciousness among young learners.

Deepawali Celebration

Venue: Kuteera Old Age Home, Ambalpady Date: 18 October 2025

The NSS volunteers of our institution celebrated Diwali with the residents of Kuteera Old Age Home on 18 October 2025. The visit aimed to share joy, spread festive cheer, and spend meaningful time with the elderly residents.

As part of the celebration, volunteers painted diyas, lit them across the premises, and prepared colourful lanterns. The team also decorated the old age home and created a vibrant rangoli, enhancing the festive ambience. Sweets were distributed to the residents, and volunteers warmly interacted with them, listening to their life experiences and receiving their heartfelt blessings.

The celebration not only brought smiles to the residents but also gave volunteers an opportunity to connect, learn, and understand the value of compassion and community service. The event concluded with shared happiness and a strengthened bond between the students and the elderly residents of Kuteera.

Kannada Maatadi-Workshop Kannada Maathadi–Kannada Speaking Workshop Report

A special workshop titled "Kannada Maathadi–Kannada Speaking Workshop" was organized on 08 November 2025 at P Gundu Rao Hall, MCOPS, as part of Karnataka Rajyotsava celebrations. The event was graced by Ms Tejashree, PhD Scholar from the Department of Pharmacy Practice, under the mentorship of Dr Girish Thunga, who served as the chief guest.

The workshop aimed to help non-Kannadiga and non-local students gain basic proficiency in Kannada through simple, practical, and conversational learning. Participants were introduced to everyday phrases, greetings, and commonly used expressions in an interactive and beginner-friendly format. The session promoted cultural integration, inclusivity, and effective communication within and beyond the campus.

All participants received certificates of participation, and the event was appreciated for encouraging linguistic harmony and enhancing cultural awareness within the MAHE community.

Children's Day Celebration

Venue: Oncology Department, Shirdi Sai Baba Cancer block Date:14 November 2025

A heartwarming and joy-filled morning celebrating our little warriors! The event began with colourful party props, a fun selfie session, and a cheerful welcome. Dr Vasudev Bhatt graced the event as the chief guest along with Dr Prasanna Kumar and Dr Shreedharan and shared a few encouraging words with the children. Volunteers lit up the room with singing performances, followed by a playful joker entry that had the kids laughing and interacting. The games session was packed with excitement—Passing the Parcel, Memory Game, and Guess the Animal/Cartoon Sound kept the children engaged and thrilled.

A short puppet show and a soothing flute performance added magic to the morning. The art corner was buzzing with creativity as children enjoyed hand painting and chart painting, leaving behind beautiful little masterpieces. We concluded with a final joker act, dance performances, prize distribution, and a warm Vote of Thanks by Dr Prasanna Kumar. A truly memorable celebration filled with smiles, strength, and pure childhood joy!

Blood Donation Camp–15 August 2025

One of our earliest initiatives was a voluntary Blood Donation Camp organized on 15 August 2025. Held in collaboration with KMC Blood Bank, this event served as an immediate call to action for the student body. The drive saw an enthusiastic response, with NSS volunteers working diligently to manage donor registration and ensure a safe, sterile environment. This early success resulted in the collection of 72 units of blood, underscoring the student body's readiness to contribute to the community right from the start of the academic session. Impact: 72 units of blood donated.

Janmashtami Celebrations-16 August 2025

On 16 August 2025, NSS Units 1 and 2 organized a vibrant Janmashtami celebration that successfully merged spiritual devotion with youthful energy. The festivities commenced with "Find the Handi," a unique Krishna-themed treasure hunt that attracted over 100 student participants. Starting at the Student Plaza, teams navigated through the campus by solving clues and completing mini games inspired by Lord Krishna's life, eventually converging at the Venugopal Temple (VGT). Managed by 25 dedicated volunteers, this morning segment effectively tested the students' teamwork and problem-solving skills while maintaining the festive spirit. The celebration extended into the evening at the Venugopal Temple, beginning with a traditional aarti followed by a delightful Fancy Dress Fashion Show for children aged 1–10, primarily the wards of faculty members. Dressed in traditional characters like Krishna and Radha, the young participants captivated the audience with their innocence and enthusiasm. Judged by the NSS Presidents and supported by 16 volunteers, the event concluded on a high note, fostering a strong sense of community and cultural unity among students, faculty, and their families.

Visit to Asare: A Ray of Hope for the Specially Abled-24 August 2025

Asare–a trusted helping hand for the mentally challenged citizens was conceived jointly by Manipal Academy of Higher Education and Archana Trust with the noble ideals of providing a strong sense of support base to those who are unfortunately deprived of the natural mental growth due to varied reasons.

Volunteers organized interactive sessions and games, at Asare. The visit emphasized inclusion and dignity.

Impact: Engaged with 40+ residents; promoted awareness of disability rights among volunteers.

Mega Beach Cleaning Drive - 20 September 2025

In observance of International Coastal Cleanup Day, NSS volunteers, in collaboration with INCOIS and NCCR, conducted extensive cleanup drives across four local beaches-Malpe, Kaup, Kota, and Delta. The activity involved removing plastic waste, debris, and

non-biodegradable materials to protect marine ecosystems and promote environmental consciousness. Impact: Over 300 volunteers participated; approximately seven tonnes of waste were collected across the four beaches; a significant contribution to coastal preservation and heightened awareness about ocean pollution among participants and the community.

Blood Donation Camp-02 October 2025

A blood donation camp was organized on 02 October, coinciding with Gandhi Jayanti, in collaboration with the local Kasturba Hospital. The event saw active participation from students, faculty, and staff, with awareness drives conducted beforehand to encourage voluntary donation. Impact: 40 units of blood collected from registered donors; addressed local blood bank shortages and reinforced the spirit of selfless service on a national commemorative day.

Cybersecurity Awareness Workshop–07 October 2025

In observance of National Cybersecurity Awareness Month in October, a specialized awareness session for volunteers was organized at the MAHE-ISAC Centre of Excellence (CoE) for Cybersecurity conducted by Dr Srikant Srinivas Prabhu. The primary objective of this session was to move beyond basic advice and provide students with an immersive look at real-world threats and advanced defense mechanisms. By hosting the event at the CoE, the volunteers gained access to state-of-the-art facilities and expert insights that are not typically available in standard classroom settings. The highlight of the session was the exploration of the Smart City cybersecurity model. As our cities become increasingly interconnected through the Internet of Things (IoT), linking traffic systems, power grids, and emergency services, the potential surface area for cyberattacks expands exponentially. The visit to the MAHE-ISAC Centre of Excellence was a resounding success. It bridged the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical application. By the end of the

session, the volunteers were not just more aware; they were empowered. They left with a clearer understanding of the "Smart City" concept and a robust toolkit of practices to secure their own digital footprints, ensuring that the message of National Cybersecurity Awareness Month resonated well beyond October.

Visit to Access Life-Supporting Cancer Bravehearts - 14 October 2025

NSS volunteers visited the Access Life Centre, a non-profit organization dedicated to providing holistic support to children battling cancer and their families spending quality time with children undergoing cancer treatment. During the visit, volunteers spent time engaging with the young bravehearts through a variety of joyful activities, including interactive games, captivating storytelling sessions, creative art and craft workshops, and motivational interactions aimed at boosting their morale and bringing moments of happiness amid their challenging treatments.

Impact: Provided emotional support to the children and their families.

Diwali Sweet Distribution - 13 October 2025

The NSS Units 1 and 2 organized a heartfelt Diwali initiative aimed at spreading festive cheer and expressing gratitude to the unsung heroes of our campus, the dedicated security personnel and housekeeping staff who make our lives safer and easier round the clock. A campus-wide fundraiser was launched starting 13 October 2025, where volunteers visited faculty cabins to raise funds for the joy-spreading activity. These contributions were used to procure and pack sweet boxes, which were personally distributed to the security staff along with warm Diwali wishes and tokens of appreciation.

Impact: Reached 300+ individuals with sweets and festive cheer; encouraged community sharing and reduced festive isolation.

Kannada Language Workshop–25 October 2025

A dedicated workshop promoted the Kannada language through interactive sessions on reading, writing, conversation, and cultural significance. A member of the NSS board, volunteered to impart his knowledge of the language and conducted a spoken Kannada workshop within the campus to promote the beautiful culture through the means of language. The

primary goal of the session was to foster a sense of belonging among students who are new to the region. The specific objectives included: Removing Communication Barriers: Empowering students to handle day-to-day interactions, such as speaking to auto drivers, shopkeepers, and local support staff without relying on translation apps. Cultural Respect: Demonstrating respect for the local culture by making an effort to learn the state language, which is often deeply appreciated by the locals. Enhancing Safety and Independence: Ensuring that students feel safer and more independent when travelling outside the campus, knowing they can communicate effectively. The workshop saw enthusiastic participation from students eager to break the "outsider" bubble. The ability to understand and speak even a few sentences of Kannada transforms the student experience from one of mere residence to active participation in the local ecosystem. Furthermore, this initiative aligns with the broader institutional goal of holistic education. Learning a local language cultivates cognitive flexibility and empathy. It serves as a reminder that we are not just students at an institute, but members of a larger community. The skills acquired in this workshop extend beyond the classroom, fostering goodwill and smoother interactions that will benefit the students throughout their stay in the region.

Menstrual Hygiene Awareness Workshop–03 November 2025

NSS volunteers, in collaboration with Project Ecosanitation, organized an impactful Menstrual Hygiene Awareness Workshop at a nearby local school, specifically targeting young teenage girls. The session featured interactive discussions led by volunteers, covering essential topics such as the biological process of menstruation, common myths and taboos, proper hygiene practices, use of sanitary products, sustainable and eco-friendly options, and the importance of nutrition and self-care during menstrual cycles.

The workshop encouraged open conversations in a safe, supportive environment to break stigma. Impact: Educated over 60 teenage girls on menstrual health, empowering them with knowledge to manage periods confidently and hygienically.

Blood Donation Camp–09 November 2025

The second blood donation camp of the semester was held in November, again in partnership with regional blood banks. The camp included pre-donation health check-ups, counselling sessions, and post-donation refreshments to ensure donor well-being. Impact: 70 units of blood collected from donors; total semester collection reached 110 units, potentially aiding in numerous emergency transfusions, surgeries, and treatments for patients in need.

Annual Winter Camp–December 2025

The semester concluded with the transformative seven-day Special Winter Camp. A major focus was the service project at Parkala High School, where volunteers undertook extensive landscaping, trimming grass, mulching, and clearing masonry waste to prepare the campus for its upcoming 60th anniversary. Volunteers also engaged academically with the students through public speaking workshops, career guidance sessions, and a drawing competition.

The camp's itinerary also featured a rich cultural excursion to Karkala on Day 5. After visiting Bola's Cashew Factory, the team visited the historic Kere Basadi Adinath Swami Jain Temple. Surrounded by a large, man-made lake, the temple provided a calm, meditative atmosphere. Volunteers spent time interacting with the temple custodian, who raised awareness about the environmental challenges facing the lake due to pollution. This visit was followed by a trip to the C E Kamath Institute for Artisans, where students observed the disciplined craftsmanship of wood and stone carving, and Soan's Farm, known for its exotic crops like dragon fruit and pineapple.

Environmental preservation remained a core pillar throughout the week. Volunteers executed a Lake Cleaning Drive at Manipal Lake and a massive Beach Cleanup at Malpe Beach, meticulously segregating waste into recyclables and trash. The camp also included a Cloth Donation Drive at Netaji Nagar and a visit to the Bio Incubator at MMMC, where volunteers explored the intersection of medical innovation and entrepreneurship. Along with that, the volunteers participated in multiple workshops, a specialized session on Cybersecurity and Criminal Psychology at the MAHE-ISAC Centre by Dr. Srikanth Srinivas Prabhu, a workshop on "Communicating Across Cultures" by Dr Praveen K Shetty and a workshop on Public Speaking and Leadership by Dr Gurumurthy.

Impact: Volunteers: 75 students engaged in a seven-day immersive service camp.

Infrastructure Support: Restored Parkala High School grounds for its 60th Jubilee. Environmental Benefit: Cleaned two major local water bodies (Manipal Lake and Malpe Beach) with waste segregation Cultural and Industrial Exposure: Visited Kere Basadi Jain Temple, Artisan Institute, and Cashew Factory, gaining insight into local heritage and economy. Learned about bio-incubation, medical innovation, and entrepreneurship at the MMMC Bio Incubator.

CAMP

Rise and Run: 15 May 2025

A fundraising 5K run was organized on 15 May 2025, at 05:00 pm with 50 NSS volunteers, along with 270 registrations. This event was held in celebration of World Athletics Day. The funds raised from this event were donated to the Paediatric Oncology Department, KMC Manipal. With a total of 270 registrations and over 200 runners, this event flagged off from KMC Greens and within the MAHE campus and then returned to KMC Greens. Dr Vinod Nayak (Associate Dean, KMC Manipal) did the flag-off. The sponsors were felicitated, and the first three prize winners (male and female) were felicitated with . All the runners received a medal upon completion of the run. All the registrants were given an e-certificate.

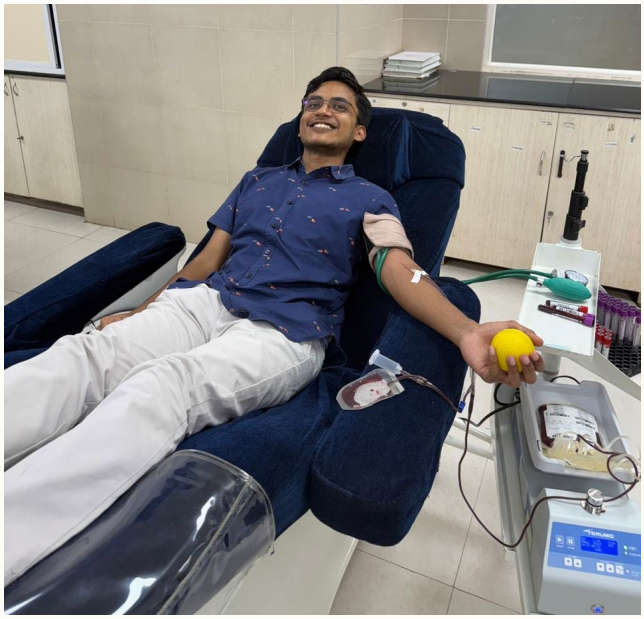
Village camp: 16 and 17 May 2025

A village camp was organized on 16 and 17 May at Kumbhashi in Kundapura Taluk, Udupi District, and 50 volunteers participated. This was held in collaboration with the Community Medicine Department, KMC Manipal. The two-day event featured activities such as BLS, street plays, painting, and crafts.

Blood donation drive: 24 and 25 May 2025

A blood donation drive was conducted by the NSS team on 24 and 25 May, from 07:00 am to 07:00 pm, at the IHBT, KMC Manipal. A total of five people donated blood. Refreshments like apple juice and biscuits were distributed to the donors.

Blood donation drive: 22 and 23 November 2025



A blood donation camp was organized at Kasturba Hospital on 22 and 23 November 2025 to promote voluntary blood donation and support patients in need.

A team of six volunteers coordinated registrations, guided donors, and ensured that the process was smooth and well-organized. Over the two days, 13 donors successfully donated blood after proper medical screening and counselling by the hospital staff. All safety and hygiene protocols were followed, and refreshments were provided to donors after the procedure.

This has been the most successful blood donation drive conducted so far, both in participation and organization. The camp not only helped collect essential blood units but also created awareness about the importance of blood donation in saving lives.

Manipal Lake Cleaning: 23 November 2025

On 23 November 2025, at 07:00 am, a drive was conducted by the volunteers of NSS to clean the Manipal Lake and its surroundings. There were 10 volunteers. Initially everyone was given instructions by the coordinator, and then pairs were formed, and everyone enthusiastically went around the place and cleaned the surrounding areas. The NSS volunteers collected a large amount of plastic waste from various places around the lake and were able to fill over five to six garbage bags. This was then discarded into a bin kept in the vicinity of the lake.

Asare visit: 30 December 2025

Twenty volunteers from our NSS unit visited Asare, a centre for individuals with intellectual and developmental challenges. The objective was to engage with the residents through creative and recreational activities while fostering compassion and social responsibility among volunteers. The session included origami, drawing, colouring, and a game of musical chairs. These activities encouraged creativity, interaction, and joyful participation from the residents. Volunteers worked closely with them to ensure a warm.

Bon Voyage: 06 December 2025

NSS Unit, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, organized a fundraiser event titled "BON VOYAGE–Walking Down the Memory Lane" on 06 December 2025 at TMA Pai Hall 1. The program aimed to raise funds for welfare activities among the inmates of an old-age home in the vicinity.

Objectives

- To generate funds for providing support, care, and essential resources to an old-age home.
- To encourage student involvement in social service and community support.
- To promote teamwork and leadership among NSS volunteers. To integrate the activity with relevant UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The theme "Walking Down the Memory Lane" recreated the joy and simplicity of childhood fairs through multiple interactive and engaging stalls. A total of 50 NSS volunteers worked tirelessly in planning, organizing, and executing the event, ensuring smooth operations and an energetic ambience.

Stalls and Activities Included

- Guess the Celebrity by Body Parts
- Lemon Race
- Whisper Challenge
- Heads Up
- Cup Stacking
- Twister
- Face Painting
- Tarot Reading
- Hopscotch
- Dart Board
- Guess the Bollywood Movies
- Karaoke

The event concluded with a lottery draw. Each stall was creatively designed and managed by volunteers, allowing participants to revisit childhood memories while contributing to a meaningful cause. The event received enthusiastic participation from students, faculty, and staff of KMC Manipal. The nostalgic theme and engaging stalls attracted continuous footfall, contributing significantly to the fundraising outcome.

Outcome

The fundraiser successfully generated funds that will be donated to a local old age home to support the well-being of its residents.

Volunteers gained valuable experience in coordination, event management, communication, and leadership.

The program increased awareness among students about the importance of elder care and strengthened the culture of community service within the college.

Feedback

Feedback from participants was overwhelmingly positive. Attendees appreciated the creative theme, the variety and quality of stalls, the friendly and well-organized management, and the purpose-driven nature of the event.

Many expressed that the event provided a refreshing break from academic routine while allowing them to contribute to a noble social cause. Volunteers also reported a strong sense of fulfillment and team bonding, with several suggesting that similar events be conducted more frequently.

Conclusion

"BON VOYAGE" successfully combined enjoyment, creativity, and service, creating a meaningful platform for students to support the elderly community. The NSS Club of KMC Manipal reaffirms its commitment to impactful social initiatives aligned with national service values.

NSS Bengaluru

The Annual Orientation Ceremony 2025 of the NSS Unit was held on 25 January 2025 at the Auditorium, AB-5, MIT, MAHE, Bengaluru. The event aimed to introduce volunteers to the unit's vision, mission, and activities while encouraging participation and innovation. It began at 10:00 am with a welcome address and introduction of the chief guest, Dr Balakrishna S Maddodi, who inspired volunteers by sharing his experiences and highlighting the importance of NSS in community development. Key highlights included the "Know My India–Ek Bharat, Shreshtha Bharat Quiz," which enhanced awareness of India's cultural diversity, and the NSS Projects Ideathon, where teams presented creative project proposals with detailed plans. The ceremony benefited NSS volunteers by providing guidance and motivation and promoted community impact through innovative ideas. The event concluded with an award ceremony recognizing winners and the announcement of the new Core Committee for the upcoming academic year.

The Blood Donation Drive was held on 11 and 12 April 2025 from 09:30 am to 04:30 pm at SMI-RTA, Room-005, and New Sick Bay, HB-3. Organized by VSO, NSS, and NCC in collaboration with Manipal Hospital, the event aimed to promote voluntary blood donation and social responsibility. Led by student coordinator Mohammed Fazil Hussain, 75 volunteers managed registration, medical assistance, logistics, and promotion. A total of 243 registrations resulted in 181 successful donations, with 171 usable blood units collected. Donors also received follow-up wellness support, ensuring their safety and well-being after the donation.

The NSS Unit of MIT-BLR organized a "Nature Walk" on 13 April 2025 at Avalahalli Forest, Bengaluru, promoting environmental awareness and physical well-being under the Fit India Campaign. The event reflected the NSS motto, "Not Me, But You," emphasizing sustainability and community responsibility. Volunteers assembled at 06:30 am and travelled to the forest, where they received breakfast and instructions. The program featured a guided forest walk, an awareness session on forest preservation, and a cleanliness drive with waste segregation activities. The initiative educated volunteers on waste management, teamwork, and eco-conscious habits while contributing to a cleaner natural environment. The event benefited both volunteers, who gained practical experience in environmental service, and the forest ecosystem through waste removal. It concluded at 11:00 am, with participants returning to campus inspired and more committed to environmental conservation and responsible community service.

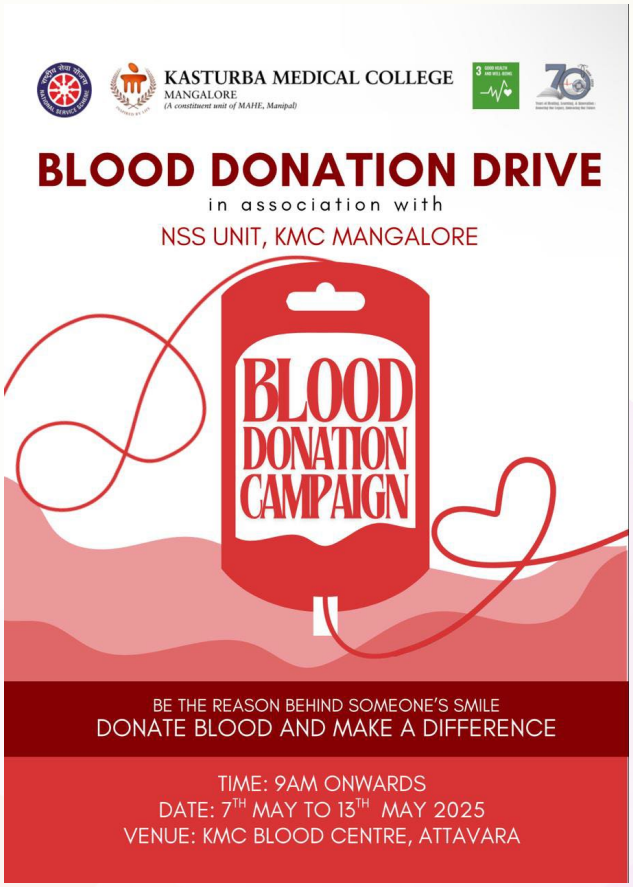
The NSS Unit of MIT-BLR organized a Plantation Drive on 28 July 2025 at the campus to promote environmental conservation and increase green cover. Aligned with the NSS motto "Not Me, But You," the event encouraged collective responsibility toward nature. Volunteers assembled at 04:00 pm and were provided with saplings, tools, and gloves. Faculty coordinators highlighted the importance of afforestation and climate action. Participants planted native saplings across designated areas and attended a session on plant care and maintenance. The drive enhanced campus greenery, improved environmental awareness, and provided volunteers with hands-on experience. The event concluded at 05:00 pm, fostering commitment to sustainable practices.

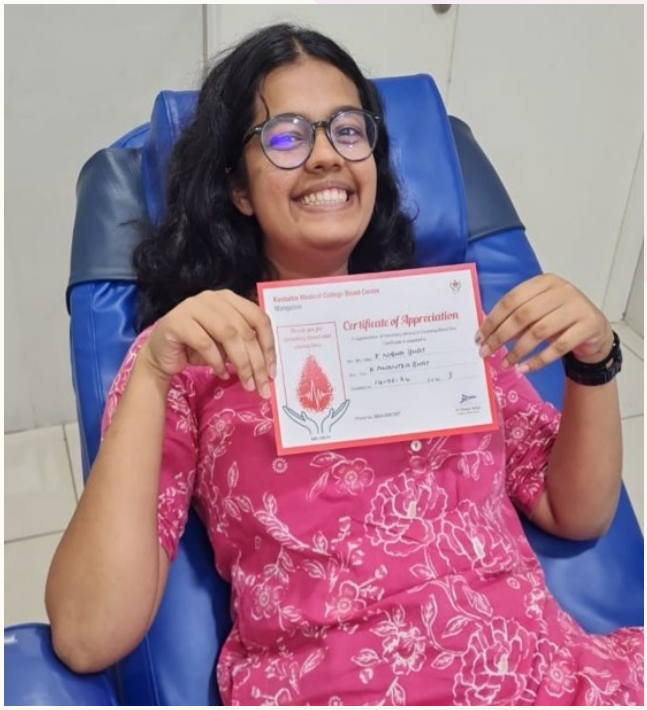
NSS Mangalore

Blood Donation Drive 2025

Date: 07 May 2025-13 May 2025
Time: 09:00 am onwards
Venue: KMC Blood Centre, Attavara
Organized By: NSS, KMC Mangalore

The blood donation drive at KMC Attavara, conducted, was a success, with a significant turnout from students, staff, and local residents. The drive aimed to increase awareness about the importance of donating blood and to replenish the blood bank supply. NSS volunteers, with the help of Mr Utkarsh and the staff, organized the event efficiently, ensuring smooth registration and screening processes. The community responded positively, demonstrating their support for this life -saving cause. We collected 50 units of blood in a span of one week. Overall, the event contributed to fulfilling the crucial need for blood donations in the region.





Report on Fruit Pouch Distribution:

On the occasion of Dr Ramdas Pai's 90th birthday, and as an initiative taken by him, the NSS volunteers of our institution organized a special community service activity on 17 September 2025. As part of this noble gesture, fruit pouches were distributed to all the inpatient wards of Government Wenlock Hospital and Lady Ghoshan Hospital, as well as to three orphanages and two old age homes, distributing more than 2,500 fruit pouches in total.

The distribution was carried out with great enthusiasm and dedication by the NSS volunteers. Beyond the act of sharing fruit pouches, the volunteers took time to interact with the patients, children, and elderly, creating moments of warmth and joy. The smiles and words of gratitude received made the experience truly memorable.

For the volunteers, this initiative was much more than a service activity—it was an opportunity to live the spirit of the NSS motto, "Not Me, But You." They expressed that the experience of giving and connecting with people from different walks of life filled them with a deep sense of fulfillment and reinforced the values of compassion and empathy.

This distribution drive, initiated by Dr Ramdas Pai to mark his milestone 90th birthday, not only spread happiness among the recipients but also left a lasting impression on the volunteers. It was a day that combined celebration with service, turning kindness into the most valuable gift shared.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Dr Ramdas Pai, whose thoughtful initiative made this noble activity possible and truly meaningful.

Report on Swachhata Pakhwada Activities

As part of the nationwide initiative Swachhata Pakhwada, our institution actively organized few activities to spread awareness about cleanliness and responsible waste management. Two major events were successfully conducted during the observance — Swachhata Pledge Taking Ceremony and Reel Making.

1. Swachhata Pledge Taking Ceremony:

The program began with the Swachhata Pledge, where students and faculty members collectively affirmed their commitment towards maintaining cleanliness in their surroundings and promoting hygiene practices in daily life. The pledge emphasized the importance of devoting time for cleanliness and encouraging others to do the same. The event instilled a sense of collective responsibility, reminding participants that cleanliness is not just an ndividual habit but a social duty. The large turnout and enthusiastic participation reflected the sincerity with which the students embraced the cause.

2. Reel Making:

To extend the reach of the campaign beyond the campus, students actively participated in making short reels and videos focused on the importance of cleanliness and sanitation. These reels were shared across social media platforms to spread awareness among a larger audience in an engaging and relatable way. By using digital platforms, the initiative ensured that the message of Swachhata reached friends, families, and the community at large, thereby multiplying its impact.

Marketing Department

Marketing Department, MAHE

The Marketing Department at **Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE)** serves as the strategic communication and brand-building arm of the University, driving initiatives that strengthen MAHE's position as one of India's leading higher education institutions. The Department plays a pivotal role in enhancing visibility, supporting student recruitment, fostering stakeholder engagement, and promoting MAHE's academic excellence, research achievements, innovation ecosystem, and global partnerships.

Guided by the philosophy **"Align → Strategize → Execute → Evaluate,"** the Department ensures that all marketing and outreach activities are aligned with the University's vision, institutional priorities, and growth objectives. Through an integrated approach combining digital innovation, data analytics, content marketing, public relations, events, and stakeholder engagement, the Department creates meaningful connections with prospective students, parents, alumni, educators, industry leaders, and the broader community.

The Department leverages a comprehensive mix of communication channels, including digital advertising, social media, search engine marketing (SEM), search engine optimization (SEO), influencer collaborations, media relations, email marketing, webinars, and on-ground engagement activities. These efforts are complemented by the development of high-quality content, publications, videos, websites, and marketing collaterals that effectively communicate MAHE's value proposition across diverse audiences.
In 2026, the Department continues to strengthen MAHE's presence across domestic and international markets through targeted campaigns, strategic partnerships, and innovative outreach initiatives. By utilizing advanced audience segmentation, localized communication strategies, AI-enabled marketing tools, and data-driven decision-making, the Department ensures efficient resource utilization and measurable outcomes.

The Marketing Department remains committed to promoting equitable access to higher education by reaching students from diverse socio-economic, geographic, and cultural backgrounds. Through inclusive communication strategies, scholarship awareness campaigns, and outreach programs in underserved regions, the Department actively contributes to expanding educational opportunities and reducing barriers to quality higher education.

Key Outreach and Engagement Initiatives – 2025–26

Principals' Leadership Conclave 2026

Recognizing the critical role played by school and pre-university leaders in shaping future generations, MAHE organized a series of Principals' Leadership Conclaves during 2025–26. These forums brought together principals, vice-principals, and educational administrators from across Udupi District to discuss emerging trends in education, technology integration, student well-being, skill development, Felicitating Toppers, and higher education preparedness.

The conclaves provided a platform for knowledge sharing, professional networking, and collaborative problem-solving, strengthening MAHE's engagement with the school ecosystem. Distinguished academicians, industry experts, policymakers, and educational leaders participated in these interactions, fostering meaningful dialogue on the future of education.

The initiative further reinforced MAHE's commitment to supporting school leaders through capacity-building opportunities and strategic partnerships that ultimately benefit students and the broader educational community.

Pricon 2026 by Destination Manipal, held from **23 to 25 Jan 2026** at the MAHE campus, was organized with a strong focus on environmental sustainability and responsible resource utilization. As part of the event's commitment to reducing its carbon footprint, group transportation was prioritized through the use of buses and shared mobility arrangements for campus visits, local sightseeing, and experiential learning tours, significantly reducing fuel consumption and vehicular emissions compared to the use of multiple individual cars.

The conclave also adopted a conscious approach towards sustainable hospitality and event management. Single-use plastics were avoided throughout the event, and participants were encouraged to use reusable water bottles and environmentally responsible alternatives. All conference materials and delegate kits were designed to minimize waste, with digital resources and QR-code-enabled information replacing excessive printed materials wherever possible.

In line with MAHE's sustainability goals, the souvenirs and delegate gifts distributed during the conclave—including notebooks, pens, tote bags, and other memorabilia—were carefully selected from recyclable, reusable, and eco-friendly materials. These initiatives not only reduced the environmental impact of the event but also served as a demonstration of MAHE's commitment to promoting sustainable practices within the education sector. Through Pricon 2026, Destination Manipal successfully showcased how large-scale academic engagements can be conducted in a manner that balances participant experience with environmental responsibility.

Education fairs and other promotional activities

Sustainable Printing and Digital Communication

The Marketing Department at MAHE is committed to sustainable communication practices by optimizing the printing of marketing collaterals and significantly reducing paper consumption. Instead of mass-producing brochures and promotional materials, the Department adopts a need-based printing approach, ensuring that only the optimal number of copies are produced for events, exhibitions, and outreach activities. To further minimize the environmental impact, brochures, program information, and admission-related content are integrated with QR codes that allow students, parents, and stakeholders to instantly access detailed digital resources on their smartphones. This digital-first approach not only reduces paper wastage and printing costs but also enables real-time access to updated information, thereby enhancing both sustainability and user convenience.

Eco-Friendly Promotional and Gifting Materials

In alignment with MAHE's commitment to environmental responsibility and sustainable development, the Marketing Department prioritizes the use of eco-friendly and recyclable materials for promotional merchandise and event giveaways. Items such as keychains, writing pads, pens, conference folders, tote bags, and other branded merchandise are sourced with a preference for recyclable, reusable, biodegradable, or sustainably produced materials wherever feasible. The Department actively discourages the use of single-use plastics and promotes products that have a longer lifecycle and lower environmental footprint. By integrating sustainability into its procurement and branding practices, MAHE not only reduces waste generation but also reinforces awareness of responsible consumption among students, faculty, staff, and external stakeholders.

Looking Ahead

As MAHE advances toward its vision of becoming a globally respected university known for excellence in education, research, healthcare, innovation, and societal impact, the Marketing Department remains committed to delivering strategic, measurable, and impactful initiatives that strengthen stakeholder engagement, expand outreach, and enhance institutional reputation.

By embracing innovation, leveraging data-driven insights, and fostering meaningful partnerships, the Department will continue to play a key role in supporting MAHE's growth and contribution to national and global higher education.

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ತಮ್ಮೊಳಗಿನ ಭಾಷೆಯ ಶಕ್ತಿ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯ ಪ್ರಕಟಗೊಳ್ಳಲು ಜೀವನಸ್ಥಣ ಪ್ರಕರಣಗಳು ಎದುರಾಗಬೇಕು. ನಮ್ಮ ಮನಸ್ಸು ಆಳವಾಗಿ ಮುಳುಗಿದಾಗ ಗಂಭೀರ ಸ್ಥಿತಿಯ ಅರಿವು ನಮ್ಮನ್ನು ಕಾಡುತ್ತದೆ. ಇತಿಹಾಸ ಹೀಗಿರದೇ ಹೋದಲ್ಲಿ ಇಂದು ಕಾವ್ಯಗಳು ಪ್ರಕಟವಾಗುತ್ತಿರಲಿಲ್ಲ ಕಾತ್ಯಾಯಿನಿ ಕುಂಜಿಬೆಟ್ಟು ಅವರ ಕರೋನ ಕಾಲಘಟ್ಟದಲ್ಲಿ ರಚಿತ ಈ ಕವನಗಳು ಸಮಾಜದ ಆತಂಕದ ಬೇಗುದಿಯನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣ ಅವರ ದೇಸಿ ಮನಸ್ಸಿನ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಎಂದರು.

ಹಿರಿಯ ಭಾಷ ತಜ್ಞ ಪ್ರೊ। ಎನ್. ತಿರುಮಲೇಶ್ವರ್ ಭಟ್ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, ವಿಚಾರ ಮತ್ತು ಭಾವನೆಗಳ ಸಮ್ಮಿಶ್ರಣವೇ ಕಾವ್ಯವಾಗಿದೆ. ವಿಶ್ವ ಅನುವಾದ ದಿನ ನಿತ್ಯರೂಪವಾಗಿ ಆಚರಣೆಯಾಗಲಿ ಎಂದರು. ಸಾಹಿತಿ ಡಾ। ಕಾತ್ಯಾಯಿನಿ ಕುಂಜಿಬೆಟ್ಟು ತನ್ನ ಮೂಲ ಕನ್ನಡ ಕೃತಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅನುವಾದ ಕೃತಿಯ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದರು. ಮಾಹೆ ಸಹ ಕುಲಪತಿ ಡಾ। ಶರತ್ ಕೆ. ರಾವ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಎಂಜಿಎಂ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಪ್ರಾಂಶುಪಾಲ ಪ್ರೊ। ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀ ನಾರಾಯಣ್ ಕಾರಂತ್, ಮಣಿಪಾಲ್ ಯೂನಿವರ್ಸಲ್ ಪ್ರೆಸ್‌ನ ಡಾ। ರವಿರಾಜ್ ಆಚಾರ್ಯ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು. ಆನಂದಿತಾ ಡೌರ್ಕ್ ಕೃತಿ ಪರಿಚಯಿಸಿದರು, ಆಕೃತಿ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ವಂದಿಸಿ, ಸುರುಚಿ ಡಿ' ಸೋಜಾ ನಿರೂಪಿಸಿದರು.

ವಿಜಯವಾಣಿ ನಂ 1

ಬಸ್ತಾರ್ 1862 ಮುಂದಿನ ಪೀಳಿಗೆಗೆ ಕೊಡುಗೆ

ವಿಜಯವಾಣಿ ಸುದ್ದಿಜಾಲ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು: 'ಬಸ್ತಾರ್-1862' ಕೃತಿಯು ವೈವಿಧ್ಯಮಯ ದೃಷ್ಟಿಕೋನ ಹೊಂದಿದ್ದು, ಮುಂದಿನ ಪೀಳಿಗೆಗೆ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಕೊಡುಗೆಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ವಿಶ್ರಾಂತ ಐಎಎಸ್ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ.ಚಿರಂಜೀವ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಡಿಎಸ್‌ಎ ಹಿಸ್ಟರಿ ಎಂಡೋಮೆಂಟ್ ಹಾಗೂ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ್ ಯುನಿವರ್ಸಲ್ ಪ್ರೆಸ್ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ನಗರದ ವಾಡಿಯಾ ಸಭಾಂಗಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದ 'ಬುಡಕಟ್ಟು ಪರಿಸರ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಮತ್ತು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಯ ನವಾಲುಗಳು: ಬಸ್ತಾರ್‌ನ ಕುತೂಹಲಕಾರಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣ' ವಿಚಾರ ಸಂಕಿರಣ, ಡಾ.ಉಮಾ ರಾಮ್ ಮತ್ತು ಕೆ.ಎಸ್.ರಾಮ್ ರಚನೆಯ 'ಬಸ್ತಾರ್ 1862: ವಸಾಹತುಶಾಹಿ ವರದಿ ಮತ್ತು ಆದಿವಾಸಿ ಪ್ರತಿರೋಧ' ಕೃತಿ ಬಿಡುಗಡೆ ಸಮಾರಂಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಭಾರತೀಯ ಇತಿಹಾಸ ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕಿ ಡಾ.ಎಸ್.ಕೆ. ಅರುಣಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕವು ಒಂದು ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಮೂಲ ದಾಖಲೆಯಾಗಿ ತನ್ನದೇ ಮಹತ್ವ ಹೊಂದಿದೆ ಎಂದರು.

ಡಾ.ಚಿರಂಜೀವ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಅಭಿಮತ

ಬಸ್ತಾರ್‌ನ ಕಲೆಕ್ಟರ್ ಆಗಿ ಸೇವೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ್ದ ಪ್ರವೀರ್ ಕೃಷ್ಣ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, 2002ರಲ್ಲಿ ಬಸ್ತಾರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿನ ಬುಡಕಟ್ಟು ಸಬಲೀಕರಣ ಉಪಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಯುಎನ್ಒ, ಯುಎಫ್ಒ, ಗುರುತಿಸಿತ್ತು. ಮಣಿಪಾಲ್ ಯೂನಿವರ್ಸಲ್ ಪ್ರೆಸ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿರುವ ಈ ಕೃತಿ ಹೊಸ ಒಳನೋಟಗಳಿಂದ ಗಮನಸೆಳೆಯುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರು.

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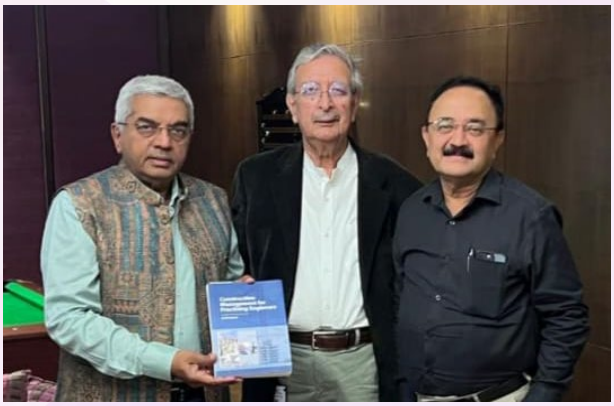

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Workshop	 Workshop on Academic Publishing House: Processes and Protocols for postgraduate Literature students of Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences (DLHS), MAHE-Bengaluru (24–25 Oct 2025)	1
Publications	A total of 16 publications (including 2 journal issues and 14 books). 	16

Workshop

MUP, in collaboration with DLHS, MAHE Bengaluru, conducted a two-day workshop titled *Academic Publishing House: Processes and Protocols* for postgraduate Literature students on 24–25 October 2025. The workshop provided a structured overview of academic publishing practices through sessions on editorial and publishing processes, publishing workflow management, marketing and business strategies, and editing stylistics for academic research, along with hands-on editing support.

An industry visit to Manipal Technologies Limited (MTL), Manipal, offered participants practical exposure to publishing production workflows. The workshop aimed to bridge academic learning with industry practices, enhance students' understanding of publishing, and build foundational skills relevant to careers in academic publishing, editing, and research communication.

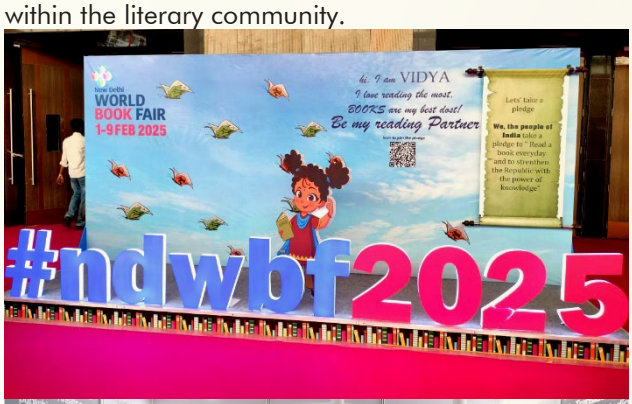
Events and Outreach

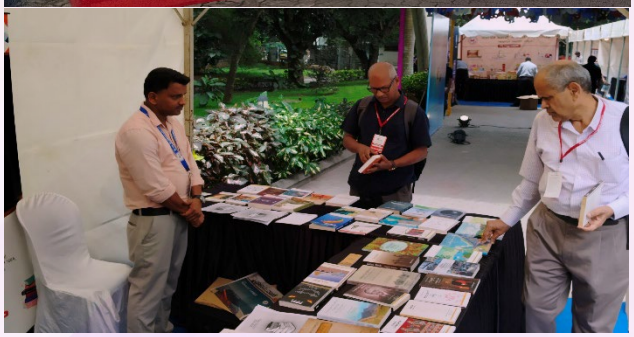
MUP actively participates in and organizes a wide range of literary and academic events, regularly setting up book stalls that showcase its diverse catalogue and foster direct engagement with readers. These initiatives provide valuable opportunities for audiences to explore MUP publications while strengthening its visibility and outreach.

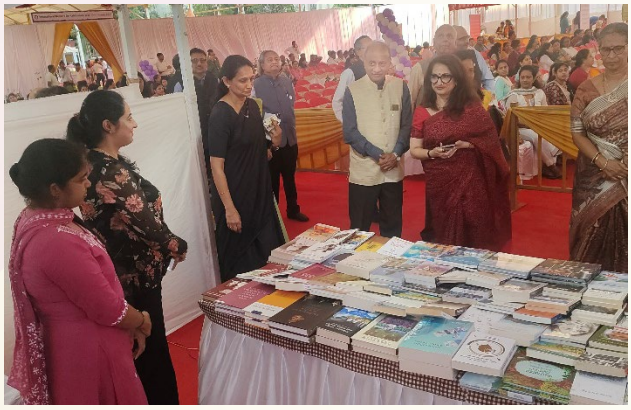
A significant highlight was MUP's participation as a volunteer at the World Book Fair 2025, held from 1–9 February 2025 at Bharat Mandapam, Pragati Maidan, New Delhi. Organized by the National Book Trust, India, the fair was themed "Republic@75" to commemorate 75 years of the Indian Republic.

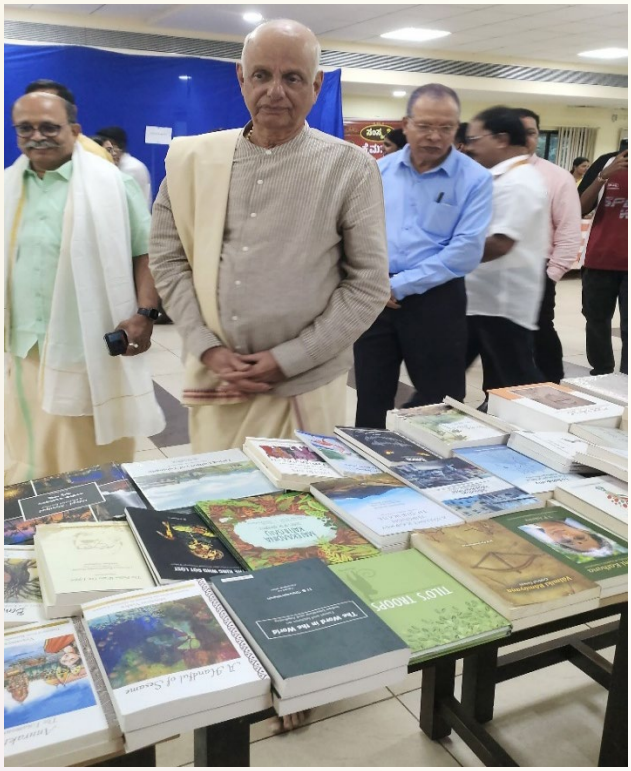
Featuring over 2,000 publishers, along with literary sessions and children's activities, the event served as an important platform for promoting MUP's publications and expanding its readership. Participation in several such events has contributed positively to both the visibility and sales of MUP titles.

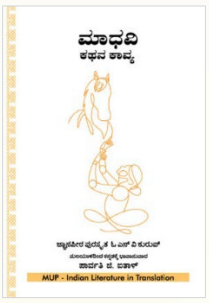
Another notable initiative was MUP's participation through a book stall at the Book Brahma Literature Festival 2025, held from 8–10 August 2025 at St. John's Auditorium, Koramangala, Bengaluru. MUP set up and managed the stall throughout the three-day event, providing an opportunity to showcase its publications directly to readers, authors, and literature enthusiasts. The response from visitors was highly encouraging, with significant interest shown in MUP's titles and publications. Overall, the event provided excellent visibility for MUP's publications and enabled meaningful engagement with a diverse audience, further strengthening MUP's reach and recognition within the literary community.

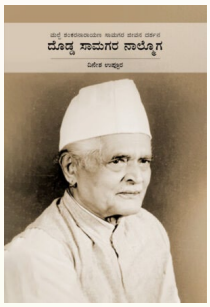


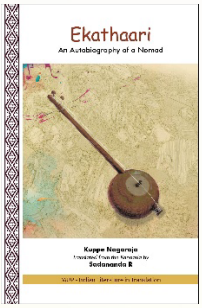












Awards

MUP also takes pride in the achievements of its authors, whose awards reflect their outstanding literary contributions and impact on the literary community. In **2025**, *Madhavi Kathana Kavya* by **Dr ONV Kurup**, translated by **Dr Parvathi G Aithal**, with cover design by **Ms Revati Nadgir**, received the **Kannada Pustaka Sogasu Award** for cover design. *Dodda Samagra Nalmoga* by **Mr Dinesh Upoora** won the **Pustaka Bahumana Prashasthi Award** for the book, while *Ekathaari: An Autobiography of a Nomad* by **Mr Kuppe Nagaraja**, translated by **Mr Sadananda R**, received the **Pustaka Bahumana Prashasthi Award** for translation. These recognitions celebrate the literary excellence and invaluable contributions of MUP's esteemed authors.

Research Activities V

Directorate of Research

MAHE recorded a consistent increase in research publications during the period 2021–2025, reflecting its growing emphasis on high-quality scholarship and innovation. The total number of outputs increased each year, with the most pronounced jump observed in 2024 and 2025, indicating the impact of recent strategic initiatives to strengthen research culture and support faculty and student projects.

This upward trajectory underscores MAHE's expanding contribution to national and global knowledge creation and aligns with its vision of being a research-intensive institution of eminence. The sustained growth in publications is expected to further enhance MAHE's visibility, attract competitive funding, and foster new academic and industry collaborations in the coming years.

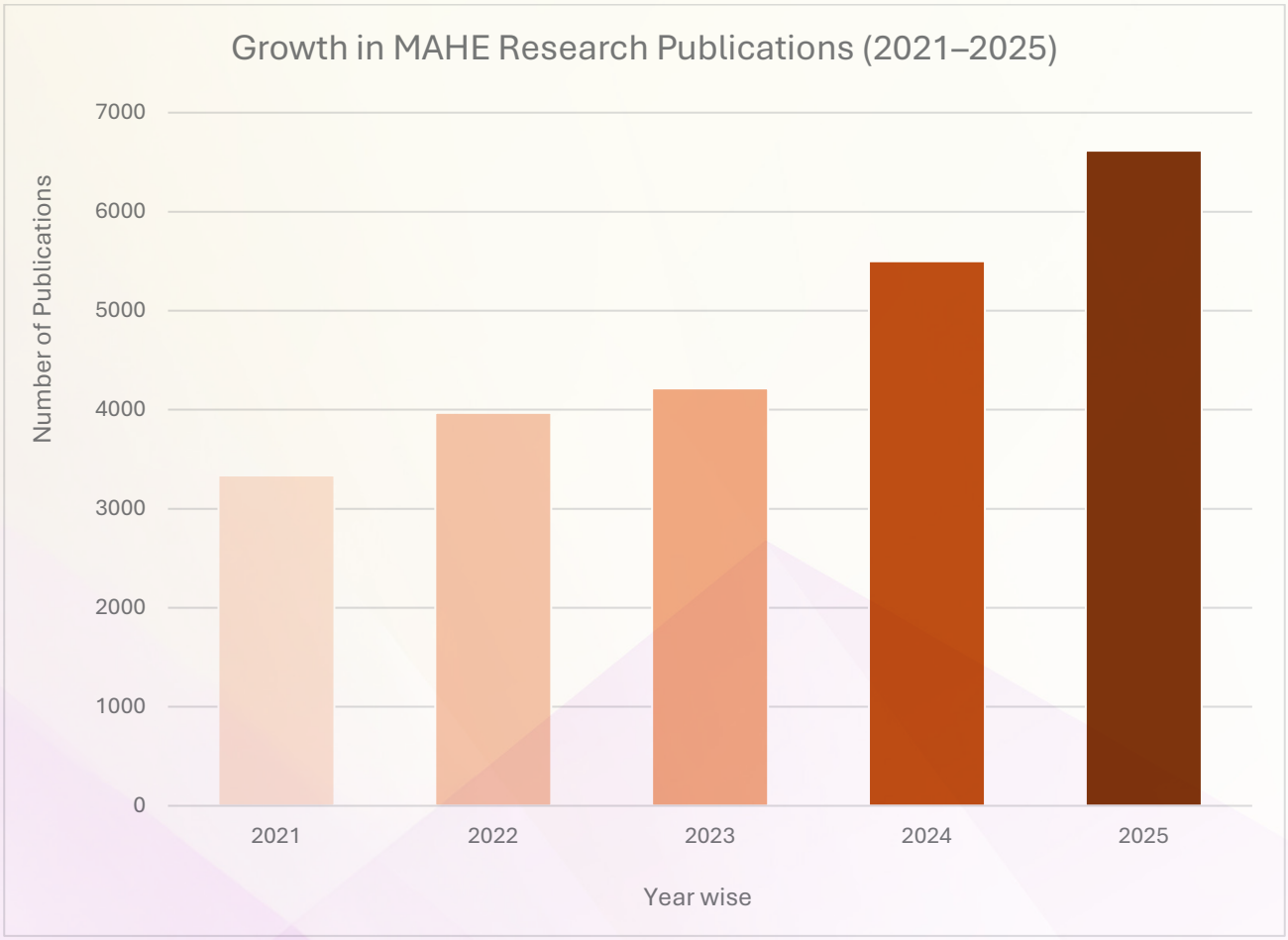


Figure 1: Growth trend in MAHE research publications

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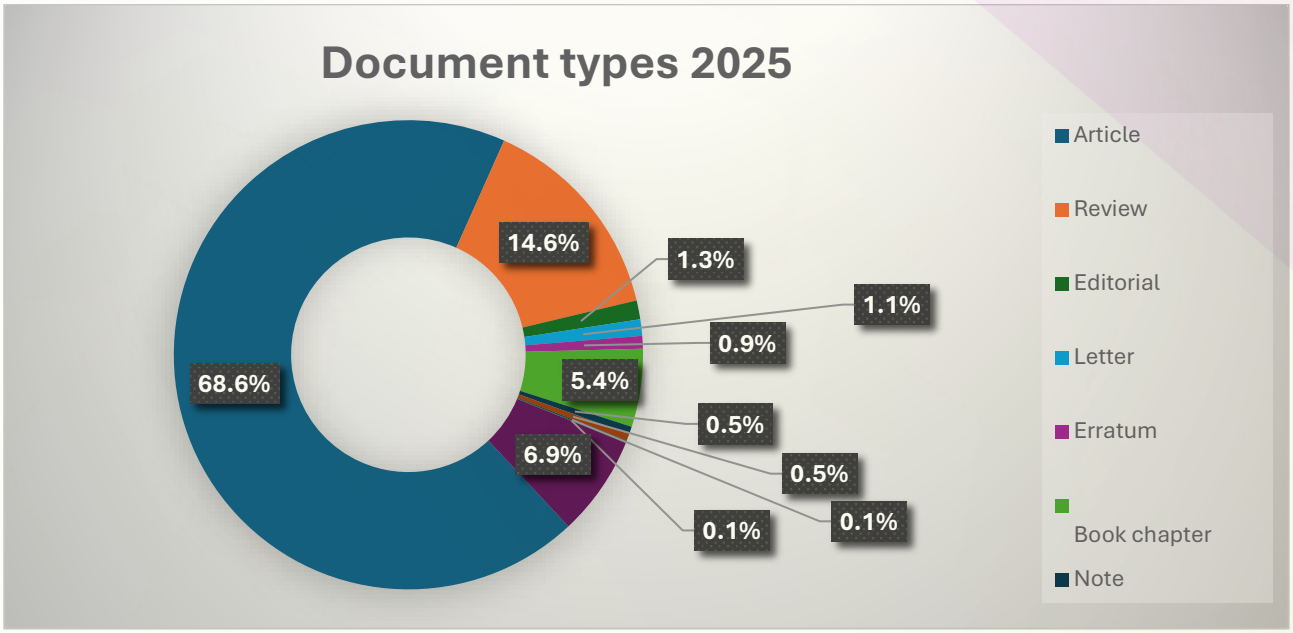

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Figure 2: Document Types 2025

In 2025, the research output of MAHE was led by articles, which accounted for 68.6% of all indexed documents, reflecting a strong focus on original research. Reviews formed the next largest category at 14.6%, indicating active synthesis of existing knowledge and thought leadership across disciplines. Editorials (5.4%) and errata (6.9%) together show ongoing critical commentary and quality corrections in published work; while smaller proportions of letters, book chapters, notes, and other document types collectively contributed to less than 5% of total output, demonstrating a diversified-yet-article-centric publication profile.

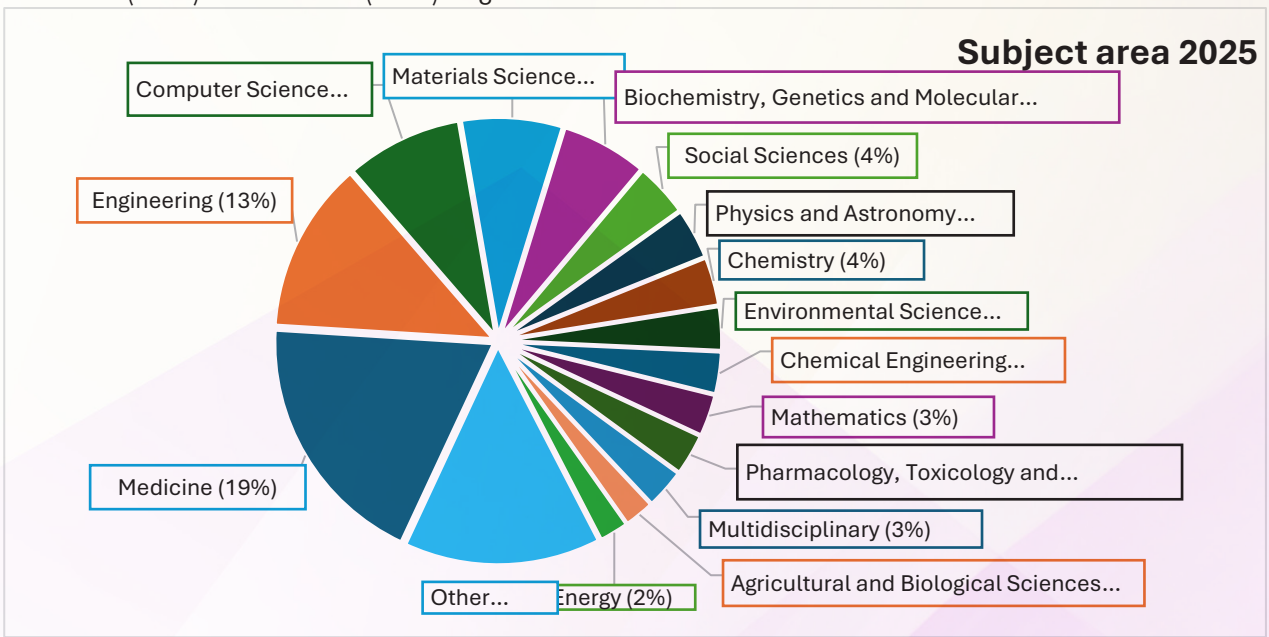


Figure 3: Subject Areas of Publication – 2025**

Source: **Scopus**, As on date: **06-01-2026**

MAHE's research publications spanned diverse subject areas, with medicine leading at 19%, followed by biochemistry, genetics, and molecular biology at 18%. Engineering (11%) and computer science (11%) together represented over 20% of the output, highlighting strong contributions from technical and computational fields. Other notable areas included social sciences (4%); physics and astronomy (4%); chemistry (3%); environmental science (3%); chemical engineering (4%); pharmacology, toxicology, and pharmaceutics (2%); multidisciplinary (2%); energy (2%); agricultural and biological sciences (1%); and materials science (1%); with the remaining categories grouped as "other" at 16%. This broad distribution reflects MAHE's comprehensive research ecosystem across health, engineering, and emerging interdisciplinary domains.

In 2025, SDG 3—Good Health and Well-being—emerged as the top focus of MAHE's research publications at 38%, aligning with the institution's strengths in medical and health sciences. There were also publications related to SDG 2—Zero Hunger (11%)— and SDG 9—Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure (4.5%)— demonstrating targeted contributions to global food security and technological advancement. Other areas with notable representation included SDG 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy (4.5%)), SDG 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation (4%)), SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities (4.6%)), SDG 4 (Quality Education (1.8%)), SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production (2.7%)), SDG 13 (Climate Action (1.3%)), SDG 15 (Life on Land (2%)), SDG 14 (Life Below Water (1.3%)), SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions (2.4%)), and SDG 1 (No Poverty (0.7%)), collectively showcasing MAHE's commitment to the UN 2030 agenda across priority SDGs.

Source: **SciVal**, As on date: **06-01-2026**

Figure 4: SDG-Aligned Publications – 2025

Department Activities, Initiatives, Workshops and Achievements (January–December 2025)

During the period from January to December 2025, the department undertook a comprehensive range of

academic, research, and capacity-building initiatives aimed at strengthening the institutional research ecosystem. The activities were strategically designed to enhance research quality, publication excellence, ethical research practices, funding awareness, digital research capabilities, and international scholarly engagement. Collectively, these initiatives contributed significantly to institutional goals while aligning with the UNSDGs, particularly SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure), SDG 16 (Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions), and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).

Strengthening Research Capacity and Quality Education

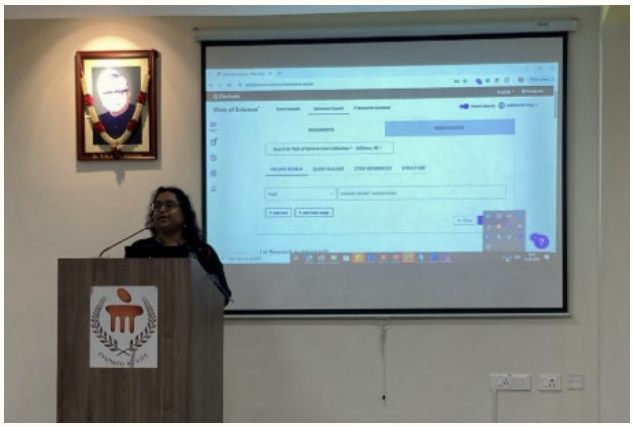
A central focus of the department in 2025 was the enhancement of research competencies and academic writing skills among faculty members, research scholars, and postgraduate students. Multiple workshops and expert-led sessions were organized to address key aspects of scholarly publishing, including research design, manuscript preparation, journal selection, peer review, and publication ethics. Notable among these initiatives was the workshop on "Scientific writing", conducted in collaboration with ACS publishers, which provided hands-on guidance on structuring research articles, improving clarity and coherence, and adhering to international publication standards. Similarly, the Wolters Kluwer webinar titled "Clinical Research Methodology and Tips for Publishing Medical Research", strengthened methodological understanding, particularly in health and medical sciences. Sessions such as "Getting Your Research Published Successfully" by World Scientific and publisher-led workshops by Sage, Karger, Nature Communications, and Cambridge University Press; offered valuable insights into editorial expectations, peer-review processes, and strategies for publishing in high-impact journals. These programs significantly contributed to improving the research writing confidence and publication readiness of participants, directly supporting SDG 4—Quality Education—by promoting lifelong learning and academic excellence.

Advancing Visual Science Communication and Research Dissemination

In addition to traditional publishing formats, the department emphasized the importance of visual science communication as a powerful tool for enhancing research understanding, reproducibility, and global reach. The session "JoVE: Visualizing Science, Accelerating Research and Education!" introduced participants to video-based scientific publications and demonstrated how visual protocols improve methodological transparency and learning outcomes. This initiative sensitized researchers to innovative modes of knowledge dissemination, particularly for experimental, laboratory-based, and procedural research. By promoting the adoption of video articles and visual documentation, the department supported improved reproducibility, accessibility, and pedagogical impact of research outputs. This activity contributed to SDG 4 (Quality Education) by enhancing teaching–learning effectiveness and to SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure) by encouraging innovative approaches to scientific communication.

Leveraging Digital Tools, Artificial Intelligence(AI), and Research Analytics

In alignment with evolving digital trends, the department organized several programs focusing on AI, advanced research analytics, and digital research platforms. Sessions such as "The Power of AI Combined with ScienceDirect", "Leveraging AI and Web of Science for Literature Review and Discovery", and workshops conducted with Elsevier and Clarivate enabled participants to effectively use AI-enabled tools for literature discovery, citation analysis, and research visibility enhancement. These initiatives empowered researchers to adopt technology-driven, data-informed research practices; thereby enhancing efficiency, innovation, and competitiveness in scholarly output. This directly supports SDG 9—Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure—by strengthening digital research infrastructure and promoting innovation-led academic growth.



Enhancing Funding Awareness and Research Partnerships

Recognizing the importance of external funding and collaborative research, the department conducted multiple awareness sessions on national and international funding opportunities. These included Application Process and Support for Department of Biotechnology (DBT) Funding Calls, including DBT grant workshops, and Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration (SPARC) program awareness sessions led by eminent experts. These sessions improved researchers' understanding of eligibility criteria, proposal structuring, evaluation processes, and compliance requirements. By facilitating interactions with funding agencies and promoting collaborative research frameworks, the department strengthened institutional readiness for competitive grants and international partnerships, aligning strongly with SDG 17—Partnerships for the Goals—**Encouraging Open Access and Global Knowledge Sharing**

The department actively promoted Open Access (OA) publishing and responsible dissemination of research findings through initiatives such as "An Hour of OA with Springer Nature" and sessions on Read and Publish Agreements. These activities enhanced awareness of institutional OA agreements, enabling wider dissemination of research outputs and equitable access to scientific knowledge. Such efforts not only support SDG 4 by democratizing access to education and research but also reinforce SDG 17 through global knowledge exchange and publisher-institution partnerships.

Academic Conferences, Recognition, and Research Excellence

Flagship events such as the International Conference on Health Technology and Research (ICHTR) 2025 and Research Award Day played a vital role in promoting interdisciplinary research dialogue, showcasing institutional research achievements, and recognizing excellence among faculty and researchers. These events fostered a culture of innovation, collaboration, and academic motivation across departments. By celebrating research accomplishments and encouraging high-quality scholarly output, the department reinforced institutional commitment to quality education, innovation, and sustainable academic growth, aligning with SDG 4 and SDG 9. Table 1: Research excellence awardees based on the dedicated award category and alignment with UNSDG.

Award Name	Stream	Awardee	Institution
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Anju Shukla	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
Research Excellence (Industry Grant)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Veena G Kamath	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
Research Excellence (Patent Published)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Krishnananda Prabhu R V	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Praveen Kumar Tirlangi	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Anitha J	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Sangeeta Nath	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru
Research Excellence (Industry Grant)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Kirthanashri S V	Department of Biotherapeutics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Patent Granted)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
Significant Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Dr Usha Yogendra Nayak	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Student)	Faculty of Health Sciences	Mr Ashutosh Gupta	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Sajan Daniel George	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Nethaji S	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal

Award Name	Stream	Awardee	Institution
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Ashwath Rao B	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Patent Published)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Subraya Krishna Bhat	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Industry Grant)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Manohar M M Pai	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Industry Grant)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Naresh Kumar Mani	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Significant Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Raja S	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Raja S	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Poornesh P	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Mr Nithesh Naik	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Patent Granted)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Mr Nithesh Naik	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Raja S	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Tanweer	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Narendra Khatri	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Dhanya Sunil	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Dr Selva Kumar M	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Student)	Faculty of Technology and Science	Mr Tejas	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Praveen Kumar	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Significant Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Ankitha Shetty	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Savitha	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Overall Researcher)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Vidya G Bai	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Savitha	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Publication)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Vidya G Bai	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal

Award Name	Stream	Awardee	Institution
Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Ankitha Shetty	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Sandeep S Shenoy	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal
Research Excellence (Best PhD Student)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Mr Tijo George	T A Pai Management Institute, Manipal
Research Excellence (Government Grant)	Faculty of Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences	Dr Arjuna S R	Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social, Bengaluru
Research Excellence (Best PhD Student)	Research Centres	Ms Megha Achar	St John's Research Institute, Bangalore

Overall Impact and Contribution to Sustainable Development

Through its well-structured and diverse set of initiatives in 2025, the department successfully strengthened the institutional research ecosystem by:

- Enhancing research skills and publication quality
- Promoting ethical research and integrity
- Leveraging digital and AI-based research tools
- Improving grant readiness and funding participation
- Encouraging open access and global collaboration
- Recognizing and rewarding research excellence

These efforts collectively contributed to the sustainable development of academic and research practices within the institution, aligning the department's mission with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals and reinforcing its role as a facilitator of high-quality, ethical, and impactful research.

Grants and Consultancy

Number of grants applied (Jan – Dec 2025): **1538**

New projects Sanctioned (Apr 2024 – Mar 2025)

Number of new grants sanctioned:

- Fellowship: **15**
- Research grant: **131** (Government/ Private/Travel)
- Consultancy and Clinical trials: **9**

Total new amount sanctioned during the period: **37.92 crores (in INR)**

Top 5 projects representing the new amount sanctioned:

Name of the Project	Name of the donor/grantor	Amount approved in Crores (INR)	Duration of the Project (in months)	Project Start Date	Project Close Date
COIL-D Centre for Indian Language Data under the "National Language Translation Mission:BHASHINI	MeitY, New Delhi	3.54	24 Months	01 Oct 2024	30 Sep 2026
Empowering the Youth of Coastal Karnataka: Assessing Risk Factors and Implementing an Integrated Multi-component Health Promotion Intervention (IMHP)	ICMR, New Delhi	2.01	36 Months	15 Jan 2025	14 Jan 2028
Development of quantum enhanced multimodal nonlinear optical microscope integrated with learning for oral cancer screening and diagnosis	ICMR, New Delhi	1.30	36 Months	10 Feb 2025	09 Feb 2028
Ramanujan Fellowship Nomination	SERB, New Delhi	1.19	60 Months	12 Apr 2024	11 Apr 2029
Studies of charged and neutral radiation in space, its variations and potential impact on human presence in space	SPARC, New Delhi	1.12	24 Months	01 Apr 2024	31 Mar 2026

Top 5 agencies as per total amount sanctioned:

Agencies	Number of projects	Amount approved in Crores (INR)
ICMR, New Delhi	35	13.14
MeitY, New Delhi	2	3.68
SERB, New Delhi	26	3.03
SPARC, New Delhi	4	2.79
DST, New Delhi	17	2.59

Ongoing projects sanctioned (April 2024 – March 2025):
Total ongoing projects during the period: **394**
Total new amount sanctioned during the period: **148.31 cr**
Number of ongoing amount received during the period: **43.57 cr**
Institute ranking of externally funded projects:
Foreign Consultancy: -
Foreign grants: -

Top 5 projects ongoing amount sanctioned:

Name of the Project	Name of the donor/grantor	Amount approved in Crores (INR)	Duration of the Project (in months)	Project Start Date	Project Close Date
Center for Rare Disease Diagnosis, Research, and Training	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, Hyderabad	10.00	60 Months	01 Oct 2021	30 Sep 2026
DBT_Builder- Interdisciplinary Life Science Programme for Advanced Research and Education (DB-ILSPARE)	DBT, New Delhi	4.76	60 Months	11 Mar 2022	10 Mar 2027
Inter-organ communication in response to wounding	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, Hyderabad	3.57	60 Months	01 Mar 2024	28 Feb 2029
Epithelial Reprograming of HOX Genes by Epigenetic Mechanisms and its implication to oral Cancers	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, Hyderabad	3.56	60 Months	01 Oct 2019	30 Sep 2024
Chaperoned control of Cellular homeostasis in stress and proteinopathies	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, Hyderabad	3.52	60 Months	01 Mar 2024	28 Feb 2029

Top 5 agencies as per the ongoing number of projects:

Agencies	Number of projects	Amount approved in Crores (INR)
ICMR, New Delhi	135	46.37
DST, New Delhi	50	13.13
SERB, New Delhi	48	10.00
DBT, New Delhi	15	13.99
SPARC, New Delhi	8	4.58

Workshops organized: 2

Workshop 1: DBT awareness—Dr Shama Prasada K

The Directorate of Research, MAHE organized an awareness session on "Department of Biotechnology (DBT) Calls and Application Process" on 7 August 2025 at Sharada Hall, MCHP Building. The session was conducted for faculty members, researchers, and postdoctoral fellows to familiarize them with active DBT grant calls, the DBT e-portal and application process, key documentation requirements, and institutional support mechanisms. The interactive session also included a question-and-answer segment to address participant queries and strengthen grant-seeking capabilities across the university.

Workshop 2: SPARC Awareness - Dr Rabibrata Mukherjee

An invited lecture on the SPARC Programme was conducted on 8 August 2025 at the CAIF Conference Hall, MAHE. The session was delivered by Prof Rabibrata Mukherjee, Dean (Research and Development (R&D)), IIT Kharagpur and Joint National Coordinator of the Ministry of Education's SPARC initiative. The lecture provided an overview of SPARC Phase III (2023–2026), highlighting global collaboration opportunities with top QS-ranked universities, researcher mobility, priority focus areas, and outcome-based funding. The programme also featured an interactive session with SPARC awardees from MAHE, offering participants valuable insights into building international research partnerships.

Recognition:

Scientific and Industrial Research Organizations (SIROs)

MAHE has been granted renewal of recognition as an SIRO by the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research (DSIR), Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India. The renewed recognition is valid for the period from 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2028, reaffirming MAHE's continued commitment to high-quality research, innovation, and industrial collaboration in accordance with national R&D policies and guidelines.

Hub Set up:

MAHE-DST HUB Inaugurated to Accelerate Translational Research and MedTech Development

Grant Writing Workshop and Proposal Review Session

The Directorate of Research (DOR), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, organized a Grant Writing Workshop and Proposal Review Session from 5th to 7th February 2026, led by Prof. Tapas K. Kundu. As part of this initiative, a focused session was conducted on "Grant Writing" and "Review of Research Proposals" for research faculty members from MAHE Manipal & Mangalore campus.

The program began with a grant writing workshop, where participants gained practical insights into developing competitive research proposals, including framing research questions, aligning with funding priorities, and strengthening methodological approaches. This was followed by a proposal review and consultancy session, during which 40+ research proposals submitted to DOR were presented and critically evaluated. Faculty delivered concise presentations, enabling structured discussion and expert feedback on study design, feasibility, innovation, and funding alignment.

The session significantly contributed to enhancing faculty capacity in grant writing and proposal development, while also fostering interdisciplinary collaboration. Feedback from participants highlighted a strong demand for continued support, particularly in one-to-one proposal mentoring, mock grant evaluation panels, and guidance on budgeting and compliance. In response, DOR plans to implement structured mentoring sessions and targeted workshops to further strengthen the institution's research funding outcomes.

Central for Doctoral Studies

Guest Talk by Prof Arijit Mukhopadhyay, UK

The Centre for Doctoral Studies, Directorate of Research, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, organized a session for PhD scholars on 'Coping with Chaos: Practical Tips' on 24 January 2025 at Sharada Hall, Ground Floor, MCHP, Manipal. The session was delivered by Prof Arijit Mukhopadhyay, Professor in Precision Health University of Salford, Manchester, United Kingdom, who is a qualified life coach, a motivational speaker for young researchers providing essential life tips, and a TEDx speaker. By profession, he is a researcher in Human Genetics and Genomics with over 25 years of research experience. Prof Mukhopadhyay is also an avid science communicator. The session was attended by 150+ PhD scholars. A film made by him to improve awareness of the benefits of genetics in human health was screened during the session.

PhD Orientation 2025 @ MAHE, Manipal
Date: 13 February 2025

The PhD Orientation Program 2025 was held on 13 February 2025 at the 3rd Floor TMA Pai Halls, MAHE. The objective of the orientation is to provide essential insights into research policies, academic expectations, and institutional support. Dr Satish Rao, Director, DOR, welcomed the gathering. Chief Guest, Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, emphasized quality research, judicious technology use, consistency, and open-access publishing, stressing the need for impactful research and ethical academic practices. The technical sessions covered key aspects of the MAHE PhD Guidelines. Dr Vasudha Devi and Dr Ankitha Shetty sensitized on the PhD guidelines, covering Pre-DAC, DAC, IPAC, registration, coursework, IPR, and publication requirements, highlighting the need for a structured research approach and adherence to policies. Dr Santhosh K V, Deputy Director, Directorate of Research, highlighted MAHE's open-access agreements, research databases, and software tools available. Dr S Varadharajan outlined IPR types, the patenting process, and MAHE's IPR support services. Dr Geetha Maiya addressed student counselling, grievance redressal, safety, and wellness. Dr Anup

Naha discussed international collaborations, including the Deakin-MAHE Cotutelle Program, global partnerships, and international co-supervisors. A total of 256 scholars were present in the orientation.

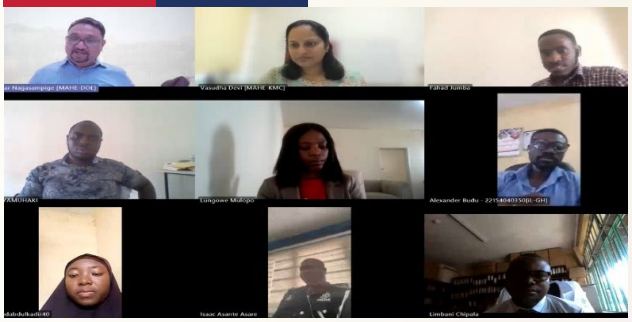
Patent awareness and drafting workshop for PhD Scholars
Date: 03 April 2025

The Centre for Doctoral Studies, Directorate of Research, MAHE, Manipal, in association with the Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer Office (IPTTO) (DoR), MAHE, Manipal, organized a Patent Awareness and Drafting Workshop for PhD Scholars on 03 April 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC, Manipal. The workshop was attended by 54 scholars from various institutions of MAHE.

Dr Satish Rao, Director, Directorate of Research (DOR), MAHE, Manipal, welcomed the guests. Dr Sajan Daniel George, Director, Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, MAHE, Manipal, was the Chief Guest and provided the opening remarks. Adv Pranav Bhat from An Astraea Innovative Solution was the resource person for the workshop. Dr Vasudha Devi, Deputy Director, CDS, MAHE, Manipal, delivered the vote of thanks. The workshop provided a comprehensive understanding of the patent filing process.

On 18 July, 2025, Dr Chathapuram (Ram) Ramanathan, Professor and Fulbright Fellow, delivered an inspiring talk at Illinois State University. 56 scholars from Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal School of Health Professionals, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutics Research, and Manipal College of Nursing attended the session. The session focused on the scholar's journey through social science research, conducting socially impactful research, and international opportunities.

On 23 July, 2025, the Centre for Doctoral Studies, Manipal, organized a webinar for students who completed their master's degrees through the Directorate of Online Education. A total of **43 students**, including several from **African countries**, attended the session. The webinar highlighted the opportunities available under the **International PhD Programme**, providing detailed insights into the **PhD guidelines, admission process, and research expectations**. Students showed keen interest in pursuing doctoral research in diverse fields such as **Business Management, Economics, Data Science, and Machine Learning**.



Calm is a Superpower: Yoga and Breath Practices for Resilience

Number of participants: 130 scholars

The Centre for Doctoral Studies (CDS), under the Directorate of Research (DoR), MAHE, organized a session for PhD scholars on "*Calm is a Superpower: Yoga and Breath Practices for Resilience*" on 09 August, 2025. The session was conducted from 11:30 AM to 01:00 PM at Sharada Hall, Ground Floor, MCHP, Manipal. Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and Head of the Division of Yoga at the Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research, MAHE, was the resource person for the session. Through practical demonstrations and insightful discussions, she guided participants on how simple yoga techniques and breathing exercises can help build mental resilience, reduce stress, and improve overall well-being—particularly useful for research scholars

managing academic pressure. The session was well-received, with active participation and engagement from the attendees. Scholars appreciated the opportunity to learn practical tools to enhance focus and maintain emotional balance, making the session a valuable addition to their academic journey.

Craft to Publish – Strategic Writing for Faster Research Output- on 16 September 2025

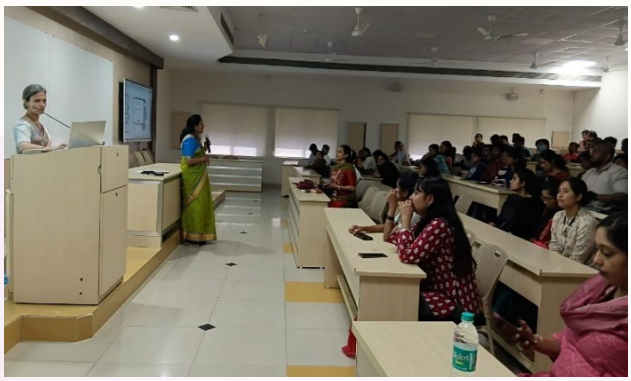
The Centre for Doctoral Studies (CDS) under the Directorate of Research (DoR), MAHE, organized a session on "Craft to Publish–Strategic Writing for Faster Research Output."

The session featured Dr Shama Prasada K, Deputy Director – Grants and Consultancy, DoR, MAHE, and Dr Bharti Chogtu, Professor, Department of Pharmacology, KMC Manipal, and Editor, MAHE Magazine, as the distinguished speakers.

Dr Shama Prasada K shared practical insights on effective research paper writing, focusing on structure, clarity, and strategies for improving publication success. Dr Bharti Chogtu highlighted the importance of integrating the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) into research, encouraging scholars to align their work with global priorities for societal impact. The session witnessed 192 scholars and was well-received by all. Dr Vasudha Devi, Deputy Director, Centre for Doctoral Studies (CDS), DoR, MAHE, coordinated the event.

Postdoctoral and Career Opportunities in Germany

The Centre for Doctoral Studies (CDS) under the Directorate of Research (DoR), MAHE, organized an interactive session for PhD scholars on "Postdoctoral and Career Opportunities in Germany" on 23 September, 2025, from 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM at Lecture Hall – 1, 3rd Floor, Basic Sciences Building, Manipal. The session was led by Dr Manjula Mundakana, Senior Advisor for Science, Technology, and Political Affairs at the German Consulate, Bengaluru. Around 120 scholars attended the session, which provided a comprehensive overview of research and academic career opportunities in Germany. Dr Vasudha Devi, Deputy Director, CDS, welcomed the gathering, and Dr Ankitha Shetty, Assistant Director, CDS, coordinated the event. The session highlighted key platforms such as the DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service), Alexander von Humboldt Foundation, and EURAXESS Germany, which offer extensive opportunities for researchers and postdoctoral scholars. She also discussed potential research positions at leading institutions, including the Max Planck Institutes, Helmholtz Association, and Fraunhofer Institutes, encouraging participants to explore these avenues for their future academic and professional growth. The session concluded with an engaging Q&A segment, where participants clarified queries related to funding, collaboration opportunities, and application processes for research programs in Germany.



The Centre for Doctoral Studies (CDS) successfully conducted the PhD Orientation 2025 for the 2025-26 Batch 1 PhD scholars on 27–28 October 2025, at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC, Manipal.

The inaugural ceremony was graced by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, as the Chief Guest, along with Dr Raviraja N S, Senior Director – Research, DoR, MAHE, and Dr Vasudha Devi, Deputy

Director – CDS, DoR, MAHE. The event also marked the release of the PhD Admission Promotional Flyer and the Information Brochure on National Fellowships. In the inaugural talk, Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, emphasized the significance of quality research and shared valuable insights on achieving research excellence through rigour, innovation, and ethical scholarship.

An inspiring keynote address on "Pioneering Research with Purpose" was delivered by Prof (Dr) Madhu Veeraraghavan, Pro Vice Chancellor (Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences, MAHE Manipal), and Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE Bengaluru Campus.

Over two days, around 300 research scholars participated in a series of insightful sessions conducted by distinguished resource persons:

Dr Raviraja N S–Senior Director, Directorate of Research, MAHE, Manipal, provided an overview of MAHE, Dr Vasudha Devi–Deputy Director, Centre for Doctoral Studies, DoR, MAHE, Manipal, and Dr Ankitha Shetty–Assistant Director, Centre for Doctoral Studies, DoR, MAHE, briefed on PhD Guidelines and Requirements at MAHE.

Other research persons and topics covered were as follows:

Dr Santhosh K V–Deputy Director (Technical Research), DoR, MAHE, Manipal

Topic: Open Access Publication and Its Impact

Dr S Varadharajan–Deputy Director, IPTTO, DoR, MAHE, Manipal

Topic: Importance of Patents for PhD Scholars

Ms Urmila M S–Trainer on Communication and Presentation Skills

Topic: Present Your Research with Impact: Effective Presentation Skills

Dr Shama Prasada K–Deputy Director–Grants and Consultancy, DoR, MAHE, Manipal

Topic: The Making of a Scholar: A Journey Within and Beyond

Dr Shivananda Bhat K–Chief Librarian, MAHE, Manipal

Topic: MAHE Library Support Services

Dr Annapoorna K–Professor and Head, Division of Yoga, Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research, MAHE

Topic: Calm is a Superpower: Yoga and Breath Practice for Resilience

Panel Discussion–"Scholar Speak: Insights from MAHE National Scholars" was moderated by Dr Pavithra V (ICMR Nurturing Clinical Scientist Fellow, MCODS, Manipal), featuring contributions from Ms Vaishali P (MSIS), Mr Shivarama K N (MIT), Ms Deepa C Bhat (MSCE), and Mr Sanjay K U (MSLS).

Mr Kiran R, Research Scholar, MIT, shared an inspiring account of his doctoral journey, motivating fellow scholars with insights drawn from his personal research experiences.

Additionally, representatives from the MAHE Student Research Forum (SRF) addressed the gathering, introducing the forum's initiatives and support mechanisms that foster research collaboration and scholar engagement across disciplines.

The two-day orientation concluded with an inspiring note, setting the stage for a purposeful and transformative research journey for MAHE's new PhD scholars.

A workshop on 'Present Your Research with Impact – How to Make an Effective PowerPoint Presentation was organized on 28 October 2025 for PhD scholars. Ms Urmila, Trainer on Communication and Presentation Skills, was the resource person. Around 250 PhD scholars received hands-on training in creating effective PowerPoint presentations.

Research Grants
Received during the Period from April 2025 to March 2026

Sl No	Institution	Amount (in lakhs)
1	Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	2,160.24
2	Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal	821.33
3	Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	700.23
4	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal	561.12
5	Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru	372.56
6	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	234.41
7	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal	233.46
8	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, Manipal	219.89
9	Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal	177.50
10	Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru	143.06
11	Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal	140.29
12	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal	105.05
13	Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	68.81
14	MAHE Bengaluru Campus	50.38
15	Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore	45.69
16	KMC Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore	26.15
17	Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal	23.33
18	Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur	13.16
19	Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal	12.01
20	Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal	10.40
21	Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, Manipal	8.07
22	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, Manipal	5.22
23	Dr T A Pai Management Institution, Manipal	4.16
24	Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Bengaluru	3.00
25	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts, Manipal	1.00
26	Manipal Hospice and Respite Care Centre	0.24
27	Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration, Manipal	0.21
	MAHE - Departments	
28	Manipal Center for Biotherapeutics Research	215.67
29	Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences	108.80
30	Department of Quality	23.55
31	Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics	15.24
32	International Collaboration	7.07
33	University Teaching Department	6.36
34	MAHE - FAIMER International Institute for Leadership in Interprofessional Education	6.16
35	Department of Basic Medical Sciences	3.70
36	Volunteer Service Organization	2.00
37	Department of Yoga	1.92
38	Department of Student Affairs	0.03
	Total	**6,531.47**

Manipal Gok Bioincubator

Manipal-GoK Bioincubator, a Technology Business Incubator, is an initiative of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), supported by the **Karnataka Innovation and Technology Society (KITS),** the Government of Karnataka, and the **Department of Biotechnology's BIRAC. Established in 2019**, the incubator spans **20,000 sq ft and is** dedicated to advanced research **in Biopharma, Biomedical Devices, Dental Innovation, Biotechnology, Disease Diagnosis and Medical Healthcare**.

The incubator fosters a multidisciplinary entrepreneurial ecosystem across Health Sciences, Pharma, Engineering, Life Sciences, and Management. Supported **70 startups since 2019** on innovations in areas such as tissue engineering, bioprinting, microfluidics, drug discovery, nano biotech, MedTech, AI interfaces, wearable tech, mobile health, big health data, IoT, blockchain, personalized and precision medicine, drug delivery, medical robotics, smart diagnostics, regenerative medicine, and biomedical implants.

Facilities include dedicated and shared labs, tissue culture and microfluidics labs, microbiology and instrumentation facilities, Class 100 clean rooms, prototyping and fabrication labs, electronic and analytical testing labs, and plug-and-play workstations. The incubator is linked to MAHE's hospitals, engineering workshops, central equipment facilities, mentors, animal house, biobank, clinical trial support, and more.

In FY 2024–25, the incubator supported several high-impact startups that secured national awards, international grants, and strategic partnerships.

Notable achievements include successful product launches in MedTech and diagnostics, seed funding rounds exceeding 12 Crores INR, and participation in global innovation summits. The incubator also hosted over 70+ workshops, mentoring sessions, and investor connects to strengthen the startup ecosystem.

Supported under BIRAC's BioNEST program, the incubator received 240 lakhs INR in 2020 for facility expansion. It continues to provide affordable incubation, including virtual and co-incubation, and is deeply integrated with a network of innovators, clinicians, researchers, IP attorneys, and policymakers to drive biotech and healthcare innovation.

As a recognized mentoring hub, the incubator actively supported K-Tech Elevate grant winners by providing end-to-end guidance from proposal development to prototype validation. Startups received tailored mentoring in business planning, regulatory navigation, IP strategy, and investor readiness. Regular review sessions and expert connect ensured timely progress and strategic alignment. This firsthand support has helped multiple Elevate winners scale their innovations and prepare for market entry.

Highlights

1. Incubation and Growth

- **15 new startups** were incubated across four quarters, [Total Start-ups Supported – 73]
- **Four startups graduated** during the reporting period and **24 startups** are currently in the graduated portfolio.
- **RA Health Innovations Limited**, a UK-based startup, joined the incubator in March 2025 through the Soft-Landing Program.

2. Funding and Achievements

- **Blackfrog Technologies** secured **1.7 million USD** in Pre-Series A funding (April to Jun 2025)
- **Curexel Technologies**, an MGOKB-mentored startup, secured the prestigious **Biotechnology Ignition Grant (BIG) from BIRAC, receiving 50 lakhs INR** to advance its painless drug delivery device, CuID.
- **Krop AI** received backing from **Rainmatter by Zerodha** (July to September 2025).
- **Neurasim** installed its **BeeVee VR vision therapy system** at **Sankara Nethralaya**, Chennai
- Blackfrog Technologies **was selected to represent India at the MeitY Global Startup Bridge Program in Brussels**
- Five portfolio startups: **Blackfrog, Mozziquit, Zupaloop, Rosette, and Axory AI** launched their products at the **Bengaluru Tech Summit 2025,** an event graced by **Shri Priyank Kharge**
- **Meta Biosciences Pvt Ltd** achieved a significant growth milestone by transitioning from MGOKB to its own dedicated office and advanced research facility in Manipal

3. Awards and Recognition

- **Manipal-Gok Bioincubator** awarded **"Bioincubator of the Year (Tier 2)"** at the Bio Startups Founders and Investors Forum 2025
- Recognized as **Ecosystem Enabler of the Mangaluru Cluster** at Mangalore Technovanza 5.0

4. Events and Capacity Building

- Organized **70+ events**, including hackathons, workshops, webinars, and panel discussions.
- Key events:
  - √ **Manipal Biopharma, Biotech, and Medtech Hackathons** (450+ Teams participated)
  - √ **Manipal Start-Up Expo 2025** (75+ startups, 5000+ visitors)
  - √ **35+ Handon workshops conducted and 25+ Technical Sessions conducted (Online and Offline)**
  - √ The incubator conducted an **ISO/IEC 27001:2022 Internal Auditor Training and Certification Program** in Jun 2025 for 17 professionals
- Average attendance ranged from **30 to 150+ participants** per event

5. Mentorship and Partnerships

- Mentored **10 KTech Elevate winning startups** (2023 and 2024 batches).
- Served as **Program Monitoring Partner** for the Rajeev Gandhi Entrepreneurship Program (Eight innovators).
- Successfully co-led the Global Technology Solutions (GTS) 2024–2025 program with the University of New Brunswick, mentoring student teams to victory in the Technology and Social Innovation categories.

7. Strategic Participation

- **CEO Dr Manesh Thomas** joined the official delegation to the **India-Scotland Business Meet 2025** in Edinburgh during March 2025, exploring key life science facilities and fostering bilateral trade opportunities.
- **CEO Dr Manesh Thomas** participated in the India-Choose Paris Region Learning Expedition in Mar 2025, gaining key insights into the French healthcare innovation ecosystem at PariSanté Campus during March 2025.
- **Dr Clavian and Mr Krishna** represented Manipal TBI at **Mangaluru Technovanza 5.0** with ministerial presence in September 2025.
- Achieved international reach with **CEO Dr Manesh Thomas's** strategic participation **at MEDICA 2025** in **Düsseldorf, Germany, in Nov 2025,** engaging in Carve Startup Labs and Industrie- und Handelskammer (IHK) sessions

to foster Indo-German collaborations and global market access for startups.

- **Dr Komal Rana and Mr Krishna** represented Manipal TBI at Bengaluru Tech Summit (BTS'25) with 15+ Start-ups of Manipal in November 2025.
- **CEO Dr Manesh Thomas** served as a distinguished speaker on the **"Valley of Death Challenge"** panel at the CII Global Summit on Industry–Academia Partnerships 2025 in New Delhi during December 2025.
- Hosted a delegation led by **Mr Nico Schiettekatte (Netherlands Embassy) and Prof Hugo Velthuijsen (Hanze University)** in November 2025, fostering strategic Indo-Dutch e-Health collaborations and startup engagement.
- Conducted a campus tour and showcased R&D facilities to an international student group from Boston University, USA, in January 2025.

Events Organized (January to September 2025)

SL No	Date	Topic	Speaker(s) / Resource Person
1	15 Jan 2025	Technical talk on "Advance your single-cell Omics research for Organoids and tissue cell-line establishment"	Dr Manjunath Siddaramaiah
2	16 Jan 2025	Innovate and Elevate: Celebrating National Start-Up Day - General Addressing	Dr Jitendra Kumar, MD, Bio technology Ignition Research Assistance Council (BIRAC)z
3	16 Jan 2025	Innovate & Elevate: Exploring Business and Career Opportunities in Sustainability & Innovation	Dr Vishnu A
4	24 Jan 2025	Session on "Managing Startup Finances"	C A Shwetha S V
5	30 Jan 2025	Hands-on workshop "Powder to Perfection: SLS Mastery with Sinterit Lisa" on Selective Laser Sintering	Mr Dheeraj
6	30 Jan 2025	Talk on "Pharmaceutical Manufacturing, Operations, cGMP Systems and Regulatory Challenges"	Dr Girish Pai
7	03 Feb 2025	Euphoria 10.0 – Manipal BioPharma Hackathon 2025	Dr Manesh Thomas, Dr Abhijeet Pandey, Dr S Varadharajan, Dr Clavian M

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8	18 Feb 2025	Prize Distribution Ceremony of the Manipal Biotech Hackathon 2024	Top Management of MAHE
9	22 Feb 2025	Hands-on workshop on R programming for Data Analytics – 01 Credit	Dr Vani Lakshmi
10	25 Feb 2025	Manipal Biopharma Hackathon Grand Finale	Jury Panel
11	01 Mar 2025	Euphoria 11.0: Manipal Medtech Hackathon 2025	Dr Manesh Thomas, Mr Navaneeth K S, Dr Khyati Verma, Dr Komal Rana
12	08 Mar 2025	Breaking Barriers, Building Futures: A Women's Day Special – The Multifaceted Woman	Dr Sarika Gupta and Mrs Supriya Kamath
13	22 Mar 2025	Manipal MedTech Hackathon Grand Finale	Jury Panel
14	28 Mar 2025	Faculty Development Program on Innovation and Entrepreneurship	Adv Pranav Bhat, Dr Manesh Thomas, Mr Dheeraj Poojary
15	29 Mar 2025	Business Webinar on "Efficiency Meets Innovation: Lean Principles for Startups"	Mr Krishna P Bhat

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16	28 and 29 Mar 2025 	AETHERION 2025 – Code Beyond Time, Create Beyond Reality	Jury Panel
17	05 and 06 Apr 2025 	Business Cartel: Student Entrepreneurship Cell event	Ananya B, Student of MCOPS presiding the team of 25+ students
18	11 Apr 2025 	Entrepreneurship and Innovation: Idea Pitching Workshop	Dr Clavian, Dr Komal and Mr Dheeraj
19	26 Apr 2025 	Unlocking Private Capital for Deep Tech Start-ups	Mr Navaneetha S
20	28 Apr 2025 	Entrepreneurship Insights Part 1: A Start-up's Guide to Income Tax	C A Sridhar Kamath
21	28 Apr to 10 May 2025 	Hands-on Workshop on Advanced Animal Cell Culture Techniques	Dr Komal Rana
22	29 Apr 2025 	Stem Cell Culture: Introduction, Significance, Regulatory Aspects	Dr Samatha Bhat
23	30 Apr 2025 	Cytotoxicity Analysis and Immunology Assay Workshop	Dr Tejaswini K
24	30 Apr 2025	Tissue Engineering Applications using Primary Cell Culture	Dr S V Kirthanashri

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25	14 May 2025	Biotech & Medtech Hackathon Prize Distribution Ceremony	Top Management of MAHE
26	22 May 2025	Technical Talk on Pharmacometrics: Applications in drug development and therapeutics	Dr Surulivel Rajan
27	30 May 2025	Investor Readiness Session	Adv Pooja Savla
28	31 May 2025	Webinar on "From Lab to Market: Understanding CDSCO and Regulatory Pathways for MedTech Start-ups"	Dr Shyam Vasudev Rao
29	12 Jun 2025	Graduation Day: Global Technology Solutions 2025	Dr Anoop Naha and Dr Dheerendra Shukla
30	21 Jun to 26Sep 2025	Hands-on workshop on R programming for Data Analytics – 01 Credit	Dr Vani Lakshmi R
31	26 to 28 Jun 2025	ISO/IEC 27001:2022 Internal Auditor Training and Certification Program	Mr Srinivas Bhargav
32	19 Jul 2025	Hands-on workshop on R programming for Data Analytics – 01 Credit	Dr Vani Lakshmi
33	25 Jul 2025	Session on "Crafting Value Proposition for Startups and Innovations"	Mr Navaneeth S

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34	28 Jul 2025 	Webinar on "Implementing ISO 13485 and Building a Quality-First Culture"	Mr Sundeep Agarwal
35	31 Jul 2025 	Hands-on Workshop on Building Wet Lab Expertise: Cryogenic Fluids, Freeze Drying, etc.	Dr Vani Lakshmi
36	31 Jul 2025 	Hands-on Workshop: "Jet the Edge: Wazer Waterjet Hands-On"	Mr Dheeraj
37	06 to 08 Aug 2025 	Hands-on Workshop: "Fundamentals of Animal Cell Culture Techniques"	Dr Komal Rana
38	19 Aug 2025 	Installation of MGOKB Student Entrepreneurship Cell (SEC) 2025-2026	Dr Manesh Thomas, CEO-MGOKB
39	21 Aug 2025 	Celebrating Courage: World Entrepreneurs' Day Special	Mr Rahul Kamath
40	25 Aug 2025 	Manipal Start-Up Expo 2025	Top Management of MAHE, BIRAC & KITS
41	25 Aug 2025 	Panel Discussion: "Impact of AI on Healthcare, Business, Education, and Research"	Dr Dashrathraj, Dr Aishwarya, Dr Sandeep, Mr Namesh, Dr Praveen Shastry

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42	25 Aug 2025 	Tech Talk: "Empowering Bio-Entrepreneurs: Inside BIRAC's Ecosystem"	Ms Apurva Srivastava, BIRAC
43	25 Aug 2025 	Keynote Session: "Innovation of Biomedical Devices in Defence"	Dr Mohanavelu, DRDO
44	25 Aug 2025 	Keynote Session: "Nutraceutical Dosage Forms – Development Challenges"	Dr Rajkumar Aland, Bioplus LS
45	25 Aug 2025 	Keynote Session: "Beyond the Scoop – Fostering Innovation and Sustainability in a Traditional Industry"	Mr Sankeern Pai, Hangyo
46	25 Aug 2025 	Investor Pitching Session	1. Navaneetha Krishnan S, Stay Still Scale High 2. Neeti Bokaria, Early Seed Ventures 3. Siddhant Baliga, Early Seed Ventures 4. Rahul Verma, NanoHealth 5. Dr Suhas Prabhu, Xelevate Ventures (P) Ltd 6. Vikram Pandya, Investment Research Head , Varanium Capital, Mumbai 7. Anand Kumar, CEO Pier Counsel/ Super Angel / Supreme Court Lawyer - Gurgaon 8. Smridh Kohli, Soonicorn Ventures.
47	25 and 26 Sep 2025 	Implementation of QMS ISO 9001:2015 at MUTBI Society: Training and Mentoring	Mr Srinivas Bhargav
48	27, 29, and 30 Sep 2025 	Design Dimensions: From Concept to Creation with Computer Aided Drawing (CAD)	Mr Dheeraj Poojary

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49	30 Sep 2025	Strategic Decision-Making and Building Scalable Startup Models in Life Sciences and Deep-Tech	Mr Pradeep Arunachalam
50	06 Oct 2025	The Innovation Launchpad: Discover, Frame, Compete: A Pre-Ideation Workshop for Future Innovators	Dr Aparajitha Prasad Mr Navaneeth S
51	14 Oct 2025	IGNITE 2.0 – A Boot Camp for Dental Students	Dr Manesh Thomas
52	27 Oct 2025	Euphoria 12.0 – Manipal BioTech Hackathon 2025	–
53	27 Oct 2025	Talk on “Innovation, Entrepreneurship, and Development of Project Plan”	Dr Manesh Thomas
54	27 Oct 2025	Talk on “Biomanufacturing Boom in India catalysed by Digital Twin - AI and ML-based Bioprocessing”	Dr Jagadeesh Bennale
55	27 Oct 2025	Talk on “Biomimetic Inventions: Where Nature Meets Scientific Innovation”	Dr Indrajit Shown
56	27 Oct 2025	Clarity on Rules and Regulations	Dr Komal Rana

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57	30 Oct 2025	Workshop: Building Wet Lab Expertise (Downstream Essential): SPRAY DRYER	Dr Komal and Mr Dheeraj
58	31 Oct 2025	Entrepreneurial Mindset and Start-Up Journey	Mr Likith Kumar
59	06 Nov 2025	Session on BIRAC BIG 25th Grant Call	Dr Nithya Raman
60	13 Nov 2025	Understanding BiRAC's BIG Grant	Ms Taranjit Kaur
61	11 Nov 2025	Manipal Biotech Hackathon 2025 Grand Finale	Jury Panel
62	19 Nov 2025	BIRAC BIG 25 Grant Writing Session	Ms Diksha Rathore
63	22 Nov 2025	Mindful Founders: The New Edge in Entrepreneurship	Dr Lisa Fahey and Mrs Suparna Shetty
64	27 Nov 2025	Session on Regulatory Landscape for Biologics and Biopharmaceuticals	Dr Sumant Sharachchandra Karnik
65	29 Nov 2025	Session on Design Thinking for Innovation	Mr Likith Kumar

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66	02 Dec 2025 	One Day Incubation Awareness Programme	Dr Clavian
67	17 Dec 2025 	Awareness on D E S I G N for BioE3 Challenge for Innovators	Dr Vamsi Krishna
68	17 to 19 Dec 2025 	3D Design Sprint: Fusion 360 to FDM Printing	Mr Dheeraj
69	30 Dec 2025 	Business Ideation in Biotechnology	Dr Komal
70	31 Dec 2025 	Business Model Fundamentals and Understanding Value Propositions and Revenue Modelling	Mr Likith Kumar

Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator

Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator (MUTBI), supported by National Science and Technology Entrepreneurship Development Board (NSTEDB), Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India, has been operational since 2010, to support and encourage entrepreneurship in the region involving students, faculty, and the common public. It focuses on the thrust areas like InfoTech, HealthTech, AgriTech, and CleanTech. MUTBI has supported 101 startups, of which 34 startups have graduated. With the support of these startups, employment and internship opportunities for nearly 700+ were created during the last 15 years.

Currently, 67 startups are working on different domains. In order to encourage the entrepreneurial spirit, a pre-incubation facility is also created to support and encourage the students to work on their idea professionally. In the year 2017, MUTBI was selected as the programme executing partner for the National Initiative for Developing and Harnessing Innovations (NIDHI)–Entrepreneurs in Residence program (EIR). Through this programme, we have supported 63 candidates in five calls, which has resulted in 26 startups. In the year 2021, MUTBI was selected as the programme executing partner for NIDHI-Promoting and Accelerating Young and Aspiring Innovators & Startups (PRAYAS). Through this programme, we have supported 36 candidates in 3 calls. Further, MUTBI has been selected as the G3 center for offering the Generation and Growth of New Enterprises by Scaling and Incubation Systems (GENESIS) scheme by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY). Through this programme, we have supported nine candidates in two Cohorts. MUTBI has been a member of the Indian Science and Technology Entrepreneurs Parks and Business Incubator Association (ISBA) since 2010. MUTBI is functioning with a team of four, comprising the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Manager, Associate, and Accountant.

Highlights

1. Incubation and Growth

- **26 new startups** were incubated from January to December 2025, (Total start-ups supported: 101).
- **6 startups graduated** during the year (Total graduated startups: 34).
- **2 new Pre-incubatees** onboarded and 2 graduated during the year (Total supported: 9).

2. Funding and Achievements

- **Blackfrog Technologies, Econsh Alternatives, Susera Recylers, Smartsports Coachbuddy, and Zupaloop** won the Elevate Karnataka grant 2024.
- **Blackfrog Technologies**
  - Represented India at the 4-day sponsored MeitY Global Startup Bridge Program in

Brussels, Belgium—an initiative by MeitY Startup Hub.

- Secured **1.7 million USD** in Pre-Series A funding.
- Celebrated its 10th anniversary and launched a new product range— the EMON Series.

- **ZigMe** Careers Pvt Ltd and Navmarg Research and Innovations Pvt Ltd have been featured in the "Bharat Ke Innovators" series by YourStory.
- **Navmarg** Research and Innovations Pvt Ltd is recognized as a winner at Mangaluru Blue 2025.
- **Zupaloop Pvt. Ltd**. officially launched their product at Mangaluru Technovanza 2025 in the presence of Honourable Information Technology (IT) and Biotechnology (BT) Minister Mr Priyank M Kharge, Member of Parliament (MP) Captain Brijesh Chowta, Member of Legislative Assembly (MLA) Dr Vedavyas Kamath, and other dignitaries
- **Nimble Vision Pvt Ltd** received an investment of Rs 2 crore during the Startup Conclave 2025 in the presence of Honourable Union Cabinet Minister of Home Affairs, Shri Amit Shah and the Chief Minister of Gujarat, Shri Bhupendrabhai Patel.
- **Krop AI** raised investment from **Rainmatter by Zerodha**.
- **NextGen Inks Pvt Ltd and Aikyam** Sports won the Elevate—Government of Karnataka grant 2025.

3. Events and Capacity Building

- Organized **22 events**, including hackathons, workshops, webinars, and panel discussions.

Key events:

- Launch of Manipal Accelerating Research, Innovation and Entrepreneurship in AI (MARInE.ai).
- Flagship event: Creating and Developing your Enterprise (CADRE).
- Under MARInE.ai initiative, various sessions were conducted at the Academy General Education group of institutions.

4. Mentorship and Partnerships

- Establishment of a **Satellite Centre** of Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator (MUTBI) at the MAHE Bengaluru Campus.
- Collaborated with **Mount Tech Growth Fund-Kavachh** (MGF-K) and **YourStory Media** Pvt Ltd.
- **Program Implementing Partner** for the MeitY GENESIS Program of MeitY Startup Hub.
- **Program Execution Partner** for the NIDHI PRAYAS and NIDHI SSP Program of DST, Govt of India.

5. Strategic Participation

- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI represented MUTBI at PRAVAAH—MeitY Incubators Conclave 2025 held at Goa.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI delivered a session on Value Proposition and its Integration with Business Models as a resource person at the Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Innovation and Entrepreneurship held at Sahyadri College of Engineering and Management.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI delivered a keynote address on Startup mindset for Student Innovators Solving for Bharat in 2047 at Industry Institute Conclave (I2CONNECT 2025) hosted by Mangalore Institute of Technology and Engineering (MITE)Moodubidri in association with Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Mangalore section.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI delivered a session on Essentials of Entrepreneurship with the focus on the journey from idea to patent to product as part of a session titled "From Ideas to Patents: Navigating Innovation, Copyrights, and Patenting Procedure", organized by Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI attended EREVNA 3.0 Hackathon organized by KMC Mangalore as Chief Judge.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI attended Startup Mahakumbh 2025 at New Delhi.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI attended the final showcase of SocioSparkMakeathon at Sahyadri College of Engineering and Management as Chief Guest and Jury member.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI attended the 3-day Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on Effective Teaching organized by MIT, Manipal, as a Resource Person and delivered a session on "Innovation and Entrepreneurship Ecosystem at MAHE.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI represented MUTBI at the "SAKSHAM—a two-day capacity building program" jointly organized by MeitY

Startup Hub (MSH) and Software Technology Parks of India (STPI), on 21st and 22nd August 2025 at STPI CoE – EmTek, Bhubaneswar, Odisha.

- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI delivered a session on "Idea Generation and Opportunity Identification" at Sridevi Institute of Technology, Mangaluru.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI and Ms Ashmitha, Manager, MUTBI attended the Technovanza 2025 at Dr T M A Pai Convention Center, Mangaluru
- Ms Ashmitha, Manager MUTBI conducted an Awareness Session at Yakshagana Kalaranga Udupi, for 280+ Vidyaposhak students.
- Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI represented MUTBI at the ISBA conference from 10 – 12 December 2025, held at Guwahati, Assam.

Events Organized

Sl No	Date	Event	Resource person
1.	16 Jan 2025	Session on Intangible Asset Creation for Startups Investment, Commercialization and Beyond on the occasion of National Startup Day	Advocate Pranav Bhat, Intellectual Property (IP) Strategist, An Astrea Innovative Solutions
2.	7 Feb 2025	Infotech Conclave: From Hostel Rooms to Board Rooms	Ms Rima Naware – Co-Founder, ZigMe Careers Pvt. Ltd., Mr Dhwanit Shah – Founder, E-Cell, MIT Manipal and Founder's Office, Kreo, Shroat Mehta – Kreo, Ishan Sukul – Co-Founder, Kreo, Ekta Sharma – E-Value Advisors and Surya Kant – Program Director, MeitY Startup Hub, Government of India
3.	7 Feb 2025	Family Business Conclave	Dr Saptharishi Gosh, CEO at Symbiosis Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation (SCEI)
4.	7 Feb 2025	Session on the Journey of an Entrepreneur	Dr Saptharishi Gosh, CEO at Symbiosis Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation (SCEI)
5.	6 Feb 2025	Hands-on workshop on STEM DiY Kits	Mr Jnanesh Malya, Founder, Torq Designs Pvt. Ltd.
6.	7 Mar 2025	ASCENDANT 2025 – Panel Discussion on "A Transformative Experience in Management and Innovation"	Mr Sagar Rai, Founder and CEO, KBI Sports and Mr Gaurav Agarwal, Co-founder and CEO, Finstack

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7.	24 Mar 2025	Creating and Developing your Enterprise (CADRE) - Session on Startup Finance and Valuation and Startup Term Sheet	CA Prasanna Shenoy - Group President and CFO, Invenger Technologies and CA Vishnu Acharya, Practising CA, Partner at Kamath andCo.
8.	26 Apr 2025	Session on Enforcing IP as Performing Asset and Essence of IP Valuation on the occasion of World IP Day	Advocate Pranav Bhat, IP Strategist, Lextria Research
9.	30 Apr 2025	Session on year-end financial compliance and the critical role of Expense Documentation	CA Vishnu Acharya, Practicing CA, Partner Kamath and Co
10.	12 May 2025	session on “Tech4Bharat: Empowering Innovators of Tomorrow” on the occasion of National Technology Day	Dr Mohammad Zuber, Chief Innovation Officer, Innovation Center–MAHE, Dr Hareesha K S, Director, ICAS, MAHE and Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO, MUTBI
11.	21 Aug 2025	Panel Discussion on Building Scalable and Sustainable Startups on the occasion of World Entrepreneurs' Day	Mr Mayur Shetty, CEO, Blackfrog Technologies, Mr Ranjeeth Shetty, Founder, Shiransh Ventures, Mr Srinivas Prabhu, CTO, Zuplaoop, and Advocate Pranav Bhat, Entrepreneur and Legal Expert
12.	25 Aug 2025	Manipal Startup Expo	-
13.	24 Sep 2025	Session on The AI-Powered Product Manager: How LLMs are changing Product Strategy	Mr Prempreet Singh, MIT alumnus and Founder of Skillbytes India Pvt. Ltd.

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14.	6 Oct 2025	Investor Pitch	Mr Pramod D'Souza, Founder of Eagle 10 Ventures
15.	24 Oct 2025	Launch of MARInE.ai	Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Mr Praveen Kumar Kalbhavi, MD and CEO, Novigo Solutions, Dr Santhosha Rao, CEO MUTBI, Program Coordinator, MARInE, Dr Balachandra Muniyal, Professor, School of Computer Engineering MIT Manipal, Convener, Dr Nisha P Shetty, Associate Professor and Dr Akshay K C Senior Assistant Professor, School of Computer Engineering MIT Manipal, Co-Conveners, MARInE. ai
16.	24 Oct 2025	Session on GenAI	Mr Amrit Raj and Ms Swati Awasthi, Co-Founders, Women in Product India
17.	24 Oct 2025	Session on Agentic AI	Mr Prempreet Singh, Founder Skillbytes India Pvt. Ltd.
18.	24 Oct 2025	Session on AI in Computer Vision	Mr Srikanth Shenoy, Founder, Smartsports Coachbuddy Software Pvt. Ltd.
19.	24 Oct 2025	Hackathon on Agentic AI	Catalift Innovations Pvt. Ltd. led by Mr Nikhil Rayaprolu
20.	22 Nov 2025	CADRE at Bandarkars Arts and Science College, Kundapura - sessions on "Generative and Responsible AI", "How AI is transforming sports analytics, performance evaluation and coaching" and "The Post-SaaS Era: What Investors Are Really Funding in AI".	Dr Nisha P Shetty, Associate Professor, School of Computer Engineering, MIT Manipal, Mr Srikanth Shenoy, Founder of Smart Sports Coachbuddy Software Pvt. Ltd. and Ms Khushi Agarwal, Investment Analyst at 247VC.

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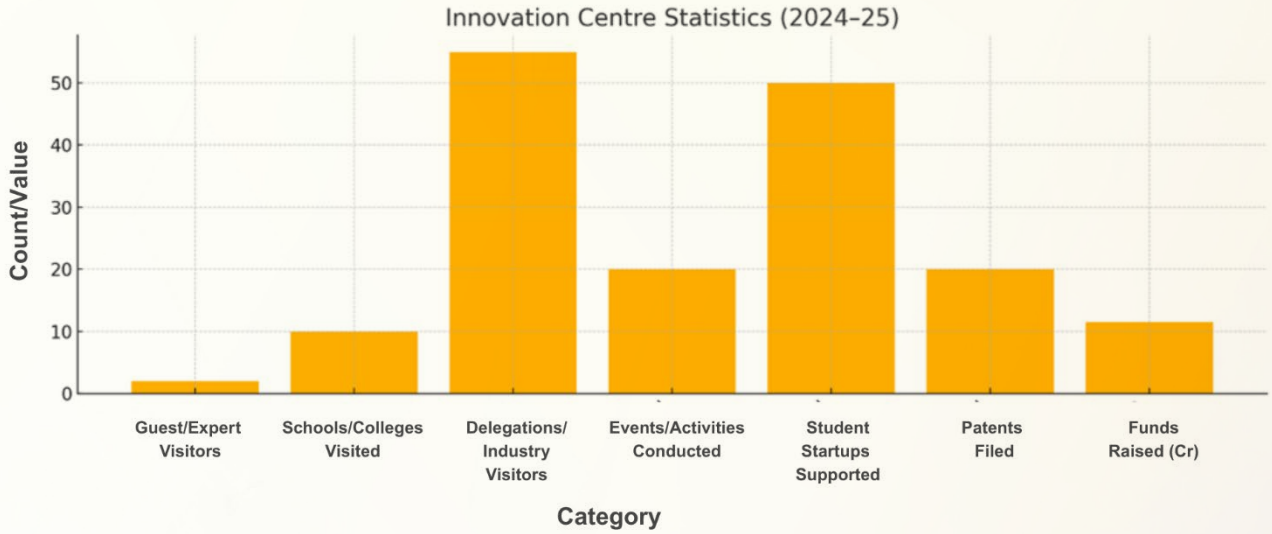
21.	8 Dec 2025 	CADRE at Bhuvanendra College Karkala - sessions on "GenAI and Responsible AI", session on “How AI is transforming sports analytics, performance evaluation and coaching” and session on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)"	Dr Nisha P Shetty, Associate Professor and Dr Akshay KC, Senior Assistant Professor, School of Computer Engineering, MIT Manipal, Mr Srikanth Shenoy, Founder of Smart Sports Coachbuddy Software Pvt. Ltd., Advocate Pranav Bhat, IP Strategist and Managing Partner at Lextria Research
22.	18 Dec 2025 	Year-end Financial Compliance and the Critical Role of Expense Documentation	CA Vishnu Acharya, Practicing CA, Partner Kamath and Co

Innovation Centre

During 2024–25, the Innovation Centre significantly advanced MAHE's innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem through a wide range of impactful initiatives. Major programs included the Manipal Entrepreneurship Summit, Lifeathon 1.0 and 2.0, the Super Acceleration Bootcamp for Start-ups, Appathon, the GenAI Hackathon, Startup Yoga, ideation workshops for NCC students, MAHE HultPrize Events, and I&E familiarization sessions for newly admitted students. The Centre supported several startups in filing patents and enabled multiple Lifeathon problem statements to progress into patentable solutions, while also facilitating exposure visits, expert interactions, and cross-institute collaborations.



Overall, the Innovation Centre recorded strong growth compared to the previous year, with increases in external engagements, events, startup support, and innovation outputs. More than 50 startups were supported, 20+ events were conducted, delegations and industry visits crossed 55, and over 20 patent filings were enabled. Startups associated with the Centre collectively raised 11.5 Cr+ INR, reflecting a significant rise in entrepreneurial activity and external validation of MAHE's innovation ecosystem.

MAHE Lifeathon Editions

Lifeathon evolved from an internal innovation initiative into a broader industry-connected program. The first edition focused on sourcing problems from within MAHE and building multidisciplinary teams, while the second edition introduced an Industry Track with external partners contributing real-world challenges. This expansion strengthened practical relevance, enhanced collaboration, and increased the overall scale and impact of the program.

Growth Trajectory:

Year	Tracks	Problem Statements
Lifeathon 2024	MAHE Only	52
Lifeathon 2025	MAHE + Industry	78 (68 + 10)

MAHE Lifeathon 1.0 – 2024

MAHE Lifeathon 2024

MAHE Track Only – The first edition was focused exclusively on internal problem sourcing and team formation.

Participation:

52 Problem Statements received from across MAHE institutions

Involved faculty, researchers, healthcare professionals, and administrative staff

Focus areas included healthcare, education, campus operations, and community engagement

Total Impact:

52+ innovations showcased
31 collaborations formed
₹23L+ funding mobilized (16L internal seed funding, 7L external funding)
15+ patents filed
5 solutions advancing to commercialization

MAHE Lifeathon 2.0 - 2025

MAHE Lifeathon 2.0: Scaling Innovation with Industry Connect

- **New Track Introduced:**

  Industry Track – A first-time initiative introduced in Lifeathon 2025 to bridge the gap between industry problems and academic talent.
  - **5 Industry Partners** came on board
  - **10 Real-world Problem Statements** were submitted for student innovators to solve

- **MAHE Track:**
  - **68 Problem Statements** sourced internally from faculty, researchers, and staff across MAHE campuses.

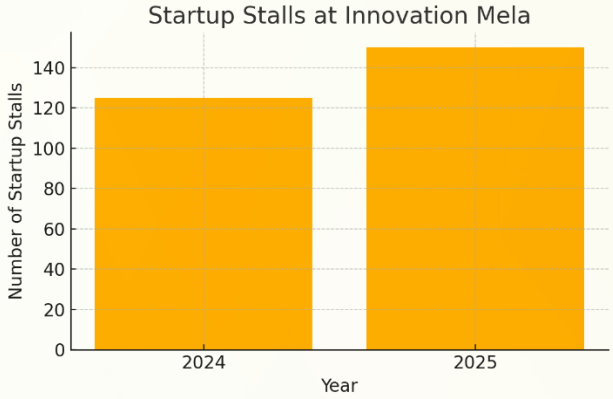
- **Impact:**
  - Stronger real-world applicability of solutions
  - Built new bridges between academic innovation and industry needs
  - Multidisciplinary team formation from across MAHE

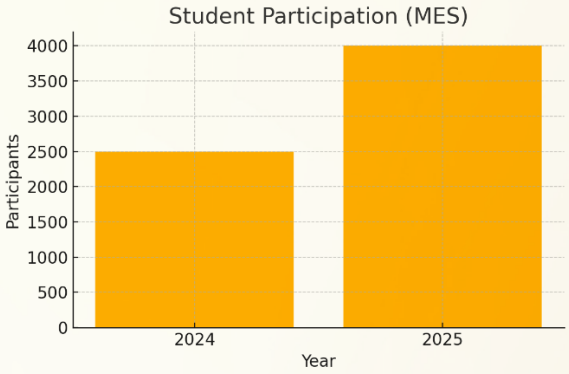
Industry Track Problem Statements

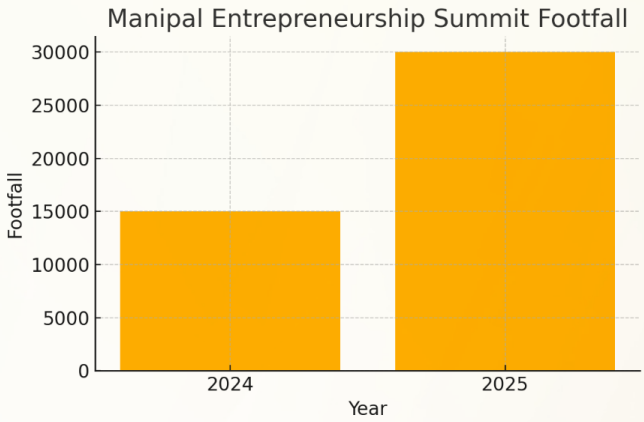
Industry Partner	Problem Statement
Access Life Assistance Foundation	Creating awareness and community engagement for childhood cancer support
BPL Medical Technologies	Real-time oxygen saturation and pulse rate measurement
	Design of cable-less, portable bi-phasic defibrillator for emergency care
	Noise/artifact reduction algorithms for ECG in transport/homecare scenarios
CHD Group	Need for amplification of their work with structural and community support
Kore Additive Manufacturing	AI-based gene editing and mapping tool for synthetic biology
	Biocompatible photo-crosslinking agent for 3D bioprinting
	VR/AR augmented surgical models for soft tissue masking in trauma surgeries
Rachaita Labs	Water source tracking and safety analysis: “Where is your water? Is it safe?”
	RVerse – Developing next-gen communication systems

Manipal Entrepreneurship Summit 2025

The Manipal Entrepreneurship Summit showed strong growth compared to the previous year, with a significant increase in overall footfall, higher student participation, and a larger and more diverse startup showcase. The expanding scale of the Innovation Mela and the rising engagement from students, founders, and visitors reflect the growing momentum of MAHE's innovation ecosystem and its increasing visibility at both institutional and regional levels.



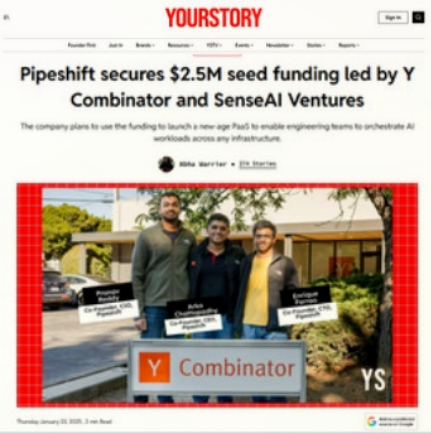




Over 50 student startups were active during 2024–25, with 11 startups graduating during the year, contributing to MAHE securing a position in the **11–50 NIRF Innovation Ranking band** and a **4-Star IIC Rating**

MAHE served as an organising partner for the **ICMR-supported IDEA ONE: National One-Health Hackathon 2025**, with active coordination from the Innovation Centre alongside Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal Institute of Virology (MIV), Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), and Kasturba Medical College (KMC). The Centre supported registrations, regional activities, and team facilitation. SMIT hosted a regional edition, and MAHE teams developed solutions in biosensors, AI, and waste management, contributing to national efforts in advancing scalable One-Health innovations.

The year recorded major achievements by MAHE innovators: **alumni startups Pipeshift and Ressl AI** achieved global milestones—Pipeshift raised **2.5M USD** led by Y Combinator, and Ressl AI was selected for **Y Combinator W26**. GreenMind AI was launched by MPCB; Axory AI's founder delivered a TEDx talk and earned the **Antler Residency**; and Navmarg, PhotonSilica, and Lumetech Innovations received significant national and international recognition.



MIT alumnus-founded startup Pipeshift secured $2.5M in seed funding led by Y Combinator and SenseAI Ventures.

GreenMind AI, co-founded by Karan Gandhi & Mihir Rambhiya was launched by MPCB as Mumbai's AI environmental assistant.

Blackfrog Technologies, founded by Mayur Shetty, raised $1.7 million in Pre-Series A funding led by the Global Innovation Fund (GIF), with participation from Rainmatter and the Manipal Group

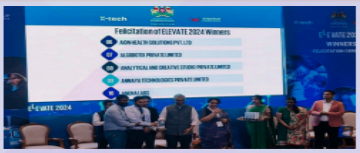
Team Kalpana won the Solar Decathlon India 2024–25 (Product Division) for their innovation Vayu – a hybrid desiccant-Peltier cooling solution.

Tarini Sai Padmanabhuni, Founder of Axory AI, delivered a TEDx talk on AI & deepfake detection and was selected for the prestigious Antler Residency (top <2%) with a $180K pre-seed offer.

Advita Shrivastava founder of Lumetech Innovations - winner at PennApps & HackMIT 2025, NASA Summit innovation presenter, NASA Collective feature, and Google Cloud Agentic AI Day finalist.

Navmarg has emerged as a national DeepTech leader winning Samsung Solve for Tomorrow (₹50L), Cummins Climate Pitch 2025 (₹20L), securing ₹49.6L SBI CSR deployment, earning prestigious grants (ITBT, Startup Bihar, NIDHI PRAYAS), being incubated at IIT Delhi FITT, and achieving global recognition at the Chile–India Innovation Summit for its patented MARU technology impacting 6,000+ people.

Tushar Raj, founder of PhotonSilica, now a DLI-tagged MeitY semiconductor startup, strengthened its national presence through key leadership interactions at SEMICON India 2025.



David Saldanha, founder of Aion Health Solutions, secured NIDHI-EIR (₹1.8L), NIDHI-PRAYAS (₹9L), and won the Elevate Karnataka Grant 2024 for his health-monitoring innovations.

Start-up Felicitation Ceremony 2024

App-a-thon 2024

Hult Prize MAHE Event

Fireside Chat with Bina Trivedi

Dr Indrajit Bhattacharya, *Director General, National Institute of Robotics and Artificial Intelligence (NIRA), visit to Innovation Centre and the Student Startup Stalls*

Professor Mamidala Jagadesh Kumar, Chairman of the University Grants Commission and former Vice-Chancellor of JNU, visit to Innovation Centre and the Student Startup Stalls

Ideation Workshop for NCC Students

Super Acceleration Bootcamp for Startups

Launch of Student Startup "The BarCrafter"

Start-up Yoga

Overall, the Innovation Centre delivered a strong, measurable impact, strengthened MAHE's startup pipeline, and reinforced the university's position as a leading innovation-driven institution.

Clinical Trials Unit of Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

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About the Institution/School

The Clinical Trial Unit (CTU) under the Department of Pharmacology, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, serves as the central institutional platform for the conduct and coordination of globally compliant clinical trials at Manipal. The Unit envisages the conduct of clinical research in strict accordance with Good Clinical Practice (GCP) standards, with the objective of generating high-quality, credible, and ethically robust data suitable for regulatory and sponsor submissions.

The CTU is supported by a qualified and experienced multidisciplinary team with defined roles and responsibilities. The team is responsible for providing comprehensive assistance and coordination to investigators, including Principal Investigators and Co-Investigators, across all phases of clinical research.

Operational support includes participant recruitment through systematic pre-screening during outpatient department (OPD) visits and through review of relevant clinical databases. Dedicated study coordinators oversee end-to-end study documentation and are responsible for liaison and correspondence with the Institutional Ethics Committee, study sponsors, and Clinical Research Organizations (CROs).

The CTU facilitates and supports the conduct of Phase II, Phase III, and Phase IV clinical trials. In addition to interventional drug trials, the Unit is actively involved in registry-based studies, Ayurveda-related research, medical device studies, including ultrasound equipment evaluations, and interventional device studies such as stent trials.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives (Only new programs for that year and new centres started, if any): Nil

Details of Research Grants

Completed/Closed Studies in 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
1	**Protocol Number: DRL-IND-NDA01-DXMF/2019** A prospective, multicentre, randomized, double blind, placebo-controlled, phase II study to evaluate the efficacy, safety, tolerability, and release profile of a fixed-dose combination (FDC) of doxycycline hyclate and metformin hydrochloride (10 % weight per weight (W/W) + 1 % W/W) gel in the treatment of adults with Periodontitis.	Dr Pratibha G, Department of Periodontology	Dr Reddy's	Non-Pharmacokinetics (PK) study 65,000 INR per subject PK study 70,000 INR per subject Initiated in: 2022 Tentative close out: 2025 Number of patients expected: 23 Number of patients screened: 23 Number of patients randomized: 18 **Closed Out**

Ongoing Trials in 2024-2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
1	**Protocol Number: VIB0551-P3S1** A randomized, double-blind, multicentre, placebo-controlled phase III study with an open-label period to evaluate the efficacy and safety of inebilizumab in adults with myasthenia gravis.	Dr Aravind Prabhu, Department of Neurology	Medpace	6,49,000 INR per subject Initiated in: 2020 Tentative close out: 2028 Competitive recruitment Number of patients screened: 2 Number of patients randomized: 1 **(ONGOING)**
2	**Protocol Number: R3918MG2018** Efficacy and Safety of Pozelimab and Cemdisiran Combination Therapy in Patients with Symptomatic Generalized Myasthenia Gravis	Dr Aravind Prabhu, Department of Neurology	Regeneron	20,00,000 INR per subject Initiated in 2023 Tentative close out: 2026 Competitive Recruitment Number of patients screened: 1 Number of patients randomized: 1 **(ONGOING)**
3	**Protocol Number: CA-ALT-803-01-14; QUILT-2.005** A Study of Intravesical Bacillus Calmette-Guerin (BCG) in Combination with ALT-803 (N-803) in Patients with Non-Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer.	Dr Arun Chawla, Department of Urology	CBCC Global Research LLP	6,50,000 INR per subject Initiated on: 10 Dec 2024 Number of patients expected: 3-5 Number of patients screened: 4 Number of patients randomized: 0 **(ONGOING)**
4	**Protocol Number: SRPL/DFU/18-19/001** A Label extension, Randomized, Double Blind, Placebo Controlled, Multicentre, Single Dose, Phase III Study Assessing the Efficacy and Safety of Peri-ulcer Administration of stempeucel® (Adult Human Bone Marrow Derived, Cultured, Pooled, Allogeneic Mesenchymal Stromal Cells) in Patients with Non-Healing Diabetic Foot Ulcer.	Dr S S Prasad, Department of Surgery	Stempeutics Research	1,00,000 INR Per subject Initiated in: 2019 Tentative close out: 2026 Competitive Recruitment Number of patients screened: 8 Number of patients randomized: 3 **(COMPLETED)**
5	**Protocol Number: 417-201-00012** A phase II/III, Multicentre, Open-label Trial to Evaluate the Long-term Safety, Tolerability, and Efficacy of Sibeprenlimab Administered Subcutaneously in Subjects with Immunoglobulin A Nephropathy.	Dr Ravindra Prabhu, Department of Nephrology	George Clinical	5,00,000 INR per subject Initiated on: 20 Feb 2024 Number of patients expected: 1 Number of patients screened: 1 Number of patients randomized: 1 **(ONGOING)**
6	**Protocol Number: 417 201 00007** A Phase III, Multicentre, Randomized, Double-blind,	Dr Ravindra Prabhu, Department of Nephrology	George Clinical	7,00,000 INR per subject Initiated on: 20 Dec 2022 Tentative close out: 2026

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
	Placebo-controlled Trial to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Sibeprenlimab Administered Subcutaneously in Subjects with Immunoglobulin A Nephropathy.			Number of patients expected: 3 Number of patients screened: 1 Number of patients randomized: 0 **(COMPLETED)**
7	**Protocol Number: 202009 (B-Well 1)** Phase III Multicentre, Randomized, Double-Blind, Study to Assess the Efficacy and Safety of Treatment with Bepirovirsen in HBeAg-negativeNucleos(t)ide Analogue-treated Participants with Chronic Hepatitis B Virus.	Dr Shiran Shetty, Department of Gastroenterology	Glaxo	7,00,000 INR Per subject Initiated in: 2022 Tentative close out: 2026 Number of patients expected: 8 Number of patients screened: 7 Number of patients randomized: 2 **(ONGOING)**
8	**Protocol Number: EX6018-4758** Effects of Ziltivekimab versus placebo on cardiovascular outcomes in participants with established atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, chronic kidney disease, and systemic inflammation.	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Novo Nordisk	2,75,605 INR per subject Initiated in: 2021 Tentative close out: 2026 Number of patients expected: 15 Number of patients randomized: 14 **(ONGOING)**
9	**Protocol Number: CKJXB39B1202** A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled, multicentre trial, assessing the impact of Inclisiran on major adverse cardiovascular events in participants with established cardiovascular disease.	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Novartis	2,35,000 INR per subject Initiated in: 2022 Tentative close out: 2028 Number of patients expected: 20 Number of patients screened: 6 Number of patients randomized :6 **(ONGOING)**
10	**Protocol Number: CTQJ230A12301** A randomized double-blind, placebo-controlled, multicentre trial assessing the impact of lipoprotein (a) lowering with TQJ230 on major cardiovascular events in patients with established cardiovascular disease.	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Novartis	2,75,000 INR per subject Initiated in: 2020 Tentative close out: 2026 Rollover study patients expected: 8 Number of patients screened: 2 Number of patients randomized: 1 **(ONGOING)**
11	**Protocol Number: D6402C00012** A Phase III, Randomised, Double-blind Study to Evaluate the Effect of Balcinrenone/Dapagliflozin, Compared with Dapagliflozin, on the Risk of Heart Failure Events	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Astrazeneca	5,20,000 INR per subject Initiated in: 2023 Tentative close out: 2026 Competitive recruitment Number of patients screened: 3 Number of patient randomized: 0

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
	and Cardiovascular Death in Patients with Heart Failure and Impaired Kidney Function.			**(Study on hold)**
12	**Protocol Number: CKJX839D12302** A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled multicentre study to evaluate the effect of inclisiran on preventing major adverse cardiovascular events in high-risk primary prevention patients (VICTORION-1 PREVENT).	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Novartis	3,28,306 INR per subject Initiated in: 2023 Tentative close out: 2030 Number of patients expected: 10 Number of patients screened: 7 Number of patients randomized: 4 **(ONGOING)**
13	**Protocol Number: EX6018-4979** Effect of Ziltivekimab versus placebo on cardiovascular outcomes in patients with acute Myocardial Infarction.	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Novo-Nordisk	4,00,000 INR per subject Initiated in: Dec 2024 Number of patients expected: 15 Number of patients screened: 6 Number of patients randomized: 6 **(ONGOING)**

New Studies Initiated in 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
1	**Protocol Number: USNO.25.001** A randomised, double blind, parallel, interventional phase II trial to evaluate the efficacy and safety of Usnoflast for the treatment of patients with mild to moderately active Ulcerative Colitis not responding to or intolerant to oral aminosalicylates.	Dr Shiran Shetty, Department of Gastroenterology	Zedus	1,58,500 INR per subject Initiated on: 29 Oct 2025 Number of patients expected: Competitive recruitment Number of patients screened: 2 Number of patients randomized: 0 **(ONGOING)**
2	**Protocol Number:** BSV-01-2021 Version 1.0 Dated 30 Nov 2021 A real-world prospective study to evaluate the geographical distribution of prevalence, sensitization rate, and utilization of prophylactic treatment of Rh-negative women in India (RHYTHM).	Dr Jeffrey Pradeep Raj, Division of Clinical Pharmacology	Bharat Serums and Vaccines Limited	1500 INR per patient Number of patients expected: competitive Number of Patients Screened: 58 Number of Patients Enrolled: 57

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
3	**Protocol Number:** GBL/PEGASP/ALL/2020/01 To assess safety of Hamsyl® in a phase-IV clinical study for the treatment of new diagnosed patients of acute lymphoblastic leukaemia (ALL).	Dr Vasudeva Bhat, Department of Paediatric Oncology	JSS	14,000 INR per subject Initiated on: 4 Dec 2025 Number of patients expected: 20 Number of patients screened: 0 Number of patients randomized: 0 (**ONGOING**)

New Studies to be Initiated in 2026

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
1	**Protocol Number: ID-076A301** Selatogrel Outcome Study in suspected Acute Myocardial Infarction (SOS-AMI) Multi-center, double-blind, randomized, placebo-controlled, parallel-group study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of self-administered subcutaneous Selatogrel for prevention of all-cause death and treatment of acute myocardial infarction in subjects with a recent history of acute myocardial infarction.	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Viatris IQVIA	Clinical Trial Agreement (CTA) negotiation is ongoing. Ethics Committee Initial submission scheduled for Jan 2026 meeting.
2	**Protocol Number: CTQJ230A12301E1** A single arm, multicentre, open-label extension (OLE) trial to evaluate long-term safety and tolerability of pelacarsen (TQJ230) in participants who completed the parent Lp(a)HORIZON trial.	Dr Tom Devasia, Department of Cardiology	Novartis	CTA has been finalized and EC approval has been received. Study will be initiated in 2026.

The clinical trials are aligned with SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being), 9 (Industry Innovation and Infrastructure), and 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).

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About the Institution

Manipal Centre for Clinical Research (MCCR), Mangalore, is responsible for coordinating clinical trials at the Mangalore campus by providing manpower support to principal investigators, i.e., faculty of Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Mangalore. The centre facilitates coordination and liaises with the various departments, such as the ethics committee, legal, and finance departments; ensuring a smooth and streamlined documentation process. The centre also ensures that clinical trials are conducted following national and international regulatory and ethical guidelines, such as the Good Clinical Practice guidelines and the New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules. MCCR has well-trained study coordinators and nurses who assist principal investigators in conducting these clinical trials as per the study protocol. The centre has conducted of several Phase II to Phase IV trials with various study designs, providing services to national as well as international sponsors and clinical research organizations.

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
1.	**Protocol Number: GS-US-417-0304** A Multi-centre, Open-label, Long-term Extension Study to Assess the Safety and Efficacy of Filgotinib in Subjects with Rheumatoid Arthritis.	Dr Surendra Kamath	KlinEra Global Services	12,28,611 per Subject
2.	**TUXEDO-2 (India)** Ultra-Thin strUt versus XiencE in a Diabetic Population with Multi-Vessel Disease–2 India Study.	Dr Narasimha Pai	Batra Hospital and Medical Research Centre, New Delhi	21,500 per Subject
3.	**Protocol Number: GS-US-418-3899** A Long-term Extension Study to Evaluate the Safety of Filgotinib in Subjects with Ulcerative Colitis.	Dr B V Tantry	KlinEra Global Services	8,64,975 per Subject

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
4.	**Protocol Number: NN9931-4553** The Effect of Semaglutide in Subjects with Non-Cirrhotic Non-Alcoholic Steatohepatitis.	Dr B V Tantry	Novo Nordisk India Pvt Ltd	5,09,907 per Subject
5.	**Protocol Number: 219510 (RSV MAT-015)** A Non-randomized, Open-label, Multi-country, Cohort Study to Describe the Safety of Study Participants Who Received RSVPreF3 Maternal Vaccination (any dose) or Controls from Previous RSV MAT Studies (RSV MAT-001, RSV MAT-004, RSV MAT-010, RSV MAT-011, RSV MAT-009, RSV MAT-012, and RSV MAT-039) During Any Pregnancy Conceived Post Vaccination/Control.	Dr Priya Ballal	GSK	35,000 per Subject
6.	**Protocol Number: 70033093ACS3003** A Phase-III, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo-controlled, Event-driven Study to Demonstrate the Efficacy and Safety of Milvexian, an Oral Factor XIa Inhibitor, After a Recent Acute Coronary Syndrome. Librexia ACS.	Dr Padmanabha Kamath	IQVIA	3,20,074 per Subject
7.	**Protocol Number: NN9500-4656** Efficacy and Safety Investigation of NNC0194-0499 Co-administered With Semaglutide in Subjects With Non-alcoholic Steatohepatitis: a Dose-ranging, Placebo-controlled Trial.	Dr B V Tantry	Novo Nordisk India Pvt Ltd	6,75,068 per Subject
8..	**Protocol Number: Effecmed/Scaffold/Dentistry/001-2022**A Multicentre, Prospective, Open-label, Assessor-blinded, Randomized, Controlled, Pivotal Clinical Investigation to Evaluate the Performance and Safety of 3-D Scaffold Matrix—A Class C Medical	Dr Premalatha M Shetty	EffecMed Pvt Ltd	6,27,000 per 15 Subjects

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)
	Device Bone Void Filler for Alveolar Ridge Augmentation in Implant Dentistry.			
9.	**Protocol Number: Effecmed/Scaffold/Ortho/001-2022** A Multi-centre, Prospective, Open-label, Assessor-blinded, Randomized, Controlled, Non-inferiority, Pivotal Clinical, Investigation to Evaluate the Performance and Safety of 3-D Scaffold Matrix—A Class C Medical Device Bone Void Filler as a Bone Graft Substitute in Orthopaedic Surgery. 	Dr Surendra Kamath	EffecMed Pvt Ltd	12,23,400 per 22 Subjects
10.	**Protocol Number: DRL-IND-NDA01-DMF/2019** A Prospective, Multicentre, Randomized, Open-label, Actively Controlled, Phase-II Study to Evaluate the Efficacy, Safety, and Tolerability of Fixed-Dose Combination (FDC) of Doxycycline Hyclate and Metformin Hydrochloride (10%w/w + 1%w/w) Gel in the Treatment of Adults with Periodontitis. 	Dr Sangeeta Umesh Nayak	Dr Reddy's Laboratories Ltd	8,96,740 per 18 Subjects
11.	A Multi Centre, international, randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled clinical trial of the aldosterone synthase inhibitor B1 690517 in combination with empagliflozin in patients with chronic kidney disease. 	Dr Mayoor Prabhu	George Institute Services India, Pvt Ltd	47,23,400 per 50 Subjects
12.	A Multi-Centre, Randomised, Open-Label, Phase II Study of Ambrisentan in Patients with Hepatorenal Syndrome 	Dr BV Tantry	Nextvel Consulting LLP, Bengaluru	55,0850 per Subject

Dr TMA Pai Endowment Chair Awardees

Sl No	Name of Awardee	Name of the Chair	Starting Month/Year	Ending Month/Year	Status
1	Prof Madhu Veeraraghavan	Dr TMA Pai Endowment Chair in Management Research	01 Nov 2022	31 Oct 2023	Term 1
2	Dr Unnikrishnan V K Associate Professor Department of Atomic and Molecular Physics	Optical Spectroscopy for Remote Sensing Applications	01 Jul 2024	30 Jun 2025	Term 2
3	Dr Manohara Pai Professor Information and Communication Technology, MIT, Manipal	Intelligent Technologies, Industry 4.0, and Sustainability	01 Jul 2024	30 Jun 2025	Term 2
4	Dr Praveen R Arany Associate Professor, Oral Biology, Biomedical Engineering and Surgery, Schools of Dental Medicine, Engineering and Medicine, University at Buffalo.	Establishing "Center for Excellence in Photobiomodulation in Clinical Practice	01 Jul 2024	30 Jun 2025	Term 2
5	Dr Deepta Sateesh Dean, Research and Collaborations Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, MAHE Bengaluru	Adaptive Ecologies and Climate Extremes –Decolonizing the Anthropocene	01 Jul 2024	30 Jun 2025	Term 2
6	Dr Gururaja K V Faculty and Academic Dean Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Bengaluru	Anurans, Acoustics, and Anthropogenic Climate Change	01 Jul 2024	30 Jun 2025	Term 2
7	Prof C V Yelamaggad Scientist-F (CeNS) and Professor, Adjunct Faculty (Manipal University) Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences (CeNS) Arkavathi, Survey No 7, Shivanapura, Dasanapura	Technologically significant Excited-State Intramolecular-Proton Transfer (ESIPT)-double fluorescent chiral liquid crystal dimers for various	01 Nov 2024	31 Oct 2025	Term 2

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8	Dr Raviraja N S Professor and Coordinator Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutics Research MAHE, Manipal-576104	Stem Cell Research and Therapeutics	01 Nov 2024	31 Oct 2025	Term 2
9	Dr Anitha H Professor Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering MIT, Manipal	Multimodal Medical Image Registration	01 Nov 2024	31 Oct 2025	Term 2
10	Dr Vijay Ivaturi Assistant Professor Department of Pharmacy Practice and Science University of Maryland School of Pharmacy N515, 20 N Pine Street Baltimore MD, 21224	Manipal Centre for Pharmacometrics.	01 Nov 2024	31 Oct 2025	Term 2

VI Fulfilling Social Responsibilities

Outreach Activities by the Department of Community Medicine, KMC Manipal

The Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal, has conducted **143 camps in the year 2025,** which include 62 cancer screening camps, 52 Rastriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK) camps, 22 general health check-up camps, four school health check-up camps in various parts of Udupi district and outside the district in Karnataka, and a Swasth Nari camp at multiple health centres of Udupi district. The Department of Community Medicine also conducted 18 health awareness activities and a pulse polio vaccination drive.

Since 2022, the Department of Community Medicine has implemented the NMC mandated District Residency Program and initiated patient care services at select government health facilities in the Udupi District. The department provides health services through postgraduates from all 25 broad specialities and interns from KMC Manipal. The facilities where services are provided are listed below:

- 24x7 services at District Hospital Udupi (124 beds), Maternal and Child Health Hospital, Udupi (200 beds), and Taluk Hospital Kundapura (200 beds).
- 24x7 services at Five Community Health Center's namely Byndoor (30 beds), Brahmavara (30 beds), Hebri (30 beds), Shirva (10 beds), and Kota (30 beds).
- Four PHCs (09:00 am to 04:00 pm), namely Malpe, Kumbashi, Udupi, and Manipal.

All these centres provide healthcare services to about 2,000-2,500 patients per day. The total number of deliveries from these centres for the year 2025 is 1,050 including 560 caesarean deliveries.

The Department of Community Medicine continues to implement the NMC mandated Family Adoption Program, through which undergraduate medical students have adopted 887 families in the year 2025, across four villages, namely Kumbhashi, Koravadi, Beejadi, and Moodugopadi. Students visit these families periodically and assess their health status. Three camps were conducted in the area of implementation of the Family Adoption Programme (FAP) with a total of 68 beneficiaries.

Cancer Screening Camps

The Department of Community Medicine is undertaking cancer screening camps in almost all the government health centres in the district on a regular basis. A total of **62 cancer screening camps** were conducted, with **4,675 beneficiaries** during the year 2025. The "Well Women Clinic" initiative had been launched by the Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal, in collaboration with the Department of OBG and Kasturba Hospital, NCD Cell, Udupi district, and the Manipal Foundation, Bengaluru.

Screening camps provided community-level services through a network of Primary Health Centres (PHCs), Community Health Centres (CHCs), Taluk Hospitals, and community halls. Additionally, screenings were conducted at specialized cancer screening kiosks located at KMC hospital facilities in Manipal.

The initiative targeted underprivileged women, including tribal and migrant women in the Udupi district, providing cancer awareness sessions and screening services for breast and cervical cancers, hypertension, diabetes, and anaemia.

Women who tested positive in the cancer screenings were referred to Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, for further confirmation tests at no cost and received appropriate treatment at MCCCC as needed. Women with high blood pressure, high blood sugar, or low haemoglobin levels were referred to their respective PHCs for further management.

Rastriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK) Camp

The Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal, along with the Department of Paediatrics, OBG and Psychiatry, KMC Manipal, conducts RBSK camps at various government health facilities, including community health centres and taluk hospitals. Children are screened for birth defects, deformities, nutritional deficiencies and disabilities. Around **52 such RBSK camps** were conducted in the year 2025, and there were **1,532 children** who availed the benefit of the camps. The RBSK is an initiative under the National Health Mission (NHM) in India, aimed at early identification and intervention for children with developmental delays and health issues. It directly aligns with several Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly those focusing on health, well-being, and education like **SDG 3:** Good Health and Well-Being (**Target 3.2**: End preventable deaths of newborns and children under 5 years by providing timely health screenings and referrals, **Target 3.8**: Achieve universal health coverage by offering equitable health services for children from marginalized sections).

General Health Check-up Camps

A total of 22 general health check-up camps were conducted with **1,132 beneficiaries**. Some of the noteworthy camps were as follows: the Department of Community Medicine and the Department of Neurology, MAHE, Manipal, along with Lions Bhavan, Udyavara, had jointly conducted a medical health screening and information camp to celebrate World Epilepsy Day on 17 February 2025 at Lions Bhavan, Udyavara, Udupi. The camp was organized to screen and identify non-communicable diseases, to confirm neurological disorders for those who screened positive in the field practise areas of Udyavara and Kadekar and to provide information on the topic of epilepsy. Similarly, a general health checkup camp was organized at Karnataka Public School Primary Section, Koteshwar.

Block Education Office Kundapura, Block Resource Center Kundapura, One Good Step Bengaluru and Rotary Club Kundapura in association with the Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal, Manipal College of Health Professionals organized a camp for children with special needs on 28 November 2025 at Rotary Bhavan in Kundapura district.

The described health camps contribute significantly to several Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), especially those focusing on health, well-being, and reducing inequalities. **SDG 3:** Good Health and Well-Being: (**Target 3.4:** Reduce premature mortality from non-communicable diseases (NCDs) through prevention and treatment. **Target 3.8:** Achieve universal health coverage, including access to essential health services and medications). **SDG 1:** No Poverty (**Target 1.3:** Implement social protection systems and measures for all, including social protection floors). **SDG 10:** Reduced Inequalities (**Target 10.2:** Empower and promote the social, economic, and political inclusion of all). **SDG 17:** Partnerships for the Goals (**Target 17.17:** Encourage effective partnerships between public, private, and civil society organizations).

School Health Check-up Camps

A total of four school health check-up camps were organized at Vidyodaya Public School, Udupi; SVS English Medium School, Innanje Udupi, St Cecily's School, Ajjarkad, Udupi and Sagar Vidya Mandir, Padubidri.

The camps were organized to screen for personal hygiene of students, general health conditions, fungal and parasitic infections, vision testing, dental hygiene and systemic disorders. There were a total of **2,709 children** who availed the benefits of the camp.

The school health check-up camps described contribute significantly to multiple Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly focusing on child health, education, and well-being. Here is how the camps align with specific SDGs: **SDG 3:** Good Health and Well-Being (**Target 3.2:** End preventable deaths of newborns and children under five years, and improve child health outcomes, **Target 3.3:** Combat communicable diseases, including waterborne diseases and other infections, **Target 3.4:** Reduce premature mortality from non-communicable diseases through prevention and treatment, **Target 3.8:** Achieve universal health coverage, including essential health services and access to medicines).

Swasth Naari Sashakth Paarivaar Abhiyaan Campaign

The Swasth Naari Sashakth Paarivaar Abhiyaan campaign was implemented from 17 September to 02 October 2025. The activities were organized by the Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal, in collaboration with the District Health and Family Welfare, Udupi. Specialist services were made available at all CHCs across Udupi District on fixed dates during the campaign period. The following specialities provided services under the Abhiyan: Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Dermatology, Psychiatry, and General Medicine.

The campaign strongly aligns with SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being, particularly Target 3.1 (reduce maternal mortality through improved access to obstetric and gynaecological services), Target 3.4 (promote mental health and well-being through psychiatric services), and Target 3.8 (achieve universal health coverage by providing specialist consultations at Community Health Centres). It also advances SDG 5: Gender Equality.

Health Awareness Activities

A total of 18 health awareness activities were undertaken by the Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal. A few activities are described below.

The Government of Karnataka, District Health and Family Welfare Department, Udupi, and Community Health Centre Shirva, in collaboration with the Department of Community Medicine KMC Manipal, conducted Basic Life Support and Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation Training for members of Bharat Scouts and Guides on 12 September 2025 at Dr V S Acharya Training Centre, Pragathi Nagar, Alevoor.

An awareness rally and public education program marked the observance of World Stroke Day at Board High School, Udupi, on Thursday. The event was jointly organized by the District Administration, Zilla Panchayat Udupi, District Health and Family Welfare Department, Department of Community Medicine, KMC Manipal (MAHE), Taluk Health Office, Udupi, the Karnataka Brain Health Initiative (KaBHI), and the Government Pre-University College, Udupi.

The health awareness activities described contribute significantly to several Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by promoting health education, disease prevention, and community empowerment. Here is how these activities align with the SDGs: SDG 3: Good Health and Well-Being (**Target 3.3:** End epidemics of communicable diseases, **Target 3.5:** Strengthen the prevention and treatment of substance abuse, **Target 3.6**: Reduce deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents, **Target 3.8:** Achieve universal health coverage, including health education).

Pulse Polio Immunization

The Pulse polio immunization drive was conducted by the Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal, in association with Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal and Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal, Urban Primary Health Centre, Manipal, and District Health Office, Udupi, from 21 to 24 December, 2025. There were **479 beneficiaries** of the vaccination drive.

The activity aligns primarily with SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being, particularly Target 3.2 (end

preventable deaths of newborns and children under five years of age) and Target 3.3 (end epidemics of communicable diseases, including polio). The drive also supports SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities (Target 10.2) by reaching children from diverse socio-economic backgrounds through community-based vaccination efforts.

Services Provided Through Rural Maternity and Child Welfare Homes (RMCWH)

In addition, the Department of Community Medicine has provided services through five Rural Maternity and Child Welfare (RMCW) Homes since the 1960s. These were established by our founder, the Late Dr TMA Pai, with the active participation of the local community at a time when the transport and communication network in the taluk was rudimentary. The area covers a population of 40,172 spread out across eight villages in the coastal area of Udupi taluk. A network of five RMCW homes located at Alevoor, Kaup, Malpe, Udyavara, and Kadekar villages not only provides maternal and child health services but also takes care of minor ailments in the community. The Malpe Centre initiated a Community Cancer Screening Clinic in the year 2012. Besides Malpe, all the other centres provide screening facilities for non-communicable diseases. The centre also conducts interdisciplinary activities with the Department of Physiotherapy, Occupational therapy, Psychiatry, Siddha and College of Dentistry. These centres are under the direct administrative control of the Dept of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. Each centre is staffed by two Auxiliary Nurse Midwives (ANM), one Environmental Assistant, and a sanitary worker.

Details on Beneficiaries of RMCW Homes Where Services are Exclusively Provided Through the Department of Community Medicine in the Year 2025

Total population	39,472
Outpatients (General)	6,453
Outpatients (OBG-ANC)	223
Outpatients (Paediatric)	603
Referred to Kasturba Hospital	37

On average, 130-140 patients regularly visit these centres every week, which amounts to a total of 6,453 patients in the year 2025. Approximately, we had 5 to 10 per cent new patients coming every week, and the rest were regular patients.

The services provided by the Department of Community Medicine are aligned with **SDG 3,5,10 and 17.**

Invitation Letters

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ಜ್ಞಾನ ತಿಸ್ತು ಸೇವೆ

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ಬೃಹತ್ ಉಚಿತ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣಾ ಶಿಬಿರ

ದಿನಾಂಕ : 02-03-2025ನೇ ಭಾನುವಾರ
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ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ, ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರ, ಕೋಟೇಶ್ವರ

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ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅತಿಥಿ : ಶ್ರೀ ಚಂದ್ರ ನಾಯ್ಕ್ ಹೆಚ್., ಮುಖ್ಯೋಪಾಧ್ಯಾಯರು,
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ಪಡುಕರೆ ಬಾಲಾಂಜನೇಯ ಪೂಜಾ ಮಂದಿರ
ಉಚಿತ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣೆ

ಮಲ್ಪೆ ಜ. 28: ಕಿದಿಯೂರು ಪಡುಕರೆ ಬಾಲಾಂಜನೇಯ ಪೂಜಾ ಮಂದಿರದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಉಡುಪಿ ಪ್ರಸಾದ್ ನೇತ್ರಾಲಯ, ಉಡುಪಿ ನೇತ್ರ ಜ್ಯೋತಿ ಚಾರಿಟೆಬಲ್ ಟ್ರಸ್ಟ್ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಇಲಾಖೆ (ಅಂಧತ್ವ ನಿವಾರಣಾ ವಿಭಾಗ), ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಸ್ಪತ್ರೆ ಎನ್.ಸಿ.ಡಿ. ವಿಭಾಗ, ಮಲ್ಪೆ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರ, ಕಿದಿಯೂರು ಉಪಕೇಂದ್ರ, ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕೆ.ಎಂ.ಸಿ., ದಂತ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಸಹಯೋಗದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣೆ ಶಿಬಿರವು ಜ. 27ರಂದು ಕಿದಿಯೂರು ಪಡುಕರೆ ಬಾಲಾಂಜನೇಯ ಪೂಜಾ ಮಂದಿರದಲ್ಲಿ ಜರಗಿತು.

ಶಿಬಿರದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಚಿತ ನೇತ್ರ ತಪಾಸಣೆ, ಪೊರೆ ಶಸ್ತ್ರಚಿಕಿತ್ಸೆ ಕನ್ನಡಕ ವಿತರಣೆ, ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಸ್ಥನ ಮತ್ತು ಗರ್ಭಕಂಠ ಕ್ಯಾನ್ಸರ್ ತಪಾಸಣೆ, ಉಚಿತ ಮಧುಮೇಹ, ರಕ್ತದೊತ್ತಡ, ಎಚ್‌ಬಿ, ಇಸಿಜಿ, ದಂತ ತಪಾಸಣೆ, ಚರ್ಮರೋಗ ತಪಾಸಣೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಯಿತು. ಉಡುಪಿ ಪ್ರಸಾದ್ ನೇತ್ರಾಲಯದ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ। ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ರಸಾದ್ ಅವರು ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿದರು. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಯ ಡಾ। ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿ, ಪಡುಕರೆ ಬಾಲಾಂಜನೇಯ ಪೂಜಾ ಮಂದಿರದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಪ್ರಮೋದ್ ಸಾಲ್ಯಾನ್ ಮಲ್ಪೆ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯಕೇಂದ್ರದ ಡಾ। ಜೇಷ್ಣಾ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು. ಒಟ್ಟು 120 ಮಂದಿ ಫಲಾನುಭವಿಗಳು ಶಿಬಿರದ ಸದುಪಯೋಗ ಪಡೆದರು. ಉಡುಪಿ ಪ್ರಸಾದ್ ನೇತ್ರಾಲಯದ ಡಾ। ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ರಸಾದ್ ಅವರು 10 ಮಂದಿಗೆ ಕಣ್ಣಿನ ಪೊರೆ ಶಸ್ತ್ರಚಿಕಿತ್ಸೆ, 80 ಮಂದಿಗೆ ಕನ್ನಡಕವನ್ನು ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಅಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು: ತಾಯಿ-ಮಗು ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣೆ ಶಿಬಿರ ಉದ್ಘಾಟನೆ
ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಭಾಗದವರು ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕಾಳಜಿ ವಹಿಸಿ: ಕೊಡ್ಗಿ

ಸಿದ್ದಾಪುರ, ನ. 13: ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಭಾಗದ ಜನರು ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಶಿಬಿರಗಳ ಸದುಪಯೋಗ ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಆರೋಗ್ಯದ ಕಾಳಜಿ ವಹಿಸಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ಶಾಸಕ ಎ. ಕಿರಣ್ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಕೊಡ್ಗಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದರು.

ಅಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು ಚಾರಿಟೆಬಲ್ ಟ್ರಸ್ಟ್ ಹಾಗೂ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಮಂಗಳೂರು ಮತ್ತು ಶ್ರೀ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ ಧರ್ಮಸ್ಥಳ ಗ್ರಾಮಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಯೋಜನೆ ಅಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು, ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಇವರ ಸಹಯೋಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ನ. 13ರಂದು ಆಯೋಜಿಸಲಾದ ತಾಯಿ ಮತ್ತು ಮಗುವಿನ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಬಿ.ಪಿ. ಶುಗರ್ ಮತ್ತು ಕಣ್ಣಿನ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ ಶಿಬಿರದ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅತಿಥಿಯಾಗಿ ಆವರು ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಶಾಸಕ ಗುರುರಾಜ್ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿಗಂಟಿಹೊಳೆ ಅವರು ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣೆ ಶಿಬಿರವನ್ನು ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿದರು. ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಉಡುಪಿ ಎಜಿಎಂ. ರಮೇಶ್ ವೈದ್ಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಈ ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂ.ಡಿ. ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕರು ಮತ್ತು ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ವಿಭಾಗ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಇದರ ಎಂ.ಡಿ ಡಾ। ಅಶ್ವಿನ್ ಕುಮಾರ್, ಹಾಲಾಡಿ ಪ್ರಾ. ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರದ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ। ಹೇಮಂತ್, ಆಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು ವ್ಯ.ಸೇ. ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸಂಘದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ನಡಾನಂದ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ಉಳ್ಳೂರು-ಮಚ್ಚಿಟ್ಟು ವ್ಯವಸಾಯ ಸೇವಕ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸಂಘ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಜೇಶ್ ಹೆಬ್ಬಾರ್, ಆಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು ಗ್ರಾ.ಪಂ. ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಮಲ್ಲಿಕಾ ಕುಲಾಲ್, ಆಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು ಆಯುರ್ವೇದ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರದ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ। ಹೇಮಲತಾ, ಆಮಾಸೆಬೈಲು ಚಾರಿಟೆಬಲ್ ಟ್ರಸ್ಟ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಅಶೋಕ್ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಕೊಡ್ಗಿ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು.

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ಕೋಟೇಶ್ವರ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಸ್ಕೂಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಶಿಬಿರ

ಮಂಗಳೂರು: ಕೋಟೇಶ್ವರ ಚೇತನಾ ಕಲೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕ್ರೀಡಾರಂಗ ಸಮಿತಿ ಸುವರ್ಣ ಮಹೋತ್ಸವ ಸಮಿತಿ, ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಮತ್ತು ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕೆಎಂಸಿಯ ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಸಹಯೋಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೋಟೇಶ್ವರದ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಸ್ಕೂಲ್ ಪರಿಸರದಲ್ಲಿ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಶಿಬಿರ ಆಯೋಜಿಸಲಾಯಿತು.

ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಸಹ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕ ಡಾ. ಸಂಜಯ್ ಕಿಣಿ, ಕುಂದಾಪುರ ಭಾರತೀಯ ರೆಡ್‌ಕ್ರಾಸ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಎಸ್. ಜಯಕರ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ಕೋಟೇಶ್ವರ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರದ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ, ಡಾ. ಪೂರ್ಣಿಮಾ, ಕುಂಭಾಶಿ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರದ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ. ಶೋಭಾ, ಹಾಗೂ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಸ್ಕೂಲ್ ಮುಖ್ಯೋಪಾಧ್ಯಾಯ ಚಂದ್ರ ನಾಯ್ಕ ಎಚ್. ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿದರು.

150 ಮಂದಿ ಭಾಗಿ

ಶಿಬಿರದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣೆ, ಸ್ತನ ಮತ್ತು ಗರ್ಭಕೋಶ ಕ್ಯಾನ್ಸರ್ ತಪಾಸಣೆ, ಮಧುಮೇಹ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ, ಹಿಮೋಗ್ಲೋಬಿನ್ ತಪಾಸಣೆ, ರಕ್ತದೊತ್ತಡ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ ಮತ್ತು ಇಸಿಜಿ ಸೇವೆಗಳನ್ನು ಉಚಿತವಾಗಿ ಒದಗಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ಒಟ್ಟು 105 ಜನ ಫಲಾನುಭವಿಗಳು ಶಿಬಿರದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಸುದಿನ Udayavani

ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣ ಶಿಬಿರ

ಉಡುಪಿ, ಮಾ. 17: ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ವಿಶ್ವ ಬ್ರಾಹ್ಮಣ ಸಮಾಜ ಸೇವಾ ಸಂಘ, ಕುಂಜಿಬೆಟ್ಟು ಗಾಯತ್ರಿ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಮಂಟಪದ ಅಮೃತ ಮಹೋತ್ಸವ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಸಹಯೋಗದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಗಾಯತ್ರಿ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಮಂಟಪದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ತಜ್ಞ ವೈದ್ಯರಿಂದ ಒಂದು ದಿನದ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ತಪಾಸಣ ಶಿಬಿರ ನಡೆಯಿತು.

ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಸಹಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಿಕೆ ಡಾ। ಈಶ್ವರಿ ಕೆ. ಶಿಬಿರಕ್ಕೆ ಚಾಲನೆ ನೀಡಿದರು. ವೆಂಕಟೇಶ್ ಆಚಾರ್ಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ನಿವೃತ್ತ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕ ಡಾ। ದಾಸ್ ಆಚಾರ್ಯ, ದಿವಾಕರ್ ವಿ. ಆಚಾರ್ಯ, ಹರೀಶ್ ಎಂ. ಆಚಾರ್ಯ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು.

ಶಿಬಿರದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಧುಮೇಹ, ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ರಕ್ತ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ, ಕಣ್ಣಿನ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ, ದಂತ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ, ಹೃದಯ ಸಂಬಂಧಿ/ಇಸಿಜಿ, ಸ್ತನ ಮತ್ತು ಗರ್ಭಕೋಶ ಸಂಬಂಧಿ ತಪಾಸಣೆ ನಡೆಸಲಾಯಿತು. 102 ಜನ ಶಿಬಿರಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿ ಪ್ರಯೋಜನ ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡರು.

ದೌರ್ಜನ್ಯ ತಿಳಿದೂ ದೂರು ನೀಡದಿದ್ದರೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಾರ್ಹ

ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರಜತಾದ್ರಿಯ ಆಟಲ್ ಬಿಹಾರಿ ವಾಜಪೇಯಿ ಸಭಾಂಗಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಪೋಕ್ಸೊ ಕಾಯಿದೆ ಕುರಿತು ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಗಾರದ ಉದ್ಘಾಟನೆ ನಡೆಯಿತು.

■ ವಿಕ ಸುದ್ದಿಲೋಕ ಉಡುಪಿ

ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಲೈಂಗಿಕ ದೌರ್ಜನ್ಯದಿಂದ ರಕ್ಷಣೆಯೇ ಪೋಕ್ಸೋ ಕಾಯಿದೆ ಉದ್ದೇಶವಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಘಟನೆ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತಿಳಿದೂ ದೂರು ನೀಡದಿದ್ದರೆ ಅದು ಶಿಕ್ಷಾರ್ಹ ಅಪರಾಧ ಎಂದು ಹಿರಿಯ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧೀಶ ಪಿ.ಆರ್.ಯೋಗೀಶ್ ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಉಡುಪಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಡಳಿತ, ಜಿ.ಪಂ. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಸಕ್ಷಮ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ ಪಿಸಿ ಮತ್ತು ಎನ್‌ಡಿಟಿ ಹಾಗೂ ತಾಯಿ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ, ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕಸ್ತೂರ್ಬಾ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಸಹಯೋಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ರಜತಾದ್ರಿಯ ಆಟಲ್ ಬಿಹಾರಿ ವಾಜಪೇಯಿ ಸಭಾಂಗಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಸರಕಾರಿ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಶುಶ್ರೂಷಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಪೋಕ್ಸೊ ಕಾಯಿದೆ ಕುರಿತು ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಗಾರ ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಮಕ್ಕಳ ರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ನಾಗರತ್ನ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, ಕಳೆದ 13 ವರ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 560 ಪೋಕ್ಸೋ ಪ್ರಕರಣ ದಾಖಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಶೇ. 10 ಪ್ರಕರಣಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಶಿಕ್ಷೆಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದರು.

ಪಿಸಿಪಿ ಎನ್‌ಡಿಟಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಸಲಹಾ ಸಮಿತಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷೆ ಡಾ.ಪ್ರತಾಪ್ ಕುಮಾರ್, ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥ ಡಾ. ಅಶ್ವಿನಿ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ. ನಾಗರತ್ನ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿ, ಮಕ್ಕಳ ರಕ್ಷಣೆಗೆ ನಿಲ್ಲೋದು ನಮ್ಮೆಲ್ಲರ ಸಾಮಾಜಿಕ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರು. ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ಪ್ರಸೂತಿ ತಜ್ಞೆ ಡಾ. ರಾಜೇಶ್ವರಿ ಭಟ್, ಫಾರೆನ್ಸಿಕ್ ತಜ್ಞೆ ಡಾ. ಅಪರ್ಣಾ, ಪೋಕ್ಸೊ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದ ವಿಶೇಷ ಸರಕಾರಿ ಅಭಿಯೋಜಕ ವೈ.ಟಿ. ರಾಘವೇಂದ್ರ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಗಳಾಗಿದ್ದರು.

ಛಾಯಾ ಕುಮಾರಿ, ಹೇಮಾ, ಭಾರತಿ, ಶಶಿಕಲಾ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸಿದರು. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರ್‌ಸಿಎಚ್ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ. ಜ್ಯೋತ್ಸ್ನಾ ಬಿ.ಕೆ. ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರು. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ. ಶ್ರೀರಾಮ ರಾವ್ ಕೆ. ಪ್ರಾಸ್ತಾವಿಕ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, ವಂದಿಸಿದರು.

ತಂಬಾಕು ಮುಕ್ತ ಯುವಪೀಳಿಗೆ ಅಭಿಯಾನ

■ ವಿಕ ಸುದ್ದಿಲೋಕ ಉಡುಪಿ

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಮಟ್ಟದ ತಂಬಾಕು ಮುಕ್ತ ಯುವಪೀಳಿಗೆ ಅಭಿಯಾನ-3 ಜಾಗೃತಿ ಮೂಡಿಸುವ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ಉದ್ಘಾಟನೆ ಬುಧವಾರ ನಡೆಯಿತು.

ಉಡುಪಿ ಕುಂಜಿಬೆಟ್ಟು ಉಪೇಂದ್ರ ಪೈ ಮೆಮೋರಿಯಲ್ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಉಡುಪಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಡಳಿತ ಮತ್ತು ಉಡುಪಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಸರ್ವೇಕ್ಷಣಾ ಘಟಕ ಸಹಯೋಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಮಟ್ಟದ ತಂಬಾಕು ಮುಕ್ತ ಯುವಪೀಳಿಗೆ ಅಭಿಯಾನ-3 ಜಾಗೃತಿ ಮೂಡಿಸುವ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಬುಧವಾರ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಉಪೇಂದ್ರ ಮಂಟಪದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯಿತು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಸ್ಪರೂಪಾ ಟಿ.ಕೆ. ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ, ತಂಬಾಕು ಸೇವನೆಯಿಂದ ಸೇವನೆ ಮಾಡುವ ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕ್ಕೆ ಮಾತ್ರ ತೊಂದರೆಯಲ್ಲ, ಪೂರ್ತಿ ಸಮಾಜಕ್ಕೆ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗಲಿದೆ. ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಜಾಗೃತರಾಗಿ ಸಮಾಜದಲ್ಲಿ ಜಾಗೃತಿ ಮೂಡಿಸುವ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿ ಹೊರಬೇಕು. ತನ್ಮೂಲಕ ನಮ್ಮ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ಸ್ವಾಸ್ಥ್ಯ ಸದೃಢವಾಗಬೇಕು ಎಂದರು.

ಬಳಿಕ ಪ್ರತಿಜ್ಞಾವಿಧಿ ಬೋಧಿಸಿ, ಭಿತ್ತಿಪತ್ರ ಅನಾವರಣಗೊಳಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. ಸಮುದಾಯ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗ ಕೆಎಂಸಿ ಮಣಿಪಾಲದ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕ ಡಾ. ಮುರಳೀಧರ ಕುಲಕರ್ಣಿ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಿದ್ದರು. ತಂಬಾಕು ಸೇವನೆಯ ದುಷ್ಪರಿಣಾಮಗಳ ಕುರಿತು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಉದಾಹರಣೆ ನೀಡುವ ಮೂಲಕ ಅರಿವು ಮೂಡಿಸಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ.ಬಸವರಾಜ್ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಸರ್ವೇಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ.ನಾಗರತ್ನ ಪ್ರಾಸ್ತಾವಿಕವಾಗಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಪ್ರಿನ್ಸಿಪಾಲ್ ಆಶಾ ಕುಮಾರಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿ, ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರು. ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಸೇವಾ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ಸಂಯೋಜನಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ರಾಜೇಶ್ ಕುಮಾರ್ ವಂದಿಸಿದರು. ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ ಉಡುಪಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಸಲಹೆಗಾರ ಮಂಜುಳಾ ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಯೋಜಿಸಿದರು. ಕನ್ನಡ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕ ಶಶಿಕಾಂತ್ ಎನ್. ಶೆಟ್ಟಿ ನಿರೂಪಿಸಿದರು.

ಸೆಂಟರ್ ಫಾರ್ ರೀಜನಲ್ ಡೆವಲಪ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪಿ.ಎಸ್.ಪಿ.ಎಚ್.ಮಾಹೆ ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಮತಿಯಿಂದ ತಂಬಾಕು ಸೇವನೆಯ ದುಷ್ಪರಿಣಾಮಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ಕಿರುಪ್ರಹಸನ ನಡೆಯಿತು.

Dr. T.M.A. Pai Rotary Hospital Karkala

Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala, is an Associate Hospital of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education-Manipal. Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, an 80-bed unit, has been providing quality healthcare to the people of Karkala Taluk.

Karkala is one of the Taluks of Udupi District in coastal Karnataka and has a population of about 2,16,091 spread over the town and the surrounding villages, numbering around 49. In view of the demands and needs of the people, especially from rural areas, for affordable and quality medical care, the Rotary Club of Karkala and Manipal Group took the initiative to set up a healthcare facility in Karkala.

In 1985, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, in association with the Rotary Club, started weekly outreach camps at Karkala. The overwhelming response to camps led to the formation of a Mother and Child Care Hospital in this town in 1987 with 10 beds. After the overwhelming response from the community, the 10-bed hospital was converted to 80 beds in 1992.

At present, the Hospital provides essential healthcare full-time services in Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Ophthalmology, Orthopedics, ENT, Dermatology, Anesthesia, General and Laparoscopic surgery, Radiology, Dental, Pathology, and Pain Clinic. Super speciality care such as Cardiology, Neurology, Nephrology, Urology, Psychiatry, Pediatric Oncology, Pediatric Surgery, Plastic Surgery, Surgical Oncology, Palliative Medicine, Gastroenterology, Reproductive Medicine, Endocrinology, Head and Neck Surgery, Spine Surgery, and Orthodontics care are also being provided on a visiting basis.

This project is a classic model of how private organizations like MAHE and NGOs like Rotary Club and the community itself can come together to provide quality healthcare to the needy people at an affordable cost.

A community cardiology center was established in 2017 in association with the Rotary Club Karkala to take up non-invasive cardiac screening using Echocardiography, ECG, TMT, and Holter, as well as carry out screening camps and health education sessions in the community targeting cardiac diseases.

Digitalization of patient billing and X-ray and upgrading of laboratory services have been completed. The hospital caters to about 1,30,000 outpatients and 5,500 inpatients annually. Around 800 childbirths occur in this hospital every year.

Free diabetes screening camps were conducted under the screening package sponsored by the Rotary Global Grant and provided service to almost 700 patients.
In June 2021, the hospital upgraded its healthcare facility by establishing the dialysis unit with the support of Rotary Club Manipal (under the Global Grant Scheme). In 2022, the Jamayath Ullah Falah Karkala Unit also donated a dialysis machine to the dialysis center. On 29 April 2024, Belanje Sanjeeva hospital has been awarded the Kayakalp Hegde Trust, Hebri, donated one more dialysis machine, making a total of five machines operated in three shifts (Morning, Afternoon, Evening).

BPL cardholder patients who require dialysis get service at a subsidized rate. In addition to that, the support from Ajekar Padma Gopal Trust and G Shankar Family Trust has helped poor and needy patients perform dialysis at an affordable price.
In 2019, the RTN K Krishna Prabhu OPD Block Boomi Pooja was completed by the divine hand of Mrs Vasanthi R Pai and inaugurated the new OPD block on 07 March 2023. Adding to this, we have started with three well-equipped operation theatres, a post-operative ward, and one minor OT.

We have also started the well-equipped 'Yermal Revathi Premananda Shenoy' Trauma and Emergency Care Center, which was inaugurated on 30 June 2023 with the support of Rtn Mohan Shenoy and his family. We have begun with the full-time dental outpatient services, providing all general specialities under one roof.

The Certificate from the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, for the year 2019-20 adds a feather in its cap. It has also been certified with ISO 9001:2015, ISO 14001:2015, and ISO 50001: 2018.

The hospital is attached to Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, and imparts training to medical undergraduate students, interns, and postgraduate students of various departments. This also includes the

first and second year students of the Master of Hospital Administration.

We have conducted a total of 13 medical and 5 blood donation camps from January 2025 to December 2025 continuously with social responsibility. The total number of patients screened in the medical camp is around 3,650, and 332 units of blood have been collected.

Patients travelling to a higher center, which is located 35-70 km away to consult the doctor, have reduced since most of the speciality and super speciality care is available at our hospital. Patients do not need to spend a full day waiting to see a doctor because of the amenities offered at our facility.

There is an electric car available for both general transportation and the transit of consultants.

An outsourced entity, Health Map, manages imaging services to meet the diagnostic needs of patients. These services include General Ultrasound, X-Ray, and a Full-Scale CT Scan Facility, both offering critical support in medical diagnosis. General Ultrasound imaging services, which are available throughout the day, from morning to evening. This non-invasive procedure plays a vital role in diagnosing a variety of conditions across different body systems, such as abdominal, pelvic, obstetric, and musculoskeletal issues. In addition to ultrasound, the state-of-the-art imaging tool CT Scan is now available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (24/7), providing continuous access for patients in need of more advanced diagnostic imaging.

CT scans offer detailed cross-sectional images of the body, allowing for comprehensive examination of the brain, chest, abdomen, bones, and soft tissues. The ability to conduct a CT scan at any time is especially important for emergency situations, as it allows healthcare providers to diagnose injuries or diseases quickly and accurately, even outside of regular working hours.

As a way forward plan of 2024, we have started super speciality OPD services such as Endocrinology and Vitreo-Retina Surgery OPD.
Full-time anaesthetists are available in the hospital premises to assist with the surgical and emergency cases.

In a bid to enhance patient care and ensure timely response to critical and emergency cases, two Emergency Medical Doctors have been newly assigned to the triage on a full-time basis. This strategic move is aimed at improving the management of emergency patients, ensuring rapid assessment, and providing immediate care to those in urgent need.

In November 2024, the facility successfully obtained the license for the Blood Storage Unit, authorizing the storage and management of blood products within the hospital premises. This approval marked a significant milestone in ensuring the availability of safe, regulated, and timely blood supplies for patients.

In a major initiative to further strengthen transfusion services, the Old LT Block is being converted into a full-fledged Blood Bank with generous support and donation from Rotarian Suvarna Tukaram Nayak. This development is aimed at enhancing patient care, especially in critical clinical situations such as surgical procedures and obstetric emergencies, where prompt blood transfusion is essential.

The required infrastructure, including area allocation, manpower, and equipment, has been established, and the facility is currently in the final stage of obtaining the Blood Bank license from the concerned government authorities. In May 2025, a formal handing-over ceremony of Blood Bank equipment from Rotary to the Blood Bank was successfully conducted.

During the reporting year, the hospital successfully operationalized the new Outpatient Department (OPD) block along with a dedicated Labour Theater (LT) unit, representing a major advancement in maternal and outpatient care services. The new OPD block was developed to improve patient access, streamline patient movement, and enhance service efficiency through well-planned layouts, speciality consultation areas, and patient-centric amenities.

The commissioning of the Labour Theatre unit has significantly strengthened the hospital's obstetric services by providing a safe, well-equipped, and clinically compliant environment for conducting normal and assisted deliveries. The LT unit has been designed in adherence to established clinical protocols, infection control standards, and patient safety norms, ensuring quality care for expectant mothers. The integration of OPD services with the LT unit has enabled seamless coordination of care, improved clinical preparedness, and enhanced overall health outcomes.

In line with its commitment to strengthening critical care capabilities, the hospital successfully operationalized the High Dependency Unit (HDU) during the year. The HDU was established to cater to patients requiring close monitoring and a higher level of clinical support than general wards, particularly post-operative and high-risk cases.

The unit is equipped with advanced patient monitoring systems, essential life-support infrastructure, and is staffed by trained medical, nursing, and paramedical personnel. The operationalization of the HDU has enabled effective step-up and step-down care and improved clinical outcomes by ensuring timely interventions and continuous monitoring for high-acuity patients.

During the year, Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala, achieved a significant clinical milestone by successfully performing a complex enucleation of the right eye under general anaesthesia on an 80-year-old high-risk patient diagnosed with ocular melanoma. The patient presented with severe pain and complete loss of vision in the affected eye and had multiple co-morbidities, including hypertension, kyphoscoliosis, mild pulmonary hypertension, and age-related frailty, making the procedure particularly challenging.

A comprehensive pre-operative evaluation was conducted in close coordination with the Cardiology, Radiology, and Internal Medicine departments. The surgery was meticulously planned and executed through a multidisciplinary approach led by the Ophthalmology Department in collaboration with the Anaesthesia team. The procedure was completed successfully with the patient remaining hemodynamically stable throughout. Post-operatively, the patient recovered well with significant pain relief and satisfactory wound healing. This achievement underscores the hospital's growing capability to safely manage complex and high-risk surgical cases through coordinated clinical expertise and robust perioperative care.

The hospital expanded its surgical service offerings with the commencement of advanced laser surgeries under the Department of General Surgery during the reporting year. Laser-assisted procedures have been introduced for the treatment of varicose veins, piles, fissures, and fistula, enabling minimally invasive management with reduced pain, shorter hospital stays, and faster recovery.

As part of this initiative, the hospital has already successfully completed two laser varicose vein surgeries, marking an important step in enhancing patient care through modern surgical technology. The introduction of laser surgery reflects the hospital's commitment to adopting advanced treatment modalities and improving clinical outcomes through innovation.

As part of its ongoing commitment to supporting underserved communities, financial assistance is extended to underprivileged families—particularly breadwinners and children—through the Manipal Foundation Fund. This initiative aims to reduce the financial burden on families facing medical emergencies and to provide timely support during periods of hardship.

We are also in the process of preparing for complete NABH 6th Edition accreditation for our hospital. A comprehensive gap analysis covering both documentation and implementation has been completed. All required documents and SOPs preparation are in process, and structured plans are in place to initiate implementation of the standards across the hospital.

The NABH application is being submitted, and the desktop review has been successfully completed.

Future plans are being made for the hostel, wards, special block, and canteen renovation. Along with that, our future initiative is to go for a green hospital by using solar energy, LED lighting, water reuse and saving, E-prescription, E-receipt, E-indent, E-lab request, and E-purchase.

Manipal Arogya Card Scheme

Scheme Performance Summary - During the reporting period, the Manipal Arogya Card Scheme recorded substantial utilization and effective service delivery.

Utilization details for the period **January to December 2025** are as follows:

Category	Total Discount (INR)	Patient Count/OP Bills Count
Inpatient	7,64,90,606	11,626 (IP Count)
Outpatient	12,79,87,826	5,53,231 – OP Bills
Pharmacy	4,03,02,503	2,34,766 – Total Bills
Grand Total	**24,47,80,934**	**7,99,623**

Manipal Arogya Card – Scheme Closure Performance: For the Year 2025, the scheme will start from the month of June to November 2025.

Plan	Manipal				Mangalore			
	New		Renewal		New		Renewal	
	App	Lives	App	Lives	App	Lives	App	Lives
Family One Year	2903	10123	1405	4867	722	2266	288	843
Family Two Year	17553	59215	11235	36193	2655	8380	2425	7099
Family Plus One Year	1098	4815	358	1821	183	861	88	410
Individual Two Year	10416	10416	4753	4753	1651	1651	1973	1973
Family Plus Two Year	16104	84599	12025	64964	1961	9947	1739	8939
Individual One Year	10214	10214	5679	5679	3785	3785	1238	1238
Total	**58288**	**179382**	**35455**	**118277**	**10957**	**26890**	**7751**	**20502**
TOTAL REVENUE				7,37,65,100				1,29,63,100
Self Registration Revenue								20,11,600
GRAND TOTAL REVENUE								8,87,39,800

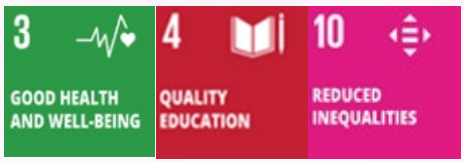
Press Meet: The launch of the Manipal Arogya Card Scheme

Volunteer Services Organization

The Volunteer Services Organization engages students throughout the year through its various weekly and monthly initiatives. It is actively involved in organizing a series of weekly projects that encourage student participation in community service, social outreach, and meaningful engagement. These projects provide students with opportunities to contribute positively to society while developing teamwork, leadership, and a strong sense of social responsibility.

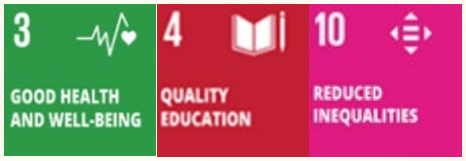
Project Umang - A Visit to Asha Nilaya

This project aims to provide recreational activities for children with intellectual disabilities, aged 6 to 18, from Asha Nilaya, Udupi. The children actively participate in various activities such as colouring, drawing, dancing, singing, building blocks, passing the ball, and showcasing their talents. This is a unique project that is conducted once every two weeks. The focus is to improve the fine and gross motor skills and also to enhance their overall mental well-being. These biweekly sessions involve engaging and interacting with the children and serve as an enriching experience enjoyed by both the coordinators and the enthusiastic youngsters. The volunteers thoroughly enjoy teaching the children and consider it a stress buster amid their hectic weekdays.



Project Sanjeevani - Visit to Paediatric Ward

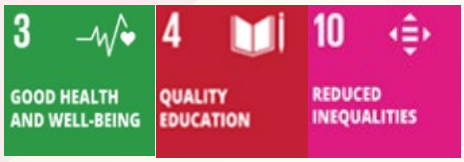
The Sanjeevani Project, an initiative under VSO, aims to bring joy and engagement to children through interactive sessions held every Sunday. The project focuses on fostering connections with the kids through various activities such as drawing, colouring, musical chairs, and passing the parcel. By creating a vibrant and dynamic environment, the Sanjeevani Project not only offers recreational opportunities but also promotes social interaction and creativity among the children. This dedicated effort reflects the commitment of VSO to make a positive impact on the lives of the younger generation, fostering a sense of community and joy in the process.



Project Jyothi - A Visit to Asare

Description of the Project: ASARE is a home for the differently abled. Welcoming hearts, a big smile, pure innocence, and enthusiasm await VSO volunteers every Sunday. A group of 20 volunteers, along with the project coordinator, visits ASARE every Sunday from 04:00 pm to 06:00 pm. During these visits, the volunteers engage residents in a variety of activities like drawing, colouring, singing, dancing, playing, meditating, and passing the ball. These interactions foster a sense of well-being, teamwork, and deep connection, leaving a lasting impact on both residents and volunteers. These weekly sessions involve engaging and interacting with them and serve as an enriching experience enjoyed by the coordinators and

the enthusiastic youngsters. The volunteers thoroughly enjoy teaching the kids and consider it a stress buster between their hectic weekdays.



Project Day Care - Visit to Daycare, Manipal

Description of the Project: In this project, the children availing the daycare facility of MAHE were engaged in various creative and entertaining activities such as colouring, group games, playing in the sandpit, singing, and dancing. A summer camp, Sunny Smiles, was successfully conducted this year for children aged 9 to 13 of the MAHE faculty. This project is uniquely carried out under the daycare initiative of VSO. During the regular weekly session, lasting an hour, simple yet fun activities are organized to brighten the spirits of the children. Different activities are experimented with in each session. Few children like to draw and colour, while others want to play, run, and dance. Both kinds of activities are provided during the same session, those inclined to dance are encouraged to do so, while those interested in crafts are allowed to express their creativity.

Project Muskaan - Visit to Bijapur colony

Project Muskaan is a weekly initiative in which Bijapur Colony is visited by VSO volunteers to engage with the local community. Efforts were made by these dedicated volunteers to reach out to children aged 05 to 18 living in the Manipal slums. The curriculum included imparting general knowledge about the country and essential health and hygiene practices. In addition to structured lessons, the volunteers organized team-building activities, brain games, and fun games to cater to the diverse age group. The interaction fostered a special bond between the kids and the VSO volunteers, creating a positive and impactful experience beyond traditional teaching methods.

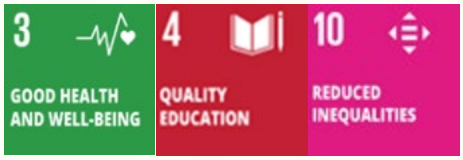
Project Clean Manipal Campaign

The Clean Manipal Campaign is a VSO project conducted weekly to make our surroundings cleaner while raising awareness about the harmful substances that degrade our environment. It highlights the importance of zero pollution so that human beings, nature, and wildlife can thrive in ideal conditions. Volunteers scout local areas and collect myriad items of waste that have been strewn over almost every road. The waste is segregated into glass, paper, and plastic, and efforts are made to ensure the area is clean again.

Project Aarambh - Visit to the Orphanage.

The project Aarambh primarily aims to bring joy and a sense of belonging to the lives of children residing

in orphanages. Every Sunday, a local orphanage is visited by a team of volunteers, and an environment is created where children are encouraged to express themselves through various activities like drawing, colouring, and playing with toys. The focus was placed on spending quality time with the children and engaging them through games and dance. Volunteers enthusiastically participated in this project and enjoyed their experience in the orphanage.



Project Asha - Visit to an Old Age Home

Description of the Project: Every Sunday, an old age home was visited by a team of 20 volunteers with dedication and enthusiasm. Positive interaction with residents was enhanced through various activities, including skill-sharing, singing, dancing, quizzes, and more. The primary objective was to create a warm and inviting environment that encouraged meaningful interactions, fostering a delightful and mutually enjoyable experience for everyone involved.

Project Vidya - Visit to Namma Bhoomi

Project Vidya has been regarded as an integral part of VSO. The project has always focused on educating student residents of Namma Bhoomi, aged 10 to 18 years, about basic life lessons such as career planning and basic English communication skills, like questioning words, nouns, pronouns, verbs, and adverbs. The main objective of the project is to help the kids learn life skills that will help them in the future. The weekly sessions engage volunteers and children in fun, interactive, and informative activities, including teaching and learning. The volunteers adore the children and enjoy teaching them.

Project Akshara - Visit to an Academic School

Project Akshara is considered pivotal in VSO, involving visits to the Academy Higher Primary School in Manipal. This project primarily focuses on engaging students around 10 years of age. In this initiative, dedicated volunteers actively engage children in a spectrum of creative activities, encompassing drawing, crafts, painting, and origami. Simultaneously, the crucial task of educating the children, focusing on enhancing their English vocabulary, is undertaken. The project also embraces the spirit of national pride and cultural significance by commemorating events such as Independence Day, Gandhi Jayanti, Karnataka Rajyotsava, and Diwali through activities like quizzes and essay writing, enabling children to learn about and appreciate the historical and cultural significance of these occasions. A special project celebrating Children's Day was organized, featuring 25 games tailored for children in grades 01 to 05. The event concluded with a vibrant dance session and a ceremony to distribute prizes. This project nurtures creativity and imparts valuable knowledge, enriching the overall development of the participating children.

Project Beach Adoption

Every Sunday, 20 to 40 volunteers go to the beach in Udupi and clean a slight stretch (250 meters). The collected waste is segregated into 6 categories-paper waste, hard plastic, plastic bottles, plastic wrappers/bags, glass bottles, and discarded fishnets. The cleaning continues each week from where it was stopped the previous week. The main objective is to clean the beach and the surrounding area, create awareness among the local people, and prevent further dumping of waste on the coastal side.

Project Aakansha - Visit to Cancer Shelter

Under Project Akansha, volunteers visit the Access Life Cancer Shelter home for children in Manipal and spend quality time with them. Children are engaged in craft activities, board games, dance, and music. This project aims to provide a regular source of comfort and joy to young cancer patients, fostering connections and positive experiences during their challenging journey. It is a rewarding experience filled with joy and happy moments for both the kids and the volunteers.

Project Belaku - Visit to the CSI Boys Boarding School

The Belaku project is one of the newest additions to the list of VSO initiatives. Started in October 2024, the project aims to educate young boys aged 10 to 18 from the CSI boarding school on various topics. The focus of the project is to improve the language skills of the boys, particularly in English, and to increase awareness of the various fields they can pursue in the future. These weekly projects involve engaging and interacting with the students and serve as an enriching experience, enjoyed by both the coordinators and the enthusiastic youngsters. The volunteers thoroughly enjoy teaching the kids and consider it a stress buster between their hectic weekdays.

Project Manas

Description of the Project: Project Manas is a visit to a vocational and rehabilitation centre, where we conduct interactive sessions such as drawing, crafts, dance, and fun activities to actively involve the

participants, promote creativity, help them feel included, engaged, and have a great time.

Project Spandana

The residents of Spandana are individuals filled with warmth, innocence, and unique personalities. Each of them brings their own spark to every session, some expressive and energetic, others calm and observant, yet all equally special.

Through activities like Fingerprint Tree Art, the Cup Pyramid Toss Challenge, Balloon Balance, Balloon Passing, and a lively Dance Session, they showcased creativity, teamwork, coordination, and pure joy. Their wholehearted participation and bright smiles truly reflected the meaningful impact of the experience.

Project Siri

As part of the VSO project at Siri, we conducted an interactive session for the children focusing on basic English communication skills. The kids were taught how to give a self-introduction in English, which helped improve their confidence and speaking abilities. Along with the learning activities, we also organized outdoor games such as dodgeball, throwball, and cricket to encourage teamwork, physical activity, and enjoyment. The session was both educational and fun-filled, creating a positive and engaging environment for the children.

Project Anmol

Project Anmol is a VSO Manipal initiative where student volunteers visit old age homes to spend meaningful time with senior citizens, creating a space for conversations, shared activities, and emotional support. The project aims to bridge the gap between generations, promote empathy among youth, and bring companionship and joy to elderly residents through simple, heartfelt interactions.

During Daan Utsav, from October 02 to 08, MAHE engaged in various projects across all institutions. Details are as below:

1 Project Sehat Suraksha

Project Sehat Suraksha focused on promoting safe medical waste disposal and environmental responsibility. Volunteers collected expired, unused, and waste medicines and segregated them for proper disposal. This prevented misuse and environmental harm while creating awareness about public health and safe waste practices.

2 Project Care and Share and Kindness Closet

Volunteers collected reusable stationery and clothes and distributed them to underprivileged individuals. This supported education, reduced waste, and promoted sustainability. The project encouraged sharing resources responsibly and helping those in need.

3 Project Khilona Khazana

This project collected and donated toys to underprivileged children. It promoted emotional well-being, happiness, and equal access to play, which is important for healthy development.

4 Splash and Dash

Volunteers raised funds by cleaning vehicles, and the proceeds supported social service projects. This initiative demonstrated teamwork, community participation, and resource mobilization for social impact.

5 Project Patra

Volunteers distributed thank-you cards to security guards and "Get Well Soon" cards to hospitalized children. This project promoted appreciation, emotional support, and kindness.

6 Project Tejas

Painting and craft sessions were conducted for children in the pediatric ward. The activity supported emotional healing, creativity, and psychological well-being.

7 Project Dil Se Carnival

A food carnival was organized at an old age home to bring joy and companionship to elderly residents, supporting their emotional well-being.

8 Project Varna

Volunteers painted school walls to improve the learning environment and create a positive atmosphere for students.

9 Swaccha Aashray

Animal shelter areas were cleaned to ensure hygiene and animal welfare.

10 Project Baccha Party

Science activities helped children learn through interactive and creative methods, promoting curiosity, and knowledge.

11 Project Miniflix

Fun activities and storytelling were conducted to support hospitalized children emotionally.

12 Masti Mahal

Games and social activities helped improve emotional health among residents.

13 Project Khushiyon Ki Bauchhar

Creative activities promoted learning, happiness, and emotional support.

14 Muskan Food Donation Drive

Food was distributed to support families facing food insecurity.

15 Origami Workshop

Students developed creativity and learning skills through art.

16 Bloom of Hope

Recycled crafts were made to appreciate sanitation workers and promote sustainability.

17 Self Defense Workshop

Students learned safety skills to improve personal security and confidence.

18 Dance and Movement Workshop

Dance promoted physical health and creative development.

19 Project Nav Jyothi

Festival celebrations promoted social inclusion and emotional well-being.

20 Project Jadoo Ki Jhalak

Magic shows provided emotional support and entertainment for hospitalized children.

21 Project Jonaki

Creative and fun activities promoted learning and well-being.

22 Project Jeevan Daan

Blood donation helped save lives and strengthened healthcare support.

23 Phaladayini

Fruit distribution supported nutrition and health.

24 Hair Donation Drive

Hair donations supported cancer patients emotionally and physically.

25 Health Camp

Healthcare access was provided to housekeeping staff.

26 Project Deepotsav

Festival celebrations promoted inclusion and emotional wellness.

27 Project Beach Clean

28 Rang Birangi Ummidein

Creative workshops encouraged learning and expression.

29 Project Sahayahastha

Grocery donations supported orphanage residents.

30 Yoga Workshop

Yoga promoted physical and mental health.

31 Project Swatch Nagar

Public place cleaning promoted sustainability.

32 Project Giggle and Guise

Fun activities supported hospitalized children emotionally.

33 Sowing Smiles

Farm visits promoted environmental education.

34 Singing Workshop

Music sessions encouraged creativity and confidence.

35 Stationery Donation and Cooking Workshop

Students learned life skills and received educational support.

36 Kaun Banega Tendulkar

Sports activities promoted health, teamwork, and inclusion.

VSO MAHE Bengaluru

The Volunteer Services Organization (VSO) is a vibrant unit at MAHE Bengaluru dedicated to promoting volunteerism, inclusivity, and creating positive change within the campus and beyond. By aligning its initiatives with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), this academic year we engaged 650+ volunteers who contributed a total of 3,600+ hours to volunteering. With a wide range of projects and events-from donating blood and supporting our peers and elderly to championing environmental sustainability and confronting social issues, VSO is all about action, empathy, teambuilding, leadership, and unforgettable experiences.

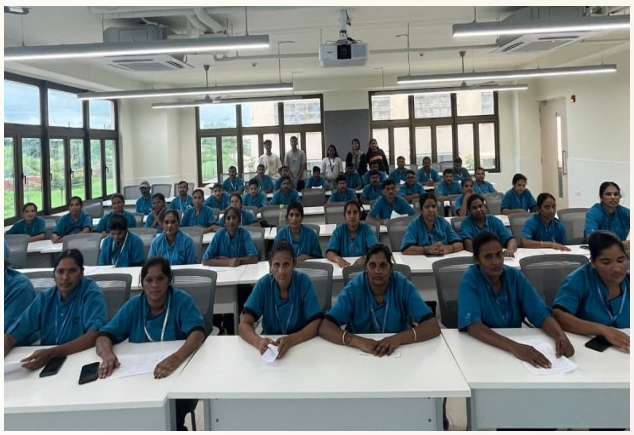
Recurring Projects

Project Saath

Project Saath brightened the Sundays of elderly residents at Sri Shanti Prashanthi Old Age Home with regular visits packed with engaging and fun activities. Volunteers shared stories, played games, and created joyful memories, becoming a part of the lives of our elderly friends.

Project Akshara

Each month, VSO empowered housekeeping staff through interactive Kannada and English literacy sessions. These classes broke language barriers, boosted confidence, and helped everyone feel more at home on campus.



Project Scribe

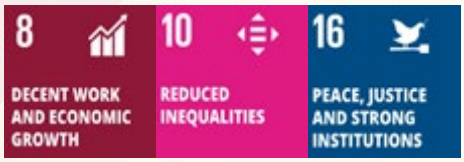
Working closely with the Department of Student Affairs, VSO provided volunteer scribes for students with disabilities or temporary health conditions during written and practical exams. This support ensured every student had a fair chance to succeed, highlighting MAHE's commitment to inclusivity. The volunteer scribes were compensated with a 500 INR exam fees as per MAHE guidelines.

Events

Sangam

Sangam was conducted on 26 January 2025. VSO fostered a sense of belonging and community spirit with the first edition of Sangam- the annual heartwarming celebration honouring the hard work of Terrier Security, Quess and Zolo housekeeping staff.

By inviting their families to campus, they got to share a glimpse of their lives at work through campus tours and bonded over dance performances, games, and lunch, and returned home with memories captured in hearts and photo frames!



Happy Festival

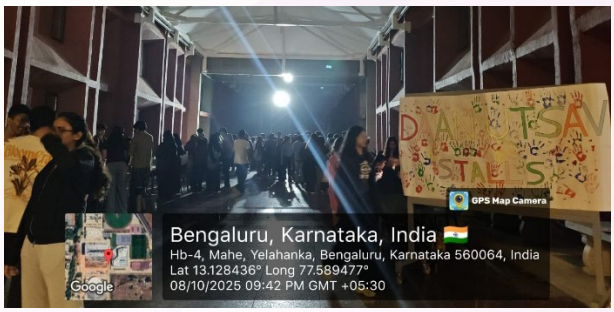
Conducted on 23 February 2025 in collaboration with The Inclusion Movement NGO, VSO hosted over 150 visually impaired people at the MAHE Bengaluru campus for a day of treasure hunts, board games, performances, drumming sessions, and movie screenings. The event was filled with laughter, learning, and unforgettable moments of shared joy.

Daan Utsav Donation Drives

For Daan Utsav 2025-the annual week of giving, VSO organized donation drives for food, books, toys, clothes and sanitary pads, collecting essentials for orphanages, schools, old age homes, and hospitals from 02 to 10 October 2025. The Wish Wall initiative further fulfilled small wishes of campus staff, spreading kindness and gratitude throughout MAHE.

Additionally, Joy-Fest was conducted during Daan Utsav, where student volunteers set up stalls related to

art, posters, handmade jewellery, etc., to raise money for the food donation drives. A total of 19 stalls were set up by MAHE students, generating about 27,000 INR in revenue from which 20% of the proceeds i.e., 6,700 INR was collected for the food donation initiative.



Other Engagements

Manipal Marathon Promo Run

The 5K Promo Run energized the campus community with fitness and fun in January 2025. The volunteers ensured a seamless event, ensuring a well-coordinated experience for 500+ runners, and spread awareness about the main Marathon at MAHE Manipal.

Cleanliness Drive

VSO organized a cleanliness drive around the MAHE Bengaluru vicinity in January 2025 in collaboration with the Sustainability Committee of TAPMI, collecting all littered plastic waste.

Blood Donation Drive

VSO conducted two blood donation drives in the months of April and October 2025. We received 100+ blood bags in each drive. This was done in collaboration with Manipal Hospitals.

Convocation

VSO volunteers played a key role in ensuring the 33rd Convocation at MAHE Bengaluru on 29 and 30 November 2025. The event was smooth and memorable. VSO volunteers guided attendees, managed logistics, and captured cherished moments for over 3,000 graduates and guests.

Significant Events VII

Independence Day

Republic Day

World Environment Day

Sharada Pooja

Founders Day Celebration

Sports Activities VIII

Sports Activities, Manipal

Teams Participated and Achievements in all India/South Zone Inter University Tournaments 2025–26

Sl No	Events	Organized by	Date of the Tournaments	Performance	Team Manager
1	**South Zone Inter University Table Tennis Women's Tournament 2025**	Academy of Maritime Education and Training (AMET) University	3–5 Jan 2025	Reached the quarter final	**Ms Kalaivani** Assistant Director of Physical Education, MAHE, Bangalore
2	**South Zone Inter University Cricket Men Tournament 2025**	University of Madras	14–19 Jan 2025	Reached to pre-quarter	**Mr Ren Trevor Dias,** Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce (DOC) MAHE Manipal
3	**South Zone Inter University Chess Men Tournament 2025**	Vel Tech University, Chennai	8–11 Jan 2025	Out of 76 Universities, MAHE secured 16th place. Board winner: Mr Avil Dsouza from DOC	**Dr Narayana Prabhu** Assistant Director of Physical Education, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), Manipal
4	**South West Zone Inter University Karate Women Tournament 2024–25**	B. S. Abdur Rahman Crescent Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	6–8 Jan 2025	Team Kata (3 Girls) and Individual Kumite (2 girls) qualified for All India Inter University Karate 2025	**Dr Deepak Ram Bairy** Deputy Director of Physical Education, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
5	**All India Inter University Athletic Men 2025**	Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences, Bhubaneswar, Odisha,	24 Dec 2024–2 Jan 2025	2nd round, 100 and 200 mt race	**Dr Narayana Prabhu** Assistant Director of Physical Education, MCHP, Manipal
6	**All India Inter University Boxing Men 2024–25**	Guru Khasi University	26 Dec 2024– 2 Jan 2025	Quarter final	**Mr Syed Anwar** Assistant Director of Physical Education, MAHE Bangalore,
7	**All India Inter University Karate (MandW) 2025**	Maharshi Dayanand University Rohtak	18–21 Jan 2025	Pre-quarter	**Dr Nishanth Bhat** Assistant Professor, Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DBMS), Manipal
8	**All India Inter University Squash (Men and Women)**	Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai	17–20 Feb 2025	Squash Men team lost in 1st Round; Squash Women team lost in the quarter final	**Dr Deepak Ram Bairy** Deputy Director of Physical Education, KMC, Manipal

Inter-collegiate tournaments/competitions: Several university-level inter-collegiate competitions were organized and students from all constituent colleges of MAHE actively participated in these events. The following are the results of the events for students and staff participants.

Mahe Inter Collegiate Staff Tournament Teaching Results 2025–26 January to December 2025

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
1	Carom (Men) Singles	Integrated Program in Management (IPM), Manipal	12–13 Aug 2025	**Teaching** Dr Suhas Kowshik, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal	Mr Amol Powar, Manipal College of Nursing (MCON), Manipal
	Carom (Men) Doubles			Dr Prashanth and Dr Jaya Prakash, DBMS Manipal	Dr Prashanth Kumar and Dr Suhas, MIT, Manipal
	Carom (Women) Singles			Dr Bhamini and Dr Veena, MCHP, Manipal	Dr Sebastina and Dr Kaneeka, MCHP, Manipal
	Carom (Women) Doubles			Dr Veena Suresh Bhat, MCHP, Manipal	Dr Shantha Kumari, DBMS, Manipal
2	Table Tennis (Men) Singles	International Centre for Applied Sciences (ICAS), Manipal	19 Aug 2025	**Teaching** Dr Manas Makani, Manipal Institute of Communication (MIC), Manipal	Dr Vihar Joshi, KMC, Mangalore
	Table Tennis (Men) Doubles			Dr Sandeep Mallya and Dr T S Murali, Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS), Manipal.	Dr Jayprakash, DBMS, Manipal and Dr Manas MIC, Manipal
	Table Tennis (Women) Singles			Dr Akkatai S, KMC, Manipal.	Dr Ramya Jathanna, Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Manipal.
	Table Tennis (Women) Doubles			Dr Akkatai S and Dr Yashvanthi Borkar, KMC, Manipal.	Dr Vidya Saraswathi and Dr Ramya Jathanna, MCODS, Manipal
3	Swimming (MandW)	MCON, Manipal	**31 Aug 2025**	**WINNER**	**POINTS**
	Individual Championship Teaching Men		Below 40	Dr Kulmani Meher, MIT, Manipal -	21
			41–50 years	Dr Nitin Kumar S Shetty, MIT, Manipal-	16
			Above 51 years	Dr Muddu Madakyaru, MIT, Manipal-	20
	Individual Championship Teaching Women		Below 40	Dr Harshinee Sree, KMC, Mangalore	-
	Team Championship Teaching Men			MIT, Manipal	69
	Team Championship Teaching Women			KMC, Mangalore	44
	Overall Championship			MIT, Manipal	84
4	Chess (Men and Women)	KMC, Mangalore	24 Aug 2025	**Teaching** Dr Sujay V K, KMC, Mangalore 3rd Place	Mr TPM Eshwaran, MCHP Manipal Dr Gurumurthy S C, MIT Manipal
5	Squash (Men and Women)	MCODS, Manipal	4 Sep 2025	**Teaching** Dr Muddu Madakyaru, MIT, Manipal	Dr Abhishek Sangwan, KMC, Mangalore
6		MIC, Manipal		**Teaching**	

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
	Basketball (Men)		5 Nov 2024	KMC, Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
	Badminton	MIT, Manipal	7 Sep	**Teaching**	
7	(Men) Singles —Below 40 years		2025	Dr Chethan K N, MIT, Manipal	Dr Sumeeth, KMC, Manipal
	Badminton (Men) Doubles— Below 40 years			Dr Chethan K N and Dr Gurumurthi, MIT, Manipal	Dr Karthik, KMC, Manipal and Dr Sumit, KMC, Manipal
	Badminton (Women) Singles—Below 40 years			Ms Nisha Kotain, MCHP, Mangalore	Ms Preethi Mohanty, MIT, Manipal
	Badminton (Women) Doubles— Below 40 years			Ms Nisha Kotian, MCHP, Manipal and Ms Shambavi, MCHP, Manipal	Ms Preethi Mohanty, MIT, Manipal and Dr Ramya, MIT, Manipal
	Badminton (Men) Singles —Above 41–50 years			Dr Gurumurthi, MIT, Manipal	Dr Devaraj, KMC, Manipal
	Badminton (Men) Doubles— Above 41–50 years			Dr Poornachandra, KMC, Mangalore and Dr Vinod, KMC, Mangalore	Dr Devaraj, KMC, Manipal and Dr Shankar Prasad, KMC, Manipal
	Badminton (Men) Singles— Above 51 years			Dr Suneel Mundkur, KMC, Manipal	Dr Kumar M R Bhat, KMC, Manipal
8	Volleyball (Men and Women)	MCHP, Manipal	19–22 Mar 2025	**Teaching Staff—Men** Manipal School of Information Sciences (MSIS), Manipal	KMC, Manipal
				Teaching Staff—Women MIT, Manipal	MCODS, Manipal
9	Cricket Men	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), Manipal	1–5 Dec 2025	**Teaching Staff** KMC, Manipal	MIT, Manipal
10	Throwball Women	MCON, Manipal	23 Feb 2025	**Teaching Staff** MIT, Manipal	MCON Manipal
11	Football Men	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), Manipal	14 Dec 2025	**Teaching Staff** KMC, Manipal	MAHETD, MCODS, Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA) and MIC

Mahe Inter Collegiate Staff Tournament Non-Teaching Results 2025-26 January to December 2025

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
1	Carom (Men) Singles	IPM, Manipal	12–13 Aug 2025	**Non - Teaching** Mr Prashanth Acharya, MAHE, finance	Mr Rajesh K, KMC Mangalore
	Carom (Men) Doubles			Mr Nithin Kumar and Mr Monappa, KMC Mangalore	Mr Prashanth and Mr Neel Akash, KMC Mangalore
	Carom (Women) Singles			Dr Prathima J Acharya - MIC	Mrs Lingamma, KMC Mangalore
	Carom (Women) Doubles			Ms Kavya Shree and Ms Chaitra, KMC Mangalore	Ms Dhanusha and Dr Pratima, MCODS and MIC
2	Table Tennis (Men) Singles	ICAS, Manipal	19 Aug 2025	**Non-Teaching** Mr Aswath K, DOR, Manipal.	Mr Royal M, DOR, Manipal.
	Table Tennis (Men) Doubles			Mr Royal M and Mr Ritesh V, DOR, Manipal.	Mr Vishwanathan and Mr Santhosh, KMC, Mangalore.
	Table Tennis (Women) Singles			Ms Shraddha Paul, KH, Manipal.	Ms Akshatha, DOR, Manipal.
	Table Tennis Mixed Doubles			Ms Shraddha Paul and Ms Jessica R, KH, Manipal	Ms Kanika and Ms Savitha, MCODS, Manipal
3	Swimming (Men and Women)	MCON, Manipal	**31 Aug 2025**	**Winner**	**Points**
	Individual Championship Non-Teaching Men:		41–50 Years	Mr Divakar Bhat, KMC, Manipal	18
			Above 51 Years	Mr Suresh Nayak, MAHE, Manipal	17
	Team Championship Non -Teaching Men:			KMC, Manipal	31
4	Chess (Men)	KMC, Mangalore	25 Aug 2025	**Non-Teaching** Mr Sudhindra Poojary, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal	Jeevan, Registrar, Evaluation Office (ROE) MAHE, Manipal
				3rd Place	Sujay Bhat K, MCOPS, Manipal
	Chess (Women)			Bhavya, Kasturba Hospital (KH), Manipal	Kannika, MCODS, Manipal
				3rd Place -	Thulasi, KMC, Mangalore
5	Squash (Men)	MCODS, Manipal		**Non-Teaching** Mr Ramesh K P, MIC, Manipal	Mr Nagarajendra M R, MAHE, Manipal
				Mr Nithin Kumar, KMC, Mangalore	Mr Dhanush, KMC, Mangalore
	Squash (Men) Above 50 years		4 Sep 2025	Mr Ramesh K P, MIC, Manipal	Mr Nagarajendra M R, MAHE, Manipal
	Squash (Men) Below 49 years			Mr Nithin Kumar, KMC, Mangalore	Mr Dhanush, KMC, Mangalore
	Squash (Women)			Ms Pooja, KMC, Mangalore	Ms Preethi, MCODS, Manipal

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
6	Badminton Non-teaching Men Singles Below 40 Years	MIT, Manipal	7 Sep 2025	**Non-Teaching** Mr Akshaya Poojary, KH Manipal	Mr Prathik B M, MAHE Bengaluru
	Badminton Non-teaching Men Doubles Below 40 Years			Mr Kiran Kumar and Mr Akshay Poojary, KH, Manipal	Mr Rakshith and Mr Swaroop KH, Manipal
	Badminton Non-teaching Men Singles Above 41–50 Years:			Dr Raghavendra Prabhu, MAHE Bengaluru	Mr Kiran Kumar, MIT Manipal
	Badminton Non-teaching Men Doubles Above 41–50 Years:			Mr Kiran and Mr Ashok, MIT Manipal	Mr Kushalappa and Mr Gowtham Pai, KMC Mangalore
	Badminton Non-teaching Men Singles Above 51 Years:			Mr Ashok Rao, MIT Manipal	Mr Kushalappa, KMC Mangalore
	Badminton Non-teaching Men Doubles Above 51 Years:			Mr Guruprasad and Mr Ravindra P, KMC Mangalore	Mr Santhosh and Mr Monappa, KMC Mangalore
	Badminton Non-teaching Women Singles Below 40 Years			Mrs Shashi Prabha, MAHE Manipal	Mrs Shradha Paul, K H Manipal
	Badminton Non-teaching Women Doubles Below 40 Years			Mrs Rehana and Mrs Shradha Paul, KH Manipal	Mrs Prajna and Mrs Shreenidhi, KH Manipal
	Badminton Non-teaching Women Singles Above 41–50 Years			Mrs Kasturi B K, KMC Mangalore	Mrs Savitha, MCODS Manipal
	Badminton Non-teaching Women Doubles Above 41–50 Years			Mrs Kasthuri B K and Mrs Ivy Paustine Dsouza, KMC Mangalore	Mrs Savitha S and Mrs Preethi, MCODS Manipal
	Badminton Non-teaching Women Singles Above 51 Years			Mrs Sarala Melden, KH Manipal	Mrs Lalitha, KMC Mangalore
	Badminton Non-teaching Women Doubles Above 51 Years			Mrs Prathima and Mrs Devaki, MIC Manipal	Mrs Sabitha M. Nayak and Mrs Anitha Lobo, MCODS Manipal
7	Volleyball (MandW)	MCHP, Manipal	19–22 Mar 2025	**Non-Teaching Staff - Men** KMC, Mangalore **Non-Teaching Staff - Women** KH, Manipal	KH, Manipal KMC, Mangalore
8	Cricket Men	KMC, Manipal	16–19 Dec 2025	**Non-Teaching Staff** KMC, Manipal	KH, Manipal
9	Throwball Women			**Non-Teaching Staff**	

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
		MCON, Manipal	9 Nov 2025	KH, Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
10	Football Men	MCOPS, Manipal	14 Dec 2025	**Non-Teaching Staff** Terrier Security, Mangalore	Terrier Security-B Team, Manipal

Results of MAHE Inter-collegiate Tournaments 2025-26
January to December 2025

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner-up
1	Chess (Men and Women)	T. A. Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal	5–6 Sep 2025	MIT 'B' Manipal 3rd Place	MIT 'A' Manipal TAPMI, Manipal
2	Table Tennis (Men)	MIT, Manipal	10–11 Sep 2025	MIT 'A' Manipal	MIT 'B' Manipal
	Table Tennis (Women)	MIT, Manipal	10–11 Sep 2025	KMC, Mangalore	MIT 'B' Manipal
3	Cross Country (Men)	MSLS, Manipal	28 Sep 2025	**Team Championship Men**	MIT, Manipal
	Cross Country (Women)			**Team Championship Women**	MIT, Manipal
4	Swimming (Men and Women)	MCOPS, Manipal	29–30 Sep 2025	**Winner**	**Points**
	Team Championship:	Men		MIT, Manipal	67
		Women		MIT, Manipal	57
	Individual Championship:	Men		Mr Harshavardan, TAPMI, Manipal	45 points
		Women		Ms Sakina Afzal, MSLS, Manipal	23 points
	Overall Championship			**MIT Manipal**	**124 Points**
5	Badminton (Men)	MIT, Manipal	7–8 Nov 2025	DOC, Manipal	MIT 'B' Manipal
	Badminton (Women)			MIT 'A' Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
6	Squash (Men)	MCON, Manipal	4 Oct 2025	MIT 'A' Manipal	KMC, Manipal
	Squash (Women)			MCHP, Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
7	Basketball (Men)	MIC, Manipal	3–5 Nov 2025	MIT 'A' Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
	Basketball (Women)			MCHP, Manipal	MIT 'A' Manipal
8	Karate (MandW)	DBMS, Manipal	16 Oct 2025	**Overall Championship:**	MIT, Manipal
9	Cricket (Men)	DOC, Manipal	21–28 Feb 2025	DOC, Manipal	TAPMI, Manipal
10	Cricket (Women)	DOC, Manipal	25 Feb 2025	KMC, Manipal	MCODS, Manipal
11	Throwball (Women)	MCON, Manipal	15 Feb 2025	MCHP, Manipal	MIT Manipal

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner-up
12	Football (Men)	MCHP, Manipal	27 Feb 2025 to 1 Mar 2025	MIT A Manipal	MCHP A, Manipal
	Football (Women)			MIT Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
13	Volleyball (Men)	MSIS, Manipal	25–26 Jan 2025	MIT, 'A' Manipal	MCHP, Manipal
	Volleyball (Women)			DOC, Manipal	KMC, Mangalore
14	Hockey (Men)	MIT, Manipal	22–23 Mar 2025	MIT, Manipal	KMC, Manipal
	Hockey (Women)			MCHP, Manipal	MIT, Manipal
15	Athletic (Men)	MAHE, Manipal	13–14 Feb 2025	**Winner**	**Points**
	Team Championship:	Men		MIT, Manipal	62
		Women		MIT, Manipal	67
	Individual Championship:	Men		Mr Prathvi Hoige, MCHP, Manipal	25
		Women		Mr Shravya Poojary, MIT, Manipal	15
	Overall Championship			MIT, Manipal	**129**
16	Handball (Men)	DOC, Manipal	19 Mar 2025	KMC, Mangalore	MSCE, Manipal (DOC, Manipal)
17	Best Physique (Men)	MSLS, Manipal	27 Mar 2025	Mr Naman Gulgulia	MIC, Manipal
18	Tennis (Men)	TAPMI, Manipal	18–19 Mar 2025	MIT A Manipal	MIT B Manipal
	Tennis (Women)			MIT A Manipal	KMC, Manipal

Sport Activities, Bengaluru

Teams Participated and Achievements in all India / South Zone Inter University Tournaments

Events	Organized by	Date of the tournament	Performance	Team manager
Table Tennis (Women)	Academy of Maritime Education and Training (AMET) University, Chennai	01–05 Jan 2025	Participated	Ms Kalaivani S Assistant Director, Physical Education, MAHE, Bengaluru
Judo (Women)	Sanjeev Agrawal Global Educational (SAGE) University, Bhopal	09–14 Nov 2025	Participated	Ms Kalaivani S Assistant Director, Physical Education, MAHE, Bengaluru
Tennis (Men and Women)	JAIN University, Bengaluru	25–28 Dec 2025	Participated	Dr Arun Prem Deputy Director- Physical Education, MAHE, Bengaluru

Mahe Inter Collegiate Staff Tournament Results

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner-up	Semifinal with Winner	Semifinal with Runner-up
1	Badminton	Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), MANIPAL	07 Sep 2025	Dr Raghavendra Prabhu and Mr Pratheek			

Results of Mahe, Bengaluru Intercollegiate Tournaments (Bengaluru Campus)

Sl No	Events	Organized College	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
1	Chess	Department of Physical Education and Sports	31 Aug 2025	Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru	Team event: MIT (B), Bengaluru
2	Table Tennis	Department of Physical Education and Sports	1 Sep 2025	Men: Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru Women: Team event: Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology (SMI), Bengaluru	Men: Team event: SMI, Bengaluru Women: Team event: T.A. Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Bengaluru
3	Badminton	Department of Physical Education and Sports	2 Sep 2025	Men: Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru Women: Team event: Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences (DLHS), Bengaluru	Men: Team event: TAPMI, Bengaluru Women: Team event: Department of Commerce (DOC), Bengaluru
4	Basketball	Department of Physical Education and Sports	3 Sep 2025	Men: Team event: DOC, Bengaluru Women: Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru	Men: Team event: DLHS, Bengaluru Women: Team event: SMI, Bengaluru
5	Tennis	Department of Physical Education and Sports	22 Oct 2025	Men: Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru Women: Goru Madhu Vaishnavi, MIT, Bengaluru	Men: Team event: TAPMI, Bengaluru Women: Dharani Sanapala, MIT, Bengaluru

Sl No	Events	Organized College	Date	Winner	Runner – Up
6	Volleyball	Department of Physical Education and Sports	23 Oct 2025	Men: Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru Women: Team event: MIT, Bengaluru	Men: Team event: SMI, Bengaluru Women: Team event: DOC, Bengaluru
7	Football	Department of Physical Education and Sports	25 Oct 2025	Men: Team event: MIT (A), Bengaluru Women: Team event: SMI (A), Bengaluru	Men: Team event: DOC, Bengaluru Women: Team event: TAPMI, Bengaluru

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Sports Activities, Jamshedpur

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner-Up	III Place
1	Volleyball (Men)	MTMC, Jamshedpur	22 Jun 2025	1. Mr Neeraj Mishra (C) 2. Mr Divyanshu Pandey 3. Mr Akshat 4. Mr Narottam Mishra 5. Mr Aditya Kumar 6. Mr Pratyush Arun Das 7. Mr Sashank Ku Tiriya 8. Mr Vivek Vats	1. Mr Piyush Raj (C) 2. Mr Kumar Aarav 3. Mr Shaswat Rana 4. Mr Rajeev Ranjan 5. Mr Manas Kumar Sahu 6. Mr Diganta Dey 7. Mr Harshal Dutt 8. Mr Himanshu Yadav	
2	Table Tennis Singles (Men)		08 Jun 2025	Mr Aritra Dua	Mr Shashwat Rana	Mr Keshav Gupta
	Table Tennis Singles (Women)			Ms Neeti Raja	Ms Aarushi Aggarwal	Ms Suhani Soni
	Table Tennis Doubles (Men)	MTMC, Jamshedpur		1. Mr Shashwat Rana 2. Mr Keshav Gupta	1. Mr Aritra Dua 2. Mr Collin Paul	1. Mr Swapnil Pandey 2. Mr Shreyansh Dokania
	Table Tennis Doubles (Mixed Men and Women)			1. Ms Suhani Soni 2. Mr Amit Kumar Kapri	1. Mr. Priyanshu Ranjan 2. Ms. Raja Neeti Devesh	1. Ms Aarushi Aggarwal 2. Mr Akshay Anand
3	Chess (Men)	MTMC, Jamshedpur	21 Jun 2025	Mr Subhradeep Biswal	Mr Azfar Abdul Moqueet	Mr Samriddha Bhattacharyya
	Chess (Women)			Ms Aditi	Ms Sumedha	Ms Shriya Sinha
4	Carrom Single (Men)			Mr Dhruv Tiwari	Mr Narottam Mishra	Mr Satyam Pandey
	Carrom Single (Women)			Ms Barkha H Bilung	Ms Sumedha	Mr. Satyam Pandey
	Carrom Doubles (Men)	MTMC, Jamshedpur	15 Jun 2025	1. Mr Aditya Kumar 2. Mr Shivam Kumar	1. Mr Sanjeev Jaiswal 2. Mr Satyam Singh	1. Mr Dhruv Tiwari 2. Mr Satyam Pandey
	Carrom Doubles (Mixed) Men and Women			1. Ms. Shreya Asuri 2. Mr. Aditya Narayan Mishra	1. Ms. Shriya Sinha 2. Mr. Narottam Mishra	1. Ms. Tusha Vaish 2. Mr. Ayush Anand

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner-Up	III Place
5	Tug of War (Men)	MTMC, Jamshedpur	18 May 2025	Winners (M)-Ajeyam 1. Mr Pratyush Arun Das (C) 2. Mr Biman Pal 3. Mr Tinu Anand 4. Mr Harsh Kumar 5. Mr Aaditya Kaushik 6. Mr Himanshu Balhara 7. Mr Avijit 8. Mr Saumik Satapathy	Runner Up (M)-Snorlax 1. Mr Arun Phor 2. Mr Abhinav Tripathi 3. Mr Dhruv 4. Mr Aman Singh 5. Mr Anand 6. Mr Debajyoti Panigrahi 7. Mr Tejasvi Singh 8. Mr Vishal Raj	
	Tug of War (Women)			1. Ms Vidushi Bagria 2. Ms Anpurna 3. Ms Tanishqa 4. Ms Kshitija 5. Ms Shivangi 6. Ms Shatakshi 7. Ms Mahi 8. Ms Annu	1. Ms Vaishnavi Bhardwaj 2. Ms Akanksha 3. Ms Aditi Singh 4. Ms Upasana 5. Ms Enakshi 6. Ms Vedanshi 7. Ms Khushi 8. Ms Monalisha	
6	Cricket (Men)	MTMC, Jamshedpur	17 May 2025	1. Mr Anshuman Kumar 2. Mr Himanshu Ranjan 3. Mr Fardeen Roshan 4. Mr Sumit 5. Mr Abid 6. Mr Fardeen Afsar 7. Mr Yuvraj 8. Mr Gaurav 9. Mr Kusagara 10. Mr Nikunj 11. Mr Pappu Kumar Saw 12. Mr Tathagat 13. Mr Durgashankar Naik	1. Mr Dhruv 2. Mr Ashwani Prajapati 3. Mr Debajyoti Panigrahi 4. Mr Anurag Kumar 5. Mr Abhinav Tripathi 6. Mr Rohan Kumar Thakur 7. Mr Ankit Kumar Singh 8. Mr Anand Sagar 9. Mr Anmol Pandey 10. Mr Azfar Abdul Moqueet 11. Mr Soumalya Bhowmik 12. Mr Arun Phor 13. Mr Ashish Vardhan	

Sl No	Events	Organized By	Date	Winner	Runner-Up	III Place
	Cricket (Women)			1. Ms Shivangi Sinha 2. Ms Rashmi 3. Ms Shreya Kumari 4. Ms Vanya 5. Ms Kshitija 6. Ms Gargi 7. Ms Shatakshi 8. Ms Anpurna 9. Ms Shreya 10. Ms Sezal 11. Ms Tamanna Singh 12. Ms Mahi Roy 13. Ms Disha	1. Ms Shreya Mishra 2. Ms Ojaswini Verma 3. Ms Shreya Satija 4. Ms Purvika Jain 5. Ms Mudita Singh 6. Ms Aditi Jha 7. Ms Sarika 8. Ms Aarushi Aggarwal 9. Ms Harshita 10. Ms Sweta Pradhan 11. Ms Aditi Gupta 12. Ms Ruhani Mutneja 13. Ms Aarushi Verma	

New Projects IX

Completed project

Name of the building: MANIPAL HOSPICE AND RESPITE CENTRE (MHRC)

Project Start Date: **2023**
Project End Date: **2025**

Area Details: **1,30,000 sq ft**
Total Budget: **55.80 Crore INR**

Name of the Building: KARKALA HOSPITAL EXPANSION BLOCK

Project (Internals) Start Date: **2024**
Project End Date: **2025**

Area Details: **4500 sq ft**
Total Budget: **1.90 Crore INR**

Name of the building: MCNS – PLANETARIUM TERRACE EXTENSION, MANIPAL

Project Start Date: **2022**
Project End Date: **2025**

Area Details: **5454 sq ft**
Total Budget: **2.70 Crore INR**

ONGOING PROJECTS

Name of the Building: KNOWLEDGE BLOCK - MANGALORE

Project (Internals) Start Date: **2024**

Area Details: **45,000 sq ft**
Total Budget: **25.75 Crore INR**

Name of the building: MIT TECH SHOP

Project Start Date: **2024**

Area Details: **63,000 sq. ft.**
Total Budget: **32 Crore INR**

Name of the Building: MIT PROJECT BAYS, MANIPAL

Project Start Date: **2024**

Area Details: **60,000 sq ft**
Total Budget: **18 Crore INR**

Name of the building: MIT HOSTEL BLOCK

Project Start Date: **2025**

Area Details: **1,89,000 sq ft**
Total Budget: **90 Crore INR**

Name of the Building: MIT SPORTS COMPLEX

Project (Internals) Start Date: **2025**

Area Details: **6,00,000 sq ft**
Total Budget: **50 Crore INR**

Name of the building: SIDDHA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY

Project Start Date: **2025**

Area Details: **11,000 sq ft**
Total Budget: **3.15 Crore INR**

MAHE PROPOSED/UPCOMING PROJECTS

Name of the Building: TAPMI ACADEMIC BLOCK

Area Details: **1,00,000 sq ft**

Total Budget: **55 Crore INR**

Name of the building: TAPMI NEW HOSTEL BLOCK

Area Details: **1,05,000 sq ft**

Total Budget: **50 Crore INR**

Name of the Building: MSAP FOOD COURT, MANIPAL

Area Details: **3050 sq ft**

Total Budget: **1.50 Crore INR**

Name of the building: CONVENTION CENTRE, MANIPAL

Area Details: **1,00,000 sq ft**

Total Budget: **120 Crore INR**

Faculty of Health Sciences

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Established: 1953

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

A. Undergraduate

1. MBBS

B. Postgraduate

1. MD Anatomy
2. MD Biochemistry
3. MD Physiology
4. MD Pathology
5. MD Microbiology
6. MD Pharmacology
7. MD Forensic Medicine
8. MD Community Medicine
9. MD Anaesthesia
10. MD Dermatology, Venerology, and Leprosy
11. MD Emergency Medicine
12. MD General Medicine
13. MD Hospital Administration
14. MD Immunohaematology and Blood Transfusion
15. MD Paediatrics
16. MD Palliative Medicine
17. MD Psychiatry
18. MD Radiodiagnosis
19. MD Radiotherapy/Radiation Oncology
20. MD Respiratory Medicine
21. MS General Surgery
22. MS OBG
23. MS Ophthalmology
24. MS Orthopaedics
25. MS Otorhinolaryngology
26. DM Cardiology
27. DM Infectious Diseases
28. DM Medical Gastroenterology
29. DM Medical Genetics
30. DM Medical Oncology
31. DM Nephrology
32. DM Neurology
33. DM Critical Care Medicine
34. DM Neonatology
35. DM Paediatric Oncology
36. DM Endocrinology
37. MCh Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery

38. MCh Neurosurgery
39. MCh Paediatric Surgery
40. MCh Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery
41. MCh Urology
42. MCh Reproductive Medicine and Surgery
43. MCh Paediatric Orthopaedics
44. MCh Hand Surgery
45. MCh Surgical Oncology
46. MCh Head and Neck Surgery
47. MSc (Medical Anatomy)
48. MSc (Medical Physiology
49. MSc (Medical Microbiology)
50. MSc (Medical Biochemistry)
51. MSc (Medical Pharmacology)
52. MSc (Medical Clinical Embryology)
53. MSc (Genetics Counselling)
54. MSc (Forensic Science)
55. MSc (Reproductive and Development Biology)
56. MSc (Reproductive Genetics)
57. MPhil (Psychiatric Social Work)
58. Fellowship in Fetal Medicine
59. Fellowship in Advanced Obstetric Ultrasound
60. Fellowship in Oncopathology
61. Fellowship in Gynaecologic Oncology
62. Fellowship in Urogynecology, Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery
63. Fellowship in Spine Surgery
64. Fellowship in Paediatric Otorhinolaryngology
65. Fellowship in Advanced GI Endoscopy
66. Fellowship in Gastrointestinal and Hepato-Pancreatico-Biliary Surgery
67. Fellowship in Neuro-Radiation Oncology
68. Fellowship in Advanced Radiation Oncology Techniques
69. Fellowship in Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy (SBRT) in Thoracic and Gastrointestinal Oncology
70. Fellowship in Glaucoma
71. Fellowship in Medical Retina and Uvea
72. Fellowship in Regional Anaesthesia
73. Fellowship in Paediatric Anaesthesia
74. Fellowship in Orthopaedic Trauma
75. Clerkship in Emergency Medicine and Disaster Management
76. Integrated End Degree (MD/MS) progression to PhD

C. PhD

About the Institution/School:

Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, (KMC Manipal), established in 1953, is the pioneering constituent institution of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), a Deemed-to-be University of international repute. It holds the distinction of being India's first private self-financing medical college, marking a historic milestone in medical education. Over the past seven decades, KMC Manipal has evolved into a globally recognized centre of excellence in medical education, healthcare, and biomedical research. It has been consistently ranked among the top 10 medical colleges in India in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) rankings. Through its commitment to innovation, ethics, and service, it continues to shape generations of healthcare professionals dedicated to advancing medical science and improving human health. KMC Manipal is a constituent unit of MAHE, which has been accredited by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) with the prestigious A++ grade and certified for ISO 9001:2015 and EMS 14001:2015 standards. Kasturba Hospital (KH), Manipal, is accredited by the National Accreditation Board for Hospitals and Healthcare Providers (NABH). The Kasturba Hospital Laboratory Services is accredited by the National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL). The Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) of KH is accredited as an Advanced Care Unit Level III B by the Neonatology Forum (NNF) of India. The Manipal Comprehensive Cancer Care Centre is accredited by the European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) as a Designated Centre of Integrated Oncology and Palliative Care. To further the cause of excellence in academics and research, KMC, Manipal, has engaged in MoUs with various international medical schools and universities with active participation of inbound and outbound students and faculty. KMC, Manipal, has made strident efforts to engage with distinguished alumni who are placed in prestigious institutions across the globe by registering 26,774 alumni on the AlmaShines portal.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Administration			
1	MAHE–DHR Technical Resource Centre (TRC) for Evidence Synthesis	The MAHE–DHR Technical Resource Centre (TRC) for Evidence Synthesis, funded by the Department of Health Research (DHR), was inaugurated on 17 July 2025 at 08:30 am in Room No. 28, Ground Floor, KMC Administrative Building, MAHE. The centre was inaugurated by Dr Roopa Hariprasad, Scientist-F, Centre for Evidence-Based Guidelines, ICMR, Department of Health Research, Government of India. The event marked an important step towards strengthening evidence-based research and promoting high-quality evidence synthesis at MAHE. The inauguration took place in the presence of the Principal Investigator of the TRC, Dr Naveen Salins, Directorate of Research, MAHE; the Coordinator of the TRC, Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj; Dr Vinod C Nayak, Associate Dean, KMC, MAHE, Manipal; Dr Ranjitha Shetty, Associate Dean, KMC, MAHE, Manipal, along with other faculty members and administrative officials.	17 Jul 2025
2	Department of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Healthcare	The Department of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Healthcare was inaugurated at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, on 25 August 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium. The inauguration set a strong foundation for the department's mission—creating pathways for AI research, developing academic programs, fostering collaborations, and translating innovations for societal impact. Dr Anil K Bhat, Dean of KMC, provided the overview of the Department. He shared a personal reflection on an AI-related project that ended with a publication but lacked real-world implementation in patient care and highlighted that such experiences inspired him to seek meaningful ways to ensure AI-driven research translates into better patient outcomes, which forms the cornerstone of the Department of AI in Healthcare at KMC. The Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences) Dr Sharath K Rao emphasized that AI is poised to transform healthcare not only in diagnostics and treatment but also in medical education through AI literacy. He stressed the importance of recognizing the limitations of AI and ensuring that its application remains under appropriate human oversight. Honourable Vice Chancellor, Dr M D Venkatesh, urged collective effort and collaboration across disciplines to position MAHE as a pioneer in AI implementation in healthcare. He reinforced the vision of growing together towards impactful innovation and translation of AI into practice. The symbolic launch of the department was marked by a video unveiling the vision and roadmap. The coordinators of the Department, Dr Preethi S Shetty, welcomed the gathering, and Dr Rachana concluded the event with a vote of thanks.	25 Aug 2025
Anaesthesiology			
1	Fellowship in Regional Anaesthesia	This is a one-year fellowship program designed to ensure competency in terms of skill, knowledge, and attitude in	01 Jan 2025

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		delivering safe and effective regional anaesthesia for better patient care. This will be a postdoctoral one-year in-house fellowship conducted at different AORA-accredited regional anaesthesia institutions (KMC, Manipal, is an accredited institution) under various AORA-accredited teachers. On successful completion of the course, the fellow should be able to demonstrate competency in terms of skill, knowledge and attitude in delivering safe and effective regional anaesthesia for better patient care.	- 31 Dec 2025
Anatomy			
1	MSc (By Research) in Neuroscience	The MSc (By Research) in Neuroscience at KMC is a two-year postgraduation program divided into four semesters. This course focuses on identifying motivated bachelor's degree holders to take up challenges in neuroscience and impart them with basic and advanced neuroscience technologies to build a pool of next-generation neuroscientists to conduct research of local, national, and global importance to reduce the burden of multiple neurological disorders. The rigorous curriculum for this course at KMC will help students become acquainted with world-class neuroscience research training to perform top-end neuroscience research.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Hand Surgery			
1	Manipal Microsurgery Research Lab	The Manipal Microsurgery Research Lab, under the Department of Hand Surgery, KMC Manipal, was inaugurated on 14 March 2025 at the Central Animal Research Facility, Dr TMA Pai Planetarium Campus, Manipal. Inaugurated by Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE, this cutting-edge lab is designed for microsurgery training for surgeons using rat models. The event was graced by Dean Dr Padmaraj Hegde as the Guest of Honour. The lab is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities, high-precision microscopes, and micro instruments identical to those used in operation theatres, ensuring trainees gain a realistic and hands-on surgical experience. The lab plans to offer a well-structured five-day microsurgery training course at an affordable cost, providing surgeons with hands-on experience under expert guidance simulating real-time operating experience. The program is designed to enhance microsurgical skills with a comprehensive curriculum. The lab will operate under the leadership of Dr Anil K Bhat (HOD) and Dr Ashwath Acharya (Additional Professor), Department of Hand Surgery, who, along with their dedicated team, have worked relentlessly to make this lab a reality for KMC Manipal.	14 Mar 2025
Medical Education			
1	MAHE–Laerdal Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Simulation	Designed to transform how healthcare professionals are trained, this cutting-edge facility brings together advanced simulation technology, hands-on learning, and global best practices—setting a new standard for academic excellence and industry collaboration in the region. The centre was officially inaugurated on 26 June 2025 by Dr Anil K Bhat,	26 Jun 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		Dean, KMC Manipal, who emphasized its transformative role in strengthening skill-based training across specialities and marking a bold step forward in MAHE's commitment to skill-based, future-ready education. Dr Vimal Krishnan S, Coordinator of the Centre highlighted the Centre's potential in empowering both educators and learners, while also aligning with global goals on sustainable and equitable healthcare education. This state-of-the-art facility enriches the existing Simulation Centre at KMC Manipal with advanced simulators, including: A high-fidelity birthing simulator - A laparoscopic skills trainer - An ultrasound simulation trainer. These additions are poised to benefit trainees from multiple specialities—enhancing clinical confidence, procedural competence, and interdisciplinary learning.	
Medical Gastroenterology			
1	Fellowship in Advanced GI Endoscopy 	Through this program post DM candidates will be trained in advanced GI endoscopic intervention like third space endoscopy (EMR, ESD, POEM), therapeutic ERCP and EUS. This fellowship will provide advanced training, will open opportunities in both corporate and institutional jobs.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Fellowship in Gastrointestinal (GI) and Hepato Pancreatico Billiary (HPB) Surgery 	Diseases of the GI and HPB systems are among the most common disorders in India, and the majority of them involve a complex problem-solving approach. Disease management requires a higher level of cognitive and psychomotor skills. In view of recognizing the increasing need and demanding higher skills in GI and HPB surgery, this fellowship in GI and HPB surgery program will fulfil the three objectives of patient care, surgical skill training, and research. The goal of the training fellowship program in GI and HPB surgery is to empower a surgeon to provide tertiary care for patients with complicated problems related to the GI and HPB systems.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Fellowship in Glaucoma 	The Glaucoma Fellowship is a one-year program and the overarching goal of the program is to provide the student with the skills to enable him/her to practice as a glaucoma specialist. The fellowship focuses on clinical training, surgical training, academic activities, research activities, and outreach activities.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Fellowship in Medical Retina and Uvea 	The Medical Retina and Uvea Fellowship is a one-year program. The goal of the program is to provide the student with the skills to enable him/her to practice as a medical retina and uvea specialist. By the end of the fellowship the candidate is expected to be competent in diagnosing and treating patients with medical retina and uveal disorders. The program is structured to familiarize the candidate with all the state-of-the-art retinal investigations and to provide hands-on training in treatment aspects. (Retinal lasers/ROP screening and treatment/intravitreal injections).	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Radiation Oncology			
1	Fellowship in Neuro Radiation Oncology	This fellowship is designed to provide specialized training in neuroradiation oncology, focusing on the management of primary and metastatic brain tumours, spinal tumours, and other neuro-oncological conditions. It integrates advanced techniques such as stereotactic radiosurgery (SRS), intensity-modulated radiation therapy (IMRT), and volumetric modulated arc therapy (VMAT).	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Fellowship in Advanced Radiation Oncology Techniques	This fellowship offers advanced training in state-of-the-art radiation therapy modalities, including Image-Guided Radiation Therapy (IGRT), Adaptive Radiation Therapy, Stereotactic Radiosurgery (SRS), Stereotactic Body Radiotherapy (SBRT), and Image-Guided Brachytherapy. It aims to build expertise in cutting-edge radiation oncology techniques.	01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025
3	Fellowship in Stereotactic Body Radiotherapy (SBRT) in Thoracic and Gastrointestinal Oncology	This fellowship focuses on specialized training in Stereotactic Body Radiation Therapy (SBRT) for thoracic and gastrointestinal (GI) malignancies. It offers in-depth exposure to SBRT planning and delivery using cutting-edge technology and emphasizes a multidisciplinary approach to patient care.	01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025
Reproductive Science			
1	MAHE-Anderson Centre of Excellence in Reproductive Genomics	Inaugurated by Dr Sharath Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor, Health Sciences, MAHE, the centre will be one of its kind, state-of-the-art facilities involving the integration and application of Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS) technologies to advance healthcare. solutions and research in the field of Reproductive Genetics. This Centre will be equipped with the latest NGS system along with other equipment required to provide advanced molecular diagnostics and research with high-quality standards. This centre will be a hub for academic training, innovative research, and advanced diagnostic solutions. The objectives of the centre are 1) To set up IVF-related genomic services for research and diagnostic purposes: Intending to understand the pathophysiology involved in implantation failure and enhance the IVF success rates. 2) To provide broader genetic testing solutions to support pregnancy management, the health of the mother and the child. 3) To promote education, research and collaborations in the field of Reproductive Genomics.	11 Dec 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Health Systems Approach for Cancer Prevention and Management	A CME program was organized by the Centre for Community Oncology, Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal	16 Jan 2025
2	Management Review Meeting	The internal audits for the institute were conducted from 17 to 27 January 2025. The Management Review Meeting was held on 13 February 2025.	13 Feb 2025
3	IQAC Meeting	The Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Internal Auditors meeting was held on 03 April 2025.	03 Apr 2025
4	College Day and Awards Ceremony, KMC Manipal	The Institutional College Day and Awards Ceremony was held on 15 April 2025. Mr Srinivas Peddi, Senior Director and Site Leader-Becton Dickinson Technology Campus India (Ex ISRO, NFTDC, GE, Phillips) Bengaluru, was invited as the Chief Guest of the ceremony.	15 Apr 2025
5	Surveillance audit for ISO 9K and 14K	The Audit Team from M/s TUV Rheinland Pvt Ltd conducted a Surveillance Audit for ISO 9K and 14K at KMC Manipal on 21 April 2025.	21 Apr 2025
6	Management Review Meeting SDG 3 and 4	The internal audits for the institute were conducted from 14 to 26 July 2025. The Management Review Meeting was held on 11 August 2025.	11 Aug 2025
7	IQAC Meeting	The Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Internal Auditors meeting was held on 31 December 2025.	31 Dec 2025
Biochemistry			
1	World Diabetes Day	The Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Manipal, organized a special academic program on World Diabetes Day for the postgraduate students of the department. The primary objective of the program was to enhance awareness about diabetes, provide insights into recent advancements in	14 Nov 2025

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		diabetes-related research, and promote academic engagement through interactive learning sessions. Discussions, presentations, and knowledge-sharing activities enabled students to gain a deeper understanding of the biochemical and clinical aspects of diabetes. To encourage participation and recognize excellence, a prize amount was awarded to the winners of the academic activities conducted as part of the event.	
Consultancy and Entrepreneurship Vertical			
1	Meet the Expert–Insights into Entrepreneurial and Innovation Journey	The workshop was designed for a focused group of about 35 participants, ensuring an interactive and engaging experience. Faculty members and research coordinators from various MAHE institutions attended the session. The discussions provided valuable perspectives on leveraging ideas through research, consultancy, and innovation/IPR, inspiring participants to explore multidisciplinary approaches for professional growth and institutional benefit. The session faculty were Dr Shibu Chameettachal, Associate Professor–Research at KMC, Manipal and a successful entrepreneur, who shared real-life insights from his journey of building two companies and Dr Vikram Baliga, Associate Professor at Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, elucidated MAHE's Consultancy Policy and discussed how faculty can develop alternate revenue streams through consultancy.	15 May 2025
Dermatology, Venereology, and Leprosy			
1	World Leprosy Day	The Department of Dermatology, Venereology, and Leprosy, KMC, Manipal, observed World Leprosy Day on 26 January 2025. To commemorate the day, a series of awareness-driven initiatives were organized. Leprosy awareness posters were displayed in the electronic information boards across the hospital for one week to ensure maximum outreach and patient education. Free consultations and free slit-skin smear examination for AFB for all leprosy patients attending the OPD for one week (27 January to 01 February) were offered.	26 Jan 2025
Doctoral Research Vertical			
1	Workshops for Research Scholars	Workshops on capacity building and academic writing essentials are conducted regularly by the Doctoral Research Vertical to enhance research skills, data analysis, and publishing of research work. The workshops give the doctoral students insight towards clarity, completeness, and correctness in manuscript writing.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Research Talk Series	The Research Talk Series is organized by the Doctoral Vertical for PhD candidates throughout the year.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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Faculty Research Vertical			
1	Journal selection for your manuscript	The Faculty Research vertical conducted 'Journal selection for your manuscript' a faculty development small-group session for 17 faculty.	15 Jan 2025
2	Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analysis Demystified	The session was conducted in collaboration with MAHE ICMR-DHR TRC (Evidence for Guidelines) aimed at equipping attendees with the knowledge and skills to critically evaluate and synthesize existing research for evidence-based clinical practice. The Karnataka Medical Council awarded two credit points per day for this workshop (a total of four credit points). The workshop began with an introduction to the principles and importance of systematic reviews and meta-analyses, followed by a step-by-step guide to the process, including literature search strategies, quality assessment of studies, and statistical approaches for meta-analysis. The speaker, Dr Sachit Anand, shared practical examples and provided hands-on training, making the session highly engaging and interactive. Dr Manya Prasad from ILBS, New Delhi, delivered an online talk on GRADE.	07 - 08 Feb 2025
General Medicine			
1	Educational Program for Young Diabetics	The Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), a Government of India-funded Young Diabetes Registry (YDR) phase III and the Department of Medicine in association with the Department of Paediatrics and Paediatrics Endocrinology Clinic, Manipal, has organized a one-day educational program for Young Diabetics. The fasting blood sugar (FBS) and glycated haemoglobin (HbA1c), along with anthropometric and vital parameters, were measured free of cost. The educational and practice sessions were conducted with the help of the Department of Yoga Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research, MAHE, Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, Department of Physiotherapy, Department of Psychiatry and Department of Ophthalmology, followed by the free yoga consultation and demonstration, diet demonstration for every meal with complete scientific nutritional knowledge, diabetic foot care awareness, and eye check-up for diabetic complications respectively, by these departments. Self-introduction by young diabetics, inspirational talks, participation in fun games, quizzes, and cultural programs were added events to the program, which helped motivate the young patients to cheer up. Diabetic food provided to young diabetic patients and their caretakers.	06 Jan 2025
Hand Surgery			
1	National Hand Surgery Day	As part of the event, a series of informative posters addressing various aspects of hand surgery were prominently displayed in the outpatient department. These posters focused on hand-specific first aid measures, recommended guidelines	23 Aug 2025

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		and precautions, and commonly encountered yet challenging hand disorders such as carpal tunnel syndrome, De Quervain's tenosynovitis, and trigger finger. The event also featured short Instagram reels aimed at public awareness, including content on bike chain injuries and cracker burst injuries by Dr Anil K Bhat as well as awareness on digit reimplantation and birth brachial plexus palsy by Dr Ashwath Acharya. Educational videos on the prevention of repetitive stress injuries related to mobile phone usage and the prevention of paediatric hand injuries were presented by Dr Deepthi Paraj and Dr Mithun Pai, respectively.	
Innovation, IPR, and Patents Vertical			
1	Pathways for patent commercialization and product development 	The Innovation and IPR vertical, in collaboration with the Entrepreneurship and Consultancy Vertical conducted a workshop for about 37 participants on commercialization of patents.	24 Jun 2025
2	Insights into Industry-grade product designing 	Faculty members from KMC, Manipal, and their collaborators from MAHE institutions were invited to present their collaborative projects (Technology Readiness Level 1–6) for personalized industry-oriented discussions. The program was preceded by an Industry-Grade Product Design Bootcamp Lecture delivered at TAPMI, Manipal, on 10 September 2025 which was held as a part of Lifeathon 2.0 (organised at TAPMI). This session, open to all faculty, addressed fundamental principles of product design, bridging academic innovation with practical, market-driven execution. Following the lecture, one-to-one small group interactions were organized with the invited resource person, the CEO of Resnova Technologies Pvt Ltd, at KMC, Manipal, on 11 September 2025. Each participating faculty project was allotted a dedicated time slot to discuss current challenges, execution bottlenecks, prototyping issues, and other developmental hurdles. The resource person provided tailored feedback, shared potential solutions, and suggested future pathways for advancing these projects. In total, 13 faculty projects were reviewed during the session. The format of personalized mentoring was highly appreciated, with faculty members acknowledging the relevance and practicality of the guidance received. The event fostered a stronger industry-academia interface, providing critical insights to support the translation of research ideas into impactful, real-world solutions.	10 - 11 Sep 2025
3	Lifeathon 2.0 Phase 2 with Patent filing camp	At Phase 2 of Lifeathon 2.0, a total of 45 interdisciplinary teams presented their innovative healthcare solutions to a distinguished panel of judges comprising experts from clinical, technical, and industry backgrounds. The event also received strong support from the MAHE Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer Office (IPTTO), which provided	23 Oct 2025

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		guidance and facilitation for patent filing of the solutions developed by the participating teams. In addition, the participants had avenues to discuss success stories and have open discussions with Lifeathon 2024 winners and have prelim discussion with TAPMI faculty at the Business Clinic. The event also received active participation and timely support from the faculty and staff of the Innovation Centre, MAHE, Entrepreneurship and Consultancy Research Vertical, KMC, an enthusiastic group of student innovators from KMC SRF, Incandescent, and the E-Cell of MIT, KMC and Research Office and the event support ecosystem of MAHE.	
International Engagements, Alumni and Overseas Faculty Vertical			
1	Crafting Your Career Workshop	An enriching and insightful workshop titled "Crafting Your Career" was organized by the Internationalization, Alumni Engagement and Overseas Faculty Research Vertical, in association with IndiaBioscience. The event, held online via Zoom, aimed to equip early-career faculty, postdocs, and PhD students at KMC, Manipal, with essential skills and strategies to navigate the complexities of career development. The workshop attracted a diverse group of participants, all eager to enhance their career prospects and make well-informed decisions about their future paths. The objective of the workshop was to provide participants with valuable tools to help them make informed career decisions. Over the course of the three-hour session, a series of carefully curated topics were covered, designed to empower the attendees with the knowledge and skills needed to advance their careers. A CYC workbook was also shared and the participants worked on the practical exercises to identify their skills and interests. The participants were also able to map the job roles which they may focus on for their career.	19 Feb 2025
2	Rhythms of Success: Neuroscience of Sleep and Research Careers in the USA and Australia	The research symposium organized by the IOPA Vertical brought together leading neuroscientists to present groundbreaking work in understanding brain function through innovative experimental models. The event featured two distinguished talks, followed by a career guidance session focused on opportunities in neuroscience research and the integration of clinical and basic science. Dr Bruno van Swinderen, Professor at the Queensland Brain Institute, University of Queensland, delivered a compelling presentation on how optogenetics can unravel the mechanisms of general anaesthesia. Dr Paul Shaw, Professor of Neuroscience at Washington University in St Louis, shared his team's novel findings on the intersection of sleep, memory, and circadian biology. The event concluded with an informative career and research guidance session, highlighting PhD and postdoctoral opportunities in the USA and Australia.	17 Mar 2025
3	Research and Reality: Juggling Research and Patient Care	A workshop on balancing research and patient care was conducted by the IAO Vertical. Dr Karishma Kaushik, Executive Director, IndiaBioscience, was the guest speaker.	12 May 2025

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4	Faculty Development Program: A Primer on Global Higher Education – Internationalization in Higher Education 	The four-day event aimed to equip faculty members, administrators, and staff with essential knowledge and skills to navigate the evolving landscape of global higher education. The program focused on exploring concepts, strategies, and best practices related to internationalization. Participants delved into understanding the global higher education landscape, integrating international viewpoints into pedagogy and research, building robust partnerships and collaborations, boosting faculty and student mobility, and exploring accreditation and benchmarking standards. These elements were designed to provide actionable tools for advancing internationalization efforts, reflecting the growing importance of cross-border education in an interconnected world. The program was particularly timely, given the increasing emphasis on global rankings, student exchanges, and collaborative research initiatives in India and beyond.	13 - 16 Oct 2025
Kasturba Hospital			
1	Corporate Cricket League–2025	The 4th edition of the Kasturba Hospital Corporate Cricket League (KH-CCL) 2025 was inaugurated on 17 January at the Manipal End Point ground. The event, featuring 24 teams from various sectors, was inaugurated by Dr H S Ballal and Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh. Dr Ballal emphasized MAHE's support for sports, while Dr Venkatesh highlighted the tournament's role in fostering teamwork and networking. The three-day event runs from 17 to 19 January 2025, offering exciting cricket matches and opportunities for professional connections.	17 - 19 Jan 2025
2	Sahayoga-A comprehensive care program for children with Type 1 diabetes, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal 	MAHE Manipal launched the “Sahayoga: Comprehensive Care for Children with Type 1 Diabetes” initiative on 07 February 2025, at Kasturba Hospital. The program, supported by the Manipal Foundation, provides affordable care, including insulin, glucometers, and glucose strips, to economically disadvantaged children. Dr Ranjan R Pai launched the initiative, emphasizing MAHE's commitment to accessible healthcare. The program aims to unite families, teachers, and specialists to improve outcomes for children with type 1 diabetes. Dignitaries including Dr H S Ballal and Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, attended the event.	07 Feb 2025
3	Medical Laboratory Professionals Week 	Various departments comprising the Kasturba Hospital Laboratory Services celebrated the Medical Laboratory Professionals Week. An event was organized on 22 April 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Hall, Manipal, with this year’s theme, “The Future is Lab.” Dr Avinash Shetty, Medical Superintendent, Kasturba Hospital, was the Chief Guest for the event. The celebration commemorates the indispensable	14 - 20 Apr 2025

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		role of medical laboratory professionals and pathologists in healthcare and patient advocacy.	
4	World No Tobacco Day	Kasturba Hospital marked World No Tobacco Day 2025 with an awareness program held at 09:30 am in the hospital registration area. The event was a collaborative effort by the Departments of Respiratory Medicine, Psychiatry, and ENT. This year's theme, "Unmasking the Appeal: Exposing Industry Tactics on Tobacco and Nicotine Products," focused on revealing how the tobacco industry targets young people and women through misleading marketing and product design.	31 May 2025
5	World Blood Donor Day	Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, observed World Blood Donor Day 2025 with a special event dedicated to acknowledging the invaluable contributions of voluntary blood donors, motivators, and organizers. Celebrated annually on 14 June, this global initiative highlights the critical need for safe blood and blood products while expressing gratitude to those who donate. This year's theme, "Give blood, give hope: together we save lives," underscores the powerful impact of community participation in saving lives through blood donation. The program was inaugurated by Chief Guest Nadoja Dr G Shankar, Captain Brijesh Chowta, Member of Parliament, Dakshina Kannada, Sri Yashpal Suvarna, MLA, Udupi, with Dr Shrirama Rao, Family Welfare Officer of Udupi District, serving as the Guest of Honour.	14 Jun 2025
Microbiology			
1	World Hepatitis Day	An awareness program on Viral Hepatitis was organized by the Department of Microbiology, KMC Manipal, in recognition of World Hepatitis Day. The event featured engaging role-plays and a display of informative posters aimed at raising awareness about viral hepatitis. The target audience included technical staff and Group D workers.	28 Jul 2025
Neonatology			
1	World Prematurity Day	As part of the program, a quiz competition was conducted for nursing staff and BSc nursing students to enhance their knowledge and understanding of prematurity and neonatal care. This was followed by structured demonstrations by senior NICU nursing staff on Kangaroo Mother Care (KMC), maintenance of asepsis (ANTT), appropriate breastfeeding techniques, and developmental supportive care. Additionally, an awareness program for mothers was organized to educate them on the importance of antenatal care, early recognition of preterm labour, essential care of premature infants, and measures to improve neonatal outcomes. The event underscored the department's commitment to strengthening neonatal health services and promoting awareness about the challenges and specialized care required for preterm infants.	17 Nov 2025

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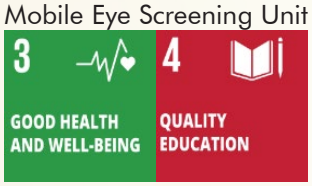
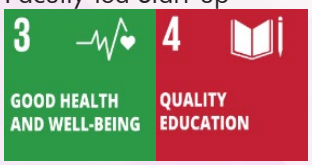
Nephrology			
1	World Kidney Day	The Nephrology Department organized a successful World Kidney Day event on 13 March 2025, aimed at raising awareness about kidney health and the prevention of kidney disease. The program included educational sessions highlighting the importance of early detection, healthy lifestyle choices, and regular screening to maintain optimal kidney function.	13 Mar 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	World Glaucoma Week	World Glaucoma Week 2025 was observed on 10 March 2025 in the KH OPD lobby. The event featured the inauguration of the Glaucoma Fellowship Program. This was followed by a half-day glaucoma screening camp conducted in the OPD lobby, during which 97 patients were screened.	10 Mar 2025
2	Drishti Chakra - Advanced Mobile Eye Screening Unit 	Drishti Chakra is an advanced mobile eye screening unit launched to bring comprehensive eye care closer to the community. The customized bus is fully equipped to detect cataract, glaucoma, diabetic retinopathy, corneal blindness, and refractive errors, ensuring early diagnosis and prevention of avoidable blindness. In addition, the unit will identify individuals with low vision or blindness and provide on-site vision rehabilitation, training, and counselling to help them lead more independent lives. The event was graced by Mr Abid Gadiyal, Additional Deputy Commissioner, Udupi District as chief guest. Covering the districts of Udupi, Dakshina Kannada, Uttara Kannada, Shivamogga, and Chikkamagaluru, this initiative is a CSR project of the Manipal Foundation, led by Dr Sulatha V Bhandary with co-investigators Dr Yogish Kamath, HOD Ophthalmology, Dr Krithica, HOD Optometry, and Dr Ashwini Kumar, HOD Community Medicine. This initiative is supported by the administrative heads of Kasturba Medical College Manipal, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal College of Health Professions and MAHE. Drishti Chakra represents a significant step toward accessible and community-based eye healthcare.	30 Oct 2025
Otorhinolaryngology			
1	Mazedoc Clinical Innovations Private Limited Faculty-led Start-up 	Mazedoc Clinical Innovations Private Limited is a faculty-led startup founded by Dr Akshay P, Senior Resident in the Department of ENT, KMC Manipal. The company is incubated at the Manipal–Government of Karnataka Bioincubator. Mazedoc is a learning platform where students engage with AI-generated clinical case scenarios to enhance their patient-care skills. This hands-on, interactive approach strengthens real-world problem-solving abilities and prepares learners for future clinical practice. Mazedoc has also signed an MoU with Incandescent, the Student Innovation Club at KMC Manipal, through which students actively contribute to the development, design, testing, and	29 Jan 2025

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		marketing of this unique product—gaining valuable exposure beyond medicine.	
Paediatric Oncology			
1	International Childhood Cancer Day	The Department of Paediatric Oncology organized an event featuring an entertainment program to uplift the spirits of children battling cancer, undergoing treatment, their caregivers, and cancer survivors. The event was held as part of the three-year campaign (2024-2026) under the theme "Inspiring Action". Together with supporting staff from the hospital, the day was filled with joy, bringing smiles to the faces of the courageous young patients and their families.	15 - 26 Feb 2025
Postgraduate Research Vertical			
1	PG Research Vertical Workshops	The Postgraduate Research Vertical conducted various workshops throughout the year, including protocol writing workshops, manuscript writing workshops, framing review of literature workshops, and Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP).	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	PG Research Orientation	Orientation sessions on research for postgraduate students were conducted.	27 Feb 2025
Psychiatry			
1	World Schizophrenia Day	World Schizophrenia Awareness Day, observed annually on 24 May, highlights a psychiatric disorder that affects approximately 24 million people worldwide, impacting about 1 in 300 adults (0.3%). It presents serious challenges, including disability, social exclusion, discrimination, and a significantly reduced life expectancy. At KMC, Manipal, the Department of Psychiatry operates two complementary initiatives: the Hombelaku Psychiatric Rehabilitation Centre, a 50 bed, medium to long term residential facility integrated with the university that has offered day care and holistic care since 2010; and the Manipal Model of Assertive Community Treatment (M ACT), a community-based program providing individualized outreach, psychosocial therapy, and medication support. Both programs offer skill training in home management and vocational areas, along with regular pharmacological and psychosocial therapies delivered at the centre and within the community. To commemorate World Schizophrenia Day on 24 May 2025, an exhibition and sale of products made by residents—demonstrating their talents, progress, and commitment to reintegration and empowerment—were held on that date at the OPD of KMC, Manipal.	24 May 2025
Reproductive Science			
1	Science Day–Prehelika	The Department of Reproductive Science organized Science Day–Prehelika to promote scientific creativity among	05 Mar 2025

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		students. The event was inaugurated by esteemed guests Dr. Susana Chuva de Sousa Lopes from Leiden University Medical Center, Netherlands, and Dr Bernard Roelen from Utrecht University, Netherlands. The program commenced with a painting competition, symbolizing the spirit of science and innovation, and contributing creative artwork to the department. This was followed by interactive activities (quiz and games) designed to foster scientific engagement and teamwork.	
Research Ethics and Regulations Vertical			
1	MoUs, Insurance, Green Channel Review for Research and Advisory Group for Clinical Ethics	The awareness program was envisioned by the RER vertical of KMC, Manipal, to empower the researchers with the significance of these processes and to mitigate the common hurdles perceived by researchers in procuring the clearance for MOUs/agreements, financial cover for unexpected adverse events in research and expedited approvals for lower-risk projects through decentralization. Additionally, the event included a session by international faculty on role of advisory board on clinical ethics. Ms Mirul Bhavsar and Ms Nikita L Menezes highlighting the need for formal agreements to safeguard the interests of researchers and institutes through an interactive and case-based learning. Mr Sripathi U S, Coordinator of Insurance, MAHE, informed the participants about the coverage under group insurance for research-related injury in academic trials. Dr Rajeshkrishna Bhandary P, Chair RER Vertical, highlighted the criteria and nature of research that would be included under the group insurance and the process of application. Dr Ashish Minocha, Paediatric Surgeon and Chair of Clinical Ethics Advisory Board from Norwich University, spoke about the relevance of advisory group for clinical situations that bring out ethical dilemmas and the best practices at the UK for end-of-life care, organ donation, and conflicts between clinical and research protocols and emphasized the need for a statutory committee within each university to deal with such situations.	31 Oct 2025
Research Funding and Grants Vertical			
1	Grant Writing Workshop	The Research Funding and Grants Vertical conducted five grant writing workshops for students and faculty. The workshops aimed at aiding the researchers in building a research portfolio, documentation and proposal writing.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Undergraduate Research Vertical			
1	Research orientation sessions	The UG Research Vertical conducted over nine orientation workshops on research for MBBS students to bring in awareness and encourage students to get involved in research through ICMR Stort Term Studentship and other research opportunities. The sessions covered various aspects such as literature review, study designs and methodology, ethics in research, and case writing and presentation.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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2	Protocol Writing Workshop	A full-day protocol writing workshop was conducted for MBBS students.	11 Feb 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

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Anaesthesiology				
1	Dr Sekar	Ganga Hospital, Coimbatore	Visited to give a lecture on "How do I do it? on Anaesthesia and Analgesia for THR and TKR" at Paediatric Seminar Hall, KMC, Manipal.	02 Apr 2025
2	Dr Ramkumar V	Former HOD, Department of Anaesthesia, KMC Manipal	Delivered a guest lecture on "Ventilation Perfusion Relationships" to the postgraduate students.	08 Apr 2025
3	Dr Ravishankar Rao Baikady	Consultant in Anaesthesia and Peri-Operative Medicine, The Royal Marsden Hospital, London, UK	Gave talk on "What's New in Anaesthesia for Cancer Surgery".	29 Aug 2025
Biochemistry				
1	Dr Vivek R Joshi	Drexel University, USA	Visited to give an Alumni and Adjunct faculty talk in the Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Manipal.	29 Mar 2025
2	Dr Shilpy Sharma	Assistant Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Savitribai Phule, Pune University	Visited to give a guest lecture in the Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Manipal.	07 - 10 Apr 2025
Critical Care				
1	Dr Nagesh	Department of Critical Care SDM Medical College, Dharwad	Visited to give a guest lecture. Topic: ECMO in Resource- Limited Settings.	04 Apr 2025
Dermatology, Venereology, and Leprosy				
1	Dr Ganesh S Pai	Medical Director, DERMA-CARE, Skin and Cosmetology Centre, Mangalore	Dr Pai was the resource person and delivered a guest lecture on Ixekizumab. About 25 members participated in the guest lecture. It is useful for faculty and PG students.	04 Jun 2025
2	Dr Shailee Patel	Dermatologist, Satvam, The skin Clinic, Ahmedabad	Dr Patel, our alumnus, delivered a guest lecture on the "Basics of IPL" online. Our staff and PGs benefitted by this lecture. About 30 delegates attended the same.	22 Jul 2025
3	Dr Sandhiya Ramesh, MD(DVL), DNB(DVL)	SCE Derm United Kingdom	Delivered a guest lecture on Management of Ingrown Toenail in the Alumni Connect guest lecture program. About 30 delegates participated in the guest lecture.	22 Aug 2025

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			Postgraduate students and junior faculties benefitted from the guest lecture.	
Head and Neck Surgery				
1	Dr Produl Hazarika	Nemcare Hospitals Pvt Ltd, GMCH Road, Bhangagarh, Guwahati, Assam, India	Delivered a guest lecture on "Spectrum Analysis of Parapharyngeal Mass" at the CME.	20 Feb 2025
2	Dr Praveen Shastry	Head of Technical and Clinical Academics, Manipal HealthMap	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "CT Thorax in ICU: Patterns, Pitfalls, and Critical Clues".	06 Mar 2025
3	Dr Satish Nair	Professor, Senior Consultant-ENT, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru	Visited to give a talk at ENT OPD Classroom 10, KMC, Manipal.	04 Apr 2025
4	Dr Ajoy Varghese	Professor, Department of Otorhinolaryngology Christian Medical College, Vellore Ida Scudder Road, Vellore–632004, Tamil Nadu, India	Visited to give a lecture on "Paediatric Respiratory Distress Evaluation and Management" in the emergency department.	26 Jun 2025
5	Dr Bipin T Varghese	The Regional Cancer Centre (RCC), Thiruvananthapuram	Gave a lecture on "Curriculum Evolution in Head and Neck Lessons from Larynx and Hypopharynx".	26 Jun 2025
6	Dr Mathhew Old, MD, FACS	Professor, Department of ORL-HNS Medical Director, The James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute Wexner Medical Centre (Ohio State University)	Delivered a guest lecture on "The Journey of an oral cavity cancer patient in the US."	22 Aug 2025
Neonatology				
1	Dr Prasad Bhandary	UK Health	Delivered a guest lecture on Recent Advanced Neonatal Ventilation to the postgraduate students.	21 - 25 Feb 2025
2	Dr Ketki Umesh Falak	Sangamwadi Pune, Maharashtra	Visited to present a lecture on the Advanced Neonatal Parenteral Nutrition workshop. (Topic: Compounding of TPN).	07 Mar 2025
3	Dr Umesh Vaidhya	Head of Neonatology, King Edward Memorial Hospital and Clodnine Maternity Hospital, Pune	Visited to give a guest lecture on the Advanced Neonatal Parenteral Nutrition workshop (Topic: Importance and Basics of TPN, PN calculations: Manual and Software, Case study 3-Special scenarios).	07 Mar 2025
4	Dr Asuri Narayan Prasad	LHSC, Canada	Visited to discuss about the Neonatal Neurology case-based discussion at the Department of Neonatology, KMC, Manipal.	14 Mar 2025
5	Dr Asuri N Prasad	Western University and Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry	Delivered a lecture on MRI in Paediatrics.	26 Apr 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology				
1	Dr Kiran Kulkarni	SJMC Bengaluru	Online case discussion by alumni adjunct faculty.	25 Oct 2025

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Ophthalmology				
1	Dr Jerome Ozkan	School of Optometry and Vision Science, UNSW, Sydney	Visited for the International Pre-Conference Workshop on Exploring the Hidden World of Microbial Diversity, organized by the Department of Ophthalmology and Microbiology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, 3rd floor, KMC, Manipal,	13 Jan 2025
2	Mr Karthik, Phaco Development Specialist	Alcon Laboratories	Guest lecture by the Alcon team for postgraduate students	19 Nov 2025
Otorhinolaryngology				
1	Dr Mubarak Khan	Director, Sushrut ENT Hospital and Dr Khan's Research Centre, Talegaon, Pune	Gave an online lecture on "Endoscopic Revision of Cholesteatoma Surgery and Concept of Neomastoid Creation".	19 Feb 2025
2	Dr Shrinath Kamath	Professor, Dept of ENT-Head and Neck Surgery, KS Hegde Medical College, Mangalore	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
3	Dr Deviprasad D	Professor and Head, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
4	Dr Suja Shreedharan	Professor, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
5	Dr Ajay Bhandarkar	ENT Consultant, NMC Hospital Abu Dhabi	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
6	Dr Udayabhanu	Associate Professor, Department of ENT Akash Institute of Medical Sciences, Prasannahalli, Bengaluru Rural–562110	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
7	Dr Vinay Rao	Consultant, Father Mullers Hospital, Mangalore	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
8	Dr Deekshith R M	ENT Consultant, Yenepoya Medical College and Hospital, Mangalore	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
9	Dr Anand V	Director of MCV Memorial ENT Hospital, Pollachi, Coimbatore District	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
10	Dr Shama Shetty	ENT & Head & Neck Consultant, Sparsh Hospital, Bengaluru	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
11	Dr Architha Menon	Dr Panicker's Good Health ENT Centre, Trivandrum, Kerala	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025

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12	Dr George Varghese	GV ENT Centre, Seaport–Airport Road, CEPZ PO, Chittethukara, Kochi	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
13	Dr Satish Nair	Senior Consultant – ENT, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru,98, Old Airport Road, Kodihalli, Bengaluru-560017	He was a resource person for the Manipal FESS Workshop-2025 with hands-on cadaver dissection.	04 - 05 Apr 2025
14	Dr Ajoy Varghese	Department of ENT, Christian Medical College, Vellore-632004	Dr Ajoy Varghese, a renowned professor from the Department of ENT, Christian Medical College, Vellore, was invited as the guest speaker for the Continuing Medical Education (CME) session on Paediatric Respiratory Distress Evaluation and Management.	26 Jun 2025
15	Dr Bipin T Varghese	Additional Professor (Head and Neck Surgery) Department of Surgical Services, Regional Cancer Centre Trivandrum, Kerala, India.	Visited as a guest lecturer for CME and gave a talk on Curriculum Evolution in Head and Neck Lessons from Larynx and Hypopharynx.	26 Jun 2025
16	Dr Sanjay Subbaiah	Consultant in Voice and Swallowing Disorders, MS ENT Voice Clinic and Visiting Consultant at NIMHANS, Bengaluru.	Delivered a guest lecturer on 1) Nonselective Laryngeal Reinnervation. 2) Difficult Laryngoscopy. 3) Type 1 Thyroplasty and Arytenoid Adduction. 4) Spasmodic dysphonia. 5) Neurolaryngology–Past, Present, and Future. 6) Demonstration of Thyroplasty and Suture Lateralization. 7) Panellist on Airway and Voice Disorders.	11 - 12 Jul 2025
17	Dr Shashidhar T	ARTEMIS Hospital, Gurgaon	Gave a guest lecture on "AI tools for ENT Surgeons: How to get started".	11 Jul 2025
18	Dr E V Raman	Founder Director, Children's Airway and Swallowing Centre (CASC), Manipal Hospital, Bangalore	Visited and gave a guest lecture on 1) Noisy breathing in children–evaluation. 2) Evolution of Paediatric Airway Surgery. 3) Paediatric Airway Surgery–What not to do. 4) Panellist on Airway and Voice Disorders.	11 - 12 Jul 2025
19	Dr Shashidhar T	Consultant Ent Surgeon, Specialized Airway Surgery, ARTEMIS Hospital, Gurgaon	Gave guest lecture on 1) Evaluation and Assessment of Laryngotracheal Stenosis. 2) Management of Laryngotracheal Trauma. 3) Slide Tracheoplasty. 4) Complications in Airway Surgery. 5) Demonstration of Anterior and Posterior Cricoid Split, Cartilage Graft Carving and Slide Tracheoplasty. 6) Panellist on Airway and Voice Disorders.	11 - 12 Jul 2025
20	Dr Rakesh Srivastav	Consultant ENT Surgeon, Specialized Airway Surgery, Sushruth Plastic and Super Speciality Hospital, Lucknow	Visited to deliver guest lecture on 1) Narrow Band Imaging. 2) Role of THRIVE in Airway Surgery. 3) Nebulization and Medication in Airway Surgery. 4) SILSI in Airway Surgery. 5) My Journey in Advancing Minimally	11 - 12 Jul 2025

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			Invasive Airway Stenosis Treatment. 6) Panellist on Airway and Voice Disorders.	
21	Dr Sunil Narayana Dutt	Head of Cochlear Implant Program, Apollo Karnataka Region, Apollo International Hospitals, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore.	Delivered a guest lecture on the Cochlear Implantation Program and Surgical Aspects of Cochlear Implant.	23 Aug 2025
22	Dr Shyan Vijayasekaran	Consultant Surgeon, Otolaryngology–Head and Neck Surgery, Perth Children's Hospital, Subiaco.	Delivered a talk on "Paediatric OSA and Nasal Obstruction in Neonates and Infants," focusing on recent advances and clinical approaches in the management of paediatric airway disorders.	14 Sep 2025
23	Dr Deepak Mehta	Professor, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas, USA	During his visit, Dr Mehta addressed the following topics: 1. Endoscopic Airway Surgery. 2. Airway Malacia–Challenges in Management. 3. Patient Communication–How We Can Be Better."	14 Sep 2025
24	Dr Sunil Narayan Dutt	Head of Cochlear Implant Program, Apollo Karnataka Region, Apollo International Hospitals, Bannerghatta Road, Opposite IIM (B), Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru-560076, India.	He has delivered numerous orations and lectures at national and international forums, authored scientific papers, and mentored several postgraduate trainees and fellows in otology and implant surgery. Known for his passion for innovation and patient-centred care, Dr Dutt continues to redefine the landscape of hearing healthcare through the integration of cutting-edge science and technology.	23 Sep 2025
25	Dr Arun Pajaniappane	Hon Secretary British Association of Audiovestibular Physicians Director Harley Street Audiovestibular Clinic St George's University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust Bushey Heath Hertfordshire WD23 1NZ	Delivered a guest lecture on "Assessment of the dizzy patient" for the postgraduate students of the Department of Otorhinolaryngology.	14 Nov 2025
26	Dr Surinder K Jindal	Emeritus-Professor and Former Head, Pulmonary Medicine, Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "AMR: The Silent Pandemic-different aspects of antimicrobial resistance in various specialities (Pulmonary Medicine)".	26 Nov 2025
27	Dr Avijit Bhattacharya	Manipal Hospital, AMRI, Sri Auribubdi Seva Kendra (EEDF)	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "AMR: The Silent Pandemic - different aspects of antimicrobial resistance in various specialities (Internal Medicine)".	26 Nov 2025
28	Dr Aruna Poojary	Laboratory Director, Dept of Pathology & Microbiology, Breach Candy Hospital	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "AMR: The Silent Pandemic - different aspects of antimicrobial resistance in various specialities (Pathology and Microbiology)".	26 Nov 2025
29	Dr Meenesh Juvekar	Bombay Hospital, Mumbai	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "AMR: The Silent Pandemic - different aspects of antimicrobial resistance in various specialities (ENT)".	26 Nov 2025

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Paediatric Oncology				
1	Dr Raj Warrier	Honorary Professor, Oschner Children's Hospital, Louisiana	Visited as a guest lecturer to discuss paediatric brain tumours and clinical scenarios in haematology.	10 Jan 2025
2	Dr Shalini Shenoy	WashU Medicine Department of Paediatrics, St Louis.	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "Difficult cases in BMT" as part of the session on "Approach to paediatric brain tumours".	10 Jan 2025
3	Dr Stacy Dury	Psychiatrist-in-Chief, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioural Science Leon Eisenberg Chair of Psychiatry, Professor and Chair, Harvard Medical School	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic 'Family is patient' as part of the session on "Approach to paediatric brain tumours".	11 Jan 2025
4	Dr Margaret Gleason	Boston Children's Hospital	Delivered a guest lecture on the topic "Family is patient" as part of the session on "Approach to paediatric brain tumours".	11 Jan 2025
5	Dr Catherine G Haiyes	Medical Director Paediatric and Adolescent Gynaecology program, Primary Children's Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT	Delivered a guest lecture on "Code Red: How to evaluate and treat heavy menstrual bleeding in adolescents".	22 Apr 2025
Paediatrics				
1	Dr Vijayalakshmi Bhatia	Professor, Department of Paediatric Endocrinology, SGPGI, Lucknow.	Gave a lecture on "Evaluation of metabolic bone diseases in children–Lab to DXA".	03 Oct 2025
Paediatric Orthopaedic				
1	Dr James Fernadez	Consultant of Sheffil Children Hospital, Sheffil, UK	Visited to participate in CME on common and uncommon disorders in Paediatric Orthopaedics	27 Jan 2025
Pharmacology				
1	Dr Amoolya Gowda	Associate Global Medical Director, Novo Nordisk, Copenhagen, Denmark	Dr Gowda was given an online alumni guest talk on the topic "Transforming Patient Lives Beyond the Clinic: Evolving Role of Physicians in Drug Development and Medical Affairs".	30 Jun 2025
Reproductive Medicine and Surgery				
1	Dr Sonal Panchal	Consultant Sonography Specialist, Dr Nagori's Institute for Infertility and IVF, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Conducted an online class on "Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS)".	06 Aug 2025
2	Dr Sonal Panchal	Consultant Sonography Specialist, Dr Nagori's Institute for Infertility and IVF, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Conducted an online class on "A pre-trigger assessment for Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS)".	07 Aug 2025
3	Dr Sonal Panchal	Consultant Sonography Specialist, Dr Nagori's Institute for Infertility and IVF, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Conducted an online class on "Endometrial Evaluation".	13 Aug 2025

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4	Dr Sonal Panchal	Consultant Sonography Specialist, Dr Nagori's Institute for Infertility and IVF, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Conducted an online class on "Oocyte Pick-up".	14 Aug 2025
5	Dr Sonal Panchal	Consultant Sonography Specialist, Dr Nagori's Institute for Infertility and IVF, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Conducted an online class on "Baseline (Day 2) scan evaluation (individualized stimulation protocol)".	27 Aug 2025
6	Dr Sonal Panchal	Consultant Sonography Specialist, Dr Nagori's Institute for Infertility and IVF, Ahmedabad, Gujarat	Conducted an online class on "Luteal Phase Support".	28 Aug 2025
Reproductive Science				
1	Prof Kshitish Acharya	Institute of Bioinformatics and Applied Biotechnology (IBAB), Bengaluru	Delivered an online guest talk on "Computational Studies on Toxicology". His talk was focused on the importance of computational studies, particularly molecular docking and simulations, to get insights into the toxic compounds and their biological effects. He gave an overview of the software and databases used in the toxicological studies, such as QSAR, PBPK, PubChem, etc. It was an enriching experience engaging with students and researchers who are passionate about the intersection of computational science and human health.	20 May 2025
2	Dr Meenal Agarwal, MD, DM	Head of Department of Medical Genetics, KEM Hospital, Pune	Visited as adjunct faculty to deliver a lecture on "Preimplantation Genetic Testing".	12 Jul 2025
3	Dr Meenal Agarwal	Head of Department of Medical Genetics, KEM Hospital, Pune	Delivered a guest faculty lecture session on "Preimplantation Genetic Testing".	12 Jul 2025
4	Dr Siddhartha Shankar Lyek	Manager and Team Leader (Animal Reproduction), National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) Anand, Gujarat.	To deliver a guest lecture on "Application of ART in Livestock Improvement"	04 Aug 2025
5	Prof Kshitish K Acharya	Transcriptomics and Reproductive Biology, Institute of Bioinformatics and Applied Biotechnology (IBAB), Bengaluru	In this lecture, Dr Acharya provided an overview of the omics concept, such as genomics, transcriptomics, proteomics, and metabolomics, and their application in understanding the complex biological systems and personalized medicine.	16 Oct 2025
6	Prof Kshitish K Acharya	Transcriptomics and Reproductive Biology, Institute of Bioinformatics and Applied Biotechnology	Dr Acharya delivered a lecture on "Network Analysis and explained how to explore AI and Machine Learning to analyze the big data generated in omics".	17 Nov 2025

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Respiratory Medicine				
1	Dr Amithash M P	Consultant Pulmonologist at Sarji Hospital, Shivamogga.	Visited to give an Alumni Talk on a Career in Pulmonology Post-MD.	05 Jun 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non-Indexed
1,033	22	356	2

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
253	106	191	56

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
CME/CDE	42	1
Conference	7	3
Workshop	56	4
Seminar	9	0
Other	224	0

Books/chapters authored by faculty members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Hospital Administration					
1	Revolutionizing Healthcare Experience with Digital Medical Tourism	Regulatory Frameworks and Patient Privacy in Digital Medical Tourism	Dr P Naveen Kumar	IGI Global Scientific Publishing, [2025]	01 Dec 2025
Microbiology					
1	Anaerobes of Clinical Significance	Chapter 3, Laboratory Diagnostic Techniques for Anaerobes with Recent Updates page 30-59;	Dr Padmaja A Shenoy	Cambridge Scholar Publishing	01 Dec 2025
2	Anaerobes of Clinical Significance	Gram Positive Anaerobic Cocci of Medical Importance	Ms Seema Shetty	Cambridge Scholars Publishing	01 Dec 2025
Neurosurgery					
1	Ramamurthi and Tandon's Textbook of Neurosurgery	Cerebral Revascularisation	Dr Nithin Raj S D	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publisher's Pvt Ltd	31 Dec 2025

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Obstetrics and Gynaecology					
1	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology	Dysmenorrhoea	Dr Brihathi Pranavi Dasari	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
2	FOGSI EEBR 2025 ethical evidence-based recommendations	Therapeutics in Preeclampsia	Dr Brihathi Pranavi Dasari	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
3	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology 10th edition	1. Epithelial abnormalities of the genital tract 2. Genital cancers	Dr Shyamala Guruvare	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
4	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology 10th edition	Tumors of Vulva	Dr Rekha	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
5	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology 10th edition	1. Disorders of sex Differentiation 2. Female Genital Mutilation 3. Pelvic Organ Prolapse	Dr Rajeshwari Bhat	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
6	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology 10th edition	Genetics in Gynaecology	Dr Krupa Hitesh Shah	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
7	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology 10th edition	Instrument in Gynaecological Procedures	Dr Pooja H N	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
8	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology 10th edition	Anatomy	Dr Argyia Desouza	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
Ophthalmology					
1	Monograph on the Neonatal Ocular Surface evaluating the early life microbiome		Dr Sulatha V Bhandary	Manipal Universal Press	31 Dec 2025
Pharmacology					
1	Preparatory Manual of Animal Handling and Experimental Pharmacology	Screening of Effect of drugs on wound healing using animal models	Dr Meena Kumari K	Adhyyan Books	31 Dec 2025
Reproductive Medicine and Surgery					
1	KSOGA UPDATE Endoscopy Committee (Guideline based excellence in	Etiology and pathogenesis of Fibroids	Dr Vidyashree G Poojari	Karnataka State Obstetrics and Gynaecology	01 Dec 2025

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	fibroid uterus management an endoscopic roadmap)				
2	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology	Adenomyosis	Dr Anjali S Mundkur	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
3	Jeffcoate's Principles of Gynaecology	1. Hormone therapy in Gynaecology 2. Ultrasound in Infertility	Dr Vidyashree G Poojari	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	01 Dec 2025
4	Evidence-based practices in the management of polycystic ovarian syndrome (PCOS)	The PCOS pregnancy	Dr Prashanth K Adiga and Dr Pratap Kumar	Evangel Publishing Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.	31 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Anatomy					
1	Exploration of physiological action of homoepathic anti-anxiety mediating human GABAergic and serotonergic neurons	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	CCRAS, New Delhi	11,26,233.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Customization of Galactosylceramidase for replacement therapy in Krabbe's disease	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	ICMR, New Delhi	16,64,185.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Developmental and transgenerational effects of nicotine exposure in Drosophila at molecular, cellular, and behavioural levels	Dr Pavan Kumar Agrawal	SERB, New Delhi	5,897.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
4	Inspire Fellowship under INSPIRE Program for student pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) program at MAHE	Ms Namita N Kashyap	DST, New Delhi	1,91,220.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Inspire Fellowship under INSPIRE program for Student	Mr Srinivasa	DST, New Delhi	40,330.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) program at MAHE				
6	Evaluating the potential of Antisense Oligonucleotides against FUS Pathology as a treatment option for amyotrophic lateral Sclerosis	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	ICMR, New Delhi	61,36,126.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
7	Transcriptional and behavioural mechanisms underlying social isolation stress in Drosophila	Dr Pavan Kumar Agrawal	DBT, New Delhi	7,86,771.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
8	Validating the efficacy of novel formulations of in silico derived drugs that inhibit protein translation and virgin coconut oil in preclinical models of Parkinson's disease	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	ICMR, New Delhi	66,74,622.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
9	Rapid semi-quantitative diagnostic kit for detecting vitamin A deficiency in primary health centres	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	DBT, New Delhi	13,06,805.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
10	Characterising a novel potential antidepressant drug that activates the RXFP3 receptor	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	SERB, New Delhi	4,86,516.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Biochemistry					
1	Taskforce on Establishment of Reference Intervals in Indian Population (TERIIP): A Multi-Centric Observational Cross Sectional Study	Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle	ICMR, New Delhi	64,57,414.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Understanding the effect of diabetes mellitus on immunometabolic response to Burkholderia pseudomallei in Indian patients	Dr Ranita Ghose Dastidar	ICMR, New Delhi	18,77,507.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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Cardiology					
1	Protocol CKJX839D12302: A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled multicenter study to evaluate the effect of inclisiran on preventing major adverse cardiovascular events in high-risk primary prevention patients (VICTORION-1 PREVENT).	Dr Tom Devasia	Novartis Healthcare Pvt Ltd	1,80,504.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Protocol No EX6018-4979, titled ARTEMIS effects of Ziltivekimab versus placebo on cardiovascular outcomes in patients with acute myocardial infarction	Dr Tom Devasia	Novo Nordisk India Pvt Ltd	10,49,250.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Protocol No CKJX839B12302: A randomized double-blind, placebo controlled, multicenter trial, assessing the impact of inclisiran on major adverse cardiovascular events in participants with established cardiovascular disease (VICTORION-2 PREVENT)	Dr Tom Devasia	Novartis Healthcare Pvt Ltd	1,42,700.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
4	Targeted next-generation sequencing based approach to explore potential variants in patients with non-syndromic congenital heart defects	Dr Yashvanthi Borkar	DST, New Delhi	2,92,120.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Protocol No EX6018-4758, Effects of Ziltivekimab versus placebo on cardiovascular outcomes in participants with established atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease,	Dr Tom Devasia	Novo Nordisk India Pvt Ltd	17,36,004.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	chronic kidney disease, and systemic inflammation				
6	Protocol No. CTQJ230A12301, title: A randomized double-blind, placebo-controlled, multicenter trial assessing the impact of lipoprotein (a) lowering with TQJ230 on major cardiovascular events in patients with established cardiovascular disease	Dr Tom Devasia	Novartis Healthcare Pvt Ltd	28,600.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Community Medicine					
1	Protocol ID: MEQ00064 Study title: Immunogenicity and Safety of an Investigational Quadrivalent Meningococcal Conjugate Vaccine when Administered Concomitantly with Routine Paediatric Vaccines in Healthy Infants and Toddlers in India and the Republic of South Africa	Dr Veena G Kamath	Fortrea Development India Pvt Ltd	3,66,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Protocol No SII-qHPV/IN-04 Study title: A phase-IV single-arm, multicentric study to assess the safety of SIIPL's qHPV vaccine (CERVAVAC) when administered in a two-dose schedule to girls and boys aged 9-14 years and in a three-dose schedule to women and men aged 15-26 years	Dr Veena G Kamath	DiagnoSearch Life Sciences Pvt Ltd	6,42,689.50	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Protocol No SII-wHEXA/IN-03, An observer-blind, randomized, active controlled, multicenteric Phase III study in infants and	Dr Veena G Kamath	DiagnoSearch Life Sciences Pvt Ltd	13,76,435.80	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	toddlers to assess the immunogenicity and safety of SIIPL Hexavalent (DTwP-HepB-IPV-Hib) Vaccine Containing Reduced Dose IPV in Comparison with SIIPL HEXASIIL				
4	Short-term fellowship abroad of DHR-ICMR Scheme under the mentorship of Prof Mark Hayter Manchester, Metropolitan, University, Manchester, UK	Dr Muralidhar M K	ICMR, New Delhi	10,67,200.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	SII-qHPV/IN-02	Dr Veena G Kamath	DiagnoSearch Life Sciences Pvt Ltd	3,51,399.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Critical Care					
1	Development of a screening tool to identify fatal hyperinflammatory subphenotype-2 of acute respiratory distress syndrome with point of care ultrasound, ventilator mechanical power, and blood cell count derived biomarkers.	Dr Shwethapriya R	ICMR, New Delhi	2,17,515.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Optimizing antimicrobial treatment strategy for carbapenem resistant Klebsiella pneumoniae	Dr Vishal Shanbhag	ICMR, New Delhi	1,207,788.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Dermatology, Venereology, and Leprosy					
1	A cross-sectional study comparing BIOCHIP Mosaic 7 and Multivariant ELISA in the serodiagnosis of IgG-mediated Autoimmune Blistering Disorders	Dr Varsha M Shetty	IADVL, Uttar Pradesh	3,12,795.50	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Protocol No: 1368_0120 Study Title: An open-label, multicenter, single-arm, post-marketing trial (in	Dr Sathish Pai B	IQVIA RDS (India) Pvt Ltd	75,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	select countries) to evaluate efficacy and safety and the impact of immunogenicity on efficacy, safety, and pharmacokinetics of spesolimab i.v. in the treatment of patients with Generalized Pustular Psoriasis presenting with a recurrent flare following their initial GPP flare treatment with spesolimab i.v.l No: 1368_0120 Study Title: An open-label, multicenter, single-arm, post-marketing trial (in select countries) to evaluate efficacy and safety and the impact of immunogenicity on efficacy, safety, and pharmacokinetics of spesolimab i.v. in the treatment of patients with Generalized Pustular Psoriasis presenting with a recurrent flare following their initial GPP flare treatment with spesolimab i.v.				
Emergency Medicine					
1	Development and optimization of anti-snake venom dosing strategies in snakebite envenomated patients	Dr Jayaraj Mymbilly Balakrishnan	ICMR, New Delhi	7,75,493.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Endocrinology					
1	A novel approach to management of obese PCOS in adolescents and young women: towards tailored interventions devoid of conventional oral contraceptive therapy. A Multicentric Study	Dr Sahana Shetty	ICMR, New Delhi	3,02,820.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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General Medicine					
1	An integrated transcriptomics and proteomics approach for identification of altered plasma miRNA and blood proteins as a composite biomarker panel in a lupus flare	Dr Mukhyaprana Prabhu	Indian Rheumatology Association, New Delhi	2,00,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Targeting SLE heterogeneity in geriatric and childhood lupus using single-cell transcriptomics and validation using a CRISPR-based gene editing system for patient-specific precision medicine	Dr Mukhyaprana Prabhu	ICMR, New Delhi	6,13,711.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Head and Neck Surgery					
1	A multicentric study to evaluate the effectiveness of OraCLE, a pre-screening risk stratification tool for oral cancer	Dr Devaraja K	World Health Organization, France	3,70,532.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Infectious Diseases					
1	Implementation of AMSP in various tertiary care centres across India	Dr Muralidhar Varma D	ICMR, New Delhi	19,82,676.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Persistence of malaria in endemic regions with a focus on symptomatic, asymptomatic, and submicroscopic malaria among construction workers and residents: A multicentric cross-sectional study	Dr Kavitha Saravu	ICMR, New Delhi	25,14,608.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Project No ZY-19489.24.002, A phase II, multicenter, randomized, assessor-blind, active comparator study to determine the efficacy, safety, and tolerability of orally administered ZY-19489 in patients	Dr Kavitha Saravu	Zydus Lifesciences Limited	50,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	with uncomplicated Plasmodium vivax malaria				
4	Protocol No MDA 2013-0039, Study title: A phase 3, multicentre, randomized, open-label, assessor-blind study to evaluate the efficacy and safety of Mino-Lok Therapy (MLT) in combination with systemic antibiotics in the treatment of catheter-related or central line-associated bloodstream infection	Dr Muralidhar Varma D	Biorasi Cro Services Pvt Ltd	13,902.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Impact of point-of-care tests on mortality in HIV patients with suspected central nervous system infection: a diagnostic randomised controlled trial from India	Dr Nitin Gupta	ICMR, New Delhi	7,65,420.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
6	Protocol No W-5222-202 titled: A phase 2, prospective, multicentre study to determine the efficacy and safety of Cefepime-Zidebactam (FEP-ZID) WCK 5222 for the treatment of adult subjects with serious infections caused by Carbapenem-Resistant Gram-Negative Bacteria including those with Underlying Kidney Dysfunction Precluding the use of Colistin/Polymyxin B	Dr Praveen Kumar Tirlangi	Clinnex Research Pvt Ltd	4,46,280.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
7	A study to assess the disease severity among Scrub Typhus and Leptospirosis patients using clinical, immunological, and molecular tools: A case-control study	Dr Kavitha Saravu	ICMR, New Delhi	50,20,058.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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8	Evidence-based guidelines on empirical use of antibiotic for upper respiratory tract infections, acute undifferentiated fevers, and community acquired pneumonia	Dr Nitin Gupta	ICMR, New Delhi	5,13,500.00	02 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Medical Gastroenterology					
1	Protocol No. 202009 (B-Well 1), Title: phase 3 multicentre, randomized, double-blind, study to assess the efficacy and safety of treatment with Bepirovirsen in HBeAg-negative Nucleos(t)ide Analogue-treated participants with Chronic Hepatitis B Virus (B-Well 1)	Dr Shiran Shetty	GSK Pharma India Pvt Ltd	4,36,989.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Exploring the role of Human Gut Microbiome and Metabolites in Ulcerative Colitis: An approach towards Clinical Implications and Precision Medicine	Dr Shiran Shetty	ICMR, New Delhi	1,29,41,272.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Medical Genetics					
1	Deep Phenotyping, Comprehensive Genomic Studies and Investigations into Pathomechanisms of Congenital Heart Defects	Dr Shalini S Nayak	DBT, New Delhi	8,54,344.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	HPV integration patterns and their functional consequences in early versus late age onset cervical cancers	Dr Rama Rao Damerla	DBT, New Delhi	2,96,467.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Centre for Rare Disease Diagnosis, Research and Training	Dr Anju Shukla	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, New Delhi	44,24,699.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
4	Decoding patho-mechanisms underlying vascular defects in ACDC disease using vascular organoids developed from patients-derived iPSCs	Dr Vivekananda Bhat	ICMR, New Delhi	4,50,728.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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5	Investigating EXOC6B function and the pathomechanisms underlying its associated skeletal dysplasia	Dr Priyanka Upadhyai	ICMR, New Delhi	33,14,276.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
6	Investigating the pathomechanisms underlying the RNA exosome component EXOSC1 associated neurodegenerative disorder	Dr Priyanka Upadhyai	SERB, New Delhi	3,20,622.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
7	Preparation for newly activated fellows: Must read, understand and implement	Dr Anju Shukla	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, New Delhi	9,28,269.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
8	The Paired Early Career Fellowship in Applied Research (PECFAR) Call 2024 fellowship is awarded to a pair of scientists from India and Germany	Dr Vivekananda Bhat	IGSTC, New Delhi	1,98,139.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
9	Travel grant for attending 58th European Society of Human Genetics Conference 2025, Italy (24 to 27 May 2025) held in Milan, Italy	Ms Vaishnavi Ashok Badiger	ANRF SERB, New Delhi	55,543.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
10	Short-term fellowship abroad of the DHR-ICMR Scheme under the mentorship of Dr Quasar Saleem Padiath, University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA	Dr Anju Shukla	ICMR, New Delhi	5,52,400.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
11	A novel capture-based method for targeted BRCA1/2 methylation testing through a nanopore sequencing platform	Dr Rama Rao Damerla	ICMR, New Delhi	29,76,819.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2026
Medical Oncology					
1	Times toxicity of patients with advanced malignancies receiving palliative intravenous systemic therapy - a multicentre observational study (GiveMeTIME)	Dr Sharada Mailankody	ICMR, New Delhi	11,55,008.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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2	Response-Adapted Management of Childhood Classical Hodgkin Lymphoma (cHL) and Early Response Assessment by Positron Emission and Computerized Tomography (PET-CT) to allow Omission of Radiotherapy in Indian Children Treated with a Standard of Care Intensified Chemotherapy Regimen	Dr Vasudeva Bhat K	TATA Memorial Centre, Mumbai	3,02,777.12	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Microbiology					
1	Developing glucose and xylose co-utilizing Zymomonas mobilis ZM4 strains and understanding resource allocation to improve biofuel yield	Dr Piyush Behari Lal	SERB, New Delhi	7,05,104.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Development and evaluation of indirect ELISA using recombinant Omp25 protein of Brucella melitensis for rapid and differential diagnosis of human brucellosis	Dr Vandana K E	ICMR, New Delhi	19,98,363.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Discovery and development of therapeutic interventions against multi-drug-resistant bacterial pathogens	Dr Vandana K E	CSIR-CDRI, Lucknow	7,96,500.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
4	Generate proof of concepts and showcase the medical and economic value around diagnostic solutions in antimicrobial stewardship	Dr Vandana K E	Biomerieux India Pvt Ltd	6,31,260.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Relating the metabolic lifestyle of Indian strains of a highly pathogenic bacterium Burkholderia pseudomallei to	Dr Piyush Behari Lal	Regional Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad	25,01,976.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	antibiotic resistance and pathogenicity determinants				
6	Sepsis-induced stress and network analysis on pathogen expression of stress-combat genes: The SNAPE Study	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	ICMR, New Delhi	3,09,771.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
7	Modelling pulmonary melioidosis and studying mechanism linking insulin resistance and disease severity using human bioengineered 3D lung organoids	Dr Bharati Bisht	Regional Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad	24,83,337.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
8	Mission: A multicentric capacity building initiative to strengthen the clinical and laboratory detection of melioidosis in India with special focus on the northeastern states	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	ICMR, New Delhi	1,35,25,440.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
9	One-Health approaches to understand the burden and threat of zoonotic tuberculosis, melioidosis and glanders in Uttar Pradesh, Karnataka and Haryana States multi-institute projects	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	ICMR, New Delhi	13,26,604.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
10	Point of use sensors for rapid detection and differentiation of bacteria and virus in water and clinical samples	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	DST, New Delhi	1,54,336.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Neonatology					
1	Feasibility of optometrist driven, artificial intelligence-based universal eye screening of healthy late preterm and term neonates	Dr Rajendra Prasad Anne	ICMR, New Delhi	42,05,021.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Physiological Postnatal Weight Loss Nomograms in Exclusively Breastfed	Dr Sheila Samanta Mathai	ICMR, New Delhi	13,31,252.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	Healthy Term Infants-A Multicentre Prospective Cohort Study				
Nephrology					
1	Fever, Hyperglycaemia, Swallowing and Hypertension Management in Acute Stroke: A Cluster Randomized: Trial (Indian Quality Improvement in Stroke Care Study) FeSSH0 Phase-II	Dr Aparna R Pai	ICMR, New Delhi	2,67,594.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Protocol No 417-201-00012, entitled "A Phase 2/3, Multicenter, Open-label Trial to Evaluate the Longterm Safety, Tolerability, and Efficacy of Sibeprenlimab Administered Subcutaneously in Subjects with Immunoglobulin A Nephropathy" ("Protocol"), to be conducted at the Institution ("Trial") to involve patients participating in the Trial".	Dr Ravindra Prabhu	George Clinical India Pvt Ltd	2,28,677.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Protocol No 417-201-00007, "A Phase 3, Multicenter, Randomized, Double-blind, Placebo-controlled Trial to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Sibeprenlimab Administered Subcutaneously in Subjects with Immunoglobulin A Nephropathy"	Dr Ravindra Prabhu	George Clinical India Pvt Ltd	75,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Neurosurgery					
1	Application of Machine Learning methods to predict mortality and morbidity in	Dr Girish R Menon	DBT, New Delhi	2,83,925.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	Spontaneous Intracerebral Haemorrhage				
Neurology					
1	Protocol No. VIB0551.P3.S1: A Randomized, Double-Blind, Multicenter, Placebo-Controlled Phase 3 Study with Open-label Period to Evaluate the Efficacy and Safety of Inebilizumab in Adults with Myasthenia Gravis	Dr Arvind N Prabhu	Medpace Clinical Research India Pvt Ltd	3,09,914.25	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	National Task Force (NTF) Project entitled STENOSIS: Long-term Single versus Dual Antiplatelet Therapy in Patients with Ischemic Stroke due to Intracranial Atherosclerotic Disease: A Randomized Trial	Dr Aparna R Pai	Christian Medical College, Ludhiana Society	1,07,664.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Protocol No R3918-MG-2018:-Efficacy and Safety of Pozelimab and Cemdisiran Combination Therapy in Patients with Symptomatic Generalized Myasthenia Gravis	Dr Arvind N Prabhu	Parexel International Clinical Research Pvt Ltd	1,58,509.84	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology					
1	Exhibit B-MAHE-0017 Research Plan for Obstetric Ultrasound Scans with iMAMA prototype-TMA Pai/Clinical Investigation	Dr Shashikala K Bhat	Philips India Ltd, Bengaluru	8,12,500.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Cervico-vaginal high-risk Himan papillomavirus (HPV) infection Understanding the Clinical Progression of the disease by Cervicovaginal	Dr Shyamala Guruvare	ICMR, New Delhi	27,07,563.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	microbiome analysis and Immune Profile				
3	To assess the efficacy of the AI Systems in assisting medical practitioners to perform USG examinations	Dr Akhila Vasudeva	Origin Medical Research Lab India, Pvt Ltd	3,75,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Ophthalmology					
1	Evaluating of the bacterial ocular surface microbiome in the neonates	Dr Manali Hazarika	SPARC, New Delhi	1,21,269.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Orthopaedics					
1	Development of Pedicle Screw Navigation System to assist in Spine Surgery	Dr Shyamasunder Bhat	SERB, New Delhi	4,33,615.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Protocol No. SMPL/SM/003 "A prospective, interventional, randomized, comparative open label pivotal clinical study to assess the efficacy of Serioss ® as bone void filler/bone substitute"	Dr Shyamasunder Bhat	Serigen Mediproducts Pvt Ltd	4,44,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Navigation Assisted Guidance for Pedicle Screw Insertion in Spine Surgery	Dr Shyamasunder Bhat	Wipro Ge Healthcare Pvt Ltd	11,49,401.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Paediatric Surgery					
1	Multicentre non-inferiority cluster randomised trial testing Disposable versus Reusable drapes and gowns for green operating theatres (DRAGON)"	Dr Vijay Kumar	Christian Medical College, Ludhiana Society	4,20,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Paediatrics					
1	Vertebral Fragility and Osteoporosis among children exposed to glucocorticoids	Dr Kaushik H	ICMR, New Delhi	7,17,990.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Palliative Medicine and Supportive Care					
1	Embedded Model of Integrated Paediatric Palliative Care in Paediatric Oncology:	Dr Naveen Salins	ICMR, New Delhi	11,52,894.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	Development and Testing its Effectiveness				
2	Multifaceted, Comprehensive, Appropriate Care Package for People with Advanced and Terminal Illnesses Needing ICU Support and Knowing its Benefits on Quality of Dying, Family Satisfaction, Care Cost, and Resource Utilisation. Multicentre Study	Dr Naveen Salins	ICMR, New Delhi	80,30,470.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Pharmacology					
1	A Phase 3, Global, Randomized, Modified Double-Blind, Placebo Controlled Study to Evaluate the Efficacy, Immunogenicity and Safety of IVX-A12, a Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) and Human Metapneumovirus (hMPV) Virus-Like Particle (VLP) Vaccines, in adults 60 years of age and older	Dr Jeffrey Pradeep Raj	IQVIA RDS (India) Pvt Ltd	21,407.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Deprescribing interventions (ARMOR) to reduce the risk of falls in geriatric population on Fall Risk Increasing Drugs (FRIDs) – An open-label, and parallel group randomized controlled trial	Dr Veena Nayak	AIIMS, Telangana	6,80,645.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Studies on the role of HDAC inhibitors in reprogramming cancer cell metabolism to reverse cisplatin resistance in patient-derived xenograft model of ovarian cancer	Dr Vasudha Devi	ICMR, New Delhi	88,793.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery					
1	A pilot study to evaluate the safety and efficacy in delivery of the donor skin segment using a spray gun on the donor site	Dr Joseph Thomas	Pacify Medical Technologies Pvt Ltd	20,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Smart Sensor-based Responsive Mattress for Offloading and Treating Pressure Ulcers	Dr Joseph Thomas	ICMR, New Delhi	13,03,276.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Psychiatry					
1	A Randomized Controlled Trial to Evaluate A Technology-Enabled Platform To Manage Depression With Or Without Behavioural Activation In Patients With Cancer In India (Ashvins)	Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj	George Institute for Global Health, New Delhi	4,36,239.83	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Clinical Research Centre for Neuromodulation in Psychiatry	Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj	NIMHANS, Bangalore	23,40,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Sri Ram Prasad Sammeta Travel Grant-Study tour for psychiatry postgraduate residents/students to various psychiatric care facilities in South India as a horizon widening exercise	Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj	Dheeraj Kodali	85,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Radiation Oncology					
1	Evaluation of functional liver volume changes after stereotactic body radiation therapy based on hepatobiliary scan in hepatocellular carcinoma and its correlation with clinical toxicity, quality of life and biomarkers	Dr Shirley Lewis Salins	GI Oncology Society, Uttar Pradesh	2,50,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Impact Of Elective Para-Aortic Nodal Radiotherapy On Human Papillomavirus (HPV) Circulating	Dr Shirley Lewis Salins	TATA Medical Centre, Kolkata	11,60,215.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	Tumour DNA (ctDNA) Kinetics in Patients with Cervical Cancer: A Nested Biomarker Discovery Study In a RCT				
Radiodiagnosis and Imaging					
1	AVW Project1-DATA Provision Agreement-Demonstrating the clinical reliability and usability of new imaging capabilities included in future versions of the	Dr Prakshini K	Philips India Ltd, Bengaluru	4,96,426.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Reproductive Science					
1	Experimental approach to assess the protective effects of Gonadotropin Releasing Hormone agonist (GnRHa) in preventing chemotherapy induced ovarian damage and transgenerational effects	Dr Shubhashree Uppangala	ICMR, New Delhi	3,73,397.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Fertility preservation in cancer affected prepubertal girls: experimental approaches to address the cryo-susceptibility of immature oocytes in relation to the ovarian age	Dr Satish Kumar Adiga	ICMR, New Delhi	4,331.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Award of Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE) Fellowship to the Research Students	Ms Vanishree V M	DST, New Delhi	5,65,146.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
4	DST Inspire fellowship for students pursuing a full-time doctoral (PhD) program	Ms Amrutha N K	DST, New Delhi	9,37,360.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Elucidating the cryosusceptibility and mitochondrial dynamics of oocytes and embryos under maternal metabolic conditions UTN Number-	Dr Sandhya Kumari	ICMR, New Delhi	9,44,352.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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	RG01230181, ICMR proposal ID IIRP-1021				
6	Understanding the role of fibroblast-specific protein-1 (S100A4) in profibrotic and inflammatory pathways as a possible therapeutic target in managing endometriosis associated fibrosis	Dr Rahul Dutta	ICMR, New Delhi	11,96,750.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
7	Unravelling the influence of genetic variants on follicular microenvironment, ovarian response and pregnancy outcome in young women undergoing assisted reproductive technology (ART) treatment	Dr Shubhashree Uppangala	SERB, New Delhi	5,00,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
8	Exploring the therapeutic potential of metformin and acarbose co-administration strategy on improving the functional competence of oocyte, embryo development and fetal development in experimentally induced PCOS and type II diabetes	Dr Guruprasad Kalthur	ICMR, New Delhi	13,22,310.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
9	Identifying and exploring the key deubiquitinase enzyme that facilitates the generation of matured insulin producing B-cells from human IPSCs	Dr Guruprasad Kalthur	ICMR, New Delhi	7,30,749.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
10	Proapoptotic peptide-mediated targeted depletion of endometriosis associated M2 macrophage population: An alternative strategy for endometriosis management	Dr Rahul Dutta	ICMR, New Delhi	6,82,015.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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11	Award of Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE) Fellowship to the Research Students	Ms Vanishree V M	DST, New Delhi	46,200.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Surgical Oncology					
1	Understanding Factors Influencing Standards of Care and Usage Patterns of Ostomy Appliances Amongst People Living with a Stoma in India	Dr Naveena Kumar A.N.	Indegene Limited	25,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Urology					
1	Protocol No CA-ALT-803-01-14;QUILT 2.005: "A Study of Intravesical Bacillus Calmette-Guerin (BCG) in Combination With ALT-803 (N-803) in Patients with Non-Muscle Invasive Bladder Cancer"	Dr Arun Chawla	CBCC Global Research LLP, Gujarat	50,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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Details of Patent Filed:

Sl. No.	Name	Date
1	An Apparatus For Dispensing And Applying Sterile Adhesive Films In	02 Jan 2025
2	Centralized Healthcare System And Method For Monitoring And Regulating Procurement Of Pharmaceutical Products	06 Jan 2025
3	An Apparatus For A Pressure Cooker And A Method Of Using The Apparatus	07 Jan 2025
4	A Herbal Skin Patch System For Acne Treatment And Method Of Preparation Thereof	08 Jan 2025
5	Radial Nerve Palsy Splint With Dynamic And Configurable Hand Finger Extensor	15 Jan 2025
6	A Diagnostic Kit For Paraquat Dichloride Detection Using Stabilized Sodium Dithionite	22 Jan 2025
7	Harnessing Microneedle Patch For Diabetic Wound Treatment And A Method Of Preparation Thereof	30 Jan 2025
8	Artificial Intelligence-Based System And Method For Optimizing Antivenom Dosage	11 Feb 2025
9	A System And Method For Comprehensive Post-Surgical Patient Monitoring And Support Platform	11 Feb 2025
10	Device For Enhancing Wind Output Of Ceiling Fans	12 Feb 2025
11	Composition Of Drug Combination For Reversing Carboplatin Resistance In Ovarian Cancer Treatment	19 Feb 2025

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12	A Method For Detection Of Biotin Deficiency From Dried Blood Spot Samples Using Lcms	19 Feb 2025
13	A Method For Detecting Cofactor-Dependent Metabolic Disorders Using Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry	06 Mar 2025
14	Hybrid Multimodal Biometric Authentication System And Method	17 Mar 2025
15	A System And Method For Dynamic Estimation Of Optimal Pedicle Screw Dimensions And Insertion Angles	17 Mar 2025
16	A Composition For Neuroregeneration And Functional Recovery Following Nerve Injury And A Method Thereof	30 Mar 2025
17	A Method For Diagnostic Characterization Of Ischemic Stroke Subtypes Using Plasma Metabolomic Biomarkers	05 Apr 2025
18	System And Method For Differential Diagnosis Of Anemia In A User	11 Apr 2025
19	Dynamo Powered Charging Apparatus	22 Apr 2025
20	Vacuum Refrigerator	22 Apr 2025
21	A System And Method For Portable Pcr Using Thermoplasmonics And Microfluidics For Rapid Diagnostics	22 Apr 2025
22	A Method And Composition For Co-Amorphous Curcumin-Naringin Formulation To Treat Pcos	25 Apr 2025
23	A System And Method For Real-Time Vital Sign Monitoring And Predictive Analysis Using Wearable Technology	25 Apr 2025
24	A System And Method For Dynamic Real-Time Quality Of Life Monitoring In Palliative Care Patients	25 Apr 2025
25	A Dynamic Muscle Strength Evaluating System And Method Thereof	25 Apr 2025
26	Point Of Care Sensor And A Method For Detecting Bacterial Siderophores Thereof	13 May 2025
27	Clock Spring Coupled Mobile Charger Assembly	20 May 2025
28	A System And Method For Detecting Breast Cancer In Dense Breast Tissue	25 May 2025
29	A Depigmenting Agent-Loaded Nanoemulgel For Enhanced Management Of Hyperpigmentation And A Method Thereof	04 Jun 2025
30	Sentiment Assessment System And Method	09 Jun 2025
31	A System And Method For Offline-Enabled Ophthalmology Record Management In Rural Healthcare Using Modular Components	12 Jun 2025
32	A Tissue Processing Method For Hematoxylin And Eosin Staining	25 Jun 2025
33	Biosensing System And Method For Monitoring One Or More Physiological Biomarkers From A Biological Fluid	28 Jun 2025
34	A Carbon Nanotube-Based Medicated Sock For Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy And Method Thereof	01 Jul 2025
35	A Method For The Quantitative Estimation Of Urinary Cholesterol Using High-Performance Liquid Chromatography	09 Jul 2025
36	A System And Method For Electronic Diabetes Management	09 Jul 2025
37	A Customizable Diabetes Information Management System And A Method For Enabling Thereof	09 Jul 2025
38	Pedal-Operated Flywheel-Based Charging System For Powering Multiple Devices	11 Jul 2025
39	A System And Method For Markerless Hand Gesture Tracking With Real-Time Visual Mirroring Feedback	14 Jul 2025
40	Development Of Artificial Tracheal Biomimetic Construct Using Tissue Engineering Approaches	15 Jul 2025

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41	A Method For Treating Cancer-Associated Cachexia Using Hybrid Extracellular Vesicles Loaded Therapeutics	15 Jul 2025
42	Process For Extraction And Quantification Of Chlorpyrifos	08 Aug 2025
43	Multilingual Artificial Intelligence (A I) System And Method For Mental Health Assessment And Support	12 Aug 2025
44	Manually Powered Grass-Cutting Device	18 Aug 2025
45	Modular Handheld 3D Bioprinting System For In Situ Tissue And Wound Repair And Method Thereof	20 Aug 2025
46	A Device For Rush Rodding Of Pathological Bone And A Method For Enabling Thereof	22 Aug 2025
47	A System And Method For Enhancing Surgical Communication Through RFID/Ble-Based Predictive Updates	25 Aug 2025
48	Jar Apparatus For Preserving Anatomical Or Pathological Specimens	25 Aug 2025
49	A System And Method For Simultaneous Segmentation Of Diabetic Macular Edema Variants From Retinal Oct Images	26 Aug 2025
50	" A System And Method For Secure Patient Status Tracking And Communication In Surgical Environments"	26 Aug 2025
51	Flywheel-Based Cleaning Apparatus	03 Sep 2025
52	A System And Method For Automated Mild Traumatic Brain Injury Detection Using EEG Data	03 Sep 2025
53	A Method For Monitoring Hyperinflammatory Conditions Using Soluble Membrane Attack Complex	03 Sep 2025
54	Apparatus For Storing And Transporting Biological Specimens	09 Sep 2025
55	A System And Method For Disorganisation Of Retinal Inner Layers Detection And Diagnosis	10 Sep 2025
56	"A Flexor Tendon Rehabilitation Splint With Thumb Immobilization And Method Thereof "	10 Sep 2025
57	Trolley-Based Cleaning Apparatus	15 Sep 2025
58	Flywheel-Based Ride-On Cleaning Device	15 Sep 2025
59	Device, System For Closing Wound And Method Thereof	18 Sep 2025
60	System And Method For Administrating Injection	18 Sep 2025
61	Monorail Propulsion System	19 Sep 2025
62	A System And Method For Centralized Reporting Of Medical Device Adverse Events In Hospitals	19 Sep 2025
63	A Composition For Biocompatible Reversible Sacrificial	22 Sep 2025
64	A Composition And Method For Fabricating Perfusable Tissue Constructs Using Dual-Hydrogel Bioprinting Systems	22 Sep 2025
65	A Composition For Photocrosslinkable Redox-Responsive Gelma/Gel-Sh Hydrogel Tissue Engineering Scaffolds And A Method Thereof	22 Sep 2025
66	A Perineal Post For Paediatric Hip Spica Cast Support And Method Thereof	23 Sep 2025
67	A Device For Osteotomy Distraction Using Button-Based Latch-Lock Mechanism And Method Thereof	27 Sep 2025
68	A Screw-Jack Based Osteotomy Realignment Distractor And Method Thereof	27 Sep 2025
69	"A System And Method For Motorized Elevation And Alert In Intravenous Stand"	27 Sep 2025
70	Splint Apparatus For Biomimetic Traction And Rehabilitation Of A Hand	13 Oct 2025
71	A System And Method For Measuring Intrinsic Hand Muscle Strength Using Dual-Sensor Technology	15 Oct 2025

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72	Method Of Preparation Of Modified Biological Sample And Its Analysis Thereof	21 Oct 2025
73	Device For Sampling Cervical Cells	28 Oct 2025
74	System And Method To Detect And Classify Autoimmune Dermatological Disorders	29 Oct 2025
75	A System And Method For Magnetic Resonance Imaging Using An Open-Face Coil	06 Nov 2025
76	A System And Method For Detecting And Identifying Species Of Haemotoxic Snake Venoms	06 Nov 2025
77	A System And Method For A Palmtop Device For Screening Cervical Cancer With Integrated Hardware	06 Nov 2025
78	A Method For Quantifying Lorazepam In Biological Samples Using Tlc-Dic And Gc-Ms Validation	13 Nov 2025
79	A Support Cushion For Hip Spica Cast Placement And Method Thereof	13 Nov 2025
80	A System And Method For Digital Microscopy-Based Histopathological Learning And Assessment	16 Nov 2025
81	A Device For Self-Retaining Scleral Fixation Of Intraocular Lens	17 Nov 2025
82	A Self-Retaining Iris Reattachment Device For Repair Of Iridodialysis And A Method Thereof	20 Nov 2025
83	A System And Method For Continuous Objective Sedation Monitoring And Protocol-Based Guidance	24 Nov 2025
84	A Method For Extraction And Gc-Ms Based Quantification Of Cypermethrin In Biological Matrices	26 Nov 2025
85	A Composition And Method For Forming In-Situ Enzyme- Triggered Nanoporous Spacers To Prevent Post-Surgical Adhesions	26 Nov 2025
86	Automated System And Method For Extracting Laboratory Data From Electronic Medical Records Into Structured Formats	26 Nov 2025
87	Perpetual Power Generator Device And Method Thereof	28 Nov 2025
88	Real-Time Inpatient Management System And Method For A Multi- Specialty Hospital	03 Dec 2025
89	A Biodegradable Paperweight Device For Controlled Plant Germination	05 Dec 2025
90	Perpetual-Propulsion Vehicle System And Method Thereof	08 Dec 2025
91	A System And Method For Wireless Electrocardiogram Monitoring Using Wearable Sensors	09 Dec 2025
92	A 3D Printed External Braces For Treating Tracheal Diseases And A Method For Enabling Thereof	09 Dec 2025
93	A System And Method For Automated Identification And Quantification Of Histological Structures Using Deep Learning	10 Dec 2025
94	A Device For Painless Surgical Suture Removal With Skin Protection Tip	10 Dec 2025
95	A Composition And Method For Targeting Immune Checkpoint And Autophagy Using Hybrid Extracellular Vesicles	11 Dec 2025
96	A System And Method For Automated Slice-Level Detection Of Lung Lesions From Radiological Scans	11 Dec 2025
97	Composition And Method For Modifying Plasmid DNA To Overcome Restriction Modification Systems Of Burkholderia Species	15 Dec 2025
98	A System And Method For Analysing Infant Metabolism For Early Identification Of Metabolic Disorders	15 Dec 2025
99	Propulsion-Assisted Tricycle System	27 Dec 2025
100	Impedimetric Sensor For The Detection Of Target Bacteria In A Fluid Sample And Method Thereof	30 Dec 2025

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1	System And Method For Monitoring Dermal Condition	04 Mar 2025
2	System Method And Device For Treatment And Management Of Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy	26 Mar 2025
3	An Advanced 3D Model For Analyzing Cognitive Behavior In Rodents	23 Apr 2025
4	Formulation Of Isoniazid Derivatives In Biodegradable Polymers	17 May 2025
5	Penile Band	22 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Anatomy			
1	Dr Rohini Punja	Distinguished Alumni Award	15 Apr 2025
2	Dr Suhani Sumalatha	Best Audio-Visual Material Award-Second Place for "Self-learning video for SGT-Histology".	15 Apr 2025
3	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	Outstanding Research Publication	15 Apr 2025
Biochemistry			
1	Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle	Distinguished Alumni Award	15 Apr 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Dr Smita Shenoy	Outstanding Research Publication	15 Apr 2025
2	Dr Vasudha Devi	Outstanding Research Publication	15 Apr 2025
Physiology			
1	Dr Chinmay Ajit Suryavanshi	Distinguished Alumni Award	15 Apr 2025
Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery			
1	Dr Joseph Thomas	Distinguished Alumni Award	15 Apr 2025
Reproductive Medicine and Surgery			
1	Dr I Naga Pratyusha	Dr Pratap Kumar Award for the Best Outgoing student	15 Apr 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Anaesthesiology			
1	Dr Priyanka G Kini	Received first prize in the Yoga Photo Competition (Senior Group) 2025.	21 Jun 2025
2	Dr Prathi B	Received an award at ISACON Karnataka 2025.	10 Aug 2025
Anatomy			
1	Dr Mamatha H	Received the IMA Karnataka State Branch Teachers Day Award 2025.	06 Sep 2025
Biochemistry			
1	Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle	Received the Distinguished Alumni Award–2024 at KMC Annual Day 2025.	15 Apr 2025
Cardiology			
1	Dr Akkatai S Teli	First prize in the Asana competition on occasion of the International Day of Yoga 2025.	21 Jun 2025
Community Medicine			
1	Dr Eshwari	Dr Eshwari received Second Prize for her outstanding performance in the quiz conducted as part of the "Conducting Systematic Review and Meta-analysis through a Blended Learning Approach – Phase II"	20 Dec 2025
Critical Care			
1	Dr Souvik Chaudhuri	Received second prize in the Manipal Marathon 2025 and a cash award of 5000/- INR.	09 Feb 2025
2	Dr Souvik Chaudhuri	Received the Distinguished Alumni Award at KMC College Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	15 Apr 2025
3	Dr Sunil R	Received the Distinguished Alumni Award at KMC College Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	15 Apr 2025
4	Dr Vishal Shanbhag	The Executive Board of IARC, by virtue of the power vested in its office, hereby certifies that Dr Vishal Shanbhag has been conferred as an Honorary Fellow of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (FIARC), in recognition of his outstanding contribution to the Association and the Respiratory Therapy Profession of India.	25 Oct 2025
General Medicine			
1	Dr Cynthia Amrutha	Received the API-KC Dr V Parameshvara Best Paper award at the 42nd Annual Conference of the API Karnataka State Chapter and the 5th API South Mid Zone-API South Zone, KAPICON.	15 Jun 2025
General Surgery			
1	Dr K Rajgopal Shenoy	Received the best teacher award day at IMA KSB Teacher's Day Celebrations held at BMC and H Auditorium, IMIT Campus, Basaveshwara Medical College and Hospital, Chitradurga.	05 Sep 2025
Hand Surgery			
1	Dr Anil K Bhat	Conferred with the Best Full-Length Article Publication award for the year 2024 at APFSSH Mumbai, September 2025, for the publication "Mothers' perspectives on the use and acceptability	30 Sep 2025

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		of 3D printed prosthesis by their children with congenital upper limb difference in India: A Qualitative Study."	
Head and Neck Surgery			
1	Dr Devaraja K	Was invited with full sponsorship (travel grant support) by St Jude Children's Research Hospital (USA) to attend the National University of Singapore Advanced Skull Base Masterclass 2025–Cadaveric Workshop and Conference, held at Singapore.	28 Sep 2025
Immunohematology and Blood Transfusion			
1	Dr Ganesh Mohan	Selected for the Acquired and Critical Care Bleeding Scientific Committee, ISTH 2026 International Conference.	19 Jun 2025
2	Dr Deep Madkaiker	Was conferred the Fellowship of the Royal College of Pathologists in Transfusion Science at the New Fellows ceremony held at the Royal College of Pathologists, 6 Alie Street, London, United Kingdom. This landmark milestone is the first for a Transfusion Medicine Specialist in India and he is also the first international candidate to be awarded the degree.	10 Sep 2025
Infectious Diseases			
1	Dr Tirlangi Praveen Kumar	Received the Best Researcher Award for his publications at the MAHE Research Awards Ceremony 2025.	24 Nov 2025
Medical Genetics			
1	Dr Priyanka Upadhayai	Received the Emerging Scientist Award at the 49th Annual Meeting of the Indian Society of Human Genetics (ISHG) and International Conclave on Neurogenetics.	22 Jan 2025
2	Dr Anju Shukla	Was invited as a speaker for the European Human Genetics Conference (ESHG 2025) at Milan, Italy.	27 May 2025
3	Dr Purvi Majethia	Was conferred with the ESHG Observership award received from the European Society of Human Genetics to visit Dr Siddharth Banka's genomics laboratory at the University of Manchester, UK for one month.	27 May 2025
Medical Oncology			
1	Dr Sharada M	Received award at ISOKAMOSH Conference	24 May 2025
Neurology			
1	Dr Sharath P S	Secured Second Prize in Poster Presentation at the 14th Annual State Conference of Karnataka Neurosciences Academy - KNACON 2025 organized by Karnataka Neurosciences Academy at Dr TMA Pai International Convention Centre, Mangalore.	06 Apr 2025
2	Dr Prashant Bhatele	Awarded with a Reviewer Certificate in recognition of contribution to one manuscript in June 2025 for BMC Neurology.	02 Jul 2025

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3	Dr Sanjay Rao Kordcal	Conferred with a travel grant of 2,50,000/- INR from the International Headache Society for presenting three posters at the International Headache Congress-2025 held at Sao Paulo, Brazil.	14 Sep 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Dr Vijaya Pai H	Received first prize in the Interdepartmental Variety Show at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
2	Dr Yogish S Kamath	Received first prize in the Interdepartmental Variety Show at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
3	Dr Sudha G Menon	Received first prize in the Interdepartmental Variety Show at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
4	Dr Neetha KIR	Received first prize in the Interdepartmental Variety Show at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
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7	Dr Shefali Christina Misquith	Received first prize in the Interdepartmental Variety Show at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
8	Dr Sruthi Vijendran	Received first prize in the Interdepartmental Variety Show at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
Paediatric Orthopaedic			
1	Dr Hitesh Shah	Received the best poster award at POSICON 2025 and a cash award of Rs 3000/-	04 Jan 2025
Reproductive Science			
1	Mr Yasahs Ninjoor	Received the best poster award at the Indo-German Workshop on Translational Research in Andrology	01 Mar 2025
2	Mr Reyon D'cunha	Received the best poster award at the Indo-German Workshop on Translational Research in Andrology	01 Mar 2025
3	Ms Amandeep Kaur	Received the best poster award in the Indo-German Workshop for Translational Research in Andrology	01 Mar 2025
4	Dr Dhakshanya Predheepan	Received second prize in best oral presentation at KISAR 2025	17 Miay 2025
Urology			
1	Dr Arun Kumar Chawla	Received best poster award (abstract) entitled "Day care PCNL: Who Qualifies? Introducing the day-care PCNL checklist" presented at the 40th Annual EAU Congress at Madrid, Spain.	24 Mar 2025

Students

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Anaesthesiology			
1	Dr Manoj	Received award at ISACON Tamil Nadu	20 Jul 2025
2	Dr Keerthikaa	Received award at ISACON Tamil Nadu	20 Jul 2025
Anatomy			
1	Ms Shreya	Received third prize for the "2nd International and 22nd National IAFOCON 2025", which was held at National Forensic Science University, Gandhi Nagar, Gujarat.	14 Sep 2025
Community Medicine			
1	Mr Biju S	Was awarded First Prize for his scientific oral presentation. His research paper, titled "Enhancement of Perspectives of Mental Healthcare Services among the Koraga Tribe through a Healthcare Governance Model: A Cluster Randomized Controlled Trial," was presented during Manipal Quest 2.0.	21 Sep 2025
2	Ms Ngangom Karorpati Chanu	Has been selected for the MAHE-Deakin Cotutelle Program at the School of Psychology, Melbourne Burwood Campus, Deakin University, Australia.	24 Sep 2025
Dermatology, Venereology, and Leprosy			
1	Dr Niranjana Gopinathan M P	Received the first prize for the "Young Researcher Award" which was held at Manipal Quest 2.0, the MAHE inter-health sciences national postgraduate research conference at Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
2	Dr Silpa Rajesh Raj	Received the fourth prize for the quiz, which was held at Manipal Quest 2.0, the MAHE inter-health sciences national postgraduate research conference at Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
3	Dr Swetha S Iyer	Received the fourth prize for the quiz, which was held at Manipal Quest 2.0, the MAHE inter-health sciences national postgraduate research conference at Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
General Medicine			
1	Dr Rinu Peter	Received Dr J N Berry Memorial Award at APICON 2025 (Annual Conference of the Association of Physicians of India)	26 Jan 2025
2	Dr Medha Menon	Received APICON original paper merit award- at APICON 2025 held at Kolkata.	26 Jan 2025
3	Dr Aravind Shiva	Received 1st Prize-Quiz competition, a State Level API Quiz conducted for postgraduates.	23 Nov 2025
4	Dr Amitesh Paharo	Received 1st Prize-Quiz competition, a State Level API Quiz conducted for postgraduates.	23 Nov 2025
5	Dr Govind P S	Received 1st Prize-Quiz competition, a State Level API Quiz conducted for postgraduates.	23 Nov 2025
Immunohaematology and Blood Transfusion			
1	Dr Akshay	Received first prize in All India Level CAR-T cell therapy Quiz	13 Apr 2025

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2	Dr Akshay Chopra	Received first prize in AATM Quiz series	30 Jul 2025
3	Dr Bismita	Received second prize in AATM Quiz series	30 Jul 2025
4	Dr Bismita	Received second prize in AATM Quiz series	26 Aug 2025
Medical Gastroenterology			
1	Dr Anmol Malhotra	Received first prize in the inflammatory bowel disease CME and also received cash prize amount of 4,000/- INR	15 Jun 2025
Medical Genetics			
1	Dr Renu Anna Johnson	Received second prize in the Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0.	21 Sep 2025
Nephrology			
1	Ms Karni Kriti Goyal	Received the first prize for the oral presentation - Indian Society of Nephrology Southern Chapter Conference (ISNSCCON) 2025 held at Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.	03 Aug 2025
2	Dr Shayoli Sarkar	Received second prize in Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
3	Ms Prajna Angeline D'Souza	Secured first prize in Scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
Neurosurgery			
1	Dr Arjun M A	Received first prize in Neurosurgery poster presentation, KNACON 2025 held at Mangalore	06 Apr 2025
2	Dr Aishwarya C	Received second prize in Neurosurgery poster presentation, KNACON 2025 held at Mangalore	06 Apr 2025
3	Dr Geeta S	Received Yough Researcher Award at Manipal Quest 2.1	21 Sep 2025
4	Dr Swamy P T	Received Yough Researcher Award at Manipal Quest 2.2	21 Sep 2025
5	Dr Aishwarya	Received second prize in Neurosurgery paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
6	Dr Arjun M A	Received Yough Researcher Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology			
1	Dr Tanya Sharma	Received first prize in intercollegiate Debate Competition at CME-Manipal HOTS 2.0-Retina Hands on training session	07 Sep 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Dr Nishkarsh Bansal	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
2	Dr Nadampalli Sushma	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
3	Dr Oishik Roy	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
4	Dr Agraj Tiwari	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
5	Dr Doshi Rutvi Yogesh	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025

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6	Dr Anmol Kapoor	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
7	Dr Yatharth Datta	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
8	Dr Tanya S	Received first prize in Interdepartmental Variety Show held at Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
9	Dr Prachi Bajoria	Won Best Poster and received second prize of Physical posters at the 75th Annual Conference of the Delhi Ophthalmological Society	17 Jun 2025
10	Dr Kalamkar Samyak Atul	Won eighth rank in Pan-India Intercollegiate PG Quiz	25 Jun 2025
11	Dr Anjhana S N Vellappally	Won eighth rank in Pan-India Intercollegiate PG Quiz	25 Jun 2025
12	Mr Answesha Nandy	Received second place in the Paper presentation event as part of INCISICON 2025	29 Jun 2025
13	Mr Hitesh Garg	Received second place in the Paper presentation event as part of INCISICON 2025	29 Jun 2025
14	Ms Devishi Choudhary	Received first prize in the Intercollegiate Ophthalmology undergraduate and postgraduate quiz program at Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore, EMD Auditorium, 8th floor, YMCH, Mangalore	18 Jul 2025
15	Ms Dhriti Goyal	Received first prize in the Intercollegiate Ophthalmology undergraduate and postgraduate quiz program at Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore, EMD Auditorium, 8th floor, YMCH, Mangalore	18 Jul 2025
Otorhinolaryngology			
1	Dr Parvathi R Nair	Received the best outgoing PG 2021 batch award at College Day and Awards Ceremony 2025, KMC Manipal	15 Apr 2025
2	Mr Swayam Arora	Secured first place in E-poster on A Rare Case of Olfactory Neuroblastoma: A Surgical and Diagnostic Challenge at "INCISICON 2025 INCISIO - The Academic UG Surgery Club of KSHEMA"	29 Jun 2025
3	Mr Namish Agarwal	Secured first place in E-poster on A Rare Case of Olfactory Neuroblastoma: A Surgical and Diagnostic Challenge at "INCISICON 2025 INCISIO - The Academic UG Surgery Club of KSHEMA"	29 Jun 2025
4	Dr Avni Agarwal	Received Prof K K Ramalingam P G Medal–second prize for Best Case Presentation during the 43rd AP State and 20th South Zone Conference held at Novotel, Vijayawada.	12 Oct 2025
Paediatric Oncology			
1	Dr Nishitha Thalamati	Received first prize in CONNAISSANCE, JIPMER	04 Apr 2025
2	Dr Vaibhav Prasad Gowda	Received first prize in CONNAISSANCE, JIPMER	04 Apr 2025

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Paediatric Orthopaedic			
1	Dr Siddarth Kamath	Received the second-best paper award at POSICON 2025	04 Jan 2025
2	Dr Siddarth Kamath	Received first prize in Prof K Sriram Thinking Skill Contest-2025	03 Feb 2025
Reproductive Medicine and Surgery			
1	Dr Ayushi Agarwal	Participated in the ISAR quiz and secured third position at the 29th Annual Conference of the Indian Society for Assisted Reproduction held at Lucknow. It was organized by the Indian Society for Assisted Reproduction.	09 Feb 2025
2	Dr I Naga Prathyusha	Received Dr Pratap Kumar Award for the Best outgoing student in the MCh Exam (Reproductive Medicine and Surgery) held in March 2025	15 Apr 2025
3	Dr Shivangi Tiwari	Received first prize in scientific paper presentation on Transrectal oocyte retrieval for fertility preservation in virginal women at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
4	Dr Ankita Chonla	Received second prize in Postgraduate research quiz competition at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
5	Dr Sowjanya S B	Received first prize in scientific poster presentation on Silent suffering: A Teenager's battle with severe dysmenorrhea unveiling a non-communicating functional rudimentary horn at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
Reproductive Science			
1	Ms Shobitha	Received Best Oral Presentation award and got third position in the event, which was organized by Department of Physiology, Faculty of Medicine, University Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	25 Apr 2025
2	Ms Vanishree V M	Received the Best Oral Presentation award and got 5th Position in the event, which was organized by the Department of Physiology, Faculty of Medicine, University Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	25 Apr 2025
3	Ms Megha Anchan	Was honoured with second prize in the scientific oral paper presentation in Manipal Quest 2.0. for "C57BL/6J mice best recapitulate fibrosis and inflammatory pathophysiology in syngeneic mouse model of endometriosis"	21 Sep 2025
4	Ms Megha M Anchan	Received second prize in the scientific oral paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
5	Ms Megha M Anchan	Received ICMR International Travel Award at 13th Asian Congress of Endometriosis held in Colombo, Sri Lanka.	03 Nov 2025
6	Ms Mouna B K	Received second prize in best poster presentation at Embryo Connect 2.0 organized by the Division of Clinical Embryology, Department of Reproductive Science, KMC, Manipal and Manipal Association of Clinical Embryologists (MACE), Manipal, held in Luminaire Hall, Fortune Inn Valley View, Manipal	15 Nov 2025
7	Ms Mouna BK	Received prize for best oral presentation	16 Dec 2025

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Respiratory Medicine			
1	Dr Manish R Shetty	Received second prize in Oral Presentation-Comparison between low-dose intravenous fentanyl and low-dose intravenous midazolam in a flexible bronchoscopy prospective, randomized, double-blinded study. -Alveolus 2025' conference organized by Kerala Chapter of Indian Chest Society and Kannur Chest Society, at Kannur, Kerala, and also received a cash amount of 2000/- INR	10 Aug 2025
2	Dr Manish R Shetty	Received first prize in Pedagogy Competition-Alveolus 2025 conference organized by Kerala Chapter of Indian Chest Society and Kannur Chest Society, at Kannur, Kerala, and a cash prize of 2000/- INR	10 Aug 2025
3	Dr Putta Sravya Krishna	Received first prize in Oral Presentation-Comparison of effects of intravenous dexmedetomidine (0.75 mcg/kg) and intravenous midazolam (0.035 mg/kg)-Fentanyl (50 mcg) combination in flexible bronchoscopy-Alveolus 2025 conference organized by Kerala Chapter of Indian Chest Society and Kannur Chest Society, at Kannur, Kerala, and also received a cash prize of 4,000/- INR	10 Aug 2025
Urology			
1	Dr Ankit Agarawal	Selected from India and attended the 23rd European Urology Residents Education Programme, held from 29 August to 03 September, organized by the European Association of Urology at Prague, Czech Republic.	03 Sep 2025
2	Dr Krishnakanth AV B	Received the Young Research Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
3	Dr Ankit Agarawal	Received Young Research Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
4	Dr K S Chaitanya Krishna	Received the Young Research Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
5	Dr Siddhant Kumar	Received the Young Research Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
6	Dr Aishwarya Avinash Tinaikar	Received the Young Research Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
7	Dr Ankit Agarawal	Received first prize in paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
8	Dr Shubham Singh	Received the Young Research Award at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025

Extra-Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
Neurosurgery			
1	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Girish Menon, Professor participated in the Manipal Marathon 2025 at Manipal and completed 42K and received first prize	09 Feb 2025
2	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Raghavendra Nayak, Professor participated in the Manipal Marathon 2025 at Manipal and completed 10K	09 Feb 2025
3	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Susanth S, Associate Professor participated in the Manipal Marathon 2025 at Manipal and completed 21K	09 Feb 2025
4	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Nithin Raj, Assistant Professor participated in the Manipal Marathon 2025 at Manipal and completed 10K	09 Feb 2025
5	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Geeta S, Senior Resident participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
6	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Swamy P T, Senior Resident participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
7	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Udgam K Baxi, Senior Resident participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
8	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Arjun M A, Senior Resident participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Shailaja S, Associate Professor participated in the Manipal Marathan	09 Feb 2025
2	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Neetha KIR, Associate Professor participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
3	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Nishkarsh Bansal a postgraduate student participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
4	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Anmol Kapoor a postgraduate student participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025
5	Manipal Marathon 2025	Dr Sushma Nadimpalli a postgraduate student participated in the Manipal Marathon	09 Feb 2025

Inter Institution:

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Administration			
1	Basketball	Runners-MSCE, Manipal-Ablaze-Inter-Collegiate Tournament-2025	30 Apr 2025
2	Basketball	Runners-MIT, Manipal-Revels-Inter-Collegiate Tournament 2025	31 May 2025
3	Basketball Men Team achievement	Runners-MAHE Intercollegiate Event, Inter-Collegiate Tournament-2025	31 May 2025

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4	Basketball Men Team achievement	Runners-MSCE, Manipal-Ablaze, Inter-Collegiate Tournament-2025	31 May 2025
Cardiology			
1	Table Tennis Tournament 2025	Dr Akkatai S Teli, Associate Professor participated in MAHE intercollegiate table tennis women's double sports tournament 2025 and received first prize	19 Aug 2025

Outside University:

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Administration			
1	Invictus 2025	Aadrita Gupta received first prize in the Squash Women's singles tournament 2025	08 Apr 2025
2	Invictus2025	First Place in Men's Cricket	08 Apr 2025
3	Invictus2025	First Place in Women's cricket	08 Apr 2025
4	Invictus 2025	Second Place in Chess Blitz individual	08 Apr 2025
5	Invictus 2025	First Place in 4 x 25 m Freestyle Relay	08 Apr 2025
6	Invictus 2025	Sindhu Shanbhag received first prize in Basketball	08 Apr 2025
7	Invictus 2025	Medha Sri Vollala received second prize in the Tennis Girls singles match	08 Apr 2025
8	Invictus 2025	Dhruv Singh received second prize in the Squash men's singles tournament	08 Apr 2025
9	Invictus 2025	Dhruv Singh received first prize in the Squash men's doubles tournament	08 Apr 2025
10	Invictus 2025	Anushka Acharya received second prize in the Squash women's singles tournament	08 Apr 2025
11	Invictus 2025	Dhruv Sachdeva received first prize in Table Tennis Men's Team	08 Apr 2025
12	Invictus 2025	Sakshi MC received second prize in the Women's Futsal/Football tournament 2025	08 Apr 2025
13	Invictus 2025	Shreyas Wagle received first prize-Invictus Athletics	08 Apr 2025
14	Invictus 2025	Aayushmaan received second prize in the Men's Tennis single match	08 Apr 2025
15	Invictus 2025	Aayushmaan received second prize in the Men's Tennis doubles match	08 Apr 2025
16	Invictus 2025	Vasudha Sharma received second prize in the women's volleyball tournament.	08 Apr 2025
17	Invictus 2025	First Place in Swimming–4 x 25 m Medley Relay Girls	08 Apr 2025

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18	Invictus 2025	Kushagra Kanoi received first prize in the Squash men's singles tournament 2025	08 Apr 2025
19	Invictus 2025	Kushagra Kanoi received second prize in the Squash men's doubles tournament 2025	08 Apr 2025
20	Basketball	Winners-KSHEMA, Mangalore-Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	30 Apr 2025
21	Basketball	Winners-JSS, Mysore-Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	30 Apr 2025
22	Basketball Girls Team achievement	Winners-KMC, Manipal-Invictus 25-Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	30 Apr 2025
23	Basketball Men Team achievement	Winners-SDM, Dharwad-Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	30 Apr 2025
24	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Kritika Chaudhary-400 m Silver in swimming	08 May 2025
25	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Pratyush–100 m breaststroke Bronze in swimming	08 May 2025
26	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Mixed team-4 x 50 m relay Bronze	08 May 2025
27	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Shailja-100 m Gold Medal in free style swimming	08 May 2025
28	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Ayan-25 butterfly gold Medal	08 May 2025
29	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Girls team–4 x 50 free relay Silver in swimming	08 May 2025
30	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Ayan-50 m butterfly Gold in swimming	08 May 2025
31	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Anushka-Squash Gold	08 May 2025
32	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Himanshi-Gold medal in classic powerlifting	08 May 2025
33	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Aditi-50 m breaststroke Bronze	08 May 2025

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34	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Girls team-4 x 25 relay Gold	08 May 2025
35	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Boys team-4 x 100 m relay Bronze	08 May 2025
36	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Girls team-4 x 25 medley relay Gold in swimming	08 May 2025
37	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Mixed team-4 x 50 medley relay Silver in swimming	08 May 2025
38	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Ayan-50 m freestyle Silver in swimming	08 May 2025
39	Inter Medics AFMC–Pune, Maharashtra-Silhouettes 2025	Ayan-25 m freestyle Silver	08 May 2025
40	Table Tennis Men Team achievement	Winners-KSHEMA, Mangalore, Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	31 May 2025
41	Basketball	Winners-SDM, Dharwad-Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	31 May 2025
42	Basketball	Runners-St Johns, Bangalore-Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	31 May 2025
43	Basketball Men Team achievement	Winners-AIMS, Bangalore Synergy, Inter-Medics Tournament-2025	31 May 2025
Neurosurgery			
1	TATA Mumbai Marathon 2025	Dr Girish Menon, Professor completed 42.2 km TATA Mumbai Marathon 2025 at Mumbai	19 Jan 2025
2	International Yoga Day 2025	Dr Geeta S, Senior Resident participated in 5k run at Soukyavana, Pareeka	21 Jun 2025
Reproductive Science			
1	Niveus Mangalore Marathon	Dr Guruprasad Nayak participated in Niveus Mangalore Marathon a national level half marathon held in Mangalore	09 Nov 2025
2	Udupi Marathon	Dr Guruprasad Nayak participated in Udupi Marathon a national level half marathon held in Udupi	07 Dec 2025

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

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Administration			
1	UTSAV	First Position Spot Photography	24 Mar 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Verve 2025	Dr Vijaya Pai H, Professor participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
2	Verve 2025	Dr Yogish S Kamath, Professor participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
3	Verve 2025	Dr Sudha G Menon, Associate Professor participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
4	Verve 2025	Dr Neetha KIR, Associate Professor participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
5	Verve 2025	Dr Soumya S, Associate Professor participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
6	Verve 2025	Dr Sushan S Shetty, Assistant Professor participated in the Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
7	Verve 2025	Dr Shefali Christina Misquith, Senior Resident participated in the Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025
8	Verve 2025	Dr Sruthi Vijendran, Senior Resident participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show–Verve 2025	11 Mar 2025

Inter Institution:

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Administration			
1	UTSAV	Third Position Eastern Dance Group	24 Mar 2025
2	UTSAV	Arjun Malik Third Position Mimicry	24 Mar 2025
3	UTSAV	Aryaman Acharya Second Position Eastern Vocal Solo	24 Mar 2025
4	UTSAV	Aniket Vikram Singh First Position Stand Up	24 Mar 2025
5	UTSAV	Hari Ansh Jindia First Position Spot Photography	24 Mar 2025
6	UTSAV	Aman Kumar, Ritu Singh, Aprajita Shukla, Aisha Jain Second Position Installation Art	24 Mar 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Verve 2025	Dr Yatharth Datta a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025
2	Verve 2025	Dr Anmol Kapoor a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025
3	Verve 2025	Dr Nadimpalli Sushma a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025

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4	Verve 2025	Dr Doshi Rutvi Yogesh a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025
5	Verve 2025	Dr Tanya S a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025
6	Verve 2025	Dr Oishik Roy a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025
7	Verve 2025	Dr Agraj Tiwari a postgraduate student participated in Interdepartmental Variety Show	11 Mar 2025

Outside University

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Administration			
1	INVICTUS	Second Position Fashion Show	08 Apr 2025
2	INVICTUS	Third Position Eastern Vocal Solo	08 Apr 2025
3	INVICTUS	First Position Theatre	08 Apr 2025
4	INVICTUS	First Position Thematic Dance	08 Apr 2025
5	INVICTUS	Third Position Non-Thematic Group Dance	08 Apr 2025
6	INVICTUS	First Position Short Film	08 Apr 2025
7	INVICTUS	Third Position Eastern Solo Dance	08 Apr 2025
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18	INVICTUS	First Position Stand Up	08 Apr 2025
19	INVICTUS	Second Position Stand Up	08 Apr 2025
20	INVICTUS	First Position Instrumental Solo	08 Apr 2025
21	INVICTUS	Second Position Instrumental Solo	08 Apr 2025
22	INVICTUS	Third Position Instrumental Solo	08 Apr 2025
23	INVICTUS	Second Position Mime	08 Apr 2025
24	INVICTUS	Second Position MONOLOGUE	09 Apr 2025
25	AFMC SILHOUETTES 2025	First Place Short Film	08 May 2025
Paediatrics			
1	Yakshagana	Dr Suneel C Mundkur performed Yakshagana at Kandlur	08 Mar 2025

Inauguration of Manipal Microsurgery Research Lab, under the Department of Hand Surgery on 14 March 2025

Inauguration of the MAHE–Laerdal Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Simulation on 26 June 2025

Inauguration of the MAHE DHR- Technical Resource Centre for Evidence Synthesis funded by the Department of Health Research, on 17 July 2025

Inauguration of the Core Metabolic Lab at the Centre for Inborn Errors of Metabolism on 07 August 2025

Inauguration of the Department of AI in Healthcare on 25 August 2025

Inauguration of Drishti Chakra–Advanced Mobile Eye Screening Unit under the Department of Ophthalmology on 30 October 2025

Inauguration of MAHE–Anderson Centre of Excellence in Reproductive Genomics under the Department of Reproductive Science on 11 December 2025

Dr Bishakha Jayprakash Rathi received the Young Pharmacologist Award at the International Pharmacology Conference at AIIMS Delhi

Dr Chythra R Rao - selected for @womenlifthealth's 2025 India Leadership Journey

Ms Shambhavi Joshi received the prestigious Social Innovation Award from Global Technology Solutions Program

Center for Bioethics

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Dr Supriya Nambiar, MCODS, Mangalore

Brief About the Center:

Vision: To be a world-class center for bioethics and be a hallmark of excellence in addressing ethical and legal issues in biomedical research and health care

Mission: Excellence in training to address ethical and legal issues in biomedical research and clinical practice

Objectives: 1. Training in Ethical and legal issues in Biomedical Research
2. Training Ethical and Legal Issues in Health Care
3. Ethical Issues in Research and Publications

Activities at the Center:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	**Sessions on Research Ethics for Postgraduate Students of MCHP, Manipal**	**Workshop on Research Ethics for Postgraduate Students of MCHP, Manipal.** Around 200 participants attended the workshop.	23 Jan 2025 30 Jan 2025 06 Feb 2025 13 Feb 2025 20 Feb 2025 27 Feb 2025 06 Mar 2025 13 Mar 2025
2	**International Council for Harmonization of Good Clinical Practice (ICHGCP) Workshop**	**International Council for Harmonization of Good Clinical Practice (ICHGCP) Workshop** was conducted in association with Research Ethics and Regulations Vertical, KMC, Manipal. Around 80 participants attended the workshop.	20 Feb 2025
3	**International Council for Harmonization of Good Clinical Practice (ICHGCP) Workshop**	**International Council for Harmonization of Good Clinical Practice (ICHGCP) Workshop** was conducted. Around 60 participants attended the workshop.	28 Aug 2025
4	**Certificate course in Bioethics**	**A certificate course in Bioethics** was conducted and 15 participants were attended the course.	**29 Jul to 27 Sep 2025**

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
5	**Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP) workshop** for the batch of 2023 (MD/MS/DM/MCh)	**GCP and GLP workshop** for the batch of 2023 (MD/MS/DM/MCh) was conducted in association with Post Graduate Research Vertical, KMC, Manipal. Around 250 participants attended the workshop	**12 Feb 2025**
6	**Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP) workshop** for the batch of 2024 (MD/MS/DM/MCh)	**GCP and GLP workshop** for the batch of 2024 (MD/MS/DM/MCh) was conducted in association with Post Graduate Research Vertical, KMC, Manipal. Around 250 participants attended the workshop	**07 Oct 2025**

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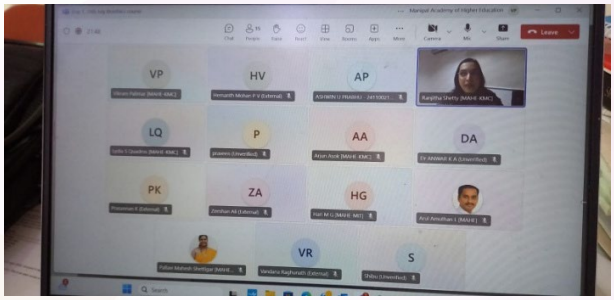
Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP) workshop on 12 February 2025

International Council for Harmonization of Good Clinical Practice (ICHGCP) workshop on 20 February 2025

Good Clinical Practice (GCP) and Good Laboratory Practice (GLP) workshop on 07 October 2025

International Council for Harmonization of Good Clinical Practice (ICHGCP) workshop on 28 August 2025



Bioethics Certificate Course 2025

Centre for Fertility Preservation

The Centre for Fertility Preservation (CFP) at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, is a pioneering facility and the first of its kind in India to offer comprehensive fertility preservation services. As a national resource centre in this field, the centre provides specialized, patient-centric oncofertility care for both adults and children, addressing the reproductive needs of individuals undergoing gonadotoxic treatments.

CFP is a recognized global partner of the Oncofertility Consortium, USA, reflecting its strong commitment to international standards of clinical care, research excellence, and collaborative innovation. The centre has established strong academic and research collaborations with renowned international universities spanning across the globe; including the University of Münster in Germany, University of Naples Federico II (UNINA) in Italy, Karolinska University in Sweden, and the University of Edinburgh in the United Kingdom as well as premier institutes across India such as Indian Institute of Sciences (IISc), National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS), and National Institute of Immunology (NII). The centre conducts intensive fundamental and clinical research in translational oncofertility to ultimately improve patient care. CFP has received research grants worth 27 million from national and international funding agencies. The centre also offers a dynamic PhD and postdoctoral program for young talents interested in exploring various fundamental and applied aspects of fertility preservation through multidisciplinary approaches, fostering sustained capacity building in this vital field.

Key activities of the centre in 2025:

- CFP actively provides timely fertility preservation services in collaboration with consortium members from multiple departments at Kasturba Hospital, ensuring integrated and patient-centric oncofertility care.

- CFP conducted a precision workshop on **"Ovarian Tissue Cryopreservation and Embryo Biopsy"**, led by international experts Dr Judith Menezes from Karolinska University, Sweden and Dr Jens Erik Dietrich from Heidelberg University, Germany.

- The centre celebrated its 10th anniversary with the leaders of the institution and consortium members, marking a decade of contributions to fertility preservation services, research, education, and interdisciplinary collaboration in oncofertility.

- An awareness presentation titled **"Fertility preservation options for cancer patients"** was delivered by Prof Dr Satish Kumar Adiga, centre coordinator, to increase awareness among clinicians and promote timely referrals for fertility preservation services at Kasturba Hospital.

- An original research article entitled "**Impact of vitrification conditions on genetic and functional competence of prepubertal mouse oocytes**" was published in a Q1 journal.

- CFP organized an interactive academic session on **"Technical aspects of gamete and gonadal tissue cryopreservation"** for postgraduate students from the Department of Reproductive Sciences with internationally renowned scientist Prof Riccardo Talevi from the University of Naples Federico II (UNINA), Italy.

- CFP, jointly with the Manipal Association of Clinical Embryologists, organized an international reproductive summit "**Embryo Connect 2.0**", providing a platform for experts, researchers, clinicians, and students to exchange knowledge on recent advances in assisted reproduction and fertility preservation.

- Prof Dr Satish Kumar Adiga delivered a lecture on "**Fertility preservation in oncological patients: Challenges and opportunities**" at the International Conference, "ReproNext- Emerging horizons in reproductive health research" held in Mumbai, India.

Centre for Excellence in Inborn Errors of Metabolism (CE-IEM)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 21 Dec 2015

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Leslie Edward S Lewis

Members: Dr Varashree B S, Dr Krishnananda Prabhu R V, Dr Monalisa Biswas, Dr Arjun Asok, Mr Y S Phaneendra Mallimoggala

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: Development of a state-of-the-art metabolic laboratory to detect Inborn Errors of Metabolism, Adult Metabolic Disorders, Monitoring Drug Concentration, and Toxicology Estimations.

Mission: Development and establishment of routine and high-risk newborn screening in the Udupi district, and decrease infant mortality and morbidity. Extending the facility to the neighbouring districts and capacity building in the field of newborn screening.

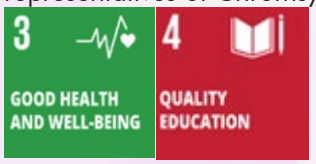
Objectives:

- Establishment of newborn screening at MAHE constituent Hospitals and extend the facility to the government sector, Udupi district.
- Document the incidence of IEM in the Udupi district and develop a geography-specific reference range of Biomarkers.
- Extending cost-effective newborn screening to neighbouring districts and pan- Karnataka.
- Create awareness, establish networks, train IEM experts, support research, and execute IEM projects
- Provide genetic workup counselling for the parents of children suffering from IEM disorders.
- High-end toxicology screening and drug level monitoring.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Gas Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry workshop by the core team of the CE-IEM, KMC, Manipal	One day free GCMS workshop as a part of the Certificate Course titled Immunometabolism Essentials in Tropical Diseases	03 Feb 2025
2	Procurement of IVD certified Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry LCMS/	First fully IVD-certified LCMS/MS procured for the establishment of Core Metabolic Laboratory facility for LCMS/MS based diagnostic services and clinical research	27 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Training at the CSC Lab, Themo Fisher Scientific, Mumbai	5 members from the Department of Biochemistry attended a week-long training workshop at the CSC facility and were certified for TSQ Quantis Plus Operation and Application Training	05 - 10 May 2025
4	IQ, OQ, PQ of the procured LCMS	Application team from TFS, India and a licensed application specialist for IVD installation from South Korea jointly completed IQ, OQ, PQ of the procured instrument for the Core Metabolic Facility	20 Jun 2025
5	Inhouse training by the Application team of Thermo Fisher Scientific, India	Two application specialists from TFS, India, came to Manipal for a week-long application training to the team from CE-IEM regarding the basics of instrument operation, software operation, and the optimized method of estimation of 17-hydroxyprogesterone from serum	14 - 18 Jul 2025
6	GCMS workshop jointly by Toshvin Analytical Pvt Ltd and team CE-IEM	Application specialist from Toshvin Analytical Pvt Ltd, along with a member of CE-IEM, conducted a free two-day GCMS workshop for postgraduates and research scholars of MAHE	18 - 20 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
7	Formal inauguration of the Core Metabolic Facility, CE-IEM, KMC, Manipal	The facility was formally inaugurated by the Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), Dr Sharath K Rao, along with other dignitaries of MAHE, Manipal and Kasturba Hospital, Manipal	07 Aug 2025
8	Inhouse training jointly by Thermo Fisher Scientific and Chromsystems	First phase of training and installation initiatives of IVD certified LCMS kits jointly by TFS and Chromsystem teams	25 - 31 Aug 2025
9	Installation and Optimization of IVD-certified diagnostic kits (NBS and metanephrines) in the LCMS/MS system by representatives of Chromsystems 	Second phase of installation, optimization of IVD certified NBS panels and Biogenic Amine panels by the Chromsystem team	17 - 22 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
10	Launching diagnostic services by the Core Metabolic Facility in association with Kasturba Hospital, Manipal 	Official launching of diagnostic services for the Extended newborn screening panel in association with the Kasturba Hospital, Manipal team, at extremely competitive prices	29 Dec 2025
11	Release of the first phase of NBS report 	Official release of the first set of reports for the newly launched extended NBS diagnostic services	06 Jan 2026

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Department of Science & Technology – Fund for Improvement of S&T Infrastructure DST FIST 2020	DST	Dr Leslie Edward Lewis	58,00,000	05 Mar 2021

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
2	Clinical, metabolomic, and genomic predictors of acute respiratory distress syndrome in hospital-acquired pneumonia	ICMR	Dr Souvik Chaudhury	50,00,000	2024 - 2027
3	Tributyrin-cyclodextrin capsules co-loaded with inulin and lactic acid bacilli for management of gut Microbiota dysbiosis	ICMR Small Investigator-Initiated Extramural Grants	Dr Shaila Angela Lewis	20,00,000	2025 - 2027
4	Deciphering neonatal and paediatric energy metabolomic signatures specific to primary mitochondrial disorders	Faculty Project	Dr Leslie Edward Lewis	-	2024 - 2027
5	Circulating metabolomic signatures as a superior alternative to absolute blast count (ABC) to assess the prognosis of paediatric acute lymphoblastic leukaemia	Faculty Project	Dr Arjun Asok	-	2024 - 2027
6	Profiles of micronutrients and fatty acid methyl esters (FAMEs) in intra uterine growth restriction (IUGR)	PhD Study	Dr Vijetha Shenoy Belle	-	2024 - 2027
7	Metabolic perturbations of third trimester as predictors of maternal and neonatal outcomes in pregnancy induced hypertension	PhD Study	Dr Varashree B S	-	2024 - 2027
8	Comparative quantitative analysis of pesticides and drugs in human clinical samples by microextraction (ME) and Digital image colorimetry (DIC) and Gas chromatography-mass spectrometry (GC-MS)	PhD Study	Dr Shankar M Bakkannavar	-	2024 - 2027
-9	Analysis of vitreous humour to identify different poisons (organophosphorus, paraquat and rodenticide) and to determine the concentration of sodium and potassium ions in poisoning and non-poisoning cases to estimate time since death	PhD Study	Dr Shankar M Bakkannavar	-	2024 - 2027
10	Analysis of vitreous humour to identify different poisons (organophosphorus, paraquat and rodenticide) and to determine the concentration of sodium and potassium ions in poisoning and non-poisoning cases to estimate time since death	PhD Study	Dr Shankar M Bakkannavar	-	2024 - 2027

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
11	Association of fibroblast growth factor (FGF-23) and metabolomic profile with cardiorenal outcomes in patients with chronic kidney diseases: A Prospective Observational study	IMF	Dr Indu Rao	6,00,000	2024 - 2026
12	Establishment of biological reference intervals for urinary organic profile in healthy neonates and early infants	PhD Study	Dr Leslie Edward Lewis	-	2024 - 2027
13	Biochemical analysis and AHA grading of atherosclerotic plaques in coronary, carotid & renal arteries in fatalities due to myocardial infarction	PhD Study (Faculty PhD Study)	Dr Ravindra Maradi	-	2024 - 2027
14	Salivary metabolomic profile in Oral carcinoma	PhD Study (Faculty PhD Study)	Dr Krishnananda Prabhu R V	-	2024 - 2027

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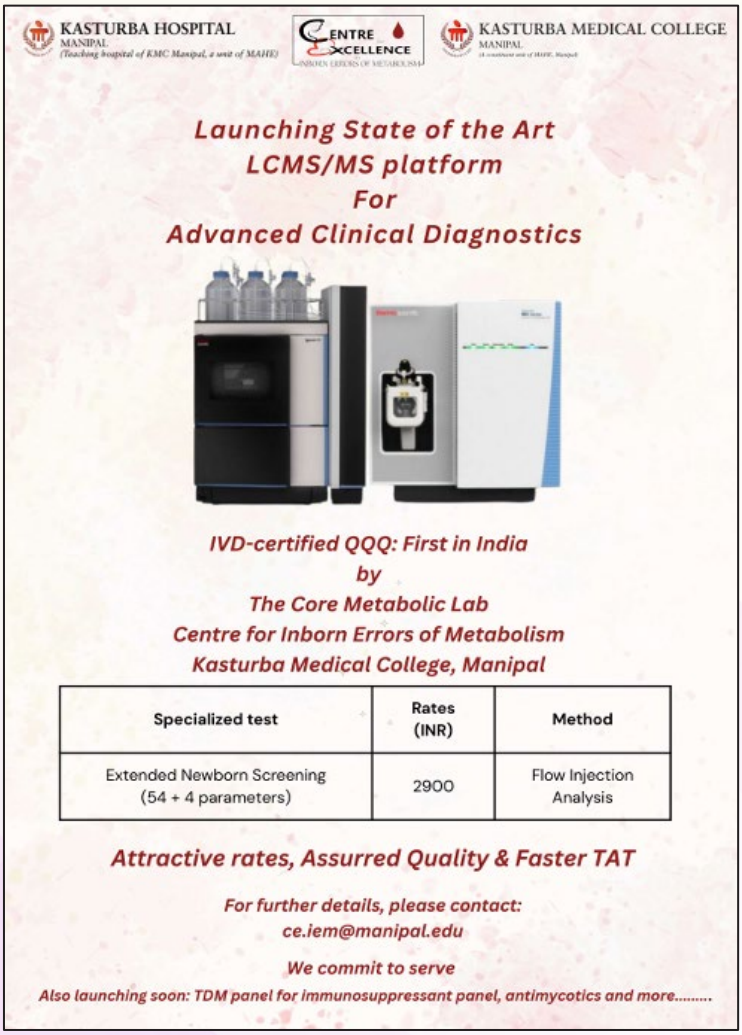
Formal Inauguration of the Core Metabolic Laboratory, CE-IEM, KMC, Manipal

Completion of IQ, OQ, and PQ requisites jointly by the Service Engineer team of TFS, India, and TFS, South Korea

Team CE-IEM, along with the faculty members of the Department of Biochemistry at the Inauguration of the Core Metabolic Laboratory, CE-IEM, KMC, Manipal

Training at the Customer Solution Centre, Thermo Fisher Scientific, Mumbai Facility

In-house application training for members of CE-IEM by the Application team of TFS, India



Official Launch of Diagnostic Services by the Core Metabolic Lab in association with Kasturba Hospital, Manipal

Centre for Congenital Hand Differences

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Anil K Bhat
Members: Dr Ashwath M Acharya

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To be the Centre of Excellence in India for congenital hand difference.

Mission: To practice comprehensive documentation, clinical knowledge translation, training, innovative research, and community services for children with congenital hand differences

Objectives

- Promote awareness of local, regional, and national data to create global impact in alignment with the University's vision.
- Establish a centre of repute in learning and teaching the management of congenital hand differences and develop holistic patient management with a team-based approach.
- Spearhead high-quality original and innovative research and development related to hand malformations in India and publish them.
- Establish bilateral partnerships with high-volume regional centres to enhance the potential for international collaborations and grants and to achieve academic and innovative excellence.
- Community participation along with involvement of policymakers to further services to remote areas.

Activities at the Centre

Manipal Upper Limb Course 3: The Third Manipal Upper Limb Course (MULC-3) was conducted by the Department of Hand Surgery, KMC Manipal, under the Center for Congenital Difference Hastha on 19 July 2025, at the TMA Pai Auditorium in Manipal under the continued leadership of Prof Anil K Bhat, Dean KMC Manipal, and Dr Ashwath Acharya , Head of Hand surgery Department KMC Manipal. A total of 76 postgraduate students from various medical colleges across India attended the course. The academic content was meticulously curated to reflect real-life clinical scenarios and exam-oriented learning. The highlights of the program included Case Presentations by postgraduates, Upper Limb Focused OSCE Training. Participants underwent a structured Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) module designed specifically for upper limb conditions. The OSCE stations covered examination techniques, splint identification, radiographic interpretation, surgical planning, and applied anatomy. These sessions were designed in alignment with the latest PGMER 2023 guidelines, equipping students with strategies to excel in clinical examinations. The most awaited component of the course was the cadaveric hands-on workshop held at the Anatomy Dissection Lab, where participants performed supervised surgical exposures and distal radius plating on cadaver specimens. Procedures included volar and dorsal approaches to the distal radius and scaphoid fixation and common hand procedures. In addition to the didactic sessions, informal faculty interaction allowed trainees to seek advice on academic career paths, surgical decision-making, and examination preparation. The encouragement and mentorship from senior surgeons significantly enriched the overall learning environment.

Hand Surgery Day: The Department of Hand Surgery, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, observed Hand Surgery Day on 23 August 2025. As part of the event, a series of informative posters addressing various aspects of hand surgery was prominently displayed in the outpatient department. These posters focused on hand-specific first aid measures, recommended guidelines, and precautions, and commonly encountered yet challenging hand disorders such as carpal tunnel syndrome, De Quervain's Tenosynovitis, and trigger finger.

The primary objective of the program was to enhance knowledge and awareness and to promote the prevention of injuries and occupational hazards among patients, security personnel, and students. The event also featured short Instagram reels aimed at public awareness, including content on bike chain injuries and cracker burst injuries, as well as awareness on digit reimplantation and birth brachial plexus palsy.

Research Activities

Department of Hand Surgery and HASTHA: The Center for Congenital Hand Difference participated in Lifeathon 2.0 conducted by MAHE Health Science on 23 October 2025. Here, we focused on collaboration with different departments across various institutes. The highlights were the incorporation of AI in Hand Surgery with emphasis on AI powered prognostic tool for hand and upper limb and congenital hand differences.

Research Publication

1. Bhat A K, Acharya A M, Pai G M Long-Term Functional and Radiological Results in Tonkin Type 3B Thumb Hypoplasia Treated with Nonvascularized Toe Phalanx Transfer as an Alternative to Pollicization. J Hand Surg Am. Published online August 30, 2024. Doi: 10.1016/j.jhsa.2024.06.011(Q2).
2. Anil K Bhat, Mithun Pai G, Ashwath M Acharya, Role of five-fingered hand in type IIIB thumb hypoplasia-An Asia-Pacific perspective, Journal of Hand and Microsurgery, Volume 17, Issue 4, 2025,100278, ISSN 0974-3227, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jham.2025.100278.(Q3).

Photo Gallery:

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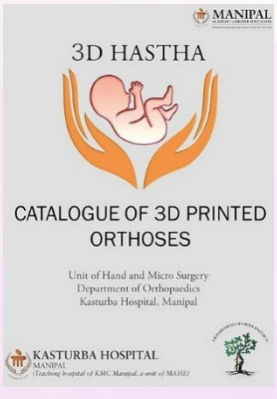

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Hand Surgery Day

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Research Day Photograp

Center for Emerging and Tropical Diseases (CETD)

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Brief About the Centre:
Statement: Cross-cutting research in the field of Emerging and Tropical diseases to guide public health policy

Vision: Cross-cutting research in the field of Emerging and Tropical diseases to guide public health policy

Mission:
For selected emerging and tropical diseases with a special reference to melioidosis:
- Act as a center of reference in India
- Improve surveillance and awareness among the population

Objectives:
1. To be the unified voice on common issues regarding emerging, re-emerging, and neglected tropical diseases to achieve our goals
2. To enhance our community of practice through member engagement, learning, and sharing knowledge
3. To prepare a comprehensive framework for disease management and prevention

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	**Certificate course**	Immunometabolism Essentials in Tropical Diseases	29 Jan 2025 - 03 Feb 2025
2.	**Elective classes**	Theory class for MBBS students-Elective in Clinical Sciences	08 - 11 Sep 2025
		MBBS final year Elective Course: Emerging and Tropical Diseases	26 Feb 2025 - 11 Apr 2025

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3.	**MSc Medical Microbiology** 	Theory classes for MSc Medical Microbiology	26 Feb 2025 - 01 Mar 2025
4.	**Publication** 	Sindhu Sree B, Bhattacharya R, Varshith M R, Shrilaxmi M S, Choudhary S, Lal P B, Ghosh Dastidar R, Mukhopadhyay C, Ghosh Dastidar S. *Draft Genome Sequence data of Burkholderia pseudomallei CM000152: a strain isolated from pus sample of an Indian patient*. Data in Brief, 2025, 111991, ISSN 2352-3409, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dib.2025.111991.	01 Sep 2025
		Jha S, Mittal M, Prasad L, Ghosh Dastidar S, Shetty S, Mailapalli D, Ghosh Dastidar R#, Mukhopadhyay C#, Lal P B#. *Missing links of melioidosis in India: A cross-sectional analysis of case reports, agro-meteorological and socioeconomic factors*. Sci Rep (2025). https://doi.org/10.1038/s41598-025-27178-4.	29 Nov 2025
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		A N Kumar, R Gundamaraju, S Basu, B Bisht*, M K Paul*. *"Lung Cancer Organoids: Promising Model for Drug Screening and Personalized Medicine"*. Intech Open. Accepted (2025).	
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		Paul, M K, Singh, B N, & Bisht, B (2025). Introductory chapter: Advances in Regenerative Medicine and Tissue Engineering. In *Biomedical engineering*. https://doi.org/10.5772/intechopen.1012041	2025
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		Virk HS, Biemond JJ, Earny VA, et al., Unraveling Sepsis Epidemiology in a Low- and Middle-Income Intensive Care	2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
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Patents:

Sl No	Name	Title	Status	Date
1.	Dr Piyush Bahari Lal	Composition and method for modifying plasmid DNA to overcome restriction modification system of *Burkholderia species*	Submitted	Dec 2025
		A process for preparation of fermentable hydrolysate from agricultural waste for production of biofuels and other value-added bioproducts	Submitted	Jan 2026
		A system and method for bio-electrochemical hydrogen generation from hydrolysate using *E. coli*	Submitted	Jan 2026
		A system and method for bio-electrochemical hydrogen generation utilizing *Z. mobilis* through microbial electrolysis	Submitted	Jan 2026
		A method composition and kit for the detection of miRNA using a simple polymerase chain reaction	Submitted	2023
2.	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	A solid phase microextraction tool for the identification of *Burkholderia cepacia* in liquid medium, and methods thereof	Published	02 Jan 2026

Awards and Recognition:

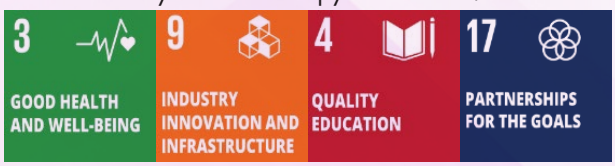
Sl No	Name	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	Dr Ranita Ghosh Dastidar	Invited talk	Immunocon 2025	23 Nov 25
		Invited talk	Immunometabolism in Tissue Homeostasis, Infections, and Sterile Inflammation	06 Sep 2025
		Posters	1) Award Category Poster in SAMC 2025 titled "Diabetes-driven immune–metabolic dysregulation amplifies inflammation in *Burkholderia* sp. infection"	Nov 2025
			2) 11th Annual Conference of the Society for Mitochondrial Research and Medicine on "Mitochondria in Health, Disease and Ageing", Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS), MAHE, Manipal - "Immune–metabolic crosstalk in diabetes primes severe *Burkholderia* sp. inflammation"	
		Student Awards- 2 (Travel award to Mr Supriyo Mukherjee and Poster award to Ms Aishwariya Madhavan)	3) TCS 2025 4) Immunocon 2025	02-23 Nov 2025
		Total Posters/Presentations	PI- 4 Student-4	
2	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	MAHE-Deakin Cotutelle program	Varshith M R and Shrilaxmi M S visited Deakin University, Australia as part of their PhD. They were trained in a BSL-3 facility at ACDP, CSIRO, Australia.	Jun 2025-Jan 2026
		Poster presentations	1) Varshith M R and Shrilaxmi M S presented two posters in the Australasian Neuroscience Society 43rd Annual Scientific Meeting. 30 November to 03 December 2025. Hobart, Australia	30 Nov -03 Dec 2025
			2) Varshith MR presented a poster IMPACT Showcase, Deakin University, Australia	17 Oct 2025
			3) Shrilaxmi M S presented a poster in the IMPACT Showcase and HDR conference at Deakin University, Australia.	
			4) B Sindhu Sree presented posters in Global Immunology Summit held in ILS, Bhubaneshwar and International Conference on "Microbial Networks and Planetary Health: A Systems Approach to One Health," held at Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal.	17-22 Oct 2025 19-21 Jan 2026 28-30 Jan 2026

Sl No	Name	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
		Total posters/presentations	Student: 7	
3.	Dr Bharti Bisht	People's Choice Award	Women in Space Leadership Programme (WiSLP), DST and UK-India Education and Research Initiative. IACS, India.	2025
		Women in Space and Allied Science Leadership Programme (WiSLP)	Selected to attend WiSLP of the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India. New Delhi in collaboration with the British Council. IACS, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata.	28-31 Jan 2025
		Workshop/conferences (Both by PI and students)	Bharti Bisht, Women in Space and Allied Science Leadership Programme (WiSLP) of the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, New Delhi in collaboration with British Council from 28 to 31 January 2025. IACS, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata.	28-31 Jan 2025
		Total posters/presentations	PI-11 Student-8	
		Book published Editor: Bisht, B, Paul, M K, Singh, B N	Advances in Regenerative Medicine and Tissue Engineering. Biomedical Engineering. IntechOpen.	2025

List of ongoing projects/ research grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1.	Development of Monoclonal Antibody based point of care test targeting *Burkholderia pseudomallei* Membrane proteins for Rapid Detection of Melioidosis	DBT-BIRAC	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	INR 2,41,00,000.00 (MAHE–1,31,00,000.00) (IIT-R–1,09,97,000)	2026-2028
2.	Molecular diagnosis and risk stratification of sepsis in India (MARS-India)	Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, Amsterdam UMC, Netherlands	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	INR 1,46,78,622.00	2018-2026
3.	MISSION: A Multi-Centric Capacity Building Initiative to Strengthen the Clinical and Laboratory Detection of Melioidosis in India with special focus on the Northeastern States	ICMR	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	INR 12,48,32,740.80	2022-2025
4.	Sepsis-induced stress and Network Analysis on Pathogen Expression of Stress-combat genes: The SNAPE Study	ICMR	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	INR 21,49,848.00	2023-2026
5.	One-Health approaches to understand the burden and threat of zoonotic tuberculosis, melioidosis and glanders in Uttar Pradesh,	ICMR	Dr Ciranjay Mukhopadhyay	INR 35,58,797.00	2024-2027

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
	Karnataka, and Haryana states. Multi-institute project				
6.	Understanding the effect of diabetes mellitus on immunometabolic response to *Burkholderia pseudomallei* in Indian patients	ICMR	Dr Ranita Ghosh Dastidar	INR 59,32,000.00	2023-2026
7.	Role of altered mitochondrial function and inflammatory signalling in insulin resistance to Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus	MAHE Intramural Fund	Dr Ranita Ghosh Dastidar	INR 6,00,000.00	2024-2026
8.	Relating metabolic lifestyle of Indian strains of a highly pathogenic bacterium *Burkholderia pseudomallei* to antibiotic resistance and pathogenicity	DBT	Dr Piyush Behari Lal	INR 1,13,60,000.00	2021-2026
9.	Developing glucose and xylose co-utilizing Zymomonas mobilis ZM4 strains and understanding resource allocation to improve biofuel yield	SERB-CRG	Dr Piyush Behari Lal	INR 27,00,000.00	2023-2026
10.	Fermentation of carbon present in coconut shell and husk to produce second generation bioethanol	IMF	Dr Piyush Behari Lal	INR 6,00,000 (IMF, MAHE)	
11.	Deciphering toxin mediate neurotoxicity and neuroinflammation induced by *Burkholderia* sp. Implications for novel therapeutic interventions and understanding the pathophysiology and molecular mechanism of *Burkholderia strains.*	MAHE-DEAKIN contingency	Varshith M R and Shrilaxmi M S	INR 4,00,000	2025-2026
12.	Modeling pulmonary melioidosis and studying mechanisms linking insulin resistance and disease severity using human bioengineered 3D lung organoids	DBT	Dr Bharti Bisht	INR 1,23,60,000.00	2023-2028
13.	Lineage reprogramming of human/mice intestinal stem cells to islet Beta cells using a novel epigenetic approach	ANRF	Dr Bharti Bisht	INR 60,00,000	2025-2028
14.	Innovative bioengineered 3D lung organoids from stem cells in vitro: applications in pulmonary melioidosis modeling, epithelial-Burkholderia crosstalk research, and antibody-based therapy evaluation.	IMF	Dr Bharti Bisht	INR 6,00,000	2025-2028



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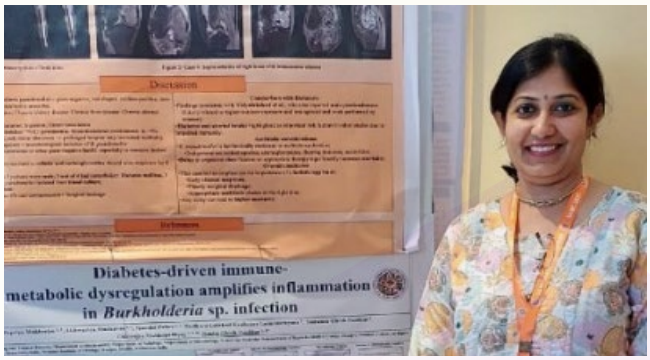
Immuno Essentials in Tropical Diseases (IETD) Certificate Course 2025 – 2 credits UGC recognized



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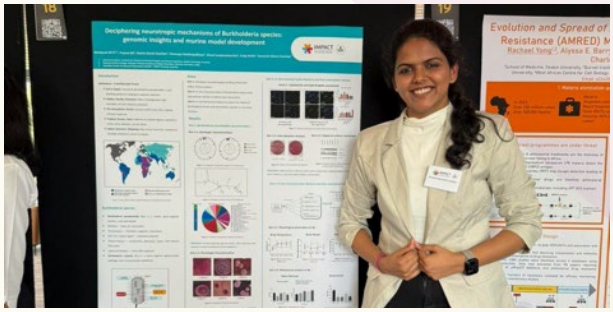

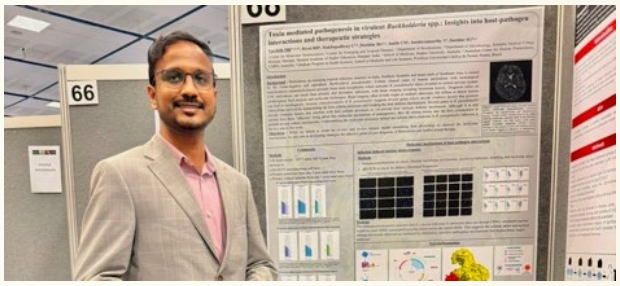

Australasian Neuroscience Society at Hobart, Tasmania, Australia 2025

IMPACT Showcase, Deakin University, Australia 2025 Dr Bharti Bisht was elected for the Women in Space and Allied Science Leadership Programme (WiSLP) of the Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India, in collaboration with the British Council (UK) (DST-KIRAN-UKIERI) from 28 to 31 February 2025. People's Choice Award.

The MISSION-ICMR Taskforce project, under ICMR and Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, conducted 193 awareness programs, workshops, and CMEs for healthcare professionals. These events engaged 5,000 participants, including microbiologists, clinicians, nursing staff, and lab technicians, with each session followed by discussions and feedback to identify future needs. From June 2023 to July 2025, the project recruited 3,071 patients based on criteria established in the first year, identifying 253 melioidosis-positive cases for a positivity rate of 8.2 per cent.

Workshop at Guntur

Microcon 2025 at Pune

Centre for Clinical and Innovative Forensics

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 01 February 2018

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Vinod C Nayak
Members: Dr Aparna Jayakala

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To become a centre of distinction in the field of Clinical Forensics, aiming to provide quality training to all stakeholders.
Mission: To promote research, stakeholder training, and consultation to law enforcement agencies.
Objective:

- To develop a strong network of trained stakeholders in the area of clinical forensics.
- To identify and explore emerging research issues in the field of clinical forensics and provide a focus for such funded research.
- To facilitate knowledge dissemination among stakeholders, practitioners, educators and students.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Western Range Police officers training	Over 200 police officers were trained in crime investigation, including cybercrime, toxicology, crime photography, and crime scene investigation, with experts from the Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL) contributing to the sessions.	11-12 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/ Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (in INR)	Date
1	Forensic training program for government Medical and Nursing Officers	ICMR	PI-Mr Renjulal Yeshodharan Co-PI–Dr Vinod C Nayak	25 lakhs	15 Mar 2024

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Dinesh Upadhya

Members
Dr Dinesh Upadhya
Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar
Dr Pavan Agrawal

National Scholars: Six (two with Dr Dinesh Upadhya, two with Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar, and two with Dr Pavan Agrawal)
Senior Research Fellow: One (Supported by grants of Dr Dinesh Upadhya)
Research Associate: One (Supported by grants of Dr Dinesh Upadhya)
Project Research Scientists: Two (Supported by grants of Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar)
Project Assistant: One (Supported by grants of Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar)
Research Assistant: One (Supported by grants from Dr Pavan Agrawal)
Total Research Scholars: 23

Brief About the Centre

Vision:
- Outstanding neuroscience research to help the global community better mental health.

Mission:
- To perform excellent advancements in neuroscience through innovative ideas, the development of ultramodern techniques, and collaborative work with resolution.

Objectives
- Undertaking research activities of regional, national, and global importance.
- Evaluating neuroscience problems with multiple perspectives and out-of-the-box ideas.
- Undertaking national and international collaborations to accomplish planned tasks.
- Training students to become proficient neuroscientists at the global level.
- Organizing workshops, seminars, conferences, and advanced training courses to gain and disseminate experience.

Activities at the Centre:
- The Centre has provided paid services for the analysis of extracellular vesicles to multiple non-MAHE institutions, including the Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST), Thiruvananthapuram; Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala; NITTE (Deemed to be University); Yenepoya (Deemed to be University), Mangalore; and startups such as Neer Shakti Systems Pvt Ltd, Manipal, etc.
- Visiting faculty, Dr Luisa Rocha from Mexico, gave multiple research demonstrations, three lectures, and was also involved in manuscript writing (Published in Quartile 1 Journal).
- Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar received an intermediate grant from the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) with our adjunct faculty, Dr Vibha Taneja, for 1,52,01,954 INR
- Two MSc pharmacology students were provided with cell culture electives between 10th March and 29 March 2025.
- Three MSc anatomy students were provided with basic neuroscience training for their electives between 25 August and 6 September 2025
- Six MBBS students were trained at the centre as a part of the Basic Sciences Electives between 1 September 2025 and 13 September 2025.
- Total publications in 2025: 28
- Patents published in 2025: 4

Awards and Recognition:
- Ms Divya Chandran, Senior Research Fellow at Centre for Molecular Neurosciences (CMN), Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal, received a prestigious travel award from the "International Society for Stem Cell Research (ISSCR)" as recognition for the outstanding abstract titled "Regulatory microRNAs in GABAergic interneuron migration" to present at the Annual Meeting held at Hong Kong from 11 to 14 June 2025. For this presentation, she also received an international travel grant from the ICMR.
- Ms Divya Chandran, Senior Research Fellow at CMN, received the best oral presentation award at K S Hegde Medical Academy (KSHEMA) STEMCON 2025, the 6th biennial national conference on

"Stem Cells and Regenerative Medicine: Progress in Clinical Translation", held at NITTE University from 5 to 6 December 2025.

- Dr Dinesh Upadhya visited Texas A&M University, United States, as a Visiting Research Scientist between April and June 2025.
- Dr Pavan Agrawal received the Disease Models & Mechanisms (DMM) conference travel award by the Company of Biologists for the "Crete Workshop on Neural Circuits and Behaviour of *Drosophila*" held on 15 to 20 June 2025 at Kolymbari, Greece.

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Customization of Galactosylceramidase for replacement therapy in Krabbe's Disease	ICMR	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	44,88,000	2023–26
2	Rapid semi-quantitative diagnostic kit for detecting vitamin A deficiency in primary health centres	Department of Biotechnology (DBT)	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	34,97,640	2024–26
3	Exploration of physiological action of homeopathic anti-anxiety drugs on anxiety mediating human GABAergic and serotonergic neurons	Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha, and Homeopathy (AYUSH)	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	54,05,120	2024–27
4	Determining the quantitative status of metabolic enzymes in extracellular vesicles	Department of Science and Technology (DST)	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	21,08,800	2021–25
5	Investigating target gene functions of novel microRNAs in GABA interneuron development using human cerebral organoids and animal studies	DBT	Dr Dinesh Upadhya	88,17,280	2025–28
5	Molecular understanding of mitochondrial disorder in an indian patient cohort: a new avenue for molecular diagnosis, therapeutics, and disease management	Science and Engineering Research Board-Scientific and Useful Profound Research Advancement (SERB-SUPRA)	Dr Dinesh Upadhya, Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar, Dr Anju Shukla	38,73,656	2024–27
6	Validating the efficacy of novel formulations of *in-silico* derived drugs that inhibit protein translation and virgin coconut oil in preclinical models	ICMR	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	2,38, 20,044	2024–28
7	Evaluating the potential of antisense oligonucleotides against FUS pathology as a treatment option for amyotrophic lateral sclerosis	ICMR	Dr Somasis Ghosh Dastidar	1,52,01954	2025–28
8	Characterizing a novel potential antidepressant drug that activates the RXFP3 receptor	SERB	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	33,84,133	2023–26
9	Deciphering if Parkinson's disease is a proteinopathy or lipidopathy due to mTOR deregulation, in denetic models of PD	DBT	Dr Somasish Ghosh Dastidar	46,50,000	2024–27
12	Transcriptional and behavioral mechanisms underlying social isolation stress in *Drosophila*	DBT	Dr Pavan Agrawal	73,47,510	2021–25
13	Developmental and transgenerational effects of nicotine exposure in *Drosophila* at molecular, cellular and behavioural levels	SERB	Dr Pavan Agrawal	44,12,910	2023–26

Centre for Sexual Assault Crisis

SAddress: Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE, Manipal
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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 September 2018; Reactivated on 06 March 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Aparna Jayakala
Members: Dr Vinod C Nayak, Ms Anagha Deshmukh.

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To provide holistic treatment to survivors of sexual assault, efficient medico-legal support and quality training to all the stakeholders.

Mission: The number of cases of sexual violence is on the rise, and the need for medical and legal support is important for redeeming justice. As a part of medicolegal care, the Centre focuses on prevention of re-victimization, provides comprehensive care including counselling, medico-legal documentation, and develops a strong network of trained stakeholders.

Objective: Provide timely assistance to survivors by prompt treatment, medico-legal examination, forensic evidence collection, and legal consultation. Offer training programs for students, faculty, and staff, as well as the stakeholders associated with it, on medicolegal issues related to sexual assault, including informed consent, confidentiality, and mandatory reporting, with an emphasis on intersectional and LGBTQ+ specific concerns. Establish partnerships with service providers, such as Government medical officers, law enforcement agencies, child welfare committees, and other local organizations, to facilitate comprehensive and coordinated medicolegal care for survivors.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Delivered an Expert lecture on the examination of sexual assault survivors and their medico-legal aspects	It was conducted for the Udupi district medical and nursing officers in the D C office auditorium	28 Jan 2025
2	Delivered an Expert lecture on the examination of sexual assault survivors and their medico-legal aspects	It was conducted for the Mangalore district medical and nursing officers in Mangalore	07 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Resource person for the Online training workshop for "Certificate Course in Forensic Nursing", organized by Mr Renjulal Yesodharan, Assistant Professor, Manipal College of Nursing MAHE Manipal	Online certificate training course	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025

List of ongoing projects/research grants:

Sl. No.	Title	Name of the PI	Date
1	Vicarious Trauma and Coping Among Forensic Medical Examiners of Sexual Assault: A qualitative exploratory Study	Ms Shobika MPhil trainee in Clinical Psychology	Aug 2024 to May 2025

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Training for Udupi district medical and nursing officers

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ಉಡುಪಿ, ಜ.29: ಪೋಕ್ಸೊ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ ಕುರಿತು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಲ್ಲಿ ಅರಿವು ಮೂಡಿಸಿದಾಗ ಅಪ್ರಾಪ್ತರ ಮೇಲೆ ನಡೆಯುವ ಲೈಂಗಿಕ ದೌರ್ಜನ್ಯಗಳಂತಹ ಪ್ರಕರಣಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಡಿವಾಣ ಹಾಕಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯ ಎಂದು ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕಾನೂನು ಸೇವಾ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರದ ಸದಸ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ಯೋಗೀಶ್ ಪಿ.ಆರ್. ಹೇಳಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಕಚೇರಿ ಸಂಕೀರ್ಣದ ಅಟಲ್ ಬಿಹಾರಿ ವಾಜಪೇಯಿ ಸಭಾಂಗಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಪಂಚಾಯತ, ಜಿ.ಪಂ., ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಇಲಾಖೆ, ಸಕ್ಷಮ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ, ತಾಯಿ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ಉಡುಪಿ ಮತ್ತು ಕಸ್ತೂರ್ಬಾ ಮೆಡಿಕಲ್ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಸಹಯೋಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಸರಕಾರಿ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಶುಶ್ರೂಷಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಪೋಕ್ಸೊ ಕಾಯ್ದೆ ಕುರಿತು ನಡೆದ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಗಾರ ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿ ಅವರು ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ (ಪ್ರಭಾರ) ಡಾ। ನಾಗರತ್ನಾ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಕೆ.ಎಂ.ಸಿ.ಮಣಿಪಾಲದ ಪ್ರಸೂತಿ ತಜ್ಞೆ ಡಾ। ರಾಜೇಶ್ವರಿ, ಕೆ.ಎಂ.ಸಿ. ಮಣಿಪಾಲದ ಫ್ಲೋರೆನ್ಸಿಕ್ ತಜ್ಞೆ ಡಾ। ಅಪರ್ಣಾ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ನೀಡಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾಮಕ್ಕಳ ರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ನಾಗರತ್ನಾ ಪಿ.ಸಿ.ಪಿ.ಎನ್. ಡಿ.ಪಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಸಲಹಾ ಸಮಿತಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡಾ। ಪ್ರತಾಪ್ ಕುಮಾರ್, ಕೆ.ಎಂ.ಸಿ. ಮಣಿಪಾಲದ ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥ ಅಶ್ವಿನ್ ಕುಮಾರ್, ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ವೈದ್ಯಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು, ಶುಶ್ರೂಷಾಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತರಿದ್ದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರ್.ಸಿ.ಎಚ್.ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ। ಜ್ಯೋತ್ಸ್ನಾ ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರು. ಪ್ರಭಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಚಂದ್ರಕಲಾ ನಿರೂಪಿಸಿ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ ಡಾ। ರಾಮರಾವ್ ಕೆ. ವಂದಿಸಿದರು.

Training for Udupi district medical and nursing officers

Centre for Clinical Anthropometry

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 01 December 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Chandni Gupta
Members: Faculties from various departments:

1. Anatomy
2. Forensic Medicine
3. Community Medicine
4. Obstetrics and Gynaecology (OBG)

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To have an anthropometric baseline database for the adult and fetal Indian population, which will be utilized to identify the sex, age, nutritional status, diseases, human remains, and various congenital anomalies.

Mission: To become a Center of distinction in the field of clinical Anthropometry, which aims to update and collect various anthropometric data of adults and fetuses of different populations of various regions.

Objective

1. Collecting various anthropometric data of adults, children, and fetuses from all parts of India and making a normal database.
2. Identify and explore emerging research issues in the field of clinical anthropometry and apply for grants.
3. To facilitate knowledge dissemination among various stakeholders.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Gave an expert opinion related to distinguishing between humans and animal bones (specifically, which part of the body) to forensic officials	Bones received from the police. The total number of bones received was: 20.	29 Mar 2025
2.	Went as a resource person for a **Continuing Medical Education** (CME) and gave a talk on "Recent advances in identification of human and non-human bones"	Conducted by the Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	12 May 2025
3.	Gave expert opinion related to distinguishing different vertebrae and ribs (specifically which one) to forensic officials	Bones received from the police. The total number of bones received was: 9 vertebrae and 7 ribs.	7 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4.	Conducted a Workshop on "Data to Discovery: Unlocking insights through Anthropometry"	The total number of participants was 81. Quiz and sketching competitions were also conducted.	05 Dec 2025
5.	Research papers	1. Clarrybel, M, Gupta, C, and Kumar Pandey, A Morphometric study of fibularis muscles and their motor entry points with its clinical significance: a cadaveric study. Eur J Plast Surg 48, 66 (2025). https://doi.org/10.1007/s00238-025-02323-4 2. Adhikari, P, Gupta, C, Prakashini, K et al Anatomic reference measures for central airway anatomy in Indian adults: implications for precision airway management in surgical patient safety. Patient Saf Surg 19, 26 (2025). https://doi.org/10.1186/s13037-025-00450-2 3. Acharya S, Gupta C, Palimar V et al Morphological And Morphometric analysis of Human External Ear with Its Implications in Sex and Stature Estimation-A Preliminary Observational Study [version 3; peer review: 2 approved, 1 approved with reservations, 1 not approved] F1000Research 2025, 14:119 https://doi.org/10.12688/f1000research.160629.3.	

List of ongoing projects/research grants

Sl No	Title	Name of the PI	Date
1.	Metrics of central airways of normal, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), and Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD) in the adult population: A CT scan-based Multicentric Study	Ms Purnima Adhikari	1 Jan 2024
2.	Morphometric study on facets of vertebrae of cervical, thoracic, and lumbar spines with its clinical implications in screw placements-A comparative study between cadaveric and radiological measurements	Ms Shwetha	31 Aug 2024
3.	Comparative Computed Tomographic study of morphometry of Liver and Spleen in normal and chronic liver disease patients with its correlation to duodenal mucosa: A cross-sectional observational study.	Mr Souhardya Das	01 Sep 2025

Photo gallery

Bones received from the police on 29 March 2025. The total number of bones received was: 20.

CME conducted by the Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, on 12 May 2025.

Bones received from the police on 07 October 2025. The total number of bones received was: 09 vertebrae and 07 ribs.

Centre for Foetal and Perinatal Pathology

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 01 February 2019
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Mary Mathew

Members:

1 **Dr S Ranganathan** – Consultant Pediatric Pathologist, Division of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, UC Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine The University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, USA
2. **Dr Srinivas Annavarapu** – Consultant Pediatric Pathologist, Alder Hey Hospital, UK

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To be a National and Regional Reference Centre for Fetal and Perinatal Pathology

Mission: To identify the causes of fetal and perinatal deaths
To identify preventable causes of death and thereby reduce the perinatal mortality rate

Objectives:

1 High-quality service provision
2 Medical and scientific advances in perinatal pathology
3 Education, Training, and Courses
4 Support services to affiliate and regional hospitals/clinics
5 Building national and international links

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Date
1	**Paper publications** Comparative agreement of clinical diagnosis and neonatal autopsy findings in a tertiary care centre. Sreenivas, A., Lewis, L., P. Y., P., Purkayastha, J., R., V. L., & Mathew, M. (2025). Comparative agreement of clinical diagnoses and neonatal autopsy findings in a tertiary care center. *The Journal of Maternal-Fetal & Neonatal Medicine*, *38*(1) 2554711. https://doi.org/10.1080/14767058.2025.2554711.	
2	Exploring minimally invasive tissue sampling as an alternative to conventional autopsy in neonatal deaths Sreenivas A, Lewis L, Purkayastha J, Lakshmi R V, Mathew M. Exploring minimally invasive tissue sampling as an alternative to conventional autopsy in neonatal deaths. Forensic Sci Med Pathol. 2025 Aug 21. doi: 10.1007/s12024-025-01069-6. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 40839335.	
3	Autopsy-related histomorphological findings in neonatal sepsis: a narrative review. July Mary Johnson, **Mary Mathew**. Forensic Science, Medicine and Pathology 06 January 2025. https://doi.org/10.1007/s12024-024-00936-y	
	Conference-APPINTCON 2025 7th International Pediatric Pathology Conference with workshops on Hirschsprung disease and Placental Pathology	22 to 23 Aug 2025 Post-conference workshop 24 Aug 2025

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Dr Usha Kini
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Department of Pathology
Kasturba Medical College
Manipal
Dr Mary Mathew
Organizing Chairperson
Professor and Head
Department of Pathology
Kasturba Medical College
Manipal
Dr Anil K Bhat
Dean
Kasturba Medical College
Manipal

Inauguration of APPINTCON 2025, the 7th International Pediatric Pathology Conference

Delegates and speakers of APPINTCON 2025

Centre for Poison Information

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Vinutha R Bhat
Members: Dr Shankar M Bakkannavar

Brief about Centre
Vision: To develop a WHO-accredited center in Coastal Karnataka to provide comprehensive medical care for poisoning cases.

Mission: To increase collaborations/grants/research outputs; To improve the infrastructure with few modern equipment

Objectives
- Create basic awareness about hazards of pesticides among farmers/public
- Rapid resolution of all poison/substance abuse cases
- Provide needy information to public/doctors/law enforcing agency regarding pesticides/substance of abuse
- To attract good quality research publications / PhDs /grants
- Encourage research collaborations/student exchange programs
- In collaboration with KMCH, participate in antidote procurement and storage facility to support WHO initiative

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Demonstration of the functioning and operation of Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometry (GC-MS) to Post-Graduate students	Dr Rajiv Jain was a resource person	01 Oct 2025
2	Orientation session for Griffith University, Queensland, Australia	5 Students were given an orientation regarding analytical toxicology	03 Jul 2025
3	Orientation session on the working of the Analytical Toxicology Lab	Dr Nitishkumar D Tank from the Indian Council of Medical Research – National Institute of Occupational Health (ICMR-NIOH), Ahmedabad, Gujarat, attended the session	17 Dec 2025
4	Hands-on session on the working of the Analytical Toxicology Lab for the	Dr Vajid, Dr Anas, Dr Irfan, Dr Josna	20 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	implementation of the Toxicology center at IQRAA Hospital, Calicut		
5	Briefing session for Students from Bahrain	5 students attended the session	07 Oct 2025

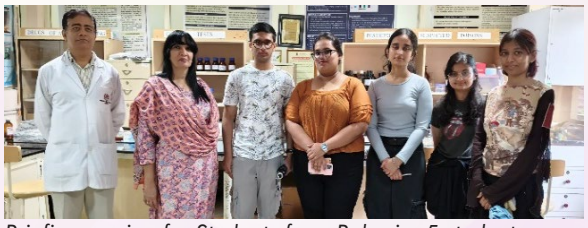
List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Evaluating the role of extracellular vesicles derived from snake's venom on toxicity profile on rat model – An experimental study	ICMR Ad hoc grant	Dr Shankar M Bakkannavar	20,81,120/-	2022-2025

Photo Gallery

Students attending the Orientation session for Griffith University, Queensland, Australia

Orientation session on the working of the Analytical Toxicology Lab; Dr Nitishkumar D Tank from ICMR-NIOH, Ahmedabad, Gujarat, attended the session



Briefing session for Students from Bahrain; 5 students attended the session

Demonstration of the functioning and operation of GC-MS to Post-Graduate students

Manipal Centre for Benign Haematological Disorders

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Ganesh Mohan

Members
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Dr Archana MV
Dr Vasudeva Bhat
Dr Shwethapriya Rao
Dr Sindhuralakshmi Kolumanne

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To provide comprehensive care, diagnosis, rehabilitation, education, and research in benign haematological disorders through a multidisciplinary approach.

Mission: A multidisciplinary approach to patient diagnosis and treatment.

Objective: Comprehensive patient care and research by incorporating thera-diagnostics.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	World Thrombosis Day Webinar	Conducted a webinar on World Thrombosis Day. Eminent faculty in the field of thrombosis, Professor Beverly Hunt, NHS, delivered a session on the approach to thrombophilia. Dr Sukesh Nair, CMC Vellore, delivered a session on Diagnostic tests in Thrombophilia. Dr Chepsy Philip delivered a session on Management in Thrombosis. This webinar was successful and saw more than 100 participants.	13 Oct 2025
2	PhD	PhD program (one PhD intake) on **Hemostatic profiling of patients with chronic kidney disease and the changes associated with renal transplant in both the donors and recipients (Order No-252909000028)**	01 Oct 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	ISTH Reach the World Fellowship	Received the prestigious ISTH Reach the World Fellowship. I underwent four months of training in Coagulation disorders in ISPA FINBA, Oviedo, Spain. During the fellowship, I underwent training in translational research for two months under Dr Laura Gutierrez in ISPA. I had the opportunity to undergo training in laboratory diagnosis of Coagulation disorders for two months, including genetic diagnosis in HUCA under Dr Angel Bernardo. This was entirely funded by ISTH, and they sponsored 11,00,000 INR.	01 Feb to 31 May 2025

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Department of Transfusion Medicine and Immunohaematology
Christian Medical College, Vellore
An Approach to Thrombophilia and Treatment Guidelines
Prof Beverley Hunt, OBE
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Thrombosis & Haemostasis
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Department of Immunohaematology & Blood Transfusion
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Centre for Wilderness Medicine

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Freston Marc Sirur

Members: Dr Vrinda Lath, Ms Caroline Ashritha Maben, Ms Usha, Ms Ramya, Ms Devika J L, Ms Shwetha Kulal, Dr Sachin Sogal P

Brief About the Centre

Vision

- To provide a platform for learning in wilderness medicine in India and internationally.
- To provide a service to the nation in this unique and diverse field.
- To facilitate the development of various initiatives and innovations consistent with the Sustainable Development Goals.

Mission

- To provide Wilderness Medical services locally, nationally, and internationally.
- To drive research, development, and innovation in Wilderness Medicine.
- To set up a sustainable division of Wilderness Medicine
- To start training programs and courses in Wilderness Medicine-MD Marine Medicine (MCI-approved) programs, short courses (Basic, Advanced, and Specialized), Fellowships, student education, and community training.

Objectives

- To provide Wilderness Medical services on expeditions to remote or austere environments.
- To obtain training, observerships, and participate in conferences on Wilderness Medicine.
- To start training in Wilderness Medicine at MAHE.
- To initiate and complete multidisciplinary Wilderness Medicine-related Research and Innovation.
- To support all activities that require Wilderness Medical Support.
- To start a postgraduate program in Dive and Marine Medicine.
- To start a High Altitude and Mountaineering Medicine Program.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Visit to Shree Sainath Hospital and Snake Research Institute, Valsad	Visit	02 Feb 2025
2	Rope rescue and bouldering workshop	Workshop	15 Feb 2025
3	Manipal Scuba School–Dive Expedition (Kaup)	Expedition	19 Feb 2025
4	Manipal Scuba School–Dive Expedition (Netrani)	Expedition	22 Sep 2025

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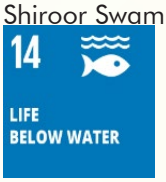
5	Shiroor Swami SCUBA Expedition 	Expedition	11 Mar 2025
6	Snakebite outreach at MGM College 	Outreach	22 Mar 2025
7	Fire departments training across Udupi 	Outreach	11 Apr 2025
8	MPV Sringeri Release 	Expedition	22 Apr 2025
9	Manipal Wilderness Advanced Resuscitation Course–Goa 	Course	28 Apr 2025
10	Visit by the University of Aberdeen and LSTM 	International Faculty Visit	22 May 2025
11	Guest Talk by Reef Watch on Marine Ecology and Conservation 	Guest Talk	05 Jun 2025
12	Snakebite training of medical officers in Madhya Pradesh with LWF 	Outreach	12 Jun 2025

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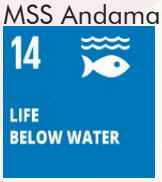
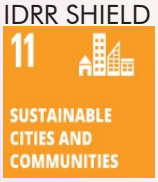
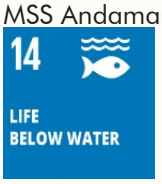
13	MSS Andaman Expedition 	Expedition	18 Jun 25
14	Pit Viper Expedition	Expedition	02 Jul 2025
15	Community outreach at Joida Degree College with PVE	Outreach	05 Jul 2025
16	Manipal International Summer School (MISS) 2025-Agumbe expedition	Expedition	12 Jul 2025
17	MISS 2025 - KCRE expedition	Expedition	15 Jul 2025
18	World Snake Day awareness program - Living with snakes in collaboration with Prith.We Nature Club	Outreach	16 Jul 2025
19	RRR Goa Mhadei Expedition	Outreach	19 Jul 2025
20	HWC management at MHRC	Expedition	24 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
21	Expedition–Mala 	Training	05 Aug 2025
22	RRR Course-Kudremukh expedition 	Expedition	07 Sep 2025
23	Snakebite awareness for Scouts and Guides, Pragathi Nagar 	Outreach	12 Sep 2025
24	Online talk and panel discussion with NCDC on the occasion of International Snakebite Awareness Day 	Conference	17 Sep 2025
25	ToT of government doctors at DSO 	Training	17 Sep 2025
26	Launch of VENOMS Helpline 	Launch	17 Sep 2025
27	Community Outreach, Kemmannu 	Outreach	19 Sep 2025
28	Community Outreach, Kaup 	Outreach	19 Sep 2025
29	Community Outreach, Hebri 	Outreach	19 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
30	Wilderness Medicine Workshop for KMC Mangalore undergraduate students–MWMCRC	Workshop	21 Sep 2025
31	First aid in snakebite with DSO, Siddapura	Outreach	22 Sep 2025
32	Snakebite awareness at the KH OPD waiting area	Outreach	22 Sep 2025
33	Snakebite awareness at the KH OPD waiting area	Outreach	23 Sep 2025
34	First aid in snakebite with DSO, Bajagoli	Outreach	26 Sep 2025
35	Code Wild IGMCRI Striatum pre-conference workshop	Workshop	09 Oct 2025
36	IDRR SHIELD pre-conference field disaster mock drill@MWMCRC 	Workshop	12 Oct 2025
37	Manipal Wilderness Advanced Resuscitation Provider Course	Course	17 - 20 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
38	First Response and Awareness talk with Radio Manipal 90.4 MHz	Outreach	27 Oct 2025
39	Fitness and First Aid MWMCRC expedition	Course	05 Nov 2025
41	Fitness and First Aid MWMCRC expedition	Course	07 Nov 2025
42	Coastal Expedition	Expedition	28 Nov 2025
43	MSS Andaman Expedition 	Course/Expedition	03 Dec 2025
44	Snakebite awareness at Grassroot- Kemmannu	Outreach	21 Jan 2025
45	An Indian Gaur (*Bos gaurus*) Gores in the Western Ghats-A case report https://doi.org/10.1016/j.tcr.2025.101201	Publication	28 May 2025
46	Clinical challenges, controversies, and regional strategies in snakebite care in India https://doi.org/10.1016/j.lansea.2025.100598	Publication	15 May 2025

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47	Sentinels of the Western Ghats- envenoming by the Malabar pit viper (*Craspedocephalus malabaricus*)-A sub-analysis of the VENOMS registry https://doi.org/10.1016/j.toxcx.2025.100231	Publication	01 Sep 2025
48	Unveiling the nanotoxicology of snake venoms through functional and biochemical characterization of extracellular vesicles from *Naja naja* and *Daboia russelii* DOI: 10.1038/s41598-025-27041-6	Publication	29 Nov 2025
49	Pre-hospital interventions in snakebite: A telephonic survey and follow-up investigation of snakebite envenoming from a tertiary care centre in Coastal Karnataka https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pntd.0013334	Publication	19 Dec 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Fellow of the Academy of Wilderness Medicine (FAWM Fellowship)	Dr Freston Marc Sirur	Jul 2025
2	Nodal Officer for Snakebite and Dog bite	Dr Freston Marc Sirur	2025
3	Member of the National Consultation for Poison Centre formation on Snakebite in India	Dr Freston Marc Sirur	2025
4	Jackson Wild–Mike Pandey Award for the Project Mandala	Dr Freston Marc Sirur and Team	Jan 2025

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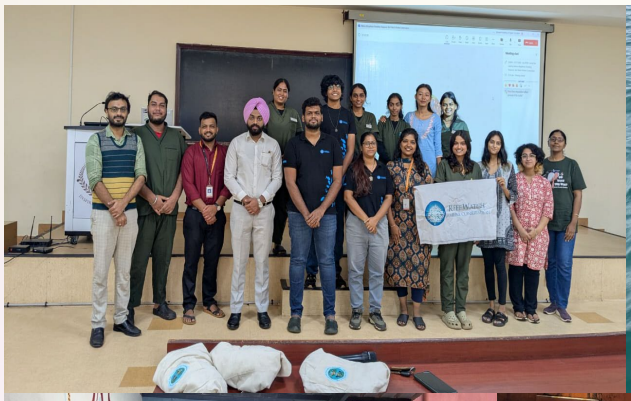
Dr Freston Marc Sirur was awarded the Fellow of the Academy of Wilderness Medicine (FAWM) Fellowship by the Wilderness Medical Society in July 2025. He and his team also received the Jackson Wild–Mike Pandey Award in January 2025 for Project **Mandala**, recognizing excellence in wilderness medicine and conservation storytelling.

The Centre for Wilderness Medicine engaged in national and international research collaborations, including faculty interactions with the University of Aberdeen and the Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine. The Centre team also visited Shree Sainath Hospital, Valsad, Gujarat, for research collaboration and participated in a community outreach activity conducted by the hospital.

The Centre for Wilderness Medicine (CWM) actively engaged in community outreach initiatives aimed at addressing snakebite-related morbidity and mortality. Targeted snakebite awareness programs were conducted in high-risk areas where snakebite deaths had been reported, focusing on key challenges in appropriate prehospital interventions. Major outreach locations included Hebri (Shedimane), Bajagoli, Siddhapura, and

Kemmannu. During the year, the CWM team coordinated and conducted over 15 outreach programs across diverse sectors, including the general public, auto drivers, healthcare providers, and students, strengthening community-level preparedness and response.

VENOMS Helpline Launch: The VENOMS Helpline was formally inaugurated by Dr Nagarathna, District Surveillance Officer, Udupi District, with Dr Sudhakar Kantipudi as the Guest of Honour. The helpline was launched as a dedicated emergency contact to provide guidance for snakebite and other venomous exposures. This initiative aims to bridge critical gaps between community awareness, wildlife expertise, and emergency medical response systems. The program highlighted the importance of timely intervention and emphasized interdisciplinary collaboration in strengthening envenomation management and improving patient outcomes.



Activities and Training Initiatives of Manipal SCUBA School (2025)

The Manipal SCUBA School (MSS), under the Centre for Wilderness Medicine (CWM), is actively engaged in training and outreach initiatives focused on water safety, diving skills, and marine conservation. During the year,

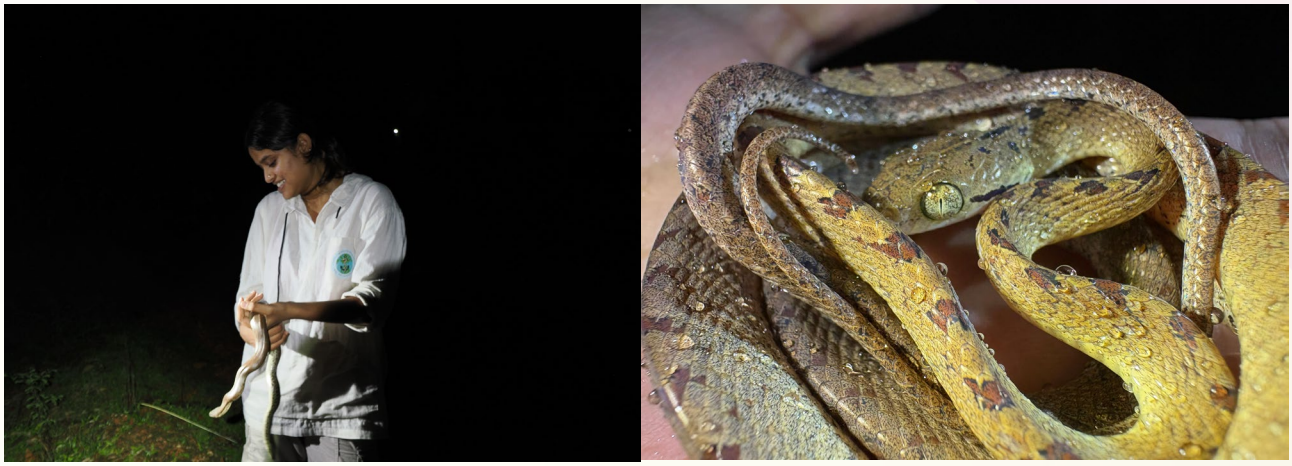
MSS certified 65 participants in water rescue and resuscitation, trained eight individuals in Try SCUBA, and certified nine Open Water Divers and four Advanced Open Water Divers. The Kaup SCUBA expedition on 11 March 2025 included participation and training of the Shiroor Mata Swami, the Paryaya dignitary, highlighting community engagement at a leadership level. Additional activities included a guest lecture by Reef Watch on marine ecology and conservation, which was held on 05 June 2025.

Experiential Learning Program at MWMCRC

Program elective students from Emergency Medical Technology who opted for Wilderness Services and Global Health and Sustainability completed a two-day outdoor learning session at MWMCRC on 17 and 18 February 2025. The session provided experiential exposure to wilderness medicine concepts and global health perspectives. Students had an engaging and enriching learning experience under the guidance of Dr Freston Marc Sirur, with faculty coordination by Ms Shwetha Kulal.

MWARP in Goa-April 2025

International Disaster Risk Reduction Day workshop at MWMCRC



Snake Rescues on campus and awareness on coexistence and safety

Manipal International Summer School at Agumbe-Someshwara WLS

OneNature-MAHE Animal Welfare Club

RRR Workshop and Expeditions–Swapnagandh, Goa

MWARP in MWCRC–October 2025

RRR Expedition- Kudremukh

7. **CWM online dashboard and social media:**
Under the guidance of Dr Freston Marc Sirur and led by Ms Devika, and in collaboration with the Centre for Software Development (CSD) led by Dr Sudhakara Upadhya P and the Manipal School of Information Sciences (MSIS), a dedicated CWM online dashboard was developed.

This initiative aimed to provide participants with a strong theoretical foundation prior to the practical, hands-on components of the various courses hosted on the dashboard.

The courses listed under the dashboard are available and include:

1. MWARP
2. Water Rescue and Resuscitation
3. Rope Skills, Rescue, and Retrieval
4. Link to MSS Courses - SSI Dashboard

8. **Simulation:**

MWARP

The MWARP program included simulation-based training to prepare participants for medical and rescue challenges in austere and wilderness environments. The simulations were designed to integrate theoretical knowledge with hands-on application and focused on environmental risk assessment, remote trauma management using XABCDE and MARCH frameworks, hemorrhage control, prolonged field care, patient evacuation strategies, and team-based decision-making under resource-limited conditions. Emphasis was placed on situational awareness, adaptability, and safe patient handling during extended response times, enabling participants to develop practical competencies and experience realistic case scenarios for effective wilderness medical response.

International Summer School Simulation

The International Summer School program included an immersive, scenario-based simulation aimed at enhancing participant competency in wilderness and expedition medicine. This simulation provided a realistic learning environment in which the participant was engaged in managing and providing first aid to a snakebite victim in austere settings, performing rope-based rescue and extrication, and managing scenarios involving delayed evacuation. Through guided simulation exercises, the participant developed critical skills in leadership, communication, clinical judgment, and teamwork, reinforcing evidence-based practices and ethical decision-making required for effective medical care in challenging and unpredictable outdoor environments.

Rope, Rescue, and Bouldering

The Rope, Rescue, and Extrication Course was designed to provide participants with foundational

knowledge and progressively develop advanced rescue skills and leadership capabilities.

The course was conducted every Thursday during the first half of 2025 and was proposed as a six-month training program.

The curriculum included an introduction to rope rescue principles and safety protocols.

Training covered the basics of rescue equipment, knots, and hitches.

Participants were trained in rappelling, climbing techniques, anchoring, and rigging systems.

Advanced knot-tying techniques were introduced as part of skill progression.

Scenario-based training and simulated rescue situations were conducted to enhance practical application and decision-making skills.

Field expeditions to the Western Ghats were included to provide hands-on experience and exposure to real-world rescue conditions in natural terrain.

Fire Department training

Details of the Program:

The program was meticulously planned and executed, ensuring the fire department personnel receive comprehensive training on essential emergency response techniques. Each session was structured to provide both theoretical knowledge and practical exposure, fostering a hands-on learning experience.

Key Highlights:
CPR Training: Sessions emphasized the critical role of CPR in emergency scenarios. The firemen were trained on the correct methods of administering CPR, including the latest protocols and techniques.

Basic First Aid: Participants were introduced to fundamental first aid skills, focusing on immediate actions to stabilize patients before professional medical help arrives.

Rope Rescue Training: Several sessions focused on familiarizing the firemen with rope rescue equipment and techniques, essential for challenging rescue scenarios.

Splinting and Immobilization: Firemen were trained in splinting and immobilization methods to ensure proper handling of injured individuals during extrication.

Participant Engagement:

The fire department personnel actively participated in the training sessions. They engaged enthusiastically in hands-on practice, demonstrating a keen interest in learning and mastering the skills taught. The collaborative environment facilitated effective learning and confidence-building.

Outcomes: The training program successfully achieved its objectives:

Enhanced the firemen's proficiency in administering CPR and first aid.

Familiarized participants with advanced rope rescue techniques and equipment.

Equipped fire department personnel with critical life-saving skills, increasing their readiness for emergency situations.

Feedback: Participants expressed that the sessions were informative, engaging, and highly beneficial. They appreciated the practical approach and the expertise of the trainers, highlighting the value of the program in their professional development.

Conservation Medicine and One Health

- Over 30 snakes were rescued across the campus. Conducted awareness during World Snake Day in collaboration with Prith.We Nature Club.
- Collaborated with One Nature Student Animal Welfare Club to ensure personal safety and complex rescues of sick and injured campus dogs. Drafted Animal Management SOPs for the MAHE campus. Actively involved in mitigating dog bites in Manipal.
- Signed an MoU with ReefWatch, an NGO involved in marine conservation. Organized a talk on the marine stranding response.
- Discussing and practising One Health concepts during expeditions.
- Medical services and participation in the Pit Viper Expedition for pit viper documentation and survey in the Western Ghats and community engagement.

Centre for Balance Disorders

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Members: Dr John Solomon, Professor, Department of Physiotherapy and Associate Dean, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal

Faculty

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Baaneesh Gaur, India
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Brief About the Centre

Vision

To improve the quality of life for patients with balance disorders by treating them with an interdisciplinary and evidence-based approach

Mission

To be a centre of excellence, fostering research and innovation in the field of balance disorders, with national and international collaborations

Objectives

1. To develop a comprehensive multidisciplinary clinic for the management of balance disorders.
2. To foster innovation, train/mentor students, researchers, and healthcare providers in balance disorders, and facilitate national and international collaborations.
3. To conduct short-term training courses and workshops.
4. To develop an e-health platform for awareness, assessment, and self-help modules.
5. To foster evidence-based practices, best practices, and multi-centric studies.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Certification program in vestibular and balance assessment and management (VBAM)	12 weeks online (September–November 2025) Hands-on training from 13 to 16 November 2025 at Interact Hall, Manipal	Weekends 22 Sep 22 to 02 Nov 13 to 16 Nov 2025 (9 hours per day)
2	Assessment of the dizzy patient	Guest lecture: Dr Arun Pajaniappane	14 Nov 2025

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Vestibular and Balance Assessment and Management (VBAM)

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Guest lecture: Assessment of the dizzy patient, by Dr Arun Pajaniappane

Clinical Research Centre for Neuromodulation in Psychiatry

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2020
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj

Members: Dr Sonia Shenoy, Dr Abhiram P N, Dr Kirtana M Pai, Dr Prakashini K, Dr Rajagopal K V, Dr Ravindra Maradi, Dr Ashok Jammigumpula, Dr Zeba Rafique, Mr Jithin Jaise, Mr Pramod Kumar

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To establish a Centre in collaboration with other psychiatric institutes in India to do multi-center studies with input from expert consultants, involving international researchers in neuromodulation.

Mission: Research focus: a) disease modelling studies in psychiatric disorders using multi-modal data anchored on investigative neuromodulation techniques (TMS derived metrics combined with tDCS perturbation studies) with additional assessments using MRI, EEG, and several other neurobiological measures, b) discovery of biomarkers predictive of differential clinical response to neuromodulatory interventions like ECT, TMS, and tDCS through multi-center studies.

Objectives:

1. The Centre will serve as a resource in understanding the neurobiological correlates of pharmaco-resistance in psychiatric diseases, and neurobiological effects of neuromodulation.
2. It will act as a resource centre to disseminate knowledge and expertise to the professionals who are interested in taking up cutting-edge research in the area of neuromodulation in psychiatry.
3. To integrate the "big data" related to the previous two objectives for the discovery of biomarkers that can predict differential clinical response to NIBS and thereby develop personalized, neuromodulatory interventions to impart "Precision Medicine".
4. This CRC will interact with all stakeholders to facilitate the implementation of these neuromodulatory treatment approaches at different levels of health care delivery through standardized, scalable, pragmatic interventions.
5. This CRC will generate "clinician-scientists" in this area and conduct a regional/national level virtual training program to enhance the practice standards of neuromodulatory interventions in India.
6. After the completion of the research projects (mentioned above), the services of the centre (tDCS, rTMS, etc.) can be offered to select patient populations with appropriate indications, who might benefit from these treatment modalities.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Randomized Clinical Trials (DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance sponsored)	Three ongoing clinical trials in which we have recruited a total of 124 participants (86 Patients and 38 Healthy Controls)	Till date
2	CRTP Fellowship Training (DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance sponsored)	One SR joined the training in 2025.	Till Sep 2026
3	Paid neuromodulation clinical services for psychiatric conditions	TMS – 1252 sessions (**16% YoY increase** in the delivery of TMS service) tES – 264 sessions ECT – 339 sessions	Till date
4	Postgraduate training	One psychiatry MD resident is posted each month and is trained in the theory and delivery of neuromodulation treatments.	Till date

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
5	Observers from other institutes	A Psychiatry MD resident from KMC, Mangalore, has come for observation for a week.	Jul 2025
6	Grant applications	We have applied for the FIST 2025 grant to upgrade the Centre with deep TMS, to enable us reach deeper structures in the brain that are implicated in several psychiatric disorders.	2025
7	Independent research	Independent research done on the comparison of different methods to estimate resting motor threshold, which is critical for the treatment dosing, has been accepted in the Journal of ECT.	2025
8	Addition of new coil – D-B80	We have added the Magventure D-B80 coil that helps us target slightly deeper areas compared to the existing MC-B70 coil. This coil would help in the treatment of difficult-to-treat OCD, anxious depression, and addiction disorders.	Jul 2025

SDG-related Activities:

1. SDG 3 – Provision of advanced treatment for difficult-to-treat psychiatric conditions
2. SDG4 – Provision of hands-on training for postgraduates in the advanced area of brain stimulation
3. SDG17 – Collaboration with central institutes to advance the understanding of the neurobiological underpinnings of debilitating psychiatric disorders like schizophrenia and depression.

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Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Clinical Fellow-Interventional Psychiatry, University of Toronto	Dr Jithin T Joseph has completed his CRTP Fellowship at our Centre and moved to Canada for further advancement in NIBS research career.	Oct 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Clinical Research Center for Neuromodulation in Psychiatry	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance	PI: Venkatasubramanian G (NIMHANS) Site PI: Praharaj SK (KMC)	9.99 crore INR (1.7 Crore INR for KMC, Manipal) + 5 crore INR (for CRTP fellowship)	01 Oct 2020 (5 years) Extension given till Sep 2026

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Magventure D-B80 coil that allows us to target slightly deeper areas as compared to the traditional figure-of-eight coils.

Farewell to Dr Jithin T Joseph, who has completed his CRTP Fellowship

Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj has presented on the importance of targeting the executive control network in the treatment of addiction disorders at the annual conference of the International Society for Addiction Medicine 2025 at University of Hamburg, Germany.

Centre of Emergency Toxicology

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 11 February 2021
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Members: Dr Freston Marc Sirur, Dr Jayaraj M B, Dr Nisarg S, Dr Divya D Pai.

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: Dedicated to advancing the field of Emergency Toxicology through innovative research, education, and collaboration to protect and enhance public health and safety on a global scale.

Mission: Empowering Healthcare and Emergency medicine professionals with the latest in toxicology research, education, and partnerships to proactively manage and prevent toxicological emergencies.

Objectives:

Academics and training:

- UG and PG toxicology teaching and training through integrated modules
- Post PG 2-year Fellowship in Emergency Toxicology
- HAZMAT Team Training and simulation–MAHE HAZMAT module

Research:

- Toxicology Registry
- Regional and International research collaboration.
- Research on antidotes, delivery systems, and treatment modalities

Clinical:

- Tox Cart
- ToxEm Podcast
- Tox Board–Collaboration of clinical and analytical toxicology to provide a platform for proper analysis and debriefing of cases

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Organized a CME "Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III - Ethical and Economic Perspectives in Global Health, Public Health, Acute Care, and Disaster Management"		03 Nov 2025
2	Conducted a tabletop simulation exercise on Chemical Disaster Tabletop Exercise: The HAZMAT Way at "Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III"		03 Nov 2025
3	Start data collection and enrollment of patients for the "TOXIK" registry	Registration done; data collection ongoing.	Ongoing
4	SIM-TOX simulation based toxicological scenario training	Planned by the end of this year	Planned Apr 2026
5	Guidelines for recreational drug poisoning, which were presented at the Asia Pacific Association of Medical Toxicology Conference, to be published in a Research Journal	Submitted for publication	
6	Glyphosate Toxicity Unveiled: A Decade of Insights into Demography, Clinical Profiles, and Management Strategies in South Indias	Submitted for publication	
7	Retrospective study on Rodenticide Poisoning	Manuscript Writing	
8	Clinical presentations, outcomes and predictors of mortality in rat poisoning: A retrospective study.	Data Collection, IEC approval done, data analysis ongoing	Ongoing

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
9	Clinical presentations, outcomes and predictors of mortality in Copper Sulphate poisoning: A retrospective study.	Data Collection, IEC approval done, data analysis ongoing	Ongoing
10	Quantification of Organophosphorus and Paraquat Compound Levels using GC-MS in Acute Poisoning Patients and Their Correlation with Clinical Severity Scores and Patient Outcomes in a Tertiary Care Hospital	IEC Approval and CTRI registration done, data collection started ICMR DHR Applied (not selected)	Ongoing
11	Analysis of Drug Overdose Cases in the Emergency Department: Agents, Outcomes, and Their Correlation with Predictors of Mortality and Morbidity—A Retrospective Study	ICMR STS Submitted (did not get selected)	Jun
12	Use of Gas Chromatography-Mass spectrometry for quantification of Organophosphorus compounds and their correlation with pseudocholinesterase levels, clinical predictors of mortality, morbidity in Organophosphorus poisoning patients	ICMR small grant proposal Submitted Not selected	Mar
13	Chapter on Carbamate Poisoning in the book "Case-Based Approach to Toxicology"	Submitted	
14	Setting up protocols for the management of toxicology patients	Completed	
15	Setting up TOXCART	Drug list done. Design approval pending	Ongoing

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Name of the PI
1	Clinical presentations, outcomes and predictors of mortality in rat poisoning: A retrospective study	Dr Sachin Nayak Sujir
2	Clinical presentations, outcomes and predictors of mortality in Copper Sulphate poisoning: A retrospective study	Dr Sachin Nayak Sujir
3	Quantification of Organophosphorus and Paraquat Compound Levels using GC-MS in Acute Poisoning Patients and their Correlation with Clinical Severity Scores and Patient Outcomes in a Tertiary Care Hospital	Dr Chaitanya C H

Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III

Tabletop Simulation Exercise on Chemical Disaster Tabletop Exercise: The HAZMAT Way

Felicitation for the Tabletop Simulation Exercise

Centre for Disaster Management

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 13 February 2021
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Jayaraj Mymbilly Balakrishnan

Brief About the Centre

Vision: Global, National, and Regional leadership in education, training, and research with a vision to deliver Manipal Academy of Higher Education's roles and responsibilities in serving humanity in disasters and other eventualities.

Mission: To imbibe, enhance, and propagate the knowledge and skills in disaster management by promoting the training and retraining of the community, multidisciplinary professionals, and other stakeholders by aligning with national goals and targeting an expansion to the global perspectives by collaborating internationally to nurture education, research, and capacity building for primary and secondary disaster mitigation.

Objectives: Human Resource Development: Formulating and implementing a comprehensive human resource development plan covering all aspects of disaster management

- Developing educational materials for disaster management, including academic and professional courses
- Undertaking, organizing and facilitating study courses, conferences, lectures, and seminars within and outside the country to promote the aforesaid objects
- Propagating the need for Disaster Management in the course curricula starting from school
- Policymaking: Being a stakeholder in policy development of regional and national importance, work with governmental and non-governmental agencies towards policy generation and assist in the implementation.
- Community Outreach: promote awareness among stakeholders, including college or school teachers and students, technical personnel, and others associated with multi-hazard mitigation, preparedness, and response measures, do all such other lawful things as are conducive or incidental to the attainment of the above objects.
- Research: undertake and provide for the publication of journals, research papers, and books and establish and maintain libraries in furtherance of the aforesaid objects; Maintain registries and data repositories for future research.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction 2025(SHIELD 2025)	**IDRR SHIELD 2025 – Conference Report** The **IDRR SHIELD 2025 Conference** was organized as a focused platform to strengthen Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) strategies and enhance health system preparedness. The conference brought together healthcare administrators, academicians, disaster management professionals, policymakers, and students to deliberate on strengthening institutional resilience and structured emergency response mechanisms. The deliberations emphasized hospital disaster management planning, surge capacity development, epidemic preparedness, accreditation-linked emergency readiness, intersectoral coordination, and simulation-based training. Expert talks, technical sessions, and	13 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		academic discussions highlighted the importance of integrating administrative leadership, quality assurance frameworks, and operational command systems into disaster preparedness planning. The conference reinforced the need for multidisciplinary collaboration and evidence-based practices to build disaster-resilient healthcare systems capable of responding effectively to natural disasters, public health emergencies, and climate-related crises. IDRR SHIELD 2025 aligns with key Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), including: • **SDG 3 – Good Health and Well-being**: Strengthening health system preparedness and emergency response. • **SDG 4 – Quality Education**: Promoting capacity building, training, and academic engagement in disaster management. • **SDG 5 – Gender Equality**: Encouraging inclusive participation and gender-sensitive disaster planning. • **SDG 6 – Clean Water and Sanitation**: Addressing WASH preparedness in emergency settings. • **SDG 11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities**: Enhancing resilience through institutional and community-level preparedness. • **SDG 13 – Climate Action**: Recognizing the impact of climate-related disasters on health systems. • **SDG 17 – Partnerships for the Goals**: Promoting intersectoral collaboration and stakeholder engagement. Overall, the conference served as a significant step toward fostering resilient healthcare institutions and advancing sustainable disaster preparedness frameworks.	
2.	CPR Training for Kasturba Hospital non-teaching staff in Collaboration with Centre for SAVE, Centre for CARE and Centre for Wilderness Medicine 	A total of 1816 Kasturba Hospital Non-Teaching staff got trained last year completed till Dec 2025. They were trained first aid, Basic Life support and Myocardial infarction and stroke recognition. This is one program supported by Kasturba Hospital Human Resources Department	Jan-Nov 2025
3.	Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III	Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III	03 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		The third edition of *Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare* was successfully conducted on 03 Nov 2025 at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC Administrative Building, Manipal. The one-day CME program centered on the theme "Ethical and Financial Perspectives in Global Health, Public Health, Emergency Medicine and Disaster Management." The event was organized by the Centre for Disaster Management in collaboration with multiple departments of Kasturba Medical College, Prasanna School of Public Health, and the Manipal Institute of Virology, along with allied academic and clinical units. The CME served as an academic platform to critically examine India's evolving healthcare system through multidisciplinary perspectives. The sessions highlighted key issues including health system governance, Ayushman Bharat, pandemic logistics, disaster ethics, ICU infection challenges, global health policy, and sustainable value-based care. A keynote address on disaster ethics stimulated important dialogue on clinical decision-making during crises. One of the major highlights of the program was the interactive chemical disaster tabletop exercise, which enabled participants to apply theoretical principles to simulated emergency response scenarios. The forum also facilitated discussions on empathy in precision medicine, ethical stewardship in healthcare financing, and the integration of public health and disaster preparedness into routine clinical systems. The event witnessed active participation from faculty members, postgraduate residents, healthcare administrators, public health professionals, and students from medicine, nursing, and allied health sciences. The interdisciplinary nature of the conference fostered meaningful academic exchange and strengthened collaborative engagement across departments. Overall, *Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III* successfully achieved its objective of encouraging ethical reflection, evidence-informed dialogue, and actionable learning to promote resilient, equitable, and sustainable healthcare systems. The program concluded with an award ceremony and a vote of thanks, marking the successful completion of the academic event.	

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KH-CPR: Training of Non-Teaching Staff and Auxiliary Workers at the Kasturba Hospital

Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare as on 03 Nov 2025

Training at Karwar Institute of Medical Sciences: Operation Sindoor Preparation on 13 May 2025

Training at Kaiga Nuclear Power Plant: Operation Sindoor Preparation on 13 May 2025

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 1 October 2021
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Anju Shukla
Members:

- Department of Medical Genetics, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE, Manipal.
- Dr Reddy's Institute of Life Sciences, Hyderabad.
- Institute of Bioinformatics, Bengaluru.

Brief About the Center

Vision: Develop a Center for Rare Disease as a benchmark for diagnosis, care, research, and training in India.

Mission: To establish a self-sustaining center for cutting-edge research in rare disease aetiology, along with training the next generation of scientists for clinical and fundamental biomedical research.

Objectives

- To establish a local cohort and biorepository for rare genetic disorders.
- To deploy exome sequencing (ES), whole genome sequencing (WGS), and RNA-Seq for discovering potential disease-causing variants.
- To functionally characterize causal genes/variants in cells and model organisms through *in vitro* assays, proteomics, and metabolomics/lipidomic approaches to understand the potential disease mechanisms.
- To establish a cutting-edge interdisciplinary research-training program focused on rare diseases for physician-scientists (Clinical Research Training Program (CRTP)), basic scientists, and genetic counsellors, which integrates clinical and laboratory sciences.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Research	1. **Establishment of Clinical Cohort and Biorepository at MAHE** To date, 1,250 families have been recruited for genetic testing. Comprehensive genomic analyses have been undertaken across the cohort. A centralized biorepository has been established to support downstream molecular and functional studies. To enable long-term data integration and collaborative research, the centre is developing a comprehensive rare disease patient registry. The CRC web portal has been prepared that documents the essential details, and the website is currently under hosting. This aligns with United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 9 (Industry Innovation and Infrastructure). 2. **Exome Sequencing (ES) and Whole Genome Sequencing (WGS) at MAHE** Genetic testing which includes genomic tests (exome sequencing, whole genome sequencing, and chromosomal microarray) and targeted testing as appropriate have been applied. 3. **Functional Studies** Functional characterization of the causal genes/variants in cells and model organisms has been carried out through *in vitro* assays, proteomics, metabolomics, and lipidomic approaches. 4. **Clinical Research Training Program** Three CRTP Doctoral Fellows have been recruited to work within the Clinical/Public Health Research Centres.	Jan to Dec 2025
2.	Rare Disease Day	A public street play was designed to raise awareness about recognizing the symptoms of rare diseases, reaching out to an expert, misconceptions around consanguinity, the importance of genetic counselling, and the role of family support systems for affected individuals. This activity was aligned with SDGs 3 (Good Health and Well-being), 4 (Quality Education), and 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities).	27 Feb 2025
3.	11th Annual Conference of the Society for Mitochondrial Research and Medicine (SMRM)	Co-hosted by the Department of Medical Genetics, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, and Center for Rare Disease Diagnosis, Research, and Training, funded by the DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, with support from various other sponsors. This conference titled "Mitochondria in Health, Disease and Ageing" brought together approximately 160 participants and 32 invited speakers, including ten	9 to 11 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		international experts, representing diverse areas of mitochondrial research. This activity was aligned with SDGs 3 (Good Health and Well-being), 4 (Quality Education), and 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).	

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Awards and Recognition:

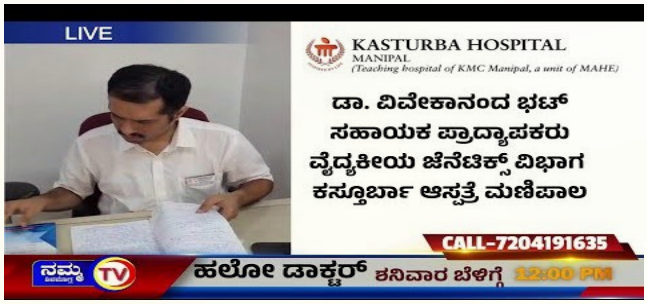
Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)–Collaborating Centre of Excellence (ICMR–CCoE)	Centre selected as ICMR Collaborating Center of Excellence by the Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, ICMR.	3 Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants :

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1.	Clinical Research Centre—"Centre for Rare Disease Diagnosis, Research, and Training."	Department of Biotechnology (DBT) /Wellcome Trust India Alliance	Dr Anju Shukla	9,99,99,999	1 Oct 2021 to 30 Sep 2026
2.	Clinical Research Training Program (CRTP)	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance	Dr Anju Shukla	3,00,00,000	1 Aug 2023 to 31 Jul 2027

Photo gallery

Public street play at Koosamma Shambhu Shetty Memorial Haji Abdullah Mother and Child Hospital on 27 February 2025 to create awareness on rare diseases.



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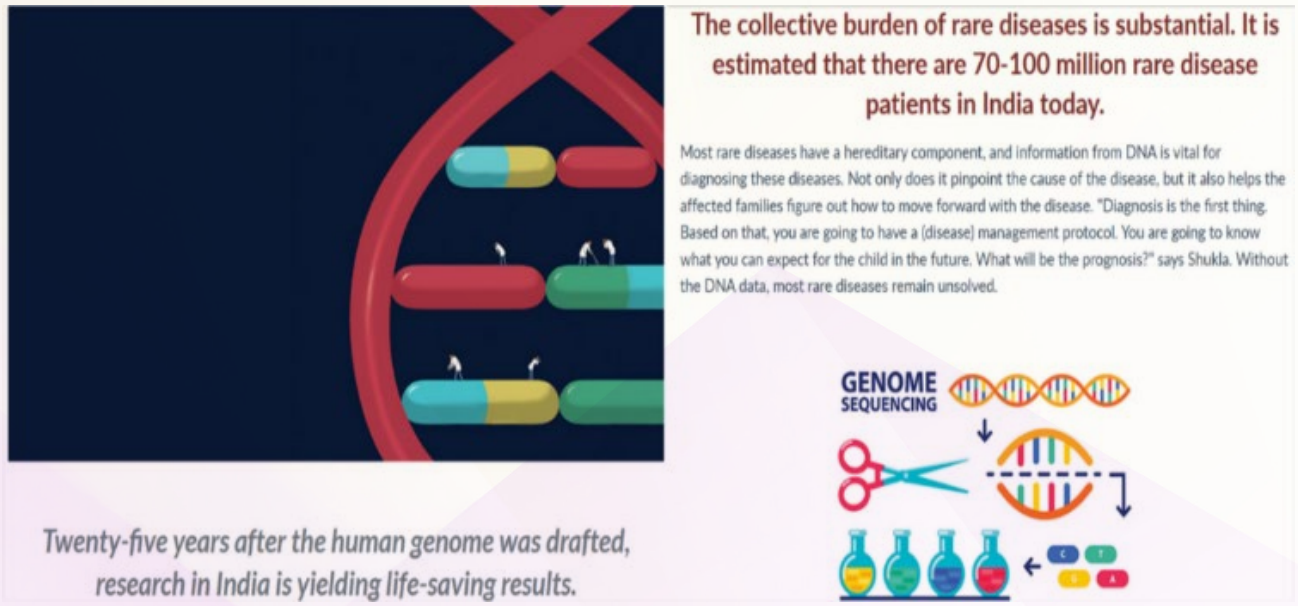

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Center for Antimicrobial Resistance and Education (CARE)

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Members: Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay, Dr Muralidhar Varma, Dr Bharti Magazine, Dr Suneel Mundkur, Dr Shashikiran Umakanth, Dr Mahadeva Rao, Dr Asha Kamath

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To tackle AMR by advancing research and education
Mission: Develop integrated approaches to tackle AMR by targeting key healthcare stakeholders within and outside the hospitals

Increase awareness and understanding of antimicrobial resistance, its implications, and actions to combat it through effective communication, education, and training of major stakeholders such as prescribers, dispensers, and consumers.
Develop and strengthen research methodologies focusing on evidence-informed practices

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	MBBS Elective	MBBS elective in AMR/AMSP	01-13 Sep 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Expanding AMR footprints in secondary hospitals	ICMR	Dr Vandana K E	87 Lakhs	01 Jan 2025
2	Clinical & academic research driven strategies for tackling ICMR's critical priority pathogens	ICMR's Center for Advanced Research grant to Central Drug Research Institute, Lucknow	Dr Vandana K E	INR 9 lakh	19 August 2024
3	Implementation of Antimicrobial Stewardship Practices (AMSP) in Various Tertiary Care Centres Across India	ICMR	Dr Muralidhar Varma, Professor and Head, Department of Infectious Diseases, KMC	NR 26 lakhs	2024

Centre for Sustainable Affordable Value-based solutions in Emergency care

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Rachana
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Dr Prithvishree R, Emergency Medicine, KMC Manipal
Dr Manu Sudhi, Emergency Medicine, KMC Manipal

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To increase access to timely, affordable Emergency care services in the community, starting with the Udupi District

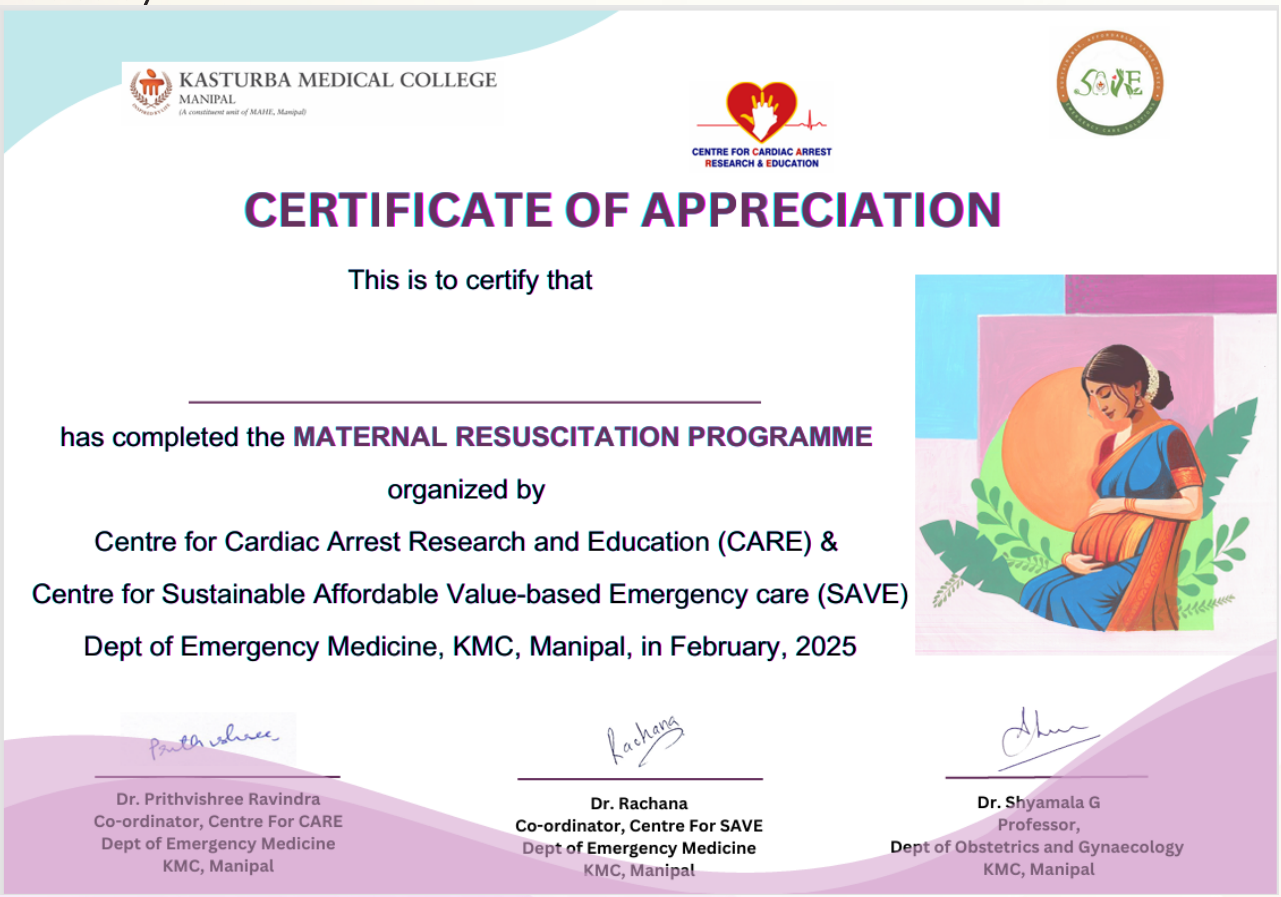
Objectives

1. To capacity build, primary care and community care Centres to deliver standardized emergency care and referral services
2. To innovate and create make-in-India technology as a cost-effective alternative treatment interface for emergency departments
3. To strengthen the pre-hospital Emergency care network in Udupi District

Activities at the Centre

Maternal Resuscitation Program: Continued implementation of a one-day inter-disciplinary team training program to handle Maternal emergencies involving healthcare professionals (Doctors, Nurses, and Paramedical staff) from Departments of Emergency Medicine, Critical Care, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Anaesthesiology, Paediatrics, and Community Medicine in association with the Center for CARE and Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Manipal, conducted at Community Health Center (CHC) Brahmavara, CHC Kota, District Hospital Udupi, Taluka Hospital Kundapura, and Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi.

Photo Gallery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CENTRE FOR CARDIAC ARREST RESEARCH & EDUCATION

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Centre for Cardiac Arrest Research and Education (CARE) &

Centre for Sustainable Affordable Value-based Emergency care (SAVE)

Dept of Emergency Medicine, KMC, Manipal, in February, 2025

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
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Dr Mohammad Khalid, Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Manipal
Dr Sunil R, Department of Critical Care, KMC Manipal
Dr Souvik Chaudhuri, Department of Critical Care, KMC Manipal

Brief About the Centre

Vision

To improve cardiac arrest outcomes in India through research, education, and capacity building

Mission

To advance resuscitation science, enhance CPR education, and develop evidence-based strategies for improving survival and neurological outcomes in cardiac arrest cases across India

Objectives

1. Improve CPR literacy in the community
2. Improve survival rates and neurological outcomes in out-of-hospital cardiac arrest (OHCA) and in-hospital cardiac arrest (IHCA)
3. Enhance research in CPR and produce high-quality publications in high-impact journals on cardiac arrest and resuscitation science.
4. Develop innovative solutions in CPR training and education through inter-institutional collaborations within MAHE and international partnerships

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Research Publication	Hands at work: A randomized crossover mannequin-based trial exploring the impact of hand preference of health care professionals on the effectiveness of chest compressions. Published in Resuscitation Plus (Scopus Q2 journal) DOI: 10.1016/j.resplu.2024.100849	Jan 2025
2	CPR and first aid training program	Government Polytechnic College, Karkala, for 150 NSS students.	15 Jan 2025
3	CPR training program	Anti-Naxal Force (ANF) training Centre at Karkala for 100 participants	04 Mar 2025
4	Basic life support training	Dr A V Baliga Memorial Hospital, Udupi, for 30 healthcare workers	09 Mar 2025
5	CPR training program	Shanthi Yuvaka Sangha, Karkala, for 60 autodrivers	27 Apr 2025
6	CPR training program	At Udupi District Agricultural Association, Perampalli, for 100 participants	11 May 2025
7	First aid training program	Rotary Club, Manipal, for 50 participants	09 Sep 2025
8	First aid training and demonstration	NSS Camp for PU students at Kukkehalli	25 Oct 2025
9	CPR training program	100 participants at the Rotary club	17 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
9	CPR training program	TAPMI, Manipal, for 50 students	23 Nov 2025
10	CPR training program	For Kasturba Hospital employees- A total of 2100 employees trained in CPR	Weekly once
11	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	25 Feb 2025
12	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	26 – 27 Feb 2025
13	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	01 Apr 2025
14	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	06 May 2025
15	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Community Health Centre, Brahmavar	14 May 2025
16	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Maternal Child Hospital, Udupi	28 May 2025
17	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	11 Jun 2025
18	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	25 – 26 Jun 2025
19	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	11 Jul 2025
20	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Community Health Centre, Kota	13 Aug 2025
21	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	26 Aug 2025
22	Maternal Resuscitation Program	KMC, Manipal	24 Sep 2025
23	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Government Taluka Hospital, Kundapura	03 Dec 2025
24	Maternal Resuscitation Program	Government Taluka Hospital, Kundapura	10 Dec 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Research article cited in the 2025 American Heart Association Guidelines for Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Emergency Cardiovascular Care (https://www.ahajournals.org/doi/10.1161/CIR.0000000000001372) and the 2025 European Resuscitation Council Guidelines (https://doi.org/10.1016/j.resuscitation.2025.110739).	Research work titled "Comparison between a low-cost model (CPR Pillow) and a mannequin in training hands-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR): A randomized trial" (doi: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.resplu.2023.100518)	Oct - Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Impact of indigenously developed Simulation-based training module 'Maternal resuscitation program' on knowledge, skills and preparedness in maternal resuscitation among healthcare teams: District level Quasi-experimental study	ICMR	Dr Prithvishree Ravindra	33,00,000	15 Oct 2023 - 15 Oct 2026

Photo Gallery

Maternal Resuscitation Program at Community Health Centre, Kota

CPR training program at TAPMI Manipal

CPR training program along with a health camp

First aid training at Rotary Club, Manipal

Weekly CPR training program for Kasturba Hospital, Manipal employees

Indigenously developed Maternal Resuscitation mannequin, at the Maternal Resuscitation Program in the Maternal and Child Hospital, Udupi

Centre for Resuscitation, Acute Care and Simulation Training (CReST)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 May 2023
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Members: Dr Mohammad Khalid, Dr Jayaraj Mymbilly Balakrishnan, Dr Aaditya Katyal

Brief About the Centre

Vision: CReST seeks to transform Emergency healthcare services, teaching and research to transform society

Mission: Standardize the process of care for critically ill and injured patients and advocate for ED-RAC services in India

Objectives

1. To ensure high-quality and standardized care for critically ill and injured patients in the resuscitation and acute care units (RAC units/EDCRIT) in the Emergency Medicine department.
2. To initiate a training program (Short-term Course-Fellowship) in Resuscitation, Acute care and Simulation in Trauma and Emergencies for all age groups under CReST
3. To lead the ED-RAC/EDCRIT services system building in India.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	PASSH International Simulation Education Course	PASSH 2025 Simulation Education Course from 26 to 28 Jun 2025—a premier international faculty development program in simulation-based healthcare education. Organized in collaboration with the Pan Asia Simulation Society in Healthcare (PASSH) a professional society registered in Singapore—and held in academic partnership with Laerdal Medical, a global leader in simulation solutions for healthcare; this academic conclave brought together experts and educators from across the country to advance the future of medical simulation training in India.	26–28 Jun 2025
2.	Simulation in Situ-Interprofessional Simulation based Faculty Development Program for Health Professions Educators	Interprofessional Simulation based Faculty Development Program for Health Professions Educators workshop as part of the 10-year MAHE-FAIMER regional Institute conference	15 Sep 2025
3.	Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare: III	Ethical and Economical Perspectives in Global Health, Acute care and Disaster Management. Designed as an annual one-day academic forum to critically reflect upon India's evolving healthcare system through multidisciplinary lenses. This year's theme, "Ethical and Financial Perspectives in Global Health, Public Health, Emergency Medicine and Disaster	03 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING 9 INDUSTRY INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE 17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS	Management," brought together practitioners, academicians, and policymakers to examine how clinical practice, health system governance, and societal responsibilities converge.	

Photo Gallery

PASSH 2025 Simulation Education Course from 26 to 28 June 2025

Simulation in Situ- Interprofessional Simulation based FDP for Health Professions Educators Workshop

Inauguration of CoE

Simulation in Situ- Interprofessional Simulation-based FDP for Health Professions Educators Workshop

Simulation in Situ- Interprofessional Simulation based FDP for Health Professions Educators workshop

Concave Mirror on Indian Healthcare – III: Annual CME

Center of Excellence in Immunohematology

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
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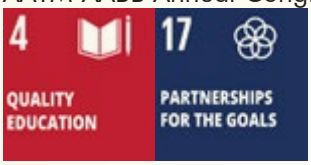
Brief About the Centre
Vision:
To aim for high standards of testing, patient-centric learning, research, and innovation, and to act as a reference hub in Immunohematology (IH) for the entire nation

Mission
To be a nationally renowned and globally recognized Center of Excellence in Immunohematology, dedicated to advancing patient care through exceptional standards in specialized testing, innovative research, comprehensive education, and collaborative clinical consultation.

Objectives
- To achieve excellence in Academics: By knowledge sharing, academic collaboration, and starting training programs.
- To serve as a national reference laboratory for specialized IH testing
- To provide clinical consultation to complex IH cases
- To carry on the research projects in the field of IH
- To work towards innovation in the field of IH
- To have global visibility and establish international collaboration

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Collaboration: MoU signing with ASQ	Completed	--
2	Collaboration: MoU initiated with ARC Australia	Ongoing	--
3	Webinar	Significance of advanced testing in IH	28 Apr 2025
4	Workshop	Lean Six Sigma in Transfusion Medicine	06 to 08 Oct 2025
5	Intake of PhD student- 1	Topic: AIHA	Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
6	International Conference Presentation at AATM-AABB Annual Congress, Mumbai 	Poster Presentation	16 Nov 2025
7	Reference center for IH workshop	Samples referred for advanced IH workup: 63	Throughout the year
8	Publication – 1 With international co-authors (2)	Precision diagnostics in Transfusion Medicine: Advancing accuracy in Bombay blood group typing through molecular methods	
9	International Co-Supervisor appointed -1	Dr David Roxby	Jan 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Autoimmune Hemolytic Anemia	COE – Quidel Ortho	Dr Shamee Shastry	Regent worth 10, 00,000 INR	Mar 2025
2	Drug-Induced Hemolytic Anemia	COE – Quidel Ortho	Dr Deepika Chenna	Regents worth 100000 INR	Jun 2024

Photo Gallery

Participants of the Lean Six Sigma Workshop

Inauguration of the Lean Six Sigma Workshop

Centre for Tropical Febrile Illness

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Nitin Gupta
Associate Professor, Department of Infectious Diseases, KMC, Manipal

Members:
(Same as 2024; no change)

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- Dr Prithvishree Ravindra, Associate Professor, Emergency Medicine
- Dr Rachana Bhat, Assistant Professor, Emergency Medicine
- Dr Souvik Chaudhuri, Associate Professor, Critical Care Medicine
- Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyaya, Professor, KMC; Director, Manipal Institute of Virology
- Dr Chandrashekar U K, Professor, Department of Medicine
- Dr Kirthinath Ballala, Associate Professor, Community Medicine
- Dr Carl Boodman, Infectious Diseases, University of Manitoba, Canada
- Dr Christian Kahusu, Infectious Diseases/Immunology, INRB, D R Congo
- Dr Steven Van Den Broucke, Infectious Diseases, Institute of Tropical Medicine, Antwerp, Belgium

Brief About the Centre
In 2025, the Centre for Tropical Febrile Illness consolidated its role as a regional and international academic hub for neglected and emerging infectious diseases. Building on its strong clinical foundation, the Centre expanded its research portfolio in tropical febrile illnesses, antimicrobial resistance, CNS infections, and viral haemorrhagic fevers, with a strong emphasis on translational and implementation research.

The Centre continued to address diagnostic uncertainty in acute undifferentiated febrile illness by developing and validating clinical decision-support tools, diagnostic algorithms, and point-of-care tests applicable to low-resource settings. Increased emphasis was placed on severe and complicated infections, including melioidosis, leptospirosis,

rickettsial infections, fungal CNS infections, and arboviral diseases.

In 2025, the Centre further strengthened international collaborations, hosted visiting researchers, contributed to global guideline-related work, and supported postgraduate and early-career researcher training. The Centre's work remains closely aligned with national public health priorities and Sustainable Development Goals, particularly SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being).

Vision:
To improve the management of tropical febrile illnesses through research, education, and capacity-building.

Mission:
To enhance patient care and public health outcomes through high-quality research, training, and collaboration.

Objectives:

- Strengthen diagnosis and management of tropical febrile illnesses
- Generate high-impact clinical and translational research
- Build national and international research capacity
- Support evidence-based guidelines and policy development

Activities at the Centre (2025)

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Advanced Clinical Care	Dedicated inpatient and outpatient services for tropical and emerging infections	2025
2	Research and Publications	Systematic reviews, cohort studies, diagnostic and prognostic research	2025
3	Teaching and Training	Postgraduate teaching, workshops, and visiting faculty sessions	2025
4	International Collaboration	Joint projects with ITM Antwerp, AIIMS, MIV, and international partners	2025
5	SDG-linked Activities	Capacity building for infectious disease diagnosis and AMR control	2025

Awards and Recognition (2025)

No formal institutional awards received during the reporting period

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants (not in institutional annual report)

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	PI	Amount, INR	Date
1	Impact of point-of-care tests on mortality in HIV patients with CNS infection	ICMR	Dr Nitin Gupta	30,00,000	01.05.2025-present
2	Antimicrobial treatment systematic review for febrile illness guidelines	DHR–ICMR	Dr Nitin Gupta	5,00,000	01.03.2025-31.12.2025
3	Development of bleeding prediction models in dengue	ICMR	Dr Nitin Gupta	50,00,000	2025
4	Clinical, metabolomic, and genomic predictors of ARDS in pneumonia	ICMR	Dr Nitin Gupta	50,00,000	2025

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	PI	Amount, INR	Date
5	Persistent kidney dysfunction in leptospirosis	TMA Pai Seed Grant	Dr Nitin Gupta	6,00,000 INR	2025

Centre for Indigenous Population

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Ranjitha S Shetty, Associate Dean, Additional Professor, Department of Community Medicine, KMC, Manipal

Members:

1. Dr Ashwini Kumar, Professor and Head of Community Medicine
2. Dr Sneha D Mallya, Community Medicine
3. Dr Eshwari K, Community Medicine
4. Dr Ramprasad V P, MCODS
5. Dr Sreedharan, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences
6. Dr Jarina Begum, Community Medicine, MTMC, Jamshedpur

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To enhance the overall health and well-being of the Indigenous population.

Mission: To encourage and empower the Indigenous population to attain a better quality of life.

Objectives:

1. Conduct a needs assessment of the community to identify challenges to health and well-being
2. Build capacity through targeted interventions
3. Identify and document the traditions and best practices of this population to preserve their customary culture.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars
1.	Publications from tribal research work of the centre	1. DOI: 10.1016/j.puhe.2025.02.031 (Feb 2025) 2. DOI: 10.12688/f1000research.164492.1 (Jun 2025) 3. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cegh.2025.102159 (Aug 20025) 4. DOI: 10.1007/s40615-025-02586-4 (Aug 2025) 5. DOI: 10.1007/s40615-025-02691-4 (Nov 2025)

Centre for Vaccine Studies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 May 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Veena G Kamath
Members: Dr Leslie Lewis, Dr Kavitha Saravu, Dr Ranjitha Shetty, Dr Muralidhar Kulkarni, and Dr Chythra Rao

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To emerge as a Centre for vaccine research that could facilitate vaccine development to prevent diseases of public health importance

Mission: To carry out research and mentoring resulting in quality vaccine development

Objectives: 1. To carry out vaccine trials to test the safety and efficacy of vaccines.
2. To emerge as one of the resource centres providing training to clinical vaccine sites

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Immunogenicity and safety of an investigational Quadrivalent Meningococcal Conjugate vaccine when administered concomitantly with routine pediatric vaccines in India, in healthy infants and toddlers in India, and Republic of South Africa	Sanofi	Dr Veena G Kamath	90 Lakhs	From 2023
2	An Open-label, Randomized, Active-controlled, Multi-centric phase II/III Study in Indian Toddlers and Infants to Assess the Immunogenicity and Safety of SIIPL HEXASIILTM (DTwP-HepB-IPV-Hib) Vaccine in Comparison to SIIPL Pentavac (DTwP-HepB-Hib) + Poliovac (IPV) Vaccines Administered as Separate Injections	Serum Institute of India	Dr Veena G Kamath	30 Lakhs	From 2023

Manipal Center for Infectious Diseases

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Year of Establishment of the Center: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Kavitha Saravu

Members:

- Dr Kavitha Saravu – Professor and Unit Head, Department of Infectious Diseases, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, Coordinator, Manipal Center for Infectious Diseases (MAC ID), MAHE, Manipal
- Dr Shrikala Baliga - Professor, Department of Microbiology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, Deputy Director, Quality and Compliances (Q&C), Mangalore Campus, MAHE, Director, KMC Laboratory Services, Mangaluru
- Dr Kiran Chawla – Professor, Department of Microbiology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
- Dr Sneha Deepak Mallya – Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
- Dr T S Murali – Professor and Head, Department of Public Health Genomics, Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal

Brief About the Center

Vision: Manipal Center for Infectious Diseases (MAC ID) was launched in the year 2016 with an aim of fostering research and training collaborations in the field of infectious and tropical diseases between MAHE, India and other national and international institutions

Mission: To achieve excellence in infectious diseases research, training through interdisciplinary and international collaborations and to promote translation of knowledge into policy and practice

Objectives:

a) To achieve excellence in Infectious Diseases Research
b) Hold educational activities in Infectious Diseases
c) Promote translation of knowledge into policy and practice
d) Faculty and student exchanges
e) International and Interdisciplinary collaboratio

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	World Antimicrobial Awareness Week 2025 (WAAW 2025)	Manipal Center for Infectious Diseases (MAC ID), and the Department of Infectious Diseases, KMC, Manipal organized a virtual symposium on World Antimicrobial Awareness Week 2025 (WAAW 2025). The theme was 'Act Now: Protect Our Present, Secure Our Future'.	18 - 23 Nov 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	Top 2% Researcher List (2025)	Dr Kavitha Saravu has been featured in the Top 2% Researcher List (2025), as published in the Aug 2025 data update for Updated Science–Wide Author Databases of Standardized Citation Indicators (Version 8, DOI:10.17632/btchxktzyw.8).	Sept 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1.	Persistence of malaria in a malaria-endemic region with a focus on asymptomatic and submicroscopic malaria and its sustained transmission among construction workers and natives – A multicentric cross-sectional study	ICMR	Dr Kavitha Saravu	42,49,711/-	Oct 2023
2.	Role of adjunctive corticosteroids on clinical outcomes in severe scrub typhus pneumonitis: a randomized controlled trial	ICMR	Dr Kavitha Saravu	10,33,185/-	Oct 2024
3.	A study to assess disease severity among scrub typhus and leptospirosis patients using clinical, immunological, and molecular tools	ICMR	Dr Kavitha Saravu	50,20,058/-	Mar 2025
4.	CLIMate change and Brain infections in INDIA- A multi-centre, multidisciplinary collaborative study on the impact of climate change on brain infections (CLIMB–India)	ICMR, CMC Vellore	Dr Kavitha Saravu	33,39,554/-	

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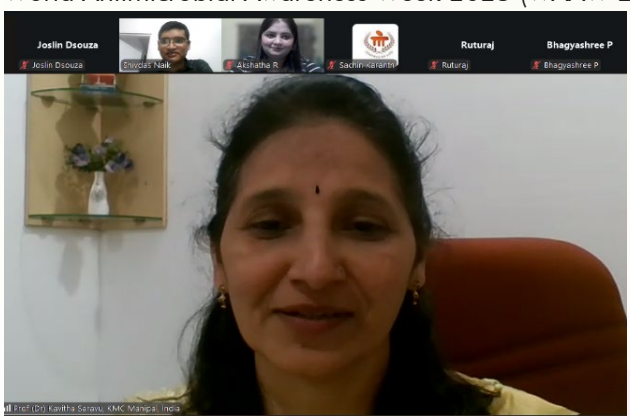
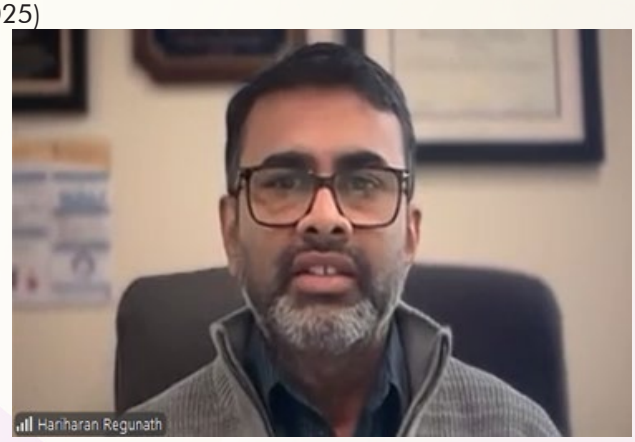
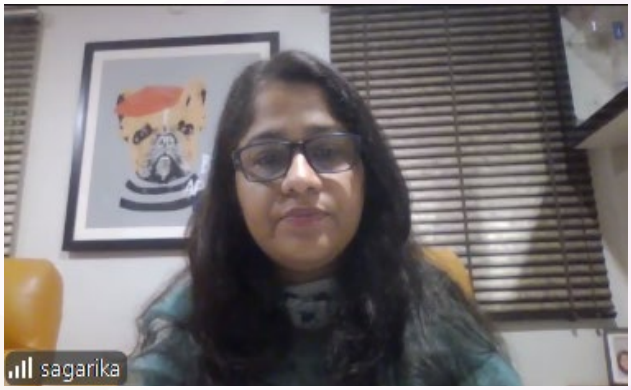
World Antimicrobial Awareness Week 2025 (WAAW 2025)



Dr Kavitha Saravu, Manipal, India



Dr Hariharan Regunath, USA



Dr Sagarika Nanda, Hyderabad, India

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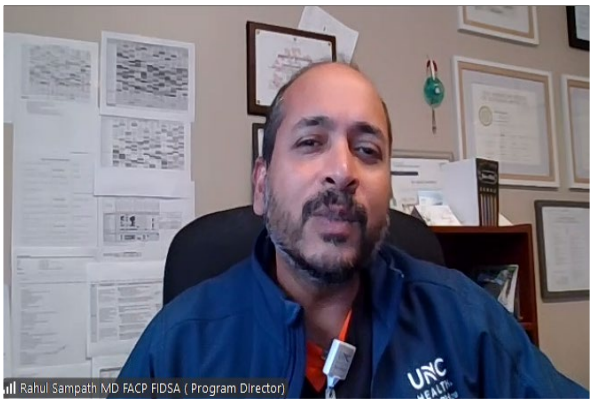
Dr Shweta Anjan, USA

Dr Harsha Choudary, Hyderabad, India

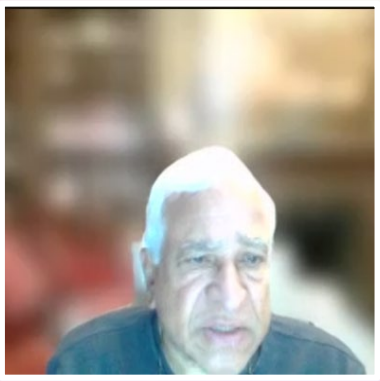
Dr Geetha Sivasubramanian, USA



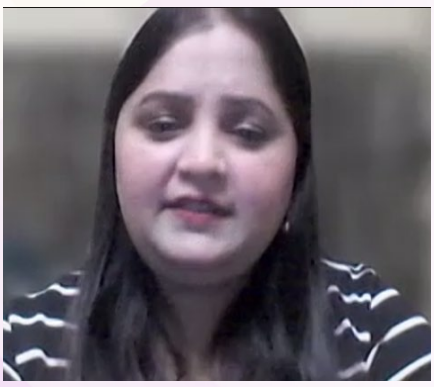
Dr Rahul Sampath, USA

Dr Balavinoth, Coimbatore, India

Dr Venkat Ramesh, Hyderabad, India



Prof Dr P H Chandrasekar, USA



Dr Akshatha Ravindra, Manipal, India

Dr Shivas Naik, Manipal, India

Clinical Epidemiology Unit

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2009
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Ravindra Prabhu A
Members: Faculty from clinical departments of MAHE

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: Excellence in clinical research

Mission: The Clinical Epidemiology Unit is committed to training and conducting clinical research to promote evidence-based practices.

Objectives: Coordinate research at intra and inter departmental level in KMC Manipal.
- Encourage clinical research through interinstitutional cooperation.
- Liaise with industry for diagnostic/device-related clinical research.
- Build capacity among health care professionals in clinical research methods and biostatistics.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Meetings for postgraduates and faculty to teach critical appraisal of therapy papers	Monthly at Nalanda hall, third floor, Dr A V Baliga block	16:00 to 17:00 on the first Thursday of each month

Centre for Advanced Respiratory Care and Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation (ECMO)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Sagar M S
Members: Dr Vishal Shanbhag, Dr Guruprasad D Rai, Dr Souvik Chaudhuri, and Dr Prithvishree Ravindra

Brief About the Centre
Vision: To improve outcomes of acute severe respiratory illness

Mission: To set up a dedicated unit by developing newer strategies, research, and collaborations

Objectives:
1. To establish a regional advanced respiratory care and ECMO referral centre
2. Industry collaborations and development of economical solutions for ECMO

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	3rd Manipal Critical Care Ventilator Workshop (MaC-Vent) 	A two-day national hands-on workshop on basic and advanced ventilation along with ECMO was conducted at Dr TMA Pai Hall, KMC Manipal.	18 and 19 Apr 2025

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Respiratory mechanics

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Centre for Point of Care Ultrasound

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Shwethapriya R
Members: Dr Souvik Chaudhuri, Dr Margi Bhatt, Mr Gowtham

Brief About the Centre:

- **Vision**: Our vision is to establish the MAHE-POCUS centre as a nationally recognized center of excellence in critical care ultrasound training, where bedside imaging becomes an extension of clinical reasoning, improving diagnostic precision, expediting therapy, and transforming outcomes in the critically ill.
- **Mission**: Our mission is to integrate point-of-care ultrasound seamlessly into critical care practice through structured training, high-quality research, and innovation, which will empower clinicians across specialities to make faster, safer, and evidence-based decisions at the bedside.
- MAHE-POCUS centre aims to bridge the gap between technology and clinical acumen by combining hands-on education, multidisciplinary collaboration, and translational research, while nurturing future leaders in critical care ultrasound.

Objectives:

Education and Capacity Building (USP: Integrated fellowship + simulation + bedside mentoring within a high-volume tertiary ICU)

- To develop and deliver a structured, multi-organ POCUS training curriculum tailored to the needs of intensivists, emergency physicians, anesthesiologists, and internists.
- To launch a one-year fellowship in Critical Care Ultrasound, combining theory, supervised hands-on training, simulation-based learning, and competency-based assessment.
- To serve as a national referral training hub, attracting MD/DM trainees and faculty seeking formal certification and advanced expertise in POCUS.

Research and Innovation (USP: One of the few centers in India linking POCUS, AI, and critical care research under one roof)

- To lead and expand **high-impact, ultrasound-based clinical research** in sepsis, ARDS, acute febrile illnesses, and hemodynamic instability.
- To develop, validate, and publish AI-assisted ultrasound algorithms for diagnosis and therapeutic guidance in collaboration with MIT Manipal.
- To pursue patents and funded translational research, positioning MACPOCUS at the intersection of technology, imaging, and critical care.

Clinical Excellence (USP: Ultrasound as a "real-time clinical extension," not just a diagnostic tool)

- To embed ultrasound-driven decision-making into routine ICU workflows, enhancing patient safety and reducing diagnostic delays.
- To standardize **head-to-toe ultrasound protocols** for rapid diagnosis, monitoring, and goal-directed therapy in critically ill patients.

National Collaboration

- To collaborate with professional bodies such as ISCCM for accreditation and standard setting in critical care ultrasound training.
- To foster national academic exchange by hosting national leaders and pioneers in critical care ultrasound.

Sustainability and Outreach

- To ensure long-term sustainability through fellowship programs, national workshops, clinical service integration, industry collaboration, and competitive research grants.

Activities at the Center:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
01.	Workshop on Point of Care Ultrasound in Critical Care 	DHR-ICMR sponsored the "Hands-on Clinical Training Workshop on Multi-system Point-Of-Care-Ultrasound for diagnosis and management of acute illness and trauma in the Emergency and Intensive Care units."	14 - 15 Jun 2024

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
01.	DHR-ICMR workshop grant	4,92,000 INR HRD/WS/Nov-23/58(1)	Sanctioned on 07 Mar 2024

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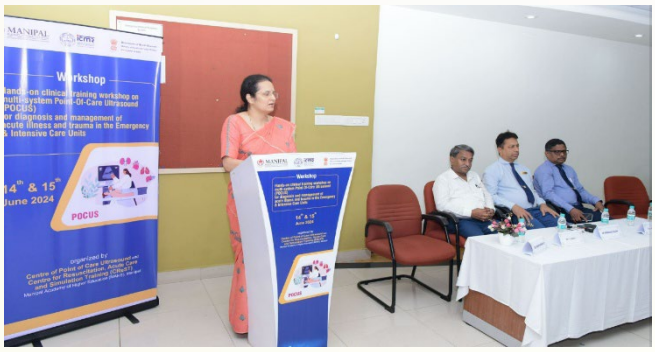
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Centre for Community Oncology

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2015
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Ranjitha S Shetty, Associate Dean & Additional Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal

Members:
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Dr Naveen Salins, Coordinator, Manipal Comprehensive Cancer Care Centre (MCCCC), Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
Dr Shirley Lewis Salins, Professor & Head, Department of Radiation Oncology, Manipal Comprehensive Cancer Care Centre (MCCCC), Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
Dr Shyamala G, Professor, Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology (OBG), Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
Dr Sneha D Mallya, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
Dr Afraz Jahan, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal
Dr Nagarathna, District Surveillance Officer (DSO), Department of Health and Family Welfare, Udupi
Dr Anjali, Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) Cell, Department of Health and Family Welfare, Udupi

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To be a centre of excellence for the prevention and control of cancer in the community.
Mission: To bring about cancer control by primary, secondary, and tertiary prevention activities.

Objectives:
1. Promote and implement primary, secondary, and tertiary levels of prevention with respect to common cancers in the region.
2. Foster research in the area of cancer prevention and control, as well as facilitate output of quality publications and research grants.
3. Capacity building, training, and mentorship.
4. Provide consultation for activities related to preventive oncology.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Continuing Medical Education (CME) on the health systems approach for cancer prevention and management	The Centre for Community Oncology, KMC, Manipal organized a CME program focusing on a health systems approach to cancer prevention and management. The CME was inaugurated by Dr Sharath K Rao, ProVice Chancellor (Health sciences), MAHE, Manipal. Prof Dr Nirmala Bhoo Pathy, Adjunct Professor, KMC Manipal and Professor of Epidemiology, University of Malaya, was the keynote speaker and the main resource person. The CME included expert deliberations by Prof Dr Nirmala Bhoo Pathy, Dr Ranjitha S Shetty,· Dr Shirley Lewis Salins, Dr Shyamala G, and Dr Cherian Varghese. The organizing team included: Dr Ashwini Kumar, Professor and Head of Department of Community Medicine (Organizing chairperson); Dr Ranjitha S Shetty, Coordinator, Centre for Community Oncology (Organizing secretary); Dr Sneha Deepak Mallya, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, KMC Manipal; and Dr Afraz Jahan, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Medicine, KMC Manipal.	16 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
		Undergraduate and postgraduate students, research scholars, faculty members, and public health professionals from health sciences backgrounds actively participated in the CME.	

List of Ongoing Projects/ Research Grants :

Sl No	Title	Funding agency	Name of the Principal Investigator	Amount (INR)	Date
1.	Early detection, referral, and treatment of breast and cervical cancers among underprivileged women of Udupi district	Manipal Foundation, Bengaluru	Dr Ranjitha S Shetty	24,50,000	Completed in Sep 2025
2.	Existing memorandum of understanding (MOU) with Indian Cancer Society for community-based screening of individuals for oral, breast, and cervical cancers in Udupi district	Indian Cancer Society, Bengaluru	Dr Ranjitha S Shetty	12,000 per screening camp	Ongoing

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Event: CME on Health Systems Approach for Cancer Prevention and Management Organized by the Centre for Community Oncology on 16 Jan 2025

Event: Organization of community-based screening camps for oral, breast, and cervical cancers across Udupi district in 2025

ಮರವಂತೆ: ಕ್ಯಾನ್ಸರ್ ತಪಾಸಣ ಶಿಬಿರ

ಗಂಗೊಳ್ಳಿ ಅ.27: ಸಾಧನಾ ಸಮಾಜ ಸೇವಾ ವೇದಿಕೆ ಮರವಂತೆ, ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಮರವಂತೆ, ಸಮುದಾಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಕೆ.ಎಂ.ಸಿ. ಮಣಿಪಾಲ ಹಾಗೂ ಗ್ರಾಮ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್ ಮರವಂತೆ ಸಹಭಾಗಿತ್ವದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಚಿತ ಕ್ಯಾನ್ಸರ್ ತಪಾಸಣ ಶಿಬಿರ ಮರವಂತೆ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಕೇಂದ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯಿತು.

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Centre for i3 (Infection, Immunology, and Intensive Care)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2025
Name of the Coordinator: Tirlangi Praveen Kumar
Members:

Co-Coordinators

- Dr Nitin Gupta, Associate Professor, KMC Manipal – Infectious Diseases
- Dr Muralidhar Varma, Professor and Head, KMC Manipal – Infectious Diseases
- Dr Rachana Bhat, Associate Professor, KMC Manipal – Emergency Medicine
- Dr Prithvishree Ravindra, Additional Professor, KMC Manipal – Emergency Medicine
- Dr Sunil R, Associate Professor, KMC Manipal – Critical Care
- Dr Souvik Chaudhuri, Professor, KMC Manipal – Critical Care
- Dr Sharada Mailankody, Associate Professor, KMC Manipal – Critical Care
- Dr Vandana K E, Professor, KMC Manipal – Microbiology
- Dr Ravindra Prabhu Attur, Professor, KMC Manipal – Nephrology
  Internal Collaborator
- Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay, Professor and Director, Manipal Institute of Virology
  Expertise: Microbiology and Virology

Academic Collaborators

- Dr Raghava Rao Gandra, Senior Consultant, AIG Hospitals, Hyderabad – Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine
- Dr Santosh Chella Puram, Senior Consultant, Star Hospitals, Hyderabad – Medical Oncology
- Dr Kutty Sharada Vinod, Associate Professor, AIIMS, Mangalagiri – Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine
- Dr Manish Soneja, Professor, AIIMS, New Delhi – Internal Medicine

Brief About the Centre:
The i^3 Centre (Infection, Immunology, and Intensive Care) is uniquely positioned as a multidisciplinary, patient-centric hub addressing the complex interplay between infections, immune dysregulation, and critical illness in immunocompromised hosts. Its USP lies in the integrated triad of clinical care, translational research, and structured education, bringing together infectious diseases, immunology, critical care, microbiology, virology, and organ-based specialties under one platform. The Centre focuses on high-risk populations including transplant recipients, oncology patients, HSCT recipients, and patients with sepsis-induced immunoparalysis. Another key differentiator is the planned i^3 Fellowship, one of the first structured programs in India dedicated to training specialists in this niche domain. Strong national collaborations, emphasis on immune-phenotyping–guided therapy, and research on novel immunomodulatory strategies further distinguish the Centre.

Vision
To become a centre of excellence in advancing care, research, and education for immunocompromised critically ill patients, improving survival and long-term outcomes through innovation and collaboration.

Mission
To deliver **multidisciplinary, evidence-based care**, generate high-impact research on infection–immunity interactions, and train future leaders in infectious diseases, immunology, and intensive care.

Objectives

- Improve outcomes through integrated infection, immune, and critical care strategies
- Conduct focused research on immunopathogenesis and immune modulation
- Develop structured education and the **i^3 Fellowship** program
- Foster national and international collaborations

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Intersect Webinar	From Viruses to Vitality Liver Transplantation in Chronic Hepatitis B and C: An Infectious Disease Physician's Reflection Speaker: Dr Aishwarya Ram Prasad, D M (Infectious Diseases), AIIMS, New Delhi, Consultant Infectious Diseases, Aster Whitefield and R V, Bengaluru Moderator: Dr Wasim Khot, D M (Infectious Diseases), AIIMS, New Delhi, Senior Consultant, Infectious Diseases, Nanavati Max Super Speciality Hospital, Mumbai	14 Aug 2025
2.	Intersect Webinar	What We Don't Measure, We Don't Mind Ventilator-Induced Lung Injury Speaker: Dr Ayush Goel, D M (Pulmonary and Critical Care), AIIMS, New Delhi, Consultant Pulmonologist Manipal Hospitals, Kolkata Moderator: Dr Sryma P B, D M (Pulmonary and Critical Care), AIIMS, New Delhi, Associate Professor, Pulmonary Critical Care, AIIMS Nagpur	21 Aug 2025
3.	Intersect Webinar	31 Aug 2025, 19:00-20:30, Fluttering in the Fire Atrial Fibrillation in Patients with Septic Shock Speaker: Dr Ram Manohar Talupula, D M (Cardiology) AIIMS, New Delhi, Consultant Interventional Cardiology Aster Ramesh Hospitals, Vijayawada Moderator Dr Ganesh Paramasivam, D M (Cardiology) PGI, Chandigarh, Professor and Unit Head, Cardiology, KMC, Manipal	31 Aug 2025
4.	Intersect Webinar	Airway Under Pressure Bronchospasm Management on IMV Speaker: Dr Sharada Vinod M D (Internal Medicine), D M (Pulmonary Critical Care), AIIMS New Delhi, Associate Professor, Internal Medicine, AIIMS, Mangalagiri Moderator: Dr Raghav Rao Gandra M D (Internal Medicine) D M (Pulmonary Critical Care), Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research (PGIMER), Chandigarh, Consultant Pulmonologist, AIG Hospitals, Hyderabad	29 Dec 2025
5	Unravelling the viral puzzle	Continuing Medical Education (CME) jointly organized by the Centre for i^3 , Nephrology, and Manipal Institute of Virology	29 July 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	**CIDS Emerging Leaders Program** – Dr Praveen Kumar Tirlangi	The **CIDS Emerging Leaders Program** is a flagship initiative aimed at nurturing the next generation of Infectious Diseases leaders in India. It identifies early-career ID physicians with strong potential in clinical care, research, and public health, and supports them through structured mentorship, active involvement in Society initiatives, and professional development. Over a four-year term, Emerging Leaders gain opportunities for capacity building, knowledge exchange, and the development of strong national and international networks within the Infectious Diseases community.	12 Sep 2025

Centre for Specialized Weaning and Long-Term Care for Mechanically Ventilated Patients

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2025
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Vishal Shanbhag
Other Members: Vishwas P, Dr Pratibha Todur, Anup Bhat

Brief About the Centre :

Vision: To establish one of the first centre in India for interdisciplinary collaboration, education, training, and research in weaning and long-term care of mechanically ventilated patients; fostering knowledge creation, translation, research advancement, and societal impact through engagement with healthcare professionals and communities.

Mission: The proposed weaning centre will be a specialized facility designed to manage patients who require prolonged mechanical ventilation (PMV) and gradual weaning from ventilator support. This centre will provide multidisciplinary care, including respiratory therapy, physiotherapy, and rehabilitation; to facilitate gradual ventilator withdrawal, optimize lung function, and improve patient outcomes. The centre will help reduce the intensive care unit (ICU) burden by transitioning stable yet ventilator-dependent patients to a structured, lower-intensity setting with specialized monitoring and care.

Objectives:

- Set up a core team and infrastructure planning—defining key personnel, space, and initial requirements for the weaning centre.
- Training and awareness programs—workshops, webinars, or small-scale training for local healthcare professionals.
- Initiate research projects—retrospective studies, protocol development, or systematic reviews.
- Form early collaborations—establish working relationships with key departments and institutions for joint research, or patient referrals.
- Develop patient and caregiver education materials—creation and distribution of basic training guides on ventilator care and weaning strategies.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
1	Workshop -BEYOND ICU -long term ventilatory care and evolving non-invasive ventilation (NIV) modalities.	Pre conference RESCARE 2025	24 Oct 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the awards	Particular	Date
1 Award for recognition of contribution to respiratory therapy in India	Fellow of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC)	Dr Vishal Shanbhag received a fellowship from the IARC	26 Oct 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Date
1	Comparison of the three-factor prediction (CART) model and the prediction of successful extubation (POSE) model in a critical care setup.	May 2025
2	Implementation of virtual reality-based mobilization program for critically-ill patients: a feasibility study.	Jun 2025
3	Prospective insights into diaphragmatic function and weaning outcomes in mechanically ventilated ICU patients: a point-of-care ultrasound approach.	Oct 2025
4	A study to assess the factors affecting ICU nutrition and effectiveness of nurse practitioner-led nutritional protocol (NPLNP) in achieving prescribed calories and proteins, preservation of skeletal muscle mass and clinical outcomes among critically ill patients admitted to the ICUs of a tertiary care hospital with a high Modified Nutrition Risk in the Critically Ill (mNUTRIC) score.	Dec 2025
5	Effectiveness of titrated enteral feeding on feed tolerance, preservation of skeletal muscle mass, readiness for weaning from mechanical ventilator, and clinical outcomes among atropinized, mechanically ventilated patients with organophosphorus poisoning—A feasibility study.	Oct 2025
6	An observational study on the choice of sedation and clinical outcomes in mechanically ventilated patients in the ICUs of a tertiary care hospital	Dec 2025
7	Development and implementation of "Manipal Specialized Weaning with Interprofessional Focused Team" (M-SWIFT) protocol for liberation from mechanical ventilation in difficult to wean and long-term ventilation patients.	Nov 2025
8	Attitude and practice of Indian physiotherapists towards early mobilization of patients with intercostal drain.	Completed in 2025

Sl No	Title	Date
9	Binita Baburaj title—Physiotherapy for patients admitted in the ICU: A quality improvement study.	Aug 2025

Publications/Research in the field of Weaning From the Ventilator done by the Coordinator as a Guide/Co-guide:

1. Empowering recovery: A scoping review of post-ICU exercise rehabilitation success factors and challenges
Authors
Sakshi Surve, G Arun Maiya, Vishal Shanbhag, Mukesh Kumar Sinha

2. Reporting of physical activity levels in intensive care unit survivors
Authors
Sakshi Surve, Mukesh Kumar Sinha, Vishal Shanbhag, G Arun Maiya

3. Phase-1 cardiac rehabilitation in acute heart failure: Development of an early mobilization algorithm through Delphi consensus
Authors
Satyamurthy, A., Padmakumar, R., Prabhu, M.A., ... Shanbhag, V., Babu, A.S.
Published in Journal of Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation and Prevention (Open source preview), 2026, 46(1), pp. 58–66

Submitted Projects:

1. Book chapters- written and submitted for the International Book on in association with International College of NIV (INIV), two chapters written and submitted as a part of the MoU with the College of NIV and MAHE, a) Tracheostomy decannulation
b) NIV in difficult Weaning

2. Written module on ventilator-associated pneumonia for **Critical Care Infectious Disease Course (CCIDC)** by the Indian Society of Critical Care Medicine (ISCCM).

3. The following proposals for the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) are being submitted;
a) Development of headset-mounted virtual reality games on the Meta Oculus platform for early mobilization in critically ill patients.
b) Project MSWIFT: A prospective interventional study to reduce ventilator dependence in the ICU.

4. FAIMER project for the next two years—Development and implementation of the M-SWIFT protocol for liberation from mechanical ventilation in difficult-to-wean and long-term ventilation patients.

5. Development of weaning protocols—Ongoing development of training modules (planned three modules in 2026) for Interprofessional Education and Practice (IPEP).

6. Photo gallery

WORKSHOP REPORT

Preconference Workshop – RESCARE 2025
"Shaping the Future of RTs: Trends and Insights for Tomorrow"
24th October 2025 | 8:30 AM – 2:00 PM
Venue: Interact Halls, MAHE, Manipal

Title: *BEYOND THE ICU: Long-Term Ventilatory Care and Evolving Non-Invasive Modalities*
Organized by: MCHP, MAHE
In Association with: IARC and International Association of Non-Invasive Mechanical Ventilation & Centre for Specialized Weaning and Long-Term Care for Mechanically Ventilated Patients
Total Participants: 19

Overview

This parallel workshop emphasized the continuum of ventilatory care beyond the intensive care environment. It addressed long-term support strategies, the evolution of non-invasive modalities, and patient-centered management approaches across home care, specialized weaning, and telemedicine-supported models. Participants included respiratory therapy students, clinicians, academicians, and practitioners keen on advancing their understanding of chronic ventilatory care.

The sessions centered on evidence-based weaning approaches, long-term oxygen therapy, NIV and tracheostomy management, HFNC applications, functional rehabilitation, and emerging telemedicine tools for chronic respiratory conditions.

Objectives

- To understand types of weaning, difficult weaning, and the role of dedicated weaning centres
- To explore long-term respiratory care modalities including oxygen therapy, NIV, tracheostomy care, and home ventilatory support
- To examine the role of high-flow nasal cannula (HFNC) in chronic respiratory care
- To enhance strategies for improving respiratory function in long-term patients
- To understand opportunities and challenges in telemedicine in chronic respiratory management
- To build hands-on competency in long-term ventilatory equipment and monitoring interfaces

Sessions (8:30 AM – 2:00 PM)

1. Weaning Types, Difficult Weaning, and the Role of Weaning Centres

Covered classification of weaning, predictors of difficult weaning, structured protocols, and the function of specialized weaning centres in optimizing ventilator liberation.

2. Long-Term Respiratory Care Modalities: Oxygen Therapy, NIV, Tracheostomy & Home Care

Focused on long-term oxygen systems, chronic NIV support, tracheostomy care frameworks, safety considerations, and home care planning for stable ventilator-dependent patients.

3. High-Flow Nasal Cannula in Long-Term Care

Discussed HFNC physiology, indications, setup considerations, humidification, and comparative benefits in chronic respiratory disorders.

4. Improving Respiratory Function in Long-Term Patients

Included airway clearance techniques, respiratory muscle training, rehabilitation principles, and functional monitoring strategies.

5. The Era of Telemedicine: Opportunities and Challenges

Explored digital platforms, remote monitoring, tele-NIV interfaces, their benefits, operational limitations, and medico-legal implications.

6. Hands-on Training

Hands-on sessions were conducted in collaboration with **Helix Medicals, Breas Medical, and Oxymed**. Participants practiced device setup for home NIV, long-term oxygen therapy equipment, HFNC systems, tracheostomy care procedures, and remote monitoring technologies used in chronic respiratory care.

Resource Persons

- **Dr. Vishal Shanbhag**
- **Dr. Vishwas P**
- **Dr. Pratibha Todur**
- **Mr. Anup Bhat**
- **Ms. Renuga Devi**

Their expertise and clinical insights provided participants with comprehensive understanding of long-term ventilatory management and evolving non-invasive modalities.

Participant Engagement

Participants actively took part in case-based discussions, device handling, and practical demonstrations, enhancing their confidence in managing chronic respiratory patients and utilizing long-term ventilatory technologies.

Feedback Summary

All participants submitted QR-based feedback.

Item	Rating / 5
Content relevance	4.70
Infrastructure	4.45
Hands-on training	4.65
Speaker knowledge	4.69
Overall experience	4.67

Overall Average: 4.632 (Very Good)

Conclusion

The workshop successfully enhanced participants' knowledge and competence in long-term ventilatory management and modern non-invasive modalities. It strengthened understanding of chronic care transitions, home ventilation, and telemedicine-enabled monitoring. Certificates were issued to all resource persons and participants.

2. Hands-on demonstration by Mr Anup Bhat along with a faculty member from KEM, Mumbai, during the 2nd National Conference on Cardiovascular & Pulmonary Rehabilitation, organized by the Society of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation (SoCVPR) on 13 and 14th September 2025 in collaboration with the Academic partner Smt Kashibai Navale College of Physiotherapy, Narhe, Pune. (Photo attached)

MAHE-Laerdal Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Simulation

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Dr Shwetha Vincent, Associate Professor, Department of Mechatronics, MIT Manipal

Brief About the Centre:

Vision:
To be a state-of-the-art apex centre for healthcare simulation in India with cutting-edge innovation, training and research at par with international standards.

Mission:
To enhance clinical competence, promote patient safety, and lead innovation in simulation-based education by integrating advanced technologies, building national capacity, and fostering global collaborations.

Objectives:

1. To develop indigenous, cutting-edge solutions in Virtual Reality (VR), Augmented Reality (AR) and Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Healthcare Simulation for healthcare education and skill enhancement.
2. To enhance clinical competency, patient safety, and interprofessional collaboration through immersive simulation training.
3. To create a robust ecosystem for academic research and international collaboration in the field of healthcare simulation.
4. To standardise processes and quality indicators for simulation-based education under MAHE, which can be replicated in other institutes nationally.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Pan Asia Simulation Society in Healthcare (PASSH) International Simulation Education course	PASSH 2025 Simulation Education Course from 26–28 June 2025—a premier international faculty development program in simulation-based healthcare education. Organized in collaboration with the PASSH—a professional society registered in Singapore—and held in academic partnership with Laerdal Medical, a global leader in simulation solutions for healthcare; this academic conclave brought together experts and educators from across the country to advance the future of medical simulation training in India.	26–28 Jun 2025
2.	Simulation *in situ*-Interprofessional Simulation-based Faculty Development Program for Health Professions Educators	Interprofessional Simulation-based Faculty Development Program for Health Professions Educators workshop as part of the 10-year MAHE-FAIMER regional Institute conference	15 Sep 2025

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ASSH 2025 Simulation Education Course from 26 to 28 June 2025

Inauguration of Centre of Excellence (CoE)

Simulation In Situ- Interprofessional Simulation-based FDP for Health Professions Educators workshop

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MAHE Anderson Centre of Excellence in Reproductive Genomics

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: May 2025
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   Fetal Medicine Specialist, Sri Hari Diagnostics, Bengaluru

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: The Centre will be a one-of-its-kind state-of-the-art facility involving integration and application of Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS) technologies to advance healthcare solutions and research in the field of Reproductive Genetics. This Centre will be equipped with the latest NGS system along with other equipment required to provide advanced molecular diagnostics and research with high-quality standards. This Centre will be a hub for academic training, innovative research, and advanced diagnostic solutions.

Mission: The Centre's main mission is to establish an R&D initiative focusing on the integration and application of Next-Generation Sequencing (NGS) technologies to advance healthcare solutions and research in the field of Reproductive genomics

Objective: 1) To set up IVF-related genomic services for research and diagnostic purposes: Intending to understand the pathophysiology involved in implantation failure and enhance the IVF success rates. 2) To provide broader genetic testing solutions to support pregnancy management, the health of the mother, and the child. 3) To promote education, research, and collaborations in the field of Reproductive Genomics.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Inauguration of the Centre	The Centre was officially inaugurated by Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE, Manipal. During the program MoU was exchanged between MAHE and Anderson Diagnostics and Labs, Chennai.	11 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2.	Conducted a workshop on Transcriptome analysis by Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) 	Centre conducted a workshop as a part of the Symposium *"Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research Applications in Reproductive Medicine"* jointly organized by the Department of Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE, and the Department of Reproductive Sciences, KMC, Manipal.	15 Dec 2025
3.	Internship 	The Centre has selected Ms Reshma Neelavathi (MSc Reproductive Genetics) student for 6 months internship program.	01 Dec 2025 to 20 Apr 2026

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Official inauguration of the Centre by Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE, Manipal

Exchange of MOU between MAHE and Anderson Diagnostics and Labs, Chennai

Official inauguration of the NGS facility by Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE, Manipal

With participants and resource persons who attended the workshop on Transcriptome analysis by Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) as a part of the Symposium "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research Applications in Reproductive Medicine" jointly organized by the Division of Reproductive Genetics, Department of Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE, and the Department of Reproductive Sciences, KMC, Manipal.

MAHE-DHR-Technical Resource Centre (TRC) for Evidence Synthesis

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2025
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj

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3. Dr Vijay Shree Dhyani, Evidence Synthesis Specialist, KMC, MAHE, Manipal
4. Mrs Nisha A Khader, Research Associate III, KMC, MAHE, Manipal

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To be a nationally recognized Centre of excellence in evidence synthesis that informs healthcare decision-making and guideline development.

Mission: To generate high-quality, reliable, and transparent evidence through systematic reviews and meta-analyses, while building capacity among researchers, clinicians, and students in evidence-based methodologies.

Objectives

1. To develop a detailed technical protocol that outlines step-by-step procedures for conducting systematic reviews and meta-analyses, that serves as a comprehensive guide, covering the entire process from formulating research questions to synthesizing and interpreting the results.
2. To carry out high-quality systematic reviews and meta-analyses annually, as decided by the team members within the specified time, that informs practice, research, and policies.
3. To provide grading of evidence profiles by summarizing the key findings of systematic reviews.
4. To publish systematic reviews and meta-analyses conducted in good-quality peer-reviewed journals.
5. To establish and promote rigorous standards and methodologies for conducting evidence synthesis across diverse disciplines.
6. To train researchers, clinicians, and students in evidence synthesis methods, including systematic reviews, meta-analyses, and related tools.
7. To ensure the transparency and reproducibility of research findings by adhering to established guidelines such as PRISMA and Cochrane.
8. To foster national and international collaborations for multidisciplinary and large-scale evidence synthesis projects.
9. To support the development of clinical and public health guidelines by providing robust evidence synthesis and grading of evidence.
10. To apply for funding from external agencies for conducting systematic reviews and to procure the software required.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Development of Lung Cancer Guidelines	Three systematic reviews were sanctioned by DHR for developing lung cancer guidelines Effectiveness of early integration of palliative care on patient outcomes in lung cancer **(Completed)** Impact of multimodal interventions on symptomatic management of dyspnea in adult patients with advanced lung cancer **(Completed)** Effectiveness of Multimodal Approaches versus Psychotherapeutic Care Alone for the Symptom Cluster of Insomnia, Fatigue, and Depression in Newly Diagnosed Lung Cancer Patients **(Completed)**	20 May 2024
2	Workshop on Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Demystified.	The workshop was conducted by our Centre in collaboration with KMC, PRIME Faculty Research Vertical,	07-08 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		KMC, MAHE, Manipal, and was attended by 40 participants.	
3	Development of Antibiotics Guidelines	Three reviews were sanctioned by DHR for developing antibiotic guidelines 1. What signs and symptoms are suggestive of septic arthritis for all age groups for referral at higher Centre? **(Completed)** 2. What signs and symptoms suggest osteomyelitis and septic arthritis and need antibiotics? **(Completed)** 3. Common pathogens and antimicrobial resistance patterns in septic arthritis and/or osteomyelitis in India **(Completed)**	27 Feb 2025
4	**Workshop Series on SRMA** SARANSH 2.0 Workshop on "Conducting a Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis through a Blended Learning Approach- Phase 1"	The workshop series commenced with SARANSH 2.0, a blended learning program on Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analysis (SRMA), conducted under the DHR-funded SARANSH Grant. The online component was focused on the fundamentals of SRMA. This was followed by an offline component conducted at MAHE, Manipal, which emphasized hands-on training and advanced analytical methods. Participants from Kerala, Karnataka, and Goa were invited to apply for the workshop as teams of four, based on the submission of a concept note. A total of 10 teams [40 participants (5 teams from MAHE and 5 teams outside MAHE)] were selected through this process and included in SARANSH 2.0 (Phase 1). All remaining eligible teams were accommodated in subsequent phases of the SARANSH workshop series.	Online- 14 to 16 May 2025 Offline- 14 to 18 Jul 2025
5	Phase 2 Workshop on "Conducting a Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis through a Blended Learning Approach"	This workshop, a continuation of the SARANSH workshop series, was jointly organized by our Centre and the KMC PRIME Faculty Research Vertical, KMC, Manipal. A total of 10 teams comprising 48 participants took part in the workshop.	14-18 Dec 2025

Note: This workshop series has been conducted in a systematic manner, wherein each team is assigned a dedicated mentor, and each team is required to complete and publish one SRMA registered during the workshop.

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Establishment of Technical Resource Center for Evidence Synthesis	Department of Health Research (DHR)	Dr Naveen Salins	16,45,200/-	24 Sep 2024

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Inauguration of SARANSH 2.0 Workshop by Dr Anil Bhat, Dean KMC Manipal

Inauguration of Phase 2 workshop by Dr Vinod C Nayak, Associate Dean, KMC, MAHE, Manipal

SARANSH 2.0 Workshop: Day Two by Dr Sachit Anand, Department of Paediatric Surgery, AIIMS Delhi

Phase 2 Workshop

Group Photo of SARANSH 2.0 Workshop

Group photo of the Phase 2 Workshop

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1. Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)
2. Doctor of Medicine (MD) General Medicine
3. MD Paediatrics
4. Master of Surgery (MS) General Surgery
5. MS Obstetrics and Gynaecology
6. MS Orthopaedics
7. MD Anaesthesiology
8. MS Oto-rhino-laryngology
9. MS Ophthalmology
10. MD Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy
11. MD Anatomy
12. MD Physiology
13. MD Biochemistry
14. MD Pharmacology
15. MD Pathology
16. MD Microbiology
17. MD Radio-Diagnosis
18. MD Community Medicine
19. MD Radiation Oncology
20. MD Psychiatry
21. MD Respiratory Medicine
22. MD Forensic Medicine
23. MD Emergency Medicine
24. Fellowship in Head and Neck Oncology
25. Fellowship in Geriatric Medicine
26. Fellowship in Interventional Radiology
27. Fellowship in Paediatric Haematology and Oncology
28. Fellowship In Otology and Endoscopic Ear Surgery
29. Master of Science (MSc) Medical Physiology
30. MSc Medical Microbiology
31. MSc Medical Anatomy
32. MSc Medical Biochemistry
33. MSc Medical Pharmacology
34. MSc Forensic Science
35. MSc (Respiratory Therapy (RT)) Adult Respiratory Care
36. MSc Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology
37. MSc Emergency Medical Technology
38. MSc Clinical Psychology

39. Master of Physiotherapy (MPT) Cardiopulmonary sciences - Critical care Physiotherapy
40. MPT Cardiopulmonary sciences - Cardiopulmonary rehabilitation
41. MPT Cardiopulmonary sciences - Health Promotion and Fitness
42. MPT Neurosciences - Neurological physiotherapy
43. MPT Musculoskeletal Science - Manual Therapy
44. MPT Musculoskeletal Science - Sports Physiotherapy
45. MPT Musculoskeletal Science - Hand rehabilitation
46. MPT Paediatrics - Paediatric Neurology
47. MPT Paediatrics - Neonatal and Paediatric Respiratory Care
48. MPT (Obstetrics and Gynaecology (OBG)) - Gynaecological Physiotherapy
49. MPT Geriatrics - Aging and Disease
50. MPT Community Physiotherapy - Occupation health and Ergonomics
51. MSc in Audiology
52. MSc in Speech Language Pathology (SLP)
53. Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT)
54. Bachelor in Audiology and Speech Language Pathology (BASLP)
55. Bachelor of Science (BSc) Respiratory Therapy
56. BSc Medical Imaging Technology
57. BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology
58. BSc Radiotherapy Technology
59. BSc Cardiovascular Technology

About the Institution/School:

Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Mangalore, was started in 1955, utilizing the clinical facilities of the Government Wenlock Hospital and Government Lady Goschen Hospital. In 1961, the pre-clinical section was started in Mangalore. Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, became an independent college in 1977. Apart from the two Government hospitals, there are other teaching hospitals attached to the college, viz. the KMC Hospital, Attavar, established in 1992 with a bed strength of 500. The infrastructural facilities are comparable to international standards. These include six large, air-conditioned lecture halls; each with a seating capacity of 250 and equipped with modern audio-visual teaching aids, including multimedia projectors; and a modern, fully air-conditioned library with a seating capacity of approximately 800, and with internet facility. The library has over 30,000 books and subscribes to more than 250 journals annually. In the year 2001, the Centre for Basic Sciences was started at Bejai for first-year students. Apart from the departments of Anatomy, Physiology, and Biochemistry, the Basic Sciences Complex includes two lecture halls with a seating capacity of 250 each, as well as ladies' and boys' hostels for first-year students. Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, provides hostel accommodation for its students in eight hostels, of which five are ladies' hostels. There is also a Medical Education Unit, which conducts orientation programs for students, interns, and postgraduates, as well as resource material for the teaching faculty. The Medical Council of India granted recognition in 1958 with the first graduating class of KMC. Recognition by the General Medical Council of Great Britain and the Malaysian Medical Council soon followed. New courses, faculty research, and student amenities have steadily developed over the years. The first college to be developed as a private partnership model in medical education and health care delivery, KMC, Mangalore, ranks among the top 25 medical colleges in the country today. It is the medical college with the highest Indian Council of Medical Research Short Term Studentship (ICMR STS) awards in the country. KMC, Mangalore, is recognized as one among 20 international medical schools by the Educational Commission for Foreign Graduates (ECFMG) for the electronic credentials' verification program. Students from 45 countries have graduated from KMC, and the degrees have been recognized worldwide.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Dermatology Special Evening Clinic	The Dermatology Department of KMC Hospital Attavar introduced a "Dermatology Special Evening Clinic" exclusively for students. This initiative offers specialized care for a range of skin concerns with a 30 per cent discount on procedures like Laser Hair Removal, Chemical Peeling, Acne Scar Removal, and Tattoo Removal.	1 Jan 2025

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		Catering to the unique dermatological needs of students, this clinic ensures high-quality care at affordable rates.	
2	Super Speciality Outpatient Department (OPD) Block	A new Super Specialty OPD was started on the first floor, Tower 2, to enhance access to advanced specialty services.	14 Jan 2025
3	Surgical Intensive Care Unit (ICU)	A 15-bedded Surgical ICU was commissioned on the sixth floor at KMC Attavar to strengthen critical care services.	14 Jan 2025
4	Women's Wellness Package	KMC Hospital Attavar presented an exclusive "Women's Wellness Package" to address the unique health needs of women. This comprehensive program focuses on preventive care, early detection, and overall well-being at every stage of life. The package includes essential screenings, diagnostic tests, and specialist consultations to ensure complete health assessment. With expert gynaecologists and advanced medical facilities, the program emphasizes personalized and compassionate care. It aims to empower women to take charge of their health through timely check-ups and informed decisions. This special package was designed for women who prefer convenient, time-efficient health check-ups. Available only in the afternoon slot from 2:00 PM to 4:30 PM, the program ensures quality care without disrupting daily routines. Total After noon, 14 and other package 8 women availed the benefits.	8 Mar 2025
5	Lupus Support Group	KMC Hospital, Attavar launched a Lupus Support Group in observance of World Lupus Day to create awareness and support for lupus patients. Organized by the Department of Rheumatology, the initiative aims to provide continuous guidance through a WhatsApp-based platform. The program highlighted early diagnosis, effective disease management, and patient empowerment. Expert talks and patient testimonies emphasized improving the quality of life, reducing stigma, and fostering a supportive community for individuals living with lupus. A lupus in-house free camp was also organized.	11 May 2025
6	Outreach clinics	The Departments of Orthopaedics, Paediatrics, Ear, Nose, and Throat (ENT), Ophthalmology, and Medicine initiated a specialty clinic at Kakkinje Hospital to enhance access to comprehensive healthcare services for the local community. This collaborative initiative aims to provide expert consultations, early diagnosis, and timely treatment across multiple specialties under one roof. The clinic	17 May 2025

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		reflects a commitment to community outreach, patient-centred care, and strengthening healthcare delivery through coordinated, multidisciplinary medical services closer to patients' homes.	
7	Launch of Mangalore Refinery and Petrochemicals Limited (MRPL)–Manipal Griha Sanjeevani Home Care Service and its Hospital Day celebration. 	Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel, a model rural hospital of KMC Mangalore, marked a milestone with the launch of the MRPL–Manipal Griha Sanjeevani Home Care Service and its Hospital Day celebration. Shri Sanath Kumar Shetty, Hereditary trustee and Shri Vedamurthy Vasudeva Asranna, Hereditary Priest, Shri Durga Parameshwari Temple, Kateel were the Chief Guests of the program.	5 Jul 2025
8	All Cargo logistics Pvt Ltd CSR initiative to help poor patients (Below Poverty Line (BPL))	Avashya Foundation (All Cargo Pvt Ltd) is funding 4,85,000 INR per month to the project sponsoring dialysis, cataract operations and knee replacement surgery.	22 Jul 2025
9	Launch of a Daycare Chemotherapy Hub-and-Spoke model 	A Daycare Chemotherapy Hub-and-Spoke model was launched with Government Wenlock Hospital (GWH) as a spoke center.	1 Sep 2025
10	Cathlab at Government Wenlock Hospital	The Cathlab at GWH—set up in collaboration with KMC Mangalore—was inaugurated with a thanksgiving pooja and formal commissioning. Head of Department (HOD) Cardiology announced 24×7 cardiac care with advanced cathlab services; run by 4 cardiologists, 4 technicians and 18 nurses. Wenlock now stands among only two district hospitals in Karnataka with a fully-fledged Cardiology Department; strengthening care for patients from Dakshina Kannada and neighbouring districts.	25 Sep 2025
11	Knowledge Block at KMC, Bejai Campus	The Ganahoma pooja of the Knowledge Block at the Centre for Basic Sciences, Bejai, was held at the Bejai campus. The ceremony marked a significant milestone in strengthening academic infrastructure at the MAHE Mangalore campus. This infrastructure has two state-of-the-art lecture halls; of 300 and 100 capacity each; and an inhouse library with a reading room facility for first-year students of Bejai campus. The facility also houses the medical education department and seminar rooms.	23 Dec 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course :

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Administration			
1	Global horizons: Inspiring medical careers, Mentorship Session by KMC, Mangalore Alumni MBBS Batch of 1989	KMC Mangalore conducted a Mentorship session "Global Horizons: Inspiring Medical Careers" by KMC Mangalore Alumni MBBS Batch of 1989 from at the Medical Education Unit (MEU) Hall, KMC, Mangalore. Dr Anil Paramesh, Director, Tulane Transplant Institute, US and Dr Darang Sapare, consultant Spinal Orthopaedic Surgeon, NHS foundation Trust UK, were the Speakers. Dr Krishna Murthy Karpe, Senior Consultant, Renal Services, Canberra Hospital, Australia; Dr Sudhanva S Hegde, Chief of Cardiology, South Brooklyn Health Brooklyn, NY; Dr Kavitha Saravu, Professor of Infectious Diseases, KMC, Manipal; and Dr Murali Srinivasan, Consultant Neurologist, Chief of Medical Services at Manipal Hospitals, were the Panellists for the session.	24 Jan 2025
2	Link to the linker	Linker case is a means for effective correlation. This workshop aimed at harnessing participant's skills in developing linker cases and ways to effectively embed the same in the teaching syllabus.	31 Jan 2025
3	Harnessing Thought Power: Achieving Success and Inner Peace	Organised a motivational program featuring Mr S. Jagannadham, a distinguished motivational speaker, PM at Bejai Lecture Hall (LH) 1. The session was attended by MBBS Phase 1 students and covered the following topics: “Empowering Thought Power to Attain Higher Goals” and “How to Lead a Stress-Free Life with Awareness of the Present Moment”.	4 Feb 2025
4	Crafting a Successful grant application: Strategies and Techniques	Research Funding and Grants Vertical and Faculty Research Vertical conducted a Workshop on “Crafting a Successful Grant Application: Strategies and Techniques” at MEU Hall. The session was mainly on increasing the success rate of grant applications, overview of Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) grant, thrust areas, and formats aligning with the institute’s strengths and facilities.	11 Feb 2025
5	Curriculum Implementation Support Programme (CISP)-III	The primary objective of this program was to train faculty for the better implementation of Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME). CISP is one of the mandatory trainings that a faculty must be undergo.	17–18 Feb 2025
6	Fostering Professionalism and Ethical Practice in Medical Education	Professionalism and ethics in medical education includes a set of behaviours, moral principles, and values that should guide medical students and practitioners on how to conduct themselves with integrity, compassion, and respect for patients while prioritizing their own well-being.	24 Feb 2025

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7	Literature Search and Writing a Case Report	Undergraduate (UG) Research Vertical, KMC, Mangalore organized a talk on "Literature Search" and "Writing a Case Report" through Microsoft (MS) Teams. Resource Persons: Dr Smitha D'Sa, Department of Paediatrics, KMC, Mangalore and Dr Priyanka Kamath, Department Pharmacology, KMC, Mangalore.	25 Feb 2025
8	Phacocache Media walk 2025	The Phacocache Media Walk 2025 was successfully held at the scenic Sasihithlu Beach, with 25 enthusiastic participants and an accompanying teacher, Dr Y Lakshmisha Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Anatomy. The event featured two engaging competitions: an art competition and a spot photography competition. In the art competition, participants were provided with canvases to paint a scenery of their choice, but they were required to incorporate an item found on the beach into their artwork. In the spot photography competition, participants had to capture a unique image that encapsulated the serenity of the beach. A bus was arranged to pick up the students from Lighthouse Hill at 6:45 AM, and the bus then proceeded to Bejai to pick up the first-year participants around 7:00 AM. Dr Priyanka Kamath was the event coordinator.,	2 Mar 2025
9	Stories as an Effective Teaching Learning Tool in Health Professions Education	This workshop equipped the participants with practical strategies to craft and use compelling narratives to enhance student understanding and retention.	11 Mar 2025
10	Mastering the art of Scientific Presentations: Turning Research to Recognition	Postgraduate (PG) research workshop on “Mastering the art of Scientific Presentations: Turning Research to Recognition” was organised by the Research Cell and PG research vertical, KMC, Mangalore, at G D Veliath Hall. The workshop was conducted for the second year of MD/MS postgraduates. The resource persons discussed how to make good scientific presentations and how to present them to the audience in a structured manner. They also shared their experience while presenting oral/poster presentations at conferences.	11 Mar 2025
11	Blood Donation Camp	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in association with Care Today Fund and LG Electronics, organized a blood donation camp.	12 Mar 2025

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12	From Data To Dissertation: Expert Guidance On Data Analysis	PG research workshop on "From Data To Dissertation: Expert Guidance On Data Analysis" was organized by PG research vertical and Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore at Dr G D Veliath Hall. The workshop was conducted for the third year MD/MS postgraduates. The resource persons discussed data analysis and representation for the PG dissertation. The students also discussed their queries with the resource persons on their respective thesis data.	18 Mar 2025
13	Basic Course in Medical Education (BCME)	The primary objective of the program was to improve the teaching and assessment skills of the faculty.	26–28 Mar 2025
14	Parthenon 2.0	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, hosted Parthenon 2.0, the second edition of its Model United Nations (MUN) conference. The event saw participation from students across the country and provided a platform for structured debate and discussion on contemporary global and national issues. Over three days, participants engaged in simulated proceedings of five committees: Disarmament and International Security Committee (DISEC), World Health Organisation (WHO), United Nations Security Council (UNSC), Lok Sabha, and International Press Corps (IPC). Each committee was moderated by members of the Executive Board and tackled topics ranging from international conflict and health policy to legislative matters and media coverage. The conference encouraged students to develop skills in diplomacy, research, negotiation, and public speaking. A notable feature of the event was the inclusion of crisis simulations and press briefings, which challenged delegates to respond to evolving scenarios in real time. The conference concluded with a formal closing ceremony, during which outstanding delegates were recognised, followed by a cultural evening for the participants. The event reflected KMC Mangalore's continued emphasis on holistic student development and provided a meaningful platform for experiential learning through simulation and collaboration.	31 Mar 2025–2 Apr 2025
15	Protocol writing workshop for postgraduates	Postgraduate Research Vertical conducted Protocol Writing workshop "Protocol Prowess 2025" for first-year MD/MS students at LH1, KMC, Mangalore. Introduction to research, identifying research questions, protocol writing, review of literature, study design, choosing right tool for research, rational use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) Tools in Scientific Writing, Enrolment to Study Webs of Active–Learning for Young Aspiring Minds (SWAYAM)/National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning (NPTEL) were some highlights of the workshop..	3–4 Apr 2025 to

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16	EREVNA 3rd Edition of Annual Undergraduate Medical Research Conference	EREVNA 2025 was conducted as a three-day undergraduate medical research conference, hosted by Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore. The event aimed to foster scientific inquiry, promote student research, and provide a platform for academic networking. With over 500 delegates, distinguished faculty, and notable guest speakers, the event marked a milestone in student-led academic initiatives.	22–24 Apr 2025
17	Basic Statistics Using Jamovi–Part 1	Doctoral Research Vertical organized a half day workshop on "Basic Statistics using Jamovi" for the Doctoral (PhD) scholars of KMC, Mangalore campus. The workshop began with a welcome address by Dr Sheetal Ullal, Associate Dean, followed by brief introduction to Jamovi software and the basic information on Data and the types of data. This was followed by hand on training for using Jamovi software. The main resource persons were Ms Aiswarya L, Statistician from Community Medicine and Mr Uzair Chilwan, Final year PhD scholar from Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology (ASLP) Department. All the scholars were made to download the Jamovi software, and they were supplied with a pre-planned data sheet. Basic statistics such as measures of central tendency, measures of variance, and normality testing using box plots and QQ plots were demonstrated, and all the participants were made to experiment with these statistics on their laptops. Finally, a quiz was conducted using the Kahoot app to assess the PhD scholars' understanding of statistics. Overall, 32 PhD Scholars, one PG from Forensic medicine, and one faculty member had attended the workshop. All the participants gave very good positive feedback regarding the workshop and requested a similar workshop for using advanced statistics. Finally, Dr Radish Kumar B, Chairperson for the Doctoral Research vertical thanked the Dean and the Associate Dean for providing support to organize this workshop.	24 Apr 2025
18	Back to basics—Enhancing teacher attributes in mastering problem Based Learning	The aim of this workshop is to help faculty master the process of conducting a Problem-Based Learning (PBL) session.	9 May 2025
19	Grant Writing Workshop	Grant writing workshop—Hands-on experience was organised by the Postgraduate and Grant Research Vertical, KMC, Mangalore, at LH1 . The workshop was conducted for first-year MD/MS postgraduates to guide them in a step-by-step manner to apply for the ICMR MD/MS Thesis support program. The overall feedback from students was good. Students found the workshop useful. A total of 67 applications were sent from KMC Mangalore.	12–13 May 2025

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20	ICMR-STS 2025	Faculty Research Vertical in association with the Research Cell organized a workshop for faculty on "ICMR-STS 2025" at MEU hall, KMC, Mangalore.	14 May 2025
21	From Ideas to Patents: Navigating Innovation, Copyrights and Patenting Procedure'	Innovations, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), and Patents Vertical and Innovation Hub conducted a seminar titled "From Ideas to Patents—Navigating Innovation, Copyrights, Patenting procedures" at MEU Hall. The speakers were Dr S Varadharajan, Coordinator, Technology Transfer Office, MAHE; Dr Mohammed Zuber, Chief Innovation Officer, MAHE; Dr Santosh, Assistant General Manager, Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator (MUTBI), MAHE, Manipal. The session was aimed at fostering awareness and understanding of the innovation process and intellectual property rights in the context of medical and scientific research.	21 May 2025
22	Elayne 3.0	The third edition of “Elayne” an annual celebration of media, art, and literature was successfully conducted by Phacocache, the media club of KMC Mangalore. The opening ceremony was presided over by the Chief Guest of the day, Mr Sunil S Kumbar, a renowned macro-photographer, along with Dr Sheetal D Ullal, Associate Dean— Research and Head of Department of Pharmacology as the guest of honour. Other delegates included Dr Priyanka Kamath, Faculty advisor for the media club and Associate Professor of Pharmacology along with members of the club and participants. The event continued with various competitions like Spot photography, Product ad making, Short film making, Mask decoration, Extempore with pictures, etc. Winners of various competitions received cash prizes and certificates, along with participation certificates for the other contestants. Judges of the competitions were felicitated with a certificate and memento (photo frames designed by the club). All participants were enthusiastic and thoroughly enjoyed the various competitions. The event also featured several games like snake-and-ladder, squid games, pyramid building, etc., along with stalls from local vendors selling various items. There were food stalls arranged as well, providing refreshments to the participants in the form of snacks, juices, and desserts. The event concluded with a valedictory session where the winning entries of short film and product ad making were highlighted.	25 May 2025
23	International Conference of H ealth Profession Educators and Learners (I-HEAL) Conference 2025	This conference brought together global health professionals, educators, and leaners to explore the transformative role of technology in medical and health professionals’ education. The event included keynotes, workshops, and panel discussions on cutting-edge topics including AI integration, digital learning platforms,	30–31 May 2025

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		simulation-based training, and the future of medical education.	
24	Flipped Classroom	This workshop gave insight into the flipped classroom teaching approach which reserves the traditional classroom structure to enhance student learning and engagement, potentially leading to better academic performance.	20 Jun 2025
25	Basics of Photography and Light painting workshop	The third edition of "Basics of Photography and Light Painting Workshop" was successfully conducted by Phacocache, the media club of KMC Mangalore. The event was held at Lecture Hall 1, KMC Centre for Basic Sciences, Bejai. The event was presided by Dr Muralimanju B V, Associate Professor, Department of Anatomy. It began with a seminar on introduction to cameras and photography techniques with the core committee members of the club as the resource persons. It also included a brief overview of the technique of light painting. Following the seminar, the core committee members explained the various parts of a camera, how to use a camera, and the techniques of light painting through a hands-on practical session. There was also a competition on light painting where the participants applied what they had learned and clicked beautiful images of patterns made by moving light. Dr Muralimanju judged the competition and the event concluded with prize distribution to the winners as well as a memento of appreciation to Dr Muralimanju for his contribution to making this event a grand success.	20 Jun 2025
26	Thesis to Publication	The "Thesis to Publication" workshop for final year MD/MS students was organized by the Postgraduate Research Vertical in Dr K P Ganeshan Hall, KMC Mangalore. It included lectures titled "The Art of Revision: Transforming your thesis into a manuscript" and "The Art of Publishing: Choosing the right journal"	26–27 Jun 2025
27	Research visibility and Open Access	Dr Santhosh KV, Deputy Director —Research (Technical), MAHE, addressed the faculty members on the topic, of "Research visibility and Open Access" at the MEU Seminar hall.	30 Jun 2025
28	Thesis to Publication	PG research workshop on "Thesis to Publication" was organised by Postgraduate Research Vertical, KMC, Mangalore, at Dr GD Veliath Hall. The workshop was conducted for Final year MD/MS postgraduates with an aim to convert their thesis into a publishable format and hence enhance student publications.	3–4 Jul 2025

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29	BMJ Medical Writing Workshop	KMC Mangalore and BMJ Group conducted a collaborative workshop on “BMJ Medical Writing” at MEU hall, KMC Mangalore. Speakers R Anand, Manager, Institutional Sales, BMJ and Dr Sarah Abdi, Clinical Editor, BML Research to Publications, joined online from UK. The sessions were: “Case Reports Writing and Submission with BMJ case reports” and “Writing and publishing Protocols”.	17 Jul 2025
30	Gate Keeping Training Program	Department of Student Affairs, MAHE, Mangalore Campus organized Gate Keeping Training Program for Hostel Staff (Matrons, Managers, Hostel Care Takers, House Keeping staff, and Hostel Supervisors) LH1, KMC, Mangalore by Dr Anil Kakunje, Professor of Psychiatry, Yenepoya Medical College Mangalore.	22 Jul 2025
31	Direct Observation of Procedural Skills (DOPS)	This workshop was aimed at providing an overview of purpose, principles, criterion, and guidelines for DOPS with hands on experience.	29 Jul 2025
32	Scientific approach to research protocol writing and data analysis strategies	Department of Cardiology and Cardiovascular Technology in association with UG Research Vertical, KMC, Mangalore hosted a Continuing Medical Education (CME) titled "Scientific Approach to Research Protocol Writing and Data Analysis Strategies" at the Medical Education Hall, KMC, Mangalore. Dr Sheetal Ullal, Associate Dean, KMC Mangalore was the Chief guest and Dr Narasimha Pai D, Professor and Head, Department of Cardiology, was the Guest of Honor. Resource Persons: Dr Nayanatara Arun Kumar, Professor Physiology and Ms Aishwariya L, Lecturer and Statistician Department of Community Medicine. This session was attended by UG Allied Health students of final years.	13 Aug 2025
33	Designing Certificate Course	This workshop was conducted to equip the participants with knowledge to design outcome-oriented certificate courses in healthcare for lifelong learning—from concept to implementation, learn to craft engaging content, develop effective assessments, and create programs that deliver lasting impact and foster a culture to continues learning.	20 Aug 2025
34	Swachhata Pakhwada 2025	In line with the directive of the University Grants Commission (UGC), Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore observed Swachhata Pakhwada . This marked the 10th consecutive year of the initiative, aimed at reinforcing the importance of cleanliness, hygiene, and sustainable practices within the academic community. The following activities were conducted: **Campus Cleanliness Drives** (Faculty, staff, and students actively participated in cleaning common areas, lecture halls, hostels, and outdoor spaces of the campus), **Awareness Campaigns**	1–15 Sep 2025

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		(Poster-making, slogan-writing, and short talks were organised to spread awareness on the importance of personal hygiene, waste segregation, and sustainable practices), **Community Outreach** (Students engaged with nearby community areas to promote the message of cleanliness and responsible waste management), and **Digital Outreach** (Activities and messages from the campaign were widely publicized on institutional social media platforms, amplifying the impact).	
35	Blood Donation camp	To mark the 90th birthday of Dr Ramdas M Pai, Chancellor of MAHE and Padma Bhushan awardee, a three-day Blood Donation Camp was held across the Mangalore campus.	16–18 Sep 2025
36	Time Management and Organizational Skills	In the demanding world of medicine, effective time management and organisational skills are essential for success. A workshop was held to equip the participants with tips and techniques to to prioritize tasks, plan efficiently, and work smarter to enhance productivity while reducing stress.	23 Sep 2025
37	Team-Based Learning (TBL) in Action Transforming Classrooms, Inspiring Collaboration	This workshop introduced team-based learning as an innovative pedagogy tool to create engaging and impactful classrooms. The sessions provided information on how to design and facilitate TBL sessions, as well as hands-on experience with practical tools to transform teaching into an interactive and learner-centred process.	30 Sep 2025
38	CME on Emergencies in Clinical Practice	Revive 2025—The Reunion of the MBBS and CODS Batches of 1980 to 1995, Alumni Meet and Greet and CME on Emergencies in Clinical Practice was organized at Dr K P Ganeshan Hall, KMC Mangalore by the office of Alumni Relations, KMC and MCODS Mangalore. The CME brought frontline insights on acute stroke, toxicology, shock, vascular calls, neonatal emergencies, situational awareness, and more. Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE graced the event. Many distinguished alumni, including Dr C N Ashwath Narayan, Former Deputy Chief Minister of Karnataka, were the attendees. It was well organized and around 400 alumni attended the meet.	11 Oct 2025
39	Question paper setting: an Update	This workshop was tailored to address key changes in question paper patterns to align assessment strategies with the latest CBME guidelines.	28 Oct 2025

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40	Curriculum Implementation Support Programme (CISP)-III	The primary objective of this program was to train faculty better implementation of CBME. CISP is one of the mandatory trainings that a faculty must undergo.	25–26 Nov 2025
41	Emotional Intelligence in Medical Education	This workshop was designed to introduce participants to the key components involved in perceiving, understanding, and managing one's own emotions as well as the emotions of others within the context of medical education.	28 Nov 2025
42	Application of Genogram in Medical Education and Patient Care	This workshop was designed to help participants master the standardized charting and identify risk clusters, contextualize health care scenario with respect to family dynamics, and learn to enhance communication with patients by using genogram as a visual aid.	12 Dec 2025
43	Protopilot	Protopilot, a protocol-writing-focused academic session organised by the Student Research Forum, was conducted for first-year medical students at KMC Mangalore. The session was led by Dr Ashok Shenoy, who provided insights into the fundamentals of research protocol development.	17 Dec 2025
Anaesthesiology			
1	Workshop "Research Methodology and Emerging Trends in AI" as a part of Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists (ISA) state conference titled "Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists (ISACON)"	An 8-hour workshop titled "Research Methodology and Emerging Trends in AI" was conducted as part of ISA state conference "ISACON 2025". The workshop was held in Medical Education Hall, KMC Mangalore. The inaugural function was presided over by respected dean Dr B Unnikrishnan. Other dignitaries present were associate dean Dr Sheetal Ullal and Dr Suresh Shetty. The resource personnel were handed over KMC memento. The workshop was informative and educational for the postgraduates and young researchers, and two CME credit hours were also granted to the participants. The overall feedback of the CME was very good with majority appreciating the sessions, time management and food.	7 Aug 2025
2	KATCON – 2025	The Department of Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, organized the National Conference – KATCON 2025 with the theme "Mastering the Spectrum of Anaesthesia: Insight, Innovation, and Intervention." in Marena Sports Complex, KMC, Attavar, Mangalore followed by Hands on training workshop in Sushrutha hall, KMC Skill lab, Mangalore. The Conference was inaugurated by Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC, Mangalore, who was the chief guest and Dr Deepak Rajaram Madi, Deputy	18–19 Sep 2025

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		Medical Superintendent, KMC, Attavar, who was the guest of honour. The inauguration began with invocation, lamp lighting, and welcome address by Dr Shilpa A Naik, followed by the program overview by Dr Sumesh T Rao, Head of Department (HOD), Department of Anaesthesiology. The session concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms Kajal R Shetty, Assistant Professor, Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology Program. The Conference was attended by around 190 delegates and the sessions started with engaging talks on diverse and practical topics by experts from various institutes such as, Dr Manjunath, K S Hegde Medical Academy (KSHEMA); Dr Prithi Jain, Father mullers Medical Academy; Dr Souvik Chaudhuri, KMC, MAHE, Manipal; Dr Freston Mark Sirur, KMC, MAHE, Manipal; and Dr Sumalatha R Shetty, KSHEMA. The conference also featured e-poster presentations by the delegates which was followed by an expert talk by HOD of Anaesthesiology, Dr Sumesh T Rao, the session was concluded by an exciting quiz session.	
Anatomy			
1	Protospark 	"Protospark", an undergraduate protocol presentation competition was organized jointly by the Department of Anatomy in collaboration with MAHE Students Research Forum and Undergraduate Research Vertical of KMC, Mangalore in LH 1, KMC, Bejai . Professor Dr Rajanigandha Vadgaonkar was the Organizing Chairman, Dr Murlimanju B V was the Organizing Secretary, and Dr Ashwin Rai was the Joint Organizing Secretary for this competition. This event was attended by more than 250 students and 50 faculty and staff. This event started on 5 February 2025 with a talk titled "How to write your research protocol" by Dr Murlimanju B V. 5 to 11 February, time was given to prepare and submit the abstracts of the protocols. There were 75 registrations altogether from the 2024, 2023, and 2022 batches, and the abstracts of 48 protocols were scrutinized by the subject experts. The best ten protocols were selected for the presentation on 14 February 2025 and they were witnessed by the panel of judges Professor Dr Sheetal Ullal, Associate Dean of Research; Professor Dr Pramod Kumar, Professor of Dermatology; and Professor Dr Poornima Manjrekar, Director of the Central Laboratory, KMC, Mangalore.	5–14 Feb 2025
2	Jointrix- a workshop on examination of shoulder and knee joints 	The session began with the overview of knee joint and shoulder joints by Dr Ashwin Rai and Dr Rajanigandha, followed by a hands-on session on examination of joints by the core committee of Orthoclub.	11 Mar 2025

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3	Clinical Scenarios—Neuro Anatomy	Dr Ashwin Krishnamoorthy, Professor, Department of Anatomy, KSHEMA, Deralakatte, Mangalore, conducted an interactive session for Phase 1 MBBS 2024–2025 Batch on the topic "Clinical Scenarios—Neuroanatomy". The session was conducted offline in LH-1, KMC, Bejai. 218 students and two faculty members attended the session.	9 Apr 2025
Audiology and Speech Language Pathology			
1	Presbycuses	A half day seminar was organized on the topic "Presbycuses" by the Department of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology in association with Aanvii Hearing Solutions Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru. Mr N Mohanrangan, Head audiologist and Trainer, Aanvii Hearing Solutions Pvt Ltd was the resource person. He delivered a talk on the topic presbycusis. The talk was focused on types of presbycusis, auditory deprivation, and hearing aid fitting in older adults. A total of 30 students attended the seminar, which included interns and final year postgraduate students of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology. Participants were actively engaged during the session, where queries were put forth as and when the relevant topic was discussed.	24 Jan 2025
2	Training program was organized for faculty and PG students	A half day training program was organized for faculty and PG students of the Department of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology in collaboration with Labat Asia Pvt Ltd, Punjab. Mr Hoshiar Singh, Service coordinator, Labat Asia Pvt Ltd was the resource person. He demonstrated recording of various auditory evoked potentials using the newly developed evoked potential system by Labat. A total of nine PG students and six Faculties of Audiology attended the workshop. Participants were actively engaged during the session, where queries were put forth as and when the relevant topic was discussed.	21 Mar 2025
3	Seminar Recent trends in the assessment and management of Aphasia	Department of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore conducted a one day seminar on Recent trends in the assessment and management of Aphasia (accredited by Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI)) . This seminar was an initiative to understand the recent trends in the assessment and management of Aphasia. The Speakers were Dr Jayashree S Bhat from Nitte University, Dr Gopeekrishanan, Dr Rajath Shenoy from MCHP, Manipal, and Dr Preetie Shetty from Department of ASLP, KMC Mangalore. The event was well attended by several delegates including students from Nitte Institute of Speech and Hearing; Dr M V Shetty Institute of speech and Hearing, MCHP, Manipal; Father Mullers college of Speech and Hearing; and practicing clinicians from Kerala and Karnataka. There was good feedback from the participants.	22 Mar 2025
4	Flexible Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES)	The Department of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology at Kasturba Medical College Mangalore,	5 May 2025

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		organized an advanced hands-on skill training program on "Flexible Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES)" at the MEU Hall, KMC Lighthouse Hill Road, Mangalore. Conducted under the MAHE Industry-Academia Collaboration initiative, the program aimed to equip Speech-Language Pathologists with critical skills in performing and interpreting FEES an essential diagnostic tool in evaluating swallowing function. Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean of KMC Mangalore, inaugurated the training and commended the department's consistent efforts to enhance clinical capabilities through such skill-based workshops. He emphasized the importance of advanced diagnostic training for improved management of swallowing difficulties, particularly in neurogenic and geriatric cases, and highlighted the interdisciplinary applications of the FEES procedure across healthcare domains. The training was facilitated by renowned experts Mr Prasanna Hegde from Healthcare Global Enterprises Ltd, Bengaluru (HCG), Dr Preetie Shetty Akkunje from KMC Mangalore, and Mr Sumanth A V from Sri Devaraj Urs Academy of Higher Education and Research (SDUAHER), Kolar. The workshop featured real-time demonstrations and individualized hands-on sessions, focusing on evidence-based techniques aligned with clinical best practices. Supported by industry partners Olympus and Ambu, the program was a fine example of successful industry-academia synergy, offering participants exposure to state-of-the-art equipment and methodologies. Approximately 55 clinicians and trainees participated in the program, gaining practical experience and personalized mentoring throughout the day-long event.	
5	HEARCON 2025: Where Hearing Meets Balance	Department of Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology successfully hosted HEARCON 2025 at KMC Marena, Attavar. The RCI-accredited Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE) conference, themed "Where Hearing Meets Balance," brought together over 250 delegates from across India for two days of scientific exchange and professional networking. The conference was inaugurated by Dr Suman Kumar, Director, Ali Yavar Jung National HOD / Co-ordinator Institute of Speech and Hearing Disabilities (Divyangjan), Mumbai, as Chief Guest, along with Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore, as Guest of Honour. The valedictory ceremony was presided over by Dr Chakrapani M, Medical Superintendent, KMC Hospital, Attavar. In a special felicitation, Dr B Rajashekhar, a pioneering figure in the field, was honoured for his outstanding contributions.	16–17 Oct 2025
6	Presbycusis and Hearing Aid Innovations through Cognitive Hearing Science	The seminar focused on the growing concern of presbycusis (age-related hearing loss) and explored innovative hearing aid technologies designed to address the needs of the elderly population, particularly those	6 Nov 2025

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		experiencing cognitive challenges alongside hearing impairment. Experts from Aanvii Hearing Solutions and the Department of Audiology and SLP discussed cognitive hearing science, emphasizing the integration of auditory and cognitive approaches in hearing rehabilitation for older adults.	
Biochemistry			
1	Liquid Chromatography / Gas Chromatography–Tandem Mass Spectrometry (LC/GC–MS/MS): Instrumentation, Performance and Maintenance	Dr Srinivas Narayan, Scientific Director and Supervisor, Vero Dx, Texas, US, Alumni of Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Mangalore delivered the first talk of webinar series on LC/GC–MS/MS: Instrumentation, Performance, and Maintenance. The instrumentation and troubleshooting of LC/GC–MS/MS explained by him was well appreciated by all the delegates.	22 Feb 2025
2	Screening for inborn errors of Metabolism (IEM): A Case based approach	Aruna Gowdra, MD, Portable Document Format (PDF) (Clinical Genetics), Consultant Clinical Geneticist, Indira Gandhi Institute of Child Health, Bengaluru, India, adjunct faculty of Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Mangalore delivered the first talk of webinar series on IEM screening. The case scenarios explained by her was well appreciated by all the delegates who attended the webinar.	28 Feb 2025 and 7 Mar 2025
3	LC/GC-MS/MS:Instrumentation ,Performance and Maintenance	Dr Srinivas Narayan,Scientific Director and Supervisor, Vero Dx,Texas, USA Alumni of Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Mangalore delivered the first talk of webinar series on LC/GC-MS/MS: Instrumentation ,Performance and Maintenance . The instrumentation and troubleshooting of LC/GC-MS/MS explained by him was well appreciated by all the delegates who attended the webinar.	22 Mar 2025
4	Measurement Uncertainity: Certain about Uncertainty of Measurement	Dr Anjali Singh, Manager-Clinical Affairs and Technical Support, Bio-Rad Laboratories (India) Pvt Ltd, Adjunct faculty, Department of Biochemistry, KMC, Mangalore delivered talk titled "MU: Certain about Uncertainty of Measurement" along with a hands-on problem solving activity related to various lab sections.	25 Mar 2025
5	Industry–Academia Symposium on Analytical techniques and Lab Instrumentation 2.0	Department of Biochemistry in association with Siemens Healthineers conducted an Industry–Academia Symposium on Analytical techniques and Lab Instrumentation 2.0 at MEU, KMC, Mangalore. Dr Unnikrishnan B, Dean, KMC, Mangalore was the chief guest and Dr Shrikala Baliga, Associate Dean was the guest of honour. Dr Ravindra Maradi enlightened the participants on Verification and Validation of Instruments. Dr Charu Yadav delivered a talk on Verification and Validation of Reagent Kits. Mr Sudip Kumar Datta talked on Understanding Kit Literature. Dr Suresh D R delivered talk on Inter-Instrument Comparison	8 May 2025

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		and Inter-Lab Comparison. Post lunch session included talk on Evolution of Software and AI in Analytics by Mr Vijayasimha Madhurao. This was followed by a panel discussion on troubleshooting in clinical lab. The CME was well appreciated by 91 delegates from various medical colleges in and around Mangalore.	
6	Serum Work Area Trendsetters (SWAT), Bootcamp	As part of MAHE's Year of Excellence in Industry–Academia Collaborations, the Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, organised the SWAT Bootcamp in collaboration with Roche Diagnostics at 5th Floor, Pathology Demo room, Central Lab, KMC Laboratory Services (KMCLS), Attavar. The inaugural session was graced by Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore, as Chief Guest, and Mr Mehul Rana, Marketing Manager– Instrumentation and Clinical Chemistry, Roche Diagnostics, as guest of honour. This full-day bootcamp was tailored for clinical laboratory technologists and section heads, aimed at upskilling participants in core laboratory management techniques. The sessions covered mastering pre-analytics, inventory Management, calibration concepts, troubleshooting and Six Sigma in Quality Control, maintenance Do's and Don'ts, hands-on Interpretation and Peer Networking.	10 Jul 2025
7	Haemoglobin in Focus: Recent advances and Diagnostic Perspectives	As part of MAHE's Year of Excellence in Industry-Academia Collaborations, the Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with Bio-Rad laboratories (India) Pvt. Ltd organised the Industry.–Academia Symposium on "Haemoglobin in Focus: Recent advances and Diagnostic Perspectives" . The inaugural ceremony was graced by Guest of Honour Dr Anjali Singh, Manager, Clinical Affairs and Technical Support, Bio-Rad laboratories (India) Pvt Ltd and was presided by Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore. This one-day symposium included thought provoking talks by eminent clinicians and researchers namely Dr Srinath Pratap Shetty, Dr Harsha Prasada L, Dr Khushnooma Italia, Dr Eunice Sindhuvi, and concluded with tech-talk by Mr Siva Sankar Kalivela. The symposia navigated Haemoglobin through its recent advancements in diagnostics and its understanding.	9 Sep 2025
8	Interinstitutional MD postgraduate symposium	As part of MAHE's Year of Excellence in Industry–Academia Collaborations, the Department of Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in collaboration with Bio-Rad, organized the Interinstitutional MD Postgraduate Symposium.	10 Sep 2025
Community Medicine			
1	5th Dr B S Sajjan Endowment Oration	Dr B Unnikrishnan formally welcomed the gathering, extending warm greetings to all dignitaries, speakers, and participants. He highlighted the contribution of Dr B S Sajjan to the field of Community Medicine at the local and state level. He also emphasized the significance of the	14 Feb 2025

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		oration in promoting evidence-based research and policy formulation in public health. This was followed by the ceremonial lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries, symbolizing the illumination of knowledge and wisdom. The success of the oration was attributed to the dedicated efforts of the organizing team, led by Dr Rekha T and supported by faculty members, postgraduate students, tutors, and non-teaching staff of the Department of Community Medicine. Their contributions spanned event planning, logistics management, and on-the-day coordination to ensure a seamless experience for all participants. The event was meticulously coordinated by Dr Ajay Mallya, Joint Organizing Secretary, with assistance from Dr Aparna Nair and Dr Adithya Kamaraj, who served as the masters of ceremony. The 5th Dr B S Sajjan Endowment Oration concluded on a high note, reinforcing the importance of bridging research and policy for improved public health outcomes. The Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore, looks forward to continuing this tradition in the coming years.	
2	Roadmap to Research Protocol crafting and Methodology mastery	Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College Mangalore in association with Karnataka Association of Community Health conducted a state level workshop on research methodology for first-year community medicine postgraduates, titled “Roadmap to research: Protocol crafting and methodology mastery”. 70 participants from 24 medical colleges across the state participated and benefited from the workshop. The workshop focussed on how to choose the research question for the dissertation followed by sessions on how to build the research synopsis. It also covered newer topics such as Hand on experience in use of AI, JAMOVI and reference management software. The resource persons for the workshop were the faculty from the department of community medicine, KMC Mangalore. The workshop was well appreciated by all the participants.	13–14 Mar 2025
3	World Health day 2025 “Healthy Beginnings, Hopeful Future”	The World Health Day 2025 celebration, organized by the Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore, in collaboration with NJ Wealth, was a resounding success. The event was led by Dr Prasanna Mithra P, Professor and Head, organising chairperson and organising secretary Dr Rajath Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore. It effectively highlighted the critical importance of maternal and newborn health, facilitated a meaningful dialogue among experts from diverse fields, and engaged a keen audience of healthcare professionals and future researchers. The panel discussion on the theme “Healthy Beginnings, Hopeful Future” with panellists, Dr Shradha Shetty, Professor and Head, Department of OBG, KMC Mangalore; Dr Nutan Kamat, Professor and Head, Department of Paediatrics, KMC Mangalore; Dr Prasanna Mithra P, Professor and Head,	7 Apr 2025

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		Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore; Dr Rameela Shekhar, Mental Health Professional, Manashanthi, Mangalore; and Mr Shailesh Mathukia, Zonal Manager, NJ Wealth and moderated by Dr Rajath Rao, Assistant Professor of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore. The discussion provided valuable insights into the challenges and opportunities in achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) targets related to maternal and child health, while the guest lecture by Mr Shailesh Mathukia on "A strong foundation for sustainable future" underscored the broader significance of investing in health for a sustainable future. This collaborative effort between academia and industry served as a powerful platform for knowledge sharing and advocacy, reinforcing the commitment of KMC Mangalore to advancing public health and contributing toward a healthier tomorrow for all.	
4	World No Tobacco Day 2025	Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College Mangalore, in collaboration with the Department of Public Health Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences Mangalore, conducted two insightful sessions to mark World No Tobacco Day 2025. An alumni talk titled "Fashionably Fatal: Unmasking the Glamour, Style and Flavors of Tobacco Marketing" was delivered by Dr Priyanka, postgraduate alumni of batch of 213, currently a research fellow in university of Arizona. This was followed by a faculty talk on "Role of Brief Intervention in Tobacco Cessation" by Dr Rekha T, Professor, Department of Community Medicine KMC Mangalore. Both sessions witnessed active participation from 70 attendees.	31 May 2025
5	Advanced Methods in Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis (AMSAW)	Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore successfully concluded AMSAW – Advanced Methods in Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Workshop on 21st and 22nd August 2025. The workshop brought together 42 participants, including postgraduate students, PhD scholars, and faculty members from MAHE as well as other institutions across the region. Over two days, sessions offered hands-on training in advanced. The workshop was marked by enthusiastic participation, academic exchange, and collaborative spirit, which together made AMSAW 2025 a resounding success methodologies of systematic reviews and meta-analysis, enabling participants to critically appraise literature and generate high-quality research evidence. The interactive learning environment encouraged collaboration, discussion, and skill-building, ensuring participants gained practical insights directly applicable to their academic and research work.	21–22 Aug 2025
6	One Health : Overcoming Challenges And The Way Forward (Panel Discussion)	Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore successfully concluded AMSAW – Advanced Methods in Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Workshop on 21st and 22nd August 2025. The workshop brought together	13 Sep 2025

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		42 participants, including postgraduate students, PhD scholars, and faculty members from MAHE as well as other institutions across the region. Over two days, sessions offered hands-on training in advanced. The workshop was marked by enthusiastic participation, academic exchange, and collaborative spirit, which together made AMSAW 2025 a resounding success methodologies of systematic reviews and meta-analysis, enabling participants to critically appraise literature and generate high-quality research evidence. The interactive learning environment encouraged collaboration, discussion, and skill-building, ensuring participants gained practical insights directly applicable to their academic and research work.	
Critical Care and Emergency Medicine			
1	Quiz-Tox 2025 	The Emergency Medicine Department in association with the Department of Forensic Medicine, under the aegis of the Indian Society of Toxicology organized Quiz-Tox 2025 at Medical Education, KMC, Mangalore. The program included a Toxicology Symposium and Quiz and was attended by 123 delegates.	9 Mar 2025
2	Emergency Procedure Skills 	The Emergency Medicine Department conducted an Emergency Procedure Skills workshop—a focused hands-on training session in core emergency procedures—at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar, KMC, Mangalore. Dr Nikhil Paul, Dr Kripa Gopal and Dr Keerthana Manoharan conducted the workshop along with postgraduates. 58 candidates from School of Allied Health Sciences, Vinayaka Mission Research Foundation, Chennai participated in the session.	5–6 Jun 2025
3	PedoApp 2025—"Dexmedetomidine in Paediatric Dentistry" 	"PedoApp" 2025 conference jointly organized by the Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS) Mangalore and the Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Mangalore, was held at the Medical Education Hall, Lighthouse Hill Road, Mangalore. The session was chaired by Dr Ashwin Rao, Professor and Head of Paediatric Dentistry, MCODS Mangalore, and Dr Vivek Gopinathan, Professor and Head of the Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Mangalore, along with other distinguished guests. The afternoon was dedicated to an intensive hands-on workshop on "Practical Management of Sedation-Related Emergencies in Paediatric Dental Practice". This workshop was conducted by faculty from the Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Mangalore (Dr Nikhil Paul, Dr Archu M J, Dr Keerthana, and Dr Kashyap). The session focused on practical skills for identifying and managing sedation-related emergencies, with interactive demonstrations and hands-on participation. Delegates had the opportunity to practice critical steps and enhance their preparedness for real-world scenarios in paediatric dental settings.	11 Sep 2025

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4		The Department of Emergency Medicine in collaboration with the SOS EM Club, conducted a wilderness medicine workshop at the Centre for Wilderness Medicine, KMC Manipal. The workshop provided participants with an in-depth orientation to the principles of emergency care in austere and resource-limited environments, delivered through a combination of interactive sessions and practical skill training. Overall, the program was a comprehensive and enriching learning experience that equipped future emergency physicians with the competence and confidence to manage medical crises effectively in wilderness and other challenging conditions.	21 Sep 2025
5	"WECAN"—National Strategic Framework Meeting to strengthen the Integrated Emergency, Critical, and Operative (ECO) Care System in India 	The World Academic Congress of Emergency Medicine (WACEM) 2025 commenced with the WECAN 2025—National Strategic Framework and Action Plan Meeting for Integrated Emergency and Trauma Care (2025–2035), held at the Dr T. M. A. Pai International Convention Centre, Kodailbail, Mangalore. The event was hosted by the Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Mangalore, MAHE, in collaboration with the WHO Collaborating Centre for Emergency and Trauma Care (WHO CCET) at All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi, WACEM, and the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW), Government of India.	29–30 Oct 2025
Dermatology			
1	Dermoscopy CME and Hands on training workshop 	Department of Dermatology, KMC Mangalore, conducted Dermoscopy CME and Hands-on training workshop held at Medical Education Hall, KMC Mangalore. The CME and Workshop was inaugurated by Dr Rochelle Monteiro, who was the chief guest and Dr Chakrapani M, Medical Superintendent, who was the guest of honour. Dr Deepak R Madi, Deputy Medical Superintendent, was also present. This CME workshop was a joint initiative with the Department of Dermatology, KMC Mangalore, being the host, and the Dermatoscopy Society of India and Sun Pharma being the partners. This was an industry–academia collaboration with an educational grant from Sun Pharma. Resource persons were experts in the field of Dermatoscopy, including Dr Balachandra Ankad, President, Dermatoscopy Society of India; Dr Soumil Khare, Secretary, Dermatoscopy Society of India; Dr Keshav Murthy Adya, Professor and Head, Department of Dermatology, BLDE (Deemed to be University), Shri B M Patil Medical College Hospital and Research Centre, Vijayapura,; and Dr Shishira, Associate Professor, Vydhehi Medical College. Dr Kashinath Nayak, Head of Department, Department of Dermatology, KMC Mangalore gave the welcome address and Dr Deepti Dsouza, Associate Professor, proposed the vote of thanks.	16 Mar 2025

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Forensic Medicine			
1	Recent advances in Forensic Anthropology	Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology, organized a hybrid mode CME on " Recent advances in Forensic Anthropology on the occasion of Forensic Medicine Day. The event was a half-day session with four renowned speakers in the field of Anatomy, Dentistry, Radiology, and Forensic Medicine. It was inaugurated by Dr Dilip G Naik, Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE–Mangalore Campus and was attended by 112 delegates from all over India.	12 May 2025
2	Hands-on Workshop Autopsy Procedure 1.0	Department of Forensic Medicine organized a one-day hands-on workshop on "Autopsy procedure 1.0" in the Morgue of Government Wenlock District Hospital, Mangalore. Postgraduates from Pune, Karwar, Hassan, Bagalkot, Kolar, and Mangalore attended the workshop. Highlights of the workshop were the demonstration of various Autopsy techniques. Resource Persons: Dr Jagadish Rao P P, Head of the Department; Dr Suresh Kumar Shetty, Associate Dean; Dr Prateek Rastogi, Professor; Dr Pavanchand Shetty, Associate Professor, and Dr Sujay V K, Senior resident, Department of Forensic Medicine.	25 Jul 2025
3	Hands-on Workshop Autopsy Procedure 1.0	Hands-on workshop on " Autopsy procedure 2.0" in the Morgue of GWH, Mangalore. Postgraduates from Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh Muslim University (JNMC), AIIMS Mangalagiri, Bidar, Koppal, Raichur, Karwar, and Manipal attended the workshop. Highlights of the workshop were the demonstration of various Autopsy techniques. Resource Persons: Dr Jagadish Rao P P, Head of the Department; Dr Suresh Kumar Shetty, Associate Dean; Dr Prateek Rastogi, Professor; Dr Pavanchand Shetty, Associate Professor, and Dr Sujay V K, Senior resident, Department of Forensic Medicine.	29 Aug 2025
4	Hands-on Workshop Autopsy Procedure 3.0	The Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology, KMC Mangalore, conducted a hands-on training workshop on autopsy procedures, titled "Autopsy Procedure 3.0". The pan-India program brought together participants from across the country for structured skill-building and peer learning.	27 Sep 2025
5	EVIDENTIA series, titled RECAP	The Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology conducted the first EVIDENTIA workshop, "RECAP", at the Light House Hill Road Campus, with 41 participants from Srinivas Institute of Allied Health Sciences, JSS Medical College, and Occupational Therapy (MAHE). The workshop included demonstrations on crime scene processing, followed by a Crime Scene Competition where groups worked on mock scenes. The program offered practical exposure to core forensic procedures, with more sessions in the series scheduled ahead.	6 Dec 2025

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3	Annual Post Graduate Academic Rehearsal (APGAR)-8 	The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, KMC Mangalore conducted the 8th edition of Annual Post-Graduate Academic Rehearsal at Medical Education Unit, Kasturba Medical College, Lighthouse Hill Road. APGAR is an intensive preparatory course for postgraduate diploma and degree examinations in OBG, and 2025 is the 8th edition of it. This crash course of three days included case presentations by students from different medical colleges (two students each) as monitored case-based discussions, demonstrations on OSCE, labour care guide, instruments, mechanism of labour and aspects of maternal pelvis, foetal skull and instrumental delivery, interpretation of electronic fatal surveillance, and snippets on other short topics. A total of 108 delegates attended this program. This was mentored by 15 imminent external faculty of national repute from various colleges across the country and nine faculty from KMC Mangalore. Among the 15 faculty, three are alumni. This educational crash course helped students strengthen their concepts, prepared them to face clinical and oral examinations, and answer theory papers with confidence. Feedback was collected for all three days, and there was a positive response from the students. Overall, the session was seen as valuable, practical, and engaging.	8–10 Aug 2025
4	AUREVIA Workshop and Quiz 	AUREVIA, a collaborative initiative of the Departments of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and Radiodiagnosis, KMC Mangalore, was at Dr K P Ganeshan Hall, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore. Faculty coordinators from both departments, student coordinators of the Jeevika and RadX clubs, and MBBS students from KMC Mangalore and other medical colleges participated in the program. The event commenced at 2:00 PM with the quiz preliminary round followed by the formal inaugural ceremony presided over by the Chief Guest, Dr Suresh Shetty, Associate Dean, KMC Mangalore; Dr Shraddha Shetty K, Professor and Head of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, and Dr Santhosh Rai, Professor and Head of the Department of Radiodiagnosis. Dr Suresh Shetty addressed the gathering, emphasizing the significance of multidisciplinary learning in women's health. The scientific session began with an informative talk on mammography by Dr Meghana, Faculty from the Department of Radiodiagnosis. This was followed by a hands-on workshop on self-breast examination conducted by Dr Suprajna Shetty, Faculty from the Department of OBG. Participants were trained in proper examination techniques and the importance of regular self-screening for early detection. The final round of the intercollegiate quiz was conducted by Dr Nikil Shetty, Faculty from the Department of OBG. Students from KSHEMA secured first place, and Ms Aditi Gaj Gupta and Mr Mohammed Sameer Ahmed (2021 batch of KMC Mangalore) secured 2nd place in the quiz competition.	7 Nov 2025

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5	Alumni meet and CME Guruvandana 2025 	The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, proudly conducted the Guruvandana and Annual Alumni Meet at the Mangalore Club, commemorating 61 years of postgraduate training in the department. The evening was graced by Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore, along with Dr Sheetal Ullal, Associate Dean; Dr Ashfaque Mohammed, former Associate Dean; Dr B Suresh Shetty, Dr Santosh Rai, Head of Radiology; esteemed former faculty, alumni, faculty members, and postgraduate students. The Alumni guest lecture was delivered by Dr Sankalp Singh, Director, Yaami Fertility and In Vitro Fertilization (IVF) Centre, Indore, titled "Is it Time to Offer Universal Ovarian Reserve Screening for All Women of Reproductive Age?" It was a thought-provoking and inspiring talk, fostering meaningful academic discussion and reflection among students. This was then followed by an entertainment session with games and dinner.	18 Dec 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	CME on Paediatric Ophthalmology—"Bright Eyes, Bright Future"	A CME was conducted on the important and often unrecognised issue of refractive errors in children. The event brought together a panel of eminent speakers which included Dr Kaushik Murali (Sankara Nethralaya) who delivered talks on "Myopia progression and management in children", "Paediatric Cataract—current management techniques", "Amblyopia management in children" and "Refractive management post paediatric cataract surgery"". Dr M Gurudatt Kamath (KMC Mangalore) spoke about "Accommodative Esotropia, how to recognise it and its management". Dr Sunayana Bhat gave an interesting talk on "Malingering in children" and Dr Shruthi N M (Paediatric Neurologist, First Neuro Hospital) spoke about "A paediatrician's perspective on paediatric optic neuritis". The sessions were both comprehensive and insightful. Among the moderators for the talks were: Dr Sheetal Savur, Dr Subramanya Bhat, Dr Rishikesh Amin, Dr Teena Mendonca and Dr Yogish Kamath. The master of the ceremony was Dr Sri Archana, and the organising secretary was Dr Avinash Suresh. The CME was conducted under the guidance of Dr Ajay R Kamath, HOD and professor of KMC Mangalore. The CME drew participation from various medical colleges of Mangalore and was an overall success. A total of 97 delegates were registered.	1 Jun 2025
Orthopaedics			
1	Research Connect 2.0 	Continuing the legacy of The Joint Venture, Research Connect 2.0 was launched to support students and faculty in publishing cases. The event was meticulously planned by The Joint Venture Council, incorporating key lessons from Research Connect 1.0. New guidelines were introduced to refine the process, ensuring a more structured and efficient approach. Dr Poornima Manjrekar began her talk by discussing the research facilities and resources available at KMC Mangalore, with a specific focus on opportunities in	21 Feb 2025

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		Orthopaedics. She elaborated on the various avenues for research in the field, highlighting key areas of interest. Dr Poornima Manjrekar was presented with a memento by Dr Atmananda S Hegde as a token of appreciation for her valuable contribution. Dr Sai Prasad Baliga played an instrumental role and introduced students to the structure of Research Connect 2.0. He presented 22 intriguing clinical cases, articles, and copyright considerations. The event officially concluded with a vote of thanks by Anmol Vats, President of The Joint Venture. He expressed his gratitude to the advisors and faculty for their unwavering support and guidance.	
2	Workshop for Postgraduate students on Research Methodology 	"Framing research question and Clinical study design" Module was conducted for postgraduates at Orthopaedic Department KMC Attavar. The response was good and overwhelming.	22 Feb 2025
3	PG Teaching Programme on Basic Science 	The Department of Orthopaedics, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, hosted the Intercollegiate PG Teaching Program under the aegis of the Canara Orthopaedic Society. Themed "Basic Sciences," this academic initiative aimed to enhance the fundamental understanding and clinical application of orthopaedic principles for postgraduate students. Held on March 9, 2025, the event featured interactive sessions by faculty members, covering a range of essential topics in orthopaedics and medical documentation. The program commenced with a session on attitude, communication, and documentation by Dr. K.R. Kamath, followed by key lectures on splints and tractions in orthopaedics (Dr. Rajendra A) and common orthopaedic emergencies (Dr. Chethan Shetty). Participants also benefited from practical demonstrations, including plastering techniques (Dr. Prajwal Mane), reading radiographs (Dr. Atmananda Hegde), and a video demonstration on hand washing, OT scrubbing, and wound dressing (Dr. Vaishak Bhat). The later sessions emphasized surgical preparation, with Dr. Keerthan Ranga Nayak discussing tourniquets and operation notes, followed by Dr. Saiprasad Baliga presenting first aid in Orthopaedics. The program concluded with long and short case discussions. The program reaffirmed KMC Mangalore's commitment to postgraduate education and skill development in orthopaedics.	9 Mar 2025

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4	Beyond Basics: Mastering Complex Total Knee Arthroplasty	The Department of Orthopaedics conducted a CME "Beyond Basics: Mastering Complex Total Knee Arthroplasty" and sawbones workshop on Uni-compartmental knee arthroplasty at Dr K P Ganeshan Hall, Kasturba Medical College, Lighthouse Hill Road, Mangalore. The delegates (guests of honour) at the inauguration ceremony included Dr Sachidananda Rai, Senior Consultant and President-Elect, Karnataka Orthopaedic Association, and Dr K Ramachandra Kamath, President, Canara Orthopaedic Society. Dr Atmananda S Hegde, Organising Chairman, gave the welcome note. The guests spoke about their experiences with joint replacement. Vote of thanks was delivered by the Dr Keerthan Ranga Nayak U, Organizing Secretary. The session began with a talk by Dr Abhishek Shetty. Dr Mayur Rai, Dr Chinthan Hegde, Dr Atmananda Hegde, Dr Vikram Shetty, Dr Sai Krishna Naidu, Dr Ajith Kumar, and Dr Prashanth B N were the other speakers for the session. Following this, the guest speakers chaired an interesting case discussion. The afternoon session began with a workshop for faculty and postgraduates on Unicompartmental Knee Arthroplasty (UKA) and screw application and external fixator application for undergraduates. A total of 108 delegates attended the program, and it was appreciated by everyone.	11 May 2025
5	Department of Orthopaedics, along with the Department of Physiotherapy—Rebound Mangalore: Accelerating recovery through ortho physio synergy	The Department of Orthopaedics, along with the Department of Physiotherapy as a part of industry–academia collaboration, conducted a CME “Rebound Mangalore: Accelerating recovery through ortho physio synergy” at Sushrutha Hall, Kasturba Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore. The event was inaugurated by Dr Deepak Madi, who praised the department for active participation in various activities all throughout the year and also emphasised teamwork for better patient outcomes. Dr Atmananda S Hegde, Organizing Chairman, HOD Orthopaedics, gave the welcome note. Mr Amith Tandon, national marketing head, Sironix, spoke and appreciated Kasturba Medical College and expressed hope for more industry–academia collaboration with Sironix. Dr Vijay Kumar, HOD Physiotherapy, gave a vote of thanks.	18 Jul 2025
6	Re-Align, an undergraduate workshop	Re-Align, an undergraduate workshop focussing on preparation for practical exams and OSCE was held at LHH, KMC Mangalore. Over 250 delegates from four states registered and attended the event. Re-Align was hosted by the undergraduate orthopaedic club, The Joint Venture, with the support of the Department of Orthopaedics, KMC Mangalore. The event delivered an academic and clinical masterclass focussing on orthopaedic radiographs, instruments, and implants. The event started with preliminary rounds of a quiz. Out of 78 teams registered for the quiz, 22 teams were qualified for the prelims. In this round, each team faced a fast-paced	27 Jul 2025

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		challenge that tested their core knowledge, clinical reasoning, and composure.	
7	Dr B Jagannath Kamath memorial oration and postgraduate quiz on hand surgery	Department of Orthopaedics, KMC Mangalore conducted Dr B Jagannath Kamath memorial oration and postgraduate quiz on hand surgery at lecture hall 1, Tower 2, KMC Hospital, Attavar. The quiz prelims were conducted among 15 teams from different colleges, and the top five teams were selected. Following lunch, the inaugural program was commenced with an invocation by Dr Vihar Joshi. The welcome speech was delivered by Dr Atmananda S Hegde, HOD, Orthopaedics, KMC Mangalore. The Chief Guest Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore, delivered his speech to the audience. The other chairpersons were Professor M Shantharam Shetty and Dr Jayashree Kamath Rao. Dr Seetharam Rao introduced the orator. The orator of the program Dr Bhaskaranand Kumar, was felicitated by the senior dignitaries. Later, he gave an oration on congenital deformities of the hand. Dr Keerthan Ranga Nayak delivered vote of thanks. Followed by postgraduate quiz on hand surgery was conducted and Dr Mithun Pai was the quiz master. Dr Naman Sirohi and Dr Vinu Krishan, postgraduates of KMC Mangalore won the quiz. They were given trophy along with cash prize. The master of the ceremony was Dr Pranav Rajasekaran. There were a total of 80 delegates. The program was a grand success and was appreciated by many.	27 Sep 2025
OTO Rhino Laryngology			
1	CME on Coblator Assisted Obstructive Sleep Apnea (OSA) Surgeries	Department of Otorhinolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgery in association with AOI Karavali Branch, Mangalore and Smith and Nephew Health Care Private Ltd., an industry– academia collaboration, conducted a CME on Coblator Assisted OSA surgeries at MEU Seminar Hall, KMC Mangalore. There were 3 speakers for the CME. Dr Srinivas Kishore, consultant Ear, Nose, and Throat (ENT) and OSA specialist, Hyderabad; Dr Sreenivas Kamath, Consultant ENT Surgeon, KMC Hospital, Ambedkar circle, and Dr Manisha N, Associate Professor, Department of Otorhinolaryngology, KMC Mangalore. A total of 90 delegates registered for the event. There were multiple demonstrations and discussions of surgical Videos. The highlight of the event was a hands-on demonstration of Coblator usage on specimen.	2 Mar 2025
2	Multidisciplinary CME on OSA	Department of Otorhinolaryngology–Head and Neck, in association with Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery (OMFS), MCODS and Department of Percutaneous Transhepatic Cholangiodrainage (PTCD), KMC, Mangalore, conducted a Multidisciplinary CME on OSA at the Simulation Lab, 2nd floor, KMCH, Attavar. Dr Vik Veer, ENT Consultant Surgeon, The Royal National ENT Hospitals, London, UK delivered a talk on Trends of OSA in UK. Dr R Arvind , Associate professor, Department of OMFS, MCODS delivered a talk on " Mandibular and	25 Jul 2025

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		Maxillary procedures for OSA". Dr Vishak Acharya, Professor, Department of PTCD, Mangalore spoke on the topic " Physiology of sleep and Use of CPAP". A total of 60 delegates attended the event.	
Paediatrics			
1	Mangalore Pedicon 2025	Conference "Mangalore Pedicon 2025" was organized by Indian Academy Of Paediatrics Dakshin Kannada branch in association with Paediatric Endocrinology association of Karnataka and Department of Paediatrics , KMC Mangalore. The theme was "Transforming Littles Lives : Every child included". Conference was held at Marena Sports complex, Mangalore. Dr Dilip G Naik , Pro Vice Chancellor, Mangalore campus, MAHE Manipal, was the chief guest for inaugural event. Main highlights of the conference were the "Dr M R Shenoy oration" delivered by Indian Academy of Paediatrics president elect Dr Neelam Mohan, "Dr P N Krishnamurthy endowment lecture" delivered by Dr Preeti Galagali (Vice president South Zone), and "Dr Sanjeev Rai endowment lecture" delivered by Dr Shaila Bhattacharya (former president, Indian Society of paediatric and Adolescent Endocrinology). Around 300 delegates attended this conference.	15–16 Mar 2025
2	Embracing Neurodiversity—Autism Awareness Event 2025"	"Embracing Neurodiversity Autism Awareness event 2025" was organized by Indian Academy of Paediatrics—Dakshina Kannada branch, in association with Athena College of Nursing Mangalore and the Department of Paediatrics, KMC Mangalore. The Program was at Conference room, 3rd Floor, RAPCC, GWH, Mangalore. Dr B Shantharama Baliga, former HOD and Professor Emeritus, Department of Paediatrics, KMC, Mangalore, was the chief guest for the inaugural event. Dignitaries present on the occasion included Dr Sureshkumar Shetty, Associate Dean, KMC, Mangalore; Dr Shivapraksh D S, District Medical Officer, GWH Mangalore, and Dr Sudhakar T, Resident Medical Officer, GWH	5 Apr 2025
3	World Breastfeeding Week 2025 celebration	Department of Paediatrics, KMC Mangalore and Lady Goschen Hospital, Mangalore celebrated World Breastfeeding Week in Lady Goschen Hospital. Theme for 2025: Prioritise breastfeeding, create a sustainable support system.	1–7 Aug 2025
4	Dr B R, Rama Rao Memorial CME and 2nd Dr P N Krishnamurthy Memorial Oration	The Department of Paediatrics, KMC Mangalore, along with the Paediatric Alumni, organized the Dr B R Rama Rao Memorial CME and 2nd Dr P N Krishnamurthy Memorial Oration at MEU Hall, Mangalore; bringing together faculty, residents, and alumni for a day of academic enrichment. The event was inaugurated in the presence of Chief Guest Dr Dilip G Naik, Pro Vice Chancellor, Mangalore campus MAHE, Manipal and Guest of Honour Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore, with the highlight being the memorial oration by Dr Bharati Kulkarni, Director, ICMR-NIN, Hyderabad, on "Addressing the Double Burden of	21 Sep 2025

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		Malnutrition in India—The Critical Role of Child Nutrition". The program featured sessions on paediatric rickets, adolescent obesity, dengue prophylaxis, and financial literacy for doctors, along with an engaging alumni connect and a NutriQuiz event culminating in a valedictory ceremony. This event was attended by around 125 delegates.	
Pathology			
1	Diamond Jubilee CME: Dyspoiesis—Exploring evidence-based concepts in MDS	On the occasion of the Diamond Jubilee of Postgraduate teaching in the Department of Pathology, a series of lectures and CMEs were conducted. The first CME in this series was conducted on 23 March 2025, with enriching talks given by 4 alumni speakers on topics related to haematology, in particular to "Myelodysplastic syndrome" (MDS). The talk was attended by students and consultants from KMC and from other institutions in Mangalore. The talks highlighted not only the morphological features of MDS, but also the flow cytometry and molecular aspects of the disease.	23 Mar 2025
2	Diamond jubilee celebration of pathology posts graduate training Series— Pedagogic Effectiveness: Being a Teacher	As part of the Diamond Jubilee celebrations marking 60 years of postgraduate training in pathology; the Department of Pathology, KMC Mangalore, organized a guest lecture on "Pedagogic Effectiveness: Being a Teacher". The lecture was delivered by distinguished alumnus Dr K Ramnarayan, Pro Chancellor of Sikkim Manipal University and Emeritus Professor of Medical Education at MAHE. A nationally respected figure in medical education, Dr Ramnarayan also serves as the Chief National Coordinator for the Study Webs of Active–Learning for Young Aspiring Minds (SWAYAM) Prabha Direct-to-Home (DTH) channel, an initiative of the Ministry of Education, Government of India. The lecture focused on the evolving role of teachers in modern medical education, emphasizing the importance of reflective teaching practices, student engagement, and continuous pedagogic development. Faculty members from various departments participated, highlighting the multidisciplinary interest in educational excellence. The event was graced by Dean Dr B Unnikrishnan, along with Associate Deans Dr Suresh Kumar Shetty and Dr Sheetal Ullal, who commended the department's commitment to academic growth and innovation. The session reinforced the institution's dedication to quality education, aligning with national educational priorities.	25 Apr 2025
3	Plasma cell dyscrasias: A comprehensive Diagnostic approach	As part of the Diamond Jubilee celebrations of postgraduate training in pathology, the Department of Pathology organized a CME titled "Plasma cell Dyscrasias: A Comprehensive Diagnostic Approach" by Dr Sujay Prasad, Director, Neuberg Anand Academy of Laboratory Medicine, Bengaluru and Dr Deepak Nayak M, Associate Professor, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. The session drew a significant audience of 79 attendees from various colleges in Mangalore. The talks provided valuable insights	19 Jul 2025

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		into the latest developments and approaches in diagnosing and managing plasma cell dyscrasias. Exciting and neuron-kicking challenging cases were discussed. The lecture sparked engaging discussions and knowledge sharing among the attendees.	
4	Cytopathology Odyssey: Current trends in Diagnosis	The Department of Pathology, KMC Mangalore, in collaboration with South Kanara association of Karnataka Chapter of the Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists (KCIAPM) organized a CME titled "Cytopathology Odyssey: Current trends in Diagnosis". The chief guest for the inaugural ceremony was Dr Shrikala Baliga, Associate Dean and Director of KMC Laboratory services. The brochure of Diamond Jubilee Celebrations, commemorating 60 years of postgraduate training in Pathology for the Alumni meet to be held on 19 to 20 December 2025 was released during the inaugural ceremony. The academic sessions were themed around current trends in Diagnosis in cytopathology including pancreatico-biliary cytology, soft tissue cytology, thyroid cytology, and gynaecological cytology. The afternoon sessions included interesting case presentations in cytology by postgraduates from different medical colleges in and around Dakshina Kannada district of Karnataka. The CME concluded with distribution of certificates to the presenters.	3 Aug 2025
5	Diamond Jubilee celebrations of postgraduate training in pathology—Basics in Immunohematology and component therapy	As part of the Diamond Jubilee celebrations of postgraduate training in pathology, the Department of Pathology organized an offline lecture on "Basics in Immunohematology and component therapy" by Dr Kirana Pailoor, Professor and Head, Department of Immunohematology and Blood transfusion, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore. The session drew an audience of 52 attendees. The session provided a detailed overview on basic concepts in immunohematology and component therapy. The session provided a learning experience for the postgraduates and faculty in the field, and the interactive session made it even more valuable.	3 Sep 2025
6	Risk management in clinical laboratories: Contain, control, conquer	A CME on risk management was conducted to enhance awareness and strengthen skills in identifying, assessing, and mitigating risks in healthcare settings. The session aimed to promote patient safety, reduce medical errors, and improve quality of care through structured risk management strategies. Interactive sessions highlighted common pitfalls and practical prevention approaches. Participants also engaged in scenario-based learning to reinforce application of risk assessment tools and communication frameworks. The event received positive feedback.	9 Oct 2025
7	The Saga of Red Blood Cells	The Department of Pathology, as part of their Diamond Jubilee celebration in post-graduate teaching this year, organized a CME titled "The Saga of Red Blood Cells" in association with Haematology unit, Manipal Hospitals. Each session offered an in-depth and well-structured overview of all major topics pertaining to red blood cells.	18 Oct 2025

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		This academic event masterfully integrated both haematological and clinical aspects providing a well-rounded and enriching experience. The event concluded with an engaging panel discussion where speakers shared insights and answered audience questions. The eminent speakers were excellent, and the event proved to be highly insightful and productive to the post-graduates as well as consultants."	
8	Lymph node Pathology—Navigating from Morphology to immunohistochemistry	A CME program titled "Lymph Node Pathology—Navigating from Morphology to Immunohistochemistry" was conducted by Department of Pathology at MEU hall, KMC Mangalore. The session focused on enhancing diagnostic skills pertaining to lymph node lesions, emphasizing the structured approach, starting from clinical context to morphology, and extending to judicious use of IHC. The program began with an overview of normal lymph node architecture. Key discussions included differentiating reactive conditions from lymphomas and selecting appropriate marker panels based on morphological clues. Panel discussion and Case-based interactions enhanced practical understanding, highlighting multidisciplinary approach. The program received positive feedback.	4 Nov 2025
9	Diamond Jubilee Pathology CME and Dahiya Memorial Oration	Department of Pathology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore organised its Diamond Jubilee Postgraduate Alumni Reunion and conducted a one-day CME titled "Diamond Jubilee CME and Dahiya oration" at Medical Education Unit Hall, KMC, Mangalore. Dahiya memorial oration was delivered by distinguished alumna Dr Hema Kini, MD Pathology (1989 batch), Professor, KMC, Mangalore. Dr Shrikala Baliga, Associate Dean, and Director lab services, KMC, Mangalore, was the chief guest for the inauguration. Academic sessions were delivered by Alumni Dr Divya Sharma (Adjunct faculty), Dr Sanjay Navani, and Dr Dayananda S Biligi. The sessions focused on key competencies in surgical pathology, grossing techniques, immunohistochemistry, and dermatopathology. The sessions were well attended.	20 Dec 2025
10	Diamond Jubilee Pathology Alumni Meet	Department of Pathology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore organised its Diamond Jubilee Postgraduate Alumni Reunion on 19 December 2025, commemorating 60 years since the passing of the first batch of postgraduate students from the department. The event witnessed participation from alumni across multiple batches along with senior faculty, retired professors, and current staff members. It provided a platform for alumni to reconnect with their alma matter, exchange professional experiences and reflect on six decades of academic excellence and service. Dr Dilip G Naik, Pro Vice Chancellor of MAHE, Mangalore campus was a chief guest and Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC, Mangalore was a guest of honour. A special highlight was “guruvandana” during which senior and retired faculty and non-teaching staff	19 Dec 2025

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		were felicitated in recognition of their invaluable contributions to teaching, mentorship, and evolution of the department. Alumni shared their experiences and relived their memory.	
Pharmacology			
1	MAHE—Professor (Dr) Mukta N Chowta Oration titled "Challenges in fostering good communication and attitudes : The path ahead" 	Department of Pharmacology conducted the 3rd MAHE—Professor (Dr) Mukta N. Chowta Memorial Oration. The Chief Guest for the event was Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore. The prayer invocation was delivered by Ms Mahathi, undergraduate student from the second professional year. Dr Preethi J Shenoy, Additional Professor, in the Department of Pharmacology, shared her experience of working with Dr Mukta N Chowta. Dr Ashok Shenoy, Professor of Pharmacology, introduced the awardee, Dr Gitanjali Batmanabane, Pro-Vice Chancellor, GITAM Deemed-to-be-University, and read her citation. Dr Unnikrishnan and Dr Sheetal Ullal, Associate Dean and Professor and Head, Department of Pharmacology, KMC Mangalore, felicitated Dr Batmanabane and Dr Nithyanand Chowta, Professor, Department of Medicine, KMC Mangalore (founder of the endowment fund), handed over the citation. Dr Batmanabane then delivered the MAHE—Professor (Dr) Mukta N Chowta Memorial Oration. Her talk titled "Challenges in fostering good communication and attitudes: the path ahead" was very enriching. She spoke about the need to foster good attitude, gave us insight about the launch of the Attitude, Ethics and Communication (AETCOM) Module, and shed light on the importance of communication, stressing on role modelling as the most important method of imparting the affective domain. Dr Ashwin Kamath, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacology, KMC Mangalore, delivered the vote of thanks.	22 Jan 2025
2	Critical Appraisal of Scientific Literature CME 	The Department of Nephrology and Department of Pharmacology, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in collaboration with Abbott Healthcare, organized a CME on the topic "Critical Appraisal of Scientific Literature". The speaker for the event was Dr Ankita Tyagi, Regional Medical Advisor, Abbott Healthcare. Dr Sheetal Ullal, Associate Dean– Research and Administration, KMC Mangalore, was the Guest of Honour. Dr Tyagi led the audience through the process of critical analysis of published research describing a meta-analysis, covering the basics of systematic review and meta-analysis as well as the various aspects of evaluating scientific literature. Faculty, PhD scholars, and postgraduate students from various departments attended the CME.	3 Jul 2025
3	Therapeutic drug monitoring (TDM) of mycophenolate mofetil	The faculty of Department of Pharmacology, KMC Mangalore, underwent a training in the use of high-performance liquid chromatography for therapeutic drug monitoring of mycophenolate mofetil. Mr Gautham Uppine, Analytical Scientist, Waters Corporation, Bengaluru, provided the training. The aim was to improve	2–3 Sep 2025

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		drug safety by institutional capacity building for TDM research. Four faculty members and a PhD scholar underwent the training, which involved setting-up of the uHPLC machine, sample preparation, running standard and test samples, analysis of the samples using UV/Vis detector, troubleshooting of common issues, maintenance of the equipment, etc.	
4	Harnessing Digital Resources to Implement the New MBBS Curriculum Teaching Methodologies	The Department of Pharmacology at KMC Mangalore, in collaboration with Elsevier, held a faculty development workshop titled "Harnessing Digital Resources to Implement New MBBS Curriculum Teaching Methodologies" . Key speakers included Dr Dinesh Badyal, Vice Principal (Medical Education) at Christian Medical College, Ludhiana, and Ms Smruti Snigdha, Senior Product and Strategy Leader at Elsevier, along with support from Mr Abhishek Gupta. Faculty members from ten medical colleges participated in the workshop. The workshop focussed on usage of digital tools for innovative teaching methodologies like Integrated Learning, Self-Directed Learning, Case-Based Learning, and Early Clinical Exposure via Elsevier's platforms—ClinicalKey Student and Osmosis. Dr Badyal discussed digitalization in medical education, followed by a hands-on session with Ms Snigdha and Mr Gupta. Participants created Teaching–Learning Modules and shared insights during group presentations. The workshop concluded with an Action Planning session to strategize the implementation of new insights in their institutions. The engaging format equipped educators with actionable strategies for enhancing medical teaching through digital resources.	14 Oct 2025
Physiology			
1	Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan, a Drug Awareness Session, and Nashamukt Bharat Abhiyan pledge	As part of the nationwide initiative under the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan, a Drug Awareness Session and Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan pledge was conducted by Nasha Mukt club in collaboration with Department of Physiology, KMC Mangalore at LH1, Bejai campus. The session began with a welcome address by Dr Sneha S Shetty, Associate Professor Physiology and an Inaugural address by Dr Suresh Kumar Shetty, Associate Dean student affairs, highlighting the importance of youth engagement in building a healthy and addiction-free society. Dr Nitin Gatti, Director of student affairs facilitated the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan pledge. Dr Priyanka Renita Dsouza Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, KMC Mangalore who shared her expertise in her talk titled "Curiosity to crisis: Preventing and managing substance abuse". Dr Rashmi KS, Associate Professor, Physiology, concluded the program with vote of thanks. The session successfully raised awareness among participants and fostered a sense of responsibility towards creating a drug-free environment.	19 Aug 2025

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Physiotherapy			
1	Innovate, Rejuvenate, Elevate- The power of Technology in Physiotherapy Research and Practice	Department of Physiotherapy organized a CME titled "Innovate, Remunerate, Elevate—The power of technology in physiotherapy research and practice". Dr Savita Ravindra, Professor and Dean, M S Ramaiah College of Physiotherapy, Bengaluru was the Chief Guest and Dr Dilip G Naik, Pro Vice Chancellor Mangalore Campus and Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore were the Guests of Honors. A total of 54 delegates including Bachelor of Physiotherapy (BPT) and Master of Physiotherapy (MPT) from colleges in and around Mangalore and Manipal attended the CME. The CME was aimed at providing the information on how to incorporate technology in physiotherapy research and rehabilitation. The CME sessions highlighted the trends in the changing landscape of technology and its dos and don'ts. The lecture session was followed by the hands-on demonstration of the evaluative and rehabilitative tools in physiotherapy. The CME concluded with the discussion on the funding opportunities available for technological based research. Overall, the CME was rated 4.8 on 5.	29 Mar 2025
2	Symposium and Scientific presentation on Resilience, Recovery, Rehabilitation—An update on Cancer Care	Resilience, Recovery, Rehabilitation —An Update on Cancer Care was a one-day symposium and scientific presentation organized by the Department of Physiotherapy at Lecture Hall I, KMC Attavar. This symposium offered groundbreaking insights and expert talks, presenting cutting-edge rehabilitation strategies in oncology—from the molecular mechanisms of exercise to integrating sleep into cancer care. It showcased how physiotherapy is reshaping cancer recovery by bringing together specialists from medical and rehabilitative domains.	29 Jul 2025
3	Rise for Healthy Aging Reinforcing science for Elderly- World Physiotherapy Day 2025	As a part of World Physiotherapy Day 2025 celebration, the Department of Physiotherapy at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore organized a CME on "Rise for Healthy Ageing Reinforcing Science for Elderly" at Marena Indoor Sports Complex Hall1. This symposium offered groundbreaking insights and expert talks, presenting cutting-edge rehabilitation strategies in Geriatric care. It showcased how physiotherapy is reshaping geriatric care by bringing together specialists from medical and rehabilitative domains. The CME consists of topics related to healthy aging from three eminent speakers, who are experts in the field of geriatrics medicine and rehabilitation. Following the session, it provides attendees with the opportunity to clarify doubts and engage with the experts. Following this, a quiz competition and physio theatre (cultural programs by students) were conducted for the students. The CME was attended by over 200 physiotherapy students (UG and PG) from the department.	11 Sep 2025
4	From testing to training—Using Athletic Assessments to Prevent Injury	Department of Physiotherapy organized an alumni engagement session and a hands-on workshop titled "From testing to training—Using Athletic Assessments to Prevent Injury". Ms Jui Jagtap (2016 Batch) visited the	24 Oct 2025

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		department and conducted the half day hands on training. A total of 40 delegates including BPT, MPT, and Interns. The workshop covered a wide range of field outcome assessments related to sport injuries, emphasizing their role in injury prevention, and performance enhancement.	
Psychiatry			
1	Psychiatry Insight 2025	The Department of Psychiatry, KMC Mangalore, successfully conducted the Annual Psychiatry Insight CME. This year's theme was "From Circuits to Symptoms—Understanding Neuropsychiatric disorders." The event began with a paper and poster presentation competition, featuring 12 oral papers and 11 posters submitted by participants from various medical colleges. The inaugural ceremony was presided over by the Chief Guest, Dr Prabha Adhikari, Professor and Head of Geriatric Medicine, Yenepoya Medical College and Guest of honour Dr B Unnikrishnan, Dean, KMC Mangalore. The scientific sessions covered a wide range of topics, including epilepsy, dementias, and autoimmune encephalitis. Renowned subject experts from National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS) and KMC Manipal among many others led the sessions, making it a highly enriching academic experience.	30 Aug 2025
2	World Suicide Prevention Day	The Department of Psychiatry, KMC Mangalore observed World Suicide Prevention Day at KMC Hospital, Attavar, aligning with this year's global theme "Change the Narrative on Suicide." The awareness program aimed to shed light on the importance of early identification, intervention, and support for individuals at risk of suicide. The event featured a series of informative talks covering key areas such as suicide risk assessment, recognizing warning signs, and psychosocial interventions. Interactive sessions, facilitated by postgraduate students from MSc Clinical Psychology and Psychiatry, encouraged open discussions and deeper engagement with the topic. The program was further enriched by the presence of representatives from Susheg Lifeline, a helpline service dedicated to mental health crisis intervention. They shared their field experiences, emphasizing the critical role of timely support and community-based outreach in suicide prevention. The event concluded with a reaffirmation of the collective responsibility to challenge stigma, promote mental well-being, and foster a more empathetic and supportive society.	10 Sep 2025
3	Mental Health Carnival 2.0	Department of Psychiatry at KMC Mangalore organized Mental Health Carnival 2.0 at the Bejai campus, in observance of World Mental Health Day 2025. This year's theme was "Access to Services: Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies." Postgraduate students from MSc Clinical Psychology, MD Psychiatry, and PhD scholars collaborated to present interactive stations, including, Triaging Psychiatric Emergencies (simulating scenarios to teach decision making in crisis situations), Myth	9 Oct 2025

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		Busters (dispelling common misconceptions about mental health), and Grounding Techniques (hands on practice of stress-reduction and mindfulness tools). The primary goal was to raise mental health awareness among undergraduate students in medical, dental, and allied health sciences disciplines. Attendees engaged with the stations, asked questions, and learned about how mental health services can be accessed, especially during emergencies and challenging contexts.	
Radiodiagnosis			
1	Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI)Excellence: Advanced Protocols and Techniques for precision imaging	Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, KMC Mangalore, and KMC Hospital Attavar marked a significant milestone with the launch of the 3 Tesla Advanced MRI, followed by a CME on MRI Excellence: Advanced Protocols and Techniques for Precision Imaging. The CME on MRI Excellence, conducted in association with the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, focused on advancements in MRI imaging, enhancing knowledge on precision imaging techniques and protocols. The chief guest was Dr U T Ifthikar Fareed (Chairman, Karnataka State Allied and Healthcare Council) and guest of honour was Mr Thirumalai Vice President (VP) (Executive VP, Medical Imaging Business, Boston Ivy Healthcare Medikabazaar). The CME was chaired by Dr Santosh Rai, HOD; Athira Rajeev and Saji P R, organizing secretaries; and Rajesh Nayak and Akshada AK, treasurer. The BSc students of Medical Imaging technology were the driving force behind the event. This milestone event reinforced KMC Mangalore's commitment to advancing medical imaging and radio diagnostic excellence.	14 Mar 2025
2	Musculoskeletal Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MSK-MRI) Master Class	The Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging at KMC Mangalore, MAHE, hosted the MSK-MRI Master Class at the Avatar Hotel in Mangalore, to celebrate the launch of the 3T MRI. The event was led by Dr Santosh Rai, HOD, and organized by Dr Sonali Prabhu and Dr Pareekshit Bhat. Faculty members from Radiodiagnosis and Orthopaedics departments from KMC Mangalore as well as other medical colleges in Mangalore attended the event. After high tea, Dr Sanjay Desai delivered an in-depth session on MRI of the elbow and wrist. This was followed by a welcome address by Dr Sonali Prabhu and the inauguration ceremony. Dr Malini Lawande presented comprehensive lectures on Temporomandibular Joint (TMJ) and Brachial Plexus Imaging, followed by a didactic case-based lecture by Dr Abhishek Patil (our alumni of KMC 2017 batch) on MRI of the pubic symphysis. A panel discussion on the future prospects of MSK was moderated by Dr Sonali Prabhu and Dr Pareekshit Bhat, with Dr Malini Lawande and Dr Abhishek Patil as chief panellists. The event also included a felicitation ceremony for alumni from the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, KMC Mangalore.	15 Mar 2025

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3	RadX Workshop On Basics Of Ultrasound 	RadX council conducted a workshop on Basics of Ultrasound for undergraduate students in the Radiology Seminar Hall, Attavar on with Dr Pareekshith, Assistant Professor, Department of radiology and post graduate students as mentors. The session was attended by around 50 participants, along with members of the RADx Council.	7 Oct 2025
4	IMAGINE-2025 	IMAGINE 2025 — the 23rd National Conference of the Society of Indian Radiographers (SIR) — was successfully conducted at KMC Mangalore. The conference served as a distinguished platform that brought together radiographers, imaging technologists, educators, and researchers from across India. It fostered the exchange of ideas, innovations, and best practices aimed at advancing radiographic science and imaging technology. The conference was inaugurated in the presence of distinguished dignitaries including Chief Guest: Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE and Guest of Honour Lieutenant General (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE. Their inaugural addresses emphasized the importance of technological adaptation, continuous skill enhancement, and interdisciplinary collaboration in medical imaging education and practice. IMAGINE 2025 witnessed an impressive participation of around 700 registered delegates representing diverse academic institutions, clinical establishments, and research centres nationwide. Attendees included radiographers, technologists, students, postgraduates, PhD scholars, radiologists, and industry professionals, reflecting the collective s+T25trength and unity of the imaging community.	31 Oct 2025–2 Nov 2025
5	International Day of Radiology (IDoR) 2025 	The Department of Radiodiagnosis, KMC Mangalore, observed the International Day of Radiology (IDoR) 2025 in conjunction with the successful culmination of IMAGINE 2025. The event brought together faculty, residents, staff, and invited guests in a spirit of professional unity and academic reflection. The program commenced with an acknowledgment of the enduring contributions of radiology to modern healthcare. Emphasis was placed on the discipline's vital role in advancing diagnostic precision and improving patient outcomes, as well as on the commitment and expertise of radiology professionals who uphold the highest standards of patient care. The department had the honour of hosting Dr Shobha M E, Professor of Mathematics at Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Manipal and recipient of the President's Medal 2025, as the Chief Guest. Her presence and address provided valuable insight and added distinction to the occasion.	8 Nov 2025

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Radiotherapy			
1	Hands-on training program in High-Dose Rate (HDR) brachytherapy	The Department of Radiation oncology is conducting a 5-day hands-on training program in HDR brachytherapy as an industry– academia collaboration with BEBIG HDR brachytherapy systems, Germany. A team of foreign delegates; Dr Meera Dassarath Soobhug, Radiation Oncologist, and Dr Muhammad Reza Peerally Medical Physicist from Department of Radiation Oncology, National Cancer Institute Solferino, Mauritius visited the department for comprehensive training, technical insight, and provide updated evidence in the art of brachytherapy.	23–27 Jun 2025
2	Brachytherapy training session	As part of the recently signed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between MAHE (KMC Mangalore) and BEBIG Medical Systems, the Department of Radiation Oncology conducted a HDR Brachytherapy training session.	28 Jul 2025–1 Aug 2025
Simulation and Skills Centre			
1	Basic Life Support (BLS) and Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support (ACLS)	Department of Simulation and Skills Centre, organised BLS and ACLS training program in association with Indian Institute of Emergency Medical Services (IIEMS) at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar Hospital. The instructors for the BLS and ACLS course were Dr Vivek Gopinathan, Dr Nikhil Paul, and Dr Keerthana Manoharan. The Monitors for the session were Dr Aditi and Dr Shyvy. The sessions were conducted by the Co-ordinator, Mr Midhun from IIEMS. There were 30 and 29 candidates respectively for the BLS and ACLS session.	26–28 Mar 2025
2	BLS and ACLS	Department of Simulation and Skills Centre, organised BLS and ACLS training program in association with Indian Institute of Emergency Medical Services (IIEMS) from 3rd to 05th April 2025 at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar Hospital. The instructors for the BLS and ACLS course were Dr Vivek Gopinathan, Dr Nikhil Paul, Dr Keerthana Manoharan and the Monitors for the session were Dr Aditi and Dr Shyvy. The sessions were conducted by the Co-ordinator, Mr Saran Mohan from IIEMS. There were 30 and 29 candidates respectively for the BLS and ACLS session.	3–5 Apr 2025
3	BLS and ACLS	Department of Simulation and Skills Centre, organised BLS and ACLS and training program in association with IIEMS at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar Hospital. The instructors for the BLS and ACLS course were Dr Nikhil Paul, Dr Sanjan, Dr Keerthana Manoharan, and Dr Shishir Upadya. Dr Ahlam was the Monitor for the session. The sessions were conducted by the Co-ordinator, Mr Jibin from IIEMS. There were 28 and 27 candidates respectively for the BLS and ACLS session.	28–30 Apr 2025
4	BLS and ACLS	Department of Simulation and Skills Centre, organised BLS and ACLS training program in association with Indian Institute of Emergency Medical Services (IIEMS) at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar Hospital. The	12–14 Jun 2025

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		instructors for the BLS and ACLS course were Dr Vivek Gopinathan, Dr Nikhil Paul, Dr Keerthana Manoharan and the Monitors for the session were Dr Aditi and Dr Shyvy. The sessions were conducted by the Co-ordinator, Mr Saran Mohan from IIEMS. There were 30 and 29 candidates respectively for the BLS and ACLS session.	
5	BLS and ACLS	Department of Simulation and Skills Centre, organised BLS and ACLS Instructor course training program in association with IIEMS at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar Hospital. The instructors for the BLS and ACLS course were Dr Sridhar and Dr Ashwath. Mr Cijo was the Monitor for the session. The sessions were conducted by the Co-ordinator, Mr Ashwin from IIEMS. There were 7 candidates respectively for the BLS and ACLS session.	28–29 Jun 2025
6	BLS and ACLS	Department of Simulation and Skills Centre, organised BLS and ACLS provider training program in association with IIEMS at Simulation and Skills Centre, Attavar, Mangalore. The instructors for the BLS and ACLS course were Dr Vivek Gopinathan, Dr Nikhil Paul and Dr Keerthana. Dr Kripa, Dr Akshay Kamath. and Dr Joanna were the Monitors for the session. Mr Sibin from IIEMS was the coordinator for the program. There were 29 and 26 candidates respectively for the BLS and ACLS session.	11–13 Aug 2025
Urology			
1	Dr Aroor Bhaskar Rao Memorial Uro Quiz 2025	Dr Aroor Bhaskar Rao Memorial Uro Quiz 2025, was held for MS General Surgery PG students of Dakshina Kannada and Udupi district. Dr Devesvar M V from KMC Mangalore was the winner. Dr Sanman K N was the quiz master for the event.	19 Jan 2025

Details of Guest Visit(lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures :

S. No.	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Anatomy				
1	Dr Shivaprakash	Associate Professor, Department Anatomy, JSS Medical College, JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research, Mysuru.	Guest lecture titled "Clinical Case scenarios of Lower limb"	8 Jan 2025
Audiology and Speech Language Pathology				
1	Ms Pashyanthi Nagendra	Founder and Director of Turtle Express, Paediatric Intervention Clinic, Bengaluru	Guest lecture titled "Integrating Multidisciplinary Approaches, Work Dynamics, and Parent Training in Clinical Care"	18 Feb 2025

S. No.	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Biochemistry				
1	Dr Shailja Sharma	Additional Professor of Biochemistry, AIIMS, Jodhpur.	Guest lecture titled "Unveiling the silent threat—Understanding and mitigating Lead toxicity"	17 Jan 2025
2	Dr Vijayasimha Madhurao	Senior General Manager Marketing Siemens Healthineers, Bengaluru	Guest lecture titled "AI in Clinical Biochemistry and Laboratory practice"	8 Jul 2025
Cardiology				
1	Dr Uday B Khanolkar	Senior Consultant Cardiologist at Narayana Health, Bengaluru	Guest lecture titled "Complex Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (PCI): Mastering Advanced Technologies"	18 Mar 2025
Community Medicine				
1	Dr Narayana Pradeep	Consultant (Respiratory Medicine), District Tuberculosis Centre, Kasaragod	Guest lecture on World Tuberculosis Day 2025	25 Mar 2025
2	Dr Shrutha Shetty	National Tuberculosis Elimination Programme (NTEP)Medical officer, Srinivas Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Center	Guest lecture on World Tuberculosis Day 2025	25 Mar 2025
3	Dr Sunil Raina	Professor and Head, Dr R P Government Medical College, Tanda (Himachal Pradesh)	Adjunct faculty lecture on Non-communicable Diseases	24 Jun 2025
4	Professor Cherian Varghese	Director Professor, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH) Manipal	Alumni talk on Universal Health coverage	28 Nov 2025
5	Dr Ravinder Mamtani	Professor of Population Health Sciences and Medicine, Vice Dean for Population Health and Lifestyle Medicine, Weill Cornell Medicine-Qatar, Doha, Qatar	Guest lecture on the topic "Lifestyle Medicine Course" for Undergraduate Medical students	23 Dec 2025
Critical Care and Emergency Medicine				
1	Dr Vijay Chanchal	Associate Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine, Jublie Mission Medical College	Guest Lecture and Case Presentation on "Emergency Medicine" Club Meet	26 Mar 2025
Dermatology				
1	Dr Dharmendra Kumar Karn	Professor, Adjunct faculty KMC, Mangalore, Department of Dermatology, Dhulikhel Hospital, Kathmandu University, Nepal	Guest lecture titled "Innovative application of Microneedling Radiofrequency in Dermatology—Beyond the Horizon"	27 Jun 2025
2	Dr Dharmendra Kumar Karn	Professor and Head, Department of Dermatology,	Guest lecture on hair transplants—Basic	19 Dec 2025

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		Dhulikhel Hospital, Kathmandu University, Nepal		
Forensic Medicine				
1	Dr Ritesh G. Menezes	Professor at College of Medicine affiliated with Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University, Dammam, Saudi Arabia (KSA)	Guest lecture titled "Ethics in Medical Research—Foundation, Standards, and Illustrations"	14 Mar 2025
General Medicine				
1	Dr H R Vishwas	Akhila Bharatha Karyagana Sadasya, Samskrita Bharati, New Delhi	Guest lecture on World Sanskrit Day	12 Aug 2025
2	Mr Gajanana Bovikana	Shikshana Pramukh, Samskrita Bharati, Mangalore	Guest lecture on World Sanskrit Day	12 Aug 2025
3	Dr Padmanabha Marate	Professor and Head, Department of Sanskrit Studies and Research, SDPT First Grade College, Kateel	Guest lecture on World Sanskrit Day	12 Aug 2025
4	Dr Sunil Karanth	Chairman, HOD and Consultant, Critical Care Medicine, Manipal Hospital Old Airport Road, Bengaluru	Guest lecture on basics of mechanical ventilation	9 Dec 2025
General Surgery				
1	Dr Asher George Joseph	Fellowship in Cardiothoracic Transplantation and Mechanical Circulatory Support (Manchester, UK)	Guest lecture titled "When the heart fails—Surgeons perspective"	6 Aug 2025
2	Dr K. Sujai Hegde	Director, Senior Surgical Oncologist and HPB Surgeon Ruby Hall Clinic, Pune, India	Guest Lecture titled "Management of Liver Secondaries in Colorectal Malignancy"	28 Nov 2025
Microbiology				
1	Dr A.R. Anand	Professor and Head of the Department of Microbiology at Sankara Nethralaya, Chennai.	Guest Lecture on "Evolution of Diagnostic Methods in Ocular Microbiology: Microscopy to Genomics"	23 Oct 2025
2	Dr Anuradha K	Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, Farookh Academy of Medical Education Hospital and Research Institute, Mysore	Alumni lecture titled "Clinical Relevance of Diagnostic Microscopy for Management in the Molecular Era"	8 Nov 2025
3	Dr Hamsa Puthalakath	Department of Biochemistry and Chemistry, La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia.	Guest lecture titled "Developing Targeting Treatment for Invasive Candidiasis"	30 Dec 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology				
1	Dr Sanjay Kallat	Consultant Obstetrics and Gynecology (OBGYN), St Johns Hospital, Livingston	Guest lecture titled "The Path forward – Career options after OBGYN Residency and overcoming	20 Mar 2025

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		and Royal Infirmary Edinburgh.	obstacles in Membership of the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (MRCOG) Exams"	
2	Dr Nidhi Leekha	Consultant Radiologist, Section Head of ultrasound at Aga Khan University Hospital, Nairobi	Guest lecture titled "Therapeutic role of Ultrasound in Obstetrics"	22 Mar 2025
3	Dr Shipra Sonkusare	Professor, Department of OBG, AIIMS Nagpur	Guest lecture titled "Real cases, Real lessons: OBG in practice"	29 Aug 2025
Ophthalmology				
1	Dr Seethapathy G	Senior Consultant, Ophthalmic Plastic and Orbital Surgeon, Manipal Hospital, Salem	Guest lecture on applied anatomy of the eyelids, lacrimal system and orbits—Part 1	30 Apr 2025
2	Dr Madhurima A Nayak	Assistant Professor, Department of Ophthalmology, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	Guest lecture titled "Pupil dynamics: Understanding Normal and Abnormal"	19 May 2025
3	Dr Seethapathy G	Senior Consultant, Ophthalmic Plastic and Orbital Surgeon, Manipal Hospital, Salem	Guest lecture on applied anatomy of the eyelids, lacrimal system and orbits—Part 2	29 May 2025
4	Dr Tishya Vepakomma	Consultant, Paediatric Ophthalmology, Strabismus and Neuro-ophthalmology, Narayana Nethralaya, Bengaluru	Guest lecture on prescription of glasses in children	16 Jun 2025
5	Dr Madhurima A Nayak	Assistant Professor, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	Guest lecture titled "Investigating Uveitis"	28 Jul 2025
6	Dr Seethapathy G	Senior Consultant, Ophthalmic Plastic and Orbital Surgeon, Manipal Hospital, Salem	Guest lecture titled "Approach to a patient with Proptosis"	31 Jul 2025
7	Dr Shylesh Dabke	Managing Director, Dr Dabke's Infinity Vision Eyecare Hospital Bidar.	Guest lecture titled "Posterior Segment Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT) in Glaucoma"	20 Aug 2025
Orthopaedics				
1	Dr Ashok V Acharya	Associate Lecturer in Anatomy, Anglia Ruskin University Chelmsford, Essex.	Guest lecture on common non-traumatic conditions of the foot and ankle	4 Feb 2025
2	Dr Shashi Bhushan Arya	Associate Professor, Department of Metallurgical and Materials Engineering , NITK, Surathkal	Guest lecture on degradation of implants	4 Mar 2025
3	Dr Zile Singh Kundu	Senior Consultant, Positron Super Specialty Cancer Hospital Rohtak, Haryana	Guest lecture on principles of biopsy in bone tumours	29 Mar 2025

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4	Mr Vivekananda Paniyala	Prominent advocate and Senior Managing Partner at Paniyala and Associates, a law firm, Mangalore	Guest lecture titled "How to Be on the Right Side of the Judicial Eyes"	10 Jun 2025
5	Dr Ayesha	Senior Regional Medical Advisor @ Abbott | MBBS, MBA, Healthcare system Management	Guest lectures titled "Use of intra articular steroid in the management of joint inflammatory disease", "Management of osteoporosis, place of anti-resorptive-denosumab" and " Tofacitinib and adalimumab- in the management of rheumatoid/orthopaedic"	26 Aug 2025
6	Dr Kiran A N Saldanha	Consultant orthopaedic surgeon, Mersey and West Lancashire Teaching Hospitals , NHS Trust, Whiston Hospital and St. Helen's Hospital , Fairfield Independent Hospital	Guest lecture on principles of deformity corrections	12 Sep 2025
7	Dr Shiva Shanker Aithal	Consultant Orthopaedics Surgeon, East Lancashire Hospitals, foot and ankle service, Royal Blackburn Teaching Hospital, United Kingdom	Guest lecture on progressive collapsing foot deformity	30 Sep 2025
OTO Rhino Laryngology				
1	Dr Nitika Gupta	Consultant ENT Surgeon and Neurotologist, Jammu	Guest lecture on professional and personal life balance	29 Jan 2025
2	Dr Mubarak Khan	Professor and Director, Sushrut ENT Hospital and DrKhan's Reserch Centre, Talegaon, Pune	Guest Lecture titled "Endoscopic Revision of Cholesteatoma Surgery and Concept of Neomastoid Creation"	19 Feb 2025
3	Dr Kiran Jumani	ENT consultant Surgeon, Barts Health, NHS, London	Guest lecture titled "Current Research Profile in UK—All Specialities"	28 Mar 2025
4	Dr Sampath Chandra Prasad	Consultant Otolaryngology, Head and Neck Oncologist, Skull Base Surgeon, Manipal Hospital Bengaluru	Alumni lecture titled "Skull base paragangliomas state of the Art!"	7 Apr 2025
5	Dr Rashmi Rasquinha	ENT Consultant and Nutritionist	Guest lecture titled "More than Medicine : The power of Food, Mind and Movement"	6 May 2025
6	Dr Vik Veer	Consultant Surgeon, The Royal National ENT Hospitals, London, UK	Guest lecture titled "Management of Cholesteatoma —UK Protocols"	25 Jul 2025
7	Dr S.M.Azeem Mohiyuddin	Professor and Head, Department of ENT and Head and Neck, Sri Devaraj URS Academy of Higher education and Research , Kolar	Guest lecture on management of parotid tumours	30 Aug 2025

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Paediatrics				
1	Dr Arif Mohammed Ansari	Paediatric Registrar ,Birmingham Hospital, United Kingdom	Guest lecture titled "Team work and communication in simulation scenarios in Paediatrics and neonates"	6 Jan 2025
2	Dr Sharath Manya	Senior Clinical Fellow, Paediatric Hepatology,King's College Hospital ,London	Guest lecture titled "Unlocking Paediatric Liver Mysteries: A Case-Based Discussion"	20 Jan 2025
3	Dr Murli Raman	General Practitioner, Harrogate District Hospital ,Harrogate ,United Kingdom	Guest lecture on communication and documentation skills for paediatricians	27 Jan 2025
4	Dr Santhosh Upadhyaya	Clinical Associate Professor, Division of Pediatrics,Haematology Oncology, C S Mott Children's Hospital, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Michigan,USA	Guest Lecture titled "Overview of, and management approach to common paediatric central nervous system tumours"	13 Oct 2025
Pathology				
1	Dr Kavitha Pai	Consultant Histopathology, Royal Stoke University Hospital, Stoke on Trent, Staffordshire, UK	Diamond Jubilee Lecture Series: "Diagnostic Delights" —A potpourri of Interesting cases	31 Jan 2025
2	Dr Fatima Shamsuddin	Consultant Histopathologist, Jabar Al-Ahmed Al-Sabah Hospital, Kuwait	Alumni lecture titled "Overview of the Paris system of reporting urine cytology"	22 Feb 2025
3	Dr K Ramnarayan	Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University, Emeritus Professor of Medical Education, MAHE and Chief National Coordinator SWAYAM Prabha DTH—Medicine Content Development, Ministry of Education, Government of India	Diamond jubilee celebration of pathology PG training Series : Pedagogic Effectiveness—Being a Teacher	25 Apr 2025
4	Dr Bhagat Singh Lali	Junior Consultant, Oncopathology, Tata Medical Center, Kolkata.	Guest lecture—Session 1: "Approach to Neuroendocrine Tumours in Lung: Recent Updates"	22 May 2025
5	Dr Bhagat Singh Lali	Junior Consultant, Oncopathology, Tata Medical Center, Kolkata	Guest lecture—Session 2: "GI Neuroendocrine neoplasms : Case based discussions"	29 May 2025
6	Dr Amarpreet Bhalla	Associate Professor of Pathology Albert Einstein College of Medicine Montefiore Medical Center Bronx, New York	Guest lecture titled "Common Diagnostic Challenges with Update in Pancreatobiliary Cytology"	31 May 2025
7	Dr Rohit Tapadia	Director, Tapadia Diagnostic Centre and COO Kanopy Diagnostics, Hyderabad	Diamond Jubilee lecture series: Quality Control in IHC and A1 in Breast Pathology	27 Jun 2025

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Pharmacology				
1	Dr Manjunath	Professor, Pharmacology department, Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Puducherry	Guest lecture on Pharmacokinetics	5 Jan 2025
2	Dr Manikandan	Professor, Pharmacology Department, JIPMER, Puducherry	Guest lecture on introduction to Pharmacoeconomics	6 Jan 2025
3	Dr Sachin Kumar	Assistant Professor, School of Allied health Sciences and management, Delhi Pharmaceutical Sciences and Research University, New Delhi	Guest lecture titled "Signal detection and Assessment; Career prospects in Pharmacovigilance"	6 Dec 2025
4	Dr Akash Gadgade	Senior Medical Monitor, Emerald Clinical	Guest lecture titled "Challenges and Opportunities in Indian Drug Development"	13 Dec 2025
Physiology				
1	Dr Amith Sitaram	Consultant Stroke Neurologist Department of Geriatrics, Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, Glasgow	Guest lecture titled " Understanding the basics of stroke and its pathophysiology"	14 Apr 2025
2	Dr Sukanya V P	Assistant Professor, Department of Swasthavritta Karnataka Ayurveda Medical College	Guest lecture titled "Role of Yoga and Medical Nutrition therapy for Life style Disease"	14 Jun 2025
Physiotherapy				
1	Dr Harigovidan Nampoothiri	CEO, Interim Health Care Home health, Brownsville, Texas	Guest lecture titled "Community rehabilitation of stroke-An Interdisciplinary Approach"	9 Dec 2025
Psychiatry				
1	Dr Safeekh A T	Specialty Doctor ,Department of Psychiatry, Pilgrim hospital, Boston, UK	Guest lecture on perceptual disorders	5 Feb 2025
2	Ms Mariella Dsouza	Psychiatry Social Worker	Guest lecture on World Alzheimer's Day	17 Sep 2025
3	Dr Jerry Verghese	Consultant Psychiatrist, New Zealand	Guest lecture titled "What Your Training Doesn't Prepare You For: The Evolving Landscape of Mental Health Presentations"	23 Oct 2025
Radiodiagnosis				
1	Dr Ajay Taranath	Paediatric Neuro-radiologist, Associate Professor, University of Adelaide and Paediatric Neuroradiology, Australia	Guest lecture on Hypoxic Ischemic Encephalopathy	28 Jan 2025
2	Dr Rithi Melissa D'Silva	Consultant Radiologist, Mangalore Institute of Oncology	Guest lecture titled "RECIST 1.1 and beyond"	13 May 2025
Radiotherapy				
1	Dr Jeyasingam J	International Faculty, Department of Nuclear	Guest lecture titled "Patient Dose Audits in Diagnostic Radiology and	15 May 2025

S. No.	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
		Science, University of Colombia, Sri Lanka	Radiotherapy: Balancing Imaging Quality and Radiation Safety"	
Urology				
1	Dr Pramod Rai	Senior Consultant - Urology and Jt Director Medical and Health Services SAIL	Guest lecture titled "Psychology of Investing"	21 Mar 2025
2	Dr Tushar Dani	Consultant Urology We care super speciality hospital Raipur	Guest lecture titled "Consent and Medicolegal Angle"	21 Mar 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
89	8	351	9

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
204	85	138	126

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
CME/CDE	6	1
Conference	4	2
Workshop	4	2
Seminar	3	0
Other	10	12

Books/chapters authored by faculty members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Audiology and Speech Language Pathology					
1	Neurorehabilitation	1. Introduction: Approaches and Principles in Neurorehabilitation in Indian Federation of Neurorehabilitation (IFNR)	Preetie Shetty Akkunje	Evangel Publications	31 Jan 2025
2	Genesis of the Speech and Hearing Profession in India and its growth	1. Central Auditory Processing Disorder 2. Aural Rehabilitation.	Mayur Bhat	Manipal Universal Press	28 Feb 2025
Community Medicine					
1	Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine (IAPSM)'s Textbook on National Health Programs and	National Programme on Climate Change and Human Health	Dr Girish J	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers	31 May 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
	Policies of India in a Nutshell				
Dermatology					
1	Decision making in skin allergies	Eyelid Dermatitis, Hand Dermatitis	Dr Gatha M Upadya	Jaypee Brothers	31 Dec 2025
General Medicine					
1	Mastering MCQs in Medicine for Neet PG, Volume 1 and 2, First edition, 2025	-	Dr Archith Boloor	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Mar 2025
2	Mastering MCQs in Medicine for Neet PG, Volume 1 and 2, First edition, 2025	Gasterientology	Dr Prajwal Pai	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Mar 2025
3	Mastering MCQs in Medicine for Neet PG, Volume 1 and 2, First edition, 2025	Respiratory Medicine	Dr Mohammed Faizan Thouseef	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Mar 2025
4	Fifth edition of the Exam Preparatory Manual of Medicine	-	Dr Archith Boloor	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Aug 2025
5	Third edition of An Insiders Guide to Clinical Medicine	-	Dr Archith Boloor	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Aug 2025
6	Second Edition of An Insiders Guide to Cases in Clinical Medicine	-	Dr Archith Boloor	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Aug 2025
General Surgery					
1	Textbook of Interventional Radiology	Anaesthesia in Interventional Radiology	Dr Poornachandra Tejaswi	Springer Nature Link	31 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
2	SRB's manual of Surgery (8th edition)	-	Dr Srirama Bhat M	Jaypee Brothers	31 Oct 2025
Microbiology					
1	Deep Learning and Computer Vision: Models and Biomedical Application	Verification and Analysis of Covid-19 Diagnostic Process Using the Concept of Process Mining	Dr Vishwas Saralaya	Springer, Singapore	31 Dec 2025
Pathology					
1	Rapid Review, MCQs, AETCOM, and OSPE in pathology	-	Dr Rakshatha Nayak	Chirag Enterprise, Mangalore	28 Feb 2025
Physiology					
1	Amphibian Physiology Experiments: A Practical Guide for Undergraduates and Postgraduates Medical Students in Physiology	-	Dr Nayanatara Arun Kumar, Dr Rekha D Kin, Dr Megha Gokul	United Publisher	31 Dec 2025
Physiotherapy					
1	IFNR Textbook of Neurorehabilitation	Game-based rehabilitation	Dr Sulfikar Ali A	Evangel Publications	25 Apr 2025
2	Community Health Perspectives for Physiotherapy Students	Chapter 1— Introduction and overview of Rehabilitation, Chapter2— Community -Based Rehabilitation, Chapter 4— Epidemiology of Disability, Chapter 6— Organizations for disability and rehabilitation, Chapter 8— Primary Care for Persons with disabilities, Chapter 9— Rehabilitation Team, Chapter 21—Geriatric Rehabilitation,	Dr Kuldeep Deka, Dr K Vijaya Kumar, Ms Megha M Nayak, Dr Shyam Krishnan K	CBS Publishers and Distributors Pvt Ltd India	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
		Chapter 22—Palliative Care and Rehabilitation, Chapter 24—Need-Based Rehabilitation in Disaster Management, Annexure 1—Clinical assessment of Community-Dwelling individuals, Annexure 2—Aging workforce: Work Participation and physical health assessment.			
Pulmonary Medicine					
1	Breathe Easy: Pearls and Pitfalls in Respiratory Medicine—A Compendium of Clinical Cases	-	Dr Vishak Acharya, Dr B. Unnikrishnan and Dr Saraswathy Sreeram	Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers (P) Ltd	31 Jul 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (in INR)	Date(s)
Audiology and Speech Language Pathology					
1	Investigation of swallow fatigue and its impact on eating and drinking behaviours among older adults and post stroke	Dr Radish Kumar	ICMR	9,61,492	1 Feb 2025
2	Development and Validation of Database Management system for Newborn Hearing Screening	Dr Rohit Ravi	ICMR	13,28,288	13 Mar 2025
3	CogStim: A Randomised Controlled Trail	Dr Gagan Bajan	ICMR– National Centre for Diseases Informatics and	19,91,378	12 Sep 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (in INR)	Date(s)
	for early intervention of individuals with mild cognitive impairment with transcranial direct current simulation and cognitive training		Research (NCDIR), Bengaluru		
Biochemistry					
1	assessment of Sirtuin-3 and p62 as markers of Mitochondrial Dysfunction in patients with Pre Diabetic and Type 2 Diabetic Mellitus	Dr Leksha Phutane	Research Society for the Study of Diabetes in India (RSSDI)	28,360	31 Jan 2025
2	Molecular insights into Cholesterol homeostasis in type 2 diabetes patients with metabolic liver disease	Dr Poornima Manjrekar	RSSDI	4,67,413	25 Aug 2025
Community Medicine					
1	Evidence Based Research on Areca nut and Human Health	Dr Prasanna Mithra	Directorate of Areca nut and Spices Development	9,95,500	1 Feb 2025
2	SRS VA Network	Dr Ramesh Holla	AIIMS	12,000	30 Aug 2025
General Medicine					
1	Investigating the Frequency of Rheumatoid Factor, Anti-CCP Antibodies and Musculoskeletal Symptoms in Beedi Workers: A Hospital-Based Study	Dr Shivaraj	Indian Rheumatology Association	1,05,000	31 Dec 2025
Radiotherapy					
1	Hospital Based Cancer	Dr Athiyamaan M S	ICMR-NCDIR National Centre for	6,05,839	29 Dec 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (in INR)	Date(s)
	Registries in India		Diseases Informatics and Research, Bengaluru		

Patent details :
Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Device for Monitoring Gynaecological Disorders	18 Feb 2025
2	An Apparatus for Image-Guided Pleuraln Aspiration Utilising a Modified Manual Breast Pump for Controlled Suction	19 Feb 2025
3	A Method for Estimating Bloodstain Age on Various Substrates Using Analytical and Imaging Techniques	7 Mar 2025
4	A System and Method for a Verification device for Dosimetric Validation of Vaginal Cuff	17 Mar 2025
5	Multimodal Colour-Cued Rodent Neurobehavioral Assessment Appatus and Method	20 Mar 2025
6	CIRCADIAN SYNC: A Non-Invasive, Real-Time Fatigue and Cognitive Performance Monitoring System	2 Apr 2025
7	System and Method for a Verification device for Dosimetric Validation of rectal and Bladder Doses	21 Apr 2025
8	An Anthocyanin-Infused Starch-Based Biopolymer Film for Real-Time Food Spoilage Detection and Method	28 Apr 2025
9	A system and method for Modular Phantom-Based Dosimetric Validation in HDR Brachytherapy	24 May 2025
10	Antimicrobial and Breathable Waterproof Dressing Cover and a Method of Preparing the Same There	28 Jun 2025
11	Real time Pre-hospital emergency monitoring system	30 Jun 2025
12	A Device and Method for Non-Invasive Saliva-Based Detection of Neonatal Jaundice Using Electrochemical Sensing	9 Jul 2025
13	A Device and Method for Non-Invasive Urine-Based Immunofluorescence Detection of Early Diabetic Nephropathy	9 Jul 2025
14	A Method for Surface-Specific Analysis of Menstrual and Non-Menstrual Blood Stains Using Imaging Techniques	12 Jul 2025
15	A System and Method for Wearable Nasal Prong-Based BiPAP, Auto-CPAP, and Oxygen Therapy	17 Jul 2025
16	A Method for Profiling Postmortem Volatile Organic Compounds by Headspace Solid-Phase Microextraction	31 Jul 2025
17	A System and Method for Cognitive and Personality Assessment Using Biometric Data and Psychological Evaluation	2 Sep 2025
18	A system and method for portable detection of infections using biomarker based automated interpretation	2 Sep 2025
19	A System and Method for Providingreal-Time Biofeedback on Body Posture	4 Oct 2025
20	A Device for Preventing Keloid Formation Using Steroid-Eluting Silicone Dressing and a Method Thereof	14 Oct 2025
21	Real-Time Inpatient Management System and Method for a Multi-Specialty Hospital	3 Dec 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Method and Imaging System for Analysing Tissue Specimen	29 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Anatomy			
1	Dr Murlimanju B V	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
Biochemistry			
1	Dr Sindhu	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Aradhana Marathe	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025
Community Medicine			
1	Dr Unnikrishnan B	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Prasanna Mithra P	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
3	Dr Rekha T	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
4	Dr Prasanna Mithra P	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
5	Dr Prasanna Mithra P	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
6	Dr Nitin Joseph	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
7	Dr Nithin Kumar	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
8	Dr Ramesh Holla	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
9	Dr Animesh Jain	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
Dermatology			
1	Dr Kashinath Nayak A	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Deepti Celestine D'Souza	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
Forensic Medicine			
1	Dr Jagadish Rao P P	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Pavanchand Shetty H	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
Gastroenterology			
1	Dr Anurag J Shetty	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025
General Medicine			
1	Dr Archith Boloor	Faculty Research Awards 2024	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Muralidhara Yadiyal B	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
3	Dr Prajwal Pai	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
4	Dr Archith Boloor	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
5	Dr Archith Boloor	Best Audio–Visual Award	6 Jun 2025
6	Dr Archith Boloor	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
7	Dr Mohamed Faizan Thouseef	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
General Surgery			
1	Dr Deepika C A	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Sadhan G	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
3	Dr Madhav Kamath M.	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025
4	DrSrirama Bhat M	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
Microbiology			
1	Dr K Vishwas Saralaya	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
Neurology			
1	Dr Shivananda Pai D	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Rohit Pai H	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
3	Dr Misri Z K	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology			
1	Dr Nikil Shetty	Dr Patrick Pinto Memorial Award (OBG Department)	6 Jun 2025

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Ophthalmology			
1	Dr Avinash Suresh	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
Orthopaedics			
1	Dr Ishwara Keerthi C	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025
OTO Rhino Laryngology			
1	Dr Manisha N	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025
Pathology			
1	Dr Rakshatha Nayak	Best Audio–Visual Award	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Rakshatha Nayak	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Dr Ashok Shenoy K	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Preethi Jnaneshwara Shenoy	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
3	Dr Sheetal Dinkar Ullal	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
4	Dr Ashok Shenoy K	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
5	Dr Priyanka Kamath	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025
6	Dr Ashwin Kamath K. Anandaraya	Books Publication Award	6 Jun 2025
Physiology			
1	Dr Pratik Kumar Chatterjee	Good Teacher Award	6 Jun 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Dr Ashish John Prabhakar	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Abraham M Joshua	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
3	Dr Akshatha Nayak	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research	6 Jun 2025
Urology			
1	Dr Sanman K N	Distinguished Alumni Award	6 Jun 2025

Faculty Members

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Anaesthesiology			
1	Dr Kavya Prabhu	First prize in ISA Karnataka Young Speaker Session, ISA Karnataka	10 Aug 2025
Anatomy			
1	Dr Latha V Prabhu	Best Paper Award for Anatomic Description of the distal Great saphenous vein, 13th International Conference of SOCA 2025	10 Jul 2025
Audiology and Speech Language Pathology			
1	Dr Mayur Bhat	Best paper award for oral Presentation at International Conference SHANCON 2025	7 Nov 2025
Community Medicine			
1	Dr Rajath Rao U R	Best Scientific Research Award (Oral Presentation) for the study titled, "Barriers, Challenges, Facilitators and Good Practices as perceived by primary health care providers in Managing Animal bite cases in Mangalore City of Karnataka " at the APCRICON 2025 conference at Chettinad Hospital and Research Institute, Chennai.	11 Jul 2025
2	Dr Animesh Jain	Part of Best Performing Team at SARANSH 2.0 at Manipal, MAHE, Manipal	14 Jul 2025

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Dermatology			
1	Dr Pramod Kumar	Dr Rajendran Oration at CUTICON KN 2025	21 Nov 2025
Forensic Medicine			
1	Dr Sujay V K	1st prize in Intercollegiate staff chess tournament	24 Aug 2025
2	Ms Chinmayi B G	Swimming 25 m Freestyle, third place, MARENA MAHE Manipal	31 Aug 2025
3	Ms Chinmayi B G	Swimming 50 m Freestyle, third place, MARENA MAHE Manipal	31 Aug 2025
4	Ms Chinmayi B G	Swimming 25 m Backstroke, third place, MARENA MAHE Manipal	31 Aug 2025
5	Ms Chinmayi B G	Swimming 50 m Backstroke, third place, MARENA MAHE Manipal	31 Aug 2025
6	Ms Chinmayi B G	Second prize for paper titled "Ballistic Protective Clothing—A Preliminary study of behaviour of Air gun pellets on Woolen Cloth" at Frist Triennial Manipal International Forensic Conference 2025, organized by the Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology KMC, Manipal	4 Oct 2025
General Medicine			
1	Dr Archith Boloor	Felicitated at IMA Mangalore chapter for Contribution to Medical Literature at IMA Mangalore	3 Apr 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology			
1	Dr Harshinee Sree Santhanam	Swimming 25 m Free Style—2nd Prize, MARENA, MAHE, Manipal	31 Aug 2025
2	Dr Harshinee Sree Santhanam	Swimming 25 m Breast Stroke—2nd Prize, MARENA, MAHE, Manipal	31 Aug 2025
3	Dr Harshinee Sree Santhanam	Swimming 50 m Back Stroke—1st Prize, MARENA, MAHE, Manipal	31 Aug 2025
4	Dr Harshinee Sree Santhanam	Swimming 50 m Free Style—1st Prize, MARENA, MAHE, Manipal	31 Aug 2025
5	Dr Harshinee Sree Santhanam	Swimming 25 m Back Stroke—1st Prize, MARENA, MAHE, Manipal	31 Aug 2025
Orthopaedics			
1	Dr K Ramachandra Kamath	IMA-KSB Doctors day award 2025, Indian Medical Association	1 Jul 2025
2	Dr Vihar S Joshi	Securing 2nd place in Men's Singles at the Inter- MAHE staff Table Tennis Tournament 2025, MAHE	19 Aug 2025
OTO Rhino Laryngology			
Paediatrics			
1	Dr Shradha	First Place in e-poster presentation at the 49th Rajasthan State Annual Conference, RAJPEDICON 2025, at Bhilwara, Rajasthan	12 Oct 2025
Pathology			
1	Dr Sruti S Gunturi	Awarded 2nd Prize in consultant category for poster titled as "Chondroid syringoma of the arm : A clinical mimicker of calcinosis cutis" (Case report), presented	7 Feb 2025

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		at AIPNA - ICP International Conference in Pathology 2025 held at KLE, Jawaharlal Medical College, JNMC, Belagavi,	
2	Dr Shikha Jayasheelan	Awarded 2nd Prize for the scientific poster presentation titled "Hidden in plain sight : T-Lymphoblastic lymphoma/Leukaemia concealed by Hemophagocytic syndrome", presented at APPINTCON 2025—7th International Paediatric Pathology conference	22 Aug 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Dr Poovizhi Bharathi R	3rd prize for Poster presentation at NAPTICON 2025 conference	28 Nov 2025
2	Dr Sheetal D Ullal	1st Prize in poster presentation (Faculty category) at NAPTICON 2025 conference	28 Nov 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Dr Abraham M Joshua	Significant Contribution Award at PHYSINNOVA 2025 conference	5 Apr 2025
2	Dr Abraham M Joshua	First Position in the Research Paper at PHYSINNOVA 2025 conference	5 Apr 2025
3	Dr Ashish John Prabhakar	Significant Contribution Award at PHYSINNOVA 2025 conference	5 Apr 2025
4	Dr Ashish John Prabhakar	Second Position in the Research Paper at PHYSINNOVA 2025 conference	5 Apr 2025
Pulmonary Medicine			
1	Dr Vishak Achaya	Best Paper Award, IPHACON conference	23 Mar 2025
Radiodiagnosis			
1	Dr Sonali D Prabhu	2nd prize in the e-poster presentation titled "Too Tiny to Ignore: Why the Tiniest of the Bones also matter—solving the conundrum of painful sesamoids in hand and foot", presented at the 13th Annual Musculoskeletal Society Conference 2025, held at Ganga hospital, Coimbatore	25 Jul 2025
Radiotherapy			
1	Dr Challapalli Srinivas	Best poster presentation with cash prize of 20,000 INR, for presenting poster at the 46th Annual National conference of association of medical physicist of India (AMPICON 2025), held at Assam, Guwahati	4 Dec 2025

Students

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Administration			
1	Janaki Neeliyath	Second – 4 × 400 m Relay, Women, MAHE, Manipal	13 Feb 2025
2	Rishit Anand	Second Place – Samvaad (Battlefront), IIT (BHU), Varanasi	7 Mar 2025
3	Rishit Anand	First Place – Just a Minute, IIT (BHU), Varanasi	7 Mar 2025
4	Mayukh Chowdhary	First – Handball, MAHE Intercollegiate, Manipal Academy of Higher Education	19 Mar 2025
5	Rishit Anand	First Place – Debate, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025

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6	Shivansh Gupta	Third – Painting, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
7	Disha Girish	Second – Indian Classical Dance (Solo), Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
8	Shreya Dutta	Second – Cartooning, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
9	Varshini N Shetty	Third – Fashion Show, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
10	Aastha Desai	Third Place – Cultural Parade, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
11	Rishit Anand	First Place – Extempore, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
12	Ronel Fernandez	First Place – JAM, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
13	Raksha N S	Third Place – Eastern Dance Solo, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
14	Spoorthi Ashok Rathod	First Place – Western Dance Solo, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
15	Anandita Anish Madhavan	First Place – Debate, Utsav 2025, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
16	Sanjeev, Thejus Gijo, Adith Sunil	Third Prize in Quiz – Utsav 24, MAHE	24 Mar 2025
17	Thushar T Nayak	Second Prize in Oral Presentation (UG Category), Father Muller College of Allied Health Sciences	30 Mar 2025
18	Arsha K Nair And Ishita Marwaha	Second Place – E-Poster Making Competition, AIISH 2025 Tinnitus Awareness, AIISH (An Autonomous Institute under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India)	31 Mar 2025
19	Sahil Tungare	High Commendation, Parthenon MUN Conference, KMC Mangalore	2 Apr 2025
20	Vanshika Arora	Special Mention, Parthenon MUN Conference, KMC Mangalore	2 Apr 2025
21	Noopur Mishra	Special Mention, Parthenon MUN Conference, KMC Mangalore	2 Apr 2025
22	Manasvi Mishra	Best Journalist, Parthenon MUN Conference, KMC Mangalore	2 Apr 2025
23	Samiksha Hisariya	High Commendation, Parthenon MUN Conference, KMC Mangalore	2 Apr 2025
24	Avni Sharma	First Place – Eastern Dance Solo, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
25	Gayana	Second Place – Women Athletics, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
26	Rahul M Kandhan	First Place – Shot Put, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
27	Nithyashree K S	Third Place – Shot Put, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
28	Keerthana M Prakash	Second Place – 100 m Athletics, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
29	Gayana	Third Place – 800 m Athletics, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
30	Bayapureddy Mahalakshmi	Founders' Day – Felicitating the "Manipal Scholars", Top Rank Holders in MBBS Course, MAHE	30 Apr 2025

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31	Gahan U	Founders' Day – Felicitating the "Manipal Scholars", Top Rank Holders in MBBS Course, MAHE	30 Apr 2025
32	Sneha Patel	First Place – Basketball, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
33	Sanjana Tripathy	First Place – Women Badminton, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
34	Sreeranjini	First Place – Badminton Mixed Doubles, Invictus 2025, KMC Manipal	30 Apr 2025
35	Yukti Rustagi	Second Place – Squash Tournament, Silhouettes 2025, Armed Forces Medical College	8 May 2025
36	Puneeth M Athreya	Third Place – Lawn Tennis, Silhouettes 2025, Armed Forces Medical College	8 May 2025
37	Abhay Mohan	Second Place – Lawn Tennis, Silhouettes 2025, Armed Forces Medical College	8 May 2025
38	Jayalakshmi Chandrasekaran and Shreya Dutta	First Place – Forensic Medicine Quiz, "FORENSIS" (10th Edition of the State Level Inter-Collegiate Debate Competition), Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	17 May 2025
39	Surya M	Third Place – Yoga Poster Competition (International Yoga Day Celebration), Sikkim Manipal Institute of Medical Sciences, Sikkim	21 Jun 2025
40	Dayasagar Reddy	First Place – UG Quiz, Incisio, The Academic UG Surgery Club of KSHEMA	28 Jun 2025
41	Gupil	Third Place – 50 m Breaststroke, Prometheus 2025, Intercollegiate Fest, Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru	7 Jul 2025
42	Gupil	Third Place – 4 × 50 m Medley Relay, Prometheus 2025, Intercollegiate Fest, Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru	7 Jul 2025
43	Gupil	Third Place – 4 × 50 m Freestyle Relay, Prometheus 2025, Intercollegiate Fest, Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru	7 Jul 2025
44	Gupil	Third Place – 100 m Breaststroke, Prometheus 2025, Intercollegiate Fest, Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru	7 Jul 2025
45	Mukul Singhal	Second Place – Basketball Boys, Prometheus 2025, Intercollegiate Fest, Ramaiah Medical College, Bengaluru	7 Jul 2025
46	Shivani Shetty	Second Place – Chess, InterMAHE, Manipal Academy of Higher Education	5 Sep 2025
47	Sparsh	Third Place – Chess, InterMAHE, Manipal Academy of Higher Education	5 Sep 2025
48	Tejas Malhotra	Runner-Up – Metallica, Pyrexia, AIIMS Rishikesh	8 Oct 2025
49	Hiba Mohammad Shafi	"Professor Raghuveer Adiga Memorial Undergraduate Orthopaedic Research Conference", Department of Orthopaedics and Bone Voyage Orthopaedic Club at Father Muller Medical College Hospital, Mangalore	15 Nov 2025
50	Drishya S	First Place – Debate, Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore	15 Nov 2025
51	Drishya S	Third Place – Best Paper Session, Department of Orthopaedics and Bone Voyage Orthopaedic Club, Father Muller Medical College Hospital, Mangalore	15 Nov 2025

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52	Krisha Janaswamy	Third Place – Poster, Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore	15 Nov 2025
53	Anushka Koshy	Professor Raghuveer Adiga Memorial Undergraduate Orthopaedic Research Conference, Department of Orthopaedics and Bone Voyage Orthopaedic Club, Father Muller Medical College Hospital, Mangalore	15 Nov 2025
54	Ms Sanya Mukhida	Podium Presentation, Department of Medicine, KMC Mangalore	29 Nov 2025
55	Ms Tapyashree Arvind Kamath	Third Place – Quiz, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	5 Dec 2025
56	Mr Syed shahiq fazal	First Place – Quiz, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	5 Dec 2025
57	Artika Pawar	First – Poster Presentation, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
58	Chandan BS	Second – Oral Presentation, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
59	Harleen Kaur	First – Research Poster, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
60	Ishwaraya	Third – Oral Medicine, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
61	Samika Jhawar	Second – Eureka 3.0, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
62	Samika Jhawar	Sixth – Chiron, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
63	Abhilasha Saxena	Second – Oral Paper Presentation (ENT/OPTHAL), Vedam – Annual Academic Conference	13 Dec 2025
64	Ankita Ganesh	Second – Eureka 3.0, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
65	Swayam Adappa	Second – Oral Paper Presentation (ENT/OPTHAL), Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
66	Vaishnavi Krishna	First – Eureka 3.0, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
67	Vaishnavi Krishna	Second – Oral Medicine, Vedam – Annual Academic Conference, KMC Manipal	13 Dec 2025
68	Ms Divi Chauhan	Third Position – Crisis Capitalist, Vedam 2025, KMC Manipal	16 Dec 2025
69	Krisha Janaswamy	Aarohan: The Viksit Bharat Challenge, IIT Techfest Bombay, IIT Bombay	22 Dec 2025
Audiology and Speech Language Pathology			
1	Ms Krithi Rao and Ms Sinchana Hegde, M	Best Paper Award (Oral Category) at SMICON 2025, Sri Mookambika Institute of Speech and Hearing Rehabilitation and Research Centre, Puducherry	6 Sep 2025
2	Mr Ritik Roshan	Best Paper Presentation Award at SMICON 2025, Sri Mookambika Institute of Speech and Hearing Rehabilitation and Research Centre, Puducherry	6 Sep 2025
3	Lakshmi Satheesan	Best Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0, MAHE, Manipal	21 Sep 2025
4	Ms Litna Liz Varghese	Best Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 2.1, MAHE, Manipal	22 Sep 2025

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5	Ayushi Raman	Best Oral Paper Award, Department of Speech and Hearing, SDM college of Medical sciences and Hospital, Dharwad	21 Nov 2025
Biochemistry			
1	Ms Emilin Zacharias	Best Oral Presentation at "Connectomics 2025", a conference organized by Central Research Laboratory for Molecular Genetics, Bioinformatics and Machine Learning, (AIMSR), Chittoor, Andhra Pradesh	29 Jul 2025
2	Ms Samyuktha Rani V	Second Prize, Oral Presentation, YENBIOCON 2025	9 Dec 2025
Community Medicine			
1	Dr Soundarya Janani	Best Paper in RMNCH+A at IPHACON 2025, the Annual National Conference of the Indian Public Health Association	20 Mar 2025
2	Dr Sreedevi S R	Best Paper in Occupational Health at IPHACON 2025, the Annual National Conference of the Indian Public Health Association	20 Mar 2025
3	Dr Nipun V Murali	Best Poster in Mental Health at IPHACON 2025, the Annual National Conference of the Indian Public Health Association	20 Mar 2025
4	Dr Farha Mohammed	Best Poster in RMNCH+A at IPHACON 2025, the Annual National Conference of the Indian Public Health Association	20 Mar 2025
5	Dr Sara J. Ommen	First Prize Research poster presentation at WONCA South Asia region conference	4 Apr 2025
6	Dr Farha Mohammed	Third place in the National IAPSMCON Quiz at 52nd Annual National Conference of the Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine	11 Apr 2025
7	Dr Uma N S	Promising Paper Award at 7th Amrita International Public Health Conference 2025	5 Dec 2025
8	Dr Karthika Suresh	Promising Poster Award at 7th Amrita International Public Health Conference 2025	5 Dec 2025
Dermatology			
1	Dr Shivangi Arora, Dr Vaishnavi Puri	First Prize at Indian Association of Dermatologists, Venereologists and Leprologists (IADVL) Karnataka Quizzathon 2025, IADVL	26 Jan 2025
2	Dr Shivangi Arora	Second Place for paper Presentation at SARCD XIII 2025, 13th South Asian Regional Conference of Dermatology, IADVL	2 May 2025
3	Dr Sara Farooquie	First prize at the CME on Allergy and Immunology for presenting an award paper titled "A Zebra amongst the horses: Hyper Syndrome with Heterozygous dock 8 mutation" at Yenopoya	15 Jun 2025
Forensic Medicine			
1	Mr Mayur Sudhir Balbudhe	Awarded the Best Poster Presentation Award, Health Science category at Manipal Research Colloquium (MRC) 2025	28 Apr 2025
2	Ms Manasa S B	First in the tournament and was awarded with a gold medal, Intercollegiate student table tennis tournament at Marena, Manipal	20 Sep 2025
General Medicine			
1	Dr Lokireddy Venkata Sandeep Reddy	Third place for Oral presentation titled "Quality of Life Among Adult Type 2 Diabetics on Insulin in Select	4 Feb 2025

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		Tertiary Care Hospitals" at National Scientific Conclave on Interdisciplinary Research, held at SDUAHER, Kolar	
2	Dr B Akhila Reddy	Second prize for the paper presentation (10,000 INR) titled "Triglyceride glucose and its association with metabolic syndrome in people living with HIV on stable antiretroviral treatment" at ASCICON conference	21 Feb 2025
3	Dr Mathangi	Best e-poster award for poster titled "Glomerulonephritis in diabetics" at FMMC MEDICON 2025 conducted by FMMC Kankanady	1 Mar 2025
4	Dr Avinash B	First prize in Antimicrobial stewardship course 2025 organized by Microbiology department, KMC Mangalore	29 Mar 2025
5	Dr Rishi Teja	Second prize in Antimicrobial stewardship course 2025 organized by Microbiology department, KMC Mangalore	29 Mar 2025
6	Dr Isha Bansal	Second prize in Antimicrobial stewardship course 2025 organized by Microbiology department, KMC Mangalore	29 Mar 2025
7	Dr Nihad Nawaz	First prize in State level Manipal Medicine quiz 2025 conducted by Department of Medicine, KMC Manipal in association with API Udupi Chapter Department of Medicine, KMC Manipal	19 Apr 2025
8	Dr Sanket Mohanthy	First prize in State level Manipal Medicine quiz 2025 conducted by Department of Medicine, KMC Manipal in association with API Udupi Chapter Department of Medicine, KMC Manipal	19 Apr 2025
9	Dr Siddarth Bableswar	Second prize in Dr Sitamahalakshmi memorial quiz competition organized by Department of Medicine, KMC Mangalore	27 Apr 2025
10	Dr Jeet Dinesh Dedhia	Second prize in Dr Sitamahalakshmi memorial quiz competition organized by Department of Medicine, KMC Mangalore	27 Apr 2025
11	Dr Nihad Nawaz	Third prize in postgraduate endocrine quiz 2025, organized by Mangalore endocrine and diabetics society in association with IMA	25 May 2025
12	Dr Sanket Mohanthy	Third prize in postgraduate endocrine quiz 2025, organized by Mangalore endocrine and diabetics society in association with IMA	25 May 2025
13	Dr Nirmeetha Kamath	First Prize in IBD CME Quiz organized by KS Hegde Medical Academy, Nitte Centre for Digestive Disorder, Mangalore	15 Jun 2025
14	Dr Mathangi	Best paper award at 42nd Annual Conference of API Karnataka State Chapter and 5th API South Mid Zone–API South Zone, Hubballi	15 Jun 2025
15	Dr Jeet Dedhia	Second prize in API KC Dr B K Srinivasamurthy memorial postgraduate Medical Quiz competition at 42nd Annual Conference of API Karnataka State Chapter and 5th API South Mid Zone–API South Zone, Hubballi	15 Jun 2025

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16	Dr Tarun Gupta	Second prize in API KC Dr B K Srinivasamurthy memorial postgraduate Medical Quiz competition at 42nd Annual Conference of API Karnataka State Chapter and 5th API South Mid Zone–API South Zone, Hubballi	15 Jun 2025
17	Dr Sai Krishna	First prize for the paper presentation titled "Effect of soleus exercise on post prandial sugars in dysglycemic individuals" at ENDODIABCON 2025, Mangalore.	3 Aug 2025
18	Dr Ritvik Jain	First prize for the paper presentation titled "Lipid Accumulation Product index and its association with cardiovascular risk and metabolic syndrome in People living with HIV on stable combination anti retroviral : An analytical cross-sectional study" at 10th Annual meeting of the American College of Physicians India Chapter 2025 conference	5 Sep 2025
19	Dr Arvind Moholkar	Third prize in e-poster competition, Sepsimed 2025	29 Nov 2025
20	Dr Navneet Saini	Second prize in e-poster competition, Sepsimed 2025	29 Nov 2025
21	Dr Sanchith Sharma	HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME - Neurology Quiz Competition first prize, AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
22	Dr Abhinov Sankar S R	HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME - Neurology Quiz Competition, second prize , AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
23	Dr Bhanvi	HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME - Neurology Quiz Competition third prize, AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
24	Dr Vidarshan Madhavan	Second Price for the paper titled "Pattern Signature of Lifestyle and Metabolic Exposures in Young Coronary Artery Disease 2: A 200 Patient Analytical study" during HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME, AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
25	Dr Deepashree	Third prize for the paper titled "Steroid and antibiotic use in dengue" during HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME, AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
26	Dr Sanchith Sharma	Third prize for the paper titled "Association of hypomagnesemia with acute coronary syndrome: A hospital-based longitudinal study" during HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME, AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
27	Dr Prathik K P	First prize for the poster titled "Beyond the lungs, a rare case of acquired tracheoesophageal fistula" during HEMIPLEGIA-TRACTS AND FACTS CME, AJ Dental College Buildings, Mangalore	14 Dec 2025
General Surgery			
1	Dr Deveswar M V	First prize at Urology Quiz Dr A B Rao Memorial Quiz	19 Jan 2025
2	Dr Varsha L	First prize for Paper presentation at KSCASI-midCON 2025	9 Aug 2025
3	Dr Aditya Kariwal	Second prize for Poster presentation at KSCASI-midCON 2025	9 Aug 2025

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Microbiology			
1	Ms Prabhu Gauri Ram Rai	Third prize for poster presentation titled " study of antibiogram pattern and biofilm production in bacteria causing wound infections" at the 4th National Conference MICON 2025, Division of Microbiology and Biotechnology, Yenapoya Research Centre,Yenapoya (Deemed to be University)	25 Jan 2025
2	Dr Aysha Linsy K M	First prize for poster presentation titled "Assessing the Synergistic Potential of Ceftazidime-Avibactam and Aztreonam Against Metallo-Beta-Lactamase Producing *Enterobacteriales* by Disc Elution and Disc E strip - Synergy Method" at ONCOMICROCON KC-2025, Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bengaluru, Karnataka	8 Mar 2025
3	Dr Rakshitha Rao	Second prize for poster presentation titled "Clinico-microbiological study of *Burkholderia cepacia* complex infection including clinical presentation, risk factors, and antibiotic susceptibility patterns" at ONCOMICROCON KC-2025, Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bengaluru, Karnataka	8 Mar 2025
4	Dr Liya Fathima	Third prize for Poster presentation titled "*Scedosporium* induced keratitis- Insights from a case study" at ONCOMICROCON KC-2025, Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bengaluru, Karnataka"	8 Mar 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology			
1	Dr Mitali Singh	AICOG e-poster session award at 67th All India Congress of Obstetrics and Gynaecology-AICOG 2025 Mumbai.	12 Jan 2025
2	Dr Poojitha S	AICOG e-poster session award at 67th All India Congress of Obstetrics and Gynaecology-AICOG 2025 Mumbai.	12 Jan 2025
3	Dr Dhivyapriya J	First prize in Quiz: Endocrine Eclipse at Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	15 Mar 2025
4	Dr Anusha A.Raikar	First prize in Quiz: Endocrine Eclipse at Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	15 Mar 2025
5	MrRishit Anand	Best Oral Presentation Award, Newcastle Medical School, Newcastle University, England	11 May 2025
6	Dr Mitali Singh	Second prize in paper presentation at 3rd FOGCE-Annual Conference, Chennai	31 Aug 2025
7	Dr Harshitha Thanigaivel	First prize in paper presentation at 3rd FOGCE-Annual Conference, Chennai	31 Aug 2025
8	Dr Shivika Jindal	Best Budding Researcher at 5th International Conference on Gynaecology and Obstetrics, Singapore City, Singapore	27 Oct 2025
9	Dr R Poojitha	"Winner -National Emergency Medicine Quiz - EM-Iq, 11" at 11th World Academic Congress of Emergency Medicine"" Annual All India Conference of Academic Emergency Medicine The 8"" Annual Emergency Paediatrics and Injuries Congress"	29 Oct 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Dr Sanjana Bhatia	Best Paper, Annual Conference of Delhi Ophthalmological Society	13 Jun 2025

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2	Dr Pallavi Garg	First place, PG Free paper presentation, Maharashtra Ophthalmic Society Mid Term Conference	21 Jun 2025
3	Dr Vaishnavi and Dr Oorja Sharma	First place, PG Quiz 2025, Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore	18 Jul 2025
Orthopaedics			
1	Dr Manish K Sirse	First place in PG Quiz 49th State conference of Karnataka Orthopaedic Association	31 Jan 2025
2	Dr Aman Kumar Kejriwal	First place in PG Quiz 49th State conference of Karnataka Orthopaedic Association	31 Jan 2025
3	Dr Manish K Sirse	Winners in COS Postgraduate Quiz 2025, Canara Orthopaedic Society	28 May 2025
4	Dr Aman Kumar Kejriwal	Winners in COS Postgraduate Quiz 2025, Canara Orthopaedic Society	28 May 2025
5	Dr Naman Sirohi	First prize in quiz titled "Dr B Jagannath Kamath Memorial Oration and postgraduate quiz on hand surgery ", organized by the Department of Orthopaedics, KMC Mangalore	27 Sep 2025
6	Dr Vinu Krishna Nair	First prize in the quiz titled "Dr B Jagannath Kamath Memorial Oration and postgraduate quiz on Hand Surgery ", organized by the Department of Orthopaedics, KMC Mangalore	27 Sep 2025
7	Dr Naman Mittal	Second place in the quiz titled “BONE UP - Foot and Ankle Orthopaedics PG Quiz”, organized by Srinivas Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre	22 Nov 2025
8	Dr Prafulla N Gadwal	Second place in quiz titled “BONE UP - Foot and Ankle Orthopaedics PG Quiz”, organized by Srinivas Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre	22 Nov 2025
OTO Rhino Laryngology			
1	Dr Ananya Sinha	Awarded a scholarship as an observer 3rd National Anterior Skull Base and Fess Cadaver Dissection held at Trustwell Hospital, Bengaluru	15 Apr 2025
2	Dr Ananya Sinha	First prize in Quiz competition at SEOCON 2025, International conference of the Society of Endoscopic Otorhinolaryngologists	12 Sep 2025
3	Mr Darshan B. and Mr Sankalp Prabhu	Third place at South Zone ENT UG Quiz, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	11 Oct 2025
4	Dr Ananya Sinha and Dr Pooja Varshini Raja	Third place at ENT Post Graduate Quiz - 2025, KSHEMA, NITTE, Mangalore	13 Dec 2025
Paediatrics			
1	Dr Navris Ali	Second prize in Paper Presentation at Mangalore Pedicon 2025	15 Mar 2025
Pathology			
1	Dr Nikita Singh	Third prize in Oral Paper in PG category for scientific paper presentation at KAPKON 2025, 51st Karnataka Chapter of the Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists State Conference	11 Jul 2025
2	Dr Varun Kulkarni	First prize for the scientific poster titled “Paediatric orbital B-lymphoblastic lymphoma in a patient with osteogenesis imperfecta" at APPINTCON 2025, 7th International Paediatric Pathology conference	22 Aug 2025

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Pharmacology			
1	Mr Neeraj Joshi	Student publication award, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	6 Jun 2025
2	Dr Shaik Mohammad Rafi	First prize in Research Proposal presentation at the National Workshop on "Beyond Rat: Advancing Toxicology" at SRM Medical College Hospital and Research Centre, Kattankulathur	11 Jun 2025
3	Dr Hrishikesh	Third prize for Oral presentation at NAPTICON 2025	28 Nov 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Ms Hritika Deepak Pai	Young Investigator Award 2025 for research titled "Effects of the more with program on physical performance outcomes amongst head and neck cancer survivors undergoing chemo-radiotherapy (CRT)" at MASCC/ISOO Annual Meeting-Seattle, Washington	26 Jul 2025
2	Ms Manisha Nayak	First prize for poster presentation at ICTAHS 2025	13 Nov 2025
Psychiatry			
1	Dr Bharath Reddy	First prize for paper presentation at Psychiatry Insight 2025 CME KMC, Mangalore	30 Aug 2025
2	Aparna Ayyagari and Arshi Khan	Second prize in Debate Competition on the occasion of "World Mental Health Awareness Day" at Saint Agnes College, Mangalore	13 Oct 2025
Pulmonary Medicine			
1	Dr Aquline	First prize for oral presentation titled " Impact of Continuous Positive Airway Pressure on the Cognitive Functions and Quality of Life in Patients with Obstructive Sleep Apnea: A Prospective Observational Study", at Indian Chest Society	9 Aug 2025
Radiodiagnosis			
1	DrGaurika Chugh	Second prize in the postgraduate quiz at the Indian Society of Paediatric Radiology (ISPR) midterm National CME, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	9 Mar 2025
2	Dr Prathyusha Vemparala	Third prize in the PG category for paper titled "Role of MRI in differentiating acute traumatic and chronic degenerative rotator cuff tears" at 24th MRI Teaching course Hotel Sea Princess, Juhu, Mumbai	6 Apr 2025
3	Dr Shreya Matele	Third place in the Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0, MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference	20 Sep 2025
4	Ms Aysha Ziyana	Second prize in paper presentation on the topic "3D MR Spirometry: A New Method of Regional Pulmonary Function Measurement" at IMAGINE 2025 — the 23rd National Conference of the Society of Indian Radiographers organised by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, KMC, Mangalore	31 Oct 2025
5	Dr Pradyumna Rao	First prize for paper presentation titled "Radiographer-Reported Challenges Arising from Inadequate Radiology Request Forms in a Tertiary Care Framework" under the guidance of Dr Santosh Rai at IMAGINE 2025 — the 23rd National Conference of the Society of Indian Radiographers organised by Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, KMC, Mangalore	31 Oct 2025

Staff

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1	Mr Balakrishna M	Recognition of Excellence in the service of KMC Non-Teaching staff based on Dr K R Shetty MAHE Endowment	15 Aug 2025
2	Mrs Vibha Kumari	Recognition of Excellence in service of KMC Non-Teaching staff based on Dr K R Shetty MAHE Endowment	15 Aug 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

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1	The Manipal Marathon promo run	The Manipal Marathon promo run was held in the MAHE Mangalore campus in association with the Mangalore Runners Club. Dr Murali Srinivasan, Alumnus Batch of 1989, and Chief of Medical Services at Manipal Hospitals, flagged off the run. Dr Dilip G Naik graced the valedictory ceremony.	26 Jan 2025
2	Powerlifting (Mixed) Overall	KMC Mangalore "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match-2025; Batch 22–Winners, Batch 23–Runners up, and AHS–3rd place. "	20 Apr 2025
3	Athletics (Mixed) Overall Championship 2025	KMC Mangalore "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match-2025 Individual Championship; Batch 22–Winners, (Gayana), Allied Health Sciences (AHS)–Runners up (Adithya), and Batch 23–Third place (Satwik)	27 Apr 2025
4	Hand ball (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 21–Winners, Batch 23–Runners-Up	27 Apr 2025
5	Hand ball (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 22–Runners-Up	27 Apr 2025
6	Throwball (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	28 Apr 2025
7	Super Six (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 21–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	28 Apr 2025
8	Super Six (Women)	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match-2025; AHS–Winners, Batch 22–Runners up	28 Apr 2025
9	Badminton (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners (Prathyaksh Team Captain), Batch 22–Runners-Up, and AHS–Third Place	28 Apr 2025
10	Badminton (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 23–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up, and AHS–Third Place	28 Apr 2025
11	Squash (Mixed)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	28 Apr 2025
12	Table tennis (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 22–Winners (Team captain is Rohan), Batch 21–Runners-Up	29 Apr 2025

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13	Table tennis (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 21–Winners (Team captain is Ananya), Batch 23–Runners-Up	29 Apr 2025
14	Volleyball (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 22–Winners, Batch 21–Runners-Up	29 Apr 2025
15	Volleyball (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners, AHS–Runners-Up	29 Apr 2025
16	Cricket (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 22–Winners, Batch 23–Runners-Up	29 Apr 2025
17	Basketball (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners (Team captain is Vishan), AHS–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
18	Basketball (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners (Team captain is Ananya), Batch 22–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
19	Basketball (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
20	Hockey (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners (Team captain is Ahwesh), Batch 22–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
21	Chess (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 23–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
22	Chess (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 23–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
23	Basketball (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners, Batch 21–Runners-Up	30 Apr 2025
24	Swimming (Mixed) Overall	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 22–Winners, Batch 23–Runners-Up, AHS–Third place	1 May 2025
25	Football (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; AHS–Winners, PG Interns–Runners-Up	2 May 2025
26	Futsal (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; PG Interns–Winners, Batch 21–Runners-Up	2 May 2025
27	Futsal (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; AHS–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	2 May 2025
28	Tennis (Men)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 21–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	2 May 2025
29	Tennis (Women)	KMC Mangalore, "Muqabla" Inter-Class Match 2025; Batch 23–Winners, Batch 22–Runners-Up	2 May 2025
30	World Heart Day Walkathon 2025	Under the theme "Don't Miss a Beat," over 1,500 participants—families, corporates, institutions, and citizens—walked for heart health as part of the World Heart Day Walkathon 2025. Flag-off: Shri Mithun H N, IPS (DCP, Law and Order, Mangalore) and Smt Geetha D Kulkarni (ACP, CCRB); Torch Bearer: national-level athlete Master Yashas. Valedictory: Dr Dilip G Naik (Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE Mangalore), with the Cardiology and Cardiac Surgery Team of KMC Hospital. Creative highlights: Best	21 Sep 2025

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		Group Participation, Best Slogan, Best Placard, Most Enthusiastic Participant with spirited teams from Fiza by Nexus, Athena Nursing College, Sridevi Nursing College, MRPL, NMPA and more.	

Inter Institution:

S. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual Athletic Meet	Sangappa won Bronze in Shortput (Below 50), Sudhir won Silver in Shortput (Above 50), Vishwanath won Silver in Shortput (Below 50), and Varchas Shetty won agold medal (first place) in 100 m race	22 Mar 2025
2	Table Tennis (Men's)	Abhay Mohan won Men's singles and doubles with Krishna Sai and mixed doubles with Krisha Janaswamy.	8 Apr 2025
3	Table Tennis (Women's)	Winners were Neeha Jael, Ananya Mahajan, Roshna Narayan, Varsha Yadav, Dishi Agarwal at KMC Manipal "INVICTUS" Inter-Medics tournament.	8 Apr 2025
4	Basketball (Women's)	Ananya Gupta won the Most Valuable Player (MVP) at KMC Manipal "INVICTUS" Inter-Medics tournament.	8 Apr 2025
5	Table Tennis (Men's)	Rohan H S, Anand Ratnaparki, Jishnu, Atul, Kumar Vishwajeet were Runner-Ups at KMC Manipal "INVICTUS" Inter-Medics tournament.	8 Apr 2025
6	Badminton (Men's)	KMC Manipal 'INVICTUS' Inter-Medics Badminton (Men's) tournament – Runners Up.	10 Apr 2025
7	Badminton (Mixed) Doubles	KMC Manipal 'INVICTUS' Inter-Medics Badminton (Mixed) Doubles tournament – Winners.	10 Apr 2025
8	Badminton (Women's)	KMC Manipal 'INVICTUS' Inter-Medics Badminton (Women's) tournament – Winners Sanjana Tripathy, Niyathi Shetty, Gunpreen Kaur, Sayee Pawar.	10 Apr 2025
9	Swimming (Women's)	Arohi, Dewanshi, Sanjana, Kashish secured Gold-4x25 freestyle relay, Gold-4x50 medley relay, Gold-4x50 freestyle relay at KMC Manipal "INVICTUS" Inter-Medics tournament. Individual results – Dewanshi Shukla secured Gold at 100 m breaststroke, Silver at 50 m breaststroke, and Bronze at 25 m breaststroke. Sanjana Kamath secured Bronze at 50 m freestyle, 25 m freestyle, 200 m freestyle, 25 m butterfly, and 50 m butterfly.	11 Apr 2025
10	Swimming (Men's)	Vedaant, Arjun, Yash, Gupil secured Gold at 4x100 Freestyle Relay, Silver at 4x25 Freestyle Relay, Gold at 4x50 medley relay, and Gold at 4x50 freestyle relay held at KMC Manipal "INVICTUS" Inter-Medics tournament. - . Individual results – Arjun Chitre secured Silver at 50 m freestyle, Bronze at 25 m	11 Apr 2025

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		freestyle, and Silver at 50m and 25 m breaststroke. Gupil secured bronze medal in 50 m and 25 m breaststroke. Yash secured bronze medal at 25 m breaststroke.	
11	Carrom (Women's)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Non-Teaching Staff Carrom tournament: Chaithra and Kavyashree emerged as winners at Women's Doubles and Lingamma emerged as Runner-Up at Women's Singles.	12 Aug 2025
12	Carrom (Men's)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Non-Teaching Staff Carrom tournament: Nithin Kumar and Monappa emerged as winners at Men's Doubles, Runners-up were Neil and Prashant and Rajesh K secured second place in Men's Singles	13 Aug 2025
13	Table Tennis (Men's)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate teaching Staff Table Tennis tournament: Dr Vihar Joshi emerged as Runners-Up in Men's Singles. Non-teaching Staff Table Tennis tournament: Santhosh and Vishwanath emerged as Runners-Up in Men's Doubles	19 Aug 2025
14	Chess (M and W)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate teaching Staff Chess tournament: Dr Sujay was winner in Men's singles. Non-Teaching Staff Chess (Women) tournament: Tulasi won third place in Women's Singles	24 Aug 2025
15	Swimming (M and W)	**MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Teaching Staff Swimming Competition:** Dr Harshini (Senior Resident, OBG), 50 m Backstroke and Freestyle – First Place; First Place in 50 m Freestyle (42.17); Second Place in 25 m Freestyle (17.94); Second Place in 25 m Breaststroke (27.67); First Place in 25 m Backstroke (21.90); and Second Place in 25 m Backstroke, Freestyle, and Breaststroke. Mrs Chinmayi B G (Forensic Medicine, Tutor) – Third Place in 25 m Freestyle and Backstroke; Third Place in 25 m Freestyle (27.47); Third Place in 50 m Freestyle (1:11.28); Third Place in 25 m Backstroke (36.84); Third Place in 50 m Backstroke (1:30.47). Dr Nanditha Sujir (MCODS Mangalore) – First Place in 25 m Freestyle (17.56); Second Place in 50 m Freestyle (44.03); First Place in 25 m Breaststroke (24.38); Second Place in 25 m Backstroke (23.34). Dr Nithin Joseph (KMC Mangalore) – Third Place in 25 m Freestyle (27.43); Second Place in 50 m Freestyle (56.65); Third Place in 25 m Breaststroke (38.03); Third Place in 25 m Backstroke (39.20). **Individual Champion (Below 40 Category):** Dr Harshini Sree (KMC Mangalore). Team Champion – KMC Mangalore, 44 Points in Women's Category.	31 Aug 2025
16	Squash (M and W)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Teaching Staff Squash tournament: Dr Abhik Sangwan (Winner). Non-Teaching Staff Squash (Women's) tournament: Pooja Suvarna won First Place. Non-Teaching Staff	4 Sep 2025

S. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
		Squash (Men's) tournament: Nithin Kumar won First Place and Dhanush won Second Place.	
17	Chess (Men's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' chess tournament: Sparsh, who was the Men's team Captain, secured Third Place	5 Sep 2025
18	Chess (Women's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' chess tournament: Krish Janaswamy, who was the Women's team Captain, secured Second Place	5 Sep 2025
19	Badminton (M and W)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Teaching Staff Badminton Tournament: Men's Doubles (Above 41–50 Years) Winners were Dr Poornachandra Tejaswi and Dr Vinod Jathanna. Non-Teaching Staff Badminton Tournament: Women's Singles (Above 40 Years) Winner was Kasthuri B K. Women's Doubles (Above 40 Years) Winners were Kasthuri B K and Ivy Paustine Dsouza. Women's Singles (Above 50 Years) Runner-Up was Lalitha K V. Men's Doubles (Above 40 Years) Runners-Up were Kushalappa and Gautham Pai. Men's Singles (Above 50 Years) Runners-Up was Kushalappa B. Men's Doubles (Above 51 Years) Winners were Ravindra and Guruprasad, KMC Mangalore. Men's Doubles (Above 51 Years) Runners-Up were Monappa and Santhosh.	7 Sep 2025
20	Swimming (Women)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' Swimming tournament: Dewanshi secured Gold in 100 m Breaststroke and Gold medal in 50 m Breaststroke. Sanjana secured Gold – 400 m Freestyle, Silver – 50m Freestyle, Bronze – 4X25 m and freestyle, and Bronze – 800 m Freestyle. Sanjana Aarohi and Dewanshi Visalakshi secured Silver – 4X50 m Freestyle relay and Silver – 4X50 m Medley relay, Silver – 4X23 freestyle relay.	29 Sep 2025
21	Table Tennis (Women's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' Table Tennis (Women's) tournament winners are Ananya, Gauri, Manasa, Neeha Joel, Roshna.	30 Sep 2025
22	Squash (Women's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' Squash (Women's) tournament. Winners – Yukti Rustagi, Annu Julie, Manya Murthy, Niva Krishna.	4 Oct 2025
23	Basketball (Men's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' Basketball (Men's) tournament: Runners-Up were Anish and Team.	3 Nov 2025
24	Tennis (Men's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' Tennis (Men's) tournament: Runners-Up were Abhay Mohan, Ayaandeep Baruah and Shivansh Gupta.	5 Nov 2025
25	Badminton (Women's)	MAHE Manipal Inter collegiate students' Badminton (Women's) tournament: Niyathi Shetty, Sreeranjani, and Sanjana secured second place.	7 Nov 2025

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26	Throwball (Women's)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Non-Teaching Staff Throwball (Women's) tournament: Runners-Up were Pooja Suvarna and team.	9 Nov 2025
27	Basketball (M and W)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate teaching Staff Basketball (Men's) tournament: Runners-Up were Dr Varun and team . Non-Teaching Staff Basketball (Men's) tournament: Runners-Up were Mr Nithin and team . Non-Teaching Staff Basketball. (Women's) tournament: Runners-Up were Mrs Pooja Suvarna and team.	21 Nov 2025
28	Football (Men's)	MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Non-Teaching Staff KMC Mangalore Football (Men's) tournament: Winners were Mr Raghunath and team.	14 Dec 2025

Outside University:

S. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	NITTE Accolades KSHEMA Inter-Medics tournament at Deralakatte, Mangalore	Table Tennis (Men's), KSHEMA Inter-Medics Tournament – Runners-Up were Abhay and team. Badminton (Men's), KSHEMA Inter-Medics Tournament – Runners-Up were Harsh and team. Basketball (Men's), KSHEMA Inter-Medics Tournament – Winners were Ridhick and team. Basketball (Women's), KSHEMA Inter-Medics Tournament – inners were Ananya Gupta and team.	11 Mar 2025
2	AFMC Intermedics tournaments at Pune	Tennis (Men's), AFMC Intermedics Tournament, Pune – Abhay won Silver in Tennis Men's Singles. Puneeth won Bronze in Tennis Men's Singles. Squash (Men's and Women's), AFMC Intermedics Tournament, Pune – Yukti won Silver in Squash Women's. Tejas won Bronze in Squash Men's.	29 Apr 2025
3	M S Ramaiah University Inter-Medics tournament, at Bengaluru	Freestyle Relay (Men's), 4 × 50 m, Prometheus 2025 – Karthik secured Third Place. Freestyle Relay (Men's), 4 × 50 m, Prometheus 2025 – Gupil secured Third Place. Freestyle Relay (Men's), 4 × 50 m, Prometheus 2025 – Ayush secured Third Place. Medley Relay (Men's), 4 × 50 m, Prometheus 2025 – Gupil secured Third Place. Medley Relay (Men's), 4 × 50 m, Prometheus 2025 – Ayush secured Third Place. Medley Relay (Men's), 4 × 50 m, Prometheus 2025 – Karthik secured Third Place. Breaststroke (Boys), 50 m – Gupil secured Third Place. Breaststroke (Boys), 100 m – Gupil Soni secured Third Place. Basketball (Boys) – Runners-Up.	7 Jul 2025

S. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
		Badminton Doubles (Women's) – Runners-Up.	

Cultural Activities:
In Institution:

S. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Drug-free Dakshina Kannada	Mr Ashok Pujari, Superintendent of Excise, Office of Joint Commissioner of Excise, Mangalore Division, delivered a session for first-year MBBS students on preventing narcotic/psychotropic drug abuse, its harmful effects, and legal implications. This initiative was part of the State Excise Department's Drug-Free Dakshina Kannada Program.	10 Jan 2025
2	Republic Day Celebrations	KMC Mangalore, commemorated Republic Day 2025 with patriotic fervour and enthusiasm. The event was graced by Dr Pavan Hegde (MBBS Batch of 1984), Professor of Paediatrics, Father Muller Medical College, as the Chief Guest. Dean Dr B Unnikrishnan welcomed the gathering, followed by the flag unfurling and an inspiring Republic Day message by Dr Pavan Hegde, emphasising the importance of dedication to the nation's progress. The student team added to the patriotic spirit with soulful performances of national songs. A special highlight of the event was the felicitation of the doctors and nurses, recognising their role in a historic first-ever organ donation in the District Government Wenlock Hospital's 176-year legacy. The celebration embodied patriotism, teamwork, and medical excellence, reflecting KMC's commitment to healthcare and national service.	26 Jan 2025
3	Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav	As part of the Matribhasha Diwas celebrations, KMC Mangalore organised poster-making and poetry competitions, engaging students in creative expression of their linguistic heritage. The event aimed to instil pride in their mother tongues and emphasize the role of language in cultural identity. Poster Making Competition— Participants highlighted visually compelling posters reflecting themes of multilingualism, cultural diversity, and the significance of mother tongue in education and communication. Poetry Competition— Students composed and recited poems in various Indian languages, celebrating linguistic traditions and the beauty of native expressions. Both activities received enthusiastic participation from students, fostering awareness about the linguistic diversity of India and its role in knowledge development and heritage preservation. The event successfully highlighted the importance of mother tongue in education, research, and communication, reinforcing the cultural and intellectual significance of linguistic diversity.	21 Feb 2025
4	Mythos 2025	The rulebook release and overview session for the interclass sports and cultural fest, organised by the Student Council, KMC MLR, was held on the 28 April 2025. Dean Dr B Unnikrishnan declared the fest open, with the Sports and Cultural Secretaries outlining the exciting events lined up. Sports events were held between April 27 and May 8. Cultural events took centre stage on May 9 and 10 at the Dr TMA Pai International Convention Centre. 20 of KMC Mangalore students participated in the event.	27 Apr 2025 –10 May 2025

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5	Nasha Mukt Bharat Pakhwada 2025	As a part of "नशा मुक्त भारत पखवाड़ा" (Nasha Mukt Bharat Pakhwada) , the following activities were carried out in KMC Mangalore; (a) MBBS students of all phases of MBBS took the e-pledge against the drug abuse and downloaded the certificate. The e-link (https://pledge.mygov.in/fightagainstdrugabuse/) was shared among the students (b) Awareness talk was given on the topic "MISSION-DRUG FREE CAMPUS" for the students of 1st professional year MBBS (c) Pledge taking ceremony of "Nasha Mukt Bharat Pakhwada" was held physically. The Nasha Mukt Members (Faculty and Students) administered the fellow students in taking the pledge.	12–26 Jun 2025
6	Samvidhan Hatya Diwas 	As per the directive of the University Grants Commission (UGC) and the Ministry of Culture, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, observed Samvidhan Hatya Diwas, marking the 50th anniversary of the imposition of the Emergency (1975). The observance served as a solemn reminder of the period when civil liberties were suspended, press freedom curtailed, and constitutional safeguards eroded. It aimed to instil in students and faculty a deeper understanding of democratic values and constitutional morality. The event provided an opportunity for the academic community to collectively reflect, remember, and reaffirm their dedication to the ideals of democracy and the Constitution of India.	25 Jun 2025
7	Realign 2025	"ReAlign 2025—Redefining Undergraduate Orthopaedic Learning" was held on 27 July 2025. The event brought together over 250 delegates from four states for a one-day immersive academic and clinical experience in orthopaedics. It was organised by "The Joint Venture: The Undergraduate Society of Orthopaedics". The formal inauguration was graced by Dr Shrikala Baliga, Associate Dean, KMC Mangalore, as the Chief Guest, and Dr Animesh Jain, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, as the Guest of Honour. The program included Structured Clinical Orthopaedic Practical Exercise (S.C.O.P.E.), a quiz, and OrthoPraxis— a skills workshop. ReAlign was a student-led, faculty-backed initiative that blended academic rigour, practical skills, and collaborative energy.	27 Jul 2025
8	Har Ghar Tiranga (HGT) Campaign – 2025	As per the notification of the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) and under the aegis of the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, KMC Mangalore actively participated in the Har Ghar Tiranga (HGT) Campaign 2025, held across the country in three phases as approved by the National Implementation Committee (NIC).The campaign, which began in 2022, has evolved into a Janbhagidari movement symbolizing national identity, patriotism, and pride. The 2025 observance was marked by enthusiastic participation from faculty, staff, and students, who came together to honour the Tiranga as a unifying emblem of India's sovereignty and democratic spirit. **Phased Observance Phase 1 (2nd – 8th August 2025):** Awareness activities were conducted within the institution to sensitize students and staff about the significance of the Tiranga. Posters, online	2–15 Aug 2025

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		messages, and classroom discussions highlighted the ideals of freedom and unity. **Phase 2 (9th – 12th August 2025):** Students and faculty were encouraged to display the national flag at their homes, hostels, and departments. Outreach was extended via social media campaigns to promote wider community participation. **Phase 3 (13th – 15th August 2025):** The celebration culminated with flag hoisting ceremonies on campus, cultural programs, and reflections on India's independence. The Tiranga was prominently displayed across institutional premises. Strengthened the sense of patriotism and collective responsibility among participants. Widespread adoption of the campaign across hostels, classrooms, and homes of students and staff. Social media outreach amplified the message of the HGT campaign to a larger community.	
9	World Sanskrit Day	The Department of General Medicine, KMC Mangalore, in association with Samskrita Bharati, Mangalore, celebrated World Sanskrit Day with the theme "Relevance of Sanskrit in the Modern Era". The program featured talks that highlighted Sanskrit's timeless role in knowledge, culture, self-development, and communication; Dr Venugopala D – On Sanskrit's role in preserving cultural heritage; Dr Padmanabha Marate (Professor and Head, Department of Sanskrit Studies and Research, SDPT First Grade College, Kateel, Chief Guest) – Chaste Sanskrit discourse on its versatility and relevance; Dr Sathish Rao – On Sanskrit for self-development; Dr H R Vishwas (Akhila Bharatha Karyagana Sadasya, Samskrita Bharati, New Delhi) – On Sanskrit as a unifying force and language of daily life	12 Aug 2025
10	Independence Day	KMC Mangalore proudly celebrated the 79th Independence Day with patriotic fervour. The national flag was unfurled by Dr Shivananda Prabhu, Professor of General Surgery and Chief Administrative Officer, Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel. Highlights of the day included patriotic songs and dance by students. Felicitation of non-teaching staff with the Dr K R Shetty–MAHE Endowment Service Excellence Awards followed. Mr Balakrishna (KMC Mangalore), Ms Vibha Kumari (KMCH, Attavar), and Ms Maria Precilla DSouza (KMCH Ambedkar Circle) were the awardees for 2024-25. The KMC Laboratory Services Catalogue was released on the occasion. A day filled with pride, unity, and gratitude as we honoured our nation and our dedicated community."	15 Aug 2025
11	Pookkalotsavam – Festival of Flowers	The Pookkalotsavam – Festival of Flowers was held at the Bejai AHS A Block – Common Area as part of the Onam celebrations at KMC Mangalore. The event featured a Pookkalam (floral carpet) competition, where students highlighted their creativity, teamwork, and festive spirit through intricate floral designs based on the theme "Onam – Celebration of Unity and Prosperity." A total of 6 teams comprising 5 students each participated in the competition. The vibrant floral patterns reflected both traditional aesthetics and innovative ideas, creating a lively and colourful atmosphere. The entries were judged on creativity, theme	3 Sep 2025

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		relevance, colour combination, neatness, and team spirit, and prizes were awarded to the top 3 teams. The event not only highlighted the cultural richness of Onam but also fostered collaboration, artistic expression, and community bonding among students.	
12	Live Webcast of the Special Session during International Conference on Gyan Bharatam	As per the directive of the University Grants Commission (UGC), Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore organized the collective viewing of the live webcast of the Special Session addressed by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi Ji, at Bharat Mandapam, New Delhi. The theme of the session was "Reclaiming India's Knowledge Legacy through Manuscript Heritage", part of the International Conference on Gyan Bharatam. The Honourble Prime Minister emphasized the importance of India's vast manuscript heritage, with nearly 10 million manuscripts across disciplines such as philosophy, medicine, mathematics, science, rituals, and arts. The address highlighted the launch of the Gyan Bharatam Mission (GBM) under the Union Budget 2025–26, which revives and expands the vision of the National Mission for Manuscripts initiated in 2003. The event provided valuable insights into the nation's manuscript heritage and its transformative potential for higher education and research.	12 Sep 2025
13	Cybercrime awareness	In line with the UGC's call to disseminate the "Basics of Cyber Hygiene for HEIs," KMC Mangalore conducted a Cyber Security session for the newly joined MBBS 2025 batch as part of the Foundation Course. Under the expert guidance of Dr Ananth Prabhu Gurpur, this session addressed critical areas such as cyber awareness, digital safety, data privacy, responsible online conduct, password hygiene and 2FA, phishing/scam red flags, safe use of public Wi-Fi, reporting and escalation. Empowering our students to be secure, responsible digital citizens from day one.	24 Sep 2025
14	Jalsa 2025	The Navratri Dandiya event was held at Mangalore Ladies club. It was a vibrant cultural fest attended by the students and faculty alike. This year's Jalsa 2.0 was all about celebrating tradition, joy, and togetherness in its truest spirit. The evening featured Vibrant Garba and Dandiya circles, Engaging music and cultural performances, and a festive atmosphere capturing the essence of Navratri.	27 Sep 2025
15	Ganesha Chaturthi	The 69th Ganesha Chaturthi celebrations at KMC Mangalore — one of the oldest and most iconic in the region — were marked with devotion, tradition, and cultural vibrance. 27th August: Sthapana Pooja was attended by Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE, along with administration, faculty, alumni, former faculty, students, and non-teaching staff. The evening saw spectacular cultural performances of music and dance by our students. 28th August: Ranga Pooja was performed, followed by a grand procession through the city, culminating in the Visarjan. The celebrations brought together generations of the KMC Mangalore family, blending faith, tradition, and community spirit.	27–28 Aug 2025

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16	National Unity Day	A pledge was taken to uphold the unity, integrity, and security of India, inspired by Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's vision: "Together, we are stronger".	31 Oct 2025
17	Vande Mataram @150	KMC Mangalore Students, faculty, and staff of KMC Mangalore came together for a soul-stirring mass singing of "Vande Mataram"—celebrating 150 years of the patriotic hymn and reaffirming their commitment to unity, harmony, and nation-building.	26 Nov 2025
18	Constitution Day	KMC Mangalore observed Constitution Day 2025 with a collective reading of the Preamble to the Constitution of India, in accordance with the University Grants Commission (UGC) guidelines. Faculty, staff, and students joined together to reaffirm our commitment to the values of justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity.	26 Nov 2025
19	Investiture and Freshers' Day	KMC Mangalore hosted the Investiture Ceremony of the Student Council 2025-26 and the Freshers Evening—Synergy 2025. The newly elected Student Council took their oath of office, and the heads of all student clubs were formally installed. The college magazine for the year 2024-25, "Inscape Cafe" was released. The celebrations continued with Synergy 2025, where the new batch and other students highlighted vibrant performances, including dance, skits and live music. It was a memorable evening of leadership, talent and togetherness.	8 Dec 2025
20	SPICMACAY (Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music And Culture Amongst Youth) Odissi Performance	KMC Mangalore was privileged to host a captivating Odissi dance performance under the banner of SPIC MACAY, in association with the Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE. The evening featured an enthralling performance by Shree Rahul Acharya, a renowned Odissi exponent, scholar, and performer, who transported the audience through grace, rhythm, and spiritual depth intrinsic to this classical art form. Students, faculty, and staff experienced an evening that celebrated India's rich cultural heritage and artistic excellence.	12 Dec 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl. No.	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	KASHIYATRA'25	KASHIYATRA 2025 was the 42nd edition of IIT (BHU) Varanasi's annual socio-cultural fest. As northern India's premier cultural festival, it featured over 60 events across categories like dance (Natraj), music (Bandish), drama (Abhinay), and literary arts (Samvaad).	7 Mar 2025
2	UTSAV 2025	UTSAV highlighted student talent through a variety of events, including performances, competitions, and cultural activities.	25 Mar 2025
3	PYREXIA	PYREXIA is the annual flagship socio-cultural and sports festival of AIIMS Rishikesh, typically held over several days along the banks of the Ganges River. Recognized as one of the largest medical festivals in	8 Oct 2025

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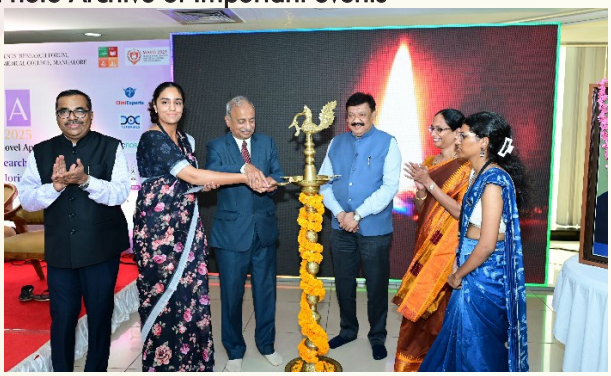
		India, it provides a vibrant platform for medical students from across the country to highlight their talents in music, dance, drama, art, and sports.	

Photo Archive of Important events



EREVNA 3rd Edition of Annual Undergraduate Medical Research Conference from 22 to 24 April 2025

"WECAN" - National Strategic Framework Meeting to strengthen the Integrated Emergency, Critical, and Operative (ECO) Care System in India from 29 to 30 October 2025

PARTHENON 2.0 Conference from 31 March 2025 to 02 April 2025

HEARCON 2025: Where Hearing Meets Balance from 16 to 17 October 2025

I-HEAL Conference 2025 from 30 to 31 May 2025

IMAGINE-2025 from 31 October 2025 to 2 November 2025

Cathlab at Government Wenlock Hospital inauguration on 25 September 2025

Women's Day on 8 March 2025

Knowledge Block at KMC, Bejai Campus on 23 December 2025

Launch of the 3 Tesla Advanced MRI on 14/03/2025

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Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

Courses Offered: Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS)

- Master of Denal Surgery (MDS) in
- Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge
- Periodontology
- Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
- Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics
- Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics
- Oral Pathology and Microbiology
- Public Health Dentistry
- Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry
- Oral Medicine and Radiology
- Certificate course in Oral Implantology
- Certificate course in Aesthetic Dentistry
- Certificate course in Laser Dentistry
- Integrated Photography course
- Dental Mechanic course
- Dental Hygienist course
- Dental Operating Room Assistant (DORA)

About the Institution/School:

Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal, a constituent unit of Manipal Academy of Higher Education, was the first private dental college in India, established in 1965. With a mission to achieve Global excellence in dental education and oral healthcare, the college envisions to be a leader in oral healthcare at the national and international levels. The institute is well known for its state-of-the-art facilities, diversity of students, a large spectrum of innovative courses and the quality of education offered to students from across the globe. • Ranked as No 5 Dental College in India (Source: National Institute Ranking Framework 2025) • Ranked as No 1 Dental College in India (Source: National Institute Ranking Framework 2021) • Ranked as No 1 Private Dental College in India (Source: The Week, Outlook and India Today • The college has state-of-the-art clinical facilities with advanced training in Aesthetic Dentistry, Implant Dentistry, Laser application, and integrated photography in dentistry. • The preclinical simulation laboratories offer a cutting-edge facility to develop practical dental skills • The clinical facilities offer a full range of dental services for both generalized and specialized dental treatment needs • State-of-the-art Phantom Heads Lab and Ceramic Lab

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Public Health Dentistry			
1	Monthly peripheral outreach program at Avarse and Belman	Periodic peripheral centre identified, screening and treatment initiated on a monthly basis	10-21 Jul 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	PG Symposium: A Complete Clinical Guide to Bonded Restorations	The symposium titled "A Complete Clinical Guide to Bonded Restorations in Anterior Teeth" was held at Lecture Hall 5A, Fifth Floor, Melaka Manipal Medical College (MMMC), Manipal. It featured Dr Rajeev S Pillai, a distinguished clinician with over 16 years of experience in biomimetic and aesthetic dentistry, as the guest speaker. The program highlighted practical tips and techniques for bonded restorations, including veneers, onlays, and overlays.	16 Apr 2025
2	CDE on Biomechanics of Rotary Instrumentation: Magnified Endodontics	The academic sessions included insightful lectures by Dr Narasimhan Bharadwaj on the biomechanics of rotary instrumentation and microscope-assisted endodontics. This was followed by an afternoon clinical demonstration on the retrieval of a separated instrument and a hands-on session, where postgraduate students practised rotary instrumentation under magnification. The program was highly interactive, well-received, and attended by 37 participants, with support from Dentsply Sirona and Labomed.	25 Aug 2025
3	CDE on Vital Pulp Therapy: Diagnosis and Treatment Planning	Dr Alapati delivered an engaging and informative lecture on "Vital Pulp Therapy: Diagnosis and Treatment Planning with Bioactive Materials," highlighting the principles of pulp vitality preservation, accurate diagnosis, and case selection. He discussed recent advances in bioactive materials, their clinical applications, and long-term outcomes, supported by clinical examples. The session encouraged active interaction among postgraduate students and faculty, enhancing understanding of contemporary endodontic practices.	22 Sep 2025
4	Webinar- Evidence-Based Strategies to Improve Endodontic Outcomes	The session was delivered by Dr Abhishek Parolia, Associate Professor, Research Director, and Director of Predoctoral Education, Department of Endodontics, University of Iowa College of Dentistry and Dental Clinics, USA. He shared contemporary, evidence-based insights with a focus on translating research into routine clinical practice. The webinar saw enthusiastic participation from faculty and postgraduate students of MCODS Manipal and MCODS Mangalore, making it a collaborative and enriching academic event that reinforced the role of evidence-based	23 Dec 2025

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		approaches in clinical decision-making and patient-centered endodontic care.	
Dental Materials			
1	Self-Directed learning	The Student Self-Directed Learning (SDL) Program in dental education is designed to promote active, independent, and lifelong learning among dental students. This program encourages students to take responsibility for identifying their learning needs, setting achievable learning objectives, selecting appropriate resources, and evaluating their learning outcomes under the guidance of faculty facilitators. SDL aligns with competency-based dental education and prepares students to meet the evolving demands of clinical practice. In the SDL framework, students engage in a variety of learning activities such as literature review of dental textbooks and scientific journals, case-based discussions, clinical problem-solving, evidence-based dentistry exercises, and reflective learning. Topics are often integrated with preclinical and clinical subjects, enabling students to correlate theoretical knowledge with clinical applications. Faculty members act as mentors and facilitators, providing structured guidance, monitoring progress, and offering constructive feedback. The program enhances essential competencies, including critical thinking, clinical reasoning, decision-making, communication skills, and self-assessment. By participating in self-directed learning, dental students develop confidence, professional accountability, and the ability to update their knowledge in response to advancements in dental materials, techniques, and patient care. Overall, the Student Self-Directed Learning Program plays a crucial role in shaping competent and reflective dental professionals. It fosters a learner-centered environment that supports continuous professional development and ensures graduates are well-prepared for lifelong learning and ethical dental practice.	04 Feb 2025-12 May 2025
Oral Pathology and Microbiology			
1	Alumni Interaction Program	An Alumni Interaction session was conducted, where our Alumnus (MDS Batch 2006), Dr J Muruganandhan, interacted with the undergraduate students and highlighted the importance of histopathology in general dental practice with interesting case scenarios. He stressed the importance of biopsy and correlation of pathology, its role along with clinical, radiographic, and laboratory workup in the diagnosis of common oral lesions, and its relevance to management and treatment.	07 Jan 2025
2	Education CDE Program	A Continuing Dental Education Program was for the BDS students on the topic “Pharmacogenomics in Dentistry – Known to unknown" by Dr Surulivel Rajan, Professor and Head, Department of Pharmacy Practice, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal. The session highlighted how the individual's genetic makeup influences their response to drugs and the importance of developing personalized medicine strategies that optimize drug therapy, minimize side effects, and improve patient outcomes.	25 Feb 2025

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3	National Oral Pathologist Day	In view of National Oral Pathologists Day, the department organized events that included "SCRAP MARVEL," where first and second-year BDS students were tasked with constructing a 3-D model using scrap materials to represent various areas in Oral Histology/Dental Anatomy/Oral Physiology/Embryology/Oral Pathology. Another event was "DENTO-ART," where students were asked to create a painting or sketch related to any theme in Oral Histology/Dental Anatomy/Oral Physiology/Embryology/Oral Pathology.	01 Mar 2025
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry			
1	Rubber Dam Workshop conducted for the Manipal Dental Conference 4.0	Rubber dam workshop was conducted in the Department of Pediatric Dentistry, with the resource persons Dr Sumit Gaur and Dr Saurabh Kumar.	15 Jul 2025
2	CDE program - Moderate Sedation in Pediatric dentistry	The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal, organized a Continuing Professional Development (CPD) program on the topic "Moderate Sedation in Pediatric Dentistry." The program was aimed at enriching the participants' knowledge about sedation techniques in pediatric dental practice, with a special focus on the use of Midazolam. Program Highlights: The session was conducted by Dr Ashwin Rao, who shared his expertise on the clinical applications of moderate sedation in children. The session was highly interactive, with 60 participants actively engaging in discussions, clarifying queries, and gaining practical insights into the safe and effective use of Midazolam in pediatric dental practice.	18 Sep 2025
3	Alumni Talk Series: Role and scope of genetics research in dentistry	The Alumni Talk Series session on "Role and Scope of Genetics Research in Dentistry" highlighted the growing importance of genetics in understanding oral health and disease. Delivered by Dr Wasiur Rahman Choudhury, the program discussed how genetic research contributes to early diagnosis, personalized treatment planning, and improved patient outcomes in dentistry. Held at the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, MCODS Manipal, the session provided students and faculty with valuable insights into emerging research opportunities and future directions in dental genetics.	06 Oct 2025
4	Children's Day celebration	The Department of Pediatric Dentistry orchestrated a comprehensive and impactful series of community outreach activities conducted from 03 Nov to 19 Nov 2025, with the theme - healthy hands, healthy mouths, happy hearts - small steps to big smiles- the initiative was to instill the early oral health awareness and preventive care among school children across Manipal and Udupi region.	19 Nov 2025

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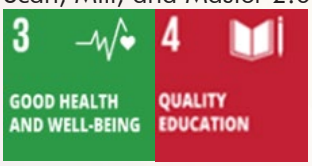
Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge			
1	CEREC: Revolutionizing Chairside Dentistry	Hands-on workshop	24 Mar 2025
2	07 Denture camps were organized in the Dept of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge in the year 2025. UG and PG students, along with Technicians and Faculty provided the treatment for all the patients. This camp was organized as part of the Community service extended by the Institution.	07 Denture camps were organized in the Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge, MCODS, Manipal on the following dates.	15 Apr-31 Dec 2025
3	Manipal Dental Conference Workshop	Hands-on workshop on Basic Implantology and Posterior Crown preparation	15 Jul 2025
4	Bridge the World – Explore Universal Solutions for Perfect Shading with Realism	Hands-on workshop	21 Jul 2025
5	Applied Training Program-Scan, Mill and Master	Comprehensive and enriching training for a deeper understanding of the complete digital workflow in dental restorations for Interns	28 Jul 2025-29 Jul 2025
6	Novel Implant Designs	A talk by Adjunct Faculty Dr Roy Judge (Melbourne Dental School)	22 Sep 2025
7	Applied Training Program-Scan, Mill, and Master 2.0 	Comprehensive and enriching training for a deeper understanding of the complete digital workflow in dental restorations for Interns	18 Aug 2025-19 Aug 2025
Public Health Dentistry			
1	Guest Lecture	A guest lecture was organized by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Manipal, bringing together experts in global health and orofacial pain to share their insights. The first lecture, titled "Challenges in Education Collaboratives," was presented by Dr Priyanka P Gudsoorkar, BDS, MPH, MBA. A global health professional and Assistant Professor at the University of Cincinnati, Dr Gudsoorkar directs the Global Health Concentration for the BSPH program. She actively contributes as the Mentoring Chair of the Oral Health Section of the APHA and Co-Chair of the Oral Health Interest Group at Academy Health. The second lecture, "Differential Diagnosis of Phantom Pain" and "Solidarity Dental Foundation," was delivered by Dr Sujay A J Mehta, DMD,	19 Feb 2025

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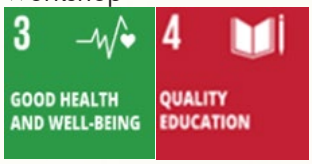
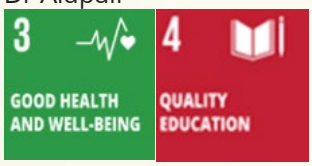
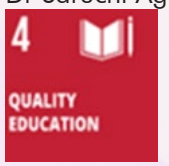
		MPH. A distinguished consultant in oral presentations of systemic illness and orofacial pain, Dr Mehta is currently the Director of Global Health Education at the Solidarity Dental Foundation.	
2	Clinical Club	Clinical Club February 2025	27 Feb 2025
3	World Oral Health Day	As part of World Oral Health Day 2025, an awareness campaign and dental screening camp were conducted at an orphanage school in the Udupi district. Schedule: • Vijetha, Karkala – 18 Mar • Karunya, Padukere – 19 Mar • Asha Nilaya, Udupi – 20 Mar • Manasa – 22 Mar Screening and Treatment Program The program was organized by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, MCODS, and Manipal, in collaboration with the Department of Pedodontics and Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH). The event was graced by: The event included: • Distribution of toothpaste to children to promote good oral hygiene practices • A field visit by BDS students, who conducted health talks for children, educating them on proper oral hygiene habits and the importance of dental care.	18-22 Mar 2025
4	Workshop 	A capacity-building and sensitizing session on Tobacco Cessation Counselling was for the benefit of Dental Interns of Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal. The Resource person for the session was Dr Nilam Gada, Dental Surgeon and Tobacco cessation therapist from Mumbai.	22 Apr 2025
5	WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY 2025	To commemorate World No Tobacco Day 2025, MCODS Manipal organized a series of impactful awareness and outreach activities aimed at promoting a tobacco-free lifestyle. Spearheaded by the Nasha Mukth Club and the Tobacco Cessation Clinic, the events engaged students, faculty, hospital patients, and members of the broader community. 1. Pledge Ceremony 2. Theme Sensitization Program, thought-provoking talk by Dr Virupaksha Devaramane, Psychiatrist at A V Baliga Hospital. 3. Street Play and Outreach at A V Baliga Memorial Hospital, Udupi. Street play was performed by Malang- the dramatics club of MCODS, powerfully depicting the harmful effects of tobacco. This was followed by a pledge-taking session led by the Nasha Mukth Club Representatives. Free oral health checkups and tobacco cessation counselling were offered to inpatients, workers, and staff. 4. Health Camp for Bus Drivers - Durgaamba Motors, Kundapura On June 1st, the team extended its outreach to the staff of Durgamba Motors and their families conducting an anti-tobacco awareness program, tobacco counseling and oral health treatment program in Bhandarkar's college, Kundapura (in association with the rotary club of Kundapura).	31 May-01 Jun 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics				
1	Dr Narasimhan Bharadwaj	ACCESS Dental Institute, Professor at Saveetha Dental College, Chennai, and Adjunct Professor at MAHSA University, Malaysia.	Speaker for CDE on Biomechanics of Rotary Instrumentation – Magnified Endodontics	25 Aug 2025
2	Dr Alapati 	Program Director of the Doctor of Clinical Dentistry Programs and Discipline Lead of Endodontics at the Melbourne Dental School, The University of Melbourne.	Speaker for CDE on Vital Pulp Therapy: Diagnosis and Treatment Planning	22 Sep 2025
3	Dr Rajeev S Pillai	Clinician and Chief Mentor and Resource Person for the PG Certificate Course in Aesthetic Dentistry at MCODS, Manipal,	Speaker for PG Symposium – A Complete Clinical Guide to Bonded Restorations	16 Dec 2025
4	Dr Abhishek Parolia	Associate Professor, Research Director, and Director of Predoctoral in the Department of Endodontics at the University of Iowa College of Dentistry and Dental Clinics, USA, and Adjunct faculty of the Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS, Manipal	Speaker for Webinar-Evidence-Based Strategies to Improve Endodontic Outcomes	23 Dec 2025
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery				
1	Dr K M Cariappa	Alumni of the Institute	Chief guest for Strasbourg Osteosynthesis Research Group (SORG) roadshow	18-19 Dec 2025
2	Dr Saruchi Agrawal 	SORG group India	SORG roadshow, a two-day workshop at MCODS Manipal	18-19 Dec 2025
3	Dr Peter Kessller	Maastricht University Medical Centre	SORG roadshow, a two-day workshop at MCODS Manipal	18-19 Dec 2025
4	Dr Nynke Lie	Maastricht University Medical Centre	SORG roadshow, a two-day workshop at MCODS Manipal	18-19 Dec 2025

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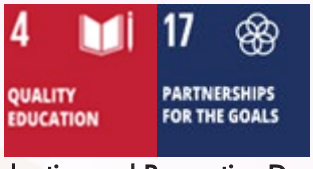
5	Dr Abhay T Kamath	KMC Hospital, Mangalore, Attavar	Guest of Honour for SORG Roadshow	18-19 Dec 2025
6	Dr Veronique Timmer	Maastricht University Medical Centre	SORG roadshow, a two-day workshop at MCODS Manipal	18-19 Dec 2025
7	Dr Pushkar Waknis	SORG Group India	SORG roadshow, a two-day workshop at MCODS Manipal	18-19 Dec 2025
Oral Medicine and Radiology				
1	Dr Nisha Manila	Associate Professor, Director of Academic and Clinical Radiology at California State University, Northridge, US, and an International Adjunct Faculty of MCODS, Manipal.	Guest Lecture on "Exploring Avenues in Maxillofacial Radiology: Advancements and Opportunities in the US" Visit as an Adjunct Faculty of the Department	04 Feb 2025
Oral Pathology and Microbiology				
1	Dr J Muruganandhan	Sri Venkateswara Dental College and Hospital, Chennai	UG Exam Guest lecture/Alumni Interaction Histopathology in General Dentistry – An Oral Pathologist perspective	07 Jan 2025
Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics				
1	Dr Manish Valiathan	School of dental medicine, Case western reserve university, USA	CDE program	18 Mar 2025
2	Dr Yuri D souza 	3Shape, India, Industry-academia collaboration	CDE program	23 Sep 2025
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry				
1	Dr Ashwin Rao	MCODS, Mangalore, MAHE	Resource person for the CDE program	18 Sep 2025

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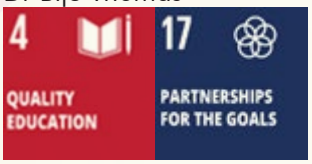
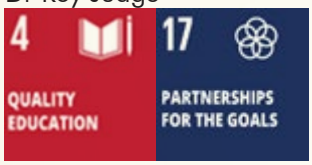
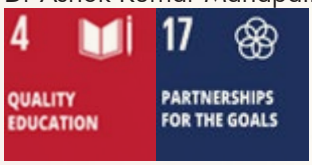
2	Dr Wasiur Rahman Choudhury	KMC Manipal, MAHE	Resource Person for Guest Lecture	06 Oct 2025
Periodontology				
1	Dr Biju Thomas 	A B Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences, Mangalore	Delivered a lecture on "Essential tips for preventive oral care in the general population."	01 Aug 2025
Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge				
1	Dr Roy Judge 	Melbourne Dental School, Australia	Adjunct Faculty as part of the MAHE International Collaboration	22 - 23 Sep 2025
Public Health Dentistry				
1	Dr P Parthasarathi Reddy	Principal, Sai College of Dental Sciences	To gather ideas for establishing an Ayurveda Center in Hyderabad, a project he plans to undertake in the future	04 Feb 2025
2	Dr Mathew Kurien	Private Practice in England	Visiting the College	17 Feb 2025
3	Dr Ashok Kumar Mahapatra 	Private Practioner	Visiting the College	19 Jun 2025
4	Dr Puneet Chahar	Technical Advisor, Tobacco Cessation at Vital Strategies (New Delhi), and Rajesh Bharatiya, State Project Officer, Tobacco Cessation, along with the District Tobacco Control Cell team	Visiting the College Observed the MCODS Manipal Tobacco Cessation Centre's functionality and best practices	21 Aug 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
32	2	153	1

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
51	21	78	7

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
CME/CDE	14	1
Workshop	5	0
Seminar	3	0
Other	5	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics					
1	Impact of climate change on global sustainability Interdisciplinary perspectives and solutions	The Environmental Impact of Dental Materials: A Shift towards Sustainability	Dr Neetha Shenoy	JEC Publication	27 May 2025
Oral Pathology and Microbiology					
1	Oral Histology and Oral Histopathology	Oral Histology and Oral Histopathology	Dr Monica C Solomon	Springer	09 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics					
1	Design and development of the dental file reinforced with high strength	Dr Afiya Eram	Lifeathon, Manipal	200,000	10 Jan 2025
2	Effect of novel all-in-one root canal irrigants on dislodgement resistance of epoxy resin and hydraulic calcium silicate sealers: An ex-vivo study: Article Processing Charge for European Journal of Dentistry	Dr Vasudev Ballal	Ajman University, UAE	142,376	26 Aug 2025
3	Physical and chemical properties of all-in-one root canal irrigants- A laboratory study Article Processing Charge for European Journal of Dentistry	Dr Vasudev Ballal	Ajman University, UAE	142,376	18 Sep 2025
Dental Materials					
1	Laser assisted surface modification of materials used for rehabilitation of maxillofacial defects to minimize microbial adhesion	Dr Kishore Ginjupalli	ICMR	8,043,003	04 Mar 2025 - 03 Mar 2026
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery					
1	Development of a canceronachip device for assessment of drug sensitivity on patient derived tumour samples for personalized medicine	Dr. Adarsh Kudva (Co-PI	BIRAC	8,225,000	31 Dec 2025
2	Development of quantum enhanced multimodal nonlinear optical microscope integrated with machine learning for oral cancer screening and diagnosis	Dr Adarsh Kudva (Co-PI)	ICMR	1,900,000	31 Dec 2025
3	Oral Cancer Risk Score" (OCRS): A software-driven algorithm for early detection and risk assessment of oral cancer	Dr Mehul and Dr Adarsh	ICMR - applied	19,055,824	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry					
1	Bioactive alkasite based material compared with RMGIC for proximal restorations in primary molars- A RCT	Dr Jeel Gala Dr Rashmi Nayak	Seed Money, MAHE	10,000	01 Jan - 30 Jun 2025
2	Clinical evaluation of titanium nitride coated preformed crowns versus stainless steel crowns in primary teeth: A split mouth, randomized controlled trial	Dr Shreya Bhatt and Dr N Sridhar	Indian Society Of Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry (ISPPD)	10,000	29 - 28 Sep 2025
3	Development, validation and reliability of the novel teddy (tool for expressing and determining dental fear and anxiety in young children) scale	Dr Nithya Annie Thomas	ICMR	60,000	03 Oct 2025
Public Health Dentistry					
1	Dental Treatment needs mapping of the Gram Panchayat of Udupi District, Karnataka State, India, an Oral Epidemiological Priority Initiative through selected key age indicators	Dr Ramprasad V P	Responsive Research Fund; Project CORE	300,000	21 Apr 2025
2	Knowledge, awareness and behaviour regarding vitamin D levels among dental students in South India: a cross-sectional survey	Dr P Kalyana Chakravarthy	Bentham Science Publishers Ltd (FZE)	102,871	13 May 2025

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A system and method for measuring upper incisor inclination using a universal jig	14 May 2025
2	A System and Method for Measuring Upper Incisor Inclination Using A Universal Jig Reference No. TEMP/E-1/50080/2025-CHE, Inventors: Dr Ritesh Singla, Co-inventor: Dr Nishu Singla	31 May 2025
3	A Dual-Cavity Matrix System for Simultaneous Restoration- Dr Neetha	04 Jun 2025
4	A microneedle-based drug delivery system, and a method of preparation thereof	13 Jun 2025
5	A system and method for bio-integrated 3D printed teeth preclinical simulation Dr Raghu A R and Dr Smitha S Shetty	18 Jun 2025
6	An automated dental retraction cord delivery device	30 Jun 2025
7	A device for orofacial pain management	30 Jun 2025
8	Copyright filed for “flow structure of the process of prediction modeling” by Dr Pratibha G	30 Jun 2025
9	A child-friendly cheek retractor using medical-grade silicone for pediatric dentistry and method thereof	27 Oct 2025
10	Device and method for enhancing dental visibility and scaling through magnification interface by Dr Lakshmi and Dr Namratha	31 Oct 2025
11	Saliva-based dual biomarker lateral flow assay (LFA) device for early detection of oral cancer	31 Oct 2025
12	Mouth opening device	31 Oct 2025
13	A device and method for dynamic blood vessel mapping by Dr Lakshmi, Dr Namratha, and Dr Jothi	30 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Date
14	A nanoparticle-loaded biodegradable microneedle array patch for systemic radioprotection	31 Dec 2025
15	A composition and method for an intraoral mucoadhesive amifostine patch for localized radioprotection	31 Dec 2025
16	A system and method for thermo-triggered transdermal delivery of amifostine	31 Dec 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Dental Preclinical Training System and Method- Dr Afiya	10 Jan 2025
2	A Device with Multiple Retractors for Simultaneous Retraction-Dr Vidya Saraswathi M	31 Mar 2025
3	Arch shaped portable gnathodynamometer	31 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Oral Pathology and Microbiology			
1	Dr Nisha Shetty	First place in AV Teaching Aid Competition	27 Sep 2025
2	Dr Raghu AR	One among the top 2% Scientists	31 Dec 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	Dr Vasudev Ballal	IEJ- Appreciation for the completion of 200 reviews.	08 Mar 2025
		BMC Oral Health Author Service Award	01 May 2025
		BMC Oral Health Editorial Contribution Award	01 May 2025
2	Dr Afiya Eram	Felicitation-Lifeathon	18 Jul 2025
		2024 Highly cited paper: Investigating the influence of All Ceramic Prosthetic Materials on Implants and their effect on the surrounding bone: A finite element analysis	08 Sep 2025
3	Dr Vasudev Ballal	Top 2% Scientist in the World (Dentistry), Stanford University and Elsevier, 2025.	22 Sep 2025
		Certificate of merit for Top 2% Researcher in the World, MCODS, Manipal	22 Sep 2025
		Session Best Paper-33rd National Conference of Indian Endodontic Society	02 Nov 2025
4	Dr Sandya Kini K	Session Best Poster-33rd National Conference of Indian Endodontic Society	02 Nov 2025
5	Dr Tina P P	Session Best Paper-33rd National Conference of Indian Endodontic Society	02 Nov 2025
6	Dr Raj Kumar Narkedamalli	Outstanding Reviewer Award - 202433rd National Conference of Indian Endodontic Society	02 Nov 2025
7	Dr Neetha	3rd Place in Hackathon FDP-" Revolutionizing Bioengineering: Sensors, Devices and Emerging Technologies", Biomedical Engineering, MIT	11 Dec 2025
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery			
1	Dr Chithra A	First Place in Poster presentation on "Magnetic mallet in implantology" at 22nd APISCON 25, Bangalore	17 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
2	Dr Anand Deep Shukla	2nd prize in best audio-visual aid awarded during annual day of MCODS, Manipal	27 Sep 2025
Oral Medicine and Radiology			
1	Dr Mathangi Kumar	First Place in Scientific Paper Presentation for her work titled "Dental Neglect by Individuals with Hemophilia: Clinical Challenges and Solutions" at the National Hemostasis Update Conference 2025.	03 Aug 2025
2	Dr Vineetha R	First place in the scientific paper presentation for her work titled "Post Traumatic Trigeminal Neuropathy: Navigating Through the Diagnostic and Therapeutic Maze" at the 36th National Conference of the Indian Academy of Oral Medicine and Radiology	23 Nov 2025
3	Dr Komal Smriti	Second place in the hackathon conducted as part of the Faculty Development Program (FDP) titled "Revolutionizing Bioengineering: Sensors, Devices, and Emerging Technologies," held at the Department of Biomedical Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal	12 Dec 2025
Oral Pathology and Microbiology			
1	Dr Nisha Shetty	"Title: Synthesis and Optimization of Electrospun Silk Fibrion - Based Nanofibers for Dental Applications" Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research 2025. First place -Oral presentation	14 Nov 2025
2	Dr Sunitha Carnelio	Title: "Immunohistochemical Evaluation of Nuclear markers in a model of oral potentially malignant disorders to malignant lesions" 32nd National Conference on Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists. 16-11-2025 Second place- Poster presentation	16 Nov 2025
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry			
1	Dr Nithya Annie Thomas	Best Paper Award in PEDOKON	27 Sep 2025
Periodontology			
1	Dr Gopalakrishnan Dharmarajan	Prof J G Kannappan award from ISDR for Best Scientific paper publication in IJDR	20 Sep 2025
2	Dr Aditi Chopra	TMA Pai gold medal for outstanding research	27 Sep 2025
3	Dr Shashikiran	First Prize for paper presentation at the Golden Jubilee National Conference of ISP	20 Dec 2025
4	Dr Lakshmi P	Awarded PhD	20 Dec 2025
Public Health Dentistry			
1	Dr Shashidhar Acharya	Appointed as an expert member to the Committee for the Integration of the National Oral Health Program with the National Program for Prevention and Control of Fluorosis	11 Feb 2025
2	Dr Ramprasad V P	Second Place in the Scientific Paper titled "Phenomenological aspects of Dentistry, a Narrative Insight"	16 Feb 2025
3	Dr Ramprasad V P	Honoured with the National Tobacco Control Heroes 2025 Award for his outstanding contributions to the tobacco control mission.	15 Aug 2025
4	Dr Kalyan Chakravarthy	Best Paper: The effect of Lavender Aromatherapy on salivary cortisol and Hemodynamic parameters among children undergoing routine dental treatment: A randomised controlled trial	30 Nov 2025
5	Dr Nishu Singla	Best Paper: COTPA section 4 compliance in the Manipal and Udupi region: An exploratory survey from coastal Karnataka	30 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
6	Dr Shashidhar Acharya	Recognized as a top scientist in his field, ranking in the top 2 percentile with a global rank of 255,393 in Clinical Medicine and Dentistry, and a sub-field rank of 1,769. This achievement is a testament to his exceptional expertise.	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	Dr Prakhruti	33rd National Conference of Indian Endodontic Society ISPRP-Best paper	02 Nov 2025
2	Dr Saajid Sahib Singh	33rd National Conference of the Indian Endodontic Society Session Best Paper	02 Nov 2025
3	Dr Gagana	33rd National Conference of the Indian Endodontic Society Session Best Paper	02 Nov 2025
4	Dr Rajathashree Yuvaraj	33rd National Conference of the Indian Endodontic Society Session Best Paper	02 Dec 2025
Oral Medicine and Radiology			
1	Dr Lisamarie S L Colaco	First Place in Scientific Paper Presentation for her work titled "Evaluation of pharyngeal airway measurements using Cone Beam Computed Tomography and its correlation" in IAOMR 1ST INTERNATIONAL PG CONVENTION with the risk of Obstructive Sleep Apnea: A prospective cross-sectional study, Post Graduate Convention, BANGKOK, THAILAND.	12 Jul 2025
2	Dr Lakshmi Priya	Second Place in Scientific Paper Presentation for her work titled "Assessing patient-reported outcome and clinical severity in patients with Oral Lichen Planus using COMDQ-15 and OLP-IGA— an observational study" in IAOMR 1ST INTERNATIONAL PG CONVENTION with the risk of Obstructive Sleep Apnea: A prospective cross-sectional study, Post Graduate Convention, BANGKOK, THAILAND.	12 Jul 2025
3	Dr Bhanu Priya	First place in the scientific paper presentation on "CBCT-Guided Evaluation of Mandibular Third Molar Impaction, Cortical Plate Thickness, and Safe Surgical Pathways for Lingual Nerve Preservation" at the 36th National Conference of the Indian Academy of Oral Medicine and Radiology, held at D Y Patil Deemed to be University, School of Dentistry, Nerul, Navi Mumbai.	23 Nov 2025
Oral Pathology and Microbiology			
1	Dr Shyam S	Title: "Immunohistochemical Evaluation of Nuclear markers in a model of oral potentially malignant disorders to malignant lesions" 32nd National Conference on Indian Association of Oral & Maxillofacial Pathologists. First place- Oral presentation	16 Nov 2025
Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics			
1	Dr Shreeya	First prize for Paper presentation at IDA Chennai	09 Feb 2025
2	Dr Adarsh Ninan Sam	Second prize for Paper presentation at IDA Chennai	09 Feb 2025
3	Dr Adarsh Ninan Sam	First prize for paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry			
1	Dr Shilpa N	First in the Journal club Competition in Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
Periodontology			
1	Dr Pooja Shehrawat	Second Prize for paper presentation at the 75th IDC at Chennai	07 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
2	Dr Mohini Gautam	First Prize for paper presentation at the 75th IDC at Chennai	07 Feb 2025
3	Dr Mohini Gautam	First Prize for paper presentation at the 15th ISPRP	12 Jul 2025
4	Dr Thousil	Commendation prize for poster at the Golden Jubilee National Conference of ISP	20 Dec 2025
Public Health Dentistry			
1	Dr Aadil Abdulhameed	Third place in presenting his scientific paper titled "Digital Pathway to Care: The Role of E-Referrals in Advancing Dental Public Health Access"	28 Jun 2025
2	Dr Polavarapu Venkata Abhinaya	Paper: Impact of Aromatherapy on Salivary Cortisol levels among children undergoing Dental treatment - Randomized Controlled Trial	28 Jun 2025
3	Dr Jeevan V Sambasivan	Assessment of Oral Health Status and Treatment Needs of Gram Panchayath Members of Udupi District, Karnataka State, India: A Cross-Sectional Study	28 Jun 2025
4	Dr Bidisha Sarmah	First place in presenting her scientific paper titled “Quantifying Health Utilities of Adult Prosthodontic Patients Using the Time Trade Off Method: A Cross-Sectional Study”	28 Jun 2025
5	Dr Jishnu Pradeep	First place in presenting his scientific paper titled “Oral Health-Related Quality of Life and Associated Factors in Patients Requiring Endodontic Treatment”	28 Jun 2025
6	Dr Jeevan V Sambasivan	Second Prize in the Scientific Paper Presentation titled "Exploring the link between Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome, Oral Health Status, and Oral Health Related Quality of Life: A Pilot Study".	21 Sep 2025
7	Dr Hrishita Gupta	Third Prize in the Scientific Paper Presentation "Global and Regional Prevalence of Areca Nut Consumption among Children and Adolescents – A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis”	21 Sep 2025
8	Dr Jishnu Pradeep	Paper Titled: Oral health-related quality of life & associated factors in patients requiring endodontic treatment.	30 Nov 2025
9	Dr Kaiwalya Ashtekar	Poster: Sweet tooth, sour consequences: The fight against sugar-driven diseases.	30 Nov 2025
10	Dr Jeevan V Sambasivan	Paper: Oral Health status and oral health related quality of life in females with polycystic ovarian syndrome. A comparative cross-sectional study	30 Nov 2025
11	Dr Aadil Abdulhameed	Paper: Global impact of smoke-free legislation policies on second-hand smoke and public health: a narrative review	30 Nov 2025
12	Dr Hrishita Gupta	Paper: Global and Regional Prevalence of Areca Nut Consumption Among Children And Adolescents - Systematic Review And Meta-analysis	30 Nov 2025
13	Dr Chitra Devi T B	Poster: From Womb To wellness: Advancing maternal and child oral health	30 Nov 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Dentathlon 2025	Inter-batch annual sports meet	01 Apr 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Manipal Marathon	Anitha Lobo - Second Place-5 Km Run	08 Feb 2025
2	MAHE Inter staff volleyball tournament	Runners-up Inter MAHE volleyball tournament	19 Mar 2025
3	Staff Athletics - 1 Km walk	Anitha Lobo - Second Place 1KM walk	23 Mar 2025
4	MAHE Staff Athletics	Savitha S, Above 40 age group, First prize 100 m, 200 m and 800 m Overall Champion Savitha Nayak M Above 50 Discuss Throw - Second Place 1 km walk - Second Place	23 Mar 2025
5	5 km Run	Veerendra Hegde Sowkhya Vana Yoga Day - III Place Anitha Lobo	21 Jun 2025
6	Syndicate Bank Marathon	Second Place-10 KM Run - Anitha Lobo	12 Aug 2025
7	MAHE Intercollegiate Table Tennis	Kanika and Savitha - Second Place	20 Aug 2025
8	MAHE Intercollegiate Staff Chess	Kannika - Chess Second Place	24 Aug 2025
9	MAHE Staff Intercollegiate - Squash	Preethi - Squash Runner Up - Singles	04 Sep 2025
10	MAHE Intercollegiate Staff Badminton	Above 40 Preethi and Savitha - Badminton Runner up Doubles Savitha S - Badminton Runner up Singles Above 50 Devaki and Prathima - Winner Savitha S and Kannika - Runner up	07 Sep 2025
11	Udupi Marathon	Second Place-5 KM Run - Anitha Loo	07 Dec 2025

Outside University:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Freedom Run Canara Marathon	Preethi Second place in 10 km	10 Aug 2025
2	Mental Health - Marathon	Preethi First Place in 5 km	11 Oct 2025
3	Udupi Marathon	Preethi Fourth place in 10 km	07 Dec 2025

Cultural Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Hues 2025	A inter batch cultural extravaganza of MCODS Manipal.	21 Jan 2025
2	Onam celebration	Onam was celebrated at the Institute	04 Sep 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	INVICTUS	An intercollege cultural and sports fest organized by KMC Manipal	08 Mar 2025
2	UTSAV	A flagship intercollege event of MAHE	24 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events:

Continuing Professional Development Program_Dr Nisha Manila, Associate Professor and Director of Radiology, California Northstate University College of Dental Medicine (2)

Roentgen Day Celebration_International Day of Radiology_ MCODS MPL (2)

16 April 2025 PG SYMPOSIUM

The symposium titled "A Complete Clinical Guide to Bonded Restorations in Anterior Teeth" by Rajeev Pillai

Evidence-Based Strategies WEBINAR 1

Perio Guest Lecture

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) program on the topic "Moderate Sedation in Pediatric Dentistry."

CDE program of Dr Manish Valiathan, School of Dental Medicine, Case Western Reserve University, USA

Dr Srinath Reddy, Honorary Distinguished Professor at PHFI and Team from the Indian School of Public Policy, New Delhi

Oral Pathologist Day events 01 March 2025

World Environment Day celebration

Centre for Photography

Address: MCODS, Manipal
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Year of Establishment of the Centre: November 2022
Name of the Coordinator: Dr M Vidya Saraswathi
Members:

Coordinator: Dr M Vidya Saraswathi, Professor, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal
Co-Coordinators

1. Dr Arvind Pandey, Associate Professor, Department of Anatomy, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
2. Dr Ramakrishna M, Associate Professor, Department of Data Science and Computer Engineering, MIT, Manipal
3. Dr Shubha H S, Professor, MIC, Manipal
4. Dr Priyanka Kamath, Associate Professor, KMC, Mangalore
5. Mr Nishith Damodhar, Assistant Professor, Senior Scale, WGSHA, Manipal

Brief About the Centre:
The **vision** is to facilitate the development of art and techniques of photography to nurture hobbies and/or aid in the profession. The benefits are two-fold,

1. Ensuring a healthy life and promoting the well-being of all age groups, as involvement in hobbies and related activities can distract them from the present bane of destructive practices like alcohol, drug abuse etc, and promote mental well-being.
2. Inclusive and quality education with lifelong learning opportunities for all.

Stakeholders/Target Group:

1. Students and faculty of constituent units of MAHE
2. Students and faculty of constituent units of AGE

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	World Photography week	The Eco Club, MCODS, Manipal, in association with Centre for Photography, MAHE, celebrated Photography Week 2025 with the inspiring theme "Green Frames: Earth Through My Lens", which was in alignment with the Photography Week theme of "My favourite photo" in celebration of our planet's beauty and resilience. Held as an online event, the initiative invited students and faculty to share their favourite photographs of nature, capturing personal moments of connection with the environment. Guided by Dr Vidya Saraswathi M, Faculty Advisor, the event celebrated visual storytelling as a powerful tool for promoting sustainability and environmental awareness. Participants were encouraged to submit original, non-AI-generated images that reflected themes of nature, eco-conscious living, and sustainability. The event not only fostered creativity and environmental appreciation but also offered a platform for budding photographers to showcase their work—the best entries were featured on the official MCODS	12 - 26 Aug 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		Instagram stories, amplifying voices that speak for the Earth through the lens. **Link of the event:** - https://www.instagram.com/reel/DOLRbiaieJm/?igsh=NWVjMG1uZGxrN2dl	

Certificate awarding ceremony of Integrated Dental Photography

Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore

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Name of the Dean: Dr Ashita Uppoor
Established:1987

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

- BDS (Undergraduate)

MDS (Post Graduation):

- Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics
- Oral Pathology and Microbiology
- Periodontology
- Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge
- Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics
- Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery
- Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry
- Oral Medicine and Radiology
- Public Health Dentistry

Certificate

- Certificate Course in Restorative Dentistry
- Certificate Course in CBCT
- Certificate Course in Modern Endodontic Practice
- Certificate Course in Forensic Odontology(blended)
- Certificate Course in Minor Oral Surgery
- Certificate course in Forensic Odontology (online)
- Certificate course in Micro implant anchorage
- Certificate course in CAD-CAM dentistry
- Dental Bench Test Preparatory course

Post MDS

- PhD Program

About the Institution/School:
Founded in 1987, MCODS, Mangalore, is the country's first dental college to admit 100 students to the BDS course from the very first year of inception, along with the simultaneous commencement of postgraduate programs. We are a constituent unit of

Manipal Academy of Higher Education, which is accredited with the highest Certified A++ by NAAC in the year 2022. The institute follows the ISO 9001:2015 and 14001:2015 standards, imparting quality health care to patients as well as excellent education to students. MCODS, Mangalore, is spread over two locations, conveniently accessible in the city, namely Light House Hill Road and Bejai, with dedicated facilities in each of them. A total of 311 dental chairs, state-of-the-art dental equipment, a centrally air-conditioned library, modern air-conditioned lecture halls, and continuing professional development (CPD) rooms with audiovisual aids, phantom head simulation laboratories for preclinical training, and access to the newer generation of dental materials ensure delivery of optimal training to the undergraduate and postgraduate students. The institute has a mobile dental clinic with two automated dental units that render treatment in peripheral nodal Centres and areas with limited access to dental care. MCODS, Mangalore, successfully conducted 949 dental camps with 22453 patients treated in 2025. The institute also provides segregated hostel facilities for both male and female students, with transport provided from the hostels to the institute. The comprehensively configured 3D Cone Beam Computerized Tomography is a fully loaded system installed in the college. The Surgical Skills Laboratory, the first of its kind in a dental institute in India, has life-size mannequins for hands-on preclinical training in injection techniques (local anaesthesia, IM/IV), tooth extraction, suturing techniques, and basic life support. The state-of-the-art surgical microscope and the CAD Cam equipment are the new equipment added to the inventory of MCODS, Mangalore. Our dental facility features state-of-the-art digital dentistry equipment, including an intraoral and face scanner, with a dedicated Center for Digital Dentistry and advanced infrastructure for precision diagnostics and treatment.

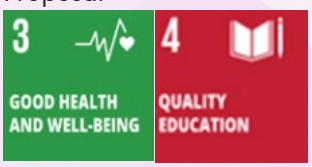
Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Strategic Initiation of the Center for Digital Dentistry,	One of the major best practices of our institute is the strategic initiation of the Center for Digital Dentistry, which reflects our commitment to future-ready dental education and technology-driven clinical training. This center is envisioned as a comprehensive hub for all digital modules in dentistry, including intraoral 3D scanning, 3D printing, digital smile designing, and computer-assisted treatment planning. What makes this initiative unique is that exposure to digital dentistry has been introduced right from the internship level, ensuring that students graduate with hands-on familiarity with contemporary digital workflows that are now becoming standard in advanced clinical practice. The center also serves as a platform for interdisciplinary learning, research, and innovation. To further strengthen this initiative, a grant proposal worth 5.3 crores INR has been submitted, highlighting the institutional vision to develop state-of-the-art infrastructure and to integrate digital dentistry into teaching, clinical services, and research.	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
2	Bench Test Course	Bench Test Course, a structured and skill-oriented training program designed to enhance the technical competence and confidence of students. This course is not restricted to our own students alone but is also open to external candidates, thereby extending the academic and training outreach of the institution. The Bench Test Course plays a crucial role in	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		preparing candidates for competitive examinations and overseas licensing assessments, where manual dexterity, procedural accuracy, and time management are critical. By combining structured mentoring, systematic practice, and objective assessment, this initiative significantly improves students' readiness for both national and international professional challenges, reinforcing the institute's role as a center of academic and skill excellence.	

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Global Career Prospects for Dental Intern Students, 	The Career Guidance Committee of MCODS Mangalore hosted a session on "Global Career Prospects for Dental Interns," featuring Dr Arvind Babu, Professor and Research Coordinator at the School of Dentistry, Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of the West Indies.	08 Jan 2025
2	Beyond Smile- Communicate to Care 	Toastmasters International, Division F of District 121, conducted a program titled "Beyond Smile – Communicate to Care." It was organized by the Institutional Academic Excellence Committee, MCODS Mangalore. A team of four resource persons, led by Dr Meera Rao, addressed the students.	11 Jan 2025
3	Research as a Career Option 	The MAHE Student Research Forum, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, along with the Career Guidance Committee, conducted a webinar titled "Research as a Career Option". The resource person was Dr Anahita Deo, alumna of the 2014 batch and Founder of Odigio Careers. Having successfully placed health professionals in research-related roles in corporate organizations, she provided unique insights into career opportunities in research after graduation. She emphasized the importance of utilizing the resources and opportunities provided by MCODS Mangalore to help students build a strong research portfolio.	05 Feb 2025
4	Crafting a Compelling Grant Proposal 	The program was designed to equip participants with essential skills for writing persuasive and successful grant proposals. It provided a structured approach to understanding grant requirements, developing strong narratives, and effectively communicating project goals to potential funders. The program successfully enhanced participants' ability to identify and assess	17 Feb 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		funding opportunities, develop well-structured and persuasive grant proposals, align proposals with funding agency priorities, present budgets that support project feasibility and sustainability, and, finally, proofread proposals and conduct compliance checks.	
5	Digital Conclave	The Centre for Digital Dentistry of MCODS Mangalore, along with the IPS Karnataka State Branch, conducted its first-ever Digital Conclave, a two-day event comprising lectures and workshops at MARENA, Mangalore. A total of 205 delegates, including faculty members, students, and practitioners from colleges across Karnataka, Kerala, and Goa, attended the event. The conclave featured 11 lectures, 7 workshops, and 2 panel discussions over the two days. The event covered all aspects of digital dentistry, from intraoral scanning to 3D printing and navigation surgeries, providing insights into the rapidly evolving field of digital dentistry, which helps reduce clinical time and improve patient outcomes.	22 - 23 Feb 2025
6	Advancing Orthodontics Through 3D Printing: Industry-Academia Collaboration	The Center for Digital Dentistry, MCODS Mangalore, in collaboration with Oblu Healthcare LLP, New Delhi, successfully conducted an industry–academia program focusing on digital advancements in orthodontics. Engineers from Oblu Healthcare LLP provided a hands-on demonstration of 3D printing technology and its associated software for creating orthodontic models used in treatment planning. The program was attended by orthodontic postgraduate students, who gained valuable insights into the integration of 3D printing within clinical workflows. This collaborative initiative served as a vital platform for bridging the gap between academia and industry, ensuring that future orthodontists are well-equipped with cutting-edge digital tools for clinical practice.	20 Mar 2025
7	Scoping Review	A two-day workshop on Scoping Review was organized by the PG Research Verticals of MCODS Mangalore and KMC Mangalore and conducted by Dr Divya Patil, Dr Edlin Mathias, and Mr Elstin Anbu Raj from PSPH Manipal for postgraduate students and faculty. The program was well appreciated by all the participants.	06 - 07 May 2025
8	Scope of exploring various options after BDS as a part of the career guidance program for students	A guest lecture was organized by the Career Guidance Committee, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, as part of the Academic Curricular Exchange–III (ACE–III) on 24 May 2025. A total of 31 participants attended the program, including III-year BDS students from MCODS Mangalore. Dr Shreya Hegde, Associate Professor, Department of	24 May 2025

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		Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS Mangalore, and a member of the Career Guidance Committee, welcomed all the participants. The guest speaker for the event, Dr Shreya Hegde, shared her valuable insights on the topic "Scope of Exploring Various Options After BDS." A Q&A session was held at the end of the lecture. Overall, positive feedback was received from the participants, and the program was well-appreciated by all.	
9	AI Tools Simplifying Research	The Dental Education Unit (DEU) successfully conducted a Faculty Development Program (FDP) on "AI Tools Simplifying Research". The session was led by Dr Srikant N, Professor of Oral Pathology, who brought his expertise and enthusiasm to the forefront, making the program both informative and engaging.	03 Jul 2025
10	MRM and IQAC Meet 2025	17th MRM and 13th IQAC Meet held on 05 Aug 2025	05 Aug 2025
11	Certificate course on CAD-CAM Dentistry: Chairside CEREC Clinician Course	The Centre for Digital Dentistry and the Department of Prosthodontics, in association with Dentsply Sirona, conducted a certificate course on CAD–CAM Dentistry: Chairside CEREC Clinician Course. Dr Umesh Pai, Associate Professor in the Department of Prosthodontics, served as the course coordinator. This extensive two-day hands-on workshop covered various aspects of CAD–CAM dentistry, including crowns, fixed partial dentures, implants, cast partial dentures, and complete dentures. The objective of the course was to bring participants one step closer to mastering digital dentistry by providing in-depth knowledge of CAD–CAM technology and imparting the skills required to plan and deliver excellent same-day restorations. The resource person for the course was Dr Vijay Alageshan, a respected prosthodontist and esteemed alumnus of Christian Medical College, where he completed both his undergraduate and postgraduate studies, graduating at the top of his class. He has served as a faculty member at YMT Dental College and Rau Dental College. With extensive experience in the CEREC chairside system, he currently applies his expertise at Dentsply Sirona and has received certified training in digital and CAD/CAM dentistry in Germany. Dr Alageshan also collaborates with leading practitioners to integrate advanced CAD/CAM technologies across multiple practices in South India.	19 Nov 2025
12	Pathway to UK: Preparation for ORE Exam, Finances, and Career Prospects	The Career Guidance Cell of Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, organized an informative guest lecture titled "Pathway to UK: Preparation for ORE Exam, Finances and Career	26 Nov 2025

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		Prospects". The session was delivered by Dr Aayush Poddar, Endodontist, and distinguished Alumnus (Batch of 2015), who has successfully cleared the Overseas Registration Examination (ORE). The session was attended by III BDS students and interns, with a total of 22 participants. Dr Aayush outlined the complete pathway for Indian graduates aspiring to practice dentistry in the United Kingdom. He elaborated on the structure of the ORE examination, differences between ORE and LDS, preparation strategies, timelines, documentation requirements, finances involved, and expected career prospects after successful registration. The session concluded with an engaging Q&A, where students clarified doubts related to exam eligibility, job opportunities, visa pathways, and the transition to UK clinical practice. Participants expressed that the lecture significantly enhanced their understanding of international career options and motivated them to explore global professional avenues.	
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	Cons and Endo Week Celebration	The Cons and Endo Week Celebration, held in association with IACDE and MCODS Mangalore. The event was organized by the Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS Mangalore. The theme for this year's celebration was "Dental Aesthetics." Various student activities were conducted, including a quiz, table clinic, debate, and poster competition. A total of 82 participants, comprising undergraduate (UG) and postgraduate (PG) students from neighbouring colleges in and around Mangalore, actively took part in these events.	28 Feb 2025
2	Mastering the Management of C-Shaped canals: Techniques, Tools and Tips for Successful Endodontic Treatment	The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS Mangalore, organized a Continuing Dental Education (CDE) program and hands-on workshop on the topic "Mastering the Management of C-Shaped Canals: Techniques, Tools, and Tips for Successful Endodontic Treatment." The event was conducted in collaboration with Orodeka and I-Mag Medical, featuring loupes and LED lighting solutions.	05 - 06 Apr 2025
3	Injection Moulding Technique	The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, conducted a Continuing Dental Education	07 Jun 2025

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		(CDE) program and hands-on workshop titled "Injection Moulding Technique". The resource person for the program was Dr Shibu Sreedhar, MDS (Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics). The event was organized in collaboration with GC India Dental Private Limited.	
4	Basic Recap 2025	The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics at Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, successfully conducted a two-day pre-examination preparatory workshop titled "Basic Recap 2025". Specifically designed for first-year postgraduate students of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics across Karnataka, the workshop aimed to strengthen foundational knowledge and provide a comprehensive revision of key concepts in the field. The event was organized in collaboration with the Association of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Karnataka (ACE Karnataka), and the Indian Association of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics (IACDE). Industry partners iMag Medical LLP and Coltene India contributed to the learning experience through demonstrations and interactive sessions.	27 - 28 Jun 2025
5	Teaching Innovation in Simulation Clinics	The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics at Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, successfully conducted a Faculty Development Programme (FDP) titled "Teaching Innovation in Simulation Clinics". The event was organized in collaboration with the Association of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Karnataka (ACE Karnataka), and the Centre for Advanced Dental Education (CADE), Mangalore.	09 Jul 2025
6	Dr M Premanand Kamath Memorial Oration: Decoding the 'I' out of AI in Dentistry	The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS Mangalore, hosted the Dr M Premanand Kamath Memorial Oration on the topic "Decoding the 'I' out of AI in Dentistry" by Dr Arvind Shenoy, in association with ARMCODS, Alumni Association, MCODS Mangalore. This commemorative event honoured the late Dr Premanand Kamath, celebrating his legacy and contributions to the institution and dental fraternity. Dr Kundabala M delivered a special talk on the "Life and Legacy of Late Dr Premanand Kamath." Addresses by the Guest of Honour, the Dean, and the Chief Guest were followed by alumni reminiscences reflecting Dr Kamath's impact as a teacher and mentor. Dr Vatsala Kamath, wife of the	11 Oct 2025

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		late Dr Kamath, shared a personal note, adding an emotional touch. Dr Manuel S Thomas introduced the resource faculty, and Dr Nidhin Philip delivered the vote of thanks. The final session featured a guest lecture by Dr Arvind Shenoy, providing insightful academic discourse that enriched participants' knowledge. The event was coordinated under the leadership of Dr Madhu Mathews (President, MCODS MMA), Dr Vivek Amin (Treasurer, MCODS MMA), Dr Ashita Uppoor (Dean, MCODS Mangalore), and Dr Manuel Thomas (In-charge Head and Professor, MCODS Mangalore). The memorial oration served as a fitting tribute to Dr Premanand Kamath,	
7	Magnification in Dentistry – Importance of Dental Loupes	The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, organized a CDE program under the Academia–Industry Collaboration initiative in association with Orikam. The session, titled "Magnification in Dentistry – Importance of Dental Loupes," was conducted by Dr Naveen Kumar K, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, KVG Dental College and Hospital, Sullia.	16 Oct 2025
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery			
1	International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Day	The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore, conducted a program to commemorate International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons' Day, celebrated globally. This day also marks the birthday of Dr Minoo Ginwalla, the first Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon in India. The first resource person, Dr Aravind N, Assistant Professor and Consultant Surgical Oncologist at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, delivered a lecture on "Early Detection in Oral Cancer." He highlighted subtle signs and symptoms that are often overlooked by physicians. The session primarily focused on educating interns and emphasized the vital role of dentists in identifying the red flags of oral cancer.	13 Feb 2025
2	Oral Health – A Crucial part of Cancer Care	A guest lecture on "Oral Health – A Crucial Part of Cancer Care" by Dr Ankita Tyagi, MDS, UG Alumna (Batch of 2009) and Regional Medical Advisor for South India, Abbott Healthcare, was conducted for students, interns, and postgraduates of the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore. The lecture covered various strategies for managing the oral health of cancer patients, particularly addressing	01 Jul 2025

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		oral mucositis and maintaining oral health during chemotherapy and radiotherapy. The session encouraged active participation, with Dr Tyagi keeping the discussion interactive and thought-provoking. The lecture highlighted the critical importance of oral health in cancer care and its potential debilitating effects if neglected. Dr Tyagi discussed available management options in depth, emphasizing the clinical efficacy and scientific evidence behind each treatment modality, providing participants with practical insights to optimize patient care.	
3	Orthognathic Surgery	The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, in collaboration with the Department of Orthodontics, conducted a workshop on "Orthognathic Surgery". The resource persons for the program were Dr Mithun Naik, Reader in Orthodontics, Yenepoya Dental College, and Dr Arun T J, Assistant Professor, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, GDC Kottayam. Dr Mithun Naik delivered a keynote lecture on presurgical orthodontics, while Dr Arun T J conducted the hands-on surgical workshop.	22 - 23 Jul 2025
4	Multidisciplinary CME on Obstructive Sleep Apnea.	The Department of Otolaryngology and Head and Neck Surgery, KMC Mangalore, in collaboration with the Department of PTCD, KMC Mangalore, and the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore, conducted a multidisciplinary CME on Obstructive Sleep Apnea. The guest speakers for the program were Dr Vik Veer, ENT Consultant Surgeon, The Royal National ENT Hospitals, London, U K; Dr Arvind R, Associate Professor, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore; and Dr Vishak Acharya, Professor, Department of PTCD, KMC Mangalore. Each speaker presented their unique perspectives on Obstructive Sleep Apnea, leading to stimulating discussions and a deeper understanding of its multidisciplinary management and care. The program was well attended by faculty members, postgraduate students, and undergraduate students from the departments.	25 Jul 2025
5	Corticobasal Implantology	A three-day workshop on Cortico-Basal Implantology was conducted by the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. This event was organized as an industry-academia collaboration between the International Implant Master Academy, Fix Kortex, and the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore. The resource persons were experts from the International Implant Master Academy and the cortical implant company Fix Kortex. Prof Dr	06 - 08 Aug 2025

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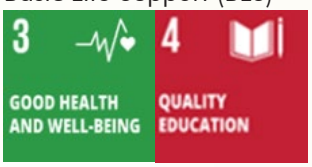
		Sachin Dev, Dr Ashish Sethi, Dr Priyank Mittal, Dr Shahul Hameed, Dr Shivakumar S A, and Dr Ajit Cherian participated as resource persons, representing various cities across India, including New Delhi, Chandigarh, Ganga Nagar, Chitradurga, Bangalore, and Mangalore. Day 1 of the workshop included lectures on the scientific principles and rationale of cortico-basal implantology, strategic implant placement sites, and the armamentarium required for the procedure. This was followed by hands-on implant placement on models by the participants. Day 2 focused on the clinical placement of cortico-basal implants in patients, with participants performing the procedures under the guidance of the mentors. Two full-mouth rehabilitation cases were initiated, with resource persons providing practical insights and supervision. Implants were placed along with rigid splinting. Day 3 included lectures on various impression techniques, followed by hands-on impression taking and try-ins for the patients. Patient cases were discussed in detail with the participants. The workshop concluded with a valedictory ceremony and certificate distribution by Dean Dr Ashita Uppoor and Associate Dean Dr Junaid Ahmed.	
6	Basic Life Support (BLS) 	A Basic Life Support (BLS) hands-on workshop was conducted on 09 and 26 Aug 2025 for the postgraduate students of MCODS, Mangalore. The participants were trained to deliver high-quality chest compressions, provide appropriate ventilation using a bag-mask device, and perform early defibrillation using an AED. They also learned to recognize various life-threatening emergencies and initiate Basic Life Support effectively. The program was organized by the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore, in collaboration with the Department of Emergency Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, at the Simulation Centre, KMC, Attavar. The resource persons included Dr Nikhil Paul (Assistant Professor), Dr Sanjan A (Associate Professor), and Dr Kashyapa (Senior Resident) from the Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Mangalore, along with Dr Joanna Baptist, Associate Professor, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, MCODS Mangalore. The workshop comprised lectures delivered by Dr Kashyapa on 09 Aug and Dr Nikhil Paul on 26 Aug, followed by hands-on training on mannequins conducted by Dr Joanna Baptist, Dr Nikhil Paul, Dr Sanjan A, and Dr Kashyapa. A total of 116	26 Aug 2025

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		postgraduate students attended the program, which was well-received and appreciated for its practical and interactive learning experience.	
Oral Medicine and Radiology			
1	Adjunct faculty talk and workshop on Empowering Dental Researchers: Shifting towards social Accountability	The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, MCODS Mangalore, conducted a workshop featuring a lecture by Dr Arvind Babu, Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, School of Dentistry, University of the West Indies, Kingston 7, Mona, Jamaica, and Adjunct Faculty in the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, MCODS Mangalore, titled "Empowering Dental Researchers: Shifting Gears Towards Social Accountability" This hands-on session introduced participants to research for policy development using a consensus-based approach.	08 Jan 2025
2	PACE: 1. Case Report of Pemphigus Vulgaris 2. Correlation of Maxillary Sinus Mucosal Thickening with dimensions of pharyngeal bursa and rosenmuller fossa using CBCT	The PACE meeting was held on 10 May 2025, moderated by Dr Ceena Denny E, Professor and Head, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, and was attended by 23 participants. The session featured Dr Hannah Haneef, who delivered an engaging lecture on the topic "Correlating Maxillary Sinus Mucosal Thickening with the Dimensions of Pharyngeal Bursa and Rosenmüller Fossa Using CBCT – A Retrospective Study." The second presenter, Dr Hanna Nisar, presented a case report on Pemphigus Vulgaris. Both presentations provided comprehensive insights into the principles of CBCT and the management of Pemphigus Vulgaris. Participants included faculty and postgraduate students from Nepal.	10 May 2025
3	The Role of Antibiotics in Dentistry	The latest Continuing Dental Education (CDE) program was organized by the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology. The session was attended by 64 participants. The guest speaker, Dr Ankita Tyagi, delivered an engaging and informative lecture on the topic "The Role of Antibiotics in Dentistry." Her presentation provided comprehensive insights into the principles and rationale behind antibiotic use, appropriate prescription practices, and the latest advancements in antibiotic therapy. The lecture emphasized the importance of judicious antibiotic use to combat antimicrobial resistance and promote patient safety. Dr Tyagi also highlighted clinical scenarios where antibiotics are indicated, helping practitioners make evidence-based decisions in daily practice.	21 May 2025
4	Imaging Tomorrow: The AI POWERED Evolution of Dentistry	The latest Continuing Dental Education (CDE) program was organized by the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology. The session was attended by 30 participants.	29 Jul 2025

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		The guest speaker, Dr Niranzena Panneer Selvam, delivered an engaging and insightful lecture on the topic "The AI–Powered Evolution of Dentistry." Her presentation explored the transformative role of artificial intelligence in modern dental practice, providing a comprehensive overview of how AI technologies are reshaping diagnostics, treatment planning, patient management, and clinical decision-making. Dr Niranzena emphasized the potential of AI to enhance accuracy, efficiency, and patient outcomes, while also addressing ethical considerations and the importance of clinician oversight. The session highlighted a variety of AI applications and future possibilities, inspiring attendees to embrace innovation while maintaining a strong evidence-based foundation.	
5	International Radiology Day	A collaborative academic session was conducted in observance of the International Day of Radiology. The program brought together the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology and the Centre for Forensic Odontology (MCODS Mangalore) with the Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology (KMC Mangalore). The session carried the theme "Unlock Forensic Secrets: From Skull to OPG – Master Age, Sex, and Identity", highlighting the role of radiology in forensic identification.	10 Nov 2025
Oral Pathology and Microbiology			
1	National Oral Pathologist Day	The Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, commemorated National Oral Pathologists Day on 25th February 2025 by organizing a street play titled "Oral Cancer and Role of an Oral Pathologist." The performances were held at the Lighthouse Hill Road campus and the KSRTC public bus stand, aiming to engage and educate the community about the harmful effects of oral cancer. National Oral Pathologists Day is celebrated annually in memory of Dr H M Dholakia, the first postgraduate teacher of Oral Pathology in India, who initiated the first postgraduate course in this subject at Nair Hospital Dental College, Mumbai, in 1960. The street play was enthusiastically enacted by interns and undergraduate students of MCODS Mangalore. The performance at the Lighthouse Hill campus was attended by the Dean, Associate Deans, faculty, and students, while the play at the KSRTC bus stand drew a large crowd of onlookers and passengers. To further promote interest in oral pathology among I BDS students and enhance understanding of the subject, a	25 Feb 2025

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		poster and slogan writing contest was also conducted. Dr Mithun Pai, Associate Professor, Department of Public Health Dentistry, judged the entries based on the impact created by the posters.	
2	Mastering Oral Pathology 500+High yield for NEET MDS Aspiration	As part of the university's Year of Industry-Academia Collaboration, a joint webinar was conducted by the Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, in collaboration with Medi Study Go, an educational technology company. Medi Study Go, co-founded by Dr Palak Bhandari, an alumna of the institution, focuses on bridging the gap between classroom learning and competitive exam readiness using mind-mapping techniques, concept-based explanations, and mnemonic tools to enhance student engagement and retention. The webinar, conducted by Dr Srikant N, Professor, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, featured the live solving of over 500 NEET MDS-relevant MCQs. Each question was presented with clinical context, visual memory aids, explanatory analogies, mnemonics, and trivia-based recall strategies, making the session both intellectually stimulating and interactive. The event attracted a virtual audience of 93 NEET MDS aspirants from across India and received enthusiastic feedback for its depth, clarity, and dynamic teaching approach. The webinar exemplified alumni-driven innovation and departmental academic leadership, successfully realizing the objectives of the industry-academia MoU.	05 - 06 Apr 2025
3	Forensic Value of Human Dentition: Excerpts from DVI Case Series	Dr Samarika Dahal, Associate Professor in charge and HoD Faculty of Dentistry, Maharajgunj Medical College, Kathmandu, Nepal, also an alumna and adjunct faculty of the Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, MCODS Mangalore, addressed the third-year BDS students on the topic of Forensic Odontology. The session provided an eye-opening insight into the vital role dental professionals play in forensic science. Ms Dahal, who was actively involved in Disaster Victim Identification (DVI) efforts during the Nepal air crash incident, shared her first-hand experience and the challenges encountered in real-world forensic investigations. Her talk highlighted the identification of victims using dental evidence, bite mark analysis, age estimation, and the legal significance of maintaining accurate dental records. The session was highly informative and interactive, with students showing great enthusiasm and curiosity. Ms Dahal's real-life case	11 Apr 2025

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		experience brought a unique and practical perspective to the topic, leaving a lasting impact on the attendees.	
Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics			
1	Digital Workflow in Orthognathic Surgery (Ortho Club-Online)	The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS, Mangalore, successfully conducted an online session of the MCODS Ortho Club, an interdisciplinary discussion forum. Dr Srirengalakshmi, Associate Professor and Academic Head, Department of Orthodontics, Saveetha Dental College, Chennai, was the resource person for the session. Dr Supriya Nambiar, Professor and Head of the Department of Orthodontics, delivered the welcome address, and Dr Asavari Desai Shetty, Associate Professor, Department of Orthodontics, MCODS Mangalore, moderated the session. The program, conducted online via Microsoft Teams at 09:30, was attended by postgraduate students, faculty members, and distinguished alumni of the department. Dr Srirengalakshmi delivered an insightful lecture on "Digital Workflow in Orthognathic Surgery", followed by an interactive Q&A session.	21 Mar 2025
2	Hands-on workshop on Lingual Orthodontics	The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS, Mangalore, in collaboration with the Mangalore Orthodontic Study Group and J J Orthodontics, successfully conducted an offline hands-on workshop on Lingual Orthodontics under the Industry-Academia Collaboration initiative. Dr G Dharmadeep, Inventor of the Selfy System and Head of R&D at J J Orthodontics, was the main resource person. Dr Surya Kanta Das, Head of the Department of Orthodontics, SCB Dental College, Cuttack, joined online and shared valuable insights. During the morning session, Dr G Dharmadeep and Dr Surya Kanta Das delivered lectures on "Lingual Orthodontics Revisited." The afternoon session included a hands-on demonstration on bonding techniques and wire bending on patients. The workshop concluded with a valedictory function.	19 May 2025
3	MAHE-MMOA Relevance Orthodontic Education 30+years hence my Perspective by Dr Gurkeerat Singh	The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS, Mangalore, in association with the MCODS Mangalore Orthodontic Alumni Association (MMOAA), successfully conducted the fifth "Dr V Surendra Shetty – Dr Subraya Mogra Endowment Oration", honouring these two eminent figures in the field of Orthodontics. The inaugural session began with a welcome address by Dr Ashith M V, HoD and Professor, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial	05 Jul 2025

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		Orthopedics, MCODS Mangalore, followed by an address by Dr Ashita Uppoor, Dean of MCODS Mangalore. The chief guest was Dr M S Ravi, Vice Principal, A B Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences, Nitte, and the presiding officer was Dr Dilip G Naik, Pro Vice Chancellor (Mangalore Campus), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). The postgraduate batch of 1993 was honoured by their teachers during the program. The guest orator, Dr Gurkeerat Singh, delivered an insightful lecture on "Relevance of Orthodontic Education 30+ Years Hence: My Perspective." He presented several finished cases with long-term follow-up and shared valuable clinical tips and strategies for achieving optimal outcomes in orthodontic treatment. The oration provided a rich and informative learning experience for approximately 80 participants, including renowned clinicians, senior alumni, and postgraduate students.	
4	Clinical Session of PACE (Partnering with alumni for clinical excellence) 	The Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS, Mangalore, successfully conducted a Clinical Session of PACE (Partnering with Alumni for Clinical Excellence). Dr Tapasya Kapoor, PG Alumna (Batch of 2001), was the resource person for the session. During the session, Dr Tapasya engaged in a lively and insightful discussion with the postgraduate students, sharing her clinical experiences and insights on practice management, providing valuable guidance for their professional development.	16 Jul 2025
5	Clinical Session of PACE (Partnering with alumni for clinical excellence) Orthodontic Finish Line - MDS Exam Orientation: The Final Culmination 	Organized by the Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS Mangalore, in association with the IOS Academic Council, the Indian Orthodontic Society (IOS), and the Mangalore Orthodontic Study Group (MOSG), the IOS National Postgraduate Exam Orientation Program titled "Orthodontic Finish Line – MDS Exam Orientation: The Final Culmination" was conducted at Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. The program was meticulously designed to provide final-year MDS postgraduate students with a structured, exam-oriented approach. Over 800 participants from across the country registered for the event, making it a resounding success and highlighting its importance in preparing students for their final MDS examinations.	16 - 17 Sep 2025
6	Orthodontics with Pitts Protocols – Meet the Expert	The Department of Orthodontics, Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, organized a one-day Continuing Dental Education (CDE) program titled "Orthodontics with Pitts Protocols – Meet the Expert". The program aimed to update dental	19 Dec 2025

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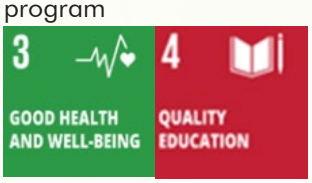
		professionals and postgraduate students on contemporary orthodontic treatment concepts using the Pitts 21 system based on passive self-ligating brackets. The scientific sessions were delivered by Dr Arun Virupakshappa, MDS, MOrtho (Glasgow), MRCPS (England), a Key Opinion Leader in the Pitts21 system with extensive academic and clinical experience. Topics included bracket design and prescription, management of Class I, Class II and Class III malocclusions, esthetic bracketing principles, early light elastics, disarticulation techniques, and finishing protocols. The program aligns with SDG 4 (Quality Education) by strengthening advanced dental education and SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being) by contributing to improved orthodontic care delivery.	
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry			
1	Teddy Bear Clinic, School program 	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in collaboration with the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, initiated the 'Teddy Bear Clinic' school program. The program was conducted for school children and teachers of Bharath Academy, Yeyyadi, Mangalore, to raise awareness about preventive health and dental care. The Teddy Bear Clinic aims to reduce anxiety in young children who fear doctors, hospitals, or medical and dental procedures, while enhancing their understanding of health and disease. Children aged 4–7 years brought their favorite teddies to the clinic. In a hospital-like setting, the children registered their teddies and presented "complaints." Doctors demonstrated clinical examinations and explained the use of common instruments such as mouth mirrors, explorers, stethoscopes, tongue depressors, and otoscopes on the teddies. The children were also taken on a tour of the ambulance and shown the equipment used for patient care. The program was well-received and appreciated by both the children and the school authorities.	12 Feb 2025
2	School Dental Health Education Program (Teddy Bear Clinic)	Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in collaboration with the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, initiated the 'Teddy Bear Clinic' school program. This session was conducted for the children and teachers of Shakthi School, Shaktinagar, Mangalore, to promote awareness of preventive health and dental care. The Teddy Bear Clinic aims to reduce anxiety in young children who fear doctors, hospitals, and medical or dental procedures, while enhancing	21 Feb 2025

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		their understanding of health and disease. Children aged 3–6 years brought their favorite teddies to the clinic. In a hospital-like setting, they registered their teddies and presented "complaints." Doctors demonstrated clinical examinations and explained the use of common instruments, including mouth mirrors, explorers, stethoscopes, tongue depressors, and otoscopes, on the teddies. The children were also taken into the ambulance and shown the equipment used for patient care. The program was well-received and appreciated by both the children and the school authorities.	
3	No more Ouchies-Virtually painless Anesthesia with Soan	A webinar was conducted on the topic "No Morte Ouchies – Virtually Painless Anaesthesia with SOAN" for the postgraduates and faculty of the department. The session was led by Dr Amrita Chakraborthy, Pediatric Dentist at Gentle Dental, Grants Pass, Oregon.	21 Jul 2025
4	School Dental Health Program	A dental awareness program was conducted for 88 children from Manipal School at MCODS, Mangalore. The children experienced the dental clinic, explored the dental chair, underwent a dental checkup, and attended an educational session on oral health. They were accompanied by four teachers.	23 Jul 2025
5	PedoApp 2025	The Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, in collaboration with the Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC Mangalore, conducted a CPD program titled PedoApp 2025: Rx: Dex: Dexmedetomidine in Pediatric Dentistry". The program included three lectures, a hands-on session, and a Q&A segment, providing participants with a comprehensive learning experience on the topic.	11 Sep 2025
Periodontology			
1	National Periodontist Day	The Department of Periodontology, MCODS, Mangalore, celebrated National Periodontist Day with various oral health initiatives.	20 - 24 Feb 2025
2	ISP Professional Enrichment Program	The Department of Periodontology, MCODS, Mangalore, successfully organized the Indian Society of Periodontology Professional Enrichment Program. The event was graced by Chief Guest Dr Nillan Shetty, President of IDA Dakshina Kannada, and Guest of Honour Dr Biju Thomas, Former President of ISP. The program featured insightful workshops by renowned experts. Dr Rakshith Hegde, Professor in the Department of Prosthodontics at A B Shetty Memorial Institute of Dental Sciences, conducted a	03 Mar 2025

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		comprehensive workshop on implant placement techniques. Dr Harikumar Kanakkath, Professor and Head of Periodontology at GDC Calicut, led a workshop on soft tissue augmentation, focusing on periodontal esthetics and advanced surgical procedures. The event was conducted in collaboration with ISP (Dakshina Kannada Study Group) and IDA Dakshina Kannada, providing a valuable learning experience for professionals and students in periodontology and implant dentistry.	
3	Peri-implantitis and its management	The Department of Periodontology, MCODS Mangalore, organized a guest lecture and journal club presentation featuring Dr Chandani Batra, an eminent periodontist and faculty member at the Indian University. The session focused on peri-implantitis, its rising prevalence, and advancements in its management. The event began with a journal club presentation where postgraduate students actively discussed recent literature on peri-implantitis, emphasizing risk factors, diagnosis, and treatment modalities. The interactive session encouraged critical thinking, with participants analyzing various clinical studies and proposing evidence-based solutions.	24 Mar 2025
4	Role of Antibiotics in Periodontology: Clinical Insights and Current Perspectives	An interactive academic session was conducted by the Department of Periodontology, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, for postgraduate students. The session featured our distinguished alumna Dr Ankita Tyagi, a graduate of the 2009 undergraduate batch. She currently serves as the Regional Medical Advisor for South India with Abbott Healthcare, where she actively contributes to professional education through the Dent Edge program under Abbott Orocare.	09 Jun 2025
5	Oral hygiene day celebration	As part of the Oral Hygiene Day 2025 celebrations, the Department of Periodontology, MCODS Mangalore, organized multiple community outreach programs to promote oral health awareness and preventive dental care.	27 Jul - 01 Aug 2025

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Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge			
1	World Prosthodontics Day- Enhance perfection with Direct Restorations	The Department of Prosthodontics, on the occasion of World Prosthodontist Day on 22 Jan 2025, conducted a material demonstration and hands-on workshop titled "Enhance Perfection with Direct Restorations" in an Academia-Industry partnership with Wizdent-Kuraray for postgraduates and faculty. The resource person for the program was Dr Preeti Nagarajan.	22 Jan 2025
2	Guided Implant Surgery and Digital Smile Designing	The Department of Prosthodontics, on the occasion of World Prosthodontist Day on 22 January 2025, conducted a material demonstration and hands-on workshop titled "Enhance Perfection with Direct Restorations" in an Academia-Industry partnership with Wizdent-Kuraray for postgraduates and faculty. The resource person for the program was Dr Preeti Nagarajan.	22 Jan 2025
3	Surgical Guides in Implant Placement	The Department of Prosthodontics organized a guest lecture on “Surgical Guides in Implant Placement” under the aegis of the Centre for Digital Dentistry. The resource person for the session was Dr Hardik Shetty, an experienced implantologist associated with DIO Implants. The session highlighted the significance of guided implant surgery in achieving precision, efficiency, and optimal treatment outcomes. Dr Shetty provided an in-depth overview of the types of surgical guides, their design and fabrication, clinical applications, and advantages over conventional methods. He also presented real-time clinical cases demonstrating the successful use of guided implant surgery, emphasizing its practical relevance. The lecture was well-received by undergraduate and postgraduate students, as well as faculty members, providing a valuable opportunity to enhance understanding of digital workflows and contemporary trends in implant dentistry.	28 May 2025
4	Introduction to Zirconia Implants	The Department of Prosthodontics, in collaboration with GMI Implants, organized a guest lecture on “Introduction to Zirconia Implants – Properties, Protocols and Potential.” The session was conducted by Dr Saurabh Gupta, a distinguished alumnus from the batch of 2004 and adjunct faculty at Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. Dr Gupta shared his expertise in zirconia implantology, providing an overview of the physical, biological, and aesthetic properties of zirconia as an implant material. He explained the clinical protocols for zirconia implant placement and highlighted their advantages in cases	18 Jul 2025

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		requiring superior biocompatibility and aesthetics. The session also addressed the growing potential of metal-free implant solutions in modern dental practice, supported by case discussions and scientific evidence. The program was well-received by undergraduate and postgraduate students, as well as faculty members, offering an excellent opportunity for participants to stay updated on advancements in implant materials and expand their clinical knowledge.	
5	Explore the Beauty of Zirconia" in collaboration with UPCERA Dental, India, 	The Department of Prosthodontics organized a specialized training program for dental technicians on "Explore the Beauty of Zirconia" in collaboration with UPCERA Dental, India, as part of an academy–industry partnership. The session was conducted in the Central Lab, Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge, Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. The resource person was Mr Sanjay Singh, Master Trainer at UPCERA Dental, India. The training focused on the properties, handling, and aesthetic potential of zirconia as a restorative material. Participants were introduced to the latest techniques in zirconia processing, shading, and finishing, with practical demonstrations reinforcing theoretical concepts. The program was well-attended by laboratory technicians, who gained valuable hands-on exposure to modern zirconia workflows. This academy–industry collaboration provided a platform to bridge the gap between technological advancements and practical application in dental laboratories.	25 Jul 2025
6	Mastering Digital Workflows in Fixed Prosthodontics: Module 1	The Department of Prosthodontics, Mangalore, organized a two-day advanced training program titled "Mastering Digital Workflows in Fixed Prosthodontics: Module 1". The program aimed to enhance participants' understanding and clinical proficiency in digital protocols related to fixed prosthodontics. The course was structured as an intensive hands-on module covering essential components of digital dentistry, including digital impressions, virtual treatment planning, designing workflows for fixed prosthodontic restorations, and integrating chairside and laboratory-based digital systems. The objective of this module was to familiarize participants with evolving digital strategies, strengthen their foundational knowledge of digital workflows, and develop the practical skills required to deliver predictable, high-quality prosthodontic outcomes. The resource person for the program was Dr Harsh Shah (BDS, PGDI, Implantologist), a clinician known for his expertise in digital implantology and advanced	26 - 27 Nov 2025

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		prosthodontic workflows. With extensive experience in digital planning and interdisciplinary integration, Dr Shah brought valuable clinical insights and demonstrated modern digital practices applicable to everyday prosthodontic procedures. The two-day training provided participants with comprehensive exposure to digital approaches in fixed prosthodontics, reinforcing the department's commitment to advancing clinical education and promoting excellence in contemporary dental practice.	
Public Health Dentistry			
1	Scoping Review: Methods and Tools	The "Workshop on Scoping Review: Methods and Tools" was conducted from 26 to 29 March 2025 and on 01, 03, and 04 Apr 2025 at Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. The workshop aimed to guide participants through the entire scoping review process, from formulating a research question to publishing the protocol. It included detailed lectures and in-depth hands-on practical sessions covering various aspects of scoping reviews.	01 Mar - 30 Apr 2025
2	Medical jurisprudence in dental practice	Advocate Ashwini Kamath delivered a one-hour lecture on Medical Jurisprudence for dental students. The lecture aimed to bridge the gap between law and healthcare, specifically focusing on the application of legal principles to medical and dental practice. Advocate Kamath highlighted the importance of understanding medical jurisprudence for dental professionals and emphasized the legal responsibilities of dentists in their practice.	21 Mar 2025
3	Academic Curricular Exchange-IV Research Synthesis	The Academic Curricular Exchange Program (ACE-V), organized by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, MCODS, Mangalore, was held at BP Koirala Institute of Health Sciences, Nepal. Dr Ramya Shenoy, Professor and Head of the Department of Public Health Dentistry, MCODS, participated in person, engaging in discussions with the faculty members of Public Health Dentistry at BPKIHS. The event began with a welcome address by Dr Ramya Shenoy. The central theme of the session was "Research – When and How?" Discussions focused on fostering collaborative research between the universities, aiming to produce high-quality studies suitable for publication in Scopus-indexed journals and to maintain momentum under the existing MoU. Dr Ramya Shenoy and Dr Praveen highlighted the	16 Apr 2025

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		importance of research collaborations and their benefits for both institutions. Dr Ashish Choudhary, Professor and Head at Kusum Devi College, Kolkata, was also in attendance. During the program, it was decided to register Dr Ashish Shresta and Dr Tarakant Bhagat as co-guides for PhD scholars, and Dr Santosh expressed interest in enrolling as a part-time PhD candidate. Faculty members from both universities reaffirmed their commitment to strengthening research as a key area of collaboration.	
4	World No Tobacco Day	The World No Tobacco Day events at Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, were initiated several days before the official day, with a series of awareness programs and activities spanning May 2025. 10 May 2025, Primary Health Center, Surathkal: The celebrations began with a role play on the effects of tobacco on oral health, coupled with a cancer awareness program and health education session. 15 May 2025, District Central Jail, Mangalore: Dr Praveen from the Department of Public Health Dentistry conducted a self-evaluation session for pre-malignant lesions, educating inmates on the health consequences of tobacco use. 26 and 27 May 2025, City College, Mangalore: Dr Ajay Mallya organized a cancer awareness and health education program for over 300 students. During the event, 38 buccal swab samples were collected for further analysis. 28th May 2025 – Milagres College, Mangalore: An oral health and tobacco awareness program was conducted jointly by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, MCODS, and the NSS Division of Milagres College. Approximately 300 participants from multiple courses attended. A comprehensive oral screening program was also carried out on the same day. 29 May 2025, Community Health Center, Moodbidri: A street play focusing on tobacco awareness was organized, specifically designed to engage daily wage workers from the community. Oral screenings were conducted alongside the performance. 30 May 2025, KMC Mangalore: A digital poster competition and innovative idea presentation for dental and medical students were organized in collaboration with KMC Mangalore and the National Oral Health Program (NOHP), Dakshina Kannada. 31 May 2025, World No Tobacco Day: • Alumni Talk: “Fashionably Fatal: Unmasking the Glamour, Style, and Flavors of Tobacco Marketing” • Faculty Talk: “Role of Brief Intervention on tobacco cessation”	01 - 31 May 2025

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5	Dental Public Health in the US: Practice, Policy, and Research 	As part of the National Public Health Dentistry Day celebrations at Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), Mangalore, a guest lecture was conducted. The session, titled "Dental Public Health in the US: Practice, Policy, and Research," was delivered by Dr Astha Singhal (BDS, MPH, PhD), an esteemed alumna from the batch of 2001. Dr Singhal provided an insightful overview of dental public health in the United States, covering aspects of practice, policy, and research. The talk offered valuable perspectives on global dental public health practices and inspired discussions on policy and research initiatives.	19 Jun 2025
6	eviDENS 13.0 	A workshop on Research Methodology, Biostatistics, and Ethics was conducted at the Medical Education Hall, Light House Hill Campus (LHH), Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. The resource persons for the workshop were faculty members from the Department of Public Health Dentistry: Dr Ramya Shenoy, Dr Ashwini Rao, Dr Mithun Pai, Dr Praveen Jodalli, Dr Avinash B R, Dr Amitha Basheer, Dr Shushma Rao, and Dr Kavery Chennappa (PG Batch 2021). The program was coordinated by Dr Sampada and Dr TMA Pai, PhD scholar. A total of 45 participants attended the workshop, which included detailed sessions on research methodology and ethics, emphasizing protocol writing and search strategies. Hands-on training on biostatistics and the Mendeley software was also provided. The workshop concluded with a valedictory program on 07 October 2025, graced by the esteemed presence of Associate Dean Dr Srikant N. The program was well-received and appreciated by all delegates for its comprehensive and practical approach.	06 - 07 Oct 2025
7	29th National Conference of Indian Association of Public Health Dentistry	Pre-conference workshops were conducted on 27 Nov 2025, with a total of nine workshops organized across multiple institutions in Mangalore. Of these, two workshops were held at A J Institute of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, one at Yenepoya Dental College, and six workshops at Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore. The workshops witnessed participation from 158 participants and were led by 21 expert speakers. These sessions provided hands-on training and in-depth discussions on key areas of public health dentistry, contributing significantly to capacity building and academic enrichment ahead of the main conference.	27 - 30 Nov 2025
8	Dr. Soben Peter Endowment Lecture 5.0	Dr Prateek Raj, Associate Professor of Business Management and Health Sciences, UCL Global	22 Dec 2025

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		Business School of Health, University College of London Delivered a Lecture on the principles written in his book "Atypical: Five Strategy Rules for the New World". DR. Srinivas Pacchava, PG alumnus of 95 batch, was invited as the Chief Guest for Dr Soben Peter Memorial Endowment Lecture 5.0. The gathering was presided over by Dr Dilip G Naik, Pro Vice Chancellor, Mangalore campus. Dean of MCODS Mangalore, Dr Ashita Uppoor, and Associate Dean Dr Srikant N. ARMCODS Chairperson Dr Arati Rao and Coordinator Dr Nidhin Philip were present. Dr Ramya Shenoy, HoD, Department of Public Health Dentistry, welcomed the gathering, Dr Avinash B R introduced the guest lecturer, Dr Abhisek Sharma delivered the invocation, and Dr Sampada Kulkarni was the master of the ceremony. Dr Vivek Amin, Professor of the Department of Orthodontics, representing the batch of 1991, presented a brief picture of sustaining the program. Dr Lavanya Rai delivered the vote of thanks.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Administration				
1	SMBT Visit	SMBT Visit to MCODS Mangalore (SMBT Dental College and Hospital, Maharashtra)	Academic Visit	17 Jan 2025
2	Dr Ash Patel and Dr Amit Patel	Dr Ash Patel and Dr Amit Patel from the United Kingdom	Renowned dental professionals from the United Kingdom. During their visit, they were given a comprehensive tour of the college's facilities, with a focus on the departments:	05 Apr 2025
3	Dr Gopalakrishnan D	Dr Gopalakrishnan D (Professor and Dean, MCODS, Manipal)	Academic Visit	19 Jun 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
26	1	126	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
43	11	93	4

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Conference	4	0
Workshop	24	4
CME/CDE	5	0
Other	7	0
Seminar	32	3

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Oral Medicine and Radiology					
1	Oral Radiology	Principles and Interpretation	Dr Junaid Ahmed	Elsevier Publication	31 Aug 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics					
1	Evaluation of clinical efficacy of calcium sodium phosphosllicate toothpaste and dlpotassium oxalate monohydrate mouth-Vinayaka Agencies	Dr Shreya Hegde	Vinayak Agencies	50,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
2	Effect of 10% Amoxicillin on antimicrobial and physicochemical properties of a bioceramic, Epoxy resin, and polydimethylsiloxane-based root canal sealer-An Invitro study	Mr Radha Vallabh Jorar	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
3	Assessing the risk of Nosocommial Infection from biometric devices among dental students	Ms Sneha A S	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
4	Mercury Release from Dental Amalgam Restoration following Irradiation: An In-vitro study	Ms Nayana S S	IDA-DK Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
5	Comparative evaluation of washout resistance and push out bond strength of MTA, Biodentin and Cerafill putty as retrograde filling materials: an In- vitro study	Dr Ishan Bhatla	ICMR	50,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Dental Materials					
1	Evaluation of Impact strength and colour stability on nanomaterial impregnated poly (methylmethacrcrylate) denture base material: An invito study	Ms Janani Roshan	IDA-DK-Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery					
1	Liquid biopsy using CA 125 Salivary biomarker - for prediction of malignant transformation of potentially malignant disorders and diagnosis of Oral Squamous Cell Carcinoma	Dr Kushal Shukla	Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI)	20,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
2	Effect of Injection Placentrexon Post Extraction Healing: A Prospective Interventional Study in Controlled Diabetics	Dr Lavanya Agarwal	Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI)	20,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
3	Association of Maternal salivary physiologic and microbial parameters during different trimesters of pregnancy, immediate postpartum, and their correlation with neonatal birthweight and oral microbiome	Ms Suddula Nityashree	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Oral Medicine and Radiology					
1	Evidence Based Research on Areca nut and Human Health Directorate of Areca nut and Spices Development	Dr Ravikiran Ongole	Directorate of Areca Nut and Spices Development	995,500	01 Jan - 30 Nov 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
2	Analysis of wound healing in extraction among diabetic and non-diabetic patients	Ms Alka S Gopal	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
3	Knowledge of Pharnacovigilance among dental professionals and the impact of an educational intervention	Ms Aasthaa Suvarna	IDA-DK Branch Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
4	Association of Candidal Growth with Periodontics in Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Patients: A Study in a Government Hospital Setting	Ms Vaibhavi Acharya	IDA-DK Branch Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics					
1	Travel Grant	Dr Ashith M V	Buddha Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Patna	18,034	01 Jan - 30 Nov 2025
2	Comparative evaluation of bone regeneration of mid palatal suture after RPD	Dr Sara Naseer	Indian Orthodontics Society	25,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
3	The Impact of Orthodontic Treatment Prom Crom: An Exploratory Study on Clinician and Patient Reported Outcomes and Quality of Life	Ms Kirtana Nayak	ICMR	50,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
4	A comparative evaluation of leaching of BPA from different clear aligner	Dr Rainee Solanki	Indian Orthodontics Society	25,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
5	Evaluation of sclerostin and vitamin d in peri mini implant	Dr Salman Ahmad	Indian Orthodontics Society	25,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
6	Invitro evaluation of Montmorillonite Nanoclay and Fluconazole with Poly methyl methacrylate on flexural strength and antifungal efficacy of denture-based resins	Ms Zainab Ahmad	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
7	Evaluation of surface characteristics and antibacterial properties of silver	Dr Rachamadugu Jahnavi	Indian Orthodontics Society	25,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
8	Aligner Matirials chemical, analysis	Mr Sparsh Kasargod Sachin	IDA- DK Branch Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
9	Manual Anthropometry versus Automated Measurements from Three-Dimensional Facial Scanning: A Comparative Evaluation of Facial Morphometric Data-A Cross-Sectional Study.	Ms Chrystal Varghese	IDA- DK Student Research Grant	10,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry					
1	The effect of the changes in the physical properties and mineral content of enamel exposed to radiation after treatment with biomimetic remineralizing technologies	Ms Anshika Dwivedi	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Periodontology					
1	A Prospective, Multicenter, Randomized, Open Label, Active Controlled, Phase II Study to Evaluate the Efficacy, Safety, and Tolerability of fixed dose Combination (FDC) of Doxycycline Hyclate and MET	Dr Sangeeta Nayak, Dr David K, and Dr Ashita Uppoor	Clinical Trail	1,095,801.71	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
2	Mucosal Released-Coronally Advanced Flap with and without Amnion Membrane in Treating Multiple Gingival Recession Defects- A Split-Mouth Clinical Trial.	Ms Gitanjali P	IDA-DK Branch Student Research Grant	10,000	01 Jan - 31 Jan 2026
3	Clinical Comparison of Chlorhexidine Mouth rinses with and Without Hyaluronic Acid in Post-Implant Surgery Healing-	Ms Ritika Gupta	IDA-DK Branch Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	A randomized controlled clinical trial				
4	Nano-enabled dentine repair: In vitro Analysis of Remineralization and Antimicrobial efficacy using zinc-doped chitosan Nanoparticle formulated toothpaste	Ms Roslin T Ranston	IDA-DK Branch Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge					
1	Assessment of awareness and practices regarding disposal of used dentures among Dental professionals and Denture wearers: A cross-sectional study	Ms Zainab Asif	ICMR	60,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
2	Effect of intraoral scanning protocol variations on the accuracy of inter-implant distance in digital implant impressions: An invitro study	Ms Shriyaa VA	IDA- DK Student Research Grant	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
3	The effect of Nanobarium titanate and Halloysite nanotube reinforced PMMA denture base material on surface hardness, surface roughness, and dimensional stability: An In-vitro study	Ms Amulya Ellan Veetil	ICMR	5,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2026

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Evaluation criteria form for the last gold inlay Restorations	18 Feb 2025
2	An Apparatus for Enhanced Rubber DAM Retraction and Isolation	09 Mar 2025
3	Dental Chair Apparatus for Integrating Emergency Medical Response	17 Apr 2025
4	Augmented Reality (AR) based portable dental operating loupe device	06 May 2025
5	A System and Method for Customized Orthodontic Bracket Placement Using Digital Planning Tools	30 May 2025
6	Hand Gesture Teaching Technique" in Conservative Dentistry (Copyright)	31 May 2025
7	U-Turn Signaling System and Method for a Vehicle	20 Nov 2025
8	Horizontal Angulation Device for a Dental X-Ray Unit And Method Thereof	24 Nov 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Administration			
1	MCODS, Mangalore	MCODS, Mangalore, ranked 11th in the Dental Category NIRF 2025	18 Sep 2025
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	Dr Janina Loren D Souza, Dr Shivangi Vats, and Dr Ann Sales	Best Audio-visual material 2024	26 Sep 2025
2	Dr Manuel Thomas	The Good Teacher Award is conferred for the year 2024	26 Sep 2025
Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery			
1	Dr Premalatha K	The Good Teacher Award is conferred for the year 2024	26 Sep 2025
Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge			
1	Dr Prashanth Bajantri	The Good Teacher Award is conferred for the year 2024	26 Sep 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	Dr Manuel Thomas	Dr Manuel Thomas, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics, MCODS, Mangalore, won the Best Paper Award at the 15th National ISPRP Conference, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh from 11 to 13 Jul 2025.	13 Jul 2025
2	Dr Kundabala M	Dr Kundabala M, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry, won the Best Paper Award at the 33rd National Conference of the Indian Endodontic Society (IESCON 2025) held at Goa from 31 Oct 2025 to 02 Nov 2025.	02 Nov 2025
3	Dr Karthik Shetty	Dr Karthik Shetty, Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry, won the Best Paper Award at the 33rd National Conference of the Indian Endodontic Society (IESCON 2025) held at Goa from 31 Oct to 02 Nov 2025.	02 Nov 2025
4	Dr Janina Loren Dsouza	Dr Janina Loren Dsouza, Senior Lecturer, Department of Conservative Dentistry, Won 2nd place in Scientific paper Presentation at the 33rd National Conference of the Indian Endodontic Society (IESCON 2025) held at Goa from 31 Oct to 02 Nov 2025.	02 Nov 2025
Oral Medicine and Radiology			
1	Dr Nandita Shenoy,	Dr Nandita Shenoy, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, and the Mangalore study group award for the best faculty paper at the	23 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		36th IAOMR national Conference, held from 21 to 23 Nov 2025, Held at D Y Patil University, Navi Mumbai	
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry			
1	Dr Karuna Y M	Dr Karuna Y M Won 1st place in Scientific E-Poster Presentation at the South Asian Association of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, SAAPD, 2025, from 08 to 10 Aug 2025, in Colombo, Sri Lanka.	10 Aug 2025
2	Dr Charisma Thimmaiah	Dr Charisma Thimmaiah Won 2nd place in Scientific E-Poster Presentation at the South Asian Association of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry, SAAPD, 2025, from 08 to 10 Aug 2025, in Colombo, Sri Lanka.	10 Aug 2025
3	Dr Ashwin Rao	Dr Ashwin Rao, Professor and Head, Department of Pediatric Dentistry, Won the Best Paper at the 46th ISPPD Conference "PEDODHAM" on 20 to 22 Nov 2025 at Bhubaneshwar, Odisha	22 Nov 2025
Periodontology			
1	Dr David K	Dr David K, Associate Professor, Department of Periodontology, MCODS, Mangalore, won 3rd prize in Poster Presentation in the faculty Category in the 15th National Conference, ISPRP held at KGMU Lucknow	13 Jul 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Administration			
1	Mr Varun Prassanna D and Ms Sreevathshni Kandaswami	MrVarun Prassanna D and Ms Sreevathshni Kandaswami, 2nd year UG Students secured 1st prize in the poster making competition for oral cancer awareness on the Occasion of OMFS Day Conducted by MCODS, Manipal	13 Feb 2025
2	Ms Nityashree S	Ms Nityashree S, 2nd year UG Student Won the 3rd Place at the National Level Manipal Medtech Hackathon 2025, organized by Manipal GOK Bioincubator on 25 Mar 2025 under the guidance of Dr Joanna Baptist.	25 Mar 2025
3	Ms Manisha Deka	Ms Manisha Deka, UG Student, MCODS, Mangalore Won the first place in Poster Presentation for World Oral Health Day, organized by KMC, Mangalore Department of Community Medicine in association with NJ Wealth	04 Apr 2025
4	Mr Ethan and Ms Hiral	Mr Ethan of II BDS and Miss Hiral of I BDS secured III Prize in WISDON-SIX 2025, an inter-collegiate basic science subject Quiz competition organized by the Department of Basic Medicals, MAHE, Manipal, on 31st May 2025.	31 May 2025

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5	Ms Neha G Nayak and Ms Thanishtha Sundar	Ms Neha G Nayak and Ms Thanishtha Sundar, Interns, won 1st Place in Scientific E-Poster Presentation at Manipal Dental Conference at MCODS, Manipal, from 14 and 15 Jul 2025, under the guidance of Dr Laxmish Mallya, Associate Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry.	15 Jul 2025
6	Ms Sumayya Tasneem	Ms Sumayya Tasneem, UG Student, MCODS, Mangalore, won 2nd place in the Poster presentation hosted by the MAHE Student Research forum, MCODS, Mangalore, in association with the UG Research Vertical during IGNITE 2.0.	14 Oct 2025
7	Ms Nikita Dilip Nayak,	Ms Nikita Dilip Nayak, Intern, MCODS, Mangalore, was felicitated by the Indian Orthodontic Society for being the UG Toppers in the Subject of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics in the last academic year at the Inaugural Ceremony of National Orthodontic UG Convention held at Saveetha Dental College and Hospitals, Chennai.	16 Oct 2025
8	Mr Prajval	Mr Prajval has been selected among 15 dental students in India to receive the prestigious PFA senior student award 2025, presented by the Pierre Fauchard Academy. This honour recognizes outstanding academic performance, leadership and commitment to the dental profession	31 Oct 2025
9	Ms Aarushi Prabhu	Ms Aarushi Prabhu won Best Scientific Poster Presentation at IDA 51st Karnataka State Dental Conference at Karwar from 31 Oct to 02 Nov 2025. Under the guidance of Dr Vignesh Kamath.	31 Oct 2025
10	Ms Manisha Deka	Ms Manisha Deka, UG Student, MCODS, Mangalore, won second prize in the e-poster competition conducted by Pierre Fauchard Academy, India Section in Nov 2025.	30 Nov 2025
Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics			
1	Dr Ashwini Anand Kamat	Dr Ashwini Anand Kamat, Post Graduate Student, Awarded Best Scientific Paper Presentation in the 4th ACE Karnataka Conference 2025, held at Bapuji Dental College and Hospital, Davangere from 31 Jul to 02 Aug 2025.	02 Aug 2025
2	Dr Anuruti Guha	Dr Anuruti Guha, Post Graduate Student Awarded Best Scientific Paper Presentation in the 4th ACE Karnataka Conference 2025, held at Bapuji Dental College and Hospital, Davangere from 31 Jul to 02 Aug 2025.	02 Aug 2025
Dental Materials			
1	Dr Rachel Sarah Vinodhini	Dr Rachel Sarah Vinodhini, PhD Scholar, Department of Dental Materials won Best 5 Minute thesis	30 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		presentation in the Manipal Research Colloquium 2025 on 28 to 30 Apr 2025.	
Oral Medicine and Radiology			
1	Dr Aishwarya S Nair	Dr Aishwarya S Nair, PhD Scholar, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, MCODS, Mangalore, Won Best Paper at the International Conference on Dentistry (ICD-25) under the guidance of Dr Junaid Ahmed	04 Oct 2025
2	Dr Amisha Nayak	Dr Amisha Nayak, Post Graduate Student, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, won 1st place in scientific E-Poster presentation at the IGNITE 2.0 Conference, under the guidance of Dr Junaid Ahmed	14 Oct 2025
3	Dr Niranjana Menon	Dr Niranjana Menon, Post Graduate Student, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, MCODS, Mangalore, won 1st Place in Poster Presentation at the 36th IAOMR national Conference Held from 21 to 23 Nov 2025, Held at D Y Patil University, Navi Mumbai. Under the guidance of Dr Ceena Denny E	23 Nov 2025
4	Dr Sasha Grisha Henry,	Dr Sasha Grisha Henry, Post Graduate Student, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, MCODS, Mangalore, won 1st Place in Paper Presentation at the 36th IAOMR national Conference Held from 21 to 23 Nov 2025, Held at D Y Patil University, Navi Mumbai. Under the guidance of Dr Ravikiran Ongole.	23 Nov 2025
Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics			
1	Dr Athira Venugopala and Dr Ameera	Dr Athira Venugopala and Dr Ameera, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, won 3rd Place in Table Clinic presentation at the 28th IOS Postgraduate convention, 2025 held from 20 to 23 Feb 2025 in Delhi, under the guidance of Dr Supriya Nambiar	23 Feb 2025
2	Dr Chrystal Varghese	Dr Chrystal Varghese, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, won 2nd Prize in Scientific poster presentation at the 28th IOS Postgraduate convention, 2025 held from 20 to 23 Feb 2025 in Delhi, under the guidance of Dr Shravan Shetty	23 Feb 2025
3	Dr Isha Bhardwaj	Dr Isha Bhardwaj, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, won 1st Prize in Scientific poster presentation at the 28th IOS Postgraduate convention, 2025 held from 20 to 23 Feb 2025 in Delhi, under the guidance of Dr Nidhin Philip Jose.	23 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
4	Dr Sapthami Pai KS	Dr Sapthami Pai K S, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS, Mangalore, won 1st Place in competitive paper presentation at the IOS Innovation Conclave 2025 under the guidance of Dr Ashith M V, Professor and Head, Department Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics.	29 Aug 2025
5	Dr Inderpreet Singh	Dr Inderpreet Singh, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics, MCODS, Mangalore won 1st Place in scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0 - Mahe Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference under the guidance of Dr Karuna Y M, Associate Professor, Department of Paediatric Dentistry.	21 Sep 2025
6	Dr Radhika Agarwal	Dr Radhika Agarwal, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics, MCODS, Mangalore, won 3rd Place in scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0 - Mahe Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference under the guidance of Dr Ashith M V, Professor and Head, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics.	21 Sep 2025
7	Dr Radhika Agarwal, Ms. Aakriti Chaudhry, Ms Shriyaa V R	Dr Radhika Agarwal, Post Graduate Student, Department of Orthodontics, Ms Aakriti Chaudhry, Intern, Ms Shriyaa VR, won 2nd place in IDEATION competition at the IGNITE 2.0 conference. Guided by Dr Shravan Shetty, Associate Professor, Department of Orthodontics.	14 Oct 2025
Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry			
1	Dr Jessica Sonal Monterio	Dr Jessica Sonal Monterio, Post Graduate Student, Department of Pediatric Dentistry, won 1st place in a paper presentation at the 21st Postgraduate Convention of Indian Society of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry under-PEDOSOCH 2025 held from 30 Jan to 01 Feb 2025. Under the guidance of Dr Arathi Rao.	01 Feb 2025
2	Dr Chaitra M	Dr Chaitra M, Post Graduate Student, Department of Pediatric Dentistry, won the Best Paper at the 46th ISPPD Conference "PEDODHAM" from 20 to 22 Nov 2025 at Bhubaneshwar, Odisha.	22 Nov 2025
3	Ms Pallavi A Bhat,	Ms Pallavi A Bhat, Full-time PhD Scholar, Department of Pediatric Dentistry, won the Best poster at the 29th IAPHD National Conference 2025 held from 28 to 30 Nov 2025, Mangalore.	30 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Periodontology			
1	Dr Madhumitha M	Dr Madhumitha M, Post Graduate Student, Department of Periodontology was awarded the best scientific presentation in the scientific session and overall best clinical research paper at the 23rd ISP PG convention held at Kolkata between 04 and 05 Apr 2025. Guided by Dr Ashita Uppoor and Dr Sangeeta Nayak.	05 Apr 2025
2	Dr Aradhya Sinha	Dr Aradhya Sinha, Post Graduate Student, Department of Periodontology was awarded the best scientific presentation in the scientific session and overall best clinical research paper at the 23rd ISP PG convention held at Kolkata between 04 and 05 Apr 2025. Guided by Dr Mranali K Shetty and Dr Deepa Kamath.	05 Apr 2025
3	Dr Aradhya Sinha	Dr Aradhya Sinha, Post Graduate Student, Department of Periodontology, won the Best Paper Presentation at the 51st IDA Karnataka State Dental Conference, Karwar, from 31 Oct to 02 Nov 2025. Under the guidance of Dr Deepa G Kamath.	02 Nov 2025
Public Health Dentistry			
1	Dr Radhika Ranjith,	Dr Radhika Ranjith, Post Graduate Student, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won Second place in the National level Pedagogy Competition, hosted by the Department of Department of Publica Health Dentistry, Yenepoya Dental College, on a virtual platform.	20 Jun 2025
2	Dr Singamsetti Sanjay	Dr Singamsetti Sanjay, Post Graduate Student, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won Third place in the National level Pedagogy Competition, hosted by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, Yenepoya Dental College, on a virtual platform.	20 Jun 2025
3	Dr Vineet Vinay	Dr Vineet Vinay, PhD Scholar, Part-time Working Professionals, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won First place in Oral Health Innovations 2025, Pitch Deck Competition at the 29th IAPHD National Conference held from 28 to 30 Nov 2025, Mangalore	30 Nov 2025
4	Dr Ganya S U	Dr Ganya S U, Post Graduate Student, Department of Public Health Dentistry, won the Best Poster presentation at the 29th IAPHD National Conference 2025 held from 28 to 30 Nov 2025, Mangalore	30 Nov 2025
5	Dr Parul Dasson Bajaj	Dr Parul Dasson Bajaj, Full-Time PhD Scholar, Department of Public Health Dentistry, Won Best Scientific Paper at the 29th IAPHD National	30 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Conference held from 28 to 30 Nov 2025, Mangalore	
6	Dr Shivani Nitin	Dr Shivani Nitin, Post Graduate Student, Public Health Dentistry, Won the Best Quick Impact presentation at the 29th IAPHD National Conference 2025 held from 28 to 30 Nov 2025, Mangalore	30 Nov 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Inter MAHE Volleyball, Football, and Cricket	Inter MAHE Volleyball, Football and Cricket held on 25 Jan 27 Feb and 25 Feb 2025.	25 Jan 2025
2	Battle of Bands	Agnitraya, our college band, secured second position in Battle of Bands – an event in TAPMI'S 38th Annual cultural fests – ATHARVA, which took place on 17 Jan 2025.	17 Jan 2025
3	The Manipal Football League	The Manipal Football League was conducted by MIT Manipal in the Months of Feb and Mar 2025.	01 Feb 2025
4	Dental Week	Our college's annual inter-batch cultural event – Dental Week took place from 01 to 07 Mar 2025. Elysium A War of Worlds was won by the batch of 2020 (interns).	01 Mar 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Karnataka State Inter School Sports Meet	Karnataka State Inter School Sports Meet Held	17 Jan 2025
2	SPORTS DAY	Sports Day was Held on 11 May with Mrs Sheetal Ullal as the Chief Guest	11 May 2025
3	Squash	MCODS Mangalore Participated In INTER-MAHE Squash	04 Oct 2025

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Dental Week – Elysium: A War of Worlds	Our college's annual inter-batch cultural event – Dental Week took place from 01 to 07 Mar 2025. Elysium A War of Worlds was won by the batch of 2020 (interns).	07 Mar 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Agnitraya	Agnitraya, our college band, secured second position in Battle of Bands – an event in TAPMI'S 38th Annual cultural fests – ATHARVA, which took place on 17 Jan 2025.	17 Jan 2025
2	UTSAV 2025	MCODS Mangalore came out to be the champions of UTSAV, MAHE's most celebrated cultural fests held in Manipal from 24 to 28 Mar 2025.	24 Mar 2025
3	IDA Xtract	MCODS Mangalore placed overall 2nd in the music competition, 2nd in the quiz, and 1st in the eastern solo dance. IDA Xtract is a dental intercollege fest which took place in YDC and AJIDS from 14 to 15 Jun 2025.	14 Jun 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Basic Recap 2025: A two-day pre-examination preparatory workshop

Digital Conclave Digital Dentistry

Dr M Premanand Kamath Memorial Oration Decoding the 'I' out of AI in Dentistry

IAPHD NATCON Conference - Pre-conference workshops

Public Health Dentistry MCODS, Mangalore Alumni Meet

Corticobasal Implantology: A three-day workshop

Deeksharambh 2025: Orientation Program for BDS Batch

Dr Soben Peter Endowment Lecture 5.0

Beyond Smile- Communicate to Care: The Toastmasters International

National Oral Pathologist Day, a street play titled "Oral Cancer and the role of an oral pathologist.

Centre for Forensic Odontology

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 31 August 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Srikant N

Brief About the Centre
Vision: To be recognized globally in the field of forensic odontology
Mission: Excellence in education, research, and service in the field of Forensic Odontology

Objectives
- To undertake training and conduct research pertaining to forensic odontology.
- To sensitize medical and dental personnel to various techniques of forensic odontology.
- To develop a database for the identification of features and traits among the Indian subpopulations.
- To serve as a Regional Referral Centre for processing requests pertaining to Forensic Odontology and assist in medico-legal cases.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Forensic Value of Human Dentition: Excerpts from DVI Case Series	Dr Samarika Dahal, Associate Professor in charge, HOD, Faculty of Dentistry Maharajgunj Medical College, Kathmandu Nepal, also Alumna and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology MCCODS Mangalore, addressed the third-year BDS students on the topic of Forensic Odontology on 11 April 2025 from 09:00 AM to 10:30 AM. The session served as an eye-opener into the vital role dental professionals play in the realm of forensic science. Ms Dahal, who was actively involved in the Disaster Victim Identification (DVI) efforts during the Nepal air crash incident, shared her first-hand experience and the challenges encountered in real-world forensic investigations. Her talk provided valuable insights into the identification of victims using dental evidence, bite mark analysis, age estimation, and the legal importance of maintaining accurate dental records. The session was highly informative and interactive, with students showing great enthusiasm and curiosity. Ms Dahal's real-life case experience brought a unique and practical perspective to the topic, leaving a lasting impact on the attendees. Name of the Principal Investigator: NA	11 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2.	One Day Value Addition Training on Forensic Anthropology 	International Day of Radiology Program 10 November 2025| 02:00 PM to 05:00 PM. A collaborative academic session was conducted in observance of the International Day of Radiology on 10 November 2025. The program brought together the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology and the Centre for Forensic Odontology (MCODS Mangalore) with the Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology (KMC Mangalore). The session carried the theme "Unlock Forensic Secrets: From Skull to OPG – Master Age, Sex and Identity," highlighting the role of radiology in forensic identification. The program aimed To introduce participants to radiographic and anatomical methods used in forensic identification. To strengthen interdisciplinary understanding between dental radiology and forensic medicine. To provide hands-on insight into age, sex, and identity estimation techniques using cranial, mandibular, and radiographic features. A total of 23 participants attended the program, including students, interns, and postgraduate trainees from the collaborating departments. The session covered key forensic and radiological topics, including: OPG and CBCT Landmarks Sex Estimation Using OPG and CBCT Age Determination – Demirjian's Method Rugoscopy Age and Sex Assessment from Skull and Mandible. The session enhanced the participants' understanding of how radiographic and anatomical data contribute to forensic identification. The interdisciplinary format encouraged collaborative learning and highlighted the complementary roles of dental radiology and forensic medicine. The program successfully marked the International Day of Radiology with a focused, engaging, and academically rich forensic-radiology session. The collaboration between MCODS Mangalore and KMC Mangalore strengthened academic ties and offered participants valuable exposure to applied forensic techniques.	10 Nov 2025
3	Recent Advances in Forensic Anthropology 	A guest lecture was given by Dr Nanditha R Sujir, Department of Forensic Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.	12 May 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4	Digital updates in dental anthropology: an overview	A guest webinar was given by Dr Nanditha R Sujir, MAHE, Institute of Dental Sciences, Chalakkara, MAHE, UT of Puducherry.	25 May 2025

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Centre for Advanced Dental Education

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2017
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Karthik Shetty
Members

- Dr Ashwin Rao, Professor and HOD, Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry.
- Dr Umesh Pai, Professor and HOD, Department of Prosthodontics.
- Dr Arvind R, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Surgery.
- Dr Nandita Shenoy, Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology.
- Dr Sangeetha Pai, Professor and HOD, Department of Periodontics.
- Dr Nidhi Manktala Pai, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Pathology.
- Dr Mranali Shetty, Associate Professor, Department of Periodontics

Brief About the Centre
Vision: To create a centre for excellence in advanced dental learning.
Mission: To conduct high-quality programs at the dental college to update the knowledge of dental practitioners, postgraduates and undergraduate students.

Objective: To conduct lectures and workshops for the dental students and practitioners.
To create a self-sustaining centre for short-term dental courses at the institution.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Mastering the Management of C-Shaped Canals: Techniques, Tools and Tips for Successful Endodontic Treatment	**Resource Person:** Dr Kacharaju Kranthi Raja, UG Alumnus (Batch of 1999) **Total Participants:** 44 **Organized in Collaboration With:** Orodeka and Imag Medical LLP, Loupes and LED Lights **Scale:** National The session covered advanced concepts in the management of C-shaped canals and was mapped to relevant Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).	15 May 2025
2	Injection Moulding Technique	**Resource Person:** Dr Shibu Sreedhar, MDS (Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics) **Organized in Collaboration With:** GC India Dental Pvt Ltd. **Participants:** Faculty/Staff: 07 Total Participants: 25 **Department:** Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics The workshop was well-received, with participants appreciating the practical insights and expressing enthusiasm to implement the injection moulding technique in clinical practice.	07 Jun 2025

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Mastering the Management of C-Shaped Canals: Techniques, Tools and Tips for Successful Endodontic Treatment- 15 May 2025

Injection Moulding Technique 07 June 2025

Center for Digital Dentistry

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 06 May 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Shravan Shetty
Members:
- Dr Umesh Pai, Professor and IC HoD, Department of Prosthodontics, MCODS Mangalore
- Dr Nanditha Sujir, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, MCODS Mangalore
- Dr Jefferson Prince, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Surgery, MCODS Mangalore
- Dr Amoli Singh, Senior Lecturer, Department of Orthodontics, MCODS Mangalore

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To establish a globally recognized center for digital dentistry that integrates advanced technologies, fosters innovation, and enhances dental education, research, and patient care.

Mission: To establish a globally recognized center for digital dentistry that integrates advanced technologies, fosters innovation, and enhances dental education, research, and patient care.

Objectives:

- Educate dental professionals on diverse digital dentistry techniques, emphasizing their practical applications, patient benefits, and sustainability in practice.
- Develop a structured curriculum incorporating cutting-edge technologies like three-dimensional (3D) imaging, intraoral and facial scanners, CAD/CAM, 3D printing, and AI-driven treatment planning.
- Facilitate collaborative research to drive innovation, producing impactful publications, and foster partnerships between academia and industry for national and international funding.
- Enhance patient care by utilizing digital treatment planning and simulations, facilitating interdisciplinary collaboration for comprehensive and efficient treatment solutions.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Digital Conclave 2025	• Centre for Digital Dentistry, MCODS Mangalore, in collaboration with Indian Prosthodontic Society (IPS) Karnataka State Branch, organized a Two-day national event with 205 delegates, 11 lectures, 7 workshops, and 2 panel discussions; the focus was on digital dentistry technologies. • Chief Guest: Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh (Vice Chancellor, MAHE) • Guest of Honour: Dr Dilip G Naik (Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Mangalore Campus) • Dr Ashita Uppoor (Dean, MCODS Mangalore); IPS President: Dr Sunil Dhaded • Organizing Chairman: Dr Umesh Pai; Organizing Secretary: Dr Shravan Shetty	22-23 Feb 2025
2	Inauguration of the Center for Digital Dentistry	• Inaugurated by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh (Vice Chancellor, MAHE) • Guest of Honour: Dr Dilip G Naik (Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE Mangalore) • Address by Dr Ashita Uppoor (Dean, MCODS Mangalore) • Center overview and walkthrough by Dr Shravan Shetty (Coordinator, Center for Digital Dentistry) • Attendees included MCODS Manipal Dean Dr Monica Charlotte Solomon, Associate Deans of KMC and	22 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		MCODS, Medical Superintendent KMC Attavar, HODs, and Faculty	
3	CBCT Certificate Course – External Advisor	• Course Faculty: Dr Hemant Mathur (External Advisor) • Hands-on training and lectures on CBCT interpretation and clinical applications.	08 Mar 2025
4	Advancing Orthodontics Through 3D Printing	• Collaboration between the Centre for Digital Dentistry, MCODS Mangalore, and Oblu Healthcare LLP, New Delhi • Industry engineers conducted a hands-on 3D printing workflow demonstration • Introduction and overview lecture by Dr Shravan Shetty • Attended by orthodontic postgraduate students	20 Mar 2025
5	CAD CAM Dentistry Certificate Course – II Batch	• Collaboration between the Department of Prosthodontics and Dentsply Sirona under the Center for Digital Dentistry • Resource Faculty: Dr Vijay Alageshan (Dentsply Sirona) • Training in CEREC unit, software designing, and CAD milling.	29 and 30 Apr 2025
6	Shining 3D Aoralscan 3 IOS Installation and Hands-on Training	• Conducted by the Center for Digital Dentistry, MCODS Mangalore • Demonstrators included the technical team from Shining3D • Participants: PGs, interns, faculty • Covered AI-assisted scanning, occlusion analysis, STL export, and maintenance	26 Jul 2025
7	Monthly Orientation – Final Year BDS Part 1	• Conducted by the Centre for Digital Dentistry in collaboration with the orthodontics clinical department during postings • Introduction to intra-oral scanning, 3D printing, digital workflows • Monthly recurring training schedule	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
8	CDE Program – Zirconia Implants	• Collaboration between the Centre for Digital Dentistry and the Department of Prosthodontics and Crown and Bridge	18 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		• Speaker: Dr Saurabh Gupta (Adjunct Faculty, Alumnus 2004) • Covered zirconia implant protocols, material science, and applications • Attended by staff, interns, and PGs.	

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Guest lecture	Dr Shravan Shetty (invited speaker) spoke about Software management for aligner biomechanics at the program titled Mentoring Orthodontist Skills with Guidance 2025, organized by Mangalore Orthodontic Study Group	14 May 2025
2	2nd prize -at national level	Dr Christal Varghese won 2nd prize at the national level, 28th Indian Orthodontic Society PG convention guided by Dr Shravan Shetty	23 Feb 2025

List of Proposed Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Establishment of an Oral and Maxillofacial Imaging Biobank for AI-Ready Data Collection, Annotation, and Future Applications in Diagnosis and Treatment Planning	Department of Biotechnology BT/PR/66603	Dr Shravan Dr Srikant Dr Umesh Dr Ashith	5,39,66,400	Letter of interest submitted on 29 Aug 2025 Applied 22 Dec 2025
2	Biomechanical effects of different attachment positions and interdental spacing on en-masse intrusion of mandibular teeth with clear aligners: a finite element analysis	Indian Orthodontic Society – Research Foundation	Dr Christal Varghese	50,000	Status-Applied 01 Feb 2025
3	DHR Fellowship	DHR Fellowship Program for Achievements in Biomedical Research	Dr Shravan Shetty	100,000	Status-Applied 13 Feb 2025

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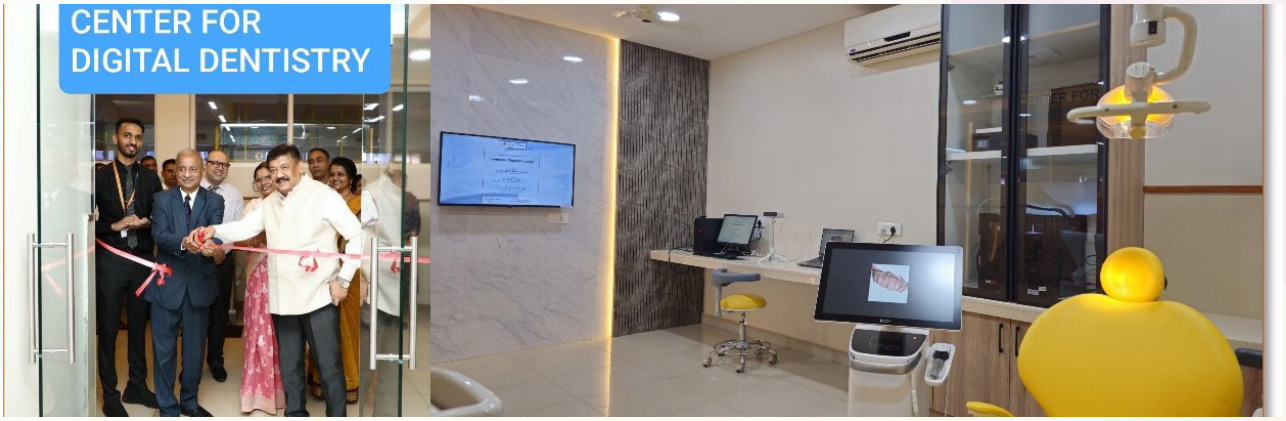
Digital Conclave 2025 at MCODS Mangalore - a two-day national meet featuring lectures, workshops, and panel discussions, inaugurated by MAHE leadership and attended by 205 delegates



AInauguration of the Center for Digital Dentistry by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh (Vice Chancellor, MAHE Manipal), showcasing advanced digital technologies, including Intra Oral Scanner, facial scanners, software, and 3D printing systems

Industry–academia program on 3D printing in orthodontics conducted in collaboration with Oblu Healthcare LLP, featuring hands-on demonstrations and digital workflow training."

Hands-on CAD-CAM training program with Dentsply Sirona, focusing on CEREC chairside scanning, designing, and milling systems for prosthodontic applications.

Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences

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Established: 1963

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

- DPharm
- BPharm
- MPharm
- PharmD
- PharmD PB
- PhD

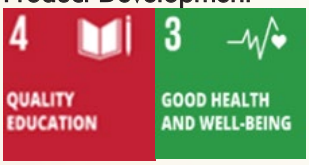
About the Institution/School:

About Institution/School: Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences between 1963 and 2024. Founded by Dr TMA Pai in 1963 in a modest premise, the institute was christened as the College of Pharmacy. For more than two decades, the institute functioned as a satellite of Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. It was originally affiliated with the University of Mysore between 1963 and 1979. Subsequently, the institute came under Mangalore University, which was founded in 1980. The affiliation of the College of Pharmacy with Mangalore University lasted till 1984. After moving to the new premises in Dec 1981, the college became independent in 1985 and was renamed as the College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (COPS). For a decade (between 1985 and 1995), the college continued its affiliation with Mangalore University. In Karnataka state, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS) was established in 1996

with a view to consolidating all the institutions of health sciences under one umbrella. Accordingly, COPS was transferred to RGUHS for all academic regulations between 1996 and 1999. In the year 2000, COPS became a constituent unit of MAHE, a Deemed University, and was rechristened as Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) – a Trail-Blazer of Pharmaceutical Education and Research. MCOPS has come a long way since 1963. The first program introduced was DPharm in 1963 and subsequently BPharm in 1965. Two Masters' Programs that commenced in 1970 were Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Administration. While MCOPS was the first in the state of Karnataka, it was second in the south to offer MPharm programs for the aspirants in 1970. However, MCOPS was the first in the country to design and offer MPharm Pharmacy Administration in 1970. Later, all other specializations were added systematically. Today, MCOPS offers the highest number (10) of masters' specializations. Since the beginning of the establishment of the Pharmacy Education in India, the country was trailing behind the developed countries in offering education in the Practice of Pharmacy, in terms of pharmaceutical care in hospitals and the community. To overcome this lacuna and to travel with the developments in Pharmacy Practice across the globe, the Pharmacy Council of India introduced a practice-orientated program, namely Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) and PharmD PB in 2008 in India. MCOPS was the first amongst a few colleges which seized this opportunity and launched the new program, viz., PharmD, in 2008. Since then, the PharmD programs of MCOPS have become very popular nationally and internationally. All these programs, which are offered at MCOPS, have received the approvals and EOAs both from the AICTE and/PCI since the very beginning. The prestigious Doctoral Program, viz., PhD in Pharmaceutical Sciences, was introduced at MCOPS in 1979. Since then, a large number of PhDs have rolled out from MCOPS in different disciplines of Pharmacy. MCOPS is often termed as the hub of research activities of MAHE. It has received significant financial assistance from AICTE, DST, DBT, UGC, ICMR, and other funding agencies, helping it modernize its laboratories and remove obsolescence.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Administration			
1	The Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) hosted a two-day "GPAT 2025 Training" program for final-year and third-year Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharm) students, aiming to equip them with the essential knowledge and strategies required to excel in the upcoming GPAT 2025 examination. The session was graced by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal of MCOPS, MAHE, who delivered the opening remarks for the GPAT 2025 Training program. The session had been convened by a team of dedicated faculty members, including Dr Usha Nayak, Vice Principal, MCOPS, MAHE, Dr Muddukrishna BS, Dr Bhavana Bhat, and Dr Vamshi Krishna T The session was conducted by Dr Hanumantharaju, a distinguished trainer from PAWAN Pharma Tutorials known for his extensive expertise in the pharmaceutical domain and his 18 years of experience in mentoring GPAT	GPAT Essentials and Core Subjects The session kicked off with an insightful introduction to GPAT: 125 questions, dynamic cutoffs (typically 100-120 for top ranks), and criteria for entry into prestigious colleges like NIPER, BHU, ICT Mumbai, and Jamia Hamdard, MAHE strong scores unlock scholarships and direct admissions. We then explored next steps: NIPER (top-ranked, NAAC A++ accredited, limited seats via GPAT merit) and BHU (prestigious, UGC-recognized, competitive positions in MPharm programs). A key highlight: Attempt 70-80% correct questions for passing marks (aim for 85+ to qualify confidently). Government jobs via GPAT were discussed—benefits include job security, pensions, and roles in CDSCO, state drug control, with perks like HRA and medical allowances. Subject-wise discussions energized participants: • Pharmaceutics: Preformulation, tablets/capsules, chemical kinetics, parenterals evaluation, glasses types/testing, aerosols, solubilization (hydrotrophy, cosolvency). • Forensic Pharmacy: Pharmacy Act/PCI composition, DandC Act 1940/Rules 1945, misbranded/adulterated/spurious drugs, Factory/Shops/NDPS/MTP Acts, regulatory bodies	11 - 12 Apr 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
	aspirants. Moreover, around 2000-3000 students under his guidance have gained the ability to crack the GPAT examination and have benefitted themselves in one or other prestigious colleges.	(CDSCO, FDA). • Quality Assurance: ICH guidelines, quality/safety/efficacy, validation/qualification, stability studies criteria. • Inorganic: Limit tests, salt analysis/interpretation, titrations, protic/aprotic/amphiphilic solvents. • Microbiology: Microbiology history/applications, phenol coefficient/RWC, ELISA/blotting, tyndallisation/fermentation, staining (Ehrlich/Shik/Dial/D Comb), sterilization/cleanrooms	
Pharmaceutics			
1	**Certificate course titled "Design of Experiments for Pharmaceutical Product Development"** 	Apprehending the significance of Quality by Design (QbD) in the pharmaceutical industry, a certificate course titled "Design of Experiments for Pharmaceutical Product Development" was organized by the Centre for Drug Testing, Department of Pharmaceutics, MCOPS, from 02 to 07 Jan 2025. The course was coordinated by Dr Usha Y Nayak, Professor and Vice Principal of the Department of Pharmaceutics, MCOPS. Throughout the course, participants gained insights into key topics such as the fundamentals of Design of Experiments (DoE), screening techniques, optimization designs, and practical hands-on training. A total of twenty-one participants from various institutes of MAHE benefited from this valuable learning experience.	02 - 07 Jan 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Certificate course on Structured Query Language (SQL) and essentials of Database Management for Health Sciences	Certificate course for Postgraduate students in Dentistry/Life Science/Allied Health Sciences/Medicine/Pharmacy. Research scholars in health/life sciences. Students in the final year/semester of their Bachelor's course in the aforementioned specialization. Faculty of MAHE.	01 Sep - 31 Oct 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue	The students and staff of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences participated in the live streaming of the event 'Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue' organized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports on 11 Jan 2025, 05:30	11 Jan 2025

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		PM onwards in the PG Pharmaceutics classroom. The event showcased various traditional dances from different states of India. 35 students, 7 faculty members, and 2 non-teaching staff participated in this event.	
2	Research Scholars Journal Club Report 	The First Journal Club for the PhD Research Scholars was organized by the Innovative Communication Club (I2C) of MCOPS on 15 Jan 2025 from 03:30 to 04:30 PM in Prof P Gundu Rao's conference hall. Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, inaugurated the first journal club with a curtain-raising ceremony and delivered opening remarks highlighting the benefits of the journal club. The program was attended by Vice-Principal Dr Usha Y Nayak and Dr Yogendra Nayak, the Faculty Coordinator of I2C. The Guidelines for the journal club were explained by Ms Maria Nison, a member of the I2C. Ms Madhura M Bose, research scholar from the Department of Pharmacology, presented research work on the topic "Cracking the code of Major Depressive Disorder-What's new in Research? and Ms Geetha Nayak, research scholar from the Department of Pharmaceutics presented on "Chewing Gum meets Nanotechnology- Enhancing Diabetes Treatment". Every month, four journal club sessions are planned by I2C to help research scholars upgrade their scientific knowledge and presentation skills.	15 Jan 2025
3	The NSS unit of MCOPS organized the 'Save Wetlands Campaign' to raise awareness about the importance of wetlands and their role in environmental conservation. The initiative highlighted the need to protect wetlands, which are essential for water filtration, climate regulation, biodiversity support, and overall ecosystem stability. 	In the afternoon, students gathered at KMC Greens to take the Wetland Mitral Oath, emphasizing their collective responsibility to preserve wetlands and keep them healthy. The session helped students understand the environmental, social, and economic significance of wetlands and encouraged them to adopt sustainable practices. Later in the evening, the campaign continued with a tree plantation activity in the garden near MCOPS. Students came together to plant mango saplings, symbolizing the importance of increasing green cover and contributing positively to environmental health. The activity reinforced the value of trees in improving air quality, supporting ecosystems, and enhancing overall quality of life. The event was coordinated by Dr Prasanna K Shetty, the teacher coordinator for the NSS. followed: SDG6: Clean Water and Sanitation, SDG13: Climate Action, SDG11: Sustainable Cities and Communities, SDG14: Life Below Water, SDG15: Life on Land	20 Jan 2025

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4	76th Republic Day Celebrated at MAHE Hosted by MCOPS 	The 76th Republic Day of India was celebrated in a grand way at Manipal Academy of Higher Education. This year, the event was hosted by Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences under the eminent leadership of Dr Srinivas Mutalik. The day commenced with the chief guest Dr H S Ballal, Honourable Pro Chancellor, MAHE receiving the guard of honour by MIT NCC Navy Wing cadets in ceremonial uniform carrying Self Loading Rifles (SLR), followed by unfurling the national flag by Dr H S Ballal. Lt Gen Dr M D Venkatesh, Honourable Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor - Technology and Science, Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor - Health Sciences, Dr Raviraja N S, COO, and Dr Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, graced the occasion. Dr Sharath K Rao delivered the Republic Day message. The event was vibrant with 20 contingents from various MAHE institutions Marching the parade attuned to the beats of "Saare Jahaan Se Achha". The Republic Day parade by the contingents was evaluated by Vice Admiral Dr Sheila S Mathai, N M, VSM, Prof and Head, Neonatology, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, Dr Aditya Mohan Jadhav, Principal Officer, Student Acquisition and Marketing, MAHE, and Lt Col Manjunath Pai G, Chief Warden, MAHE Hostels. Contingent Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences under the command of Ruthush Shetty bagged the first prize, followed by WGSHA and MCODS Manipal at the second and third places. Vice Principal Dr Usha Y Nayak extended gratitude to all for making the event a grand one.	26 Jan 2025
5	"ENTERPRIZE AND INNOVATE 25", an entrepreneurship and innovation fest were conducted on 31 Jan to 02nd and 03 Feb 2025 at MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal, under the aegis Innovation and Entrepreneurship Committee, MAPS, MCOPS, MAHE. 	The occasion was graced by the eminent presence of Dr P Rajshekhar, In-Charge-Principal, Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration, Dr Manesh Thomas, CEO, Manipal-GoK Bioincubator, Dr Mohammad Zuber – Chief Innovation Officer – MIT, MAHE, Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal and Vice Principal Dr Usha Y Nayak, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, their presence added prestige to the event. Around 160 students registered for the event across various institutions TAPMI, MIT, MCHP, MIC, DOC and MCODS of MAHE. The various events conducted under the umbrella of Enter-Prize and Innovate '25 were BRAND RACE, BRAND BINGO, PITCHERS, AD-WIT, CORPORATE CONUNDRUM, QUIZ and PRICE IS RIGHT. ENTERPRIZE AND INNOVATE '25 has set a benchmark and helped to inculcate the importance of entrepreneurship and innovation	31 Jan - 03 Feb 2025

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		culture among all the students. The day concluded with the valedictory ceremony, prizes and certificates were awarded to the winners by Dr Ajit Singh, Founder and Chief Executive Officer at CliMed Research Solutions – India. Dr Virendra S Ligade, Faculty Coordinator and Ms Tanvi, Secretary of IEC, MAPS, MCOPS, coordinated and supervised the event.	
6	ISPOR Manipal Chapter 2025	The ISPOR Manipal Chapter proudly concludes the academic year 2025, reflecting on a period marked by academic excellence, innovation, and professional development. Throughout the year, the Chapter organized multiple academic and extracurricular initiatives aimed at strengthening students' understanding of Health Economics and Outcomes Research (HEOR), healthcare analytics, and emerging pharmaceutical sciences. The Chapter also successfully conducted its flagship conference, ISPAC 2024-25, themed 'AI in Healthcare: Advancing HEOR in the Asia-Pacific Region' on 07 and 08 Feb 2025. The event included poster presentations and virtual seminars with participation from across the region. The winners for poster presentations were awarded with certificates in two separate categories, conceptual posters and research-based posters. The seminar was loaded with an intellectual panel of Dr Manthan Janodia, Dr Malkeet Singh, Dr William V Padula, Sushant Anand, Anirudh Kotlo, and Robert Selby. The academic year 2025 stands as a testament to teamwork, intellectual curiosity, and student-led innovation. The Chapter extends sincere gratitude to all council members, mentors, speakers, and participants whose contributions made these achievements possible.	07 - 08 Feb 2025
7	Annual Day Report – 62nd Awards and Annual Day Celebrations	The 62nd Annual Day Celebrations of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) were held with grandeur and enthusiasm at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium. The event commenced with an invocation song by Ms Parvathy Madhu, III PharmD student, at 04:00 PM, setting a serene and respectful tone for the occasion. Awards and Recognitions The event began with the presentation of Distinction Awards, Academic Excellence Awards, and Certificates of Appreciation, recognizing the outstanding achievements of students and faculty. The prestigious Dr N Udupa Travel Grant Awards were also distributed by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, and Dr Usha Yogendra Nayak, Vice Principal, MCOPS. Following this, a mesmerizing invocation dance was performed by Ms Lakshmi Gayatri, I BPharm, at 05:30 PM, after which the dignitaries	08 Feb 2025

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		were escorted onto the dais. The honored guests included: •Dr Jagadeesh Babu Rangisetty, Founder and CEO, Biophore India Pharmaceuticals Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad •Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE •Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE The Welcome Address was delivered by the Principal at 05:35 PM, followed by the presentation of the Endowment Awards by Dr Jagadeesh Babu Rangisetty.	
8	The Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) 4.0 Recognized Prior Learning (RPL) Scheme in Pharmacovigilance was a five-day training and assessment program conducted by the Karnataka State Pharmacy Council (KSPC) in collaboration with LSSSDC under the PMKVY 4.0 initiative. The training was conducted by Dr Mohammed Salim KT (Assistant Professor, Senior Scale, Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS) from 17 to 20 Feb 2025, followed by an assessment on 22 Feb 2025, which was performed by Mr Venkataraman, assigned from Team IRIS-Corp.	The training program was formally inaugurated on 17 Feb 2025, by the Chief Guest Dr Saleemulla Khan, Central Council Member of the Pharmacy Council of India (PCI). The event was graced by the presence of Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, Dr Usha Y Nayak, Vice Principal, MCOPS, and other distinguished faculty members. The inauguration emphasized the crucial role of pharmacovigilance in ensuring drug safety and strengthening healthcare practices. With 21 participants from Kerala, Karnataka, and other states in India, the program attracted a diverse group of pharmacy professionals committed to advancing their expertise in drug safety monitoring.	17 - 20 Feb 2025
9	The Residential Training Program, "Experience the Laboratories," was conducted from 22 to 27 Feb 2025, as part of National Science Day celebrations by Manipal Academy of Higher Education. The event was hosted by MCOPS, Manipal. The program provided school children with hands-on exposure to various scientific disciplines through interactive sessions, laboratory visits, and skill-building activities. Participants engaged in physical activities like yoga and games, followed by academic sessions at renowned institutions such as WGSHA, KMC, MAPS, MSLS, MIT,	The valedictory ceremony held on 27 Feb 2025 marked the successful conclusion of the program, celebrating students' participation and achievements. The resident hackathon winners were awarded prizes by the Chief Guest, Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor of MAHE, Manipal. The Chief Guest addressed and interacted with the school children, inspiring them with his insights. The event was further graced by the Guest of Honour, Dr Raviraja N S, Chief Operating Officer, MAHE, along with Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice-Chancellor (Technology and Science), and Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal of MCOPS, MAHE. They addressed the students, commending their enthusiasm and encouraging them to pursue scientific exploration.	22 - 27 Feb 2025

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	DAMP, Innovation Centre, MCBR, MSAP, MIC and MCOPS.		
10	The NSS Unit of MCOPS successfully organized a Blood Donation Drive on 24 Feb 2025, demonstrating its commitment to community welfare and life-saving voluntary service. The event was inaugurated by Dr Shamee Shastry, an esteemed Immunohematology and Transfusion Medicine expert and Professor at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. The ceremony began with a welcome address by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, followed by an insightful inaugural message from Dr Shamee Shastry. The formal inauguration took place with the unveiling of the event banner. Dr Prasanna Kumar Shetty, Faculty Coordinator of NSS, concluded the ceremony with a vote of thanks.	The donation process began with donors completing registration forms and undergoing preliminary eligibility assessments. This was followed by vital checks and blood group testing conducted by trained medical professionals. Eligible donors then proceeded to donate 350 ml of blood, after which they were provided with refreshments and adequate rest time. The drive saw enthusiastic participation from 113 volunteers, including students, faculty, and staff. A total of 82 donors successfully donated blood. Each donor received a certificate and goodies as a token of appreciation for their valuable contribution. The event was conducted in collaboration with the Blood Bank of Kasturba Medical Hospital, ensuring a safe, well-coordinated, and impactful donation experience. The Blood Donation Drive marked a significant contribution toward life-saving efforts and reflected the true spirit of NSS — "Not Me, But You".	24 Feb 2025
11	The Faculty Development Workshop titled 'Exemplary MCOPS: Targets, Attainments, Strategic Planning and Beyond…' was conducted on 27 Mar 2025 at Prof P Gundu Rao Conference Hall, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal. The workshop aimed at fostering faculty	The workshop commenced with opening remarks by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, who emphasized the strategic planning for institutional growth. Dr Nandakumar K, Professor and Head, Department of Pharmacology, MCOPS, shared insights on enhancing academic quality and teaching methodologies to achieve educational	27 Mar 2025

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	development through strategic discussions on educational excellence, research innovation, internationalization, alumni engagement, and employer reputation. This was also a forum to celebrate MCOPS's excellence in 2024. 	excellence. Dr Usha Y Nayak, Professor and Vice Principal, MCOPS, highlighted the role of research in shaping the future and enhancing institutional reputation. Dr Anoop Kishore, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacology, MCOPS, emphasized the importance of alumni relations in fostering professional networking and institutional development. Dr D Sreedhar, Professor and Head, Department of Pharm Regulatory Affairs and Management, MCOPS, provided valuable insights on industry-academia collaborations and corporate engagement strategies. Dr C Mallikarjuna Rao, Former Principal, MCOPS shared his views on institutional strategic development.	
12	MCOPS Parents Connect – 2025 	This initiative, introduced in 2024, aims to build a strong bridge of communication and understanding between the institution and parents, focusing on the academic and emotional well-being of students residing away from home. The session commenced with a warm welcome address and opening remarks by the Principal, Dr Srinivas Mutalik. The Chief Guest, Dr Arvind Kumar Pandey, Deputy Director of Student Affairs (Health Sciences), MAHE, and Associate Professor at KMC Manipal, delivered an insightful address. He highlighted the wide range of facilities and support systems available at MAHE that are dedicated to promoting student well-being and holistic development. The keynote talk on 'Bridging the distance: effective parenting for students away from home' was delivered by the esteemed Consultant Psychiatrist, Dr Virupaksha Devaramane. Known for his work in mental health awareness, Dr Devaramane shared valuable strategies and insights on supporting students emotionally and mentally during their academic journey. He also emphasized the role of parents in understanding their difficulties and the importance of staying connected with both students and mentors. Following the session, an interactive Q&A provided parents with an opportunity to engage with the experts and share their queries and concerns. The session was attended by more than 100+ parents. The event was coordinated by Dr Virendra Ligade, Coordinator of Student Affairs at MCOPS. Dr Usha Y Nayak, Vice-Principal, Dr Pawan G Nayak, Assistant Professor, MCOPS, and other faculty members participated and contributed to the success of the event.	07 Apr 2025

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13	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, in association with the School of Pharmaceutical Sciences (SOPS), Manipal University Jaipur (MUJ), organized the MCOPS Alumni Meet	The event witnessed the participation of about 40 MCOPS alumni from academia and industry. The Chief Guest for the occasion was Prof (Dr) Niti Nipun Sharma, President of Manipal University Jaipur, and the Guest of Honour was Dr Karunakar A Kotegar, Pro-President of Manipal University Jaipur. The event was further graced by the presence of Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal, Dr Krishnamurthy Bhat, Director, SOPS, MUJ, Dr Anoop Kishore, Alumni Coordinator, MCOPS, and Dr Jayesh Mudgal, Associate Professor, SOPS, MUJ. The program was inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Dr Niti Nipun Sharma. In his presidential address, Dr Sharma warmly welcomed the alumni and emphasized the vital role that alumni play in their alma mater's continued growth and success. Dr Karunakar Kotegar provided an overview of Manipal University Jaipur and its constituent colleges, encouraging the alumni to actively contribute to strengthening the alumni network. Dr Srinivas Mutalik shared an inspiring account of the remarkable growth and achievements of MCOPS over the past two decades. The inaugural session was followed by an interactive alumni session, where attendees recounted their professional journeys and fond memories of their student days at Manipal. The event offered a valuable platform for networking and reconnecting. The meeting concluded with lunch, after which Dr Jayesh Mudgal delivered the vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to all participants and contributors.	26 Apr 2025
14	Faculty Development Workshop	"Balancing Teaching, Research and Administration: The Key to Academic Success" was conducted for the Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) faculty members on 04 Jun 2025 at Prof P Gundu Rao Conference Hall, MCOPS. Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, delivered the opening remarks, emphasizing the importance of the workshop. The program commenced with an insightful session on "Pedagogic Effectiveness: Being a Teacher" by Dr K Ramnarayan, Pro Chancellor of Sikkim Manipal University. He highlighted the roles of the teacher, the teacher's portfolio, and the student-teacher relationship. This was followed by a session on "Next Generation Research: Ethics and Integrity" by Dr Santhosh KV, Deputy Director – Research, MAHE. He spoke about the ethical practices in journal publications and open-access policies. Post tea break, Dr Sathish Kumar, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, delivered a session on "Professional Growth by Personality	04 Jun 2025

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		Development." He engaged the faculty members with various activities and sensitized the importance of relationships and personality in professional life. Dr Bhavana Bhat, M C, oversaw the event. The workshop provided a valuable platform for enhancing faculty skills and professional growth.	
15	The Association of MCOPS Alumni at Hyderabad organised an Alumni Meet at Hotel Daspalla, Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad	Faculty members from Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal, including the Principal, Dr Srinivas Mutalik; Dr K Nandakumar, Head of the Department of Pharmacology; Dr Raghu Chandrasekar H, Head of the Department of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology; and Dr Anoop Kishore, Alumni Coordinator, MCOPS attended the meeting. The alumni meet was coordinated by the Hyderabad-based alumni– Mr Rajaneesh (BPharm 1999–2003), Mr Prabakar Prabu (BPharm 2000–2004), Mr Vimlesh Singh (BPharm 2005–2009), Ms Dhanalaxmi Kurliwar (MPharm 2023-2025) – along with a team of dedicated volunteers. Their efforts resulted in a vibrant and memorable gathering of over 70 alumni, including graduates from batches dating back to 1990. The attendees represented some of the most prestigious pharmaceutical and healthcare organizations, including: Amgen, Aurobindo Pharma, Bristol Myers Squibb, ClinChoice, Dr Reddy's Laboratories, Freyr Solutions, Gland Pharma, GlaxoSmithKline, Hetero Labs, Indegene, Inga Laboratories, Lupin, Novartis, Optum, Parexel, Sai Life Sciences, Sanofi, Sandoz Pvt Ltd, Sain Medicaments, Syngene International, Tablets India Ltd, Tata Consultancy Services, Viatris etc. The meet featured informal self-introductions by alumni, active networking sessions, and engaging discussions on the current trends and future directions in the pharmaceutical sector. There was a strong focus on exploring avenues to strengthen industry–academia collaboration, an area of growing importance for both professional and academic growth. Dr Mutalik extended a warm invitation to the alumni to visit the Manipal campus and explore opportunities to collaborate with their alma mater in teaching, research, and mentoring roles. The event concluded on a positive note with a networking lunch, leaving attendees with a sense of pride and renewed connection with their alma mater.	27 Jul 2025
16	Lean Six Sigma Workshop	The Centre for Pharmaceutical Skill Development (CPSD) of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), in association with the Society of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (SPER), successfully organized a Lean Six Sigma Workshop	02 Aug 2025

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		aimed at introducing the foundational principles of Lean Six Sigma and exploring their practical applications in healthcare, pharmacy, and allied sectors. The inaugural session commenced with a warm welcome to all participants and dignitaries. The gathering was graced by the presence of: • Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE • Dr Upendra Nagaich, Chief Guest, CEO, SPER Market Research • Dr Amitabh Saxena, Founder and CEO, Anexas • Dr Shrinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS • Dr Anup Naha, Coordinator, CPSD • Dr Shrinivas Hebbar, Co-Coordinator, CPSD The Lean Six Sigma Workshop served as a valuable platform for capacity building and knowledge enhancement, aligning academic insights with industry expectations. It contributed significantly to professional development and was well-received by all attendees. All participants who completed the workshop and successfully appeared for the written assessment were awarded the Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt Certification, recognizing their foundational knowledge of Lean Six Sigma principles and tools.	
17	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), a constituent unit of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), an Institution of Eminence, successfully hosted the Manipal Pharmaceutical Conference (MPCON) 2025. The three-day event, held from 28 to 30 Aug, revolved around the theme, "Translating Innovation: Bridging Pharmaceutical Research and Therapeutic Outcome," and saw enthusiastic participation from students, academics, and industry professionals across the country. 	The conference was a grand success, attracting 509 registered delegates from over 20 institutions across India. The event began with pre-conference workshops on Aug 28, which saw 118 participants engaged across five different specialized streams The scientific fervour was evident in the 360 posters presented during the main conference, showcasing cutting-edge research in pharmaceutical sciences. The event was organized under the able leadership of Convener Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal of MCOPS, and Co-convener Dr Usha Y Nayak, Vice Principal of MCOPS. The conference was marked by a series of distinguished ceremonies. The pre-conference workshops were inaugurated by Chief Guest Dr Anil K. Bhat, Dean, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. The main conference inauguration on 29 Aug was graced by Chief Guest Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE. The valedictory ceremony on Aug 30 was attended by Chief Guest Dr Zoher Sihorwala, Senior Vice President and Head – Global Regulatory Affairs, Wockhardt Limited, Aurangabad. The scientific program was rich and diverse, featuring insightful talks from eminent national and international speakers from both industry and academia. Key highlights included a dynamic panel discussion on emerging trends, extensive poster presentation sessions, and the final round of the "PharmAZy Quiz" for undergraduate students, where five teams	28 - 30 Aug 2025

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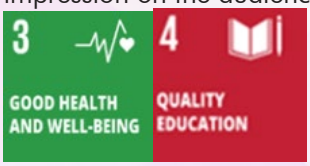
		competed after an initial online screening. The event concluded with the distribution of 42 prizes to acknowledge and celebrate the outstanding scientific contributions of the participants.	
18	Walkathon on Organ Donation and Nasha Mukth Bharat Abhiyan. The NSS Walkathon 2025 was organized in collaboration with Rotary International District 3182 and Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, with the aim of spreading awareness on organ donation and Nasha Mukth Bharat Abhiyaan. The event commenced at 07:30 AM at the KMC Interact Hall. 	The program began with an inaugural ceremony, which included a meaningful skit on organ donation performed by NSS volunteers. This effectively conveyed the importance of organ donation to all the participants. Following the inauguration, the walkathon on organ donation started from KMC Interact Hall, passed through MIT Babbu Swami Temple, and proceeded to Syndicate Circle. The return walk to KMC Interact marked the beginning of the Nasha Mukth Bharat Abhiyaan segment. The event concluded with a street play on substance abuse, presented by NSS volunteers, followed by a collective pledge taken by all participants to work towards a drug-free society. The walkathon successfully raised awareness on organ donation and substance abuse prevention, while uniting the community under a shared vision of building a healthier and socially responsible society.	31 Aug 2025
19	The NSS Unit celebrated International Literacy Day with great enthusiasm and active participation from the children. The event was designed to raise awareness through educational and engaging activities while ensuring a fun-filled and creative experience. The program began with two impactful skits. The first skit highlighted the harmful effects of excessive screen time on children's health, learning, and social skills. The second skit focused on dengue fever awareness, emphasizing preventive measures and the need to maintain a clean environment. Both performances were delivered in an informative yet entertaining manner, leaving a strong impression on the audience. 	As part of Teachers' Day, children made beautiful handmade cards to express their gratitude and affection towards their teachers. This activity helped them showcase their creativity and heartfelt appreciation. The celebration concluded on a high note, with the children joyfully dancing to popular songs, spreading smiles and positive energy throughout the venue. Overall, the International Literacy Day celebration by the NSS Unit was a memorable, educational, and enjoyable event that blended awareness, creativity, and entertainment seamlessly.	06 Sep 2025

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20	CHROMESHOOT-2025 workshop 	A Two-day workshop focusing on Operation, Maintenance, Troubleshooting, and Application of UPLC (Ultra-Performance Liquid Chromatography). The event was organized in association with the Department of Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance, drawing expertise and collaboration from both academic and industry sectors. The green inaugural event was graced by Chief Guest Mr Amitabha Ghosh, DGM Project Management, Navitas Life Sciences, along with the Dignitaries Dr Usha Y Nayak (Vice Principal, MCOPS), Resource Person Dr Gurubasavaraj (Waters India, Bangalore), by watering the plant. The workshop was convened by a team of dedicated faculty members: Organizing Secretary- Dr Muddukrishna B S, Joint Organizing Secretaries- Dr Sudheer Moorkoth, Dr Gundawar Ravi, Dr Aditya Dev Rajora, Dr Sachin Dattram Pawar, and Master of Ceremonies Ms Tanvi Painginkar (Research Scholar)	12 - 13 Sep 2025
21	Pharmacy Literacy Club Observes World Pharmacists Day 2025 with Community Outreach 	On the occasion of World Pharmacists Day, observed on 25 Sep 2025, the Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, MCOPS, organized a community outreach program focusing on pharmacies across the Manipal–Udupi region. The initiative aimed to raise awareness among community pharmacists about the importance of patient counselling during medication dispensing. PLC volunteers visited pharmacies in Manipal, Udupi, Parkala, Indrali, Santhekatte, and Ambagilu, engaging pharmacists in discussions on how effective medication counselling enhances patient safety, adherence, and overall community health. Pamphlets on good dispensing practices were also distributed as part of the campaign. The event concluded in the afternoon, marking a meaningful effort toward strengthening pharmacist–patient communication. The PLC extends heartfelt appreciation to all volunteers for their enthusiastic participation and commitment to community welfare.	25 Sep 2025
22	The NSS Unit of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS)	The gathering was honoured by the presence of the Chief Guest, Dr Balakrishna Maddodi, whose	09 Oct 2025

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	organized its annual inauguration ceremony titled "AAROHAN" on 09 Oct 2025. The event marked the beginning of a new year of service, learning, and leadership for the NSS volunteers. The ceremony commenced with the lighting of the lamp by the dignitaries, followed by a soulful invocation rendered by Ms Ishani Roy, setting a serene and graceful tone for the evening. The program was smoothly compered by Mr Rishi Arun Bhat and Ms Sameeksha, ensuring a seamless flow of events.	inspiring address motivated volunteers to uphold the true spirit and values of NSS. The event was also attended by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Dr Prasanna Kumar (NSS Teacher Coordinator, MCOPS), Dr Usha Nayak, and Dr Shreedharan. The Highlights of the Year were presented by Mr Karthikeya Mahesh Hegde, followed by an introduction of the newly formed committee by Supreetha Nayak. The ceremony concluded with a heartfelt Vote of Thanks delivered by Mr Shashank. To commemorate the occasion, a plantation drive was conducted in the MCOPS garden, symbolizing sustainability, growth, and collective responsibility. The event beautifully embodied the NSS motto "Not Me, But You."	
23	The Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, MCOPS, in association with the Alliance Club International, Udupi, and the Chosen Generation Charitable Trust, Udupi, organized "Nirmitha", a Medication Donation Program, on Friday, 17 Oct 2025, across two old age homes in Udupi.	The donated medications were procured from Sri Poorna Medicals, managed by Mr Sumith Sunil Shetty, a member of the Alliance Club International. The community outreach commenced at Vishranthi Dhama, an old-age home run by Spandana Charitable Trust, at 10:00 AM, where PLC members handed over the donated medications to the caretakers and explained their appropriate usage. Additionally, an interactive session was conducted on managing chronic conditions such as diabetes mellitus, hypertension, and dyslipidemia, emphasizing lifestyle modifications, recognition of disease symptoms, and awareness of possible medication side effects. The session also highlighted the importance of patient counselling, which was actively demonstrated by the participating PLC student members. In the afternoon, the outreach continued at Emmanuel Old Age Home, located in Hoode, where a similar session and donation were carried out by the PLC team.	17 Oct 2025
24	A Wealth Out of Waste competition was conducted at Indrali English Medium School on 17 Oct, encouraging students to showcase creativity through recycling and sustainable practices. Around 90 students enthusiastically participated, creating innovative and useful items	The event concluded with the prize distribution ceremony, recognizing the efforts of the winners, followed by a vote of thanks delivered by Dr Prasanna Kumar. The session was enriching, creative, and successful in promoting environmental consciousness among young learners.	17 Oct 2025

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	from waste materials. NSS volunteers actively monitored and guided the students throughout the event. The occasion was graced by Dr Salim, who shared inspiring and insightful words with the children. Additionally, Ms Sanjana delivered an informative talk on Disaster Management, enhancing the students' awareness and preparedness. 		
25	The NSS volunteers of our institution celebrated Diwali with the residents of Kuteera Old Age Home on 18 Oct. The visit aimed to share joy, spread festive cheer, and spend meaningful time with the elderly residents. As part of the celebration, volunteers painted diyas, lit them across the premises, and prepared colourful lanterns. The team also decorated the old-age home and created a vibrant rangoli, enhancing the festive ambience. Sweets were distributed to the residents, and volunteers warmly interacted with them, listening to their life experiences and receiving their heartfelt blessings. 	The celebration not only brought smiles to the residents but also gave volunteers an opportunity to connect, learn, and understand the value of compassion and community service. The event concluded with shared happiness and a strengthened bond between the students and the elderly residents of Kuteera	18 Oct 2025
26	Workshop on Concepts of Medical Writing	Day 1 of the workshop commenced with the inauguration of the event by Dr Surulivel Rajan, Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmacy Practice, who officially inaugurated the workshop and addressed the gathering. This was followed by a session on scientific writing conducted by Ms Vaishnavi Punja, Associate	24 - 25 Oct 2025

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		Scientific Writer. Ms Punja guided participants through the essentials of manuscript and abstract writing, poster development, and preparing clinical summaries. She also conducted hands-on exercises focused on formatting tables and plotting mean ± standard deviation graphs, which helped participants gain practical experience in scientific data presentation. Day 2 featured a session by Ms Mary Jannet, Principal- Scientific Writing, who delivered an in-depth talk on regulatory writing. She explained the key components of clinical trial protocols and engaged participants in developing different sections of a protocol. Additionally, she introduced the concept of clinical study reports through an interactive case discussion. The workshop concluded with an engaging Q&A session, where students received guidance on interview preparation, essential industry skills, and career opportunities in medical writing. The two-day workshop provided valuable insights into both scientific and regulatory writing, bridging academic learning with real-world industry applications.	
27	MCOPS-Pharma Industry Summit 2025 	Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, welcomed the gathering and spoke on the importance of industry-academia collaboration for the exchange of ideas and knowledge, especially in the context of good manufacturing practices in the pharma sector. Mr Kaushik Desai, an Alumnus of MCOPS and an Executive Committee Member of the International Pharmaceutical Federation (FIP), was the Chief Guest during the inaugural function of the summit. He lauded the initiative by MCOPS to foster collaboration and knowledge exchange between academia and industry. Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor– Health Sciences, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, in his presidential address stressed on the need for personalized medicine and the need for innovation in the pharmaceutical sector in India. Dr Girish Pai K, the organizing secretary of the conference and the coordinator of corporate relations, MCOPS, proposed the vote of thanks. The valedictory function was started at 04.00 PM with an overview of the MCOPS-Pharma Industry Summit 2025 presented by Dr Girish Pai K. The function was presided over by Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor– Technology and Science, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, who commended MCOPS for organizing the Pharma Industry Summit. Dr Dinesh Shenoy B was the chief guest for the event. Dr Usha Y	25 Oct 2025

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		Nayak, Vice Principal, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, delivered the vote of thanks.	
28	The Manipal International Society of Pharmacoepidemiology Student Chapter Conference (MISPECON 2025) was successfully held on 01 and 02 Nov 2025, preceded by a pre-conference workshop on 31 Oct 2025	The two-day conference brought together students from 15 different colleges across India, highlighting its national outreach and collaborative vision. Day 1 began with an inaugural session graced by the presence of Chief Guest Mr Suraj Madhavan, Guest of Honour, Dr Vasudha Devi, and Dr Surulivel Rajan M and presided by Dr Srinivas Mutalik. The inaugural session began with welcome remarks and was followed by a series of insightful talks by distinguished speakers. The second day opened with an engaging session on: • "How to Establish an ISPE Student Chapter and Become an ISPE Member" – Mr Jyotirmoy Sarker, Immediate Past Chair, MPharm, MBiotech, MBA University of Illinois, US • "Integrating Pharmacoeconomics and Patient-Reported Outcomes in Decision-Making" – Dr Raghuvir Keni, Health Technology Assessment Scientist at Eli Lilly • "Markov Models – A Guide for Pharmacoeconomics" – Mr Mahesh Lingaiah, Founder and Chief Strategy officer, at Analyfied. • "Translating Economic Models into Policy Making" – Dr Girish Thunga, Professor of Pharmacy Practice, at Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MAHE). The day continued with further oral presentation sessions, followed by the valedictory ceremony and certificate distribution in the evening.	01 - 02 Nov 2025
29	A special workshop titled "Kannada Maathadi – Kannada Speaking Workshop" was organized on 08 Nov 2025 at P Gundu Rao Hall, MCOPS, as part of Karnataka Rajyotsava celebrations. The event was graced by Ms Tejashree, Ph.D. Scholar from the Department of Pharmacy Practice, under the mentorship of Dr Girish Thunga, who served as the Chief Guest.	The workshop aimed to help non-Kannadiga and non-local students gain basic proficiency in Kannada through simple, practical, and conversational learning. Participants were introduced to everyday phrases, greetings, and commonly used expressions in an interactive and beginner-friendly format. The session promoted cultural integration, inclusivity, and effective communication within and beyond the campus. All participants received certificates of participation, and the event was appreciated for encouraging linguistic harmony and enhancing cultural awareness within the MAHE community.	08 Nov 2025

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30	A heartwarming and joy-filled morning celebrating our little warriors! The event began with colorful party props, a fun selfie session, and a cheerful welcome. Dr Vasudev Bhatt graced the event as the chief guest, along with Dr Prasanna Kumar and Dr Shreedharan, and shared a few encouraging words with the children. Volunteers lit up the room with singing performances, followed by a playful joker entry that had the kids laughing and interacting. The games session was packed with excitement — Passing the Parcel, Memory Game, and Guess the Animal/Cartoon Sound kept the children engaged and thrilled.	A short puppet show and a soothing flute performance added magic to the morning. The art corner was buzzing with creativity as children enjoyed hand-painting and chart-painting, leaving behind beautiful little masterpieces. We concluded with a final Joker Act, dance performances, prize distribution, and a warm Vote of Thanks by Dr Prasanna Kumar Sir. A truly memorable celebration filled with smiles, strength, and pure childhood joy!	14 Nov 2025
Pharma Quality Assurance			
1	The Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) organized a two-day workshop "SOLSTATE-2025" on 13 and 14 Feb, 2025, focusing on solid-state characterization in Pharmaceutical Research. The event was organized by the Department of Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance, drawing expertise and collaboration from both academic and industry sectors	The inaugural event was graced by the chief guest, Dr Raghavendra Shetty, Vice President of Navitas Life Sciences, Manipal, Dr Mahalaxmi Rathnanand, additional professor in the Department of Pharmaceutics and in-charge of principal MCOPS, Resource persons Mr Sandeep H B and Mr Arjun Unnikrishanan from Aimil Bangalore	13 - 14 Feb 2025
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology			
1	Faculty Development Workshop on Pedagogic Effectiveness	Organized a Faculty Development Workshop on Pedagogic Effectiveness on Sep 23, 2025, at the Dr N Udupa Seminar Hall, MCOPS, MAHE,	23 Sep 2025

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		Manipal. The program began with a briefing and introduction of the resource person by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS. The sessions were led by Dr K Ramnarayan, Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University, and Emeritus Professor of Medical Education, MAHE, Manipal. The workshop provided practical tools for assessment design, insights into teaching philosophy, and reflections on the roles and responsibilities of teachers. The sessions were interactive and well-received by all participants. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr Raghu Chandrashekar H, Professor and Head, Department of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, MCOPS, who acknowledged the valuable contribution of the resource person and the enthusiastic participation of the young faculty.	
Pharmaceutical Chemistry			
1	DeepSAR-Accelerating Drug Discovery, Research and Education with Artificial Intelligence 	The workshop was inaugurated by Dr B S Satish Rao, Director, Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS) and Director, Centre for Doctoral Studies, MAHE, emphasizing the transformative role of AI in pharmaceutical sciences. The workshop concluded with a valedictory ceremony attended by Dr Srinivas Mutalik (Principal, MCOPS), Dr Usha Y Nayak (Vice Principal, MCOPS), and Dr Suvarna G Kini (Professor and HOD, Pharmaceutical Chemistry, MCOPS). Dr Kini presented a comprehensive workshop report, highlighting key takeaways, and certificates were distributed to all participants.	20 - 22 Mar 2025
Pharmaceutics			
1	The Centre for cGMP at Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), MAHE, successfully hosted the first edition of the Manipal cGMP Forum alongside the celebration of the 3rd National cGMP Day. The event marked a significant milestone in advancing pharmaceutical quality and good manufacturing practice in India. The concept of National cGMP Day, initiated by Dr Girish Pai K, Coordinator, Centre for cGMP, has been celebrated annually since 2023, in collaboration with IDMA, PCI, FOPE, Pharmexcil, and other leading industry bodies. 	Lt Gen Dr M D Venkatesh, Honourable Vice Chancellor of MAHE, Manipal, expressed his pride in the achievement, stating, “For MAHE, this marks a significant milestone as we celebrate 2025 as the ‘Year of Excellence in Industry-Academia Collaborations.’ The release of this Special Postal Cover in association with IDMA is expected to generate nationwide awareness on the importance of cGMP and the quality of medicines. It is a momentous occasion for MAHE, especially as the Department of Posts, India approved our joint proposal to commemorate this noble field — pharmaceuticals — through this release.” Best Poster Awards were presented with certificates, cash prizes, and a Special cGMP Gift sponsored by Akums Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Ltd. The theme, “cGMP for Sustainable Quality”, unveiled earlier in Apr 2025, set the tone for impactful discussions. The conference featured: Plenary sessions, Poster presentations, Interactive industry-academia dialogues and student engagement activities which included Quality jingle, innovation pitch and tree	10 Oct 2025

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		of quality (fully sponsored by Akums). The Centre for cGMP at MAHE expressed heartfelt thanks to all participants, speakers, sponsors, and guests for making the Manipal cGMP Forum and National cGMP Day 2025 a grand success. The event reaffirmed MAHE's commitment to excellence in pharmaceutical education and quality standards. The event concluded with the GMP Pledge, about 200 plus delegates (UG and PG students, Research scholars, Industry professionals, Resource persons, and Chairpersons) were present for the pledge.	
Pharmacology			
1	The National Conference on Inflammation and Drug Discovery (Inflammo-CON 2025) was successfully organized by the Department of Pharmacology, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) from 05 to 07 Feb 2025. 	The conference aimed to provide a multidisciplinary platform for researchers, academicians, and students to exchange knowledge and explore emerging strategies in inflammation research and drug discovery. The event commenced on 05 Feb 2025 with a Pre-Conference Workshop, inaugurated by Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS, who emphasized the significance of pharmacological research and interdisciplinary collaboration in advancing therapeutic innovations. The main conference was inaugurated on 6 Feb 2025 with the lighting of the lamp by Dr Raviraja NS, Chief Operating Officer, MAHE, along with Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Dr K. Nandakumar, Professor and Head, Department of Pharmacology, and Dr Yogendra Nayak, Organizing Secretary. The conference attracted nearly 150 delegates from various institutions across the country. Dr Devinder Arora discussed the role of inflammation in mood disorders, Dr Raghavender Medishetty elaborated on tyrosine kinase biology and zebrafish models, and Dr Ashutosh Kumar highlighted mitochondrial dysfunction in diabetic neuropathy. On the final day, experts, including Dr G Jagadeesh, Dr M K Unnikrishnan, Dr Manjunath B Joshi, and Dr Jayesh Mudgal, provided valuable perspectives on regulatory science, evolutionary immunology, neutrophil extracellular traps, and inflammasomes as therapeutic targets. The conference also featured poster and oral presentation sessions, with over 70 posters and 10 oral presentations, enabling young researchers to showcase their work. These sessions encouraged scientific dialogue and constructive feedback from experienced evaluators. The event concluded with a valedictory ceremony on 07 Feb 2025, featuring an address by Dr Mahadeva Nayak, Sami-Sabinsa Group Ltd., followed by the announcement of award winners and a vote of thanks.	05 - 07 Feb 2025

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Pharmacy Management			
1	As part of MAHE's digital learning initiatives, a training session on the LMS Brightspace was organized for the faculty members of the Departments of Pharmacology, Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, and Regulatory Affairs on 05 Mar 2025, from 02:30 PM to 04:00 PM at the PG Seminar Hall, Department of Pharmacology, MCOPS, MAHE.	The session was conducted by Dr Pradeep Murugundi, Associate Professor, Department of Regulatory Affairs, MAHE, and LMS Coordinator for MCOPS, Manipal. He provided an in-depth overview of Brightspace, focusing on its key features, including: • Course Management – Structuring and organizing course content effectively. • Content Delivery – Uploading and managing course materials for seamless student engagement. • Assessment Tools – Designing quizzes, assignments, and other evaluation components for tracking student progress. A hands-on demonstration familiarized participants with the platform's functionalities, followed by an interactive Q&A session that addressed practical challenges in implementing Brightspace in day-to-day teaching. Faculty members actively engaged in discussions, sharing insights on integrating the LMS into their teaching methodologies. Approximately 15 faculty members benefited from this session, gaining valuable knowledge on optimizing digital tools for effective teaching. The training was well-received, with participants appreciating its relevance in enhancing digital learning and improving teaching efficiency. The session concluded with a discussion of best practices for effective LMS implementation, ensuring a smooth transition to digital course management at MCOPS.	05 Mar 2025
Pharmacy Practice			
1	10th International Conference on Clinical Pharmacy (CPCON 2025)	The 10th International Conference on Clinical Pharmacy (CPCON 2025) organized by the Centre for Pharmaceutical Care in association with the Department of Pharmacy Practice, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), themed "Transforming Pharmacy Practice for Value-Based-Care Models," was held on 10 and 11 Jan, 2025, at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal. This global event brought together professionals and researchers to discuss advancements in pharmacy practice, focusing on patient-centered and value-based care. The conference commenced with an inaugural ceremony by the chief guest Dr Sharath Kumar Rao K, Pro-Vice Chancellor-Health Sciences, MAHE, Manipal. The first scientific session, "Research in Patient Care Models," featured thought-provoking presentations. Frank May, FISPE, Australia, explored the evolution and prospects of clinical pharmacy in India. Dr Simon Bell, Professor and Director, Centre for Medicine Use and Safety, Monash University, Australia, discussed new	09 - 11 Jan 2025

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		directions in aged care pharmacies in Australia. Dr Steven Chen, Associate Dean for Clinical Affairs, University of Southern California, USA, highlighted strategies for improving population health through value-based clinical pharmacy services. The second day began with research presentations, offering further opportunities to explore innovative ideas. CPCON 2025 successfully fostered collaboration, knowledge-sharing, and innovation in clinical pharmacy, paving the way for advancements in value-based care practices. The program also involved two parallel themes in the pre-conference workshops on "Writing Successful Publications: Practical Insights" and "Health Data Analytics using 'R' programming" on 09 Jan 2025. The program involved 184 scientific presentations in different categories by students and staff. 474 registered delegates from 49 pharmacy colleges pan India participated in the conference.	
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3	The Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, MCOPS, in collaboration with Tempus	The session then shifted focus to Road Traffic Awareness (RTA), covering crucial topics such as managing accident scenarios and addressing	23 Jan 2025

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	Pretioso, a student-run Emergency Medicine Club of Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, organized a workshop on Basic Life Support (BLS) and Road Traffic Awareness (RTA) on 23 Jan 2025 at MCOPS. The session aimed to equip participants with essential life-saving skills and first-aid techniques. Key topics such as the Chain of Survival, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), and the Heimlich Maneuver were thoroughly explained and demonstrated. A highlight of the workshop was the demonstration of two-person CPR using an Automated External Defibrillator (AED), including the variation in chest pad placement	severe bleeding. Students were taught the Do's and Don'ts of emergency situations and were introduced to techniques like splinting and compression bandaging. The workshop saw enthusiastic participation from over 45 students from the B. Pharm and PharmD programs at MCOPS. This initiative highlighted the importance of emergency preparedness and equipped students with vital skills to respond effectively in critical situations.	
4	ICOP India 2025 proved to be a pivotal event for the global pharmacometrics community, bringing together experts from academia, industry, and regulatory bodies to discuss cutting-edge advancements and emerging trends. This report summarizes the key highlights and takeaways from the conference, showcasing the immense value it offered to attendees and sponsors. There were 130 participants, both from academia and industry participated in the event.	The pre-conference workshop on "Basics of Pharmacometrics and PBPK Models: A Practical Approach" provided attendees with a solid foundation in these critical areas. Through a blend of theoretical learning, hands-on exercises using PK-SIM, and regulatory insights, participants gained practical skills applicable to real-world drug development challenges. This workshop effectively prepared attendees for the more advanced discussions that followed in the main conference. Day 1 of ICOP India 2025 focused on the application of pharmacometrics in 505(b)(2) submissions and clinical pharmacometrics in patient care. Key highlights included: A commemoration lecture on the strategic integration of model-informed approaches in 505(b)(2) drug development, emphasizing the potential of MIDD to streamline regulatory approvals. A presentation on the applications of modeling and simulations in generic drug development, highlighting the role of PBPK modeling. A panel discussion featuring leading experts, exploring the evolving role of MIDD in regulatory science. Sessions dedicated to clinical pharmacometrics in oncology, infectious diseases, and special populations, showcasing how pharmacometrics can optimize dosing and	01 - 02 Feb 2025

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		improve patient outcomes. Day 2: Quantitative methods in generic drug development. Day 2 shifted its focus to quantitative methods in generic drug development. Key highlights included: A keynote address on leveraging model-integrated evidence for drug development and approval. Presentations on model-based bioequivalence and the broader applications of modeling and simulation in drug development. A panel discussion on the evolving role of modeling and simulation in regulatory approvals. A dedicated tutorial session featuring expert insights on career development in pharmacometrics, providing valuable guidance to aspiring professionals	
5	On the occasion of National Science Day 2025, the Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, MCOPS, in collaboration with Tempus Pretioso, organized a Basic Life Support (BLS) Workshop on 24 Feb 2025 as part of a residential training program for school students. 	The workshop focused on essential life-saving skills, including the Chain of Survival, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), the Heimlich Maneuver, and the use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED), with hands-on demonstrations. Students were also trained in accident management and basic splinting techniques. The session empowered more than 24 school students (9th Grade) with critical emergency response skills. A heartfelt thank you to Tempus Pretioso for partnering with us to deliver such an engaging and impactful workshop. Let's continue to learn, share, and promote life-saving awareness!	24 Feb 2025
6	The two-day workshop was specifically organized for faculty members from nearby colleges, with the objective of fostering a strong research culture. This initiative was conducted under the Scientific Social Responsibility (SSR) component of the SERB Core Research Grant, as part of the project titled "Design, Development and Clinical Validation of a Point-of-Care Diagnostic Device for the Rapid Detection of Paraquat Poisoning in Human Serum in the Hospital Setting" [File No: CRG/2023/006127/EEC], obtained by Dr Girish Thunga, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), MAHE, Manipal.	The feedback from participants was overwhelmingly positive. A majority expressed high levels of satisfaction with the overall quality of the workshop, noting that the content was highly relevant to their professional responsibilities. Core topics such as hypothesis formulation, literature review, study design, data collection and analysis, and ethical research practices were consistently rated as excellent or very good. Participants particularly appreciated the depth of subject expertise demonstrated by the facilitators and commended the workshop's overall organization, including the venue, communication, and scheduling.	05 - 06 Jun 2025

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7	The Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, MCOPS, in association with the Alliance Club International, Udupi, and the Chosen Generation Charitable Trust, Udupi, organized "Nirmitha", a Medication Donation Program, on Friday, 17 Oct 2025, across two old age homes in Udupi. The donated medications were procured from Sri Poorna Medicals, managed by Mr Sumith Sunil Shetty, a member of the Alliance Club International. The community outreach commenced at Vishranthi Dhama, an old age home run by Spandana Charitable Trust, at 10:00 AM, where PLC members handed over the donated medications to the caretakers and explained their appropriate usage.	Additionally, an interactive session was conducted on managing chronic conditions such as diabetes mellitus, hypertension, and dyslipidemia, emphasizing lifestyle modifications, recognition of disease symptoms, and awareness of possible medication side effects. The session also highlighted the importance of patient counselling, which was actively demonstrated by the participating PLC student members. In the afternoon, the outreach continued at Emmanuel Old Age Home, located in Hoode, where a similar session and donation were carried out by the PLC team.	17 Oct 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

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Administration				
1	Mr Sourav Maity	Global Regulatory Submission Publishing Associate	A guest lecture on "Overview of Regulatory Affairs Operation" was conducted by Mr Sourav Maity, a Global Regulatory Submission Publishing Associate, on 01 Feb 2025. The session	01 Feb 2025

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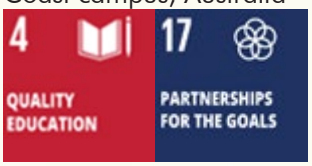
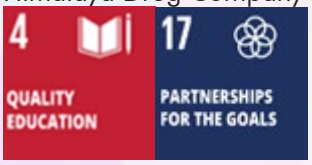
			aimed to provide students with valuable insights into the critical aspects of regulatory affairs, particularly focusing on RIMS publishing, CMC, Plant Regulatory Affairs, R&D Regulatory Affairs, and the differences between eCTD and NeeS.	
2	Dr Devinder Arora	Griffith University, Gold Coast campus, Australia 	Guest lecture on the inflamed moods – Neuroinflammation in anxiety and depressive disorders. Dr Arora's visit was a part of his ongoing collaboration with MCOPS as an International Adjunct Faculty.	03 - 09 Feb 2025
3	Dr Jagadeesh Babu Rangisetty	Biopharma India Pharmaceuticals Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad	The 11th Manipal IPCs Funded Diamond Jubilee Commemorative Lecture was held at MCOPS on 08 Feb 2025 at 10:00 AM in Dr PGR Conference hall, featuring Dr Jagadeesh Babu Rangisetty, Founder and CEO, Biopharma India Pharmaceuticals Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad as the distinguished speaker. The commemorative lecture was a significant academic event that brought together students, faculty members, and distinguished professionals in the field of pharmaceuticals. The event aimed to provide insights into the Indian pharmaceutical industry and career prospects in this domain.	08 Feb 2025
4	Novo Nordisk	Novo Nordisk	The Training and Placement Assistance Cell of MCOPS, Manipal, in collaboration with MedSafe: A Student Initiative, hosted an enriching guest lecture by Novo Nordisk on 14 Feb 2025.	14 Feb 2025
5	Mr G Sathya Murthy	J L Morison Son and Jones, AstraZeneca, Strides Arcolab, Orchid Pharmaceuticals, and Himalaya Drug Company 	Mr G Sathya Murthy, an esteemed alumnus of MCOPS (Batch 1973-77), visited his alma mater on 22 Feb 2025 and delivered an insightful guest lecture on "Quality in Pharmaceutical Products"	22 Feb 2025
6	Dr Praveen K Shetty	Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue, MAHE	The Centre for Pharmaceutical Skill Development (CPSD), MCOPS, Manipal, successfully organized the International Women's Day program on 08 Mar 2025,	08 Mar 2025

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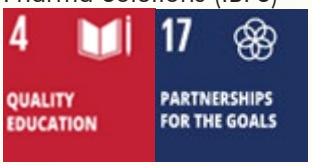
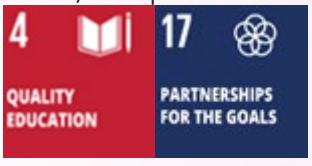
			with the theme #AccelerateAction. The event highlighted the importance of gender equality and the significant role of women in society. The program commenced at 09:30 am with an inspiring welcome quote, followed by an introduction and self-introduction by the Master of Ceremony, Ms Anjana A K A soulful invocation by Dr Ujwala Achar M set a thoughtful tone for the event. The highlight of the event was a guest lecture by Dr Praveen Shetty, Coordinator, Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue, MAHE, on "Women in Tulu Nadu Folk Tradition." Dr Shetty provided valuable insights into the role of women in preserving and shaping the rich cultural heritage of Tulu Nadu. His talk was engaging, shedding light on historical narratives and their relevance in modern times	
7	Mr K Mahesh Rao	Integrated Biopharma and Pharma Solutions (IBPS) 	Mr Mahesh Rao K, Chief Quality Officer – Integrated Biopharma and Pharma Solutions (IBPS), delivered an insightful lecture on "Manufacturing Controls and cGMP in Sterile Products" on 05 Apr 2025. The session was attended by Faculty, UG and PG students, and Research Scholars of MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal.	05 Apr 2025
8	Dr Julius Anthony Vaz	Global Drug Development at Novartis	The Innovative Communication Club (I2C) of MCOPS organized an enlightening guest lecture on 24 May 2025, titled “The Future of Medicine.” The session featured Dr Julius Anthony Vaz, former Vice-President of Global Drug Development at Novartis, who shared thought-provoking insights on the transformative role of innovation in shaping modern healthcare.	24 May 2025
9	Dr Satish Kumar	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, MAHE, Manipal 	Staff Club of MCOPS organized a guest talk by Dr Satish Kumar, Associate Professor, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, MAHE, Manipal, on the theme “Interpersonal Relationships and Personality Development” on 25 Jun 2025. The teaching and non-teaching faculties attended the talk with great enthusiasm. The talk was coordinated by Dr Bhavana B Bhat and Mr Jagadeesh Nayak.	25 Jun 2025

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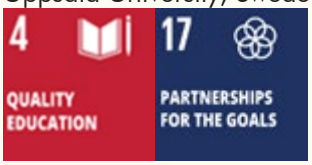
10	Dr Skanda Narayanaswamy	Uppsala University, Sweden 	The Pharmacy Literacy Club, under the Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, MCOPS, MAHE, organized an engaging alumni guest lecture titled “Pharmacy Practice Meets Pharmacometrics: Unlocking Drug Discovery Opportunities in Sweden” on 24 Jul 2025. The session was delivered by Dr Skanda Narayanaswamy, PharmD graduate of MCOPS and currently a Research Assistant at Uppsala University, Sweden.	24 Jul 2025
Pharma Quality Assurance				
1	Mr Kotha Arun Kumar	Dr Reddy's Laboratories Ltd, Hyderabad	The Department of Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance, MCOPS, organized a guest lecture on "Fundamentals of Stability Testing: Strategic Tool for Drug Development” on 28 Feb 2025. "The session featured Mr Kotha Arun Kumar, a distinguished Specialist in Development Quality Assurance from Dr Reddy's Laboratories Ltd, Hyderabad. The lecture aimed to provide students with comprehensive insights into stability testing principles, regulatory requirements, and strategic considerations in drug development. The key highlights of the guest lecture: 1. Fundamentals of Stability Testing 2. Regulatory Framework 3. Types of Stability Studies 4. Protocol Development 5. Data Analysis and Interpretation 6. Strategic Importance in Drug Development	28 Feb 2025
2	Dr Raghavendra Shetty	BABE Services, Navitas Life Sciences	MPharm - Department of Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance, students accompanied by the faculty, Dr Schin D Pawar and Mr Pothuraju Naresh, visited Ecron Acunova Ltd, Manipal on 08 Dec 2025 The visit commenced with an insightful guest lecture by Dr Raghavendra Shetty, Vice President – BABE Services, Navitas Life Sciences, on “Regulated Bioanalysis by LC-MS/MS”. The session provided in-depth understanding of regulatory expectations and best practices in bioanalysis. This was followed by an overview of the bioanalytical workflow by Mr Arun, offering practical insights into method development, validation, sample handling, and quality control parameters such as LLOQ, HQC, MQC,	08 Dec 2025

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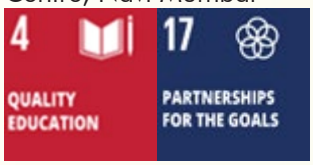
			and LQC within a regulated CRO environment.	
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology				
1	Dr Sunil Shetty	ACTREC–Tata Memorial Centre, Navi Mumbai 	The Department of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, MCOPS, organized a guest lecture titled "Decoding Translational Control in Cancer and Cellular Stress", delivered by Dr Sunil Shetty, Principal Investigator, ACTREC–Tata Memorial Centre, Navi Mumbai. The session was conducted virtually via MS Teams	23 Dec 2025
Pharmaceutical Chemistry				
1	Dr Praveen Nekkar Rao	School of Pharmacy, University of Waterloo, Canada	The Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, MCOPS, organized a guest lecture by Dr Praveen Nekkar Rao, Associate Professor, School of Pharmacy, University of Waterloo, Canada, on 16 Apr 2025, at the PGR Conference Hall, MCOPS	16 Apr 2025
Pharmaceutics				
1	Professor Krishna Mohan Poluri	IIT Roorkee	The Department of Pharmaceutics, MCOPS, organized a guest lecture by Professor Krishna Mohan Poluri on "Designing Biotherapeutics and Drugs by Protein Surfaces" from IIT Roorkee on 22 Feb 2025. Titled "Designing Biotherapeutics and Drugs by Protein Surfaces," the session explored how plastic protein surfaces open new possibilities in biotherapeutic development and drug design. Professor Poluri provided valuable insights into advanced strategies shaping the future of protein-based therapeutics.	22 Feb 2025
2	Dr Vaishali Londhe	NMIMS, Mumbai	The Department of Pharmaceutics, MCOPS successfully hosted a guest lecture by Dr Vaishali Londhe, a distinguished professor from NMIMS, Mumbai, on 18 Mar 2025. Dr Londhe delivered an insightful session on microneedle-based drug delivery for the treatment of schizophrenia, sharing her extensive research, experimental studies, and key breakthroughs in this innovative drug delivery system. She discussed challenges, advancements, and the potential of microneedle technology in enhancing therapeutic outcomes. The	18 Mar 2025

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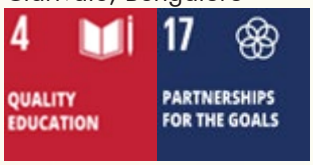
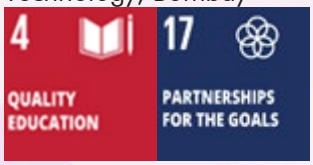
			lecture was highly engaging and provided attendees, including faculty members, research scholars, and students, with a deeper understanding of microneedle applications in drug delivery. The session concluded with a dynamic Q&A segment, fostering meaningful discussions and knowledge exchange	
3	Ms Prateeksha Prakash Kamath	Clarivate, Bengaluru 	Department of Pharmaceutics, MCOPS, Manipal, organized an engaging alumni talk titled "My Journey: From PG to Clarivate- Roadmap to Success" on 16 Oct 2025. The session was delivered by Ms Prateeksha Prakash Kamath, Healthcare Research and Data Analyst at Clarivate, Bengaluru, and a proud alumna of MCOPS. She shared her inspiring professional journey from postgraduate studies to her current role, offering valuable insights on interview preparation, internship experiences, and transitioning into the corporate environment.	16 Oct 2025
Pharmacognosy				
1	Prof Nagabhushan Moolky	Illinois, USA	"Turmeric Cancer Prevention and Cure" by Dr Nagabhushan Moolky, Adjunct Professor, Department of Pharmacognosy, MCOPS-MAHE, Manipal. Independent Senior Scientist/Consultant – Nutrition and Toxicology Health Coach, Yoga Expert, Yoga and Ayurveda Researcher, Expert Witness, Writer, Singer, Educator, Publisher, Music Composer and Producer, Oak Brook, Illinois, USA. Organized by the Department of Pharmacognosy on 03 Jun 2025, at PGR conference hall, MCOPS, Manipal.	03 Jun 2025
2	Dr Ramakrishna V Hosur	Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay 	A guest lecture titled "Science, Wisdom and Spirituality" was delivered by Prof Ramakrishna V Hosur, Padma Shri awardee and Distinguished Visiting Professor at the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, on 12 Jun 2025. The session was attended by faculty members, professors, research scholars, and supporting staff of MAHE.	12 Jun 2025
3	Dr Sandeep Bekal R	Sharada Ayurveda Medical College and Hospital, Talapady, Mangaluru	Department of Pharmacognosy, MCOPS, Manipal, organized a guest lecture on "Endotoxin Clearance and	19 Nov 2025

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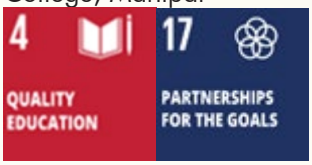
			Gut Healing through Panchakarma Therapy" on 19 Nov 2025, at the PGR Conference Hall, MCOPS. Dr Chandrashekar KS, Head, Department of Pharmacognosy, welcomed the gathering and introduced the speaker, Dr Sandeep Bekal R, Principal and Chief Medical Officer, Sharada Ayurveda Medical College and Hospital, Talapady, Mangalore.	
4	Dr Muralidhar Varma	Department of Infectious Diseases, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal 	On 22 Nov 2025, Dr Muralidhar Varma, Professor and Head, Department of Infectious Diseases, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, delivered an insightful guest lecture titled "Bridging Evidence and Practice in Antibiotic Stewardship." The session began with a welcome address by Adrian Rex, followed by introductory remarks from Dr D Sreedhar, Secretary of IPA Manipal, who provided contextual reflections to set the tone for the discussion.	22 Nov 2025
Pharmacology				
1	Dr Anirban Roy Chowdhury	Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd, Gurugram, Haryana	The Department of Pharmacology, MCOPS, Manipal, organized a guest lecture on 07 Mar 2025, at MCOPS, Manipal, on the topic "Drug Development and Career Opportunities," delivered by Dr Anirban Roy Chowdhury (Associate Vice President and Head, Development Centre of Excellence, Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd, Gurugram, Haryana). The aim of the session was to provide insight into clinical research, career paths in the pharmaceutical industry, and the drug development process. Around a hundred MPharm Students, scholars, and faculty members attended the session with great enthusiasm, engaging in discussions about the evolving landscape of clinical research and data-driven drug development.	07 Mar 2025
2	Dr Nagabhishek SN	Imperial Life Sciences (P) Ltd, Haryana	The Department of Pharmacology, MCOPS, successfully organized a guest lecture on "Revolutionizing In Vivo Imaging: The Next Breakthrough" by Dr Nagabhishek SN, an esteemed Application Scientist from Imperial Life Sciences (P) Ltd, Haryana, on 20 Mar 2025. The session focused on the	20 Mar 2025

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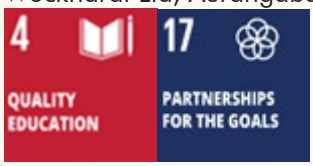
			advanced imaging modalities used in preclinical small animal research, particularly the Bruker preclinical small animal imaging system, including fluorescence luminescence, bioluminescence, and X-ray imaging techniques.	
3	Dr Bikash Medhi	PGIMER Pharmacovigilance and Materiovigilance Centre (Regional Centre, North India). 	The Department of Pharmacology, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal, organized a guest lecture on "Pharmacovigilance Program of India (PvPI) and Materiovigilance Program of India (MvPI)" on 05 Sep 2025. The session was delivered by Prof Bikash Medhi, Professor, Department of Pharmacology, PGIMER, Chandigarh, and Coordinator, PGIMER Pharmacovigilance and Materiovigilance Centre (Regional Centre, North India). The lecture was attended by faculty, postgraduate (MPharm and PharmD) students, and research scholars. Prof Medhi provided an in-depth overview of national vigilance programs, emphasizing their vital role in ensuring patient safety.	05 Sep 2025
Pharmacy Management				
1	Shri Zoher Sihorwala	Wockhardt Ltd, Aurangabad 	The Department of Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs and Management, MCOPS, MAHE, organized a Postgraduate (PG) Lecture Series on 30 Aug 2025, at MCOPS. The session aimed to update students on recent advancements in pharmaceutical regulatory science and promote industry–academia interaction. The guest speaker, Shri Zoher Sihorwala, Senior Vice President and Global Head – Regulatory Affairs, Wockhardt Ltd., Aurangabad, shared valuable insights on evolving global regulatory frameworks, compliance strategies, and the growing importance of innovation-driven regulatory practices.	30 Aug 2025
2	Ms Amrutha MS	Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE 	On 05 Sep 2025, the Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, in observance of National Nutrition Week, organized a guest lecture. The talk was delivered by Ms Amrutha M S, Dietician and Assistant Professor, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, on the topic "Nutrition in the 21st Century and AI in	05 Sep 2025

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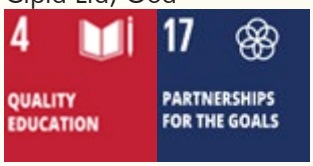
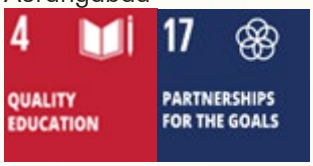
			Food Choices." Her talk provided valuable insights into the future of personalized diet plans and the role of technology in dietetics.	
3	Shri Prasad Bhilegaonkar	Cipla Ltd, Goa 	The Department of Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs and Management, MCOPS, organized the latest session of its Postgraduate (PG) Lecture Series on 13 Sep 2025. The session featured Shri Prasad Bhilegaonkar, Associate Director, Formulation Technology Transfer, Cipla Ltd, Goa, who delivered an insightful lecture on the challenges and opportunities in formulation product transfer. He discussed practical aspects of technology transfer, regulatory compliance, and innovation, bridging academic knowledge with real-world industrial practices.	13 Sep 2025
4	Dr Prashant Musmade	Glenmark Pharmaceuticals, Aurangabad 	The Department of Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs and Management, MCOPS, MAHE, organized the third lecture in its Postgraduate (PG) Lecture Series on 11 Oct 2025. The session featured Dr Prashant Musmade, Senior Manager – Data Reliability Officer, Glenmark Pharmaceuticals, Aurangabad, who delivered an engaging lecture on the challenges in data entry and the importance of maintaining data integrity in the pharmaceutical sector. Postgraduate students from the Departments of Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs and Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance actively participated in the interactive session, which emphasized the ALCOA principles: Attributable, Legible, Contemporaneous, Original, and Accurate—as foundational to reliable data management.	11 Oct 2025
5	Dr Francis Fernandes and Shri Subramanya Aithal	FRANSHA PHARMA LLP	Department of Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs and Management of MCOPS organized a training on eCTD (Electronic Common Technical Document) and the fourth lecture in its Post Graduate (PG) Lecture Series on 11 and 12 Nov 2025. The session was featured under the guidance of Dr Francis Fernandes, CEO and Shri Subramanya Aithal from FRANSHA PHARMA LLP, who delivered an	11 - 12 Nov 2025

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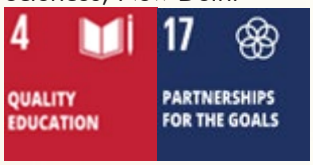
			insightful lecture and two days of extensive online training on the significance and use of eCTD (Electronic Common Technical Document). Postgraduate students from the Department of Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs actively participated in this training session, which sparked curiosity in dossier submission in pharmaceuticals. The training provided a valuable platform on ICH eCTD as it harmonizes global regulatory submissions, speeds up review, enhances dossier quality, supports lifecycle management, and improves communication between regulators and pharmaceutical companies.	
Pharmacy Practice				
1	Dr Hariprasad Gururao	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi 	The Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal, hosted a guest lecture on "Clinical Proteomics as a Platform for Precision Medicine" on 04 Jan 2025, at the Shirdi Sai Baba Cancer Hospital Conference Hall, KMC, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Hariprasad Gururao, Professor at the Department of Biophysics at All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, delivered the insightful lecture. Dr Gururao, a renowned clinical scientist with expertise in protein profiling and biomarker discovery, shared his research on developing a "Point of Care Testing Kit" for personalized medicine. He highlighted the significance of clinical proteomics in advancing precision medicine and discussed his team's work in identifying biomarkers for Parkinson's disease and schizophrenia. Dr Mahadev Rao welcomed the gathering, and the lecture provided valuable insights for many faculty and students.	04 Jan 2025
2	Dr Erfan Alijani	Ghazvin, Iran, and an alumnus of MCOPS	The Pharmacy Literacy Club (PLC), Centre for Public Health Pharmacy, Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS, organized an alumni guest lecture titled "Importance of Pre-prescription Counseling in the Pharmacy Profession: An Iranian Perspective" on 01 Apr 2025. The session was conducted by Dr Erfan Alijani, a pharmacist from Ghazvin, Iran, and an	01 Apr 2025

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			alumnus of MCOPS, who pursued his PharmD (PB) from 2018 to 2021 at the Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS.	
3	Mr Mahesh Lingaiah	Markov Models	On 17 Nov 2025, the Centre for Toxicovigilance and Drug Safety, in association with the Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal, conducted the seminar aimed to provide a clear and practical understanding of Markov Models, with emphasis on their application in healthcare, research, and decision-making processes. The session was designed to simplify complex concepts and enhance analytical thinking among pharmacy students.	17 Nov 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
37	0	375	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
77	15	42	57

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Conference	5	2
Seminar	2	0
Other	22	0
Workshop	12	4

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Pharmaceutical Chemistry				
1	Deciphering The Role of Succinate Dehydrogenase in Drug Discovery: SDH in Drug Discovery	Dr Dileep Kumar	SPRINGER SINGAPORE	31 Dec 2025
2	Molecular Targets and Therapeutic Interventions against Neurodegenerative Diseases	Dr Dileep Kumar	CRC PRESS	31 Dec 2025
Pharmaceutics				
1	Core-Shell Nano Constructs for Cancer Theragnostic: Current Scenario, Challenges and Regulatory Aspects	Dr Namdev Dhas	Springer Science + Business Media	31 Dec 2025
2	Biomaterial-based Additive Manufacturing in Tissue Engineering and Regeneration	Dr Deepanjan Datta	Springer	31 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Pharma Quality Assurance					
1	A pilot study to evaluate the novel GRDSS system for treatment of H Pylori induced gastric ulcer	Dr Sudheer Moorkoth	ICMR, New Delhi	5,567,681	09 Feb 2023 - 08 Feb 2026
2	Comparative Analysis of in-vitro Stability of Various brands of Amoxicillin - Clavulanate	Dr Sudheer Moorkoth	Dr Reddys Laboratories Limited	657,858	01 Sep 2024 - 31 Aug 2025
3	Travel grant for attending CRSingapore 2025" Connecting Continents in delivery Science, Singapore (19 to 21 Feb, 2025) held in Singapore	Mr Ashutosh Gupta	SERB, New Delhi	52,125	19 Feb 2025 - 21 Mar 2025
4	Formulation and induction into Biomedical and Characterization of Co-amorphous System of Amoxapine-Bergamottin: Improving Solubility, Dissolution, Metabolic Stability, Pharmacokinetics, and Antidepressant Activity	Dr Sachin Dattram Pawar	ICMR, New Delhi	2,128,140	04 Sep 2025 - 03 Sep 2028
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology					
1	Inspire Fellowship under INSPIRE Program - for Student pursuing full-time doctoral (Ph'D) Program at MAHE	Mr Kishore S	DST, New Delhi	483,509	24 Apr 2022 - 23 Apr 2027
2	The Potential of Drug Repurposing to Target Key Mechanisms of Epithelial to Mesenchymal Transition in Breast Cancer Metastasis: A Comprehensive In-vitro and In-vivo Study	Dr Jesil Mathew Aranjani	ICMR, New Delhi	7,681,143	23 Feb 2024 - 22 Feb 2027
Pharmaceutical Chemistry					
1	Pharmacokinetic Assessment of P-glycoprotein Mediated Interactions: Cyclin Dependent Kinase Inhibitor and Proton Pump Inhibitors in the Intervention of Metastatic Breast Cancer	Ms Mrunal Desai	Lady Tata Memorial Trust	1,379,336	01 Aug 2022 - 31 Jul 2025
2	To develop and strengthen co-operation for academic activities in Ayush system of medicine, whereby Kapiva will sponsor specific research projects to be carried out by	Dr Suvarna G Kini	Adret Retail Pvt Ltd	690,000	01 Jun 2024 - 31 May 2026

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	the PhD students of MAHE, MCOPS, Manipal				
Pharmaceutics					
1	Glycosylated Nanoparticles of Carbapenems to Target Biofilm in Gram-negative bacterial Infections	Ms Ashwini T	ICMR, New Delhi	1,611,548	02 May 2022 - 01 May 2025
2	Development of Glycosylated Nanoparticles for Treating Urinary Tract Infection	Mr Akhil Nair, SRF Guide Dr Usha Y Nayak	ICMR, New Delhi	1,634,644	07 Dec 2022 - 06 Dec 2025
3	Addressing anemia in Women and children with intervention of effective budgeted and novel nanomedicine technology based on Peptide-Lipid-Iron-Ascorbic Acid Delivery System and Continuous Manufacturing Process	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	ICMR, New Delhi	3,107,364	22 Mar 2024 - 21 Mar 2027
4	Stability of the New Semi Solid Preparations (hereinafter referred to as NPIs) on cell lines"	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	Stempeutics Research Pvt Ltd	1,100,000	18 Sep 2024 - 17 Sep 2025
5	Development of long-acting Depot Injectable Formulation	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	Nayas Laboratory Pvt Ltd	2,250,000	22 Jul 2025 - 21 Jul 2026
Pharmacology					
1	Systems and network pharmacology guided in vitro investigation and subsequent in vitro evaluation of novel phytoconstituents against benzo [a] pyrene-induced lung cancer in Swiss albino mice	Mr Krishnaprasad B, Guide Dr Yogendra Nayak	ICMR, New Delhi	1,382,051	03 Nov 2022 - 02 Nov 2025
2	Evaluation of Neprilysin upregulation through HDACI inhibition as a therapeutic strategy for Glioblastoma	Mr Adarsh Gopinathan	ICMR, New Delhi	1,573,592	01 Feb 2023 - 31 Jan 2026
3	Network pharmacology approach for preclinical evaluation of novel phytoconstituents targeting PI3K/Akt pathway in lung fibrosis	Dr Yogendra Nayak	SERB, New Delhi	2,593,901	18 Dec 2023 - 17 Dec 2026
4	Network pharmacology approach for preclinical evaluation of novel phytoconstituents targeting	Dr Yogendra Nayak	SERB, New Delhi	2,953,120	18 Dec 2023 - 17 Dec 2026

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	PI3K/Akt pathway in lung fibrosis				
5	Inspire Fellowship under INSPIRE Program - for student pursuing full-time doctoral (Ph'D) Program at MAHE	Ms Rajni, Guide Dr Madhavan Nampoorthiri G	DST, New Delhi	765,947	06 Apr 2024 - 05 Apr 2029
6	Inspire Fellowship under INSPIRE Program - for Student pursuing full-time doctoral (Ph'D) Program at MAHE	Ms Rajni, Guide Dr Madhavan Nampoorthiri G	DST, New Delhi	725,247	06 Apr 2024 - 05 Apr 2029
7	DBT-TWAS Fellowship Program	Dr Kokou Atchou	Regional Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad	855,080.00	02 Apr 2025 to 01 Oct 2026
8	International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research Conference, Canada held on 13 to 16 May 2025 in Montreal, Canada	Mr Vignesh Balaji E	SERB, New Delhi	157,830	13 - 16 May 2025
9	Exploring selective histone deacetylase inhibition as a novel therapeutic strategy for epileptogenesis and drug refractory epilepsy	Dr Sree Lalitha Bojja	SERB, New Delhi	244,111	06 Jun 2025 to 05 Jun 2028
10	24th International Conference on Cytochrome P450, Switzerland held in Bern, Switzerland	Mr Bharath H B	SERB, New Delhi	121,963.00	30 Jun 2025 - 04 Jul 2025
Pharmacy Practice					
1	Inspire Fellowship under INSPIRE Program - for Student pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) Program at MAHE	Ms Anmi Jose, JRF Guide Dr Mahadev Rao	DST, New Delhi	2,416,714	01 Dec 2020 - 30 Nov 2025
2	Effect of vitamin D Supplementaion on Vitamin D receptor gene expression and wound healing in diabetic foot ulcer patients infected with biofilm forming organism	Dr Sonal Sekhar M	ICMR, New Delhi	2,816,603	24 Aug 2023 - 23 Aug 2026
3	Impact of educational interventions on pesticide practice among farmers of Karnataka: A Multicentric randomized controlled trial	Dr Sreedharan Nair	ICMR, New Delhi	986,224	27 Nov 2023 - 26 Nov 2026
4	Design, development, and clinical validation of a point-	Dr Girish Thunga	SERB, New Delhi	773,435	30 Jan 2024 - 29 Jan 2027

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	of-care diagnostic device for the rapid detection of paraquat poisoning in human serum in the hospital setting.				
5	Strategic Collaboration: Service Provider proposes to perform a series of consultancy projects for Customer, by providing high-quality research and development services, leveraging Service Provider's expertise and resources to meet Customer's strategic objectives	Dr Surulivel Rajan M	PUMAS-AI India Digital Health Pvt Ltd	5,275,623	01 Oct 2024 - 30 Sep 2025
6	Strategic Collaboration: Service Provider proposes to perform a series of consultancy projects for Customer, by providing high-quality research and development services, leveraging Service Provider's expertise and resources to meet Customer's strategic objectives	Dr Surulivel Rajan M	PUMAS-AI India Digital Health Pvt Ltd	7,034,098	01 Oct 2024 - 30 Sep 2025
7	Development of Dosing algorithms for clinical decision support systems using pharmacometric modeling approach	Dr Surulivel Rajan M	BRNS, New Delhi	1,044,800	01 Apr 2025 - 31 Mar 2028
8	Assessment of Deep Learning and AI Approaches in Quantitative Pharmacology	Dr Surulivel Rajan M	PUMAS-AI India Digital Health Pvt Ltd	1,600,000	01 Jul 2025 - 30 Jun 2029

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR THE TARGETED TREATMENT OF TRIPLE-NEGATIVE BREAST CANCER	02 Jan 2025
2	A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTIMODAL SENSOR FUSION BASED REAL TIME ELDER ABUSE DETECTION IN DEMENTIA PATIENTS	08 Jan 2025
3	KNOWLEDGE, ATTITUDE AND PRACTICE (KAP) QUESTIONNAIRE TO ASSESS MALNUTRITION AND WORM INFESTATION AMONG PARENTS/ GUARDIANS OF CHILDREN AGED 5-10 YEARS IN KORAGA TRIBAL COMMUNITY	14 Jan 2025
4	A DIAGNOSTIC KIT FOR PARAQUAT DICHLORIDE DETECTION USING STABILIZED SODIUM DITHIONITE	22 Jan 2025
5	A DIAGNOSTIC KIT FOR PARAQUAT DICHLORIDE DETECTION USING STABILIZED SODIUM DITHIONITE	22 Jan 2025

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6	ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE-BASED SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING ANTIVENOM DOSAGE	11 Feb 2025
7	WORM INFESTATION AND NUTRITIONAL STATUS (WINS) EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS TO IMPROVE MALNUTRITION AMONG CHILDREN AGED 5–10 YEARS IN THE KORAGA TRIBAL COMMUNITY, UDUPI DISTRICT	23 Apr 2025
8	CHECKLIST FOR MONITORING ADHERENCE TO 'WORM INFESTATION AND NUTRITIONAL STATUS (WINS) EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM' FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS TO IMPROVE MALNUTRITION IN CHILDREN AGED 5–10 YEARS IN THE KORAGA TRIBAL COMMUNITY, UDUPI DISTRICT	23 Apr 2025
9	UDUPI JILLEYA KORAGA BUDAKATTU SAMUDAYADA 5-10 VARSHA VAYASSINA MAKKALALLI APOUSHTIKATEYA STHITIYANNU SUDHAARISALU POSHAKARU/PAALAKARA MELE HOTTE HULAGALA BAADHE MATTU POUSHTIKAMSHADA STHITI (WINS) SHAIKSHANIKA KAARYAKAMA	24 Apr 2025
10	A STANDALONE OPERATED WEARABLE ABUSE DETECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR OPERATING THEREOF	12 May 2025
11	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR INHIBITING A549 HUMAN ADENOCARCINOMA CELL GROWTH THROUGH TARGETED IDH1/2 INHIBITION	14 May 2025
12	A COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR INHIBITING C6 GLIOBLASTOMA CELLS GROWTH USING A DUAL-TARGET MOLECULE	15 May 2025
13	AN AYURVEDIC-BASED MOUTHWASH COMPOSITION AND A METHOD OF PREPARING THE SAME	20 May 2025
14	A SYSTEM FOR ADVANCED MULTI-CHAMBER TLC DEVELOPMENT WITH GRADIENT ELUTION AND MULTI-DIRECTIONAL FLOW	24 May 2025
15	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR INHIBITING U87 HUMAN GLIOBLASTOMA CELL GROWTH THROUGH TARGETED IDH1/2 INHIBITION	24 May 2025
16	A METHOD FOR QUANTIFYING LUMEFANTRINE FROM CARBON DOT-BASED NANOFORMULATION USING HIGH-PERFORMANCE LIQUID CHROMATOGRAPHY	04 Jun 2025
17	A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING BLOOD REPELLENT PROPERTIES OF MEDICAL NEEDLES USING BIOCOMPATIBLE POLYMER COATING	05 Jul 2025
18	A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR NEEDLE FREE MEDICATION DELIVERY THROUGH HIGH VELOCITY LIQUID JET INJECTION	05 Jul 2025
19	A METHOD FOR TARGETED DELIVERY OF INHIBITORS USING FUNCTIONALIZED NANOPARTICLES FOR TNBC	14 Jul 2025
20	PROGRAM EVALUATION QUESTIONNAIRE (PEQ) FOR ASSESSING THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE WORM INFESTATION AND NUTRITIONAL STATUS (WINS) EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AMONG PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF KORAGA TRIBAL CHILDREN	22 Jul 2025
21	A DEVICE AND METHOD FOR NANO-BIOACTIVE DELIVERY VIA A HYDROCARBON WAX-BASED TOPICAL FORMULATION	08 Aug 2025
22	SNAKEBITE MANAGEMENT: THE IMMEDIATE DO'S AND DON'TS	01 Sep 2025
23	VR BASED PHARMACY SIMULATION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTERACTIVE USER TRAINING	04 Sep 2025
24	VR BASED PHARMACY SIMULATION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTERACTIVE USER TRAINING	04 Sep 2025
25	KORAGA BUDAKATTU SAMUDAYADA MAKKALA POSHAKARU/ ARAIKEDARARALLI, HOTTE HULAGALA BHADHE MATHU POUSHTIKAMSHADA STHITHI (WINS) SHAIKSHANIKA KARYAKRAMADA PARINAMAKARITHVAVANNU ALEYUVA KARYAKRAMA MOULYAMAPANA PRASHNAVALI	08 Sep 2025
26	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR ENHANCING SOLUBILITY OF NICLOSAMIDE USING CO-CRYSTALS	10 Sep 2025

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27	QUESTIONNAIRE ON KNOWLEDGE, ATTITUDE AND PRACTICE OF MILLETS CONSUMPTION AMONG WOMEN WITH PCOS	11 Sep 2025
28	KORAGA BUDAKATTU SAMUDAYADA 5-10 VARSHA VAYASINA MAKKALALLI APOUSHTIKATHE MATTHU HOTTE HULAGALA BAADHEYANNU NIRNAYISALU MAKKALA POSHAKARU/ AARAIKE MAADUVAVARALLI GYANA, VARTHANE MATTHU ABHYASADA MOULYAMAAPANA	17 Sep 2025
29	INSTRUCTIONAL YOGA VIDEO FOR WOMEN WITH PCOS	17 Sep 2025
30	A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CENTRALIZED REPORTING OF MEDICAL DEVICE ADVERSE EVENTS IN HOSPITALS	19 Sep 2025
31	GAME-BASED LEARNING: A SNAKES AND LADDERS GUIDE FOR PESTICIDE SAFETY.	26 Sep 2025
32	WHAT IS YOUR REVIEW OBJECTIVE	01 Oct 2025
33	QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ASSESSING THE RISK FACTORS OF CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE OF UNKNOWN ETIOLOGY	01 Oct 2025
34	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR ENHANCING SOLUBILITY, BIOAVAILABILITY, AND ANTIDEPRESSANT ACTIVITY OF AMOXAPINE USING BERGAMOTTIN	12 Oct 2025
35	SYSTEMATIC WORKFLOW FOR THE DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OF WAX-BASED PAPER ANALYTICAL DEVICES (PADS) USING A SUSTAINABLE FABRICATION APPROACH	03 Nov 2025
36	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR SYNTHESIZING EUGENOL-IMIDAZOLE SCHIFF BASE DERIVATIVES FOR BREAST CANCER TREATMENT	08 Nov 2025
37	SCRAPS SCORING TOOL: A CLINICAL PREDICTION TOOL FOR POOR PROGNOSIS IN GRAM NEGATIVE SEPSIS PATIENTS REQUIRING EARLY INTENSIVE CARE OR HIGH DEPENDENCY UNIT ADMISSION.	11 Nov 2025
38	SYSTEMATIC WORKFLOW FOR THE DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OF WAX-BASED PAPER ANALYTICAL DEVICES (PADS) USING A SUSTAINABLE FABRICATION APPROACH	17 Nov 2025
39	HYALURONIC ACID COATED TRANSFEROSOMES HYDROGEL FOR METHICILLIN-RESISTANT STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS INFECTED DIABETIC WOUND AND METHOD THEREOF	18 Nov 2025
40	AUTOMATED SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EXTRACTING LABORATORY DATA FROM ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORDS INTO STRUCTURED FORMATS	27 Nov 2025
41	A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTI-WAVELENGTH ULTRAVIOLET DETERMINATIONOF OPTIMAL THIN LAYER CHROMATOGRA	03 Dec 2025
42	INTERVIEW GUIDE FOR ASSESSMENT OF THE GENERAL PERCEPTION ON TRIBAL HEALTH AND NUTRITIONAL STATUS OF CHILDREN AMONG PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF KORAGA TRIBAL COMMUNITY - A QUALITATIVE APPROACH	07 Dec 2025
43	A COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR WOUND HEALING USING CURCUMIN-LOADED AZADIRACHTA INDICA GUM-POLYVINYLAL	11 Dec 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	GREEN SYNTHESIS OF IBRUTINIB COCRYSTALS THROUGH HOT MELT EXTRUSION TECHNOLOGY FOR ENHANCING ITS ORAL BIOAVAILABILITY	24 Nov 2025
2	PINAL CHAUDHARI, VIVEK GHATE, SHAILA LEWIS	29 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Administration			
1	8th position in the 10th edition of the India Rankings-2025 Pharmacy category	This ranking, released today, 04 Sep 2025, by the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), Ministry of Education, Government of India, reaffirms our sustained commitment to high-quality pharmaceutical education and cutting-edge research. Maintaining our position among the nation's elite is a testament to the unwavering dedication of our faculty, staff, students, and alumni.	04 Sep 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Manipal Academy of Higher Education	QS World Ranking for 2025 in the subject of Pharmacy and Pharmacology	01 Mar 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology			
1	Dr Raghu Chandrashekar H	AVRS - Lifetime Achievement Award 2025 during Antiviral Research Society, Reg. No. 144/2016 (TN Soc. Regn. Act), Yaxhini Biotech Labs, Srivilliputtur, India, conducted by MS Swaminathan Research Foundation, Chennai	22 Aug 2025
2	Dr Raghu Chandrashekar H	STARS Award for Teachers—Excellence in Academic Research at American Association of Government College of Pharmacy (Bangalore) Alumni and the Award Management Coordination Committee, Bangalore	21 Oct 2025
3	Dr Venkatesh Kamath B	Best Oral Presentation Award during IPC-2025 conducted by BIEC, Bengaluru	19 Dec 2025
Pharmaceutics			
1	Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Dr Usha Y Nayak, Dr Namdev L Dhas	World's Top 2% Scientists List (2025), curated by Dr John P A Ioannidis of Stanford University and published by Elsevier. Honorees: Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal and Professor, MCOPS – Single Year and Career (consecutively since 2020), Dr Usha Y Nayak, Vice Principal and Professor, Department of Pharmaceutics – Single year (2024 and 2025), Dr Namdev L Dhas, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmaceutics - Single Year (2025)	25 Sep 2025
2	Dr Usha Y Nayak	AAiPS Distinguished Young Educator and Researcher Award – 2025	11 Nov 2025
3	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	Award for Significant Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals for the year 2024 under the Faculty of Health Sciences, MAHE, Research Day 2025.	24 Nov 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Dr K. Sreedhara R Pai	Received "STARS Award 2024 for Teachers for 'Excellence in Academic Research'" 21st STARS Award Ceremony, American Association of Government College of Pharmacy Alumni (Bengaluru), New Jersey, USA, Drug Testing Laboratory Auditorium, Karnataka State Food	10 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Safety and Drug Administration, opposite to AG's office, Palace Road, Bengaluru on 10 Jan 2025.	
2	Dr K Sreedhara R Pai	Received "Second Position "Best Poster Award INDO-CARIBBEAN International Conference, 03 Mar 2025, Shri Sai College of Pharmacy, Handia, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh	03 Mar 2025
3	Dr Madhavan Nampoothiri	Received "First prize" in Oral presentation MESCON25-National Conference on 25 and 26 Apr 2025, Department of Community Medicine, MES Medical College, Perinthalmanna.	25 Apr 2025
Pharmacy Management			
1	Dr Pradeep M Muragundi	Best e-poster presenter at the 24th International Medical, Pharmaceutical, Cosmeceutical and Health Science Symposium (IMPaCHS) held on 03 Jul 2025 at Shah Alam, Malaysia.	03 Jul 2025
Pharmacy Practice			
1	Dr Surulivelrajan M	Dr Surulivelrajan M, Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmacy Practice and the Coordinator for the Centre for Pharmacometrics at MAHE, has taken over as the President of SOPHAS (www.sophas.net).	01 Aug 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Pharma Quality Assurance			
1	Tanvi Painginkar	Best E-Poster award for Analytical Quality-by-Design guided RP-HPLC method development for quantitative analysis of Alectinib HCl at INNOVATE PHARMA 2026 - Emerging Innovations in Pharmaceutical Sciences and Drug Discovery conducted by Chebrolu Hanumaiah Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh.	22 Jan 2025
2	Moumita Saha	Best poster presentation award for An Antibiotic-Free Strategy: In Vitro Synergistic Bactericidal Action of Berberine-Clove Oil Nanoemulsion on Helicobacter pylori at Manipal Pharmaceutical Conference 2025 (MPCON 2025)	28 Aug 2025
3	Moumita Saha	Second Prize in poster presentation for Development and Validation of a High-Performance LC-MS/MS Method for the Simultaneous Detection of Multiple Antibiotic Residues in Honey at Frontiers in Pharma: Integrating AI, Nano-Engineering and Genomics in Drug Discovery and Delivery (FiPINGD3) by Amity University, Noida	29 Sep 2025
Pharmaceutical Biotechnology			
1	Sanskruti Shrenik Patil	Best poster presentation award for Rational design and evaluation of a modified HVEM derived peptide as a novel entry inhibitor against herpes simplex virus 1 at Manipal Pharmaceutical Conference 2025 (MPCON 2025), conducted by MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal	28 Aug 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Pharmaceutical Chemistry			
1	Ashutosh Kumar Pandey	Travel grant and registration for Design and Development of Adaptogenic Polyherbal Formulation for Insomnia using Traditional Knowledge at 11th Congress of the Asian Sleep Research Society, AIIMS, New Delhi	08 Feb 2025
2	Mangala Shenoy K	Best Oral Presentation Award for Genistin in digital pipeline: Targeting PI3K-mTOR Pathway against Ovarian Cancer Through Computational Approach during Conference conducted by M S Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, Bengaluru	24 Jul 2025
3	Ashutosh Kumar Pandey	1st prize -in ICH guidelines, and registration from BIRAC for Comprehensive Hands-on Training program: Clinical trial conduct a Comprehensive Hands on - Training Program: Clinical trial conduct conducted by KLE University	15 Sep 2025
4	Mr Ashutosh Kumar Pandey	Best poster award 2025, at the 10th annual international conference on IPR, developed by INDIA 2047, Role of IPR, 04 and 05 Nov 2025, at CSIR-NIO, Goa, organized by Goa College of Pharmacy for the Design and Development of novel self nano emulsifying granules used in the treatment of Aphorodisiac.	04 Nov 2025
5	Mr Doneparthi Mihir Medhansh	Best Presentation Award for Discovery of immune-associated gene networks and biomarker driving glioblastoma progression using WGCNA in the two-day National Conference on Emerging Trends in Artificial Intelligence and machine learning Driven Drug discovery conducted by the Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, JSS College of Pharmacy, Ooty.	14 Nov 2025
Pharmaceutics			
1	Anoushka Mukharya	Best Oral Presentation Award for New Age Biomaterials for Chronic and Acute Wound Healing at Dev Bhoomi University, Uttarakhand, India	17 Jan 2025
2	Balasubrahmanya K S	Outstanding researcher award for Harnessing Molecular Dynamics Simulations for the Investigation of Phase Transition Dynamics in SEDDS at the 2nd International Conference SYMBIOT ' 25 conducted by Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal	19 Mar 2025
3	Mahananda R Prabhu	2nd prize in e-poster presentation for Isolation and Comprehensive Characterization of Milk Derived Extracellular Vesicles for Nanocarrier Applications at Artificial Intelligence in Pharmaceutical Development, organized by the Department of Pharmaceutics, NGSMIPS, Nitte (Deemed to be University), Karnataka, India	12 Sep 2025
4	Mahananda R Prabhu	Secured second place in E-poster presentation at National Seminar on artificial intelligence in pharmaceutical development, organized by NGSM Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Controlled Release Society, 12 Sep 2025.	12 Sep 2025
5	Abutwaibe K A	Best Oral Poster award at Galgotias University, Greater Noida, 22 and 23 Nov 2025, awarded to Mr Abutwaibe K A.	22 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
6	Amrita Roy	First Prize for Oral Presentation for Development of a Receptor-Targeted, Dendrimer-Reinforced Liposomal Nanocarrier for Enhanced Delivery Across the Blood-Brain Barrier in Glioblastoma Treatment at Pharma Excellence 2025, conducted by KLE College of Pharmacy, Hubballi, Karnataka.	05 Dec 2025
7	Amrita Arup Roy	Ms Amrita Arup Roy received first prize for Best Oral presentation at Pharma Excellence 2025 at KLE College of Pharmacy, Hubbali, Karnataka, an International conference held on 05 and 06 Dec 2025.	05 Dec 2025
8	Pragathi	Best Poster Presentation Award for Development and Evaluation of Oral Dissolving Films of Leflunomide at the 74th Indian Pharmaceutical Congress, conducted by Bengaluru International Exhibition Center, Bengaluru	19 Dec 2025
Pharmacognosy			
1	Vijishna L V	First Prize for Phytochemical Profiling and Anticancer Potential of Szygium caryophyllatum Leaf Extract Against Colon Cancer: An Integrative In Silico and In Vivo Study, SOPICON 2025, conducted by AIIMS, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.	05 Feb 2025
2	Megha K	Best poster award for Keratin infused polymeric buccal film of lignocaine hydrochloride for targeted stomatitis therapy at International Symposium cum Workshop on Innovations in Translational Therapy and Targeted Drug Delivery (ITTD) 2025, conducted by BITS Pilani, Hyderabad	01 Sep 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Megh Pravin Vithalkar	Best Scientific Poster Presentation for Synergistic Potential of Solanum xanthocarpum Phytochemicals in Combating Lung Fibrosis-Associated Inflammation: A Bioinformatic Perspective at Inflammo-CON 2025, by MCOPS, Manipal	05 Feb 2025
2	Vishwani V Naik	Third prize in Oral Presentation for Pathway-Driven Computational Discovery of Repurposed Therapeutics for Osteoporosis Treatment by Manipal Quest 2.0, KMC, Manipal	21 Sep 2025
Pharmacy Management			
1	Ms Amatha S	Secured third prize in INSPIRE Conference Series "Regulatory Pathways for Drug Approvals: Emerging Trends and Innovation" at Manipal Research Colloquium 2025 conducted by MAHE, Manipal.	28 Apr 2025
2	Amatha S	Third place in e-poster presentation for Regulatory Pathways for Drug Approvals: Emerging Trends and Innovation at INSPIRE- Conference Series conducted by JSS University, Noida	02 May 2025
3	Shailee Dewan	Travel grant and registration for Interventions to overcome the challenges for identifying Substandard, Spurious, Falsely Labeled, Falsified and Counterfeit drugs (SSFFC). A Systematic Review at ISPOR 2025, Montreal, QC, Canada	13 May 2025

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4	Amatha S	First Prize at the National level Pharmaceutics Quiz Competition held in the Foundation of Academic Delcipher, Mumbai, India	25 May 2025
5	Amatha S	ISPOR travel grant for Barriers and facilitators influencing the development of complex generics: an exploratory study at ISPOR Europe 2025, Scotland, UK	10 Nov 2025
6	Shailee Dewan	First prize in Oral Presentation for Showcase the Drug That Makes a Difference during Drug Updates at Mangalore	17 Nov 2025
Pharmacy Practice			
1	Ashna Chackochan	Best poster award for Prescription Pattern of Vitamin D Supplementation in Patients with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus: A Drug Utilization Study at NGSM Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, NITTE (DU)	24 Jan 2025
2	Sowmya Pujari	Best poster award for Perceptions Towards Child Health and Nutritional Status: A Qualitative Study Among Mothers of the Koraga Tribal Community in Southern Karnataka at NGSM Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, NITTE (DU)	24 Jan 2025
3	Prathvi V Shenoy	Runner-up award for best poster for Pharmacogenomic Profiling of Drug-Metabolizing Enzyme and Transporters in Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Patients at a Tertiary Care Hospital in Southern India at the 5th International Global Cancer Consortium Conference, 2025, conducted by Amity Centre for Translational Research, Amity University, NOIDA Campus, Uttar Pradesh, India, and the Global Cancer Consortium Conference South Asia Chapter	29 Jan 2025
4	Shwetha Somakumar	First prize in Oral Presentation for Safety Profiling of Fentanyl in Children Using the FDA Adverse Event Reporting System (FAERS) Database: A real-world analysis, SOPICON 2025, conducted by AIIMS, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh	05 Feb 2025
5	Malakapogu Pravachana	Best poster presentation award for Impact of Patient Care Interventions on Clinical, Humanistic, and Treatment Outcomes of Tuberculosis Patients with Diabetes Mellitus: A Systematic Review at Manipal Pharmaceutical Conference 2025 (MPCON 2025) conducted by MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal	28 Aug 2025
6	Ruby Benson	First prize in Oral Presentation for Association of serum vitamin D Levels with Vitamin D receptor and Cathelicidin antimicrobial peptide gene expression and their role in biofilm formation in patients with diabetic foot at Manipal Quest 2.0 conducted by KMC, Manipal	20 Sep 2025
7	Tejashree M U	Second prize in Oral Presentation for Impact of Pesticides Knowledge and Practice on Quality of Life Among Farmers at Manipal Quest 2.0 by KMC, Manipal	20 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
8	Daniel Anthony Vaz	1st Prize under the Young Researcher Award category. Received a cash prize of INR 1,00,000. Oral presentation during the 6th Science Conclave cum National Biomedical Research Competition (NBRCOM 2025) at AIIMS Jodhpur	03 Dec 2025

Staff

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Pharmacy Practice			
1	Mr Sujay Bhat	Won third prize in the MAHE Manipal teaching and non-teaching staff Chess tournament held in Mangalore	24 Aug 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	The Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) hosted its annual athletic meet, ATHLOS 2025, on Wednesday, 19 Feb 2025, at the MIT Grounds, Manipal. The event was inaugurated by the chief guest, Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige, Director of Online Education, MAHE, Manipal. The ceremony began with the Mar past, where all MCOPS student contingents saluted the chief guest. The inaugural ceremony commenced with an invocation song by Ms Parvathy Madhu, followed by a welcome address from Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal of MCOPS. Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige delivered the chief guest's address. The event was attended by Dr Usha Nayak, Vice Principal of MCOPS, Mrs Shanthi P, Assistant Director of Physical Education, and Dr Vasudev R Pai, Sports Advisor – MCOPS, along with department heads and faculty members. Dr Nagasampige officially declared the athletic meet open, followed by the lighting of the Olympic torch, carried out by Krit Malviya and Jenfred Joy, joint secretaries of the sports council, who lit the cauldron at the end. The oath-taking ceremony was led by Shubham Manna, the sports secretary, who led the athletes in taking the oath. During the event, the chief guest presented awards to MCOPS students who excelled in INTERMAHE competitions. Yajnesh, a postgraduate student, won a silver medal in javelin and a bronze in discus throw. The 4×400 meters relay team—Janya (2nd B Pharm), Namratha (6th Pharm D), Andrea (6th Pharm D), and Vikshitha (2nd B Pharm) secured the bronze medal. The 4×100 meters relay team, comprising Janya, Spandana, Apoorva, and Vikshitha also won a bronze medal. Additionally, Deviprasad (1st D Pharm) won bronze in the 110-meter hurdles, while Sparshith, a postgraduate student, secured gold in the discus throw. Ruthu (2nd Pharm D), who participated in South Zone table tennis, received a token of appreciation. Vice Principal Dr Usha Nayak announced the results of the Mar past, and the chief guest presented a token of appreciation to the winners, first-year students. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr Vasudev R Pai.	19 Feb 2025

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2	"Vyaghraleela 2025" as part of the Sri Krishna Janmashtami celebrations on 11 Sep 2025 at MMMC. The event showcased a vibrant mix of devotion, tradition, and cultural performances. 	The celebrations began with the decoration of Lord Krishna's idol and a lamp-lighting ceremony led by Principal Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Vice Principal Dr Usha Nayak, Chief Guest Dr Geetha Maiyya, along with senior professors Dr Bhavana Bhat and Dr Virendra Ligade. A soulful invocation by Miss Ishani Roy set the tone for the evening, followed by dance and singing performances by the students, including a special Theme Dance on Mahabharata. The traditional 'Mosaru Kudike' pot-breaking ritual, symbolizing Lord Krishna's playful spirit, which was accompanied by energetic Nashik Dhol, was among the highlights. The most awaited segment, the "Hulivesha" (Tiger Dance), brought the celebrations to life. Dancers from Udupi/Tulunadu, painted as tigers, captivated the audience with their energetic acrobatics and rhythmic moves. The event concluded with a final Tiger Dance performance and the distribution of prasada, uniting everyone in a festive spirit and honouring Tulunadu cultural heritage.	11 Sep 2025
3	Sanskriti 2025 	The annual cultural event, Sanskriti 2025, was conducted over multiple days, providing students a vibrant platform to showcase their artistic and creative talents. Participants from all courses and years enthusiastically took part, reflecting the cultural diversity and dynamic spirit of our institution. In total, around 600 students participated, representing all academic years of BPharm, PharmD, MPharm, Diploma, and PhD programs. Compared to the previous edition, Sanskriti 2025 witnessed a notable increase in both participation and performance quality, reflecting the excellent planning, teamwork, and enthusiasm of the organizing committee and volunteers. The Valedictory Ceremony concluded the event, graced by the Principal, Vice-Principal, MAPS Coordinator, and Cultural Committee Coordinator. Winners were recognized with trophies, certificates, and mementos for their outstanding performances. The atmosphere was filled with celebration and pride as participants reflected on their experiences. Overall, Sanskriti 2025 was a resounding success, offering students a platform to express their creativity, enhance confidence, and foster unity and cultural pride within the college community.	03 Oct 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	MAHE Inter-collegiate Chess tournament	Five students, each from MCOPS, participated in the Women's and Men's Chess Tournament held at the university level.	05 Sep 2025
2	MAHE Inter-collegiate teaching staff Men's Cricket tournament	Five faculty members from MCOPS participated in the MAHE Intercollegiate Teaching Staff Men's Cricket tournament held at the university level.	25 Nov 2025
3	MAHE Inter Collegiate / Institutional Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff Football Tournament (M) 2025-26	Two faculty members participated in the MAHE Inter-Collegiate/Institutional Teaching and Non-Teaching Staff Football Tournament (Men) 2025-26, held from 14 Dec 2025.	14 Dec 2025

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue	The students and staff of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences participated in the live streaming of the event organized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports on 11 Jan 2025 05:30 PM onwards in PG Pharmaceutics class 27. The event showcased various traditional dances from different states of India. Total Number of students participated: 35 Total number of staff (Faculty/Non-faculty): 09 (7/2)	11 Jan 2025
2	Yoga camp	A three-day yoga camp was organized by the Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences in association with the Division of Yoga, Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research, MAHE, Manipal, from 12 to 14 May 2025. Teaching and non-teaching staff participated in the yoga sessions with enthusiasm. The sessions included warm-up exercises with basic yogasanas and pranayamas, which would be beneficial for the overall health status of participants.	12 May 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
3	The staff and students from Kerala at Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) Celebrated AARAVAM 2025, Onam celebration filled with joy, tradition, and togetherness on 23 Aug 2025.	The staff and students from Kerala at Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) celebrated AARAVAM 2025, Onam celebration filled with joy, tradition, and togetherness on 23 Aug 2025.	23 Aug 2025
4	150th anniversary of "Vande Mataram"	The Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) proudly celebrated the 150th anniversary of "Vande Mataram" on 11 Nov 2025. The event was organized to honour the timeless patriotic song that continues to inspire generations of Indians and to reflect on its significance in India's cultural and national heritage. Students, faculty members, and research scholars from various departments of MCOPS actively participated in the celebration, making it a vibrant and memorable occasion. The Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS) organized the streaming of Honourable Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's program, which was telecasted across various classrooms of the institution. The initiative aimed to enable students, faculty, and research scholars to witness and engage with the inspiring address delivered by the Prime Minister. The event was coordinated by Dr Bhavana Bhat, whose efforts ensured smooth organization and enthusiastic participation from all attendees. The celebration not only paid tribute to Bankim Chandra Chatterjee's enduring contribution but also fostered a sense of unity, pride, and respect for India's cultural legacy among the MCOPS community. The program concluded with a collective rendition of Vande Mataram, resonating through the halls of the institution and evoking a deep sense of patriotism and reverence.	11 Nov 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Kalajna 2025	Overall Championship: Students of MCOPS participated in Kalajna 2025, organized by NGSMIPS on 07 and 08 Feb 2025. The team's hard work, dedication, and exceptional performances across all events led them to win the Overall Championship of Kalajna 2025. Kalajna 2025 was an unforgettable experience, filled with creativity, cultural expression, and friendly competition.	07 Feb 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

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World's Top 2% Scientists List (2025), curated by Dr John P A Ioannidis of Stanford University and published by Elsevier

Manipal Pharmaceutical Conference (MPCON) 2025

MAHE Research Day Awards 2025

*The **inauguration of Inflammo-CON 2025**, the National Conference on Inflammation and Drug Discovery, took place on 06 February 2025*

Dr Usha Y Nayak**, Professor in Pharmaceutics and Vice Principal, MCOPS, has been formally felicitated with the **American Association of Indian Pharmaceutical Scientists** (**AAiPS**) **Dr Deshbandhu Gupta Distinguished Young Educator and Researcher Award 2025

***Hands-on Workshop on Patent Drafting** on 28 October 2025 at Dr P Gundu Rao Hall, MCOPS*

*The **MCOPS-Pharma Industry Summit 2025** commenced on 25 October 2025*

The NSS Unit of Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), Manipal, organized its inauguration ceremony "AAROHAN" on 09 October 2025

***Centre for cGMP**, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), hosted the **first edition of the Manipal cGMP Forum** alongside the **3rd National cGMP Day** on 10 October 2025*

Centre for Drug Delivery and Technology

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016

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Dr Usha Y Nayak, Professor and Vice Principal, MCOPS

Co-coordinators:

- Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Professor and Principal, MCOPS, Manipal
- Dr Kirthanashri S V, Associate Professor, Department of Biotherapeutic Research (DBR), MAHE, Manipal

Brief About the Centre

Vision:
To create a unique platform for R&D activities in Drug Delivery Science and Technology

Mission:
To set a single stage to conduct research activities in drug delivery and to add value to the ongoing research

Objectives:

1. To identify the researchers and infrastructure in drug delivery technologies and to facilitate research in this area
2. To approach industries for funds, projects and instruments
3. Value addition to the ongoing research
4. Providing a platform for discussion and training (workshops)

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Certificate Course on 'Design of Experiments for Pharmaceutical Product Development' 	Twenty-one participants gained insights into key topics such as the fundamentals of Design of Experiments (DoE), screening techniques, optimization designs, and practical hands-on training.	02 to 07 Jan 2025
2	Research Publication 	U Likhitha, R Bharti, R Narayan, C H Mehta and U Y Nayak*, Hot Melt Extruded Aceclofenac-Soluplus® Solid Dispersion: Mechanistic View of Miscibility and Drug-Carrier Interactions for Enhanced Dissolution, AAPS PharmSciTech. Volume 26, article number 180, (2025).	Aug 2025

Centre for Toxicovigilance and Drug Safety

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Girish Thunga

Brief About the Centre

The Centre for Toxicovigilance and Drug Safety is dedicated to multidisciplinary research, with a particular focus on toxicovigilance and drug safety. The Centre bridges the gap between industry and academia by developing specialized skill-based programs and organizing workshops. It practices evidence-based medicine and provides students with training in evidence synthesis. Additionally, the Centre is recognized by the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Department of Health Research (DHR) as a Technical Resource Centre for evidence synthesis.

It is also working as the support to institutions and sci entific/professional/bodies/associations, sponsored by ICMR-DHR in the title of 'Enhancing the competency in Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis for biomedical research in India: A Capacity Building Program', and developing online material for the students.

The Centre is engaged in numerous collaborative projects with various industries, has secured multiple mobility grants, and has established an international student chapter known as ISPE. It has also made significant contributions in patents, publications, and securing grants. Moreover, the Centre emphasizes healthcare integration within the community, with a focus on addressing occupational hazards and safety concerns. It maintains collaborations with multiple departments and both Indian and international universities, and it has established over six academic partnerships with industry experts contributing to its work.

Vision: Excellence in Pharmaceutical Education and Research

Mission: Marching with the Times

Objectives

- To offer certificate programs for professionals in the area of GCP, GMP, Toxicovigilance, and Drug Safety
- To enhance Industry-Academic Collaboration to generate the funds for relevant projects
- To offer a doctoral program for professionals in the pharma industry
- To develop Poison Information Service (PIS) and offer the services to industry and academics
- Organize Conferences, Workshops, Seminars, etc. in the areas of GCP, GMP, Toxicovigilance, and Drug Safety

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	GRADE Approach	ICMR-DHR-SARANSH-funded workshop conducted as a continuation (part 2) of SARANSH	28 Feb to 01 Mar 2025
2	Evidence-based medicine, clinical decision-making, and toxicology	Student mobility internships: Hosted four students from the University of Sydney under the DACKEP mobility initiative	24 Feb to 07 Mar 2025
3	Research Methodology for Healthcare Research	SERB Scientific Social Responsibility (SSR) Policy for Fostering Research Culture	04 and 05 Apr 2025
4	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	As a part of the Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at MAHE	15 to 17 May 2025
5	GRADE Approach	As a part of the Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at MAHE	16 to 17 Jun 2025
6	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	As a part of the Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at IQRAA International and Research Centre	19 to 21 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
7	The Concept of Antimicrobial Stewardship: Collaborative Approaches among Nurses and Pharmacists	Lecture and Training Sessions on Antimicrobial Stewardship at Unity Hospital, Mangalore	29 Jun 2025
8	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	A brief introductory workshop was conducted at Dayananda Sagar University	01 and 02 Jul 2025
9	Meta-Analysis and Meta-Synthesis	MAHE-approved certificate course	09 to 12 Jul 2025- 3rd batch
10	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	As a part of the Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at MAHE	01 to 03 Aug 2025
11	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	As a part of the Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at Dayananda Sagar University	28 to 30 Aug 2025
12	Research Methodology for Healthcare Research	Certificate course sponsored by DHR under the Support to Institutions and Scientific Professionals/Bodies/Associations Grant	04 to 09 Aug 2025 (online) 01 to 06 Sep 2025 (offline)
13	World Pharmacist's Week Celebration	A Competitive Start to World Pharmacists Week, which was conducted with many competitions and programs	08 to 16 Sep 2025
14	World Pharmacists Day	As part of the celebrations, representatives from the MAHE ISPE Student Chapter visited. Mr Pradeep, Representative Pharmacist at Radha Medicals, and Mr Jose, Chief Pharmacist at Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, to extend greetings, acknowledge their invaluable contributions to healthcare, and engage in meaningful discussions on the future of pharmacy practice and the expanding role of pharmacists in advancing patient care and innovation.	25 Sep 2025
15	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	As a part of Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at Devaki Amma Memorial College of Pharmacy (DAMCOP), Malappuram, Kerala	25 to 27 Sep 2025
16	Poisoning Management with a Focus on Renal Aspects	As part of the research collaboration, an academic session was conducted for the BSc Dialysis Technology students, IQRAA Academy of IQRAA Hospital, Kozhikode	07 Nov 2025
17	Systematic review and Meta-analysis	As a part of the Technical Resource Centre Activities, a workshop was conducted at the College of Pharmacy, Parul University	01 to 03 Dec 2025
18	MISPECON 2025	Student-focused conference conducted by the MAHE-ISPE Student Chapter	31 Oct to 02 Nov 2025
19	Research Methodology for Healthcare Research	Certificate course sponsored by DHR under the Support to Institutions and Scientific Professionals/Bodies/Associations Grant	08 to 13 Dec 2025 (Online) 05 to 10 Jan 2026 (Offline)

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Young Scientist Awards: Pharmaceutical Sciences (Oral)	Dr Girish Thunga was awarded First place in NBRCOM 2025	06 Dec 2025
2	Young Researcher Awards: Pharmaceutical Sciences (Offline) - Oral Presentation	Mrs Daniel A Vaz was awarded in 1st place, NBRCOM 2025	06 Dec 2025
3	ESCMID Mentorship	Dr Asha K Rajan received ESCMID Mentorship from Prof Mical Paul The Ruth and Bruce Rappaport Faculty of Medicine, Technion, Israel Institute of Technology, Infectious Diseases Division, Rambam Health Care Campus Haifa, Israel, to support Dr Asha K Rajan in strengthening her expertise in systematic review methodology, evidence synthesis, and collaborative research in infectious diseases.	06 Oct 2025
4	Member of Guideline Development Group	Dr Girish Thunga selected as the Member of Guideline Development Group, Government of India.	27 Oct 2025
5	Registration Scholarship from ACPE	Ms Tejashree M U, PhD Scholar received a Registration Scholarship from ACPE to present her poster at the 17th Asian Conference on Pharmacoepidemiology (ACPE) to be held in Hong Kong.	05 Sep 2025
6	ANRF Travel Grant	Dr Asha K Rajan, PhD Scholar, received an ANRF Travel Grant to present her poster at the 17th Asian Conference on Pharmacoepidemiology (ACPE) to be held in Hong Kong.	14 Oct 2025
7	ID Week 2025	Ms Shravya C, PhD Research Scholar, received and presented doctoral research work at ID Week 2025, Atlanta, Georgia organized by the Infectious Disease Society of America	21 and 22 Oct 2025
8	Second Prize at Manipal QUEST 2025 for Oral Presentation	Ms Tejashree MU, PhD Research Scholar, received 2nd Prize at Manipal QUEST 2025 for Oral Presentation, conducted by KMC, Manipal, in association with PG Research Vertical on 20 and 21 September 2025.	21 Sep 2025
9	ISPOR Travel Grant for ISPOR 2025	Dr Harsimran Kaur selected as a recipient of the prestigious ISPOR Travel Grant for ISPOR 2025, held in Montreal, Canada	21 Mar 2025
10	MAHE-Deakin Cotutelle PhD	Dr Haritha K, PhD Research Scholar, has received the MAHE-Deakin Cotutelle PhD opportunity.	26 Feb 2025
11	Manipal MedTech Hackathon 2025	Organized by Manipal-GoK Bioincubator: Team Kaivalya - Daniel Vaz and Shravya C Nakshathri, mentored by Dr Girish Thunga, received a Special Mention and Pre-Incubation Support at the Manipal MedTech Hackathon 2025 for the project titled “Development of Lab-on-Chip Paper-based Devices for Point-of-Care Diagnostics”	29 Mar 2025
12	Best Researcher 2024	Dr Girish Thunga was awarded the Best Researcher 2024, instituted by Dr N Udupa, and awarded during the College Day Award ceremony	08 Feb 2025

List of ongoing projects/ research grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	"Support to Institutes for Training/Modules/Courses in Biomedical Research" Conducting the **Clinical Pharmacist - Competency Enhancement Program (CPCEP)** Received by IQRAA International Hospital and Research Centre, in association with the Centre for Toxicovigilance and Drug Safety,	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)-Department of Health Research (DHR), M/O Health and Family Welfare, Government of India grant	Dr Feroz Khan and Dr Girish Thunga	24,98,100 INR	20 Nov 2025

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The workshop on "Systematic review and Meta analysis" conducted at Dayanand Sagar University, Bangalore

The workshop on "Systematic review and Meta analysis" conducted at NITTE College of Pharmacy, Mangalore

An academic session conducted for the BSc Dialysis Technology students, IQRAA Academy of IQRAA Hospital, Kozhikode on "Poisoning Management with a Focus on Renal Aspects"

MISPECON 2025 Inauguration ceremony

Research Methodology for Healthcare Research- Batch 1

MISPECON Preconference Workshop on "Systematic Review & Meta analysis"

Workshop on "Systematic Review and Meta-analysis" for Pharm D students

Valedictory function of MISS-2025 students

The Certificate Course on "Meta-analysis & Meta-Synthesis"

A session on "Antimicrobial Stewardship" to the healthcare professionals at UNITY hospital Mangalore

Manipal-Schrodinger Center for Molecular Simulations

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Year of Establishment of the Center: 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Varadaraj Bhat G
Members
Dr Aravinda Pai, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal
Dr Anil Kumar, MIT, MAHE, Manipal

Brief About the Center

Vision: Make MAHE a pioneer in the field of molecular simulations

Mission: Uplift the research activities of students and faculty of MAHE

Objectives

- Enhance the number of publications and patents through the use of software
- Discover new chemical entities for the treatment of selected diseases
- Create a pool of experts in Molecular simulations

Activities at the Center:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Advanced Molecular Simulations and Analysis	One-day program for advanced learners	24 Apr 2025
2.	Hands-on Training and Workshop Program II	Three-day basic training program	10 - 12 Nov 2025

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Computational Lab

One-to-One Interaction

Training Program

Advanced Training Program

Centre for Digital Learning

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019

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Brief About the Centre:

- The centre is established with a grant from *Vision Group on Science and Technology, Govt of Karnataka* with a seed grant of INR 20 Lakhs, under the scheme *Centers of Innovative Science and Engineering Education*
- The centre offers-
  A. Industry-oriented online certificate courses like *Introduction to Medical Writing*.
  B. Research-oriented course like *Python Programming for Health Sciences*

More than 433 candidates have undergone training in the last three years.

Vision: Excellence in digital learning and skill development

Mission: Coordinate digital learning across constituent colleges of Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

Objectives

1. Establish facilities to create multimedia content creation.
2. Creating awareness programs among the faculty of constituent colleges of MAHE on the importance of online educational activities.
3. Training the faculty to create quality educational materials.
4. Coordinate course content creation/review the content to assess suitability to offer as certificate courses and coordinate hosting the media content and courses online.

Activities at the Centre

Certificate Courses offered

A. *Title:* Online Certificate Course on Introduction to Medical Writing
Mode: Online
Duration: 45 days
Number of batches in 2025: 2
Number of registered candidates: 101
Fees Collected: INR 2,67,500/-

B. *Title:* Python Programming for Health Sciences
Mode: Offline
Duration: 45 days
Number of batches in 2025: 1
Number of registered candidates: 11
Fees Collected: INR 44,000/-

Research Activities

Inter-institute collaborations, research publications

Research Publication: Two publications in 2025

1. Purushothama, D S, Kishore, A Applications of contours and pixel value summation in determining three-dimensional signal intensities. International Journal of Applied Mathematics, 2025, 38(3), pp. 411–420

   [Scopus Q2, Computational Theory and Mathematics]
2. Purushothama, D S, Nayak, P G, Devasia, T, Kishore, A. Universal and adaptive thresholding methods for multilevel denoising of ECG signals using orthogonal wavelets. Global and Stochastic Analysis, 2025, 12(2), pp. 70–80

   [Scopus Q2, Discrete Mathematics and Combinatorics]

Any SDG-related Activities

A. **SDG-4:** Quality education
   The certificate courses are designed to impart industry-oriented skills for the participants, enabling them to obtain placements as well as for career advancements.

B. **SDG-3:** Good Health and Well-being
   Currently, the courses offered are related to health sciences. These courses help the candidate work in fields that promote healthcare and patient care.

C. **SDG-9:** Industry innovation and infrastructure
   The certificate course in Python is an initiative to help candidates enter into the field of machine learning and artificial intelligence in the field of health sciences and to foster innovation in related areas.

List of Completed Grants

Received INR 20 lakh from ***Vision Group on Science and Technology*** (VGST), ***Government of Karnataka***, to establish the digital learning centre facility during 2019-2022, under the scheme Centres of Innovative Science and Engineering Education.

Centre for Current Good Manufacturing Practices (Centre for cGMP)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2021
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Girish Pai K
Members
The team consists of Co-coordinators of the Centre Dr Muddukrishna B S, Dr Girish Thunga, Dr Aravind Pai, Dr Vasudev Pai, Prof Ravindra Shenoy U, Dr Rekha Shenoy, Dr Virendra Ligade and Dr Gundawar Ravi (MAHE).

Industry Experts
Mr Harish Jain, Managing Director, Embiotic Labs Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru and President, Federation of Pharma Entrepreneurs

Mr G Sundar, Director, Pharma QA Compliance Services, Chennai.
Dr Raveendra Pai M, Senior Vice President, Formulation Research, Glenmark Pharmaceuticals Ltd, Mumbai
Mr Mahendra Joshi, Co-founder and Managing Director, IDRS Labs Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru.

Brief About the Centre

Currently, there is a huge **industry-academia gap with respect to GMP concepts** in academic curriculum and actual industry practice. The recent audit outcomes of various global regulators reflect that building a strong **Quality Culture and Data Integrity** systems is the **need of the hour**, especially for the Indian pharmaceutical sector. Both Quality Culture and Data Integrity go hand in hand. We believe that these **good practices should be inculcated into young minds** from the academic setup so that fresh candidates entering regulated pharma companies are well-versed in GMP practices. Due to **inadequate Good Manufacturing Practices,** the marketed pharmaceutical **products may be defective or have quality issues that go unnoticed** at the manufacturers' end or in the medical outlet. Subsequently, the patients will be purchasing a defective product that may have physical or chemical nature complaints or any other complaint on quality attributes. Being a layman, the patient may not notice the defect; the pharmacist may pack the product and hand it over to the ailing patient in a hurry to dispense and prepare the bill. Thus, the **ailing patient may consume defective products.** Therefore, the proposed center for current GMP shall also develop a comprehensive procedure and protocol to handle real-life complaints.

Objectives: To create awareness on cGMP right from academia to inculcate a culture of quality.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Organized the 3rd National cGMP Day celebrations and first edition of the 'MANIPAL cGMP FORUM' National Conference on cGMP and Compliances	Report attached	10 Oct 2025

Manipal cGMP Forum and 3rd National cGMP Day – A Resounding Success

The Centre for cGMP at Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), MAHE, successfully hosted the first edition of the Manipal cGMP Forum alongside the celebration of the 3rd National cGMP Day. The event marked a significant milestone in advancing pharmaceutical quality and good manufacturing practice in India. The concept of National cGMP Day, initiated by Dr Girish Pai K, Coordinator, Centre for cGMP, has been celebrated annually since 2023, in collaboration with IDMA, PCI, FOPE, Pharmexcil and other leading industry bodies.

Held at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, Manipal, the forum brought together industry leaders, academia, students, and regulatory experts to bridge the gap between revised Schedule M guidelines and academic understanding.

A landmark moment in the celebration of National cGMP Day 2025 was the release of a Special Postal Cover dedicated to current Good Manufacturing Practices (cGMP). This unique initiative was conceived by Dr Girish Pai K, Coordinator, Centre for cGMP, MAHE, Manipal, in joint discussion with Sri Bharat Shah, National President, IDMA, and Dr George Patani, Senior Vice President, IDMA.

Speaking on the occasion, Sri Bharat Shah remarked, *"We believe this is a pioneering initiative to raise awareness not only among industry professionals, academia, and regulators, but also among dispensing pharmacists, the patient community, and the general public."* He further added that IDMA was proud to sponsor the maiden Special Postal Cover on cGMP, released as part of the National cGMP Day 2025 celebrations.

Lt Gen Dr M D Venkatesh, Honourable Vice Chancellor of MAHE, Manipal, expressed his pride in the achievement, stating, *"For MAHE, this marks a significant milestone as we celebrate 2025 as the 'Year of Excellence in Industry-Academia Collaborations.' The release of this Special Postal Cover in association with IDMA is expected to generate nationwide awareness on the importance of cGMP and the quality of medicines. It is a momentous occasion for MAHE, especially as the Department of Posts, India approved our joint proposal to commemorate this noble field—pharmaceuticals—through this release."*

The Special Postal Cover was officially unveiled in the presence of

Sri Bharat Shah, National President, IDMA
Sri K Raja Bhanu, Director General, Pharmexcil
Mrs Aditi Kare Panandikar, Hon General Secretary, IDMA
Sri Amit Raj Sinha, MD and CEO, Sigachi Industries Ltd
Sri Ramesh Prabhu, Superintendent Post Office, Manipal
Dr Sharath Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE
Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Principal, MCOPS

During the Manipal cGMP Forum, Dr Girish Pai K shared the inspiring journey of the centre since its inception in 2023. He highlighted several pioneering initiatives undertaken to promote quality awareness, including the cGMP Awareness Series, the cGMP Lecture Series, the cGMP CONNECT Newsletter, and the Train the Pharmacists program—each designed to benefit both the student community and practicing pharmacists. Commenting on the release of the maiden Special Postal Cover on cGMP, Dr Pai described it as a symbol of national recognition and respect for cGMP. He expressed heartfelt gratitude to IDMA and Sri Bharat Shah, National President, IDMA, for their generous sponsorship and unwavering support in making this milestone possible.

Commenting on the inclusion of cGMP as an elective in the PCI-prescribed BPharm syllabus, Dr Pai described it as a welcome and timely development, coinciding meaningfully with the third National cGMP Day celebrations.

Mrs Aditi Kare Panandikar, Hon General Secretary, IDMA, stressed the significance of cGMP from early stages of academic learning so that it forms a strong quality foundation filled with values and integrity.

Sri K Raja Bhanu- "Pharmexcil has always championed the cause of quality in pharmaceutical exports. Initiatives like the Manipal cGMP Forum are vital in preparing the next generation of professionals to meet global regulatory expectations".

Amit Raj Sinha- At Sigachi Industries, we believe that quality is not just a regulatory requirement—it is a responsibility. Forums like this play a vital role in nurturing that mindset among future professionals."

Dr Srinivas Mutalik- Let the Manipal cGMP forum be a catalyst for meaningful conversations, impactful collaborations, and transformative learning. Together, we can shape a future where quality is not just a requirement but a culture."

The prestigious National cGMP Day Award 2025 was conferred upon Mr Ananthakrishna Padiyar, Chief of Quality, Cipla Ltd, Mumbai, for his exemplary contributions to pharmaceutical quality.

Phase II of the MANIPAL cGMP MUSEUM, a digital tribute to Dr TMA Pai, was unveiled. This CSR initiative was sponsored by Sri Mehul Shah, MD, Encube Ethicals Pvt Ltd. The latest edition of the newsletter, 'cGMP CONNECT' Vol 2, Issue 2, was released during the event.

Our eminent resource persons-Mr Dinesh Kashikar, Senior Consultant, Zenshin Pharmatek LLP – elaborated on the Revised Schedule M Guidelines and Mr Allen Dass, GM, Akums Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Ltd on Current Good Manufacturing Practices.

Best Poster Awards were presented with certificates, cash prizes, and a special cGMP gift sponsored by Akums Drugs and Pharmaceuticals Ltd. The theme, "cGMP for Sustainable Quality", unveiled earlier in April 2025, set the tone for impactful discussions. The conference featured plenary sessions, poster

presentations, interactive industry-academia dialogues, and student engagement activities, which included a quality jingle, an innovation pitch, and a tree of quality (fully sponsored by Akums). The centre for cGMP at MAHE expressed heartfelt thanks to all participants, speakers, sponsors, and guests for making the Manipal cGMP Forum and National cGMP Day 2025 a grand success. The event reaffirmed MAHE's commitment to excellence in pharmaceutical education and quality standards.

The event concluded with the GMP Pledge, about 200 plus delegates (UG and PG students, research scholars, industry professionals, resource persons, and chairpersons) were present for the pledge.

Awards and Recognition/Achievements

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	**CSR Funding:** Received INR 2.0 Lakhs.	Phase II of the museum project "MANIPAL cGMP MUSEUM" from Encube Ethicals Pvt Ltd, Mumbai.	12 Jul 2025

Centre for Pharmaceutical Care

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2021

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Rajesh V

Members: Dr Sreedharan, Dr Sonal Sekhar M

Brief About the Centre

Objectives

- Research on the practice of pharmacy in collaboration with a multidisciplinary team.
- Developing various professional competency assessment tools.
- Training for clinical pharmacy professionals and students from India and abroad with global standards.
- Conduct regular workshops on Medication Therapy Management and CPE for Practising Pharmacists.
- Providing a platform for academicians, researchers, pharmacy practitioners, and students for interactive learning experiences through the International Conference on Clinical Pharmacy (CPCON).

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Event and Date	Description
1	10th International Conference on Clinical Pharmacy (CPCON 2025) 09 to 11 January 2025	The 10th International Conference on Clinical Pharmacy (CPCON 2025), organized by the Centre for Pharmaceutical Care in association with the Department of Pharmacy Practice, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), themed "Transforming Pharmacy Practice for Value-Based-Care Models," was held on 10 and 11 Jan 2025, at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal. This global event brought together professionals and researchers to discuss advancements in pharmacy practice, focusing on patient-centered and value-based care. The conference commenced with an inaugural ceremony by Dr Sharath Kumar Rao K, Pro Vice Chancellor-Health Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, who was the chief guest. Eight international and seven national speakers delivered the talk during the conference. Around 474 delegates from 49 various pharmacy schools attended the conference, and 184 scientific abstracts were presented.
2	Pre-Conference Workshop 09 Jan 2025	The pre-conference workshop covered two topics: 'Writing Successful Publications: Practical Insights' and 'Health Data Analytics using 'R' Programming.'

Sl No	Event and Date	Description
3	National Pharmacovigilance Week Celebrations 17 to 22 September 2025	The National Pharmacovigilance Week celebrations in association with MedSafe began with an inauguration ceremony. The Chief Guest, Dr Srinivas Mutalik, opened the program. In his address, Dr Mutalik highlighted the vital role of pharmacists in patient safety and pharmacovigilance.
4	Concepts of Medical Writing Workshop	The Centre for Pharmaceutical Care, in association with MedSafe: Towards Safer Tomorrow and the Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS, MAHE, organized an engaging workshop on Concepts of Medical Writing on the 24 and 25 October 2025 at the Department of Medical Education, Health Sciences Library, Manipal. Ms Vaishnavi Punja, Associate Scientific Writer, Indigene, and Ms Mary Jannet, Principal-Scientific Writing, Lillys Ltd., were the resource persons for the hands-on training.
5	Uppsala Monitoring Centre #MedSafetyWeek Celebrations	The Centre for Pharmaceutical Care, in association with MedSafe, successfully carried out Uppsala Monitoring Centre #MedSafetyWeek celebrations, featuring a week filled with engaging events and meaningful discussions that focused on spreading awareness on drug safety and pharmacovigilance. Various events and competitions were conducted on patient safety.

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular
1	CISR–SRF Aug 2025- Jul 2027	PhD Scholar Ms Shwetha Somakumar received CSIR-Senior Research Fellow

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Centre for Pharmacometrics

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2021
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Surulivelrajan Mallayasamy

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- Dr Rajesh V, Associate Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal.
- Dr Mahadev Rao, Professor, Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS, MAHE, Manipal

Brief About the Centre:
Vision:

- To be a globally recognized leading Centre for academic and industrial research in pharmacometrics
- To conduct academic courses and training programs to develop the pharmacometric capabilities at the university and at the national level
- To develop a national/international academic and industry collaborative research network to promote the science of pharmacometrics and contribute to the development of drugs and other healthcare analytics solutions

Mission:

- To be a Centre for national and global level collaborative research on pharmacometrics and to develop capable human resources to serve in direct patient care, as well as in drug development programs of pharmaceutical industries

Objectives:

- Clinical Pharmacometrics: Application of Pharmacometrics in the bedside for assisting in precision pharmacotherapy
- Model-informed drug development: Explore the opportunities for implementing new-age tools of pharmacometrics in the drug development decisions
- Training and mentoring: Focus on developing training and mentoring programs to enhance the capabilities in the pharmacometrics and model-informed drug development area

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	ICOP – India 2025	International Conference	30 Jan - 02 Feb 2025
2.	Leadership Summit	Conclave of leaders to discuss Pharmacometrics.	08 Nov 2025
3.	Mastering Non Compartment model with Pumas Clinical Pharmacology software	Workshop	13 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4.	Certificate Course of Health Data Analytics in R software package	Certificate Course	02 - 11 Jun 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Ms Kanan Ishwar Mehta Memorial Lecture Oration	Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda	19 Jul 2025

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Leadership summit

Mastering NCA with Pumas Clinical Pharmacology

Centre for Pharmaceutical Skill Development

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Members: Co-Coordinator – Dr Srinivas Hebbar, Ms Anjana A K, Mrs Mahananda Prabu, Mr Abutwaibe, Dr Ujwala Achar, Mr Vaibhav Namdev

Brief About the Centre:
The Centre for Pharmaceutical Skill Development at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) stands as a pioneering academic–industry interface dedicated to creating job-ready pharmaceutical professionals. It aligns with the Skill India mission and is recognised as the first Centre of Excellence from academia. It has been officially certified by the Life Sciences Sector Skill Development Council (LSSSDC), New Delhi, underscoring its national relevance and quality benchmarks.

The unique strength of CPSD lies in its outcome-driven skill training model, which bridges the gap between academic learning and industry expectations. The Centre focuses on role-specific training for graduates and postgraduates, ensuring immediate employability in diverse pharmaceutical domains. CPSD also empowers educators through Continuing Pharmacy Education (CPE) programs, emphasizing emerging technologies, niche techniques, and innovative teaching pedagogies.

A strong industry-integrated ecosystem further distinguishes CPSD. With guidance from seasoned pharmaceutical industry experts serving as its advisory body, the Centre continuously aligns its programs with evolving industry needs. Additionally, CPSD delivers customised executive and certification programs in collaboration with the pharmaceutical industries, fostering workforce upskilling and leadership development.
Through its certified excellence, expert mentorship, and industry-aligned training framework, CPSD serves as a national model for pharmaceutical skill development and professional advancement.

Vision: To bridge the gap between industry and academia.

Mission: To train and groom pharmacy students to become skilled professionals who are ready for employment in the industry.

Objectives:
- Training graduates and postgraduates for specific job roles
- Faculty training through continuing pharmacy education programs focused on novel and niche areas or techniques, and the delivery of innovative pedagogy
- Executive programs in collaboration with the pharmaceutical industries

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Fundamentals of Lean Six Sigma	A one-day certificate workshop on "Fundamentals of Lean Six Sigma", organized by the Centre for Pharmaceutical Skill Development (CPSD), MAHE, in association with the Society of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (SPER), was held at Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences. The Participants was awarded with a Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt Certification from Annexes Europe.	02 Aug 2025

Inauguration of Fundamentals of Lean Six Sigma

Conclusion of Lean Six Sigma Workshop

Training Session of Lean Six Sigma

Centre for Public Health Pharmacy

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2022
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Members: Dr Sreedharan and Dr Girish Thunga P

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: Establish a Centre of Excellence to provide an interdisciplinary platform for capacity building in public health pharmacy practice, service, and research

Mission: Promote the quality use of medicine in our society

Objectives:

- To impart knowledge to society on the quality and safe use of medicines and be involved in implementing community-centered care as part of the social commitment of the MAHE.
- To develop leadership skills among the students to engage in community outreach programs and be a public health pharmacy champion.
- To foster the research culture on evidence-based pharmacy with a perception of public and global health concepts.
- To generate scientific knowledge on ever-changing best pharmacy practice decisions and apply these for societal benefits through an interdisciplinary approach.
- To network with national and international agencies for integrated strategies to tackle public and global health issues on medication use.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Basic Life Skills Workshop	In collaboration with Tempus Pretioso, a student-run Emergency Medicine Club of Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, organized a workshop on Basic Life Support (BLS) and Road Traffic Awareness (RTA) at MCOPS.	23 Jan 2025
2	Medication Disposal Program at Nejar, Kallianpura	In collaboration with the Rotary Club and the Kallianpura Panchayat, the Medication Disposal Program was successfully conducted. 22 dedicated volunteers collected expired medications from over 200 homes while educating the community on the importance of safe medication disposal. The collected medicines were handed over to the district's common treatment facility for proper disposal, ensuring a safer environment.	11 Feb 2025
3	Basic Life Skills Workshop for School Students	On the occasion of National Science Day 2025, in collaboration with Tempus Pretioso, we organized a Basic Life Support (BLS) Workshop as part of a residential training program for school students. The workshop focused on essential life-saving skills, including the Chain of Survival, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR), the Heimlich Maneuver, and the use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED), with hands-on demonstrations.	24 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4	Alumni guest talk by Dr Erfan Alijani, pharmacist from Ghazvin, Iran	An alumni guest lecture titled "Importance of Pre-prescription Counseling in the Pharmacy Profession: An Iranian Perspective". The session was conducted by Dr Erfan Alijani, an alumnus of MCOPS, who pursued his PharmD (P B) from 2018 to 2021 at the Department of Pharmacy Practice, MCOPS.	01 Apr 2025
5	Ink the Action: MOA-Formulation Design Contest	Hosted an online graphic design competition for the July edition of DigiDose. The theme of the competition was “Neurodegenerative Disease Therapies”. Contestants were asked to work in pairs and create a pictorial or graphical representation of a new or hypothetical drug that could be used to treat neurodegenerative diseases.	08 Jul 2025
6	Alumni guest talk by Dr Skanda Narayanaswamy, Research Assistant, Uppsala University, Sweden	Organized an insightful guest lecture titled “Pharmacy Practice Meets Pharmacometrics: Unlocking Drug Discovery Opportunities in Sweden”. The session was delivered by Dr Skanda Narayanaswamy, a PharmD graduate from MCOPS (PharmD batch: 2018 to 2024) and currently serving as a Research Assistant at Uppsala University, Sweden.	24 Jul 2025
7	National Nutritional Week 2025 Celebration	In observance of National Nutrition Week, we organized a guest lecture by Ms Amrutha M S, Dietician and Assistant Professor, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, on the topic “Nutrition in the 21st Century and AI in Food Choices.” Her talk provided valuable insights into the future of personalized diet plans and the role of technology in dietetics.	05 Sep 2025
8	World Pharmacists Day 2025: Community outreach program focusing on pharmacies across Manipal	On the occasion of World Pharmacists Day, we organized a community outreach program focusing on pharmacies across the Manipal-Udupi region. The initiative aimed to raise awareness among community pharmacists about the importance of patient counselling during medication dispensing.	25 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
9	Nirmitha: A medication donation program across two old-age homes in Udupi	In association with the Alliance Club International, Udupi, and the Chosen Generation Charitable Trust, Udupi, organized "Nirmitha", a Medication Donation Program, across two old age homes (Vishranthi Dhama and Emmanuel Old Age Home, Hoode) in Udupi.	17 Oct 2025
10	Alumni guest talk by Dr Ahsan Farooq, Clinical Medical Manager, Novo Nordisk, Bengaluru	Organized a guest talk on "Applications of AI in Clinical Research." The session was delivered by Dr Ahsan Farooq, an alumnus of MCOPS who completed his Post-Baccalaureate PharmD in 2012.	23 Oct 2025
11	National Pharmacy Week and World Antimicrobial Awareness Week 2025 Celebrations	On the occasion of National Pharmacy Week (16 to 22 Nov 2025) and World Antimicrobial Awareness Week (18 to 24 Nov 2025 in association with the Indian Pharmaceutical Association (IPA) Manipal branch, organized a series of academic and outreach activities. As part of the initiatives, an awareness outreach program was conducted on 15 Nov 2025 at SMS Pre-University College, Brahmavar, focusing on the Antimicrobial Stewardship Program (AMSP). The event aimed to educate students on the appropriate use of antimicrobials and strategies to prevent antimicrobial resistance (AMR). The session included interactive health education activities, followed by a quiz competition that engaged students and reinforced key learning points. The celebrations also featured multiple competitions, including Pharmaprobe, a casestudy based event where teams worked through mock clinical scenarios simulating real-world challenges, and a quiz competition for both senior and junior categories, held from 17 to 19 Nov 2025. These events encouraged critical thinking, evidence-based reasoning, and peer learning among participants. On 22 Nov 2025, Dr Muralidhar Varma, Professor and Head, Department of Infectious Diseases, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, delivered an insightful guest lecture titled "Bridging Evidence and Practice in Antibiotic Stewardship."	15 to 22 Nov 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Best poster presentation award at MPCON 2025	Ms Malakapogu Pravachana, Research Scholar, has been awarded the Best Poster Presentation Award under the category Pharmacy Practice and Clinical Pharmacy at the Manipal Pharmaceutical Conference 2025 (MPCON-2025) held from 28 to 30 Aug 2025 at Manipal.	20 Aug 2025
2	ISPE's registration scholarship	Ms Malakapogu Pravachana and Ms Zuha Shyma, Research Scholars, received ISPE's registration scholarship to attend the ISPE's 17th Asian Conference on Pharmacoepidemiology in Hong Kong, held from 21 to 23 Nov 2025.	05 Sep 2025
3	First prize for scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	Ms Ruby Benson, Research Scholar, has been awarded the First prize for scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0, which took place in Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
4	First Prize in conceptual poster presentation at SVASTH 2025	Mr Karthikeya Mahesh Hegde, Ms Siyam Taj J and Mr Chethan Umanath, 5th year PharmD students, have been awarded 1st position in conceptual poster presentation competition in 3rd Annual Conference, Sustainable Viable Alternative Solutions inn Technology and Healthcare (SVASTH 2025), organized by the Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management (DHHM), Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal held on 13 and 14 Oct 2025 at Manipal.	14 Oct 2025
5	Second prize for the oral presentation at MISPECON 2025	Ms Siyam Taj, 5th Year PharmD, has been awarded the second prize for the Oral Research Presentation at the Manipal International Society of Pharmacoepidemiology (ISPE) Student Chapter Conference (MISPECON 2025) held from 31 Oct to 02 Nov 2025 at Manipal.	02 Nov 2025
6	First Prize in the National Level Power Point Presentation Competition	Ms Tanvi Ambekar, Ms Siyam Taj, and Mr Karthikeya Hegde, 5th Year PharmD students, have secured the 1st Prize in the National Level Power Point Presentation Competition conducted as part of the 64th National Pharmacy Week celebration 2025, on the theme "Pharmacists as Advocates of Vaccination," held in association with the IPA, Kerala State Branch.	18 Nov 2025
7	Runner-up in Poster Presentation Competition at the 3rd International Clinical Pharmacy Summit 2025	Ms Sneha Bhat, 6th Year PharmD, has been awarded the Runner-up position in Original Research Category of Poster Presentation Competition at the 3rd International Clinical Pharmacy Summit 2025, organized by The Indian Pharmaceutical Association Students' Forum Pune (IPA-SF) in collaboration with Federation of Clinical Pharmacists in India (FCPI), hosted by Poona College of Pharmacy, Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be) University, Pune, Maharashtra during 06 and 07 Dec 2025.	07 Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Effect of vitamin D supplementation on vitamin D receptor gene expression and wound healing in diabetic foot ulcer patients infected with biofilm-forming organism: a prospective cohort study	Department of Health Research, New Delhi	Dr Sonal Sekhar M	34,06,368 INR	24 Nov 2023

Photo Gallery

Basic Life Skills Workshop

Medication Disposal Program

Basic Life Skills Workshop for School Students

World Pharmacists Day 2025

National Pharmacy Week and World Antimicrobial Awareness Week 2025 Celebrations

Centre for Translational Research

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 Jan 2020
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Mahadev Rao
Members: Dr Naveen Salins, Dr Naveen Kumar, Dr Karthik Udupa, Dr Muralidhar Varma, Dr M S Rajan, Dr Rama Rao Damerla

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To develop a new translational research division that aims to develop robust services, protocols, and policies that empower patients, clinicians, and other healthcare providers to access high-quality, precise care and conduct high-quality clinical trials/research, education, and training programs.

Mission: To foster national and international multidisciplinary collaborations in translational research and education. To enhance Bench to Bedside and Bedside to Bench (B2B2B) research, primarily in cancer and tuberculosis.

Objectives:
1. Develop a multidisciplinary team of clinicians, basic scientists, and clinical pharmacists who can design and implement translational research projects that aim to improve treatment outcomes and quality of life for TB, cancer, and lifestyle diseases.
2. Act as a centre for genomic screening/surveillance to identify the mutational burden/genome variation of cancer and TB patients from various parts of the country via genome sequencing.
3. Develop novel diagnostics and/or identify biomarkers that could be used for pre-emptive screening for targeted drug therapy, prevention of adverse drug reactions, and optimization of drug dosing.
4. Design novel drug molecules and repurpose existing drugs for diseases such as TB and cancer, especially in cases of drug resistance/treatment failure.
5. Conduct certificate courses and residency programs equipped with hands-on training that empower clinicians, researchers, and postgraduates to obtain expertise in cutting-edge translational research areas such as precision therapy, drug and disease modelling, organoid modelling, etc.
6. Develop national and international collaborations with research scientists and premier institutes to develop high-quality, multicentric research projects and utilize multidisciplinary expertise and facilities to create a pool of next-generation scientists.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
Activities at Global Cancer Consortium			
1.	Global Cancer Consortium Conference	5th International Global Cancer Consortium Conference at Amity University, Noida	29 - 31 Jan 2025
Research students graduated in 2025			
2.	PhD students (part of the Centre) graduated in 2025	• Dr Levin Thomas • Dr Gayathri Baburaj • Dr Jayashree Dili Batcha • Dr Shilia Jacob • Dr Vedant Kamal Mehta • Dr Preethiparna Parida	2025-2026 2025-2026 2025-2026 2025-2026 2025-2026 2025-2026 2025-2026

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		• Dr Sairoz • Dr Prathvi Nayak	2025-2026
Research Projects Completed in 2025			
1	Integrating Pharmacogenomic and Population Pharmacokinetic Analysis for Precision Therapy of Isoniazid in TB Patients.	PI: Dr Mahadev Rao Research Scholar: Dr Levin Thomas Funding agency: ICMR SRF and MAHE-Intramural fund	2021-2025
2	Repurposing of antiviral drugs targeting lysine demethylase 5B [KDM5B] oncogene in breast cancer.	PI: Dr Mahadev Rao Research Scholar: Mrs Anmi Jose Funding agency: DST-INSPIRE SRF and MAHE- Intramural fund	2021-2026
3	Identification of Circulating Tumor DNA Mutations in Indian Lung Cancer Patients.	PI: Dr Mahadev Rao Research Scholar: Dr Gayathri Baburaj Funding agency: DST-INSPIRE SRF and MAHE- Intramural fund	2020-2025
4	Effect of Vitamin D Supplementation and Vitamin D Receptor Gene Polymorphisms in Patients with Diabetic Foot Infection among South-Indian Population	PI: Dr Sonal Sekhar Research Scholar: Dr Shilia Jacob Kurian Funding agency: ICMR SRF and MAHE- Intramural fund	2023-2025
5	Clinical Assessment of Pharmacometric Model-Guided Dosing in Oncology	PI: Dr Surulivelrajan M Research Scholar: Dr Jayashree Dili Batcha Funding agency: ICMR SRF and MAHE- Intramural fund	2022-2025
6	Medication Therapy Management of Anticoagulants and Incorporation of Pharmacogenomics-guided Individualized Dosing of Warfarin	PI: Dr Rajesh V Research Scholar: Mrs Vooradi Santosha Funding agency: Dr TMA Pai PhD Fellowship	2022-2026
7	Tumor characterization and development of a liquid biopsy test for early detection and treatment of cervical cancer	PI: Dr Rama Rao Damerla Research Scholar: Dr Preetiparna Parida Funding agency: CSIR SRF and MAHE- Intramural fund	2021-2025
8	Expression of PTGS2 along with genes regulating the VEGF signalling pathway and association with high-risk factors in locally advanced oral squamous cell carcinoma	PI: Dr Naveena Kumar AN Research Scholar: Dr Vedanth Kamal Mehta Funding agency: Dr TMA Pai, PhD Fellowship and MAHE- Intramural fund	2022-2025
9	Developing a model for real time analgesia for drug delivery by assessing nociceptive chemical mediators	PI: Dr Naveen Salins Research Scholar: Dr Prathvi Nayak Funding agency: ICMR	2020-2025

The research activities, academic initiatives, and scholarly outputs of the Centre align with and contribute to the following Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs):

Research publications:

1. Baral, T, Manu, M K, Saravu, K, Kudru, C U, Singh, J, Mukhopadhyay, C, Rao, M, and Miraj, S S (2025). Probiotics Supplementation in Tuberculosis: A Scoping Review. *Scientifica*, *2025*, 6926727. . PMID: 41256827; PMCID: PMC12623083. **Impact factor: 3.1 (Q1)**

2. Raju, D, Prabhu, S, Maria, A, Shirodkar, SNS, Damerla, R R, Chakrabarty, S, Shetty, P S, Rao, M, and Kumar, NAN (2025). Gastric Signet Ring Cell Carcinoma: Tumor Microenvironment Reprogramming and Novel Therapeutic Targets with Emphasis on GRIN2D. *Clinical and translational science*, *18*(11), e70424. . PMID: 41250973; PMCID: PMC1262427. **Impact factor: 2.8 (Q1)**

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4. Benson, R, Kurian, S J, Prasad, S S, Banerjee, B, Sudha Gururaj, V K, Kunhikatta, V, Velladath, S U, Rodrigues, G S, Hariharapura, R C, Rao, M, Munisamy, M, Vishwanath, S, Mukhopadhyay, C, and Miraj, S S (2025). Association of Serum Vitamin D Status with Multidimensional Health Parameters in Patients with Diabetic Foot Infections: A Cross-Sectional Analysis in a Tertiary Healthcare Facility. *The international journal of lower extremity wounds*, 15347346251385348. Advance online publication. . PMID: 41117410. **Impact factor: 1.5 (Q1)**

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6. Kamal, M V, Palod, A, Parida, P, Pai, A, Sharan, K, Belle, V S, Damerla, R R, Rao, M, and Kumar, NAN. (2025). Modulation of prostaglandin-endoperoxide synthase-2 (PTGS2) mediated VEGF-signalling pathway by oral metronomic chemotherapy in locally advanced oral squamous cell Carcinoma: A brief report. *Cancer chemotherapy and pharmacology*, *95*(1), 96. . PMID: 41045400. **Impact factor: 2.3 (Q2)**

7. Jose, A, Kulkarni, P, Kumar, N A, Usman, N, Rodrigues, G S, Shenoy, G G, Damerla, R R, Munisamy, M, Bisht, B, Varambally, S, Paul, M K, Arya, N, Rao, P P, and Rao, M (2025). Abacavir enhances the efficacy of doxorubicin via inhibition of histone demethylase KDM5B in breast cancer. *Scientific reports*, *15*(1), 28531. . PMID: 40764352; PMCID: PMC12325968. **Impact factor: 3.9 (Q1)**

8. Parida, P, Mukherjee, N, Singh, A, Lewis, S, Sharan, K, Mallya, S, Singh, A, Das, S S, Rao, M, Higginson, D S, Sabarinathan, R, and Damerla, R R (2025). Precise identification of viral-host integration events in HPV-positive cervical cancers by targeted long-read sequencing. *Tumour virus research*, *20*, 200325. Advance online publication. .PMID: 40683617; PMCID: . **Impact factor: 8.1 (Q1)**

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11. Baburaj, G, Parida, P, Udupa, K S, Pai, A, Damerla, R R, and **Rao, M** (2025). An allele-specific quantitative PCR strategy for detection of EGFR T790M mutations by liquid biopsy in non-small cell lung cancer patients. *International Journal of Biological Macromolecules*, *316*(Pt 1), 144447. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijbiomac.2025.144447" \h. PMID: 40414381. **Impact factor: 8.5 (Q1)**
12. Varma, M, Sudandiradas, R, Patel, M M, Mathew, T A, Zervos, M, Umakanth, S, Kamath, A, **Rao, M**, Kalwaje, Eshwara. V, Mukhopadhyay, C, Kumar, V A (2025). Challenges in COVID-19 Pandemic Triaging: An Indian and US Perspective. *Emergency Care and Medicine*, *2*(2), 18. . **Impact factor: NA**
13. Thomas, L, Chaithra, Batra, Y, Mathur, M, Kulavalli, S, Sv, C S, Dutt, N, Bhardwaj, P, Varma, M, Saravu, K, Banerjee, M, and **Rao, M** (2025). Pharmacogenomic heterogeneity of *N-acetyltransferase 2*: a comprehensive analysis of real world data in Indian tuberculosis patients and from literature and database review. *Annals of medicine*, *57*(1), 2478316. . PMID: 40138446; PMCID: PMC11948353. **Impact factor: 4.3 (Q1)**
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15. Baral, T, Johnson, A S, Unnikrishnan, M K, Manu, M K, Saravu, K, Udyavara Kudru, C, Abdulsalim, S, Singh, J, Mukhopadhyay, C, **Rao, M,** and Miraj, S S (2025). Potential role of indole-3-propionic acid in tuberculosis: current perspectives and future prospects. *Expert opinion on therapeutic targets*, *29*(3), 171–178. . PMID: 40160109. **Impact factor: 4.4 (Q1)**
16. Patil P H, Desai M P, Baburaj G, Thomass L, Subeesh V, Birangal S, **Rao M**, Shenoy GG, Jagadish PC. Optimizing Cardiovascular Treatment in Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer: A Comprehensive Computational Approach for Assessment of Drug-Drug Interactions between Tyrosine Kinase Inhibitors and Cardiovascular Drugs [version 1; peer review: awaiting peer review]. *F1000Research* 2025, **14**:309 . **Impact factor: NA**
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Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	TB Portal Meeting	**Dr Mahadev Rao** attended the TB Portal Meeting sponsored by NIH, USA 2025, held in Moldova.	12 to 19 Dec 2025
2	Runner-up for the Best Poster Presentation Award	**Ms Prathvi V Shenoy,** PhD scholar, under the guidance of Dr Mahadev Rao, presented her research work titled	29 to 31 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
	at the 5th International Global Cancer Consortium Conference	"Pharmacogenomic Profiling of Drug-Metabolizing Enzyme and Transporters in Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Patients at a Tertiary Care Hospital in Southern India" at the 5th International Global Cancer Consortium Conference, 2025 held in Amity University, Noida.	

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
As PI					
1	Assessment of Pharmacogenomics and Metabolomics as Potential Preemptive Biomarkers for Antitubercular Drug-Induced Liver Injury in TB patients	ICMR	Dr Mahadev Rao	1,42,51,945	2026 - 2029
2	Precision therapy of Gefitinib in non-small cell lung cancer patients: an integrated approach of pharmacogenomics and population pharmacokinetic analysis	Dr TMA Pai PhD Fellowship and MAHE-Intramural fund	Dr Mahadev Rao	6,00,000	2023 - 2026
3	Real-time PCR instrument	DST FIST	Dr Mahadev Rao	20,00,000	2022 - 2027
4	Establishing TB portal of Mycobacterium tuberculosis patients from tertiary care hospital in Southern India.	NIH and IMF	Dr Mahadev Rao	20,00,000	2025 - 2026
As Co-PI					
1	Lead optimization studies to identify indole based clinical candidates effective against Multidrug-resistant strains of Mycobacterium tuberculosis residing inside macrophages	ICMR	Dr Gautham Shenoy, MCOPS	1,02,00,000	2026 - 2029
2	Targeting EZH2 to overcome immunotherapy resistance for the treatment of immunologically cold lung cancer	ICMR	Dr Manash Paul, MSLS	87,00,000	2026 - 2029
3	Deciphering lung tumor-stroma crosstalk during tumor progression, using	ICMR	Dr Manash Paul, MSLS	2,00,00,000	2025 - 2029

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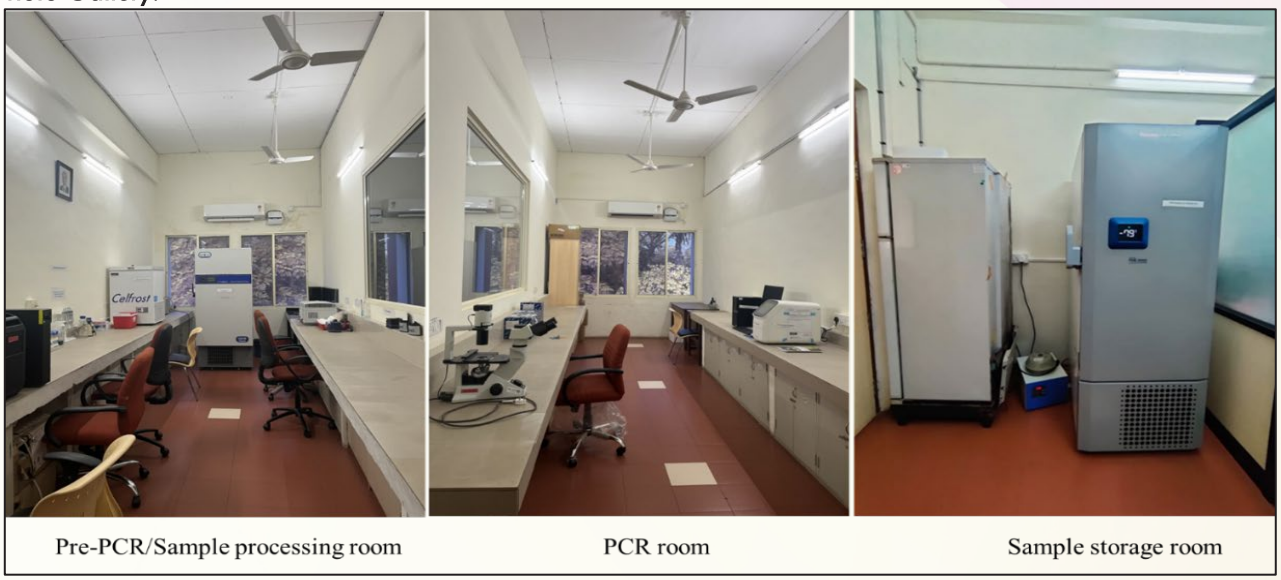
	intersectional genetics, spatial transcriptomics, and patient-derived 3D organoid models and development of stroma-targeting therapy				
4	Evaluation of Functional liver volume changes after stereotactic body radiation therapy based on hepatobiliary scan in hepatocellular carcinoma and its correlation with clinical toxicity, quality of life and biomarkers	GI Oncology Society: Research Grant 2025	Dr Shirley Lewis, KMC	4,88,100	2025 - 2028
5	CanceronChip: Developing a state-of-the-art microfluidic diagnostic OrganonChip OoC platform to study ex vivo chemo radiation sensitivity in breast cancer patients	ICMR	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty, MSLS	2,53,10,544	2024
6	Expanding antimicrobial resistance research and surveillance activities in secondary level hospitals	ICMR	Dr Vandana K E, KMC	98,17,088	2024
7	Implementation of AMSP in various tertiary care centers across India PHASE III.	ICMR	Dr Muralidhar Verma, KMC	81,50,381	2024
8	Long read sequencing to study HPV integration sites in genomes of patients with cervical cancer.	Lady TATA	Dr Rama Rao Damerla, KMC	40,90,300	2024
9	Effect of vitamin D supplementation on vitamin D receptor gene expression and wound healing in diabetic foot ulcer patients infected with biofilm-forming organism - a prospective cohort study	ICMR-DHR	Dr Sonal Sekhar, MCOPS	36,28,185	2023 to 2026

Photo Gallery:



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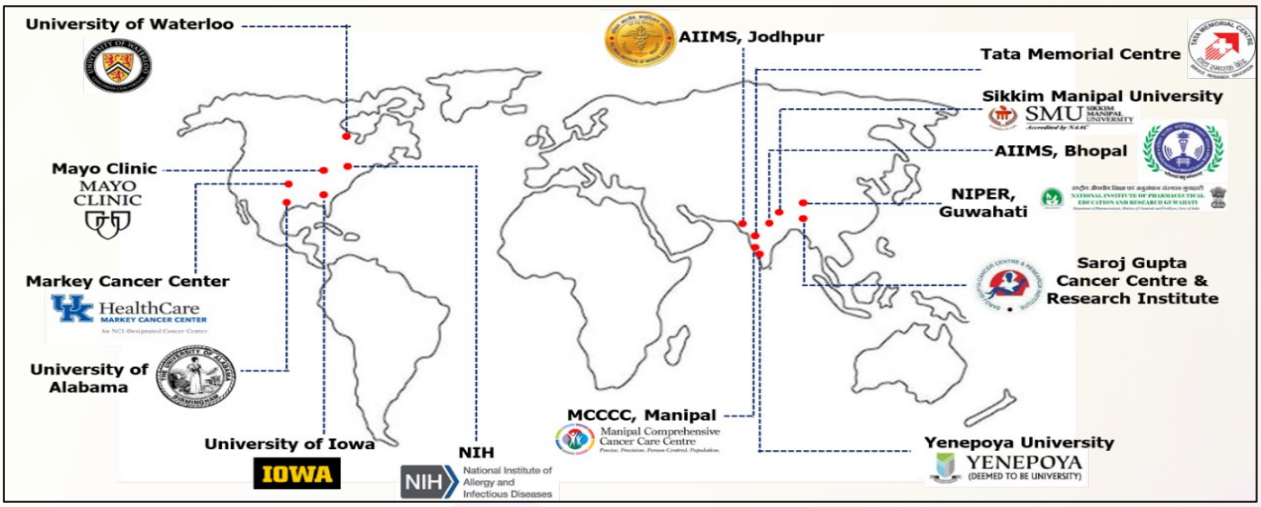

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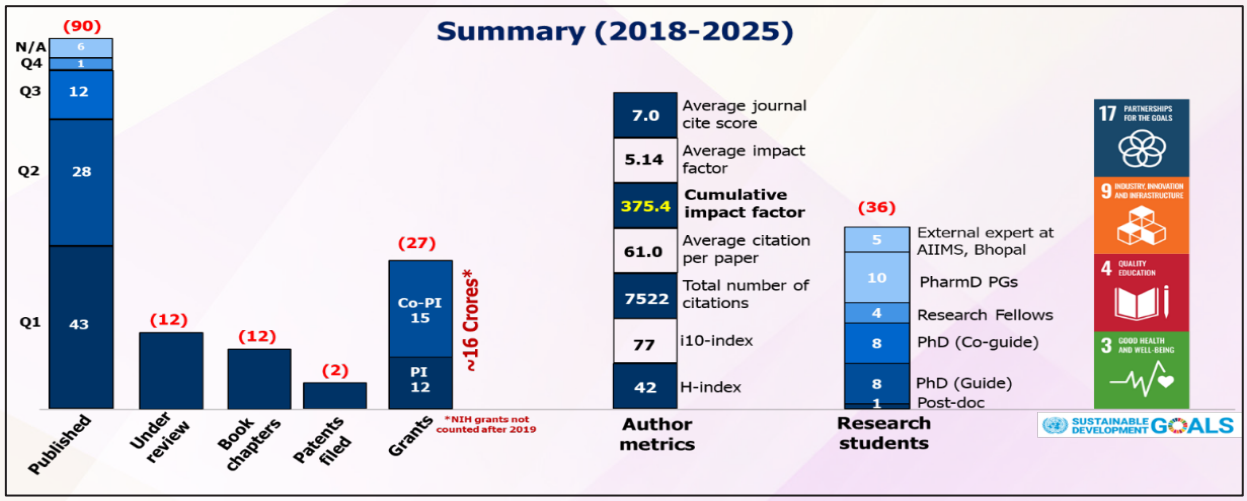

c. *Centre Summary with an overview of Dr Mahadev Rao's publications (published, under review and book chapters), patents, grants, author-level metrics, and alignment of the Centre's activities with relevant SDG goals:*

d. TB Portal Meeting, 2025 in Moldova:

Center for Animal Research Ethics and Training (CARET)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr K Nandakumar
Members:

1. Dr Amrita Parida
2. Dr Rahul Dutta
3. Dr Jagnoor Singh Sandhu

Brief About the Centre

Vision

The Center for Animal Research Ethics and Training (CARET) envisions becoming a global leader in fostering humane, ethical, and scientifically robust animal research practices. By integrating comprehensive training programs with cutting-edge research methodologies, CARET aims to bridge the gap between ethical principles and experimental precision.

The Center aspires to cultivate a new generation of researchers who are not only proficient in advanced experimental techniques but also deeply committed to minimizing animal suffering. Through collaboration, innovation, and education, CARET seeks to set new benchmarks in ethical animal research, ensuring sustainability and scientific excellence across diverse disciplines.

Mission

To train research scholars and other professionals in the animal experimentation's ethical and scientific aspects, ensuring they are well-prepared for humane and rigorous research practices.

Objective

1. Provide foundational and practical training in animal welfare, ethical research, scientific methodology, and routine experimental procedures.
2. Offer advanced training in specialized areas, such as animal behavioural testing, while promoting humane and ethical practices in all aspects of research.
3. Collaborate with academic and research institutions, both nationally and internationally, to foster a culture of ethical and scientifically sound research.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	No of participants	Date
1	Foundational Certificate Course in Laboratory Animal Handling and Ethical Guidelines	30	27 Jan to 08 Feb 2025
2	Field visit by students (BSc) from MSLS	24	10 Jan 2025
3	Field visit by students (BSc) from MSLS	20	17 Jan 2025
4	Field visit on the occasion of National Science Day	22	24 Feb 2025
5	Field visit by students (BPharm) from MCOPS	42	06 Feb 2025
6	Internship of MD students, KMC Physiology	5	11 to 24 Feb 2025
7	Field visit by students (BTech, II year) from MIT	52	03 Apr 2025
8	Field visit by MSc Zoology students, IDSG Government College	18	16 May 2025
9	Manipal International Summer School – *Foundations in Laboratory Animal Handling and Research*	2	07 to 18 Jul 2025
10	Foundational Certificate Course in Laboratory Animal Handling and Ethical Guidelines	31	21 Jul to 02 Aug 2025
11	Field visit by students (PharmD, III year) from MCOPS	18	28 Jul 2025
12	Field visit by PG and PhD students from MIV	15	04 Aug 2025
13	Field visit by PharmD (II year) students from MCOPS	30	11 Aug 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	No of participants	Date
14	Foundational Certificate Course in Laboratory Animal Handling and Ethical Guidelines	31	21 Jul to 02 Aug 2025
15	Field visit by students (MSc) from KMC	2	30 Aug 2025
16	Field visit by students (MD, Microbiology) from KMC	12	04 Sep 2025
17	Field visit by students (MPharm) from MCOPS	16	05 Sep 2025
18	Internship students from KMC Pharmacology	5	26 Sep to 09 Oct 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	ICMR International Travel Award Best Oral Presentation Award	Ms Megha Anchan, under the supervision of Dr Rahul Dutta, secured the best oral Presentation award at the 13th Asian Congress on Endometriosis and Adenomyosis, 2025, held in Sri Lanka from 31 October to 03 November 2025	03 Nov 2025

List of ongoing projects/research grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Proapoptotic peptide-mediated targeted depletion of Endometriosis Associated M2 macrophage population: An alternative strategy for endometriosis management	Adhoc scheme-Indian Council of Medical Research 2022-2025	Dr Rahul Dutta	30,43,000 INR	2025

Photo Gallery

Visit by students (BSc) from MSLS

Discussion session during the Foundational Certificate Course in Laboratory Animal Handling and Ethical Guidelines

Discussion session on the importance of routine sterilization practices during a visit by students from MCOPS

Training on the behavioural apparatus (MWM) during the internship of MD students, KMC Physiology

Session on histopathology during a visit by students (BPharm) from MCOPS

Discussion session on Animal Welfare during visit by students from MCOPS

Centre for Advanced and Translational Theranostics

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Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To be a leading Centre in the development and translation of innovative theranostic platforms or agents, with the goal of providing personalized, effective, and safe treatment options.

Mission: To accelerate the translation of research observations into health solutions through a multidisciplinary approach, developing and implementing diagnostics and therapeutics for a wide range of diseases and conditions.

Objectives:

Product Development: Development of innovative and Advanced Theranostics (AT) for treating and diagnosing various diseases with the help of funded projects and industry support

- **Research Output and Commercialization:** To attain high-quality publications, IPRs, funding, technology transfer, and commercializing the products with the help of industries.
- **Translational Theranostics:** To undertake translational theranostic projects with the help of laboratories, hospitals, clinicians, ethical committees, funded projects, and industries.
- **State-of-the-Art Facility:** Establish a state-of-the-art facility for producing and characterizing AT, including 3D printing technologies for personalized NM and tissue-engineered scaffolds
- **Interdisciplinary Cooperation:** Foster interdisciplinary cooperation and facilitate knowledge exchange among practitioners and researchers, training next-gen researchers, and adding value to ongoing research

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Award for Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide) for the Year 2024 to Dr Srinivas Mutalik	MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, MAHE, Manipal at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium	24 Nov 2025
2	Award for Significant Contribution to Sustainable Development Goals for the Year 2024 to Dr Srinivas Mutalik	MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, MAHE, Manipal at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium	24 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Development of Long-acting injectable formulations	Nayas Laboratories Hyderabad	Dr Srinivas Mutalik	22,50,000 INR	23 Jun 2025

Manipal College of Nursing

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Established: 1990
Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Basic BSc Nursing
- Basic BSc Nursing MAHE-UNB Dual Degree Program
- Post Basic BSc Nursing
- MSc (Medical Surgical Nursing)
- MSc (Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing)
- MSc (Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing)
- MSc (Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing)
- MSc (Community Health Nursing)
- Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care Postgraduate Residency Program
- Nurse Practitioner in Emergency and Trauma Care Postgraduate Residency Program
- PhD Nursing

About the Institution/School:
Manipal College of Nursing (MCON), Manipal, established in 1990, is one of the leading institutions in India for Nursing Education and Research. The mission statement of MCON is consistent with that of its parent organization, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). The Vision and Mission statements of MCON Manipal, respectively, are: To be a world class nursing institution with international standards and a hallmark of excellence in Nursing Education, Practice and Research and Excellence in nursing education, healthcare services, research, and commitment to human development. MCON functions with the values: Quality, Commitment, Accountability, Teamwork, Loyalty, Integrity, and Humane Touch. The college is recognized by the Indian Nursing Council (INC) and the Karnataka State Nursing Council, certified under ISO 9001:2015, ISO 14001:2015, and ISO 50001:2018, and accredited by NAAC in 2022 with an 'A++' grade. MCON

Manipal has been ranked #1 nursing college in India among India's top 10 undergraduate courses and institutions for BSc Nursing (Source: Education World India-Higher Education India dated: 27 May 2023 and it strives to maintain this remarkable achievement in 2024-25). MCON Manipal is one among the Seven Nursing Institutions in India whose degree is approved by the Singapore Nursing Board. Core Objectives: To offer professional education of high pedagogic excellence; optimal learning environment and an opportunity for personal and professional growth. To encourage community participation and interaction with National and International healthcare organizations. To develop professional competency and research skills in students and faculty. Speciality Areas: The college houses six clinical nursing departments to cater to the academic needs of the students. The Clinical Nursing Departments are Fundamentals of Nursing, Community Health Nursing, Obstetrics and Gynaecology Nursing, Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing, Medical Surgical Nursing, and Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives:

Sl. No.	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	The Centre for Elderly Care Education and Research is proposed as a dedicated interdisciplinary hub aimed at advancing education, research, capacity building, and service innovation in the field of geriatric and elderly care. With the rapidly ageing population and increasing burden of chronic illnesses, frailty, disability, and psychosocial challenges among older adults, there is a critical need for structured academic and research-driven responses to promote healthy ageing and dignified care. The center is a collaborative center between MCON & MCHP.	The Centre will focus on education, research, and community engagement related to geriatric nursing, geriatric medicine, palliative care, mental health of older adults, long-term care, and caregiver support. It will offer short-term courses, micro-credentials, certificate programs, workshops, and continuing professional development programs aligned with NEP 2020 to strengthen geriatric competencies among healthcare professionals, students, and community workers. The research arm of the Centre will promote evidence-based practice through clinical, community-based, and translational research in ageing, chronic disease management, palliative and end-of-life care, assistive technologies, and health systems for elderly care. Collaborative research with national and international institutions, policy-oriented studies, and funded projects will be key priorities. The Centre will also engage in community outreach, health promotion, screening programs, caregiver education, and advocacy for age-friendly services and policies. By integrating education, research, and service, the Centre aims to contribute to improved quality of life, functional independence, and dignified ageing, while supporting national priorities in elderly health and care.	**1 Dec 2024**

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All other activities in the department relating to the program/course:

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1	School Health Awareness Program on "Healthy Choices and Happy Life"	The Department of Community Health Nursing and final year BSc Nursing students of MCON, Manipal, organized a School Health Awareness Program at Government Aided Higher Primary School, Hirebettu. The program included a welcome address, health screening, yoga demonstration, and interactive sessions	11 Jan 2025

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		on "Healthy Choices and Happy Life" using charts, videos, and role play. Health talks, games, and prize distribution engaged school and Anganwadi children. A total of 28 participants attended. The program was appreciated by the Headmistress.	
2	School Health Education Program on "Personal Hygiene and Healthy lifestyle"	The Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, along with seventh semester BSc and first year MSc Nursing students, organized an awareness session on "Personal Hygiene and Healthy Lifestyle" on 13 January 2025, at Government Higher Primary School, Manipura, Katpady. The program aimed to promote healthy living, personal hygiene, and tobacco control among school children. About 130 students participated in interactive sessions, lectures, roleplays, action songs, and demonstrations. Special sessions on menstrual health were conducted for senior girls. The program received positive feedback.	13 Jan 2025
3	Workshop Geriatric Palliative Care	The Gerontological Nursing Association of India (GNAI), ELNEC, and the Indian Hospice and Palliative Care Association jointly organized a hands-on training workshop at Manipal to empower nurses in geriatric palliative care. The program focused on compassionate, holistic end-of-life care, managing complex health needs, and fostering interprofessional collaboration. Prof Hanife MacGamwell, Honorary Head and Instructor ELNEC USA and India, Mrs Sangeetha Murugan, Karunashraya and ELNEC Instructor, President Indian Hospice and Palliative Care India, and Dr Mamta Parihar, Associate Professor of Dr S N Medical College Jodhpur, led engaging sessions. Inaugurated with the theme "Compassion in Action," the workshop highlighted empathy, culturally sensitive care, and quality education.	17 - 18 Jan 2025
4	29th Management Review Meeting (MRM) of IMS of MCON and MSON, Manipal.	The 29th Management Review Meeting of the Integrated Management System of MCON, Manipal, and Manipal School of Nursing (MSON), Manipal, was held at the Conference Room, 2nd floor, MCON Manipal with the following agenda points. a) Status of actions from previous management reviews. b) Changes in external and internal issues that are relevant to Quality and Environmental management including its strategic direction. c) Information on performance, including trends and indicators for nonconformities and corrective actions, extent to which quality objectives have been met; monitoring and measurement results; audit results; customer satisfaction; issues concerning external providers and other relevant interested parties; adequacy of resources required for maintaining an effective IMS; process performance and conformity of products and services. d) Effectiveness of actions taken to address risks and	04 Feb 2025

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		opportunities. e) Needs and expectations of interested parties, including compliance obligation f) Fulfilment of its compliance obligations g) Significant environmental aspects. h) New potential opportunities for continual improvement.	
5	Orphanage home visit	The Health and Social Welfare Committee of the Student Nurses' Association (2024–2025), MCON, Manipal, MAHE, organized an Orphanage Visit to Krishnanugraha, Mamatheya Thotillu, Santhekatte, Udupi. Thirteen students and three faculty members participated, engaging children through interactive activities. Students presented songs and dances and encouraged children's participation. Grocery items were donated, and snacks and fruits were distributed. The visit concluded with gratitude to caretakers and administrators. The program fostered empathy, community engagement, and holistic development among participating nursing students.	08 Feb 2025
6	SRF Session-1 on "Writing Research Proposal"	Pillar II Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted the first session of 2025 on "Writing a Research Proposal". Dr Melita Sheilini, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, served as the resource person. She provided a comprehensive overview of research proposal writing, highlighting its benefits and key components. The session was engaging, inspiring, and well received. Twenty-two first year MSc Nursing students participated, and e-certificates were awarded. Interactive discussion enhanced understanding and encouraged early research engagement among novice scholars.	17 Feb 2025
7	Danish Students Observership Program at MCON, Manipal	Eleven students, accompanied by Professors Tanja Chræmmer and Rikke Brændgaard Sørensen from University College of Northern Denmark, visited MCON for an International Observership. They interacted with MCON leadership, explored MAHE and Kasturba Hospital facilities, and gained insights into clinical care, emergency services, and hospital operations. The group conducted health education sessions in schools, visited a special children's school, experienced local culture, yoga, and Ayurveda, and shared nursing education practices from Denmark. The visit strengthened international collaboration.	17 - 28 Feb 2025
8	Seminar on "Inspiring Actions" (as part of the International Childhood Cancer Day)	The Department of Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing, MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with the Paediatric Oncology Department, KMC Manipal, organized a seminar on International Childhood Cancer Day, themed "Inspiring Actions." Dr Vasudeva Bhat K served as Chief Guest, highlighting recent advances in paediatric cancer research and treatment. Dr Emine A	17 Feb 2025

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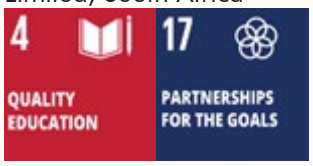
		Rahiman discussed improving childhood cancer care in low-income settings, while Ms Rechangben Imchen emphasized strengthening paediatric oncology nursing services. Sixty-five participants, including nurses, educators, faculty, scholars, and students, attended. The seminar concluded with a discussion reinforcing the importance of early detection, advanced treatment, and strong nursing support systems.	
9	CNE conducted for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa 	MCON, Manipal, conducted a Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) program for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa, on the topic "Advanced Nursing Course on Cardiovascular System" through Microsoft Teams. Dr Melita Sheilini, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, delivered the session. Twenty-five staff nurses attended the CNE program.	03 - 07 Mar 2025
10	International Women's Day Celebrations	As part of the International Women's Day celebrations, the Department of Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing, MCON, MAHE, organized multiple awareness and outreach programs. An awareness session on identifying danger signs during pregnancy was conducted for ASHA workers from Udupi and Manipal on 04 March 2025. On 08 March 2025, community women participated in sessions on women's empowerment, financial literacy, and the early detection of breast and cervical cancer, organized in collaboration with the Rotary Club of Shankarpura, JCI Shankarpura, and the Gram Panchayat of Innanje. On 10 March 2025, adolescent girls received education on adolescent health and the benefits of yoga at St Mary's High School, Udupi.	04 - 10 Mar 2025
11	Outreach Program	In collaboration with the Rotary Club of Shankarpura, JCI Shankarpura, and the Gram Panchayat of Innanje, the Department of Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing, MCON, MAHE, organized a community outreach program for women. The program focused on women's empowerment and health awareness. Sessions highlighted the importance of education, financial independence, leadership, and early detection of breast and cervical cancer. A total of 36 women participated actively and appreciated the informative discussions. The program enhanced confidence and awareness among them.	08 Mar 2025
12	Workshop on Innovative Teaching Methods for Next-Gen Learners	First year MSc Nursing students of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted a one-day workshop on "Innovative Teaching Methods for Next-Gen Learners" at Interact Hall, KMC, with 150 participants. The program aimed to enhance teaching–learning strategies for alpha-generation learners. Dr G Robert Clive inaugurated the workshop, emphasizing innovative educational approaches. Expert sessions	13 Mar 2025

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		covered emotional engagement, simulation-based learning, AI in education, flipped classrooms, self-directed and reflective learning. The event concluded with certificate distribution by Dr Tessy Treesa Jose and was well appreciated.	
13	Session on Breast Crawl and Skin-to-Skin Contact (SSC) 	A session on Breast Crawl and skin-to-skin contact (SSC) was conducted for sixth semester BSc Nursing students. Ms Arkierupia Shadap, alumna of MCON-MSc-OBG Nursing specialty Batch (2011-2013). The session highlighted the importance of immediate breastfeeding initiation, explaining breast crawl as a natural newborn instinct that promotes SSC and bonding. Physiological, psychological, and practical aspects were discussed, supported by a video demonstration. The lecture emphasized nurses' roles in promoting this cost-effective practice.	13 Mar 2025
14	Alumni Reunion MCON and MSON	MCON and MSON, MAHE, along with Sikkim MCON, organized an alumni reunion in Sikkim, India, promoting SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals. The event aimed to strengthen alumni bonds, encourage institutional engagement, and recognize achievements. Ms Champa Sharma and Dr Leena Sequira welcomed attendees and shared institutional updates. Alumni Ms Pema and Ms Sujen shared professional experiences, and mementos were distributed by Dr Elsa Sanathombi Devi. An alumni chapter for the East was inaugurated with elected office bearers. Twenty-five members attended, concluding with a vote of thanks.	21 Mar 2025
15	World Tuberculosis Day-2025 on the theme Yes! We Can End TB: Commit, Invest, and Deliver 	The Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with PHC Hirebettu, observed World Tuberculosis Day 2025. The program was inaugurated by Dr Narasimha Nayak, Medical Officer, in the presence of local panchayat leaders and faculty. Dr Nayak highlighted TB prevention and government initiatives, followed by community appreciation for MCON's outreach. MSc Nursing students presented a mime on TB awareness. Dr Soumya Christabel spoke on the theme "Yes! We Can End TB," emphasizing national TB eradication programs. A total of 45 ASHA workers, 20 Anganwadi children, their parents, and PHC staff benefitted from the program.	25 Mar 2025
16	CNE on "Enhancing Therapeutic Communication Skills for Effective Nursing Care"	A Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) program on "Enhancing Therapeutic Communication Skills for Effective Nursing Care" was conducted by second year MSc Nursing students of the Department of Psychiatric (Mental Health) Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, for staff nurses of Kasturba Hospital. Coordinated by Dr Savitha Prabhu, the session highlighted the importance of therapeutic communication, covering active listening, empathy, and overcoming barriers. Interactive activities	27 Mar 2025

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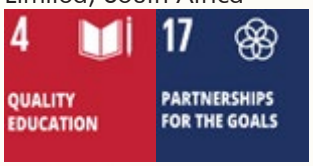
		such as role-plays and case discussions enhanced learning. The program, attended by 28 nurses.	
17	Session on "Writing a Winning Grant Proposal"	The Research Funding and Grants team, Vertical-III, IOE Pillar II – Exemplary Research and Innovation, MCON, MAHE, organized a session on "Writing a Winning Grant Proposal." Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu, Professor and Head, Department of Cell and Molecular Biology, MSLS, Manipal, shared insights on grant writing, opportunities, and strategies, emphasizing the three Ps: Proposal, Person, and Place. He discussed collaborative applications, AI tools, and ethical practices. Fifty participants attended, enhancing their research and grant skills.	27 Mar 2025
18	CNE conducted for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa 	MCON, Manipal, conducted a Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) program for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa, on the topic "Advanced Nursing Course on Central Nervous System" through Microsoft Teams. Dr Jyothi Chakrabarty, Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, delivered the session. Twenty-five staff nurses attended the CNE program.	31 Mar 2025 - 04 Apr 2025
19	World Health Day 2025 on the theme: "Healthy beginnings, hopeful futures"	The Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, observed World Health Day 2025 through weeklong activities on the theme "Healthy Beginnings, Hopeful Futures." Awareness programs for antenatal and postnatal mothers and children were conducted at hospitals in Udupi and Karkala, featuring skits, demonstrations, and health education by nursing students. A poster-making competition, a radio talk on women and childcare, and a seminar for faculty and students were also organized. Resource persons highlighted maternal and child health schemes and healthy practices. The program, attended by faculty and students.	04 - 07 Apr 2025
20	International Student Exchange Program in Stavanger, Norway	Two semester eighth BSc Nursing students from MCON, Manipal, MAHE received a valuable opportunity to participate in the Student Mobility Programme between Manipal Academy of Higher Education, India, and the University of Stavanger, Norway, as part of their internship. This exchange was funded by Erasmus Plus, a European Union initiative that supports education, training, youth, and sports while promoting international mobility and institutional collaboration. The students, Ms Sheroan D'Souza and	06 Apr 2025 - 07 Jun 2025

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		Ms Neha Sreekumar, completed a 60-day clinical posting that included one month in a homecare setting and one month in a hospital environment. The program was conducted with the collaborative support of Professor Ingrid and Professor Bodil from the University of Stavanger, along with Dr Shashidhara Y N, Professor and Head, Department of Community Health Nursing, and Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, MAHE. During the homecare rotation, one student was placed in Randaberg municipality (population 11,671) under the guidance of Nurses Hanne Hagen, Madeleine Kallevik Aske, and Anne Merethe Mæland, while the other was placed at Lura bo-og aktivitetssenter (serving 8,605 residents) under Nurse Farzana, Katarzyna Anna Kawala, and Professor Janne Gabrielle. Homecare in Norway plays a vital role in its decentralized, publicly funded healthcare system, emphasizing independence, patient-centred care, and the use of technology such as medication dispensers and mobility aids. Beyond clinical learning, the students experienced cultural exchange, built global friendships, and explored Norway's natural beauty.	
21	SRF Session-2 on "APA Guidelines"	Pillar II Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted the second session of 2025 on "APA Guidelines". The session was led by Dr Shalini Ganesh Nayak, Assistant Professor–Senior Scale, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing. She delivered a comprehensive overview of APA guidelines, covering citation styles, document formatting, tables and figures, in-text citations, and reference writing. Fifty participants attended, and e-certificates were awarded.	10 Apr 2025
22	Safe Motherhood Week on the Theme: "Equity in Maternal Healthcare: Leaving No Mother Behind."	The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecological Nursing, MCON, organized Safe Motherhood Week on the theme "Equity in Maternal Healthcare: Leaving No Mother Behind." The program promoted awareness, skill enhancement, and empowerment in maternal and neonatal care through demonstrations, lectures, and community outreach. Sessions included breastfeeding techniques, antenatal and postnatal care, women's health education for nursing professionals, Anganwadi workers, mothers, and students. Key topics covered menstrual health, nutrition, lifestyle practices, and postnatal well-being. The initiative effectively strengthened community engagement and reinforced equitable maternal healthcare, benefiting diverse groups across clinical, community, and academic settings. A total of 120 benefitted from the program.	11 - 17 Apr 2025
23	Observation of World Autism Awareness Month–2025 on the theme "Advancing Neurodiversity	The Department of Psychiatric Nursing, MCON, in collaboration with the Autism Society of Udupi and Dr A V Baliga Memorial Hospital, observed World Autism Awareness Month 2025 with two programs on the	17 - 21 Apr 2025

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	and the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)"	theme "Advancing Neurodiversity and the UN SDGs," emphasizing inclusive practices and SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being. Dr Virupaksha Devaramane, Psychiatrist, served as the resource person. The first program on 17 April 2025 engaged 105 nursing students, featuring a parent sharing her experiences. The second, on 21 April 2025 included 50 ASHA workers and community health officers, with another parent advocating inclusivity. Programs were coordinated by Dr Binil V and Mrs Flavia S Noronha.	
24	Interactive Session on "Stress Management" 	Health and Education are vital for the well-being and quality of life of older adults, promoting active aging and preventing chronic diseases. Education enables seniors to manage their health, stay engaged in society, and enhance overall well-being. As part of MAHE 2025: Year of Excellence in Industry–Academia Collaborations, the Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON Manipal, in association with the Senior Citizen Club, Santhekatte, organized an interactive session on "Stress Management". Dr Leena Sequira discussed common health problems, mental health concerns, and lifestyle modifications. Seventy senior citizens participated at Mount Rosary Church Mini Hall.	27 Apr 2025
25	Workshop on Overview of Dementia and its Management–2025 	The Department of Psychiatric Nursing, MCON, in collaboration with the Department of Psychiatry, KMC Manipal, and the Dementia Alliance of India, organized a workshop on "Overview of Dementia and its Management" at MCON Dr Prabha Adhikari and Dr C Raghuveer served as resource persons, highlighting early detection, professional roles, and diagnostic screening tools for dementia. The program benefited 85 students and faculty from nursing, psychiatry, and allied health sciences and concluded with an enriching multidisciplinary discussion.	28 Apr 2025
26	International Day of Midwife–2025 on the Theme: "Midwives: Critical in Every Crisis." 	To celebrate International Day of the Midwife 2025, MCON's OBG(N) Department organized programs under the theme "Midwives: Critical in Every Crisis." Awareness sessions for 6th-semester BSc Nursing students on 03 May, 2025, focused on managing prolonged labour and obstetric emergencies, engaging 48 participants. Outreach in-service programs at CHC Shirva on 08 May 2025 and CHC Brahmavara on 22 May 2025 trained nurses and midwives on maternal danger signs, high-risk pregnancies, and labour support techniques, benefiting 64 participants. Fun activities enhanced learning and engagement. These initiatives strengthened critical decision-making skills, improved community maternal care, and empowered female healthcare providers.	03 - 22 May 2025
27	World Hand Hygiene Day–2025 on the theme "It Might	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, organized a World Hand Hygiene Day	05 May 2025

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	Be Gloves. It's Always Hand Hygiene" 	awareness program at the Community Health Centre, Shirva, for 35 healthcare workers, including ASHAs. The program began with a role play by second semester BSc Nursing students highlighting hand hygiene. Mrs Geena Louis Dsouza, Lecturer, MCON, conducted an interactive session on the theme "It Might Be Gloves. It's Always Hand Hygiene," covering the Five Moments of Hand Hygiene, proper glove use, environmental impact, and myths. A handwashing dance reinforced learning, promoting infection.	
28	Workshop on 'Critical Care Competency' 	The Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with the Indian Society of Critical Care Medicine, Manipal Branch, organized a two-day workshop on "Critical Care Competency." The workshop focused on enhancing clinical skills through expert lectures and hands-on training in airway management, ventilatory support, trauma care, ACLS, POCUS, and diagnostic interpretation. Eminent faculty from KMC and MCON served as resource persons. The program benefited 42 nursing faculty and students.	08 - 09 May 2025
29	International Nurses' Day 2025 on the Theme: "Our Nurses. Our Future. Caring for Nurses Strengthens Economies." 	Manipal College and School of Nursing celebrated International Nurses' Day at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, Manipal, honouring Florence Nightingale's legacy. The theme, "Our Nurses. Our Future. Caring for nurses strengthens economies," guided workshops, seminars, elocution, collage, poster, and reel-making competitions. Chief Guest Major General Elizabeth John (Retd) highlighted upskilling, nurse retention, and workforce well-being. Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh emphasized nurses' societal roles. Distinguished nurses and students received awards for excellence. The event concluded with cultural performances, promoting lifelong learning.	12 May 2025
30	Clinical Internship Placement University of Stavanger, Norway Nursing Students at MCON, Manipal 	Third year BSc Nursing students (sixth semester) from the University of Stavanger, Norway, completed a five-week clinical internship at Kasturba Hospital, Manipal. They undertook collaborative clinical placements with MCON students, gaining exposure to orthopaedics, neurology, oncology, urology, postoperative wards, and the operation theatre. The program included visits to Hombelaku psychiatric rehabilitation centre and the Department of Yoga, along with participation in academic workshops and International Nurses' Day celebrations. Guided by MCON's Internationalization team and supported by UiS faculty, the internship met learning outcomes.	12 May 2025 - 13 Jun 2025
31	Audio-Visual Aids Exhibition	Second year PBBSc Nursing students of MCON organized an Audio-Visual Aids Exhibition on the	21 May 2025

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		college premises. The event was inaugurated by Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, in the presence of Dr Shashidhara Y N, HOD, Community Health Nursing, and faculty members. The exhibition showcased various non-projected and projected teaching aids highlighting their educational value. Following the evaluation, the exhibits were presented to faculty and students. The program enhanced teaching–learning practices.	
32	Continuing Nursing Education Programme on "IV line to Lifelines: Phlebitis, Interpretation of Arterial Blood Gas and Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation"	A Continuing Nursing Education program titled "IV Line to Lifelines: Phlebitis, ABG Interpretation and Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation" was organized by second-year MSc Nursing students of MCON, MAHE. Dr Suba Sooria Panchalingham inaugurated the program, emphasizing IV-line safety, compassionate care, and resuscitation skills. Dr Judith A Noronha and Dr Jyothi Chakrabarty motivated participants toward lifelong learning and professional growth. Sessions on ABG interpretation, CPR, and phlebitis included hands-on skill stations. The program benefited 36 participants.	22 May 2025
33	18th Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) meeting of MCON Manipal.	The 18th Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) meeting of MCON, Manipal through Microsoft Teams with the following agenda points. a) Review/follow up of actions from previous IQAC meeting b) Review of actions initiated based on NAAC peer team observations c) Activities planned for the year and progress d) Best practices sharing and new initiatives e) Review of academic audit outcomes (if conducted during the period) f) Suggestions for Improvement g) Any other matter with the permission of the chair	29 May 2025
34	World No Tobacco Day – 2025 on the Theme" Unmasking Appeal"	First year MSc Nursing students and faculty of the Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, in collaboration with CHC Brahmavara and NSS, SMS College, Brahmavara, observed World No Tobacco Day at St Mary's Seriyan College, Brahmavara. The awareness program, themed "Unmasking Appeal," highlighted tobacco's harmful effects and industry marketing tactics targeting youth. Dr Robert Rodrigues and Dr Mahesh Aithal addressed health risks, economic burden, and cessation support. Ms Prathibha Lydia Braggs explained causes, effects, and preventive strategies. Activities included a tobacco-free pledge, quiz, and poster display. Dr Ansuya coordinated the event.	30 May 2025
35	Academic Visit to the University of Stavanger, Norway by Faculty of MCON and Staff Nurses from Kasturba Hospital, Manipal	A delegation from the MCON and Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, visited the University of Stavanger (UiS), Norway, as part of the Erasmus+ and International Students Clinical Mentorship Training Project. The initiative was led by Professor Bodil, Professor Ingrid, and Mrs. Magdalena, International Administrative Coordinator from UiS. The visiting team included Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, MAHE; Dr Shashidhara Y N, Professor and Head, Department of	02 - 06 Jun 2025

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		Community Health Nursing and Assistant Director, Centre for Doctoral Studies, MCON; Dr Soumya Christabel, Assistant Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON; Mrs Sweety Jousline Fernandes, Assistant Professor, Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing, MCON; Mrs Neethu K Nair, Infection Control Nurse, Kasturba Hospital; and Mrs Arathi Prabhu, Assistant Nursing Superintendent, Kasturba Hospital. Key highlights of the visit included an overview of mentorship and supervision practices at UiS by Professors Bodil, Ingrid, and Janne Gabrielle. Dr Judith Noronha presented an overview of MAHE and nursing education in India, while Dr Shashidhara Y N spoke on supervision and assessment of nursing students. The delegation engaged with the Faculty of Health Sciences, visited long-term care facilities for the elderly, and toured the UiS hospital, gaining insights into the Norwegian healthcare system. A TOPP-N Clinical Mentorship Practice Workshop was conducted by Professor Andria and Dr Paula, focusing on technology-enabled mentorship and assessment. The team also interacted with MCON students undergoing clinical training in Norway, enriching their understanding of international learning experiences.	
36	Workshop on "Development of Research Tool" 	Pillar II: Exemplary Research and Innovation, PhD vertical, MCON, MAHE, organized a one-day hybrid workshop on "Development of Research Tool" at the Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care Centre. Eighty participants, including onsite and online attendees, enhanced their skills in conceptualizing, designing, validating, and testing research tools. Sessions covered data collection tools, questionnaire design, item analysis, validity, reliability, and factor analysis, with practical demonstrations. The workshop, coordinated by Dr Binu Margaret and PhD scholars, received positive feedback. it promoted research excellence, capacity building, and evidence-based practice among scholars and faculty.	06 Jun 2025
37	Session on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) 	The Departments of Psychiatric Nursing and Child Health Nursing, MCON, in collaboration with the Autism Society of Udupi and Ishanya India Foundation, Bengaluru, organized an awareness session for nursing students of MCON. The session aimed to enhance understanding of childhood developmental disorders and promote inclusive practices among healthcare professionals. Mr Anoop Simha, Program Director, Ishanya India Foundation, served as the resource person and highlighted timely, individualized interventions and community outreach initiatives. The program was attended by 45 students and 10 faculty members.	06 Jun 2025

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38	Global Exposure for Future Nursing Leaders!-200th International Council of Nurses (ICN) Congress Student Assembly held in Helsinki, Finland. 	MAHE, Manipal, generously sponsored two students, Mr Farhan and Mr Arnold Mokshit Ammanna, from MCON, MAHE, to attend the prestigious 200th International Council of Nurses (ICN) Congress Student Assembly held in Helsinki, Finland. As budding nursing professionals, this opportunity was a remarkable milestone in their academic journey. The conference featured keynote addresses, panel discussions, and presentations on critical global nursing issues, including financial stress, burnout, limited resources, and LGBTQ and linguistic barriers. It provided a platform for students to engage with peers and professionals from around the world, fostering a deeper understanding of the global nursing landscape. A highlight of the event was the interaction with esteemed leaders such as Dr Pamela F Cipriano, President of ICN, and Dr T Dileep Kumar, President of the Indian Nursing Council, along with other international delegates who shared insights into country-specific challenges and innovations in nursing. Mr Farhan and Mr Arnold expressed their heartfelt gratitude to the MAHE administration and MCON for their generous sponsorship. They acknowledged that this invaluable exposure not only broadened their perspectives but also inspired them to contribute meaningfully to the nursing profession. This initiative by MAHE stands as a testament to its commitment to nurturing global citizens and empowering students through transformative learning experiences.	08 Jun 2025
39	SRF Session-3 on "IEC Approval Process" 	Pillar II Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted the third session of 2025 on "IEC Approval Process". The session was led by Dr Binil V, Additional Professor and Head, Department of Mental Health Nursing. The session aimed to enhance research literacy and ethical competence. Dr Binil explained research ethics, IEC application procedures, required documents, and demonstrated the IEC website for online submissions. Thirty-eight participants attended, and e-certificates were awarded.	19 Jun 2025
40	International Yoga Day 2025 on the Theme: Yoga for One Earth, One Health 	As part of International Yoga Day 2025, the Department of Medical-Surgical Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized a yoga awareness session at Bharathi Higher Primary School, Kunthalanagara, Udupi District. Mrs Poovitha Shruthi Paramashiva, Assistant Professor, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, was the resource person. Students of 6th and 7th standards were introduced to yoga postures, meditation, and the health benefits of yoga. The session engaged 40 participants, including teachers, and emphasized physical and mental well-being. The program	20 Jun 2025

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		concluded with snack distribution and was well appreciated.	
41	SRF Session-4 on "Preparing a Scientific Presentation (Oral & Poster)"	Pillar II Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted an online session on "Preparing a Scientific Presentation (Oral and Poster)." The session was led by Dr Sushmitha Karkada, Associate Professor. She provided a detailed overview of creating and delivering effective oral and poster presentations, covering structure, visual clarity, communication strategies, and presentation techniques. Twenty-nine participants attended, the session enhanced research competencies among students, scholars, and faculty. E-certificates were awarded upon feedback submission.	25 Jun 2025
42	Webinar on "Quantitative Nursing Research"	A two-day webinar on "Quantitative Nursing Research" via Microsoft Teams, organized by first-year NPCC students in collaboration with Pillar II (IOE): Exemplary Research and Innovation, MCON, MAHE. Eleven sessions covered topics including research process, conceptual frameworks, quantitative designs, literature search, data collection, validity, reliability, sampling, ethics, sample size estimation, data analysis, and publication. Thirty-five participants from across India attended. The sessions were led by MCON faculty and moderated by NPCC students. Coordinated by Dr Melita Sheilini and Ms Shobha Kamath under Dr Tessy Treesa Jose's guidance, the webinar enhanced research competencies.	26 - 27 Jun 2025
43	Pre-Conference workshop on "Mixed Methods Research (MMR)"	MCON, MAHE, Manipal organized a pre-conference workshop on "Mixed Methods Research (MMR)" as part of the Manipal International Conference on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Health. The workshop featured sessions by Dr Judith A Noronha, Dr Preethy D'Souza, and Dr Mahalakshmy T, covering MMR concepts, designs, integration strategies, and joint displays, including hands-on activities. Forty-one national and international delegates participated. The sessions were interactive and well received. Certificates were awarded to participants.	07 Jul 2025
44	Oration Lecture Series – 2025 (As part of the two-day Manipal International Conference on "Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) in Health: Envisioning a Future of Global Collaboration for Education, Research and Practice,'	MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized an Alumni Oration in memory of Dr (Late) Aparna Bhaduri during the Manipal International Conference on "Equity, Diversity and Inclusion in Health." Dr Anice George, alumna and former Dean of MCON, delivered the oration on "Promoting Inclusion and Diversity in Healthcare Education, Research and Practice," moderated by Dr Vishnu Renjith. She emphasized that diversity and inclusion enhance patient care, foster innovation, support equitable workforce practices, and strengthen research quality. Strategies to address bias, cultural misunderstandings, and language barriers were	08 Jul 2025

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		discussed, promoting a proactive approach to inclusive healthcare. This aligns with SDG 3: Good Health and Well-Being, SDG 4: Quality Education, SDG 5: Gender Equality, SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities and SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals.	
45	Alumni Reunion–2025	The Annual Alumni Reunion of MCON, Manipal, beginning with a welcome address by Dr Tessy Treesa Jose, Associate Dean. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, highlighted alumni as ambassadors contributing to the college's global reputation. Chief Guest Dr Vishnu Renjith shared his inspiring professional journey, crediting MCON's mentorship. Guests of Honour Dr Blessy Prabha Valsaraj and Dr Rohit Singh reflected on alumni values and memories. Dr Anice George was felicitated for her mentorship. The event, attended by 145 alumni from countries including Australia, Muscat, and Ireland, concluded with cultural performances.	08 Jul 2025
46	International conference on the theme "Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in Health: Envisioning the Future of Global Collaboration in Education, Research, and Practice"	The inaugural ceremony of an international conference on the theme "Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in Health: Envisioning the Future of Global Collaboration in Education, Research, and Practice" was held at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC Manipal. The conference is jointly organized by the MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with the University of New Brunswick (UNB), Canada. The Chief Guest, Vice-Chancellor of MAHE, Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, formally inaugurated the conference and emphasized the importance of multidisciplinary collaboration in addressing challenges within healthcare systems. He recalled the visionary contributions of Dr TMA Pai in making quality education affordable and accessible, and appreciated MAHE's continued commitment to equity and inclusion in alignment with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. He also commended the long-standing partnership between MCON and UNB. The Co-organizing Chair and Dean of the Faculty of Nursing, UNB, Dr Lorna Butler, highlighted the need for culturally responsive and inclusive health systems and a global perspective in nursing education. Conference Coordinator Dr Linu Sara George outlined the objectives, focusing on global collaboration in inclusive health education, practice,	08 - 09 Jul 2025

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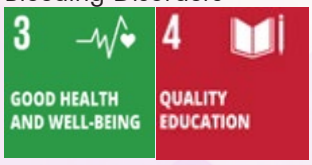
		and research and has attracted over 230 delegates from India and abroad.	
47	Oration Lecture Series – 2025 (As part of the two-day Manipal International Conference on "Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) in Health: Envisioning a Future of Global Collaboration for Education, Research and Practice.'	MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized an Alumni Oration in memory of Professor P P Bhanumathi during the Manipal International Conference on "Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in Health." Dr Saibala Madathil, Nursing Director, Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi, delivered the oration on "Inclusive Leadership in Health Care," moderated by Dr Suja Karkada, MCON alumna. She discussed equality, equity, inclusion, and diversity, highlighting leadership's role in influencing change, self-awareness, and promoting values. Real-life examples illustrated strategies to reduce disparities and foster inclusive practices.	09 Jul 2025
48	An Indo-UK virtual session on Dementia Care	An Indo-UK virtual session on dementia care for healthcare professionals. Dr Toni Bewley, Edge Hill University, UK, spoke on building compassionate global partnerships, while Dr Elsa Sanatombi, President of the National Gerontological Association of India, highlighted honouring cultural values in care. Dr Judith A. Noronha, Dean, MCON, emphasized delivering dignified, personalized elderly care. Thirty-four faculty and students from India participated. Co-conveners Dr Anil Raj and Mr Agin Jiju coordinated the session, promoting collaborative research in elder care. The event, hosted by MCON Pillar 3 and the National Gerontological Association.	12 Jul 2025
49	Awareness Program on Bleeding Disorders 	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, in collaboration with the Haemophilia Society Manipal Chapter and Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, organized an academia–industry collaborative awareness program on "Bleeding Disorders" for adolescent girls at Government Pre-University College, Bailur. The program began with a welcome by Mrs Josna, followed by an introduction of the resource team by Mr Nagaraj, Mrs Geena Louis D'Souza introduced the topic, and Dr Sulochana B, led the main session covering haemostasis, causes, signs, symptoms, and abnormal bleeding. The program educated 200 girls.	21 Jul 2025
50	Faculty Development Program 2025	The CNE Committee of MCON, MAHE, organized a two-day Faculty Development Program. The program	25 - 26 Jul 2025

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		focused on communication, clinical preceptorship, artificial intelligence in education, advanced statistics using Jamovi, reflective journaling, and learning management systems. Eminent resource persons shared practical insights through interactive and hands-on sessions. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, delivered the concluding remarks, motivating faculty for the new academic year. The FDP enhanced teaching, research, and professional competencies of participants. A total of 69 faculty members attended.	
51	Freshers' Orientation Program-2025 	The orientation program for 36th batch of BSc and 31st batch of PBBSc Nursing students was held at Dr TMA Pai Hall, MCON. The program began with an invocation, followed by a welcome address by Mrs Geena Louis Dsouza. Chief Guest Lt Gen Dr M D Venkatesh highlighted global learning opportunities, while Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, shared the college's vision, dual degree program, and research initiatives. Hostel rules were explained by Colonel Manjunath Pai, and Dr Geetha Maiyya introduced student support systems. Dr Suba Sooria oriented students to hospital services, and faculty introductions concluded the event.	01 Aug 2025
52	World Breastfeeding Week 2025 on the Theme "Prioritise Breastfeeding: Create Sustainable Support Systems" 	The Department of Child Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, celebrated World Breastfeeding Week 2025 from 01 to 07 August under the theme "Prioritise Breastfeeding: Create Sustainable Support Systems." Programs included a staff session for 17 nurses, an awareness program for 20 postnatal mothers and caregivers, and seminars for 209 nursing students, focusing on breastfeeding benefits, techniques, early initiation, and support systems. Participants engaged actively, clarified doubts, and gained confidence in promoting breastfeeding. The initiatives fostered skills, awareness, and commitment, benefiting 246 individuals overall, Dr Mamatha S Pai and Dr Binu Margaret coordinated the events.	01- 07 Aug 2025
53	Awareness session on substance abuse 	An awareness session on substance abuse was held for first semester BSc nursing students. The session aimed to educate students about the increasing concerns of substance abuse and its impact on individuals, families, and the community. Dr Savitha Prabhu, an expert from the Department of Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing, served as the resource. A total of 150 students attended the session.	02 Aug 2025
54	Observation of Anti-ragging Week 	As per UGC directives, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, observed Anti-Ragging Week from 12 to 18 August 2025 to promote a safe, ragging-free campus. Orientation sessions for newly admitted BSc and MSc Nursing students were conducted on 04 August and 02 September 2025, highlighting anti-ragging policies and support systems. The Anti-Ragging Squad	04 Aug 2025 - 02 Sep 2025

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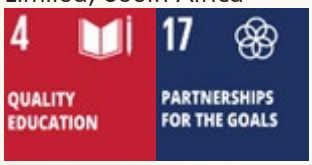
		conducted surprise hostel visits, ensured submission of anti-ragging affidavits, and displayed awareness posters. Creative activities such as essay, slogan, logo, and poster competitions were organized. Students also attended a MAHE seminar on anti-ragging. Coordination was led by Dr Melita Sheilini.	
55	CNE conducted for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa 	MCON, Manipal, conducted a CNE program for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa, on the topic "Advanced Nursing Course on Cardiovascular System" through Microsoft Teams. Dr Melita Sheilini, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, delivered the session. Twenty-five staff nurses attended the CNE program.	11 - 15 Aug 2025
56	International Youth Day and the launch of Viksit Bharat Yuva Connect Program (VBYCP) "Do influencer cultures distort young people's values,"	In view of International Youth Day and the launch of the Viksit Bharat Yuva Connect Program (VBYCP), the Health and Social Welfare Committee of SNA 2025, MCON, MAHE, organized a debate competition. Sixteen undergraduate students participated, discussing the topic "Do influencer cultures distort young people's values?" The debate highlighted both positive and negative impacts of social media on youth, including mental health concerns. Judges appreciated the participants' insights and critical thinking. The program concluded with a vote of thanks and was coordinated by student representatives under faculty guidance.	12 Aug 2025
57	Sessions on Effects of Substance Abuse (As part of Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan)	As part of Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan, an awareness talk about the ill effects of substance use was conducted among the first year BSc Nursing students. All the students took the pledge at the end of the session. The programme was coordinated by Dr Binil V and Dr Savitha Prabhu. A total of 156 students attended the awareness campaign.	13 Aug 2025
58	30th Management Review Meeting (MRM) of IMS of MCON and MSON, Manipal	The 30th Management Review Meeting of the Integrated Management System of MCON, Manipal and MSON, Manipal held at the Conference Room, 2nd floor, MCON Manipal with the following agenda points. a) Status of actions from previous management reviews. b) Changes in external and internal issues that are relevant to Quality and Environmental Management including its strategic direction. c) Information on performance, including trends and	13 Aug 2025

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		indicators for nonconformities and corrective actions, extent to which quality objectives have been met; monitoring and measurement results; audit results; customer satisfaction; issues concerning external providers and other relevant interested parties; adequacy of resources required for maintaining an effective IMS; process performance and conformity of products and services. d) Effectiveness of actions taken to address risks and opportunities. e) Needs and expectations of interested parties, including compliance obligation f) Fulfilment of its compliance obligations g) Significant environmental aspects. h) New potential opportunities for continual improvement.	
59	SRF Session-5 on "Writing a Manuscript for Publication"	Pillar II Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted a session on "Writing a Manuscript for Publication." The session was led by Dr Mamatha S Pai, Professor, Department of Child Health Nursing. She guided participants on selecting suitable journals, the manuscript submission process, and provided a hands-on demonstration of manuscript preparation. Forty-three participants, including undergraduates, postgraduates, and PhD scholars, attended the session on enhanced research competencies. E-certificates were awarded to all participants.	19 Aug 2025
60	Outreach Program on "First Aid"	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, conducted a CSR outreach program on "First Aid" at Government Higher Primary School, Mudradi, Hebri Taluk. The session was attended by 84 students from 5th to 7th standards. Dr Radhika R Pai led the program, and Ms Kusumavathi explained first aid for drowning, wounds, bleeding, fractures, snake bites, burns, and nasal bleeding. Hands-on demonstrations of bandaging techniques enhanced practical learning.	23 Aug 2025
61	Health Education Sessions on Post-Mastectomy Exercises and Radiation Safety	The Health Education Committee of Student Nurses' Association 2025–26 MCON, Manipal, MAHE, organized individual health education sessions on Post-Mastectomy Exercises and Radiation Safety in the Oncology Wards of Kasturba Hospital. The sessions were conducted using flashcards and flip charts under the supervision of Dr Savitha Prabhu and Mrs Janet Prameela D'Souza, MCON. Twelve participants, including family members, attended. Five BSc Nursing students actively delivered the sessions. Feedback received was positive and encouraging.	26 - 30 Aug 2025
62	Orientation to MSc Nursing and NPCC 2025 batch	The orientation program for the 32nd MSc Nursing and 9th Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care batches held at MCON, MAHE, Manipal. Day 1 included introductions, campus and hostel orientation, nursing services overview, student support, recreational facilities, fire safety, and safety precautions. Day 2 covered ISO	01 - 02 Sep 2025

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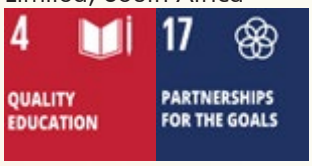
		9001:2015 and 14001:2015, mentor-mentee guidance, academic registration, anti-ragging procedures, hospital layout, LPG safety, examination processes, and library orientation. Faculty and administrative staff guided students and parents throughout. The two-day program familiarized students with academic, clinical, and campus resources, promoting professional preparedness.	
63	CNE conducted for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa 	MCON, Manipal, conducted a CNE program for Lenmed Nursing College Proprietary Limited, South Africa, on the topic "Advanced Nursing Course on Central Nervous System" through Microsoft Teams. Dr Jyothi Chakrabarty, Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, delivered the session. Twenty-five staff nurses attended the CNE program.	08 - 12 Sep 2025
64	World Suicide Prevention Day Theme "Changing the Narrative on Suicide."	The Department of Psychiatric Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, observed World Suicide Prevention Day under the theme "Changing the Narrative on Suicide." Activities included an oath-taking campaign with hundreds pledging commitment to suicide prevention, an interactive "Mental Health First Aid" session at Indira Shiva Rao Polytechnic by Dr Anil Kumar M N, and a radio talk and drama on All India Radio to reach the wider community. Participants gained skills to identify psychological distress, offer support, and reduce stigma. Coordinated by Mrs Pratibha Braggs and Mr Renjulal Yesodharan, the initiative engaged students, faculty, and the public, promoting hope, dialogue, and proactive mental healthcare.	10 Sep 2025
65	National Nutrition Week-2025 on the Theme: "Eat Right for A Better Life"	Fifth semester BSc Nursing students and the Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, in association with NSS, observed National Nutrition Week-2025 at AHPS, Indira Nagar, Kukkikatte, under the theme "Eat Right for A Better Life. The program included a welcome dance, speeches, a PowerPoint on essential nutrients, a skit with action songs, nutrition riddles, and growth monitoring of 153 children, revealing 42 per cent with low weight. Nutritious snacks were distributed, and key messages on balanced diets and healthy eating were shared. The program was well-received, coordinated by Mrs Manjula, Assistant Professor, MCON.	11 Sep 2025
66	Awareness Programme on First Aid and Climate Change Hazards	The Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the NSS Unit of MCON and fifth semester BSc Nursing students, organized an awareness program at Government Higher Primary School, Athradi. The program focused on first aid measures and climate change awareness through role	11 Sep 2025

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		plays, demonstrations, and audiovisual aids. A CPR demonstration and interactive sessions enhanced students' understanding of emergency care. Climate change concepts were explained using presentations and videos. A quiz competition concluded the event. Sixty-one students and four teachers participated actively. The program improved health literacy, emergency preparedness, and environmental responsibility.	
67	Health Awareness Programme on Non-Communicable Diseases	The seventh semester BSc Nursing students and the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the NSS unit, organized health awareness programs on Non-Communicable Diseases at PHC Pernankila on 13 and 16 September 2025. The sessions focused on diabetes, hypertension, and cancer, highlighting causes, risk factors, prevention, and management. Health education was delivered through talks, posters, videos, pamphlets, and home visits in Kannada and Tulu. Lifestyle modifications and early screening were emphasized. Fifty-five participants attended and actively engaged. The program enhanced community awareness, promoted healthy behaviours, provided students with practical experience.	13 - 16 Sep 2025
68	SRF Session-6 on "CTRI Registration Process"	Pillar II: Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized the sixth session of 2025 on the "CTRI Registration Process". The session was led by Ms Rashal Rashmi Martis, PhD Scholar, Department of Child Health Nursing. She provided a detailed explanation of the CTRI registration process and demonstrated it with a practical example. Nineteen second-year MSc Nursing students attended, and the session was well-received. E-certificates were awarded to all participants.	13 Sep 2025
69	Mega Medical Camp	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON Manipal, in collaboration with the Lions Club of Moodubelle, KMC Manipal, and PHC Pernankila, organized a Mega Medical Camp at Lions Seva Bhavana, Moodubelle. The camp aimed to provide quality healthcare and promote preventive health awareness. Services included general check-ups, ECG, eye screening, cancer detection, gynaecological screening, and laboratory tests. A large number of beneficiaries availed the services, including referrals for cataract surgery. The program received an overwhelming community response and emphasized the importance of regular health check-ups.	14 Sep 2025
70	World Alzheimer's Month 2025: Awareness Session on "Brain Health for Senior Citizens"	The Centre for Elderly Care Education and Research, a collaboration between MCON and Manipal College of Health Professions, organized a World Alzheimer's Month awareness session on "Brain Health for Senior	17 Sep 2025

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		Citizens" at IMA Bhavan, Udupi, coinciding with Dr Ramdas Pai's 90th birthday. Coordinated with KMC Psychiatry, PSPH, Dementia India Alliance, and local organizations, the program featured expert talks on preventing cognitive decline, Alzheimer's risk factors, healthy aging, lifestyle modifications, and available support systems. Cognitive screening was conducted for 55 participants. The initiative promoted SDG 3: Good Health and Well-Being and SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities, empowering the elderly and their families.	
71	Health Awareness Program on Non-Communicable Diseases	The seventh semester BSc Nursing students and the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the NSS unit, MCON, organized a health awareness programme on Non-Communicable Diseases at the Urban Primary Health Centre, Manipal. The program focused on diabetes, hypertension, and cancer, highlighting causes, prevention, and self-care practices. Health education was provided through talks, posters, videos, pamphlets, and home visits in Kannada and Tulu. Lifestyle modification and early screening were emphasized. Forty-five participants actively engaged in the sessions. The program enhanced community awareness, encouraged healthy behaviours, provided practical learning for students.	18 Sep 2025
72	Health Awareness Program on Non-Communicable Diseases	The seventh semester BSc Nursing students and the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the NSS unit, MCON, organized a health awareness program on Non-Communicable Diseases at PHC Hirebettu. The program focused on diabetes, hypertension, and cancer, emphasizing causes, risk factors, prevention, and self-care. Health education was delivered through talks, posters, videos, pamphlets, and home visits in Kannada and Tulu. Lifestyle modification and early screening were highlighted. Thirty community members participated actively. The program enhanced community knowledge, promoted healthy behaviours, and provided students with practical learning experiences.	18 Sep 2025
73	Health Awareness Program on Non-Communicable Diseases	The seventh semester BSc Nursing students and the Department of Community Health Nursing, in collaboration with the NSS unit, MCON, organized a health awareness program on Non-Communicable Diseases at Community Health Centre Kota. The program focused on diabetes, hypertension, and cancer, highlighting causes, risk factors, prevention, and self-care. Health education was provided through talks, posters, videos, pamphlets, and home visits in Kannada and Tulu. Forty participants attended and actively engaged. The sessions emphasized lifestyle modification, early screening, and healthy habits. The program enhanced community awareness, promoted	19 Sep 2025

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		positive behaviours, offered practical learning for students.	
74	Awareness program on Gynaecological Cancers (As part of International Gynaecological Awareness Day 2025) 	The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecological Nursing, MCON, Manipal, MAHE, conducted an awareness program Gynaecological Cancers as part of International Gynaecological Awareness Day 2025 at Anganwadi Kendra, Adarsha Nagara, Manipal, benefiting 13 participants.	19 Sep 2025
75	World Alzheimer's Day – 2025 on the Theme: "Ask about Dementia. Ask about Alzheimer's 	The Department of Psychiatric Nursing, MCON, observed World Alzheimer's Day 2025 under the theme "Ask about Dementia. Ask about Alzheimer's" through two community activities. On 21 September 2025 an awareness session for 100 participants was held at Rosarian Senior Citizen Club, Santhekatte, in collaboration with Lions Clubs, where Dr Savitha Prabhu discussed causes, risk factors, and early detection of dementia. On 24 September 2025 a screening camp for 60 senior citizens was organized with Rotary Club, Karkala, KMC Psychiatry, and Dementia Alliance of India, followed by an awareness talk by Dr Abhiram P N.	21 - 24 Sep 2025
76	Session on Carrer Opportunities in Germany 	Dr Manjula Mundakana, Senior Advisor for Science, Technology, and Political Affairs at the German Consulate, Bengaluru, conducted a session on career opportunities in Germany for final year BSc, PBBSc, and MSc Nursing students. The session was held at the Lecture Hall, Basic Science Building, MAHE, Manipal, and attended by 150 students.	23 Sep 2025
77	World Mental Health Day 2025 on the Theme: "Access to Services—Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies 	The Department of Psychiatric Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, observed World Mental Health Day 2025 under the theme "Access to Services—Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies" through multiple activities. On 30 September 2025 Rangoli and Ring Toss competitions engaged Hombelaku residents. On 10 October 2025, 18 inmates and caregivers at Kasturba Hospital participated in games and awareness sessions on accessing mental health services during crises. On 15 October 2025 a workshop on disaster preparedness and self-management for 63 NSS volunteers was conducted with interactive sessions and discussions. It enhances awareness, preparedness, and mental health support in emergencies.	30 Sep 2025 - 15 Oct 2025

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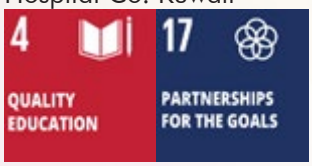
78	Flashmob event on AIDS Awareness 	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with the District AIDS Prevention Society, organized a public AIDS awareness program under a CSR initiative. Third semester BSc Nursing students conducted flash mobs and role plays at Udupi Bus Stand, Indrali Railway Station, and Canara Mall, engaging the public on HIV/AIDS transmission, prevention, and reducing stigma. Ten students actively participated, creatively promoting safe practices and social acceptance. Coordinated by Dr Radhika R Pai with DAPU and Kasturba Hospital representatives, the initiative received positive public feedback.	04 Oct 2025
79	Interactive Session Mental Well-Being 	As a part of World Mental Health Day, the Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with the Lions Club of Moodubelle, organised an interactive session on Mental Well-Being. at St Lawrence English Medium School for 8th and 9th standard students. A total of 92 students attended the interactive session.	10 Oct 2025
80	School Health Awareness Program on “Adolescent Health” 	The Department of Community Health Nursing and second PBBSc Nursing students, MCON, MAHE, organized a school health awareness program on “Adolescent Health” at St Lawrence English Medium School, Moodubelle. The event included skits on body safety and substance abuse, a dedicated session on menstrual hygiene with a PowerPoint presentation, Q&A, and an exercise segment. A quiz concluded the program, with prizes awarded to winners. A total of 232 students and four teachers participated actively. The initiative enhanced adolescent health awareness, promoted self-responsibility, and fostered health literacy.	11 Oct 2025
81	CNE conducted for Al Salam Hospital Co. Kuwait 	MCON, Manipal, conducted a CNE program for Al Salam Hospital Co., Kuwait, on the topic “Advanced Adult Emergency Nursing Course.” Dr Daisy Josphine Lobo, Associate Professor, and Mr Raghavendra Nayak, Lecturer, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, delivered the sessions. Twenty-two staff nurses attended the CNE program.	19 - 28 Oct 2025
82	Lamp Lighting Ceremony 2025–2026 	The Lamp Lighting Ceremony for the 36th BSc Nursing batch at MCON, MAHE, marks students’ formal entry into the nursing profession. The event, attended by dignitaries, faculty, parents, and students, included a soulful invocation, lamp lighting, and floral tribute to Florence Nightingale. Chief Guest Dr Seema Rajesh Rao highlighted nurses’ pivotal role in healthcare, emphasizing compassion, integrity, and professionalism. The oath-taking, guided by Dr Judith A Noronha and faculty, reinforced ethical practice. The ceremony concluded with a vote of thanks.	22 Oct 2025

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83	Session on "Effective Communication Strategies and Conflict Resolution"	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, organised an online session on "Effective Communication Strategies and Conflict Resolution" for operating room staff nurses. Dr Toni Bewley, Honorary Lecturer, University of Liverpool, and Adjunct Faculty, MCON, was the resource person. She highlighted managing conflicts, understanding group dynamics, and effective communication in high-pressure OR settings. The interactive session emphasised teamwork and improved patient care outcomes. Twenty operating room staff nurses from Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru, participated actively.	24 Oct 2025
84	MCON Research and Innovation Day 2025	MCON Research and Innovation Day 2025 was organised by the Institute of Eminence (IOE), Pillar II team of MCON, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Raviraja N S, Senior Director Research, Directorate of Research, Professor and Head, Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutics Research, Dr TMA Pai Endowment Chair in Stem Cell Research and Therapeutics, MAHE, as the Chief Guest, highlighted the importance of research and innovation in shaping MAHE's legacy. The program featured sessions on CSR funding, grant writing, and scientific publishing by eminent experts. Innovative idea and research poster competitions showcased student research excellence. A research quiz for postgraduates and PhD scholars added academic engagement. The event successfully fostered a culture of inquiry, innovation, and scholarly collaboration among participants.	25 Oct 2025
85	Session on Cyber Security (In view of National Cyber Security Awareness month (NSSAM)	In view of National Cyber Security Awareness Month, the Health and Social Welfare Committee of the Students Nurses' Association (SNA) 2025-26, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized an awareness program for third semester BSc Nursing students at Lecture Hall 2, Basic Science Building. Mr Nilesh, Police Constable from the Cyber Crime Police Station, Udupi, served as the resource person. The session addressed safe social media use, digital identity protection, and cyber threats. A total of 156 students participated actively.	30 Oct 2025
86	Awareness Program on Road Safety	The Health and Social Welfare Committee of the SNA 2025-26, MCON Manipal, MAHE, conducted a Road Safety Awareness Program for third semester BSc Nursing students on at Lecture Hall 2, Basic Science Building. Mr Nilesh, Police Constable from the Cyber Crime Police Station, Udupi, served as the resource person. The session emphasized safe road practices, avoiding distractions, obeying traffic rules, helmet use, and pedestrian safety. A total of 156 students participated actively. The program concluded with a vote of thanks.	30 Oct 2025
87	Blood Donation Drive – 2025	The Health and Social Welfare Committee of the SNA 2025-26, MCON Manipal, MAHE, organized a blood	31 Oct 2025

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		donation drive at the Blood Centre, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal. A total of 100 students and five faculty members volunteered to donate blood, of whom 63 successfully donated following screening. The event was coordinated by Ms Rosmi Ann Reji, Ms Marita D'Souza, and Ms Kesia Shaji Thomas, seventh semester BSc Nursing students, under the guidance of Mrs Janet Alva and Dr Shalini G. Nayak. The initiative promoted voluntary blood donation.	
88	School Health Awareness Program on Mobile Addiction, Personal Hygiene, Good and Bad Habits	The Department of Community Health Nursing and seventh semester BSc Nursing students, MCON, MAHE, organized a School Health Awareness Program on "Mobile Addiction, Personal Hygiene, and Good Habits" at Karnataka Public School, Varambali Brahmavara. The event included a skit on mobile addiction, a handwashing demonstration, interactive activities, and a quiz competition. A total of 225 students and four teachers participated actively, engaging in all sessions. The program enhanced students' awareness of mobile addiction, personal hygiene, and healthy habits.	06 Nov 2025
89	School Health Program on Nutrition Awareness titled "Healthy Plate, Healthy Future"	The Department of Community Health Nursing and seventh semester BSc Nursing students, MCON, MAHE, organized a School Health Program on Nutrition Awareness titled "Healthy Plate, Healthy Future" at Karnataka Public School, Hiriyadka. The event included skits, dance on hand hygiene, poster displays, and video presentations highlighting the importance of nutrition, personal hygiene, and healthy dietary habits. Students also participated in a quiz competition with prizes for winners. A total of 212 participants, including 202 students and 10 teachers, attended.	07 Nov 2025
90	School Health Program on "Adolescent Health Problems"	The Department of Community Health Nursing and second year MSc Nursing students, MCON, in collaboration with NSS and PHC Manipura, conducted a school health awareness program on "Adolescent Health Problems" at U S Nayak High School, Patla. The program included interactive sessions on common adolescent health issues, substance abuse prevention, and menstrual hygiene for 59 girls. Approximately 101 students and seven teachers participated actively. Prizes were distributed to participants, and a vote of thanks concluded the event.	07 Nov 2025
91	Session on "Top Tips for Student Nurses"	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, organized a session titled "Top Tips for Student Nurses" through Microsoft Teams as part of the Student Collaboration Activity Series. Dr Tony Bewley, Adjunct Faculty at MCON, introduced the speakers and session objectives. Ms Karen Rowan Chalmers and Ms Gemma Lightfoot shared insights on nursing employment challenges in the UK. MSc students Krishna S Kumar and Tathagatha Konar reflected on their clinical	13 Nov 2025

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		experience in Canada and challenges faced in India. The session, moderated by Ms Nithin Vinod, engaged 34 participants.	
92	Mass singing of Vande Mataram	In accordance with UGC guidelines, MCON organized a mass singing of the national song "Vande Mataram" to commemorate its 150th anniversary. The event aimed to foster patriotism and unity among students and faculty. Mrs Shobha, SNA Advisor, delivered a brief address highlighting the historical significance of "Vande Mataram" in India's freedom struggle and its role in promoting national integration. A total of 132 students participated enthusiastically. Mrs Shobha appreciated the active involvement and encouraged students to uphold unity and cultural values. The program created a strong sense of pride and patriotism among participants.	13 Nov 2025
93	Children's Day activities	Students and faculty from the Department of Child Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, celebrated Children's Day at Access Life Centre for Supporting Cancer Bravehearts on 13 November 2025, and Spandana Vocational and Rehabilitation Centre, Uppoor, on 20 November 2025. Fifth semester BSc Nursing and second year MSc(N) students organized entertainment activities and fun games for the residents. At Spandana, 55 members actively participated, creating an engaging and lively atmosphere. Participant feedback reflected enjoyment and appreciation of the program. This initiative promoted health, well-being, and inclusivity, being and fostering community engagement, empathy, and social responsibility among nursing students and faculty.	13 - 20 Nov 2025
94	Newborn Week and World Prematurity Day Celebrations on the theme "Give Preterm Babies a Strong Start for a Brighter Future"	The Department of Child Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, in collaboration with KMC Neonatology, observed Newborn Week 2025 under the theme "Give Preterm Babies a Strong Start for a Brighter Future" to promote newborn care awareness among parents, caregivers, students, and healthcare professionals. Activities included a poster-making competition with 38 participants, interactive Q&A sessions for 46 students and staff nurses, and a newborn care workshop demonstrating Kangaroo Mother Care, ANTT, and feeding techniques. The event fostered learning, creativity, and skill development in essential newborn care, coordinated by Dr Sheela Shetty and Dr Binu Margaret, under Dr Baby S Nayak's supervision.	14 Nov 2025
95	Workshop on "Scoping Review"	The Research Pillar II–UG–PG Vertical of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organised a two-day workshop on "Scoping Review" for postgraduate students. The workshop aimed to strengthen skills in evidence synthesis and scoping review methodology. Sessions covered review types, question formulation, protocol	14 - 15 Nov 2025

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		development, literature searching, search strategy design, deduplication, data extraction, synthesis, and reporting using PRISMA-ScR guidelines. Eminent faculty and research experts served as resource persons, offering practical demonstrations and hands-on training. Thirty-five PG students participated and found the workshop systematic, informative, and highly beneficial.	
96	Slum Visit	The Health and Social Welfare and Health Education Committee of the SNA 2025–26, MCON, MAHE, organized a slum visit to Indrali Slum, Udupi. Students provided health education on malaria, dengue, and rabies, conducted games, and encouraged children to showcase their talents. Prizes, gifts, and clothes were distributed to the residents. A total of 80 inhabitants participated actively. The program involved 18 students and three faculty members.	17 Nov 2025
97	World Diabetes Day 2025 Celebration on the theme "Diabetes and Well-being–Diabetes Across Life Stages."	The Department of Medical-Surgical Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, in collaboration with Rotary Club, Manipura, celebrated World Diabetes Day 2025 under the theme "Diabetes and Well-being–Diabetes Across Life Stages" at Rotary Bhavana, Udupi. Forty-two participants underwent health screenings for height, weight, blood pressure, and blood sugar. MSc Nursing students provided education on diabetes causes, risk factors, complications, prevention, healthy diet, physical activity, and medication adherence. The program promoted awareness, early detection, and lifestyle modification. Coordinated by Mrs Janet Prameela Dsouza under Dr Jyothi Chakrabarty's guidance.	17 Nov 2025
98	Curriculum Conclave 2025 on "Revisiting the Baccalaureate Nursing Curriculum"	MCON, MAHE, organized the 11th Curriculum Conclave on "Revisiting the Baccalaureate Nursing". A total of 75 stakeholders, including academicians, industry partners, alumni, and parents, participated in group discussions on curriculum content, teaching methods, assessments, and implementation across eight semesters. Facilitators Dr Fatima D'Silva and Dr Sreejith Govindan emphasized competency-based learning, interdisciplinary teaching, innovative assignments, and leadership opportunities for students. The conclave provided a platform to redesign the curriculum to meet professional and societal needs. Dr Judith A Noronha concluded the event, highlighting critical thinking and innovative teaching.	18 Nov 2025
99	School Health Program on "Adolescent Health and Environmental Hygiene"	The Department of Child Health Nursing and First year PBBSc Nursing students, MCON, MAHE, conducted an outreach program on "Adolescent Health and Environmental Hygiene" at Academy School, Manipal, for 50 students of Classes IV and V. Guided by Dr	19 Nov 2025

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		Sangeetha Priyadarshini, the session covered adolescent physical and emotional changes, menstruation, healthy lifestyle practices, and environmental hygiene. Activities included discussions, a video presentation, skits, dance, and handwashing demonstrations. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms Crysel Danthy. Students and faculty appreciated the session.	
100	Awareness Program on Organ Donation	The Health and Social Welfare Committee of the SNA 2025, MCON Manipal, MAHE, conducted an awareness program on "Organ Donation" for first semester BSc Nursing students at Lecture Hall 3, Basic Science Building. Mrs Preeti, Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care and Transplant Coordinator, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, was the resource person. The session highlighted the importance, types, eligibility, ethical aspects, and nurses' role in organ donation. A total of 140 students participated actively. The program concluded with a vote of thanks.	22 Nov 2025
101	Seminar on Evidence Synthesis	The PhD Vertical of Pillar II: Exemplary Research and Innovation, MCON, MAHE, organised a two-day seminar on Evidence Synthesis. Dr Judith A Noronha welcomed the gathering, and Chief Guest Dr Naveen S Salins highlighted the value of evidence-based practice. Sessions covered evidence synthesis, research question formulation, literature search strategies, screening using Rayyan, data extraction, critical appraisal, synthesis methods, meta-analysis, and reporting using PRISMA 2020. The seminar benefited 17 participants from diverse disciplines across India.	26 - 27 Nov 2025
102	Constitution Day	MCON, Manipal, observed Constitution Day with great enthusiasm to commemorate the adoption of the Indian Constitution. The program began with a mass reading of the Preamble by students and faculty, reaffirming their commitment to democratic values and fundamental duties. A faculty member delivered a lecture on the Constitution of India, highlighting its historical background, core principles, and the rights guaranteed to citizens. The event inspired participants to uphold constitutional ideals in personal and professional life. Sixty-four students participated actively.	26 Nov 2025
103	PHOCON 2025-Pre Conference Nursing Workshop	The pre-conference nursing workshop "Beyond the Needle–Empowering Paediatric Haemato-Oncology Nurses through Knowledge, Care, and Compassion" was conducted as part of PHOCON 2025 at Manipal. Organised in collaboration with MCON and KMC, the workshop aimed to enhance paediatric haemato-oncology nursing competencies. The program featured expert-led sessions on online care, chemotherapy safety, supportive care, transfusion practices, and	28 Nov 2025

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		oncological emergencies, along with hands-on training and poster presentations. A total of 115 participants from across India benefited from the workshop.	
104	World AIDS Day 2025	The Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, observed World AIDS Day on 01 December 2025 by organizing an HIV/AIDS awareness program at SVT High School, Karkala. Dr Prima J J D'Souza, Assistant Professor, delivered an informative session on HIV/AIDS, covering causes, symptoms, treatment, preventive measures, and addressing stigma and discrimination. She emphasized compassion, support, and inclusion for people living with HIV. A total of 83 students actively participated. The program promoted health awareness among school children.	01 Dec 2025
105	SRF Session-7 on "Introduction to Nursing Research"	Pillar II: Exemplary Research and Innovation, in collaboration with the Student Research Forum at MCON, MAHE, Manipal, conducted a session on "Introduction to Nursing Research." The session was led by Ms Preejana Sharma, PhD Scholar, Department of Fundamentals of Nursing. It introduced participants to core concepts of nursing research and fostered interest in evidence-based practice. Through interactive group activities, students identified nursing problems and explored potential research solutions. The session enhanced research-oriented learning. Twenty-five first-year PBBSc Nursing students attended, and e-certificates were awarded.	02 Dec 2025
106	19th Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) meeting of MCON Manipal	The 19th Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) meeting of MCON Manipal, through Microsoft Teams had the following agenda points. a) Review/follow up of actions from previous IQAC meeting b) Review of actions initiated based on NAAC peer team observations c) Activities Planned for the year and progress d) Best practices sharing and new initiatives e) Review of academic audit outcomes (if conducted during the period) f) Suggestions for Improvement g) Any other matter with the permission of the chair.	04 Dec 2025
107	Hands-on Workshop: Next Gen Learning-AI Toolbox for Education and Research	MCON, MAHE, organized a workshop titled "Next Gen Learning–AI Toolbox for Education and Research" at MAHE, Manipal. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, welcomed participants and highlighted AI's role in modern education and research. Dr Keerthana Prasad, Chief Guest, emphasized adopting AI tools with human oversight. Resource person Fr Anil Ivan Fernandes demonstrated AI applications, including Google Gemini, ChatGPT Go, Paperpal, R Discovery, and Grok, for teaching, learning, and research. Sixty-five participants engaged in interactive, hands-on sessions. The program concluded with certificates, enhancing digital competencies.	06 Dec 2025
108	World AIDS Day 2025	The Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with the NSS unit,	11 Dec 2025

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		observed World AIDS Day at Karnataka Public School, Hiriyadka. Coordinated by Mrs Clara Pramila D'Souza, the program aimed to educate 170 First PUC students on HIV transmission, prevention, and the importance of responsible attitudes to reduce stigma. Fifth semester BSc Nursing students performed a role play illustrating causes, transmission, and preventive measures, followed by an informative presentation and quiz competition. Feedback was collected to assess impact. The initiative effectively increased awareness, enhanced knowledge, promoted responsible behaviour, and provided valuable experiential learning for nursing students.	
109	School Health Program-Observing National Epilepsy Day-2025	The Department of Community Health Nursing and fifth semester BSc Nursing students of MCON, MAHE, observed National Epilepsy Day 2025 at Government Higher Primary School, Guddeangadi, Bommarabettu, with the theme "Awareness, Diagnosis, and Timely Care." Ms Surekha, Lecturer, highlighted early warning signs, myths, first-aid measures, and timely diagnosis. Students performed a skit, dance, poster, and video presentations, and conducted a quiz for 81 children, eight teachers, 22 parents, and one ASHA worker. The program raised awareness and promoted first-aid preparedness.	12 Dec 2025
110	Awareness Workshop on Empowering families with bleeding disorders	An awareness workshop on empowering families with bleeding disorders organized by the Hemophilia Society Manipal Chapter (HSMC) in collaboration with the Departments of Fundamentals of Nursing and Child Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, and supported by Novo Nordisk India. The session included a talk on developmental needs of children and adolescents with hemophilia by Ms Shreya Shetty and an interactive session, "Navigating Life with Strength and Support," by Ms Kusumavathi, focusing on coping strategies and family support. Twenty-five participants attended. Coordinated by Dr Sulochana and Dr Anjalin DSouza.	12 Dec 2025
111	Old Age Home Visit	The Health and Social Welfare Committee of the SNA 2025, MCON, MAHE, organized an Old Age Home visit at Hosabelaku Seva Trust, Udupi. The program included prayer, recreational activities, songs, dance, games, and ROM exercises. Basic health assessments and health education on dementia and fall prevention were provided to 207 inmates. Mrs Canica shared the history and mission of the trust. Groceries were distributed, and gratitude was expressed by residents. Fifteen students and three faculty members participated.	15 Dec 2025
112	Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan (NMBA)	In connection with the letter received from the UGC, New Delhi, regarding the 5th Anniversary of the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan (NMBA), a pledge-taking event	17 Dec 2025

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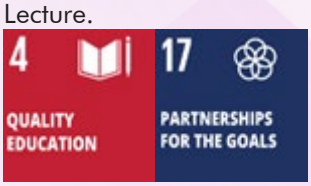
		was conducted for the BSc Nursing students of our institution. A total of 50 students actively participated in the event. All participants took the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan pledge, reaffirming their commitment to leading a drug-free life and spreading awareness about substance abuse. The event was conducted smoothly and successfully met the objectives of the campaign.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Abraham Samuel Babu	Associate Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal	Guest lecture on 'Translating Thesis to Publication." A total of 65 PhD scholars attended the guest lecture through Microsoft Teams.	07 Jan 2025
2	Mrs Sandhya Shrestha	Alumni of MCON, MSc Nursing (2008-2010 Batch) and Associate Professor, School of Nursing, Nepal Manipal College of Medical Sciences (Nursing Program), Pokhara, Nepal	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (01/2025) Manipal on "Adolescent Health issues". A total of 97 undergraduate students (Seventh Semester BSc Nursing), attended the session.	23 Jan 2025
3	Mr Simson Dsouza	Alumni of MCON, BSc (N) (2017-2021 Batch) and Staff Nurse, Warrington and Halton Teaching Hospitals, NHS Foundation Trust, UK	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (03/2025) Manipal on "Effective Communication in Health Care". A total of 97 undergraduate students (Seventh Semester BSc Nursing), attended the session.	08 Feb 2025
4	Dr Lorna Moxham, Adjunct Faculty at MCON, Mr Paul Robson, a Mental Health Clinical Nurse Consultant with expertise in emergency medicine, acute care, and the assessment and triage of mental illness and Ms Taylor Yousiph, a PhD candidate and Associate Lecture. 	University of Wollongong, Australia	Collaborated on activities and delivered the sessions for MSc Nursing and PhD scholars on Clinical Management of Aggression and Agitation	07 - 17 Mar 2025

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5	Dr John A Kershaw, Jr Assistant Vice President Academic (Partnerships), Professor of Forest Mensuration/ Faculty of Forestry and Environmental Management and Prof Rhonda Bourque Assistant and Manager of Partnership Processes	University of New Brunswick, Canada	General Visit	14 Mar 2025
6	Dr Manju Avinash Nair	Assistant Professor, RAK College of Nursing, RAK Medical and Health Sciences University, Ras Al Khaimah	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (05/2025) Manipal on "Impact of Concept Maps on Learning". The session was attended by 21 enthusiastic First year MSc Nursing students through Microsoft Teams.	10 Apr 2025
7	Professor Ian Cumming OBE, Chair in Global Healthcare at Keele University and UK Ambassador for Healthcare to the Overseas Territories , Professor Ged Byrne MBE, Director of Global Health at NHS England and Professor of Medical Education at the University of Manchester , Professor Heidi Fuller, Professor of Medical Science and Head of the School of Allied Health Professions and Pharmacy at Keele University, Mr A V Vidhyashankar, CEO of Abhinava Global Academy and Ambassador, India.	Global Training and Education Centre and NHS England	General Visit and Collaborated activities.	10 Apr 2025
8	Dr Basanti Majumdar	Professor, McMaster University, Faculty of Health Sciences, School of Nursing, Canada, and Adjunct faculty at MCON, MAHE.	Interacted with faculty and PhD scholars, highlighting the importance of updating knowledge and skills after a PhD, particularly in clinically oriented areas needing more research.	15 Apr 2025
9	Mrs Smitha Jyothi Saldanha	Alumni of MCON, MSc Nursing Batch (2020–2022) and Diabetes	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (06/2025) Manipal on "Optimizing Healthcare	16 Apr 2025

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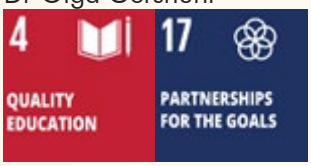
		Educator in Nursing Administration at Mediclinic Welcare Hospital, Mediclinic Middle East (MCME), Dubai, UAE	Delivery through Health Economics: A Nursing Management Perspective". The session was attended by 19 participants, comprising 15 second year MSc Nursing students and four faculty from MCON through Microsoft Teams.	
10	Dr Olga Gershuni 	Lecturer, Fontys University of Applied Sciences, Eindhoven the Netherlands, Adjunct Faculty at MCON, Manipal	Classes and Sessions for students and faculty are scheduled from 25 April to 22 June 2025 and 21 July to 21 August 2025.	25 Apr 2025 - 21 Aug 2025
11	Dr Nilakshi Waidyatillake	Course Convenor, Bachelor of Medical Science Honours. University of Melbourne, Australia	General Visit	30 Apr 2025
12	Dr S Varadharajan	Deputy Director, Intellectual Property Rights and Technology transfer office (IPTTO), Directorate of Research, MAHE, Manipal	Guest Lecture on "Commercialization and Product Development Aspects of IPR", for the faculty and research scholars of MCON. A total of 32 participants attended the guest lecture.	07 Jun 2025
13	Dr Bharat N Suryawanshi	Assistant Controller of Patents and Designs, RGNIIPM, Nagpur	Guest lecture on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and Patents and Design Filling" for the undergraduate and postgraduate students, faculty and research scholar. A total of 166 participants attended the guest lecture through Microsoft Teams.	11 Jun 2025
14	Ms Vinita Rosa Monis	Alumni of MCON, BSc (N) Batch (2018-2022) and Registered Nurse, Michael Garron Hospital (Toronto East Health Network)	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (07/2025) Manipal on "An International Perspective on Nursing Management of Post-Surgical Oncology Patients". A total of 134 undergraduate students (Fourth Semester BSc Nursing), including four faculty members, attended the session through Microsoft Teams.	12 Jun 2025
15	Dr Toni Bewley	Adjunct faculty of MCON, MAHE, and Senior Teaching Fellow and Programme Lead at the	Session for students: Best Practices in Paediatric Care in European Countries, Patient Stories and the Importance of Reflective Learning, The Art of Listening to Patients,	25 Jun 2025 - 13 Jul 2025

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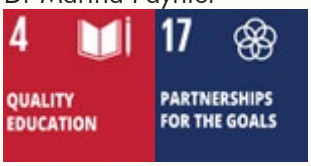
		School of Nursing, Edge Hill University, UK	Resilience Building and the Care of Children on Ventilators. Session for healthcare professionals and academicians: Building a Compassionate Global Care Partnership for Dementia.	
16	Dr Shankar Kumar Chatterjee	Associate Consultant, Dialysis Programme, NH/RTIICS, Kolkata	Guest Lecture on the topic "Dialysis in the Critically Ill Patients" as part of its academic enrichment initiatives through Microsoft Teams for MSc Nursing and NPCC students from across India. The session was attended by approximately 64 participants.	03 Jul 2025
17	Dr Martha Paynter 	University of New Brunswick, Canada	Attending Workshops, and Conferences	05 - 09 Jul 2025
18	Dr Karen Ursel	University of New Brunswick, Canada	Attending Workshops, Conferences, and Classes for BSc Nursing–UNB Students.	05 - 12 Jul 2025
19	Dr Jessica Webster	University of New Brunswick, Canada	Attending Workshops, Conferences, and Classes for BSc Nursing–UNB Students.	05 - 20 Jul 2025
20	Dr Toni Bewley	Honorary Professor at Liverpool University, UK, and Adjunct Faculty at Manipal College of Nursing Manipal, MAHE	Guest lecture on "Time Management" for first-semester BSc Nursing students through Microsoft Teams. A total of 150 students attended the guest lecture.	05 Aug 2025
21	Dr Susan Hunter	Clinical Nursing Director Deakin University, Australia	General Visit, Workshop between 20 and 21 August 2025. The Centre for Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care at the MCON, MAHE, in collaboration with the University of New Brunswick, Canada, and Deakin University, Australia, organized a workshop on "Interprofessional Wound Assessment and Management". A	20 - 21 Aug 2025

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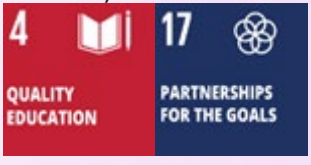
			total of 30 students from BSc Nursing attended the workshop.	
22	Bodil Bø & Marie Undheim	Associate Professors University of Stavanger, Norway	General Visit and Collaborated activities.	02 - 08 Oct 2025
23	Ms Joyce Machado	Alumni of MCON, BSc (N) Batch (2013-2017) and MSc Nursing Batch (2018–2020) and Registered Nurse at Manchester Royal Infirmary, UK.	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (09/2025) Manipal on "A Day in the Accident and Emergency Department: Nurses' Roles and Responsibilities – UK vs Indian Perspective". A total of 14 first year MSc Nursing students attended the session through Microsoft Teams.	21 Oct 2025
24	Ms Sarah Dsouza	Alumni of MCON, BSc (N) Batch (2014-2018) and Lecturer in Nursing and FY, University of Worcester, United Kingdom	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture (10/2025) Manipal on "Medication Safety". A total of 148 third semester BSc Nursing students attended the session through Microsoft Teams.	24 Oct 2025
25	Mariyam Hudha, Fathimath Haleem, Mariyam Rasheeda, Zeena Abdul Qayyoom, Mariyam Zulfa, Fathimath Mohamed, Khadeeja Shakir, Aminath Shiuna and Thasneem Ahmed	Faculty, School of Nursing, The Maldives National University (MNU), Maldives	Academic Mobility Experience.	03 - 07 Nov 2025
26	Dr Pierre Thomas, Faculty, Maastricht University and Ella Steinbach, Jean Parmentier, Moana Goetze, Luise Reuss, Gieve Plaum, Felicitas Salmuth, Lucy Eglinton Mabne, Charlotte Sabatier, Emilia Robert, Mathilda Salmon students of Maastricht University 	Maastricht University, Netherland	Field Study	07 Nov 2025

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27	Mrs Anuradha	Counsellor at the Integrated Counselling and Testing Centre (ICTC), Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, MAHE	Guest lecture on HIV /AIDS and NACP for Final year BSc nursing and MSc students of MCON, Manipal. A total of 68 students attended.	08 Nov 2025
28	Dr Patricia Nicholson Associate Professor of Nursing HDR Director School of Nursing and Midwifery Senior Fellow of the Higher Education Academy and Dr Matthew Jackson Lecturer in Nursing, School of Nursing and Midwifery, Deakin University, Australia and Jade Louise Rault, Jing YI Zhang, Jorge Damon Thymianidis, Keely Anne Megan Magrath, Alexia Athanasiou, Lily Teresa Scott, Maggie Grace Byrne, Marsha Anne Buhmann, Molly Elizabeth Heber, Rea Lexinne Abrena Tinoy and Sarah Jayne Cuddy Deakin University, Australia	Deakin University, Australia	As part of the Observership Program and collaborative activities held from 17 to 29 November 2025, Manipal College of Nursing, in collaboration with Deakin University, Australia; Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre; and CCEID, organized a one-day workshop titled “Humility –The Heart of End-of-Life Care.” A group of 21 students and faculty members participated in the workshop, which included a meaningful visit to the Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre. The cultural humility workshop supports key Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by fostering inclusive, reflective, and respectful engagement.	17 - 29 Nov 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non-Indexed
53	06	33	--

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
22	52	12	9

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Seminar	1	--
Conference	--	1
Workshop	11	2

Books/chapters authored by faculty members:

Sl. No.	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Nursing Skills for the Novices	Chapter 1 : Dialogue at the bedside Chapter 2: Infection Control and Prevention Chapter 3: Health Assessment Chapter 4: Basic Nursing Skills Chapter 5: Meeting Physiological Needs Chapter 6: Medication Administration Chapter 7: Peri operative Nursing Chapter 8: Recording and Reporting Chapter 9: Care after Death	Dr. Linu Sara George Dr. Radhika R Pai Dr. Sulochana B Ms. Charlet Jasmine Vaz Ms. Laveena Anitha Barboza Ms. Roseminu Varghese Ms. Soumya Alex	Manipal University Press	Dec 2024
2	Comprehensive textbook of community health nursing including environmental science & epidemiology"	Management of Common Conditions and Emergencies Including First Aid Basic First Aid in Common Conditions	Dr. Vinish V	Elsevier	Apr 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl. No.	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Lived experi ences of women carriers for Hemophilia.	Dr Sulochana B, Associate Professor, Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, MCON Manipal	World Hemophilia Federation-Bayer's Award 2017 Bayer AG (BHAP award)	16,52,125.00	01 Dec 2017 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Effectiveness of yogic mudras and reflexology on climacteric symptoms, sleep, stress, bio-physiological parameters, fatigue, and quality of life among 40-55 years of women in selected areas of Udupi taluk, Karnataka	Mrs Ranjani P, Assistant Professor-Senior Scale, Department of Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing, MCON Manipal	Department of Science and Technology (SATYAM), Government of India, New Delhi.	9,60,800.00	03 Mar 2020 - 31 Dec 2025

Sl. No.	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
3	An Experimental study to assess effectiveness of gatekeeper training program (GTP) on awareness, attitude, help seeking intentions and gatekeeper behaviour regarding common mental health problems among Koraga tribe in selected community areas of Udupi district.	Mrs Flavia Sharlet Noronha, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatric (Mental Health) Nursing, MCON, Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	6,43,162.00	02 Aug 2021 - 31 Dec 2025
4	Effectiveness of Gerontechnology Empowerment Program (GEP) on awareness and usage of mobile applications among senior citizens for Instrumental Activities of Daily Living (iADLs): A Randomized Controlled Trial	Dr Shashidhara Y N, Professor, Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	15,51,340.00	18 Nov 2022 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Capacity Building Program on Integrated Nursing Care (PINC) of Organaophosphate Poisoning patients in a tertiary care hospital-A Non-Randomized Control Trial	Mrs Janet Alva, Assistant Professor-Sr. Scale, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	6,98,421.00	02 Jan 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
6	A SAMARPAN Program (Prevention of Suicide, Substance abuse, abuse and neglect, eating problems, Peer pressure, managing emotions and Behavioural problems) among children in primary school of Karnataka state.	Mrs Flavia Sharlet Noronha, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatric (Mental Health) Nursing, MCON, Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	23,98,320.00	20 Jan 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
7	Effectiveness of mHealth programme on Blood Pressure among Pre-hypertensive young adults - A Pragmatic Randomized Controlled Trial	Dr Melita Sheilini, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	14,15,089.00	09 Feb 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
8	Effectiveness of training in early identification and treatment of neck and oral cancer of adult victims among the Accredited Social Health Activist (ASHA) based on the survival rate of the victims in selected villages of	Dr Vinish V, Assistant Professor-Sr. Scale, Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	20,41,534.00	11 Feb 2023 - 31 Dec 2025

Sl. No.	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	Udupi district: A mixed method study.				
9	A study on prevalence of chronic kidney disease (CKD) and evaluation of the effectiveness of multimodal intervention on knowledge, lifestyle modification on chronic kidney disease among adults in a rural community of Udupi district, Karnataka state - A pretest-post-test intervention study.	Dr Leena Sequira, Associate Professor and Principal, MSON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	23,69,840.00	13 Feb 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
10	A Randomized Control Trial (RCT) to assess the impact of Twin-Track approach (TT approach) on Serum Vitamin-D levels among the under fives living in Coastal belt of Southern India.	Dr Mamatha S Pai, Professor, Department of Child Health Nursing Dept, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	25,87,038.00	24 Feb 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
11	Study to assess the effectiveness of forensic training of medical and nursing officers of urban and rural health centres on identification of injuries and medico-legal evidence collection in sexual assault and domestic violence cases in Karnataka: A Randomized controlled trial	Mr Renjulal Yesodharan, Assistant Professor-Sr. Scale, Department of Psychiatric (Mental Health) Nursing, MCON, Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	11,85,975.00	28 Feb 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
12	ASHA LED community managed intervention program to improve maternal and neonatal outcome in pregnant women with pregnancy induced hypertension	Dr Judith A Noronha, Professor and Dean, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	29,46,206.00	10 Mar 2023 - 31 Dec 2025
13	Detection of Adolescent Idiopathic Scoliosis (AIS) among school children of Udupi Taluk, Karnataka through the school screening program.	Dr Ansuya, Associate Professor, Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	4,36,688.00	07 Nov 2024 - 31 Dec 2025
14	Capacity building for Peripheral health workers in dementia care using Manipal- DEEP: A community-based action research with a quasi-experimental design to	Mrs Janet Alva, Assistant Professor-Sr. Scale, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON Manipal	Sikkim Manipal University, Sikkim	1,00,000.00	09 Sep 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

Sl. No.	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	prevent abuse and neglect among elderly living with dementia in Sikkim				
15	Effectiveness of Cohousing and Resident Experiences Among Older Adults: A Mixed-Methods Review	Dr Baby S Nayak, Dr Anil Raj A and Ms Mitchelle Shilpa Lewis, MCON, Manipal along with School of Nursing, Dalhousie University.	Nursing Research & Development Fund and Margaret Inglis Hagerman Research Fund Operating Grant. (No funds transfer. Only Foreign Collaborative grants).	0.00	25 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
16	ELDER-AID: Empowering Learning for Dignified Elder Responses – Action in Integrated Delivery of Care	Dr Anil Raj A, Assistant Professor-Sr. Scale, Department of Medical surgical Nursing, MCON Manipal	Government of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (Department of Health Research)	63,50,000.00	20 Nov 2025- 31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mrs Sheela Shetty	Good Teacher Award for the academic year 2023-24.	14 Feb 2025
2	Mrs Ranjani P	Good Teacher Award for the academic year 2023-24	14 Feb 2025
3	Dr Melita Sheilini	Most Accomplished Faculty Award for the year 2024 instituted by MCON Manipal.	14 Feb 2025

Faculty Members

Sl. No.	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr. Judith Angelitta Noronha and Dr. Shashidhara Y N	Received the International Training & Mobility Grant (Collaborative Grant, UTFORSK 2024) with the University of Stavanger, Norway (2025–2028).	13 Nov2024
2	Dr. Judith Angelitta Noronha and Dr. Shashidhara Y N	Received the International Training & Mobility Grant (Erasmus+ International Mobility) with the University of Stavanger, Norway (Faculty and Student Exchange, 2025)	22Aug2024
3	Dr Anil Raj A	Awarded with PhD degree	14 Feb 2025
4	Dr K Jeyalakshmi	Awarded with PhD degree	14 Feb 2025
5	Dr Vinish V	Awarded with PhD degree	14 Feb 2025
6	Dr Shalini Ganesh Nayak	Award instituted by Dr Ratna Prakash for the Best published research paper in the Scopus Indexed Journal 2024. Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother Late Smt. Mary George for the Faculty of Manipal College of Nursing for the maximum number of publications (from January-December 2024).	14 Feb 2025

Sl. No.	Name	Details	Date
7	Dr Sushmitha Karkada	Award instituted by Dr Ratna Prakash for the Second-best published research paper in the Scopus Indexed Journal 2024.	14 Feb 2025
8	Mrs Pratibha Kamath	Award instituted by Dr Ratna Prakash for the Best published research paper in the Scopus Indexed Journal 2024.	14 Feb 2025
9	Dr Sonia R B D'Souza	Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother Late Smt Mary George for the Faculty of MCON for the maximum number of presentations (from January-December 2024).	14 Feb 2025
10	Dr Mamatha Shivananda Pai	Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother Late Smt. Mary George for the Faculty of MCON for the maximum number of publications (from Jan - Dec 2024). Certificate for earning 24 points and above in Scopus Indexed Journal publication for the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
11	Dr Anice George	Certificate for earning 24 points and above in Scopus Indexed Journal publication for the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
12	Dr Baby S Nayak	Certificate for earning 24 points and above in Scopus Indexed Journal publication for the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
13	Dr Shashidhara Y N	Certificate for earning 24 points and above in Scopus Indexed Journal publication for the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
14	Dr Binil V	Certificate for earning 24 points and above in Scopus Indexed Journal publication for the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
15	Dr Soumya Christabel	Recognition of 10 years of continuous service in MCON Manipal as on December 2024.	14 Feb 2025
16	Mr Renjulal Y	Recognition of 10 years of continuous service in MCON Manipal as on December 2024. Certificate for earning 24 points and above in Scopus Indexed Journal publication for the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
17	Mrs Charlet Jasmine Vaz	Recognition of 10 years of continuous service in MCON Manipal as on December 2024.	14 Feb 2025
18	Mrs Laveena Anitha Barboza	Recognition of 10 years of continuous service in MCON Manipal as on December 2024.	14 Feb 2025
19	Dr Sonia R B D Souza, Dr Sulochana B, Dr Leena Sequira, Dr Sushmitha Ramona Karkada, Mrs Sharada, Mrs Rishmitha, Mrs Shalet Snehalatha Alva, Mrs Sylvin Prapulla Mendonca Mrs Joycee Nancy Pinto	Runner-Up at MAHE inter collegiate teaching staff throwball tournament.	23 Feb 2025
20	Dr Anil Raj A	Awarded First Prize, All India Outstanding Research Award in the Nursing Faculty category, hosted by the Clinical Nurses Research Society, North Zone, for doctoral research.	28 Feb 2025
21	Dr Sushmitha Ramona Karkada	Received FAIMER Fellowship from IFI Philadelphia, USA 2025-2027.	20 Mar 2025
22	Dr Shashidhara Y N	An empanelled National Quality Assurance Program (NQAS) assessor, has been nominated for the external	01 Apr 2025

Sl. No.	Name	Details	Date
		assessment of Urban Health Centre (UPHC) Vanthena Centre, Krishna, Andhra Pradesh.	
23	Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi	Received I-FACE Fellowship 2025-2026. International-FAIMER Competency- based Education (I-FACE) program from FAIMER IFI Philadelphia, USA	09 May 2025
24	Dr Malathi G Nayak	Won prizes for yoga asana and yoga photos competition during International Yoga Day 2025.	21 Jun 2025
25	Mrs Sweety Jousline Fernandes	Won Best Poster Presentation award at the 6th National Conference on Youth in Social Change "Leading the Green Transition for a Sustainable future" organized by Volunteer Service Organization (VSO), MAHE.	17 Sep 2025

Students

Sl. No.	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Deekshitha Jayakara Poojary	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Community Health Nursing (Practical) in second year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Introduction to Nursing Research and Statistics in second year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Research Project in second year PBBSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
2	Mr Jeffrey Sebastian Barboza	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Community Health Nursing (Practical) in second year PBBSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
3	Ms Tejaswi	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Community Health Nursing (Practical) in second year PBBSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
4	Ms Rangini Nayak	Proficiency certificate for securing 100% attendance in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
5	Ms Jessica Rodrigues	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Community Health Nursing II (Practical) in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
6	Ms Asha Thomas	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Internship in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
7	Mr Nickhil Castelino	Proficiency certificate for securing 100% attendance in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
8	Ms Vina Tina D'Souza	Proficiency certificate for securing 100% attendance in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
9	Ms Jaya Boro	Proficiency certificate for securing 100% attendance in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
10	Ms Chaithra Shankara Anchan	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Mental Health Nursing (Theory) in the second year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being topper in Introduction to Nursing Research and Statistics in the second year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Research Project in second year PBBSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
11	Ms Sahana Mounesha Badiger	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Research Project in the second year PBBSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
12	Ms Namratha Narayan Naik	Proficiency certificate for securing 100% attendance in the second year PBBSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
13	Mr Abhishek Kumar	Award instituted by Dr Flavia Castelino in fond memory of Late Wilfred Alban Rodrigues for the topper in Medical Surgical Nursing theory in the first year PBBSc Nursing, 2024. Award instituted by Dr Flavia Castelino in fond	14 Feb 2025

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		memory of the Late Wilfred Alban Rodrigues for the topper in Medical Surgical Nursing Practical in first year PBBSc Nursing, 2024.	
14	Ms Vaishnavi A	Award instituted by first and third batch of MSc Nursing Graduates for the best MSc Nursing student in Nursing Research (Theory and dissertation) (outgoing batch). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing (Theory) in second year MSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing (Practical) in second year MSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
15	Ms Vezhodulu Swiho	Faculty Award for the topper in the second year MSc (N) outgoing batch 2024. Award instituted by the MCON Alumni Association, for the best outgoing student of MSc Nursing 2024 (Aggregate of I and II year total marks). Award instituted by Mr Nanda Kumar Paniyadi in honour of his mother Mrs Sunanda Paniyadi for the topper of second year MSc (N) in Mental Health Nursing–II (Theory) (outgoing batch). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Nursing Management in second year MSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Mental Health Nursing (Theory) in second year MSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Mental Health Nursing (Practical) in second year MSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Dissertation with Viva Voce in the second year MSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
16	Ms Sizal Phuyel	Award instituted by the 2015-19 batch of BSc Nursing students in the memory of Late Ms Jismy Johny for the topper in Geriatric Nursing in third year BSc Nursing 2024.	14 Feb 2025
17	Ms Jesvita Sharline D'Souza	Award Instituted by the faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of the BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch.	14 Feb 2025
18	Ms Crystal Vanessa Noronha	Award Instituted by the faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch. Proficiency certificate for securing 100% attendance in the fourth year BSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the fourth topper in fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
19	Sr Punitha M	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Medical Surgical Nursing (Theory) in second year MSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being topper in Medical Surgical Nursing (Practical) in second year MSc (N)	14 Feb 2025
20	Ms Bhanu Priya Mahato	Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of Late Mr K V Varkey for the first Rank student of Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care Postgraduate Residency program of 2024. Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Practice (Theory and Practical). Proficiency certificate for being topper in Critical Care Nursing I (Practical). Proficiency certificate for being topper in Critical Care Nursing II (Theory and Practical). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Dissertation and Viva.	14 Feb 2025

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21	Ms Shwetha	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Critical Care Nursing I (Theory).	14 Feb 2025
22	Dr N Siva	Awarded with PhD Degree	14 Feb 2025
23	Dr Clarita Shynal Martis	Awarded with PhD Degree	14 Feb 2025
24	Dr Aswin Sugunan	Awarded with PhD Degree	14 Feb 2025
25	Dr Monalisa Saikia	Awarded with PhD Degree	14 Feb 2025
26	Dr Meena Konsam	Awarded with PhD Degree	14 Feb 2025
27	Ms Melin Mathew	Award in the Memory of Smt Gangamma Ammanaya (Donated by Dr K K Ammannaya) for first Rank holder in BSc (N) outgoing batch 2024 (Aggregate of all four years total marks). Award in memory of late Dr Krishna Prakash (donated by Dr R K K Nair) for the first rank student of BSc (N) outgoing batch 2024 (Aggregate of all four years total marks). Award in the memory of Late Mr N Pavithran, (Donated by Mrs Sheela Pavithran) for Second Topper of BSc Nursing outgoing student in Medical Surgical Nursing (Theory and practical) (Aggregate of II and III year MSN marks). Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother Late Smt Mary George for first Best Clinical Expertise in BSc Nursing outgoing batch 2024 (aggregate marks of all practical exams). Guruvandana Award–Instituted by Dr Nagendra Prakash in honour of Dr Vignesh N Bhat and Dr Sumithra Bhat for Topper of BSc Nursing outgoing batch in Sociology. Award instituted by Dr Judith Valerian Lobo for the topper of BSc Nursing outgoing batch in OBG Nursing Practical. Award in memory of Late Smt Shellamma Iyenger Gopalan instituted by Ruma Iyenger for the Best BSc Nursing clinical expertise. Award Instituted by the faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch. Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Midwifery and Obstetrical Nursing practical in fourth year BSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the fifth topper in fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
28	Ms Mecvita Britto	Award in the memory of Late Smt Suvarni Narayana Kamath, (Donated by Dr Neetha Kamath) for the best BSc Nursing outgoing student in Community Health Nursing (Theory and Practical). Award instituted by the MCON, Manipal, Alumni Association, for the first rank in fourth year BSc (N) 2024. Award Instituted by faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch. Proficiency certificate for being the topper in fourth year BSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Midwifery and Obstetrical Nursing (theory) in fourth year BSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Management of Nursing services and education in fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
29	Ms Tenzin Tseten	Award in memory of late Dr Krishna Prakash (Donated by Dr R K K Nair) for second rank of BSc (N) outgoing batch 2024 (Aggregate of all four years total marks). Award in the memory of Late Smt L Pinto, (Donated by Mrs Jaya D'Silva) for Best BSc Nursing outgoing student in Medical	14 Feb 2025

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		Surgical Nursing (Theory and practical) (Aggregate of II and III year MSN marks). Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother, Late Smt Mary George for Second Best Clinical Expertise in the BSc Nursing outgoing batch 2024 (aggregate marks of all practical exams). Award Instituted by the faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch. Proficiency certificate for being the second topper in fourth year BSc (N).	
30	Ms Ina Gladsin Alva	Guruvandana Award–Instituted by Dr Nagendra Prakash in honour of Dr Vignesh N Bhat and Dr Sumithra Bhat for Topper of BSc Nursing outgoing batch in Sociology. Award instituted by Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi in memory of her father late Mr P Kubera Singh for the Topper of BSc Nursing outgoing batch in Communication and Educational Technology. Award Instituted by faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch. Proficiency certificate for being the third topper in fourth year BSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Community Health Nursing II (Theory) in the fourth year BSc (N).	14 Feb 2025
31	Ms Shaina Tauro	Award in the memory of late Mr Joseph K, (donated by Mr P J Thomas) for the Best BSc Nursing outgoing student in Paediatric Nursing (theory and practical). Award Instituted by the faculty of MCON Manipal for securing Distinction in all four years of BSc Nursing 2019-24 batch. Award in memory of Late Smt Ursula Vashi (donated by Dr Kiran M Vashi) for the best outgoing BSc Nursing student 2024.	14 Feb 2025
32	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias	Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal for Outstanding Research Publication in the year 2024.	14 Feb 2025
33	Ms Kripa Sharon	Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother Late Smt Mary George, for the topper in Fundamentals of Nursing (theory and practical). Award instituted by the MCON, Manipal Alumni Association, for the first rank student of first year BSc Nursing 2024.	14 Feb 2025
34	Ms Cimona Nazareth	Award instituted by Dr Tessy Treesa Jose in memory of Late Mrs Thresiamma Joseph Alapatt for the Topper of third year BSc Nursing in Mental Health Nursing (Practical). Award instituted by 2010-11 batch of BSc Nursing students in the memory of Late Mr Prabhu Satish Ramesh for the First Best Clinical Expertise in third year BSc Nursing 2024. (Aggregate marks of all practical exams of third year BSc Nursing).	14 Feb 2025
35	Mr Nishal Rai	Award instituted by the MCON Alumni Association for the first rank student in second year BSc Nursing.	14 Feb 2025
36	Ms Neha Sreekumar	Award instituted by the MCON Alumni Association for the first rank student in third year BSc Nursing.	14 Feb 2025
37	Ms Gonsalves Reshma Daisy Victor	Award instituted by the MCON Alumni Association for the best outgoing student of PBBSc Nursing 2024 (Aggregate of I and II year total marks). Award instituted by Mr C D Jain in fond memory of his aunt Late Mrs Leema Manuel	14 Feb 2025

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		for the topper of PBBSc (N) outgoing student in Child Health Nursing (theory and practical). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Second Year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Community Health Nursing (Theory) in Second Year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Sociology in Second Year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Mental Health Nursing (Practical) in Second Year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Introduction to Nursing Education in second year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Introduction to Nursing Service Administration in Second Year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Geriatric Nursing in second year PBBSc (N). Proficiency certificate for being the topper in the Research Project in second year PBBSc (N).	
38	Ms Manisha K	Award instituted by Dr Anice George in fond memory of her mother Late Smt Mary George for the topper in the first year MSc Advanced Nursing Practice.	14 Feb 2025
39	Mr Pema Wangchuk	Award instituted by MSc Nursing second batch graduates for the topper in the first year MSc Nursing.	14 Feb 2025
40	Ms Leena Chetry	Award instituted by Ms Benita Devi in honour of her mother Mrs Mema Devi for the Topper in first year MSc Nursing Medical Surgical Nursing Speciality (theory and practical–I) (outgoing batch).	14 Feb 2025
41	Ms Suhani Chander	Award instituted by the Students Nurses' Association 2012-13 batch in memory of the Late Mr Prabhu Satish Ramesh for the Second-Best Clinical Expertise in third year BSc Nursing 2024 (aggregate marks of all practical exams of third year BSc Nursing).	14 Feb 2025
42	Ms Sheroan Anishka D'Souza	Award instituted by Students Nurses' Association 2012-13 batch in memory of the Late Mr Prabhu Satish Ramesh for the Second-Best Clinical Expertise in the third year BSc Nursing 2024 (aggregate marks of all practical exams of third year BSc Nursing).	14 Feb 2025
43	Ms Seelia Peter	PhD Scholar awarded "Best Paper Presenter" in the 5th East Zone Conference organized by Sikkim MCON, Sikkim, Manipal University, Ganktok, Sikkim, India, held between 21 and 23 March 2025.	21 Mar 2025
44	Ms Rashal Rashmi Martis	PhD Scholar received the Best Paper award at the National Conference on "Transforming Paediatric Nursing: Bridging Research, Advocacy and Practice for Better Outcomes" organized by KLE Academy of Higher Education and Research, Institute of Nursing Sciences, Belagavi, Karnataka held between 23 and 24 May 2025.	23 May 2025
45	Ms Manisha K	Second year MSc (Medical-Surgical Nursing) student received the Tamil Nadu Nurses and Midwives Council (TNNMC) Special Award 2025 (Good Samaritan) during the Council's Centenary Year Celebration held at Nungambakkam, Chennai.	28 Jul 2025
46	Mr Arnold Mokshit Ammanna	Third year BSc (Nursing) student has been appointed by the President of the Indian Nursing Council as the Indian	04 Aug 2025

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		Nursing Council (INC) representative for the International Council of Nurses (ICN) Alliance of Student and Early Career Nurses.	
47	Ms Raina Liz Mathew	First year BSc (Nursing) student, securing the first prize in the Individual Kata and Kumite event held at Shivamogga.	04 Aug 2025
48	Mr Sonam Gurmey	First year BSc (Nursing) student, secured second place in the 10 km category (Male, up to 30 years). The 4th edition of the Canara Freedom Run was held at the Canara Bank Manipal Circle Office, serving as a grand prelude to the Independence Day celebrations. The event, organized by the Canara Bank Officers' Association (CBOA) under the theme "Stride with Pride for Our Armed Forces," witnessed the participation of over 5,000 runners across multiple categories.	10 Aug 2025
49	Mr Sonam Gurmey	First year BSc (Nursing) student secured an impressive second place, finishing 11th overall among 900 global participants. He participated in the HYROX Mumbai 2025 event, organized by Yoska Technology Solutions Pvt Ltd under the HYROX India joint venture in collaboration with HYROX Global. The event was held at the NESCO Centre in Goregaon, Mumbai. This edition attracted over 3,350 participants from more than 50 countries, making it the largest fitness race ever hosted in India.	07 Sep 2025
50	Ms Meghna Pandit	Ms Meghna Pandit, PhD Scholar received the first prize (Oral) for the "4th National Paediatric Oncology Nursing Conference–2025 held at ACTREC, Kharghar, Navi Mumbai, from 17 to 19 September 2025.	17 Sep 2025
51	Ms Alisha Saloni D'Souza	Second year BSc (Nursing) student, secured third place in the Long Jump event at the National Level Competition organized by TNAI during the 31st SNAI Biennial Conference 2025, held at Maeer's Vishwaraj Institute of Nursing, World Peace Dome, Loni Kalbhore, Pune held between 20 and 21 November 2025.	20 Nov 2025
52	Ms Neha Sreekumar	BSc (Nursing) graduate, received the Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal during the 33rd MAHE Convocation held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	22 Nov 2025
53	Ms Elsa Mariya Noble	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
54	Ms Nivya Wilson	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
55	Ms Janvy Treesa Shibu	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
56	Ms Helna Mariam Aby Kurian	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
57	Ms Melcon Noronha	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
58	Mr Nandakishor V P	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
59	Ms Mareena V Jomichan	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

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60	Ms Sneha Mary Vinod	Proficiency certificate for securing Fourth Topper in Second Semester BSc Nursing and 100% attendance in First and Second Semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
61	Ms Sara S Thomas	Proficiency certificate for securing Fifth Topper in second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
62	Ms Ashwini	Proficiency certificate for securing Fifth Topper in second Semester BSc Nursing and 100% attendance in first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
63	Ms Angel Treesa Shine	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Applied Biochemistry and Applied Nutrition and Dietetics and 100% attendance in first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
64	Ms Ann Sara Mathew	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
65	Ms Maria Sibichan	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
66	Ms Annette D'Souza	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
67	Mr Adhithya B	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
68	Ms Blessy Mol Biju	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
69	Ms Gayathri M	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
70	Ms Rabia Mehraj	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
71	Ms Keziah Elizabeth Abraham	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
72	Ms Sneha Mariam Santhosh	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
73	Ms Kripa Sharon	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in the third and fourth semester BSc Nursing and topper in Applied Microbiology and Infection Control including Safety, Adult Health Nursing I with integrated pathophysiology including BCLS module (Practical), Pharmacology (I and II), and Pathology (I and II) including Genetics, Adult Health Nursing II with integrated pathophysiology including Geriatric Nursing and Palliative Care (Practical), Professionalism, Professional Values and Ethics including Bioethics, Geriatric Nursing, and 100% attendance in the third and fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
74	Ms Salomi Rachelle D'Souza	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in third and fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
75	Ms Bonita Theres Santhosh	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the third and fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
76	Ms Tenzin Yeshi	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
77	Ms Tenzin Pema	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
78	Ms Ngawang Choglek	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

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79	Ms Sarah Ruth Zachariah	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
80	Ms Lini Biju	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in the fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
81	Ms Gladys Ann Thomas	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Child Health Nursing (Practical)-sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
82	Ms Riya Menezes	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Mental Health Nursing (Practical)-sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
83	Ms Angeline Maria	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
84	Ms Nishmitha	Proficiency certificate for being topper in first year Post Basic BSc Nursing and topper in Nursing Foundations, Nutrition and Dietetics, Biochemistry and Biophysics, Psychology, Microbiology, Maternal Nursing (Theory), and Medical Surgical Nursing (Theory).	27 Nov 2025
85	Ms Raksha G Naik	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Nutrition and Dietetics, and Psychology- first year Post Basic BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
86	Mr Pratham	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Nutrition and Dietetics, and Child Health Nursing (Practical)-first year Post Basic BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
87	Ms Aditi Roy Chowdhury	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Advanced Nursing Practice and Nursing Research and Statistics in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
88	Ms Simran Chettri	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing (Practical) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
89	Ms Ananya T Maindan	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Community Health Nursing (Theory and Practical) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
90	Ms Anvika T Maindan	Proficiency certificate for being topper in Community Health Nursing (Theory) in first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
91	Ms Sonam Tshokey Dema	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in the first and second semester BSc Nursing and topper in Communicative English, Applied Sociology and Applied Psychology, Nursing Foundation I and II including the Health Assessment Module (Theory), Applied Biochemistry and Applied Nutrition and Dietetics, and Health/Nursing Informatics and Technology.	27 Nov 2025
92	Ms Suzann Anna George	Proficiency certificate for securing Second Topper in the first semester BSc Nursing, Third Topper in the second semester BSc Nursing, and Topper in Applied Anatomy and Applied Physiology in the first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
93	Mr Parladh Kharel	Proficiency certificate for securing Second Topper in the first semester BSc Nursing and 100% attendance in the second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
94	Ms Shiyon Maria	Proficiency certificate for securing Third Topper in the first semester BSc Nursing, Second Topper in the second semester BSc Nursing, and 100% attendance in the first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

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95	Ms Princiya Dias	Proficiency certificate for securing Third Topper in the Second semester BSc Nursing, and 100% attendance in the first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
96	Ms Kuenga Lham	Proficiency certificate for securing Fourth Topper in first semester BSc Nursing and 100% attendance in second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
97	Mr Winston Preeth Fernandes	Proficiency certificate for being the topper in Nursing Foundation I and II including Health Assessment Module (Practical) and 100% attendance in first and second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
98	Ms Josna Dmello	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
99	Ms Nishita Dsouza	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
100	Ms Alisha Saloni D'souza	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
101	Ms Saniya Saji	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
102	Ms Iona Mathias	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
103	Ms Aleena Elisabeth Sibi	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
104	Ms Nimisha Thomas	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
105	Ms Alvina Jacintha Dsouza	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
106	Ms Vinisha Jesvita Nazareth	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in first semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
107	Ms Neha M Thomas	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
108	Ms Prathiksha	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
109	Ms Catherine Elizabeth Shaji	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in second semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
110	Ms Linnet Johnson	Proficiency certificate for securing the Second Topper in the third and fourth semester BSc Nursing and topper in Adult Health Nursing I with integrated pathophysiology including BCLS module (Theory).	27 Nov 2025
111	Ms Varada R	Proficiency certificate for securing the Third Topper in the third semester and Fourth Topper in fourth semester BSc Nursing and Topper in Adult Health Nursing II with integrated Pathophysiology including Geriatric Nursing and Palliative Care (Theory and Practical) and 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
112	Ms Chaya Poojary	Proficiency certificate for securing the Third Topper in fourth semester BSc Nursing and 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
113	Ms Asin Maria Joseph	Proficiency certificate for securing the Fourth Topper in third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

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114	Ms Asin Maria Santhosh	Proficiency certificate for securing the Fourth Topper in third semester BSc Nursing and 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
115	Mr Dion Naveen D' Almeida	Proficiency certificate for securing the Fifth Topper in third and fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
116	Ms Riya Rachel D'Silva	Proficiency certificate for securing the Topper in Elective I- Soft Skills third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
117	Ms Sharon Vinola D'Costa	Proficiency certificate for securing the Topper in Elective I- Diabetes Care third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
118	Ms Giya Raju John	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in third semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
119	Ms Manya Bangera	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
120	Ms Serena Leonita Isaacs	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
121	Mr Arnold Mokshit Ammanna	Proficiency certificate for securing Third Topper in fifth semester and Fifth Topper in sixth semester BSc Nursing and Topper in Community Health Nursing (Practical).	27 Nov 2025
122	Ms Lis Maria Martin	Proficiency certificate for securing Third Topper in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
123	Ms Della Raju	Proficiency certificate for securing Fourth Topper in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
124	Ms Annette Shibu	Proficiency certificate for securing Fifth Topper in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
125	Ms Diya George	Proficiency certificate for securing Fifth Topper in fifth semester and Topper in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
126	Ms Rosemi Ann Reji	Proficiency certificate for being the Topper in Nursing Management and Leadership-sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
127	Ms Alenta Biju	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
128	Ms Shreelakshmi H	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
129	Ms Jaise Joseph	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
130	Mr Carston D'Souza	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
131	Ms Liliyana D'Souza	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Maternal Nursing (Practical) first year PBBSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
132	Mr Subramanya	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Child Health Nursing (Theory) and Medical Surgical Nursing (Practical) first year PBBSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
133	Ms Salian Vidya Sudhir	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in English first year PBBSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
134	Ms Pritha Dhali	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Nursing Education (Practical) and 100% attendance in first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
135	Ms Kaniska Dhakal Sharma	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Nursing Education (Theory and Practical) and Obstetric and Gynaecological Nursing (Theory) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

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136	Ms P Lavanya	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Medical Surgical Nursing (Theory) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
137	Ms Rinzing Doma Bhutia	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Medical Surgical Nursing (Practical) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
138	Ms Yaramanedi Manisha	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Mental Health Nursing (Theory) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
139	Ms Ankita Pal	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Mental Health Nursing (Practical) in the first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
140	Ms Samadrita Sl	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Child Health (Paediatric) Nursing (Theory and Practical) in first year MSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
141	Ms Neesha Mohamed Rasheed	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Theoretical Basis for Advanced Practice Nursing, Research Application and Evidence Based Practice in Critical Care and Advanced skills in Leadership, Management and Teaching in first year Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care Postgraduate Residency Program.	27 Nov 2025
142	Mr Shivakumar Sindhur	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Theoretical Basis for Advanced Practice Nursing and Advanced Pathophysiology and Advanced Pharmacology Relevant to Critical Care Nursing in first year Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care Postgraduate Residency Program.	27 Nov 2025
143	Ms Sayanti Pattanayak	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Theoretical Basis for Advanced Practice Nursing and Research application and Evidence Based practice in Critical Care in first year Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care Postgraduate Residency Program.	27 Nov 2025
144	Ms Sweekrity Benjamin	Proficiency certificate for being Topper in Advanced Health/ Physical Assessment in Critical Care Nursing (Theory and Practical) in first year Nurse Practitioner in Critical Care Post Graduate Residency Program.	27 Nov 2025
145	Ms Anaswara M S	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
146	Ms Sanya Salomi Mathews	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fourth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
147	Ms Lhazey Meto	Proficiency certificate for being the Topper in fifth semester BSc Nursing and Topper in Educational Technology, Introduction to Forensic Nursing and Elective Module (Sports Health).	27 Nov 2025
148	Ms Sizal Phuyel	Proficiency certificate for securing Second Topper in fifth and sixth semester BSc Nursing and Topper in Elective Module (Menopausal Health), Child Health Nursing (Theory), and Mental Health Nursing (Theory).	27 Nov 2025
149	Ms Anna Riva Lobo	Proficiency certificate for securing Third Topper in fifth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
150	Mr Nithin Vinod	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fifth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
151	Mr Ebin P Raju	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fifth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
152	Ms Sukanya Kundu	Proficiency certificate for 100% attendance in fifth and sixth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

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153	Ms Kesia Shaji Thomas	Proficiency certificate for being the Topper in Community Health Nursing (Theory)-fifth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
154	Ms Helen Gigi George	Proficiency certificate for being the Topper in Elective Module (Sports Health)-fifth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025
155	Ms Dechen Palmo	Proficiency certificate for being the Topper in Elective Module (Sports Health)-fifth semester BSc Nursing.	27 Nov 2025

Staff

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mrs Divya	Recognition of maximum years of service at MCON/ MSON Manipal (in memory of Late Mrs Pushpa U) during Annual Day–2024.	14 Feb 2025
2	Mrs Shailaja	Recognition of 10 years of continuous service in MCON Manipal as of December 2024.	14 Feb 2025
3	Mr B Santhosh	Recognition of 10 years of continuous service in MCON Manipal as of December 2024.	14 Feb 2025

Extra-Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Intracollege Table Tennis Competition (Singles and Doubles)	Boys-Singles: First Prize: Mr Jamyang Tenzin, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Rinchen Tsaphel, first year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Siyam Ahmed, second year BSc (Nursing). Boys-Doubles: First Prize: Mr Sonam Gurmey, first year BSc (Nursing) and Mr Diffin Sebastian, third year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Sannith Kumar and Mr Alphin Binu Kuran Thazhath, first year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Mathew Shijo, third year BSc (Nursing) and Mr Rinchen Tsaphel, first year BSc (Nursing). Girls-Singles: First Prize: Ms Linora Sian Mathias, first year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Alvina Jacintha Dsouza, second year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Tenzin Dakar, first year BSc (Nursing). Girls-Doubles: First Prize: Ms Linora Sian Mathias, first year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Alvina Jacintha Dsouza, second year BSc (Nursing) Second Prize: Ms Sonam Palmo and Ms Ann John, second year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Tenzin Dakar, first year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Anupam Biju, second year BSc (Nursing).	16 Aug 2025
2	Intracollege Badminton (Men and Women)	Boys-Singles: First Prize: Mr Rennon D'Souza, fourth year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Milan Moncy, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Abhay U, second year PBBSc in Nursing. Boys-Doubles: First Prize: Mr Rennon D'Souza, fourth year BSc (Nursing) and Mr John Stephenson, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Muhammed Ameen T and Mr Pranav Haridas, fourth year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Goutham Prakash K K, fourth year BSc (Nursing) and	24 Aug 2025

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		Mr Abhay U, second year Post Basic BSc in Nursing. Girls-Singles: First Prize: Ms Linora Sian Mathias, first year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Lini Biju, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Sonam Palmo, second year BSc (Nursing). Girls-Doubles: First Prize: Ms Tenzin Dhekyong, third year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Jemimah James David, fourth year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Lini Biju and Ms Feba Merin Charles, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Clare Mary Joseph, and Ms Amritha Santhosh, first year BSc (Nursing).	
3	Intracollege Carroms (Singles and Doubles)	Boys-Singles: First Prize: Mr Abhay U, second year Post Basic BSc in Nursing, Second Prize: Mr Albin Binu, first year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Tenzin Dundup, second year BSc (Nursing). Boys -Doubles: First Prize: Mr Abhay U, second year Post Basic BSc in Nursing and Mr Sankar P, third year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Tenzin Dundup, second year BSc (Nursing) and Mr Kunga Legmeon, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Alen Antony Paruthikalam, second year BSc (Nursing) and Mr Adwaith Vinod, first year BSc (Nursing). Girls-Singles: First Prize: Ms Lini Biju, third year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Ashwtha, first year Post Basic BSc in Nursing and Third Prize: Ms Merin Tharakan, fourth year BSc (Nursing). Girls-Doubles: First Prize: Ms Ann John and Ms Anupam Biju, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Feba Merin Charles, third year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Namita Jeevan Attumaly, first year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Ruth, third year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Jenisha Dsouza, third year BSc (Nursing).	31 Aug 2025
4	Intracollege Basketball (Men and Women)	Boys: First Place: Team Ravens, Second Place: Team Panthers, and Third Place: Team Jaguars. Girls: First Place: Team Panthers, Second Place: Team Falcons, and Third Place: Team Ravens.	14 Sep 2025
5	Intracollege Chess (Men and Women)	Boys: First Prize: Mr Sankar P, third year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Jamyang Tenzin, second year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr Aston Roy Lobo, second year BSc (Nursing). Girls: First Prize: Ms Angel Treesa Shine, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Sonam Choedon, second year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Kaycee Richa D'Souza, third year BSc (Nursing).	21 Sep 2025
6	Intracollege Volleyball (Men and Women)	Boys: First Place: Team Falcons, Second Place: Team Ravens, and Third Place: Team Panthers. Girls: First Place: Team Ravens, Second Place: Team Falcons and Third Place: Team Jaguars.	11 Oct 2025
7	Intracollege Throwball (Womens)	Girls: First Place: Team Panthers, Second Place: Team Jaguars and Third Place: Team Falcons.	12 Oct 2025
8	Intracollege Football (Men and Women)	Boys: First Place: Team Falcons, Second Place: Team Jaguars and Third Place: Team Ravens. Girls: First Place: Team Ravens, Second Place: Team Panthers and Third Place: Team Jaguars.	26 Oct 2025

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9	Intracollege College Cricket (Men)	Boys: First Place: Team Panthers, Second Place: Team Falcons and Third Place: Team Jaguars.	26 Oct 2025
10	Annual Sports Meet 2025-26	The Annual Sports Meet of MCON, MAHE, was marked by great enthusiasm, high energy, and exemplary sportsmanship. Dr Vinod C Nayak, Associate Dean–Administration, KMC Manipal, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and inaugurated the event by releasing balloons. The Individual Championship was awarded to Ms Alisha Saloni D'Souza, second year BSc Nursing in the Women's Category, and Mr Goutham Prakash K K, fourth year BSc Nursing in the Men's Category. The Best Outgoing Sportsperson 2025-26 was awarded to Ms Jemimah James David, fourth year BSc Nursing in the Women's Category and Mr Abhay U, second year Post Basic BSc Nursing in the Men's Category.	24 Nov 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MAHE Inter Collegiate Best Physique Championship	Mr Abhay U, first year Post Basic BSc in Nursing, First Place (60 to 65 kg) in the MAHE Inter Collegiate Best Physique Championship 2024-25 Tournament held at WGSHA, Manipal.	27 Mar 2025
2	MAHE Intercollegiate Thunderbolt Volleyball Competition-Men	Mr Rennon D'Souza, Mr Alan Raju, Mr Pranav Haridas, Mr Muhammed Ameen T, and Mr Sherwin Vinith Karkada, all fourth year BSc (Nursing) students, along with Mr Abhay U, second year Post Basic BSc (Nursing) student, secured the Runner-Up position in the MAHE Thunderbolt Volleyball Cup held at Marena, Manipal.	30 Sep 2025
3	MAHE Thunderbolt Volleyball Tournament-Women	Ms Jemimah James David, fourth year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Rebecca Elsa Biju, third year BSc (Nursing) students, were part of the combined MAHE teams that won First Place in the MAHE Thunderbolt Volleyball Cup held at Marena, Manipal, representing Team A and Team B, respectively.	30 Sep 2025
4	5K Run for Mental Health Powered by Federal Bank	Mr Sonam Gurmey, first year BSc (Nursing), secured first place in the 5K run for Mental Health Powered by Federal Bank organized by Department of Student Affairs, MAHE Manipal.	11 Oct 2025
5	MAHE Intercollegiate Karate Competition	Mr Albert Joshy, second year BSc (Nursing) student, won the Gold Medal, while Ms Raina Liz Mathew and Mr Mithun Raj, both second year BSc (Nursing) students, secured Silver Medals in the Kumite event at the Intercollegiate Karate Competition held at Marena, Manipal.	16 Oct 2025

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6	South Zone Volleyball Event-Men	Mr Renon D'Souza, fourth year BSc (Nursing) participated in the South Zone Inter-University Men's Volleyball Tournament, which was organized by Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh, held from 10 to 14 December 2025.	10 Dec 2025
7	South Zone Volleyball Event-Women	Ms Avani P Subi, first year BSc (Nursing) , Ms Rebecca Elsa Biju, third year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Jemimah James David, fourth year BSc (Nursing) participated in the South Zonal Inter-University Volleyball tournament which was organized by SRM University, Chennai held from 15 to 19 December 2025.	15 Dec 2025

Outside University:

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1	Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions	Students of MCON, Manipal, brought laurels to the institution by securing multiple prizes organized by the Karnataka State Level Student Nurses' Association (SNA) Sports and Cultural Competitions conducted by TNAI in association with Sri Devraj Urs College of Nursing, Kolar, Karnataka, held on 16 and 17 September 2025. A total of 45 students from MCON actively participated in the event, accompanied by one faculty member, Mrs Shoba, Assistant Professor and SNA Advisor, who guided and supported the team throughout the competition.	16 Sep 2025
2	Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions	Students of MCON, Manipal, brought laurels to the institution by securing multiple prizes organized by Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions conducted by TNAI in association with Sri Devraj Urs College of Nursing, Kolar, Karnataka, held on 16 and 17 September 2025. In individual athletic events, Ms Alisha Saloni D'Souza, second year BSc (Nursing), secured first place in Long Jump and second place in the 100 m. Ms Suhani Chander, fourth year BSc (Nursing), won first place in Shot Put. Mr Goutham Prakash K K, fourth year BSc (Nursing), secured second place in Long Jump, while Ms Jemimah James David, fourth year BSc (Nursing), achieved third place in Discus Throw. Mr Joel Johnson, fourth year BSc (Nursing), secured second place in High Jump.	16 Sep 2025
3	Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions	Students of MCON, Manipal, brought laurels to the institution by securing multiple prizes organized by Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions conducted by TNAI in association with Sri Devraj Urs College of Nursing, Kolar, Karnataka held on 16 and 17 September 2025. In the Volleyball event, the team comprising Mr Leo Bastin Suresh (first year BSc Nursing), Mr Diffin Sebastian (third year BSc Nursing), Mr Rennon D Souza (fourth year BSc	16 Sep 2025

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		Nursing), Mr Alan Raju (fourth year BSc Nursing), Mr Muhammed Ameen T (fourth year BSc Nursing), Mr Pranav Haridas (fourth year BSc Nursing), Mr Derran Sheldon D Souza (fourth year BSc Nursing), Mr Sherwin Vinith Karkada (fourth year BSc Nursing), Mr Sannith Kumar (first year Post Basic BSc Nursing), and Mr Abhay U (second year Post Basic BSc Nursing) secured first place, showcasing excellent teamwork and sportsmanship.	
4	Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions	Students of MCON, Manipal, brought laurels to the institution by securing multiple prizes organized by the Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions conducted by TNAI in association with Sri Devraj Urs College of Nursing, Kolar, Karnataka, held on 16 and 17 September 2025. In relay events, Mr Rennon DSouza, Mr Goutham Prakash K K, Mr Joel Johnson, and Mr Denin Benny, all fourth year BSc (Nursing) students, secured third place in the Boys' 4×100 m Relay. The Girls' 4×100 m Relay team comprising Ms Linora Sian Mathias (first year), Ms Alisha Saloni D'Souza (second year), Ms Ruth (third year), and Ms Cimona Nazareth (fourth year) BSc (Nursing) students also secured third place.	16 Sep 2025
5	National Level SNA Competition 2025	The students of MCON actively participated in the 31st SNAI Biennial Conference 2025 and National Level SNA competition, held at MAEER's Vishwaraj Institute of Nursing, World Peace Dome, Loni Kalbhore, Pune from 20 to 22 November 2025. The conference served as a significant national platform for nursing students to engage in academic, professional, cultural, and sports activities, fostering leadership, teamwork, and professional development. A total of 14 students represented MCON, accompanied by Dr Anil Raj A, Assistant Professor, who guided and supported the students throughout the event. The students actively participated in various competitive events, including Throwball (Men), 100 m race (Women), Long Jump (Women), Poster Competition, and Mr SNA Competition. Ms Alisha Saloni D'Souza, second year BSc (Nursing) student, secured third place in the Long Jump event. Mr Leo Bastin Suresh (first year BSc Nursing), Mr Saksham Mahajan (first year BSc Nursing), Mr Diffin Sebastian (third year BSc Nursing), Mr Rennon D'Souza, Mr Alan Raju, Mr Muhammed Ameen T, Mr Pranav Haridas, Mr Derran Sheldon DSouza, and Mr Sherwin Vinith Karkada (fourth year BSc Nursing), Mr Sannith Kumar (first year Post Basic BSc Nursing), Mr Abhay U (second year Post Basic BSc Nursing), and Mr Pavan (third year Diploma in Nursing) won third place at the National Level Volleyball Competition.	20 Nov 2025

Cultural Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Awards and Annual Day 2025	In the future era of specialization, there is an increasing need for specialized nursing. Manipal has truly reached the length and breadth of the world with its excellence," said Dr T Dileep Kumar, President, Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi, during the 35th Awards and Annual Day of MCON, MAHE, held at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, Manipal. He emphasized the crucial role of nurses in healthcare delivery and called for increased investment in nursing, creation of nursing positions, interprofessional leadership, and enhanced service delivery. Dr Jeyalakshmi, Assistant Professor and convener of the Annual Day, proposed the vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the organizers and attendees for their support in making the event a success. Dr Sonia R B D'Souza, Professor and HOD, Department of Obstetrical and Gynaecological Nursing, compered the program, guiding the audience through the proceedings. The formal session was followed by a captivating cultural program presented by students and faculty, celebrating diversity and showcasing the creativity of the MCON community. Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, highlighted the values of discipline and confidence in nursing, encouraging students to view challenges as opportunities and to be problem solvers. Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, appreciated MCON's remarkable contributions to nursing education, clinical practice, and research. He praised the commitment, collaboration, and teamwork of students, faculty, and support staff, noting that MCON consistently provides world-class education and global experiences. Both dignitaries congratulated the graduates and faculty, wishing MCON continued success and greater heights in the future.	14 Feb 2025
2	Freshers Day 2026	The Student Nurses' Association organized Freshers' Day 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Halls, 1st floor, to welcome the new batch of BSc Nursing and Post Basic BSc Nursing students to the MCON family. Mr Rennon D'Souza, SNA President, welcomed the gathering. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, addressed the freshers and shared valuable tips to excel in academics and avoid distractions. Various cultural performances and fun games entertained the audience. Mr Abraham and Ms Elba were crowned Mr and Ms MCON 2025. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms Simmy Elizabeth Baby.	21 Aug 2025
3	Cartooning Competition	First Prize: Mr Tenzin Youten and Mr Alphin Binu KURAN Thazhath, first year BSc (Nursing), Second Place: Mr Joseph Matthew, Ms Elena Sabu, first year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Jensine Mariam Joseph, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Place: Ms Sheryl James Fernandes and Ms Jeslin Delviya Dsouza, second year BSc (Nursing).	01 Sep 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
4	Teachers' Day 2025	The SNA organized Teachers' Day 2025 on 05 September 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Hall. The program began with the teachers' entry walk, followed by a prayer song by Ms Sreelekshmi and team. Mr Rennon, SNA President, welcomed the gathering, followed by the Dean's address and Teachers' Day message. Students presented various cultural programs including eastern and western songs, dances, poetry, and multicultural performances. The Mr and Mrs MCON competition honoured Mr Amol Powar and Mrs Sweety Fernandes. The program concluded with a gratitude video and vote of thanks by Ms Anjali Peter.	05 Sep 2025
5	Spot Photography Competition	First Prize: Mr Alen Antony Paruthikalam, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Poojya Praveen, first year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Mr George P Jisho, second year BSc (Nursing).	12 Sep 2025
6	Painting Competition	First Prize: Ms Prithika Frith Pinto and Ms Jelby Elsa Jees, third year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Varada R, third year BSc (Nursing) and Ms Delna Binu, first year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Jensine Mariam Joseph, third year BSc (Nursing).	12 Sep 2025
7	Mimicry Competition	First Prize: Mr Alen Antony Paruthikalam, second year BSc (Nursing).	17 Sep 2025
8	Stand Up Comedy Competition	First Prize: Ms Anna Varghese, third year BSc (Nursing)	17 Sep 2025
9	Mad Ads Competition	First Place: Team Jaguars and Second Place: Team Falcons.	27 Sep 2025
10	Street Play Competition	First Place: Team Jaguars and Falcons	27 Sep 2025
11	Anthakshari Competition	First Place: Team Falcons, Second Place: Team Panthers and Third Place: Team Ravens	07 Oct 2025
12	Rangoli Competition	First Place: Team Falcons, Second Place: Team Ravens and Third Place: Team Panthers.	11 Oct 2025
13	Western Vocals Solo Competition	First Prize: Ms Prithika Frith Pinto, third year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Asin Maria Joseph, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Jemima John, first year BSc (Nursing).	15 Oct 2025
14	Instrumental Solo Competition	First Prize: Mr Rennon D Souza, fourth year BSc (Nursing) and Second Prize: Mr Habel Reji Thomas, fourth year BSc (Nursing).	15 Oct 2025
15	Clay Modelling Competition	First Place: Team Jaguars, Second Place: Team Panthers and Third Place: Team Falcons.	20 Oct 2025
16	Eastern Vocals Solo Competition	First Prize: Ms Vinisha Jesvita Nazareth, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Denna Sebastian, second year BSc (Nursing), Third Prize: Ms Diya Liz Jaison, first year BSc (Nursing).	22 Oct 2025
17	Indian Classical Solo Competition	First Prize: Ms Adithya Gireesh, fourth year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Meenakshi Momish, third year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Bonita Theres Santhosh, third year BSc (Nursing).	27 Nov 2025
18	Western Dance Solo Competition	First Prize: Mr Winston Preeth Fernandes, second year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Mr Devdan Ajayakumar	27 Nov 2025

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		Anjaneyam, second year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Mariet Dsouza, second year BSc (Nursing).	
19	Eastern Dance Solo Competition	First Prize: Ms Della Raju, fourth year BSc (Nursing), Second Prize: Ms Blessy Mol Biju, second year BSc (Nursing) and Third Prize: Ms Merin Stephen, second year BSc (Nursing).	27 Nov 2025
20	Eastern Dance Group Competition	First Place: Team Panthers, Second Place: Team Ravens and Falcons, and Third Place: Team Jaguars.	27 Nov 2025
21	Cultural Parade Competition	First Place: Team Ravens, Second Place: Team Panthers, and Third Place: Team Falcons.	27 Nov 2025
22	Western Vocals Group Competition	First Place: Team Panthers, Second Place: Team Ravens, and Third Place: Team Jaguars.	27 Nov 2025
23	Western Dance Group Competition	First Place: Team Ravens, Second Place: Team Panthers, and Third Place: Team Falcons.	27 Nov 2025
24	MIME Competition	First Place: Team Panthers, Second Place: Team Ravens, and Third Place: Team Falcons.	27 Nov 2025
25	Eastern Vocals Group Competition	First Place: Team Falcons, Second Place: Team Ravens, and Third Place: Team Panthers.	27 Nov 2025
26	Folk Dance Group Competition	First Place: Team Ravens, Second Place: Team Jaguars, and Third Place: Team Falcons.	27 Nov 2025
27	Imprintz 2025-26	The Cultural Fest 2025 of MCON, MAHE Manipal, titled Imprintiz 2025–26, was successfully conducted as a vibrant, full-day celebration of cultural expression and artistic excellence on 27 November 2025, from 08:00 am to 04:30 pm. The event featured a well-organized sequence of competitions, beginning with the mime competition, followed by Indian non-classical and classical solo dances, Western and Eastern dance forms, vocal music events, and a colourful cultural parade. Each performance segment was immediately followed by prize distribution, ensuring smooth progression and maintaining the rhythm of the program. The formal inauguration ceremony added significance to the event and set a dignified tone for the day. Dr P Rajshekhar, Vice Principal of WGSHA, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. The afternoon session was equally engaging, showcasing Western group dance, Eastern vocal music, folk dance, and an impressive fashion show, all of which received enthusiastic appreciation from the audience. The fest concluded with the announcement of the Sharon Wilson's Memorial Ever-Rolling Best Dance Group Trophy and the Overall Championship Trophy. Team Panthers emerged as the Overall Champions for the academic year 2025–26. The entire program was meticulously coordinated by the SNA office bearers, committee chairpersons, faculty members, and student volunteers, ensuring effective management and adherence to the schedule.	27 Nov 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MAHE UTSAV 2025	UTSAV 2025, organized by the Cultural Coordination Committee of MAHE from 24 to 28 March 2025, was a vibrant celebration of art, culture, and tradition. This year's theme, "Tribal Communities of India," highlighted the richness of Indigenous heritage. MCON actively participated in 39 of 40 events, securing fifth place with 62 points, while Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Mangalore, took first place. Our students demonstrated exceptional talent, teamwork, and dedication, contributing significantly to the fest. Faculty members also participated in staff competitions, fostering greater community engagement. The college's overall participation was led by Advisor Dr Vinish, Co-Advisor Dr Sushmitha Karkada, Chairperson Ms Angel Jossie, and Secretary Ms Achanchala. UTSAV 2025 was a memorable celebration of culture, talent, and unity for both students and faculty.	24 Mar 2025
2	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Mr Ronak Kamath, second year Post Basic BSc in Nursing, won second place in the Instrumental (Solo) competition, MAHE UTSAV 2025, held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	25 Mar 2025
3	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Ms Ann John, Mr Adhwaidh P, Mr Sachu Saji Joseph, Mr Parladh Kharel, Mr George P Jisho, Mr Ashid T S, and Ms Keziah Elizabeth Abraham (first year), along with Mr Alex Shaji (third year) BSc Nursing students, won second place in the Group MIME competition at MAHE UTSAV 2025, held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	26 Mar 2025
4	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Ms Adithya Gireesh, a third year BSc (Nursing), won first place in the Indian Classical Dance (Solo) competition, MAHE UTSAV 2025, held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	26 Mar 2025
5	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Mr Sherwin Vinith Karkada, fourth year BSc (Nursing), won third place in the Western Vocal (Solo) competition, MAHE UTSAV 2025 held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	27 Mar 2025
6	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Ms Cereena Benny and Ms Prithika Frith Pinto (second year), Ms Kesia Shaji Thomas, Ms Sharon Anna Johns, Mr Habel Reji Thomas, Ms Sarah Shaji Varghese, and Ms Christene Merin Thomas (third year), and Ms Neha Mariam Mathew and Mr Sherwin Vinith Karkada (fourth year) BSc Nursing students won first place in the Western Vocal (Group) competition at MAHE UTSAV 2025, held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	27 Mar 2025
7	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Ms Jensine Mariam Joseph and Ms Prithika Frith Pinto (second year) and Ms Joshna Jose (third year) BSc Nursing students won first place in the Clay Modelling	28 Mar 2025

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		(Group) competition at MAHE UTSAV 2025, held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	
8	MAHE UTSAV 2025	Ms Nethravathi, fourth year BSc (Nursing), won second place in Poetry (Kannada) competition, MAHE UTSAV 2025 held at KMC Greens, Manipal.	28 Mar 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Karnataka State Level SNA Sports and Cultural Competitions	Students of MCON, Manipal, brought laurels to the institution by securing multiple prizes organized by the Karnataka State Level Student Nurses' Association (SNA) Sports and Cultural Competitions conducted by TNAI in association with Sri Devraj Urs College of Nursing, Kolar, Karnataka, held on 16 and 17 September 2025. A total of 45 students from MCON actively participated in the event, accompanied by one faculty member, Mrs Shoba, Assistant Professor and SNA Advisor, who guided and supported the team throughout the competition. Mr Rennon D Souza, a fourth year BSc (Nursing) student, won the Mr SNA title, and Ms Diya George, a third year BSc (Nursing) student, secured second place in the Extempore Competition.	16 Sep 2025
2	National Level SNA Competition 2025	The students of MCON actively participated in the 31st SNAI Biennial Conference 2025 and National-level SNA competition, held at MAEER's Vishwaraj Institute of Nursing, World Peace Dome, Loni Kalbhore, Pune, from 20 to 22 November 2025. The conference served as a significant national platform for nursing students to engage in academic, professional, cultural, and sports activities, fostering leadership, teamwork, and professional development. A total of 14 students represented MCON, accompanied by Dr Anil Raj A, Assistant Professor, who guided and supported the students throughout the event. The students actively participated in various competitive events, including Throwball (Men), 100 m race (Women), Long Jump (Women), Poster Competition, and Mr SNA Competition.	20 Nov 2025

Photo Archive of Important events

Curriculum Conclave 2025 on 'Revisiting the Baccalaureate Nursing Curriculum' held on 18 Nov 2025.

Hands-on Workshop: Next Gen Learning-AI Toolbox for Education and Research held on 6 Dec 2025.

International Conference on Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) in Health: Envisioning a Future of Global Collaboration for Education, Research, and Practice held between 8 and 9 Jul 2025.

Seminar on Evidence Synthesisheld held between 26 and 27 Nov 2025.

International Nurses' Day 2025 held on 12 May 2025.

Awards and Annual Day 2025 held on 14 Feb 2025.

MCON Research and Innovation Day 2025 held on 25 Oct 2025.

Global Exposure for Future Nursing Leaders-200th International Council of Nurses (ICN) Congress Student Assembly held in Helsinki, Finland held on 08 Jun 2025.

Academic Mobility Experience, The Faculty, School of Nursing, The Maldives National University (MNU), Maldives, held between 03 and 09 Nov 2025.

CNE conducted for Al Salam Hospital Co Kuwait held between 19 and 28 Oct 2025.

Manipal Centre for Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care

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- Dr Vimal Krishnan
- Dr Prakash Peralam Yegneswaran
- Mrs Janet Alva
- Mr Prasannakumara
- Ms Suchetha Sowmyashree
- Dr Sushmitha Karkada
- Mr Shreenidhi Jogi

Brief About the Centre:
Vision:
To create a leading Center for wound care that enhances students' employability through advanced OSCE-based training, accredited and evidence-based education, and interprofessional learning, while actively collaborating with industry and world-class organizations to prepare job-ready professionals for global practice.

Mission:
To empower future healthcare professionals in advanced wound management through evidence-based practice, personalized care, development of standardized protocols, and promotion of innovation via patents and copyrights to strengthen quality improvement in healthcare and research.

Objectives:

- ✓ To equip students with an interprofessional approach to wound care competencies
- ✓ To sensitize students toward a multicultural understanding of infected wound care
- ✓ Promote effective collaboration among health sciences professions toward wound care and patient education in the clinical arena.
- ✓ To carry out R&D in the area of the Interprofessional (IP) approach to wound care
- ✓ To attract industry-academia collaboration and funding
- ✓ To conduct international and national scientific programs with partner universities
- ✓ To copyright and patent innovative teaching, learning, and assessment tools in wound care
- ✓ To invite PhD and Post Doc fellows in areas of innovative practices in image-based Artificial Intelligence in wound assessment and evaluation to improve quality assessment and wound care workflow.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Workshop on Every Wound Tells a Story – At Life's End, Comfort Over Cure in collaboration with Manipal Centre of Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care and Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC). Resource persons are Dr Krithika S Rao, Associate Professor, Department of Palliative Medicine and Supportive Care, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal,	43 faculty and students took part in the Workshop in collaboration with MHRC and Palliative Peace, Punjab	27 May 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	Co-course Director, International Neuro Palliative Care Certificate Course by Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, INPCS, and BHT Karunashraya, Bangalore. Dr Olga Gershuni, Lecturer and Researcher, Fontys University of Applied Sciences and Maastricht University Prof Avtar Singh Cheema, Founder/CEO, Palliative Peace, Punjab Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, MAHE-FAIMER, Professor and QMR, Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Deputy Director, Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), Centre Coordinator-Manipal, Centre for Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal		
2	**Workshop on Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care** in collaboration with Manipal Centre of Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care, Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC), and Nursing Services, Kasturba Hospital. By Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, MAHE-FAIMER, Professor and QMR, Manipal College of Nursing, Deputy Director, Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, Coordinator, CEIAWC Dr Sushmitha Karkada, Associate Professor, Department of OBGN, Manipal College of Nursing, Co-coordinator, CEIAWC Ms Precilla Noronha, Infection Control Nurse, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Ms Shalini, Nurse Educator, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	31 participants participated from Kasturba Hospital and MHRC	28 Jun 2025
3	**Interprofessional Advanced Wound care Skills sharing in collaboration with FAIMER Institute.** By Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, MAHE-FAIMER, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Sushmitha Ramona Karkada, Assistant Professor - Senior Scale, Obstetrical and Gynecological Nursing, Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Joseph Thomas, Professor and Head, Department of Plastic Surgery, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Vishal Shanbhag, Associate Professor, Department of Critical Care, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Seema Rajesh Rao, Director – Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Krithika Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Palliative	22 Participants	15 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	Medicine and Supportive Care, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Mr Sreenidhi Jogi, PhD Scholar, Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Mr Prasanakumara, PhD Scholar, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal		
4	**Copy-RIGHT A Hands-On Workshop** in collaboration with Manipal Centre of Excellence in Interprofessional Advanced Wound Care and Technology Transfer Office, Department of Research, MAHE, Manipal By Dr S Varadarajan, Deputy Director, Intellectual Property and Technology, Transfer Office (IPTTO), Associate Professor, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director, M-FIILIPE, Coordinator, CEIAWC, Professor and QMR, MCON, Deputy Director, Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Advocate Pranav Bhat, Intellectual Property Strategist	32 participants participated and copyright details are recorded for follow up workshop and filing	30 Oct 2025
5	**Indo-Australian Collaborative Workshop on Humility-The Heart of End-of-Life Care,** in collaboration with Pillar III: Expanding Reach and Internationalization, Manipal College of Nursing, Deakin University, Australia, and Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC) By Dr Seema Rao, Prof and Director, Manipal Hospice and Respite Care (MHRC), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Patricia Nicholson, Associate Professor of Nursing, Faculty of Health/School of Nursing and Midwifery /Institute for Health Transformation, Deakin University Dr Elsa Sanatombi Devi, Director M-FIILIPE, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, Professor of Nursing, Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Dr Matthew Jackson, Faculty of Health/School of Nursing and Midwifery/Institute for Health Transformation, Deakin University Dr Sudhakar Nayak, Former Director, Manipal Center for Professional and Personal Development (MCPD), Former Professor, Biochemistry, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	22 participants from Deakin and MAHE took part in the hands-on workshop	19 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
6	 **Initiated Certificate course on** "Interprofessional advanced wound care for health care professionals (12 Credit course) dated September 2025	30 students	12 Sep 2025
7	The certificate course is conducted in collaboration with Coloplast India and the University of New Brunswick, Canada. 	Industry-academia collaboration (Two slots per year)	24 Sep - 27 Dec 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Intellectual achievers of the world award	Outstanding and extraordinary achievements in the chosen field of activity and service, greater friendship and international co-operation from the Friendship Forum, Delhi	Nov 2025

Patents/Copyrights Filed

Sl No	Patents/Copyright Title	Filed/Received ID	Filed/Received
1	Patent: A system and method for assessing and managing pressure ulcers	202441097558 (Filed)	06 Jun 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Name of the PI	Date
1	Development of Interprofessional Pressure Injury App Bundle (IPI App-Bundle) and its effectiveness in managing pressure ulcer injuries among caregivers of patients with pressure ulcer injuries in a selected tertiary care hospital, Udupi district 	Mr Shreenidhi Jogi	01 Apr 2023 - 31 Apr 2027
2	Burden of hospital-acquired pressure injuries (HAPI's) and the effects of a nurse-led "HAPI prevention bundle" on the outcomes of pressure injuries among critically ill patients in two tertiary care teaching hospitals in coastal Karnataka. 	Mr Prasannakumara	23 Jan 2023 - 25 Oct 2027
3	Effectiveness of the Interprofessional Advanced Wound Management Programme (IAWMP) in terms of knowledge,	Ms Effienia D Wahlang	25 Nov 2022 - 31 Mar 2026

skill, readiness for interprofessional learning, and interprofessional collaborative competency of Medical and Nursing graduates of Kasturba Medical College and Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal

Publications

- Design and development of an mHealth Application for pressure ulcer care and caregiver support. Shreenidhi Jogi, Vishal Sukumar Shanbhag, Lakshay Chhauhan, Utkarsh Dubey, Ajitha KB Shenoy, Elsa Sanatombi Devi. (2025). Frontiers in Digital Health; 7: 1694486, December; DOI: 10.3389/fdgth.2025.1694486 (Q1)

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- Transformative bioprinting: 4D printing and its role in the evolution of engineering and personalized medicine. V Mathur, P Agarwal, M Kasturi, S Varadharajan, ES Devi, KS Vasanthan; 2025, Discover Nano, **Springer,** 20 (1), 1-57 https://doi.org/10.1186/s11671-025-04230-w (Q2)

Photo Gallery

Every Wound Tells a Story - At Life's End, Comfort Over Cure, 27 May 2025

Centre for Elderly Care, Education and Research

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: December 2024

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Brief About the Centre

Vision

To be a Centre of excellence in elder care, education, and research that empowers professionals, fosters interprofessional collaboration, advances evidence-based practice, and strengthens academia-industry partnerships to enhance the quality of life of older adults.

Mission:

- To build capacity and empower healthcare professionals, caregivers, and community stakeholders through innovative education and skill-based training in elderly care.
- To promote interprofessional education by integrating nursing, medicine, allied health sciences, social work, and technology for comprehensive geriatric care.
- To advance interprofessional and translational research that addresses the evolving health, social, and psychosocial needs of the ageing population.
- To develop sustainable academia–industry partnerships that support innovation, knowledge exchange, and implementation of best practices in elder care.
- To contribute to policy development and community engagement aimed at dignified, inclusive, and person-centred care for older adults.

Objectives

- To build capacity and empower individuals in the field of elderly care
- To promote interprofessional education in the field of elderly care
- To advance interprofessional research in the field of elderly care
- To develop an academia- industry partnership in the field of elderly care

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	The Centre for Elderly Care Education and Research, a collaborative center of Manipal College of Nursing and Manipal College of Health Professions, initiated its activities on the auspicious occasion of the 90th Birthday of Dr Ramdas Pai, Chancellor of Manipal Academy of Higher Education. In observance of World Alzheimer's Month 2025, a significant awareness session on "Brain Health for Senior Citizens" was organized at IMA Bhavan, Udupi. The event aimed to raise public awareness about brain health, cognitive decline prevention, and support for elderly individuals, with a special focus on Alzheimer's disease and related dementias.	The event was coordinated by the Centre, in partnership with the Department of Psychiatry, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal, Department of Social and Health Innovation, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), and Dementia India Alliance, in collaboration with Lions Club Manipal, IMA Udupi Karavali, WDW-IMA Udupi Karavali, and Udupi Senior Citizens Association.	17 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2	The Training of Trainers Workshop on Geriatric Palliative Care was conducted at Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE. The workshop aimed to strengthen the competencies of healthcare professionals in delivering holistic palliative care to the elderly population, aligning with global standards and the vision of improving the quality of life for older adults. The event brought together experts from medicine, nursing, psychiatry, hospice care, and social work to train participants on key domains of geriatric palliative care, including symptom management, communication, ethical decision-making, and end-of-life support.	This initiative directly supports the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) (age-friendly care systems)	13 - 14 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	"ELDER-AID: Empowering Learning for Dignified Elder Responses – Action in Integrated Delivery of Care"	ICMR DHR F. No. R.12016/18/2025-HR	Dr Anil Raj	64 Lakh	01 Dec 2025

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2. Rekha, S V, Mohapatra, S, and Nandakumar, G Manual dexterity among older adults with and without sarcopenia. BMC Geriatr (2025). https://doi.org/10.1186/s12877-025-06862-0
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Geriatric Palliative Care Training of Trainers (ToT)

World Alzheimer's Day

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Established:1959
Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:
Diploma in Nursing
About the Institution/School:
Manipal School of Nursing (MSON) made a humble beginning in 1959, inspired by the insight and wisdom of our founder Dr TMA Pai, who worked relentlessly with the conviction that "education helps to remove the ills of society." The government aid was minimal, if any. The school took its first steps as the Auxiliary Nurse Midwives Training Centre and was later upgraded to a General Nursing and Midwifery Training Centre in 1962. The professional educational program is geared to prepare nurses to meet the health needs of individuals, families, the community, and the country at large. The scope of diploma nursing is very vast and includes practice in hospitals, communities, industry, air force, navy, army, hospitality sector, education, administration, and many others in the country and abroad. It also forms a strong foundation for advanced courses in nursing. The school is also certified by ISO 9001-2015 and an Integrated Management System and accredited by the Karnataka Nursing Council and the Indian Nursing Council. The annual sanctioned intake of the school is 60 students, with 10 per cent of the seats reserved for government-sponsored candidates and 5 per cent reserved for boys. The final year result in the last academic year was 98 per cent.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Session on "Revised NANDA Nursing Diagnosis"	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE Manipal organized the Session on "Revised NANDA Nursing	25 Jan 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		Diagnosis" on 25 January 2025, between 14:00 and 16:00 for the faculty of MSON. Mrs Radhika R Pai, Assistant Professor, Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, was the resource person. She discussed the revised Nanda Nursing Diagnosis based on PEM Classification. She highlighted the dos and don'ts while writing the nursing process. She also emphasizes how the trends/changes can be implemented in clinical practice. A total of 16 faculty members attended the guest lecture.	
2	Annual Day and Lamp Lighting Ceremony	Annual Day and Lamp Lighting ceremony of Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal was held on Thursday, 13 Mar 2025. Dr Anice George, Professor and Head, Research and Collaboration MCON, MAHE, Manipal, was the chief guest for the program. She congratulated the students who lit the lamp and addressed the importance of lighting the lamp. She addressed freshers regarding the confidence and psychomotor skills required in the nursing profession, where nurses give hope rather than mechanical care. Dr Anice emphasized the proper utilization of AI technology along with human touch. She also congratulated the graduates who are completing the formal academic training, which is the beginning of informal lifelong learning. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE, Manipal, in her presidential address, advised the students about the importance of dignity in the nursing profession, qualities of a nurse so she get excellence in her career, and also highlighted the involvement of faculty in research activity. She congratulated all the students for choosing nursing as a profession. Mrs Shanthi Pinto, Convener, Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal, welcomed the gathering and introduced the Chief Guest. Dr Leena Sequira, Principal, Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal, presented the Annual Report of the School for the year 2024. Meritorious students of various batches were awarded. Mrs Sylvin Mendonca, class coordinator of 1st year Diploma in Nursing and Midwifery (DNM), proposed the vote of thanks. The entire program was coordinated by Mrs Pavitra Nayak, Assistant Lecturer, Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal. The formal function was followed by the cultural program.	13 Mar 2025
3	Session on "Communication"	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE Manipal organized the Session on "Communication" on 06 Jun 2025, between 14:00 and 16:00 for second-year MSON students. Dr Olga Gershuni, Lecturer, Fontys University of Applied Sciences, Eindhoven, the Netherlands, Adjunct Faculty of MCON, MAHE, Manipal, was the resource person. She discussed points which strengthen communication Practices within teams and with patients, she also focused on accuracy, empathy, and interprofessional collaboration to enhance patient outcomes and safety. A total of 55 students attended the session.	06 Jun 2025

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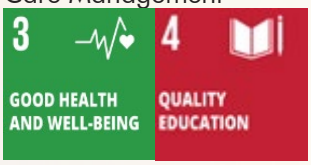
4	Session on "Patient Stories and the Importance of Reflection on Learning" 	Dr Toni Bewley, an adjunct faculty member at Manipal College of Nursing, conducted a session titled "Patient Stories and the Importance of Reflection on Learning" for the second-year diploma nursing students at Manipal School of Nursing on 30 Jun 2025, from 14:00 to 15:30. She elaborated on the significant influence of reflective practice and narrative in the realms of nursing education and professional development. The session was both motivating and engaging, incorporating active learning exercises that kept participants engaged.	30 Jun 2025 - 30 Jun 2026
5	A Session on "Importance of Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing" 	Manipal School of Nursing organized a session on "Importance of Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing" on 12 July 2025, at 14:30 as a part of Pillar 2 (IOE): Exemplary Research and Innovation of Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal. The target audience was Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery students. Dr Shalini Ganesh Nayak, Associate Professor (Senior scale), Department of Medical-Surgical Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, was the resource person for the session. She has explained about Evidence-Based Practice in Nursing, its aims and objectives. Also highlighted the hierarchy and steps. A total of 52 participants attended the session. Ms Shobha, Assistant Lecturer, Manipal School of Nursing, coordinated the session. The session was engaging through active learning exercises.	12 Jul 2025
6	Seminar on " Updates in Health Care Management" 	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, had organized a seminar on 'Updates in Health Care Management' on 16 July for final year DNM students. The chief guest of the program was Dr Shashidhara Y N, Professor and Head, Department of Community Health Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Leena Sequira, Principal, MSON, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, introduced the chief guest and welcomed the gathering. Dr Judith A Noronha, Dean, MCON, Manipal, addressed the participants on the importance of nursing care. She mainly focused on the 3 C's: care, compassion, and commitment, and also advised the students to focus on patient care by using knowledge and technology. Dr Shashidhar Y N addressed the participants on the importance of prevention of communicable and non-communicable diseases by using proper personal hygiene, environmental hygiene, and utilization of community health programs, and also focused on understanding the purpose of care before delivering to the patient. The first session was on Legal and Ethical Issues in Patient Care by Ms Prathibha Lydia Braggs, Lecturer, MCON, MAHE, Manipal. She highlighted the ethical principles and legal responsibilities of a nurse and emphasized common ethical issues in patient care. Ms Sweety Jousline Fernades, Assistant Professor, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, elaborated on Effective Communication in Health Care, which included strategies to improve effective communication and appropriate communication etiquette to be followed while working in a health care setting. Dr Soumya Christabel, Assistant Professor, MCON, MAHE,	16 Jul 2025

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		Manipal, explained the nurse's role in the administration of medication. She discussed the rights, routes of drug administration, and also stressed on medication	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Mr Siraj Salim Shaik	Nursing officer, Tata Memorial Hospital, Navi Mumbai	An Effective Alumni Engagement Guest Lecture is arranged by Manipal School of Nursing MCON, MAHE, Manipal, on "Safety Practices While Handling Chemotherapeutic Drugs" for III year GNM students. The resource person was Mr Siraj Salim Shaikh. He is an alumna of MSON, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, Diploma(N) batch (2014 to 2018). He stressed the Classification of chemotherapeutic drugs. Mr Siraj also explained the preparation and precautions to be taken while handling chemotherapeutic and vesicant drugs. There was active interaction between the students and the resource person, which led to a good learning experience. A total of 67 participants (GNM students and staff nurses of Paediatric Onco Haematology) attended the session. Organizing interactions with experts in the field and preparing the student nurses for future healthcare services	29 Jan 2025
2	Ms Deona Daphney Denis Dsouza	Band 5 Staff Nurse, Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital Northumberland, UK	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal hosted a guest lecture on "Care of the Elderly" The target audience is First-year GNM students. Ms Deona Daphney Denis D'Souza, Band 5, Staff Nurse at Northumbria Specialist Emergency Care Hospital, UK (Diploma (N) Batch 2019 to 2022), was the resource person. She emphasized NHS protocol for geriatric patients, primarily focused on "frailty" identification and management. Ms Deona also highlighted the Assessment of elderly individuals using the Clinical Frailty Scale, prioritizing early identification and delivering tailored care plans that address the multiple health issues of the elderly. A total of 60 participants attended the session	22 Feb 2025
3	Ms Sushmitha	Staff Nurse, MGM Hospital and Research Center, Navi Mumbai	An alumni guest lecture was arranged by Manipal School of Nursing MCON, MAHE, Manipal for II year GNM students. The resource person was Ms Sushmitha. She is an alumna of MSON MAHE, Manipal Diploma (N) batch (2012 to 2016). She stressed on Role of a nurse in Triage System. She also stressed on principles of emergency nursing, Role of emergency nurse and how to deal the emergency cases. There was active interaction between the students and the resource person, which led to a good learning experience. A total of 55 participants attended the session. Organizing interactions with experts in the field and preparing the student nurses for future healthcare services.	05 May 2025

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4	Ms Vidhya Manjunatha Acharya	Staff Nurse, University Hospital, Sharjah, UAE	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal hosted a guest lecture on "Role of nurse in the Labour Room" The target audience is third-year GNM students. Ms Vidhya Manjunath Acharya Staff Nurse, University Hospital Sharjah, UAE. (Diploma (N) Batch 2004 to 2007) was the resource person. She emphasized on role of a nurse in each stage of the labour protocol followed during medication administration and management. Ms Vidhya also highlighted that effective documentation not only supports safe and efficient management of labour but also aids in early recognition and prevention of complications. Through vigilance, skilled management, and preventive care, nurses play a pivotal role in safeguarding the lives of both mother and baby. A total of 60 participants attended the session	10 Oct 2025
5	Mr Gilbert Dsouza	Nurse Practitioner, Veterans Administration Hospital, US	Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal hosted a guest lecture on "post-traumatic stress disorder. The target audience is third-year GNM students. Mr Gilbert D Souza Nurse practitioner at Veterans Administration Hospital, US (Diploma (N) Batch 1981 to 1984 was the resource person. He emphasized that the understanding of PTSD is essential to provide holistic, trauma- informed care to patients in a variety of health care settings. Mr Gilbert also highlighted the Nurses play a vital role in early detection, patient education, and the coordination of evidence-based treatment by integrating trauma-informed and compassionate care. He also stressed that the nurses can empower the patients to achieve recovery and improve their quality of life. A total of 47 participants attended the session.	10 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
1	0	1	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
26	04	1	0

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Seminar	1	0

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	"A study on prevalence of Chronic Kidney Disease and Evaluation of the effectiveness of multimodal intervention on knowledge, lifestyle modification on Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) among adults in a rural community of Udupi District, Karnataka state – A pretest- posttest intervention study".	Dr Leena Sequira	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)	1,166,402	01 Mar 2025-28 Feb 2026

Awards/Recognitions

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Shalet Snehalatha Alva	Won individual championship in the MAHE Staff Intercollegiate Athletic Events	23 Mar 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Sthuthi S Karkera	Best outgoing student for the year (2023 - 2024)	13 Mar 2025
2	Ms Ashwitha Nayak	Top Scorer in DNM 2021 - 2024 (Gold Medal winner)	13 Mar 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities

Sports Activities

In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual Sports Meet	Manipal School of Nursing (MSON), under MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized its annual sports meet. The program began at 8.30 am with a march past by MSON students accompanied by the band troupe of Madhava Kripa School. Teams were introduced to the chief guest, Dr Melita Sheilini, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Surgical Nursing, MCON, by Ms Shanti P, Assistant Director, Physical Education, KMC, MAHE. The event included an invocation, welcome, and introduction of the chief guest by Mrs Joycee Nancy Noronha. Dr Melita Sheilini addressed the gathering, emphasizing sportsmanship, the benefits of sports, and declared the sports meet 2025-26 open. The torch ceremony followed, and the sports oath was administered by Mr Dhanush, Sports Secretary. The inaugural program concluded with felicitation of the band students and a vote of thanks by Mrs Ashwini Shetty. Athletic events included track, jump, and throw events, along with faculty events. Winners were honoured by dignitaries. The valedictory ceremony at 15:15 was graced by Dr Tessy Treesa Jose, Associate Dean, MCON. Individual championships were won by Mr Pema (men) and Ms Manya (women). The event concluded with a vote of thanks.	06 Dec 2025

Cultural Activities

In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Kalotsav Cultural Fest	The Student Nurses Association (SNA) of Manipal School of Nursing, MCON, MAHE, Manipal, organized Kalostav at the MIT Auditorium, Manipal. Ms Savitha Talawar welcomed the gathering. The program was inaugurated by lighting the lamp by Dean Dr Judith A Noronha, MCON, Dr Leena Sequira, Principal,	29 Nov 2025

MSON, the Cultural Committee advisor Ms Sylvin Prapulla Mendonca, co-advisors, Ms Nandini, and Ms Supriya and the student leader Ms Prathiksha. Dr Judith A Noronha addressed the gathering about the importance of co-curricular activity in overall academic development, and it helps to build courage and confidence to showcase talent. Also, she conveyed her best wishes. A variety of cultural competitions were conducted throughout the fest, including classical, non-classical group dance, skit, fancy dress, fashion show, Ms MSON and Mr MSON. One of the highlights of the fest was Mr and Ms MSON competition. Ms Migmar Dolma was crowned Ms MSON, and Mr Nishal S Karkera won the title of Mr MSON. The atmosphere was filled with excitement, joy, and celebration of cultural diversity. Judges, faculty and students of MSON enjoyed and encouraged their peers. The individual championship title was awarded to Ms Annette Serena, a third-year student and the overall championship trophy was bagged by team Pioneers. At the end of the program, Ms Vanisha proposed the vote of thanks. The entire program of Kalostav was coordinated by Cultural Committee Faculty Advisors.

Photo Archive of Important Events

Annual Sports Meet

Lamp Lighting Ceremony

Annual Day and Lamp Lighting Ceremony

Annual Sports Meet- Champions

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Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

UG Programs

- Bachelor of Physiotherapy
- Bachelor of Occupational Therapy
- Bachelor in Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology
- BSc (Nuclear Medicine Technology)
- BSc (Medical Laboratory Technology)
- BSc (Respiratory Therapy)
- BSc (Medical Imaging Technology)
- BSc (Emergency Medical Technology)
- Bachelor of Optometry
- BSc (Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology)
- BSc (Cardiovascular Technology)
- BSc (Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology)
- BSc (Health Information Management)
- BSc (Exercise and Sports Sciences)
- BSc (Clinical Psychology)
- BSc (Perfusion Technology)
- BSc (Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics)
- BSc (Radiotherapy Technology)
- BSc (Physician Assistant)
- Bachelor of Prosthetics and Orthotics
- BSc Neuroscience Technology

PG Programs

- MSc (Audiology)
- MSc (Speech-Language Pathology)
- MSc (Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology)
- Master of Optometry
- MSc (Clinical Psychology)
- MSc (Echocardiography)
- MSc (Cardiac Care and Intervention Technology)
- MSc (Exercise and Sports Sciences)
- MSc (Health Information Management)
- MSc Health Informatics (Healthcare IT Management)
- MSc (Medical Imaging Technology)
- MSc (Medical Radiation Physics)
- MSc (Nuclear Medicine Technology)
- MSc (Perfusion Technology)
- MSc Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology
- MSc Emergency Medical Technology
- MSc (Medical Radiochemistry)
- MSc (Radiotherapy Technology)

MSc Respiratory Therapy (MSc RT)

- MSc (RT) Adult Respiratory Care

- MSc (RT) Neonatal and Paediatric Respiratory Care

Master of Physiotherapy (MPT)
- MPT (Cardiopulmonary Sciences)
- MPT (Community Physiotherapy)
- MPT (Musculoskeletal Sciences)
- MPT (Neurosciences)
- MPT (Obstetrics and Gynaecology)
- MPT (Paediatrics)
- MPT(Geriatrics)
- MPT (Oncology)

Master's in Occupational Therapy (MOT)
- MOT (Children and Adolescents)
- MOT (Hand and Musculoskeletal Conditions)
- MOT (Neuro Rehabilitation)
- MOT (Mental Health and Psychosocial Rehabilitation)
- MOT (Ageing Adult)

MSc Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT)
- MSc MLT (Clinical Biochemistry)
- MSc MLT (Microbiology and Immunology)
- MSc MLT (Haematology and Immunohaematology)

Super Speciality Course
- MPhil (Clinical Psychology)

Doctoral Program
- PhD in 16 disciplines

Advanced and Basic Certificate Courses
- Certificate Course on Advanced Clinical Practice in Physiotherapy
- Advanced Certificate Course in ENT Technician
- Basic Certificate Course in ECG
- Basic Certificate course in Orthopaedic Trauma Operation Theatre Technician
- Basic Certificate course on Diabetic Foot Care Educator
- Certificate course in Hand Splinting
- Basic Certificate Course in Medical Imaging
- Advanced certificate Program in Autism Spectrum Disorders: A Comprehensive approach
- Certificate Course in Fitness Assessment and Training

About the Institution/School

Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), formerly known as the School of Allied Health Sciences (SOAHS), is the first and largest full-fledged college of health professions in India and Far East Asia. The institution provides quality education, research, and clinical training in allied health programs, with a student population of 2497 students from 23 countries, and offers courses on four campuses. Currently, MCHP is the second largest institution of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE).

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Exercise and Sports Sciences			
1	Open Elective: Sports Health	This course is designed to facilitate students to learn different aspects of training and testing of an athlete. The course enables the students to understand and explain the importance and the sequential approach as a first responder, and also to identify the necessity of physical fitness in health care professions.	21 Jul 2025
Optometry			
1	Open Elective: Eyecare and general wellness	The course is designed to provide a fundamental understanding of the role of vision care in general wellness. It will cover basic eye health, preventive strategies, and the importance of integrating vision care into everyday life to enhance overall well-being.	10 May 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

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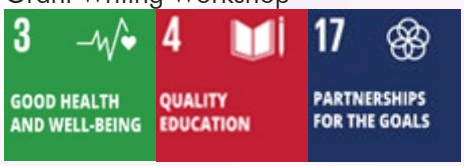
Administration			
1	Becoming a Scientific Practitioner: Challenges, Opportunities, and Growth Stories	Department of Clinical Psychology and International Collaborations Committee, Manipal College of Health Professions, organized a guest lecture by Dr Sahen Gupta, Adjunct faculty, MCHP, MAHE, on "Becoming a Scientific Practitioner: Challenges, Opportunities and Growth Stories" on 14 Jan 2025 from 10:30 to 12:00 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP. Dr Sahen Gupta is a Senior Lecturer in Applied Sport Psychology, University of Portsmouth, Visiting Professor, Sports Authority of India (SAI), Sport and Performance Psychologist (HCPC), Founder of Discovery Sport and Performance Lab.	14 Jan 2025
2	What counts as evidence? Valuing both single and randomized controlled trial design in Intervention research	Department of Speech and Hearing and Institutional Research Committee organized a Guest talk on 'What counts as evidence? Valuing both single and randomized controlled trial design in Intervention research' by Prof Lyndsey Nickels.	15 Jan 2025
3	Emerging Technologies in Healthcare with AI and ML	Department of Clinical Psychology and International Collaborations Committee, Manipal College of Health Professions, organized a guest lecture by Dr Ramana Kumar Vinjamuri, Adjunct faculty, MCHP, MAHE, on "Emerging Technologies in Healthcare with AI and ML" on 27 Jan 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP. Dr Ramana is an Associate Professor at the Department of Computer Science and Electrical Engineering, University of Maryland, Baltimore County, USA, and an active collaborator with MCHP researchers.	27 Jan 2025
4	Management Review Meeting	The Quality and Compliance Committee conducted the MCHP Management Review Meeting on 04 Feb 2025	04 Feb 2025
5	Grant Writing Workshop 	Research funding and Grants vertical and IRC MCHP organized a Grant Writing Workshop for those who are applying for a small grant or an intermediate grant of ICMR (2025).	17 Mar 2025
6	MCHP Faculty Retreat 2025	Quality and Compliance Committee conducted MCHP Faculty Retreat program for all faculty members of MCHP on 21 Mar 2025 at Sharada Hall, MCHP -SDG 4: Quality Education	21 Mar 2025
7	Workshop on Listen, Guide, Empower: The Art of Student Counselling	Workshop on Listen, Guide, Empower: The Art of Student Counselling organized by Quality and Compliance Committee, Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal on 10 Apr 2025, from 03:00 to 05:00 PM at Sharada Hall, MCHP. 52 faculty and	10 Apr 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		staff members attended the program. This workshop is Mandatory for faculty who have joined after Jan 2023 and optional for other faculty. Overall experience with the program (feedback) is 4.86 out of 5.	
8	Fire Training and Mock Drill for Evacuation and Compressed Gas Leakage	MCHP Fire training, Title: "Fire Training and Mock Drill for Evacuation and Compressed Gas Leakage" organized by Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal on 03 Jul 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM at Sharada Hall, MCHP for all faculty and staff members of MCHP, Manipal. Speaker of the program, Mr Leslie Joseph D'Souza, Chief Fire Safety Officer, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal. 172 faculty and Staff members attended the program. Overall experience with the program (feedback) is 8.9 out of 10. Following the feedback received.	03 Jul 2025
9	MCHP Faculty Development Program Series, Title: Pedagogic Effectiveness Workshop	"MCHP Faculty Development Program Series, Title: Pedagogic Effectiveness Workshop, organized by Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal, on 11 Jul 2025 from 09:30 am to 05:00 PM and 12 Jul 2025 from 09:30 am to 12:30 PM at Sharada Hall, MCHP, for faculty who joined after Jul 2024 from the Manipal and Mangalore campuses. Speaker of the program, Prof K Ramnarayan, Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University, Emeritus Professor of Medical Education and Former Vice Chancellor, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal. 36 faculty members attended the program. Overall experience with the program (feedback) is 9.73 out of 10.	11 and 12 Jul 2025
10	MCHP Faculty Development Program Series, Title: "Technology in Teaching in and Out of the Classroom"	MCHP Faculty Development Program Series, Title: "Technology in Teaching in and Out of the Classroom" workshop organized by Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal, on 12 Jul 2025 from 02:30 to 04:00 pm at Sharada Hall, MCHP, for all faculty at the Manipal and Mangalore campuses. Speaker of the program Dr Shashidhar Venkatesh Murthy, Head of Pathology, College of Medicine and Dentistry, James Cook University, Australia, Visiting International Faculty, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal. 81 faculty members attended the program. Overall experience with the program (feedback) is 8.59 out of 10. Following feedback received.	12 Jul 2025
11	MCHP Undergraduate Orientation Program -2025	MCHP Undergraduate Orientation Program -2025 was conducted at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC, Manipal. Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh was the Chief Guest, and Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor - Health Sciences, MAHE, Manipal and Dr Avinash Shetty, Medical Superintendent, Kasturba Hospital - MAHE, Manipal, were the Guests of Honour.	25 Jul 2025

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12	Management Review Meeting	Quality and Compliance Committee conducted the MCHP Management Review Meeting on 04 Aug 2025	04 Aug 2025
13	"Photovoice Research Methodology"	Department of Physiotherapy and International Collaborations Committee, Manipal College of Health Professions, organized a guest lecture by Dr Jo Watson, Associate Professor, Deakin University, Australia, on "Photovoice Research Methodology" on 20 Aug 2025 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP. Dr Jo Watson is an Associate Professor at the Department of Disability and Inclusion, Associate Head, School of Health and Social Development, Deakin University, Australia, and an active collaborator with MCHP researchers.	20 Aug 2025
14	MCHP Postgraduate Orientation Program -2025	MCHP Postgraduate Orientation Program - 2025 was conducted at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC, Manipal. Chief Guest, Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, Manipal, and Dr Geetha Maiya, Director, Student Affairs, MAHE, Manipal, were the Guests of Honour.	01 Sep 2025
15	Session on IPR, Patents, and Design Filing	Innovation, IPR, Consultancy, and Entrepreneurship Research Vertical, in collaboration with the Institutional Research Committee, organized an awareness session on IPR, Patents, and Design Filing.	12 Sep 2025
16	MCHP Faculty Development Program- "Effective Literature Search Using Library Resources"	The Institutional Research Committee and Academic Operations Committee conducted a talk on "Effective Literature Search Using Library Resources" For first-semester postgraduate students. Speaker of the program Dr Shivananda K Bhat Professor and Chief Librarian, Department of Library and Information Science, KMC, Manipal, on 17 Sep 2025, Smart Classroom, Tower I, Ground Floor, MCHP, in two Batches: Batch I: 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM, Batch II: 02:30 PM to 04:30 PM.	17 Sep 2025
17	MCHP Faculty Development Program- Hands-on Experience with Jamovi Software for Statistical Analysis	The Institutional Research Committee (IRC) and Academic Operations Committee (AOC), MCHP jointly organized a Faculty Development Program (FDP) titled "Hands-On Experience with Jamovi Software for Statistical Analysis." The Program was conducted on Friday, 19 Sep 2025, from 02:30 to 04:30 PM, at the Smart Classroom, Tower-1, Ground Floor, MCHP. The speaker of the program was Dr Vennila J, Associate Professor, Statistics, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal.	19 Sep 2025

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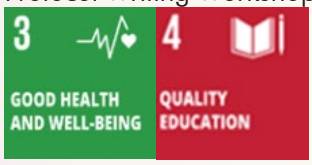
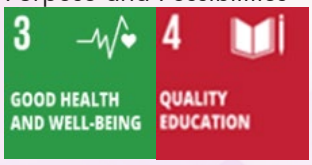
18	Workshop on Patent Drafting	IPR, Consultancy, and Entrepreneurship Research Vertical at MCHP organized a patent drafting and awareness workshop in collaboration with the Directorate of Research, MAHE, Manipal	24 Sep 2025
19	MCHP Faculty Development Program-Hands-on Experience with Jamovi Software for Statistical Analysis	The Institutional Research Committee (IRC) and Academic Operations Committee (AOC), MCHP jointly organized a Faculty Development Program (FDP) titled "Hands-On Experience with Jamovi Software for Statistical Analysis." The Program was conducted on Friday, 26 Sep 2025, from 02:30 to 04:30 PM, at the Smart Classroom, Tower-1, Ground Floor, MCHP. The speaker of the program was Dr Vennila J, Associate Professor, Statistics, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal.	26 Sep 2025
20	Seminar on Abstract Writing and Scientific Poster Preparation"	The MCHP Student Research Forum (MCHP-SRF), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, organized an engaging seminar on "The Art of Abstract Writing and Scientific Poster Preparation"	11 Oct 2025
21	Translation and Validation of Questionnaires	A Research Focus Talk on Translation and Validation of Questionnaires by Dr Hariprakash P	14 Oct 2025
22	Protocol Writing Workshop 	Protocol Writing Workshop for I year PGs of MCHP organized by the Institutional Research Committee and UG-PG research vertical.	17 Oct 2025
23	Exit interaction with Dean, MCHP, for outgoing batches of MCHP interns	Exit interaction with Dean, MCHP, for outgoing batches of MCHP interns was conducted on 10th Nov 2025 from 03:00 to 04:00 PM at Sharada Hall, MCHP	10 Nov 2025
24	"Igniting Research Mindsets: Pathways, Purpose and Possibilities" 	The MCHP-Student Research Forum (MCHP-SRF) organized an engaging seminar titled "Igniting Research Mindsets: Pathways, Purpose and Possibilities".	27 Nov 2025
25	26th Annual and Awards Day	The 26th Annual and Awards Day of the Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), Manipal, was conducted on Friday, 05 Dec 2025, at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, Third Floor, KMC, Manipal. The Program commenced at 02:45 PM. The Program was graced by the Chief Guest, Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, Manipal. The Guests of Honour	05 Dec 2025

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		for the occasion were: Dr Rajesh Shenoy, Member, National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions and Member, State Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions, Bengaluru and Dr Pramod S, Scientist 'D', Technology, Translation and Innovation (TTI) Division, Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, New Delhi	
26	MCHP Alumni reunion 2025	The Institutional Alumni Relations and Industry Liaison Committee of MCHP organized Alumni Reunion 2025 on 06 Dec 2025. There were 254 Alumni in total who attended the event. Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science), MAHE was the Chief Guest for the function. Dr Seema Rajesh Rao, Director and Consultant Palliative Medicine, Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre, MAHE, Manipal and Prof Rajesh Shenoy Member of National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions (NCAHP), member of Karnataka State Allied and Healthcare Council, were the Guests of Honour for the function. Inauguration of the program was at 09:00 AM, Sharda Hall, MCHP. Dr Arun G Maiya, Dean, MCHP, welcomed the gathering, followed by the inauguration of the event by an address by the Guest of Honour and Chief Guest. The inaugural program also included the unveiling of the Wall of Fame 2025 by the guests.	06 Dec 2025
Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology			
1	RAPCON 2025	The Department of Renal Replacement Therapy, Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology and Perfusion Technology together organized a National Collaboration Conference "RAPCON 2025". The academic sessions featured a series of expert talks focusing on key aspects of patient safety, including teamwork, adherence to clinical protocols and the integration of emerging technologies in clinical settings.	22 Mar 2025
2	National Operation Theatre Technologists Day	The Department of Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology (AOTT) Program, celebrated National Operation Theatre Technologists Day on 24 Jul 2025. The theme of the event, Educate, Elevate, Innovate, was reflected in all planned activities, which included a debate, a quiz competition, and a creative segment titled Machine Play.	24 Jul 2025
3	Community Awareness Program	Manipal College of Health Professions in association with SDM Yoga and Nature Cure Hospital, Sowkyavana, Pareeka, organized a Community Awareness Program on 09 Sep 2025. The theme of the program was "One Skill Can Save a Life." The	09 Sep 2025

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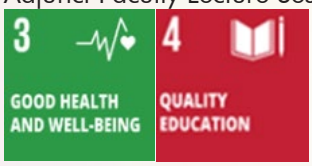
		initiative aimed to equip the community with essential first aid and health awareness skills through interactive demonstrations, hands-on training, and educational sessions	
4	World Anaesthesia Day	The Department of Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology (AOTT) Program, conducted World Anaesthesia Day from 11 to 16 Oct 2025. The event was conducted under the global theme: "Anaesthesiology in Health Emergencies", aiming to promote awareness, enhance technical and intellectual skills, and encourage professional development among students. The program included four days of student competitions followed by a final day of high-level academic sessions.	11 to 16 Oct 2025
Cardiovascular Technology			
1	"No Plan B" Session A Session on Building Positivity and Goal Setting	Organized an insightful session on building positivity and goal setting on 21 Feb 2025 from 03:00 to 05:00 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. The session began with a warm welcome address by Mr Karthik A Naik, the Faculty Coordinator for the session. The resource person for the session was Dr Gurumurthy S C, Associate Professor in the Department of Physics, MIT, Manipal, and a Zone-level trainer in JCI India. The session was conducted in an engaging offline format. The event saw an enthusiastic participation of approximately 100 students from the CVT department and 8 faculty members along with HoD Dr Krishnananda Nayak.	21 Feb 2025
2	Adjunct Faculty Lecture Session 	Adjunct Faculty Lecture Session on the 25 and 26 Feb 2025, from 02:30 to 05:00 PM and 09:30 AM to 12:00 Noon, respectively. The sessions were held in LH8 Classroom and the Smart Classroom, Sixth Floor, MCHP. Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Additional Professor and Head of the Department of Cardiovascular Technology, addressed the gathering. Ms Nisha Kotian, Assistant Professor, Department of CVT, MCHP, served as the Master of the Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted in offline mode. Dr Sudhakar Rao, the adjunct faculty, discussed "General Examination and History" on 25 Feb and "Approach to X-Ray" on 26 Feb. He is a well-known interventional cardiologist currently working as a Consultant Cardiologist at Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru.	26 Feb 2025

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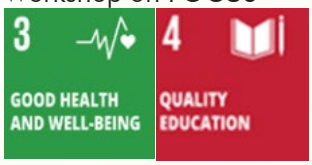
3	Workshop on POCUS 	A Workshop on "Point of Care Ultrasound" was organized jointly by the Department of Cardiology, KMC, MAHE, Manipal, and the Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal on 01 Mar 2025 from 02:00 to 5:00 PM. Renowned expert, Dr Manu Sudhi, Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine, KMC, MAHE, Manipal. This included a brief session on POCUS, specifically the role of abdominal and lung ultrasound in critically ill patients. Additionally, a hands-on training session on imaging normal and abnormal lung/ abdominal ultrasound imaging using the ultrasound simulator machine was conducted. Around 30 faculty and students attended this workshop and were trained in the method of lung and abdominal ultrasound imaging.	01 Mar 2025
4	Guest Lecture Titled "Healthcare Acquired Infection: What can be done to Minimize"	Department of Cardiovascular Technology (CVT), Medical Imaging Technology (MIT), Respiratory Therapy (RT), Anaesthesia and Operation Theater Technology (AOTT), Emergency Medical Technology (EMT), Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal in Collaboration with Tristel India Pvt Ltd conducted a Guest lecture on the topic "Healthcare Acquired Infection: What can be done to Minimize" on 21 Mar 2025. Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP addressed the gathering. Ms Lavanya B N, Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine Technology, MCHP, served as the Master of Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted in offline mode. Lucy Morris, Managing Director- Asia, Tristel Pvt Ltd delivered the talk and demonstrated the disinfectant instrument usage.	21 Mar 2025
5	Hematological Assessment in Cardiovascular Diseases	The Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized a workshop on 24 Apr 2025 from 02:30 to 05:00 PM at Sharada Hall, MCHP. The event was conducted in Sharada Hall, MCHP, Manipal and was well-received by the participants. Ms Nisha Kotian, Assistant Professor, Department of Cardiovascular Technology, served as the Master of Ceremony. The workshop featured three distinguished speakers: •Dr Asha Patil, Associate Professor, Department of Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT), who delivered an insightful talk on Hematological Investigations. •Ms Madhura Reddy, who provided an in-Department discussion on Arterial Blood Gas (ABG) Interpretation. •Dr Mahidhar Jeedigunta, Assistant Professor, Department of Cardiology, KMC, who presented a comprehensive session on Infective Endocarditis.	24 Apr 2025

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6	Alumni Lecture Session	Organized a virtual Alumni Interaction session, on 09 Aug 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM in the Smart classroom, Ground floor, MCHP. Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Additional Professor and Head, Department of CVT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, addressed the gathering. Mr Karthik A Naik, Alumni Coordinator, Department of CVT, MCHP, was the Master of Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted virtually via Google Meet. Ms Priyanka Antony, one of our accomplished alumni from the 2008–2012 undergraduate and 2012–2014 postgraduate batches, was the speaker. She is currently working as a Grade 4 Cardiac Sonographer at the Heart Center, St John of God Hospital, Victoria, Australia. She shared her inspiring journey from being a student in Manipal to becoming a cardiac sonographer in Australia. The session concluded with a question-and-answer session.	09 Aug 2025
7	Alumni Lecture Session	Organized a virtual Alumni Lecture Session on 13th Sep 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM in the Smart classroom, Ground floor, MCHP. Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Professor and Head, Department of CVT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, addressed the gathering. Mr Karthik A Naik, Alumni Co-ordinator, Department of CVT, MCHP, was the Master of Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted virtually via Google Meet. Ms Karthika Bindhu, one of our accomplished alumni from the 2010-2014 undergraduate batch, was the speaker. She is currently working as a Chief Cardiac Physiologist, Lead for Education and Training in Harefield Hospital, London. She shared her inspiring journey from being a student in Manipal to becoming a cardiac sonographer in United Kingdom and guided the students on career pathways to become highly qualified cardiac sonographer.	13 Sep 2025
8	Alumni Lecture Session	Organized an Alumni lecture session on 25 Sep 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM in SH2 Classroom, MCHP. Dr Krishnanand Nayak, Professor and Head, Department of CVT, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, addressed the gathering. Ms M Swathi Poojary, Department of CVT, MCHP, was the convener and Master of the Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted in Physical mode. One of our proficient alumni from the 2020-2022 PG batch, Ms H Dhanalakshmi, was the speaker for the session. She is currently working as an Assistant Professor at the School of Allied and Healthcare Professions, RV University, Bengaluru. She spoke on	25 Sep 2025

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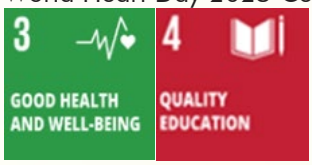
		the topic "RV function in focus: Practical updates from contemporary echocardiography".	
9	World Heart Day 2025 Celebrations 	Organized the "World Heart Day 2025" celebration with the theme "Don't Miss a Beat." The event took place on 04 Oct 2025 from 09:30 AM to 05:00 PM in the Smart Classroom on the Ground Floor of MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Tom Devasia, Professor and Unit Head of Cardiology at KMC, Manipal, was the Chief Guest. Other notable attendees included Dr John Solomon, Associate Dean of MCHP; Mr Krithik Mendon, President of the Student Council 2025; Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Professor and Head of the Department of Cardiovascular Technology; and Dr Sridevi, Convener of World Heart Day 2025 celebrations. The event commenced with a warm welcome address by Ms M Swathi Poojary, Convener of the World Heart Day celebrations 2025. Following the inaugural ceremony, the Chief Guest and the Associate Dean addressed the gathering. The vote of thanks was delivered by Ms Reshma, Faculty, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Shwetha T S, Associate Professor and Head of the Department of Clinical Psychology at MCHP, Manipal, conducted a session titled "Mind What Matters." Dr Gurumurthy S C, Associate Professor in the Department of Physics at MIT, MAHE, Manipal, presented a session on "Synergy of Success."	04 Oct 2025
10	16th Manipal Cardiology Update 2025	The Department of Cardiology, KMC, Manipal, and the Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, in association with IAE Karnataka, organized the 16th Manipal Cardiology Update on the topic "Non-Coronary Intervention". The session took place on 16 Nov 2025 from 08:30 AM to 05:30 PM on the Third Floor of TMA Pai Halls, MAHE, Manipal. Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean of MCHP, MAHE, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest, while Dr Hansa Gupta, President-Elect of IAE, attended as the Guest of Honour. Joining them on the dais were Dr Sunil Bohra, President of IAE Karnataka, and Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Professor and Head of the Department, who also served as the Organizing Secretary. The event began with a warm welcome address by Dr Padmakumar R, Professor and Head of the Department of Cardiology and Organizing Chairman, followed by insightful addresses from Dr G Arun Maiya and Dr Hansa Gupta. The program concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr Kanaiah Lalani, Associate Professor, Department of Cardiology, KMC, and Organizing Secretary. The session was conducted in an engaging offline format and featured	16 Nov 2025

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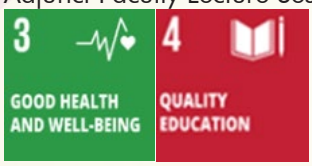
		esteemed speakers from prominent institutions across India, who shared their expertise on various aspects of Non-Coronary Intervention.	
11	Adjunct Faculty Lecture Session 	Organized an Adjunct Faculty Lecture Session on 17 Nov 2025, from 09:00 to 11:00 AM. The session was held in Smart Classroom, Ground Floor, MCHP. Dr Krishnananda Nayak, Professor and Head of the Department of Cardiovascular Technology, addressed the gathering. Ms Reshma, Clinical Supervisor II, Department of CVT, MCHP, served as the Master of Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted in offline mode. Dr Sudhakar Rao, the adjunct faculty, discussed "Approach to cardiac Murmurs" He is a well-known interventional cardiologist currently working as a Consultant Cardiologist at Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru.	17 Nov 2025
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics			
1	World Dietetics Day 2025	The Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized a vibrant celebration of World Dietetics Day 2025 on 03 Jan 2025 at Sharada Hall. With 67 participants in attendance, the event highlighted the vital role of dietitians in promoting health and nutrition. Engaging activities such as “Food in the Box,” “Edible Enigma,” and “Stride and Pride” effectively combined fun with learning key nutritional concepts.	03 Jan 2025
2	World Dietetics Day 2025	The Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, Kasturba Hospital and Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), Manipal, hosted a vibrant and engaging event to celebrate World Dietetics Day on 17 Jan 2025. The event took place from 09:30 AM to 12:30 PM at the Pediatric Seminar Hall, Ground Floor, Women and Children Block, drawing an enthusiastic participation of 80 attendees.	17 Jan 2025
3	Nurture The Nation- Republic Day Event?	On 25 Jan 2025, the Occupational Therapy Department, in collaboration with Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, organized a vibrant Republic Day celebration for specially abled children at the OT Room, CTC Third Floor, KH, Manipal from 09:30 AM to 12:30 PM, combining fun activities with expert nutrition guidance to promote holistic well-being and development.	25 Jan 2025
4	Outreach Program	On 05 Feb, the Manipal College of Health Professions organized a health camp involving various departments such as Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, Centre for Diabetic Foot Care, Optometry, RRTDT, etc., at 80 Badagubettu Grama Panchayat. The event aimed	05 Feb 2025

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		at promoting healthy living and raising awareness about the importance of overall well-being.	
5	Outreach Program	A nutritional awareness camp was organized by Manipal College of Health Professions for the localities and attendees of the Shivapady Vaibhava Program from 22 to 26 Feb 2025. This camp was held on the occasion of Maha-Shivaratri focusing on providing health awareness and promoting nutritional well-being.	22 to 26 Feb 2025
6	Outreach Program	The Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized a visit to Asha Nilaya School and Vocational Rehabilitation Centre on 25 Mar 2025 as part of the academic curriculum for fourth-semester students. The event, held from 10:00 to 11:00 AM, saw the participation of 119 individuals, including students and faculty from both institutions. Asha Nilaya, established in 1981, offers comprehensive care through special education, vocational training, and various therapies for children with intellectual and developmental disabilities.	25 Mar 2025
7	Outreach Program	The Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, MCHP, MAHE, was a part of the Health Awareness Camp organized by Mount Rosary Church and Catholic Sthree Sanghatan on 30 Mar 2025. The event focused on cancer prevention among youngsters, featuring free cancer screening, nutrition balance training, parenting skills awareness, and hands-on Basic Life Support (BLS) training.	30 Mar 2025
8	World Health Day 2025	On the occasion of World Health Day, the Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized a comprehensive session titled "Adapt and Thrive: Smart Self-Care for the Digital Generation" on 26 Apr 2025. The event was held in collaboration with Abbott as part of MAHE's "Year of Excellence in Industry-Academia Collaboration".	26 Apr 2025
9	Nutrition Update 2025	The Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics Program, MCHP, MAHE Manipal organized Nutrition Update 2025 on 03 Sep as part of National Nutrition Week, and Rashtriya Poshan Maah 2025 held at Sharada Hall, MCHP, MAHE. Student-led initiatives included Addressing Obesity, highlighted by the inauguration of sugar and oils display boards; Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam, promoting microgreens and healthy living; and Men-Streaming, emphasizing inclusivity. A unique highlight was the microgreen sowing ceremony, where all male faculty and students actively participated, symbolizing care for both health and the environment.	03 Sep 2025

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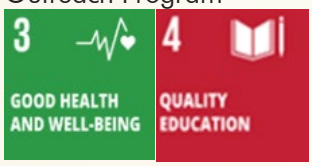
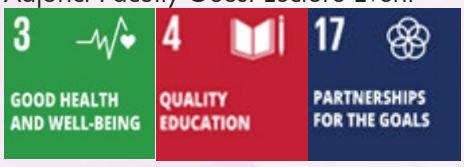
10	National Nutrition Week	The Departments of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics from Kasturba Hospital and MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, celebrated National Nutrition Week on 04 Sep 2025 at the Pediatric Seminar Hall, KMC. The event featured interactive nutrition-themed games like Nutrient Bingo, Nutrition Dumb Charades, and Real or Fake, to enhance nutritional awareness among staff from Human Resources, Finance, and Quality. The program saw enthusiastic participation from staff and interns, promoting collaboration and knowledge sharing across the nutrition and dietetics fraternity.	04 Sep 2025
11	Outreach Program 	The Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics was part of the Free Health Checkup Camp organized by the Student Affairs Committee and Welfare Committee, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal as part of the DAAN UTSAV and Fit India initiatives. The event aimed to create awareness about preventive health care and promote overall well-being among the hospitality staff of the MAHE campus.	07 Oct 2025
12	Outreach Program	As part of Daan Utsav 2025, the Volunteering Services Organization (VSO) conducted a comprehensive health check-up camp for the housekeeping staff of Quess Mess, Manipal, aimed at promoting preventive healthcare and supporting their overall well-being. The Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics Program contributed by providing dietary counselling to all attendees.	16 Oct 2025
13	World Food Day 2025	The World Food Day 2025 event was held on 17 Oct at the Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, Kasturba Hospital and MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. The program highlighted the importance of reducing food waste and promoting sustainability through craft and recipe competitions and cooking activities. The event was well-received and successfully raised awareness on innovative, practical ways to minimize food waste and support responsible, health-conscious living.	17 Oct 2025
14	Adjunct Faculty Guest Lecture Event 	As part of its ongoing industry collaboration initiatives, the Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics Program, MCHP, MAHE hosted Dr Diviya Muthukumar, Director of ComplEAT Nutrition Care, Chennai, for an adjunct faculty guest lecture on 07 Nov 2025 at Sharada Hall. Her visit strengthened academic–industry linkages by bringing real-world professional insights directly to students. Dr Diviya conducted a workshop titled "Scientific Literature: Turning Evidence into Understanding" where she delivered an engaging and informative session on interpreting scientific	07 Nov 2025

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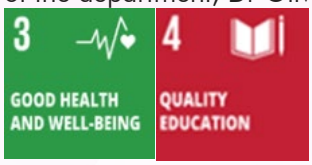
		research and translating evidence into practical applications.	
	Clinical Psychology		
1	International Conference	The 5-day International Conference on "Therapeutic Philosophy in Global Perspectives," organized by the Department of Philosophy at MAHE in collaboration with the Department of Clinical Psychology at MCHP-MAHE and the Institut für Philosophie at the University of Hildesheim, brought together scholars and practitioners to explore the intersection of philosophy and therapy.	13 to 17 Jan 2025
2	Guest lecture by the Adjunct faculty of the department,	Department of Clinical Psychology organized a guest lecture by the Adjunct faculty of the department, Dr Sahen Gupta, Senior Lecturer in Applied Sport Psychology, University of Portsmouth, Visiting Professor- Sports Authority of India (SAI), Sport and Performance Psychologist (HCPC), Founder of Discovery Sport and Performance Lab on the topic 'Psychology in Sport and Health: Community, Technology, Research and Impact' on 14 Jan 2025 from 08.00 to 10.00 AM in Smart classroom, MCHP.	14 Jan 2025
3	Guest lecture by Dr Lata Satyen, Associate Professor, Deakin University, Registered	Department of Clinical Psychology organized a guest lecture by Dr Lata Satyen, Associate Professor, Deakin University, Registered Psychologist, Founding Co-Convenor, Victorian State Lead for the Australian Domestic, Family, and Sexual Violence Recovery Alliance. on the topic 'Addressing domestic violence in India: Factors to consider' on 21 Jan 2025 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM in the Smart classroom, Tower I, MCHP. The undergraduate, postgraduate and the Master of Philosophy Students of Clinical Psychology, along with the faculties, were the audience during this interactive session.	21 Jan 2025
4	Guest lecture	Department of Clinical Psychology and International Collaborations Committee, Manipal College of Health Professions, organized a guest lecture by Dr Ramana Kumar Vinjamuri, on "Emerging Technologies in Healthcare with AI and ML" on 27 Jan 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP	27 Jan 2025
5	Guest lecture by the Overseas faculty of the department, Dr Oliver Mason 	Department of Clinical Psychology organized a guest lecture by the Overseas faculty of the department, Dr Oliver Mason, Reader, School of Psychology, University of Surrey, England on the topic 'Multidisciplinary Research in Psychology' 21 Feb 2025 from 11:15 AM to 12:30 PM in Interact Hall (3d).	21 Feb 2025
6	Organized an educational stall for the National Science Day Celebration	The Department of Clinical Psychology Organized an educational stall for the National Science Day Celebration to raise awareness about mental Health, psychological concepts and behaviour science. The	28 Feb 2025

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		Goal was to educate visitors on the importance of psychology in everyday life its applications and dispel myths about mental well-being	
7	Volunteer Services Organization at Manipal Academy of Higher Education organized the kite fest, TARANG	Volunteer Services Organization at Manipal Academy of Higher Education organized the kite fest, TARANG on 09 Mar 2025 at End Point Manipal. The theme of this event was Wings of Fitness. Mind of Steel: Fostering harmony between physical fitness and mental resilience. The Department of Clinical Psychology was invited to install an infotainment stall at the venue. Under the guidance of our HoD Dr Shwetha Shivakumar, Dr Emarson V P and Ms Samyukta Vaidyanathan coordinated this along with our students. Students exhibited creativity, collaboration, and cohesiveness throughout this journey of stall installation. The student team included Ms Priyadarshini, Ms Shreya, (both from BSc) Ms Gayathree, Ms Nishtha, Ms Fiza, Ms Manasa, Ms Anushree, and Ms Dheekshanya of MSc. Our stall was visited and appreciated by many high-profile personalities like the Vice Chancellor and Pro Chancellor of MAHE	09 Mar 2025
8	Organized a guest lecture on “Disaster Management and Prevention”	On 18 Jul 2025, the Department of Clinical Psychology, in collaboration with the Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP) and the Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), organized a guest lecture on “Disaster Management and Prevention” at Sharada Hall. The session was delivered by Dr Chathapuram Ramanathan, a senior Fulbright specialist and Professor at Illinois State University, with extensive global experience in social work education and disaster response	18 Jul 2025
9	Guest Lecture on Redefining the Horizon of learning by Dr Soyuz	Guest Lecture on Redefining the Horizon of learning by Dr Soyuz	30 Aug 2025
10	Online lecture session the resource person for the session was Dr Zoe Josephine Darwin,	In this online lecture session the resource person for the session was Dr Zoe Josephine Darwin, Reader in Health Research at the School of Human and Health Sciences, University of Huddersfield, UK, and an Adjunct Faculty Member at the Department of Clinical Psychology, Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, India. Participants in this session were 31 MSc 2nd year students and 7 MPhil 2nd year students	25 Sep 2025

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11	World Mental Health Day celebration	Department of Clinical Psychology observed World Mental Health Day celebration on the theme "Access to Mental Health Services During Catastrophes and Emergencies". As a part of the celebration, a series of intradepartmental competitions, community engagement programs highlighting the theme were conducted. The range of competitions included essay writing, logo designing, bottle painting, best out of waste, elocution, collage making, Jab they met, pamphlet making, video making, and photography based on the theme, which were conducted from 27 Sep to 10 Oct. These competitions provided a platform for students to showcase their creativity and knowledge. They also proved effective in helping them understand the essence, need and significance of mental health services during emergencies. On 10 Oct, as a part of community engagement, a mental health screening and awareness camp was also conducted by the Master's students of the Department of Clinical Psychology, facilitated by the staff members at Parkala Grama Panchayath premises. The service was beneficial for the local community. It also helped the students to nurture their skills in community involvement and public-driven mental health promotion activities. SGD 3	10 - 11 Oct 2025
12	Two-day workshop- "Bridging Brain and Behavior: The Evolving Story of Neuropsychology"	A two-day workshop titled "Bridging Brain and Behaviour: The Evolving Story of Neuropsychology" was conducted on 04 and 05 Dec, from 02:00 to 05:00 PM, at the Department of Clinical Psychology, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal. The workshop was facilitated by Dr S Shanmukhi, Consultant Clinical Psychologist, KIMS Hospital, and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Clinical Psychology, MCHP, MAHE. The attendees included first-year and second-year MPhil Clinical Psychology trainees.	04 and 05 Dec 2025
13	Silver Jubilee Alumni Meet	On 06 Dec 2025, the Department of Clinical Psychology, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), celebrated its Silver Jubilee Alumni Meet with great enthusiasm and reverence. The event marked 25 years of the department's remarkable journey in academic excellence, clinical service, and community outreach. Bringing together alumni from various MSc and MPhil batches alongside current faculty and students, the gathering aimed to strengthen connections between the department and its graduates, reflect on their shared journey, and promote future collaborations while commemorating this significant milestone.	06 Dec 2025
14	National Seminar	Department of Clinical Psychology organized one day national seminar "Theme: Access to Services-	07 Dec 2025

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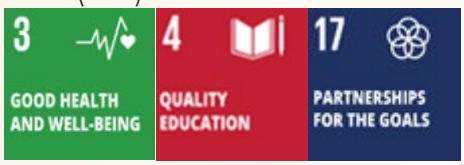
		Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies" Access to Services – Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies addresses the critical need for integrated, multidisciplinary approaches to mental health care during crises. Disasters and emergencies often expose significant gaps in service accessibility, coordination, and continuity, requiring diverse professional perspectives to effectively respond. This seminar brings together esteemed experts from the immediate response and relief team, clinical psychology, psychiatry, and psychiatric social work to foster interdisciplinary dialogue and shared learning	
Emergency Medical Technology			
1	Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week (EMS) Week 	Under the theme "WE CARE FOR EVERYONE," the Department of Emergency Medical Technology conducted an early celebration of EMS Week from May 8th to May 10th, 2025, with active participation from undergraduate and postgraduate students and faculty members. The three-day program was designed to integrate learning, skill development, teamwork, and community spirit. Day 1 focused on CPR and Fitness Challenges, reinforcing essential life-saving skills while promoting physical fitness, endurance, and strategic thinking. Mixed student teams were formed to encourage collaboration and inclusivity. Day 2 combined sports and simulation-based learning, with outdoor games fostering teamwork among students and faculty, followed by an EMS-themed quiz and simulation competition that assessed knowledge, decision-making, and practical competence in real-life emergency scenarios. Day 3 featured a Cultural Evening and Farewell Ceremony, celebrating creativity, emotional bonding, and acknowledging the graduating batch. The program strongly aligns with Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 3: Good Health and Well-being, by promoting emergency preparedness, physical fitness, and lifesaving competencies. It also contributes to SDG 4: Quality Education, through experiential learning, simulation training, and knowledge assessment, and SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals, by strengthening collaboration between students and faculty.	08 to 10 May 2025
2	Launch of VENOMS Helpline	The VENOMS Helpline Launch Program was jointly organized by the Centre for Wilderness Medicine, Department of Emergency Medicine, Department of Emergency Medical Technology, MCHP, and the District Surveillance Office, Udupi, on 19 Sep 2025, from 10:00 to 11:00 AM at the Sharada Classroom, Department of Emergency Medicine. The program was inaugurated by Dr Nagarathna, District Surveillance Officer, Udupi District, with Dr Sudhakar Kantipudi as the Guest of Honour. The VENOMS Helpline was launched as a dedicated emergency contact to provide prompt guidance in cases of snakebite and other venomous exposures, aiming to improve early decision-making,	19 Sep 2025

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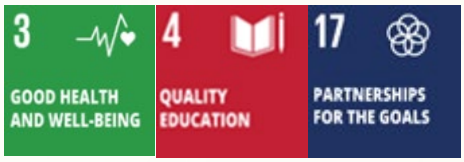
		appropriate first aid, and timely referral. The initiative serves as a vital link between community members, wildlife experts, and emergency medical responders, thereby strengthening the envenomation response system at the grassroots level. The program highlighted the critical role of interdisciplinary collaboration involving public health authorities, emergency medicine specialists, and prehospital care providers in reducing morbidity and mortality due to envenomation. Emphasis was placed on early recognition, rapid communication, and timely intervention, which are key determinants of favourable outcomes in venom-related emergencies. This initiative aligns strongly with Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 3: Good Health and Well-being, by promoting access to emergency guidance and strengthening health response systems, and SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals, through collaboration between academic institutions, healthcare providers, and government surveillance bodies.	
3	Community Outreach on occasion of International Snakebite Awareness Day 	On the occasion of International Snakebite Awareness Day, the Centre for Wilderness Medicine, in collaboration with the Department of Emergency Medicine, Department of Emergency Medical Technology (EMT), and the District Surveillance Office, Udupi, organized a series of community snakebite awareness programs in high-risk areas with previously reported snakebite fatalities. The outreach activities were conducted with the active involvement of EMT students and faculty, reinforcing the department's commitment to community-oriented emergency care. The programs were held at three locations: Siddapura Bus Stand and Primary Health Centre, Siddapura (22 Sep 2025, 03:00 to 05:00 PM); Primary Health Centre, Kaup (19 Sep 2025, 02:00 to 04:00 PM); and Government High School, Kemmannu (19 Sep 2025, 02:00 to 04:00 PM). These locations were strategically selected to maximize reach among vulnerable populations. The sessions targeted local villagers, autorickshaw drivers, school staff, healthcare workers, and the general public. Key focus areas included snakebite prevention strategies, identification of common local snake species, evidence-based first aid practices, and the importance of early hospital referral. Myths and harmful traditional practices were actively addressed, and participants were encouraged to seek timely medical care. This community engagement initiative aligns with SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being, by promoting prevention and early intervention to reduce snakebite-related morbidity and mortality, and SDG 4: Quality Education, through public health education. It also supports SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals, highlighting effective collaboration between academic institutions, healthcare systems, and public health authorities.	19 Sep 2025
4	Alumni Lectures session	An Alumni Guest Lecture was organized by the Department of Emergency Medical Technology with Ms Lavanya, an alumnus of the program, as the	01 Dec 2025

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		invited speaker. The session was conducted on the topic "Discover, Develop, and Deliver: Career Pathways in Emergency Medical Technology (EMT)", with the objective of guiding students on professional growth and career opportunities within the field. The lecture provided valuable insights into the diverse career pathways available for EMT graduates, including prehospital care, hospital-based emergency services, disaster management, academics, research, and emerging roles in public health and the healthcare system. Ms Lavanya shared her personal academic and professional journey, highlighting key competencies, skill development, and decision-making strategies essential for career advancement.	
Exercise and Sports Sciences			
1	Guest lecture -Helping Athletes Succeed: Essential Skills for Sport and Exercise Professionals	A guest lecture on Sports Psychology was organized featuring a talk from Dr David Tod, an eminent expert with over three decades of experience in the field, on 29 Sep 2025. The lecture provided a comprehensive overview of essential psychological skills and strategies that support athletes in achieving peak performance.	29 Sep 2025
2	Children's day	The Fun-O-Mania was planned to celebrate Children's Day for the students of an aided school, Nittur Higher Secondary School, Kalsanka. It was aimed to encourage and promote the importance of Physical Activity in young lives.	14 Nov 2025
3	Guest lecture -Optimizing Strength and Conditioning Through Wearable Tech and Data-Driven Periodization by Mr Tenzin Choejor Zongpa	Mr Tenzin Choejor Zongpa provided valuable insights into the strategic approach and methodology behind training young athletes, especially those under 19 years of age at the grassroots level. He discussed his experience working with athletes ranging from 10 to 20 years old and emphasized the unique challenges of developing talent at this foundational stage. Special attention was given to the importance of not just athlete training but also educating parents about the necessity of structured physical preparation and effective talent identification.	19 Nov 2025
Health Information Management			
1	Guest Lecture on Health Informatics: Building the Evidence Base	Dr Purkayastha delivered an insightful talk on "Health Informatics: Building the Evidence Base" to the students of the Department of Health Information Management. The session was attended by students from all batches of BSc and MSc HIM programs. His talk covered key aspects of building a strong evidence base in health informatics and effectively leveraging AI in HIM training. The session was highly engaging, and students actively participated by raising questions	09 Jan 2025

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		and clarifying their doubts on various aspects of Health Informatics.	
2	HIM Week 2025 	Health Information Management (HIM) Week is a time to celebrate the vital role HIM professionals play in healthcare. This week is packed with exciting activities slogan writing, pick and speak, a fashion show, cooking, and cricket all highlighting the creativity, precision, and teamwork that define HIM. It's our way of honouring the people who keep healthcare organized, accurate, and efficient.	21 to 26 Apr 2025
3	Alumni Webinar titled "A Vision for Health Information Management in the 21st Century" 	Department of Health Information Management, MCHP and AHS, MTMC organized an Alumni Webinar titled "A Vision for Health Information Management in the 21st Century" on 25 Apr 2025. Coordinated by Mrs Dola Saha (MCHP) and Mrs Sonalika Singh (AHS, MTMC), the session featured Mr Nilanjan Bhor, Senior Specialist in HIS Implementation at India Health Action Trust and Expert Member at the HIM Council, NCAHP (MoHFW). Mr Bhor provided a comprehensive overview of the evolution of Health Information Management, tracing its progression from traditional paper-based records to modern Electronic Health Records (EHRs). He also addressed the transformation of HIM professionals' roles in the context of digital health, discussed various health data sources, and examined key challenges in India's fragmented healthcare system. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A segment, reinforcing the critical role of HIM in advancing healthcare delivery in the digital era.	25 Apr 2025
4	Symposium on Health Informatics and Data Analytics 	The Department of Health Information Management organized a one-day symposium featuring a series of expert sessions aimed at enhancing students' understanding of healthcare data analytics, workflow automation, interoperability, and evidence-based research. The event brought together faculty, students, and professionals from diverse disciplines to explore the evolving applications of Health Informatics in modern healthcare.	15 Oct 2025
5	IU-MAHE Pathway programs	The Department of Health Information Management, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal organized an academic session on the IU–MAHE Pathway Program in collaboration with Indiana University (IU) Indianapolis. The session aimed to familiarize students and faculty with international academic pathways, particularly in the domain of Health Informatics, and to highlight opportunities for credit transfer, higher education, and global exposure.	04 Nov 2025

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6	"Webinar on: Building a Research Career in Health Information Management and Health Informatics" 	The Department of Health Information Management, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal successfully organized a webinar by Ms Ripsy Merrin Chacko aimed at guiding students and early-career professionals on building a research-oriented career in Health Information Management (HIM) and Health Informatics. The webinar focused on introducing participants to the fundamentals of healthcare research, emerging tools and technologies, and structured career pathways in academia and research.	24 Nov 2025
7	Industry Academia Talk 	A workshop titled “Introduction to Six Sigma and Failure Mode and Effects Analysis (FMEA)” was conducted on 29 Nov 2025. The session was led by Ms Indu Menon, Principal Consultant, Quality, Dynamed Healthcare Solutions, Kochi, Kerala. The workshop aimed to introduce participants to the fundamental concepts of quality improvement, Lean Six Sigma methodologies, and risk management tools applicable across healthcare and service organizations.	29 Nov 2025
Medical Imaging Technology			
1	Industry–Academia activities 	As part of the Industry–Academia activities, the Department of Medical Imaging Technology conducted an Internship Evaluation to assess the students' knowledge and skills in both theoretical and practical aspects of their training by using the GE HealthCare RadAspire Skill Assessment Tool on 10 Feb 2025. The results of the evaluation will be used to improve the clinical training program and to enhance students' learning outcomes.	10 Feb 2025
2	Guest Lecture Titled “Healthcare Acquired Infection: What can be done to Minimize”-(Industry–Academia activities) 	Department of Medical Imaging Technology (MIT), Cardiovascular Technology (CVT), Respiratory Therapy (RT), Anaesthesia and Operation Theater Technology (AOTT), Emergency Medical Technology (EMT), Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal in Collaboration with Tristel India Pvt Ltd conducted a Guest lecture on the topic “Healthcare Acquired Infection: What can be done to Minimize” on 21 Mar 2025. Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP, addressed the gathering. Ms Lavanya B N, Assistant Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine Technology, MCHP, served as the Master of Ceremony for the session. The session was conducted in offline mode. Lucy Morris, Managing Director- Asia, Tristel Pvt Ltd delivered the talk and demonstrated the disinfectant instrument usage.	21 Mar 2025
3	Alumni Webinar Lecture (Industry–Academia activities)	Mr Saurav Das from GE Healthcare Limited. Mr Saurav Das, an alumnus of MCHP, MAHE, who	27 Mar 2025

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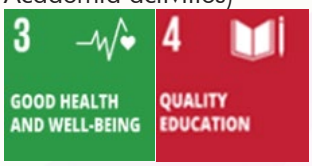
		graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Medical Imaging Technology in 2017, currently serves as the Lead Education and Clinical Application Specialist in CT and ADW at GE Healthcare Private Limited. Mr Saurav Das delivered an engaging talk on "Gemstone in Spectral Imaging in CT: A Radiographer's Perspective," sharing his expertise and insights with the attendees. The webinar was well-received, attracting a total of 155 participants, including department alumni, students, research scholars, and faculty members.	
4	Alumni Visit and Interaction 	Mr Srijesh Ram, currently working as a Medical Imaging Application Specialist in Esente Healthcare Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, Karnataka, visited the Department of Medical Imaging Technology on 03 May 2025. Mr Srijesh Ram is an alumnus of the BSc MIT batch 2020 and interacted with the students, of the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, MCHP, MAHE from 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM in LH1. Mr Srijesh provided insights into potential career opportunities in the role of Application Specialist and collected the résumés of interested students for referring them for the upcoming job opportunities within his organization.	03 May 2025
5	Industry–Academia activities 	As part of the Industry–Academia activities, the Department of Medical Imaging Technology conducted an Internship Evaluation to assess the students' knowledge and skills in both theoretical and practical aspects of their training by using the GE HealthCare RadAspire Skill Assessment Tool on 09 Jun 2025. The results of the evaluation will be used to improve the clinical training program and to enhance students' learning outcomes.	09 Jun 2025
6	Alumni Webinar Lecture (Industry–Academia activities) 	Mr Purna Chander Reddy Nimma who secured his master's degree in Medical Imaging Technology from MCHP, MAHE, Udupi, Karnataka in the year 2011 and is currently working as Associate Manager Clinical Validation Sutherland Healthcare Limited. Mr Purna Chander Reddy Nimma delivered a talk on “Medical Device Design and Development Life Cycle in RandD”, sharing his expertise and insights with the attendees. The webinar was well-received, attracting a total of 121 participants, including department alumni, students, research scholars, and faculty members.	29 Aug 2025
7	Ultrasound Guest Lecture- (Industry–Academia activities) 	Ultrasound Guest Lecture by Mr Karthikeyan, General Manager, Ultrasound National Support, Erbis Engineering Co Ltd, Chennai, Tamil Nadu delivered a talk on Advancements in Ultrasound and AI- assisted Ultrasound advancements on 05 Nov 2025, 02:00 PM, in Smart Classroom, MMMC ground floor, MCHP, Manipal. The event was	05 Nov 2025

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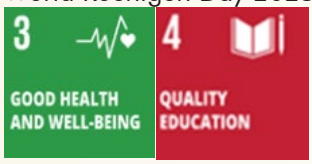
		attended by students, research scholars and faculty members from the Department of Medical Imaging Technology. Also, students from the Department of Cardiovascular Technology and the Department of Medical Radiation Therapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Shailesh Nayak S, Assistant Professor, Department of Medical Imaging Technology, MCHP Manipal welcomed the speaker and proposed a vote of thanks. The total number of attendees was 204. The Guest lecture received good feedback from the participants and all of them expressed interest to attend similar session once again in the future.	
8	World Roentgen Day 2025 	The World Roentgen Day 2025 was organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology with the theme of "Empowering healthcare through imaging excellence" on 08 Nov 2025 at Sharada Hall, Ground floor, MCHP, Manipal. Chief Guest for the program was Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean of the Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal and Dr B Reshmi, and Dr John M Solomon, the Associate Deans of the Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal were also present. Also, Dr Rajagopal K V, Professor and Head, Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, KMC, Manipal and Dr Prakashini K, Professor, Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging at KMC, Manipal, whom we truly acknowledge the continuous support to the Medical Imaging department for fostering a rich learning environment in clinical practice. Dr Rajagopal KV gave a brief talk on the significance of Roentgen's Day. Dr Poovitha Sruthi Paramashiva, Assistant Professor in the department of yoga, Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research, MAHE was a speaker to give a brief overview on integrative healthcare - "Making the invisible visible: How imaging technologies empower integrative healthcare" - a bridge bridging technology and healthcare. Dr Winniecia Dkhar, Associate Professor and Head of the Department gave a welcome address and overview of the program and Dr Nitika C. Panakkal, an Associate Professor, Department of Medical Imaging Technology was an event coordinator.	08 Nov 2025
9	FOIT 2025 Conference	FOIT 2025 (Frontiers in Oncology Imaging and Therapeutics) a conference bringing together experts across Medical Imaging, Radiation Therapy, and Nuclear Medicine to spotlight advances that improve cancer detection and treatment was organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Department of	25 Nov 2025

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		Nuclear Medicine Technology and Medical Radiation Physics with the theme of "Advanced Imaging and Therapeutic Techniques in Oncology: A Multidisciplinary Approach Integrating Medical Imaging, Radiation Therapy, and Nuclear Medicine" on 25 Nov 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Hall, First floor, MCHP, Manipal. Chief Guest for the program was Dr Sudhakar Kantipudi, Chief Operating Officer, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal. Dr Naveen Salins, Research Director as a Guest of Honour. Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal gave the welcome address and Dr Winniecia Dkhar, Associate Professor and Head of the Department gave an overview of the program.	
10	Alumni Interaction and Reunion	The Department of Medical Imaging, MCHP, organized an Alumni Interaction and Reunion on 06 Dec 2025 at the Demo Lab, Room Number 517. The event aimed to strengthen alumni relations, provide insights into industry trends, and inspire current students through the experiences of distinguished alumni. Mr Abhishek Dubey, currently serving as Regional Manager – MRI and C T (Delhi and Kolkata Region) at Philips India Limited (Healthcare Division), Kolkata, graced the occasion. He has made significant contributions to the healthcare imaging sector. Interactive Talk: Mr Abhishek Dubey shared his career journey, emphasizing: 1. The evolving role of MRI and C T technologies in modern healthcare. 2. Key skills and competencies required for success in the imaging industry. 3. Insights into leadership and management in healthcare technology. Special Recognition: Mr Abhishek Dubey was honored with the Distinguished Alumni Award 2025 during the Annual Day celebrations on 05 Dec 2025 at MCHP, in recognition of his outstanding contributions to the field and his enduring association with the institution.	06 Dec 2025
Medical Laboratory Technology			
1	Adjunct Faculty Lecture	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology conducted Adjunct faculty lecture on "Laboratory Quality Control' by Dr Sucheta Prakash Dandekar.	15 Jan 2025
2	Blood Donation Camp	Medical Laboratory Technology, in association with Department of Immunolohematology and Blood	05 Apr 2025

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		Transfusion, KH, Manipal Conducted one day Blood Donation camp.	
3	National Conference (NACCLER 2025)	Department of MLT, MCHP, MAHE Manipal hosted the one-day National Conference on Clinical Laboratory Education and Research (NACCLER-2025).	28 Apr 2025
4	Industrial talk	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology has conducted an Industrial talk on "The Science of Pipetting to Perfection" by Mr Suresh Kumar, Regional Marketing Manager, Eppendorf India Private Limited.	12 May 2025
5	Guest Lecture	Department of Medical Laboratory is conducted a Guest Lecture on Antimicrobial Resistance by Mr Ahemd Ziyad	26 Aug 2025
6	Distinguished Lecture series	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology has conducted Session I of the Distinguished Lecture series on 'Biorisk Management System' by Dr Sudheesh N.	13 Sep 2025
7	Industrial talk	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology has conducted an Industrial talk on "Total Quality Management" by Mr Narendra Nadig, Regional Manager, Roche Diagnostics India Private Limited, Bengaluru.	23 Sep 2025
8	Health Check-up Camp	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology Conducted Health Check-up for the Hospitality Service Staff as part of Daan Utsav.	07 Oct 2025
9	Health Check-up Camp	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology Conducted Health camp as a part of Volunteer Services Organization (VSO), MAHE, for Quess staff.	16 Oct 2025
10	Distinguished Lecture series	Department of Medical Laboratory Technology has Conducted Session II of the Distinguished Lecture series on 'Search Strategy' by Dr Pratima Jayaprakash Acharya.	26 Nov 2025

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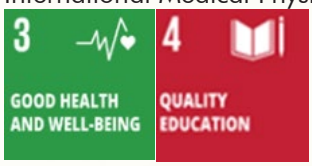
Medical Radiation Physics			
1	Alumni Keynote address	The Medical Radiation Physics Program, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal, organized an Alumni Keynote Address titled "Bridging Education and Practice: Alumni Perspectives in Medical Physics" on Friday, 21 Nov 2025, at 10:30 AM in the Seminar Room, SSBCH, Manipal. The session aimed to provide current students with first-hand insights into the transition from academic learning to clinical practice in the field of medical physics.	21 Nov 2025
2	International Medical Physics Day 	The Medical Radiation Physics Program of the Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal, organized a celebration of the International Medical Physics Day on the theme "Medical Physics and Emerging Technologies: Shaping the Decade." The event was held on Saturday, 22 Nov 2025 at 02:30 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP, Manipal.	22 Nov 2025
3	Alumni Home Coming	The Medical Radiation Physics (MRP) Program at the Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, organized an Alumni Homecoming event with an Interactive Session titled "From Classroom to Research: Alumni Experiences at Manipal." The event aimed to strengthen alumni–institution connections and provide current students with valuable insights into professional growth, research exposure, and clinical career pathways in the field of medical radiation physics.	21 Dec 2025
Nuclear Medicine			
1	Webinar	The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized webinar program through MS Team on 28 Feb 2025. The guest Dr Sasikala A C, Nuclear medicine consultant at Cachar cancer hospital and research centre, Silchar, Assam, given lectures for the topic titled "Clinicians perspective on the use of nuclear medicine technology".	28 Feb 2025
2	Alumni Guest lecture	The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized Alumni guest lecture as part of Radiance 2025 on 24 Apr 2025. The guest speaker Dr Nitya Waghray (alumni UG batch 2004), Nuclear Medicine Physicist, Apollo Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad delivered lecture on the topic titled "Revolutioizing Mental Health Diagnostics: PET and SPECT in the era of molecular imaging and personalized medicine".	24 Apr 2025

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3	Alumni Webinar	The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized Alumni webinar on 24 Apr 2025. The guest speaker Captain Dr Qsee H S (alumni), Nuclear Medicine Specialist and research scientist the medical city for Military and Security Services Oman. delivered lecture on the topic titled "Theranostics in Oman: Progress Updates and path ahead".	16 Oct 2025
4	Conference	The Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Medical Radiation Physics and Nuclear Medicine Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE jointly organized "Frontiers in Oncology Imaging and Therapeutics - 2025" Event ID: COAMA0453 at Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal on 25 Nov 2025.	25 Nov 2025
5	Adjunct Faculty Webinar	The Department of Nuclear Medicine, MCHP, Manipal organized Adjunct faculty webinar program on 26 Nov 2025 at LH8 classroom MCHP. The guest Dr Pardeep Kumar, Department of Neuroimaging and Interventional Radiology, NIMHANS, given lectures for the topic titled "Development of Neuro-tracers- NIMHANS Experience".	26 Nov 2025
Occupational Therapy			
1	Guest Lecture	Mr Koushik Sau delivered a Guest lecture on "Myths and Practices in the Evaluation of Activities of Daily Living in Clinical Practice." Organized by SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Tiruchirappalli.	11 Feb 2025
2	Guest Talk	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza deliverd a guest talk Fall Prevention for Older Adults: Adopting a Pragmatic Approach to Translational Research in the Indian Context at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 to 23 Feb 2025
3	Conference presentation	Mr Koushik Sau presented his innovations "Height Adjustable Wheelchair" in Innovation technlogy Category at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 to 23 Feb 2025
4	Conference Presentation	Mrs Shalini Quadros presented a scientific paper titled "Relationship Between Sensory Modulation and Cognition – A Cross-sectional study" at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 to 23 Feb 2025

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5	Conference Presentation	Mr Pramod Lambor presented a scientific paper titled "Knowledge, Perception and Attitude Towards Occupational Therapy Services Among Healthcare Professionals in India – A Cross-sectional survey" at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 to 23 Feb 2025
6	Resource person	Dr Sumita Rege was the resource person for International Conference on Autism, organized by SRM, Chennai.	26 Apr 2025
7	Guest Speaker	Mr Keshavaram.P was the resource person for COTE Program on topic " School Based Occupational Therapy" - Organized by Sri Ramachandra Faculty of Occupational Therapy, Chennai.	18 Jun 2025
8	Guest Lecturer	Mr Koushik Sau delivered a Guest lecture on "Enhancing Geriatric Safety and Independence through Ergonomics and Assistive Technology in Occupational Therapy." Organized By, SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Tiruchirappalli.	20 Jun 2025
9	Guest Talk	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza was a guest speaker on the topic 'Aging and Geriatric Rehabilitation, in REFLECTIONS 25, National Conference on Holistic Rehabilitation held at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education and Research, Chennai.	27 and 28 Jun 2025
10	Resource person	Mr Koushik Sau was the resource person in faculty development program 3.0 – "Empowering Faculty Excellence: Artificial Intelligence, Research and Education." Organized by ISIC Institute of Rehabilitation Sciences, New Delhi.	21 Jul to 03 Aug 2025
11	Resource person	Mr Koushik Sau was the resource person for "Bibliometric Analysis for Scholarly Intellectual Contribution – BASIC." Organized by Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Doctoral Research Exchange Network (DREN).	26 Oct 2025
12	Workshop	The Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, organized a two-day in-person Continuing Occupational Therapy Education (COTE) Workshop on "Applying Occupational Justice in Practice and Research" on 27 and 28 Oct 2025, commemorating World Occupational Therapy Day 2025. The workshop was inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Dr Harish S Kumar, Director,	27 and 28 Oct 2025

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		Corporate Relations, MAHE, Manipal, in the presence of Guests of Honour, Dr G. Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP, MAHE, and Dr Anup Naha, Director, International Collaborations, MAHE, Manipal. The event was organized by the Department of Occupational Therapy with Mr Keshavaram P, Faculty, as the convener. The workshop aligned with the theme of World Occupational Therapy Day 2025, "Occupational Therapy in Action," and was conducted by faculty members from the University of Adelaide, Dr Emma George, Ms Caitlin Prince and an independent academician, Dr Shoba Nayar.	
13	Guest Lecture	Guest Lecture: Dr Emma George about the Modified Occupational Justice Questionnaire conducted for the post-graduates and faculty of the Department of Occupational Therapy.	29 Oct 2025
14	OT Euphoria 2025	The Department of Occupational Therapy conducted OT Euphoria 2025. In total 18 teams consisting of a mix of undergraduate and postgraduate students, interns and faculty were made. Team names were decided by the teams, and they were asked to nominate a leader and co-leader for ease of communication between the teams and the organizing committee. The activities were designed with the theme on 'Occupational Therapy in Action', the theme for World Occupational Therapy Day 2025.	06 Nov 2025
15	Guest Lecturer	Mr Koushik Sau delivered an invited online session on "An Overview of Research: Planning to Communication" for faculty members. Organized by BCF College of Physiotherapy, Kerala. SDG 3- Good health and well-being, SDG 4: Quality Education"	07 Nov 2025
16	Guest Lecture	Dr Sumita Rege delivered a guest talk on Pediatric Occupational Therapy, at AIIPMR, Haji Ali, Mumbai.	10 Nov 2025
Optometry			
1	Guest Lecture	A Guest lecture was conducted for the students. The talk was given by Ms Siya the Alumni of the Department of Optometry. Ms Siya provided an overview of the role of Optometrists in the evaluation of the pediatric population with special needs.	05 Feb 2025

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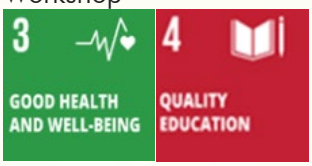
2	Guest Lecture	Contact Lens fitting for various ocular conditions, a Guest lecture by the Adjunct faculty, Dr Deepa Chandrasekaran, was given to the students on 22 and 29 Mar.	22 and 29 Mar 2025
3	Workshop 	The department of Optometry conducted a workshop on "The art of optical dispensing" by, Carl Zeiss India industry visit. It included in detail discussion on Zeiss legacy and Zeiss products. Resource person shared the newer spectacle lens design, material property and advanced manufacturing techniques for single vision lenses and progressive additional lenses. She also shared about the recent advancements in lenses that benefit current lifestyle. Carl Zeiss India also installed Zeiss dispensing unit at Preclinical lab, Department of Optometry, MCHP, Manipal on the same day.	02 Apr 2025
4	Inbound Students	Three students from University of Melbourne, Australia had visited Department of Optometry, Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal for four weeks clinical Observership from 03 to 29 Mar 2025. They were posted with Ophthalmologist, at diagnostic clinic, Optometry clinic and at community eye screening camps. They were also part of an evidence-based journal club every Wednesday afternoon and celebrated World Optometry Day at the department.	03 Mar 2025 to 29 Mar 2025
5	Guest Lecture	A Guest lecture was conducted for the students of Optometry Department. There were 2 eminent speakers, Mr Jibran Munaver (Chief Anaplastologist and Ocularist De Cure Center, Bengaluru) and Ms Najwa Shabbar (Consultant Optometrist De Cure Centre, Bengaluru Alumni Bachelor of Clinical Optometry 2011 to 2015). This talk was given to enhance the students' knowledge and provide exposure to real-world insights from industry/academic professionals.	06 Apr 2025
6	Alumni Webinar	An alumni webinar was conducted for the students of Optometry Department. The talk was given by Mr Prathamesh. Mr Prathamesh shared his experience on his journey as a clinician to industrialist. He also spoke on IOLs its advancements, present and future scopes in this area. He also enlightened our students on how to build professional connections right from the time of studentship and its importance in career building.	23 Aug 2025
7	Workshop	An Industrial talk on Cooper vision Contact lens Products was organized for the students and the faculty. The session was done by Mr Prakash	08 Oct 2025

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		Chintamani, Professional Affairs Consultant, CooperVision. He actively engaged the students through an interactive quiz and provided detailed information on CooperVision's soft contact lenses and product portfolio. The session helped students gain clarity on lens materials, replacement schedules, toric and multifocal lens designs, and the clinical considerations for patient selection	
Perfusion Technology			
1	RAPCON 	The Department of Renal Replacement Therapy, Anaesthesia and operation theatre technology and Perfusion Technology together organized a National Collaboration Conference "RAPCON 2025". The academic sessions featured a series of expert talks focusing on key aspects of patient safety, including team work, adherence to clinical protocols and the integration of emerging technologies in clinical settings.	22 Mar 2025
2	Webinar 	The Perfusion Technology Program at MCHP, MAHE, conducted a guest lecture webinar From Arrest to Assist: Myocardial Protection and ECMO in Modern Practice. The resources for the talk were Ms Grace Evangeline, Clinical Perfusionist, Sparsh Hospitals and Mr Manideepak Yadav Clinical Perfusionist, Sparsh Hospitals. The webinar provided an overview of myocardial protection strategies during cardiac surgery. The speakers explained the principles and clinical applications of ECMO (Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation) in modern cardiac practice. Practical insights were shared from their experiences at Sparsh Hospitals, making the session highly relevant for perfusion students and professionals. The interactive discussion helped clarify common doubts and provided exposure to real-world challenges and solutions in the field.	09 Aug 2025
3	Webinar 	Perfusion Technology Program, MCHP, MAHE, conducted a guest lecture webinar on the occasion of World Heart Day, topic “Advances in Organ Preservation Techniques: Role of the Perfusionist”. The resource person for the talk was Mr S Madhan Kumar, Lecturer, Malla Reddy University.	30 Sep 2025
Physician Assistant Practice			
1	National Physician Assistant Day	Celebrating National Physician Assistant Day by honoring healthcare professionals who advance accessible, equitable care and community well-being.	11 Oct 2025

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Physiotherapy

1	Adjunct Faculty Lecture	An adjunct faculty lecture on "Culture and Disability" by Dr Suresh Kumar Kamalakannan, Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy and Associate Professor, Northumbria University, Newcastle, UK was held on 05 Feb 2025. The lecture was attended by VIII semester BPT Disability and Health elective students.	05 Feb 2025
2	Workshop on "Advances in Physiotherapy Skills and Practice"	Department of PT in association with Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic foot care and Research conducted 2 days' Workshop on "Advances in Physiotherapy Skills and Practice" on 24 and 25 Feb 2025 at Smart Classroom, Ground floor, Tower 1, MCHP. The workshop provided participants with updated knowledge, hands-on exposure, and evidence-based approaches to contemporary physiotherapy practice, thereby strengthening professional competencies and improving patient care outcomes.	24 and 25 Feb 2025
3	World Cancer Day Poster presentation	On the occasion of World Cancer day, a poster presentation was held on 01 Mar 2025 at PG lab, II floor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP. VIII semester BPT Cancer elective students and II semester MPT Oncology students presented posters related to awareness on cancer.	01 Mar 2025
4	Adjunct faculty lecture	An adjunct faculty lecture on "Strategies and techniques to improve motor recovery" by Dr Kanika Bansal, Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA was held on 13 Mar 2025 from 06:30 PM onwards via MS Teams The lecture was attended by	13 Mar 2025

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		VI semester BPT Neuro elective students and MPT in Neurosciences.	
5	Adjunct Faculty Lecture 	An adjunct faculty lecture on "Brain injury recovery mechanism and Brain plasticity" by Dr Chitra L K Balasubramanian, Adjunct faculty Department of Physiotherapy and Associate Professor, Brooks College of Health, University of North Florida was held on 20 Mar 2025 at PG Lab, II floor, MCHP. The lecture was attended by VI semester BPT Neuro elective students.	20 Mar 2025
6	Adjunct Faculty Lecture 	An adjunct faculty lecture on "Disordered motor control" by Dr Sandeep Subramanian, Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy and Associate Professor, Physical Therapy Department, The School of Health Professions, UT Health San Antonio, Texas, USA was held on 25 and 26 Mar 2025. The lecture was attended by VI semester BPT Neuro elective students.	25 and 26 Mar 2025
7	Adjunct Faculty Lecture 	A session on “Physical Activity Guidelines for Clinical Practice” was conducted on 14 Jul 2025 for BPT and EASS students by Dr Ashokan Arumugam, Associate Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, College of Health Sciences, University of Sharjah, UAE, and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP. The session provided students with evidence-based guidance on prescribing physical activity, emphasizing its role in prevention, rehabilitation, and overall health promotion across clinical populations.	14 Jul 2025
8	Adjunct Faculty Interactive Session 	An interactive session with BPT interns and Dr Joanne Watson, Adjunct faculty (MCHP, MAHE), Associate Head of School (International), Senior Lecturer in Disability and Inclusion, School of Health and Social Development, Faculty of Health, Deakin University was held on 26 Aug 2025. The session provided interns with insights into disability, inclusion, and best practices in healthcare, fostering professional development and awareness of inclusive approaches in physiotherapy practice.	26 Aug 2025

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9	World Physiotherapy Day 2025 	On 06 Sep 2025, the Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, celebrated World Physiotherapy Day with a special focus on the theme of Healthy Aging. The event took place at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, III floor, KMC, Manipal, and brought together students, faculty, and healthcare professionals to raise awareness about the critical role physiotherapy plays in promoting mobility, independence, and overall well-being for older adults. As part of the celebrations, a series of exciting and engaging events were held, including the Physio-Theatre Competition, E-Poster Competition, Quiz, and Reels Making. These activities offered a creative platform for students to showcase their knowledge and raise awareness about the importance of physiotherapy in healthy aging.	06 Sep 2025
10	Physiotherapy MCHP Global Alumni webinar 	As part of the Physiotherapy MCHP Global Alumni Webinar Series, the Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP organized a webinar on “Physiotherapy Practice in India – Current Scenario, Challenges and Future Directions” by Dr Pranav Kumar (BPT 1999), Clinical Entrepreneur, on 10 Sep 2025 at 04:00 PM via MS Teams The webinar offered insights into the evolving landscape of physiotherapy in India, addressing current practices, emerging challenges, and potential future opportunities for professionals in clinical and entrepreneurial settings.	10 Sep 2025
11	Hands-on training in "Advancing Stroke Recovery: National Workshop on Motor Rehabilitation" 	On the occasion of World Stroke Day 2025, the Centre for Comprehensive Stroke Rehabilitation and Research (CCSRR) and the Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, jointly organized a hands-on training Program titled “Advancing Stroke Recovery: National Workshop on Motor Rehabilitation” on 30 and 31 Oct 2025 at Sharada Hall, Ground Floor, MCHP. The workshop featured resource persons who were all alumni of the Department of Physiotherapy and was attended by 64 delegates.	30 and to 31 Oct 2025
12	Webinar on “Interdisciplinary Family-Centred Care: A Best Practice Approach for Childhood Development”	Centre for Rehabilitation of children with Developmental Disabilities and Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal jointly organized a webinar on “Interdisciplinary Family-Centred Care: A Best Practice Approach for Childhood Development” by Dr Marie Brien, Adjunct	06 Nov 2025

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		lecturer, Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, Canada on 06 Nov 2025 via MS Teams	
13	Jishnu day 2025 	As part of Jishnu day 2025, The Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE Manipal in association with Jishnu Sasikumar charitable foundation organized a Jishnu Memorial Lecture on "Physiotherapy in Para Sports: Science, Strength and Success" by Mr Agrawal Umang Sanjeev Kumar, Senior Sports Physiotherapist, Olympic Gold Quest (OGQ) on 11 Nov 2025 at 04:30 PM via MS Teams	11 Nov 2025
14	Open House event 	On the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities 2025, the Department of Physiotherapy, in collaboration with the Centre for Comprehensive Rehabilitation, MAHE, conducted an Open House on Disability-Informed Practice: Voices, Values and Visibility. The event was held on 03 Dec 2025 at the Manipal College of Health Professions, showcased nine powerful student projects promoting inclusion, leadership, and equity in disability practice. The projects were reviewed by a jury, Dr Selvam Ramachandran and Dr Aravinda Bhat, Assistant Professor, Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts, MAHE.	03 Dec 2025
15	Adjunct Faculty Lecture 	Dr Kanika Bansal, Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP visited MCHP and delivered a series of lectures for the Post Graduate students, PHD scholars and Interns on 15 and 16 Dec 2025. • Mapping Physical, Biopsychosocial, and Environmental Influences on Community Ambulation Post-Stroke on 15 Dec 2025 • Measuring What Matters: The Accuracy and Utility of Wearables for Real-World Walking Performance on 15 Dec 2025 • Objective Measurement of Perceived Walking Challenge Differentiates between Home and Community Ambulation Levels Post-Stroke on 16 Dec 2025 • How to choose and apply to a journal for your manuscript? on 16 Dec 2025 • PhD application process and pathways in physiotherapy- USA/Canada on 16 Dec 2025 • Resume/academic CV building on 16 Dec 2025.	15 and 16 Dec 2025

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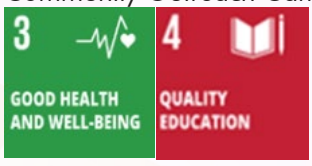
16	Adjunct Faculty Lecture	Dr Annapoorna Kuppuswamy, Senior Lecturer, University of Leeds, Imperial College London, UK, and Adjunct Faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, delivered an adjunct faculty lecture on "Brain Stimulation and Neuroplasticity" on 17 Dec 2025 at 10:00 AM at the Post Graduate Research Laboratory, II floor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP. The lecture focused on advanced concepts in neuroplasticity, brain stimulation techniques, and their applications in rehabilitation, providing postgraduate students and researchers with insights into cutting-edge neurorehabilitation strategies.	17 Dec 2025
17	Research focused talk	Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP and Centre for Comprehensive Stroke Rehabilitation and Research (CCSRR), MAHE, Manipal jointly organized a research focused talk on In Search of Rigour in Neuro Rehabilitation: Speculative ideas for robot assisted therapy and quantitative movement measurement by Professor and Head, Department of Bioengineering, Christian Medical College, Vellore, Tamil Nadu and Adjunct faculty- Centre for Comprehensive Stroke Rehabilitation and Research (CCSRR), MAHE, Manipal on 17 Dec 2025 at 03:30 PM at the Post Graduate Research Laboratory, II floor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP. It provided postgraduate students and researchers with insights into integrating technology and quantitative methods in clinical and research settings.	17 Dec 2025
Prosthetics and Orthotics			
1	International Prosthetics and Orthotics Day	Celebrating International Prosthetics and Orthotics Day, our institution organized an integrated academic and clinical program combining awareness activities with a hands-on workshop on Prosthesis and Orthosis, led by our esteemed Adjunct Faculty from clinical and industry backgrounds.	11 Nov 2025 to 14 Nov 2025
2	Hands-on Industry Collaboration Workshop on Prosthetics and Orthotics	A hands-on practical workshop for students, strengthening experiential learning while fostering industry collaboration through direct exposure to real-world clinical practices and professional expertise.	11 and 12 Nov 2025
3	Community Outreach Camp 	A community outreach camp activity was successfully conducted in collaboration with the Manipal Rotary Club, with active student participation in patient assessment and care services. The initiative promoted accessible	13 to 16 Nov 2025

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		healthcare, experiential learning, and social responsibility.	
Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology			
1	Health Awareness Camp for a Healthy Community	The Health Awareness Camp for a Healthy Community aimed to educate people on preventive healthcare, the importance of regular health check-ups, and adopting a healthy lifestyle. It focused on raising awareness about kidney diseases causes such as diabetes and hypertension while offering free basic health screenings. The camp also emphasized the role of the community in maintaining overall well-being by encouraging active participation in health and wellness initiatives.	05 Feb 2025
2	Role of Medical Imaging in Kidney Health Assessment and Hemodialysis Vascular Access Management	The purpose of this Student Development Program (SDP) was to educate students on the role Of Medical Imaging in Kidney Health Assessment and Hemodialysis Vascular Access Management.	25 Feb 2025
3	Bridging Disciplines: Comprehensive Strategies for Patient Safety and Care	The conference featured expert sessions highlighting the importance of teamwork, protocol adherence, safety checklist, interprofessional communication, and integration of technology in clinical practice.	22 Mar 2025
4	Alumni Guest Lecture	An Alumni Guest Lecture titled 'From Protocol to Publication' was conducted for RRT and DT postgraduate students. Mr Bhaskar Tiwary, an alumnus of the program, shared practical insights on research protocols and the publications.	11 Oct 2025
5	Alumni Webinar	Mrs Akshatha P Nayak delivered an alumni webinar on 'Cross-Cultural Comparison of Dialysis practices' for the students of the RRT and DT program. She shared information about dialysis procedures, equipment, and career opportunities for dialysis technologists.	27 Dec 2025
Respiratory Therapy			
1	Alumni meet	RESCARE 2025, the 18th National Conference of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC), brought together over 500 delegates, including clinicians, academicians, students, alumni, and industry partners, fostering collaboration and knowledge exchange in respiratory therapy.	24 to 26 Oct 2025

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		Eighteen alumni of the Department of Respiratory Therapy actively contributed by facilitating workshops, mentoring students, leading discussions, judging competitions, and delivering sessions. Their involvement enhanced the learning experience and strengthened ties between past graduates and current academic initiatives.	
2	Workshop	Pre-conference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at Interact Halls. The title of the workshop is "Fundamentals of Mechanical Ventilation and Neonatal Respiratory Strategies". The session was given by the following Resource Persons. • Ms Rujuta Bagade by Dragger medicals • Mr D Prem Raj • Ms Harshitha Upadyaya K • Mr Rakshith • Team Hamilton – Hands-on Training	24 Oct 2025
3	Workshop	Preconference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at Interact Halls. The title of the workshop is "Advanced Ventilation Techniques: Modes and Disease-Specific Management in Adult and Neonatal Care". The session was given by the following Resource Persons. • Mr Louin Jose • Ms Kavya Shettigar • Ms Anjali Kotian • Mr Akash Soni • Team Hamilton – Hands-on Training	24 Oct 2025
4	Workshop	Preconference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at Sharada Hall the title of the workshop is" BEYOND THE ICU: Long-Term Ventilatory Care and Evolving Non-Invasive Modalities" The session was given by following Resource Persons. • Dr Vishal Shanbhag • Dr Vishwas P • Dr Pratibha Todur • Mr Anup Bhat • Ms Renuga Devi	24 Oct 2025
5	Workshop	Preconference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at Interact Hall 2A the title of the workshop is " DECODING SLEEP: A Hands-on Approach to Polysomnography in Clinical Practice". The session was given by following Resource Persons. • Ms Roselin John • Ms Mansi Suresh • Ms Nivetha • Mr Sabeer S • Team Somnomedics and Life Plus Medical – Hands-on Training	24 Oct 2025
6	Workshop	Preconference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at Smart Classroom, MMMC, the title of the workshop is " Building the Evidence: Approach to Research in Respiratory Care". The session was given by following Resource Persons. • Dr Pratibha Todur • Dr Madhuragauri Shevade • Dr John Solomon • Dr Abraham Samuel Babu • Dr Geetika Sareen from Jaypee journals	24 Oct 2025

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7	Workshop	Preconference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at the Simulation Center, the title of the workshop is " Seeing the Unseen: Lung Ultrasound as a Clinical Tool in Respiratory Care ". The session was given by the following Resource Persons. • Dr Souvik Chaudhuri • Dr Pranav • Ms Sulochana Kumari • POCUS and CReST Training Team – Hands-on Simulation Support	24 Oct 2025
8	Workshop	Preconference Workshop, RESCARE 2025, conducted on 24 Oct 2025 from 08:30 AM to 02:00 PM at the Simulation Center, the title of the workshop is" Managing Airway Emergencies: Clinical Approaches to Respiratory Crisis Management". The session was given by the following Resource Persons. • Dr Anitha Shenoy • Dr Malavika Kulkarni • Dr Sunil R • Ms Divya • Ms Swathi	24 Oct 2025
9	National Conference	18th National Conference of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC) RESCARE 2025 – SCOPUS Indexed Conference Hosted by: Department of Respiratory Therapy, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal In Association with: Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC) Dates: 24 to 26 Oct 2025 Venue: TMA Pai Auditorium, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), MAHE, Manipal Theme: Shaping the Future of Respiratory Therapists: Trends and Insights for Tomorrow.	25-26 Oct 2025
Speech and Hearing			
1	Hands on training	The Department of Speech and Hearing recently organized a half-day training session on 10 Jan 2025 by Xceptional LEARNING, an organization specializing in rehabilitation training through its innovative Hybrid Practices approach	10 Jan 2025
2	Awareness Talk	Industry academia collaboration-Guest talk on topic titled “A RIDDLE: The Hidden Knowledge"	28 Jan 2025
3	Awareness Talk	Industry academia collaboration-Guest talk on topic titled -Cochlear Implant: Counselling and Candidacy	20 Feb 2025

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4	Hands on Training	Hands-on Training on Flexible Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES)	17 and 18 Mar 2025
5	Alumni Talk	Alumni talk on Video head impulse test" by Ms Shreeba Sreedhar.	02 Apr 2025
6	Alumni Talk	Alumni talk on "Videonystagmography" by Mr Srikanth Nayak	04 Apr 2025
7	Awareness Talk	Awareness talk on Intelligent Hearing Systems	05 May 2025
8	Hands on Training	A training program on the integration of technology in speech therapy was organized in collaboration with Xceptional Learning	11 to 14 Aug 2025
9	Alumni Lecture Series	Department of Speech and Hearing organized an Alumni talk on Real-Ear Measures in Hearing Aid Programming by Dr Vikranth Patil	29 Oct 2025
10	Alumni Lecture series	Department of Speech and Hearing organized an Alumni talk on Patient-Centered Care by Dr Vikranth Patil	05 Nov 2025
11	Awareness Talk	Industry academia collaboration-Guest talk on topic titled “A RIDDLE: The Hidden Knowledge"	07 Nov 2025

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12	Alumni Lecture Series	Department of Speech and Hearing organized an Alumni talk on Private Practice and Entrepreneurship in Audiology by Dr Vikranth Patil	12 Nov 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

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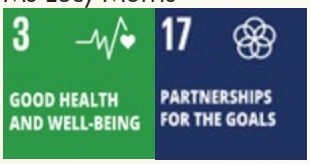
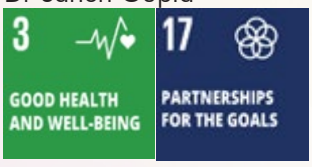
Cardiovascular Technology				
1	Ms Lucy Morris 	Managing Director, Asia, Tristel Pvt Ltd	Guest lecture on the topic "Healthcare Acquired Infection: What can be done to Minimize"	21 Mar 2025
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics				
1	Dr Diviya Muthukumar	Director, ComplEAT Nutrition Care, Chennai	Adjunct faculty guest lecture for the workshop titled "Scientific Literature: Turning Evidence into Understanding"	07 Nov 2025
Clinical Psychology				
1	Dr Sahen Gupta 	Senior Lecturer in Applied Sport Psychology, University of Portsmouth, Visiting Professor, Sports Authority of India (SAI), Sport and Performance Psychologist (HCPC), Founder of Discovery Sport	Department of Clinical Psychology organized a guest lecture	14 Jan 2025
2	Dr Lata Satyen	Associate Professor, Deakin University, Registered Psychologist, Founding Co-Convener, Victorian State Lead for the Australian Domestic, Family, and Sexual Violence Recovery Alliance.	Department of Clinical Psychology organized a guest lecture	21 Jan 2025
3	Dr Ramana Kumar Vinjamuri	Department of Clinical Psychology and International Collaborations Committee,	The resource person for the session	27 Jan 2025

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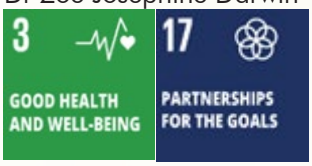
		Manipal College of Health Professions organized a guest lecture by Dr Ramana Kumar Vinjamuri, Adjunct faculty, MCHP, MAHE on "Emerging Technologies in Healthcare with AI and ML" on 27 Jan 2025 from 04:00 to 05:00 PM in Sharada Hall, MCHP		
4	Dr Oliver Mason	Oversees faculty of the department, Reader, School of Psychology, University of Surrey, England	Department of Clinical Psychology organized a guest lecture	21 Feb 2025
5	Dr Chathapuram Ramanathan	Senior Fulbright specialist and Professor at Illinois State University, with extensive global experience in social work education and disaster response.	The resource person for the session	18 Jul 2025
6	Dr Zoe Josephine Darwin 	Reader in Health Research at the School of Human and Health Sciences, University of Huddersfield, UK, and an Adjunct Faculty Member at the Department of Clinical Psychology, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	The resource person for the session	25 Sep 2025
Emergency Medical Technology (EMT)				
1	Ms Lavanya BN	Faculty, Emergency Medical Services, Higher College of Technology, Abhu Dhabi	Resource person for Alumni Talk on - Discover, Develop, and Deliver - Career pathways in EMT	01 Dec 2025
Exercise and Sports Sciences				
1	Dr Aaron Russell	Associate Head of School (International), School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences	Deakin Interaction	20 and 21 Aug 2025
2	Dr Rajeshwari and Team	JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research	Interaction and possibilities of starting new course	26 Nov 2025

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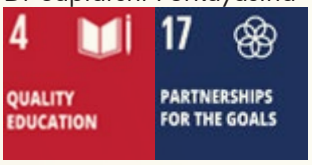
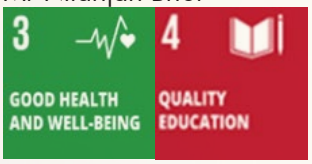
Health Information Management				
1	Dr Saptarshi Purkayastha 	Assistant Professor, Data Science, Health Informatics, School of Informatics and Computing Director of Undergraduate Education and Research, BHI Affiliated Scientist, CBMI, Regenstrief Institute Faculty Associate, STEM Education Innovation and Research Institute (SEIRI) Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis 535 W Michigan St, IT 475E Indianapolis, IN 46202"	Adjunct Faculty. During his visit, he was involved in multiple academic and research-related engagements with students and faculty members of the Department of Health Information Management (HIM).	08 Jan 2025
2	Mr Nilanjan Bhor 	Senior Specialist in HIS Implementation at India Health Action Trust and Expert Member at the HIM Council, NCAHP (MoHFW).	Alumni Webinar on "A Vision for Health Information Management in the 21st Century"	25 Apr 2025
3	Ms Lubna Subhair	Data Analyst, Optum, USA	Alumni Webinar on Application of Data Analytics for Providing Healthcare Data-Driven Insights	15 Oct 2025
4	Ms Rincy Rahman	Data Analyst, Vizhi	Bridging Gaps in Health Informatics using Evidence-Based Research	15 Oct 2025

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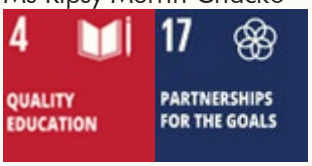
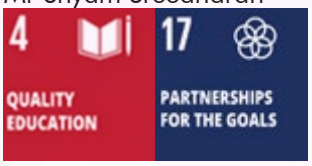
5	Dr Raghavendra Rao	International Faculty MAHE	Session on Workflow Automation in Hospitals using Health Informatics Tools	15 Oct 2025
6	Mr Nachiket Gudi	Technical officer CHRI (a PATH affiliate)	Interoperability Challenges among Digital Systems in India's Public Health	15 Oct 2025
7	Ms Ripsy Merrin Chacko 	Academic Advisor and Lecturer, EFREI Paris Panthéon–Assas Université, Paris Researcher, Integrative Oncology, Institut Rafaël, Paris	"Webinar on: Building a Research Career in Health Information Management and Health Informatics"	24 Nov 2025
8	Ms Indu Menon	Principal Consultant - Quality, Dynamed Healthcare Solutions, Kochi, Kerala	Workshop titled "Introduction to Six Sigma and Failure Mode and Effects Analysis (FMEA)"	29 Nov 2025
Medical Imaging Technology				
1	Ms Lucy Morris	Managing Director, Asia, Tristel Pvt Ltd	Guest lecture on the topic "Healthcare Acquired Infection: What can be done to Minimize"	21 Mar 2025
2	Mr Karthikeyan	General Manager, Ultrasound National Support, Erbis Engg Co Ltd, Chennai, Tamil Nadu.	Resource person for the Ultrasound Guest Lecture	05 Nov 2025
Medical Laboratory Technology				
1	Mr Shyam Sreedharan 	Senior Embrologist, Sabine Hospital, Ernakulam, Trivendrum	Guest Lecture for students	02 and 03 Apr 2025

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2	Mr Karthik G Kamath K	Associate Professor, Mangala Groups of Institutions, Mangalore	Guest Lecture for students	07 Jul 2025
Occupational Therapy				
1	Ms Elise Johnsen and Ms Oda Mastad	OsloMet – Oslo Metropolitan University	Observership	10 Jan to 17 Mar 2025
2	Dr Emma Kathryn George	University of Adelaide, Australia	COTE Workshop Resource Persons	26 to 30 Oct 2025
3	Ms Caitin Whitney Prince	University of Adelaide, Australia	COTE Workshop Resource Persons	26 to 30 Oct 2025
4	Dr Shoba Christine Nayar	Independent Academician	COTE Workshop Resource Persons	26 Oct 2025 to 30 Oct 2025
5	Ms Joan Bray, Ms Isabella Grace Carland, Ms Teah Couch, Ms Emma Fenby, Ms Claire Gallagher, Ms April Greenwood, Ms Stef Pieter Guijt, Ms Lilly Sanderson, Ms Amali Rose Steward, Ms Chloe Vick, Ms Maddison Catherine Peters	Deakin University, Australia,	Observership	15 Nov 2025 to 29 Nov 2025
6	Ms Nikki Lyons, Ms Lucinda Watson	Deakin University, Australia,	Supervision of observership student	15 Nov 2025 to 29 Nov 2025

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Optometry				
1	Dr Bang Bui	University of Melborne	Adjunct Faculty for the subject Visual Neuroscience/Visual Psychophysics for 1st year/2nd year PG	08 Sep 2025
2	Dr Shonraj B G	Kallam Anji Reddy, Hyderabad	Adjunct Faculty for the subject Visual Neuroscience/Visual Psychophysics for 1st year/2nd year PG	12 to 23 Sep 2025
3	Dr Jaikishan Jayakumar	University of Melborne	Adjunct Faculty for the subject Visual Neuroscience/Visual Psychophysics for 1st year/2nd year PG	24 Oct 2025
4	Dr L S Varadharajan	Arte insights, Chennai	Adjunct Faculty for the subject Visual Neuroscience/Visual Psychophysics for 1st year/2nd year PG	31 Oct 2025

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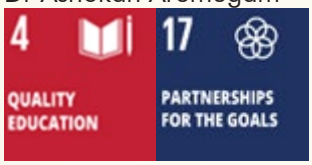
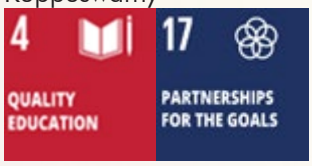
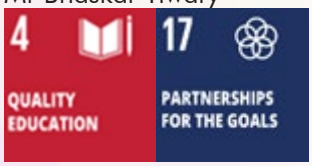
Physiotherapy				
1	Dr Chitra L K Balasubramanian	Associate Professor, Brooks College of Health, University of North Florida	Adjunct faculty lecture	18 to 21 Mar 2025
2	Dr Ashokan Arumugam 	Associate Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, College of Health Sciences, University of Sharjah, UAE	Adjunct faculty lecture and Research	14 to 16 Jul 2025
3	Dr Kanika Bansal	Assistant Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA	Adjunct faculty lecture	14 to 16 Dec 2025
4	Dr Sivakumar Balasubramanian	Professor and Head, Department of Bioengineering, Christian Medical College, Vellore, Tamil Nadu	Adjunct faculty lecture and Research collaboration	15 to 18 Dec 2025
5	Dr Annapoorna Kuppuswamy 	Senior Lecturer, University of Leeds, Imperial College London, UK	Adjunct faculty lecture and Research collaboration	17 and 18 Dec 2025
Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology				
1	Mr Bhaskar Tiwary 	Monitoring and Evaluation Manager at the Centre for Research in Schemes and Policies (CRISP)	To interact with PG Students and deliver a session on Protocol Writing and Tips for Paper Publication as part of the Alumni Homecoming Event 2025	11 Oct 2025
2	Mrs Akshatha P Nayak	Dialysis Practitioner, Farwaniya Hospital, Kuwait.	Mrs Akshatha P Nayak delivered a session to explain dialysis practices in India and Kuwait. She also shared information about dialysis procedures, equipment, and career opportunities for dialysis technologists.	27 Dec 2025

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Speech and Hearing				
1	Dr Preethi Venkatesh	All India institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	22 and 23 May 2025
2	Ms Shobha B N	All India institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	22 and 23 May 2025
3	Ms Vijayalakshmi S	All India institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	22 and 23 May 2025
4	Dr Prashanth R	All India institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	22 and 23 May 2025
5	Ms Ramanakumari P V	All India institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	22 and 23 May 2025
6	Ms Manjula P	Excel Public School, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	22 and 23 May 2025
7	Mr Rajkumar	All India institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysore	Resource person for the seminar on "Exploring the Latest Trends in Education: A Focus on NEP-2020 and the Empowerment of Children with Special Needs through Rehabilitation"	23 May 2025
8	Dr Produl Hazarika	Otolaryngologist NMC Speciality Hospital Abu Dhabi, UAE	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025

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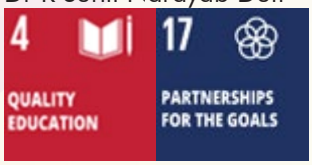
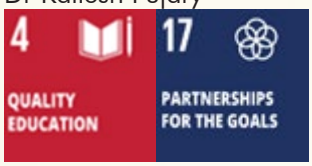
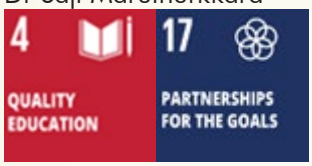
9	Dr R Sunil Narayab Dutt 	Senior Consultant and Cochlear Implant Surgeon, Apollo Hospital, Bengaluru	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025
10	Dr Kailesh Pujary 	Professor Department of Otorhinolaryngology Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025
11	Dr Saji Maruthurkkara 	Principal Research Audiologist Cochlear	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025
12	Dr Madhuri Gore	President, Cochlear Implant Group of India	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025
13	Dr Jeena Mary Joy	Associate Professor National Institute of Speech and Hearing, Trivandrum	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025
14	Dr Vaishalee S	Assistant Professor, Department of Clinical Psychology MCHP, Manipal	Resource person for the conference "Cochlear Implants: Integrating Science, Practice, and Progress" AUDICON IX	22 and 23 Sep 2025
15	Dr Suresh Pillai	Professor and Head Department of Head and Neck Surgery Kasturba Medical College Manipal	Resource person for the National Seminar "Voice and Swallowing Rehabilitation in Tracheoesophageal (TE) Prosthesis Users - Bridging Industry and Academia"	19 Nov 2025
16	Dr B Rajashekhar	Advisor (AHS), SRM Institute of Science and Technology (DU), Chennai Advisory Board Member, MAA Institute of Speech and Hearing, Hyderabad Professor Emeritus, Sumanadeep Vidhyapeet, Vadodra Senior Advisory Panelist, Xceptional Learning, Kochi Visiting	Resource person for the National Seminar "Voice and Swallowing Rehabilitation in TE Prosthesis Users - Bridging Industry and Academia"	19 Nov 2025

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		Professor, Samvaad Institute, Bengaluru		
17	Dr B S Premalatha	Professor and Deglutologist Dr S R Chandrasekhar Institute of Speech and Hearing Bengaluru	Resource person for the National Seminar "Voice and Swallowing Rehabilitation in TE Prosthesis Users - Bridging Industry and Academia"	19 Nov 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
214	4	124	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
89	24	181	13

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National
Workshop	23
Seminar	7
Other	4
CME/CDE	3

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl. No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Clinical Psychology					
1	Futuristic Trends in Social Sciences	Frontline Workers' Encounters with Covid-19: With Special Reference To Healthcare Workers, Police Personnel And Sanitation Workers	Dr Navyashree G C	IIP Series	31 Dec 2025
2	Futuristic Trends in Social Sciences	Queer, Old, and Proud: Psychological Well-Being of Lgb Individuals In Late Adulthood	Dr Deepa M Rasquinha	IIP Series	31 Dec 2025
3	Futuristic Trends in Social Sciences	Rehabilitation Revolution: Integrating Clinical and Positive Psychology for Criminal Reformation	Dr Deepa M Rasquinha	IIP Series	31 Dec 2025
4	Post-Traumatic Growth in Indian Context	Shining Through the Darkness: Understanding the Post Traumatic Growth in Indian Context	Dr Shwetha T S	Vridhhi	31 Dec 2025
5	Recent Research Trends in Psychology	Postraumatic Growth: Another Perspective to Psycho Traumatology	Dr Sweta Kulkarni	Integrated Publications	31 Dec 2025

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6	Research Methodologies and Practical Applications in Psychoneuroim-munology	"Psychoneuroimmunology in the Paediatric Population"	Dr Anupama Vijayaraghavan	IGI Global Scientific Publishing	31 Dec 2025
Medical Imaging Technology					
1	Radiodiagnosis in the Era of AI	AI Enhanced Image Analysis and Interpretation (pages 69-100)	Dr Saikiran Pendem, Mr Abhijith S, Ms Tancia Pires, Mr Obhuli Chandran M, Dr Priyanka	IGI Global	17 Jul 2025
Occupational Therapy					
1	Occupational Therapy Practice in Mental health: Models, conditions, intervetions and Recovery	Group Theory and Group Interventions in Occupational Therapy Practice	Mrs Shalini Quadros	Bentham Books in-print	02 Oct 2025
Physiotherapy					
1	Urogynaecology: Foundation and Surgical Practice (ISBN: 9788131271032)	Pelvic floor assessment and training	Dr Preetha R	Elsevier	22 Dec 2025
Speech and Hearing					
1	The Oxford Handbook of of Dravidian Languages	Morphosyntactic Markers of SLI in Kannada	Dr Shivani Tiwari	Oxford University Publishers	23 Jan 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Administration					
1	Bridging Emotional Distress and Community Support: A Mobile Solution For Suicide Prevention	Dr Vennila J	ICSSR, New Delhi	600,000	25 Sep 2025 to 24 Sep 2026
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics					
1	Effect of high dietary fiber intake on insulin resistance, body composition and weight, among overweight or obese middle-aged women	Mrs Suvarna Hebbar	ICMR, New Delhi	1,146,457	24 Aug 2023 to 23 Aug 2026
Nuclear Medicine					
1	Targetting endoplasmic reticulum-mitochondrial interplay for possible anticancer therapeutic outcome in bresat cancer	Dr Sanjay Bharati	ICMR	1,688,376	09 Feb 2025 to 08 Feb 2026

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Occupational Therapy					
1	The Impact of a mobile-based fall education on fall risk factors in older adults	Dr Sebestina Anita D'Souza	ICMR, New Delhi	577,404	15 Oct 2021 to 24 Sep 2025
2	Relationship Between Sensory Modulation and Occupational Participation In Individuals with Schizophrenia	Dr Shalini Quadros	DST, New Delhi	27,250	03 Apr 2024 to 03 Mar 2028
Optometry					
1	Mobile vision enhancement and rehabilitation unit Vision on Wheels, Drishti Chakra	Dr Krithica S	Manipal Foundation	9,448,638	31 Mar 2025
Physiotherapy					
1	The efficacy of a home based exercise intervention to improve balance and quality of life among community dwelling older adults in Coastal Karnataka	Dr Vaishali K	ICMR	1,369,387	25 Sep 2023 to 24 Sep 2027
2	FLOW mediated vasodialation and endothelial function response to heart failure rehabilitation (FlowRehab study)	Dr Abraham Samuel Babu	ANRF	4,617,560	31 Jul 2024 to 30 Jul 2027
3	Short term effect of oxygenated nanobubbles infused drinks vs placebo drinks on performance and fatigue in endurance runners: Pre-post design	Dr G Arun Maiya	IOTA Nanotechnology Pvt Ltd	1,153,000	01 Aug 2024 to 31 Jul 2027
4	Clinical Validation of a Novel Head and Trunk Control Rehabilitation (HATCORE) Device for Children with Cerebral Palsy	Ms Shrist Shakya	Society of Indian Physiotherapists, New Delhi	10,000	07 Nov 2024 to 07 Oct 2025
5	Empowering the Youth of Coastal Karnataka: Assessing Risk Factors and Implementing an Integrated Multi-component Health Promotion Intervention (IMHP)	Dr Vaishali K	ICMR	9,587,224	15 Jan 2025 to 14 Jan 2028
6	Amputation Prevention Program for People with Type-2 Diabetes	Dr G Arun Maiya	CSR Project governed between RailTel Corporation of India Limited (CIN L64202DL2000GOI107905) and Manipal Academy of	734,819	01 Feb 2025 to 31 Jan 2026

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			Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal.		
7	Effect of i-Coll- collagen particles on wound healing dynamics of chronic leg ulcers	Dr G Arun Maiya	Iwound Global Pvt Ltd	548,050	01 Feb 2025 to 31 Jan 2027
8	HOMER: Home-based robot-assisted upper limb training for stroke in India	Dr John Solomon M	ICMR	1,803,096	25 Feb 2025 to 24 Feb 2028
9	Effectiveness of an Intensive, Functional Gamified Rehabilitation in Improving Sensory-Motor and Cognitive Function Following Chronic Stroke: A Multicenter Randomized Clinical Tria	Dr Senthil Kumaran D	ICMR	2,662,512	01 Mar 2025 to 28 Feb 2028
10	World Physiotheraphy Congress 2025, Japan, held in Tokey, Japan	Mr Prabal Kumar	SERB, New Delhi	120,445	29 to 31 May 2025
Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology					
1	Comparison between objective and clinical methods to measure dry wright in the management of blood pressure and hydration ststus in hemodialysis patients: A Randomized Controlled Trial"	Mr Ajith M Nayak	ICMR, New Delhi	402,336	25 Jan 2024 to 24 Jan 2027
Respiratory Therapy					
1	Driving Pressure in ARDS	Dr Pratibha Todur	ICMR	94,621	01 Oct 2021 to 25 Sep 2025
2	Development of screening tool to identify fatal hyperinflammatory subphenotype -2 of acute respiratory distress syndrome with point of care ultrasound, ventilator mechanical power and blood cell count	Co-Investigator: Dr Pratibha Todur	ICMR	1,600,000	30 Apr 2023 to 15 Feb 2025
Speech and Hearing					
1	Linguistic Biomakers in individual with Unipolar Depression, Bipolar Depression and Schizophrenia	Dr Sunila John	DST, New Delhi	269,830	06 Jul 2023 to 05 Jul 2026
2	Translation and Validation of Internet Based Congnitive Behavioural Therapy (Icbt) for Tinnitus in Tamil Nadu	Dr Hari Prakash P	ICMR, New Delhi	1,212,394	15 Jul 2023 to 14 Jul 2026

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
3	Exploring the cortical dynamic underlying age-related hearing loss on listening effort, cognition and efficacy of neurofeedback in cortical retraining	Dr Hari Prakash P	DST, New Delhi	33,790	09 Aug 2023 to 09 Jul 2026
4	Validation of eye gaze screening protocol for early identification of autism	Dr Shivani Tiwari	ICMR, New Delhi	355,314	01 Feb 2024 to 31 Jan 2027
5	Development and archiving of a Digitized Corpus of Child Spoken Samples in Kannada Language	Dr Shivani Tiwari	ICSSR, New Delhi	320,000	15 Feb 2024 to 14 Feb 2026
6	In Dyslexia Care: AI-based Assistive Technology for Dyslexic children in Indic Languages	Dr Venkataraja Aithal U	IIT, Mandi I Hub and Hci Foundation	5,738,600	06 Feb 2025 to 05 Feb 2027

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A customizable Hospital Information System Integrated Electronic Diabetes Diary	30 Jan 2025
2	A Mobility Assistance System and Method for Transportation of Mobility Devices on Retrofit Scooters	09 Mar 2025
3	A System and Method for Evaluating and Training Manual Dexterity among Older Adults	14 Mar 2025
4	PRadio Wipe Gel	21 Mar 2025
5	Electric Powered-Height Adjustable Wheelchair for Assisting Disabled Users and Method Thereof	24 Mar 2025
6	Development and Validation of Survey Questionnaire to assess the kap on Antimicrobial use and resistance among medical and non-medical students in a University	30 May 2025
7	A System and Method for Electronic Diabetes Management	09 Jul 2025
8	A Customizable Diabetes Information Management System and a Method for Enabling Thereof	09 Jul 2025
9	System and Method for Assisting and Monitoring of Rehabilitation Exercises	08 Aug 2025
10	Development of V R Model of Pediatric Airway	24 Oct 2025
11	A Paediatric Physiotherapy Simulation Device for Student and Parent Training and Method Thereof	04 Nov 2025
12	A System and Method for Magnetic Resonance Imaging Using an Open-Face Coil	10 Nov 2025
13	A Device and Method for Dynamic Health Analysis and Real-Time Activity Tracking	04 Dec 2025

Details of Patent Granted

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A Method and Composition for Preparing a Radioactive Decontamination Gel	21 Mar 2025
2	System Method and Device for Treatment and Management of Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy	26 Mar 2025
3	A Gait Trainer for Pediatric Movement Disorders	22 Apr 2025
4	A System and Method for Automated Home Exercise Assistance with Real-Time Monitoring and Feedback	02 May 2025
5	A System and Method for Employment Matching of a Patient with Mental Illness	02 May 2025
6	A Composite Material for Radiation Shielding and a Method for Preparing the Composite Material	07 May 2025
7	A System for Measuring and Training Upright Posture	30 May 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Clinical Psychology			
1	Ms Anagha Deshmukh	3rd Prize Best Paper Award in Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 20 held on 21 Sep 2025	21 Sep 2025
2	Ms Anagha Deshmukh	Best Paper Award Scientific Paper Presentation in International Annual Conference CPSI	06 Nov 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Cardiovascular Technology			
1	Dr Jyothi	Invited as a Judge and Speaker at HEARTSCAPE'25, Aa national level conference, organized by Yenepoya University, Mnagalore	11 Jan 2025
2	Dr Sridevi	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Giant Metastatic Sarcoma in the left heart-A case report" during ECHO Karnataka 2025, the 20th State Annual conference held at Bengaluru	09 Mar 2025
3	Ms M Swathi Poojary	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Vegetation involving many valves" report during ECHO Karnataka 2025, the 20th State Annual conference held at Bengaluru	09 Mar 2025

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4	Dr Krishnananda Nayak	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Obstructive TAPCV" during ECHO Karnataka 2025, the 20th State Annual conference held at Bengaluru	09 Mar 2025
5	Dr Krishnananda Nayak	Invited as a resource person in the Clinical Competency development program organized by the Corporate Relations, MAHE, in association with KMC, Manipal	20 Mar 2025
6	Dr Umesh Pai M	Invited as a resource person in the Clinical Competency development program organized by the Corporate Relations, MAHE, in association with KMC, Manipal	20 Mar 2025
7	Dr Jyothi	Invited as a resource person in the Clinical Competency development program organized by the Corporate Relations, MAHE, in association with KMC, Manipal	30 May 2025
8	Dr Jyothi	Invited Speaker for Career talks in Allied Healthcare Professions on the topic "Cardiac Care Technology" organized by the School of Allied and Healthcare Professions, R V University, Bengaluru	30 Jul 2025
9	Dr Sridevi	Invited as Expert Speaker for "Basic Life Support Session" for Students Immersion Program held at WGSHA, MAHE, Manipal	05 Aug 2025
10	Dr Jyothi	Invited Speaker for Career guidance: "Future in Focus" organized by Employment and Placement Cell in association with Unit of Cardiovascular Technology, Yenepoya University, Mangalore	19 Aug 2025
11	Dr Jyothi	Invited as a resource person in the Community Awareness Program organized by Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology program, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal, in collaboration with SDM Yoga and Nature Cure Hospital, held in Sowkyavana, Pareeka	09 Sep 2025
12	Ms M Swathi Poojary	Presented a paper titled "Early Detection of Subclinical Left Ventricular Dysfunction in Chronic Liver Disease Patients using Four-Dimensional Auto Left Ventricular Quantification- A Cohort study at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the	18 Sep 2025

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		Annual Conference of Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala	
13	Ms Nisha Kotian	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Unmasking Intracardiac Masses in a Metastatic Lung Cancer Patient: The Critical Role of Transesophageal Echocardiography" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala	18 Sep 2025
14	Ms Shubha	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Endomyocardial Fibrosis: A Rare Restrictive Cardiomyopathy Unveiled by Echocardiography" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala	18 Sep 2025
15	Ms Reshma	Presented a paper titled "Association of Right ventricular free wall strain with the mortality in people with multiple organ dysfunction syndrome" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala	18 Sep 2025
16	Dr Jyothi	Invited as a resource person in the Manipal Quest 2.0- MAHE Inter Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference, organized by Kasturba Hospital, Manipal	20 Sep 2025
17	Dr Krishnananda Nayak	Invited as Faculty Speaker in the Echo International Conference, organized by the American Society of Echocardiography Foundation and the Indian Academy of Echocardiography at Bengaluru	22 Sep 2025
18	Dr Jyothi	Invited speaker for a Career in the field of Cardiovascular Technology on the occasion of WORLD HEART DAY CELEBRATION - 2025, organized by Sikkim Manipal Institute of Medical Sciences, Sikkim Manipal University.	26 Sep 2025
19	Ms M Swathi Poojary	Presented a paper (Original article) titled "Evaluation of Cardiac Function in Patients with Chronic Liver Disease" at the 16th Manipal Cardiology Update 2025, organized by the Department of Cardiology, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, and the Department of CVT. MCHP, MAHE, Manipal in association with IAE, Karnataka.	16 Nov 2025

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Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics			
1	Mrs Suvarna Hebbar	Best Oral Presentation Award at 17th Apollo International Clinical Nutrition Update (AICNU 2025) at Visakhapatnam	03 Aug 2025
Clinical Psychology			
1	Dr Shwetha T S	Has chaired A session in the 5-day International Conference on Therapeutic Philosophy in Global Perspectives (TPGP)	13 Jan 2025
2	Dr Shwetha T S	Participation in the 16th Biennial Conference of the Asian Association of Social Psychology held on 10 to 12 Jul 2025 at Monash University, Malaysia	10 Jul 2025
3	Ms Anagha Deshmukh	Best Paper Award, Scientific Paper Presentation in the International Annual Conference CPSI	21 Sep 2025
4	Ms Anagha Deshmukh	3rd Prize Best Paper Award in Scientific Paper Presentation at Manipal Quest 20 held on 21 Sep 2025	21 Sep 2025
Health Information Management			
1	Dr Sabu K M	Appointed as the President of the Health Information Management and Health Informatics, Professional Council under NCAHP, MoHFW, Government of India	02 Sep 2025
2	Dr B Reshmi	Global Top 2 % Highly Cited Scholars 2024	19 Sep 2025
Medical Imaging Technology			
1	Mr Visakh T	Invited as Guest Speaker and delivered a talk on the "Role of Medical Imaging in Kidney Health Assessment" as part of the Student Development Program organized by the Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology, MCHP, Manipal. The session aimed to educate participants on the significance of medical imaging in kidney health assessment and hemodialysis vascular access management, with a focus on modern imaging techniques, their applications, and clinical implications for enhancing patient outcomes.	25 Feb 2025
2	Dr Nitika C Panakkal	Presented an oral poster on the topic “Optimizing contrast volume based on body mass index in low tube voltage CT of abdomen and pelvis” which was among the top-rated poster and given opportunity to present it live onsite in Vienna on the EPOS™ on the GO stages in the European Congress of Radiology (ECR) 2025- Planet Radiology, organized by the European Society of Radiology from 26 Feb to 02 Mar 2025 in Vienna International Centre, Vienna, Austria.	26 Feb 2025
3	Mr Kaushik Nayak	Invited as Guest Speaker for Webinar Series Acharya Rad-Connect 2025 and delivered a talk on the "Low Dose CT: Strategies for Optimizing Image Quality and Safety" organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Acharya Institute of Allied Health Sciences, Bengaluru, in association with the Indian College of Radiological Technology (ICRT).	13 Mar 2025

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4	Mr Sharath S	Invited as Guest Speaker for Webinar Series Acharya Rad-Connect 2025 and delivered a talk on the "Elastography in Liver Disease: The Non-Invasive Alternative Biopsy" organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Acharya Institute of Allied Health Sciences, Bengaluru, in association with the Indian College of Radiological Technology (ICRT).	18 Mar 2025
5	Dr Abhimanyu Pradhan	invited as Guest Speaker for Webinar Series Acharya Rad-Connect 2025 and delivered a talk on the "Ethical and Legal Aspects of Radiation Exposure in Imaging," organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Acharya Institute of Allied Health Sciences, Bengaluru, in association with the Indian College of Radiological Technology (ICRT)	22 Mar 2025
6	Mr Sharath S	Secured THIRD prize in the MAHE Inter collegiate staff Javelin Throw competition held at MIT, Manipal.	23 Mar 2025
7	Dr Suresh Sukumar	Appointed as a member of the Medical Radiology, Imaging, and Therapeutic Technology Professional Council under the National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions	26 Mar 2025
8	Ms Raksha	Delivered a talk on "Energy Efficiency in Imaging Equipment" in Muller Rad 2025-CME on Green Practices in Radiology, organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology and the Department of Radio-Diagnosis and Imaging, Father Muller College of Allied Health Sciences, Mangalore.	30 Mar 2025
9	Dr Winniecia Dkhar	Served as an Evaluator in the Health Sciences during the Manipal Research Colloquium 2025, Manipal	28 Apr 2025
10	Dr Winniecia Dkhar	Invited as a judge at MIT Research Conclave 2025	30 Jul 2025
11	Dr Abhimanyu Pradhan	Invited as a judge at MIT Research Conclave 2025	30 Jul 2025
12	Dr Winniecia Dkhar	Invited as a Panelist in the HealthPro Conclave 2025	02 Aug 2025

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13	Dr Winniecia Dkhar	External member of the Board of Studies for Sikkim Manipal Institute of Medical Sciences, Sikkim Manipal University	10 Sep 2025
14	Dr Suresh Sukumar	Presented a paper titled "Advanced Research on Lifestyle-Associated Health Risks through Medical Imaging" at the National Conference of ISRT, held at Chandragiri on 18 and 19 Sep 2025. During the conference, Dr Suresh Sukumar was felicitated on his appointment as a National Council Member for Radiology and Imaging Technology, recognizing his contributions to the field. Additionally, he had the opportunity to be a panelist in a discussion session, where key topics related to advancements and challenges in radiology and imaging education and practice were deliberated	18 Sep 2025
15	Dr Saikiran P	Presented a paper titled "Investigating the Performance Measures of MRI Based Radiomics Models in Temporal Lobe Epilepsy" in the Malaysian Congress of Radiology (MCOR 2025), organized by the College of Radiology (part of the Academy of Medicine of Malaysia) and the Malaysian Society of Radiologists (MYRAD) at Sunway City, Malaysia, from 19 to 21 Sep 2025	19 Sep 2025
16	Dr Priyanka	Presented a paper titled "Evaluating Performance of MRI-Based Radiomic Models for Differentiating Parkinson's Disease and Progressive Supranuclear Palsy" in the Malaysian Congress of Radiology (MCOR 2025), organized by the College of Radiology (part of the Academy of Medicine of Malaysia) and the Malaysian Society of Radiologists (MYRAD) at Sunway City, Malaysiafrom 19 to 21 Sep 2025	19 Sep 2025
17	Ms Raksha	Presented a scientific poster on the topic "Quantitative Ct Assessment of Residual Pulmonary Function and Structural Alterations In Post Covid-19 Survivors" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
18	Dr Abhimanyu Pradhan	Presented a scientific poster presentation on the topic "Optimization of Bolus-Tracking Thresholds in cerebral CT Angiography: Impact of patient factors on contrast enhancement and radiation dose" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of	31 Oct 2025

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		Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore	
19	Dr Nitika C Panakkal	Delivered a keynote lecture on "Radiation dose reduction in CT" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
20	Dr Abhimanyu Pradhan	Invited as Chairperson/Judge in the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association, held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
21	Mr Sharath S	Presented a scientific poster on the topic "Assessment of lower limb muscle morphology in type 2 diabetes mellitus with peripheral neuropathy using Ultrasonography" and awarded 2nd prize at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore	31 Oct 2025
22	Mr Shailesh Nayak S	Presented a scientific poster on the topic "Radiomics and Machine learning for Molecular Subtyping of Gliomas from MRI" and awarded FIRST Prize at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore	31 Oct 2025
23	Mr Visakh T	Delivered a keynote lecture on "CT coronary angiography: Patient preparation and scanning technique" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and	31 Oct 2025

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		Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore	
24	Dr Suresh Sukumar	Delivered a keynote lecture on "Panel discussion: National commission of Allied Health Professions (NCAHP)" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
25	Dr Winniecia Dkhar	Delivered a keynote lecture on "Neuroimaging in MRI" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
Medical Laboratory Technology			
1	Dr Saritha Kamath U	Presented a poster at Skill Development in Healthcare: A Pillar of India's Self -Reliant Vision" held on 04 Mar 2025 at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, and has secured 2nd prize.	04 Mar 2025
2	Dr Asha Patil	Presented a poster at Skill Development in Healthcare: A Pillar of India's Self -Reliant Vision" held on 04 Mar 2025 at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh and has secured 1st prize	04 Mar 2025
3	Dr Kalaivani	Presented at Decon 2025 held on 02 and 03 Aug 2025 at Coimbatore and has secured best paper award	02 Aug 2025
Nuclear Medicine			
1	Dr Shivanand Bhushan	Certificate of recognition as a Founder member of NMPAI	16 Feb 2025
2	Dr Shivanand Bhushan	Winner Best Presentation Award ATOM SYMPO 3.0	02 Mar 2025
3	Dr Shivanand Bhushan	Innovators of the Year Finalist Award	10 Nov 2025

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4	Dr Sanjay Bharati	Has received the Distinguished Alumni Award at Panjab University	30 Nov 2025
5	Dr Shivanand Bhushan	Appreciation for Patent	05 Dec 2025
Occupational Therapy			
1	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza	Won a most enthusiastic faculty award at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025	23 Feb 2025
2	Mr Pramod Lambor	3rd position is paper presentation at the 11th annual national conference of AIAMSWP held at AIIMS Jodhpur on 31 Oct and 01 Nov 2025	01 Nov 2025
Optometry			
1	Dr Krithica S	Dr Krithica S received NORA 2025 Travel Grant Award	18 Sep 2025
2	Dr Nagarajan T	Dr Nagarajan T received 1st prize in the Oral presentation in ASCON Conference	02 Nov 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Dr Kavitha Vishal	Dr Kavitha Vishal, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, delivered a talk on "Integrating shoulder girdle and breath" as a part of the focused symposium with the theme "Breath and motion" the 9th Annual Conference of Society of Indian Physiotherapists, held from 10 to 12 Jan, 2025 at Hotel Sayaji, Vadodara, Gujarat, India. She had shared the stage with co-presenters Dr Shambovi Mitra, Dr Sudhir Bhatbolan, and Dr Shweta Bhatbolan	10 Jan 2025
2	Mrs Anupama Prabhu B	Mrs Anupama Prabhu B, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, has been appointed as the Editorial Board Member of Pain Management Journal	10 Jan 2025
3	Dr Mukesh Kumar Sinha	Dr Mukesh Kumar Sinha, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP was invited as a speaker for the session titled “Igniting Passion for Physical	17 Jan 2025

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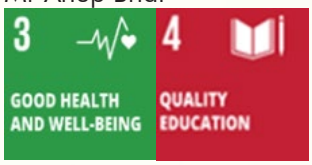
		Activity Across Generations: Empowered Through Movement" at the National Conference on Allied Health Sciences 2025 organized by Karnataka Allied and Healthcare Professionals Association (KAPHA) on 17 and 18 Jan 2025 at S- Vyasa University, Kengeri Campus, Bengaluru. He also chaired a scientific session at the conference	
4	Mr Anup Bhat 	Mr Anup Bhat, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, was appointed as the Editorial Board Member for a reputed journal on Cardiopulmonary rehabilitation titled "Journal of Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation and Prevention (JCRP)", a journal of American Association of Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Rehabilitation (AACVPR)	23 Jan 2025
5	Dr Prateek Srivastav	Dr Prateek Srivastav, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, was appointed as an Academic Editor of the PLOS ONE journal.	05 Feb 2025
6	Dr John Solomon M	Dr John Solomon M, Associate Dean, MCHP and Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal was appointed as the Editorial board member of the Disability and Rehabilitation journal.	17 Mar 2025
7	Dr Prateek Srivastav	Dr Prateek Srivastav, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP was invited to chair the scientific sessions and judge the poster competitions for KONVERGE 2025, the First National Conference on Physiotherapy, Physical Education, and Sports Sciences, hosted by JAIN University, Bengaluru on 20 and 21 Mar 2025.	20 Mar 2025
8	Dr Abraham Samuel Babu	Dr Abraham Samuel Babu, Additional Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, was appointed as a member of the Writing Panel for the World Heart Federation's Roadmap on Cardiac Rehabilitation.	27 Mar 2025
9	Dr Vaishali K	At the International Physiotherapy Conference (KARNATAKA PHYSIOCON 2025) held on 25 and 26 Apr 2025 at Palace Ground, Bengaluru, Dr Vaishali K, Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP: *Presented a paper on "Understanding Parental Perspectives on Adolescent Physical Activity in Coastal Karnataka: A Qualitative Study". *Chaired a scientific session, contributing to academic leadership and knowledge sharing among physiotherapy professionals	25 Apr 2025

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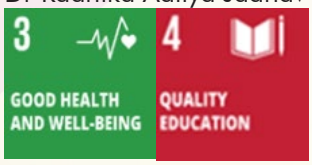
10	Dr Radhika Aditya Jadhav 	Dr Radhika Aditya Jadhav, Assistant Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, was appointed as the editorial committee member of • Springer Nature's BMC Sports Science, Medicine, and Rehabilitation Journal • Journal of Diabetes Research • BioMed Research International	08 May 2025
11	Dr G Arun Maiya	Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP; Professor, Department of Physiotherapy; and Chief, Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic Foot Care and Research, was appointed as: • a Member of the Board of Studies in Allied Health Sciences, Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara University, Dharwad; and • a Member of the Board of Studies in Physiotherapy, Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara University, Dharwad	14 May 2025
12	Dr Apoorva Malavalli Shankaranarayana	Dr Apoorva Malavalli Shankaranarayana, Assistant Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, attended the European Stroke Organization Conference held in Helsinki, Finland, from 21 to 23 May 2025 This is an annually held renowned conference for researchers, clinicians, and scientists working with Stroke survivors. - *Poster Presentation: * Dr Apoorva Malavalli Shankaranarayana presented a poster on the study titled “Multimodal strategies to enhance activity levels in the early phase of stroke recovery” and interacted with many researchers across the globe. - *Chaired session: * Dr Apoorva Malavalli Shankaranarayana chaired a session on “Life after stroke – the next big thing /living with the consequences of stroke” and interacted with pioneers in stroke research for an international audience. The conference provided many networking opportunities, learning opportunities from the leading experts, and staying up-to-date on industry trends in the field of stroke research	21 May 2025
13	Dr John Solomon M	Dr John Solomon M, Associate Dean and Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, was invited as faculty to the World Physiotherapy Congress held at Tokyo, Japan, from 29 to 31 May 2025. He delivered a talk on “Implementing Evidence-based practice through CPGs and Low-cost technology in LMICs’ as part of the focused symposium on Exploring excellence in global stroke rehabilitation. He also presented a scientific poster titled “Impact of pandemic on compliance to physical activity program among Indian community-dwelling stroke survivors: A Qualitative study	29 May 2025
14	Dr Manikandan N	Dr Manikandan N, Additional Professor and Head, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, attended the World Physiotherapy Congress held in Tokyo, Japan (29 to 31 May 2025), a globally recognized platform for physiotherapy professionals to share advances, innovations, and research. E-Poster Presentation: Dr Manikandan N presented an e-poster titled "Breaking Boundaries – Caregiver-Led Balance	29 May 2025

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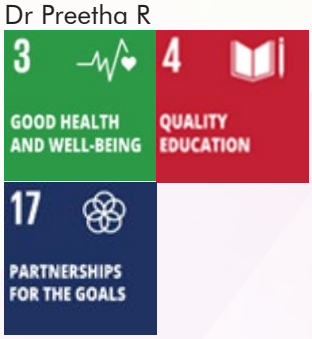
		Assessment in the Era of Telemedicine," which highlighted novel approaches in remote rehabilitation and caregiver engagement in balance assessment for patients with limited access to in-person physiotherapy. The conference offered an enriching academic environment through diverse sessions and expert panels. Dr Manikandan also had the opportunity to reconnect with many MCHP alumni and engage in meaningful discussions with leading researchers in the physiotherapy community. These interactions have opened potential avenues for future academic and research collaborations.	
15	Dr Senthil Kumaran D	Dr Senthil Kumaran D, Additional Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, attended the World Physiotherapy Congress in Tokyo, Japan (29 to 31 May 2025), a premier event for physiotherapy professionals worldwide. The gathering brought together experts, clinicians, and researchers from across the globe. *Platform Presentation: Dr Senthil Kumaran D shared insights on the study, "Effects of Game-Based Rehabilitation on Upper Limb Motor Function Within the First Six Months Following Stroke: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis, " highlighting the importance of gamified early stroke rehabilitation. *Panel Discussion: Dr Senthil Kumaran D engaged in the panel discussion "Knowledge Translation—The Ongoing Challenge of Getting Research into Practice", exploring strategies to bridge the gap between evidence and implementation. The conference provided informative sessions, stimulating discussions, and valuable networking opportunities.	29 May 2025
16	Dr Preetha R 	"Dr Preetha R, Associate Professor at the Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, Manipal, presented a scientific poster at the World Physiotherapy Conference 2025, held in Tokyo, Japan, from 29 to 31 May 2025. The conference was held at the Tokyo International Forum, where she presented a scientific poster titled "Factors associated with lumbopelvic dysfunction among pregnant women in the third trimester" on 29 May 2025. She had the opportunity to discuss her work with Musculoskeletal and Women's Health physiotherapists with like-minded interests. Attending the World Physiotherapy Congress provided an opportunity to meet and connect with the Manipal Physiotherapy Alumni practicing across the globe. It was also an arena to connect with eminent Women's health physiotherapists, and network and speak about collaborative projects. She extends her heartfelt gratitude to the Manipal Academy of Higher Education for providing the Faculty fund that supported the travel and registration costs to attend this wonderful World Congress	29 May 2025

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17	Mrs Sidhiprada Mohapatra	Mrs Sidhiprada Mohapatra, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, represented the institution at the World Physiotherapy Congress 2025 held in Tokyo, Japan. She was a speaker for a Focused Symposium on disability-inclusive teaching titled "Centering Global Perspectives Through Storytelling: How Disability Informs Physiotherapy." She also presented a scientific poster on the development and validation of the Motor Behavior Observation Checklist (MBOC), a novel tool for assessing accessibility through user interaction. The event fostered international collaboration and spotlighted innovative pedagogical practices in physiotherapy education.	29 May 2025
18	Dr Bhamini Krishna Rao	Dr Bhamini Krishna Rao, Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, attended and presented a paper titled “Exploring Healthcare Professionals' Perspectives on Designing a Home-Based Early Intervention Device for Preterm Infants: A Qualitative Study” at the 4th Triennial Meeting of the International Alliance of Academies of Childhood Disability (IAACD) and the 37th Annual Meeting of the European Academy of Childhood Disability (EACD) held in Heidelberg, Germany from 24 to 28 Jun 2025.	24 Jun 2025
19	Dr G Arun Maiya	Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP; Professor, Department of Physiotherapy; Chief, Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic Foot Care and Research, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal; and Visiting Professor, University of Johannesburg (UJ), visited the Laser Research Centre at the University of Johannesburg, South Africa. He was invited as a distinguished speaker to participate in the symposium titled “Advances in Biophotonics and Drug Development”, held at the University of Johannesburg on 19 and 20 Aug 2025. During the visit, Dr Maiya interacted with the university leadership to explore potential collaborations in research and academics, including student mobility and faculty exchange Programs between MAHE, Manipal, and the University of Johannesburg, South Africa	19 Aug 2025
20	Dr Abraham Samuel Babu	Dr Abraham Samuel Babu, Additional Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, attended the contact Program as part of his MSc in Clinical Trials at the Nuffield Department of Population Health, University of Oxford, United Kingdom, from 13 to 20 Sep 2025	13 Sep 2025
21	Dr G Arun Maiya	Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean- MCHP, Professor-Department of Physiotherapy, Chief- Center for Podiatry and diabetic Foot Care and Research, received “Iconic Researcher Award” in recognition of significant contribution to interdisciplinary research during the 3rd International Conference on Advances in Physiotherapy, on 09 Oct 2025 at Jaipur, organized by the University of Engineering and Management, Jaipur	09 Oct 2025

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22	Mrs Sidhiprada Mohapatra	Mrs Sidhiprada Mohapatra, Assistant Professor- Selection Grade, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, was appointed as the Co-Coordinator of the Centre for Disability Studies and Research, MAHE, Manipal	15 Oct 2025
23	Dr Pratibha Todur	Dr Pratibha Todur, Associate Prof and Head, Department of Respiratory Therapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, received an award of Fellow of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (FIARC) on RESCARE'25 conducted on 25 and 26 Oct 2025.	25 Oct 2025
24	Dr Selvam Ramachandran	"Dr Selvam Ramachandran, Associate Professor, presented academic research titled "The Impact of Anki Flashcards on Knowledge Retention among Undergraduate Physiotherapy Students" at the National Conference on Health Professions Education (NCHPE), held on 07 and 08 Nov 2025 at Christian Medical College (CMC), Ludhiana. The research project was undertaken by a team of interns: Mr George, Mr Pranav Padukone, and Ms Rukmini Ramyasri (BPT 2020), under the supervision of Dr Selvam Ramachandran and Ms Shubha Nayak	07 Nov 2025
25	Dr John Solomon M	Dr John Solomon M, Associate Dean, MCHP and Professor at the Department of Physiotherapy, was invited to participate as a global expert in the 4th Stroke Recovery and Rehabilitation Roundtable held in Aberdeen, Scotland, on the 23 and 24 Nov 2025. He was part of the expert group developing consensus statements on high-dose, high-intensity therapy delivered at home for stroke rehabilitation. He received a travel grant of 1,000 USD from the International Stroke Recovery and Rehabilitation Alliance (ISSRA) to support his participation in the program	23 Nov 2025
26	Mrs Sidhiprada Mohapatra	The 2025 ISRRA Stroke Recovery and Rehabilitation Roundtable (SRRR IV) face-to-face meeting was held in Aberdeen, Scotland, on 23 and 24 Nov 2025. Ms Sidhiprada Mohapatra attended the Roundtable in an online mode and actively participated in two task forces.	23 Nov 2025

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		She received financial support to attend the Roundtable 2025 held in Edinburgh	
27	Dr G Arun Maiya	Dr G Arun Maiya, Dean, MCHP; Professor, Department of Physiotherapy; and Chief, Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic Foot Care and Research, served as the resource person for a workshop titled "Competency-Based Education in Allied and Healthcare Professions and Implementation Strategies", held on 30 Nov 2025 at Yenepoya (Deemed to be University).	30 Nov 2025
Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology			
1	Mr Ajith M Nayak	Mr Ajith M Nayak has presented a poster titled 'Comparison between objective and Clinical methods to measure dry weight in the management of blood pressure and hydration status in hemodialysis patients: A Randomized Controlled Trail' in the Mandatory PhD Presentation category as a part of Manipal Research Colloquium 2025	28 Apr 2025
2	Mrs Bharathi	Mrs Bharathi has presented a poster titled 'Effect of Integrated Focused Renal Supportive Care on Symptom Burden, Quality of Life and Advance Care Planning in End-Stage Renal Disease Patients: A Randomized Controlled Trail 'in the Mandatory PhD Presentation category as a part of Manipal Research Colloquium 2025	28 Apr 2025
3	Mrs Megha N Nayak	Mrs Megha N Nayak has presented a scientific poster titled 'Detection of the Glomerulus Beyond Human Vision' during the Manipal International Conference on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) in Health: Envisioning a Future of Global Collaboration for Education, Research and Practice	08 Jul 2025
4	Mrs Bharathi	Mrs Bharathi was invited as a resource person in the Community Awareness Program organized by Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology program, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal, in collaboration with SDM Yoga and Nature Cure Hospital, held in Sowkyavana, Pareeka	09 Sep 2025
Speech and Hearing			
1	Dr Venkataraja Aithal U	Dr Venkataraja Aithal U, Professor, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, received the best paper award-Swallowing in the National Level conference on Head and Neck Tumors: Scope of Practice for SLPs and Audiologists,	18 Jan 2025

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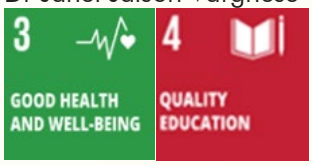
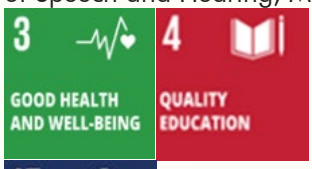
		conducted on 17 and 18 Jan 2025 at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bengaluru.	
2	Dr Janet Jaison Varghese 	Ms Janet Jaison Varghese, Assistant Professor Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, received a PhD award on 03 Feb 2025. Topic of the thesis: "Effect of prophylactic intervention on functional swallowing in radiation-induced dysphagia for patients with head and neck cancer"	03 Feb 2025
3	Ms Varsha U, TMA Pai PhD Research Scholar, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP 	Has received the Best Paper Award in Audiology-I in the 56th ISHACON 2025 held in Patna, Bihar, from 14 to 16 Feb 2025. She presented her paper titled "Influence of Cartoon-Based Screen Time on Auditory and Phonological Processing Abilities in Young Children"	14 Feb 2025
4	Ms Maya Varma R	Ms Maya Varma R, Clinical Supervisor, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, received the best paper award for oral presentation in speech and swallowing for the paper entitles Development of an E-Healthcare program for Primary school Teachers" in the 17th International Annual Conference of Indian Speech Language and Hearing Association - Kerala state branch held on 10 and 11t Oct 2025	10 Oct 2025
5	Dr Priya G	Ms Priya G, Assistant Professor, senior scale, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, received PhD award on 16 Dec 2025. Topic of the thesis: "Efficacy of Auditory-based Cognitive training on memory functions in Elderly persons with mild cognitive impairment"	16 Dec 2025

Students

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Cardiovascular Technology			
1	Ms Shephali	Represented the university in the South West Zone (Women's) Inter University Karate Tournament, held at B S Abdur Rahman Crescent Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	06 Jan 2025
2	Ms Shephali	Participated in all India (Women's) Inter University Karate Tournament, organized by Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak, Haryana	19 Jan 2025

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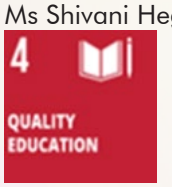
3	Ms Shephali	Secured FIRST place in Throwball (Women's) at ASTRA 2.0 – All India Intercollegiate Sports and Cultural Fest, held at Yenepoya (Deemed to be University), Mangalore.	17 Feb 2025
4	Ms Pallavi Rao	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Beyond the Murmur: Echo Diagnosis of a Rare Triad of Bicuspid Aortic Valve, Vegetation with Aortic Root Abscess, and Ruptured Sinus of Valsalva in a Young Male," at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025
5	Ms Disha	Presented a clinical case paper titled "The Silent Split causing double jeopardy: An Imazine surprise of Chronic Aortic Dissection within an Aneurysmal Root in a Young Ily pertensive" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025
6	Ms Edel Gloria Lobo	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Case Report: Echocardiographic Insights In Lutembacher' S Syndrome: A Case Of Progressive Heart Failure and Missed Surgical Intervention," at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025
7	Ms Shivani Hegde 	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Case Report: Dissecting Ventricular Septal Rupture Mimicking Septal Aneurysm: An Unusual Sequela of Acute Myocardial Infarction" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala. (SDG4)	18 Sep 2025
8	Ms Aishwarya Devi	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Congenital Intracardiac TAPVC: Diagnostic and Clinical Insight" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025
9	Ms Ramya Kotian	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Annuloaortic Ectasia and Its Early Fatal Postoperative Complication" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025

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10	Mr Suraj Nayak	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Hypoplastic Right Heart Syndrome: A Diagnostic Journey through the ECHO Lens" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025
11	Ms Swapna	Presented a clinical case paper titled "Mitral Prosthesis Dehiscence" at ECHO-INDIA 2025, the Annual Conference of Indian Academy of Echocardiography, held at "Le Meridien", Kochi, Kerala.	18 Sep 2025
12	Ms Varsha Maryam	Presented a paper titled "Mapping the studies on echocardiographic findings on various types of Restrictive Cardiomyopathy - A scoping review" at Manipal Quest 2.0, MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
13	Mr Mohammed Minshab	Presented a paper titled "A failing left heart in a newborn: Lessons from a case of HLHS" at Manipal Quest 2.0, MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
14	Mr Souhardya Saha	Presented a paper titled "The Squeezed Stent: A Coarctation of Aorta Comeback" at Manipal Quest 2.0, MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
15	Ms Disha Shetty	Presented a paper titled "The vanishing act: A case of spontaneous obliteration of a giant coronary aneurysm post drug - eluting stent" and awarded FIRST Prize at Manipal Quest 2.0, MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics			
1	Mr Akhil and Ms Krithi from V Semester	Secured the 1st Prize in the Quiz Competition organized by the Hospital Infection Control Committee and the Department of Nursing Services, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal, as part of the International Infection Prevention Week – 2025.	16 Oct 2025
Clinical Psychology			
1	Ms Ananya Agarwal	She received recognition for outstanding achievement as the 2nd prize winner in the scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
2	Ms Rajini S	She received recognition for outstanding achievement as the 1st prize winner in the scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025

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Exercise and Sports Sciences			
1	Chaitali Xrirama Joshi	Certificate of Appreciation at the 26th Annual and Awards Day (05 Dec 2025) of Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal, in recognition of a scientific review publication.	05 Dec 2025
Medical Imaging Technology			
1	Mr Varun Hooli	Presented a Scientific poster Presentation on the topic scientific poster presentation on the Topic "Next Generation Cardiac MRI - A Leap Forward in Heart Diagnostics" at National Conference of Ramachandra Imaging Technology Education, NC- RITE 2025 organized by the Centre of Excellence in Radiology and Imaging Sciences, Department of Radiology and Imaging Sciences SRI Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research in Porur, Chennai.	15 Mar 2025
2	Ms Sweta K	Participated and won 2nd Prize in the Scientific poster Presentation on the topic scientific poster presentation on the Topic "A Systematic Review on Classification of Liver Tumours using CT based Radiomic Features" at National Conference of Ramachandra Imaging Technology Education, NC- RITE 2025 organized by the Centre of Excellence in Radiology and Imaging Sciences, Department of Radiology and Imaging Sciences SRI Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research in Porur, Chennai.	15 Mar 2025
3	Ms Varsha R	Delivered an oral presentation on the topic "Efficacy of intravoxel Incoherent motion and diffusion kurtosis imaging in differentiating benign and malignant endometrial lesions: A study protocol" and awarded 1st prize at RGCON 2025, 23rd Annual International Conference on Gynecological Cancers: Innovating, Integrating and Updating, in New Delhi.	21 Mar 2025
4	Ms Sathya Sabina Muthu	Oral presentation on the topic "Arterial Spin Labelling MRI in Hypertension: A Systematic Review of Cerebral Perfusion Changes" at SCISRT 2025 conference, organized by the ISRT and hosted by Believers Church Medical College Hospital, Kottayam.	03 May 2025
5	Mr Abhijith S	Oral presentation on the Proffered Paper category at SCISRT 2025 conference, organized by the ISRT and hosted by Believers Church Medical College Hospital, Kottayam.	03 May 2025
6	Mr Aakash Panda	Presented a poster titled "Reducing Radiation Dose and Energy Consumption in CT Scanning Towards Safer and Sustainable Healthcare" in the conference organized by	17 Sep 2025

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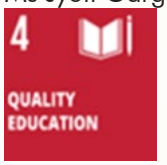
		VSO, MAHE, on the theme “Leading the Green Transition for a Sustainable Future”.	
7	Ms Anam Shazli	Presented a scientific paper titled "Prevalence of Neck Pain among Radiographers: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis" at Manipal Quest 2.0 and the MAHE Inter- Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference at Kasturba Hospital, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
8	Mr Hrithik Kanbarkar	Presented a scientific paper titled "Detection and Classification of Liver Tumour Using Machine Learning Models Based on Multi-Sequence MR Radiomic Features" at Manipal Quest 2.0 and the MAHE Inter- Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference at Kasturba Hospital, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
9	Mr Haris Jose Felix	Presented a scientific paper titled "Occupational Risk and Ergonomic Determinants of Lower Back Pain in Diagnostic Radiographers: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis" at Manipal Quest 2.0 and the MAHE Inter- Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference at Kasturba Hospital, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
10	Ms Tancia Pires	Presented an e-poster on the topic "Feasibility of IVIM in Diffusion and Perfusion Assessment in Acute ischemic stroke" at the 17th World Stroke Congress 2025, organized by the World Stroke Organization, held at Barcelona, Spain, and also received an International Travel grant support from the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Govt of India.	22 Oct 2025
11	Ms Jyoti Garg 	Oral presentation on the topic "Correlation Between Body Size Parameters and Hepatic Enhancement in Low BMI Patients in CT Abdomen: A Pilot Study" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
12	Ms Aleena Gomez and Ms Nandana	Presented a poster titled "AI Advancements in Forensic Imaging" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025

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13	Ms Amisha and Ms Soorya Gayathry	Presented a poster titled "AI- Driven Trauma Imaging" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
14	Ms Alriya and Ms Amritha	Presented a poster titled "AI Enhanced assessment of Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm in CT" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
15	Ms Sania, Ms Sweedel and Ms Mehek	Presented a poster titled "Enhancing Breast Cancer Detection With Ai Powered Mammography And Ultrasound Analysis" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
16	Mr Shambo Mukherjee	Presented a poster titled "Advanced Innovations in Radiation Protection" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
17	Ms Sneha and Ms Sama	Presented a poster titled "Driving Brain Rescue: Portable Ct In Mobile Stroke Units" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025

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18	Mr Aakash Panda	Presented a poster titled "Perfusion Imaging on CT" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
19	Mr Shivanath	Oral presentation on the topic "Radiation Dose Assessment Across Abdominopelvic CT Protocols: A Pilot Framework for Clinical DRLs" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
20	Ms Anisha Vyas	Presented a poster titled "Postmortem Computed Tomography and Conventional Autopsy: Comparative Value and Complementary Roles in Forensic Investigations" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
21	Ms CH Sai Praveena	Participated and won 1st Prize in the Scientific Poster Presentation on the topic "Comparison of image quality between iDose4 and Precise Image in high BMI individuals for CECT Abdomen and Pelvis- A pilot study" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
22	Mr Reuben Eldon Dmello and Mr Althaaf Muhammed Shajahan	Presented a poster titled ""Automatic Segmentation and Analysis of the Brain: Current Perspectives and Recent Applications." at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government	31 Oct 2025

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		Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	
23	Mr Jerin Eldhose	Delivered an oral presentation titled "Cardiac CT Beyond Pixels: Integrating Artificial Intelligence from Acquisition to Actionable Insight" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
24	Ms Sweta K	Participated and won 2nd Prize in the Scientific Oral Paper Presentation on the topic "Detection and Classification of Liver Tumours Using Machine Learning Models on CT-Based Radiomic Features" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	31 Oct 2025
25	Mr Adarsh Nayak	Presented a original research paper titled "Quantitative Susceptibility Mapping of Age-Related Brain Iron Accumulation" at the 23rd National Conference of Society of Indian Radiographers- IMAGINE 2025 Conference, Organized by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore in association with the Society of Indian Radiographers, the Karnataka Medical Radiographers and Allied Technologists Association, and the Karnataka State Government Radiology Imaging Officers Central Association held at Mangalore.	02 Nov 2025
26	Ms Nandini B Patil	Participated and presented a poster presentation titled "Strategies to reduce radiation dose in Pediatric body CT: A Systematic review" at Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025 organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal.	14 Nov 2025
27	Mr Sachin Naik	Participated and presented a poster presentation titled "Comparison of Image Quality in Low Dose, Low Contrast Computed Tomography Coronary Angiogram Reconstructed With Filtered Back Projection and Iterative Reconstruction Algorithm (Preliminary Findings)" at Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025 organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal.	14 Nov 2025

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28	Mr Ashwin Prabhu	Participated and presented a poster presentation titled "Diagnostic Utility of Mean Kurtosis in Cervical Spondylotic Myelopathy: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis of Diffusion Kurtosis Imaging Studies" at Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025, organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal.	14 Nov 2025
29	Ms Supritha S	"Participated and presented a poster presentation titled "Reduction of Radiation Dose and Contrast Volume in CT Pulmonary Angiography: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis" at Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025, organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal".	14 Nov 2025
30	Ms Suvarna Kotian	Oral presentation titled " Role Computed Tomography-based machine learning model for differentiating benign and malignant adnexal masses: A pilot study" at Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025, organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal	14 Nov 2025
31	Mr Koustubh Kamath	Participated and presented a poster presentation titled "Dose Optimization in Pediatric Frog-Leg Lateral Radiography Using the 10 kVp Rule: A Pilot Study" at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025, organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal.	14 Nov 2025
32	Mr Thejas M S	Participated and presented a poster presentation titled "Quantitative Susceptibility Mapping as an MRI Biomarker in Neurodegenerative Disorders: A Systematic Review" at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025, organized by MAHE-SRF in Collaboration with MCHP, MAHE, Manipal.	14 Nov 2025
33	Ms Varsha R	Delivered an oral presentation on the topic "Advanced MRI-based lesion characterization" and was awarded 3rd prize in the Best Oral Paper category for her presentation at the National Conference in Radiology and Imaging Technology 2025, organized by the School of Allied Health Sciences, Vinayaka Mission's Research Foundation, Salem, Tamil Nadu.	06 Dec 2025
Medical Laboratory Technology			
1	Mr Kailasharaja R	Has represented MAHE in South Zone student Research convention (ANVESHAN 2025) organized by the Association of Indian Universities in association with MS Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences and Ramaiah-GOK Technology Business Incubator on 20 Feb 2025	20 Feb 2025
2	Mr Kailasharaja R	Has represented MAHE in Project Contest Innovation (PCI), ATOM SYMPO 3.0, Idea pitching symposium organized in association with Startup TN, ED II-ABRIF, and EDiyLabs on 2nd Mar 2025. Secured first place and cash reward and had the opportunity to incubate in the BIT campus, Anna University, Trichy, Tamil Nadu	02 Mar 2025

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Medical Radiation Physics			
1	Ms Rebekka	Secured 1st place in long jump in the Inter-MAHE Athletics Championship held, and the women's basketball team emerged as winners in the Astra fest Basketball Championship held at Yenepoya Institution, Mangalore, between 13 and 14 Feb 2025 and 17 to 22 Feb 2025	13 Feb 2025
Nuclear Medicine			
1	Ms Maya P Shetty	Has received the Best poster presentation award in the international conference held at MSLS.	22 Jan 2025
2	Ms Anjali Singh	Has received the award of Second place in the scientific poster presentation at the conference FOIT 2025	25 Nov 2025
3	Ms Maya P Shetty	Has received the award of first place in scientific poster presentation at the conference FOIT 2025	25 Nov 2025
4	Mr Shubham	Has received award of TOMIO INOUE AWARD	07 Dec 2025
5	Ms Shuchika	Has received the Best Poster Award	07 Dec 2025
Optometry			
1	Ms Farzana	Ms Farzana secured the 1st prize in the OCI Zeiss WOD Intercollege quiz competition.	28 Mar 2025
2	Ms Riya and Ms Srishti	Ms Riya and Ms Srishti secured a Top 5 position in the Quiz competition held by the Manipal Quest 2.0.	20 Sep 2025
3	Ms Medha	Ms Medha received the 1st prize in oral presentation in the ASCON Conference.	02 Nov 2025
4	Ms Vijetha Pai	Ms Vijetha Pai received the 2nd prize in oral presentation in the ASCON Conference.	02 Nov 2025
5	Ms Srishti, Ms Medha, Ms Riya, Ms Vijetha, Ms Ujjwala, Ms Sudeeksha	All these students won 1st prize for the Fashion show held at the ASCON conference.	02 Nov 2025

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Physician Assistant Practice			
1	Ms Nasuha	Best Outgoing Student	05 Dec 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Ms Akhila Satyamurthy (201100119), Dr TMA Pai PhD Scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Was awarded with the "Jayant Joshi Award" for the Best Poster Presentation during the 9th Annual Conference of Society of Indian Physiotherapists, held from 10 to 12 Jan 2025 at Hotel Sayaji, Vadodara, Gujarat, India.	10 Jan 2025
2	Ms Yogini A Watwe, (IV semester MPT- Cardiopulmonary Sciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Presented a scientific paper titled "Cardiovascular risk factors among nursing staff working in a hospital setting: A Preliminary Report" and received a travel grant of 8000/- INR during the 9th Annual Conference of the Society of Indian Physiotherapists, held from 10 to 12 Jan 2025 at Hotel Sayaji, Vadodara, Gujarat, India.	10 Jan 2025
3	Ms Maithili Manoj Ghule, (IV semester MPT- Cardiopulmonary Sciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Presented a scientific poster titled "Lifestyle factors influencing physical activity among overweight and obese adults" and received a travel grant of 8000/- INR during the 9th Annual Conference of the Society of Indian Physiotherapists, held from 10 to 12 Jan 2025, at Hotel Sayaji, Vadodara, Gujarat, India.	10 Jan 2025
4	Mr Arka Ghosh, IV semester MPT (Musculoskeletal Sciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Secured first prize in research poster competition under PG category at 62nd IAP National conference held on 16 and 17 Feb 2025 at Nashik, Maharashtra.	16 Feb 2025

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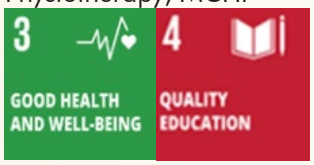
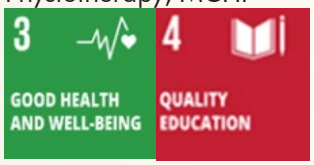
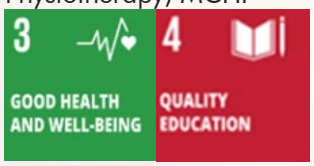
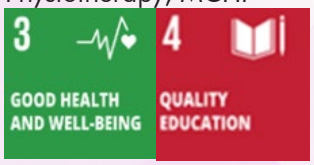
5	Ms Farah, Dr TMA Pai Phd Scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	secured IFNR Young Investigator Award 2025 at the Indian Federation of Neurorehabilitation Conference (IFNRCON 2025), held at CMC, Ludhiana, on 28 and 29 Mar 2025.	28 Mar 2025
6	Ms Poorvi Shingatgeri, (IV semester MPT-Neurosciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	secured third place in the Eposter competition at the Indian Federation of Neurorehabilitation Conference (IFNRCON 2025), held at CMC, Ludhiana, on 28 and 29 Mar 2025.	28 Mar 2025
7	Ms Sanya Anklesaria, Dr TMA Pai Phd Scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	Secured second Prize for the E-Poster Competition of the Indian Federation of Neurorehabilitation Conference (IFNRCON 2025), which was held at CMC, Ludhiana, for her paper titled, "Co-Designing a Pelvic Floor Rehabilitation in Stroke (PFloRiS) Program for the Management of Urinary Incontinence in Women with Stroke". The conference was held in CMC, Ludhiana, Punjab, on 28 and 29 Mar 2025. The prize amount awarded is 5000/- INR.	28 Mar 2025
8	Ms Sanya Anklesaria, Dr TMA Pai Phd Scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	Attended and presented a scientific poster titled "Prevalence of urinary incontinence in community-dwelling women stroke survivors – A cross-sectional study" at the World Physiotherapy Congress held in Tokyo, Japan, from 29 to 31 May 2025.	29 May 2025
9	Mr Prabal Kumar, Dr TMA Pai PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	attended and presented an E poster titled " Effect of multicomponent exercise program on body fat and resting metabolic rate among sarcopenic older adults in long-term care settings" at the World Physiotherapy Congress held in Tokyo, Japan, from 29 to 31 May 2025. He received a travel grant of 1,20,445/- INR from Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF) to attend the conference.	29 May 2025
10	Ms Indira D B Naidu, Dr TMA Pai PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Presented a poster on "Development of an affordable home-based Early Intervention device for preterm infants using a Human-Centered Design Approach: A study protocol" at the 4th Triennial Meeting of the International Alliance of Academies of Childhood Disability (IAACD)	26 Jun 2025

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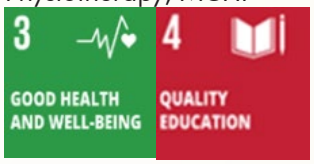
		and the 37th Annual Meeting of the European Academy of Childhood Disability (EACD), Heidelberg, Germany held between 26 to 28 Jun 2025.	
11	Mr Samay Telang, Mr Swasthik Shetty, Ms Amita Anil Shet, VII semester BPT, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Secured Second Place among 32 participating teams in the Quiz Competition held on the occasion of National Library Day at Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore, on 23 Aug 2025.	23 Aug 2025
12	Ms Meghashree Sathish Nayak, Dr TMA Pai PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Secured First Place in the Scientific Paper Presentation at the International Physiotherapy Conference – SPARC 2025, held at Srinivas University, Mangalore, on 29 and 30 Aug 2025, for the research paper titled "Unmet Rehabilitation Needs among Traumatic Brain Injury Survivors: A Qualitative Study."	29 Aug 2025
13	Ms Liana Ann Thomas, (III semester MPT-Cardiopulmonary Sciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	Presented her paper titled "Activities of Daily Living and Functional Capacity in Individuals Experiencing Acute Exacerbation of COPD: A Follow-Up Study" and secured 3rd place at the Manipal Quest 2.0 held on 20 and 21 Sep 2025.	20 Sep 2025
14	Ms Maitreyee Korde, (III semester MPT-Neurosciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Presented her paper titled "Pelvic floor muscle activity using surface electromyography in post-stroke women with urinary incontinence: a feasibility study" and secured 2nd place at the Manipal Quest 2.0 held on 20 and 21 Sep 2025.	20 Sep 2025
15	Ms Nagaveni N Nayak, Part-time PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Presented a scientific poster at the 79th Annual Meeting of the American Academy for Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine (AACPDM), held from 15 to 18 Oct 2025, in New Orleans, USA, titled: 'Mom, if I were able to walk, you would have brought all these clothes, right?': Caregivers' lived experiences of clothing related Knowledge, Challenges, and Preferences of Children with Cerebral Palsy. She also received an International Travel Scholarship from AACPDM in recognition of her work and participation in this prestigious international event.	15 Oct 2025

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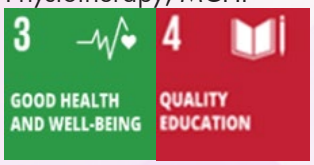
16	Ms Shristi Shakya, Dr TMA Pai PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Attended and presented two scientific posters at the 79th Annual Meeting of the American Academy for Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine (AACPDM), held from 15 to 18 Oct 2025, in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA, titled: 1. "Conventional Physiotherapy and Technology-Driven Re/habilitation Interventions for Head and Trunk Control in Children with Developmental Disabilities: A Scoping Review" 2. "Revisiting Video Analysis: Can This New Tool Transform Head and Trunk Control Assessments in Children with Developmental Disabilities?" She also received International Travel Scholarship from AACPDM in recognition of her work and participation in this prestigious international event.	15 Oct 2025
17	Mr Siddharth N Savadia, Dr TMA Pai PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Attended and presented an E-poster titled "Predicting Upper Limb Sensorimotor Recovery Using Data-Drivenmodels In Patients With Stroke: Protocol For A Prospective Cohort Study" at the 17th World Stroke Congress, held at Barcelona, Spain, from 22 to 24 Oct 2025.	22 Oct 2025
18	Mr Aditya Kumar Singh, (III semester MPT Neurosciences), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Secured 1st Place in UG/PG poster presentation at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR-2025) held on 13 and 14 Nov 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal.	13 Nov 2025
19	Ms Rachel Sneha Rony, VII semester BPT, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP "	Secured 3rd place in UG/PG Oral presentation at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR-2025) held on 13 and 14 Nov 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal.	13 Nov 2025
20	Ms Sohini Raje, Dr TMA Pai PhD scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	Secured 3rd Place in PhD/Faculty Poster presentation at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR-2025) held on 13 and 14 Nov 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal.	13 Nov 2025
21	Ms Farah, Dr TMA Pai Phd Scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	secured 2nd Place in PhD/Faculty Oral presentation at the Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR-2025) held on 13 and 14 Nov 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Halls, KMC, Manipal.	13 Nov 2025

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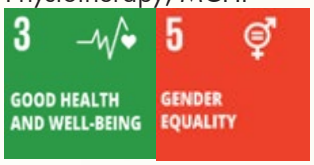
22	Ms Nidhi Mangaonkar, (III semester MPT- Pediatrics), Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP	Received first prize for the e-poster presentation titled "Play-based exercise interventions in children with respiratory conditions on cardiopulmonary outcomes: a scoping review" in the Pearl PhysioCon organized by KAHER, Belagavi, on 21 and 22 Nov 2025.	21 Nov 2025
23	Ms Sanya Anklesaria (221100113), Dr TMA Pai Phd Scholar, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP 	Was invited to deliver a talk to the women employees of Manipal Prints on the topic "Role of Physiotherapy During and After Pregnancy" on 30 Dec 2025, held at the Nalanda Auditorium, MGPS, Shivalli Industrial Area, Manipal.	30 Dec 2025
Respiratory Therapy			
1	Mr Vinay	Achieved 2nd place in the Scientific paper presentation during the Manipal Quest 2.0	21 Sep 2025
2	Mr Vignesh Prabhu	Received Travel Grant award during the RESCARE 2025 Conference	26 Oct 2025
3	Ms Laxitha	Achieved 2nd place in Quiz competition during the RESCARE 2025 Conference	26 Oct 2025
4	Ms Numa Shabber	Achieved 2nd place in Quiz competition during the RESCARE 2025 Conference	26 Oct 2025
Speech and Hearing			
1	Ms Varsha U, TMA Pai PhD Research Scholar, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP	Has received Best Paper Award in Audiology-I in 56th ISHACON 2025 held in Patna Bihar from 14 to 16 Feb 2025. She presented her paper titled" "Influence of Caroon-Baesd Screen Time on Auditory and Phonological processing abilities in Young Children"	14 Feb 2025

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2	Ms Sanjana M, TMA Pai PhD Research Scholar, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP	Has received the best poster prize for the Manipal Research Colloquium (MRC), which was held from 28 to 30 Apr 2025 at MAHE, Manipal She presented Poster titled "Cognitive Flexibility and listening related fatigue in adults with tinnitus - An exploratory study"	28 Apr 2025
3	Ms Deeksha Abrol, II Year MSc SLP, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, MAHE	Has received 2nd prize in the Scientific paper presentation category organized by the Department of Neurodevelopmental Sciences, National Institute of Speech and Hearing (NISH), Thiruvananthapuram held on 13 and 14 Aug 2025 She presented her paper titled “Evidence based practices in Neurodevelopmental Disorders”	13 Aug 2025
4	Ms Amatullah, II year MSc SLP student, Department of Speech and Hearing, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP) MAHE	Has received 3rd prize for the Scientific paper presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0 held on 21 Sep 2025 at MAHE, Manipal.	21 Sep 2025
5	Dr Haritha S Mohan	Ms Haritha S Mohan, TMA Pai PhD Scholar of Speech and Hearing,MCHP received PhD award on 07 Oct 2025. Topic of the thesis: "Effectiveness of embedded-explicit emergent literacy intervention in Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder"	07 Oct 2025
6	Ms Krishna Viswam (221100110) Dr TMA Pai PhD Research Scholar, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, MAHE	Has won the Best Paper Award oral presentation In Language and cognition for the paper titled “An investigation of Extralinguistic Communication skill in Aging” at 17th International Annual Conference of Indian Speech Language and Hearing Association, Kerala State Branch held on 10 and 11 Oct 2025 at Kovalam, Thiruvananthapuram. She presented her	10 Oct 2025

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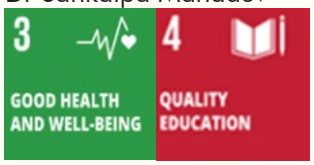
		paper titled "An Investigation of Extralinguistic communication skill in Aging"	
7	Dr Sankalpa Mahadev 	Ms Sankalpa Mahadev, Dr TMA Pai PhD Scholar of Speech and Hearing, MCHP received PhD award on 28th Oct 2025. Topic of the thesis: "Comparison of Cognition between Elderly Individuals with and without Hearing Loss using Event-Related Potentials"	28 Oct 2025
8	Dr Calida Frieda Pinto	Ms Calida Frieda Pinto, Dr TMA Pai PhD Scholar of Speech and Hearing, MCHP received PhD award on 16th Dec 2025. Topic of the thesis: "Efficacy of a Parent -mediated joint attention intervention for children with Autism Spectrum Disorders"	16 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	FIT MCHP	FIT MCHP 2.0 was held on the 06 Oct 2025 at MMMC from 0500 to 07:30 PM. The event featured individual fitness challenges, including Push-ups, Plank, and Wall Sit, along with team games such as Reaction Time, Kho-Kho, and Dog and the Bone. Fun activities like football, juggling, and skipping were also conducted. Students from multiple departments actively participated with enthusiasm, showcasing teamwork, motivation, and an excellent spirit of sportsmanship. The point system used was as per the FIT MCHP rulebook. Overall, the event successfully encouraged physical activity, competition, and unity among the student community.	06 Oct 2025
2	Nexus	The Student Affairs Committee of MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, successfully organized the annual sports meet, Nexus 2025. The event saw active and keen participation from students of all batches, including the I, II, III, and IV Year + TIPS. The matches were held at various venues like Marena, End Point, and Sharada Court. The sports week was inaugurated on 11 Oct at Marena with Badminton. The atmosphere was filled with high energy as students competed in singles and doubles formats. Following this, indoor events like Squash, Swimming, and Table Tennis were conducted. The 4th Year + TIPS batch showed their dominance early on by winning the majority of these events.	11 Oct 2025

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Cardiovascular Technology			
1	Department Sports Day	Conducted outdoor activities for students (both UG and PG) of the Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal. The objective of this initiative is to promote physical well-being, team spirit, and a healthy balance between academic and extracurricular activities.	20 Nov 2025
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics			
1	Inter-MAHE Basketball Tournament	Ms Angeline Ann Shibu from V Semester secured a Gold medal in the Inter-MAHE Basketball Tournament held at Marena, Manipal.	03 Nov 2025
2	NEXUS 2025- MCHP Inter Batch Sports Competition	Ms Ekta Rupani from the I Semester secured 2nd Place in Basketball (Women) at NEXUS 2025- MCHP Inter Batch Sports Competition.	06 Nov 2025
Clinical Psychology			
1	Tarang 2025	Volunteer Services Organization at Manipal Academy of Higher Education organized the kite fest, TARANG on 09 Mar 2025 at End Point Manipal.	09 Mar 2025
Exercise and Sports Sciences			
1	NEXUS 2025	Mr V Chakravarthi, Participated and secured 1st Position in Badminton, Mr Eswaran TPM - Participated and secured 3rd Position in Chess, Mr Ashir Thansen P - Participated and secured 1st Position in Badminton, Mr Aswin Kumar P - Participated and secured 1st Position in Volleyball, Mr Aswin Kumar P - Participated and secured 1st Position in Athletics, Mr Aswin Kumar P - Participated and secured 1st Position in Kabaddi, Mr Aswin Kumar P - Participated and secured 1st Position in Cricket, Mr Aswin Kumar P - Participated and secured 1st Position in Football, Mr Yuvaraj Participated and secured 1st Position in Kabaddi, Mr Immanuel Carter Participated and secured 1st Position in Kabaddi, Mr Immanuel Carter - Participated and secured 2nd Position in Basketball, Mr Sadapally Shubam - Participated and secured 1st Position in Cricket, Mr Akhilan S S - Participated and secured 1st Position in Kabaddi, Mr Akhilan S S - Participated and Secured 2nd Position in Basketball, Ms Juhi Tiwari - Participated and secured 1st Position in Badminton, Ms Cheryl Mawlieh - Participated and secured 1st Position in Badminton, Mr Vishal Prajwal - Participated and Secured 3rd Position in Basketball, TT, Volleyball, 2nd Position in Badminton, Futsal, Squash" Mr Swasthik - Participated and Secured 3rd Position in Basketball, TT, Volleyball, 2nd Position in Badminton, Futsal, Squash. Mr Aditya Nema - participated and secured 1st position in Chess	11 Oct 2025

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Physician Assistant Practice			
1	Nexus – 200 m (W)	Ms Poorna Vijay, placed 3rd in the event of 200 m (W), Promotes holistic development beyond academics	14 Sep 2025
2	Nexus - Relay(mixed)	Ms Poorna Vijay, placed 1st in the event of 4 x 100 m relay (mixed), Promotes holistic development beyond academics	14 Sep 2025
3	Nexus - Basketball	Ms Poorna Vijay, placed 1st in the event of Basketball (W), Promotes holistic development beyond academics	15 Oct 2025
4	Nexus - Football	Mr Ismail Ishan, Runner-up in the football event in Nexus, Promotes holistic development beyond academics	04 Dec 2025
5	Nexus - Football	Mr Mohammed Rustham Rahber, placed 3rd in the football event in Nexus, Promotes holistic development beyond academics	04 Dec 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology			
1	Throwball	Ms Muktha secured a winning position in the Throwball event	15 Feb 2025
2	Throwball	Ms Muktha secured 1st position in the Throwball event	17 Feb 2025
3	Hockey event	Ms Zoya Zubair secured a winning position in the Hockey event held at the MIT ground	22 Mar 2025
4	Hockey event	Ms Zoya Zubair secured a runner-up place in the Hockey event held at KMC Manipal	04 Apr 2025
5	Karate Tournament	Mr Sourav secured 1st place in the Karate Tournament	16 Oct 2025
Emergency Medical Technology			
1	Nexus Tournament	Mr Mohammed Imad, a first-year BSc EMT student, secured 2nd place in the Nexus Football Match, demonstrating sportsmanship, teamwork, and physical fitness	17 Nov 2025
Exercise and Sports Sciences			
1	Inter MAHE Staff	Mr ESWARAN TPM Participated and Secured 2nd Position in Chess	24 Aug 2025
Occupational Therapy			
1	MAHE Staff Athletic Meet	Mr Keshavaram P, Assistant Professor, Department of Occupational Therapy, participated in the staff athletic meet and won the following prizes: 1) 100 m-1st, 2)200 m-1st, 3) 400 m-2nd, 4) 1500 m-1st	29 Mar 2025

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Optometry			
1	Throwball Match	Ms Deeksha and her team won 1st prize in the Intercollegiate throwball match	21 Feb 2025
Perfusion Technology			
1	Throwball	Ms Soniya G Secured 3rd prize in the throwball Competition in the inter-batch sports competition	23 Nov 2025
2	Cricket	Mr Ankhush Konar Secured 3rd prize in the Cricket Competition in the inter-batch sports competition	23 Nov 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Inter-MAHE Athletics	Mr Prithvi Hoige (VI Semester BPT) achieved 5 gold medals and 2 silver medals and was named the Most Valuable Player (MVP) at the Inter-MAHE Athletics Events held on 13 and 14 Feb 2025	13 Feb 2025
2	Inter-MAHE Athletics	Ms Akanksha S P Kenja (VIII Semester BPT) secured 2 gold medals and 1 silver medal at the Inter-MAHE Athletics Events held on 13 and 14 Feb 2025.	13 Feb 2025

Outside University:

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Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology			
1	Hockey Event	Ms Zoya Zubair secured 2nd place in the Hockey event held by Serum Institute of India	22 Mar 2025
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics			
1	ASTRA 2.0 All India Intercollegiate Sports and Cultural Fest at Yenepoya (Deemed to be University)	Angeline Ann Shibu from IV Semester secured first place in Basketball (Women) at ASTRA 2.0 All India Intercollegiate Sports and Cultural Fest at Yenepoya (Deemed to be University)	17 Feb 2025

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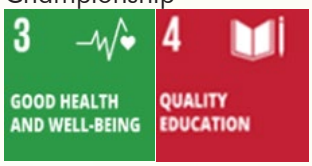
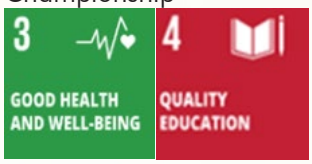
Physiotherapy			
1	South West Zone Inter-University Karate Championship 	Ms Akanksha S P Kenja (VIII Semester BPT) secured a place in the Top 6 in the South West Zone Inter-University Karate Championship held at Crescent University, Chennai, from 06 to 08 Jan 2025. Based on this performance, she qualified for the All India Inter-University Karate Championship held at Maharshi Dayanand University, Haryana, from 19 to 21 Jan 2025	06 Jan 2025
2	1st South Asia Masters Athletics Open Championships 2025	Mrs Nirmala Nayak, Assistant Lecturer, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, secured 2nd place in the 5 kms walk race and 3rd place in the 200 meters at the 1st South Asia Masters Athletics Open Championships 2025 at the Mangala stadium, Mangalore, held from 10 to 12 Jan 2025	10 Jan 2025
3	KIO Karate State Selection	Ms Akanksha S P Kenja (VIII Semester BPT) secured 3rd place in the KIO Karate State Selection held at Koramangala Indoor Stadium, Bengaluru, on 26 Jan 2025.	26 Jan 2025
4	National-level Volleyball Championship 	Mr Manuel Ephran Anchan (II Semester BPT) represented Karnataka and was a member of the team that won the National-level Volleyball Championship held in Jaipur, Rajasthan, from 27 Jan to 01 Feb 2025	27 Jan 2025
5	All India Inter- Collegiate volleyball	Mr Manuel Ephran Anchan (II Semester BPT) represented MCHP and was one of the members of the team that won the All India Inter- Collegiate volleyball match held at ASTRA 2.0, the All India Inter-Collegiate Sports and Cultural Fest, Yenepoya University, Mangalore, from 17 to 22 Feb 2025	17 Feb 2025
6	All India Inter- Collegiate volleyball	Ms Reva Brahme and Ms Nidhishri (VIII semester BPT) represented MCHP and were a part of the team that won the All India Inter- Collegiate volleyball match held at ASTRA 2.0, the All India Inter-Collegiate Sports and Cultural Fest, Yenepoya University, Mangalore, from 17 to 22 Feb 2025	17 Feb 2025
7	Under-23 Girls Shot Put Competition	Ms Akanksha Kenja (BPT Intern) secured the GOLD medal in the Under-23 Girls Shot Put Competition at the Karnataka State Junior Athletic Meet held from 23 to 25 Aug 2025 at Mahatma Gandhi District Stadium, Ajjarkad, Udupi.	23 Aug 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration			
1	Matrubhasha divas	The event started at 09:00 with enthusiastic participants starting to showcase their talents through painting and sketching. Later two teams fiercely contested with words, debating the topic "Should emojis be considered as a language?". The victors were awarded certificates by Ms Madhura. Winners- PAINTING - Samar Siddique- DEBATE - Sharin and Mridula	26 Feb 2025
2	Teachers Day	The event started off with a welcome speech from Ms Revathi Suresh and Mr Noel Mathew followed by a harmonic instillation song by Mr Mihir Joshi. Next, Dean sir addressed the gathering which formally started the event. The next event was done by Second year students from the department of physiotherapy then we had an ice breaker where certain cues were read and maximum number of hands raised determined the two teams for the next following games. The first game for the evening was the relay game where the Emcee for the game was Zaara Abraham and the game had 7 tasks where one or more than one member from each team were expected to complete and the team with the fastest time wins.	05 Sep 2025
3	Daan Utsav – Health Checkup Camp	A health camp for hospitality workers was organized with the aim of promoting preventive healthcare and overall well-being among individuals working in the hospitality sector. The event saw an encouraging turnout, with 110 participants benefiting from the various health services and awareness activities provided. The camp featured six stalls managed by different departments and clubs, Cardiovascular Technology (CVT), Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT), Optometry, Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics (CND), FIT MCHP Club, and the Centre for Diabetic Foot Care. Each stall was dedicated to a specific aspect of health assessment and education. The CVT team conducted ECG screenings, helping participants assess their cardiac health and understand the importance of early detection of heart-related issues. The MLT stall performed blood sugar check-ups, facilitating awareness about diabetes and lifestyle-related conditions. The Optometry team carried out eye examinations, identifying vision-related concerns and guiding participants on eye care practices. Meanwhile, the CND stall offered dietary counseling, focusing on balanced nutrition, body fat percentage checkup, and healthy eating habits suitable for demanding work environments. The FIT MCHP Club organized stretching sessions and basic fitness demonstrations, encouraging participants to incorporate simple physical exercises into their daily routine. The FIT MCHP Club was aligned with the aim of the Fit India initiative, promoting physical fitness and encouraging students and the community to adopt a healthy lifestyle. The stall of the Centre for Diabetic Foot Care provided health education and awareness materials, emphasizing the importance of preventive health measures and proper foot care, particularly for individuals at risk of diabetes.	07 Oct 2025
4	Frame the Freedom, Constitution Day	The events provide an engaging platform that nurtures students' creativity, analytical reasoning, and expressive abilities. These	17 Oct 2025

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		activities strengthen essential skills such as problem-solving, visual communication, teamwork, and time management, while encouraging students to think critically and convey ideas with clarity and impact. By integrating learning with enjoyment and ensuring active participation for all, the events promote inclusivity and experiential growth. Aligned with SDG 4 (Quality Education), they enrich the educational experience by fostering intellectual curiosity, creative confidence, and holistic development, ultimately preparing learners to become well-rounded individuals equipped for meaningful personal and societal contribution.	
5	Children's Day Celebration 2025	The program was planned by many organizing bodies- the Student Council, Sports Committee, Welfare Committee, and ESS Department. The volunteers from MCHP reached the venue at 09:00 AM and spent a few minutes setting up in the school premises. Around 09:30 AM, the volunteers joined the students and faculty for morning prayers. There were 240 students in total, from 01 to 07 Standards. The students learned the importance of engaging in physical activity from a young age, and quick and efficient warm-up and cool-down methods were taught in a simple and engaging manner to the students. Student participation and response were beyond what we had anticipated. They thoroughly loved all the activities which were planned for them, from painting to games to the D J.	14 Nov 2025
6	Literary Fest	The interdepartmental literature and art competitions successfully enhanced creativity, confidence, and collaboration among students. Through activities such as clay modelling, photography, extempore, and collage making, participants developed communication, critical thinking, and artistic skills. The events fostered interdepartmental unity, encouraged healthy competition, and provided a platform for students to express their ideas and perspectives creatively. They also promoted teamwork, innovation, and appreciation for diverse talents across disciplines. Overall, the event contributed significantly to holistic student development.	24 Nov 2025
7	FLEA MARKET	On 26 Nov, the Flea Market was organized by the Student Council as a fundraising event. The primary aim of the event was to create an engaging campus space where students could set up creative and interactive stalls while contributing to the fundraiser. A diverse range of stalls were set up, including food stalls, face painting and makeup, jewelry, and other creative stalls. The Sports Committee also set up a dedicated Fitness Zone, which included carnival activities such as vertical jump, mini basketball, and stack-the-balloons. A handheld dynamometer was also used at the stall to assess hand grip strength, which is commonly used to evaluate muscle strength and is an indicator of functional capacity. Overall, the Flea Market accomplished its fundraising objective and witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across various courses, making the event both productive and enjoyable."	26 Nov 2025

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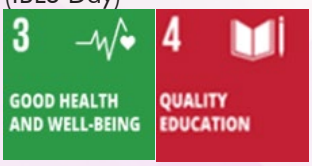
Anaesthesia and Operation Theatre Technology			
1	Indian Classical Dance	Ms Sujanya S secured 2nd place in the Indian Classical Dance conducted as part of the PULSE program	08 Oct 2025
2	Runway	Ms Muktha secured 1st place in the Runway conducted as part of the PULSE program	08 Oct 2025
Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics			
1	PULSE	Ms Aadosri Soni from III Semester has secured first place in the event Eastern Vocal (SOLO) conducted as a part of Pulse	08 Oct 2025
Clinical Psychology			
1	Kite Fest, TARANG	Volunteer Services Organization at Manipal Academy of Higher Education organized the kite fest, TARANG, on 09 Mar 2025 at End Point Manipal	09 Mar 2025
Emergency Medical Technology			
1	PULSE 2025	Ms Antara Rose achieved 2nd place in Western Vocal (Solo) and Western Dance (Solo)	08 Oct 2025
2	PULSE 2025	Ms Rashmi achieved 2nd place in Eastern Dance (Solo)	08 Oct 2025
3	PULSE 2025	Ms Anushka, Ms Charishma, Ms Shreya, Ms Maria, and Ms Rashmi secured 2nd place in Eastern Dance (Group)	08 Oct 2025
Medical Laboratory Technology			
1	International Biomedical Laboratory Science 2025 (IBLS Day) 	The Department of Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT) at MCHP, Manipal, commemorated International Biomedical Laboratory Science Day (IBLS Day) on 15 Apr 2025. The theme for 2025 is "Biomedical laboratory Scientists Promoting Sustainability in Clinical Diagnostics"	15 Apr 2025
Optometry			
1	Clay Modelling	Mr Pratham, 2nd year Bachelor of optometry secured 1st place for the clay Modelling in the Literary Fest (PULSE)	27 Sep 2025

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Physician Assistant Practice			
1	Kayal	Ms Lakshmi Regeesh, Ms Lakshmi Manoj, Ms Meghana participated in Dance, remotes holistic development beyond academics	26 Sep 2025
2	Pulse	Ms Lakshmi Regeesh and Ms Lakshmi Manoj participated in Dance, Promotes holistic development beyond academics.	06 Oct 2025
Speech and Hearing			
1	Pulse Event	Ms Christina Elizabeth Evans, Ms Anupama Sobia Nair, Ms Lia Fathima, Ms Namana, Ms Shreya, Ms Ruth Sara Kurian of 2nd year BASLP, and Ms Ashel, Ms Apoorva Patil, Ms Surabhi 2nd year MSc SLP, and Ms Sanjanan 1st year MSc SLP students secured 1st place in the cultural parade.	08 Oct 2025
2	Pulse Event	Ms D L Sreya, 1st year BASLP student, won 1st place in Indian Classical Vocal (solo).	08 Oct 2025
3	Pulse Event	Ms Lina Philip, Scheherazade 3rd year BASLP, Ms Anaswara, Ms Ruth 2nd year BASLP, Ms Gauri, Ms Katharine, Ms Nandana, Ms Shrika 1st year NASLP, won 1st place in eastern Dance group	08 Oct 2025
4	Pulse Event	Ms Sanajan 1st semester MSc SLP, Ms Shreya 2nd year MSc SLP, Ms Fathima, Mr Paul, Mr Noel, Mr Melbin, Mr Aman and Mr Megha 1st sem BASLP won 3rd place in Mime.	09 Oct 2025
5	Pulse Event	Ms Anupama Sobia Nair and Ms Namana, 2nd year BASLP Ms Theerthana and Ms Abhinaya, 1st year BASLP, won 2nd place in Western Group Dance	09 Oct 2025
6	Pulse Event	Ms Lena Philip, 3rd year BASLP student, won 1st place in Eastern Dance (solo)	10 Oct 2025
7	Pulse Event	Ms R Ushaa, Ms Rushada and Ms Diya, 3rd year BASLP Students won 2nd place in Antakshari	10 Oct 2025

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8	Pulse Event	Ms Viola 1st year MSc Audiology, Ms Aditi Bhaskar, Ms Diya K Baiju, Mr Paul, Mr Noel, Mr Melbin, Mr Aman, 1st year BASLP, Mr Akash, 3rd semester MSc Audiology, Ms Febha, 2nd year BASLP, Mr Alfred, 1st year MSc Audiology, secured 3rd place in the cultural parade	08 Dec 2025

Inter Institution:

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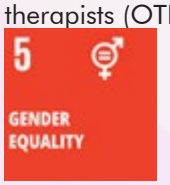
Emergency Medical Technology			
1	Kalothsava 2025	Ms Anisha Navya Kuzhikat (241122018) secured second place in the Eastern dance Group.	11 Apr 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Occupational Therapy			
1	The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON), Goa	Ms Jasleen Kaur Julka, Ms Akhila Lalu, Ms Manasa, Ms Tania Berly, Ms Abiya Raza Haque , Ms Anna Ajay, Ms Deborah Grace Mathew, Ms Agrata Sharma, Mr Sidheeq, Ms Bessy Sunny, Ms Riona Jasmine Dsouza, and Ms Aakriti Jain Students of Department of Occupational Therapy MCHP won third prize in group singing at The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 Mar 2025
2	The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON), Goa 	Ms Feba Susan Benny, Ms Aakriti Jain, Ms Sreenandana S P, Ms Alphy Anna James, Ms Megha R S, Ms Sonia Siby, Mr Swaroop Mathew, Ms Riona Jasmine Dsouza, Ms Ann Maria Benny, and Ms Ashmi Elizabeth Shaju Students of the Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP won second prize at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA), which was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 Mar 2025
3	The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON), Goa	Ms Manasa Students of the Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, won the Best Student Delegate Award at the 62nd Annual National Conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA), which was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 Mar 2025

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4	The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON), Goa	Ms Sharvi Desai, Ms Mehek Lalwani, Ms Manasa, Ms Aarya Poojari, Ms Ashmi Elizabeth Shaju, Ms Neha Shereef, Ms Shania Ann John, Ms Nis Anna Benoy, Ms Krishnendu K, Mr Swaroop Mathew, Ms Bitsa Mariyam Bins, and Ms Reshma Babu Students of Department of Occupational Therapy MCHP won third prize in Group dace competition at The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA) was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 Mar 2025
5	The 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) , Goa	Mr Muhammed Hameed, Ms Emil Sera Manoj, Mr Sam Tijo, Ms Heera Shettigar, Ms Oshin Cassy Silva, Ms Priyanka Hemant Lodha, Ms Irine Anna Varghese, Ms Nabeeha Miranji, Mr Sinan Ibrahim, and Ms Angel Ann Benny Students of the Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, won second prize in the Fashion Show at the 62nd annual national conference of occupational therapists (OTICON) by All India Occupational Therapists Association (AIOTA), which was held in Goa from 21 to 23 Feb 2025.	21 Mar 2025
Optometry			
1	Magician Show event	Mr Prathamesh secured the prize for the Best Magician	19 Sep 2025
2	Fashion Event	The Postgraduate students won 1st place in the Fashion Show organized in the OCTAVE 2025 ASCON Conference	31 Oct 2025
Physiotherapy			
1	Karnataka Physiocon 2025 cultural competition	A group of 20 students from the Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, participated in the International Physiotherapy Conference (KARNATAKA PHYSIOCON 2025) held on 25 and 26 Apr 2025 at Palace Grounds, Bengaluru. The students actively engaged in the conference's cultural and academic segments, showcasing their talents in: • Group Singing and MC • Skit and Dance • Fashion Show • Poster Presentation. Overall, their participation in Karnataka PhysioCon 2025 highlighted their talents beyond academics, fostering teamwork, creativity, and enthusiasm for cultural engagement.	25 Apr 2025

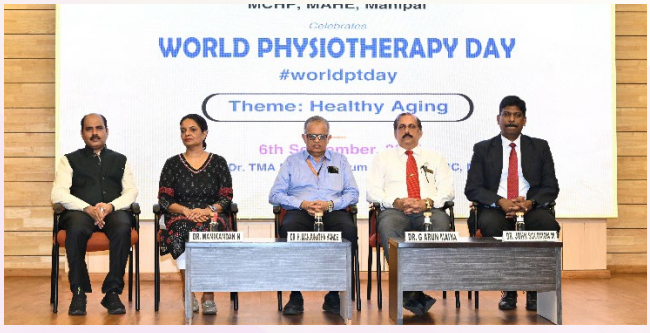
Photo Archive of Important events

MCHP Undergraduate Orientation Program 2025 was conducted at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC, Manipal. Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh was the Chief Guest and Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor - Health Sciences, MAHE, Manipal and Dr Avinash Shetty, Medical Superintendent, Kasturba Hospital - MAHE, Manipal was the Guests of Honour.

FOIT 2025 (Frontiers in Oncology Imaging and Therapeutics) Conference was organized by the Department of Medical Imaging Technology, Department of Nuclear Medicine Technology, and Medical Radiation Physics with the theme of "Advanced Imaging and Therapeutic Techniques in Oncology: A Multidisciplinary Approach Integrating Medical Imaging, Radiation Therapy, and Nuclear Medicine."

The Institutional Alumni Relations and Industry Liaison Committee of MCHP organized an Alumni Reunion on 06 Dec 2025. Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science), MAHE, was the Chief Guest for the function. Dr Seema Rajesh Rao, Director and Consultant Palliative Medicine, Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre, MAHE, Manipal, and Prof Rajesh Shenoy, Member of National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions (NCAHP), member of Karnataka State Allied and Healthcare Council, were Guest of Honor for the function.

Celebrating National Physician Assistant Day by honoring healthcare professionals who advance accessible, equitable care and community well-being, aligning with SDG 1 (No Poverty) and SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being).



Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, celebrated World Physiotherapy Day with a special focus on the theme of Healthy Aging. The event took place at the Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, III floor, KMC, Manipal.

18th National Conference of the Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC) RESCARE 2025 – SCOPUS Indexed Conference Hosted by: Department of Respiratory Therapy, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, Manipal In Association with: Indian Association of Respiratory Care (IARC) Dates: 24 to 26 Oct 2025 Venue: TMA Pai Auditorium, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), MAHE, Manipal Theme: Shaping the Future of Respiratory Therapists: Trends and Insights for Tomorrow.

MCHP celebrated its 26th Annual and Awards Day on 05 Dec 2025 at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, KMC, Manipal.

Department of Clinical Psychology organized one day national Seminar "Theme: Access to Services- Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies." Access to Services – Mental Health in Catastrophes and Emergencies addresses the critical need for integrated, multidisciplinary approaches to mental health care during crises.
Research (NACCLER-2025)

Department of MLT, MCHP, MAHE Manipal hosted the one-day National Conference on Clinical Laboratory Education and Research (NACCLER-2025)

The Department of Cardiology, KMC, Manipal, and the Department of Cardiovascular Technology, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, in association with IAE Karnataka, organized the 16th Manipal Cardiology Update on the topic "Non-Coronary Intervention". (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 9)

Centre for Sports Science, Medicine and Research

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- Mr Yogesh Chandra Bhatt
- Mr Pushparaj Kulal
- Ms Prathvi P Kotian

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To become a global leader in advancing sports science, medicine, and research through quality sports science education, fostering research, and enhancing athlete well-being

Mission: To provide support to comprehensive undergraduate and postgraduate training programs; To undertake cutting-edge research initiatives; To optimize athletic potential, promoting injury prevention, and advancing knowledge in sports science

Objectives: To support quality education and nurture knowledge among future leaders of exercise and sports science; To advocate cutting-edge research in sports science through international collaborations and quality graduate research; To implement evidence-based sports science to enhance athlete health and wellbeing, and long-term athlete development programs

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	CHAMP	inculcating grassroot sports related motor development activities for children	06 Jan 2025 to 27 Jun 2025 Monday Wednesday Friday 6:30 AM – 7:30 AM
2.	WWW.FIT	enriching MAHE women's fitness	06 Jan 2025 to 26 Dec 2025 Monday Wednesday Friday 4 PM - 5 PM
3.	General Services	assessing and exercise prescription for general fitness, sports-related injuries, and return to sports	06 Jan 2025 to 26 Dec 2025 Monday to Friday 10 AM - 4 PM
4.	Post Graduation Research	PG research studies are going on that involve Biomechanics, Exercise Physiology, Strength and Conditioning, Injury Prevention, and Promotion of Physical Activity.	06 Jan 2025 to 26 Dec 2025 Monday to Saturday 6 AM - 7 PM

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
5.	PhD Thesis (Cotutelle) 	Exploring the physiological alterations with blood flow restriction	06 Jan 2025 to 26 Dec 2025 Monday to Saturday 9 AM to 5 PM

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	Certificate of recognition – Chaitali Xrirama Joshi 	Certificate of recognition for Scientific review publication, MAHE, for PG student publication	05 Dec 2025

Centre for Comprehensive Stroke Rehabilitation and Research

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Brief About the Centre
Vision:
To become a Centre for excellence in Stroke Rehabilitation

Mission:
To conduct high-quality research, training programs, and deliver comprehensive stroke rehabilitation services

Objectives:
- To provide health services for maximizing the recovery of stroke survivors and achieve the best possible outcome through an inter-professional practice
- To foster innovation and to train and mentor students, researchers, and health care providers.
- To conduct short-term training courses and workshops
- To expand the rehabilitation services to community living stroke survivors
- To establish international collaborations for research
- To conduct a certificate program in stroke rehabilitation

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Translation of the REACH Scale to Indian regional languages for the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada	The REACH scale was translated into Hindi, Kannada, Punjabi, Tamil, and Urdu	06 Jan to 28 Feb 2025
2	Digitalization of Stroke Rehabilitation Assessment	Developed and tested a system to record clinical details and standardized outcome measures through a Microsoft (MS) cloud-based system for documentation	16 Jun to 11 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Webinar on Accessible technologies for stroke rehabilitation in low-resource settings 	By Dr Sivakumar Balasubramanian, Professor and Head, Department of Bioengineering, CMC, Vellore	28 Oct 2025
4	Advancing Stroke Recovery: National Workshop on Motor Rehabilitation 	Covered a wide range of theory and practical hands-on sessions on sensory-motor assessment, prediction models, motor priming techniques, trunk control training, task-oriented training, mobility training, inpatient rehabilitation, game-based rehabilitation, CPGs, and many more.	30 and 31 Oct 2025
5	Session on Mapping Physical, Biopsychosocial, and Environmental Influences on Community Ambulation Post-stroke 	By Dr Kanika Bansal, Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA, and Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE	15 Dec 2025
6	Session on "Measuring what matters: the accuracy and utility of wearables for real-world walking performance 	By Dr Kanika Bansal, Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA, and Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE	15 Dec 2025
7	Lecture series on "Movement analysis of Neurorehabilitation" 	By Dr Sivakumar Balasubramanian, Professor and Head, Department of Bioengineering, CMC, Vellore	15 to 18 Dec 2025
8	Adjunct faculty lecture on "How to choose and apply to a journal for your manuscript?" 	By Dr Kanika Bansal, Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA, and Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE	16 Dec 2025
9	Session on "Objective measurement and perceived walking challenge differentiates between home and community ambulation levels post-stroke 	By Dr Kanika Bansal, Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA, and Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE	16 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
10	Session on PhD application process and pathways in physiotherapy- USA and Canada; Resume/academic CV building	By Dr Kanika Bansal, Associate Professor, Department of Physical Therapy, University of Mount Union, Alliance, Ohio, USA, and Adjunct faculty, Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE	16 Dec 2025
11	Guest lecture on Brain Stimulation and Neuroplasticity	By Dr Anna Kuppuswamy, Lecturer, Department of Biological Sciences, Director Neurobiological and Translational Fatigue Research laboratory (NeuTraF), University of Leeds, Leeds, UK	17 Dec 2025
12	Research-focused talk on "In search of rigor in Neurorehabilitation: Speculative ideas for robot-assisted therapy and quantitative movement measurement	By Dr Sivakumar Balasubramanian, Professor and Head, Department of Bioengineering, CMC, Vellore. The talk covered a causal model of robot-assisted therapy, mathematical rigor in designing and validating the movement measures, mathematical framework for building reliable, interpretable, and well-founded movement measures.	17 Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1.	HOMER: Home-based robot-assisted upper-limb training for stroke in India	ICMR- Intermediate grant	Dr John Solomon M	84 lakhs INR	01 Apr 2025

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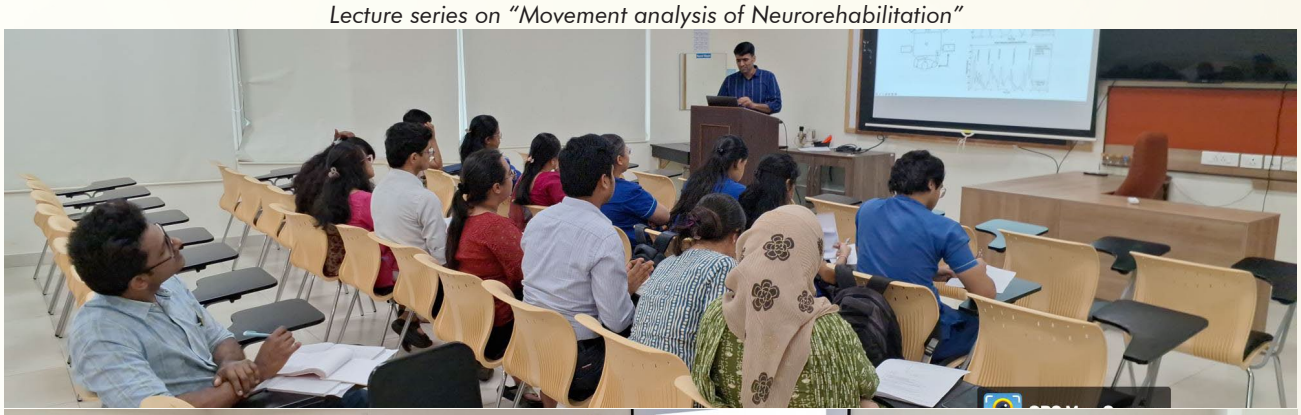
Advancing Stroke Recovery: National Workshop on Motor Rehabilitation

Lecture series on "Movement analysis of Neurorehabilitation"



Guest lecture on Brain Stimulation and Neuroplasticity

Adjunct faculty lecture on "How to choose and apply to a journal for your manuscript?"

Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic Footcare and Research

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3. Dr Krishna Prasad P R, Associate Professor, Department of Orthopedics, KMC, Manipal
4. Dr Sahana Shetty, Professor and Head of Department, Department of Endocrinology, KMC, Manipal
5. Dr Shivashankara K N, Professor, Department of Medicine, KMC, Manipal
6. Dr Amar Pal Singh Suri, Diabetologist, Podiatrist, President of the Indian Podiatry Association
7. Ms Tina Agnes, Assistant Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic Foot Care and Research, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal

International Experts

1. Dr Edward Jude, Consultant Physician and Professor, Tameside Hospital, NHS Foundation Trust.
2. Dr Praveen Arany, Assistant Professor of Oral Biology, University of Buffalo, School of Dental Medicine.
3. Dr David G Armstrong, Professor of Clinical Surgery, Keck School of Medicine of USC, Los Angeles.
4. Dr Nicolette Nadene Houreld, Senior Lecturer and Researcher, LASER Research Centre, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Johannesburg.

Brief About the Centre

The Centre for Podiatry and Diabetic Foot Care and Research (CPDFCR), affiliated with Manipal Academy of Higher Education, is a state-of-the-art podiatry clinic providing comprehensive services for the prevention, evaluation, and management of diabetic foot–related conditions in the Udupi district. Established in 2015, the Centre has received several national and international research and service-delivery grants focused on diabetic foot syndrome. Notably, CPDFCR was awarded a prestigious grant from the World Diabetes Foundation titled "Diabetic Foot Care: Stepping Ahead" (WDF 15-941).

Routine comprehensive clinical evaluation of individuals with diabetes at the Centre includes systematic assessment of peripheral neuropathy, vascular status, and musculoskeletal components of the foot. CPDFCR is well equipped with advanced diagnostic and therapeutic instruments to support evidence-based diabetic foot care. Conservative management strategies available during the early stages of diabetic foot complications include low-level laser therapy, laser shoe therapy, Matrix Therapie®, oxygen therapy to the wound bed, advanced wound dressing, pedicure and debridement procedures, structured exercise prescription, foot care education, counselling, footwear prescription, offloading techniques, and customized insole fabrication.

Vision and Mission: To create a Centre for Advanced Research Training and Clinical Practice and create a Centre of Excellence in Podiatry and Diabetic Foot through international accreditation.

Objectives

- To conduct high-quality research and academic programs to enhance the knowledge of health professionals.
- To offer consultation services to other Centres and hospitals for setting up podiatry and diabetic foot clinics.
- To develop and produce audio-visual/multimedia educational and research-related content.

Activities at the Center

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Workshop	Advances in physiotherapy skills and practice	24 and 25 Feb 2025
2	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Badagubettu community hall, Parkala	05 Feb 2025
3	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Tri-centenary Hall, Milagres Cathedral, Kallianpur	16 Feb 2025
4	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church Hall, Udyavar	09 Mar 2025
5	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi	21 and 22 Mar 2025
6	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	23 May 2025
7	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi	31 May 2025
8	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Vishwakarma Sabha Bhavana, Bellampalli	31 Jul 2025
9	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Hindu High School, Shirva	10 Aug 2025
10	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Interact MAHE, Manipal	16 Oct 2025
11	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Sathya Sai Mandir, Bramhagiri	02 Nov 2025
12	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Kasturba Hospital, OPD, Manipal	17 Nov 2025
13	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Don Bosco English Medium School, Shirva	07 Dec 2025
14	Camp	Diabetic foot screening camp at Rotary club Manipal	14 Dec 2025
15	Workshop	Body composition parameter for metabolic health	26 Jul 2025
16	Workshop	Nurses' training workshop on Diabetic foot care	20 Nov 2025
17	Guest Lecture	Metabolic dynamics in diabetic foot ulcer: A hi-touch approach to healing complex wounds	11 Mar 2025
18	Publication	Agnes T, Maiya GA, Kulakarni MM, Hegde SR, Ballal K, Balachandra M. Smartphone Application-Based Rehabilitation Program for Older Adults with Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus: Insights from the Design, Development, and Validation. Journal of Diabetes Science and Technology. 2025 August 25:19322968251365664.	Aug 2025
19	Publication	Harihar A, Shetty S, Punja D, Kumar S, Maiya GA. Relationship between skeletal muscle mass and glycemic parameters in individuals with young-onset type 2 diabetes mellitus. Irish Journal of Medical Science (1971-). 2025 October 7:1-9.	Oct 2025
20	Publication	Shetty S, Maiya GA, Rao KG M, Vijayan S, Jaya SS, George BM. Alterations in Static Plantar Pressure Before and After Total Knee Arthroplasty in Individuals with Knee Osteoarthritis. Prosthesis. 2025 October 15;7(5):128.	Oct 2025
21	Publication	Jaya SS, Bhat N S, Kadavigere R, Pavan B, Rastogi A, Shastry BA, Mayya SS, Maiya GA. Effect of comprehensive rehabilitation on pressure pain threshold, functional disability, and plantar pressure among type 2 diabetes mellitus individuals with chronic low back pain. Journal of Back and Musculoskeletal Rehabilitation. 2025 October 21:10538127251387831.	Oct 2025
22	Publication	Shetty S, Vijayan S, Maiya GA, Kg MR, George BM. Patient-reported factors determining long-term follow-up after total knee arthroplasty	Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		in individuals with knee osteoarthritis visiting a tertiary care hospital. Journal of Orthopaedics. 2025 November 1;69:124-9.	
23	Publication	Shetty S, Vijayan S, George BM, Rao KM, Arany P, Bensadoun RJ, Houreld N, Laakso EL, Maiya GA. Effect of photobiomodulation on pain and clinical outcomes after total knee arthroplasty in individuals with knee osteoarthritis: A scoping review. Journal of Orthopaedics. 2025 November 7.	Nov 2025
24	Publication	Sharath S, Kadavigere R, Maiya GA. Ultrasound Evaluations of Ankle and Foot Muscles in Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy Systematic Review with Meta-Analysis. Curr Diabetes Rev. 2025;21(10):50-58. doi:10.2174/0115733998310010240711051523	2025
25	Publication	Shetty S, Vijayan S, Maiya GA, Kg MR, George BM. Patient-reported factors determining long-term follow-up after total knee arthroplasty in individuals with knee osteoarthritis visiting a tertiary care hospital. Journal of Orthopaedics. 2025 November 1;69:124-9.	Nov 2025
26	Publication	Harihar A, Bhat N S, Kumar S, Yadav K H, Maiya GA. Effect of Mobile Application-based Exercise Program on Pain and Functional Rehabilitation in Osteoarthritis Knee. Indian Journal of Orthopaedics. 2025 August 3:1-9.	Aug 2025
27	Publication	Apte S, Ramachandra P, Guruvare S, Bhat SK, Maiya GA. Effect of physical activity promotion program on insulin resistance and glycemic control in gestational diabetes mellitus: a randomized controlled trial. Clinical Epidemiology and Global Health. 2025 July 24:102143.	Jul 2025
28	Publication	Sheikh MM, Balachandra M, VG N, Maiya AG. Predicting diabetic peripheral neuropathy through advanced plantar pressure analysis: a machine learning approach. Scientific Reports. 2025 July 1;15(1):20962.	Jul 2025
29	Publication	Raje S, Maiya GA, Padmakumar R, Prabhu MA, Nayak K, Shivashankara KN, Shastry BA, Nataraj M. A bibliometric analysis of research trends on left ventricular dysfunction and exercise among individuals with type 2 diabetes mellitus. Journal of Bodywork and Movement Therapies. 2025 June 1;42:894-901	Jun 2025
30	Publication	Gupta G, Maiya GA, Hande HM. Multifactorial balance rehabilitation in diabetic neuropathy elders: Randomized controlled trial. Journal of Bodywork and Movement Therapies. 2025 June 1;42:736-44.	Jun 2025
31	Publication	Maiya GA, Harihar A, Joseph GM, Arora E, Arany P, Bensadoun RJ, Houreld NN, Laakso L. Effectiveness of Photobiomodulation and Exercise-Based Rehabilitation on Pain and Functional Recovery in Patients With Rotator Cuff Pathology. Wound Repair and Regeneration. 2025 May;33(3):e70043.	May 2025
32	Publication	Raje S, Maiya GA, R P, Prabhu MA, Nayak K, Shivashankara KN, Shastry BA, Nataraj M, Mayya SS. Prediction of cardiac autonomic dysfunction using the heart rate response to the deep breathing test among type 2	Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		diabetes mellitus. BMC Endocrine Disorders. 2025 April 25;25(1):117.	
33	Publication	Harihar A, Maiya GA, Shetty S, Shivashankar KN, Bhat NS. Prevalence of young-onset diabetes and associated physical activity profile in southern India. Clinical Epidemiology and Global Health. 2025 April 23:102040	Apr 2025
34	Publication	Apte S, Ramachandra P, Guruvare S, Bhat SK, Maiya GA. Development, validation, and pilot testing of the physical activity promotion program booklet for women with gestational diabetes mellitus. Women & Health. 2025 April 21;65(4):302-13.	Apr 2025
35	Publication	Harihar A, Maiya GA, Shetty S, KN S, Bhat S, Kumar S, Jadhav RA. Profiling of Macrovascular and Microvascular Complications in Young-Onset Type 2 Diabetes: A Scoping Review. Clinical Diabetes. 2025 April 15;43(2):253-61.	Apr 2025
36	Publication	Anju M, Velladath SU, Maiya GA, Hande M. A single blinded randomized controlled trial assessing the effect of photobiomodulation therapy on neuron specific biomarkers in type II diabetes mellitus patients with peripheral neuropathy. Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice. 2025 April 1;222:112087.	Apr 2025
37	Publication	Jadhav RA, Maiya GA, Rajhans V, Umakanth S, KN S. Perception and impact of customized physical activity programs on objective physical activity parameters in prediabetes. Clinical Epidemiology and Global Health. 2025 March 1;32:101938.	Mar 2025
38	Publication	Shetty S, Maiya GA, Kg MR, Vijayan S, George BM. Quadriceps angle as an outcome measure for structural integrity following total knee arthroplasty in individuals with severe knee osteoarthritis. Journal of Orthopaedics. 2025 March 1;61:37-42.	Mar 2025
39	Publication	Raje S, Maiya GA, R P, Prabhu MA, Nayak K, KN S, Shastry B, Nataraj M. Effect of exercise training on cardiac autonomic function in type 2 diabetes mellitus: a systematic review and meta-analysis. Systematic Reviews. 2025 February 4;14(1):34.	Feb 2025
40	Publication	Prabhath S, Ramanathan HP, Kamath MG, Karkada G, Handady G, Mohammed CA, Maiya AG. Development and validation of an interprofessional collaborative educational module on the self-management of foot for individuals with type II diabetes mellitus in India. F1000Research. 2025 February 4;13:386	Feb 2025
41	Publication	Sheikh MM, Balachandra M, Narendra VG, Maiya AG. Application of Soft Computing for Prediction of Peripheral Neuropathy in T2DM-A Real-Time Data Analysis. IEEE Access. 2025 January 28	Jan 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards / Recognition	Particular	Date
1	Dia-Back Care: An Educational Manual for Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Individuals with Chronic Low Back Pain	Copyright	12 Feb 2025
2	Young Onset Diabetes – Tips for Physical Activity Promotion	Copyright	15 Jan 2025
3	System Method and Device for Treatment and Management of Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy	Patent Granted	26 Mar 2025
4	A Carbon Nanotube-Based Medicated Sock for Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy	Patent Applied	01 Jul 2025
5	II Prize for e-Poster (under Health Professions category)	Sohini Raje won the Manipal Quest 2.0 (Manipal) Award	21 Sep 2025
6	Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research, 2025 Award	Sohini Raje got the Best Poster Award (under PhD/Faculty category)	13 and 14 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Short-term effect of oxygenated nanobubble- infused drinks versus placebo drinks on performance and fatigue in endurance runners: Pre-Post Design	Industry Grant	Dr G Arun Maiya	7,30,300 INR	2024-2025
2	Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS) DST–MAHE Hub	DST	Dr G Arun Maiya	24,00,00,000 INR	2024-2031
3	Novel approach for early screening and prevention of foot complications in Type 2 diabetes mellitus in the rural community level of coastal districts; Manipal amputation prevention program among people living with Type 2 diabetes mellitus	Industry Grant	Dr G Arun Maiya	29,20,000 INR	2025-2027
4	Effect of i-coll collagen particles on wound healing dynamics of chronic leg ulcers	Industry Grant	Dr G Arun Maiya	10,96,100 INR	2025-2026

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Nurses Training workshop at Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi on 20 November 2025

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Diabetic foot screening camp at Sathya Sai Mandir, Bramhagiri on 02 November 2025

Interdisciplinary Centre for Craniofacial and Orofacial Pain Research (ICOP)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 May 2018

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- Dr Robert Schleip, Senior Scientist, Technical University of Munich, Germany
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- Dr César Fernández-de-las-Peñas, Professor, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos, Spain

Team Members

- Dr Prabu Raja G, Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal, India
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Brief About the Centre

Vision

To become a globally recognized interdisciplinary hub of excellence in craniofacial and orofacial pain research; to advance scientific understanding; and to develop innovative diagnostics and evidence-based interventions that improve functional health and quality of life of athletes.

Mission

- Advancing high-quality translational research that integrates basic science, clinical science, biomechanics, neuroscience, and psychosocial perspectives in craniofacial and orofacial pain.
- Promoting interdisciplinary collaboration among dentistry, medicine, physiotherapy, neuroscience, psychology, biomedical engineering, and allied health sciences.

Objectives

- To provide comprehensive and holistic management of orofacial and craniofacial pain.
- To foster interdisciplinary research by involving experts in different orofacial and craniofacial pain fields.
- To collaborate with international universities and attract faculty of international repute, actively working in these fields.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Interdisciplinary research ICOP and Department of Anatomy (Kasturba Medical College, Manipal)	Myofascial continuum—Anatomical insights into non-cardiac chest pain. SDG 4—Quality education and training.	07 Jul 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research /Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding agency	Name of the Principal Investigator	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) travel grant for non-ICMR scientist (7th Fascia research Congress, USA).	ICMR	Prabu Raja G	1,27,868	28 Jul 2025

Centre for Comprehensive Rehabilitation

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Mentors

- Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE
- Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor (Health Sciences), MAHE
- Dr Arun G Maiya, Dean, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE

Brief About the Centre:
To be a state-of-the-art Centre for the rehabilitation of individuals with long-term disabilities. The Centre will strive to be a hallmark of excellence in advising on quality care and advocating for the rights of individuals with disabilities.

Mission:
The Centre will provide high-quality and cost-effective care for individuals with long-term disabilities. The Centre will aid in the development of programs targeting community integration of individuals with disabilities

Objectives:

- To continually engage with various stakeholders through interactive sessions on problems encountered by individuals with disabilities.
- The Centre will work towards disseminating knowledge gained through research, publications, seminars, and conferences
- To develop and implement best practice guidelines for design modifications and accessing built environment. This Centre will aid in developing policy recommendations and add to the body of research in the field of disability.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	World Physiotherapy Congress (WPC) – Speaker	Invited speaker at the World Physiotherapy Congress; Shared expertise on disability, rehabilitation, and inclusive practices	30 May 2025
2	World Physiotherapy Congress (WPC) – Presenter	Poster presentation at WPC showcasing research outcomes	30 May 2025
3	Catalyst Grant Application	Submitted an international collaborative research proposal focusing on disability/accessibility	2025
4	Publications	Four peer-reviewed publications in disability, rehabilitation, and public health domains have been achieved this year.	2025
5	ICMR Travel Grant	Awarded ICMR Travel Grant for international academic dissemination at the World Physiotherapy Congress (WPC) 2025	2025
6	International Stroke Recovery and Rehabilitation Alliance (ISSRA) – Stroke Recovery and Rehabilitation Roundtable (SRRR) 2025 Engagement	Active participation in the International Stroke Recovery and Rehabilitation Alliance (SRRR 2025) activities	23-24 Nov 2025
7	Leadership –Centre for Disability Studies and Research (CDSR)	Appointed as Co-Coordinator, Centre for Disability Studies & Research; facilitated interdisciplinary initiatives	2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
8	Work-related Disability Prevention Program – Quick Smart Wash, Aleevor	Community-based disability prevention and occupational health program for workers. This was an Industry-Academia Collaboration activity.	01 to 05 Nov 2025
9	Work-related Disability Prevention Program – Ice Factories in Malpe	Ergonomics and disability prevention programme for industrial workers. This was an Industry-Academia Collaboration activity.	From Nov 2025-ongoing
10	Intellectual Property	One patent and two copyrights filed	2025
11	Open House Programme	CCR, in collaboration with the Department of Physiotherapy, conducted an Open House on disability and inclusion. Relevant SDGs: SDG 4 (Quality Education), SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities), SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities)	03 Nov 2025
12	PhD Thesis Submission	First Doctoral thesis successfully submitted	2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Ms Sidhiprada Mohapatra, Assistant Professor, Department of Physiotherapy, Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, received a District-Level Recognition Award for her significant services towards persons with disabilities in and around Udupi District	National Platform for the Rights of the Disabled (NPRD)	27 Dec 2025
2	The Community Physiotherapy Unit, Department of Physiotherapy, which works in close coordination with the Centre for Comprehensive Rehabilitation (CCR), was also felicitated for its contributions to disability prevention, rehabilitation outreach, and community engagement.	National Platform for the Rights of the Disabled (NPRD)	27 Dec 2025

Photo Gallery

Open house event: International Day of Persons with Disabilities 2025

Guest lecture by Mr Matheiu Simard, PhD Scholar, McGill University

An interactive session by Dr Jo Watson from Deakin University on Disability Studies

Ms Sidhiprada Mohapatra as Speaker at the World Physiotherapy Congress, Tokyo 2025

Presentation at the World Physiotherapy Congress, Tokyo 2025 by Ms Sidhiprada Mohapatra

District-level recognition of services provided to Persons with Disabilities in and around Udupi District by the National Platform for the Rights of the Disabled

Centre for Studies on Healthy Aging (CSHA)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2020
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Members: Dr G Kanaka, Associate Professor, Department of Speech and Hearing, MCHP, MAHE

Brief About the Centre

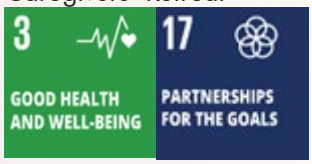
Vision: Health and participation of older adults

Mission: Enable people to be healthy, independent, safe, and participate in valued activities as they age

Objectives

a) Promote early identification and management of common age-related health problems.
b) Capacity building of professionals (health, technical, and others) to meet the specific needs of older adults and support healthy ageing
c) Advocate for the elderly, healthy aging, age-friendly cities and communities.
d) Understand and address factors that promote healthy aging in the Indian context through collaborative research pertaining to all aspects of healthy living and aging, including technological solutions.
e) To continually engage with various stakeholders for related activities such as service provision, research activities, dissemination of knowledge, education programs, etc.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Healthy Aging Screening Camp	Conducted screening camp for older adults in a rural setting at Vishwakarma Sabha Bhavan, Havanje, Kukkehalli	31 Jul 2025
2	Educational talk	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza, delivered a talk to Mahila Mandal, Manipal, on Resistance training after 60 years of age: Why and How?	19 Mar 2025
3	Caregivers' Retreat 	CSHA conducted a program to support dementia caregivers in collaboration with Rotary Club Manipal and Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, MAHE, to celebrate World Alzheimer's Day (21 Sep). The program was conducted by occupational therapy mental health professionals and addressed coping and self-management skills for caregivers	25 Sep 2025
4	Seniors' Day Out	CSHA conducted an outing for older adults in collaboration with Rotary Club Manipal and the Aging and Memory Unit of the Department of Occupational Therapy, MCHP, to celebrate International Day for Older Persons (1 Oct). The participants included healthy older adults, those with health issues such as dementia and stroke, and young students. The interactive program included games and activities such as role play to	25 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		support physical, emotional, and cognitive health and facilitate intergenerational interaction.	
5	Support care	CSHA, in collaboration with the Aging and Memory Unit of the Department of Occupational Therapy, has commenced monthly online support groups for dementia caregivers	22 Nov 2025
6	Conference presentation on innovative technology	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza presented 'Senior Saathi: a mobile-based application for healthy aging', developed as part of a project funded by the Department of Health Research, ICMR, India, from 2021 to 2025, at research' at the national conference organized by the All India Occupational Therapists' Association at Goa.	21 - 23 Feb 2025
7	Guest Lecture	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza delivered a talk on 'Fall prevention for older adults: Adopting a pragmatic approach to translational research' at the national conference organized by the All India Occupational Therapists' Association at Goa.	21 - 23 Feb 2025
8	Conference presentation	Ms Rujutha Ksheersagar, PhD student, and Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza presented a paper titled, 'Involvement of family in fall prevention for older adults in the Indian context: a narrative review research' at the national conference organized by the All India Occupational Therapists' Association at Goa,	21 - 23 Feb 2025
9	Guest lecture at MAHER	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza delivered a talk on 'Aging and Geriatric Rehabilitation' at Reflections 2025, a national conference organized by Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education and Research at Chennai	27 - 28 Jun 2025
10	International conference presentation	Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza delivered an oral presentation titled "Occupational therapy students' knowledge and attitude about dementia in India", at the 28th Annual European Network for Occupational Therapy in Higher Education Meeting held in Coimbra, Portugal	23 - 25 Oct 2025
11	National conference presentation	Ms Rujutha Ksheersagar, PhD student, and Dr Sebestina Anita Dsouza presented a paper titled, 'Balance between support and autonomy: experiences and perspectives of older adults about involving family members in fall prevention' at GERICON 2025 by Armed Forces Medical College, Pune	14 - 16 Nov 2025

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Caregivers Retreat 2025

Healthy Aging Screening Camp 2025

Seniors Day Out 2025

Centre for Translational Radiation Sciences (CTRS)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 15 July 2024

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Rozy Kamal

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Brief About the Centre

Vision: To promote, accelerate, and support the expansion of translational research in the area of radiation sciences for safe and improved health care outcomes

Mission: Dedicated infrastructure to meet regulatory needs; specific research training for manpower needs; accelerated research through international collaborations

Objectives

To accelerate the process of radio-pharmaceutical development, keeping pace with drug discovery through technology innovations and international collaborations

To foster an interdisciplinary research ecosystem in healthcare domains (Nuclear Medicine, multimodality imaging physics, regenerative medicine, and biomedical sciences)

To supplement research infrastructure and skill development needs in translational radiation sciences within the country through academic excellence and skill training programs

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Australian Institute for Bioengineering and Nanotechnology, The University of Queensland, Australia Delegation visits to MAHE for international research collaboration with CTRS 	MAHE visit for Mr Saran included a visit to the unit of Nuclear Medicine, SSBCBH, followed by a meeting with Dean MCHP, International Committee chair, HOD, Nuclear Medicine (MCHP), and Coordinator, CTRS, where information on infrastructure and expertise availability at MAHE and AIBN was shared.	04 Mar 2025
2.	Justification for AERB approval for CTRS 	Submitted to the registrar, MAHE	13 Apr 2025
3.	Layout plan for the CTRS laboratory 	Layout plan specifications for the new allotted location finalized with the Project office, MAHE	01 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4.	Funding grant applications submitted	1. Indian Council of Medical Research-Multidisciplinary Research units (ICMR-MRU) 2. Department of Biotechnology (DBT) 3. Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)- First in world challenge	Jul, Sep, and Oct 2025
5.	Attended International Conference	Paper Presentation at World Molecular Imaging Congress, Alaska, USA	29 Sep to 03 Oct 2025
6.	Research articles submitted as corresponding author	1 research and 3 review articles (all Q1)	Sep to Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Development of multimodality nano-system for receptor specific and sustained uptake in therapeutic/ cancer cells	Intramural	Dr Rozy Kamal and Dr Raviraja N S	6,00,000 INR	From Nov 2023- till date

Centre for Rehabilitation of Children with Developmental Disabilities

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: December 2024

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Brief About the Centre

Vision

To establish a dedicated centre that delivers high-quality, comprehensive multidisciplinary rehabilitation services—including physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, and socio-cognitive skill training—for children with developmental disabilities and their families, while serving as a hub for knowledge translation in the field of childhood disability.

Mission

- To deliver holistic, individualized, and evidence-based care for children with developmental disabilities.
- To empower and support families by facilitating access to services, strengthening support networks, and promoting informed participation in care.
- To function as a centre for knowledge translation, capacity building, and dissemination of best practices in childhood disability for healthcare professionals.

Aim: To develop a rehabilitation ecosystem for children with developmental disabilities, improve their quality of life, and help them integrate into society at large.

Objectives

- To establish a rehabilitation team encompassing comprehensive services; including speech, occupational, physical, vision, and psychosocial services.
- To provide rehabilitative services based on a family-centred approach and caregiver training.
- Encourage educational programs that support the overall development of children with disabilities and their families.
- To establish a peripheral outreach centre to conduct community outreach and awareness programs that promote inclusion and support for children with disabilities.
- To develop technology-based outreach rehabilitation programs.
- To develop an industry-academia partnership to enhance the service-delivery process.
- To create a centre of excellence for the rehabilitation of children with developmental disabilities in southern Karnataka.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
1	Awareness program for nursing students	Orientation program on Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) (Speech and language challenges in ASD) Organized by Autism Society of Udupi, Ashrith College of Nursing, Kota, and Dr. A. V. Baliga Memorial Hospital	06 Sep 2025
2	Awareness program for Master of Social Work (MSW) students	Redefining social psychology—Speech and language challenges in ASD Organized by Autism Society of Udupi, Sacred Heart College, Kerala, and Dr A V Baliga Memorial Hospital, Udupi	19 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
3	Webinar for health professional students by international guest faculty 	Interdisciplinary family-centered care: A best-practice approach for child development by Dr Marie Brien, Adjunct faculty, Department of Occupational Therapy, Temerty Faculty of Medicine, University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada	6 Nov 2025
4	Participation in a multi-speciality medical camp for Children with Special Needs (CSWN) 	As part of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities, Dr. Deepalaxmi Poojary participated in conducting the multi-speciality medical camp. Organized by Block Education Office, Kundapura; Block Resource Center, Kundapura; One Good Step, Bengaluru; Rotary Kundapura; TMG Sunidhi Foundation Trust, KMC Manipal; and MCHP	28 Nov 2025
5	Awareness program for teachers and parents 	Samveda-XVI (Unanswered questions about Autism)—Interaction with experts (Panel discussion) Organized by Autism Society of Udupi, Dr A V Baliga Memorial Hospital, and Narayana Special School, Kundapura	20 Dec 2025

Awards and recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards/Recognition	Particular
1.	External expert panel member	For Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) project titled "Development of a manual of early intervention for children with Autism for use by non-specialist health professionals working in community health centres"

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Conducted an awareness program for nursing students of Ashrith College of Nursing, Kota, in association with the Autism Society of Udupi.

Conducted a parent – teacher training program in association with the Autism Society of Udupi, Dr. A. V. Baliga Memorial Hospital, and Narayana Special School, Kundapura.

On the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities (December 3rd), a special camp was organized in Kundapura on 28, November 2025, in association with One Good Step, Bangalore. The event was conducted under the aegis of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, Karnataka, bringing together a multidisciplinary team including experts from various fields such as physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech and hearing, psychology, community medicine, and optometry.

The Centre for Rehabilitation of Children with Developmental Disabilities and the Department of Physiotherapy, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal, jointly organized a webinar on "Interdisciplinary family-centred care: A best practice approach for childhood development". The session was delivered by Dr Marie Brien, Pediatric Physiotherapist, MSc, an experienced academic and researcher from the University of Toronto, Canada. The webinar highlighted the core principles of family-centred care, explored challenges and opportunities in diverse contexts, and provided practical strategies to enhance child and family outcomes through interdisciplinary collaboration.

Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS), DST–MAHE HUB

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
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Dr Anushree U (Research Scientist)
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Mr Pavan Kumar (Associate)

Brief About the Centre:
The "Medical Instruments Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS) DST-MAHE HUB" established at Manipal Academy of Higher Education, MAHE, Manipal, is a joint venture of the Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India, and Manipal Academy of Higher Education. The HUB is a regional Centre of western coastal academic institutions and industries. The Hub is specially meant for design, development, and limited manufacture of medical devices, equipment, and diagnostics, including ethical clearance, clinical trials, obtaining patents, and production of prototypes. The focus of MIDAS-DST-MAHE HUB is to develop prototypes, transfer technology to suitable industries and manufacture locally with necessary clearances and approvals, and reach the product to the market.

Vision:
A regional Hub at MAHE, for design, development, limited manufacturing, and marketing of medical equipment and devices

Mission:
- Provide a platform for individuals, institutions, and industry for the design and development of healthcare products.
- Create an ecosystem for multidisciplinary technical activities such as ideation, innovation, healthcare needs assessment, prototype development, and laboratory validation.

Objectives:
1. To assess the Technology Readiness Level (TRL) of existing R & D work in the West Coast region, with a view to ascertain the feasibility of enhancing the TRL to reach the level of 8 or 9, ready for use in healthcare.
2. To engage with entrepreneurs and MedTech start-ups and industries, to transform innovative ideas into market viable products by:
   a. A conducive ecosystem to innovate, incubate ideas, mentor, validate, accredit, and facilitate the manufacturing of medical devices and instruments.
   b. Mentoring start-ups to access financial and other support for marketing their products.
3. To strengthen and support the biomedical device regulatory process in the country, which is a statutory requirement of the Government of India, by:
   a. Evolving best practices and guidelines for biomedical device regulation and certification process for India.
   b. Training effective human resources to implement and execute regulatory norms of the highest standards.
4. To establish a state-of-the-art R & D Centre with facilities for designing, prototyping, and limited manufacturing of novel medical devices, instruments, and equipment.
5. To provide support for the Project investigators concerned with laboratory validation, animal experiments, ethical clearance, clinical trials, and intellectual property protection for limited manufacturing.
6. To provide allied services related to the manufacture of medical equipment, instruments, and devices, including calibration and technical maintenance.

7. To impart training for researchers who are willing to design, develop, and build prototypes of medical technology products that can be manufactured and marketed.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Workshop on "Patent Drafting for Medical Devices" 	A workshop on "Patent Drafting for Medical Devices" was organized by the Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS), DST–MAHE HUB on 17 Jan 2025 at the Board Room, MIDAS DST–MAHE HUB, MAHE, Manipal. The workshop witnessed enthusiastic participation, with over 32 delegates availing the opportunity to enhance their understanding of patent drafting in the medical device domain. The workshop was inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Manipal. In his inaugural address, he emphasized the importance of intellectual property protection in driving innovation and translating research outcomes into commercially viable medical technologies. The workshop primarily focused on the principles and practical aspects of patent drafting for medical devices. The sessions were conducted by distinguished resource persons, including Dr Joseph L Mathew, Coordinator, DST Hub, PGIMER Chandigarh; Adv Pranav Bhat, Intellectual Property Strategist, Lightspeed Photonics, Singapore, and Partner, Astraea Research, Manipal; and Dr S Varadharajan, Coordinator, Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer Office, MAHE, Manipal. Their expert insights and hands-on approach made the sessions highly engaging and informative. The workshop was successfully concluded with active participation from delegates representing KMC, MIT, DAMP, MCODS MLR, MSIS, MSLS, MCHP, MMMC, NITK, St Aloysius College, Mangalore, and SDM College of Ayurveda and Hospital, Udupi. Participants appreciated the practical guidance and interactive patent drafting exercises. Notably, 17 draft patent applications were submitted by the delegates during the workshop. Feedback received from participants indicated an excellent response, with 94% of delegates rating the workshop as well-organized, interactive, and highly effective.	17 Jan 2025
2	Workshop on "Design and Regulatory Pathways for the Approval of Medical Devices"	Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS) DST–MAHE HUB organized a one-day workshop on "Design and Regulatory Pathways for the Approval of Medical Devices" on 16 Jun 2025. The workshop was conducted for faculty members, research scholars, and entrepreneurs from Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, and other institutions across the west coast region of the country. The program aimed to create awareness and build	16 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		capacity in medical device design, regulatory requirements, and commercialization pathways. The inaugural ceremony was presided over by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, Manipal Academy of Higher Education. The workshop was formally inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Prof B Ravi, Director, National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Mangalore. The occasion was further graced by the Guest of Honour, Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Director, Manipal Institute of Technology and Dean, MCHP. The inaugural session also witnessed the presence of Dr G Arun Maiya, Principal Coordinator of the MIDAS DST-MAHE HUB, and Dr T Lazar Mathew, Senior Advisor, who emphasized the importance of regulatory compliance in medical device innovation. The workshop featured four expert sessions focusing on different aspects of medical device regulation. Dr Joseph L Mathew, Head, Pediatric Pulmonology and Principal Coordinator, DST-HUB, PGIMER, Chandigarh, delivered the first session on clinical testing and validation of innovative technologies. The second session by Dr Sudesh Sivarasu, Director, Biomedical Engineering Research Centre, University of Cape Town, South Africa, covered regulatory determinants in medical device design and development. Mr Vinayak Nandalike, Founder and CEO, Yostra Labs Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, discussed regulatory strategies for medical devices. The final session by Mr Janardhan Sarathi, Founder and CEO, Design Roots, Bengaluru, focused on additive manufacturing for the MedTech industry. The session included interactive discussions and case studies on medical device prototypes presented by participants. Overall, the workshop received highly positive feedback and was appreciated for its practical insights and expert guidance.	
3	Workshop on “Body Composition Parameters for Metabolic Health” 	The Centre for Excellence in Podiatry & Diabetic Foot Care and Research at Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE, in collaboration with the DST-supported MIDAS (Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services) HUB, successfully hosted a one-day national workshop titled “Body Composition Parameters for Metabolic Health” on Saturday, 26 Jul 2025. Body composition analysis, a critical tool in both clinical and wellness settings, helps assess fat mass, muscle mass, and hydration levels, offering valuable insights into metabolic risks and overall physiological status. The InBody device, a globally recognized solution based on bioelectrical impedance analysis (BIA), was showcased through live demonstrations, illustrating its precision and clinical utility in measuring segmental body composition parameters.	26 Jul 2025

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		Aimed at promoting excellence in industry-academia collaboration, as emphasized in MAHE's 2025 vision, the workshop featured a robust mix of theoretical and practical sessions focused on assessing body composition and its implications for metabolic health.	
4	Official Inaugural ceremony of "Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS), DST-MAHE HUB", MAHE, Manipal	Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), an Institution of Eminence Deemed to be University, in collaboration with the Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India, launched the *Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS) DST–MAHE HUB* on Wednesday, 05 Dec 2025, at the Manipal Campus, Karnataka. This is the first facility of its kind in a self-financed university. Inaugurating the DST-MAHE HUB in the MAHE Manipal campus, **Dr Praveen Roy, Head of Scientific Divisions Technology, Translation, and Innovation (TTI) Division, Department of Science and Technology, Government of India**, highlighted the critical importance of Translational innovation, which *plays a critical role in strengthening India's scientific ecosystem. He said, "We remain committed to supporting all activities of the MIDAS HUB. The DST–MAHE HUB is uniquely positioned, as MAHE's multidisciplinary foundation enables seamless integration across diverse domains. This initiative represents a paradigm shift in our approach to research and innovation, and the Government of India will extend its full support to ensure its success." He also commended MAHE for its strong research ecosystem, which continues to advance impactful scientific progress for society.* **Addressing the occasion, Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE,** highlighted MAHE's pivotal role in advancing collaborative, coordinated research and innovation. He emphasized, *"the institution's commitment to strengthening partnerships across academia, industry, and government, positioning MIDAS DST-MAHE HUB as a driving force for impactful scientific progress and societal benefit."* **Speaking at the event, Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, VSM (Retd), Vice Chancellor, MAHE,** *expressively spoke about "the HUB's pivotal role in nurturing high-impact research collaborations and cultivating future scientific leaders. He also appreciated the efforts put in by the team in establishing an excellent centre in the form of MIDAS HUB."* The ceremony brought together distinguished leaders from academia, industry, and government. Delivering the welcome address **Dr G Arun Maiya, Principal Coordinator of MIDAS HUB**, presented an overview of HUB's progress in medical device product development. **Dr Lazar Mathew, Senior Advisor, MIDAS HUB,** unveiled the HUB logo and explained its philosophy, built around the theme **"a project for a product."** The event was supported by MAHE's key	05 Dec 2025

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		innovation and research entities, including the Directorate of Research, Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator, Manipal Government of Karnataka, Bioincubator, Innovation Centre, and CAIF. During the event, MAHE launched the *Advanced Certificate Program in Medical Device Technology, Innovation, and Leadership* and released the MIDAS annual report. The HUB also introduced its industry-academia policy, service flyers, and signed multiple MoUs to foster long-term partnerships. Market-ready prototypes, including Laser Shoe, Mbilimeter, Armable Mini, WeCare, FluroAura, RevoCord, Wearable Electrolarynx, and Adrenaline Autoinjector, were showcased, reinforcing the HUB's focus on impactful, deployable innovations. The inauguration highlighted MAHE's commitment to accelerating innovation in medical technology, strengthening industry–academia collaborations, and supporting translational research. MIDAS HUB aims to serve the entire West Coast innovation corridor, from Goa to Trivandrum, through partnerships with IIT Dharwad, IIT Palakkad, NITK Surathkal, Kannur University, Mahatma Gandhi University, BITS Goa, and Many of the Universities located in Mangalore and surrounding regions and leading industry players, including BPL, Philips, InBody, and Sparsh Technologies.	

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS) DST–MAHE HUB 	Department of Science and Technology (DST)	PI: Dr G Arun Maiya, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	1,50,00,000	2024 - 2027
2	Clinical Evaluation of Hollow Microneedle Device for Painless Intradermal Vaccination	DST	PI: Dr Praveen Kumar Vemula Institute for Stem Cell Science and Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru and	80,91,870	2024 - 2027

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			Co PI: Dr Sanjeeva Rai B, Father Muller Research Centre, Mangalore		
3	**Smartphone device for bilirubin estimation in Neonates "mBilimeter".** 	DST	PI: Dr S Ruban St Aloysius College, Mangalore and Co PI: Dr Saritha Paul, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	32,76,678	2024 - 2026
4	**Development of an Adrenaline Auto Injector Prototype for Intramuscular Use in Serious Allergic Reactions.** 	DST	PI: Dr Sharnappa Joladarashi, NITK Surathkal, Mangalore and Co.PI: Dr Jaidev M Devdas, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore	48, 41,122	2024 - 2026
5	**Smart Bio-Compatible Membrane Sensor-Based Sanitary Pads for Autistic, Neonatal, and Bed-Ridden Patients** 	DST	PI: Dr Jijo Lukose, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	13,67.026	2024 - 2025

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
6	Development of Handheld LED-Based Optical Device for The Screening of Oral Malignancy	DST	PI: Dr Santhosh Chidangil Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	37,92,615	2024 - 2027
7	Home-Based Gamified, Intensive, And Functional Tele-Rehabilitation (HomeGIFT) Device to Improve Upper Limb Function Following Stroke.	DST	PI: Dr Senthil Kumaran D, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	22,14,035	2024 - 2026
8	Wearable Electrolarynx with Minimal Human Intervention.		PI: Dr Madhushankara M, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	18,96,557	2024 - 2025
9	Instrumented Objects for the Quantitative Assessment of Hand Function in Rehabilitation	DST	PI: Dr Somashekara Bhat, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	18,34,115	2024 - 2025

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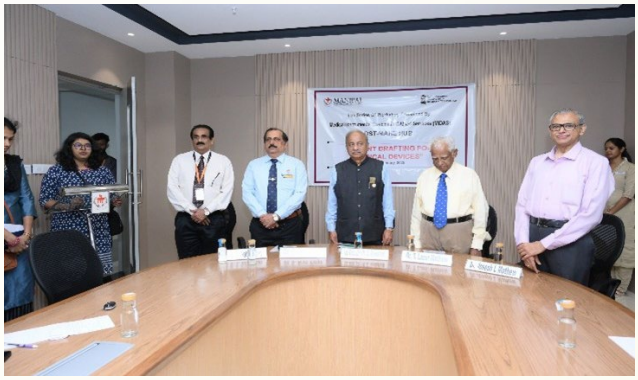

"Patent Drafting for Medical Devices" Workshop on 17 January 2025

Design and Regulatory Pathways for the Approval of Medical Devices" Workshop on 16.06.2025

Body Composition Parameters for Metabolic Health" Workshop on 26.07.2025

Official Inaugural ceremony of "Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS), DST-MAHE HUB" MAHE, Manipal on 05.12.2025

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Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

- Masters of Physiotherapy
- MSc Clinical Psychology
- MSc Cardiovascular Technology
- MSc Renal Replacement therapy and Dialysis technology
- MSc Genomic counselling

About the Institution/School

The Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, was established in 1999 as the first institution in India exclusively dedicated to the education of allied health professionals. The school envisions training healthcare professionals who can create a difference in the quality of life of individuals, both physically and mentally. The seeds of Manipal Hospital's origin were sown as early as 1953 when the founder of the Manipal Education and Medical Group (MEMG), Dr TMA Pai, established the Kasturba Medical College in Manipal, Karnataka. Manipal Hospitals as an entity came into existence in 1991 with the launch of our 650-bed flagship hospital at Old Airport Road, Bangalore. Today, Manipal Hospitals is one of India's leading healthcare groups, with over 10500 beds across 37 hospitals.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Department of Genetics			
1	Cancer awareness SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being,	Students, along with the MBH old airport road has conducted awareness session for breast and ovarian cancer patients. The session focused on prognosis and management.	20 Oct 2025
Department of Psychology			
1	Valentine's Day Program Hosted at APD- Jeevan Bhima Nagar	This event was hosted on 14 Feb 2025, Valentine's Day, by the 1st year MSc Clinical Psychology students, namely Ms Esha Karthi Raj, Ms Spandana Rao, Mr Darsan Ranjit, Ms Saanya Rajendra, Ms Ananaya Hariprasad, and Ms Inisha Gupta. This event was conducted at the Association for People with Disabilities (APD), Jeevan Bhima Nagar, in collaboration with the Department of Psychology at APD, lasting from 11:00 to 13:00. As part of this event, the beneficiaries and their caregivers were given a short seminar about the importance of maintaining social relationships and building meaningful connections. Then they were given the option to get matching acrylic paint tattoos with their caregivers in accordance with the theme of the day, while they were split into groups of 4-5 to encourage interaction between the beneficiaries. Then, they were given the opportunity to express gratitude and love for one another by giving each other flowers, which encouraged further interaction between all beneficiaries	14 Feb 2025

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		and caregivers. The event was concluded with a short feedback session and final feelings and thoughts of the caregivers and beneficiaries.	
2	Human Library SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being	On 22 Feb 2025, along with Manipal Hospitals, MCHP BLR clinical Psychology students and staff participated in an event named Human Library – where the books share their personal journey and experience to inspire the readers	22 Feb 2025
3	Manomitra conducted in Manipal Hospital-Old Airport Road SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being	As part of Manomitra, an initiative under Continued Nurse Education, we conducted a psychoeducation session at Manipal Hospital to address the mental health challenges faced by nurses. The session focused on understanding and managing secondary traumatic stress (STS), a condition resulting from prolonged exposure to patients' suffering. We discussed the causes, symptoms, and consequences of STS, including emotional exhaustion, anxiety, burnout, and its impact on professional well-being. We psychoeducated the nurses about the meaning of resilience and its importance. To promote resilience, we introduced practical coping strategies such as box breathing, the 5-4-3-2-1 grounding technique, emotional regulation and SMART goal setting.	10 Mar 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
12	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
4	3	9	1

Awards/Recognitions:
Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Department of Cardiology			
1	Poster presentation	Mr Stanley and Ms Anu, students of the 2nd year CCIT, secured the second and first prizes, respectively, in the poster presentation competition held during the 16th Manipal Cardiology Update in association with the Indian Academy of Echocardiography, conducted at the Manipal campus on 16 Nov 2025.	16 Nov 2025

Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (Physiotherapy)

1	Inter-college swimming competition	A second-year student from MPT Mr Brijesh has won 4 medals (3 gold and 1 silver) in inter college swimming competition at MAHE Manipal. Three gold medals in 100 m backstroke, 100 m individual medley, 200 m freestyle, and 1 silver medal in 50 m backstroke.	29 Sep 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities

Cultural Activities

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (Physiotherapy)			
1	Intercollege Swimming Competition	Mr Brijesh, a second-year MPT student, won three gold medals in backstroke, individual medley, and freestyle, as well as a second prize in backstroke, at the inter-college swimming competition held on 29 and 30 Sep 2025 at MAHE, Manipal.	29 Sep 2025

Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru

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Name of the Dean: Dr Jyothi Prasanna S
Established: 2007

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- MSc Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology
- MSc (Research) in Translational Neuroscience
- MSc (Research) in Translational Immunology
- Advanced Post Graduate Diploma in Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology
- PhD Regenerative Medicine

About the Institution/School:

Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine (MIRM) was established in 2007 to generate a trained workforce to cater to the emerging field of Stem Cell Technology. Over the years, MIRM has emerged as an organization amalgamating a strong classroom and laboratory based postgraduate teaching program with an excellent doctoral and postdoctoral research program in Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology. MIRM has good infrastructure for conducting advanced research in the field, using funds from MAHE. MIRM has revised the syllabus for postgraduate students, and the new syllabus has significantly higher content on research project-based education. The field of Tissue Engineering has been included in the curriculum for the first time. MIRM faculty members have broad, interdisciplinary expertise to teach and conduct research in the fields of Developmental Biology, Human Disease Modelling, Neurobiology, Cancer Biology, Immunology, and Tissue Engineering. Postgraduate students are mentored by faculty members on a one-to-one basis to either take up a challenging job in the healthcare sector or pursue further research interests within MIRM (Dr TMA Pai Fellowship PhD Program) or other institutes of national and international repute. The curriculum and grading system of MIRM are recognized by most reputed universities across the globe.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	National Science Day Celebration Program	MIRM organized a National Science Day celebration program on 28 February 2025, at MAHE, Bengaluru. The event was attended by eminent Scientists and about 200 students. Professor P N Rangarajan, IISc, Bengaluru, delivered the keynote address and shared his research contributions. Additionally, faculty members and doctoral scholars from MIRM presented their research findings. MIRM newsletter-Rejuven was released by the distinguished guests during the program.	28 Feb 2025
2	Meritorious and Best Outgoing Student Awards Presentation	The Meritorious Student Awards were presented to PG students (2023 Batch) - Ms Ragavi R, MSc Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology and Ms Neetu M, MSc (Research) in Translational Neuroscience during the National Science Day Celebrations Program held at MAHE, Bengaluru.	28 Feb 2025
3	Workshop on 'Isolation and Characterization of Mouse Embryonic Stem Cells'	MIRM in association with the Division of Reproductive Biology, KMC, Manipal hosted a workshop on 'Isolation and Characterization of Mouse Embryonic Stem Cells' at KMC Manipal. Resource persons - Dr Susana Chuva de Sousa Lopes from Leiden University Medical Center, The Netherlands, Dr Bernard Roelen from Utrecht University, The Netherlands, Dr Chandra Shekar P from CCMB Hyderabad and Dr Anujith Kumar from MIRM, Bengaluru conducted the workshop.	06 - 07 Mar 2025
4	Industrial Field Visit	A one-day industrial field visit to Biocon Research Centre, Bengaluru, was organized by MIRM for MSc by Research in Translational Immunology students.	30 Apr 2025
5	Microscopy Training Program	MIRM conducted the one-day training session on Microscopy for the staff and children of the SKRS High School, Mittur, Kolar District, Karnataka at the Stem Cell Cytometry and Imaging Lab at MIRM.	14 May 2025
6	Academic Field Visit to NIMHANS Bengaluru	MIRM and NIMHANS Bengaluru	18May 2025
7	MOU between MAHE, MIRM and Zumutor Biologics Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru	Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered into between Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal Institute of Regenerative Medicine, Bengaluru, and Zumutor Biologics Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru for Industry-Academia collaboration for research and training. Dr Kavitha Iyer Rodrigues, Founder and CEO, Zumutor Biologics Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, Dr Raghavendra Prabhu P, Additional Registrar, MAHE, Bengaluru and Dr Jyothi Prasanna S, Professor and Dean, MIRM, Bengaluru were present during the exchange of the MOU program.	10 Dec 2025
8	Academic Field Visit to IISc Bengaluru	MIRM and IISc Bengaluru	17Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Udai Pandey, Professor	Pittsburgh University, USA	Guest Lecture on "Identifying Hidden GEMs in Neurological Diseases"	21 Jan 2025
2	Dr Varun Saxena, National Research Fellow	Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru	Guest Lectures delivered for PG students on Biomaterials and Tissue Engineering.	04 - 12 Feb 2025
3	Prof Santosh Kumar Kar, Retd Professor	School of Biotechnology, JNU, New Delhi	Guest Lectures were handled for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	05 - 08 Feb 2025
4	Prof Martin Lowe, Professor	Division of Molecular and Cellular Function, University of Manchester, UK	Guest Lecture on “Understanding the mechanisms underlying secretory trafficking and immune receptor signaling”.	25 Mar 2025
5	Dr Dhananjay Chaturvedi, Senior Scientist	CCMB Hyderabad	Guest Lecture on “Muscle Repair and Homeostasis: Looking for Insights from Drosophila”.	27 Mar 2025
6	Dr Vaishali Aggarwal, Sr Postdoctoral Associate	Department of Immunology, School of Medicine, University of Pittsburgh, USA	Guest Lecture on “Interferon? derived from LAG3+exhausted T cells maintain exhaustion within tumor micro-environment and memory recall response”.	15 Apr 2025
7	Dr Pavan Agrawal, Associate Professor	Centre for Molecular Neurosciences, KMC, Manipal	Guest Lecture on DANCE of Solitary Flies, a Low-Cost ML Toolkit to Decode Social Stress in Flies.	09 May 2025
8	Dr Abrar Rizvi, Research Scientist	School of Bioscience, Chanakya University, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture on “Innovative Therapeutics Against Fibrotic Diseases”	08 Aug 2025
9	Dr Rajendra Kurapati, Assistant Professor	School of Chemistry, IISER Thiruvananthapuram	Guest lecture on “Interaction of Nanomaterials with Immune Cells: Biodegradation and Immune Modulation”	22 Aug 2025
10	Dr Adwait Joshi, Scientist	NCBS, Bengaluru	Guest Lectures delivered for Stem Cell Technology, Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	08 - 16 Sep 2025
11	Dr Gajanan Arbade, Grants Manager	Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar, Gujarat	Guest lecture on “Research and Grants Opportunities for the Research Scholars”.	08 Sep 2025
12	Prof Anita Mahadevan, Professor and Head	Department of Neuropathology, NIMHANS, Bengaluru.	Guest Lecture delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	17 Oct 2025
13	Prof Manjunath, Associate Professor	Department of Neurovirology, NIMHANS, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	23 Oct 2025
14	Dr U D Kumaresan, Research Scientist	Human Molecular Genetics Lab (HMG-Lab), Molecular Biology and Genetics Unit (MBGU), Jawaharlal Nehru Center for Advanced Scientific	Guest Lecture delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	30 Oct 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
		Research (JNCASR), Jakkur, Bengaluru.		
15	Dr Kaviraja Udupa, Professor	Department of Neurophysiology, National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru.	Guest Lectures delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	05 - 06 Nov 2025
16	Dr Dasaradhi Palakodeti, Professor	Instem, NCBS, Bengaluru	Guest Lectures delivered for Stem Cell Technology, Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	06 - 07 Nov 2025
17	Dr Kushagra Bansal, Associate Professor	Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR)	Guest Lectures delivered for Stem Cell Technology, Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	06 - 11 Nov 2025
18	Dr Preeti Hedge, Assistant Professor	Department of Physiology, K S Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore.	Guest Lecture delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	19 Nov 2025
19	Dr Arun Sasidharan, Scientist	Department of Neurophysiology, NIMHANS, Bengaluru.	Guest Lectures delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	20 - 21 Nov 2025
20	Dr Rahul Venugopal, Senior Scientist	Department of Neurophysiology, NIMHANS, Bengaluru.	Guest Lecture delivered for Translational Immunology and Translational Neuroscience students.	27 Nov 2025
21	Dr Dipankar Nandi, Professor	Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru	Guest lecture delivered on Sepsis for Translational Immunology students	01 Dec 2025
22	Dr Kavitha Iyer Rodrigues, Founder and CEO	Zumutor Biologics Pvt. Ltd., Bengaluru	Guest Lecture on "Unlocking Novel Immuno-Oncology targets: INABLR and the pathway to FIRST-in-Class Molecules"	10 Dec 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
22	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
4	7	15	9

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National
Workshop	2
Seminar	2

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date
1	Efferocytosis in cellular components of the bone functional unit in Diabetes	Dr Jyothi Prasanna S, Professor and Dean, MIRM; Co-PI: Dr Anujith Kumar K V, Professor, MIRM	Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, New Delhi	17,20,307.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
2	Exploring the therapeutic potential of metformin and acarbose co-administration strategy on improving the functional competence of oocyte, embryo development and fetal development in experimentally induced PCOS and type II diabetes	Dr Anujith Kumar K V, Professor, MIRM; Co-PI: Dr Guruprasad Kalthur, KMC, Manipal	Indian Council of Medical Research, Government of India, New Delhi	9,65,087.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
3	Novel 3D printed biomaterials based on acellular matrices derived from cultured cells for neuronal differentiation and uterine tissue regeneration.	Dr Manasa Nune, Associate Professor, MIRM	Science and Engineering Research Board, Government of India, New Delhi	6,00,000.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
4	Decoding patho-mechanisms underlying vascular defects in ACDC disease using vascular organoids developed from patients-derived iPSCs	Dr Jyothi Prasanna S, Professor and Dean, MIRM	Indian Council of Medical Research, Government of India, New Delhi	67,66,595.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Elucidation of early cardiac valve malformations in Turner Syndrome using iPSC models	Dr Shagufta Praveen, Associate Professor, MIRM	Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, New Delhi	4,20,437.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
6	Discerning the role and underlying mechanism of Zinc finger transcription factor of cerebellum 3 (ZIC3) in dopaminergic neural fate specification	Dr Anujith Kumar K V, Professor, MIRM	Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, New Delhi	16,44,258.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
7	Tunneling nanotubes in rescuting of neurodegenerative toxic burdens by facilitating glial crosstalk through cell-to cell transfer and its role in reversal of senescence	Dr Sangeeta Nath, Associate Professor Research, MIRM; Co-PI: Dr Anujith Kumar K V, Professor, MIRM	Indian Council of Medical Research, Government of India, New Delhi.	3,994,231.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
8	Evaluating deubiquitinases as the newer mode of rescue of hyperlipidemia laden pancreatic B-cells	Dr Meenal Francis, Assistant Professor, MIRM; Co-PI: Dr Shagufta Parveen, Associate Professor, MIRM	Indian Council of Medical Research, Government of India, New Delhi	11,05,440.00	01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025
9	Identifying and exploring the key deubiquitinase enzyme that facilitates the	Dr Anujith Kumar K V, Professor, MIRM; Co-PI:	Indian Council of Medical	19,39,502.00	01 Jan

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	generation of matured insulin producing B-cells from human IPSCs	Dr Guruprasad Kalthur, KMC, Manipal and Dr Jyothi Prasanna S, Professor and Dean, MIRM	Research, Government of India, New Delhi		2025 to 31 Dec 2025
10	Study to Evaluate the Disease modifying potential of intranasal Administration of Dental Pulp Sem Cells Exosomes in and Animal Model of Temporal Lobe Epilepsy	Dr Anandh D, Professor, MIRM	Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, New Delhi	12,88,480.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
Fellowship					
11	DST Inspire fellowship for student pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) Program	Ms Maya L, PhD Scholar and JRF, MIRM (Guide: Dr Manasa Nune, Associate Professor, MIRM)	Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, New Delhi.	5,77,200.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
12	DST Inspire fellowship for student pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) program	Ms Maya L, PhD Scholar (Guide: Dr Manasa Nune, Associate Professor, MIRM)	Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, New Delhi.	19,095.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
13	Understanding the stability of PITX3 regulated by Proteasomal system in the end stage differentiation of dopaminergic neurons	Ms Shreetama Benerjee, PhD Scholar and DST WISE KIRAN Fellow, MIRM (Guide: Dr Anujith Kumar K V, Professor, MIRM)	Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, New Delhi	1,87,960.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
14	Understanding the role of the RNA binding proteins, G3BPs in cellular homeostasis	Mr Mithun Aich, PhD Scholar and JRF (Guide: Dr Amanjot Singh, Assistant Professor (DBT WTIA Fellowship), MIRM	Regional Centre for Biotechnology, Faridabad	8,44,522.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
15	Inter-organ communication in response to wounding	Dr Sveta Chakrabarti, Assistant Professor (DBT WTIA Fellowship), MIRM	DBT Wellcome Trust India Alliance, New Delhi	2,602,069.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
16	Chaperoned control of Cellular homeostasis in stress and proteinopathies	Dr Amanjot Singh, Assistant Professor (DBT WTIA Fellow), MIRM	DBT Wellcome Trust India Alliance, New Delhi	53,81,243.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
17	DBT-JRF Programme in Biotechnology and Applied Biology	Dr Chandanala Shashank (Guide Dr Jyothi Prasanna S, Professor and Dean, MIRM	Biotech Consortium India Limited, New Delhi	7,83,105.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date
					Dec 2025
18	In depth evaluation of Mesenchymal stem cells from Oral precancerous Lesions and OSCCs towards development of novel treatment strategies aimed at manipulating the stromal networks in the tumorigenic niche	Dr Vineetha Christopher, PhD Scholar and Research Associate (Guide: Dr Jyothi Prasanna S, Professor and Dean, MIRM	Indian Council of Medical Research, Government of India, New Delhi	75,400.00	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A METHOD FOR DISTINGUISHING CELL MIGRATION FROM PROLIFERATION USING A HYDROGEL MODEL - Provisional Indian Patent filed by Ms Ashitha Mariam Leslie and Dr Manasa Nune, Application Number 202541077440	14 Aug 2025
2	A COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR BIOPRINTING GENIPIN-CROSSLINKED HEPATIC HYDROGEL SCAFFOLDS - Provisional Indian Patent filed by Ms Supriya Bhatt and Dr Manasa Nune, Application Number 202541124348	09 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Sveta Chakrabarti, Assistant Professor, DBT Wellcome Trust India Alliance Fellow	Selected as a member of the Partnership of Women for Equity in Research in Biology (POWER Bio) Group.	03 Oct 2025
2	Dr Manasa Nune, Associate Professor	Young Scientist Award conferred at the Indo-Taiwan International Conference on Biomaterials and Health Care-'BioHeal 2025' held at IIT Roorkee.	27 Oct 2025
3	Dr Sangeeta Nath, Associate Professor Research	Honoured with the MAHE Research Award for Grant Excellence during the Annual Research Day Ceremony at Dr TMA Pai Hall, KMC, Manipal.	24 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Akshaya Ashok, PhD Scholar	Honoured as an All-India finalist and third-place cash prize winner at SARANSH-PhD Thesis Competition, organized by the Indian National Young Academy of Sciences (INYAS) and sponsored by Springer Nature.	21 Jan 2025
2	Ms Abinaya R, PhD Scholar	Awarded the Best Poster Award at the Manipal Research Colloquium 2025, held at MAHE, Manipal.	30 Apr 2025
3	Ms Maya Lakshmanan, PhD Scholar	DST-INSPIRE Fellowship Award received from the Department of Science and Technology, GoI, New Delhi.	21 May 2025
4	Dr Nasera Rizwana, PhD Scholar	Senior Research Fellowship (SRF) Award 2025 received from CSIR, Government of India, New Delhi.	01 Aug 2025
5	Ms Varuni Nagesh, Junior Research Fellow	Conferred the Best Poster Award at Immunometabolism in Tissue Homeostasis, Infections, and Sterile Inflammation symposium held at Manipal School of Life Sciences, MAHE, Manipal.	06 Sep 2025
6	Ms Ankita Pai B H, PhD Scholar	Fellowship awarded from the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, New Delhi.	11 Sep 2025
7	Ms. Ayona Gupta	Senior Research Fellowship (SRF) Award 2025 received from CSIR, Government of India, New Delhi	11 July 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities

Sports Activities

In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	MIRM Annual Sports Meet-2025	MIRM Annual Sports Meet-2025 was conducted for Students, Faculty and Staff Members of MIRM, Bengaluru at MAB Campus and MAHE Bengaluru Campus on 03 and 04 November 2025.	03 Nov 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	Intercollegiate Volleyball Tournament (Men) and Throw Ball Tournament (Women)	MSc students participated in the Intercollegiate Volleyball Tournament (Men) and Throw Ball Tournament (Women) held at the MAHE Bengaluru campus.	04 Feb 2025
2	Intercollegiate Cricket Tournament	MSc students - Mr Vivek A, Mr Ashish Chindhure, Mr Prakhyath Hegde, Mr Santhosh R, and Mr Balaji K participated in the Intercollegiate Cricket Tournament held at the MAHE Bengaluru campus and won the runners up award.	22 Mar 2025
3	Intercollegiate Athletics and Tug of War	MSc students - Ms Kavya Yadawad, Ms Navami, Mr Vivek A, Mr Ashish Chinchure, Mr Prakhyath Hegde and Mr Santhosh R	08 Apr 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
		participated in the Intercollegiate Athletics and Tug of War Events held at the MAHE Bengaluru campus.	
4	Intercollegiate Athletics Meet - 2025	MSc students - Mr Aashish A Chinchure and Ms Kavya Yadawad participated in the Intercollegiate Athletics Meet-2025 held at the MAHE Bengaluru campus and won awards.	08 Apr 2025
5	Intercollegiate Badminton Tournament	MSc students - Ms Gargi, Mr Anirudh Sreekantham, Mr Anurag, Mr Aaditya, Mr Vidhya Shagar, and Mr Aromal Pillai participated in the Intercollegiate Badminton Tournament held at the MAHE Bengaluru campus.	02 Sep 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	Cultural Program	PG and PhD students organized a cultural program during the Celebration of National Science Day program held at MAHE, Bengaluru.	28 Feb 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	RUBARU-2025	PG and PhD students participated in the Inter-Institutional Cultural Event-RUBARU 2025 and won Runner Up Champion Award along with several prizes.	19 Feb 2025
2	UTSAV-2025	PG students participated in the UTSAV-2025 cultural event organized by the MAHE Cultural Coordination Committee held at the MAHE Manipal campus and won prizes.	24 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important events

National Science Day Program Participants.

Special guest lecture by Dr P N Rangarajan during the National Science Day Celebration.

Cultural program presented during the Celebration of Republic Day.

Guest Lecture by Dr Vaishali Aggarwal

Inaugural Ceremony of National Science Day Program

Merit Award presented to Ms Ragavi R, MSc Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology (2023 Batch)

Merit award presented to Ms Muthuchezhian Nithya Shree, MSc Stem Cell Technology and Regenerative Biology (2023 Batch)

MOU with Zumutor Biologics Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru for industry-academia collaboration.

MIRM received best parade contingent award during Republic Day Celebration program at MAHE Bengaluru

MSc Graduates-2023 Batch

Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal

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Name of the Director: Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay
Established: 2010

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

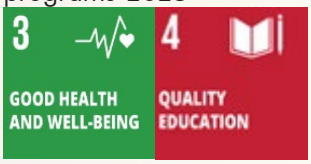
- MSc Clinical Virology
- Doctor of Philosophy (Virology)

About the Institution/School

Manipal Institute of Virology (MIV), a constituent unit of MAHE, is a premier diagnostic, research, and academic institute. It features state-of-the-art infrastructure and biosafety facilities designed to conduct a myriad of projects on infectious diseases. MIV is an ICMR Collaborating Center of Excellence (ICMR-CCoE), a prestigious designation aimed at fostering a sustainable, collaborative ecosystem for multidisciplinary biomedical research in India. As an NABL-accredited laboratory (ISO 15189:2022), MIV signifies the highest quality and competence in medical testing. It is currently the only virus diagnostic laboratory in India with such an extensive range of serological and molecular tests within its scope. MIV is recognized as a Centre of Excellence by the Global Virus Network (GVN) and is a key partner in the WHO Global Outbreak Alert and Response Network (GOARN). Further accolades include its recognition as the NCVBDC Apex Referral Laboratory for Arboviral Diseases (MoHFW, Government of India). Historically, MIV served as a Grade-I Virus Research and Diagnostic Laboratory under ICMR (2010–2019) and a Regional Reference Laboratory for Influenza Virus (2009–2021). It stands as one of the country's first virology diagnostic laboratories established under a Public-Private Partnership (PPP) and is among the few national institutes offering specialized academic programs in the field. MIV provides cutting-edge diagnostic facilities for viral diseases while supporting public health services in disease surveillance and outbreak response, thereby contributing to global health security. The institute conducts research across basic and applied virology, epidemiology, diagnostics, vaccines, and therapeutics. Academically, MIV offers two unique programs: a two-year MSc in Clinical Virology and a three-year PhD in Virology. Additionally, it provides skill-based training and a one-month certificate course in Clinical and Diagnostic Virology for MD Microbiology trainees. As a leading Indian institute, MIV provides a platform for in-depth, cross-cutting research into Influenza, Herpes

Simplex, Enteroviruses, Human Papillomavirus (HPV), and Neglected Tropical Diseases. Research efforts focus on improving clinical diagnosis, infectious disease surveillance (including Hepatitis, Chikungunya, Dengue, and Cervical Cancer), and the molecular epidemiology of emerging viral diseases. Current thrust areas include developing alternative treatment modalities, antiviral testing platforms, immunological profiling, and the innovation of diagnostic kits. MIV actively engages in collaborative research projects funded by esteemed organizations such as DBT-BIRAC, DST-SERB, ICMR, and CCRH.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Introduction of New Virological Testing Panels	MIV Introduction of New Virological Testing Panels with a lower rate as part of our virological testing services to various hospitals	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
2	Involvement of Technicians in Research Activities	MIV has implemented a new policy under which two dedicated technicians will be assigned to each faculty member to support research activities. Furthermore, these technicians will be recognized as co-authors on all publications resulting from the research projects to which they contribute	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
3	Virology skill-based training programs-2025 	MIV conducted a series of skill-based training programs covering cell culture, virus isolation, entomology, and molecular diagnostic techniques. These programs were designed for a diverse audience, including undergraduate and postgraduate medical students, interns, life sciences students, PhD and MD scholars, postdoctoral researchers, research staff, and junior to mid-level faculty from medical and basic science colleges	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
4	Certificate course in clinical and diagnostic virology	MIV successfully conducted a one-month certificate course in Clinical and Diagnostic Virology in September 2025. This program was designed for Postgraduate (MD) Microbiology students and faculty, as well as individuals with MDs in Microbiology, Medicine, or other relevant clinical specialties, DM degrees in Infectious Diseases, and foreign medical graduates.	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
5	Weekly Seminar Series by Laboratory Technician	MIV has initiated a weekly seminar series on laboratory practices, led by laboratory technicians.	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Pathway to PhD in MSc Clinical Virology Program	MIV introduced the Pathway to PhD Option in the MSc Clinical Virology Program for the Academic year 2024-2025 onwards, according to MAHE's Guidelines	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Ingo Schiess	University of Manchester	As part of the university visit (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	18 Feb 2025
2	Dr Padma MR	State surveillance unit, Bengaluru	Visited as a guest during the MIV annual day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	25 Feb 2025
3	Dr Sutapa B Neogi	International Institute of Health Management Research, New Delhi	Visited as a guest during MIV annual day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	25 Feb 2025
4	Dr Roli Mathur	Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Uttar Pradesh	As part of the university visit (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	25 Feb 2025
5	Dr Naveen Kumar	ICMR-National Institute of Virology, Pune	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
6	Dr Siddappa Byrareddy	University of Nebraska, Medical Center, USA	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
7	Dr Chaitra Rao	Indiana University, Bloomington, USA	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
8	Dr Rithu Paul Stansilaus	University of Strasbourg, France	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
9	Dr Sreekumar E	Institute of Advanced Virology (IAV), Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
10	Dr Kavitha Rani B	Veterinary College, Shivamogga, Karnataka	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
11	Dr Sweety Samal	Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
12	Dr Sutapa Bandyopadhyay Neogi	International Institute of Health Management Research (IIHMR), New Delhi	Delivered a guest lecture at MIV during the Annual Day 2025 (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	26 Feb 2025
13	Dr Anoop Velayudhan	ICMR, New Delhi	As part of the university visit (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	28 Apr 2025
14	Dr Shridhar Narayanan	Foundation for Neglected Disease Research (FNDR), Bengaluru	Visited MIV and delivered a guest lecture (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	30 Apr 2025
15	Dr DKK Vamsi	Centre for Excellence in Mathematical Biology (CEMB), Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning (SSSIHL), Andhra Pradesh	Visited MIV and delivered a guest lecture (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	18 Jun 2025
16	Dr Arvind Ramanathan	Enable Biolabs India Private Limited, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Visited MIV and delivered a guest lecture (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	19 Jul 2025
17	Dr Kavita Singh	Drugs for Neglected Diseases initiative (DNDi), New Delhi	Visited MIV and delivered a guest lecture during the Orientation Program of the MSc Clinical Virology Course (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	01 Aug 2025
18	Dr Shwetha Shivaprasad	Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research, Bangalore	Visited MIV and delivered a guest lecture. (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	06 Aug 2025
19	Dr Manjunatha MV	NIMHANS, Bengaluru	Delivered a guest lecture during the certificate course in Clinical and Diagnostic Virology held at MIV (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	04 Sep 2025
20	Dr Tanveer Rehman	ICMR-Regional Medical Research Centre, Bhubaneswar	Delivered a guest lecture during the certificate course in Clinical and Diagnostic Virology held at MIV (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	09 Sep 2025
21	Dr Ashwini M A	NIMHANS, Bengaluru	Delivered a guest lecture during the certificate course in Clinical and Diagnostic Virology held at MIV (SDG3, SDG4, SDG17)	13 Sep 2025
22	Dr Kaushik Subhash	Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy, Ministry of Ayush, Government of India, New Delhi	Visited MIV as a guest for the Biosafety and Outbreak Simulation Training Program. (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	06 and 07 Oct 2025
23	Dr K C Muraleedharan	Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH), Ministry of Ayush, Government of India, New Delhi	Visited MIV as a guest for the Biosafety and Outbreak Simulation Training Program (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	06 and 07 Oct 2025
24	Dr Victoria Brookes	The University of Sydney	Visited MIV and delivered a guest lecture on One Health. (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	11 Nov 2025
25	Prof Henry Falk	Emory University, Georgia	As part of the university visit (SDG 3, SDG 4, SDG 17)	02 Dec 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
17	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
0	13	0	1

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National
Workshop	4
Seminar	8

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Translational Research Consortia TRC for Chikungunya Virus	Dr Anitha J	DBT-BIRAC	3,558,000	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
2	Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV): Burden estimation and the development of a monoclonal antibody-based point-of-care diagnostic	Mr Anup Jayaram	ICMR, Government of India	295,628	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
3	Biosafety and Outbreak Simulation Training Program	Dr Sreekanth Gopinathan Pilla	CCRH, Ministry of Ayush, Government of India	1,604,879	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
4	Antiviral gene expression profiling of samples from the Immunology RCT using a real-time PCR array system	Dr Sreekanth Gopinathan Pillai	CCRH, Ministry of Ayush, Government of India	1,320,000	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025
5	A pilot retrospective study to understand the symptomatology and viral variations in Kyasanur Forest Disease Virus (KFDV) infection and to further identify possible homoeopathic therapeutics/ prophylactics to combat KFDV in India	Dr Sreekanth Gopinathan Pillai	CCRH, Ministry of Ayush, Government of India	4,877,640.00	01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025
6	Design and Evaluation of a Multiplex Beaded Serological Assay for Differential Diagnosis of Japanese Encephalitis and West Nile Virus Infection	Dr Anitha J	ICMR, Government of India	673,167.00	01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025
7	ClimaTickNet: Mapping the spatial and temporal networks of climatic factors influencing Ixodid tick abundance and tick-borne pathogens in the Western Ghats, India	Dr Chiranjay Mukhopadhyay	DBT-BIRAC	1,448,550.00	01 Jan 2025 to 31 Dec 2025

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A Method for Predicting Chikungunya Chronicity Using Cytokine Biomarkers	31 May 2025
2	Saliva-Based Lateral Flow Assay for Dual Biomarker Analysis, And Methods Thereof	09 Jun 2025
3	A Method for Predicting severity in Kyasanur Forest disease using cytokine biomarkers	05 Jul 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	NCVBDC Apex Referral Laboratory for Arboviruses	MIV is an Apex Referral Laboratory for Arboviruses under the NCVBDC, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India	31 Dec 2025
2	ICMR Collaborating Centre of Excellence (ICMR-CCoE)	MIV is an ICMR Collaborating Center of Excellence (ICMRCCoE), a prestigious designation aimed at fostering a sustainable and collaborative ecosystem for multidisciplinary biomedical research in India	31 Dec 2025
3	NABL-accredited laboratory in accordance with ISO 15189:2012	MIV is a NABL-accredited laboratory in accordance with ISO 15189:2012, signifying quality and competence in medical testing facilities.	31 Dec 2025
4	Partner in the WHO global outbreak alert and response network (GOARN)	MIV is a Centre of Excellence recognized by the Global Virus Network (GVN) and a partner in the WHO Global Outbreak Alert and Response Network (GOARN).	31 Dec 2025
5	ISO Certification	MIV received ISO 9001-2015, 14001-2015 certification for providing educational services leading to a master's degree and doctoral degree in Virology, diagnostic services, viral diseases surveillance, and research activity	31 Dec 2025
6	Centre of Excellence-Global Virus Network (GVN)	MIV is a Centre of Excellence recognized by the Global Virus Network. The Global Virus Network (GVN) works to raise awareness and mobilize resources on critical needs in medical virology.	31 Dec 2025
7	ISO 14001-2015 Certification	MIV received ISO 14001-2015 certification for providing educational services leading to a master's degree and doctoral degree in Virology, Diagnostic services, Viral Diseases surveillance, and research activity	31 Dec 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Sreekanth Gopinathan Pillai	Dr Sreekanth Gopinathan Pillai selected for Young Investigators Meeting 2025 (YIM 2025) jointly organized by the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India, and India Biosciences (NCBS)	07 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
2	Mr Anup Jayaram	Mr Anup Jayaram won the Best Oral Presentation Award at the 2nd International Conference on 'One Health' 2025 at Kerala Institute of Local Administration, Mulamkunnathukavu, Thrissur, Kerala	02 Nov 2025
3	Dr Amrita Pattanaik	Dr Amrita Pattanaik was awarded "Best Oral Presentation" (One Health category) at VIROCON 2025, the annual conference of the Indian Virological Society, held at ICMR-National Institute of Virology (ICMR-NIV), Pune.	10 Nov 2025
4	Dr Anitha J	Dr Anitha J got an Award for Research Excellence (Government Grant) for the year 2024 under the Faculty of Health Sciences, MAHE	24 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Aysha swaliha	Aysha Swaliha won a prize in the Kannada Poetry competition in MAHE Utsav 2025	28 Mar 2025
2	Ms Asmita B	Ms Asmita B, MSc Clinical Virology student, received L'ORÉAL India for Young Women in Science Scholarships 2024-2025 for PG and PhD Students	30 Jun 2025
3	Ms Praisy Anna John	Ms Praisy Anna John won 2nd prize in the scientific paper presentation competition at Manipal Quest 2.0 (MAHE Inter-Health Sciences National Postgraduate Research Conference)	21 Sep 2025
4	Mr Arjun M Menon	Mr Arjun M Menon, PhD Scholar, MIV, received a "Travel Grant" to attend the HCV-Flavi 2025 Conference on 13 to 16 Oct 2025 at Duke-NUS Medical School, Singapore	16 Oct 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MAHE Annual Sports Meet 2025	MIV won a total of 22 medals (6 Gold, 7 Silver, and 9 Bronze) during the MAHE Staff Athletics Competition 2024-2025, organized by MAHE in March 2025	25 Mar 2025
2	Intra MAHE TD Tournament 2024-2025	MIV won a total of 43 medals (17 Gold, 13 Silver, and 13 Bronze) in the Intra MAHE TD Tournament 2024-25, organized by MAHE	01 Apr 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Onam Celebration	MIV celebrated Onam, followed by various cultural programs performed by staff and students of MIV	30 Aug 2025
2	Deepawali Celebration	MIV celebrated Deepawali, followed by various cultural programs performed by staff and students of MIV	17 Oct 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Staff Ustav	MIV participated in the staff cooking competitions and won prizes during Staff Ustav 2025, organized by MAHE	09 Mar 2025
2	Staff Ustav	MIV participated in a variety of entertainment programs during Staff Ustav 2025, organized by MAHE	01 Apr 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

International Women's Day (08 March 2025): MIV commemorated International Women's Day with a dedicated program celebrating the contributions of women in science and healthcare

Medical Entomology Training Program (18 to 22 March 2025): A comprehensive five-day skill-based training program was conducted, focusing on the identification and management of disease vectors

NABL Awareness Session (23 July 2025): MIV hosted a regional session on "NABL Accreditation and Its Benefits for Biobanks." The event, organized by NABL, served medical colleges across the Coastal Karnataka region

Basic Virological Techniques (09 to 13 June 2025): MIV hosted a five-day intensive workshop designed to equip participants with foundational laboratory skills in virology

Clinical and Diagnostic Virology Training Program (01 to 21 September 2025): A three-week Certificate Course was organized for MD Microbiology students from across India, bridging the gap between clinical theory and diagnostic practice

Annual Day 2025 (26 February 2025): MIV celebrated its Annual Day, featuring a series of scientific talks and keynote addresses by distinguished guest speakers

Alumni Meet 2025 (26 February 2025): To foster institutional ties, MIV hosted an Alumni Meet followed by a series of cultural performances and networking events.

Advanced Molecular Diagnostic Techniques Training Program (17 to 22 November 2025): This five-day program provided high-level technical training on the latest advancements in molecular diagnostics

World Encephalitis Day (22 February 2025): In a global collaboration with the Encephalitis Society, UK, MIV spearheaded the "Brain Walk" initiative to raise awareness and support for those affected by encephalitis

Biosafety and Outbreak Simulation training program (06 to 10 October 2025): In partnership with the Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH), Ministry of Ayush, MIV conducted specialized training for research scientists on biosafety protocols and emergency outbreak response

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Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

- BSc Biotechnology (Three years)
- BSc (Honours) in Biotechnology (Four years)
- MSc Medical Biotechnology (Two years)
- MSc Molecular Biology and Human Genetics (Two years)
- MSc Bioinformatics (Two years)
- MSc (Research) in Life Sciences (Two years)
- MSc Systems Biology (Two years)
- MSc Genome Engineering (Two years)
- MSc Tissue Engineering (Two years)
- MSc Biomolecular Physics (Two years)
- Certificate course in Bioinformatics (Two months)
- PhD

About the Institution/School

Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS) is well established for its prolonged activities in research, education, and diagnostics under the aegis of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, with certified approval of its programs from various agencies of the Central and State governments of India. Established in 2002, MSLS has evolved to become the major research hub of MAHE and in the nation. Scientific research being the major thrust area, MSLS strives to create human resources in the field of life sciences, biotechnology, and bioinformatics; and translate its research findings towards helping the community in the area of human health. It conducts Bachelor's (BSc) and Bachelor's (Honours) programs in Biotechnology and Master's programs (MSc) in Bioinformatics, Medical Biotechnology, Systems Biology, Genome Engineering, Tissue Engineering, Molecular Biology and Human Genetics, Research in Life Sciences and Biomolecular Physics. MSLS has eight departments with varying research focus, promoting interdisciplinary research.The research focus includes molecular and cellular biology of cancer; acute, infectious and chronic diseases;

neuroscience; nanobiotechnology; genome analysis; epigenetics; omics analysis; cell signalling; pharmacogenomics in human diseases; cell and molecular biology of medicinal plants; translational studies; molecular radiobiology; experimental oncology; biomedical applications of laser spectroscopy; microbial genome analysis; data science; and bioinformatics. The School also undertakes high-technology diagnostics for several genetic disorders for patients around this region. These activities are undertaken with significant national and international collaborations and are driven by 27 faculty members and a team of over 100 research and PhD scholars, and technical and administrative staff. Genome-based data generation and analysis have resulted in significant international publications, patents, and databases (publicly hosted) over the past decade. MSLS periodically organizes international conferences, symposia, and workshops promoting enthusiasm and interaction among young scientists. It also conducts annual social outreach programs for school and college students toward developing scientific temper. MSLS has collaborations for academic and research purposes with national and international institutions spread around the globe. MSLS is proud of its nearly 1,700 alumni with a global presence, within two decades of its existence. In the field of research, the School has the title of "Centre of Excellence" under Technology Information, Forecasting and Assessment Council (TIFAC), Department of Science & Technology (DST), and the Government of India (GoI) in the field of pharmacogenomics, translational genomics, and radiation dosimetry under Atomic Energy Regulatory Board and program support from Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities:

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Pre-PhD synopsis	Eleven Pre-PhD Synopsis presentations were conducted at MSLS during the year 2025	1 Jan 2025-31 Dec 2025
2	PhD defence viva	Twenty PhD defence viva were conducted at MSLS during the year 2025	1 Jan 2025-31 Dec 2025
3	Study visit	BSc students from MSLS visited Center for Animal Research Ethics and Training (CARET) developed under the aegis of Central Animal Research Facility (CARF). This was an educational session divided into two batches aimed at familiarizing students with the ethical and scientific practices of laboratory animal management and research.	10 Jan 2025-17 Jan 2025
4	Study visit	Study visit : A total of 28 members including 27 first semester MSc students and a faculty member from Department of Applied Zoology, Mangalore University , Mangalgangotri; visited MSLS and trained in tissue processing and histochemistry techniques.	23 Jan 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
5	Study tour	As part of the curriculum 25 students and 2 teachers from The Yenepoya School, Mangalore; visited MSLS.	1 Feb 2025
6	Study tour	33 students of MSc Biochemistry (3rd semester) and 2 faculty members from Pooja Bhagavat Memorial Mahajana Education Centre, Smt. Bhagyalakshmamma Rattehalli Ramappa Mahajana First Grade College (SBRRMFGC) (Autonomous), Krishna Raja Sagar Road, Metagalli, Mysuru; visited MSLS.	5 Feb 2025
7	Study tour	As part of curriculum 21 BSc students and two faculty members from the Government Arts and Science College, Kulathoor, Neyyattinkara, Trivandrum, Kerala visited MSLS laboratories.	7 Feb 2025
8	Fire safety training	Fire safety training session for first semester BSc, MSc, Research scholars, and staff was conducted by Leslie Joseph D'Souza, Chief Fire Safety Officer, MAHE, at MSLS.	14 Feb 2025
9	Outreach Program	The Manipal OPTICA Optica student chapter organized an outreach program to 100 students in the Government Composite High School, Manipal. The visit aimed to foster an interest in physics among school students by demonstrating fundamental optical concepts through interactive models and activities. The outreach program was attended by a dedicated team of 24 volunteers from the Manipal Optica student chapter, accompanied by the chapter adviser and a faculty member.	15 Feb 2025
10	Delegation from University of Manchester, England	A two-member delegation from the University of Manchester, England, Mr Marc Lamy, Consulate General of France and Ms Vinisha Paiva, Deputy Attaché for Academic and Scientific Cooperation, Embassy of France in India, visited MSLS.	18 Feb 2025
11	Presentation	Presentation title: "rpoS regulation in Lyme disease pathogen, where we are now?" by Dr Sajith, MSLS	21 Feb 2025
12	Sports day	The sports day was organized at the Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) athletic ground. The staff members and students of MSLS participated in various sports activities conducted at the Institution level.	22 Feb 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
13	Facility tour	Ms Shravanti Rampalli, Chief Executive Officer, Ignite Life Science Foundation; did a tour of MSLS research facilities.	22 Feb 2025
14	Optica science day	On 24 February 2025, the Manipal Optica student chapter organized a small field visit for the students of nearby schools at MSLS. A booth was set up comprising of various experiments that aimed to explain basic optical concepts and physics phenomena to the students. This event was the product of a collaborative effort of 15 volunteers from the Manipal Optica student chapter from both BSc and MSc courses.	24 Feb 2025
15	Science day at MSLS	In connection with the science day program students of Higher Primary and High Schools of the Academy of General Education and Dr. TMA Pai Foundation, Manipal visited MSLS. Students were briefed about blood grouping and cells along with a laser and optics instrument demonstration.	24 Feb 2025
16	Optica Science Day	On 28 February 2025, Manipal OPTICA student chapter participated and set up their booth at the National Science Day exhibition at Kasturba Medical College (KMC) Greens which comprised of various experiments that aimed to explain basic optical concepts and phenomena to the visiting students. This event was the product of a collaborative effort of 12 volunteers from the Manipal Optica student chapter. The booth comprised of experiments such as: Ear model, Infinity well, Polarizer, and Rainbow peephole; through which the students were introduced to key concepts related to light such as reflection, refraction, diffraction, divergence, and convergence. They received comprehensive descriptions about the meaning behind these experiments and took part in engaging discussions with our volunteers.	28 Feb 2025
17	Prof J V Bhat Memorial Oration	MSLS, MAHE organized the 19th annual MAHE Prof JV Bhat Memorial Oration, delivered by Dr Suman Kumar Dhar, Vice Chancellor, TERI-School of Advanced Studies, New Delhi on 3 March 2025 in the presence of Dr Sharath K Rao (Pro Vice Chancellor, Health Sciences, MAHE, Manipal) and Dr B S Satish Rao (Director, MSLS, Manipal). The annual event commemorates the birthday of late Professor Janardhan Venkatesh Bhat for his significant contributions to scientific research in microbiology by awarding an eminent Indian scientist who has excelled in this area of research.	3 Mar 2025
18	Interaction	Interaction and discussion with Dr Suman Kumar Dhar, TERI-SAS, Delhi.	3 Mar 2025

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19	Road show	Road show and a talk on "Access the full richness of biological complexity with single cell and spatial multiomics" by Dr Benson Lim, GeneX India Bioscience Pvt Ltd Chennai and a Dry Demo was conducted using the chromium instrument.	13 Mar 2025
20	Road show	A roadshow by Shri Siddhivinayaka agency in association with Abdos Lifesciences was held on 18 March 2025.	18 Mar 2025
21	Awareness lecture	Awareness program on making our campus "Nasha Mukt" by Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj, Department of Psychiatry, KMC, Manipal.	18 Mar 2025
22	Baccha Party—OPTICA	On 6 April 2025, the Manipal Optica student chapter organized a small "Baccha Party" for the children of teaching and non-teaching staff at MSLS, MAHE, Manipal. Various fun and engaging activities were arranged for the kids according to their age-groups. This event was a result of the collaborative effort of ten volunteers from Optica. The volunteers welcomed children to capture memories at the photobooth, which was equipped with a variety of fun and engaging props. After an introductory session, various activities followed including an origami session, colouring, cup stacking, and Optical Society of America (OSA) glass refraction experiment. The children were provided with crayons and they coloured the distorted images, which were later viewed through the OSA glass. They unleashed their creative and imaginative side as they tried to figure out what the images were. The second group consisted of older children who appreciated science-based quizzes. The first activity was a quiz of microscopic images; children enjoyed this quiz and were intrigued by the images. They also got to learn briefly about electron microscopes. The next activity was a word quiz using a periodic table. It was a fun and engaging activity where they had to decode words using the periodic table. They were also introduced to morse code and were given a few riddles with answers in morse; which they could decode.	6 Apr 2025
23	Interaction	Faculty interaction with Dr Pravin Nair, Biocon Biologics Limited, Bengaluru.	16 Apr 2025

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24	Interaction	Interaction of faculty and students with Mr Marc Lamy—Consulate General of France and Ms Vinisha Paiva, Deputy Attaché for Academic and Scientific Cooperation, Embassy of France.	28 Apr 2025
25	Roadshow	Roadshow/marketing by Thermo Fisher Scientific, Bengaluru.	9 May 2025
26	Study tour	Eight MSc Zoology students accompanied by three faculty members from Department of Zoology, IDSG government college, Chikkamagaluru visited MSLS to provide the students with exposure to ongoing research methodologies, laboratory practices, and innovations in the field of biotechnology. Such an experience is highly beneficial in enhancing understanding of modern scientific approaches relevant to zoological studies.	16 May 2025
27	Study visit	25 undergraduate students from Canara College, Mangalore; accompanied by faculty members Ms Madhushree and Ms Sushama, visited MSLS. The visit aimed to expose students to advanced research infrastructure and ongoing scientific projects at MSLS.	21 May 2025
28	World environment day	Faculty and students participated in the celebration of World Environment Day, organized by MAHE on 5 June 2025.	5 Jun 2025
29	Demonstration	Demonstration of the vibrotome machine for MSLS technicians and faculty members.	12 Jun 2025
30	Visit of Shri Hariom Mittal	Shri Hariom Mittal, Scientist-'C' from GoI; visited MSLS and held discussions with the faculty.	18 Jun 2025
31	Webinar by Dr Sanjivan Gautam	Webinar on Tackling solid tumor microenvironment to enhance efficacy of immunotherapies by Dr Sanjivan Gautam, PhD, Director, Cell Therapy, and Immuno-Oncology, Head of T Modulation AstraZeneca, US.	28 Jun 2025

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32	Webinar by Dr Marc-Antoine Turcotte	Webinar on antisense oligonucleotides targeting RNA structure in Parkinson's disease by Dr Marc-Antoine Turcotte, Post-doctoral fellow, Department of Biochemistry and Functional Genomics, Faculty of medicine and health sciences, Université de Sherbrooke, Canada.	11 Jul 2025
33	BSc orientation day	Orientation was conducted for newly joined BSc Biotechnology program students which included familiarization with MAHE facilities.	16 Jul 2025
34	Interaction	Dr Benu Brata Das, Kolkata interacted and discussed with MSLS faculty members, research scholars, and undergraduate students.	20 –24 Jul 2025
35	International youth day	The launch of the Viksit Bharat Yuva Connect Programme (VBYCP) on the occasion of international youth day (12th August 2025), a student debate was organized by MSLS, MAHE on 5th August 2025, from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM.	5 Aug 2025
36	MSc orientation day	Orientation was conducted for newly joined MSc program students which included familiarization with MAHE facilities.	7 Aug 2025
37	Short films and documentaries on anti-ragging	Short films and documentaries on anti-ragging from University Grants Commission (UGC) websites were screened for the students. Faculty members also conducted sessions to sensitize students about the harmful impact of ragging and the importance of creating a safe and supportive campus environment. The message that "ragging is crime" was passed to the student community of our college and awareness was made not to indulge in those activities. Students were informed about the anti-ragging committee of the college and provided with the tollfree number (1800-180-5522) and email contact (helpline@antiragging.in) for filing anti-ragging complaints.	13 Aug 2025
38	Oath-taking ceremony	An oath-taking ceremony against substance abuse was conducted on 13th August 2025 at MSLS to raise awareness among students about the harmful effects of drug and substance abuse. The event aimed to encourage individuals to pledge themselves to a healthy, drug-free lifestyle and to promote collective responsibility in combating this growing issue.	13 Aug 2025
39	Awareness lecture	Awareness lecture on "Sensitisation on prevention of sexual harassment at workplace" by Dr Geetha Maiya, Director,	13 Aug 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		Student Affairs, organized by Peer Support Club and Student Council, MSLS for Ist semester BSc and MSc students.	
40	Fire safety training	Fire safety training session for Ist semester BSc, MSc, Research scholars, teaching and non-teaching staff by Leslie Joseph D'Souza, Chief Fire Safety Officer, MAHE was conducted.	21 Aug 2025
41	Research delegation	Research delegation from Santosh Deemed to be University, Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh by Dr Akshay Bhargava, Dean, Faculty of Dentistry; Dr Jyoti Batra, Dean- Research; Dr Lokesh Chandra, Professor of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery; and Dr Shuvojit Moulik, Scientist; visited MSLS research facilities and discussed with faculty.	21 Aug 2025
42	Interaction	Anusandhan National Research Foundation—Partnerships for Accelerated Innovation and Research (ANRF-PAIR) program on the theme “One Health”— Workshop 1, niversity Representatives from Kuvempu University, Tumkur University, Mysore University, Central University of Kerala and Goa University interacted with MSLS faculty members and discussed about projects and facilities.	22 Aug 2025
43	Interaction	Interaction of MSLS faculty members with Dr Srinivas V Kaveri (Adjunct Faculty), Director of Centre national de la recherche scientifique (CNRS), New Delhi, India, at MSLS.	4 Sep 2025
44	Interaction	Interaction of Director and Associate Directors with Mr Nitin Pai, Co-founder and Director of the Takshashila Institution.	23 Sep 2025
45	Facility tour and faculty interaction	The Delegation from Deakin University, Australia—Ms Janine McBurnie, Head, School of Life and Environment Sciences and Dr Motilal Mathesh, Professor, Biotechnology, School of Life and Environment Sciences; visited MSLS facilities and interacted with faculty members.	25 Sep 2025
46	Toy collection drive	As part of the Volunteer Services Organization (VSO) activity, toy collection boxes were strategically placed across campus to gather pre-loved toys from students and staff, destined for underprivileged children in need. The initiative encouraged generosity and recycling, spreading happiness through thoughtful donations.	1 – 8 Oct 2025
47	Baccha Party	"Baccha Party" event was organized for the children of MAHE employees as part of a joint event between Manipal Optica student chapter and VSO's "Daan Utsav".	5 Oct 2025

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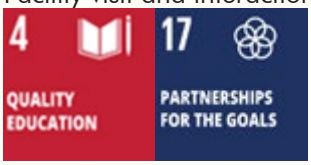
48	Sanjeevani visit	MSLS students visited the paediatric ward at Sanjeevani, bringing cheer with fun games, crafts, and interactive playtime for hospitalized children. The session aimed to uplift spirits, offering laughter and distraction during their recovery.	6 Oct 2025
49	Facility visit and interaction 	Facility visit and interaction by Dr Robert Taylor, University of Newcastle, UK; Dr Sarah Pickett, University of Newcastle, UK; Dr Robert McFarland, University of Newcastle, UK; Dr Andrew Schaefer, University of Newcastle, UK; Dr David Stroud, University of Melbourne, Australia.	8 Oct 2025
50	Fundraising event	Carnival fundraising event by MSLS student council.	11 Oct 2025
51	Blood donation drive	VSO and MSLS jointly conducted a blood donation drive. Faculty members, research scholars, students, teaching and non-teaching staff voluntarily donated blood.	13 Oct 2025
52	Accessory making for kids	MSLS's creative team spent days designing and crafting colourful, fun accessories like bracelets, hairbands, and ornaments specifically for Project Sanjeevani , KMC Pediatric Ward children. The process was both artistic and fulfilling, sparking enthusiasm among participants.	18 – 28 Oct 2025
53	Outreach program	OPTICA Student Chapter members conducted a outreach program at BM English Medium High School, Parkala. The agenda for the Outreach is to interact with school students and help them to understand the concepts through experiential learning - basic experiments which includes – reflection, refraction, polarisation, etc along with some science quizzes and games	25 Oct 2025
54	Virtual manipal biotech hackathon 2025	Manipal-GoK Bioincubator-BioNEST and its Student Entrepreneurship Cell, in association with MSLS; Department of Biotechnology, MIT, Manipal; and Department of Biotherapeutics Research, MAHE, Manipal organized a virtual Manipal BioTech Hackathon 2025.	1 Nov 2025
55	Study tour	As part of the academic curriculum for Vth semester students of the Department of Botany, Desheeya Vidhyashala Samithi (DVS) College of Arts and Science, Shivamogga, visited MSLS on 6th November 2025 with a group comprising 40 students and four faculty members. The objective of this visit was to provide the students with practical exposure to advanced instrumentation techniques and their scientific applications.	6 Nov 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date of visit
1	Dr Kailash Manda	Scientist-F and Head, Division of Behavioural Neurosciences, Institute of Nuclear Medicine and Allied Sciences, Timarpur	Guest talk titled "Blastwave Neurotrauma: Mitigation and Management."	2 Jan 2025
2	Dr Nitish R Mahapatra	Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Bhupat and Jyoti Mehta School of Biosciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Madras, Chennai	Guest talk titled "Pancreastatin: a novel regulator of cardiometabolic disease."	6 Jan 2025
3	Dr C N Neeraja	Head and Principal Scientist (Plant Biotechnology), Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)–Indian Institute of Rice Research, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad	Guest talk titled "Cereal biofortification."	16 Jan 2025
4	Dr Kaushita Banerjee	School of Biosciences and Technology, Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore, India (Current Affiliation - Nanomaterials Research Institute, Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), Tsukuba, Japan)	DBT-AIST International Laboratory for Advanced Biomedicine (DAILAB) CAFÉ SERIES 98 lecture titled "Biocompatible Alkyl Polyglucoside-stabilized plant oil emulsions: A sustainable approach for antimicrobial, anti-inflammatory, and wound healing applications."	20 Jan 2025
5	Dr Arijit Mukhopadhyay	Reader, School of Science, Engineering and Environment, University of Salford, UK	Guest talk titled "Integrating genomics into healthcare."	24 Jan 2025
6	Dr P Palani	Director and Head, Centre for Advanced Study in Botany, University of Madras, Guindy Campus, Chennai, Tamil Nadu	Guest talk titled "Bacteriophages: A novel biocontrol agent for the control of leaf blight disease in rice."	4 Feb 2025
7	Dr Chandima J Narangoda	Director, Center for Advanced Material Research (CAMR), University of Sri Jayewardenepura, Sri Lanka	Guest talk titled "Bridging chemistry: Materials with purpose."	5 Feb 2025
8	Dr Basappa	Chairman and Associate Professor, Department of Studies in Organic Chemistry, University of Mysore, Manasagangothri, Mysore	Guest talk titled "Chemical Biology of small molecules targeting cancer and infectious disease."	8 Feb 2025
9	Dr Swarupa Panda	European Molecular Biology Organization (EMBO) Long Term Fellow, Department of Molecular Cell Biology, Center for Cancer Biomedicine, Institute for Cancer research, Oslo University Hospital, Montebello, Norway	Guest talk titled "Ferroptosis at the crossroads of infection, inflammation and cancer."	14 Feb 2025
10	Dr Ingo Schiessl	Associate Dean Internationalization for the Faculty of Biology, Medicine and	Guest Talk titled "Pre-clinical models for biomedical research."	18 Feb 2025

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		Health, University of Manchester, England		
11	Dr Siddabasave Gowda B	Faculty of Health Sciences, Graduate School of Global Food Resources, Hokkaido University, Japan	DAILAB CAFE SERIES 99 lecture titled "Application of lipidomics for food analysis and elucidate the influence of diet on metabolism ."	25 Feb 2025
12	Dr Samir Kumar Praharaj	Department of Psychiatry, KMC, Manipal	Awareness lecture on making Manipal "Nasha Mukt".	18 Mar 2025
13	Dr Seemesh Bhaskar	Carl R Woese Institute for Genomic Biology (IGB) Fellow, University of Illinois, Urbana - Champaign	Guest talk titled "Optics without borders: How light and nanotechnology are reshaping disease diagnostics."	5 Apr 2025
14	Dr Manas Kumar Santra	National Centre for Cell Science (NCCS) Complex, Pune University Campus, Pune	Guest talk titled "The life and death of proteins: life of a cell."	25 Apr 2025
15	Dr Pramod Kumar and Mr Ashish Sharma	Technology, Translation, and Innovation (TTI) Division, Department of Science and Technology, Government of India	Visited MSLS on 22nd May 2025. The purpose of this visit was for DST-Medical Instruments, Devices and Allied Services (MIDAS) hub, MAHE in the context of technology, translation, and innovation.	22 May 2025
16	Dr Ravi Ram Kristipati	Senior Principal Scientist, Environmental Toxicology, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR)-Indian Institute of Toxicology Research Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh	Guest talk titled " Estrogen-Related Receptor (ERR) is human: *Drosophila* as a model for male reproductive disruption."	12 Jul 2025
17	Professor Benu Brata Das	Professor, School of Biological Sciences, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata	Guest talk titled "Decoding disease: How nuclear and mitochondrial DNA breaks lead to genomic instability."	22 Jul 2025
18	Dr Rajesh Kumar Kar	Associate Research Scientist, Deptartment of Hematology / Neurosurgery, Yale School of Medicine	Guest talk titled "Transcription and translation regulation in yeast to human neurodevelopmental disorders and cancer."	5 Aug 2025
19	Dr Charith Raj Adkar	International Faculty	Talk title "Viroids: the simplest RNA model."	8 Aug 2025
20	Dr Varadharajan S	Deputy Director, Intellectual Property (IP) and technology translation, MAHE, Manipal	Talk on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR).	26 Aug 2025
21	Professor Ullas Kolthur-Seetharam	Director, Biotechnology Research and Innovation Council - Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics (BRIC-CDFD), Hyderabad	Guest talk titled "Physiological and molecular plasticity: metabolic diseases and aging."	24 Sep 2025
22	Dr Eswar Shankar P N	Research Assistant Professor, Department of Internal Medicine, Division of Medical Oncology, The Ohio State University Columbus, Ohio, US	Guest talk titled "Combinatorial therapeutic strategies targeting EZH2 in triple-negative breast cancer."	26 Sep 2025

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23	Dr Sanjeev Kumar Mahto	Associate Professor, School of Biomedical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology, Banaras Hindu University (IIT (BHU)), Varanasi	Guest talk on future prospects in biotechnology.	6 Nov 2025
24	Dr Sanjeev Kumar Mahto	Associate Professor, School of Biomedical Engineering, IIT (BHU), Varanasi	Scientific talk titled "Tissue engineered medical devices and solutions."	7 Nov 2025
25	Dr Sanjeev Kumar Mahto	Associate Professor, School of Biomedical Engineering, IIT (BHU), Varanasi	Guest talk titled "Tools and techniques in tissue engineering and its future prospects."	8 Nov 2025
26	Dr Mahesha Manjunatha Poojary	Associate Professor, Department of Food Science, University of Copenhagen, Denmark	Guest talk on alternative proteins for the future.	10 Nov 2025
27	Dr Mahesha Manjunatha Poojary	Associate Professor, Department of Food Science, University of Copenhagen, Denmark	Guest talk titled "Alternative proteins for the future."	10 Nov 2025

Details of publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
1	1	169	4

Conferences attended by the institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
12	21	11	36

Details of conferences/workshops conducted by the institution

Particulars	National	International
Conference	1	3
Workshop	7	2

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Advances in Biogerontology	Chapter 9: Cerium oxide-based redox active antioxidant and anti-inflammatory biomaterial for wound healing applications.	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	Academic Press	1 Jan 2025
2	Liver cancer and Phytomedicine: Chemoprevention, Chemo Sensitization, and Chemotherapy Strategies	Chapter 5: Phytochemicals to target Sorafenib resistance pathways in liver cancer.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	World Scientific Publishing	1 Mar 2025

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3	Preclinical cancer models for translational research and drug development	Chapter 4: In-depth analysis of self-assembly processes in *in vitro* spheroidal and organoid systems mechanisms and drug development.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Nature	14 Mar 2025
4	Biotechnology, Multiple Omics, and Precision Breeding in Medicinal Plants	Chapter 30: Occurrence, functional properties of plant vitamins and biotechnological approaches for their improved production.	Dr Annamalai Muthusamy	Chemical Rubber Company (CRC) Press.	27 Mar 2025
5	Biotechnology, Multiple Omics, and Precision Breeding in Medicinal Plants	Chapter 31: Designer medicinal and aromatic crops: development and characterization of improved bioactive molecules for viral diseases.	Dr Annamalai Muthusamy	CRC Press	27 Mar 2025
6	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 4: Microbiome and epigenetic interactions in cervical cancer.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
7	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 5: Role of DNA methylation in cervical cancer.	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
8	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 7: Role of miRNAs in cervical cancer.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
9	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 8: Contribution of long noncoding RNAs and other noncoding RNAs in cervical cancer.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
10	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 6: Chromatin remodeling in cervical tumor cells regulates proangiogenic genes.	Dr Manjunath B Joshi	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
11	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 10: Role of epigenetics in cervical cancer radiotherapy treatment outcomes.	Dr Kamalesh Dattaram Mumbrekar and Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
12	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 2: Epigenetic mechanisms and functions.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025
13	Epigenetics of Cervical Cancer	Chapter 3: HPV as an inducer of epigenetic changes in cervical cancer.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Springer Science + Business Media	11 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
14	Recent Advances in Infrared Spectroscopy and Its Applications in Biotechnology	Chapter 6: Fourier transform infrared (FTIR) spectroscopy of biomolecules.	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Books on Demand	25 Apr 2025
15	Anthraquinones: Bioactive Multifaceted Therapeutic Agents, (Volume 3): Series Title: Bentham Briefs in Biomedicine and Pharmacotherapy	Anthraquinone derivatives as potent anti-cancer agents.	Dr Roopa Nayak	Bentham Books	1 May 2025
16	Nanocarriers in Plant Science and Agriculture	Chapter 14: Potential impact of nanocarriers in prevention and management of plant fungal diseases.	Dr Annamalai Muthusamy	Idea Group Incorporated (IGI) Global Scientific Publishing	1 May 2025
17	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 7: Eggshell membrane as biomaterial for tissue engineering.	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	CRC Press	8 May 2025
18	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 11: Animal models of obsessive-compulsive disorder.	Dr Gireesh Gangadharan	CRC Press	8 May 2025
19	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 13: High-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC): Analytical technique for component identification and purification across diverse industries.	Dr Babitha K S	CRC Press	8 May 2025
20	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 5: Characterization and identification of novel bacterial exopolysaccharides.	Dr Sudharshan Prabhu	CRC Press	8 May 2025
21	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 6: Bioactive glasses: synthesis, characterization and its bioactivity.	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	CRC Press	8 May 2025
22	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 10: Machine learning approach in nonlinear optical microscopy.	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	CRC Press	8 May 2025
23	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 1: Cancer metabolism: Advanced biophysical techniques for diagnosis and research.	Dr Vidhu Sankar Babu	CRC Press	8 May 2025

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24	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 2: Applications of spectroscopy in biology and medicine.	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	CRC Press	8 May 2025
25	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 4: Current updates on photoacoustic-based techniques for breast cancer diagnosis.	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	CRC Press	8 May 2025
26	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 3: Advances and challenges with oral cancer diagnosis.	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	CRC Press	8 May 2025
27	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences: From Fundamentals to Advanced Applications	Chapter 12: Multidimensional high-performance thin-layer chromatography (HPTLC): Instrumentation, techniques and applications.	Dr Babitha K S	CRC Press	8 May 2025
28	Recent Advances in Infrared Spectroscopy and Its Applications in Biotechnology	Chapter 1. Introductory chapter: Introduction to infrared spectroscopy – Biotechnological applications.	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	IntechOpen	21 May 2025
29	Next-Generation Sequencing	Chapter 3: Streamlining next-generation sequencing data analysis with nextflow and nf-core pipelines.	Mr Sandeep Mallya and Dr Bobby Paul	CRC Press	30 May 2025
30	Artificial Intelligence and Biological Sciences	Chapter 1: Overview of artificial intelligence.	Dr Shama Prasada K	CRC Press	17 Jun 2025
31	Handbook of Regenerative Medicine: Stem Cell-based Approach.	Chapter 26: Role of stem cells in diabetes, liver disease, and cancer treatment.	Dr Manash K Paul	CRC Press	3 Jul 2025
32	Advances in Regenerative Medicine and Tissue Engineering	3D-bioprinting for lung and tracheal bioengineering: An overview.	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh and Dr Manash K Paul	IntechOpen	18 Jul 2025
33	Organoid Technology: Disease Modelling, Drug Discovery, and Personalized Medicine	Chapter 1: Bioengineering organoids for disease modeling and drug discovery.	Dr Manash K Paul	Bentham Science	21 Jul 2025
34	Organoid Technology: Disease Modelling, Drug Discovery, and Personalized Medicine	Chapter 2: Organoid technology: disease modelling, drug discovery, and personalized medicine.	Dr Manash K Paul	Bentham Science	21 Jul 2025
35	Organoid Technology: Disease Modelling, Drug Discovery, and Personalized Medicine	Chapter 8: Current advances in the use of tumor organoids in lung cancer modeling and precision oncology.	Dr Manash K Paul	Bentham Science	21 Jul 2025
36	Metallic Nanoparticles in Cancer Therapy. Synthesis,	Chapter 7: implications of iron and titanium-based	Dr Manash K Paul	CRC Press	23 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
	Applications, and Regulatory Considerations	nanoparticles for cancer therapy.			
37	Advances in Regenerative Medicine and Tissue Engineering	Introductory chapter: Advances in regenerative medicine and tissue engineering.	Dr Manash K Paul and Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	IntechOpen	24 Sep 2025
38	Advanced Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences	Chapter 2: Computational approaches employing biophysical principles for drug discovery and biomolecular interactions.	Dr Budheswar Dehury	Springer	1 Oct 2025
39	Advanced Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences	Chapter 9: Collagen for health.	Dr Nirmal Mazumder and Dr Bharath Prasad A S	Springer	1 Oct 2025
40	Nanodiagnostics to Identify and Detect Microbial Infections and Antimicrobial Resistance. Volume 1 - Nanotheranostics, Microbial Infections, and Antimicrobial Resistance	Chapter 1: Epidemiological coverage and mechanisms of antimicrobial resistance: a globalized view.	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	Academic Press	1 Oct 2025
41	Advancements in the Treatment and Prevention of Breast Cancer	Chapter 14 : Multimodal therapies for residual, recurrent, and metastatic breast cancer.	Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu	Academic Press	1 Oct 2025
42	Advanced Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences	Chapter 11: Nonlinear optical microscopy for cancer diagnosis.	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Springer	1 Oct 2025
43	Handbook of Bio-Based Materials for Smart Manufacturing	Chapter 20: Future trends in smart biomanufacturing.	Dr Manash K Paul	CRC Press	23 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project name	Principal investigator	Funding agencies	Total grants received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Fellowship on investigating the role of calcium exosomal axis associated signaling pathways in cervical cancer	Ms Sangavi E	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi	1,25,855	3 Jan 2025
2	Fellowship under Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE) program for Student pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) program at MAHE	Ms Apoorva B S	DST, New Delhi	5,26,577	16 Jan 2025 - 06 Nov 2025
3	Development of a microfluidics-based diagnostic device for detection of major multi-drug	Dr T S Murali	Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research	20,14,439	28 Jan 2025 - 20 Dec 2025

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	resistant bacteria in diabetic foot ulcers		Collaboration (SPARC), New Delhi		
4	Development of quantum enhanced multimodal nonlinear optical microscope integrated with learning for oral cancer screening and diagnosis	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	ICMR, New Delhi	1,30,17,752	5 Feb 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
5	Elucidating the cryosusceptibility and mitochondrial dynamics of oocytes and embryos under maternal metabolic conditions	Dr Shama Prasad Kabekkodu	ICMR, New Delhi	3,00,668	24 Feb 2025
6	Non-invasive marker for screening of squamous cell carcinoma of a cervix	Dr Shama Prasad Kabekkodu	SPARC, New Delhi	19,70,260	27 Feb 2025 - 20 Dec 2025
7	Establishment biochip-based cell free DNA repair assay for cancer treatment outcome prediction	Dr Kamalesh D Mumbrekar	ICMR, New Delhi	14,90,575	10 Mar 2025
8	Cancer-on-Chip: Developing a state-of-the-art microfluidic diagnostic Organ-on-Chip (OoC) platform to study *ex vivo* chemo radiation sensitivity in breast cancer patients	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	ICMR, New Delhi	32,31,906	31 Mar 2025
9	Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) Indian collaborative research project Artificial Intelligence (AI)-enhanced classification and grading of duct al carcinoma using polarization microscopy for early disease intervention	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	SERB, New Delhi	17,85,264	28 Apr 2025
10	Design and development of a machine learning-enabled autofluorescence device for preoperative breast lump diagnosis and intraoperative breast tumour margin assessment	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	ICMR, New Delhi	17,10,445	27 May 2025
11	Label-free AGE's fingerprinting in diabetic serum proteome: a clinical study	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	ICMR, New Delhi	7,39,726	13 Jun 2025
12	Investigating the role of chromosome 14 miRNA cluster in epithelial cell transformation and its contribution to cervical cancer progression	Dr Shama Prasad Kabekkodu	DBT/Wellcome Trust India Alliance, New Delhi	44,00,493	16 Jul 2025
13	Investigating the role of Tripartite Motif proteins (TRIM) proteins in regulating hypoxia induced mitophagy in tumor model	Dr Bhaskar Saha	Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences	21,91,500	22 Jul 2025

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			(BRNS), New Delhi		
14	Fellowship on genetic factor of *Plasmodium falciparum* and *Plasmodium vivax* associated with infection transmission and drug response	Ms Varijakshi Chandrasekharappa,	ICMR, New Delhi	2,85,631	13 Aug 2025
15	Travel grant for attending 2nd European Federation for Medicinal chemistry and Chemical biology (EFMC) international symposium on chemical biology, Switzerland (From 29 to 31 Jan 2025) held in Basel, Switzerland	Ms Padmini Pai	SERB, New Delhi	1,22,728	14 Aug 2025
16	Fellowship development of molecular and metabolite reference library for authentication of medicinal plants	Mr Vinay C M	ICMR, New Delhi	42,809	16 Sep 2025
17	Travel grant for attending "Focus on Microscope (FOM 2025)" conference (From 13 to 16 April 2025–) held in Taipei, Taiwan	Mr Gagan	SERB, New Delhi	87,110	30 Sep 2025
18	Exploring the potential of targeting hypoxia induced mitophagy regulatory functions of TRIM proteins to develop novel anticancer treatment strategies	Dr Bhaskar Saha	SERB, New Delhi	2,71,333	30 Sep 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
19	Generative AI-driven discovery of novel small molecules inhibiting mycobacterial Iron–Sulfur Protein Rv0338c (IspQ)	Dr Budheswar Dehury	SERB, New Delhi	7,86,894	30 Sep 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
20	Exploring the potential of modulating the pro-survival functions oof mitophagy to develop novel anticancer treatment strategies	Dr Bhaskar Saha	DBT, New Delhi	2,98,663	30 Sep 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
21	Delineating the genomic basis of neurodegeneration and mitochondrial disorders associated with defective DNA break repair	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	ICMR, New Delhi	17,87,373	9 Oct 2025
22	Ramanujan fellowship nomination	Dr Bhaskar Saha	SERB, New Delhi	4,67,818	31 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
23	Neural circuit mechanisum of obsessive-compulsive disorder-like checking behaviour in mice: A study with a special focus on the role of hippocampo-medial prefrontal cortical neuronal circuit	Dr Gireesh G	DBT, New Delhi	1,28,490	31 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

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24	Targeting neutrophils to improve anti-microbial host defense and enhance resolution of inflammation: Implications in maintaining immune homeostasis in Type 2 Diabetes	Dr Manjunath B Joshi	SERB, New Delhi	63,152	31 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
25	Biological, mechanistic, and functional analysis of extracellular vesicle RNA in diabetic foot ulcer pathogenesis	Dr T S Murali	SERB, New Delhi	1,53,558	31 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
26	DST Inspire fellowship for student pursuing full-time doctoral (PhD) Program	Mr Shaik Basha	DST, New Delhi	81,400	06 Nov 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
27	Understanding the role of TRIM proteins in hypoxia induced mitophagy in connection to radio-resistance	Dr Bhaskar Saha	VGST, Bangalore	5,00,000	10 Nov 2025
28	Fellowship for project entitled "Cancer Integromics identifying the cancer signature through multi-omis data intergration"	Mr Pradyumna J	ICMR, New Delhi	12,839	13 Nov 2025
29	Fellowship on regulation and biological function of ZNF471 in cancer	Ms Poonam Bhandari	ICMR, New Delhi	5,22,501	19 Nov 2025
30	DBT_Builder- Interdisciplinary Life Science Programme for Advance Research and Education (DB-ILSPARE)	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	DBT, New Delhi	9,53,016	24 Nov 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
31	Understanding the mechanisms of fucoidan fractions from brown algae possessing biostimulant and growth-hormone like activity for application in crop plants	Dr Annamalai Muthusamy	Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB), New Delhi	2,78,196	25 Nov 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
32	A molecular understanding of mitochondrial disorder in an Indian patient cohort: a new avenue for molecular diagnosis, therapeutics, and disease management	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	SERB, New Delhi	200.00	25 Nov 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
33	Developing microengineered human non-small cell lung cancer organoids-on-chips (OrgOCs) platform to investigate the role of Wnt/B-catenin signaling on tumor proliferation and tumor-stomal interactions	Dr Manash Kumar Paul	Vision Group on Science and Technology (VGST), Bangalore	1,50,000	26 Nov 2025
34	Travel grant to attend the 8th Venusberg Meeting on neuroinflammation held in Maison du Savoir, Luxembourg	Mr Venkidesh B S	SERB, New Delhi	1,19,258	31 Dec 2025

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35	Exploring the therapeutic potential of metformin and acarbose co-administration strategy on improving the functional competence of oocyte, embryo development and fetal development in experimentally induced polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS) and type II diabetes	Dr Manjunath B Joshi	ICMR, New Delhi	45,974	28 Apr 2026–28 Apr 2025
36	Exploring the potential of modulating the pro-survival functions oof mitophagy to develop novel anticancer treatment strategies	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	DBT, New Delhi	4,39,132	31 Oct 2026–31 Dec 2025

Patent details

Details of patent filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A method and composition for biosensing using hybrid interface of functionalized graphene and noble.	1 Jan 2025
2	Knee rest device.	28 Jan 2025
3	A method for enhancing fluorescence signal using a customized cuvette with Aluminium coating.	11 Mar 2025
4	System and method for a multi-modal fluidic device to detect heavy metals.	15 Mar 2025
5	Metal-coated cuvette for enhancing the fluorescence signal strength and method of preparation thereof.	18 Mar 2025
6	A method for diagnostic characterization of ischemic stroke subtypes using plasma metabolomic biomarkers.	5 Apr 2025
7	A system and method for portable PCR using thermoplasmonics and microfluidics for rapid diagnostics.	28 Apr 2025
8	An anthocyanin-infused starch-based biopolymer film for real-time food spoilage detection and method.	28 Apr 2025
9	System and method for classification of bacterial and fungal plant diseases from leaf images.	6 May 2025
10	A method and composition of a biodegradable facial cosmetic mask.	8 May 2025
11	A device and method for non-invasive optical detection of bilirubin levels in neonates.	24 May 2025
12	A portable hypoxic device to monitor cellular metabolic changes in biological samples.	12 Jun 2025
13	Compact microvolume photoacoustic cell system for biomolecular fingerprinting and method thereof.	17 Jul 2025
14	System and method for machine learning-assisted identification of nucleosides using photoacoustic spectral fingerprinting.	18 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name	Date
15	Method for detection of bisphenol A (BPA) based on DOC2B (double c2-like domain beta) protein expression.	25 Jul 2025
16	System and method of microphotoacoustic cell for molecular detection of sample.	4 Aug 2025
17	Photoacoustic endoscopic probe device for characterizing tissues based on biomolecular fingerprinting and method thereof.	9 Aug 2025

Details of Patent Granted

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A method of detection of single-nucleotide polymorphism in drug response genes using gold nanoparticles.	29 Jan 2025
2	Method and imaging system for analysing tissue specimen.	29 Oct 2025
3	Apparatus and method for identification of conformational and chemical change in non-enzymatically glycated proteins.	29 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Faculty members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr ShamaPrasada Kabekkodu and Dr Nirmal Mazumder	They are recognized as top 2% researchers, as published in the August 2025 data-update of the Updated Science-Wide Author Databases of Standardized Citation Indicators (Version 8, DOI: 10.17632/btchxktzyw.8) - Under Single year Category.	31 Aug 2025
2	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Award for Research Excellence (Best PhD Guide) for the year 2024 under Faculty of Health Sciences, Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal on MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, 24th November 2025.	24 Nov 2025
3	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	Award for Research Excellence (Overall Researcher) for the year 2024 under Faculty of Health Sciences Presented on MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, 24th November 2025.	24 Nov 2025
4	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Award for Research Excellence (Overall Researcher) for the year 2024 under Faculty of Health Sciences on MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, 24th November 2025.	24 Nov 2025
5	Dr Nirmal Mazumder	Award for Research Excellence (Publication) for the year 2024 on MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, 24 November 2025.	24 Nov 2025
6	Dr Bhisham Narayan Singh	Award for Research Excellence (Overall Researcher) for the year 2024 under Faculty of Health Sciences Presented on MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, 24 November 2025.	24 Nov 2025
7	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	Award for the best research paper under Faculty of Health Sciences for the paper entitled, " Machine learning enabled photoacoustic spectroscopy for noninvasive assessment of breast tumor progression *in vivo*: A preclinical study" by Jackson Rodrigues, Ashwini Amin, Subhash Chandra, Nitufa J Mulla, G Subramanya Nayak, Sharada Rai, Satadru	24 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Ray, and Krishna Kishore Mahato, published in journal titled "ACS Sensors", link—10.1021/acssensors.3c01085.	
8	Dr Krishna Kishore Mahato	Award for Research Excellence (patent granted) for the year 2024 under Faculty of Health Sciences, Presented on MAHE Research Awards Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
9	Dr Shama K Prasada	Award for Outstanding Research Publications, VGST, Government of Karnataka.	30 Nov 2025
10	Mr Sandeep Mallya	Instrumental in championing the initiative to establish the nodal chapter of International Society for Computational Biology – Student Council Regional Student Group (ISCB-SC RSG) India at MAHE.	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Ayush Khandelwal	Best Oral Presentation award at the international conference on "Cancer Epigenetics: From Laboratory Studies to Precision Medicine" held at MSLS, Manipal, Karnataka, India (22 to 23 Jan 2025.	23 Jan 2025
2	Mrs Manju Thomas	Won second prize-e-poster presentation at Society of Pharmaceutical Education and Research 14th Annual International Conference and Exhibition (SPER 2025), Nitte Gulabi Shetty Memorial Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Nitte (Deemed to be University) Mangalore (24– to 25 Jan 2025).	25 Jan 2025
3	Ms Padmini Pai	SERB International Travel Grant to attend the International Symposium on Chemical Biology. Basel, Switzerland (29 to 31 Jan 2025).	31 Jan 2025
4	Ms Ankitha S, Mr Angel G C, and Ms Gayathri Menon	First place at South Zone Anveshan 2024 student research convention 2024, organized by the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) held at Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, Bengaluru (20 - 21 Feb 2025)	21 Feb 2025
5	Ms Sreeya Devarakonda	First prize for the poster presentation in "National Laser Symposium-33", held at Medi-caps University, Indore, India (6 to 9 Mar 2025).	9 Mar 2025
6	Ms Shreya Shahapur	BSc Biotechnology, Honors student, secured third prize in AIU Anveshan 2024 International student Research Convention, AIU, held at Chitkara University, Chandigarh (10 to 11 Mar 2025).	11 Mar 2025
7	Ms Swathi S	Won first prize in NanoArt competition, organized by Indian Institute of Sciences (IISc) Bengaluru held on 14 April 2025 and was awarded with 10,000 INR.	14 Apr 2025
8	Dr Padmini Pai	Best poster award for poster presentation at international conference on New Challenges and Innovations in Molecular Medicine (NCIMM-2025) held at the University of Mysore, Manasagangothri, Mysore (28 to 29 May 2025).	29 May 2025
9	Ms Chandni Sachdeva	Received the DBT-Chartered Trust and Estate Planner (CTEP) travel grant to attend the International conference—American Society for Microbiology (ASM) Microbe 2025 conference, held at Los Angeles, US (19 to –23 Jun 2025).	23 Jun 2025
10	Mrs Kausalya Neelavara Makkithaya	Awarded with Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) direct senior research fellowship (SRF)	1 Aug 2025

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11	Ms Ankitha S, Mr Angel G C, and Ms Gayathri Menon	The team OsteoTech from Manipal School of Life Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, was declared as the Winners in the Student Track of the National Bio Entrepreneurship Competition (NBEC) 2025, organized by Centre for Cellular and Molecular Platforms (C-CAMP) at Bengaluru. The award carried a cash prize of 2 lakh INR, sponsored by Accel India, which was presented by Dr Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw, Founder and Executive Chairperson of Biocon, Benhaluru.	23 Aug 2025
12	Ms. Aluru Parithathvi	Received ANRF travel grant to attend the 6th edition of Innovations and State of the Art in Alzheimer's and Dementia (ISAD-2025) conference, held at Berlin, Germany (1 to–2 Oct 2025).	2 Oct 2025
13	Ms Manikanth Karnati and Mr Gagan Raju	Attended the Student Leadership and Frontiers in Optics + Laser Science (FiO+LS) 2025 conference organized by Optica at the Colorado Convention Center in Denver, Colorado, US, from 26–30 Oct 2025. They were among 100 students selected globally for the prestigious Student Leadership Program, which featured specialized workshops on leadership development, effective communication, and international collaboration. Optica graciously supported their participation by providing travel and accommodation. During the conference, both students had the opportunity to present and showcase their research findings to a diverse scientific audience.	30 Oct 2025
14	Ms Gayathri Menon	ES Chemistry and Sustainability Award 2025 at the International Conference on Biomaterials and Healthcare held at IIT Roorkee (27 to 30 Oct 2025.	30 Oct 2025
15	Ms Ankitha S	Received an RCS-IPS James Perkinson and Sukdev Roymahapatra memorial award 2025 for the best poster at Indo-Taiwan international conference on Biomaterials and Health Care 2025 (BioHeal 2025) (27 to 30 Oct 2025).	30 Oct 2025
16	Mrs Debyani Samantray	Best Oral Presentation Award for oral presentation of research at Indian Conference on Bioinformatics 2025 (InBix 2025) held at Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose (NSCB) Medical College, Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh, India (13 to 15 Nov 2025).	15 Nov 2025
17	Ms Sonam Fathima Mehak	Awarded Trainee Professional Development Award from the Society for Neuroscience, US, for travel and participation at the Society for Neuroscience Annual Meeting (Neuroscience 2025) held at San Diego, US (15 to 19 Nov 2025).	19 Nov 2025
18	Ms Medha Bairy	Best poster award at the International Conference on Advances in Cancer Research: Prevention to Intervention held at Gautham Buddha University, Greater Noida, India (21 to 22 Nov 2025).	22 Nov 2025
19	Ms Ankitha S	Recognized with the prestigious Gandhian Young Technological Innovation (GYTI) Award 2024, instituted by Society for Research and Initiatives for Sustainable Technologies and Institutions (SRISTI)	30 Nov 2025
20	Ms Prerna Hegde, Ms Marnin Ruth Vas, Ms Gargi Joshi, Ms Sanjana Gupta, and Ms Swechha Mahapatra	First-place winners of the Manipal BioTech Hackathon 2025	30 Nov 2025
21	Mr Dhanraj S B	ANRF-International Travel Support award to attend The European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) Asia Congress 2025 held at Suntec City, Singapore (5 to 7 Dec 2025).	7 Dec 2025

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22	Ms Kausalya Neelavara Makkithaya	FirstBest Poster Presentation Award (first prize) at the India Bioimaging Annual Conference and Meeting 2025 held at JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research (JSS AHER), Mysuru, India (11 to 12 Dec 2025).	12 Dec 2025
23	Mr Gagan	Best Poster Presentation Award (second prize) at the India Bioimaging Annual Conference and Meeting 2025 held at JSS AHER, Mysuru, India (11 to 12 Dec 2025).	12 Dec 2025
24	Ms Nandana B	Best Poster Presentation Award (first prize) at the National Conference on Harnessing Life Sciences and Food Technology for Sustainable Nutrition held at Saint Aloysius College, Mangalore, Karnataka, India (11 to 12 Dec 2025).	12 Dec 2025
25	Mr Shimul Biswas	Best Poster Award at Advances and Innovations in Chemical Sciences (AICS)-2025 held at Vedic Village, Kolkata, India (11 to 13 Dec 2025).	13 Dec 2025
26	Ms Ramya Savithri K	Secured a position in the top 5% of the Medicinal Chemistry course offered by National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning (NPTEL).	31 Dec 2025

Extra-curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Chess, Carom, Table Tennis, Swimming, Cricket, Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Athletics, Badminton, and Throwball	Chess, Carom, Table Tennis, Swimming, Cricket, Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Athletics, Badminton, and Throwball events were conducted for students, faculty members, and research scholars.	19 Aug 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Carrom (Inter-MAHE)	Dr Babitha K S bagged Runner-up in Carrom, winner in Table Tennis, Runner-up in Badminton Mixed Doubles, and participated in Squash.	30 Aug 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Teachers day	Students celebrated "Teacher's day" with cake cutting and conducted some events for teachers.	9 Sep 2025
2	Cultural day celebration "Kalarpanam"	Student Council organized a cultural day celebrations ("Kalarpanam") on 3rd Nov 2025. The theme of this event was an amalgamation of all major festivals celebrated in the year. This single event encompassed the spirit of festivals such as Onam, Ganesh Chaturthi, Janmashtami, Navratri, Kannada Rajyotsava, Diwali, and others. Kalarpanam is conceived as a grand culmination of major Indian festivals, symbolizing the unity and	4 Nov 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		diversity celebrated across our campus. The traditions of Onam, Navratri, Diwali, and Kannada Rajyotsava were showcased in one vibrant afternoon.	

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	UTSAV 2025	1)Kiran Firdous Fatima bagged first prize in English poetry, 2) Team of Vyasraj, Mahathi, Jaahnavi, Krishnamy, and Tanushree bagged third place in Eastern group singing, 3) – Mr Venkidesh B S bagged third place in Indian classical solo (Category: Faculty(Research scholar), and - 4) Dr Sajith Raghunandanan bagged second place in Non veg cooking (Category: Faculty).	24 Mar 2025

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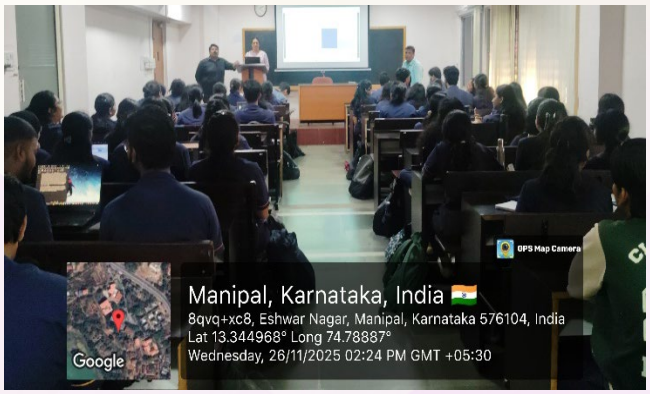
Science Day

Vikasith Bharath

Anti-ragging



Constitution Day

Manipal Centre for Ayurveda Biology

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019
Name of the Coordinator: Dr K P Guruprasad
Members: Dr Manjunath B Joshi; Dr Gireesh G; Dr Basavaraj S Hadpad; Dr Sripathy Adiga

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To undertake cutting-edge research in Ayurveda Biology by using principles of Indian traditional medicine and modern biology approaches, dedicated to the process of healthy ageing.

Mission: Collaboration of Ayurveda and other traditional medicinal systems with modern science to provide proof of concept for improving human health.

Ayurveda, the Indian traditional medicinal system, mainly focuses on the enhancement of the quality of life with its holistic approach. The present research in Ayurveda is dominated by studies on medicinal plants and the development of drugs. However, knowledge of the underlying cellular and molecular mechanisms influencing the Ayurvedic regime and its clinical implications in ameliorating pathological conditions is sparse. The rich heritage of Ayurveda has established its legacy in treating a variety of diseases and simultaneously maintaining wellbeing and quality ageing. Ayurvedic concepts emphasize the importance of maintaining body constitution, tissue rejuvenation, adaptation of body to season, inter alia, and thus sustaining quality ageing by employing multifarious herbal formulations and procedures. In recent years, increased life span has been associated with complex diseases, causing a huge socio-economic burden. Therefore, many efforts are required to investigate the cues that Ayurveda provides in terms of modern biology. This will provide insights into Ayurveda principles governing intricate networks of cellular and biochemical pathways using the 'process of ageing' as a model system.

Objectives: a) To establish a platform facilitating research in Ayurveda Biology following the traditional concepts. b) To evaluate the role of Rasayana on dementia, neurodegenerative diseases, and musculoskeletal disorders. c) To investigate the Prakriti related to human genomics and epigenomics related to human diseases. d) To develop human resources in Ayurveda Biology. e) To promote national and international collaborative research with Ayurveda institutions, modern medical institutions, and industries.

Activities at the Centre: Collaborative research involving traditional practitioners and modern scientists.
Research Activities: Collaborative research

Research Publications:

1. Swathi M, Gagan M, Manju Thomas, Gireesh G, Manjunath B Joshi, Kamalesh D Mumbrekar, Aditi Goyal, Anita Mahadevan, Anandan E M, Muraleedharan T S, Valiathan M S and Guruprasad K P (2026). Multiomics analysis reveals early administration of the Medhya rasayana formulation of Bacopa monnieri (L.) Wettst and Centella asiatica (L.) Urb prevents neuroinflammation and cognitive deficits in an AβO-injected AD mouse model. *Journal of Ethnopharmacology*, 355 (Part A), 120633. doi: 10.1016/j.jep.2025.120633
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SDG related:

Awards and Recognition:

Dr Gireesh G – Elected as an executive council member of the Association of Gerentology India (2025-2026)

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1.	Neural circuit mechanism of obsessive-compulsive disorder-like checking behaviour in mice: A study with a special focus on the role of hippocampo-medial prefrontal cortical neuronal circuit	DBT, Government of India File No: [BT/PR53788/BMS/85/251/2024]	Dr Gireesh G	41 lakh	2023-28
2.	Blocking or Delaying the Onset of Alzheimer's disease in Experimental Mice	Prathiksha Trust, Bengaluru	Dr K P Guruprasad	72 lakh	2021-24 (continued to 2025)
3.	Influence of Yoga on Altered Immuno-metabolic Axis in Type 2 Diabetes Subjects. Sanctioned by Science and Technology in Yoga and Meditation (SATYAM)	SATYAM, DST, GOI	Dr Manjunath B Joshi	43.44 lakh	2022-25

Centre for DNA Repair and Genome Stability

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty

Members
Dr Shama Prasada Kabekkodu, Professor and Head, Department of Cell and Molecular Biology, Manipal School of Life Sciences (MSLS), MAHE, Manipal

Brief About the Centre
Vision: To achieve excellence in research in DNA repair and genome stability, facilitate training through collaborations, and promote translational clinical research.

Mission: To foster focused research collaborations with national and international research groups working on DNA damage response, genome instability, and therapeutics.

Objectives
1. Develop advanced, state-of-the-art research methodologies, tools, and technologies through national and international collaborations.
2. Organize joint workshops and symposiums, develop joint PhD programs, and facilitate mobility with international partners.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Guest lecture by Dr Sanjivan Gautam, Director, Cell Therapy and Immuno-Oncology, Head of T-Modulation, AstraZeneca, USA	"Tackling solid tumor microenvironment to enhance efficacy of immunotherapies."	28 Jun 2025
2.	Guest lecture by Dr Benu Brata Das, Professor, School of Biological Sciences, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata	Decoding Disease: How Nuclear and Mitochondrial DNA Breaks Lead to Genomic Instability	22 Jul 2025
2.	Workshop on Mitochondrial Bioenergetics using the Agilent Seahorse XF analyser platform	In collaboration with Medispec India Pvt Ltd.	09 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3.	11th Annual Meeting of the Society for Mitochondria Research and Medicine-India (SMRM) and International Conference on Mitochondria in Health, Disease, and Ageing	Convener, Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty, MSLS, MAHE, Manipal	09-11 Oct 2025
4.	Invited speaker- International conference on cutting-edge research and innovations in cancer towards improving patient outcomes at the Biotechnology Research and Innovation Council-National Centre for Cell Science (BRIC-NCCS), Pune, India, from November 6th to 8th, 2025	Cancer-on-chip: 3D tumor model to study tumor microenvironment and drug response	06-08 Nov 2025
5.	Invited speaker- Micro physiological Systems (MPS) Bootcamp 2025, hosted by NIPER Ahmedabad in collaboration with the Centre for Predictive Human Model Systems, CCMB-Hyderabad.	Microfluidics-based organ-on-chip technology in cancer diagnostics and drug discovery	05-07 Mar 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1.	Establishment and validation of a microfluidic 3D Cancer-on-Chip platform to study chemo and radio-sensitivity	54/14/09/2022-BRNS, Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences (BRNS)	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	41 lakhs	2023 - 2026
2.	Delineating the genomic basis of neurodegeneration and mitochondrial disorders associated with defective DNA break repair	2022-1420, Department of Health Research (DHR)	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	85 lakhs	2023 - 2026
3.	Cancer-on-Chip: Developing a state-of-the-art microfluidic diagnostic Organ-on-Chip (OoC)	Indian Council for Medical Research, Government of India:	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	253.10 lakhs	2024 - 2028

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
	platform to study ex vivo chemo radiation sensitivity	IIRPG-Intermediate IIRPIG-2023-0000845			
4.	Development of an oral cancer-on-a-chip device for assessment of drug sensitivity on patient-derived tumor samples for personalized medicine	DBT-BIRAC Ref No. BT/PMD0056/0I/23	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	338.50 lakhs	2025 - 2027
5.	Functional assessments of pathogenic variants in the nuclear and mitochondrial genomes contributing to the pathogenesis of hereditary optic neuropathies	DBT (BT/PR50336/MED/12/1090/2023)	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	20 lakhs	2026 - 2029
6.	A molecular understanding of mitochondrial disorder in an Indian patient cohort: a new avenue for molecular diagnosis, therapeutics, and disease management	ANRF-SUPRA (SPR/2023/000321)	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	45.32 lakhs	2025 - 2028
7.	Investigating the mutational spectrum of SUMO pathway enzymes modulating replication fork dynamics and therapeutic response in BRCA2-deficient Triple-Negative-Breast Cancer Patients: Integrating Indian clinical samples and cellular models	ICMR IIRP Small Grant (IIRPSG-2025-01-00150)	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty	36.05 lakhs	2026 - 2029
8.	ICMR Collaborating Center of Excellence (CCOE) on rare genetic disorders	ICMR-CCoE-2025-02-0073	Dr Sanjiban Chakrabarty (PI: Dr Anju Shukla)		2025 - 2030

Photo Gallery

The '11th Annual Conference of the SMRM on Mitochondria in Health, Disease, and Ageing' was organized at Luminaire Hall, Fortune Valley View, Manipal, from 09 to 11 October 2025.

A workshop titled "Mitochondrial Bioenergetics using the Agilent Seahorse XF Analyzer" was conducted to demonstrate its application in assessing the metabolic state of mitochondria under diseased conditions

Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal

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Established: 2017

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Master of Public Health (MPH)
- Master of Hospital Administration (MHA)
- Master of Social Work (MSW)
- MSc Biostatistics
- MSc Data Science
- MSc Digital Epidemiology
- MSc Health Technology Assessment
- Certificate Course on Evidence Synthesis
- Certificate Course on Qualitative Research Methods
- Certificate Course in Meditation and Conscious Living
- Certificate course in Research Methodology
- Certificate Course in Scoping Review Methodology
- Certificate Course in Health Technology Assessment
- PhD

About the Institution/School:

The Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH) at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) is a pioneering institution established to address pressing challenges in the field of public health, hospital administration, social work, health technology assessment, and data science. The evolution of PSPH reflects its commitment to academic excellence, research, and innovation in public health education. The journey of PSPH began in 2006 with the establishment of the Department of Statistics, the first University Teaching Department of MAHE. In 2007, the MSc Biostatistics program was introduced, marking the start of specialized education in data science and statistical applications for public health. By 2009, the Department of Public Health was formed, launching the Master of Public Health (MPH) and Master of Social Work (MSW) programs to address critical health and social challenges. Expanding its offerings with an understanding of the growing needs for administrators in the hospital setting, the Department introduced the Master of Hospital Administration (MHA) program in 2010, equipping students for leadership in healthcare management. PSPH was formally established in 2017, uniting various disciplines under one roof to foster interdisciplinary education and research. In 2019, the MSc Data Science program was launched to meet the growing demand for expertise in big data and Artificial Intelligence (AI)-driven public health solutions. The school achieved significant milestones in 2020, including ISO certifications (9001:2015, 14001:2015) and the curriculum of the MPH program

was validated by the Agency for Public Health Education Accreditation (APHEA), ensuring global standards in education. Continuing its trajectory of growth, PSPH introduced the MSc Digital Epidemiology program in 2021, an innovative course addressing the intersection of digital health and epidemiology. In the same year, PSPH gained national recognition, being ranked 4th among emerging MSW colleges and 16th among all MSW colleges in India by the India Today Marketing & Development Research Associates (MDRA) Survey. In 2023, PSPH showcased its global presence by hosting the prestigious G20–T20 event, furthering its reputation for international engagement in global health and public health diplomacy. PSPH redefined academic and research excellence by becoming the first Agency for Public Health Education Accreditation (APHEA)–accredited public health school in Asia and the eleventh globally in 2024. Additionally, PSPH achieved top national rankings, being ranked 1st among emerging MSW colleges and 14th among all MSW colleges in India by the India Today NDRA Survey. These milestones underscore PSPH's unwavering dedication to advancing public health, social work, and healthcare education, positioning itself as a leader in building a healthier and more equitable future. PSPH currently hosts five departments and eleven research centres hosting seven post-graduate programs and doctoral degree programs in part-time and full-time modes apart from six certificate courses.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Health Technology and Informatics			
1	Health Technology Assessment India (HTAIn)—Department of Health Research (DHR) Resource Centre	HTAIn –DHR Resource Centre of PSPH, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE) and Kasturba Medical College (KMC), MAHE, Manipal was commenced in the first floor, PSPH, Manipal by Dr P Giridhar Kini (Registrar, MAHE, Manipal), in the presence of Dr Anil K Bhat (Dean, KMC, Manipal), Dr Sandeep Shenoy (Incharge Director, MSCE, Manipal), Dr Chythra R Rao (Deputy Director, Research, Health Sciences, MAHE, Manipal), Professor Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, Manipal), and Dr Ambigai Rajendran (Associate Professor, MSCE, Manipal). Dr P Giridhar Kini, Dr Anil K Bhat, Dr Sandeep Shenoy, and Professor Dr Cherian Varghese addressed the audience and spoke regarding the importance and objectives of the commencement of the resource centre in Lecture Hall 64, PSPH.	11 Nov 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course :

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Applied Statistics and Data Science			
1	Workshop on Data Analytics in Health Sciences (WDAHS-2025)	Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Pfizer Healthcare India Pvt Ltd and The Statistics and Operations Research Chapter of Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (CARAMS), MAHE, Manipal organized a workshop on "Data Analytics In Health Sciences" (WDAHS-2025) based on the theme of "Applications of Machine Learning/AI".	6 - 10 Jan 2025

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2	Online workshop titled "Exploring Statistical and Machine Learning Classification Models"	The Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal, organized three-day online workshop titled "Exploring Statistical and Machine Learning Classification Models" via Microsoft Teams, as part of its Industry–Academia Collaboration initiative. The workshop featured Dr Asha Kamath from MAHE and Mr Dayananda U from Microsoft India, who provided a balanced blend of academic insights and industry perspectives.	19 - 21 Feb 2025
3	Certificate Course in Research Methodology	The Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science (DASDS) organized the Certificate Course in Research Methodology in two sessions, each session lasting one week. This Certificate Course was held in Hybrid Mode (On-Campus in MAHE, Manipal; Virtually through Microsoft Teams). Faculty of the DASDS, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal, conducted the Certificate Course.	12 May 2025 - 7 Jun 2025
4	Guest lecture titled "Statistics— A Compass to Guide Journey in Data Science"	The Department of Statistics, St Agnes College, Mangalore, organized a Guest lecture titled "Statistics—A Compass to Guide Journey in Data Science" on the occasion of National Statistics Day 2025 for the Statistics students by the resource person Ms Ashma Dorothy Monteiro (Faculty, ()()()DASDS, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) at A2, St Agnes College, Mangalore	30 Jun 2025
5	R Programming Certificate Course	The R Programming Module, coordinated by Dr Asha Kamath and supported by PSPH PhD students (Mr Nagarjuna, Mr Nehal, and Ms Varsha) was held for 10 days, aiming to develop foundational to advanced skills in R programming with hands-on applications in data handling, statistical analysis, and predictive modelling.	7 - 18 Jul 2025
6	Career Talk with Students and a Research Collaboration Meeting with Eli Lilly Bangalore Industry team	The Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science organized a Career Talk with Students and a Research Collaboration Meeting in partnership with the Eli Lilly Bangalore Industry team. This event was held at the MAHE Foundation for Advancement of International Medical Education and Research (FAIMER) Classroom, 5th Floor, Health Sciences Library Building, MAHE, Manipal.	21 Jul 2025
7	Guest Lecture and Hands-on Training on "Jamovi for Business Minds: Simplifying Analytics for Smarter Decisions"	Dr Varun Kumar S G (Associate Professor, DASDS, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), delivered a Guest Lecture and Hands-on Training on "Jamovi for Business Minds: Simplifying Analytics for Smarter Decisions" at Shri Madhwa Vadiraja Institute of Technology and Management (SMVITM) , Udupi. The session was organized by the Department of Business Administration and was attended by around 80 participants.	28 Jul 2025

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8	Talk on "Career Opportunities in Data Science and Analytics"	The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), in association with the Science Association of Dr NSAM First Grade College, Nitte, organized a talk on "Career Opportunities in Data Science and Analytics". The resource person was Dr Satyanarayana (Assistant Professor, DASDS, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal).	22 Aug 2025
9	Industry-Academia Collaborative Talk with Dr Himanshu Pokhriyal	An expert lecture on "Markov Chain Monte Carlo and Gibbs Sampling for Bayesian Approach" was conducted in online mode via Microsoft Teams. The session was delivered by Dr Himanshu Pokhriyal, Senior Principal Biostatistician, Novartis Healthcare Private Limited. The program was attended by 57 participants, comprising Second-year MSc students and Research Scholars of DASDS.	10 Oct 2025
10	Webinar on Career Opportunities in Statistical Research	Dr Satyanarayana (Faculty, DASDS, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered a session during a Webinar on Career Opportunities in Statistical Research in the Department of Statistics, P C Jabin Science College, Hubballi, Karnataka, India.	13 Oct 2025
11	World Statistics Day Webinar	As part of the World Statistics Day, based on the Theme "Quality Statistics and Data for Everyone", DASDS, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Webinar on "Quality Statistics and Data for Everyone" virtually through Microsoft Teams. Mr Arthur D'Silva (Vice President, City Corp Services Ltd,	20 Oct 2025

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		Bangalore) was the resource person (speaker) for the event. He shared valuable insights on the importance of quality statistics, data integrity, and their role in evidence-based decision-making across industries and public systems. The session highlighted how accessible and reliable data contribute to effective governance, business strategy, and societal development.	
12	Tobacco Awareness Skit titled "One Puff – A Lifetime Loss" 	As part of the District Tobacco Control Program, organized by the District Health and Family Welfare Department, a group of enthusiastic Public Health students from PSPH, MAHE, Manipal conducted an awareness skit on the harmful effects of tobacco use at Upendra Pai Memorial College, Udupi. The event was coordinated by Dr Varun Kumar S G (Coordinator, Centre for Regional Development (CRD), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) and organized under the banner of the CRD, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with the District Surveillance Office (DSO), Udupi.	29 Oct 2025
13	Interaction on Industry Insights and Career Paths 	Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized an "Interaction on Industry Insights and Career Paths" at the R A Fisher Hall, DASDS, PSPH. Dr Mahesh Iyer (Head of Global Biometrics and Data Sciences at Bristol Myers Squibb) was the resource person for the event.	8 Nov 2025
14	International Conference on Modelling and Informatics for Public Health 	Dr Asha Kamath (Associate Director, PSPH, Manipal) made a Presentation at The International Conference on Modelling and Informatics for Public Health, held at the Indian Institute of Technology Bombay in Mumbai, India. She was an invited speaker at the conference, and she delivered a talk on "Predicting Antimicrobial Resistance Rate using DeßARMA for data with zeroes or ones".	8 to 11 Dec 2025
15	International Pre conference Workshop on Special Matrices, Graphs, and Applications	Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, Prasanna School of Public Health , Manipal in collaboration with Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (CARAMS), MAHE, Manipal and Department of Mathematics, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal organized the International preconference	10/12/2025-16/12/2025

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		Workshop on Linear Algebra and its Applications (ICLAA 2025) in the KEF Auditorium, MIT, Manipal.	
16	International Conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications 	Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal in collaboration with Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (CARAMS), MAHE, Manipal and Department of Mathematics, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal organized the International Conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications (ICLAA 2025) in the KEF Auditorium, MIT, Manipal.	17 to 20 Dec 2025
Global Public Health Policy and Governance			
1	Workshop on Commercial Determinants of Health. 	Department of Commerce (DoC), MAHE, Manipal in association with the Institute of Public Health, Bengaluru and PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a workshop on Commercial Determinants of Health at AB 2, First Floor, MADCM Classroom, DoC, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Upendra Bhojani (Senior Fellow (Professor Grade), Institute of Public Health, Bengaluru) was the resource person for the event.	17 Jan 2025
2	Professor Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Public Health – Lecture 3 	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Professor Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Public Health—Lecture 3, virtually through Microsoft Teams. Resource Persons for the event were: Professor Dr Mala Rao (Director of the Ethnicity and Health Unit, Imperial College London, London, United Kingdom) and Dr Nitya Mohan Khemka (Director–PATH, London, United Kingdom).	17 Jan 2025
3	Student Exchange Program— Maastricht Students Visit to PSPH	Master of Global Health Students from Maastricht University, Netherlands, Europe, visited PSPH, MAHE, Manipal as part of the Student Exchange Program. During their time in Manipal,	22 Jan 2025 - 3 May 2025

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		they attended academic sessions, research sessions, cultural events, healthcare centre visits, and educational centre visits.	
4	Radio Manipal Program – Awareness Talk by Dr Arathi Rao on the occasion of National Girl Child Day	Dr Arathi Rao (Head of Department (HOD), Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered an awareness talk on the occasion of National Girl Child Day which was broadcast by Radio Manipal FM 90.4.	24 Jan 2025
5	Diabetes Conclave	The Indian Institute of Diabetes in association with Kerala Health Service organized Diabetes Conclave 25 in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala. Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for the session titled "Global Experience in Diabetes Management".	25 Jan 2025
6	Republic Day Celebrations	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCOPS), MAHE, Manipal hosted the 76th Republic Day Celebrations in Greens, MAHE, Manipal. Students, Staff, Faculty of PSPH and constituent units of MAHE, Manipal participated in the event. Student Contingent Teams from various constituent units of MAHE, Manipal including PSPH participated in the event.	26 Jan 2025

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7	Special Lecture on Global Health and World Health Organisation at a Crossroads	Department of Geopolitics and International Relations (DGIR), MAHE, Manipal organized a Special Lecture on Global Health and World Health Organisation at a Crossroads at Lecture Hall 7, Second Floor, Old WGSHA Building, Near Fortune Inn Valley View, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person.	31 Jan 2025
8	Invited Talk on "Global Burden of Disease to Precision Medicine"	Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutics Research (MCBR), MAHE, Manipal organized an Invited Talk on "Global Burden of Disease to Precision Medicine" at the MCBR Multipurpose Hall, MCBR, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for the event.	11 Feb 2025
9	Fifth Dr B S Sajjan Endowment Oration	Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore organized the fifth Dr B S Sajjan Endowment Oration at the MEU, AV Hall, KMC, Mangalore. Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered a guest talk regarding Non-Communicable Diseases—"The Silent Tsunami".	14 Feb 2025
10	Students and Faculty from Tampere University, Finland, Europe visited PSPH, MAHE,, Manipal as part of the	This program included field visits and lectures on key public health sites, providing an immersive learning experience. The exchange is part of the ongoing Team Finland Knowledge grant, with Dr Kumar Sumit (PSPH, Manipal) serving as a co-investigator alongside Dr Tarja Kinnunen (Tampere University). This initiative aimed to foster international collaboration and enhance public health education through experiential learning.	22 Feb 2025 - 1 Mar 2025

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	Student Exchange Program— Team Finland Knowledge Grant		
11	Strategic Planning Workshop on Scaling-Up Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) Services in Udupi District	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with the District Health and Family Welfare Office, Udupi organized a "Strategic Planning Workshop on Scaling-Up NCD Services in Udupi District" at the Luminaire Hall, Fortune Inn Valley View, MAHE, Manipal.	12 Mar 2025
12	Health Talk for the Women Employees of a Cashew Factory in Perdoor, Udupi	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Health Talk for the Women Employees of a Cashew Factory in Perdoor, Udupi. Dr Arathi Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for the event.	15 Mar 2025
13	Interaction Session on "Careers in Public Health For PhD Students"	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized an Informal Interaction Session on "Careers in Public Health for PhD Students" at Lecture Hall 1, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Vikas Kapil (Visiting International Faculty, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event. Dr Prakash Narayanan (PhD Coordinator, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) introduced the resource person during the occasion. The resource person Dr Vikas Kapil addressed the audience and spoke regarding his life, his career journey, his experiences in public health; he also spoke regarding the job opportunities for PhD students in public health.	26 Mar 2025
14	Launch of Online Micro credential One Health Approach for Health System Preparedness on MAHE Online Portal (Directorate of Online Education)	The Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance at PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with the District Health and Family Welfare Services of Udupi, successfully launched the online Micro credential on One Health Approach for Health System Preparedness through the MAHE Online Portal (Directorate of Online Education). The initiative is supported by the DA Prasanna Endowment Seed Grant, led by Dr Navya Vyas, Associate Professor, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH. The modules are designed to provide medical officers,	26 Mar 2025

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		veterinary doctors, and Rapid Response team members at the district level with essential knowledge to detect and prevent zoonotic diseases in the field through a collaborative approach along with case scenarios for better comprehension. The event took place at the District Magistrate Office, Manipal. Dr K Vidyakumari, Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, Udupi district and Shri Prateek Bayal, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayath, officially launched the program. Addressing the gathering, Dr Vidyakumari highlighted the importance of health system strengthening and emphasised the significance of the collaboration between the public and private sectors. Shri Prateek Bayal emphasised the significance of one health in the backdrop of the emergence of zoonotic diseases. Other dignitaries who attended the event were Dr Prashant Bhat, District Vector Borne Disease Control Officer, Udupi district, who emphasised the significance of intersectoral coordination in disease prevention and response. Other esteemed speakers included Dr Nagaratna, District Surveillance Officer, Udupi district and Dr Reddappa, Deputy Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services.	
15	World Health Day 2025 (Healthy Beginnings, Hopeful Futures)—A Multidisciplinary Panel Discussion on Healthy Beginnings	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized World Health Day 2025 (Healthy Beginnings, Hopeful Futures) – A Multidisciplinary Panel Discussion on Healthy Beginnings at Lecture Hall 61, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. The resource persons for the event were: Dr Jyothsna B K (Reproductive and Child Healthcare Officer, Udupi District); Dr Ranjitha S Shetty (Associate Dean–Academics, Additional Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE, Manipal); Dr Prashanth Adiga (Professor and Head of the Department, Department of Reproductive Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE, Manipal); Dr Leslie Edward S Lewis (Professor and Head of the Department, Department of Paediatrics, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE, Manipal); Ms Suvarna Hebbar (Assistant Professor and Program Coordinator, Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, Manipal College of Health Professions, MAHE, Manipal); Ms Mitchelle Shilpa Lewis (Lecturer, Department of Fundamentals of Nursing, Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE, Manipal); Dr Arathi P Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal); and Dr Rithu Sathy (PhD Research Scholar, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal).	7 Apr 2025
16	Webinar on “Enablers and Accelerators for achieving Universal Health Coverage”	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with MSCE, MAHE, Manipal organized a webinar on “Enablers and Accelerators for achieving Universal Health Coverage” in the Hybrid Mode— On-campus at Lecture Hall 3, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal and virtually through Microsoft Teams. Dr K Srinath Reddy (Chair, Centre for Universal Health Coverage; Professor of Health Policy, Indian School of Public Policy; Honorary Distinguished Professor, (Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI))) was the resource person for this event.	14 Apr 2025

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17	Beyond Addiction: Mental Health, Social Impact, and Clinical Realities of Substance Abuse—A Panel Discussion	Nasha Mukt Club, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Panel Discussion on the topic of mental health, social impact, and clinical realities of substance abuse for the PSPH students. It was a thought-provoking discussion on the realities of substance abuse, its impact, and the path to recovery.	15 Apr 2025
18	Global Health Symposium 2025—Bridging Different Worlds	The Global Health Symposium 2025, was an enriching and immersive event. The Symposium brought together students of global and public health from the partner institutions – PSPH, MAHE,, Manipal; Maastricht University (Netherlands), and Thammasat University (Thailand), for two weeks of academic engagement, intercultural exchange, and experiential learning under the theme “Bridging Different Worlds”.	20 Apr 2025 - 2 May 2025
19	World Health Summit Regional Meeting 2025	The World Health Summit Regional Meeting 2025 was held in New Delhi, India. A Panel Discussion was held on “Health Literacy in the AI Era”. The event was organized by the Asian Health Literacy Association (AHLA). Dr Usha Rani (HOD, Department of Hospital and Health Management (DHHM), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), being one of the resource persons for the event, spoke regarding the Topic "AI: A Powerful Tool for the Development of a Health Literate Society". She spoke on why health literacy matters, the Potential of AI to support health literacy development and better patient-doctor communication, a few initiatives, and the vision forward for a health literate, healthy society. Dr Maria Cristiane Barbosa Galvao (Visiting International Faculty, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) being one of the resource persons for the event, spoke regarding the Topic "Bond-based Health Literacy and Artificial Intelligence". She spoke on the importance of a	25 - 27 Apr 2025

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		humane touch. Proposed a conceptual reconfiguration of health literacy, shifting it from a functional health approach, centred on the transmission of health information, to a bond-based approach, grounded in interaction, listening and human presence. There were 4,500 registered global participants in the conference. This session was a parallel panel discussion.	
20	Founder's Day Celebrations in PSPH	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Founder's Day Celebrations on the occasion of 127th Birth Anniversary Celebrations of Dr T M A Pai in the Front Entrance Area, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) addressed the gathering and spoke regarding the importance of celebrating Founder's Day. Director, Faculty, Staff, Students of PSPH, MAHE, Manipal made a floral tribute to Dr T M A Pai.	30 Apr 2025
21	Multidisciplinary Team Workshop for Developing a Training Program for Multi Skilled Caregivers (MSCG)	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Manipal College of Nursing (MCON), MAHE, Manipal; MCHP, MAHE, Manipal; KMC, MAHE, Manipal; Manipal Hospice and Respite Centre (MHRC), MAHE, Manipal; Manipal College of Dental Sciences (MCODS), MAHE, Manipal; and KITES Senior Care, Bengaluru organized a "Multidisciplinary Team Workshop for Developing a Training Program for Multi Skilled Caregivers" at the FAIMER Hall, Fifth Floor, Library Building, MAHE, Manipal.	8 May 2025
22	Visit to PSPH by Dr Marie Lina Excellent	Dr Marie Lina Excellent (Faculty, Gillings School of Global Public Health, University of North Carolina, USA) visited PSPH, MAHE, Manipal.. During her visit, she interacted with PSPH students, researchers, and faculty; provided guidance and information for Public Health students regarding career paths in Public Health, Global Health; and discussed with faculty regarding avenues for potential collaboration in areas such as research, joint events, and proposal development.	28 Jun 2025 - 4 Jul 2025
23	Manipal International Conference	Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was one of the resource person at the Manipal International Conference on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) in Health: Envisioning a Future of Global Collaboration for Education, Research and Practice. He delivered a Plenary Session regarding "Advocating Policy and Structural Changes to Achieve Health Equity".	7 - 9 Jul 2025

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24	Radio Program on World Breastfeeding Week 	Dr Arathi Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered an awareness talk on the occasion of World Breastfeeding Week, which was broadcasted by Radio Manipal FM 90.4.	3 Aug 2025 - 3 Apr 2025
25	Demonstration of Point-of-Care HemoCue HbA1c 501 device 	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in association with District Health and Family Welfare, Udupi organized a Demonstration of Point-of-Care HemoCue HbA1c 501 device in the Lecture Hall 62, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) addressed the audience and spoke regarding the objectives and importance of organising the session.	7 Aug 2025
26	Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan Pledge. 	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan Pledge- taking event for the PSPH students at the PSPH lecture halls.	12 - 13 Aug 2025
27	Anti-Ragging Awareness Program	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the “Anti-Ragging Awareness Program and Interactive Discussion” as part of Anti-Ragging Week 2025 in the Lecture Hall 4A, Melaka Manipal Medical College (MMMC) Building, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Edlin Glane Mathias (Student Affairs Coordinator, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) coordinated the event .	18 Aug 2025

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28	Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan Activity and Talk	Nasha Mukt Club, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan activities and an awareness session on the ill effects of substance abuse. The members of Nasha Mukt Club of PSPH had come up with an idea where the PSPH students and faculty can express the first thoughts that come to their mind for substance abuse awareness on a whiteboard. Along with it they also designed a crossword which had key words for substance abuse awareness hidden in it. On August 21, 2025, Ms Nikitha Sibil Rebello (PhD Scholar, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered a talk regarding "Substance Use Realities: Challenges and Choices".	19 - 21 Aug 2025
29	Workshop on Health Policy	Field Visit to Udupi City Municipal Council (CMC) Material Recovery.	22 Aug 2025
30	Master Class Series (Series 1—Health Care Systems: Building Blocks for Impact and Equity)	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized PSPH Master Class Series (Series 1—Health Care Systems: Building Blocks for Impact and Equity) at the Lecture Hall Interact 2c, MAHE, Manipal. Professor Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person (speaker) for the event.	23 Aug 2025
31	Promotion of Life Skills Sessions	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Promotion of Life Skills Sessions from August to November 2025 (28 August 2025; 4 September 2025; 30 October 2025; 20 November 2025) at LH 1, LH 64, PSPH. The sessions were regarding Self-awareness, Empathy; Effective Communication; Critical Thinking and Problem Solving; and Stress Management and Self Care. The sessions were Facilitated by Ms Dezma Savina	28 Aug 2025 - 20 Nov 2025

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		Fernandez (PhD Research Scholar, PSPH, Manipal). These sessions were conducted for the first-year MPH program students of PSPH.	
32	National Nutrition Week 2025	Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized events and activities on the occasion of National Nutrition Week 2025. Social Media Poster Design competition "Nutribyte" and Turncoat Debate competition "Nutri-Voice" were held at the Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC Building, MAHE, Manipal.	1 - 6 Sep 2025
33	Awareness Program under Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal took up the initiative to conduct an awareness program at Dr T M A Pai Polytechnic College, Manipal. Around 55 students of MPH program from PSPH, MAHE, Manipal were deputed to sensitise students about the harmful effects of substance use, its impact on health and society, and the importance of help-seeking behaviours. Approximately 350 polytechnic students participated in the three (30 August 2025, 6 September 2025, and 13 September 2025) with 85 to 100 students attending each week.	6 Sep 2025
34	Faculty Development Program titled "Workshop on How to Deliver Lectures"	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Faculty Development Program titled "Workshop on How to Deliver Lectures" at the Lecture Hall 64, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr K Ramnarayan (Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University) was the resource person (speaker) for the event.	6 Sep 2025
35	Suicide Prevention Day Activity	Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a white display board activity in the first-floor area, PSPH. Students, staff, and faculty of PSPH wrote messages regarding mental health, to enhance awareness regarding dealing with people with	10 Sep 2025

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		suicidal thoughts, to encourage and motivate people to stop people from committing suicide.	
36	Soft Skills Session	Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Soft Skills Session for the PSPH students at Lecture Hall 3, PSPH. Mr Sanjeev (Co-Founder, Lokadhwani Collective) and Dr Poornima Venkat (Co-Founder, Lokadhwani Collective), were the resource persons who delivered the Soft Skills Session to the PSPH students.	27 Sep 2025
37	World Heart Day Webinar	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a World Heart Day Webinar titled "How to be Heart Healthy?" virtually through Microsoft Teams. Moderator for the event was Dr Arathi Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal). Panellists were Dr Cherian Varghese (Professor and Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Dr Kanhai Rajendra Lalani (Associate Professor, Department of Cardiology, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), MAHE, Manipal), Dr Mukund A Prabhu (Associate Professor, Department of Cardiology, KMC, MAHE, Manipal), and Dr Sanjay Kini B (Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, KMC, MAHE, Manipal).	29 Sep 2025
38	Academic Exchange Session	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with National Taiwan University (NTU), Taiwan organized an Academic Exchange Session virtually through Microsoft Teams. Director Tzu-Pin Lu (Professor and Chair, Institute of Health Data Analytics and Statistics, NTU), Director Hsien-Ho Lin (Professor and Director, Epidemiology and Preventive Medicine, NTU), and Dr Kavitha K Mahesh (Associate Professor, Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, PSPH) were the resource persons for the session. The resource persons addressed the audience and spoke regarding their institutes, the nature of their jobs, academics and research works done by their institutes, and their area of work. They also discussed regarding potential collaborations (MoU's) regarding academics and research.	3 Oct 2025
39	Career Advising Session	MPH Program, College of Medicine, Gulf Medical University organized a Career Advising Session on "Beyond Borders: Building a Career in Global Public Health" virtually. Professor Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE,()() Manipal) was the resource person for the event.	8 Oct 2025

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40	World Mental Health Day Activities 	Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance in collaboration with Department of Social and Health Innovation (DoSHI) and Student Council; PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized World Mental Health Day Celebrations. Wall of Positivity was organized on the first floor at PSPH. Flash Mob and Street Play were organized on 13 October 2025 in front of MMMC building. Reels were submitted for the reel-making competition. Winners were the team comprising of Mr Alrick Sam A (Second year, MPH), Ms Asha Joy S A (Second year, MPH), Ms Melina Stefy Dsousa (Second year, MPH), Ms Meera S K (Second year, MPH), Ms Stephe Margretta (Second year, MPH) and Ms Balapdianghun Khongwir (Second year, MPH).	10 - 17 Oct 2025
41	PSPH Master Class Series Class 2 Session on "More Than Medicine: The What, When, Where, Why and How of Palliative Care" 	As part of the PSPH Master Class Series, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Class 2 Session on "More Than Medicine: The What, When, Where, Why and How of Palliative Care" at the Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC Building, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Seema R Rao (Director, Manipal Hospice and Respite Care Centre, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for the event.	11 Oct 2025
42	Representatives of The George Institute visit PSPH 	Representatives from The George Institute for Global Health (TGI) visited PSPH, MAHE, Manipalfor Interactive discussions.	23 to 24 Oct 2025
43	Workshop on Publishing	The Research Vertical, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a "Workshop on Publishing" at the Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC building. The resource persons were Dr Rajesh Kamath (Faculty, Department of Healthcare and Hospital	25 Oct 2025

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		Management, PSPH, Manipal) and Dr Vikas Kapil (International Professor of Public Health, PSPH, Manipal). Dr Kamath spoke regarding Scopus in a talk titled "Scopus 101". Dr Kapil delivered a talk titled "Predatory Publishing and Conferences".	
44	Academic Visit to Tampere University, Finland	Dr Kumar Sumit (Faculty, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) visited Tampere University, Finland, on an Academic visit.. During the visit, Dr Kumar Sumit delivered a Guest Lecture at the Faculty of Public and Global Health, Tampere University, Finland, on 30 October 2025 titled "Public Health through a Global Lens".	25 Oct 2025 to 6 Nov 2025
45	Talk on Importance of Potable Water: Health Perspective	Dr Vidya (Faculty, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()) delivered an invited talk titled "Importance of Potable Water: Health Perspective" for the benefit of all the caretakers of MAHE campus hostels organized by the Chief Warden Office, MAHE, Manipal at the Admission Hall, first floor, EDU building, MAHE, Manipal.	28 Oct 2025
46	Guest lecture titled "From Research Topic to Research and Dissertation: Step-by-Step Guidance"	Dr Kumar Sumit (Faculty, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()) was invited as a resource person to deliver a guest lecture titled "From Research Topic to Research and Dissertation: Step-by-Step Guidance" virtually at Alliance University, Bengaluru. The event was organized by the Department of Psychology, Alliance School of Liberal Arts, Alliance University, Bengaluru.	29 Oct 2025
47	World One Health Week Celebrations	As part of the World One Health Week Celebrations , Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a photography competition. Results were announced at Lecture Hall 3, PSPH. One Health Incubator session was held at Lecture Hall 3,	3 to 7 Nov 2025

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		PSPH. White Display Board Activity was held in the first floor area of PSPH. Students, staff, faculty posted messages and thoughts regarding one health. School Awareness Program was held in the Academy Higher Primary School, Manipal. 15 MPH students of PSPH performed a skit; 44 school children were present.	
48	Student Immersion Program	Students of Bachelor of Global Studies accompanied by a Faculty from Maastricht University, Netherlands visited PSPH, MAHE, Manipalfor a Student Immersion Program. They visited educational institutions, healthcare institutions in and around the Manipal campus.	3 to 28 Nov 2025
49	Conference on Scaling up Innovative Cervical Cancer Screening in India	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Manipal School of Information Sciences (MSIS) and KMC Manipal organized a Conference on Scaling up Innovative Cervical Cancer Screening in India at Sir M V Seminar Hall, AB 2, MIT, Manipal. This Conference was part of the Results of Pan-India Implementation Research and Lessons Learnt from Prevention and Screening Innovation Project Toward Elimination of Cervical Cancer (PRESCRIP-TEC). Professor Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, Manipal) and Dr Arathi Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance (GPHPG), PSPH, Manipal) were part of the organising team and addressed the audience during the occasion.	13 to 14 Nov 2025
50	Radio Program – World Diabetes Day	An interactive discussion on the occasion of the World Diabetes Day based on the Theme “Diabetes Across Life Stages”, consisting of Dr Arathi Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) and Ms Pallavi Nithesh (PhD Research Scholar, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was broadcasted by Radio Manipal FM 90.4.	14 Nov 2025
51	Radio Program - World Cervical Cancer Elimination Day of Action	An interactive discussion on the occasion of the “World Cervical Cancer Elimination Day of Action” consisting of Dr Arathi Rao (HOD, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) and Ms Anushree Prabhakaran (PhD Research Scholar, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was broadcasted by Radio Manipal FM 90.4.	17 Nov 2025

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52	Alumni Meet. 	The Alumni Meet held in New Delhi brought together Master of Public Health (MPH) graduates and faculty from the PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. The purpose of the gathering was to strengthen alumni–institution engagement, discuss emerging opportunities, and explore avenues for enhancing student learning and career readiness.	21 Nov 2025
53	Invited Talk on the topic "Environmental Hygiene and Sanitation" 	Dr Varalakshmi Chandra Sekaran (Coordinator, MPH Program, GPHPG, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered an Invited Talk on the topic "Environmental Hygiene and Sanitation" for the benefit of all the caretakers of MAHE campus hostels in the Admission Hall, First Floor, MAHE Edu building.	29 Nov 2025
54	Nasha Mukt Pledge Session 	As part of the Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan, Nasha Mukt pledge was administered to the PSPH students, staff and faculty in the LH 64, PSPH.	12 Dec 2025
Health care and Hospital Management			
1	Panellist in AHSCON 2025 event	Karnataka Allied and Healthcare Professionals Association (KAHPA) in association with S-VYASA University, Bengaluru organized AHSCON 2025 (A National Conference on Allied Health Sciences) at the S-Vyasa University, Kengeri Campus, Bengaluru. Organisations and Universities across India co-hosted and collaborated regarding this event. Dr Rajesh Kamath (Faculty, MHA Program, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management (DHHM), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()()) was the Panellist in AHSCON 2025 for the	18 Jan 2025

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		Panel Topic “Transformational Leadership in Healthcare – Inspiring Change and Innovation”.	
2	Magu Nagu – Oral Health Screening and Treatment Program For Special Kids	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with MCODS , MAHE, Manipal on the occasion of World Oral Health Day 2025 organized Magu Nagu (A Happy Mouth is a Happy Mind)—Oral Health Screening and Treatment Program For Special Kids on at the Asha Nilaya School and Vocational Rehabilitation Centre for Special Kids, Udupi for the Special Children of Asha Nilaya School and Vocational Rehabilitation Centre.	20 Mar 2025
3	Online Workshop on "AI for Leaders in Healthcare"	The Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Consortium of Accredited Healthcare Organisations (CAHO) organized a hands-on Online Workshop on "AI for Leaders in Healthcare".	10 Apr 2025
4	Consortium of Accredited Healthcare Organisations Conference (CAHOCON) 2025	CAHOCON was hosted by CAHO. It was themed "Enhancing Quality through Collaboration: Transforming Healthcare Together". The event put a spotlight on the pivotal role of collaboration in driving progress across the healthcare landscape. The tagline, "Collaboration: The heartbeat of progress", encapsulated the spirit of the event. The event was held at the Hotel Pullman, Aerocity, New Delhi. It brought together distinguished healthcare leaders, professionals, researchers, and educators. Dr Usha Rani (HOD, DHHM, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) represented PSPH, MAHE, Manipal and participated in the event.	12 to 13 Apr 2025
5	Workshop on Navigating and Adapting NABH – Sixth Edition	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Kasturba Hospital (KH), MAHE, Manipal, organized a Workshop on “Navigating and Adapting NABH – Sixth Edition” (Quality is a Journey, not a Destination) at Dr T M A Pai Hall, MAHE, Manipal. The following were the resource persons for the event: Dr Anand R (Professor, Department of Respiratory Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore), Dr Suneel Mundkur (Professor, Quality Advisor, Department of Paediatrics, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal), Dr	24 to 25 Apr 2025

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		Christopher Sudhakar (Director – Quality, MAHE, Manipal), and Dr Sunil Baliga (Associate Professor, Department of Orthopaedics, QMR – Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala).	
6	Fintalk – Financial Fitness for Future Professionals	Net worth – The Finance Club of KMC Manipal, MAHEorganized "Fintalk – Financial Fitness for Future Professionals" at Interact Halls, KMC, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Rajesh Kamath (Faculty, DHHM, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event.	14 May 2025
7	SVASTH – 2025	The Students of the Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized SVASTH-2025. The Pre-Conference Workshop was held on 13 October 2025. The Conference was held on 14 October 2025. Sustainable Viable Alternative Solutions in Technology and Healthcare (SVASTH) was a Student Led Conference.	14 Oct 2025
8	Hospital Model Display	Students of the MHA Program, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management , PSPH, MAHE, Manipalunder the guidance of Dr Usha Rani (HOD, DHHM, PSPH) made a 3D Hospital Model Presentation near the Lecture Hall 2, PSPH which was part of their internal assessment.	10 Nov 2025
Health Technology and Informatics			
1	Scientific Symposium.	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)–National Centre for Disease Informatics and Research (NCDIR)organized the 14th Annual Day Scientific Symposium in the Ground Floor, Conference Room, ICMR-NCDIR. Professor Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered a Session regarding research gaps in NCD prevention and control. Dr Vani Laskhmi (In charge HOD, DHTI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) delivered the vote of thanks.	24 Jan 2025

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2	Seminar on Search and Reference Management Software 	Mr Elstin Anbu Raj conducted the Seminar and delivered insights into the usage of Search and Reference Management Software and explained how these software could be useful for the students in their research thesis and in their research career.	21 Mar 2025
3	Professor Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Public Health Lecture 4: Wales and the Changing Climate—Understanding Impact Assessments 	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Professor Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Public Health Lecture 4: Wales and the Changing Climate— Understanding Impact Assessments virtually through Microsoft Teams. This lecture provided valuable insights into the impact of climate change on public health, with a focus on Wales and its adaptation strategies. Resource Persons: Ms Rebecca Masters (Consultant, Public Health, Public Health Wales, UK) and Dr Sarah Jones (Consultant, Environmental Public Health, Public Health Wales, UK).	21 Mar 2025
4	Interaction Session on "Effective Ways to Make a Presentation - How to Make Your Communication Effective" 	Dr Vikas Kapil (International Faculty, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event. During the interaction session, Dr Vikas Kapil addressed the audience and spoke regarding his career, how he makes presentations, how he prepares for the presentations, what has to be included in presentations, and on how to make it interesting and informative for the audience.	5 Apr 2025
5	Interaction Session on "Climate Change and	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized an Interaction Session on "Climate Change and Health: A United States Perspective" at Lecture Hall 64, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Vikas Kapil	12 Apr 2025

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	Health: A United States Perspective"	(Visiting International Faculty, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event.	
6	Certificate Course in Evidence Synthesis: Systematic Reviews and Meta-analysis	Centre for Evidence-informed Decision-making, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized "Certificate Course in Evidence Synthesis: Systematic Reviews and Meta-analysis" in hybrid mode.	14 Jun 2025 - 13 Sep 2025
7	Webinar on Introduction to the Postgraduate Certificate Program in Health Technology Assessment: Bridging Evidence to Impact	Department of Health Technology and Informatics, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with The George Institute for Global Health, India and the Kalam Institute of Health Technology, Visakhapatnam, organized a webinar titled "Introduction to the Postgraduate Certificate Program in Health Technology Assessment: Bridging Evidence to Impact".	20 Aug 2025
8	Professor Rajani Prasanna Lecture Series	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the Lecture V Professor Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series II on Climate Change and Public Health. This session focused on the vital theme of "Climate-Related Exposures, Adaptation, and Health Risks in Vulnerable Populations" and was held virtually through Microsoft Teams. Eminent Speakers for the event: Dr Rima Habre (Associate Professor of Environmental Health and Spatial Sciences at the University of Southern California) and Dr Sunil Bhaskaran (Professor of Geospatial Technology and Applications at the City University of New York).	28 Aug 2025

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9	Certificate Course on Scoping Review Methodology	Centre for Evidence-informed Decision-making, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized "Certificate Course on Scoping Review Methodology" at Interact Lecture Hall 2a, MAHE, Manipal.	1 - 4 Sep 2025
10	PSPH Student Council Investiture Ceremony	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the Investiture Ceremony of the PSPH Student Council 2025-2026 . Dr Geetha Maiya (Director, Student Affairs, MAHE, Manipal) was the Chief Guest for the event.	10 Sep 2025
11	Innovation Day Celebrations	Innovation Cell in collaboration with Student Council, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Talk and Quiz on the occasion of Innovation Day Celebrations at Lecture Hall 3, PSPH. Dr Prakash Narayanan (PhD Coordinator, PSPH) delivered a talk regarding "Innovation and Entrepreneurship". Mr Agnivo Basu (Student, Department of Applied Statistics and Data Science, PSPH) delivered a Talk regarding "Thoughts of Dr A P J Abdul Kalam on Innovation and Nation Building; Innovation in the Digital and AI era". He narrated his experiences regarding his startup. An Online Live General Knowledge Quiz was conducted by the PSPH Students and PSPH Student Council.	16 Oct 2025
12	Session on LinkedIn for All	The Alumni Cell, Placement Cell, and Career Counselling Cell (CCC) in collaboration with Student Council, PSPH, MAHE, Manipalorganized a Session on "LinkedIn for All" at Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC building. Dr Vani Lakshmi (Department of Health Technology and Informatics, PSPH, Manipal) was the resource person for the event.	27 Oct 2025
13	Guest lecture titled "The Role of HTA in Decision-Making: Real World Case Studies"	Dr Kavita Kachroo (Chief Operating Officer and Scientist E at KIHT (Kalam Institute of Health Technology)), delivered an insightful guest lecture for the MPH and MSc HTA students on "The Role of HTA in Decision-Making: Real World Case Studies" virtually through Microsoft Teams. Dr Kachroo shared valuable insights on how Health Technology	10 Nov 2025

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		Assessment (HTA) informs critical healthcare decisions, providing real-world case studies that illustrated its impact on shaping health policy, improving system efficiency, and ensuring evidence-based practices.	
14	Constitution Day Celebrations. 	PSPH, MAHE, Manipalobserved the Indian Constitution Day at Lecture Hall 1, PSPH at 11:00 AM. The preamble of the constitution was recited by the faculty and staff of PSPH.	26 Nov 2025
Social and Health Innovation			
1	Pre-Placement Session 	MSW Program, Department of Social and Health Innovation, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Pre -Placement Session for the MSW Program Students of PSPH, MAHE, Manipal at Lecture Hall 61, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Representatives of St Jude's India Child Care Centre, Cottongreens, Mumbai were the resource persons for the session.	16 Jan 2025
2	Community Immersion camp regarding MSW Program Students 	Dr Asha Albuquerque Pai and Mr Alric Dsouza of the MSW Program, Department of Social and Health Innovation, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a camp in Goa for the 1st year Students and Master of Global Health students from Maastricht University, Netherlands, Europe. This was a community immersion camp. This four-day camp was designed to blend learning, community engagement, and hands-on use of social work methods in the experiences in Zuarinagar. Following activities were organized: Needs Assessment (Students engaged with the community to understand their priorities and challenges), Bus Stand Clean-Up Drive, Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA), and School Wall Painting and Clean-Up.	20 - 25 Jan 2025
3	Study Tour of MSW Program Students	MSW Program, (DoSHI), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Study Tour regarding Organisations and Associations in Mumbai, India for the students and faculty of MSW Program, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. During this Study Tour, the students and faculty visited companies such as GAIL India Limited; Family Planning Association, India; Global Vipasana	20 - 25 Jan 2025

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		Centre, World's largest mediation dome hall; Tata Memorial Hospital; Taj Santacruz; Humsafar Trust; and St Jude India, Childcare Centres, Tata Memorial Centre, Mumbai Port Trust.	
4	Study Tour 	Students and faculty of First Grade Government College, Vittala visited PSPH, MAHE, Manipal as part of their Study Tour. During the study tour, students and faculty of the MSW Program, (DoSHI), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal explained to them the facilities in and around PSPH, MAHE, Manipal.	29 Jan 2025
5	RTE Stakeholders' Discussion and Consultation. 	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in association with PADI , Mangalore organized Right To Education (RTE) Stakeholders' Discussion and Consultation in the Boardroom, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Professor Dr Cherian Varghese (Director, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Ms Anna (Researcher, Projects; PADI; PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Ms Ida D'Souza (Faculty, MSW Program, DSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Mr Alric D'Souza (Faculty, MSW Program, DSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Dr Vani Lakshmi (In charge HOD, DHTI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), and Representatives of PADI, Mangalore were the resource persons. During the session, the resource persons discussed the RTE, the evolution of educational institutes, and the present scenario regarding educational institutes.	30 Jan 2025
6	Practical Session on "Data Analysis using Excel for Project Management" 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipalorganized a Practical Session on "Data Analysis using Excel for Project Management" at Lecture Hall 61, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Prakash Narayanan (PhD Coordinator; Professor, MPH Program, Department of Global Public Health Policy and Governance ((GPHPG)), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event. During the session, the resource person described the projects, the management of projects, excel, how to use excel, and various features of excel	1 Mar 2025
7	Women's Day Celebration.	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with PADI NGO, Mangalore and 80 Badagabettu Panchayat, Udupi organized Women's Day Celebration as part of International Women's Day 2025 based on the theme "Accelerate Action" at the 80 Badagabettu Panchayat Office, Udupi. Ms Ida D'Souza (Faculty, MSW Program, ()DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the Chief Guest for the event.	7 Mar 2025

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8	Workshop on Academic Writing Skills 	The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Department of Library and Information Science, Government First Grade College, Vittal, Bantwal Taluk, Dakshina Kannada District, Karnataka, India organized a Workshop on Academic Writing Skills for the Degree teachers and MSW students of the Government First Grade College, Vittal in the Government First Grade College, Vittal. Dr Asha Albuquerque Pai (Editorial Coordinator; Faculty, MSW Program, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for the Workshop. She delivered a session regarding Academic Writing and Publishing.	14 Mar 2025
9	Certificate Course in Qualitative Research Methods 	The Transdisciplinary Centre for Qualitative Methods (TCQM), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the Certificate Course in Qualitative Research Methods. Dr Selim Jahangir (Course Coordinator, TCQM, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) conducted the certificate course. The Certificate Course was conducted in Hybrid Mode—On-Campus in Lecture Hall 64, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal and Virtually through Microsoft Teams.	14 Mar 2025 - 13 Jun 2025
10	One Day Training Workshop on “Suicide Prevention and Gatekeeping” 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in association with Ave Maria Palliative Care, Mangalore organized a One Day Training Workshop on “Suicide Prevention and Gatekeeping” at the Centre for Continuing Education and Interprofessional Development (CCEID), Fifth Floor, Health Sciences Library Building, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Lavina Noronha (Director, Ave Maria Palliative Care; Coordinator, Suicide Lifeline; Mangalore) and Ms Sandra Suares (Trainer, Suicide Lifeline, Mangalore) were the resource persons for this event.	18 Mar 2025
11	Community Outreach Program — Community Painting Project at Manasa Rehabilitation School	The MSW 1st year students of PSPH, MAHE, Manipal carried out a meaningful community painting project at Manasa Rehabilitation School, Udupi. With great planning and teamwork, the students transformed the school grounds into a vibrant and interactive learning space. They painted educational games like hopscotch and colourful tiles using bright, non-toxic, and weather-resistant paints to ensure	20 - 28 Mar 2025

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		safety and durability. The designs were created to help children learn through play, improve movement, and recognise colours and patterns. This thoughtful initiative not only added beauty to the school environment but also supported the children's learning and development in a fun and engaging way.	
12	Workshop on "Reference Management For Research" 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Workshop on "Reference Management For Research" at Lecture Hall 61, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Elstin Anbu Raj S (Research Fellow, Centre for Evidence-informed Decision-making, Cochrane Affiliate Centre – MAHE ((Cochrane India Network)), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event. During the workshop, Mr Elstin Anbu Raj S spoke regarding research, thesis, reference management and reference management software for research (Mendeley, Zotero, EndNote).	22 Mar 2025
13	Community Awareness Program —Autism Awareness through Public Space Revitalisation 	Students of the MSW Program, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Autism Society of Udupi (ASU) organized a Community Awareness Program — Autism Awareness through Public Space Revitalisation in the Shanthi Nagar Bus Stop, Industrial Area, Manipal.	3 - 4 Apr 2025
14	Workshop on "Personal and Professional Growth Management" 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Workshop on "Personal and Professional Growth Management" at Lecture Hall 61, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Sobins Kuriakose (Consultant, The World Bank) was the resource person for this event. During the workshop the students were grouped into teams to discuss the various aspects regarding personal and professional growth management. It was an interactive session during which students were required to do team based activities. Mr Kuriakose spoke regarding what is meant by personal growth and professional growth, how they can be achieved, what students need to focus in their lives—their studies, courses they pursue, etiquettes, lifestyle, social media, digital life—and how to progress in their career and life to achieve success, happiness, peace of mind.	12 Apr 2025
15	Scheduled Castes SC) Scheduled Tribes (ST) Federation Session	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a SC ST Federation Session at Lecture Hall 64, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal.	28 Apr 2025

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16	Discussion on Planetary Health 	The Transdisciplinary Centre for Qualitative Methods (TCQM), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized an Expert Discussion on Wellbeing, Sustainability, and Care from a Planetary Health Perspective at the Medical Education Room, Second Floor, Library Building, MAHE, Manipal. This event was co-organized as part of the Utrecht University 2025 theme "Healthy Planet".	2 May 2025
17	Session on Literature Review and Finding the Gap 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Session on "Literature Review and Finding the Gap" at Lecture Hall 61, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Ms Melanie D'Souza (Academic and PhD Scholar, MSCE, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event. The speaker spoke about her research work, how to choose research topics, how to frame the research title, how to search for relevant research articles, search strings, Boolean operators and various tools regarding research.	3 May 2025
18	Orientation Program 	IQAC, Department of PG Studies, School of Social Work, Roshni Nilaya, Mangalore organized an Orientation Program on "Leading with your Heart: Emotional Intelligence in Leadership" in the Seminar Hall, School of Social Work, Roshni Nilaya, Mangalore. Dr Asha Albuquerque Pai (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()()()) was the resource person.	1 Jul 2025
19	Course on Adolescent Health and Wellbeing	Kanachur College of Nursing Sciences, Mangalore, organized a Course on Adolescent Health and Wellbeing at Kanachur Hospital Auditorium, Mangalore. Ms Ida D'Souza (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Dr Lena Ashok (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), Dr Varalakshmi C S (Coordinator, MPH Program, GPHPG, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) were the resource persons for the event. Dr Swati Shourie (Professor of Practice, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was present during the occasion.	23 Aug 2025

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20	Student Wellness Program first session— "Balance Beyond Book" 	Students of the MSW (HR) Program, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized the first session of the Student Wellness Program 2025 "Balance Beyond Books", which included Physical Wellness Program and Treasure Hunt (Sweat and Seek) at the PSPH entrance area for all the PSPH students.	6 Sep 2025
21	Panel Discussion 	Dr Teddy Andrews (HoD, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) moderated a Panel Discussion at the N-SPRITE dissemination event at NIMHANS, Bengaluru. It was a panel of stalwarts in mental health and public services regarding the topic "Changing Narratives on Suicide Prevention".	10 Sep 2025
22	Student Wellness Program second session— "Emotional and Mental Wellness" 	Students of the MSW (HR) Program, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal proudly organized the second session of the Student Wellness Program 2025. With the central theme of "Emotional and Mental Wellness", the session was designed to help students de-stress, reconnect with themselves, and build emotional resilience through interactive and creative activities.	13 Sep 2025
23	Balance Beyond Books— Financial Wellness Program	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a session titled "Money Matters – Financial Literacy for a Confident Career Start" as part of the Balance Beyond Books — Financial Wellness Program. Dr Satish Kumar (Associate Professor and Assistant Director, ()MSCE, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event.	19 Sep 2025

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24	Social Work Orientation Session 	Department of Social Work, SRSM National First Grade College, Barkur, organized a Social Work Orientation Session on "Understanding the Nature, Scope, Specialisation, Job Opportunities, and Relevance of Social Work" for the newly admitted MSW/BSW students to familiarise them with the multifaceted discipline of social work at Seminar Hall, SRSM National First Grade College, Barkur, Udupi. The session aimed to provide a broad understanding of the nature, scope, areas of specialisation, career prospects, and the growing relevance of the social work profession in both Indian and international contexts. Dr Ravichandran Nair (Coordinator, MSW Program, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()()()) was the resource person for the event.	8 Oct 2025
25	Webinar on Dialogues for Adolescent Well-Being 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Karnataka State Trainers Collective (KSTC), Mangalore; Samuchaya, Karnataka; Karnataka Health Promotion Trust (KHPT), Bengaluru organized a Webinar on "Dialogues for Adolescent Well-Being (Parenting Flaws And Flows: Connecting Before Correcting)" . Resource Persons for the event were Dr Varalakshmi Chandra Sekaran (Associate Professor, ()GPHPG, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) and Ms Lugina Miranda (Therapist and Director, You Matter Counselling and Training Centre). Dr Sekaran delivered a session titled "Parenting Styles and Its Effectiveness". Ms Miranda delivered a session titled "New Age Parenting". Ms Ida D'Souza (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the moderator for the event.	17 Oct 2025
26	Theatre Workshop on Mental Health 	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a "Theatre Workshop on Mental Health" at the KMC Greens Stage. Mr Sudheendra J Shanthi (Assistant Professor, BSW Department, Alva's College, Moodubidire) was the resource person for the event.	25 Oct 2025
27	Skill Development Program on MS Excel	DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a Skill Development Program on MS Excel for first year MSW students of PSPH at	8 Nov 2025

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		Lecture Hall 61, PSPH. Mr Saurabh Singh (Assistant Professor, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management ((DHHM)), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()) was the resource person for the event.	
28	Asia Pacific Social Work Conference	Ms Ida D'Souza (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal()) participated in the 28th Asia Pacific Social Work Conference held at Bandaranayke Memorial International Conference Hall, Colombo, Sri Lanka and Taj Samudhra Hotel, Colombo, Sri Lanka; wherein, she engaged with practitioners and scholars from across the ASEAN region to share insights and strengthen regional collaboration. She presented her research paper at the International Conference on "Social Work Responses to Climate Change and Other Environmental Issues". She delivered an Oral presentation titled "Bridging the Gap: Upgrading Social Work Education and Research to strengthen Juvenile Justice practices" under the theme of Social Work Ethics in Community Resilience Building.	18 - 21 Nov 2025
29	Exclusive Seminar on Study Abroad Opportunities and Scholarships for the MSW students	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized an Exclusive Seminar on "Study Abroad Opportunities and Scholarships" for the MSW students of PSPH at Lecture Hall 3, PSPH. The Resource Persons for the event were: Shijo Mon Yesudhas (International Education Specialist and Consultant), Deepa Prabhu (International Education Consultant), Abhishek M Swamy (Assistant Territory Manager– Karnataka, IELTS Operations and Business Development.	19 Nov 2025
30	Seminar on Smart Ageing with Welfare Technology	Transdisciplinary Centre for Qualitative Methods (TCQM), PSPH, MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Hanze University of Applied Sciences and Utrecht University, The Netherlands organized a Seminar on "Smart Ageing with Welfare Technology" at second floor, Health Sciences Library Building, MAHE, Manipal.	28 Nov 2025
31	Presentation by Ms Ida D'Souza	Ms Ida D Souza (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), presented findings of a study on role of local urban governance in implementation RTE 2009 to Mr Kosambe, in	3 Dec 2025

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		charge chairperson, Karnataka state Commissioner for Protection of Child Rights Karnataka State Commission for Protection of Child Rights (KSCPCR), as part of advocacy along with PADI Mangalore staff, at Bengaluru.	
32	Guest talk by Ms Ida D'Souza	Ms Ida D'Souza (Faculty, DoSHI, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal), as a Chief Guest, addressed the MBA students of Manel Srinivas Nayak Institute of Management (MSNIM), Besant Campus, Bondel, Mangalore at the Swarna Academy Hall delivering a Guest talk as part of the "Human Rights Day" celebration, offering an insightful session titled "From Essential to Self-Actualisation—the Gen Z Navigation of Human Rights". The interaction highlighted how young adults can understand and exercise their rights in today's changing social environment.	10 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit(lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures :

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Applied Statistics and Data Science				
1	Dr P S Rana	Thapar University	Resource person for the Workshop on Data Analytics in Health Sciences (WDAHS 2025)	7 Jan 2025
2	Dr Boby John	Indian Statistical Institute	Resource person for WDAHS 2025	8 Jan 2025
3	Dr Sachit Ganapathy, Ms Sangeetha, Mr Budhaditya Goswamy	Pfizer Health Care Inda Pvt Ltd	Resource persons for WDAHS 2025	10 Jan 2025
4	Dr Kuvar Satya Singh	Department of Mathematics, School of Advanced Sciences, (Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT),)Vellore, India	Guest talk titled "Role of Data Assimilation in Prediction of Extreme Events using Numerical Weather Prediction Model"	21 Feb 2025
5	Dr Ankita Sarkar	Deputy Manager, Operations, ()KMC Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore	Invited talk titled "Global Burden of Disease to Precision Medicine"	7 Mar 2025
6	Mr Hitendra Pandey, Mr Ayon Mukherjee, Mr Deepak, Ms. Jeevitha, Ms. Shrinidhi	Eli Lilly Services India Private Limited, Bengaluru	Collaboration and Placement Drive	21 Jul 2025 to 21 Jul 2026

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7	Mr Pillalamarri Sai Praveen	Associate Statistical Programmer, Johnson and Johnson Innovative Medicine, Hyderabad	Alumni Interaction Session	17 Oct 2025
8	Mr Srikrishna Sajjarao	Real-World Evidence (RWE) Analyst, Neuro Discovery AI ((Remote))	Alumni Interaction Session	17 Oct 2025
Global Public Health Policy and Governance				
1	Dr Purnima Parmar	Working with Care Support and Treatment Division, (National AIDS Control Organisation (NACO))	Alumni Interaction Session	28 Apr 2025
2	Dr Kantinath P Ainapure	Senior Consultant, Universal Immunization Program, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi	Alumni Interaction Session	28 Apr 2025
3	Dr Sanidhya Bhargava	State Program Lead / (National Leprosy Eradication Program (NLEP))Consultant	Alumni Interaction Session	28 Apr 2025
4	Dr Anoop Velayudhan	Scientist E ((Medical)) at ICMR ()in Epidemiology and Communicable Disease Division	Guest talk on One Health	30 Apr 2025
5	Dr Sunil Bhaskaran	Professor and Founding Director, (Bronx Community College (BCC),) Geospatial Center of the CUNY CREST Institute, City University of New York, US	Guest lecture titled "Geospatial-AI Framework for Risk Assessment and Mitigation of Natural and Environmental Hazards"	13 May 2025
6	Dr Ranjitha G P	Policy Officer – (National Health Service (NHS)), England	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Unlocking Global Public Health Careers: Post-MPH Jobs and Professional Degrees Abroad"	26 May 2025
7	Dr Hab Agnieszka Wiszniewska Matyszkiel	Professor, Institute of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics, University of Warsaw, Poland	Guest lecture on Tragedy of the Commons	2 Jun 2025
8	Dr Sandra Johnson	Assistant Program Manager-Health, OLA Foundation	Alumni Interaction Session	2 Aug 2025
9	Ms Prameela	Deputy Environmental Officer, District Pollution Control Board, Udupi	Guest lecture titled "Climate Change and Its Impact on Public Health: A Holistic Perspective"	13 Aug 2025
10	Ms Tanuja Maben	Performance Coach, Mind Trainer and Therapist	Guest lecture titled "Redesign Your Mind"	9 Oct 2025
11	Dr Anshul Chauhan	Medical Consultant, ICMR ()– (National Institute for Research in Digital Health and Data Science (NIRDHDS))	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Alumni Insights: Pathways to a PhD in Public Health in India and Abroad"	16 Oct 2025

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12	Ms Eunice Lobo	PhD Fellow, Maastricht University; Senior Research Associate, (Indian Institute of Public Health)(IIPH), Bengaluru and Centre for Development and Lifecourse Research, (Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI))	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Alumni Insights: Pathways to a PhD in Public Health in India and Abroad"	16 Oct 2025
13	Dr Prachi Pundir	Co-Founder and Co-Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Collaboration for Evidence Synthesis; Research Fellow, The George Institute for Global Health	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Reporting and Quality of Health Research"	21 Oct 2025
14	Dr Shradha S Parsekar	Evidence Synthesis Specialist; Senior Research Associate ((HCM)), Goa Institute of Management, Goa; Co-Founder, Collaboration for Evidence Synthesis	Alumni Interaction Session	27 Oct 2025
15	Dr Deepukrishna C	State Implementation Lead, Khushi Baby	Alumni Interaction Session titled "From MPH to Field Impact: Translating Public Health Learning into Action"	7 Nov 2025
16	Dr Parth J Shah	Dean of Indian School of Public Policy, Founding Trustee of Centre for Civil Society, Co-Founder of National Independent Schools Alliance ((NISA))	Guest lecture titled "Aligning Public Health Policies for Health and Development"	25 Nov 2025
Health care and Hospital Management				
1	Dr Shyamsundar Shreedhar	Deputy Manager, KMC Hospital, MAHE, Manipal	Guest lecture titled "From Passion to Purpose: Building an NGO"	8 Mar 2025
2	Dr Songa Isaac Raj	AGM Operations, AIG Hospitals	Alumni Interaction Session titled "From Hospital Administration to Politics: An Unconventional Journey"	22 Mar 2025
3	Dr Avinash Shetty	Medical Superintendent, Kasturba Hospital, MAHE, Manipal	Guest lecture titled "Navigating Government Health Schemes: A Private Hospital Perspective"	22 Mar 2025
4	Dr Vaibhav Kumar Tiwari	Group Manager, Medi Buddy	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Healthcare Start Ups and Job Opportunities" ()	17 Apr 2025
5	Mr Deepak Prabhu	Chief Operations Manager, Dr TMA Pai Hospital, MAHE, Udupi	Guest lecture titled "Hospital Design and Development: An Administrator's View"	3 May 2025
6	Dr Sandra Johnson	Assistant Program Manager-Health, OLA Foundation	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Exploring Career Pathways in Public Health and Social Work"	2 Aug 2025
7	Ms Anusha Prabhu	Associate Manager - Operations, Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	Alumni Interaction Session titled "My Journey from Manipal to Karkala".	9 Aug 2025

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Social and Health Innovation				
1	Ms Nandini Raman	Founder of iamfine.in Guidance and Wellness Consultancy, Columnist for the Hindu's Educational Supplement	Guest lecture titled "Employee Assistance Program"	31 Jul 2025
2	Dr Keertana Gogia	Program Manager, Feeding India; Zomato	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Exploring Career Pathways in Public Health and Social Work"	2 Aug 2025
3	Ms Pooja Kaul	Founder, Organika, Forbes 30U30 Asia, Contestant Shark Tank S	Guest lecture titled "My Entrepreneurship Journey: Finding Problem and Ideation"	1 Sep 2025
4	Ms Siri Sharma	Human Resource Business Partner, Tata Elxsi, Bengaluru	Alumni Interaction Session titled "The Organisational Structure, Culture, and Change Management in Relation to Organisational Behaviour"	16 Sep 2025
5	Ms Siri Sharma	Human Resource Business Partner, Tata Elxsi, Bengaluru	Alumni Interaction Session titled "Roles of HR as a Business Partner in Organisation"	19 Sep 2025
6	Mr Ashish Joseph	Trainee Human Resource Business Partner, Manipal Hospitals, Bengaluru	Alumni Interaction Session titled "From Classroom to Workplace: Human Resources Internship Journey"	20 Sep 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
72	18	29	6

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
8	14	91	23

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Conference	2	2
Other	68	0
Workshop	16	1
Seminar	1	1

Books/chapters authored by faculty members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Applied Statistics and Data Science					
1	Predicting Diabetes Using Machine Learning: A Comprehensive Framework with Model Interpretability	Book Chapter	Dr Panjala Mounika	LAMBERT Academic Publishing	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
2	Construction of Advanced Machine Learning Models for Air Traffic	Editorial Book	Dr Panjala Mounika	BP international	31 Dec 2025
Social and Health Innovation					
1	Transforming Organizational Culture Through Meta-Driven Human Resources	Can Asia Pacific Tap Into Digital Ecosystem for Employee Wellness? : An Evidence Synthesis.	Dr Asha Albuquerque Pai	IGI Global	25 Jun 2025
2	Nurturing Collective Flourishing in Higher Education: Building an Inclusive and Thriving Academic Space	Book Chapter	Dr Jobin K , Dr Teddy Andrews J , Dr Ravichandran Nair K	Springer Nature	01 Jan 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Measuring the host biodiversity infection relationship across spatial scales for a neglected tick-borne zoonosis in Karnataka, South India	Dr Prakash Narayanan	ICMR	60,04,000	1 Jan 2023 - 31 Dec 2026
2	Promoting Adolescents' Resilience: Evidence based integrated approach to parenting and adolescent mental health	Dr Lena Ashok	Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration (SPARC)	50,48,205	28 May 2023 - 30 Apr 2025
3	Study on learning experience and Status of implementation of Right to Education Act at Urban local Authorities With Reference to Karnataka	Ms Ida D Souza	PADI	4,28,340	1 Nov 2024 - 25 Jun 2025
4	Strengthening of health system capacity and service delivery with a focus on Non-Communicable	Dr Cherian Verghese	MAHE	15,38,000	1 Jan 2025 - 31 Jan 2026

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	Diseases in Udupi district				
5	Measuring the host biodiversity-infection relationship across spatial scales for a neglected tick-borne zoonosis in Karnataka, south India—Follow up of the ICMR funded research grant	Dr Prakash Narayanan	MAHE	7,50,000	1 Jan 2025 - 31 Mar 2025
6	Evaluation of "Sphoorthi" Adolescent Empowerment Project in Koppal District, Karnataka	Dr Anupama D S	Karnataka Health Promotion Trust,Bengaluru	15,40,000	15 Jan 2025 - 30 Apr 2025
7	To Develop Vaccine and immunization research taxonomy	PI : Dr Cherian Varghese , Co-investigator: Dr Divya Sussana Patil	WHO	19,14,000	7 Mar 2025 - 30 Jun 2025
8	Project Safewalker	Dr Rahul Sheshan Clare	Professor N Krishnamurthy	50,60,000	1 Apr 2025 - 31 Dec 2026
9	Project SPHERE: Smart Patient Healthcare Efficiency, Resource, and Equipment Management	Dr Rahul Sheshan Clare	MAHE (Intra-Mural)	15,00,000	1 Jun 2025 - 30 Jun 2027
10	HTAIn-DHR Resource Centre (ICMR)	Dr Cherian Verghese	ICMR	50,00,000	13 Jul 2025 - 13 Jul 2027
11	Integrated management for Tuberculosis, Hypertension, Diabetes Mellitus, Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases, Depression, Alcohol, and Tobacco Use in primary health care to maximize the implementation of the national programs	Dr Kumar Sumit	National Health Systems Resource Centre, New Delhi	27,90,700	1 Aug 2025 - 31 Jan 2027
12	Mapping and visualizing innovations in Traditional, Complementary, and	Dr Cherian Varghese (Co-investigators—Dr Divya Sussana Patil and Dr Edlin Glane Mathias	WHO	33,64,240	1 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	Integrative Medicine (TCIM) and related scientific technologies for strategic advancement and scale-up				
13	To develop an application for nutrition tracking	Dr Cherian Varghese	Dure Technologies Pvt SA, Switzerland	4,72,500	3 Oct 2025 - 31 Dec 2025
14	Inclusive and Sustainable District Development Plan 2031(ISDDP-2031)	Dr Vasudeva Guddattu	Zilla Panchayat Dakshina Kannada	10,00,000	20 Dec 2025 – 31 Dec 2026
15	District Human Development Report-2025(DHDR-2025	Dr Satyanarayana	Zilla Panchayat Dakshina Kannada	10,00,000	20 Dec 2025 – 31 Dec 2026

Awards/Recognitions:

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Best Emerging Master of Social Work Colleges in India in 2025	MSW Program, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal has been ranked 1st among the Best Emerging Master of Social Work Colleges in India in 2025.	1 Jun 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Healthcare and Hospital Management			
1	Dr Usha Rani (HOD, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Dr Usha Rani has received the "Best Jury Member" award at INSPIRIA 2025 hosted by the Department of Hospital Administration, Alva's College of Allied Health Sciences.	21 Feb 2025
2	Dr Brayal Dsouza (Associate Professor, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Dr Brayal Dsouza passed the ongoing assessment and written examination for the NABH Assessor Hospital Assessor Training Program (6th Edition Accreditation Standards), held Organised by **National Accreditation Board for Hospitals and Healthcare Providers** at Delhi.	20 Jun 2025
3	Dr Swathi K S (Associate Professor, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Dr Swathi K S received the "Promising Paper Award" for the scientific paper titled "Breast Cancer Awareness and Screening Behaviour in India: Insights for Preventive Public Health Strategies" at the 7th Amrita International Public Health Conference 2025, held at the Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi, Kerala.	6 Dec 2025
Health Technology and Informatics			
1	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias (Assistant Professor, Department of Healthcare and Hospital Management, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias received the "Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal" for the outstanding research publication during the year 2024 for the research titled "Nonpharmacological interventions for managing postoperative pain and anxiety in children: a	14 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		randomized controlled trial" at the Manipal College of Nursing (MCON) awards and annual day program.	
2	Dr Anupama D S (Assistant Professor, Department of Health Technology and Informatics, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Has received "Best Paper Presentation Award" for her research titled "Effectiveness of lifestyle modification intervention program (LMIP) on quality of life among postmenopausal osteoporotic women-A mixed method study" at 69th Annual Conference of the Indian Public Health Association (IPHACON), held at Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Belgaum.	21 Mar 2025
3	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias (Assistant Professor, Department of Health Technology and Informatics, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias has received the 2025 "Farah Jamal Award" for her significant contributions to amplifying under-represented and marginalized voices in evidence synthesis.	15 Dec 2025
Social and Health Innovation			
1	Dr Asha Albuquerque Pai (Assistant Professor— Senior Scale, Department of Social and Health Innovation, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Has secured second place in Swimming and first place in Swimming relay at the Intra MAHE Teaching Department (MAHE TD) Sports and Athletics Meet 2024–25	31 Mar 2025
Applied Statistics and Data Science			
2	Dr. Satyanarayana (Assistant Professor, Applied Statistics and Data Science, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Has been awarded the Prof. Aleyamma George Best Paper Presentation Award at ICSTC-2024. The award was conferred during the inaugural function of the Eleventh International Conference on Statistics for the Twenty-first Century (ICSTC 2025), held from 16–19 December 2025 and organized by the International Statistical Fraternity (ISF) in association with the School of Physical and Mathematical Sciences and the Department of Statistics, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.	19 December 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Applied Statistics and Data Science			
1	Mr Ishaan Rai (Student, MSc Data Science Program)	Mr Ishaan Rai won the second prize in the 83 kg Category of the "MAHE Inter-Collegiate Powerlifting Championship (Men)".	22 Feb 2025
2	Mr Deepak D Shetty (Student, MSc Biostatistics Program)	Won the second prize in in the 55 to 60 kg Category of the "MAHE Inter Collegiate Best Physique (Men)" competition .	27 Mar 2025
3	Utsav	PSPH Students won the second prize in the "Street Play" event held at the Utsav Main Stage, Greens, MAHE, Manipal.	28 Mar 2025
4	Ms Vinitha Serrao R (PhD Scholar)	Awarded the "Professor David Hanagal Best Paper Award" at the "Eleventh International Conference on Statistics for Twenty-first Century" (ICSTC 2025) conference , organized by International Statistical Fraternity (ISF) in association with the School of Physical and Mathematical Sciences and the	19 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Department of Statistics, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.	
5	Ms Jeevitha K M (Student, MSc Biostatistics)	Received the "Best Outgoing MSc Biostatistics Student Award" for the year 2024 (Batch 2022–2024), inclusive of a cash prize of 10,000 INR from Professor Abhaya Indrayan.	31 Dec 2025
Global Public Health Policy and Governance			
1	Ms Rashmi Bhat (PhD Student, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Received the "Best Poster Award" at the "Fifth Manipal International Infectious Diseases Conference (Antimicrobial Resistance, Critical Care ID and Tropical Infections)" for the study titled "Arachnid-Borne Diseases and Vertebrate Species Diversity: A Scoping Review of the Global State of Knowledge".	10 Mar 2025
2	Dr Shubham Vasanth Ankolekar (Student, MPH Program)	Achieved second place in the "One Health Incubator" competition at the "One Health Week" event organized by PSPH.	11 Jun 2025
3	Dr Aisiri R Shetty, Dr Bhoomika R Kumar, Dr Priyanka S Patil, Dr Priyadarshini V S (Students, MPH Program)	Received the "Exemplary Poster Award" at the "Sixth National Conference on Youth in Social Change" organized by Volunteer Services Organisation (VSO), MAHE.	17 Sep 2025
4	Mr Vishal Mehlawat and Dr Radhika S Second Year (Student, MPH Program)	Received the "Best Poster Award" at the "Sixth National Conference on Youth in Social Change" organized by VSO, MAHE for the poster presentation, titled "Inclusive Healthcare: Addressing Disparities Among LGBTQ Individuals and Sex Workers in Healthcare Settings".	17 Sep 2025
5	Dr Srija Santra, Dr Saloni Shetty, Dr Ruchita Achari (Students, MPH Program)	Received the "Exemplary Poster Award" at the "Sixth National Conference on Youth in Social Change" organized by Volunteer Services Organisation (VSO), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE).	17 Sep 2025
6	Dr Rithu S (PhD Research Scholar)	Received the "Best Poster Presentation Award" for her research titled "Dietary diversity of complementary food among the tribes of The Nilgiris, South India" at the 57th annual conference of the Nutrition Society of India, conducted at ICMR, National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad.	14 Nov 2025
Health care and Hospital Management			
1	Dr Suman Pai (Student, MHA Program)	Won First Runner-Up under the category "Mrs Tulunadu 2025" in the Tulunadu 2025 event.	28 Mar 2025
2	Ms Dipti Ghimire, Mr Jay Bharti, and Ms Pallavi R Kamath (Students, MHA Program)	Received first prize in "QualTech—Education and Certificate of Excellence" for the project titled "Reducing Plasma Bag Breakage and Improving Storage Efficiency in the Hospital Blood Bank" at the national level competition organized by Qimpro, in collaboration with CAHOSEC –CAHO.	20 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Social and Health Innovation			
1	Ms Anu Mohan (PhD Research Scholar, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal)	Awarded second prize in “Outstanding Scholarly Contribution” category for presentation at the two-day national conference titled "A New Era for Elderly India: Challenges, Solutions and Future Directions".	27 Nov 2025

Staff

S. No.	Name	Details	Date
Health Technology and Informatics			
1	Mr Sudhindra Poojary	The Sports Council, MAHE, Manipal, organized the MAHE Annual Sports and Games Prize Distribution Ceremony at the Counselling Hall, Edu Building, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Sudhindra Poojary (Office Associate, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) received the First Prize in the MAHE Manipal Inter-Collegiate Non-Teaching Staff Category Chess Tournament.	2 May 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:

Sports Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Applied Statistics and Data Science			
1	Velocity 2025—PSPH Sports Week	PSPH Student Council organized Sports Week in Hybrid mode. E-football was held online. Futsal, Volleyball, Cricket, Staff Sports, and Throwball were played offline; in the end-point grounds and Sharada Arena, Manipal. PSPH students, staff, and faculty participated in the event. They represented PSPH as houses: Ruby, Sapphire, Emerald, and Onyx. The winners of the velocity events were: First– Ruby, Second–Emerald, Third–Onyx, and Fourth–Sapphire.	10 - 14 Nov 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Global Public Health Policy and Governance			
1	MAHE Inter Collegiate Handball (Men) Tournament	PSPH, MAHE, Manipal along with MAHE Sports Council organized the MAHE Inter Collegiate Handball (Men) Tournament at MIT Handball Court, MAHE, Manipal. The Tournament Results: Winners—KMC (Kasturba Medical College), MAHE, Mangalore; and Runners-Up—DoC, MAHE, Manipal.	29 Mar 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Social and Health Innovation			
1	MAHE TD Annual Sports and Games Prize Distribution Ceremony	MAHE TD Annual Sports and Games Prize Distribution Ceremony was held at Lecture Hall 3, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr John Solomon M (Associate Dean, MCHP, MAHE, Manipal) was the Chief Guest.	10 May 2025

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Applied Statistics and Data Science			
1	VIBGYOR 2025	The Cultural Committee and Student Council, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized VIBGYOR 2025—Annual Inter-Batch Cultural Competition at Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC Building, MAHE, Manipal.	14 Feb 2025
Global Public Health Policy and Governance			
1	Teachers Day Celebration	The Student Council, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Teachers Day Celebrations at Lecture Hall 4A, MMMC Building, MAHE, Manipal. PSPH Students organized games, singing, dancing for the PSPH teachers. PSPH Students presented mementos to the PSPH teachers.	2 Sep 2025
2	Festora 2025	Student Council, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized Festora 2025 (a Carnival Cultural Fest) at first floor, Dr T M A Pai Halls. The fest featured games (knock it down, bottle up, 5 shots, dart game, dice and roll, desi golf, ring it on, skeeball) and cultural programs (singing, dancing, Ms Festora 2025, Mr Festora 2025, fashion show, DJ music). Students, staff, and faculty of PSPH, Manipal participated in the event.	28 Oct 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Global Public Health Policy and Governance			
1	Utsav 2025	CCC, MAHE, Manipal organized Utsav 2025—MAHE University Cultural Fest at the Utsav Main Stage, KMC Greens, Dr TMA Pai Halls, MAHE, Manipal. Students, staff and faculty of PSPH, MAHE, Manipal participated in the Fest.	24 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Commencement of HTAIn–DHR Resource Centre (11 November 2025)

-Samavaya—Alumni Meet and Annual Day 2025

-Svasth 2025

Global Health Symposium 2025—Bridging Different Worlds.

Workshop on Data Analytics in Health Sciences (WDAHS 2025)

Workshop on Positive Parenting to Promote Adolescent Mental Health (25 November 2025)

Centre for Evidence-informed Decision-making

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Name of the Coordinator: Dr Divya Sussana Patil

Members: Mr Elstin Anbu Raj, Dr Edlin Glane Mathias [Cochrane Affiliate Centre members]

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To facilitate the synthesis, production, and dissemination of high-quality evidence of effect of Public Health interventions relevant to the South Asian Region.

Mission

- Capacity Building Mentoring reviewers and methodologists in the South Asian region for conducting and appreciating systematic reviews of public health importance.
- Evidence building, producing systematic reviews of public health interest relevant to the South Asian region.
- Networking with institutions and individuals across the region.
- Primary research, including methodological development for knowledge synthesis and translation.
- Knowledge dissemination and Advocacy Disseminating knowledge by organizing workshops and conferences.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Certificate Course on Scoping Review Methodology	On-site	10 - 13 Feb 2025
2	Certificate Course on Health Technology Assessment	Online	07 Dec 2024 - 07 Mar 2025
3	Workshop on Introduction to Evidence and Gap Map	On-site	27 - 28 Feb 2025
4	Training Program on Evidence Synthesis: Systematic Review and Meta-analysis (DBMS)	On-site	19 Feb - 11 Jun 2025
5	Faculty Development program on Mastering Review Research, JSS Institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysuru	Online	10 - 15 Mar 2025
6	Systematic Review Course by Curio and CliMed Academy	Online	13 - 16 Mar 2025
7	Seminar on search and reference management software	On-site	21 Mar 2025
8	Workshop on Reference management for research	On-site	22 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
9	Workshop on Scoping Review Methods and Tools, MCODS Mangalore	On-site	26 Mar - 04 Apr 2025
10	Workshop on Scoping Review Methodology, CliMed	Online	11 - 13 Apr 2025
11	Workshop on Scoping Review (KMC Mangalore)	On-site	06 - 07 May 2025
12	Kick-off workshop for the EGM project, Utrecht University, the Netherlands	On-site	19 May 2025
13	Research Methodology Course for MAHE PhD scholars	On-site	14 May 2025
14	Workshop on Evidence and Gap Map, GROW event, The Netherlands	On-site	15 - 16 May 2025
15	Seminar on Evidence and Gap Maps, Utrecht University, The Netherlands	On-site	21 May 2025
16	Certificate Course in Evidence Synthesis: Systematic Reviews and Meta-analysis	Hybrid	14 Jun - 13 Sep 2025
17	Systematic Review and Meta-analysis workshop 'SRMA Essentials' (Jamshedpur campus)	On-site	28 - 29 Jul 2025
18	Certificate Course on Scoping Review Methodology	On-site	01 - 04 Sep 2025
19	Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) on Evidence Gap Map	On-site	04 Oct 2025
20	World Evidence-based Healthcare Day Webinar	Online	17 Oct 2025
21	Workshop on Scoping Review methodology at MIT, MAHE	On-site	07 - 08 Nov 2025
22	Pre-conference workshop on Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analysis hosted by the School of Dentistry, D Y Patil Deemed to be University, Navi Mumbai.	Online	12 Nov 2025
23	Scoping Review Workshop at the Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	On-site	14 Nov 2025
24	Seminar on Evidence Synthesis at Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal	On-site	26 Nov 2025
25	Preconference workshop on Health Technology Assessment at SVASTH 2025	On-site	13 Oct 2025
26	Preconference workshop at the fourth Cochrane Conclave 2025	On-site	30 Nov - 01 Dec 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Evidence Ambassadors for the World Evidence-based Healthcare Day 2025	World Evidence-Based Healthcare (EBHC) Day is held on 20 Oct each year. It is a global initiative that raises awareness of the need for better evidence to inform healthcare policy, practice, and decision-making to improve health outcomes globally. It is an opportunity to participate in a debate about global trends and challenges, but also to celebrate the impact of individuals and organizations worldwide, recognizing the work of dedicated researchers, policymakers, and health professionals in improving health outcomes.	20 Oct 2025
2	Award for Outstanding Research Publication in the year	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias received the Award for Outstanding Research Publication in the year by Manipal College of Nursing, MAHE, Manipal	14 Feb 2025
3	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias received the Farah Jamal Award	This award for early career researchers aims to recognize scholarly research that ensures historically marginalized and underrepresented voices are heard.	15 Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Evidence and Gap Map for informed decision making: Visualizing the Impact of SDGs in LMICs	Consultancy funded by NWA – Dutch Research Agenda	Project PI from Utrecht University – Prof Ajay Bailey Project coordinator from CEIDeM, MAHE – Dr Divya Sussana Patil	24,32,575	Mar 2025 - Jun 2026
2	Developing a taxonomy for vaccine and immunization research	WHO-SEARO	Dr Cherian Varghese Co-investigator: Dr Divya Sussana Patil	19,14,000	Mar - Jun 2025
3	Mapping and visualizing innovations in Traditional, Complementary, and Integrative Medicine (TCIM) and related scientific technologies for strategic advancement and scale-up.	WHO	Dr Cherian Varghese Co-investigator: Dr Divya Sussana Patil Dr Edlin Glane Mathias	38,29,240	Oct - Dec 2025

We also provide consultancy to researchers, students, industry, and academia both within MAHE and outside.

Photo Gallery

The Centre conducted a certificate course on Scoping Review Methodology through classroom mode. A total of 54 Faculty, PhD scholars, researchers, and postgraduates from all disciplines attended the course.

Dr Divya, Dr Edlin, Mr Elstin, and Dr Maria were invited to deliver sessions on the Workshop on Scoping Review methodology, conducted by the School of Computer Engineering (SCE) at Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE, in collaboration with the Centre for Evidence-informed Decision Making, on 07 and 08 November 2025.

The faculty research vertical at Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur, organized a workshop on 'Systematic Review and Meta-analysis' from 28 and 29 July 2025. Dr Divya Sussana Patil, Dr Edlin Glane Mathias, and Mr Elstin Anbu Raj were the resource persons for the workshop.

The PG Research vertical, MCODS, and KMC Mangalore, in collaboration with Prasanna School of Public Health, conducted a two-day workshop on 'Scoping Review Methodology' at KMC Mangalore campus. Dr Divya Sussana Patil, Dr Edlin Glane Mathias, and Mr Elstin were the resource persons and provided guidance on the typology of reviews, scoping review methodology, formulating a review question, and developing a scoping review protocol.

Dr Edlin Glane Mathias and Mr Elstin Anbu Raj were the resource persons for the 'Research Methodology Course' conducted for the PhD scholars at MAHE.

Dr Divya Sussana Patil was the resource person at a workshop on "Evidence and Gap Map" in collaboration with Utrecht University at the Annual GROW Community event organized by the Dutch Research Council (NWO) on 15 and 16 May 2025, in the Netherlands.

Manipal Health Literacy Unit (MHLU)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2014
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Brief About the Centre

The scope of MHLU is to conduct practice and policy-focused multidisciplinary research and development activities, collaborating extensively with national and international institutes to generate robust evidence in health literacy. MHLU aspires to be a hub for research excellence, policy advocacy, and interdisciplinary collaboration, contributing meaningfully to the advancement of health literacy on a global scale. The unit aims to continuously learn, adapt, and engage with communities, fostering a culture of innovation and excellence in health literacy studies.

Vision: To excel in Health Literacy Research, Policy, and Practice.

Mission: To be the most preferred unit for health literacy studies in India

Objectives

1. To carry out practice and policy-focused multi-disciplinary research and development activities in health literacy.
2. To collaborate with national and international institutes to generate evidence on health literacy.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	17th International Webinar	Topic: Digital health literacy and technology readiness – Perspectives for implementation and planning of interventions in the digital health transformation. Speaker: Prof Lars Kayser, University of Copenhagen Moderator: Dr B Reshmi, MAHE, Manipal Mode: Online Participants: 88	31 Jan 2025
2	18th International Health Literacy Webinar	Topic: Cancer Literacy – Empowering Individuals (World Cancer Day) Speaker: Dr Cherian Varghese, MAHE, Manipal Moderator: Dr Sreeshma Pavithran, MAHE, Jamshedpur Mode: Online Participants: 85	04 Feb 2025
3	19th International Health Literacy Webinar	Topic: Early Childhood Nutrition Education in Schools – Beyond Health Literacy Speaker: Ms Gauri Shingote, R D Moderator: Ms Chhaya K, MAHE Mode: Online Participants: 81	28 Mar 2025
4	International Health Literacy Guest Lecture	Topic: Using digital technologies for inclusive and ethical dissemination of health information Speaker: Prof Dr Maria Cristiane Barbosa Galvão, USP, Brazil Venue: Kasturba Hospital, Manipal Mode: Offline Participants: 62 Jointly organized by: Kasturba Hospital and Manipal Health Literacy Unit	29 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
5	Academic Course	3-Credit Open Elective Certificate Course: Meditation and Conscious Living Course (MCLC) Duration: Jul to Nov 2025 Organizers: MAHE and Darshan Education Foundation Enrollment: 70 students Active Participants: 66 (94.3%) Assessment: MCQs, meditation logbook, volunteering Average Score: 89.3%	01 Jul 2025
6	Ongoing Research Project	Exploring Organizational Health Literacy Among Administrative Stakeholders in Hospitals: A Qualitative Study	01 August 2025
7	Ongoing Research Project	Health literacy tool for family and caregivers: Developing a synthesis for global use	01 August 2025
8	Ongoing Research Project	Oral Health Literacy Tool: Developing a synthesis for global use	01 August 2025
9	Ongoing Research Project	Scoping Review on Nutritional Literacy among Caregivers of Healthy Children (0–18 years) in India	01 August 2025
10	Completed Research Project	Developing a Comprehensive Assessment Tool for Environmental Health Literacy in the Indian Context	30 May 2025
11	Completed Research Project	Digital Health Literacy Among the Ageing and Elderly Population: A Comparative Study between Rural and Urban Central Kerala	30 May 2025
12	Completed Research Project	Digital Health Literacy of the Ageing Population in Coastal Karnataka	30 May 2025
13	Completed Research Project	Health Literacy and Self-Care Behaviours among Indian Diabetic Patients across Cultural Zones	30 May 2025
14	Completed Research Project	Facilitators and Barriers to Digital Health Literacy among the Elderly Population of Udupi District	30 May 2025
15	Completed Research Project	Digital Health Literacy and Self-Medication among Students of Four Institutes in Coastal Karnataka	30 May 2025
16	Completed Research Project	Understanding Literacy in Laboratory Tests: Ranking of Barriers and Facilitators	30 May 2025
17	Completed Research Project	Assessing Health Literacy and Health-Related Lifestyle among Academicians and Academic Researchers	30 May 2025
18	Research Publication	*Adolescent Health Literacy in India: Insights from a Multi-State Cross-Sectional Study* – International Journal of Adolescence and Youth	01 Jan 2025
19	Research Publication	*Maternal Health Literacy and Hand Hygiene Practices among Caregivers of Children Under Five* – Journal of Health Literacy	01 Jan 2025

Photo Gallery

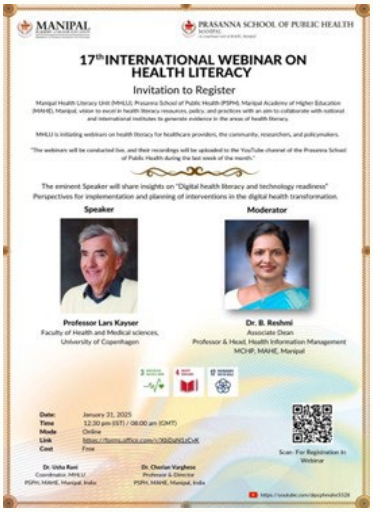

Photo 1: Flyer of 17th International Health Literacy Webinar

Photo 3: Flyer of 19th International Health Literacy Webinar

Photo 2: Flyer of 18th International Health Literacy Webinar

Photo 4: Flyer of International Health Literacy Guest Lecture

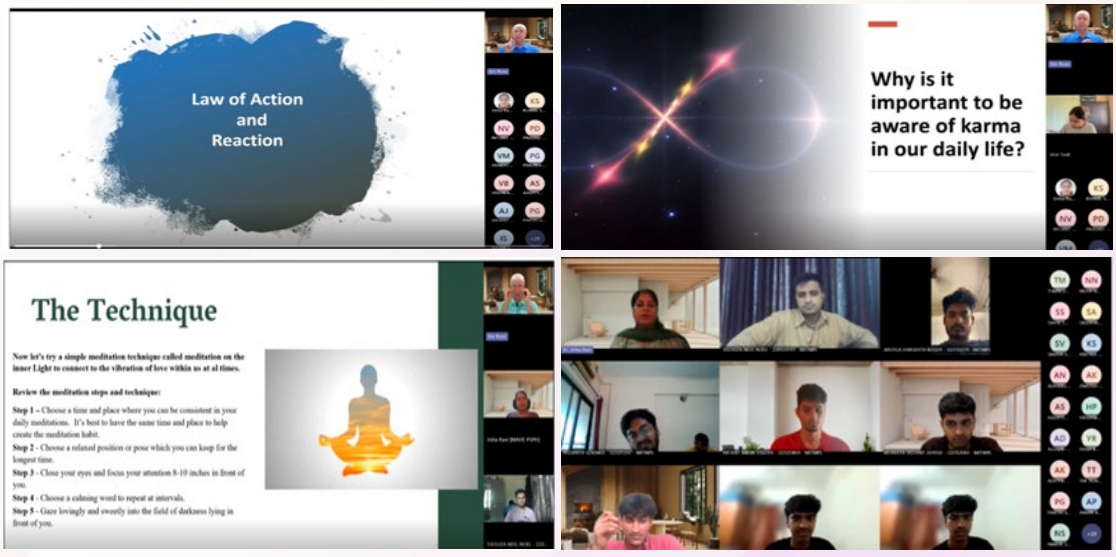

Photo 5: Meditation and Conscious Living Course – Class commencement for VII SEM MIT student offered as an Open Elective Course

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 May 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Prof Ajay Bailey
Members: Dr Selim Jahangir (Co-Coordinator)

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To educate, facilitate, and promote Transdisciplinary qualitative research for the comprehensive understanding of issues pertaining to public health.

Mission: To provide extensive training on the design, conduct, and analysis of qualitative methods

Objectives:

1. To promote interdisciplinary research in public health.
2. To provide impetus to researchers from across disciplines to share expertise and collaborate.
3. To build the capacities of young scholars in teaching and conducting qualitative research
4. To establish a regional hub for qualitative research in South Asia

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Certificate course in qualitative research methods during Mar-Jun 2025	TCQM organized a certificate course in Qualitative Research Methods. Dr Selim Jahangir (Course Coordinator, TCQM, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) conducted the certificate course. The Certificate Course was conducted in Hybrid Mode - On-Campus in Lecture Hall 64, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal; Virtually through Microsoft Teams.	14 Mar - 13 Jun 2025
2	Expert Discussion on Wellbeing, Sustainability, and Care	TCQM organized an Expert Discussion on Wellbeing, Sustainability, and Care from a Planetary Health Perspective at the Medical Education Room, Second Floor, Library Building, MAHE, Manipal. This event was co-organized as part of the Utrecht University 2025 theme 'Healthy Planet'.	02 May 2025
3	Alumni Meet of the Certificate Course in Qualitative Research Methods	The half-day program brought together past participants from diverse backgrounds, facilitating knowledge exchange and professional networking. The event included discussions on upcoming advanced qualitative research methods, which were well-received by attendees.	27 Nov 2025
4	Indo-Dutch Collaborative Meeting	The indoor discussion brought together international experts, researchers, practitioners, and students to explore innovative approaches in welfare technology, healthy ageing, and community-based care for older adults. The session aims to deepen mutual learning, share evidence-based insights, and strengthen our joint commitment to improving the quality of life for older adults through technology-enabled solutions.	28 Nov 2025

Photo Gallery

Certificate course sessions and a group photo after completion

Discussion on wellbeing, Sustainability and Care from a Planetary Health Perspective

Centre for Regional Development

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Varun Kumar S G
Members: Dr Teddy Andrews J, Dr Swathi K S, Dr Ravichandran Nai, Dr Savitha, Prof Alric D'Souza

Brief About the Centre

Vision: Manifest our social commitment through socially responsible and community-focused activities to enhance the brand equity of MAHE.

Mission: Networking and collaborating with local communities, local government, and other relevant institutional systems to carry out the programs/activities.

Objectives

- To uplift the community's awareness of sustainability and other social issues.
- To extend skill upgradation programs for the stakeholders of various entities in the region.
- To motivate and involve students of MAHE in socially responsible activities

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Career guidance and sustainability	The event was held at Dr TMA Pai High School, Kalyanpura, with the participation of around 200 students, through which students gained awareness on career options, teamwork, and sustainability.	07 Feb 2025
2	Personal finance and investment markets	The session was conducted by a National Institute of Securities Markets (NISM)-certified professional and was attended by 50 participants, who gained an improved understanding of basic financial concepts and investment awareness.	25 Oct 2025
3	Tobacco awareness skit titled "One puff – a lifetime loss"	As part of the District Tobacco Control Programme, Public Health students from Prasanna School of Public Health, MAHE, conducted an awareness activity on the harmful effects of tobacco use at Upendra Pai Memorial College, Udupi. The students performed a skit to highlight the dangers of tobacco use and encourage healthy life choices among youth.	29 Oct 2025

Photo gallery

Sequence to 'Wealth Building'
ONE PUFF A LIFETIME LOSS
GPS Map Camera
Udupi, Karnataka, India
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One Health Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019
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Members: Dr Navya, Dr Rahul, Dr Chiranjoy, Dr Anup, Dr Naren, Dr Mudassar (NIVEDI - ICAR), Dr Michael Walsh (University of Sydney)

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: Building One Health Capacity and widening Operations Research in the area of One Health, by enhancing the competency of health professionals through quality One Health education and research through local, national, and international collaborations

Mission: Research training is being imparted to post-graduate students, doctoral scholars, and professionals to carry out quality research in One Health-related topics

Objectives:

- Develop and impart One Health lessons within the scope of Infectious Disease Epidemiology in MPH
- Training workforce in human and animal health
- Promote research in One Health and spatial epidemiology in Karnataka and India
- Create awareness on Food safety (farm to fork), promote education and research
- Create awareness and research in Antimicrobial Resistance in the One Health interface

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Carried out the National One-Health hackathon for the National One-Health Mission of ICMR	Selection of entries from six ICMR regions Conducting a Hackathon in ICMR regions and selecting 3 teams for the National level competition Conducting One-Health hackathon in New Delhi	01, 03, and 19 Nov 2025
2	Micro-credential course (online) of One month duration	Micro-credential course 'One health approach for Health system preparedness' was launched in collaboration with the District Health and Family Welfare Department, Udupi in the District Magistrate Office, Udupi	26 Mar 2025 Upcoming

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Supporting Udupi district through a public–private partnership for surveillance and rapid response to zoonotic and vector-borne diseases.	Japanese Encephalitis outbreak investigation and household surveys	01 Aug – 31 Oct, 2025
4	Sensitization of School students on the Kyasanur Forest Disease Virus	Schools in Barkur, Bidkalkatte, and Badagabettu	31 Mar 2025
5	One Health Week Activities	Sensitization on one health in Schools, Poster presentations, Skit/drama	03 to – Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Developing training modules on emerging infectious diseases and global health security for government officials in Karnataka	DA Prasanna Endowment Fund	Dr Navya Vyas	15,00,000	31 Mar 2025

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
Proposals submitted					
1	Mapping AMR and Zoonotic Pathogen Contamination Risks in the Milk Supply Chain in Kolar, Karnataka: A One Health Approach	ICMR	Dr Prakash Narayanan	2,63,12,097	07 Apr 2025
2	From Evidence to Action: Strengthening Milk Safety through One Health–Inspired Participatory Action Research in Udupi Taluk, Karnataka	ICSSR	Dr Prakash Narayanan	24,21,000	18 Dec 2025

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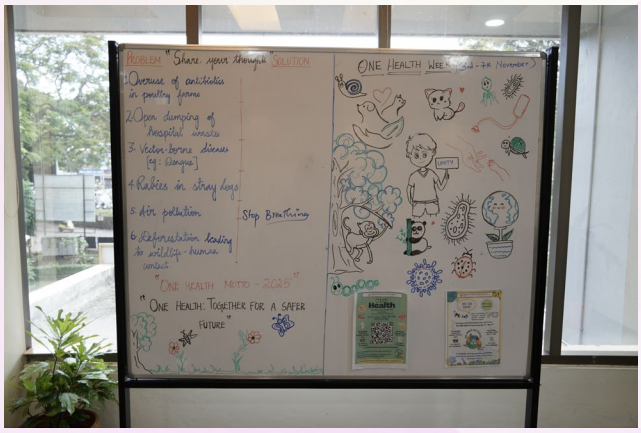
One Health Week Skit

KFD Awareness Session for School Students at Barkur



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KFD Awareness Session for School Students at Bidkalkatte

KFD Awareness Session for School Students at Badagabettu

Micro-Credential Course

Centre for Digital Health, Applied Research and Technologies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Rahul Sheshan Clare

Members: Dr Raghavendra U, Associate Professor, Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), MAHE, Manipal; Dr Rachana, Associate Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), MAHE, Manipal; Department of Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare, KMC, MAHE, Manipal.

Brief About the Centre:

The Centre for Digital Health, Applied Research, and Technologies is distinctive for its unwavering commitment to evidence-based research, robust interdisciplinary collaborations, and steadfast dedication to timely project execution. Established in 2023 at the Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, the centre stands out through its promise of delivering quality outputs within specified deadline. By adhering to internationally recognized standards, it continually fosters trust among key stakeholders, both regionally and globally.

A hallmark of this centre is its holistic approach to knowledge creation, ensuring that diverse perspectives inform research projects. Researchers benefit from advanced digital health technologies, positioning them at the forefront of innovation. Furthermore, the centre prioritizes professional development opportunities for students, faculty, and industry partners alike, guaranteeing a dynamic environment where ideas flourish. It actively cultivates strong partnerships with national and international institutions. Its commitment to tackling global health challenges through research-intensive technology-driven solutions positions it as the go-to hub for collaborative endeavours. By uniting academic rigor, timely deliverables, and genuine stakeholder engagement, the Centre for Digital Health, Applied Research, and Technologies sets itself apart as a transformative force in the ever-evolving landscape of public health.

Vision: To be a centre of excellence by 2028.

Mission: To be the trusted, reputed, and commitment-driven centre across MAHE, nationally and globally for collaborative research, with the promise of delivering commitments in high-quality (evidence-based) outputs, two weeks before the deadline, while adhering to the targeted (International), and focal guidelines.

Objective: To be the platform of choice for faculty, researchers (national and international), students, and industry to network and collaborate in research and educational projects.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Workshop on "AI for Everyone: Student Edition" 	The Centre for Digital Health, Applied Research, and Technologies, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), MAHE, Manipal in collaboration with Innovation Cell, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal organized a virtual three-hour workshop on AI tools for everyday use on 18–19 September 2025 (17:30 to 19:00 hours Indian Standard Time) virtually through Microsoft Teams. This workshop, "AI for Everyone: Student Edition" provided training and awareness of available AI tools for students, which would increase their work productivity not just in their education, and/or research activities, but also in their career. This workshop enhanced productivity and served as a time-saving method in every work. Dr Rahul Sheshan Clare (Assistant Director, PSPH), Dr Vani Lakshmi (Assistant Professor - Senior Scale, Department of	18–19 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		Health Technology and Informatics, PSPH) were the resource persons for the workshop.	
2	Manipal Digital Health Symposium 2025.	Centre for Digital Health, Applied Research and Technologies In collaboration with Department of Community Medicine, KMC organized Manipal Digital Health Symposium 2025 in Interact Lecture Hall 2A, KMC, Manipal.	27 Jun 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Safe walker	Private	Prof N Krishnamurthy	50,60,000	01 Apr 2025

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Workshop on "AI for Everyone: Student Edition".

Centre for Climate Change and Health

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: February 1, 2022.

Name of the Coordinator: Prof (Dr) Vikas Kapil

Co-Coordinator: Dr Rahul Sheshan Clare

Brief About the Centre

Vision

To be a global leader in interdisciplinary education, research, and policy development, addressing the complex and interconnected health challenges posed by climate variability and change, while fostering resilience and sustainability for healthier communities worldwide.

Mission

The Centre for Climate Change and Health is committed to:

1. Empowering education: Developing and delivering innovative, inter-professional educational programs that equip future leaders and professionals with the skills and knowledge to address the health impacts of climate change.
2. Advancing research: Coordinating and fostering national and international collaborations to conduct impactful research that bridges climate science and public health.
3. Influencing policy: Producing actionable policy briefs and recommendations to effectively disseminate research findings, shaping evidence-based strategies and fostering informed decision-making for climate-resilient health systems.

Objectives

1. To develop inter-professional educational modules in climate change and health.
2. To coordinate and collaborate on national and international research in climate change and health.
3. To produce relevant policy papers to ensure the dissemination of research output.

Brief About the Centre:

The Centre for Climate Change and Health (CCPH) aims to build capacity in interdisciplinary education, research, and policy advising to effectively monitor, anticipate, manage, and adapt to the health risks associated with climate variability and change. Its objectives include developing inter-professional educational modules on climate change and health to equip students and professionals with cohesive knowledge on climate-health issues, such as climate-resilient healthcare and environmental epidemiology. Additionally, the centre seeks to coordinate and collaborate on national and international research initiatives, leveraging diverse expertise to address global challenges. Furthermore, the centre emphasizes producing relevant policy papers to ensure the effective dissemination of research outputs, influencing policy frameworks and supporting sustainable development goals related to health and climate. This integrated approach positions the Centre for Climate Change and Health as a critical player in addressing the health challenges posed by climate change.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Health (Lecture 3)	Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal organized Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Health (Lecture 3) on Friday, 17 January 2025 virtually through Microsoft Teams. Resource Persons for the event were: Prof Dr Mala Rao (Director of the	17 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		Ethnicity and Health Unit, Imperial College London, London, United Kingdom) and Dr Nitya Mohan Khemka (Director – PATH, London, United Kingdom).	
2	Interaction Session on "Climate Change and Health: A United States Perspective" 	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal organized an Interaction Session on "Climate Change and Health: A United States Perspective" on Saturday, 12 April 2025 in the Lecture Hall 64, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal. Dr Vikas Kapil (Visiting International Faculty, PSPH, MAHE, Manipal) was the resource person for this event.	12 Apr 2025
3	Prof Rajani Prasanna Lecture Series 	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal organized the Lecture V Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series II on Climate Change and Health. This session focused on the vital theme of "Climate-Related Exposures, Adaptation, and Health Risks in Vulnerable Populations" on 28 August 2025, virtually through Microsoft Teams. Eminent Speakers for the event were Dr Rima Habre (Associate Professor of Environmental Health and Spatial Sciences at the University of Southern California) and Dr Sunil Bhaskaran (Professor of Geospatial Technology and Applications at the City University of New York).	28 Aug 2025
4	Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Health (Lecture 4) titled "Wales and the Changing Climate: Understanding Impact Assessments". 	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal organized Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Second Edition) on Climate Change and Health (Lecture 4) titled "Wales and the Changing Climate: Understanding Impact Assessments" on Friday, 21 March 2025 Virtually through Microsoft Teams. This lecture provided valuable insights into the impact of climate change on health, with a focus on Wales and its adaptation strategies. Resource Persons: Ms Rebecca Masters (Consultant, Public Health, Public Health Wales, UK) and Dr Sarah Jones (Consultant, Environmental Public Health, Public Health Wales, UK).	21 Mar 2025

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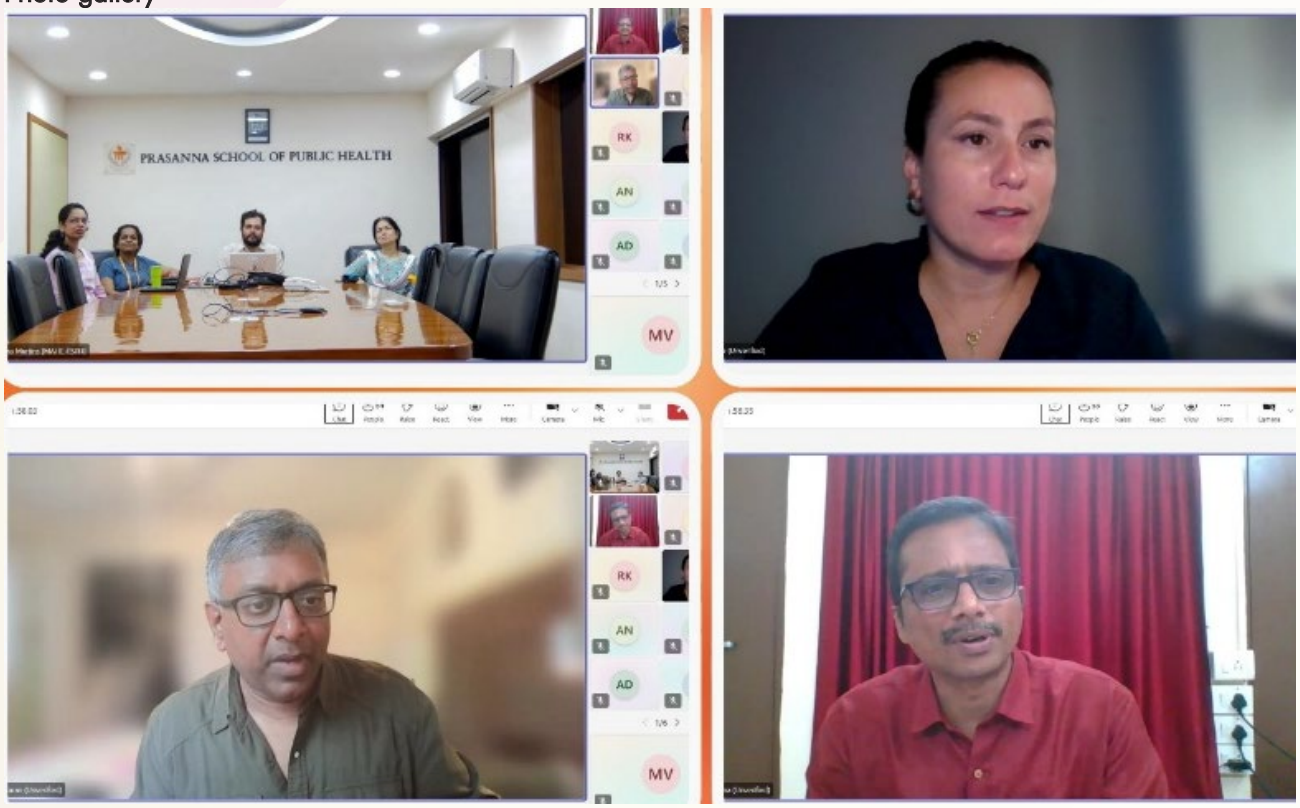

Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series II on Climate Change and Public Health. This session focused on the vital theme of "Climate-Related Exposures, Adaptation, and Health Risks in Vulnerable Populations", organized on 28 August 2025.

Centre for Health Systems

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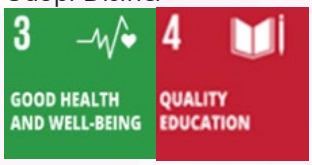
Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Arathi P Rao
Name of the Co-Coordinator:
Dr Cherian Verghese V

Brief About the Center
Vision and Mission
The aim of the Center is to provide policy analysis and evidence-based advice for Health System Reforms.

Objectives
1) Build capacities in health System analysis and reforms at PSPH
2) Positioning the Center for Advanced Studies.

Activities at the Center

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Collaborative activities with Department of Health and Family Welfare Department, Udupi district	As part of the D A Prasanna endowment seed grant, the Online micro credential on the One Health Approach for health system preparedness was developed and launched on MAHE Online (Department of Online Education) in collaboration with the District Health and Family Welfare Department, Udupi in the District Magistrate Office, Udupi. The program was launched by Dr K Vidyakumari, Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, Udupi district and Shri Prateek Bayal, CEO, Zilla Panchayath.	26 Mar 2025
2	KFD Awareness Session	Awareness sessions related to Kyasanur Forest Disease (KFD) are being conducted by MPH students in schools across Udupi district (Dec 2024 to Mar 2025)	1 Dec 2024–31 Mar 2025
3	– –	Leprosy survey being done by MPH students in Gangolli, Kundapur district (Aug to Nov 2025)	
4	Scaling Up NCD Services in the Udupi District 	Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, in collaboration with the District Health and Family Welfare Office, Udupi, organized an interactive workshop for all Taluk Health Officers and Medical Officers from Community Health Centers and Primary Health Centers across the Udupi district.	March 12, 2025
5	Pulse Polio Program	National Pulse Polio Program, students of PSPH volunteered to carry out vaccination of children under 5 years of age, which was done through collaboration between KMC, Manipal, UPHC, Manipal and UPHC, Udupi. They were posted in booths in Tiger Circle, bus stands, railway station,	21–24 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		Anganwadi's, PHCs etc., in and around Manipal and Udupi from 21 to 24 Dec 2025. They went on house visits paired with ASHAs and Anganwadi teachers to ensure maximum vaccination coverage.	

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Pulse Polio Program

Awareness sessions related to Kyasanur Forest Disease (KFD) are being conducted by MPH students in schools across Udupi district (Dec 2024 – Mar 2025)

Interactive Workshop for all Taluk Health Officers and Medical Officers from Community Health Centers and Primary Health Centers across the Udupi district.

Manipal TATA Medical College, Jamshedpur

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Established: 2020

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution

- MBBS
- Medical MSc in Anatomy
- Medical MSc in Biochemistry
- Medical MSc in Microbiology
- BSc Cardiovascular Technology
- BSc Medical Imaging Technology
- BSc Medical Laboratory Technology
- BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology
- B Optometry
- BSc Clinical Psychology
- MSc (Clinical Psychology)
- MSc (Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology)
- MSc Cardiac Catheterization and Interventional Technology
- MSc Medical Imaging Technology
- MSc MLT (Clinical Biochemistry)

About the Institution/School:

Manipal Tata Medical College (MTMC) is located at Baridih, Jamshedpur, in the East Singhbhum district of Jharkhand, and is a premier institution for medical education and training. The college was established through

a consortium between Tata Steel and the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, under the private-private partnership (PPP) model vide the Amendment Gazette Notification Number MCI-34(41)/2019-Med./112859 dated 14 May 2019, issued by the erstwhile Medical Council of India (MCI). This consortium represents the first private–private partnership model in medical education in India.

MTMC is the off-campus institute of MAHE, an Institution of Eminence (IoE) deemed to be university. Jharkhand has ten medical colleges (as on date). MAHE, a pioneer in medical education and health care, will provide high-quality medical education and enhance community health care delivery through the establishment of MTMC.

Under this consortium initiative, MAHE Manipal has developed state-of-the-art infrastructure for the medical college at the Ardeshir Dalal Memorial Hospital (ADMH) campus in Baridih, spanning 20 acres. The college offers 200 MBBS seats annually, and Tata Main Hospital (TMH), Jamshedpur, serves as the teaching hospital.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Internal Auditor Training Program on ISO 14001:2015 – EMS	The objective of the Internal Auditor Training Program was to enhance awareness and develop auditing skills among participants for the effective implementation of ISO 14001:2015 – Environmental Management System (EMS) requirements. Program Details The three-day training program was organized from 08 to 10 Sep 2025. The program focused on providing participants with a comprehensive understanding of the principles, procedures, and techniques involved in auditing environmental management systems. The training sessions covered: • Overview of ISO 14001:2015 requirements • Environmental aspects and impacts • Legal and regulatory compliance • EMS documentation and controls • Internal audit planning and execution • Audit reporting and follow-up actions Outcome of the Training Participants gained improved understanding of: • Interpretation of ISO 14001:2015 clauses • Auditing techniques specific to EMS • Conducting effective internal audits within their respective functional areas The program enabled participants to carry out internal audits competently and contribute to continual improvement of the Environmental Management System.	08-10 Sep 2025
2	Second Internal Auditors Training Program	The objective of the Second Internal Auditors Training Program was to enhance the knowledge and competence of internal auditors on ISO 21001:2018 – Educational Organizations Management Systems, with a focus on understanding the standard requirements and effective implementation within the institution. Program Details The three-day training program was conducted from 06 to 08 Nov 2025. The session was led by Mr Bhargava, who provided comprehensive training on various aspects of ISO 21001:2018. The training covered: • Overview and structure of ISO 21001:2018 • Key clauses and requirements of the standard • Risk-based thinking and process approach • Documentation requirements • Implementation strategies in educational institutions • Role and responsibilities of internal auditors • Audit planning, execution, and reporting Outcome of the Training The internal auditors gained a clear understanding of: • Interpretation of ISO 21001:2018 clauses • Practical aspects of implementing the	06-08 Nov 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		standard • Conducting effective internal audits in line with ISO requirements The program helped strengthen the internal audit mechanism and prepared the auditors for systematic and compliant auditing practices. Conclusion The Second Internal Auditors Training Program was successfully conducted and met its intended objectives. The training contributed to improving awareness, competence, and confidence of internal auditors in implementing and auditing ISO 21001:2018 within the organization.	
3	Training on 5S Implementation	A structured training session on 5S implementation was conducted for office associates of clinical departments. The session covered the fundamentals of the 5S methodology—Sort, Set in Order, Shine, Standardize, and Sustain—with specific reference to office-based processes and workstations. Key Topics Covered • Introduction to 5S and its importance in office environments • Explanation of each 5S pillar with practical examples • Identification of non-essential items and workplace clutter • Visual management and document organization practices • Sustaining 5S through standard operating practices and regular audits Methodology The training included presentations, interactive discussions, and real-time examples relevant to office activities. Participants were encouraged to share current challenges and identify opportunities for improvement using 5S principles. Outcome of the Training • Improved awareness of 5S concepts among participants • Enhanced understanding of workplace organization and standardization • Positive engagement and readiness to implement 5S practices in daily activities Conclusion The training on 5S implementation was successfully conducted and well received by the office associates. The session is expected to contribute to improved efficiency, cleanliness, and discipline in the office environment. Continuous monitoring and periodic reviews are recommended to sustain the implementation	22 Nov 2025

Details of Guest Visit (Lectures, Collaboration, Visitors on Campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Administration Department				
1	Mr Jason K Lee	Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, USA	The Medical Imaging Program, AHS Department, MTMC organized an insightful webinar on "Medical Imaging Practice for Pediatric Patients" on 29 Jan 2025. The session featured Mr Jason K Lee, Senior Radiology Assistant at Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, USA, as the expert speaker. Drawing on his extensive experience, Mr Lee discussed best practices in pediatric imaging, emphasizing patient safety, communication techniques, and minimizing radiation exposure in young patients. Participants gained valuable insights into the unique challenges and ethical considerations involved in pediatric radiology. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A, which allowed attendees to clarify their doubts and deepen their understanding. Overall, the	29 Jan 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
			webinar proved highly informative and beneficial for both students and professionals in medical imaging.	
2	Mr Nilanjan Bhor	India Health Action Trust	The AHS Department at MTMC organized a webinar titled "A Vision for Health Information Management in the 21st Century" on 25 Apr 2025. Coordinated by Mrs Sonalika Singh, Program Coordinator, the session featured Mr. Nilanjan Bhor, Senior Specialist in HIS Implementation at India Health Action Trust and Expert Member at the HIM Council, NCAHP (MoHFW). Mr Bhor provided a comprehensive overview of the evolution of Health Information Management, tracing its progression from traditional paper-based records to modern Electronic Health Records (EHRs). He also addressed the transformation of HIM professionals' roles in the context of digital health, discussed various health data sources, and examined key challenges in India's fragmented healthcare system. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A segment, reinforcing the critical role of HIM in advancing healthcare delivery in the digital era.	25 Apr 2025
3	Mrs Prathiksha Prabhu Khandige	Ultrasound Specialist in Cardiology from Stade, Germany	The Department of Cardiovascular Technology (CVT), under the Department of Allied Health Sciences, Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur, organized an academic webinar titled "Echocardiographic Approach to Multivalvular Heart Diseases" on 15 Nov 2025. The online webinar attracted active participation from students, faculty members, and healthcare professionals from within and outside the institution, totalling 154 attendees. The session was delivered by Mrs Prathiksha Prabhu Khandige, an Ultrasound Specialist in Cardiology from Stade, Germany, who shared her extensive clinical experience and international perspectives on echocardiographic assessment. The webinar focused on the role of echocardiography in evaluating multivalvular heart diseases, with emphasis on the practical application of AHA/ACC and ASE guidelines. The interactive discussion enriched participants' understanding of advanced cardiovascular imaging and exposed students to international clinical standards, encouraging further learning in cardiovascular diagnostics.	15 Nov 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
4	Mr Avinash Chander	Candid Health Systems Consultants Ltd	On 25 Nov 2025, the Department of Allied Health Sciences at Manipal Tata Medical College (MTMC), Jamshedpur, hosted a webinar titled "Digital Health and Health Information Management – Opportunities, Challenges, and Career Pathways." Coordinated by Mrs Sonalika Singh, the session engaged 38 students and faculty members via Microsoft Teams. The keynote speaker, Mr Avinash Chander, Director at Candid Health Systems Consultants Ltd, provided a comprehensive overview of the global digital health revolution. He specifically focused on India's evolving landscape, discussing the integration of Electronic Health Records (EHRs), telemedicine, and national digital initiatives. The session bridges the gap between academic theory and industry practice, offering students clarity on career trajectories and emerging technologies. Through an interactive Q&A, participants explored the practical skills required to navigate the modern healthcare ecosystem. This initiative proved vital for professional grooming, equipping future healthcare professionals with the insights needed to excel in a technology-driven industry.	25 Nov 2025
5	Dr Ajit Singh	Department of Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.	The Department of Allied Health Sciences, Manipal Tata Medical College (MTMC), Jamshedpur, organized an online webinar titled "Smart Topic Search and Review Writing" on 26 Nov 2025 under the aegis of the Cardiovascular Technology (CVT) program. The webinar attracted active participation from students and faculty members, as well as from outside the institution. The objective of the webinar was to enhance students' research skills by providing practical guidance on identifying suitable research topics and writing effective review articles. A total of 154 participants attended the session, including 74 students, 3 faculty members, and 77 external participants, reflecting strong academic interest. The session was delivered by Dr Ajit Singh, Research Scientist (ICMR), Department of Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. Drawing from his extensive research experience, Dr. Singh provided valuable insights in an engaging and interactive manner. Participants actively participated in discussions and provided positive feedback, appreciating the clarity and practical relevance of the session.	26 Nov 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
6	Ms Andria Joyce Cutinho	The Royal Melbourne Hospital	On 29 Nov 2025, the Department of Allied Health Sciences at Manipal Tata Medical College (MTMC), Jamshedpur, hosted an online webinar titled "Dialysis Practice in Australia vs India: Key Differences, Challenges and Learnings". Coordinated by Mr Abin Benny, the session featured Ms. Andria Joyce Cutinho, a Senior Clinical Renal Physiologist from The Royal Melbourne Hospital. The webinar provided a comparative analysis of infrastructure, patient care models, and technological integration between the two nations. The discussions included the Exploration of advanced renal technologies and multidisciplinary team roles in Australia. Addressing resource constraints, training gaps, and policy limitations in both regions. Insights into global certification pathways and professional development for Indian RRT professionals. Attended by 73 students and two faculty members, the event concluded with an interactive Q&A and a vote of thanks, broadening students' professional outlook on global dialysis practices.	29 Nov 2025
	Biochemistry			
1	Dr Krishnajyoti Goswami	Lincoln University College, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	The Guest Lecture was held on Saturday, 22 Mar 2025, from 09:30 to 10:30 AM at the Lecture Hall, Third Floor, New Academic Block, MTMC by the Biochemistry department. The distinguished International Guest Speaker, Prof Krishnajyoti Goswami, is a Professor of Biochemistry at Lincoln University in Malaysia. With over 35 years of experience in Clinical Biochemistry, Prof Goswami is a leading expert in the field, having published more than 296 scientific papers. He has received numerous accolades, including fellowships from prestigious organizations and awards for his contributions to environmental and toxicology research. He received the IFCC Young Scientist Award (International Contributor) in 2004. He was also a Former President of the Association of Clinical Biochemists of India (ACBI) from 2008 to 2009.	22 Mar 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
14	1	22	1

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
19	5	16	6

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National
CME/CDE	6
Seminar	2
Conference	2

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Community Medicine					
1	Comprehensive Exploration of Mental Health in India	Unlocking Mental Wellness: Navigating Mental Health of Indian Adults	Dr Abhishek Kumar	IP Innovative Publishers Pvt Ltd	31 Dec 2025
2	Comprehensive Exploration of Mental Health in India	Preventing and Healing Mental Health Issues Among Geriatrics	Dr Abhishek Kumar	IP Innovative Publishers Pvt Ltd.	31 Dec 2025
3	IAPSM's Textbook of Vaccinology	Enhancing vaccine Efficacy: The Role of Adjuvants	Dr Abhishek Kumar	JAYPEE Publishers	31 Dec 2025
Microbiology					
1	Postgraduate Text Book of Medical Mycology	Identification of Dimorphic Fungi	Dr Nitesh Kumar Jaiswal	Excellent Publisher	31 Dec 2025
2	Role of gut-brain axis in neurological disorders: Clinical Implications and Holistic Management	Chapter 8: Gut-microbiota, composition and relation with age-related neurological disorders	Dr Yashik	CRC Press (Taylor and Francis Group)	31 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Pharmacology					
1	Comprehensive Analysis of Vancomycin Resistance in Gram-Positive Bacteria: Genotypic and Phenotypic Perspectives from Jharkhand	Dr Tithishri Kundu	MAHE Faculty Seed Money Grant	200,000	24 Dec 2024-24 Dec 2026
Student Section and Support					
1	Exploring human papilloma virus (HPV) vaccine awareness and acceptance among young adults in a medical college setting.	PI - Mrigakshi Manasvi, Faculty Guide - Dr Ruchi Agrawal	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
2	Pattern and profiles of serious Adverse events following COVID-19 Vaccination in India.	PI - Dhrubajyoti Mondal, Faculty Guide - Dr Ayan Roy	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
3	Triglyceride -Glucose Index as an Early Biomarker for Gestational Diabetes Mellitus in eastern India.	PI - Ayan Saha, Faculty Guide - Dr Sulekha Sinha	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
4	Assessing the impact of Breast Self-Examination Training on Breast Cancer Awareness among women in rural areas of East Singhbhum District of Jharkhand.	PI - Saanvi Thakur, Faculty Guide - Dr Praveen Kumar SE	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
5	Impact of Health Education on breast feeding and waning practices among mothers in rural east Singhbhum, Jharkhand: A community - based interventional study.	PI - Shruti Choudhary, Faculty Guide - Dr Ojasvi Shanker	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
6	Molecular Characterization of Resistance Genes in MDR Pscudomonas Aeruginoses isolaks from a tertiary care hospital in Jharkhand.	PI - Shyla Chugh, Faculty Guide - Dr Ajay Kumar	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
7	Assessment of Health Literacy Level and Its Relation with Self-Care Activities and Quality of Life among Type II Diabetes Mellitus Patients in Jharkhand	PI - Manya Bajaj, Faculty Guide - Dr Sreeshma Pavithran	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
8	Knowledge, Practices and Barriers to Anaemia Prevention Among Adolescent girls in Rural Jharkhand.	PI - Isha Prakash, Faculty Guide - Dr Shilpa	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
9	Knowledge and compliance with recommended oral hygiene practice: A study on MBBS Students.	PI - Kabir Jaggi, Faculty Guide - Dr Swikruti Behera	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
10	Prevalence and determinants of developmental delay in children aged 2 months to 6 years in a multicultural population of Jamshedpur	PI - Tamanna Pandey, Faculty Guide - Dr Bibekananda Mukherjee	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
11	Comparison of Fall risk using morse fall scale in elderly patients admitted to orthopedic ward based on nutritional status (MNA) and glycemic control (HbA1c	PI – Rishi Gupta, Faculty Guide - Dr Sameer Wooly	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028
12	Evaluating and Enhancing Biomedical Waste Management Practices among Hospital Support Staff through Structured Training and observational	PI - Vishnu M Nair, Faculty Guide - Dr Neelam Mehta	ICMR	60,000	01 Oct 2025-30 Nov 2028

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	audit in a tertiary care hospital				

Awards/Recognitions
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the Year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Administration Department			
1	Mr Vivekanand	Received the Best Teacher Award for the Department of Optometry	31 Dec 2025
2	Mrs Sonalika	Received the Best Teacher Award for the Department of Health Information Management	31 Dec 2025
3	Mr Abin Benny	Received the Best Teacher Award for the Department of Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology	31 Dec 2025
4	Ms Sumbaraju Sudheshna Lalitha, Assistant Professor, Cardiovascular Technology	Received Certificate of Appreciation for Excellence in Research	31 Dec 2025
5	Ms Sudeepta Maiti	Received the Best Teacher Award for the Department of Medical Imaging Technology	31 Dec 2025
6	Mr Palukuri Yashwanth Kumar	Received the Best Teacher Award for the Department of Medical Laboratory Technology	31 Dec 2025
7	Ms Tina Ralhan	Received the Best Teacher Award for the Department of Cardiovascular Technology	31 Dec 2025
Anatomy			
1	Dr Anjaneyulu Konuri	Received 1st Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS First Professional Year	24 Dec 2025
2	Dr Abhilasha Priya	Received 2nd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS First Professional Year	31 Dec 2025
3	Dr Nadia Ahmed	Received 3rd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS First Professional Year	31 Dec 2025
Community Medicine			
1	Dr Syed Irfan Ali	Received 2nd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part - I	31 Dec 2025
2	Dr Khushboo Juneja, Professor, Community Medicine	Received Certificate of Appreciation for Excellence in Research	31 Dec 2025
3	Dr Ratnesh Sinha, Associate Professor, Community Medicine	Received Certificate of Appreciation for Excellence in Research	31 Dec 2025
4	Dr Angelin Priya, Associate Professor, Community Medicine	Received Certificate of Appreciation for Excellence in Research	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Forensic Medicine			
1	Dr Jyotish Guria	Received 3rd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part - I	31 Dec 2025
General Surgery			
1	Dr Sampath Kumar Padakandla	Received 2nd Place in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part – II	31 Dec 2025
Microbiology			
1	Dr Sopia Mukherjee	Received 1st Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Second Professional Year	31 Dec 2025
2	Dr Chinmay Dash	Received 3rd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Second Professional Year	31 Dec 2025
Obstetrics and Gynaecology			
1	Dr Baidyanath Pathak	Received 1st Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part - II	31 Dec 2025
2	Dr Ojasvi Shanker	Received 3rd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part - II	31 Dec 2025
Ophthalmology			
1	Dr Shruti P Hegde	Received 1st Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part – I 2. Certificate of Merit Awarded to Dr. Shruthi P Hegde in recognition of the exceptional quality of teaching demonstrated during AIOS Gurugram, 2024 -25.	31 Dec 2025
Orthopaedics			
1	Dr Sameer Wooly	Received 2nd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Third Professional Year Part - II	31 Dec 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Dr Ahmed Abdul Bari Hazari	Received 2nd Position in the Best Teacher Award for MBBS Second Professional Year	31 Dec 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Community Medicine			
1	Dr Abhishek Kumar	State Coordinator, IAPSM World Health Day UG Quiz 2025	31 Dec 2025
2	Dr Abhishek Kumar	Awarded for obtaining a research grant at MTMC	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
3	Dr Abhishek Kumar	Selected among the Top 10 PPT presentations on the occasion of World Health Day 2025 by Education and Excellence in Community Medicine	31 Dec 2025
Microbiology			
1	Dr Yashik	Awarded fellowships by the following international bodies/ societies in 2025: (1) Fellow of the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America, (2) Fellow of the International Medical Sciences Academy	31 Dec 2025
Oto-Rhino-Laryngology			
1	Dr Srilatha K	2nd place in paper presentation in the South zone conference and 2nd place in publication in WAOI.	31 Dec 2025
2	Dr Sandeep Kumar Jha	Second prize in the C D Sinha Memorial Consultant Award Paper at the 49th BJAOICON	31 Dec 2025
Pharmacology			
1	Dr Ayan Roy	1st Prize in oral presentation in the annual international conference of the Society of Clinical Research and Medical Professionals in Aug 2025 at Medicaps University, Indore.	31 Aug 2025
2	Dr Ayan Roy	3rd Prize in oral paper presentation in the faculty medical education category in NAPTICON 2025 at PSG Institute of Medical Science, Coimbatore.	30 Nov 2025
3	Dr Ayan Roy	2nd Prize in Oral presentation in the 4th Medisafecon in KPC Medical College, Kolkata.	31 Dec 2025
Physiology			
1	Dr Sindhu R	First Prize in poster presentation at the "First Annual Autonomic Nervous System Meeting of India" conducted by St John's National Academy of Health Sciences, Bengaluru Division of Clinical Physiology	07 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Student Section and Support			
1	Mr Anshuman	Secured 1st Place in IAPSM QUIZ.	07 Apr 2025
2	Ms. Naushaba Afreen	Received the Outstanding Academic Award in the Erudite 2.0 conference held in MTMC Jamshedpur.	12 Apr 2025
3	Mr. Riddhiman De	Secured 3rd Place in National CME and Workshop Diabetic Neuropathy: Autonomic Function Tests as key to early diagnosis	05 Jul 2025
4	Mr Anirudh Dagar	Secured Third Place in Pre and para clinical quiz competition in Erudite 2.0 conference held in MTMC Jamshedpur.	12 Oct 2025
5	Mr Aryan Malaviya	Awarded with the Third Prize in Oral Paper Competition in PHYSICON 2025: Innovations in Physiology: From Cell to Systems (National Conference)	22 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
6	Ms Anushri Baral	Awarded Second Place in poster presentation (case presentation) in Central conclave IMA (Samanvay), NATCON	14 Dec 2025
7	Ms Mansi Priya	Subject Topper – Microbiology for MBBS Batch 2022-23	31 Dec 2025
8	Ms Mansi Priya	Subject Topper – Pathology for MBBS Batch 2022-23	31 Dec 2025
9	Ms Pratiksha	Subject Topper – Community Medicine for MBBS Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
10	Ms Saniya Suman	Subject Topper – Forensic Medicine and Toxicology for MBBS Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
11	Ms Swastika Monadal	Received Best Outgoing Student award for BSc Cardiovascular Technology Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
12	Ms Sana Naz	Received Best Outgoing Student award for BSc Medical Imaging Technology, Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
13	Mr Shyam Narayan	Received Best Outgoing Student award for BSc Medical Laboratory Technology, Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
14	Ms Bhavna Singh	Second Year Academic Topper in BSc Cardiovascular Technology batch 2022-23.	31 Dec 2025
15	Ms Tanishka	Second Year Academic Topper in BSc Medical Imaging Technology batch 2022-23.	31 Dec 2025
16	Ms Purnima Mahato	Second Year Academic Topper in BSc Medical Laboratory Technology, batch 2022-23.	31 Dec 2025
17	Ms Naina Jawed	Second Year Academic Topper in Bachelor of Optometry, batch 2022-23.	31 Dec 2025
18	Ms Shahida Iqbal	Second Year Academic Topper in BSc in Health Information Management, batch 2022-23.	31 Dec 2025
19	Ms Amisha Thakur	Second Year Academic Topper in BSc Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology, batch 2022-23.	31 Dec 2025
20	Ms Ritu Goud	First Year Academic Topper in BSc Cardiovascular Technology, batch 2023-24.	31 Dec 2025
21	Mr Aryan Prakash Saha	First Year Academic Topper in BSc Medical Imaging Technology, batch 2023-24.	31 Dec 2025
22	Ms Afiya Irfan	First Year Academic Topper in BSc Medical Laboratory Technology, batch 2023-24.	31 Dec 2025
23	Ms Naushaba Afreen	First Year Academic Topper in Bachelor of Optometry, batch 2023-24.	31 Dec 2025
24	Mr Suryakiran Acharjiya	First Year Academic Topper in BSc in Health Information Management, batch 2023-24.	31 Dec 2025
25	Ms Raksha Kumari	Third Year Academic Topper in BSc in Health Information Management, batch 2021-22.	31 Dec 2025
26	Ms Aqsa Haani	Third Year Academic Topper in BSc Cardiovascular Technology, batch 2021-22.	31 Dec 2025
27	Ms Sana Naz	Third Year Academic Topper in B.Sc. Medical Imaging Technology, batch 2021-22.	31 Dec 2025
28	Mr Shyam Narayan	Third Year Academic Topper in B.Sc. Medical Laboratory Technology, batch 2021-22.	31 Dec 2025
29	Ms Aditi Riya	Third Year Academic Topper in Bachelor of Optometry, batch 2021-22.	31 Dec 2025
30	Ms Saniya Das Gupta	Third Year Academic Topper in B.Sc. Renal Replacement Therapy and Dialysis Technology, batch 2021-22.	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
31	Ms Devarchana C M	Subject Topper – General Medicine for MBBS Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
32	Ms Sparsh Jha	Subject Topper – General Surgery for MBBS Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
33	Ms K S Vishali	Subject Topper – Obstetrics and Gynaecology for MBBS Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
34	Mr Rohan Mondal	Subject Topper – Paediatrics for MBBS Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
35	Ms Tamanna Pandey	Rank 1 in MBBS First Professional Year - Batch 2023-24	31 Dec 2025
36	Ms Sezal	Rank 2 in MBBS First Professional Year - Batch 2023-24	31 Dec 2025
37	Ms Palak Kanodia	Rank 3 in MBBS First Professional Year - Batch 2023-24	31 Dec 2025
38	Ms Mansi Priya	Rank 1 in MBBS Second Professional Year - Batch 2022-23	31 Dec 2025
39	Mr Shashank Aryan	Rank 2 in MBBS Second Professional Year - Batch 2022-23	31 Dec 2025
40	Ms Anusha	Rank 3 in MBBS Second Professional Year - Batch 2022-23	31 Dec 2025
41	Ms Pratiksha	Rank 1 in MBBS Third Professional Year Part I - Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
42	Ms Haneen	Rank 2 in MBBS Third Professional Year Part I - Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
43	Mr Maneesh Venkata Ramana Cheekatla	Rank 3 in MBBS Third Professional Year Part I - Batch 2021-22	31 Dec 2025
44	Ms Devarchana C M	Rank 1 in MBBS Third Professional Year Part II - Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
45	Ms Muskaan Verma	Rank 2 in MBBS Third Professional Year Part II - Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
46	Ms Harini Narayanan	Rank 3 in MBBS Third Professional Year Part II - Batch 2020-21	31 Dec 2025
47	Ms Naina Uttam	Subject Topper - Anatomy for MBBS Batch 2023-24	31 Dec 2025
48	Ms Sezal	Subject Topper - Physiology for MBBS Batch 2023-24	31 Dec 2025
49	Mr Ashwini Kumar Singh	Subject Topper - Biochemistry for MBBS Batch 2023-24	31 Dec 2025
50	Ms Mansi Priya	Subject Topper – Pharmacology for MBBS Batch 2022-23	31 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Sports Department			
1	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 1 Cricket	The Department of Physical Education successfully organized VINCERE 2025 – Season 3, Episode 1, an intra-batch sports competition - Cricket on 17 May 2025 at the Armoury Ground, Bistupur. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from 14 teams, including 10 boys' teams and 4 girls' teams, each comprising 13 members. The event promoted team spirit, sportsmanship, and physical fitness among students. Winner Team (Men's): SCRUB 11 Runner Ups Team (Men's): IKKEES Winner Team (Women's): SEZAL DAGABAAZ Runner Ups Team (Women's): POWER RANGERS	17 May 2025
2	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 2 - Tug of War Competition 2025	The Department successfully conducted Session 3, Episode 2 of VINCERE 2025 on 18 May 2025, featuring a high-energy Tug of War competition. Held at Hostel Phase 2, MTMC, this edition featured nine teams -five from the men's category and four from the women's, each comprising eight members. Winners (M)- Ajeyam Runner Up (M)- Snorlax Winners (W)- Knot Today Runner Up (W)- Ajeyam	18 May 2025
3	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 3 - Table Tennis (M and W) Competition 2025	The Department conducted Session 3, Episode 3 of its intra-departmental sports series, VINCERE 2025, on 08 Jun 2025. This edition had 55 spirited participants	08 Jun 2025
4	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 4 - Carrom (M and W) competition 2025	The Department successfully conducted Session 3, Episode 4 of its intra-departmental sports series, VINCERE 2025, on 15 Jun 2025. This edition had 65 spirited participants.	15 Jun 2025
5	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 5 - Chess (M and W) Competition 2025	The Department conducted Session 3, Episode 5 of its intra-departmental sports series, VINCERE 2025, on 21 Jun 2025. This edition had 20 spirited participants Result: Men: NAME Subhradeep Biswal - 1st Azfar Abdul Moqueet - 2nd Samriddha Bhattacharyya - 3rd Women: Aditi - 1st Sumedha - 2nd Shriya Sinha - 3rd	15 Jun 2025
6	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 4 - Carrom (M and W) Competition 2025	The Department conducted Session 3, Episode 4 of its intra-departmental sports series, VINCERE 2025, on 15 Jun 2025. This edition had 65 spirited participants.	15 Jun 2025
7	VINCERE Season 3, Episode 6 - Volleyball (M) Competition 2025	The Department conducted Session 3, Episode 5 of its intra-departmental sports series, VINCERE 2025, on 22 Jun 2025. This edition had 56 spirited participants. Men Category: Winner Team: MAHAGATHBANDHAN Runner Up Team: 600+	22 Jun 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Sports Department			
1	Jamshedpur 5K Promo Run 2025	The Manipal Tata Medical College successfully hosted the inaugural edition of the Jamshedpur 5K Promo Run 2025: Innovation in Motion – Embracing Technology for Health and Fitness. The event witnessed an enthusiastic turnout of over 500 participants from diverse backgrounds. Held on the college campus, the run saw active involvement from the Jamshedpur Armed Police (JAP) with over 100 cadets, as well as school and college students, faculty members, healthcare professionals, and fitness enthusiasts across various age groups. The marathon was flagged off by the esteemed Chief Guest, Shri Rishabh Garg, IPS, SP-Rural, East Singhbhum, whose dedication to fitness served as a powerful inspiration. Demonstrating his commitment, he not only completed the entire 5-kilometer run but also actively cheered and motivated participants throughout the event. Below 20 Year Category Men, 1st Finish - Srijan Mishra (20m 57s). Below 20 Year Category Women, 1st Finish - Bhairavi Mardi (19m 54s) 20 to 40 Years Category Men, 1st Finish - Dugud Singh Kunkal (22m 17s) 20 to 40 Years Category Women, 1st Finish - Tejas Kamti (34m 42s) 40 Years and above Category Men, 1st Finish - Binay KR. Singh 40 Years and above Category Women, 1st Finish - Jarina Begum	02 Feb 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Sports Department			
1	Inter-University Competition 2025 National Law University- Cuttack	National Law University Odisha organized the 8th edition of their Inter University Annual Sports Fest - VIRAJ 2025 held between 06 to 09 Mar 2025, in Cuttack, Odisha. In the VIRAJ'25 tournament, a contingent of 13 students participated in multiple events, including Table Tennis (Men and Women), Volleyball (Men), Athletics (Men and Women), and Aquatics (Men and Women). The team delivered an outstanding performance, earning 28 medals (2 Gold, 1 Silver, 7 Bronze) across various events. The team consisted of 9 male and 4 female athletes, supported by Dr Neelam Goyal as the Coach and Mr Monit Sundriyal as the Team Manager, who played a crucial role in providing guidance and assistance throughout the tournament.	06 Mar 2025

Cultural Activities

In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration Department			
1	Republic Day	Republic Day was celebrated on 26 Jan 2025, Friday, from 08:50 AM to 11:30 AM. The event was organized by the cultural and literary Committee, NCC, and NSS. The cultural events were coordinated by the Cultural and Literary Committee (CLC), MTMC.	26 Jan 2025
2	International Women's Day	The Cultural and Literary Committee (CLC), NCC, NSS, and VSO collaborated to celebrate Women's Day on 08 Mar 2025 (04:30 to 05:30 PM). Dr Vinita Singh, the first female GMMS of Tata Main Hospital, was the chief guest.	08 Mar 2025
3	World Doctors Day	Doctor's Day was organized on 01 July 2025, by the CLC in association with the Department of Human Resources. The cultural events were coordinated by the Cultural and Literary Committee (CLC), MTMC.	01 Jul 2025
4	Independence Day	Independence Day was organized on the 15 August 2025 by the Admin team and the Cultural Committee of MTMC. The cultural events were coordinated by the Cultural and Literary Committee (CLC), MTMC.	15 Aug 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Administration Department			
1	UTSAV 2025	UTSAV 2025, organized by the Cultural Coordination Committee (CCC) at MAHE, was held from 24 to 28 Mar 2025 at the KMC Manipal campus and served as a vibrant platform for cultural, literary, and creative expression. MTMC was represented by 36 students and 3 faculty members, selected through a merit-based process that emphasized excellence in Manifest 2024, academic eligibility, and attendance criteria. Student events commenced on 25 Mar and spanned four days of intensive participation across a wide range of competitions. MTMC students competed in 24 events and achieved significant success by securing five prizes—four in group events and one in a solo category. The contingent won Second Position in the Cultural Parade and Third Positions in Collage, Mad-Ads, Installation, and Stand-up Comedy. These achievements contributed to an overall score of 40 points, placing MTMC 10th on the UTSAV 2025 leaderboard. Overall, UTSAV 2025 was an enriching and competitive experience that showcased students' creativity, teamwork, and versatility across diverse art forms. The event strengthened intercollegiate engagement, enhanced student confidence, and provided valuable learning experiences that will inform and improve future cultural representations of the institution.	28 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

HPV Vaccination Drive for Support Staff of MTMC Jamshedpur

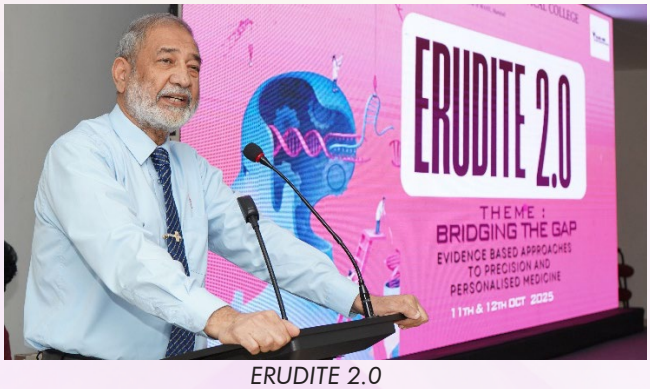
BLS Life Saver Training Program

Laptop Distribution Programme for Government School as CSR with the Outreach Department

National Voluntary Blood Donation Day

MTMC 5K Promo Run Marathon

Medorient 2025-26



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International Yoga Day

Independence Day Celebration

Department of Biotherapeutics Research, Manipal

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Name of the HoD: Dr Kirthanashri S V
Established: 2021
Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

MSc (Research) in Biotherapeutics: MSc (Research) in Biotherapeutics is a two-year program comprised of one semester of classroom teaching, followed by one semester in-house mini-project and two semesters of research internship. Candidates seeking admission must have a bachelor's degree of a minimum three-year duration with a minimum of 60% aggregated marks from a recognized University. Candidates with Foreign qualifications must submit an equivalency certificate from the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), New Delhi, as per program requirements.

PhD in Biotherapeutics Research: PhD in Biotherapeutics Research is a 3.5 year program, either financially supported by national level examinations (CSIR, ICMR, DBT, DST, etc.) or MAHE-Dr TMA Pai Scholarship program. Candidates seeking admission must have a bachelor's degree of a minimum 4-year duration or a master's degree with a minimum of 60% aggregated marks in related/relevant/allied subjects from a recognized University.

Postdoctoral fellow: DBR, MAHE welcomes applications from eligible candidates across the globe for postdoctoral fellowships with financial support.

About the Institution/School:

Department of Biotherapeutics Research (DBR) carries out innovative research, process, and product development in the area of Biotherapeutics (biologics or biotech drugs) with a broad remit covering various biological products with therapeutic potential in humans, mainly in the areas of cell, gene, protein, nanotechnology, regenerative medicine, and biomaterials. The goal of this Centre is to harbour research programs to innovate, develop, and translate cutting-edge research in the area of biotherapeutics in collaboration with global Biopharma and

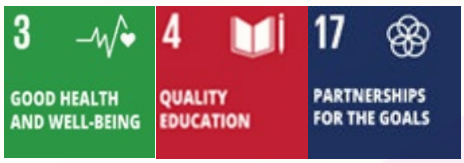
biotechnology industries. The Master's and Doctoral program offered by DBR helps the students to fully exploit the potential of these novel and cutting-edge therapeutic avenues through translational research. Core Research Area: Cell and Cell-free Therapy, Molecular Signal Transduction, Biomaterials and 3D bioprinting, Brain Aging and Neurotherapeutics, Nanomedicine and Biomaterials, Microbiome therapeutics

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
Details of Guest Visit (Lectures, Collaboration, Visitors on Campus)
Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Cherian Varghese V	Prasanna School of Public Health	Guest Lecture	11 Feb 2025
2	Ms Shobha Mishra Ghosh	G E Healthcare	Facility visit	08 Mar 2025
3	Dr Chennakesava Cuddapah	Curio Biotech, Switzerland	Facility visit	14 Mar 2025
4	Mr Chandrashekhar Rai	Alkem Mumbai	Facility visit	03 Apr 2025
5	Dr Arun Y Patil	MIT Bengaluru	Guest Lecture	24 Apr 2025
6	Prof Deepak Saini	IISc Bengaluru	Facility visit	28 Apr 2025
7	Dr Harishkumar Madhyastha	Department of Cardiovascular Physiology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Miyazaki, Miyazaki, Japan	Guest Lecture	12 May 2025
8	Mr K Guruswamy	BPL Medical Technologies, Bengaluru	Facility visit	13 May 2025
9	Mr Ashish Sharma	Department of Science and Technology, New Delhi	Facility visit	22 May 2025
10	Ms Ameeta Nehra	Nico-Nanobubble India Co, New Delhi	Facility visit	22 May 2025
11	Dr Kasturi Mahadik	Centre for Predictive Human Model Systems, Atal Incubation Centre - CCMB, Hyderabad 500039	Workshop	09 Jul 2025
12	Dr Anasuya Ganguly	Department of Biological Sciences, BITS Pilani, K K Birla Goa Campus, Goa	Workshop	10 Jul 2025
13	Dr Sujata Mohanty	Stem Cell Facility, DBT-Centre of Excellence for Stem Cell Research, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi 110029	Workshop	14 Jul 2025
14	Dr Malancha Ta	Stem Cell Laboratory, Department of Biological Sciences, IISER-Kolkata	Workshop	17 - 18 Jul 2025
15	Dr Rajnish Kumar Chaturvedi	CSIR-IITR, Lucknow	Workshop	18 Jul 2025
16	Dr. K Ramnarayan	Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University, Gangtok, Sikkim	Faculty Development Program	23 Aug 2025
17	Ms Anagha Joshi	Dyot Foundation, California	Facility visit	11 Sep 2025
18	Mr Nitin Pai	Takshashila Institution, Bengaluru	Facility visit	25 Sep 2025
19	Dr Sweety Samal	THSTI, Faridabad	Facility visit	28 Sep 2025
20	Mr Ashutosh Kumar	IIT, Mumbai	Facility visit	10 Oct 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
21	Dr Manjunatha M V	National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru	Board of Studies Meeting and Guest Lecture	13 - 14 Oct 2025
22	Dr Sridhar K R	UGC-BSR Faculty, Mangalore University, Mangalore	Guest Lecture	15 Oct 2025
23	Dr Madhumita P Ghosh	Amity Institute of Technology, Amity University, Noida	Guest Lecture	23 Oct 2025
24	Dr Vijay Kumar	Amity University Noida	Guest Lecture	27 - 28 Oct 2025
25	Mr Manohar B N	MD and CEO, Stempeutics Research Pvt Ltd	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
26	Dr Akhil Kumar	Chief Medical Officer, Aurigene Oncology Ltd, Bengaluru, India	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
27	Dr Rahul Purwar	Founder and CEO of ImmunoACT, Mumbai, India	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
28	Dr Vikram Mathews	Director, Professor of Clinical Hematology, Christian Medical College, Vellore, India	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
29	Dr Maneesha S Inamdar	Director, BRIC-Institute for Stem Cell Science and Regenerative Medicine and Professor, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research, Bengaluru, India	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
30	Dr Dinesh Kundu	Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder, EastOcyon Bio, Gurugram, Haryana, India	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
31	Dr Abheek Kar	Orthopaedician, Apollo Multispeciality Hospital, Kolkata, India	Cell Therapy Conclave - 2	30 - 31 Oct 2025
32	Dr Vasan K Sambandamurthy	Senior Vice President, Global Strategy and Operations, Bugworks, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture	06 Nov 2025
33	Dr Gagandeep Gahlay	Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar	Symposium and Workshop "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research: Applications in Reproductive Medicine"	15 - 16 Dec 2025
34	Dr Debasree Dutta	Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Trivandrum	Symposium and Workshop "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research: Applications in Reproductive Medicine"	15 - 16 Dec 2025
35	Dr Rajesh Kumar Jha	CSIR-CDRI, Lucknow	Symposium and Workshop "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell	15 - 16 Dec 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
			Research: Applications in Reproductive Medicine"	
36	Dr Arnab Banerjee	BHU, Varanasi	Symposium and Workshop "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research: Applications in Reproductive Medicine"	15 - 16 Dec 2025
37	Dr Pankaj Suman	NIAB, Hyderabad	Symposium and Workshop "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research: Applications in Reproductive Medicine"	15 - 16 Dec 2025
38	Dr Nikhil Shetty	KMC Mangalore	Symposium and Workshop "Frontiers in Gamete Biology and Stem Cell Research: Applications in Reproductive Medicine"	15 - 16 Dec 2025



Details of Publications:

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
55	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
0	11	42	16

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National
Conference	2
Workshop	3

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Advancements in High-Performance Liquid Chromatography: Transforming Analytical Chemistry Across Biomedical, Pharmaceutical, and Environmental Domains	Chapter 7 In: N. Mazumder et al. (eds.), Advanced Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences, Lecture Notes in Nanoscale Science and Technology 7	Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh	Springer Nature. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-94551-9_7	23 Jul 2025
2	Role of flow cytometry in the rapid assessment of organ-specific toxicity	Chapter 5 In: AB Pant, P Khare, AK Pandey (eds.), Flow Cytometry: Applications in Cellular and Molecular Toxicology	Dr Raviraja N S, Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh, and Dr Raghavendra Upadhya	Springer Nature Singapore, ISBN: 9789819797578	12 Nov 2025
3	Pharmacological potential of calorie restriction mimetics in mitigating brain aging. Advances in Pharmacology	104: 177-197.	Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh	Academic Press, ISSN 1054-3589	18 Nov 2025
4	Rejuvenating the Brain: Nutraceuticals, Autophagy, and Longevity. Springer Nature, Book Series: Nutritional Neurosciences		Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh	ISSN 2730-6712 and ISBN 978-981-95-2789-2	03 Dec 2025
5	The Potential of Intermittent Fasting in Age-Related Diseases and Precision Anti-aging Therapeutics		Dr Raviraja N S and Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh	Academic Press (Elsevier), ISBN: 978-0-443-30060-8. DOI: 10.1016/C2023-0-52152-4	17 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Development of Novel EV-based Therapeutic Strategies for the Treatment of Inherited Krabbe Disease, a Type of Lysosomal Storage Disease	Dr Raghavendra Upadhya	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), GOI	4,831,624	18 Jan 2025 - 17 Jan 2028
2	Development of Novel Topical Formulation containing Bone Marrow Derived Mesenchymal Stromal Cell Conditioned medium for the Treatment of Diabetic Foot Ulcer	Dr Raviraja N S	Stempeutics Research Private Limited - Industry Grant	4,970,000	01 Feb 2025 - 31 Jul 2028
3	Study on the Pharmacological Inhibition of Human Sperm	Dr Souvik Dey	Indian Council of Medical Research	7,990,000	10 Feb 2025 -

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
	GSK3a and Calcineurin on Fertilization Parameters to Develop Male Contraceptives		(ICMR), Government of India		09 Feb 2028
4	Polymeric nanomedicine mediated inhalation therapy to treat chronic obstructive pulmonary disease related inflammation	Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Government of India	4,800,000	17 Feb 2025 - 16 Feb 2027
5	Investigation on the Cohesive Roles of Glycogen Synthase Kinase 3 alpha and FTO in Regulation of Mammalian Spermatogenesis	Dr Souvik Dey	Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India (GOI) Government of India	6,417,280	22 Apr 2025 - 21 Apr 2028
6	Investigating the Role of miR-127/miR136 Cluster in Regulating Stemness properties and its contribution in the pathogenesis of cervical cancer	Dr Samatha Bhat	Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) - Anusandhan National Research Foundation	6,912,240	05 Jun 2025 - 04 Jun 2028
7	Elucidating the drug release mechanism from proton pump inhibitor(s) on 3D bioprinted tubular scaffold for enhanced esophageal regeneration	Dr S V Kirthanashri	Department of Biotechnology (DBT), GOI Government of India	200,000	13 Aug 2025 - 12 Feb 2027
8	Development of Glycogen Synthase Kinase 3 (GSK3)-Targeted Preventive Intervention in Support of Healthy Aging in Males	Dr Souvik Dey	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), Government of India (GoI)	7,450,000	24 Dec 2025 - 23 Dec 2028

Patent Details:

Details of Patent Filed:

SL NO	NAME	DATE
1	A METHOD FOR DETECTION OF BISPHENOL A (BPA) BY QUANTIFYING DOUBLE C-2 LIKE PROTEIN BETA (DOC2B) EXPRESSION AND USE THEREOF	11 JUN 2025
2	A COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR CYTOKINE-PRIMED MSC SECRETOME FOR ANTI-INFLAMMATORY THERAPEUTIC APPLICATION	20 JUN 2025
3	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR 3D BIOENGINEERED OVARIAN MODEL FOR FEMALE	26 JUL 2025
4	A METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR WJMSC PRIMING TO ENHANCE THE ANTI-INFLAMMATORY EFFECT OF SECRETOME	14 NOV 2025
5	A METHOD FOR ACCELERATING GEROTHERAPEUTIC SCREENING BY DEVELOPING TWO-HIT NEURO-INFLAMMAGING MODEL	07 DEC 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A PROCESS FOR THE FORMULATION OF AN INK FOR PRINTING 3D TUBULAR STRUCTURES	11 Jun 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh	Best oral presentation award for the paper titled "Autophagy Rejuvenates the Aging Brain" at the International Conference on Bridging Innovative Research in Translational and Interventional Health (BIRTH-2025), held from 13 to 15 Nov 2025, at the University of Lucknow	15 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Jahnavy Joshi	Won first prize, 'Dr Awtar Krishan Award' in the quiz conducted for the advanced research workshop module (26th Indo-US flow cytometry workshop from 11 to 13 Feb 2025, organized by Trust for Education and Training in Cytometry (TETC))	13 Feb 2025
2	Ms Shweta Verma	Appreciation Award for the presentation of research on "Effect of primed WJMSC-EVs for wound healing" at the inaugural conference of the Indian Society for Extracellular Vesicles (ISEV-India), titled EVOLVE	22 Mar 2025
3	Ms Aditi Khamamkar	Third prize for the scientific poster presentation at Manipal Quest 2.0, organized by MAHE	21 Sep 2025
4	Ms Varsha Pai	Best oral presentation award for presenting her work in the APA International Conference held in Udaipur, Rajasthan,	15 Oct 2025
5	Ms Varsha Pai	Best Poster award - 3rd Prize in 'Cell Therapy Conclave - 2' jointly organized by DBR and KMC	31 Oct 2025
6	Ms Neha Choudhari	Prof NJ Chinoy Award for Best Poster Research Paper Presentation - First prize for presenting her work in the International Conference on ReproNext: Emerging Horizons in Reproductive Health Research 2025	13 Dec 2025

Staff

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Preethesh Kumar	Third Prize - Men's Carrom singles - MAHE TD Sports	31 May 2025
2	Mr Avinash U P	Third Prize - Discuss throw (Men) - MAHE TD Tournament	31 May 2025
3	Mr Avinash U P and Mr Preethesh Kumar	Runner-up in Men's Carrom Doubles - MAHE MAHE Intercollegiate Sports and Games 2024-2025	31 May 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	DBR Annual Sports Day 2025	The Annual Sports Day Meet 2025 at the Department of Biotherapeutics Research was a thrilling mix of speed, strength,	01 Mar 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		and sheer fun! The event was inaugurated by the esteemed Chief Guest, Air Commodore Vipul Singh AVSM, Additional Director General Services, MAHE, Manipal. MCBR head, Prof (Dr) Raviraja N S, motivated all to participate in the annual sports event with maximum excitement, enthusiasm, and dedication. All students, research scholars, faculty, and Staff members competed passionately, representing four dynamic teams. From electrifying 100 M and 200 M sprints to the adrenaline-packed 4x100 M relay, shot put, and long jump, our athletes gave it their all! Adding a playful twist, we had Badminton, Kho Kho, 7 Stones, Darts, and the ultimate test of balance—Lemon and Spoon x Book Balance Relay! The event concluded with a valedictory ceremony presided over by Mr H Bharathkumar, Director of Public Relations, Media and Social Media, MAHE Manipal. Winners were felicitated, and the overall champions were honored, making it a memorable day! Overall, MCBR Annual Sports Day 2025 was a great success, and it would not have been possible without the great efforts, help, and support from our beloved associate professor, Dr Abhishek Kumar Singh, and our head Prof (Dr) Raviraj N S	

Cultural Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Onam Celebrations 	Department of Biotherapeutics Research celebrated Onam 2025 with great enthusiasm, bringing together faculty, staff, and students in a vibrant display of tradition and cultural unity. The celebrations featured a beautifully crafted pookalam with traditional Onam sweets, highlighting the significance of the festival, thereby reflecting the values of harmony, togetherness, and shared joy. These festivals remind us of the importance of community and the strength we draw from celebrating our diversity. We extend our gratitude to the Arture club of DBR for organizing the celebration and to everyone who contributed to making this occasion memorable. At DBR, we believe that the spirit of Onam—unity, collaboration, and renewal—resonates strongly with our mission to advance research and education for the greater good.	03 Sep 2025
2	Teachers Day 	At DBR, we celebrated Teachers' Day with gratitude, laughter, and a touch of friendly competition. Our faculty members took a well-deserved break from mentoring and guiding us and joined in activities designed just for them including a lively treasure hunt and an engaging quiz. It was a day of joy, camaraderie, and appreciation for the mentors who shape our journeys every day. We thank our faculty for their dedication and inspiration, not just today but throughout the year.	05 Sep 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
3	Navaratri Celebration 	Department of Biotherapeutic Research celebrated the spirit of Navratri with music, dance, and joy. The evening began with a soulful aarti and highlighting the significance of Navaratri, followed by melodious singing, energetic dance performances by faculty, scholars and students of DBR. The highlight was the vibrant garba, where all matched steps in rhythm and in spirit that filled the space with energy and brightness. Festivals remind us that science may be our shared pursuit, but celebration and togetherness are what keep our community thriving.	24 Sep 2025
4	Daan Utsav 	As part of Daan Utsav 2025, the Department of Biotherapeutics Research (DBR) visited the Planet Mars Foundation in Kallianpura on 11 Oct 2025. The visit began with a warm and heartfelt welcome, as the students greeted our team with beautifully handcrafted roses. A brief formal session followed, during which representatives from DBR introduced the department's initiatives, ongoing research, and the spirit behind Daan Utsav. The interaction also included an engaging discussion with the students about the diverse academic and professional opportunities available after pre-university education. The Vice President of the Foundation shared insights into their vision, the challenges they encounter, and their efforts to empower young learners. The visit was a meaningful reminder of the importance of compassion, knowledge sharing, and collective growth values that Daan Utsav embodies.	11 Oct 2025
5	Beach Cleaning 	The Department of Biotherapeutics Research (DBR) - MAHE, under the initiative of the 'Off the Trail Club', spent an inspiring and impactful evening at Hoode Beach, Udupi, on 23 Oct 2025, embodying the true spirit of collective responsibility and learning. In a thoughtful blend of environmental action and team building, students, PhD scholars, faculty, and staff came together for a beach cleaning drive, demonstrating DBR's commitment to sustainability and community welfare.	23 Oct 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Inauguration of workshop '3D model designing: 3D bioprinting, organ on chip and microfluidics'

Inauguration of the workshop 'Human Stem Cells in Neuroscience Research: Techniques and Applications'

Cell Therapy Conclave - 2

Annual Sports Day

Inauguration of R & D Lab - 5 during the 4th Establishment Day

Department of Basic Medical Sciences

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Established: 2022
Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- The BSc Health Science Program
- BSc Basic Medical Sciences (BSc BMS)

About the Institution/School:

The Department of Basic Medical Sciences is a teaching and research department under MAHE, Manipal. Faculty members of the department cater to the academic/teaching requirements of all health science institutions under MAHE.

The BSc Health Science program offered by International Centre for Health Sciences (ICHS), DBMS, MAHE, Manipal, is a part of the 2 + 2 + 2 program in association with American University of Antigua College of Medicine (AUACOM). It is ideal for students who have completed 12th grade and are committed to pursuing careers in medicine. It is two years, four-semester Premedical program at ICHS, Manipal, followed by basic medical education at Antigua and then Clinical Sciences in the US, Canada, or India. The curriculum develops critical thinking skills and a comprehensive approach to basic medical education. Here, the student will have a unique experience of both curricular and extracurricular activities under the best infrastructure provided by MAHE. Along with prerequisite subjects, students are also exposed to Basic Medical Sciences and research activities through mentored student projects (MSP) and Basic Life Support (BLS) courses.

BSc Basic Medical Sciences (BSc BMS) is an undergraduate program covering the broad aspects of various areas of basic medical sciences to help choose a career in basic medical sciences research and development. The main focus of the program is to

gain basic knowledge in pre-clinical and para-clinical subjects through lectures and hands-on training, culminating in a group research project. After the successful completion of the program, students can pursue either an honours degree in Basic Medical Sciences or a master's in clinical or computational Neurosciences if they meet the eligibility criteria

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	BSc Basic Medical Sciences Degree Program, with possible progression to MSc in Clinical/Computational Neurosciences	BSc Basic Medical Sciences (BSc BMS) is an undergraduate program covering the broad aspects of various areas of basic medical sciences to help choose a career in basic medical sciences research and development. The main focus of the program is to gain basic knowledge in preclinical and paraclinical subjects through lectures and hands-on training, culminating in a group research project work. After the successful completion of the program, students can pursue either honors degrees in Basic Medical Sciences or masters in Clinical or Computational Neurosciences if they meet the eligibility criteria	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	SPIRIT Program – Scholarly Publication Initiative for Review Writing	The Doctoral Research Exchange Network (DREN) successfully conducted the SPIRIT program, Scholarly Publication Initiative for Review Writing, in collaboration with the Centre for Evidence-Informed Decision Making, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), MAHE, Manipal. This initiative was designed to build systematic review-writing capacity among research scholars and enhance the quality of scholarly publications from our institution. The SPIRIT program comprised a series of eight structured and interlinked sessions, with each session focusing on one critical step of the systematic review process. The sessions were: 1. 14 Feb 2025: Introduction to the SPIRIT Program, 2. 19 Feb 2025: Framing Review Questions and Protocol Presentation, 3. 26 Feb 2025: Protocol Presentation Continuation, 4. 05 Mar 2025: Conducting a Literature Review, 5. 19 Mar 2025: Session on Screening and Selection of Literature, 6. 23 Apr 2025: Data Extraction and Quality Assessment, 7. 15 May 2025: Data Synthesis and Reporting, 8. 11 Jun 2025: Manuscript Presentation by Participants	14 Feb - 11 Jun 2025
2	Human Anatomy Exhibition	Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, organized an interactive and enlightening "Human Anatomy Exhibition" as a part of Amrutha Mahothsava celebrations of SVS Pre-University College, Katpadi, Udupi on 10 and 11 Jan 2025. The exhibition aimed to provide students at Pre-University college and school with a practical understanding of Human Anatomy.	11 Jan 2025
3	Reminiscor Anatomia	Division of Anatomy, DBMS successfully conducted an Anatomy review session titled '*Reminiscor Anatomia*' for 110 first-year Bachelor	14 Feb 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		of Naturopathy and Yogic Sciences students from SDM College of Naturopathy and Yogic Sciences, Ujire.	
4	WISDOM-SIX-2025	An inter-collegiate basic science undergraduate quiz competition was organized by the Department of Basic Medical Sciences, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, for students of Mangalore and Manipal MCODS, MAHE	31 May 2025
5	Model Your Microbe 2025	The faculty from the Division of Microbiology, Department of Basic Medical Sciences have organized Model Your Microbe 2025 (MYM - A hunt for the most gorgeous microbe), an intra-collegiate competition with the aim to encourage the talents, skills, and creativity of students of MAHE, Manipal. Sixteen teams (Each team consisted of 3-5 students) from various Institutions of MAHE participated in this event.	25 Oct 2025
6	ANAcT	Theatre competition for dental students for the first-year BDS students of MCODS, Manipal. This innovative event, which aimed to blend creativity with academic learning, was coordinated by the students of the BDS program.	18 Mar 2025
7	Clinical update on "Opportunistic oral cavity infections in HIV patients"	Dr Kavitha Saravu, Professor and Unit Head, from the Department of Infectious Diseases, KMC, Manipal, delivered the guest lecture.	03 Mar 2025
8	Anatomy Demonstration Session	Organized an anatomy demonstration session for first-year BPharm students of MCOPS, Manipal. 90 participants enthusiastically participated in the teaching-learning session.	12 Apr 2025
9	Symposium on Clinical Laboratory Insights	A Step Towards Excellence in Industry-Academia Collaboration. As part of MAHE's declaration of 2025 as the Year of Excellence in Industry-Academia Collaborations, the Department of Basic Medical Sciences, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), in association with Siemens Healthineers, organized a one-day symposium titled "Clinical Laboratory Insights"	07 Mar 2025
10	"Medicine Matters – Know Before You Take"	The Division of Pharmacology, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, successfully conducted a one-day workshop titled "Medicine Matters – Know Before You Take" on 7th July 2025. The event was specially organized for schoolteachers from various institutions across the Udupi District, with the aim of enhancing awareness about the safe and informed use of medicines.	7 July 2025
11	CNS INSIGHTS	Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE, organized a national-level CNS dissection workshop for AYUSH faculty from 09:00 to 17:00. About 41 AYUSH doctors enrolled for the workshop, among whom 19 were faculty, and 22 were postgraduate students of Ayurveda, Homeopathy, and Naturopathy streams.	18 Jul 2025
12	Cadaveric oath ceremony for MCHP students	Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE, organized the cadaveric oath ceremony for newly joined first-year students of MCHP at 09:30	07 Aug 2025
13	Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	The Division of Physiology, Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DBMS) of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), successfully organized a Workshop on "Cardiopulmonary	22 Nov 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		Resuscitation" (CPR). The event was held at Parkala High School on the occasion of Vajra Mahotsava.	
14	Cadaveric Demonstration for Siddha students	Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE organized a cadaveric demonstration for Siddha students from Erode Siddha Medical College from 13:20 to 14:30. About 53 undergraduate students enthusiastically participated in the discussion.	08 Feb 2025
15	World Anatomy Day	The Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, in association with the Anatomy Club, MAHE Manipal, celebrated World Anatomy Day. As part of the celebrations, various events and competitions were organized to spread awareness of human anatomy among students, faculty, and MAHE staff. ***Kaaya Chitrana 2.0***, a drawing competition, was organized by the division, which was open to the MAHE family.	10 Oct 2025
16	Anatochrome	Division of Anatomy, Department of Basic Medical Sciences, MAHE, conducted an in-house faculty development program titled '**Anatochrome**', A hands-on workshop on human gross specimen colouring. Dr Ullas Kamath, Head, DBMS, inaugurated the workshop.	11 Oct 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Prof Dr Sushil Chandra	Ex Associate Director, INMAS, DRDO, Delhi. Dean, School of Psychology and Education, Rishihood University	Prof Dr Sushil Chandra commenced his talk by providing an overview of the various laboratories under the Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO). He highlighted the diverse domains in which DRDO operates and how researchers can align their projects with the organization's objectives.	25 Jan 2025
2	Dr Ramnarayan	Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University, Emeritus Professor of Medical Education, Manipal Academy of Higher Education	Live demonstration on Public Speaking -"Articulate with Aplomb", a lectern on 16 Apr 2025. This session was an engaging and enriching experience for all attendees	16 Apr 2025
3	Dr S Pradeep Reddy	Professor of Physiology, SVS Medical College, Mahabubnagar, Telangana.	A guest talk on "Transcending from Dependence to Independence: The journey of self-directed Learning " was organized by the Division of Physiology, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal	02 Sep 2025
4	Dr Ganesh Kamath M	Associate Professor, Dept. of Physiology, Manipal University College Malaysia (MUCM), Melaka, Malaysia	A guest talk on the topic "Project supervision, Management and Problem shooting strategies" was organized by the Division of Microbiology, Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DBMS), MAHE, in the afternoon.	17 Sep 2025
5	Mr Anand Kukkamalla,	Assistant Professor, Dept. of Microbiology, Manipal	A guest talk on the topic "Project supervision, Management and Problem shooting strategies" as	17 Sep 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
		University College Malaysia (MUCM), Melaka, Malaysia	organized by the Division of Microbiology, Department of Basic Medical Sciences (DBMS), MAHE, in the afternoon	
6	Dr Sivakumar Palaniappan	Clinical Hematologist in Pantai Hospital, Malaysia	A Guest Talk "CAR T cell therapy- From tissue to treatment: A pathology-centered perspective" organized by the Division of Pathology, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal	24 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
72	12	26	1

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
21	6	10	2

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National
Other	4
Workshop	4

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	To conduct a one-week observership program for medical students at the Division of Siddha, CIMR, MAHE	Dr Arul Amuthan L	Health India Foundation, Siddha and Modern Integrated Medicine Clinic	3,215,000	22-29 Sep 2025

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A system and method for comprehensive post-surgical patient monitoring and support platform	02 Jan 2025
2	A Dynamic Muscle Strength Evaluating System and Method Thereof	25 Apr 2025
3	A System and Method for Non-Invasive and Real-Time Weight Monitoring In Bed Bound Patients	22 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name	Date
4	A System and Method for Motorized Elevation and Alert in Intravenous Stand	27 Sep 2025
5	A Device for Inducing Controlled Vibratory Stress in Animal Models and a Method Thereof	06 Nov 2025

Details of Patent Granted

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Biofeedback-Based Virtual Reality System and Method for Stress Management	24 Feb 2025
2	A System and Method for Wireless Muscle Strength Assessment Using a Handheld Force Sensor	08 Jul 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Ramkishore H S,	Dr Ramkishore H S, Research Associate, Division of Anatomy, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal, has received First Prize in the oral presentation during the ARQ 1st International Conference on Accreditation, Ranking and Quality in Higher Education held from 19 to 21 Jun 2025, at Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research, Chennai.	19 Jun 2025
2	Dr Prathibha Maria D Almeida	Dr Prathibha Maria D Almeida, Assistant Professor Selection Grade, Division of Physiology, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal, has won 3rd place in the Yoga Essay competition organized by the Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal.	21 Jun 2025
3	Ms Sharanya Rao	Research Associate, Division of Anatomy, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal, has secured Second Place in the E-Poster Competition organized by the Department of Social and Health Innovation, Prasanna School of Public Health, MAHE, Manipal, on the occasion of the 6th National Social Work Week.	23 Aug 2025
4	Ms Sonal	Research Associate, Division of Anatomy, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal, has received Second place in the E-Poster Competition organized by the Department of Social and Health Innovation, Prasanna School of Public Health, MAHE, Manipal, on the occasion of the 6th National Social Work Week	23 Aug 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Saidan Shetty	PhD Scholar, MMMC, MAHE, Manipal, has received First Prize in the Poster Presentation at the International Conference of Health Profession Educators and Learners (I-HEAL) 2025, held between 30 and 31 May 2025 at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore	31 May 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
2	Ms Saidan Shetty	PhD Scholar, MMMC, MAHE, Manipal has received First Prize in Yoga Essay Competition and Second Prize in Yoga Poster competition held on the International Yoga Day, organized by the Division of Yoga, Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (CIMR), MAHE, Manipal	21 Jun 2025
3	Mr Dharsan S	PhD Scholar, Division of Physiology, DBMS, MAHE, Manipal has secured First place in the yoga asana competition held on the International Yoga Day, organized by the Division of Yoga, Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (CIMR), MAHE, Manipal.	21 Jun 2025
4	Ms Tanavi Pandurang Naik	PhD scholar, DBMS, MAHE Manipal has won 2nd place in the Nutrition Month Poster Competition organized by Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, WGSHA, MAHE, Manipal	09 Dec 2025

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Human Anatomy Exhibition

Model Your Microbe 2025

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Symposium on Clinical Laboratory Insights

Cadaveric Oath Ceremony

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Center for Integrative Medicine and Research (CIMR), Division of Yoga

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Name of the HoD: Dr Neetinakumar J Patil
Established: 1980
Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- MSc Yoga Therapy
- Certificate Course in Yoga
- PhD program

About the Institution/School:
The Division of Yoga was started according to the vision and mission of Padma Shree Dr TMA Pai, the main architect of the worldwide famous Manipal Institutions. The Division was established in January 1980 at MAHE, Manipal. The aim of the division is to provide yoga practice to the public to improve health and yoga therapy to the patients who are suffering from various kinds of disorders, along with all modern facilities of treatment available in the hospital. It trains students to develop skills of Yoga Therapy to serve the people of society. It helps to fulfil the need of society to create individuals who are experts in the field. The division started offering MSc in Yoga Therapy in 1998. From 2015 onwards, it was named as Division of Yoga and was working under the Centre for Integrative Medicine & Research (CIMR), MAHE, Manipal. Advantages: It aims to develop the skill to apply Yoga techniques in the treatment of health disorders, along with proper classical knowledge of Yoga, as well as laboratory studies. Students who are trained here may run their Yoga Centres, join hospitals or colleges to work as an expert in Yoga Therapy, or as a lecturer in Yoga Therapy. The course also concentrates on research in the field of Yoga science and Yoga Therapy. Mission: 1) To improve teaching, therapy, and research in the field of yoga. 2) To spread the value-based knowledge of yoga therapy. 3) To propagate the importance of yoga for healthy living. 4) To spread the potentialities of yoga and the contributions of yoga for healthy living. 5) To create public awareness about yoga therapy.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Summer Yoga camp for staff children and other school children	The Division of Yoga conducted a Summer Yoga camp for staff children and other school children at Marena Sports Complex as part of the International Day of Yoga 2025. The program was coordinated by Dr Lavya Shetty from the Division of Yoga. Batch 1: 14 to 26 Apr 2025 Batch 2: 05 to 16 May. Number of children: 30	14 Apr - 16 May 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	12 students and two faculty members	University College of Northern (UCN), Denmark	Observership Program	26 Feb 2025
2	10 students and 3 faculty members	Tampere University, Finland	Observership Program	28 Feb 2025
3	Dr Lorna Moxham, Adjunct Faculty at MCON and Mr Paul Robson, a Mental Health Clinical Nurse Consultant with Ms Taylor Yousiph, a PhD candidate and Associate Lecturer	University of Wollongong	Observership Program	14 Mar 2025
4	Three nursing students	University of Stavanger, Norway	Observership Program	12 Jun 2025
5	Professor Bodil Bø and Professor Marie Undheim	University of Stavanger, Norway	Observership Program	07 Oct 2025

Details of Publications:

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
12	3

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students:

Faculty	
National	International
04	03

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National
Other	10

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Music and Virtual Reality (VR) technology	13 Aug 2025
2	Yoga and VR technology	17 Sep 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Neetinakumar J Patil	Special Guest: Independence Day 2025 Celebration, Red Port, New Delhi (Ministry of Ayush invitation from 13 to 17 Aug 2025)	15 Aug 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	International Day of Yoga - Yoga Sangam 2025	Manipal Academy of Higher Education celebrated International Day of Yoga on 21 Jun 2025, coordinated by the Division of Yoga, CIMR. The entire program was streamed live. The campus community, including 380 Students, staff, faculty, and nearby localities, participated in the event. The Yoga practice session was conducted by Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and Head, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE. Welcome address and Opening remarks by Dr Annapoorna K, Lighting the lamp by Dignitaries. Address by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, addressed the audience, underscoring the importance of yoga as a transformative tool in today's fast-paced world. Awarding the Certificates of competitions by Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, Felicitation program - Felicitation by Mrs Indira Ballal, Philanthropist and Dr Sharath K Rao, Pro Vice Chancellor- Health Sciences, MAHE. Presidential address by Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE, addressed about reflecting on India's leadership in the global wellness movement. He emphasized, "Yoga is one of India's greatest contributions to the world, timeless in its wisdom and more relevant today than ever before. It is our responsibility to lead with authenticity and knowledge. MAHE believes that celebrating Yoga will help reaffirm this cultural legacy and inspire future generations to embrace Yoga not just as a practice, but as a way of life." The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr Neetinakumar J Patil, Associate Professor, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal. Demonstration with the formations of yoga postures was performed by MSc Yoga Therapy students from the Division of Yoga.	21 Jun 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Yoga Samavesh for Adolescents -Signature Event (Ministry of Ayush Funded) Partner School: Sharadha Residential School (SRS), Kunjibettu, Udupi	Sharada Residential School (SRS) • Early morning inaugural Yoga Samavesh on 12 Jun 2025 at SRS in the auspicious presence of dignitaries like Mr Vidyavantha Acharya, Director, SRS; Mr Vincent D'Costa, Principal, SRS; Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and Head, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE; Dr Neetinakumar J Patil, Nodal Officer, IDY2025, MAHE; and	12 Jun 2025

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	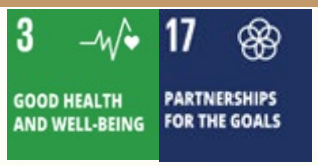	others. Dignitaries addressed the participants and encouraged lifelong practice of Yoga. • More than 100 students from grades VI to IX participated every day. • They practiced Yoga for Adolescents under the instructions from Dr Patil, Ms Deeksha P Shetty, Mr Shobraj MG, Ms Shravika Shetty, Ms Jolly Thomas, Ms Geetika Bhasin, Dr Manoj Ghosh, and assistance from Ms Shwethal, Ms Likhitha, Ms Preethal. They also had expert talks on Yoga from Dr Patil and Dr Ghosh. Valedictory programme on 02 Jul 2025, was a grand success in the gracious presence of Dr Avinash Shetty, Medical Superintendent and Chief Operating Officer, Kasturba Hospital, and Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal as Chief Guest; Mr Vidyavantha Acharya, Director, SRS as Guest of Honour; Mr Vincent D'Costa, Principal, SRS as Guest, Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and Head, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal; and Dr Neetinakumar J Patil, Nodal Officer, IDY 2025, MAHE, Manipal. Dignitaries addressed the gathering and shared their views on Yoga and its benefits across different levels of prevention and dimensions of health. Students shared their testimonials, experiences, and feedback on Yoga Samavesh, also for providing them with the Yoga T-shirts and Yoga Mats.	
2	Yoga Samavesh for Adolescents - Signature Event (Ministry of Ayush Funded) Partner School: Madhava Kripa School (MKS), Manipal 	Madhava Kripa School (MKS) • After several days of red alert for heavy rain, the inauguration took place on a day of yellow alert with whole-hearted participation of over a hundred students from grade VII. Mrs Radhika Pai, Coordinator, MKS; Mrs Swati Sudhakar Kulkarni, Principal, MKS; Mrs Shalini S, Teacher, MKS; Mr Prashanth, Teacher, MKS; Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and Head, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal; and Dr Neetinakumar J Patil, Nodal Officer, IDY 2025, MAHE, Manipal; other teaching and non-teaching staff of MKS and students took part in the inaugural programme. • Yoga for Adolescents module conducted by trained instructors like Ms Deeksha P Shetty, Ms Bhvana, Ms Jolly Thomas, Mr Shibraj M G, Ms Shravika Shetty, Ms Muskan Thakur, Dr Manoj Ghosh, and Dr Patil with active support and assistance from Mrs Shalini, Ms Prashanth, and other staff from MKS. They also had expert talks on Yoga from Dr Patil. • Over 100 student participants from Grade VII. • The valedictory ceremony was conducted on 03 July 2025, in the presence of Dr Suneel C Mundkur, Professor, Department of Paediatrics, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal as Chief Guest; Mrs Swati Sudhakar, Principal, MKS as Guest of Hononr; Mrs Radhika Pai, Coordinator, MKS, Guest of Honour; Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and Head, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal; and Dr Neetinakumar J Patil, Nodal Officer, IDY 2025, MAHE, Manipal; other teaching and non-teaching staff of MKS and participants of Yoga Samavesh. And also, for providing them with the Yoga T-shirts and Yoga Mats.	18 Jun 2025

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Yoga Samavesh for Adolescents -Signature Event (Ministry of Ayush Funded) Partner School: Sharadha Residential School (SRS), Kunjibettu, Udupi

International Day of Yoga - Yoga Sangam 2025

Yoga Samavesh for Adolescents - Signature Event (Ministry of Ayush Funded) Partner School: Madhava Kripa School (MKS), Manipal

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Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (CIMR), Division of Ayurveda

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Established: 1982

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

1. Post Graduate Certificate Course in Panchakarma (PGCPK)

The PGCPK program, which was started to provide Ayurvedic Practical knowledge to BAMS graduates, is now considered one of the best courses of this type. It boosts the confidence level of the students and prepares them aptly to practice Ayurvedic Panchakarma therapy.

This program aims to impart quality education in the field of Ayurveda to bridge the gap between theory and practical application of Panchakarma therapy in clinical practice. The current trend of Global healthcare demands evidence-based practice, and the program intends to offer the same, banking on the abundant documented clinical experience of the department. Thus, the program is a promising ray of quality education in the field of Ayurveda in a very short time.

The duration of the course is six months, which includes four modules of theory with exclusive importance to practical sessions.

Highlights of the Program

- Practical-oriented and evidence-based learning.
- Audiovisuals, bedside clinical examination.
- Hands-on experience with Panchakarma procedures.
- Seminars, group study.
- Theoretical sessions, practical sessions, and intellectual sessions.
- Eligibility: BAMS graduates who have completed one year of compulsory internship.
- Commencement of the Class: The first week of March and September of every year.
- How to apply: Online admissions at www.manipal.edu

2. Certificate course in Panchakarma Technician and Massage Therapist

Panchakarma Technician and Massage Therapist course: Training in the complete range of Ayurvedic

therapies, including all Panchakarma therapies. The students who passed this training have been well-placed in renowned hospitals in India and abroad.
Duration of the program: 1 Year/Regular
Eligibility criteria for admission: Minimum 10+2
Commencement of the Class: The first week of January and July of every year
How to apply: Online admissions at www.manipal.edu

3. Certificate Course in Basic Ayurvedic Wellness

4. Certificate Course in Ayurvedic Dietetics

5. Certificate Course -Introductory Course in Integrative Medicine

About the Institution/School

The Division of Ayurveda, which has been an incredible part of the esteemed Manipal Academy of Higher Education since 1982, proposes and performs to provide value-based, authentic Ayurveda treatment to the public. The Division of Ayurveda has been an integral part of the Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (CIMR) since 2015 and has a wide stream of patients, referrals from other departments, and collaborations with various National and International Institutions, as it incorporates updates of technical and investigative means. The numerous research activities undertaken have established the wisdom of Ayurveda and opened new horizons in the field. The seminars, CME programs, and workshops have always set an example for others. Learning has always been a pleasure here.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	"Integrated approach of Ayurveda and Yoga for Disease Prevention and Health Promotion" 	On account of "Ayurveda Day", Division of Ayurveda, CIMR, MAHE, Manipal, conducted this Guest lecture. Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and HoD, Division of Yoga, CIMR, MAHE Manipal, was the resource person. The total number of participants was 34. SDG 3: Good Health and Wellbeing, SDG 4: Quality Education, SDG 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions.	23 Sep 2025
2	"Patents and IPRs – Awareness Session" 	Division of Ayurveda, CIMR MAHE Manipal, organized an awareness session on Patents and IPRs. The resource person was Dr Namdev Dhas, Associate Professor in the Department of Pharmaceutics, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, and Assistant Director in Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer Office (IPTTO), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal. The total number of participants was 30.	12 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	13 Students from Tampere University, Finland University	Prasanna School of Public Health	Observational Visit	25 Feb 2025
2	12 Students from the University College of Northern (UCN), Denmark	Manipal College of Nursing	Observational Visit	28 Feb 2025
3	4 Students from Sydney	Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Science	Educational Visit	05 Mar 2025
4	11 International Students	Prasanna School of Public Health	Observational Visit	07 Mar 2025
5	Mr Paul Robson, Ms Taylor Yousiph, Dr Lorna Maxham from the University of Wollongong	Manipal College of Nursing	Observational Visit	14 Mar 2025
6	124 BSc Nursing Students from MCON MAHE	Department of Medical Surgical Nursing	Observational Visit	07 to 17 Apr 2025
7	34 Students of the Manipal Global Health Symposium	Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH)	Observational Visit	23 to 30 Apr 2025
8	Two faculty members from the University of Stavanger, Norway	Manipal College of Nursing	Observational Visit	07 Oct 2025
9	12 Students and 02 Faculty members from Deakin University, Australia	Manipal College of Nursing.	Study tour Visit	20 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
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Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
1	0	0	0

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	"Mapping and visualizing innovations in Traditional, Complementary, and Integrative Medicine (TCIM) and related scientific technologies for strategic advancement and scale-up"	PI: Dr Cheriyan Varghese, Director, Prasanna School of Public Health, (Division of Ayurveda faculties as Co-Investigators)	World Health Organization	2,155,450 INR	21 Jul 2025 to 31 Dec 2025

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	"A system and method for automated temperature measurement and regulation in oil retention procedure"	04 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Harith P H	In the MAHE Interinstitutional Sports event, he received III prize in the Triple Jump Men.	14 Feb 2025

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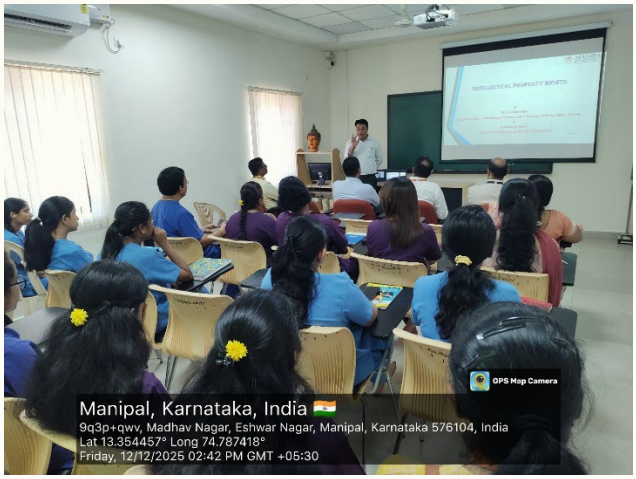
On account of "Ayurveda Day", Division of Ayurveda, CIMR MAHE conducted "Integrated approach of Ayurveda and Yoga for disease prevention and health promotion" Guest Lecture on 23 September 2025. Dr Annapoorna K, Professor and HoD, Division of Yoga, CIMR, was the resource person.



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Established: 1 November 2023

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:
Programs

1. One-month Elective Course on Traditional Siddha Medicine

This is the course jointly conducted by Morehouse School of Medicine (Atlanta, USA), Health India Foundation (Chennai), and MAHE for the fourth-year medical graduates of the USA and Canada.

This course is approved under the Global Health International Program, and students matriculated at an LCME-accredited US Medical School are eligible to apply for elective courses at Morehouse School of Medicine (MSM).

2. Postgraduate Certificate Course in Siddha Varmam Therapy (PGC SVT – full-time course)

Siddha Varmam Therapy (Varma Vaidyam) is a unique traditional drugless healing method by manipulating energy (varma) points located along the 12 energy (naadi) channels of the human body.

Ancient Siddhas (Yogi) like Agastyar, Thirumular, Bogar developed this art of healing and authored >120 works of literature. Varma therapy is used in pain management, musculoskeletal-neuronal disorders, chronic diseases, post-trauma, sports injuries, etc.

This course is the first of its kind in India, and trains the healthcare professionals to use this ancient healing technique. Experienced Siddha Varma physicians are going to teach students.

The course includes fundamentals of Siddha Varmam science, identification of important varma points, traumatic sequale of each point, manipulation techniques of each point, health benefits of each point, Siddha Varma external therapies, Siddha Yoga, Varmasanam, spine alignment, treatment protocol for common conditions, etc.

In this six-month course, students need to attend classes from 09:00 am to 05:00 PM, which includes practical sessions and clinical postings.

Eligibility: Any UG health professionals such as MBBS, BDS, BSMS, BAMS, BNYS, BUMS, BHMS, BPT, and other allied Health Sciences, BSc Nursing, Yoga therapy, etc.

3. Postgraduate Certificate Course in Siddha Varmam Therapy (hybrid mode)

This is a one-year course in which students will be attending online classes and in-person practical sessions. The compulsory one-week internship at Manipal is mandatory to complete the course.

Eligibility: Private Practitioners/ PG students/ Faculty members of health professionals with MBBS, BDS, BSMS, BAMS, BNYS, BUMS, BHMS, BPT, BOT, BSc Nursing, BSc/MSc Yoga therapy or any equivalent full-time degrees.

4. Introductory Certificate Course in Siddha Varmam Therapy (open elective course for one semester)

This course is for the MAHE students that carries 3 credits.

5. Introductory Certificate Course in Siddha Varmam Therapy (evening course for 3 months)

This is for the public or anybody who wishes to know the Siddha Varmam Therapy.

6. Introductory Certificate Course in Siddha Varmam Therapy (one-month, full-time)

This course gives an opportunity for healthcare professionals or anybody else who wishes to learn the basics of Siddha Varmam Therapy.

About the Institution/School

Traditional Siddha Medicine is one of the Indian AYUSH medical systems, where S stands for Siddha. There were 18 ancient Indian Yogis (Siddhas), such as Agastya Maharishi, Patanjali, Thirumoolar, Bogar, etc., who developed this medical system. They documented 6,000 medical manuscripts in the palm manuscripts. They have classified diseases into 4,448 based on clinical features, and specific herbal remedies are described for each one. The patient is diagnosed based on naadi (pulse), neikkuri (oil on urine examination), manikkadai nool (wrist thread measurement), abnormality in saram (nasal cycle), etc. With these detailed clinical as well as Siddha examinations, we could diagnose and manage challenging diseases such as AIDS, cancers, dengue, COVID, etc. Siddha advises dietary and lifestyle modifications, home remedies, Siddha yoga practices, and herbal remedies. Varmam (trigger point manipulation therapy), kaayakalpam (anti-ageing therapy), 32 types of external therapies, 32 types of oral formulations, and broad-spectrum drugs are the unique therapies in Siddha. Simplified cleansing (detoxification therapy), balancing thridhoshas, correcting 10 naadis/vaayus are the special methods for preventive care. Every year, the birthday of Agastya Maharishi on the Aayilya Natkashra is celebrated as World Siddha Day. Clinical Services Offered: Psoriasis and eczema; Warts, skin tags; Fungal skin infection; Chronic skin diseases; Sinusitis; Renal stone; Male and female infertility; Women health; Cancers; Joint, muscle and bone diseases; Autoimmune diseases; Spine diseases including disc diseases; Siddha naadi (pulse) examination; Personalized diet therapy; Cleansing therapy o Varma therapy; Siddha Yoga therapy; External therapies; Herbal therapy. Our clinicians are well trained in the integrative approach, hence provide the best care from Siddha without compromising the active conventional treatment. Speciality Integrative Traditional Siddha Medicine OPD (SISMO). This was inaugurated on 16 June 2023 by Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, in the presence of Dr Meenakumari, Director, National Institute of Siddha, Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India. The SISMO OPD is functioning every day except Sundays and third Saturdays from 08:30 AM to 05:00 PM. Special focus is given to diabetes and its complications, like foot ulcers, cancers, kidney stones, chronic skin diseases like psoriasis, liver diseases, sinusitis, infertility, back pain, and joint pain. The patient needs to pay 500 INR/- in the first visit and 450 INR/- in the subsequent visits for 15 days of medicines. Whereas senior citizens (= 60 age) will pay 350 INR/- and 315 INR/- in the first and subsequent visits, respectively.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Varmam and Siddha external therapy treatment at Rural Maternity and Child Welfare Homes (RMCW homes) located at Udyavara.	Every Wednesday, the Division of Siddha provides free Varmam and Siddha external therapy treatment to people visiting Rural Maternity and Child Welfare Homes (RMCW homes) located at Udyavara.	01 Jan 2025–27 Feb 2026

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
2	Varmam and Siddha external therapy treatment at Rural Maternity and Child Welfare Homes (RMCW homes), Malpe.	Every Thursday, the Division of Siddha provides free Varmam and Siddha external therapy treatment to people visiting Rural Maternity and Child Welfare Homes (RMCW homes) located at Malpe.	04 Dec 2025-27 Feb 2026

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)
Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Abdul Vahab	Medicina Unanai Wellness Centr, Kerala	Hands-on workshop in Chiropractic Therapy (Netti Vaangal)	04-05 Apr 2025
2	Dr Agathiyar	Director, Agathiyar Hospital, Chennai	Two-day hands-on workshop in Varmapuncture and Ultrasound Varmatherapy	28-29 Jun 2025
3	Final year students	Sivaraj Siddha Medical College, Salem, Tamil Nadu	Management of shoulder diseases using Siddha Varma Thokkanam Therapies for final year BSMS students from Sivaraj Siddha Medical College, Salem, Tamil Nadu	19 Aug 2025
4	Ms Michara Chataigne, Mr Alex Ladd, Ms Jada Moore, Dr Shridhara Rajagopalan, Dr Selva Shanmugam	Morehouse School of Medicine, Atlanta, USA	One-week observership for American Medical Students on Traditional Siddha Medicine	29 Sep 2025 to 04 Oct 2025
5	Dr Ramasamy	Retired RMO, Government Siddha Medical College, Tirunelveli, Tamil Nadu	Two-day hands-on workshop in Su Jok therapy and reflexology for pain management	29 Nov 2025 to 30 Dec 2025

Extra-Curricular Activities
Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	Onam Celebration	Cherishing the vibrant traditions of Kerala with love and togetherness – Onam celebrations at Division of Siddha, MAHE, Manipal	04 Sep 2025

Faculty of Technology and Science XI

Manipal Institute of Technology

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Established: 1957

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution

Undergraduate – BTech

- Aeronautical Engineering
- Automobile Engineering
- Bio-Medical Engineering
- Biotechnology
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Science and Engineering
- Electrical and Electronics Engineering
- Electronics and Communication Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronics
- Cyber Physical Systems
- Mathematics and Computing
- Computer Science and Financial Technology
- Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology)
- Mechanical Engineering (Dual Degree Program with Deakin University)
- Mechatronics (Dual Degree Program with Deakin University)
- Civil Engineering (Dual Degree Program with Macquarie University)
- Electrical and Electronics Engineering (Dual Degree Program with Macquarie University)

Postgraduate – MTech

- Bio-Medical Engineering
- Engineering Management
- Mechanical Engineering (Manufacturing Technology and Automation)
- Mechanical Engineering (Computer Aided Analysis and Design)
- Biotechnology (Industrial Biotechnology)
- Civil Engineering (Construction Engineering and Management)
- Civil Engineering (Structural Engineering)
- Civil Engineering (Environmental Engineering)
- Chemical Engineering
- Computer Science and Engineering
- Computer Science and Engineering (Information Security)
- Electrical Engineering (Power Electronics and Drives)
- Electronics Engineering (Digital Electronics and Communication)
- Electronics Engineering (Microelectronics)
- Computer Science and Engineering (Networks)
- Electronics Engineering (Embedded Control and Automation)
- Mechanical Engineering (Thermal Sciences and Energy Systems)
- Industrial Automation and Robotics
- Automobile Engineering
- Aeronautical Engineering (Avionics)

- Defence Technology
- Computer Science and Engineering (Data Sciences)
- Electrical Engineering (Electric Vehicle Technology)
- Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Decision Science)
- Bio-Medical Engineering (Medical Informatics)
- Mechanical Engineering (Computational Fluid Dynamics)
- Energy Systems and Management
- Electronics Engineering (Immersive Technologies)
- Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security)
- Master of Computer Applications
- Integrated MTech in Entrepreneurship

Master in Science

- MSc in Applied Mathematics and Computing
- MSc in Chemistry
- MSc in Geology
- MSc in Physics
- MSc in Chemistry WILP with CIPLA
- MSc in Computational Molecular Sciences
- MSc in Immersive Technologies

About the Institution/School

About Institution: Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal, established in the year 1957 as one of the first pioneering self-financing engineering colleges in the country. Spread across a sprawling 188-acre, Wi-Fi-enabled campus, MIT became a constituent institution of the Deemed University, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), in 2000. with an annual student intake of approximately 3,400 and a current enrolment of 11,400, MIT has a manpower of over 700+ faculty members and over 1200 support staff, the institute maintains an impressive student-to-faculty ratio of 13:1, creating an environment that nurtures holistic student development. Moreover, recruiting professors of practice, research faculty and international faculty in the niche areas takes MIT Manipal to the next level in terms of education and research. Experiential learning is at the heart of MIT, demonstrated through several student-driven major projects that go beyond the classroom and focus on complex problem solving and innovation. MIT Manipal offer 21 undergraduate programs, 31 master's programs, and doctoral degrees in all engineering and science disciplines. Fourteen undergraduate programs are accredited by the National Board of Accreditation (NBA), while 10 undergraduate and 11 postgraduate programs are internationally accredited by the Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) from U K. MIT fosters a culture of innovation and entrepreneurship among students and faculty with the support of cutting-edge facilities like the Idea Cafe, Innovation Center, Central Advanced Instrumentation Facility (CAIF), Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator (MUTBI), and Bio Incubator. The institute also hosts a vibrant Entrepreneurship Cell (E-Cell) that nurtures the entrepreneurial pursuits of students. The institute actively engages in sponsored research initiatives funded by agencies such as DST, CSIR, DRDO, AICTE, and various government ministries. Collaborative research projects with leading laboratories and institutions in India and abroad further enhance MIT's academic and research standing. Over 2000 publications, 20 faculty members featuring as top 2 percent researchers globally proves the sustained efforts put for the growth of research. Additionally, the institute houses 20 Centres of Excellence (CoEs), which play a vital role in advancing both research and education. MIT has an excellent alumni network with enrollment of over 70,000 successful professionals worldwide. MIT takes immense pride in its distinguished alumni, who have made significant contributions across the globe in industries, academia, research, and politics.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

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Administration			
1	SDG Linking and how to increase citations. 	Talk was arranged with Dr Santhosh K V, by the Director (Technical), DoR. the first talk was arranged for Engineering PhD Scholars. Talk covered the importance of SDGs and demonstrated the SDG linking with title, keywords and Title + Keywords. It was also explained how the SDG is linked to help highlight the research papers and 2.5 times the citation may get improved 200+ PhD students have attended	12 Mar 2025

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2	Awareness session on MAHE policies for research	Vertical members delivered a session on briefing the various polices focusing on research, publications and consultancy. The session was held on different dates and time suting to the needs of respective schools during the last week of Aug 2025	25-30 Aug 2025
3	Sensitization talk on "MAHE POLICIES FOR PG STUDENT RESEARCH"	A sensitization talk on "MAHE Policies for PG Student Research" between 29 and 30 Aug 2025 at various venues of MIT, Manipal, for postgraduate students of the institution. The session covered four key policies: the PG to PhD Pathway Program, Seed Funding for Research, Scholarships for Research Publications, and the Student Conference Fund. Details included the PG to PhD Pathway structure, exit options, and application guidelines for research seed funding. Scholarship opportunities for publishing beyond mandatory requirements were discussed, along with funding for conferences, including necessary documents, pre-approval processes, and post-event claims. Additionally, the Article Processing Charge (APC) support process was explained, with a focus on journal quality and documentation requirements.	29-30 Aug 2025
4	Sensitization talk on "MAHE POLICIES FOR UG STUDENT RESEARCH"	A sensitization session on “MAHE Policies for UG Student Research” was conducted on 29 and 30 Aug 2025 across various venues at MIT, Manipal, for undergraduate students of the institution. The session focused on four key policies: Seed Funding for Students’ Research Policy on Student Conference Fund Policy, Affiliation Guidelines, and Incentives for Research Publications Policy. Detailed discussions included application procedures for research seed funding and conference participation, covering required documentation, pre-approval steps, and post-event claim processes. Additionally, the procedure for Article Processing Charge (APC) support was explained, emphasizing journal quality standards and necessary documentation.	29-30 Aug 2025
5	Guest Lecture Title: Securing Grants and Advancing Your Career	Dr Shamaprasad, Deputy Director, Grants and Consultancy, Directorate of Research, MAHE, delivered a session highlighting the importance of securing grants and its importance in an academic career. The session was conducted at the KEF Auditorium, and more than 50 faculty members from MIT, Manipal attended this session.	25 Sep 2025
6	Sensitization talk on MAHE Research policies for PhD Scholars	Explained various MAHE policies on research to the full-time PhD students. The highlights of the points are 1. Affiliation formats. 2. Mandatory publication details for thesis submission. 3. Conference facility for 50,000/- INR. 4. Incentives for publication. 5. Dr TMA Pai Gold model research award, etc.	28-30 Sep 2025
7	Patent Awareness Workshop	A Patent Awareness Workshop was organized for undergraduate students on 29 Sep 2025 at 04:40 PM in	29 Sep 2025

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		Humpi Hall, Academic Block 2, MIT Manipal. The session was delivered by Dr S Varadharajan, Deputy Director, Intellectual Property Rights and Technology Transfer Office (IPTTO), Directorate of Research, and Associate Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal.	
8	A webinar on "Step-by-step process of conducting systematic reviews and literature reviews using Rayyan"	75 PG students attended the webinar session on the step-by-step process of conducting systematic reviews and literature reviews using Rayyan.	30 Sep 2025
9	Training Session on Legal aspects of patent filing to product and commercialization	Advocate Pranav Bhat conducted a training session for students of MIT at the MIT KEF R&D Centre from 02:45 to 04:15 PM. A total of six patent interest forms were collected after the session.	09 Oct 2025
10	Training Session entitled Implications of the National Biodiversity Act on IPR	Advocate Pranav Bhat conducted a training session for students of MIT at the MIT KEF R&D Centre from 02:00 to 02:45 PM. A total of 22 faculty members from different departments of MIT participated in the event.	09 Oct 2025
11	Webinar on "Application of VOS viewer Bibliometric Analysis and PRISMA Guidelines in Research Articles"	The webinar by Dr Namrata Marium Chacko provided a comprehensive walkthrough of PRISMA, bibliometric analysis, and the use of VOS viewer in research. Attended by 123 participants, the session began with an introduction to PRISMA, its two essential components - the checklist of 27 reporting items and the flow diagram that tracks the selection process of studies. She demonstrated how PRISMA ensures transparency, reproducibility, and standardization in systematic reviews, highlighting key steps such as identification, screening, eligibility, and inclusion of research papers. Dr Namrata also introduced Prospero, a tool for registering medical-related systematic reviews to avoid duplication of topics. The session then transitioned to bibliometric analysis, emphasizing its role in evaluating research trends and collaboration patterns. She explained how VOS viewer, a key tool for bibliometric visualization, can be used to extract, clean, and analyze publication data to build network maps of authors, keywords, and citations, thereby adding substantial value to a research paper. She also referred to a case study on sustainable agriculture and IoT as an example, and included interactive	23 Oct 2025

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		quizzes during the session to reinforce understanding of the PRISMA process and related research tools.	
12	Webinar on "Searching Manuscript using Relevant Key words and Journal Metrics"	The session focused on an essential aspect of research methodology. "How to Search Articles Using Relevant Keywords and Identify Suitable Journals Based on Research Scope and Journal Quality." the webinar was highly informative and aimed to enhance the research skills of postgraduate students and young researchers. Dr Sudhakar Y N began the session by emphasizing the importance of effective literature review in academic research. He elaborated on how to identify relevant keywords using Boolean operators, synonyms, and specific search strategies to retrieve high-quality research papers from credible databases. Participants were guided through practical methods of refining search results and accessing full-text articles efficiently. Dr Sachin Sharma discussed the process of identifying appropriate journals for manuscript submission. He explained how researchers can evaluate the scope and objectives of journals to ensure alignment with their research area. The speakers also provided valuable insights into assessing journal quality using reliable indexing platforms such as Scopus and Web of Science. The webinar further covered important metrics used in evaluating journal reputation, including quartile rankings (Q1–Q4), Cite Score, and the H-index of journals. The speakers demonstrated how to access and interpret this information from Scopus and Web of Science databases. They also discussed common pitfalls researchers should avoid, such as submitting to predatory journals, and provided practical tips for maintaining research integrity.	28 Oct 2025
13	Guest Lecture Title: Grant Proposal Scrutinizing Process	Dr Anitha H, Professor, School of Computer Engineering, MIT, Manipal, delivered a guest lecture on navigating the path to funding success. The session was conducted at the Mechanical Seminar Hall, Academic Block 1, MIT, and more than 40 faculty members from MIT attended this session.	29 Oct 2025
14	International Research Pathway	A session on International Research Pathway was organized for undergraduate students on 29 Oct 2025 at 04:40 PM in the ICT Seminar Hall at Academic Block 5, MIT Manipal. The session was delivered by Dr Ramakrishna M, Assistant Director Alumni, Public Relation and International Relation, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal.	29 Oct 2025
15	Webinar on "Reference Management using EndNote and Mendeley"	Dr Vijay Mohan discussed EndNote, a reference management tool from Clarivate Analytics, which is popular among researchers for managing bibliographic data, such as journal articles and books. It has a paid desktop version and a free web version (EndNote Online). Key features include creating personal citation libraries, collaborating with colleagues, and using Cite While You Write for seamless citation integration in Word. Dr Mohan demonstrated how to search academic databases directly from EndNote, organize reference groups,	29 Oct 2025

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		import citations, and manage duplicates. He showed how to format bibliographies in various styles and emphasized the installation of the Cite While You Write plugin for real-time citation formatting. The session included a Q&A addressing technical aspects of the software. Dr Laxman Kudva presented Mendeley, an Elsevier product that offers reference management and collaboration capabilities. He introduced Mendeley Desktop for organizing references, Mendeley Web Importer for capturing online sources, and Mendeley Cite for citation insertion in Word. Dr Kudva demonstrated how to easily modify citations and generate bibliographies while switching citation styles as needed. Both speakers highlighted that these tools save time, maintain accuracy, and simplify adherence to various journal formats.	
16	Training Program on Intellectual Property Rights	Dr Dhas Namdev Laxmanrao, Assistant Director, IP and Technology Transfer, MAHE, gave a talk to the newly joined research scholars at MIT. About 79 newly joined research scholars participated in the event held at Sir M V Seminar Hall, MIT Manipal, from 02:30 to 03:30 PM.	21 Nov 2025
17	Guest Lecture Title: How to Increase Citations and Integrate SDGs in a Journal Article	Dr Santosh K V, Deputy Director-Technical, Directorate of Research, MAHE, delivered a session highlighting the importance of SDGs in the current scenario and how to increase citations to increase global research views. The session was conducted at the Library Auditorium, MIT, and more than 80 faculty members from MIT attended this session.	24 Nov 2025
18	SDG Linking and how to increase citations.	Talk was arranged with Dr Santhosh K. V, by Director (Technical)-DoR. The first talk was arranged for Basic Sciences and Humanities PhD Scholars. Talk covered the importance of SDGs and demonstrated the SDG linking with title, keywords, and Title + Keywords. It was also explained how the SDG linking with help for highlighting the research papers, and 2.5 times the citation may get improved. 220+ PhD students have attended.	27 Nov 2025
Biomedical Engineering			
1	MIT-MAHE and Innvolution Healthcare Centre for Industry Research (RL-6 Lab)	The Centre has been established with the aim of delivering medical imaging solutions/software to Innvolution Healthcare in the areas of DSA (Cath Labs), AI-driven 3D CT reconstructions, Neuroimaging, etc. Currently, the ongoing project at the Centre is on the development of algorithms using Image Processing and AI Approaches for Auto-Pixel Shift, Smart Mask Detection, and Image Stitching in Digital Subtraction Angiography.	08 Sep 2025
2	Physiological Data Acquisition and Analysis Laboratory (RL-8)	The Physiological Acquisition Lab has been established with the objective of acquiring, processing, and analyzing diverse physiological signals for advanced healthcare applications. The Centre focuses on developing signal processing and	08 Sep 2025

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		AI/ML/DL-based analytical frameworks for understanding complex biological data. Current research activities include EEG-based imagined speech analysis and iris image–based substance abuse detection, supported by an ANRF-funded project. The lab integrates physiological data acquisition systems with machine learning and deep learning approaches to enable objective assessment, early diagnosis, and intelligent decision support in healthcare applications.	
Biotechnology			
1	MSc Computational Molecular Sciences	The MSc program in Computational Molecular Sciences is an interdisciplinary course offered in collaboration with the Department of Chemistry. • the flexible curriculum consists of 40 credits of core classes, 24 credits of project work, and 10 credits of electives. Students can work on the degree full-time. The program culminates with a Master's thesis. • A multidisciplinary campus, to facilitate research across all the constituent institutions of MAHE in frontier domains of life, pharmaceutical, and medical sciences. • Access to High Performance facilities like Azure and CDAC, and open source software for modelling and simulations. • Integrated PhD with scholarship in II-year for eligible candidates. • Research incentives for publications and conferences. • Start-up and incubation support.	04 Aug 2025
Civil Engineering			
1	Geology Museum	The Geology Museum was inaugurated on 15 May 2025. This is expected to enhance geoscience education and public engagement in the region. The museum houses a diverse collection of geological specimens such as gemstones, rock-forming minerals, and representative samples of igneous, sedimentary, and metamorphic rocks, along with economically important ore minerals and fossils. A key feature is the digital interactive sandbox, which allows students to simulate and visualize various landforms, thereby deepening their understanding of geomorphic and tectonic processes. Informational posters placed strategically across the museum further enrich the learning experience. This dedicated facility is envisioned as a hub for geoscientific research, experimental learning, and outreach. It is expected to significantly contribute to fostering scientific curiosity, promoting environmental awareness, and encouraging sustainable practices by providing a tangible understanding of earth systems and geological heritage.	15 May 2025
Electrical and Electronics Engineering			
1	PCB and Antenna Fabrication Center	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering proposes to provide expert guidance in the design, development, and fabrication of printed circuit boards, including assistance in material selection, layer configuration, and design rules to ensure reliable and high-performance designs. The proposed facility aims to support PCB prototyping, single- and double-	01 Jul 2025

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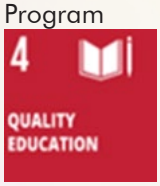
		layer board fabrication, antenna fabrication, and related consultancy services for students, researchers, startups, and R&D institutions, thereby promoting innovation, practical learning, and skill development in electronic manufacturing.	
Electronics and Communication Engineering			
1	Centre for Semiconductor Device Fabrication (CSDF) Facility	The Centre for Semiconductor Device Fabrication (CSDF) is a multidisciplinary hub that bridges academia and industry by providing a complete ecosystem for semiconductor education, research, and innovation. It features a controlled cleanroom and a fabrication workflow—including lithography, thin-film deposition, etching, oxidation, and annealing, supported by tools such as photolithography units, PVD systems, furnaces, and advanced probe stations for I–V, C–V, and pulsed characterization. This enables the fabrication and testing of devices like MOS capacitors, diodes, transistors, TFTs, and sensors. CSDF serves students, researchers, startups, and industry partners, offering hands-on training through integrated modules, process simulation, and micro-credential programs to build practical skills and employability. By providing shared access to advanced fabrication and training otherwise unavailable locally, CSDF strengthens the regional semiconductor ecosystem, fosters collaborative R&D, and supports startup innovation, acting as a vital engine for workforce development and technology advancement.	01 Jan 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering			
1	Intel Unnati Certification Program 	Intel Unnati Certification Program Overview the Intel Unnati initiative at MIT Manipal aims to provide hands-on training in Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, and Data-Centric Technologies. Prof Nithesh Naik outlined the program's structure, which includes: 1. Comprehensive courses designed for students and professionals from various engineering disciplines, health sciences, dentistry, and hotel management. 2. Annual Industrial Training Program, providing students with real-world exposure under the mentorship of Intel professionals. 3. Competitions and Hackathons, fostering innovation and practical problem-solving skills among students. Future Prospects and Conclusion: the Intel Unnati Lab and Certification Program mark a significant step toward bridging the academia-industry gap and fostering technological inclusivity. This initiative aligns with MIT Manipal's vision of preparing students for future technological challenges and empowering them with industry-relevant AI and ML expertise. The launch event successfully set the stage for collaborative growth between Intel India and MIT Manipal, ensuring that students and professionals stay ahead in the ever-evolving digital landscape.	24 Jan 2025
2	Centre for Research in Medical Device Technology.	Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, MIT Manipal, in collaboration with Wipro G E Healthcare, inaugurated the Centre for Research in Medical Device	06 May 2025

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		Technology. This initiative stems from a strategic partnership between Wipro G E Healthcare and MAHE, aligning with MIT Manipal's vision to equip students for future technological challenges and advance industry-relevant research in medical device technology. The formal inauguration took place at the Advanced Material Testing Laboratory within the department. The center was inaugurated by Mr Girish Raghavan, Chief Technology Officer, G E Healthcare. The event was graced by esteemed guests of honour, Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technical Science), MAHE, and Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Director, MIT. The function was presided over by Dr Somashekara Bhat, Joint Director. Prominent attendees included Mr Atanu Ghosh, Senior Engineering Manager, HC-MICT, GE Healthcare, and distinguished alumnus Mr Vishwanath Nayak K, Senior Principal Engineer, CT Hardware Platform, GE Healthcare. The formal vote of thanks was proposed by Prof Vishal Shenoy P, and the program was compered by Prof Augustine Barboza. The event witnessed participation from around 40 faculty members, marking a significant milestone for the Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering at MIT Manipal.	
3	MAHE NICO Centre for Nanobubbles Engineering and Technology	This Centre is a testament to the growing synergy between academic research and industrial innovation, and is poised to be a hub of cutting-edge work in nanobubble technology. The function started with an invocation by Dr Subraya Krishna Bhat, followed by the welcome address by Dr Arunachala U Chandavar, HoD, MIE. The overview of the Centre was highlighted by Dr Raghuvir Pai B. The inauguration of the Centre was witnessed with the lighting of the traditional lamp by all the dignitaries. The introduction of the Chief Guest Mr Amit Kapur was rendered by Dr Vijay G S. Mr Amit Kapur introduced his team from the Manipal Unit who played key role in the design and development of the Nanobubbles generator. Mr Amit Kapur then delivered the Chief guest's address. Mr Subraya Krishna introduced Ms Ameeta Nehra to the gathering and invited her to address the gathering. The Pro Vice Chancellor, Dr Narayana Sabhahit delivered his address and appreciated the aims and objectives of the center and was overwhelmed that already 10 projects were initiated. He also expressed happiness that two projects under the health science institutes were also underway. The Joint director addressed the gathering and wished the center all success in its projects and activities. The presidential address was rendered by the Director, Cdr Dr Anil Rana. The formal vote of thanks was delivered by Dr Ganesha A.	04 Aug 2025
4	Additive Manufacturing Shop, MIT Workshop	The Additive Manufacturing Shop now features an impressive portfolio of polymer and metal printing technologies. Among the polymer printers, the Twin Dragon offers a robust build volume of 600×600×600 mm, complemented by the Voltera dual nozzle and additional specialized units equipped	29 Sep 2025

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		with material dryers to ensure high-quality output. These printers support a wide range of materials including PLA, ABS, CF ABS, PETG, Nylon, and TPU, enabling diverse applications from rapid prototyping to functional manufacturing. The facility also includes the Formlabs SLA printer, globally renowned for its precision and clarity in producing intricate parts. A highlight of the shop is the indigenously developed metal 3D printer utilizing Laser Powder Bed Fusion technology, designed by the Ace Micromatics Group. with a build diameter of 120 mm and a height of 175 mm, this printer is the first of its kind to be installed at an engineering institute in coastal Karnataka. It supports high-performance materials such as stainless steel, aluminum alloys, maraging steels, cobalt, nickel, titanium alloys, and Inconel. The shop proudly showcases technologies developed by MIT alumni, including Mr Harish B of Ace Micromatics and Mr Vijay Varda of Fracktal Works, the latter incubated at MUTBI. A curated display of printed parts was arranged within the facility, demonstrating the quality, versatility, and potential applications of both polymer and metal technologies. The principal objective of the Additive Manufacturing Shop is to empower students and faculty to undertake major academic projects, advance research initiatives, and facilitate medical innovations such as custom implants.	
Mechatronics Engineering			
1	MoU between MIT, MAHE, Manipal, and Orangewood Automation Private Limited, Noida	The MoU facilitates cooperation in academic, training, and research-oriented activities in the domains of robotics and automation. Key components include academic-industry engagement through guest lectures, workshops, and expert talks delivered by Orangewood professionals; collaborative development of value-added robotics curriculum with credit options; and student-centric initiatives such as industrial mentoring and brand ambassador programs. The collaboration promotes practical exposure to robotic systems, encourages interdisciplinary learning, and enables students and faculty to align academic outcomes with industrial needs. The MoU also provides a framework for future definitive agreements covering advanced training programs, research projects, and technology-focused skill development initiatives. The agreement clearly defines intellectual property protection, confidentiality, dispute resolution, and governance under Indian law, ensuring transparent and sustainable collaboration. Overall, the MoU strengthens MIT's industry engagement ecosystem while contributing to workforce readiness and innovation capacity in robotics and automation.	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2027

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

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Administration			
1	Two-Day Skill Development Workshop for Non-Teaching Staff	A two-day Skill Development Workshop for Non-Teaching Staff was organized by the Office of Faculty Development and Welfare at MIT Manipal to enhance workplace communication and technical proficiency of the non-teaching staff. The workshop was conducted over two days, from 04 to 05 Mar 2025, at the PSUC Lab, CCF, III Floor, Innovation Centre (AB-4), MIT Manipal. The workshop witnessed the participation of 88 non-teaching staff members from various departments and offices of MIT Manipal. The session-wise activities of the workshop are Day 1: Professional Communication, Day 2: Proficiency development in MS Excel	04-05 Mar 2025
2	NSS Volunteers Lead Beach Cleanup Drive at Mattu	NSS volunteers from MAHE's MIT unit participated in a beach cleaning drive at Mattu Beach as part of the Swachhata Abhiyan initiative on 16 Mar 2025. The event, held in the evening, focused on removing plastic waste and raising awareness about the harmful effects of marine pollution. Volunteers worked along the shoreline collecting plastic bottles, wrappers, and other debris. Equipped with gloves and garbage bags, the team cleared over 20 bags of waste, highlighting the maintenance of the beach's natural environment.	16 Mar 2025
3	Clean Campus Drive on World Environment Day	On 10 Jun 2025, MIT's NSS Units I and II actively participated in a campus-wide cleanliness drive to commemorate World Environment Day. with Dr Balakrishna Maddodi as the guest speaker, the event focused on raising awareness about eliminating single-use plastics. Emphasizing the importance of environmental responsibility, volunteers pledged to support district initiatives and lead by example in making MIT a plastic-free campus and promoting sustainability in the surrounding community.	10 Jun 2025
4	MIT NSS Units Honoured on World Blood Donor Day	On the occasion of World Blood Donor Day, 14 Jun 2025, NSS Units I and II of MIT Manipal were honoured by Kasturba Hospital, Blood Center, for their outstanding contribution to voluntary blood donation. Over the past year, the NSS team, in collaboration with various student bodies and support departments, successfully organized 12 blood donation camps and helped collect over 1000 units of blood. The recognition stands as a testament to the collective spirit and commitment of the NSS volunteers, faculty advisors, and support staff who made this initiative possible.	14 Jun 2025
5	Sahaja Yoga Meditation Session Marks International Yoga Day at MIT	The Office of Faculty Development and Welfare, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal, hosted a special Sahaja Yoga meditation session on 28 Jun 2025 to celebrate International Yoga Day. The session was led by Mr Mayur, Senior Process Engineer at STSI and a dedicated Sahaja Yoga practitioner with more than seven years of experience. The event was graced by Dr Chandrakala C B, Joint Director, MIT Manipal, who emphasized the importance of integrating such	28 Jun 2025

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		practices into academic life to build resilience and foster holistic development.	
6	Faculty Development Program on Online training on Creativity, Problem Solving and Innovation (CPI)	The Office of Associate Director (Faculty Development and Welfare) at MIT Manipal organized a four-day online Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Creativity, Problem Solving, and Innovation. The program was specifically designed to prepare faculty members who will be handling sessions for first-year students, equipping them with tools to nurture creativity and innovation from the foundational level. The FDP was inaugurated by Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Director, MIT Manipal, who emphasized the growing importance of creativity in the engineering profession. A total of 16 faculty members participated in this intensive training program. The sessions were delivered by experienced resource persons from MIT Manipal.	30 Jun - 03 Jul 2025
7	Workshop for Non-Teaching staff on "Effective Communication and Database Management"	The Office of the Associate Director – Faculty Development and Welfare, MIT Manipal, organized a Staff Development Program (SDP) titled "Effective Communication and Database Management" for non-teaching staff. The program was held from 09:00 AM to 05:00 PM at Computing Lab (CCF-02), Academic Block 1, and the CSE Seminar Hall, Academic Block 5. A total of 80 non-teaching staff members participated, split into two batches of 40 participants per day. The program aimed to enhance communication, workplace professionalism, and digital data handling skills critical to day-to-day institutional functioning. Session 1: Communication Skills • 01 Jul: Dr Satish Kumar • 03 Jul: Prof Sangeetha Pai Session 2: Workplace Etiquette • Speaker: Prof Ravindra Shenoy Session 3: Cross-Departmental Data Management • Speakers: Prof Kishore and Dr Vrinda Bhat Session 4: Daily Data Handling and Security • Speakers: Prof Kishore and Dr Vrinda Bhat	01-03 Jul 2025
8	Faculty Development Program on Problem Solving Using Computers (PSUC)	The Office of the Associate Director, Faculty Development and Welfare, in collaboration with the School of Computer Engineering, MIT Manipal, organized a five-day Faculty Development Program (Train the Trainer Workshop) on Problem Solving Using Computers (PSUC). The sessions took place at Computing Lab 25 (PG Lab), Fifth Floor, Innovation Centre, Academic Block 4. This FDP was conducted to upskill faculty members who will be teaching first-year students, both in theory and laboratory components of the PSUC course. The program aimed to build confidence and consistency in delivering foundational programming concepts through an engaging and hands-on pedagogy.	05-11 Jul 2025
9	Faculty Development Program: Tier 02 on Synergizing Problem and Project-based Learning and Design Thinking	"The Office of the Associate Director – Faculty Development and Welfare, MIT Manipal, organized a Tier-2 International Faculty Development Program titled "Synergizing Problem and Project-Based Learning with Design Thinking for Nurturing Creativity, Innovation, and Entrepreneurship" from 07 to 09 Jul 2025. The event took place at the Seminar Hall, School of Computer Engineering (ICT), 1st Floor, Academic Block 5, and was conducted by Dr Deepak L Waikar, a renowned international expert in innovative education practices. The program was	07-09 Jul 2025

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		attended by 30 faculty members from various departments across MIT Manipal, aimed at equipping them with advanced pedagogical strategies to promote learner-centered, innovative, and experiential education.	
10	Faculty Development Program (Tier 01) on Effective Teaching	The Office of the Associate Director – Faculty Development and Welfare, MIT Manipal, organized a Tier-1 Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Effective Teaching from 16 to 18 Jul 2025. The sessions were held at the ECE Seminar Hall, Academic Block 5, MIT Manipal. This FDP was specially curated for 59 newly joined faculty members, aimed at providing them with a foundational orientation to MIT's teaching ecosystem, academic policies, pedagogy frameworks, and institutional values	16-18 Jul 2025
11	Engineers' Day Celebration 2025 and Professor P V Bhandary Memorial Oration	Engineers' Day 2025 was observed at MIT, Manipal with Professor P V Bhandary Memorial Oration to mark the occasion. The memorial oration was delivered by Dr S Unnikrishnan Nair, former Director of the Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre and Founding Director of the Human Space Flight Centre. Dr V S Venkatesan, international faculty in Biomedical Engineering, addressed the audience on the convergence of engineering and life sciences, drawing from his extensive professional experience. A tribute to the late Professor P V Bhandary was offered by Dr Raghuvir Pai, recalling his contributions to MIT and his leadership in shaping its academic culture.	15 Sep 2025
12	Inauguration of MIT BIS Corner	The inauguration of the MIT–BIS Corner was successfully held on 20 Nov 2025 at the Second Floor of the MIT Central Library, MIT Manipal. The event marked an important milestone in strengthening the collaboration between Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) and the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), aiming to promote standardization awareness among students and faculty. The Chief Guest, Dr Meenakshi Ganesan, Deputy Director General, Bureau of Indian Standards (Southern Region), inaugurated the MIT–BIS Corner and addressed the gathering. The event was further graced by Sri P N Murali, Scientist, Director and Head, BIS Hubli Branch Office, who shared insights into BIS initiatives and student engagement programs. As part of the event, certificates were presented to student contributors in recognition of their efforts towards the establishment and activities of the MIT Student Corner under BIS. The program concluded with a sapling plantation ceremony, symbolizing growth, sustainability, and the enduring partnership between MIT Manipal and the Bureau of Indian Standards.	20 Nov 2025
Biomedical Engineering			
1	The Department of Biomedical Engineering organized an engaging session on "Innovation" for sixth-semester Biomedical	The distinguished speakers included: Dr Mohammad Zuber, Chief Innovation Officer, MAHE, Manipal. He provided insights into the innovation ecosystem, discussing key factors that drive creativity, research, and entrepreneurship in biomedical engineering. Dr Raghavendra S Rao, International Faculty,	22 Feb 2025

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	Engineering students on 22 Feb 2025 	BME, MIT, Manipal. He shared his industrial and international experience in innovation thinking, highlighting the significance of interdisciplinary collaboration, cutting-edge research, and global trends in biomedical innovation.	
2	The Department of Biomedical Engineering organized an insightful session on Innovation for fourth-semester Biomedical Engineering students on 22 Feb 2025 	The event featured distinguished speakers: Dr Manesh Thomas, CEO, Manipal-Government of Karnataka, GOK Bioincubator – He provided an overview of the innovation ecosystem, highlighting key drivers of creativity, research, and entrepreneurship in biomedical engineering. Dr Raghavendra S Rao, International Faculty, BME, MIT, Manipal. He shared valuable insights from his industrial and international experience in innovation thinking, emphasizing the role of interdisciplinary collaboration, cutting-edge research, and global trends in biomedical innovation.	22 Feb 2025
Biotechnology			
1	FREE Workshop on MSc Computational Molecular Science 	Hybrid mode Free Workshop was conducted on 08 Mar 2025 at KEF Auditorium, MIT, Manipal. The workshop was conducted by Dr Neha S Gandhi, Professor Dr S Md A Fayaz, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology. The new MSc program in Computational Molecular Sciences is an interdisciplinary course offered in collaboration with the Department of Chemistry. Topics covered in the new course announcement workshop are: Protein Sequence and Structure Databases, Drug Databases, Microbial Evolution, Genome Analysis, Building Drug-Resistant Proteins, Docking, and Artificial Intelligence in Drug Design.	08 Mar 2025
Chemical Engineering			
1	Schrödinger Material Science Workshop – 3 	The Department of Chemical Engineering had organized a three-day Schrödinger Material Science Workshop – 3, Energy Systems - Molecular Simulations for Energy Systems, Batteries, Supercapacitors from 22 to 24 Apr 2025 at Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal.	22-24 Apr 2025
2	Two-day Faculty Development Program – 1 	Department of Chemical Engineering organized a Two-day Faculty Development Program (FDP) titled Foundations of CFD and Simulation for Heat Transfer, Microfluidics, and Chemical Reaction Engineering on 09 and 10th Oct 2025, at MIT, Manipal.	09-10 Oct 2025

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3	Chemignite 2025 - Sustainable Development Conference	Department of Chemical Engineering organized a One-day Conference - "Sustainable Development Conference" from 24 Oct 2025 at MIT, Manipal.	24 Oct 2025
4	FDP - 2 - MAHE–COMSOL Multiphysics Faculty Development Programs	Department of Chemical Engineering organized a Three-day Faculty Development Program (FDP) titled Foundations of CFD and Simulation for Electrochemistry, Battery, Corrosion, Fuel Cell, and Electrollyzer" from 12 to 14 Nov 2025, at MIT, Manipal.	12-14 Nov 2025

Electrical and Electronics Engineering (EEE)

1	Felicitation Program to Dr C S Adiga and Mr Krishna Amin	Dr C S Adiga, Professor and Head of the Electrical and Electronics Engineering Department, retired on 31 Dec 2024, after serving MIT for over three and a half decades. A felicitation ceremony was held in his honour by the Electrical and Electronics Department on 05 Jan 2025. Dr Jayalakshmi N S, HoD, shared her reflections on Dr Adiga's remarkable journey, while several faculty members recounted their personal experiences and shared memorable moments with him. Dr Adiga, in turn, shared the rich and invaluable experiences he gathered over the years at MIT/MAHE. The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering honoured Mr Krishna Amin, Lab Technician, on 05 Jan 2025, in recognition of his exemplary service spanning over three and a half decades. Dr Jayalakshmi N S, Head of the Department, spoke about Mr Amin's dedication and contributions. Several of his colleagues expressed their heartfelt gratitude to the sincere, silent, and hardworking Mr Amin for the unwavering support he provided throughout his tenure. in his response, Mr Amin expressed his thanks to the entire family for their constant support during his time at MIT.	05 Jan 2025
2	Faculty Development Program -Dr Bhuvaneswari G	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering organized an FDP on "AI in IPR and Research Proposal Writing " on 11 Jan 2025, at the Seminar Hall, KEF R&D Centre. The session on Research proposal writing summarized various funding agencies in India and how to write a good proposal for extramural funding. The resource person for this session was Dr Bhuvaneswari G, Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Mahindra University, Hyderabad, Former Professor, IIT Delhi and Adjunct Professor, Electrical and Electronics, MIT, Manipal. The session on AI in IPR	11 Jan 2025

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		covered various aspects of Patent filing and discussed the systematic process in detail. The session also discussed the ethics behind using AI tools in this process. The sessions were interactive, and the participants shared their experiences. Dr Varadharajan S, Assistant Professor - Senior Scale, Department of Civil Engineering, MIT, Manipal and Coordinator, IPTTO, MAHE, was the resource person for this session. 41 faculty members and research scholars gained insights into patent filing, funding proposals, and ethical AI use. Dr Bindu S, Mr James Antony Pinto, and Dr Vinay Kumar have coordinated the program.	
3	Alumni Talk - Mr Arjun Bhattacharya	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering has organized an Alumni talk on the topic Challenges and Opportunities in Power System Domain on 14 Jan 2025 by Mr Arjun Bhattacharya, a graduate of 2023 EEE and currently a PhD scholar at the University of Tennessee, US. He shared insights on machine learning applications on power grids and career paths in the US. 68 participants actively engaged in discussions on research, higher studies, and tech. trends. Mr Satyakam coordinated the event.	14 Jan 2025
4	Workshop - Dr G Bhuvaneshwari	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering has organized a Workshop for undergraduate and postgraduate students on the topic "Advances in Power Electronics: Technology and Applications " on 16 Jan 2025 at the Seminar Hall, KEF R&D Centre. A total of 66 participants explored cutting-edge power electronics applications in this workshop. The resource person for the session on 'Advances in Power Electronics' was Dr G Bhuvaneshwari, Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Mahindra University, Hyderabad, Former Professor, IIT Delhi, and Adjunct Professor, Electrical and Electronics, MIT, Manipal. The session on 'Switched Reluctance Motor Drive and its Control for Electric Vehicles' was delivered by Dr Vijay Babu, Associate Professor, Department of Mechatronics Engineering, MIT, Manipal, and the session on 'Isolated bidirectional DC-DC converters' was delivered by Mr Adarsh S, Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics, MIT, Manipal. Dr Bindu S and Mr James Antony Pinto coordinated the events.	16 Jan 2025
5	Guest Talk -Mr Kushal Kamal	Mr Kushal Kamal, Associate Director, L&T Semiconductor Technologies, delivered a lecture on "Low Power VLSI Design 'for the Electrical Sciences stream students who aspire to pursue a career in the VLSI domain on 25 Jan 2025. During his delivery, he has covered topics such as Electronic System Design Flow, VLSI Flow, Types of Chip Design from Low Power Design View, Basics of Power Dissipation, Types of Power, Factors that impact various types of Power, and Low Power Techniques. The session was very interactive, and students responded enthusiastically to all the trivia questions. Finally, the session was concluded with a Q&A session. The HoD,	25 Jan 2025

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		Electrical and Electronics Department, presented a memento as a token of appreciation to the speaker and an Alumnus of the EEE department.	
6	Technical Session - Mr Dhinesh Rajagopalan	On 30 Jan 2025, a guest lecture titled "Technical Session on Standardization - Renewable Energy and Transformers " was conducted by Mr Dhinesh Rajagopalan, Scientist D and Joint Director, Bureau of Indian Standards, Chennai Branch Office, as a part of the collaboration between MAHE, Manipal, and Bureau of Indian Standards. The session was attended by both students and faculty members and aimed to enhance the audience's understanding of the critical role of standardization in the fields of renewable energy and transformers. Mr Rajagopalan emphasized the significance of standardization in these sectors to ensure the scalability, efficiency, and safety of energy systems. He explained how standardization enables the reliable performance of renewable energy systems, like solar panels, and ensures compatibility between components. Mr James Antony Pinto organized the event.	30 Jan 2025
7	Technical Session - Mr Kalle Sai Koushik	The Department of Electrical and Electronics, in Collaboration with the Bureau of Indian Standards, organized an engaging interactive session for the current II-year EEE students, featuring Mr Kalle Sai Koushik, Scientist D and Joint Director, Bureau of Indian Standards, on 05 Feb 2025. A total of 25 Electrical and Electronics, enthusiastic students participated in this insightful event. Mr Kalle Sai Koushik delivered an informative presentation on the present-day cables and insulators, materials used, applications with different standards and voltage levels. Dr Shivarudraswamy R and Mr James Antony Pinto organized the event.	05 Feb 2025
8	Technical Session - Mr Jatin Tiwari	On 17 Feb 2025, a technical session was conducted on the standards for electric motors, focusing on both single-phase and three-phase motors. The session was delivered by Mr Jatin Tiwari, Scientist C, ETD, BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS, an expert in the field. The session was attended by 25 participants, including students and faculty members from various departments. The session provided valuable insights into the international and national standards for electric motors, specifically the IEC (International Electrotechnical Commission) and IS (Indian Standards) guidelines. The speaker provided a detailed explanation of the IEC standards, specifically IEC 60034, which covers the performance and testing criteria for electric motors. Similarly, the session covered IS 325, which governs the design, manufacturing, and testing of electric motors in India. Mr James Antony Pinto organized the event.	17 Feb 2025
9	Guest Talk- Dr Ragavan K	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MIT, Manipal, organized two guest talks by Dr Ragavan K from IIT Gandhinagar on 11 Mar 2025. The first talk, titled "Operation and Control of BLDC Motor and PMSM for EV Applications," was attended by faculty members, research scholars, undergraduate students, and others interested in advancements in electric vehicle (EV) technologies, with a total	11 Mar 2025

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		of 39 participants. The second session, "the Art of Successful Research Proposal Writing," saw active participation from faculty members across various departments of MIT, with 25 participants in attendance.	
10	Guest Talk - Dr Arjun M 	On 12 Apr 2025, the Department of EEE, MIT Manipal, organized a guest talk by Dr Arjun M, Lead Engineer at Bosch Global Software Technologies, Bengaluru, at Sir M V Seminar Hall, AB2. Attended by 5 faculty members and 80 students, the session focused on current trends in measurements and instrumentation for complex systems like electric vehicles. Dr Arjun discussed their role in manufacturing, safety, testing, deployment, and product performance, highlighting applications in crash tests, troubleshooting, and real-world scenarios, while also exploring career opportunities in this field.	12 Apr 2025
11	Guest Talk - International Faculty - Dr Ajit Kumar Verma 	Dr Ajit Kumar Verma delivered an insightful lecture on "Power System Reliability" on 14 Apr 2025 and graciously shared the supporting material for the benefit of our students and faculty. The session was highly informative and enriching. It covered relevant topics from the 4th semester BTech course, Generation, Transmission, and Distribution. One of the internal assessment components for the students was evaluated based on the content presented during the lecture. We are hopeful that this initiative will inspire greater interest among our students and faculty to explore the subject more deeply.	14 Apr 2025
12	Guest Talk - International Faculty - Dr Ajit Kumar Verma 	On 17 Apr 2025, Dr Ajit Kumar Verma delivered an insightful and interactive lecture titled "Career and Research Opportunities in India and Abroad" for our MTech students. He also generously shared supporting materials for the benefit of the participants. The session was highly informative and enriching. Postgraduate students had the opportunity to present their research work and received valuable feedback and suggestions from Dr Verma.	17 Apr 2025
13	Guest Talk - International Faculty - Dr Ajit Kumar Verma	On 22 Apr 2025, Dr Ajit Kumar Verma delivered an insightful lecture titled "Safety Integrity Levels and Safety Instrumented Systems" for the benefit of our UG students and faculty. He	22 Apr 2025

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		also generously shared supporting materials for the benefit of the participants. The session was highly informative and enriching. We are hopeful that this initiative will inspire greater interest among our students and faculty to explore the subject more deeply.	
14	Interactive session with research scholars - International Faculty - Dr Ajit Kumar Verma	On 30 Apr 2025, Dr Ajit Kumar Verma conducted an interactive session with the department's full-time research scholars and their faculty guides. The session proved to be highly informative and enriching. Research scholars presented their ongoing work and received insightful feedback and constructive suggestions from Dr Verma. He recommended possible improvements and shared his expertise on potential collaborations aligned with the research being carried out in the department.	30 Apr 2025
15	Guest Talk - International Faculty - Dr Ajit Kumar Verma "	On 07 May 2025, Dr Ajit Kumar Verma delivered an insightful lecture titled "Reliability for Competitive Advantage" for the benefit of our faculty. He also generously shared supporting materials for the benefit of the participants. The session was highly informative and enriching. We are hopeful that this initiative will inspire greater interest among our faculty to explore the subject more deeply.	07 May 2025
16	Workshop/Hands-on training - International Faculty - Dr Ajit Kumar Verma	Dr Ajit Kumar Verma conducted a workshop on self-management and personal re-engineering through yoga on 27 Jun 2025, based on the theme "Yoga for Physical, Mental, and Emotional Well-being." He provided insightful explanations on various yogic practices, placing special emphasis on the chakras energy centers in the body that play a vital role in physical, mental, and spiritual health. He also discussed specific yogic techniques and explained the internal effects of practicing asanas such as Ustrasana, Matsyasana, Ujjayi Pranayama, and Bhramari, etc. Dr Srividya Verma led a practical session, guiding participants through authentic esoteric practices and Yoga Nidra, highlighting their effectiveness in managing everyday stress.	27 Jun 2025
17	FDP - Dr Deepak L Waikar	MIT Manipal's Office of the Associate Director (Faculty Development and Welfare), in collaboration with the Electrical	07 - 09 Jul 2025

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		and Electronics Engineering Department, organized a Tier-2 International Faculty Development Program on "Synergizing Problem and Project-Based Learning with Design Thinking" from 07 to 09 Jul 2025. Conducted by Dr Deepak L Waikar, the program engaged 30 faculty members in sessions on PBL, Project-Based Learning, and Design Thinking, with debates, group work, and peer reviews. The FDP successfully encouraged faculty to adopt innovative, learner-centered strategies that foster creativity, problem-solving, and entrepreneurship.	
18	Short Term Course on "Power and Energy Management Applications Through Simulation and Software Tools" 	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MIT Manipal, in collaboration with MUJ Jaipur and NIT Durgapur, organized a One Week Online Short-Term Course on "Power and Energy Management Applications Through Simulation and Software Tools" from 21 to 25 Jul 2025. Over 220 faculty, researchers, students, and industry professionals participated in sessions on advanced tools such as DigSILENT, MATPOWER, OpenDSS, HOMER, OpenRT, and Typhoon HIL, covering topics from microgrid modeling to AI/ML-based renewable energy analysis. The program offered a balanced blend of theory and hands-on training, enhancing participants' technical skills and fostering academic–industry networking.	21 to 25 Jul 2025
19	Faculty Development Program on "Sustainable Smart Cities through Energy Efficiency 	The Departments of Civil Engineering and Electrical and Electronics Engineering, in association with the Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, organized a two-day Faculty Development Program on "Sustainable Smart Cities through Energy Efficiency" from 28 Jul 2025. Inaugurated by Chief Guest Mr Arun Prabha, GM, Mangalore Smart City Ltd, the event featured expert sessions on smart city planning, sustainable design, smart energy systems, and cybersecurity, along with hands-on demos and lab visits. The program fostered interdisciplinary learning, aligned with global sustainability goals, and received generous in-kind support from the State Bank of India, Manipal Branch.	28 Jul 2025
20	Guest Talk -Dr Deepak L Waikar 	A guest lecture on Sustainable Energy Systems was delivered by Dr Deepak L Waikar, Research Fellow at the Singapore Institute of Technology. He highlighted the global energy scenario, emphasizing the urgent shift from fossil fuels to renewable sources like solar, wind, and bioenergy for long-term energy security and carbon reduction. Dr Waikar discussed technical, economic, and policy challenges while stressing the role of innovation, education, and interdisciplinary collaboration. Engaging the audience with case studies and real-world examples, he concluded with an interactive Q&A session on smart grids and energy storage. The lecture provided valuable insights into building a greener, more resilient energy future.	05 Aug 2025
21	Alumni Talk – Mr Priyanshu Shekhar	The Department of EEE hosted an interactive seminar for II, III, and IV year students featuring alumnus Mr Priyanshu Shekhar (BTech EEE, 2017), a Design Engineer at Samsung	09 Aug 2025

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		Semiconductor, Bangalore. with over seven years of experience in high-performance semiconductor design, including his tenure at Intel, Priyanshu shared insights on SerDes IP, Autonomous PHY, and Low-Power DDR PHY development. Around 40 students attended, gaining valuable knowledge on chip design stages, essential skills, and career opportunities.	
22	Hands-on Workshop on "Modeling, Control, and Deployment of Systems using MATLAB and Simulink"	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MIT Manipal, in collaboration with MathWorks, is organizing a one-day national hands-on workshop for PG students on System Simulation using MATLAB on 09 Oct 2025 at the System Simulation Lab (Room Number 216), Academic Block 1. the workshop will focus on topics such as Electric Vehicle Modelling, Motor Control Design, Hardware Interfacing, and Code Generation. It is convened by Dr Ciji Pearl Kurian and Dr Vijayalaxmi, under the guidance of Dr Jayalakshmi N S, Professor and Head, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering.	09 Oct 2025
23	Guest Talk - Dr R Nagaraja	The Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering organized an online lecture on "Practical Aspects of Power System Studies" by adjunct faculty Dr R Nagaraja at 03:00 PM on 28 Oct 2025. Dr Nagaraja, founder of PRDC Pvt Ltd and a senior IEEE member, shared valuable insights from his vast experience in power system analysis, SCADA, energy management systems, and real-time applications. The session was attended by over 150 participants, including fifth-semester students, Head of the Department Dr Jayalakshmi N S, and faculty members. The program was coordinated by Dr Bindu S, Dr Mala R C, Dr Vinay Kumar J, and Dr Sachin Sharma, and was highly informative and enriching.	28 Oct 2025
Humanities and Management			
1	Three-week Training Program on Corporate Finance	The Department of Humanities and Management, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), MAHE, organized a comprehensive three-week Training Program on Corporate Finance in Jan 2025. Tailored for the executives from Mozambique Ports and Railways, Mozambique, the program covered financial statement analysis, capital budgeting, and investment management using interactive lectures, case studies, and Excel-based problem-solving. Sessions ran full days, with accommodation, meals, and local travel provided on campus. The previous edition also successfully hosted	06-26 Jan 2025

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		executives from Mozambique Ports and Railways, highlighting MIT's strong track record in executive education for global finance professionals.	
2	Workshop on Data Structures	The Department of Humanities and Management organized a workshop for BTech in CSFT students on advanced data structures. The workshop was coordinated by Prof Lidwin Kenneth Michael and Dr Sumukh S Hungund. Mr Subham Patro and Ms Radhika Kamath from FIS Global, Bengaluru, were invited as resource persons for this workshop. The workshop was held from 15 to 18 Jan 2025 from 06:00 to 08:30 PM. The workshop covered topics such as Trees, Heaps, Hash Tables, and Graphs. The workshop was attended by 73 students.	15-18 Jan 2025
3	FinTech and Entrepreneurship Conclave	The Humanities and Management Department, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), MAHE, with FIS, dLabs ISB, and YI Mangalore, organized the second edition of FINENT 25: FinTech and Entrepreneurship Conclave on 04 Apr 2025. The conclave united eminent industry leaders, academic experts, and practitioners to discuss digital payments, AI, blockchain, and entrepreneurial opportunities reshaping India's financial landscape. Keynote speakers included Mr Madhav Nair (Bank of Bahrain and Kuwait), Mr Ramkumar Narayanan (FIS Global), and Dr Varadaraju Janardanan (Flipkart), alongside an interactive fireside chat and expert panel. The event fostered collaboration and spotlighted India's surge as a global fintech innovation hub.	04 Apr 2025
4	Workshop	The Department of Humanities and Management, MIT Manipal, in collaboration with the Centre for Microfluidics, Biomarkers, Photoceutics and Sensors (μBioPS), successfully organized two insightful workshops on R Programming this Jul. Basic Programming with R, 07 to 11 Jul 2025. Advanced Programming with R, 12 to 17 Jul 2025. Ms Aditi Lakshmi Satish, Prime Minister's Research Fellow from IIT Gandhinagar, is the resource person for both sessions. Her expertise and engaging instruction were instrumental in delivering a high-quality learning experience. The response to both workshops was overwhelming. Participants came from a wide range of constituent institutions under Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE).	07-17 Jul 2025
5	An insightful IVI (I-Venture Immersive) Masterclass	The Department of Humanities and Management, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), in collaboration with the Indian School of Business (ISB), organized an insightful IVI (I-Venture Immersive) Masterclass titled "the Future of Banking: Risks and Opportunities" on 06 Aug 2025. The session was conducted at Sir M V Seminar Hall, Academic Block 2, from 02:00 to 03:00 PM. The masterclass was delivered by Dr Shashwat Alok, Associate Professor of Finance at ISB, who is widely recognized for his research in financial markets, corporate governance, and behavioral finance. The event witnessed an enthusiastic participation of around 100 attendees, comprising students, faculty members, and research scholars from various disciplines. Dr Alok began the session by exploring the evolving	06 Aug 2025

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		landscape of global and Indian banking, emphasizing the transformative role of technology, fintech innovations, and regulatory frameworks. He elaborated on how artificial intelligence, blockchain, and data analytics are redefining financial services, while also discussing the potential risks associated with cybersecurity, compliance, and systemic vulnerabilities. The session highlighted the need for adaptability and innovation in the face of rapid digitization and changing customer expectations. Through real-world examples and interactive discussions, Dr Alok illustrated how traditional banking models are giving way to agile, technology-driven ecosystems. He also addressed questions from students on topics such as digital currencies, sustainable finance, and the future of monetary policy in an AI-driven economy. The session concluded with a vote of thanks from the organizing team, acknowledging Dr Alok's valuable insights and the collaboration between ISB and MIT that made the event possible. The audience appreciated the speaker's engaging delivery.	
6	an insightful IVI (I-Venture Immersive) Masterclass	The Department of Humanities and Management, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), in collaboration with the Indian School of Business (ISB), I-Venture Immersive (IVI), and XElevate Ventures, organized an exciting entrepreneurship event titled "Pitch to IVI – Manipal Edition" on 06 August 2025. The event took place at Hampi Hall, Academic Block 2, MIT, from 10:00 AM to 05:00 PM, and drew an enthusiastic audience of around 100 students, faculty members, and aspiring entrepreneurs. The session was led by Mr Rohith Vegesna, Founder of Insurge AI and a distinguished IVI Cohort 2 alumnus, who brought valuable insights from his entrepreneurial journey. The event provided a unique platform for students to pitch their bold startup ideas directly to IVI representatives and mentors, with the opportunity to gain mentorship, market access, and funding support of up to 40 Lakhs INR. Mr Vegesna engaged the participants with his talk on innovation, startup resilience, and the realities of building a business from scratch. He emphasized the importance of problem-solving, adaptability, and market validation for early-stage startups. Throughout the day, selected student teams presented their ideas spanning diverse domains such as technology, sustainability, education, and healthcare. Each pitch was followed by constructive feedback from the IVI and XElevate Ventures panels, encouraging students to refine their business models and explore strategic scalability. The interactive nature of the event sparked vibrant discussions on funding strategies, investor relations, and the future of India's startup ecosystem.	06 Aug 2025
7	Guest Lecture	The Alumni Cell, Public and International Relations, in association with the Department of Humanities and Management, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), MAHE, organized an insightful guest lecture titled "Negotiation Strategies for Academics" on 12 Aug 2025. The session was	12 Aug 2025

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		held at Hampi Hall, First Floor, Academic Block 2, MIT, from 04:00 to 05:00 PM. The resource person for the lecture was Dr Regina J Hoffmann, International Faculty, Department of Humanities and Management, MIT, MAHE. Dr Hoffmann shared valuable perspectives on effective negotiation approaches within academic settings, focusing on communication techniques, interest-based negotiation, and professional conduct. The session aimed to equip faculty and academic professionals with strategies to handle institutional discussions, collaborations, and work-related negotiations more confidently. The event witnessed active participation from faculty members across various departments. The interactive session allowed participants to engage in discussions and clarify their queries related to negotiation challenges in academia. The program was graced by Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Director; Dr Chandrakala C B, Joint Director; Dr Kanthi M, Associate Director (Alumni Cell, Public and International Relations); and Dr Yogesh Pai, Professor and Head, Department of Humanities and Management."	
8	Guest Lecture	The Department of Humanities and Management at Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), Manipal organized an engaging and forward-looking guest talk titled “Being Future-Ready for AI-Powered Product Careers.” the event took place on 22 Sep Monday at 11:30 AM in the Sir M V Seminar Hall, Academic Block–2, drawing enthusiastic participation from students and faculty members. The session was delivered by Ms Priyanka Sarkar, Vice President, Global Acceptance Solutions (Emerging Markets) at Mastercard, Pune. an accomplished leader with over two decades of experience in the global payments and product management sector, Ms Sarkar is a proud alumnus of MIT Manipal, having graduated in Electrical Engineering (Batch 2001–05). During her address, Ms Sarkar highlighted the rapid transformation of product careers driven by Artificial Intelligence and digital innovation. She emphasized the increasing need for professionals to develop skills in AI integration, product strategy, and customer-centric design. Drawing from her rich experience at Mastercard, Visa Inc, NPCI, and RBS Software, she offered practical insights into navigating the emerging tech-product landscape. Ms Sarkar also spoke about the importance of continuous learning and inclusive leadership, reflecting on her role as the Lead of the Women’s Leadership Network for Mastercard India. She encouraged students to embrace up-skilling and to stay agile in a rapidly changing industry. The program aligns with UN Sustainable Development Goals by fostering industry–academia collaboration and enhancing student exposure to global career trends.	22 Sep 2025

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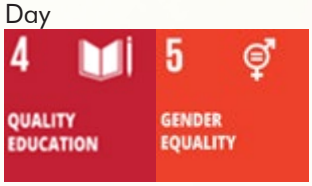
Mathematics			
1	2nd Mathematics Research Symposium (MaRS25)	The Department of Mathematics at Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal, successfully organized the 2nd Mathematics Research Symposium (MaRS25) on 07 and 08 Feb 2025, at the Sir M V Seminar Hall, Academic Block 2. This two-day academic event provided a vibrant platform for over 100 participants, including undergraduate and postgraduate students, research scholars, and academicians from various institutions, to present and discuss contemporary research in mathematical sciences. The symposium commenced with an inaugural ceremony featuring addresses by distinguished guests Dr Ambat Vijayakumar (CUSAT) and Dr B R Shankar (NITK), followed by multiple parallel sessions showcasing more than 20 student presentations on diverse topics such as algebra, number theory, topology, optimization, and computational techniques. Invited lectures by Dr K P Deepesh (NIT Calicut) and Dr P Sam Johnson (NITK) enriched the event, encouraging vibrant academic interaction through active Q&A sessions. MSc participants were also awarded a textbook to support their learning. Overall, MaRS25 successfully achieved its objectives of raising awareness about mathematical research, motivating students to innovate, and fostering a strong research culture within the community.	07-08 Feb 2025
2	Women in Mathematics Day 	The 4th edition of Women in Mathematics Day was celebrated on 13 and 14 May 2025, at the KEF R&D Centre, as part of a global initiative honoring the achievements of women mathematicians, coinciding with the international observance of Prof Maryam Mirzakhani's birthday. The event opened with remarks by Dr Shobha M E, highlighting the importance of equitable representation and paying tribute to legends like Dr Hypatia, Dr Emmy Noether, and Dr Maryam Mirzakhani, while recognizing the dedication of contemporary women in the field. Head of Department Dr Kuncham Syam Prasad welcomed the gathering, and guest speaker Dr Chandhini delivered an insightful talk on "Overcoming Gibbs Phenomenon in Fourier Approximation," after which she was felicitated for her contributions. A pre-event quiz on 13 May engaged 10 teams in testing their knowledge of mathematics and women mathematicians, with prizes awarded to Team Zero Math, the Radicals, and Team Variables. The event also featured a screening of a short film on Maryam Mirzakhani, inspiring the audience with her remarkable journey. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr Aarthi Bhat, appreciating the efforts of the organizers and participants. This celebration not only fostered academic engagement but also reinforced the commitment to creating inclusive spaces in mathematical sciences.	13-14 May 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering			
1	Lab view Training by National Instruments	*Day 1: the first session was focused on providing the basic overview of LabVIEW with a major focus on the Indicators, controls, Boolean, and a few basic arithmetic calculations using	07 - 08 Feb 2025

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		LabVIEW. Second session was on loops in LabVIEW and creating 1D and 2D arrays, strings, and clusters in LabVIEW *Day 2: Introduction to the sensors and NI data acquisition modules. Basic concepts of signal processing. Integration of Thermocouple, accelerometer, potentiometer, and the differential pressure sensors with the LabVIEW and creating the virtual environment for the data acquisition.	
2	Exploring Entrepreneurial Opportunities for Engineers: MITE Students Visit to MAHE organized by Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering in collaboration with Bio-Incubator and MUTBI, MAHE.	The event started with a warm welcome address to students and faculty of MITE, Mangalore, by Dr Rakesh Sharma. At the very first, the visitors were taken to Bio-Incubator where Dr Akshatha Shetty introduced the importance of Bio-Incubator. She facilitated the visit to the Tissue Culture Facility, where students were allowed to see the laboratory and different equipment. The students were also briefed about the dedicated incubation facility and central instrumentation facility. Dr Akshatha Shetty demonstrated sophisticated instruments like a 3D-printing machine, a centrifuge, a PCR machine, and a stability chamber. Students were also informed about Electrophoresis and TGA, where Dr Rakesh Sharma also shared his experience of using TGA. Later, Dr Akshatha Shetty guided the visitors to Bio-Nest, where a clean room facility was shown. She also presented a couple of 3D-printed and laser-cut models. Mr Basavraj also shared his experience of working with 3D printers and their importance compared to conventional methods. Finally, she concluded with a brief talk about how to get connected with the Bio-Incubator of MAHE and follow up with the ongoing activities through Instagram and LinkedIn. She also introduced them to an alumnus from MITE, Mangalore, Mr Likhit Kumar, who himself owns a startup in Bio-incubator. The visitors were taken to the Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator (MUTBI) where the CEO of MUTBI, Dr Santosha Rao shared awareness about the importance of innovation and entrepreneurship.	25 Feb 2025
3	Two-day workshop on CFD and its Applications	This event was conducted for the Mechanical Engineering students of Shri Madhwa Vadiraja Institute of Technology and Management (SMVITM), Bantakal, Udupi. Dr Arunachala U Chandavar, Professor and Head of the Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, MIT, briefed on the importance of emerging technologies in Mechanical Engineering. Dr Dolfred Vijay Fernandes and Dr Madhwesh N, Associate Professors of the department, were the resource persons. They highlighted the utility of CFD, its fundamentals, and various applications, especially in thermal applications. About 35+ students participated in the workshop. Dr Bharath K. Bhat and Dr Manjunatha S, Assistant Professors of SMVITM, were present during the workshop	06 and 07 Mar 2025

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4	Role of Department in NIRF Ranking	The Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, MIT, Manipal, organized a workshop on "Role of Department in NIRF Ranking" on 11 Mar 2025. The session was conducted by Dr Vishwanatha H M, Assistant Director- Quality Assurance, MIT, Manipal, and was attended by 47 faculty members from the department. The session commenced with a welcome address by the Head of the Department, Dr Arunachala U Chandavar, who introduced the speaker and expressed gratitude for his time and effort in conducting the workshop. Dr Vishwanatha H M elaborated on various key factors influencing the NIRF (National Institutional Ranking Framework) ranking and highlighted the crucial role of faculty members in improving the current ranking of MIT.	11 Mar 2025
5	Exploring Entrepreneurial Opportunities at MAHE	The event started with a visit to the Central Analytical Instrumentation Facility (CAIF), various research supporting facilities are shown. Then, the participants were taken to the Planetarium to attend a show related to space exploration, further to the Bio-incubator and MUTBI at MAHE University. The importance of Bio-incubator was shared and participants were taken to 3D Printing facilities, Microfluidics lab, Machining facility, Tissue Culture Facility, dedicated incubation facility. The participants were facilitated to visit the Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator (MUTBI) where CEO Dr Santosha Rao interacted with students and shared his view on innovation and entrepreneurship. The participants were later taken to SMRUTI Bhavan, where they got a chance to closely follow the life and achievements of Padam Shri Dr TMA Pai, founder of MAHE University. The participants were taken to the MIT Innovation Centre, where they interacted with eminent professor Dr Satish Prabhu. The session concluded with a visit to facilities at MIT Innovation Centre coordinated by Dr Sucheta Kolekar"	12 Mar 2025
6	Workshop on Prototype Development using CNC Machining Technology	The primary objective of the event was to provide hands-on training on programming and operating CNC turning centers. This workshop aimed to enhance the practical skills of the students in CNC machining technology.	13 - 14 Mar 2025
7	Exhibition of Mechanism Models and Kinematic Analysis Diagrams	The Exhibition of Mechanism Models and Kinematic Analysis Diagrams successfully met its objectives of enhancing learning through hands-on application. The enthusiastic participation of students and the guidance provided by faculty contributed to the success of the event. The Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering congratulates all participants and extends gratitude to the faculty judges, event coordinators, and	06 Sep 2025

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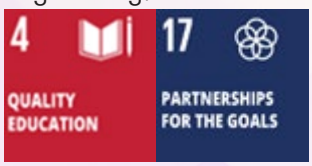
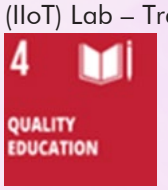
		The Event Management Committee for their contributions, including documentation and photography support.	
8	INTEL UNNATI Certification Course: AI Essentials with INTEL	*The Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering (MIE), MIT, Manipal, in association with the INTEL UNNATI LAB, successfully conducted the Intel Unnati Certification Course on AI Essentials with Intel * 36 Hour Course * 23 Members Successfully Completed	08 Sep - 05 Nov 2025
9	INTEL UNNATI Certification Course: Mathematical Foundations for Deep Learning	*The Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering (MIE), MIT, Manipal, in association with the INTEL UNNATI LAB, successfully conducted the Intel Unnati Certification Course on Mathematical Foundations for Deep Learning * 18 Hour Course * 14 Members Successfully Completed	22 Sep - 11 Nov 2025
10	MAHE–COMSOL Multiphysics FDP on Foundations of CFD and Simulation for Heat Transfer, Microfluidics and Chemical Reaction Engineering.	Topics covered in the program are: 1. Learn the core workflow of COMSOL Multiphysics through an introductory demonstration 2. an overview of the fluid and heat add-on products, including the CFD Module, Polymer Flow Module, Pipe Flow Module, Microfluidics Module, Porous Media Flow Module, Molecular Flow Module, and Heat Transfer Module. 3. Modeling Microfluidics with COMSOL Multiphysics, Microscale effects and Electrokinetics. 4. features in the Chemical Reaction Engineering module	09 - 10 Oct 2025
11	MAHE–COMSOL Multiphysics FDP on Foundations of CFD and Simulation for Heat Transfer, Microfluidics and Chemical Reaction Engineering. 	Topics covered in the program are: 1. Structural Mechanics Module 2. MEMS module 3. Electromagnetics modules 4. Semiconductor module. The FDP gave firsthand information on the capabilities of COMSOL Multiphysics software for research involving various domains. It provided an overall idea of the various tools available for modeling and simulation. The research scholars of the department, as well as those from other departments, could clarify their queries and receive assistance in resolving the bottlenecks they face in their research. The SDGs linked to this FDP are Quality Education (SDG 4) and Partnerships for the Goals (SDG 17)	12 - 14 Nov 2025
12	Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) Lab – Training 	The topics covered in the training are: 1. Introduction to ThingZ IoT Kit Components 2. Introduction to Wired Communication Protocols 3. Hands-on Microcontroller Programming 4. Wireless Protocols and Cloud Communication 5. STM-32 Deep-Dive 6. Understanding IoT Protocol Stacks 7. LoRaWAN Practical Session 8. Zigbee Using XCTU 9. ThingZ IoT Kit Min	13 - 14 Nov 2025

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		Through this structured sequence of lectures, experiments, and cloud integration activities, participants gained extensive hands-on experience in IIoT hardware platforms, communication protocols, and deployment strategies, enabling them to understand how modern IIoT systems are designed, programd, networked, and implemented in real industrial environment.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Administration				
1	Mr Suhrid Bhat	MNC funded EV Charging Infrastructure Startup, USA	Gave invited guest lecture entitled Tommorow's Mobility: Autonomous Vehicles and Electric Vehicles at MIT KEF R&D Centre from 04:30 to 07:00 PM on 07 Oct 2025. Then had a series of interactions with Students Projects namely Team Solar Mobil, Team Manas, Team Manipal Racing and gave them mentorship advise. (By- R&C, MIT)	07-11 Oct 2025
Aeronautical and Automobile Engineering				
1	Er Gaurav Rajput	Scientific Officer at the Department of Atomic Energy (DAE), Government of India,	Interactive session with students	27 Feb 2025
2	Ms Snigdha Uppala	Senior Consultant, Capgemini.	Interactive online session with III and IV year students	11 Aug - 11 Sep 2025
3	Mr Khushagra Vidyarthi	Aerospace Engineer and Lead Technologist, Z F Wind Power Coimbatore Pvt Ltd, Tamil Nadu	Interactive session with III and IV year students	22 Aug 2025
4	Mr Annesh Salian	System Engineer – 2, Honeywell	Interactive online session with III and IV year students	30 Aug 2025

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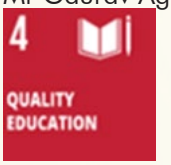
Biomedical Engineering				
1	Dr Johnblack Kabaalu Kabukye	Postdoctoral Researcher, Stockholm University and Medical Doctor and Informatician, Uganda Cancer Institute	Guest Lecture Titled "Healthcare Information Exchange - Standardization and Structuring of Data"	21 Jan 2025
2	Mr Gaurav Agarwal 	Managing Director, Innvolution Healthcare Bengaluru, India	Alumni Interaction - on the latest trends in Biomedical Engineering and regarding placement opportunities	27 Feb 2025
3	Dr Pratishtah Sobrun	Patent Attorney, Madderns Patent and Trade Mark Attorneys Australia	Alumni Interaction - My Career Story: Engineering, Research, and Patents	27 Mar 2025
4	Ms Ruchi Surekha	Director of Manufacturing at Amgen California, USA	Alumni Interaction - "Embracing Uncertainty – Importance of Decision making in your career"	28 Mar 2025
5	Dr Sandeep V Pandit	Former - Principal Scientist at ZOLL Medical Corporation,	Guest Lecture – "Cardiac Fibrillation: Mechanistic Insights and Challenges"	04 Apr 2025
6	Dr Sanjay H S, Manager	(Operational Analytics) ZEISS Vision Care India, Bengaluru,	Alumni Interaction - Essentials of Cloud Computing and Data Analytics – an Eye Care Perspective	05 Apr 2025
7	Mr Sanjay Chaudhary	Senior Vice President R&D, Siemens	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - AI in Healthcare	08 - 09 Aug 2025
8	Mr Cijo Chacko	Clinical Science Specialist at Philips Healthcare	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Enhancing Efficiency, Accuracy and Patient Care	08-09 Aug 2025

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9	Mr Gaurav Agarwal	Managing Director of Innvolution Healthcare Pvt Ltd	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Panel Discussion on "Rethinking Healthcare Innovation in the Age of Industry 5.0. and Sustainability	08-09 Aug 2025
10	Dr Abhishek Appaji	BMS College of Engineering	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Decoding Mental Health through Retinal Analysis: AI-enhanced Biomarker Discovery	08- 09 Aug 2025
11	Dr Murugan Veerapandian	Senior Scientist and Faculty, Central Electrochemical Research Institute	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Bioreceptor-guided Nanoarchitectured Electrode Interface for Point-of-Care Detection of Clinical Markers	08 - 09 Aug 2025
12	Dr James Goh	Emeritus Professor, National University of Singapore (NUS)	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - plenary lecture	08 - 09 Aug 2025
13	Mr Veerendra Shetty	Founder, MD, and CEO, Visukhi Innotech Private Limited, and Chair, IEEE EMBS, Bangalore	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Panel Discussion on "Rethinking Healthcare Innovation in the Age of Industry 5.0. and Sustainability"	08 - 09 Aug 2025
14	Prof Rohit Manchanda	Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering, IIT Bombay,	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Exploration of Organ Function: Blending Engineering and Physiology	08 - 09 Aug 2025
15	Dr Harikrishna Rai	Technical Product Manager, GE Healthcare	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Panel Discussion on Rethinking Healthcare Innovation in the Age of Industry 5.0. and Sustainability	08 - 09 Aug 2025
16	Prof N Sriraam	Dean R&D, Dayananda Sagar College of Engineering,	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025) - Panel Discussion on Rethinking Healthcare Innovation in the Age of Industry 5.0. and Sustainability	08 - 09 Aug 2025
17	Dr U C Niranjan	Adjunct Professor, Department of Biomedical	International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare (ICBMESH 2025)-Panel Discussion on	08 - 09 Aug 2025

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		Engineering, MIT, Manipal.	Rethinking Healthcare Innovation in the Age of Industry 5.0. and Sustainability	
18	Aravind Rao	Michigan Neuroscience Institute and Affiliate Professor of Computational Medicine and Bioinformatics, USA (VOXEL Analytics LLC)	The Post-Conference Virtual Workshop on "Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare: Applications in Radiology and Pathology"	11 Aug 2025
19	Mr Manogaran N	Head – Strategic Service Business and Skill Development, BPL Medical Technologies Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture - Importance of Skill Development	10 Sep 2025
20	Dr Motilal Mathesh	Professor, Biotechnology, School of Life and Environment Sciences, Deakin University, Australia	Guest Lecture - Enzyme-Powered Nanomotors and Smart Nanosystems for Biomedical Applications	25 Sep 2025
21	Dr Gurudutt Bhat	Technology Manager at Pitcher Partners, Greater Brisbane Area, Australia	Alumni Interaction -interacted with the undergraduate students	30 Sep 2025
22	Dr Sanskrita Das	Senior Scientist and Head of the 3D Cell Culture Laboratory at HiMedia Laboratories, India.	Alumni Interaction - Bioprinting and Applications	24 Oct 2025
23	Dr Eshwari Dathathri	Post-Doctoral Researcher, University of Twente, Netherlands BTech Biomedical Engineering (Class of 2016)	Alumni Interaction - interacted with the undergraduate students	24 Oct 2025
24	Dr Hari Subramanian	Vice President @Neuronano AB-USA ex-Boston Scientific, Science and Medical Affairs, Enterprise Level Partnerships, Business Development, Research and Development, Professor @Mayo Clinic	Seminar - Career Counselling	07 Nov 2025

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Biotechnology				
1	Dr Jitendra Kumar	BIRAC	Guest Talk	16 Jan 2025
2	Mr Deepak Chandrasekhar	Carnegie Mellon University MBA, IESE Business School	Alumni Talk	17 Jan 2025
3	Prof Rajeev Pratap Singh	Banaras Hindu University, varanasi	Guest Talk	28 Jan 2025
4	Dr Ramgopal Rao S	Biocon Academy Bengaluru, India	Guest Lecture	19 Mar 2025
5	Mr Kshitish Acharya	Institute of Bioinformatics and Applied Biotechnology, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture	19 Mar 2025
6	Ms Shohini Shome	AbCellera Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada	Guest Lecture	20 Mar 2025
7	Mr Chaitanya Dhoshi	Chief Executive Officer at Kore Additive Manufacturing and Medical reconstruction Pvt Ltd Mumbai, Maharashtra	Guest Lecture and Chief guest for International Conference	20 Mar 2025
8	Mr Keshav T R	Global Regulatory Science Bristol Myers Squibb, Hyderabad-India	Alumni Talk	12 Apr 2025
9	Smitha Hegde	Anglia Ruskin University, Peterborough, UK	Visitor	10 May 2025

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10	Dr Yuvraj Rallapalli	Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, G A, USA	Visitor	14 Jul 2025
11	Dr Harshitha M Jathanna	NMAM Institute of Technology, India	Alumni Talk	27 Jul 2025
12	Dr Regina J Hoffmann	Lecturer technical Policy and Management delft University of Technology, Netherlands	Visitor	06 Aug 2025
13	Dr Shvetank Bhatt	School of Health Sciences and Technology, Dr Vishwanath Karad MIT-World Peace University, Pune, Maharashtra, India	Guest Talk	19 Sep 2025
14	Professor Janine McBurnie	School of Life and Environmental Sciences	Guest Talk	25 Sep 2025
15	Dr Vinayak Mathur	University of Delaware	Alumni Talk	29 Oct 2025
Chemical Engineering				
1	Prof Rajeev Pratap Singh,	Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT, Manipal	Guest Lecture Report on "Giving Waste a Second Chance; Challenges and Opportunities"	28 Jan 2025

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2	Dr Upendra Natarajan	Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT, Manipal	Guest Lecture: Molecular Modeling and Simulation of Polymeric and Surfactant Systems	19 May 2025
3	Dr K Sudhakar	Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT, Manipal	Guest Lecture - Green Hydrogen, Methanol and Ammonia: Sustainable Fuels through Chemical, Biological and Biotechnological Pathways	25 Aug 2025
4	Dr Uttam Shanbhag	Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT, Manipal	Guest Lecture - Career opportunities for chemical engineers in industries	04 Oct 2025
5	Dr Lavanya M Ramaniah	Department of Chemical Engineering, MIT, Manipal	Guest Lecture - Photovoltaics and Hydrogen Storage: First Principles Density Functional Studies of Material Systems for Non-Conventional Energy Applications	07 Nov 2025
Chemistry				
1	Dr Pankaj Kumar	Chitkara University, Punjab	Guest Lectures	20 Jan 2025
2	Dr Ir Tom J Savenije	Delft University of Technology, Netherlands	Guest Lectures	03 Feb 2025
3	Dr Gopalakrishna Hegde	IISC Bengaluru	Guest Lectures	22 Feb 2025
4	Dr Vadiraj S Gopinath	Vachichem International Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru	Guest Lectures	15 Apr 2025
5	Dr Sumesh Eswaran	Anthem Biosciences	Guest talk (online)	15 Oct 2025

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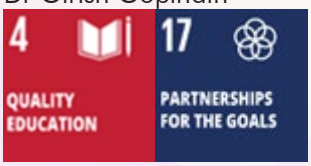
6	Dr Rajaneesh Misra	Senior Professor, Department of Chemistry Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Indore	Guest Lecture	24 Oct 2025
7	Dr Namratha B	Department of chemistry, MIT	Guest talk and Alumni Interaction	07 Nov 2025
Civil Engineering				
1	1. Ms Bhavya Das 2. Mr Siddharth Chauhan 3. Mr Sarthak Mathur	Department of Civil Engineering	Alumni Talk Series "Beyond the Blueprint: Diverse Career Paths for Civil Engineering"	14 Jan 2025
2	Dr Sujith Ravi	Earth and Environmental Science, Temple University, Philadelphia, USA	Talk on Combined land use of solar energy and agriculture for environmental and socioeconomic co-benefits	16 Jan 2025
3	Dr Ravindranath BV	Chief Consultant at Ravindranath and Associates, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture Series on the topic Karnataka Professional Civil Engineers Act: A Game Changer for Civil Engineering Professionals	20 Jan 2025
4	Dr Girish Gopinath 	Department of Climate Variability and Aquatic Ecosystem, Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies (KUFOS), Kochi, Kerala	Talk on Role of Geospatial Technology in Earth Sciences	13 Feb 2025
5	Shri Dwaipayan Bhadra	Scientist 'E' and Head of the Civil Engineering Division, Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)	Special lecture on Concrete Technology	13 Feb 2025

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6	Dr S J Desai	Department of Geology, Faculty of Sciences, the Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda	Talk on “Spilites and Spilitic Rocks”	25 Feb 2025
7	1. Mr Yeddula Satya 2. Mr Narayana Reddy	YNR Associates, Architects and Engineers, Kurnool	Alumni Talk Series on “Stakeholders’ Involvement in Project Lifecycle"	27 Feb 2025
8	Ms Deepthi Shenoy	TCE Ltd	Alumni Talk Series, Significance of Particle Packing in Concrete Mix Design	04 Mar 2025
9	Ms Deepthi Shenoy	Senior Engineer, Project Management Office, Mining and Metallurgy Business Unit, Tata Consulting Engineers	Alumni Talk Series- From Classroom Concepts to Real-World Project Management: Bridging Theory and Practice	10 Mar 2025
10	Ms Rashi Kishore	Construction manager, Jacobs, USA	Guest talk on Technology impact on safety-Automatic safety checking of construction models and schedules	13 Mar 2025
11	Mr Sidharth	DesignTree Consultants	Guest talk on Designing Multistorey Buildings – Industry Perspective	22 Mar 2025
12	Shivam Tripathi	GeoCon Infra Pvt Ltd	Alumni Talk Series Geotechnical Engineering- Applications in real world	04 May 2025

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13	Dr Neloy Khare	Advisor and Scientist-G, Ministry of Earth Sciences	Lecture series on “Ocean and Climate Sciences", Talk 1: Blue Economy: he future of sustainability Talk 2: Understanding past climates for natural hazard	04 May 2025
14	Mr Rajendra Kalbavi	Executive Director, Dakshina Kannada Nirmithi Kendra, Surathkal	Alumni Talk Series Beyond Structures: Engineering with Purpose for a Sustainable World	08 May 2025
15	Mr Amit Kapur	Chairman - Founder and Managing Director at IOTA Group Co, NICO Nanobubble India Co, and IOTA Water.	Guest Lecture on Harnessing the Power of Nanobubble - Opportunities and Challenges	08 May 2025
16	Dr Radhakrishna G Pillai	Department of Civil Engineering, IIT Madras	guest lecture on “Technologies for Low-Carbon and Lean Construction”	25 Jul 2025
17	Mr Durgesh Devadiga	Self-Employed, Guru Builders and Developers, Behind Board High School	Alumni Talk Series Application of the Differential Global Positioning System in Surveying	20 Aug 2025
18	Mr Ujwal D’souza	Association of Consulting Civil Engineers (India)	Guest Lecture by Er UJWAL D’SOUZA on the topic Construction Project Management	24 Sep 2025
19	Mr Anil Hegde	Consulting Civil Engineers	Guest Lecture (Techno week series) by Er Anil Hegde Structural Engineering: Industry Viewpoint	25 Sep 2025

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20	Mr Samarth Garg	DGM, DLF Ltd	Alumni Talk Series My Journey – Road to Success	27 Sep 2025
21	1. Mr Satish Kumar Bhat 2.Mr Guruprasad	Practicing Advocate, Mangalore Assistant Director of Town planning/ATPO Mangalore City Municipality	Guest Lecture Report on "Precautions to be taken while purchasing property" and Principles and preparation of layout and eplan	02 Oct 2025
22	Dr H N Udayashankar	Civil Engineering Department, MIT, Manipal	Guest lecture by Groundwater Exploration and Field Demonstration of Electrical Resistivity Meter	03 Oct 2025
23	Dr Amit Bafana	Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR-NEERI, Nagpur	Talk on "Prevalence of Bioaerosols and their Health Risk Estimation at Landfill site in Nagpur"	23 Oct 2025
24	Dr T V Ramachandra	Principle scientist G-1, Centre for Ecological sciences, IISc, Bangalore	Guest talk on "Bangalore Lakes Information system (BLIS): Sustainable Management of Lakes	24 Oct 2025
25	Dr Ramesh Kumar MR	National Institute of Oceanography	Talk on "How to Prepare a Research Manuscript"	06 Dec 2025
Electrical and Electronics Engineering				
1	Mr Arjun Bhattacharya	PhD Scholar, University of Tennessee, US	Alumni Talk	14 Jan 2025
2	Mr Kushal Kamal	Associate Director, L&T Semiconductor Technologies,	Alumni Talk	25 Jan 2025
3	Mr Dhinesh Rajagopalan L	Scientist 'D' and Joint Director Bureau of Indian Standards Chennai Branch Office	Guest Talk	30 Jan 2025

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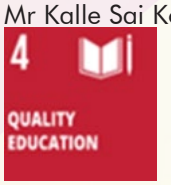
4	Mr Kalle Sai Koushik 	Scientist 'D', Joint Director Bureau of Indian Standards	Guest Talk	05 Feb 2025
5	Mr Jatin Tiwari	Scientist 'C', ETD Bureau of Indian Standards	Guest Talk	17 Feb 2025
6	Dr Ragavan K	Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar	Guest Talk	11 Mar 2025
7	Dr Arjun M	Lead Engineer, Bosch Global Software Technologies, Bengaluru.	Guest Talk	12 Apr 2025
8	Dr Ajit Kumar Verm	Professor in the Department of Safety, Chemistry, and Biomedical Laboratory Sciences at the Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Haugesund, Norway	International Faculty Guest Talk	22 Apr-27 Jun 2025
9	Dr Deepak L Waikar	Research Fellow at the Singapore Institute of Technology	Adjunct Faculty	05 Jul 2025
10	Priyanshu Shekhar	Design Engineer and Samsung Semiconductor India Research	Alumni Talk	09 Aug 2025
Electronics and Communication Engineering				
1	Dr Srinivas Talabattula	Professor, Department of ECE, IISc Bengaluru, and Chair of the IEEE Bangalore Section	Expert Guest Talk on "Quantum Information Technology using Photonics"	07 Jan 2025

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2	Mr Krishnapal Jadeja	Galaxy Eye Space, Bangalore	Industry Connect/Alumni Talk on "Embedded System Design with Case Studies"	08 Feb 2025
3	Mr Shiv Ram Krishna Pande	Founder and Chief Business Officer (CBO) of BitSave Digital Asset Management	Industry Connect/ Alumni Talk on Bitcoin and Blockchain 101	10 Feb 2025
4	Dr Saurav Prakash	Assistant Professor in the Department of Electrical Engineering (EE) at IIT Madras and affiliated with the Center for Responsible AI (CeRAI)	Expert Guest Talk on "Efficient Solutions for Machine Learning at the Edge"	24 Mar 2025
5	Ms Durgesh Nandini Satpathy	Entrepreneur, Technical University of Munich (TUM)	alumni talk on her journey from MIT to ESA and current research on space engineering	30 Jul 2025
6	Mr Dhanesh Pai	Vice President of Engineering at PrimeSoft Solutions	insightful talk to the final-year BTech students of MIT Manipal on the transformative role of Artificial Intelligence in today's technology landscape.	07 Aug 2025
7	Mr Shreyans Toshniwal	Marketing Executive @ MATPLAT	alumni talk on "Higher Studies, Real Stories"	14 Aug 2025
8	Mr Pradyoth	Design Engineer at IBM	alumni talk on "VLSI Design and Verification Challenges in Industry"	14 Aug 2025
9	Mr Prashant Mathur	Senior Director at Tata Electronics	Alumni Talk on "Challenges in Evolving Semiconductor Industry in India"	04 Oct 2025

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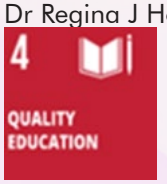
10	Mr Ashwin Singla	Staff Engineer, Micron Technology, Hyderabad	Alumni Talk on "Challenges in Solid-State Drive Technology and Academic Participation"	04 Oct 2025
Humanities and Management				
1	Mr Subham Patro	FIS Global, Bengaluru	Workshop	15-18 Jan 2025
2	Ms Radhika Kamath	FIS Global, Bengaluru	Workshop	15-18 Jan 2025
3	Ms Aditi Lakshmi Satish	Prime Minister's Research Fellow, IIT Gandhinagar	Insightful workshops on R Programming	07-17 Jul 2025
4	Mr Rohith Vegesna	Founder, Insurge AI and a distinguished IVI Cohort 2 alumnus	The Department of Humanities and Management, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), in collaboration with the Indian School of Business (ISB), I-Venture Immersive (IVI), and XElevate Ventures, organized an exciting entrepreneurship event titled “Pitch to IVI – Manipal Edition”	06 Aug 2025
5	Dr Shashwat Alok	Associate Professor of Finance at ISB	Guest Lecture	06 Aug 2025
6	Dr Regina J Hoffmann 	International Faculty, Department of Humanities and Management, MIT	Guest Lecture	12 Aug 2025
7	Ms Priyanka Sarkar	Vice President, Global Acceptance Solutions (Emerging Markets) at Mastercard, Pune.	Guest Lecture	22 Aug 2025

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Instrumentation and Control Engineering				
1	Dr Yogananda Jeppu	Adjunct Faculty, Department of Instrumentation and Control Engineering (ICE), MIT Manipal	Talk on "Model-Based Systems Engineering" for postgraduate students	25 Feb 2025
2	Dr Soumyadip Sett	IIT Gandhinagar	lecture organized by the department on Smart Materials and Surfaces: Enabling Efficient Thermal and Energy Management in Electronics	11 Mar 2025
3	Dr Chandan H R	Jain University	A lecture was organized on Design of materials for electrochemical sensing: from lab to skin	13 Mar 2025
4	Mr Unmesh Deshpande	Hardware-in-the-Loop (HIL) Model-Based Development Engineer	Alumni Talk On 'Instrumentation in the Automotive Industry'	22 Mar 2025
5	Mr Faizan Mohammed	Software Engineer at Enquero	Alumni talk on 'Generative AI and Machine Learning'	27 Mar 2025
6	Prof Ravindra	MIT, Manipal	Delivered a lecture on "Introduction to Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence"	16 Jun 2025
7	Dr I Thirunavukkarasu	MIT, Manipal	Delivered a lecture on "Introduction to Batch Reactor / NMPC / NARX / CNN-LSTM for modeling and control"	17 Jun 2025
8	Dr P R Venkateswran	MIT, Manipal	Delivered a lecture on "Machine Learning in Industrial Process Control"	21 Jun 2025
Mathematics				
1	Mr Arjun Bhattacharya	The Bredesen Center – the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, US	Talk Session	14 Jan 2025

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2	Dr Rajeev Singh	IIT (BHU)	Short Course	01 Aug - 01 Oct 2025
3	Mr Jaideep Jagadeeshwar Rao	Strategic Growth Leader, Fernandez Hospitals, Hyderabad	Talk on AI	02 Sep 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering				
1	Dr Shivdarshan Sherugar	Research Associate, University of Bath, United Kingdom	Interaction with MIT faculty	14 Jan 2025
2	Mr Aman Dhanawat	Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)	BIS Lectures	30 Jan 2025
3	Mr Lokraj Meena	Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)	BIS Lectures	30 Jan 2025
4	Mr Prasoon Yadav	Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)	BIS Lectures	30 Jan 2025
5	Dr Ravi Kumar	Professor Department of Mechanical Engineering Indian Institute of Technology Delhi	Technical Talk	31 Jan 2025
6	Mr Elton Nazareth	Technical Engineer, Ontario Power Generation-Canada	Alumni Talk	09 Feb 2025

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7	Prof George M Pharr	Professor, Texas A&M University, Texas, USA	Technical Talk	18 Mar 2025
8	Mr Chetan Ravi B R	Technical Expert, Siemens Technology and Services Private Limited, Bangalore.	Alumni Talk	18 Mar 2025
9	Dr Prasad Godavarti	Visiting International Faculty, MIT, Manipal	Visiting International Faculty Talk	20 Mar 2025
10	Mr Satyam Chaturvedi	CEO and Co-founder, Cre-AID LABS®	Alumni Talk	28 Mar 2025
11	Mr Amartya Gupta	COO and Co-founder, Cre-AID LABS®	Alumni Talk	28 Mar 2025
12	Mr Sunil Savkar	Consulting Engineer at G E Aerospace.	Technical Talk	16 Apr 2025
13	Dr Manu Hegde	Senior Postdoctoral Researcher, University of Duisberg-Essen, Germany	Alumni Talk	04 May 2025
14	Mr Ajay Prabhu	Managing Director, KVP Solutions	Alumni Talk	25 Jul 2025

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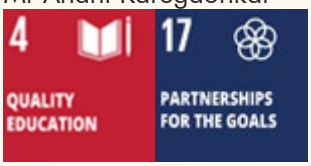
15	Mr Nikhil Bhargav	Assistant Manager – Supply Planning, ITC Ltd	Alumni Talk	08 Sep 2025
16	Mr Anant Karegaonkar 	Technical Specialist – R andD Forbes Marshall Pvt Ltd.	Guest Lecture	19 Sep 2025
17	Dr Manas Das	Professor Department of Mechanical Engineering Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati	Guest Lecture	19 Sep 2025
18	Dr Shakti S Gupta	Professor Department of Mechanical Engineering Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur	Guest Lecture	19 Sep 2025
19	Mr Gajanan Pai	Co-founder, Amith Cashew Pvt. Ltd.	Alumni Talk	24 Sep 2025
Mechatronics Engineering				
1	Mr Vishnu Kolal	Globus Medical, Pennsylvania, USA	To deliver an invited alumni talk on 'Surgical Robotics', sharing academic and industry experiences in medical robotics, including control systems, microsurgical robotics, and real-world applications of robotic technologies in spine surgery. The visit aimed to expose students and researchers to interdisciplinary aspects of surgical robotics and career pathways in medical technology.	25 Jul 2025
2	Mr Tirthankar Hazarika	Goldman Sachs, Bengaluru	To deliver an Alumni Talk titled "Navigating the World of Consulting", aimed at providing students with insights into the consulting industry, career opportunities, required skill sets, and real-world professional experiences	05 Aug 2025

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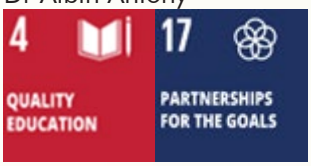
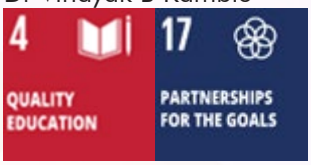
3	Mr Vignesh	Unified Metropolitan Transport Authority (UMTA), Chennai	To deliver a hands-on GeoTwin Workshop focused on Geospatial Data Science and Digital Twin technologies, including spatial analytics using Python, AI-driven urban applications, digital twin modelling, and real-world mobility use cases.	25 Oct 2025
Physics				
1	Dr Albin Antony 	Oxford Instruments Nano Analysis, UK	Alumni talk on 'Scientific Career Development'	04 Jan 2025
2	Prof (Dr) Gopalkrishna Hegde	Centre for Biosystems Science and Engineering, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, - India	To deliver a guest talk on "Physics, Chemistry and Engineering in High-Speed Flow Diagnostics"	22 Feb 2025
3	Prof Anushman Dalvi	BITS Pilani	Invited talk titled "All-Solid-State Supercapacitors for Electric Vehicles and Green Future"	01 Mar 2025
4	Dr Seemesh Bhaskar	IGB Fellow at the Grainger College of Engineering, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA	Guest lecture	05 Apr 2025
5	Dr Vinayak B Kamble 	Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala	Guest Lecture on "Machines that Sniff Chemicals"	11 Apr 2025

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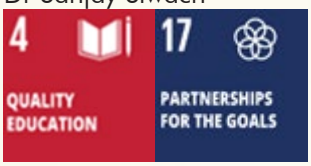
6	Ms Niharika M P	PhD scholar, VIT-AP University, AP, India	Guest Lecture	12 Apr 2025
7	Dr Sanjay Siwach 	Department of Physics, Institute of Physics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	talked on Introduction to Strings, Black Holes and the AdS / CFT correspondence.	25 Oct 2025
8	Mr Vikas S Bhat	Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai	Guest lecture	03 Nov 2025
9	Dr Manu Patel	Research Associate, Chemistry Department MIT, Manipal	Guest Lecture topic “Journey from Lab: Bridging Research and Industry”	06 Nov 2025
School of Computer Engineering				
1	Dr Shiva Raj Pokhrel	Deakin University	Session was held on Advancing Research Frontiers in Computer Science and Engineering	07 Feb 2025
2	Ms Vaibhavi Salvi	Media.net	Session on an introduction to DevOps and SRE	22 Feb 2025
3	Dr Masaaki Tamagawa	Kyushu Institute of Technology	Potential avenues for research collaboration	11 Mar 2025
4	Mr Sujoy Choudhury	Microsoft	Session on "Business Process Automation"	12 Mar 2025

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5	Mr Manoj kumar	Schneider Electric	Workshop ping 2.0.2.5 with the theme “Digital Transformation-Intelligent Technology and Sustainability”	28-30 Mar 2025
6	Mr Mohan Singh	Schneider Electric	Workshop ping 2.0.2.5 with the theme “Digital Transformation-Intelligent Technology and Sustainability”	28-30 Mar 2025
7	Mr Vivek Kumar Rai	Schneider Electric	Workshop ping 2.0.2.5 with the theme “Digital Transformation-Intelligent Technology and Sustainability”	28-30 Mar 2025
8	Mr Abhish Kulkarni	Schneider Electric	Workshop ping 2.0.2.5 with the theme “Digital Transformation-Intelligent Technology and Sustainability”	28-30 Mar 2025
9	Mr Vijai Bhaskar S	Schneider Electric	Workshop ping 2.0.2.5 with the theme “Digital Transformation-Intelligent Technology and Sustainability”	28-30 Mar 2025
10	Mr Aditya Gupta	Visa Inc	Session on "Winning with GenAI and Scalability"	05 Apr 2025

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11	Mr Neelanjan Ghosh	Google	From Classroom to Global Career: A Practical Guide to Software Engineering, Internships, and Graduate Studies	09 Jun 2025
12	Dr Divya Sussana Patil	CIEDeM, Prasanna School of Public Health, MAHE	Scoping Review Methodology	11 Jul - 11 Aug 2025
13	Dr Edlin Glane Mathias	PSPH, MAHE	Scoping Review Methodology	11 Jul - 11 Aug 2025
14	Mr Elstin Anburaj S	CIEDeM, PSPH, MAHE	Scoping Review Methodology	11 Jul - 11 Aug 2025
15	Dr Maria Mathews	CIEDeM, PSPH, MAHE	Scoping Review Methodology	11 Jul - 11 Aug 2025
16	Dr Santosh Rajashekar	IBM	Advances in Cyber Security	14-16 Jul 2025
17	Dr Debojit Sharma Manager	IBM	Advances in Cyber Security	14-16 Jul 2025
18	Dr Dhinesh Dharmaraj	IBM	Advances in Cyber Security	14-16 Jul 2025
19	Dr Siddhish Pandey	IBM	Advances in Cyber Security	14-16 Jul 2025
20	Dr Shiva Pokhrel	Deakin University	Federated Learning: the Ultimate Weapon for Privacy-Preserved AI with Quantum	25 Jul 2025

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21	Dr Shiva Pokhrel	Deakin University	Quantum Computing	25 Jul 2025
22	Dr John Harrison Kurunathan	CISTER—Research Centre in Real-Time and Embedded Computing Systems, ISEP, Polytechnic Institute of Porto, Portugal	Safety and Security of Autonomous Vehicles	04-06 Aug 2025
23	Mr Ranganath Prabhu	Hewlett Packard Enterprise, Bengaluru	Use of ChatGPT and Co-Pilot in Industry Projects	14 Aug 2025
24	Dr Kumar Rajamani	Cropin Technologies Private Limited	Session on "the Role of AI in the Modern Workforce"	03 Sep 2025
25	Mr Purvabh Surana	Amazon	Session on "Gen AI Hacks"	05 Sep 2025
26	Dr Yousef Emami	Sharif University of Technology, Iran	From Prompts to Flight: in-Context Learning with Large Language Models for UAV Decision Making	24 Oct 2025
27	Mr Sirigiri Vijay Kumar	Team Industry	Software Quality Assurance: Introduction to Tools, Best Practices and Future Trends	25 Oct 2025

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Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
277	18	1425	153

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
142	194	44	211

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Conference	5	12
Workshop	25	8
Seminar	68	26
Other	23	11

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Biotechnology					
1	Bioprospecting of Multi-tasking Fungi for Therapeutic Applications Volume II	Bioprospecting of Bioactive Compounds from Marine Fungi	Dr Subbalaxmi S	Springer Nature Singapore	31 Mar 2025
Chemical Engineering					
1	Biofuels and Bioenergy	Agricultural residues as a viable source of sustainable biofuel	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Elsevier	01 Jan 2025
2	Biofuels Production from Lignocellulosic Materials	Environmental impacts on second-generation biofuel production from lignocellulosic biomass	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Woodhead publishing	01 Jan 2025
3	Biofuels and Bioenergy	Integrated biorefinery approach to lignocellulosic and algal biomass fermentation processes	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Elsevier	01 Jan 2025

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4	Biofuels Production from Lignocellulosic Materials	Key technologies for biofuel production from lignocellulosic biomass	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Woodhead publishing	01 Jan 2025
5	Agriculture-Bioenergy Nexus	Agricultural biomass pyrolysis for energy production	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Woodhead publishing	12 May 2025
6	Wastewater Treatment Through Nature-Based Solutions	Wastewater Treatment Through Nature-Based Solutions	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Springer Singapore	13 Jun 2025
7	Integrated Biotechnological Solutions for the Treatment of Industrial Wastewater	Life cycle assessment of industrial wastes and wastewater	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	Elsevier	20 Jun 2025
8	Microbial Biofuel	Bioelectricity Generation-Powering the Future with Microbial Fuel Cells	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra	CRC Press	03 Jul 2025
Chemistry					
1	Electrocatalysts and Advanced Materials for Sustainable Energy Storage	Recent Developments in the Energy Storage Applications using Polymer Composites	Dr Sudhakar Yethadka Narahari	Materials Research Forum	22 Oct 2025
2	Smart and Low-Dimensional Materials for Supercapacitor and Solar Cells: Fundamentals and Applications	2D Smart Material-Based Flexible Supercapacitors	Dr Sudhakar Yethadka Narahari and Dr Somashekar Bhat	ACS	14 Nov 2025
Electrical and Electronics Engineering					
1	Hydrogen as Emerging Fuel for De-Fossilizing Transport Sector	Hydrogen Production Technologies: Pathways to a Sustainable and Cleaner Environment	Dr Harshendra N Shet K	Springer, Singapore	09 Jan 2025
Electronics and Communication Engineering					
1	Data Processing and Networking	Multiport Router: Design and Verification for On-Chip Applications	Dr Subramanya G Nayak	Springer Nature	01 Jul 2025
2	Metamaterials Progress, Devices and Applications	Introductory Chapter: Metamaterials – Introduction, Advantages, and Applications	Dr Amit Kumar Goyal	IntechOpen Book Series	23 Jul 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering					
1	Aerospace Materials: Novel Technologies	Casting of aerospace metals	Dr Ramakrishna Vikas and Dr Suhas Y Nayak	Elsevier	17 Jan 2025

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	and Practical Applications				
2	Aerospace Materials: Novel Technologies and Practical Applications	Aerospace Materials: Novel Technologies and Practical Applications	Dr Suhas Y Nayak	Elsevier	17 Jan 2025
3	Nanostructured Thin Film Deposition by Sputtering: From Fundamentals to Applications	Introduction to nanostructured thin films and sputtering	Dr Ranjan Kumar Ghadai	Elsevier	11 Jul 2025
4	Applied Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Techniques for Engineering Applications	AI-Driven Diagnostic Assistance for the Gastrointestinal Tract Diseases	Dr Nithesh Naik	CRC Press	19 Aug 2025
5	Springer Proceedings in Materials	Fabrication of Martensitic Stainless Steel Using Twin Wire-Arc Additive Manufacturing	Dr Subraya K Bhat and Dr Vishwanatha H M	Springer	11 Nov 2025
Mechatronics Engineering					
1	Recent Trends in Intelligent Computing and Communication	Studies on the impact of origin SVO additive on the emissions of a biodiesel fueled diesel engine	Dr Jibitesh Kumar Panda	CRC Press	01 Jan 2025
2	Engineering Research: Perspectives on Recent Advances	A Root Cause Analysis of Catastrophic Failure of Industrial Discharge Hopper Pipe	Dr Shivashankarayya Hiremath	BP International	18 Feb 2025
3	Process Modeling and Optimization in Modern Manufacturing	Edited Book	Dr Ankur Jaiswal	CRC Press	23 Oct 2025
4	Advanced Materials and Innovative Processing	Fabrication of Martensitic Stainless Steel Using Twin WireArc Additive Manufacturing	Dr Deepak D	Springer Nature	11 Nov 2025
Physics					
1	Diagnostic Biomedical Optics: Fundamentals and applications	Chapter: Diagnostic biomedical imaging-fundamentals	Dr Suchand Sandeep C S	IOP	01 Jul 2025
School of Computer Engineering					
1	Secure Retrieval and Auditing Techniques in Cloud	Co-authored	Dr Raghavendra S	I K International Pvt Ltd.	25 Jan 2025

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2	A Primer on Wireless Technology and IoT Basics	Book (Chapter 1 to Chapter 9)	Dr Mamatha Balachandra and Dr Balachandra Muniyal	Bentham Science Publisher	21 Oct 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Biomedical Engineering					
1	Adaptive Cognitive Training for Indian Defence	Dr Akash K Rao	LSRB, DRDO	350,000	08 Sep 2025 - 08 Sep 2028
Biotechnology					
1	Hospital bedside portable breath analyzer for rapid diagnosis of bacterial pneumonia, characterization of species, and antibiotic resistance profiling	Dr Chiranjit Ghosh	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)	2,100,188	24 Jan 2025 - 14 Feb 2027
Chemical Engineering					
1	Technologies for screening and remediation of colistin and doxycycline from hospital effluents	Dr Nethaji S	Indian Council for Medical Research (ICMR)	4,437,980	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
Chemistry					
1	Integrated clean energy material acceleration platform on bioenergy and hydrogen	Dr Murthy Dharmapura	DST	12,500,000	15 Mar 2022 - 31 Mar 2026
2	Ondia-Austria bilateral research grant	Dr Murthy Dharmapura	DST TU Wien	1,200,000	07 Jan 2025 - 31 Jul 2027
3	Next-generation optical sensor materials for detecting ppm-level H2 leaks	Dr Murthy Dharmapura	MNRE	10,000,000	15 May 2025 - 31 Aug 2028
4	Design and Development of Phthalocyanine-Based Electro and Photocatalysts for Environmental Pollutants Detection in Water and Remediation	Dr Fasiulla	Intramural Funding MAHE, Manipal	600,000	26 Jun 2025 - 26 Jun 2028
Civil Engineering					
1	"Understanding the biogeochemical processes and dynamics of pelagic	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier	INCOIS	9,315,000	10 Oct 2023 -

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	fishery resources off Udupi/Mangalore region: Validation of the PFZ advisory data"				31 Mar 2026
2	Monitoring and assessment of environmental parameters/emerging contaminants around the Indian Antarctic Stations in Antarctica	DR BALAKRISHNA K	NCPOR, Goa	10,000,000	28 Aug 2025 - 28 Aug 2027
3	Microstructural Repository of Larsemann Hills, East Antarctica and its connection with the Eastern segment of the Indian Sub-Continent	DR ADITYA UDAYRAJ JOSHI	NCPOR, Goa	10,000,000.00	28 Aug 2025 - 28 Aug 2027
4	Groundwater Dynamics in Udupi District: an Isotope-Based Approach	Dr Lathashri U A	VGST	4,000,000	28 Oct 2025 - 28 Oct 2027
Electronics and Communication Engineering					
1	InDyslexia Care: AI -based Assistive Technology for Dyslexic Children in Indic Languages	Dr Muralikrishna H (ECE,MIT) and Dr Venkataraja Aithal U (MCHP)	IIT Mandi iHUB	2,292,400	03 Jan 2025 - 28 Feb 2027
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering					
1	Smart Hydrodynamic Fluid Film Journ Bearing for Machine Support Systems	Dr Raghuvir B Pai	DST	4,908,811	17 Nov 2023 - 17 Nov 2026
2	Design and development of open-circuit lower subsonic wind tunnel and testing of plate fin-and-tube compact heat exchangers for heat transfer and flow characterization	Dr Arunachala U Chandavar	Ingersoll Rand	744,572	20 Jun 2024 - 19 Jun 2026
3	Cost-effective Method for Fabricating Durable Features for Detachable Assemblies in Additive Manufactured Thin-wall Parts	Dr Gururaj Bolar	MRB, MAHE	585,000	31 Jul 2024 - 31 Jul 2026
4	Investigating activated hydrochar for CO2 capture applications	Dr Sooraj Mohan	MAHE SEED	95,000	03 Oct 2024 - 10 Feb 2026
5	Cold plasma treatment of Mg alloy for enhanced biocompatibility and corrosion resistance	Dr G Divya Deepak	MAHE SEED	120,000	04 Oct 2024 - 10 Mar 2026

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6	WIPRO-GE MAHE University Partnership Agreement 2024-2025	Dr Raghuvir B Pai	Wipro GE Healthcare	1,792,000	28 Oct 2024 - 30 Jun 2025
7	Enhancing Multilayer TiN/TiAlN/TiSiAlN Coating Synthesis through Deep Learning Optimized Sputtering Parameters	Dr Ranjan Kumar Ghadai	UGC (DAE-CSR)	135,000	03 Apr 2025 - 02 Apr 2028
8	Development of Nano-Scaled Multilayered Composites via Friction Stir-Based Additive Manufacturing for Lightweight Structural Components	Dr Gajanan Anne	MRB, MAHE	740,000	05 Sep 2025 - 04 Sep 2027
9	Design fabrication and testing of regenerative composite, bio desiccant dehumidifier integrated with Parabolic solar panel heater for food storage plant	Dr Sawan Shetty	MRB, MAHE	510,000	22 Oct 2025 - 21 Oct 2027
Mechatronics Engineering					
1	Bougie-Inspired Bio-degradable and Bio-adaptable Bronchoscope	Dr Ramya S Moorthy	MAHE (Seed Money)	500,000	23 May 2025 - 23 Jul 2027
2	A point of use sensor system for trace detection of antibiotics: nitrofurantoin and chloramphenicol in food and water	Dr Pooja Nag	SERB	350,000	27 Aug - 30 Sep 2025
Physics					
1	ANRF	Dr Poornesh P	ANRF	200,000	04 Jan 2025 - 31 Mar 2026
2	DST-SERB	Dr Dinesh Negi	DST-SERB	1,950,000	20 Feb 2025 - 20 Feb 2026
3	ANRF-PAIR Grant	Dr Suchand Sandeep C S	ANRF	23,300,000	01 Jul 2025 - 30 Jun 2026
4	CSIR	Dr Sudha D Kamath	CSIR	531,500	21 Jul 2025 - 31 Mar 2026
5	ANRF Conference Grant	Dr Nagaraja K.K	ANRF	150,000	12 Aug - 12 Sep 2025
6	ISRO Respond Grant	Dr Suchand Sandeep C S (Co-PI)	ISRO	4,920,000	25 Nov 2025 - 24 Nov 2028

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School of Computer Engineering					
1	Discourse Integrated Dravidian Language-Dravidian Language Machine Translation	Dr Ashwath Rao B, Prof Musica Supriya	Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, New Delhi	14,286,595	03 Feb 2022 - 31 Mar 2026
2	Heart disease diagnosis and prediction system development using AI at AI – COE in Health lab	Dr Manjunath K N (Technical), Dr Ganesh Paramasivam (Cardiology, KMC)	Ministry of Education, Government of India.	8,130,000	03 Jan 2024 - 31 Mar 2025
3	Decision Support System for Delivery Management using Fetus Weight Estimation and Maternal Features	Dr Rashmi Naveen Raj	SERB	835,000	17 Jan 2024 - 17 Feb 2027
4	Clinical Decision Supportive Model for Fetal Biometry Measurements	Dr Rashmi Naveen	Anusandhan National Research Foundation	250,000	18 Jan 2024 - 17 Jan 2027
5	Exploratory research in Agile AI model development	Dr Manohara Pai M. M	Schneider	1,450,000	25 Jan 2024 - 31 Dec 2026
6	COIL-D: Centre of Indian Language Data	Dr Muralikrishna SN	Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India	35,422,000	01 Jun 2024 - 01 Jun 2026
7	Centre of Indian Language Data COILD	Dr Raghavendra Ganiga	Mission Bhashini; MEITY	35,422,000	28 Jun 2024 - 28 Jun 2026
8	Exploratory research in AI for Industrial Technologies	Dr Manohara Pai M M	Schneider Electric Pvt Ltd, D R Manohara Pai /PO 750	1,110,000	22 Apr 2025 - 22 Jul 2027
9	Design and develop a low-cost AI based Automated System to find rice seed adulteration and germination prediction	Dr Sujithra T	DBT	1,399,949	24 Apr 2025 - 24 Apr 2027
10	Exploratory research in AI for Industrial Technologies	Dr Manohara Pai M M	Schneider Electric Pvt Ltd, D R Manohara Pai /PO 750	975,000	02 Jun 2025 - 22 Jul 2027

Patent Details
Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Biodegradable Sanitary Napkin and Method for Preparing the Same	02 Jan 2025
2	One-Step Synthesis of Metal Catalyst Development on NI Foam for the Alkaline Electrolysis Process for Large-Scale Fabrication	05 Jan 2025
3	Electrochemical Method and Electrocatalyst System for Selective Capture and Conversion of Iodide To Iodine	06 Jan 2025
4	Formulation and Method for Preparing Green Synthesized Polyaniline-Based Hybrid Material for Sensor Applications	08 Jan 2025
5	an Air Humidifier	10 Jan 2025
6	A Method and Composition for Targeted Cancer Treatment and Bone Regeneration Using Nanofibers	16 Jan 2025
7	Multi-Resonant Hexagonal Planar Antenna Structure for Millimeter-Wave Applications/ 202541014746 A	23 Jan 2025
8	Switched Capacitor-Based Multi-Gain Multilevel Inverter (Sc-Mgmli) and Methor for Generating 13-Level-Staircase Voltage with the Scmli	28 Jan 2025
9	Antenna Structure for Iot-Based Aerospace Communication/ 202541008076 A	30 Jan 2025
10	Dr Pankaj Kumar A System and Method for Web-Based Smart Electrical Performance Monitoring with Adjustable Protection Parameters	09 Feb 2025
11	Dr Pankaj Kumar - A System and Method for Real Time Emergency Evidence Acquisition and Adaptive Altering Through Cover	12 Feb 2025
12	Security Adhesive Formulation with Embedded Anti- Counterfeiting Features and Method of Preparation Thereof	14 Feb 2025
13	Device for Monitoring Gynaecological Disorders	18 Feb 2025
14	A System and Method for Maintaining Uniform Temperature in A Muffle Furnace for Heat Treatment	19 Feb 2025
15	Millimeter-Wave Printed Antenna for Satellite and Defense Communication/ 202541005587 A	20 Feb 2025
16	Dr Srividya R - Biofeedback Based Virtual Reality System and Method for Stress Management	24 Feb 2025
17	Electric Powered-Height Adjustable Wheelchair for Assisting Disabled Users and Method Thereof	25 Feb 2025
18	A System and Method for Efficient Wordlist Storage and Search Optimization	07 Mar 2025
19	A System and Method for Efficient Wordlist Storage and Search Optimization	07 Mar 2025
20	A Millimeter-Wave Mimo Antenna with Dual-Beam Spatial and Pattern Diversity Structures	07 Mar 2025
21	Dr Srividya R - Biofeedback System and Method for Regulating Parasympathetic Nervous Function	13 Mar 2025
22	A System and Method for an Iot-Enabled Paper-Based Strain Gauge Using Wheatstone Bridge Configuration	14 Mar 2025

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23	Dr Praveen Kumar Bonthagorla - Device for Battery Thermal Management of Electric Vehicles	17 Mar 2025
24	System and Method for Enhancing Drone Assisted Network Coding Cooperative Communication (Da-Nc-Cc)	19 Mar 2025
25	Transformer-Less Multilevel Inverter for Converting Dc Voltage Into Stepped Ac Voltage and Method Thereof	20 Mar 2025
26	A Lightweight Collapsible Autopsy Table	28 Mar 2025
27	Dr Darshan S, Dr Umme Ayemen, Dr Vinay Kumar Jadoun, Dr Jayalakshmi N S, and Dr Soham Dutta - A System and Method for Energy Generation in Ev's Using Dynamic Motion and Hybrid Storage	30 Mar 2025
28	Dr Darshan S, Dr Sowmya R, Dr Vinay Kumar Jadoun, and Jayalakshmi N. S. - A System and Method for Wireless Energy Transfer for Ev Charging for Thermoelectric Energy Conversion	30 Mar 2025
29	A Hospital Gown-Embedded Temperature Sensor for Real-Time Body Temperature Monitoring and A Method Thereof	31 Mar 2025
30	A Dual-Band Flexible Antenna for Sub-6 Ghz Wearable and Vehicular Applications with High Gain Performance	31 Mar 2025
31	Paper-Based Thin Film Solid-Phase Microextraction Patches for Detection of Pathogen-Specific Metabolites, Their Synthesis, and Applications	02 Apr 2025
32	Mr Pramod Antony Dsa - A System and Method for Automated Temperature Measurement and Regulation in Oil Retention Procedure	10 Apr 2025
33	Cloud-Based System for Differential Diagnosis of Microcytic, Normocytic, and Macrocytic Anemia Using Ensemble Models and Explainable Artificial Intelligence Utilizing Biomarkers with Id: 202541035665	11 Apr 2025
34	A System and Method for Dynamic Estimation of Optimal Pedicle Screw Dimensions and Insertion Angles	11 Apr 2025
35	Dr Sowmya R and Dr Srividya R - Real-Time Heart Disease Prediction System and Method	25 Apr 2025
36	Method for Dynamic Classification of Iot Traffic in Software-Defined Networking (Sdn)	25 Apr 2025
37	Dr Sowmya R and Dr Srividya R - Real-Time Heart Disease Prediction System and Method	25 Apr 2025
38	Mr Ganesh Kudva - A System for Solid-State Switching Operation Using Bjt and Mosfet Transistors	25 Apr 2025
39	Mr Ganesh Kudva - Modular Battery Pack for Seamless Single-Cell Replacement in Energy Storage Systems	30 Apr 2025
40	A System and Method for A Graph-Based Framework for Representing and Analyzing Pedigree Charts	02 May 2025
41	A Method and Composition for Fabricating Immunomodulatory Levan-Gelatin Cryo-Gels for Wound Healing	08 May 2025
42	A Body Mass Index Estimation Device	09 May 2025
43	Mr Pramod Antony Dsa - A Manual Toothbrush with Integrated Countdown Timer and Multimodal Alert Mechanism and A Method Thereof	11 May 2025
44	Mr James Antony Pinto - A Manual Toothbrush with Integrated Countdown Timer and Multimodal Alert Mechanism and A Method Thereof	11 May 2025

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45	Hydrodynamic Water Jet Focusing Nozzle	12 May 2025
46	Point of Care Sensor and A Method for Detecting Bacterial Siderophores Thereof	13 May 2025
48	Bio-Inspired Amphibious Spider Robot with Hybrid Walking and Swimming Capabilities for Underwater Exploration	15 May 2025
49	Device for Detection of Pesticide Residues in Water and A Method of Fabrication Thereof	20 May 2025
50	Infection Control Barrier Device for Dental Procedures	20 May 2025
51	A Dosa Maker	22 May 2025
52	Dr Prathvi Shenoy - A System for Management of Pain	23 May 2025
53	System and Method of Autonomous Stall Detection and Recovery in an Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (Uav)	28 May 2025
54	A System and Method for Detecting Polysemy in News Articles Using Large Language Models	30 May 2025
55	Dr Shweth V - System and Method for Classification of Bacterial and Fungal Plant Diseases From Leaf Images	05 Jun 2025
56	A System and Method for Cognitive Computing-Integrated Digital Journaling for Mental Health Monitoring	06 Jun 2025
57	Dr Srividya R and Dr Sowmya R - Contactless System and Method for Evaluation of Color of A Sample	06 Jun 2025
58	A System and Method for Dynamic Risk Assessment and Prevention of Gestational Diabetes in Pregnancy	08 Jun 2025
59	A System and Method for Tracing Patients in an Operation Theatre	11 Jun 2025
60	Dr Sowmya R and Dr Srividya R - Led Luminaire System and Method for Enhancing Plant Growth and Metabolite Accumulation in Tinospora Sinensis	13 Jun 2025
61	Dr Anjan N Padmasali - Variable Step Testing System and Method	13 Jun 2025
62	Uav Assisted Wireless Communication System and Method Thereof	16 Jun 2025
63	Uav Assisted Intelligent Reflective Surface-Based Communication Systems and Method Thereof	18 Jun 2025
64	System and Method for Energy Harvesting with Power Splitting Mechanism in Uav Assisted Irs Communication Systems	19 Jun 2025
65	A Composition for Uv-Curable Gelma-Integrated M40 Grade Bio-Concrete and A Method Thereof	19 Jun 2025
66	A Composition for Improving Concrete Ductility with Rice Husk Ash and Gelma, and Method Thereof	19 Jun 2025
67	System and Method for Uav Assisted Wireless Communication with Integrated Energy Harvesting	19 Jun 2025
68	A Composition for Producing Durable Bio-Concrete with Gelma and Recycled Materials, and A Method Thereof	19 Jun 2025

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69	A System and Method for Batched Network Communication Using Weighted, Time-Controlled Client-Server	19 Jun 2025
70	Dr Arun P Parameswaran - A System and Method for User-Centric Control and Displacement Tracking in Assistive Mobility Device	19 Jun 2025
71	Strong Room Temperature Magnetoelectric Coupling in Lanthanum Substitute Barium Hexaferrite: Potential Material for Magnetoelectric Switching Applications	20 Jun 2025
72	A System and Method for Maritime-Specific Fire and Smoke Detection	26 Jun 2025
73	A System and Method for Integrated Alert and Predictive Modeling System for Maritime Fire Management	26 Jun 2025
74	A System and Method for Color-Based Combustion Smoke Analysis	26 Jun 2025
75	Intelligent Traffic Detection and Monitoring System for Automated Traffic Volume Analysis and Method Thereof	27 Jun 2025
76	Dr R Shivarudraswamy - Solar-Powered Direct Current (Dc) Cooling System	27 Jun 2025
77	Antimicrobial and Breathable Waterproof Dressing Cover and A Method of Preparing the Same Thereof	28 Jun 2025
78	System and Method for Real-Time Monitoring of Human Motion	14 Jul 2025
79	A Method and Composition for Phosphor-Based Sustainable Coating	15 Jul 2025
80	A Method for Developing Areca-Based Composite Materials Suitable in Packaging Industry	22 Jul 2025
81	System and Method for Training Individuals with Neck-Down Paralysis To Control Wheelchair Using Head Gestures	23 Jul 2025
82	A System and Method for Autonomous Grass Cutting, Collection and Seeding with Modular Functionality	24 Jul 2025
83	Phthalocyanine Functionalized Multiwalled Carbon Nanotubes for the Electrochemical Sensing of Bisphenol-A	25 Jul 2025
84	Electrochemical Sensing of Bisphenol-A	27 Jul 2025
85	Dr Srividya R, Dr Ciji Pearl Kurian, Dr Susan G Varghese - System and Method for Evaluating Course and Graduate Performance Among Students	29 Jul 2025
86	A Hybrid Cooling Strategy for Electric Vehicle Li-Ion Battery	31 Jul 2025
87	A Method and Composition for Nickel-Doped Triazine-Based Covalent Organic Polymer Supercapacitor Electrodes	01 Aug 2025
88	Common Rail Direct Injection (Crdi) Engine System for Dual-Fuel Operation and Method Thereof	01 Aug 2025
89	Eco-Friendly Ink Formulation and Method of Preparation Thereof	04 Aug 2025
90	Capacitance-Based Liquid Level Measurement System and Method Thereof	06 Aug 2025
91	A Method for Partial Hydrogenation of Biodiesel for Enhanced Cetane Number and Reduced Nox Emissions	07 Aug 2025

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92	A System and Method for Prediction and Optimization of Dual-Fuel Crdi Engine Using Hydrogenated Biofuels	08 Aug 2025
93	Dr Shailesh K R - an Automotive Interior Lighting System Having Impact On Driver Vision At Night	08 Aug 2025
94	System and Method for Assisting and Monitoring of Rehabilitation Exercises	08 Aug 2025
95	Mr Pramod Antony Dsa - Single-Phase Synchronous Motor for Fan Applications	09 Aug 2025
96	Apparatus for Turbocharged Crdi Diesel Engine with Hydrogenated Biodiesel and Hydrogen Induction and Method Thereof	09 Aug 2025
97	A System and Method for Enhancing Safety of Autonomous Vehicle Perception Against Adversarial Attacks	13 Aug 2025
98	Multi-Secure Gravure Ink Formulation for Pharmaceutical Blister Foil Strip and Method of Preparation Thereof	14 Aug 2025
99	Packaging System for Pharmaceutical Blister Foil Strips	14 Aug 2025
100	Ultra-Wide Band Antenna Structure for Nanosatellite Wireless Applications/ 202541003783 A	14 Aug 2025
101	Wearable System and Method for Diagnosing Sleep, Respiratory, and Jaw Movement Disorders in Users	18 Aug 2025
102	Wearable System and Method for Diagnosing Sleep, Respiratory, and Jaw Movement Disorders in Users	18 Aug 2025
103	Modular Hand-Held 3d Bioprinting System for in Situ Tissue and Wound Repair and Method Thereof, Having Application No. 202541079030	20 Aug 2025
104	A System and Method for Dual-Stream Spectral and Spatial Based Denoising of Thermal Images	20 Aug 2025
105	Method for Producing A Sulfur, Selenium–Biochar Composite Materials Suitable for Use in Energy Storage Applications	25 Aug 2025
106	Communication System and Method for Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (Uav)-Integrated Intelligent Reflecting Surface	25 Aug 2025
107	Communication System and Method for Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (Uav)-Integrated Intelligent Reflecting Surface	25 Aug 2025
108	Method for Preparing A Gelatin-Based Cryogel Scaffold and Use Thereof, Having Application No. 202541080543	25 Aug 2025
109	Mr Shankaranarayana K - Programmable Nonlinear Analog-To-Digital Converter (Pnladc) with Selectable Transfer Characteristics	09 Sep 2025
110	A System and Method for Breathing, Monitoring and Vocal Assessment	09 Sep 2025
111	A System and Method for Integrity-Verified Secure Shuffling in Distributed Data Aggregation	10 Sep 2025
112	Pta Sensor for Detecting Antibiotics and the Method of Preparation Thereof	11 Sep 2025
113	Apta Sensor for Detecting Antibiotic and Method of Preparation Thereof	11 Sep 2025
114	Dr Sowmya R - A System and Method for Automated Robotic Cleaning of Solar Panels with Obstacle Detection and Removal	12 Sep 2025

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115	Device and Method for Detecting A Siderophore Secreted By Microorganisms Using Surface-Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy (Sers)	13 Sep 2025
116	Device and Method for Detecting A Siderophore Secreted By Microorganisms Using Surface-Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy (Sers)	13 Sep 2025
117	an Apparatus for an Energy Efficient Butter Blender	22 Sep 2025
118	A Device for Evaporative Cooling of Liquid Containers and A Method for Enabling Thereof	23 Sep 2025
119	A System and Method for Hybrid Neural Architecture-Based Suppression of Emg Artifacts in Eeg Signals	26 Sep 2025
120	A System and Method for Automated Ocular Artifact Removal and Signal Enhancement in Eeg Recordings	26 Sep 2025
121	Nanocomposite Material, Its Process of Preparation and Applications	26 Sep 2025
122	Aircraft Ground-Operation Assist System and Method Thereof	26 Sep 2025
123	A System and Method for Mxene-Based Composite Electrode for Sodium-Ion Batteries	26 Sep 2025
124	A Method and Composition for A Bio-Polyurethane/Graphene Oxide Nanocomposite	26 Sep 2025
125	Nanocomposite Material, Its Process of Preparation and Applications Thereof	26 Sep 2025
126	A Cement–Graphite Intercalation Compound Composite Electrode-Based Supercapacitor with Aqueous Electrolyte and Method Thereof	26 Sep 2025
127	Multifunctional Cement-Based Composites with Graphite and Polyaniline for Enhanced Supercapacitor Performance	26 Sep 2025
128	Nanocomposite Material, Its Process of Preparation and Applications	26 Sep 2025
129	A System and Method of an Abdominal Compression Device for Radiotherapy Treatment Using Dosimeter	01 Oct 2025
130	Capacitive Liquid-Level Sensor Device with Axially Grooved Squircle Apertured Electrodes and Method Thereof	06 Oct 2025
131	Involute-Profiled Soft Pneumatic Finger	09 Oct 2025
132	Dr Anjan N Padmasali - A System and Method for Constant Light Output Maintenance By Led Luminaire Driver	09 Oct 2025
133	A System and Method for Flexible Infrared Sensor Alignment in Switched Reluctance Motor Control	10 Oct 2025
134	Adsorption Column Containing Functionalized Glass Beads for Waster Water Treatment	11 Oct 2025
135	Set of Punch and Dies	11 Oct 2025
136	System and Method for Detecting and Preventing Code Execution in Unauthorized Memory Regions	21 Oct 2025
137	Dr Pankaj Kumar - A Coordinated Control of Grid Forming Inverter and Superconducting Fault Current Limiter and Method Thereof	24 Oct 2025

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138	System and Method for Providing Personalized Maternal and Baby Care	28 Oct 2025
139	Secure and Efficient Interpretable System and Method for Predicting Soybean Production	30 Oct 2025
140	Secure and Efficient Interpretable System and Method for Predicting Soybean Production	30 Oct 2025
141	System and Method for Solving Cyber Security Challenges	30 Oct 2025
142	A Precursor Catalysed Hybrid Nanocomposite and One Step Method of Preparation Thereof	07 Nov 2025
143	Explainable Ai Framework for an Automated Faculty Performance with Actionable Improvement Guidance	09 Nov 2025
144	Aptasensor for Detecting Antibiotic and Method of Preparation Thereof	09 Nov 2025
145	A Paper-Based Microextraction Device for Detection of Organophosphate Pesticides	10 Nov 2025
146	Adsorption Column Containing Functionalized Glass Beads for Waste Water Treatment	10 Nov 2025
147	Adsorption Column Containing Functionalized Glass Beads for Wastewater Treatment,	10 Nov 2025
148	Capillary Tube Based Natural Convection Cooling of A Lithium-Ion Battery Pack	11 Nov 2025
149	A System and Method for Dual-Mode Hybrid Control of A Switched Reluctance Motor	13 Nov 2025
150	System and Method for Predicting Post-Transplant Complications in Pediatric Patients Undergoing Donor-Derived Bone Marrow Transplantation with Id: 2025411114298	17 Nov 2025
151	A System and Method for Autonomous Uav-Assisted Animal Health Intervention and Monitoring	20 Nov 2025
152	A System and Method for Pantry Inventory Monitoring and Automated Restocking Management	27 Nov 2025
153	Clinical Decision Support System for Pediatric Abdominal Conditions and Method Thereof with Id: 202541118691	28 Nov 2025
154	A Device for Torque Vectoring Using Custom Open Differential and Split Valve for Improved Stability	02 Dec 2025
155	System and Method for Detecting Diabetes Using Blood-Based Markers, Having Application Id: 202541121266	03 Dec 2025
156	Common Rail Direct Injection (Crdi) Diesel Engine System and Method for Optimizing Combustion Performance	05 Dec 2025
157	Magnetically Coupled Mixer Grinder System	05 Dec 2025

Details of Patent Granted

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1	Capacitance Pressure Sensor	12 Mar 2025
2	Device for Battery Thermal Management for Electric Vehicles	17 Mar 2025

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3	A Composition for Enhancing Biogas Production During Anaerobic Digestion From Biomass Comprising Animal Waste and Organic Waste	28 Mar 2025
4	System and Method for Monitoring Dermal Condition	03 Apr 2025
5	A Complete Isolated Dc/Dc Multiport	07 Apr 2025
6	Method for Synthesizing A Nanocomposite Coating Having Copper Oxide (Cuo) Nanoparticles	08 Apr 2025
7	A Gait Trainer for Pediatric Movement Disorders	22 Apr 2025
8	An Advanced 3d Model for Analyzing Cognitive Behavior in Rodents	23 Apr 2025
9	An Advanced 3d Model for Analyzing Cognitive Behavior in Rodents	23 Apr 2025
10	A Composite Material for Radiation Shielding and A Method for Preparing the Composite Material	30 Apr 2025
11	A Composite Material for Radiation Shielding and A Method for Preparing the Composite Material	04 May 2025
12	Security Ink Formulation With Rub Enhanced, Excitation Wavelength Dependent and Solvent Sensitive Fluorescence for Anticounterfeiting	17 Jun 2025
13	Active Flow Control Of Axial Flow Compressors Using Synthetic Jet Actuators	18 Jul 2025
14	A Method Facilitating Image Selection in an Image Acquisition System	30 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Institution (including 'the Best Teacher Award' for the year)

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Administration			
1	Department of Chemical Engineering	Award for Excellent Research Performance- 2025 Engineering Stream	30 Jul 2025
2	Department of Chemical Engineering	2nd position Department stall awards 2025	31 Jul 2025
3	Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering	1st position Department stall awards 2025	31 Jul 2025
Chemical Engineering			
1	Mr Muthukumaran P	The Department of Chemical Engineering, Manipal, has been ranked in the 401–450 band in the QS World University Rankings by Subject 2025	01 Mar 2025
2	Mr Muthukumaran P	Most Admired Teacher Award in memory of Professor R Sampath Kumar, former Head of the Chemical Engineering Department	24 Oct 2025
Physics			
1	Department of Physics	Physics Department Best Research Award of the Institution, MIT	29 Jul 2025

Faculty Members

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Administration			
1	Dr S Raja Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering"\	Best Researcher Award-2025 Chemical Stream	31 Jul 2025
2	Dr Manjunath K N	Best Researcher Award-2025 Computer Science Stream	31 Jul 2025
3	Dr Narendra Khatri	Best Researcher Award-2025 Electrical Stream	31 Jul 2025
4	Dr Ranjan Kumar Ghadai	Best Researcher Award-2025 Mechanical Stream	31 Jul 2025
5	Dr Ismayil	Best Researcher Award-2025 Science and Humanities and Management Stream	31 Jul 2025
6	Dr S Raja	Best Researcher Award-2025 Overall	31 Jul 2025
Biomedical Engineering			
1	Dr Goutam Thakur	Received the Steve Jobs memorial award, conferred in Bioheal 2025 at IIT Roorkee	29 Oct 2025
Biotechnology			
1	Dr Chiranjit Ghosh	Dr Chiranjit Ghosh, along with the team consisting of KMC doctors, has been selected based on an "Express of Interest" (EOI) call by ICMR on the theme "Clinical Validation studies for Medical Devices and in-Vitro Diagnostics". He is one of the team members constructed for this purpose	12 Feb 2025
2	Dr Narasimhan S	Awarded the second-best oral presentation award at the International Conference, Allahabad	28 Feb 2025
3	Dr Naresh Kumar Mani	MAHE Research Award under the category “Research Excellence: Industry Grant”	24 Nov 2025
Chemical Engineering			
1	Dr Raja S, Professor	Top 2 Percentile researchers by Stanford University, USA, 2025	01 Sep 2025
2	Dr Ramesh V, Professor	Top 2 Percentile researchers by Stanford University, USA, 2025	01 Sep 2025
3	Dr Ranjeet Kumar Mishra, Associate Professor	Top 2 Percentile researchers by Stanford University, USA, 2025	01 Sep 2025
4	Dr Lavanya M, Associate Professor	Top 2 Percentile researchers by Stanford University, USA, 2025	01 Sep 2025
Chemistry			
1	Dr Subrahmanya Bhat K	Elected an Associate Member of the Institute of Physics	01 Apr 2025
2	Dr Subrahmanya Bhat K	Appreciation for Your Valuable Contribution as a Preferred Reviewer for the Journal of Applied Pharmaceutical Science	17 Nov 2025
Civil Engineering			
1	Mr H M Jagadisha	Mr H M Jagadisha has won the Best Paper Award for Development of One-part Slag-Flyash-	06 Feb 2025

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		Microsilica-Based Alkali-Activated Ternary Binder Mixes for higher strength, at the 1st International Conference on Artificial Intelligence for Resilient Infrastructure and Sustainable Engineering Materials (AIRISE-2025)	
2	Dr Balakrishna S Maddodi	Kerala Karnataka Kannada Rajyostava Award from Karavali Samskruthika Prathistana, Kasaragod	11 Apr 2025
3	Dr Saurodeep Chatterjee	Dr Saurodeep Chatterjee, Assistant Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, MAHE–MIT, has won the Best Paper Award at the International Conference Down To Earth 2025	13 Nov 2025
4	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier	Best Presenter Award under the faculty category at the two-day National Conference on "Green Business and Blue Revolution: Pathways to Environmental Sustainability", jointly organised by the Departments of Marine Biology and Commerce, Karnatak University, Post-Graduate Campus, Karwar.	12 Dec 2025
Electrical and Electronics Engineering			
1	Arigela Sri Satya Veerendra Babu	The paper authored by Dr Arigela Sri Satya Veerendra Babu, Associate Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, has been awarded the Best Paper Award at the International Conference on Automation and Machine Learning using Robots and Artificial Intelligence Methods (AMLURAIM-2025), Series 1, held on 12 to 13 Feb 2025. The conference was organized by the Department of Mechanical Engineering, National Institute of Technology, Rourkela.	13 Feb 2025
2	Dr Harshendra Shet	Dr Harshendra Shet, Assistant Professor, Senior Scale, Electrical and Electronics Engineering has published an article titled 'Comparative Life Cycle Analysis of Hydrogen Fuel Cell Electric Vehicles and Battery Electric Vehicles: an Indian Perspective' in the International Journal of Hydrogen Energy, which is a Q1 journal with an Impact Factor of 8.1. The paper is co-authored by Prof Vijayanand S Moholkar	17 Feb 2025
3	Dr Jayalakshmi N S	Dr Jayalakshmi N S Professor, Electrical and Electronics Engineering has co-authored a collaborative research article titled "Meta-machine learning framework for robust short-term solar power prediction across different climatic zones" in Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence (Elsevier Publisher), which is a Q1, SCIE Journal with an Impact Factor of 7.5	01 May 2025
4	Dr Arun P Parameshwaran and Dr Bindu S	Dr Arun P Parameshwaran and Dr Bindu S, Associate Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering has successfully completed the coursework and certification exams for the 'Style analysis -DISC and driving forces' and are therefore	01 Jul 2025

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		entitled to the title and designation of Certified Behavior and Mentoring Analyst (CBMA) by Talent Metrix.	
5	Dr Praveen Kumar Bonthagorla	Dr Praveen Kumar Bonthagorla, Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MIT, Manipal, was recently recognized in the World's Top 2% Scientists List for 2025 by Stanford University and Elsevier.	22 Sep 2025
6	Dr Chandrika B K	Dr Chandrika B K has successfully completed the AICTE - QIP- PG Certificate Program (18 credits) on "From Semiconductors to Chips: IC Design and Fundamentals" offered by the Indian Institute of Information Technology, Allahabad. This rigorous program was conducted from Jul to Dec 2025, reflecting a strong commitment to professional development and academic excellence.	01 Dec 2025
7	Dr Shwetha V	Dr Chandrika B K has successfully completed the AICTE - QIP- Post-Graduate Certificate Program (18 credits) on "AI-Powered Computer Vision for Smart Agriculture and Healthcare Applications" offered by NIT Warangal. This rigorous program was conducted from Jul to Dec 2025, reflecting a strong commitment to professional development and academic excellence.	01 Dec 2025
Electronics and Communication Engineering			
1	Dr G Subramanya Nayak	As Co-author, recognition during MAHE Research Award for Published Best Research Paper entitled, "Machine Learning Enabled Photoacoustic Spectroscopy for Non-invasive Assessment of Breast Tumor Progression in/Vivo: A Preclinical Study"	24 Nov 2025
Humanities and Management			
1	Dr Nagaraj Kamath	Lifeathon 1, on 18 Jul 2025, in Dr TMA Pai Hall, KMC Manipal. His team had obtained the MAHE seed grant of 10 Lakhs INR, obtained a prize for best business plan in the concluding session of Lifeathon 1 in TAPMI	18 Jul 2025
2	Dr Smith Nayak	Her paper titled "From Values to Action: Examining Attitudinal Determinants of Pro-Environmental Behaviour" has been conferred the "Best Paper Award" at the International Conference on Sustainable Synergies, organized by the Department of Commerce, MAHE, Bengaluru, on 26 and 27 Nov 2025	27 Nov 2025
Instrumentation and Control Engineering			
1	Mr Bipin Krishna	11th International symposium on integrated uncertainty in knowledge modelling and decision making (IUKM 2025)	17 Mar 2025

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2	Dr S Meenatchi Sundaram	11th International symposium on integrated uncertainty in knowledge modelling and decision making (IUKM 2025)	17 Mar 2025
3	Dr Cyril Joseph	11th International symposium on integrated uncertainty in knowledge modelling and decision making (IUKM 2025)	17 Mar 2025
4	Mr Nevin Augustine	11th International symposium on integrated uncertainty in knowledge modelling and decision making (IUKM 2025)	17 Mar 2025
Mathematics			
1	Dr Ankur Jaiswal	Outstanding Teacher Award by Quantpro Global Pvt Ltd, on the Occasion of Teacher's Day, 2025	05 Sep 2025
2	Dr Shobha M E	the National Teachers Award 2025 was awarded by the Hon'ble President of India, Smt Droupadi Murmu, at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi, on 05 Sep 2025. Instituted by the Ministry of Education, Government of India, the award carries a silver medal, certificate, and 50,000 INR cash prize. She was one of only three recipients from Karnataka and one of just 21 faculty members selected nationwide under the Higher Education category. She also participated in the Prime Minister's interaction at the Prime Minister's residence on 04 Sep and the felicitation by Union Ministers for Education and Skill Development on 05 evening during a special dinner arranged for awardees at Hotel Ashoka.	05 Sep 2025
3	Dr Jibitesh Kumar Panda	Early Career Award for Participating and Presenting at the Global Conference for Decarbonization of Energy and Materials (2025)	16 Oct 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering			
1	Dr Sanjiv M Sansgiri	Project guide of the Runner-up Team of the Forbes Marshall Outstanding Project Award 2025-26 (Project Title: Integrating Hybrid-Desiccant-Peltier air cooler with ceiling fan)	28 Jun 2025
2	Dr Gajanan Anne	Project guide of the winning team of the Forbes Marshall Outstanding Project Award 2025-26. Project Title: Development of bio-degradable MG-GD based surface nanocomposites through friction stir processing for implant applications	28 Jun 2025
Mechatronics Engineering			
1	Dr Narendra Khatri	Awarded the Best Researcher Award in the Electrical Stream during MIT Research Conclave 2025 for outstanding research contributions made in the calendar year 2024, on 30 and 31 Jul 2025.	30 Jul 2025
2	Dr Nikhil Pachauri	Recognized in the Stanford University and Elsevier Global List of Top 2 percent Most Cited Scientists 2025, published on 19 Sep 2025.	19 Sep 2025

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3	Dr Narendra Khatri	Awarded Best Paper Award in the 4th International Conference on Robotics, Control, Automation and Artificial Intelligence-2025, organized by Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE, Manipal and Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), Mexico, from 29 to 31 Oct 2025.	29 Oct 2025
4	Dr Narendra Khatri	Awarded for Research Excellence: Publications (Assistant Professor Category) (Award and a cash prize of 10000 INR) for the year 2024 under the Faculty of Technology and Sciences at the MAHE Research Awards Ceremony, 24 Nov 2025.	24 Nov 2025
5	Dr Jibitesh Kumar Panda	Delivered a lecture on Introduction to Thermodynamics – Refrigeration and Air Conditioning for the training program of Newly Recruited GP 'A' Officers (Probationers) of Military Engineer Services, organized by the CTE Division, Engineering Staff College of India (ESCI), Gachibowli, Hyderabad.	05 Dec 2025
Physics			
1	Dr Ismayil	MIT Research Award	29 Jul 2025
2	Dr Poornesh P	MAHE Research Award-Overall Research	24 Nov 2025
School of Computer Engineering			
1	Dr Raghavendra S	A book titled Secure Retrieval and Auditing Techniques in Cloud, published by TECHSAR	01 Jan 2025
2	Dr Roopalakshmi R	Received Excellence Award for SAMSUNG PRISM worklet during Jan 2025.	01 Jan 2025
3	Manjunath K N	Received best paper award at ISDIA 2025 Conference, Wollongong University, Dubai, UAE	04 Jan 2025
4	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty, Associate Professor, Department of Data Science and Computer Applications, delivered a talk on Youth Communication and Gamification at MIT, Manipal on 12 Jan 2025.	12 Jan 2025
5	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty had participated as a faculty member in the pre-conference workshop titled "Artificial Intelligence Powered Superfast Research" at IAPCON 2025, the 32nd International Conference of the Indian Association of Palliative Care (IAPC), held at AIIMS, Jammu, from 30 Jan to 02 Feb 2025.	30 Jan 2025
6	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Delivered a seminar on the 'Ethical Use of AI' for the staff and students of WGSHA on account of Research Day 2025	07 Feb 2025
7	Dr Dasharatharaj K Shetty	in Mar 2025, Ms Nikita Panwar received the Best Paper Award at GCISMM2025 under his guideship.	01 Mar 2025

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8	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	Sessional Chair in the international conference on Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare (ICAIH 2025), AIMIT, organized by St Aloysius Mangalore	20 Mar 2025
9	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty was Felicitated for over a Decade of Excellence in Service as IMC-RBNQA Examiner. The honour was conferred by Sri Neeraj Bajaj, Chairman of the IMC-RBNQA Award Trust, Chairman of Bajaj Auto Ltd, and Chairman and Managing Director of Mukand Ltd, during a ceremony hosted by the IMC Chamber of Commerce and Industry.	24 Mar 2025
10	Dr Manohar M Pai	Ping 2025 workshop. The annual workshop, Ping 2.0.2.5, focused on Digital Transformation, Intelligent Technology, and Sustainability. The event was convened by Dr Manohara M Pai and brought together academics, industry experts, and students.	28 Mar 2025
11	Dr Vidya Rao	Delivered a technical talk on “From Circuits to Security – Safeguarding IoT Innovation” at Moodlakatte Institute of Technology on 08 May 2025.	08 May 2025
12	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Dr Dasharathraj Shetty Inaugurated National Technology Day 2025 Celebrations at MITE. The event, led by the Department of Computer Science and Engineering, was organized in collaboration with the Computer Society of India (CSI), the Institution’s Innovation Council, a Ministry of Education initiative, and the campus clubs CORE and CRYPTON. He also conducted a workshop on Design Thinking and Product Development.	10 May 2025
13	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	At the International Conference of Health Profession Educators and Learners (I-HEAL) 2025, held at Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Mangalore, Dr Dasharathraj K. Shetty delivered a visionary plenary talk titled “Demystifying AI: A Deep Dive into the Fundamentals for Healthcare Profession Educators.” Dr Shetty also led the pre-conference workshop “Unlocking ChatGPT: Write Better, Work Faster, Think Sharper.”	31 May 2025
14	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Delivered a lecture in Calangute, Goa, for over 120 professionals from Emperia Corporation, Mangalore, on the topic "Thriving in an ever-changing business landscape."	31 May 2025
15	Dr Vidya Rao	Invited for ‘Industry-Institution Meet (IIM) -2025’ scheduled on Saturday, 21 Jun 2025, by the Oxford College of Science, Arts, Commerce and Management, HSR Layout, Bangalore	21 Jun 2025
16	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	Successfully completed the NPTEL Exam "Introduction to Large Language Models (LLMs)"	01 Jul 2025
17	Mr Mohandas Shenoy P	Successfully completed the NPTEL Exam "Software Engineering" in Topper 1%. Total number of candidates certified in this course: 4458	01 Jul 2025

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18	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	Successfully completed the NPTEL Exam " Introduction to Biostatistics"	01 Jul 2025
19	Dr K Kamaraj	NPTEL 5% TOPPER in Design and Implementation of Human-Computer Interfaces (Total candidates appeared 5421)	01 Jul 2025
20	Dr Anita S Kini	Top Grade in the Artificial Intelligence: Concepts and Techniques examination conducted by the NPTEL (Total candidates appeared 6785)	01 Jul 2025
21	Mr Shanmukharaja M	NPTEL Topper badge in Data Structures and Algorithm Design among the 4313 candidates	01 Jul 2025
22	Dr Ahamad Shafeeq	NPTEL TOPPER in DAA exam conducted for 951 candidates	01 Jul 2025
23	Dr Shwetha Rai	NPTEL TOPPER in the operating system exam conducted	01 Jul 2025
24	Dr Archana H	NPTEL TOPPER in the DBMS exam conducted	01 Jul 2025
25	Dr Diana Olivia	Top Performer in the Database Management Systems (DBMS) examination conducted by NPTEL	01 Jul 2025
26	Dr Kishore B	Authored a book titled Big Data Fundamentals has been published by the Scientific International Publishing House	01 Jul 2025
27	Dr Neelima Reddy	Authored a book titled Big Data Fundamentals has been published by the Scientific International Publishing House	01 Jul 2025
28	Ms Ramyashree	Conferred with the best paper award at the 5th International Conference on Intelligent Systems and Machine Learning for her outstanding research	01 Jul 2025
29	Dr Raghavendra S	Distinguished Alumnus Award in the Academics field at BMS Institute of Technology and Management, Bangalore	01 Jul 2025
30	Dr Raghavendra S	Invitation to serve as a Subject Expert for the Board of Studies (BOS) in Robotics and AI at the national level on 15 Jul 2025.	15 Jul 2025
31	Dr Ramakrishna M	Mr Mohammed Ahmed Mansour, a student from Mansoura National University, Egypt, completed an internship at Alexandria University.	21 Jul 2025
32	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	Delivered a talk on “Auto Image Segmentation” along with a hands-on session during the FDP titled “Envisioning the Future: Deep Dive into Advanced Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning for Society”	22 Jul 2025
33	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Delivered a talk in the seminar on “Prompt Engineering for Digital Marketing” on 29 Jul 2025, organized by the Manipal School of Commerce and Economics. The session provided students with a comprehensive understanding of how generative AI tools, particularly ChatGPT, are revolutionizing marketing strategies and enabling new possibilities in digital communication. in his talk, Dr Shetty	29 Jul 2025

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		explained how prompt engineering the art of crafting precise and context-aware instructions for AI models is reshaping the way organizations approach content creation, audience targeting, and campaign automation. He illustrated how well-designed prompts can significantly enhance the precision, creativity, and effectiveness of digital marketing initiatives, helping businesses deliver more personalized and impactful customer experiences.	
34	Dr Manjunath K N	Best Researcher Award 2025 in Computer Science and Engineering Stream	31 Jul 2025
35	Ms Ramyashree	conferred with the best paper award at the hybrid XXII Control Instrumentation Systems Conference (CISCON)2025 for her outstanding research	01 Aug 2025
36	Dr P Radha Krishna Reddy	Co-chaired/organized the 10th edition of EMSICC 2025 international workshop held in Istanbul, Turkey, along with the IEEE FiCloud 2025 conference	01 Aug 2025
37	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty served as one of the panelists in a discussion on “Impact of AI on Healthcare, Business, Education and Research” at the Manipal Start-Up Expo 2025, held on 25 August 2025 at the Advanced Research Centre, MAHE, Manipal. The event, organized by Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) in collaboration with the Manipal-GOK Bioincubator, brought together experts from diverse domains to explore how artificial intelligence is transforming multiple sectors.	25 Aug 2025
38	Dr Hareesha K S	Sandra Sony, a full-time research scholar working under the guidance of Dr Hareesha S won the prestigious INDIA AI Research fellowship	26 Aug 2025
39	Dr P Radha Krishna Reddy	Received 600 Euros of funding towards a conference registration from the CISTER Research Centre, Portugal	01 Sep 2025
40	Dr P Radha Krishna Reddy	Received 570 Euros of funding towards a conference paper registration from the CNAM/EMSICC/FiCloud 2025	01 Sep 2025
41	Dr Ashwath Rao B	Selected for the Board of Studies (BoS) of Canara Engineering College, Mangalore, Computer Science and Business Studies Department	01 Sep 2025
42	Dr Deepak Parashar	Has been appointed to the Editorial Board of Scientific Reports, a peer-reviewed open-access journal under the Springer Nature portfolio	08 Sep 2025
43	Dr Abhilash K Pai	Delivered a technical session on "Use of Technology and AI Tools in the Classroom / Education” at 4th Convention of AGE College Teachers held at Sri Mahaveera College, Moodbidri	20 Sep 2025
44	Mr Mohandas Shenoy P	Lead the team of esteemed Faculties and UG, MCA Students of our Institution in successfully organizing	22 Sep 2025

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		AI and Coding bootcamp at Sri Mahaveera College, Moodbidri, and was the Chief Guest on the final day representing MIT Faculties contributed: Dr Ashwath Rao, Dr Sucharita Shetty, Dr Chitra B, Dr Muralikrishna, Dr Rajashree Krishna	
45	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Inaugurated the Regional Conference on "Empower, Enhance, Evolve: AI and Modern Technologies in Shaping the Future of Health Care" held on 25 Sep 2025 at K Pandyarajah Ballal Nursing Institute, Mangalore. Following the inauguration, Dr Shetty delivered an insightful lecture that explored how AI-driven innovations are redefining the healthcare landscape from clinical diagnostics and patient monitoring to workforce training and system efficiency.	25 Sep 2025
46	Dr Roopalakshmi R	Received Best Paper Award at 8th Int. Conf. ICICC-2025, held at CMR University, Hyderabad, on 26 and 27 Sep 2025	26 Sep 2025
47	Dr ShanmukhaRaja	Received the best paper award from the International Conference on Computational Intelligence and Data Communication in Bali, Indonesia	01 Oct 2025
48	Dr Divya	Received the best paper award from the International Conference on Computational Intelligence and Data Communication in Bali, Indonesia	01 Oct 2025
49	Dr Balachandra Muniyal	A book titled A Primer on Wireless Technology and IoT Basics has been published by Bentham Science	01 Oct 2025
50	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Delivered an invited lecture on "AI-Powered Disaster Management" on 13 Oct 2025 (Monday) during SHIELD 2025 (Safeguarding Humanity through Integrated Emergency Learning and Disaster Risk Reduction), organized by the Centre for Disaster Management, MAHE, Manipal, in collaboration with the Centre for Wilderness Medicine, Department of Community Medicine, Department of Emergency Medicine, and Department of Hospital Administration, Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.	13 Oct 2025
51	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Delivered a lecture on "AI in Healthcare" on 14 Oct 2025 as part of IGNITE 2.0 – AI in Healthcare, organized by MAHE-SRF, MCODS Mangalore, in association with the UG Research Vertical.	14 Oct 2025
52	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	the IBM CSR video, produced for IBM India, features Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan in recognition of her excellence as a best teacher and her active engagement as a continuous learner through the IBM Skills Build Program. The Canadian team visited MIT to conduct the video shoot.	22 Oct 2025
53	Mr Mohandas Shenoy P	Successfully conducted an Industry Expert-led online webinar on Software Quality Assurance, Introduction to tools, best practices, and Future	25 Oct 2025

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		trends. Online Speaker: Mr Sirigir Vijay Kumar. Participants attended: offline: 75 (UG Students), online: 45 (MCA, Post-Graduate Students)	
54	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Inaugurated and delivered an address at AAROHAN'25 at Sahyadri College of Engineering and Management, Mangalore. Sahyadri College of Engineering and Management, Mangalore, hosted AAROHAN'25, the Association Day, Council Inauguration, and Branch Entry Ceremony of the Department of Information Science and Engineering and CSE (Data Science).	31 Oct 2025
55	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	A keynote address titled "Speaking the Same Language: How Radiographers and AI Technocrats Can Build Better Solutions Together" was delivered by Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty at the 23rd National Conference of the Society of Indian Radiographers – IMAGINE 2025 – hosted by the Department of Radiodiagnosis and Imaging, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, convened professionals, educators, and innovators from across the medical imaging ecosystem to explore the theme, "Advancing Frontiers: Ushering in a New Era of Medical Imaging." the event took place at the Dr TMA Pai International Convention Centre.	31 Oct 2025
56	Dr Manjunath K N	Delivered keynote speech at the Radiology conference Imagine 2025, KMC, Mangalore	31 Oct 2025
57	Dr Muralikrishna S N	Best paper award in the Engineering Data Analytics and Management Conference (EAMCON 2025), Melaka, Malaysia	01 Nov 2025
58	Dr Manjunath K N	Established a MoU with Aditya University, Andhra Pradesh, along with the Electronic and Communication Department	03 Nov 2025
59	Dr Vidya Rao	Trained master students on hands-on IoT at Milagres Degree College, Udupi, on 05 Nov 2025	05 Nov 2025
60	Dr Vidya Rao	Delivered a Cyber awareness talk on "Demo Session on Cybersecurity Awareness Program", at Udupi-Cochin Shipyard Pvt, on 07 Nov 2025	07 Nov 2025
61	Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty	Delivered at SMART RESEARCH START – CME on AI Tools for Prompt Engineering, Protocol Writing and Literature Review organized by Kasturba Medical College, Manipal, in collaboration with Abbott Healthcare.	12 Nov 2025
62	Dr Poornima Panduranga Kundapur	Delivered a technical talk on "From Passwords to Power Grids: Understanding Cybersecurity in the Modern Age" at Moodlakatte Institute of Technology on 25 Nov 2025.	25 Nov 2025
63	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	Delivered a talk on "Key Concepts of Reinforcement Learning and the Reinforcement Learning Process," along with a hands-on session on n8n flows, during the FDP titled "Smart Robotics and AI Integration:	25 Nov 2025

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		From Reinforcement Learning to Agentic AI and Geo-Spatial Robotics" at NMAM Institute of Technology, Nitte.	
64	Dr Vidya Rao	Delivered a technical talk on "From Passwords to Power Grids: Understanding Cybersecurity in the Modern Age" at Moodlakatte Institute of Technology on 28 Nov 2025.	28 Nov 2025
65	Mr Mohandas Shenoy P	Successfully launched AWS Student Cloud Club in association with AWS Academy Global	01 Dec 2025
66	Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan	Represented our institution at the IIC Regional Meet 2025 at M S Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, Bengaluru.	02 Dec 2025

Students

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Administration			
1	Ms Vasundra N Department of Chemical Engineering	Best Researcher PG Student- 2025	31 Jul 2025
2	Ms Ashwini Amin, School of Computer Engineering	1st position PhD poster awards 2025	31 Jul 2025
3	Mr Madhusudhan B Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering	2nd position PhD poster awards 2025	31 Jul 2025
4	Ms Reshma H., Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering	3rd position PhD poster awards 2025	31 Jul 2025
5	Mr Kiran R Department of Physics	Best Research Scholar- 2025	31 Jul 2025
6	Mr Gopal Bharamappa Bekkeri Department of Civil Engineering	Research Scholar Award- 2025 Second Position	31 Jul 2025
Biomedical Engineering			
1	Ms Lavanya Dalmia	Was part of Manipal Biomachines and won the Silver Medal in the Global Open Genetic Engineering Competition (GOGEC) as a team.	23 Feb 2025
2	Ms Chinthana C, Research Scholar, Department of Biomedical Engineering,	Received the Best Paper Award in oral presentation at the International Conference on Emerging Trends in Bio-engineering and Food Technology. ETBFT – 2025, organized by the Department of Food Technology, Guru Nanak Institute of Technology, Kolkata.	18 Mar 2025
3	Mr Arun Krishna Venkatesh	Participated in the CATC/IGC-NSC Camp held at MIT, Manipal, from 25 May to 03 Jun 2025	25 May 2025
4	Ms Sujatha Hariharan	Selected for the International Technical Internship 2025 at Montanuniversität Leoben, Austria, scheduled from 01 Jun 2025 to 31 Jul 2025.	01 Jun 2025
5	Ms Deepali Bhagat	Presented paper at CISCON 2025	02 Aug 2025
6	Ms Deepali Bhagat	Received the "Best Paper Award" at CISCON 2025	02 Aug 2025

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7	Mr Likhith K, Research Scholar, Department of Biomedical Engineering,	Received the Best Paper Award in oral presentation in the International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Sustainable Healthcare [ICBMESH-2025] organized by Department of Biomedical Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal.	08 Aug 2025
8	Ms Bhavya Sahithi Velagapudi, Research Scholar, Department of Biomedical Engineering	Received RSC (Royal Society of Chemistry) Best Poster Award at BioHeal - 2025	27 Oct 2025
9	Ms Riddhiman Ganguly	BIS Best Prospective Research Award received at SYNCHRON25.	03 Nov 2025
10	Mr Vytheshwar	Received the Best Oral Presentation Award at ICHTR 2025, organized by MAHE-SRF under the aegis of the Directorate of Research, in collaboration with MCHP, MAHE Manipal	13 Nov 2025
Biotechnology			
1	Ms Samhita Sridhar	Runner's in MAHE Intercollegiate Throwball tournament	15 Feb 2025
2	Ms Harshika	Best Poster presentation at AFMECA-2025, NITK Surathkal, Mangalore	11 May 2025
3	Ms Anantha Sai	Participated in the 2nd Triple Crown Chess tournament-2025 at St Francis De Sales College, Bengaluru.	20 Jul 2025
Chemical Engineering			
1	Ms Santusti Gour and Mr Rishith Khanna	Ms Santusti Gour and Mr Rishith Khanna from the third year, for winning ‘First prize' in the ChemQuiz and Case Study presentation at the "Exergy 2025" event, held at IIT Kanpur, Kanpur, recently. Their idea not only showcased innovation but also won them a total of 20,000 INR cash award.	31 Jan 2025
2	Ms Mahika Pramod Final Year B Tech (Chemical)	Prof P G Krishnamoorthy Memorial Prize to the B Tech student securing the highest combined total marks in the theory courses, Mass Transfer I and Mass Transfer II	24 Oct 2025
3	Ms Vasundra N	Prof PG Krishnamoorthy Memorial prize to the M Tech student securing the highest overall CGPA in the graduating batch of 2025.	24 Oct 2025
4	Mr Gerald Nathan Mathias	Prof PG Krishnamoorthy Memorial prize to the BTech student securing the highest overall CGPA in the graduating batch of 2025.	24 Oct 2025
Chemistry			
1	Ms Anu Antony	Best Poster International Conference on Advances in Soft and Nanomaterials) organized on 10 and 11 Jan 2025 at CENS Bengaluru)	23 Mar 2025
2	Ms Shilpa Shetty	Best Poster (4th International Conference on Optoelectronic and Nanomaterials for Advanced Technology (iCONMAT-2025))	23 Mar 2025
3	Ms Gayathri G	Best Poster	23 Mar 2025
4	Ms Anjali	Best Poster (International Conference of Polymers and Nanomaterials (ICPN 2025), organized by Mahatma	23 Mar 2025

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		Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala, India, from Mar 21 to 23, 2025)	
5	Ms Sakshi Jasrotia	Best Poster (International Conference on Polymers and Nanomaterials (ICPN 2025) and Alumni Meet, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Mar 21-23, 2025)	23 Mar 2025
6	Ms Sujana C	Best Poster (International Conference on Materials for Advanced Technologies (ICMAT) 2025, Singapore, organized by MRS-Singapore)	03 Jul 2025
7	Ms Ishanki	Best Poster (ICACSEE 2025: International Conference on Advances in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Energy and Environment, MIT-WPU, Pune, India)	21 Jul 2025
8	Mr Mohammad Saquib	Best Poster + Oral (International Conference on Advances in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Energy and Environment. Best oral: International Conference on Functional Materials and Applications)	21 Jul 2025
9	Mr Ashwin Nayak	Best Poster (Conference on Advanced Materials and Characterization-ICAMC 2025)	11 Aug 2025
Civil Engineering			
1	Dr Gopal Bharamappa Bekkeri	Dr Gopal Bekkeri, PhD scholar under the guidance of Dr Kirankumar Shetty (HoD Civil Engineering), for winning the best PhD student Award at MIT Research Conclave 2025	30 Jul 2025
2	Ms Anjali Tamrakar	Best Presenter Award Under the Theme Human Benefits and Impacts at the International Indian Ocean Science Conference Hosted by INCOIS, Hyderabad	01 Dec 2025
3	Ms Lakshmi V	Best Presenter Award under the Student category at the two-day National Conference on “Green Business and Blue Revolution: Pathways to Environmental Sustainability”, jointly organized by the Departments of Marine Biology and Commerce, Karnatak University, PG Campus, Karwar.	12 Dec 2025
Electrical and Electronics Engineering			
1	Mr Abhay Singh Solanki	Abhay Singh Solanki (Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Batch of 2025), along with Mohiet Iqbal (CHE), received a grant of 4,00,000 INR from AICTE through the prestigious AICTE YUKTI Innovation Challenge, supported by the Ministry of Education, Government of India. Their innovation titled “Kraftr Global lyfstyle” stood out among hundreds of submissions nationwide for its technological originality and social relevance.	07 Jan 2025
2	Mr Arin Agarwal, Chithrinesh C V, and Mr Vaibhav Agarwa Aabhaas Kalia, Mr Sumir Balakrishnan, and Mr Pratyush Trivedi	Formula Manipal blazed into 3rd place overall at Formula Bharat 2025, held at Kari Motor Speedway, outpacing 38 electric and 26 combustion teams from across the country, with their first-ever electric race car, designed and built from scratch. Representing the Electrical and Electronics are Arin Agarwal, Chithrinesh C V, and Vaibhav Agarwal from the 6th semester, and Aabhaas Kalia, Sumir Balakrishnan, and Pratyush Trivedi from the 4th semester. The team was the first to clear Mechanical Inspection, the second to clear Accumulator Inspection, and clinched 3rd place in both Cost and Manufacturing and Engineering Design. They also brought home the Best Powertrain Award. Backed by top-tier	22 Jan 2025

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		sponsors like Analog Devices, Ador Welding, and Titan Engineering, this marks Formula Manipal's best finish in seven years and a bold leap from combustion to electric.	
3	Mr Utkarsh Singh Sen and Mr Google Singhvi	Team Manipal Racing Electric (TMR-E) made a remarkable mark at SAE INDIA eBAJA 2025 Phase-3 (Physical Events) held at B V Raju Institute of Technology, Narsapur, Telangana, from 20 to 24 Feb 2025. Representing the Electrical and Electronic Department, Utkarsh Singh Sen of the sixth semester and Google Singhvi of the fourth semester were integral members of the electronics subsystem of the team's electric all-terrain vehicle (eATV). TMR-E achieved outstanding results, placing 9th overall among over 88 teams. The team stood out by being the first to clear Technical Inspections and the Brake Test, and secured 1st in Engineering Design, 1st in Sled Pull, 2nd in Maneuverability, 3rd in Overall Dynamics, 4th in Acceleration, 4th in Computer-Aided Engineering (CAE), and won the title of the Lightest 4WD ATV. Their stellar performance reflects a blend of engineering excellence, innovation, and teamwork.	20 Feb 2025
4	Ms Tanushka Singh (Electrical and Electronics Engineering Alumini)	MIT-NCC alumnus Flying Officer Tanushka Singh (Batch 2018–22, Registration Number 180906490, Electrical and Electronics Engineering Department) has made history by becoming the first woman from Mangalore to pilot a Jaguar fighter jet in the Indian Air Force. A proud graduate of MIT, Manipal, she completed her BTech in Electrical and Electronics Engineering in 2022.	25 Feb 2025
5	Mr Shreyas Chaudhary	At the Global Hyperloop Competition 2025, hosted by IIT Madras, LoopMIT emerged as a powerhouse—securing 1st place for Best Pod Demonstration and Best Mechanical Subsystem. Among the minds behind this feat was Electrical and Electronics's Shreyas Chaudhary, who worked on the pod's power distribution, control logic, and sensor integration.	27 Mar 2025
6	Mr Sourav Maity	Sourav Maity has secured 2nd Position in the Utsav Spot Photography Competition held at MAHE, Manipal.	27 Mar 2025
7	Mr Ijiharul Haque Vazhayil	Ijiharul Haque Vazhayil has passed the Certificate 'C' Examination in "A" Grade held in 2025 under the authority of the Ministry of Defence, Government of India.	28 Mar 2025
8	Mr Saidupally Adithya Om	Saidupally Adithya Om has passed the Certificate 'C' Examination in "B" Grade held in 2025 under the authority of the Ministry of Defence, Government of India.	28 Mar 2025
9	Mr Jibin Kuriakose (Research Scholar)	Mr Jibin Kuriakose, Research Scholar, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, has received the Student Travel Award for his paper titled "Wind and Solar Power Generation Forecasting Based on LSTM and XGBoost Models" at the IEEE SeFet 2025 conference at MNIT Jaipur, Rajasthan, India. Dr Vinay Kumar Jadoun, Associate Professor, Dr Jayalakshmi N S, Professor, and Dr Soham Dutta, Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, were the co-authors of the paper.	09 Jul 2025
10	Ms Reshma V P (research Scholar)	Ms Reshma V P, Research Scholar, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, has received the Student Travel Award for her paper titled "Non-Iterative Performance	09 Jul 2025

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		Analysis of PV Systems Under Various Resistive Load Conditions" at the IEEE SeFet 2025 Conference held at MNIT Jaipur, Rajasthan, India. Dr Anjan N Padmasali, Associate Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, and Dr Arjun M, Senior Lead Engineer, Qualcomm Inc, Bengaluru, were the co-authors of the paper.	
11	Ms Soumya K T (Research Scholar)	Ms Soumya K T, Research scholar (part-time), Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, MIT, has received best paper award in the Information Security track for the research paper titled "Dynamic Threat Modelling and Vulnerability" Assessment in Smart Microgrid " in the 3rd IEEE International Conference on "Recent Advances in Information Technology for Sustainable Development" (ICRAIS 2025) organized by the Department of Information and Communication Technology Manipal, on 03 and 04 Sep 2025. The paper was co-authored by Dr Vinay Kumar Jadoun, Associate Professor, and Dr Jayalakshmi N S, Professor, Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering.	03 Sep 2025
12	Ms Prathima H V Part-time Research Scholar	Prathima H V Part-time Research Scholar., Dr Shivavrudreswamy R, Dr Praveen Kumar Ronthagorla (Manipal Institute of Technology) and Ramesh R, Keerthana C P, Lekhana G B (Malnad College of Engineering) received the Best Paper Award at the Second International Conference on Intelligent Technologies for Sustainable Electric and Communications Systems (iTech SECOM – 2025) for their paper titled "Mitigating Mismatch and Wiring Losses through Static PV Array Reconfiguration." the award was presented at the IEEE technically sponsored conference organized by PSG Institute of Technology and Applied Research, Coimbatore, held on 09 and 10 Oct 2025.	09 Oct 2025
13	Mr Rishi Pranav R	Rishi Pranav R received the "Diamond Jubilee Award" during the MIT Annual Day, held on 25 Oct 2025	25 Oct 2025
14	Ms Shreyasi Pradhan	Shreyasi Pradhan received the "Diamond Jubilee Award" during the MIT Annual Day, held on 25 Oct 2025.	25 Oct 2025
15	Ms Vijayalakshmi A L	Vijayalakshmi A L (Registration Number 230906086), a third-year student of the Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering (EEE), attended and presented a research paper at STPEC 2025 – IEEE International Conference on Smart Technologies for Power, Energy, and Control, held at NIT Goa from 10 to 13 Dec 2025. The paper titled "Design and Development of a Single-Stage LED Driver Using Boost Converter with Dimming Control Algorithms", co-authored by Kundan Krishn, Suprabha Padyiar U, Vedavyasa Kamath, and Lokesh J, received the Best Paper Award on 13 Dec 2025	13 Dec 2025
Electronics and Communication Engineering			
1	Priyanshu Sharma, Pratyush Bhagat, Yash Chaudhary	Represented MIT, Manipal at IEEE Hacksagon 2025, a national-level hackathon held at ABV-IIITM Gwalior, and emerged as the overall winner in the Software category.	26 Jun 2025

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2	M Vidya P Pai, Jyothsna Naveen, Padilam Adithya Taran, Arjun Sunil Rao	Track-wise best paper award for a paper with ID 491 having title 'Analyzing the Role of Fan-in on Speed and Power Metrics in CMOS One-bit Magnitude Comparator Architectures' in the hybrid XXII Control Instrumentation Systems Conference (CISCON) 2025, technically co-sponsored by IEEE Bangalore Section, held on 01 and 02 Aug 2025	01 Aug 2025
3	Bhagyashree K, Sai Bhavik Rayanki, Shrivathsa V S, Arjun Sunil Rao, Shounak De	Track-wise best paper award for a paper with ID 61 having title 'Tuning the Crystallite Size of Metal Doped V2O5 Thin Films Via Annealing' in the hybrid XXII Control Instrumentation Systems Conference (CISCON) 2025, technically co-sponsored by IEEE Bangalore Section, held on 01 and 02 Aug 2025	01 Aug 2025
4	Nandana Kamath, Aditi Javeri, Samrat Sharma, Samana Nagendran, Arjun Sunil Rao	Track-wise best paper award for a paper with ID 4 having the title 'Impact of Aspect Ratio on Propagation Delay and Parasitics in CMOS Inverters: A Cadence Simulation study' in the hybrid XXII Control Instrumentation Systems Conference (CISCON) 2025, technically co-sponsored by IEEE Bangalore Section, held on 01 and 02 Aug 2025	01 Aug 2025
5	Manasa B S	Has been awarded with ARSSS Excellent Paper Award for the paper entitled "Advancements in Clock Gating Techniques for Low-Power VLSI Circuit Design: A Systematic Literature Review" for the category Best Presentation / Best Content at the 3rd International Conference on Multidisciplinary Research in Education, Science, and Technology (ICMREST) held in Bangalore, India	08 Aug 2025
Humanities and Management			
1	Mr Aastik Srivastava	Awarded Reliance Foundation Undergraduate Scholarship 2024-2025 of 2 lakhs INR	04 Jan 2025
Instrumentation and Control Engineering			
1	Aromal V K, Hrishikesh R Palan, P Nithish Varma, Jimit Pragnesh Desai, Aaditya Sadangi, S Dheeraj Kumar	"India Engineers Elite Challenge 2025" was organized by the Department of Instrumentation Engineering, Madras Institute of Technology, Anna University.	20 Mar 2025
2	Tarini Sai Padmanabhuni	secured Second Place at Pionieria, VIT Vellore's annual entrepreneurship fest, representing Axory AI with her pitch session. This recognition further validates the team's vision of AI-powered deepfake detection and cybersecurity	03 Aug 2025
3	Naman Ahuja, Dev verma	BVRITN IEEE PES Idea Competition 2025	22 Aug 2025
4	Ritvik Ranjan	Technoxian World Cup 9.0 by AICRA	30 Aug 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering			
1	Mr Ryan Elisha Bantu	Member of the Runner up Team of the Forbes Marshall Outstanding Project Award 2025-26. (Project Title: Integrating Hybrid-Desiccant-Peltier air cooler with a ceiling fan)	28 Jun 2025
2	Ms Kavya P Kudva	Member of the Runner up Team of the Forbes Marshall Outstanding Project Award 2025-26. (Project Title: Integrating Hybrid-Desiccant-Peltier air cooler with ceiling fan)	28 Jun 2025

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3	Ms Riddham Jain	Member of the winning team of the Forbes Marshall Outstanding Project Award 2025-26. (Project Title: Development of biodegradable MG-GD based surface nanocomposites through friction stir processing for implant applications)	28 Jun 2025
4	Mr Soham Sarvate	Member of the winning team of the Forbes Marshall Outstanding Project Award 2025-26. (Project Title: Development of biodegradable MG-GD based surface nanocomposites through friction stir processing for implant applications)	28 Jun 2025
Mechatronics Engineering			
1	Mr Srikar Bharadwaj R	Byte Battles 2.0, a national-level firmware hackathon organized by Ather Energy and won the first place with a prize money of 1,00,000 INR	05 Apr 2025
Physics			
1	Mr Kiran R	Best Research Award of the research scholar category	29 Jul 2025
2	Mr Tejas C	MAHE Research Award-Overall Research	24 Nov 2025
School of Computer Engineering			
1	Ashwin Modey	Achieved 1st Position in PIMA, 3rd in Navigation Mission, and 4th Overall at ISDC 2025, competing against 16 international teams	31 Jan 2025
2	Muhir Kapoor	Achieved 3rd Place in the International Mars Base Challenge and 1st Place in the International Space Elevator Academic Challenge as a solo participant (Team Celestial). Received USD 2000 cash award.	02 Feb 2025
4	Ridam Kumar	Secured 2nd Place (Male MAHE Category) in Manipal Marathon – 10 K; awarded 5,000 INR	09 Feb 2025
5	Siddharth Kaneria	Represented MIT at E-BAJA SAEINDIA 2024 and 2025 as Senior Structures Engineer. Achieved multiple podiums; total prize: 55,000 INR	20 Feb 2025
6	Agrim Agrawal	Secured 2nd position in Shabd Saga (Hindi Poetry Writing) at Unmaad, the cultural fest of IIM Bangalore. Represented MIT as Vice President of Goonj (Hindi Literary Club). Shortlisted from 250+ participants and performed in the offline finals before renowned poet Chirag Anjaana. Awarded Rs. 6,000.	22 Feb 2025
7	Aravind Mala Shenoy	Authored and presented a research paper titled “HipyrNet” at the 2025 IEEE/CVF WACV Workshop on Image Quality, Tucson, Arizona. Proposed a novel hypernetwork-based approach achieving state-of-the-art results.	28 Feb 2025
8	Shivang Gulati	Wrote, composed, and produced the Official Anthem of MIT Manipal, debuted during Revels 2024 inauguration, and was officially approved by MIT leadership.	05 Mar 2025
9	Anirudh Agrawal	Secured 4th Position nationally in FIFS Gameathon 2.0. Developed an Agentic AI system to predict optimal IPL playing XI using performance data and match conditions. Won 1,00,000 INR	07 Mar 2025

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10	Anshul Pradhan	Secured 2nd Runner-Up at FinShield Hackathon 2025, IIT Hyderabad. Developed Finclusion, an AI-based creditworthiness model. Awarded 2,00,000 INR	09 Mar 2025
11	Ankur Goel	Secured 2nd Runner-Up at FinShield Hackathon 2025, IIT Hyderabad as part of Team Finclusion. Awarded 2,00,000 INR for an AI-driven credit scoring solution.	09 Mar 2025
12	Sukriti Varma	Received Certificate of Appreciation for volunteering at FIRESIDE CHAT Event, MIT Manipal	23 Mar 2025
13	Nekhilesh Agarwal	Inceptio 2025 (NMIMS Case Competition) – Secured First Place as Team Leader in the national case competition, awarded 7,500 INR	25 Mar 2025
15	Prachita Singal	Winner (Social Impact Category) at Global Technology Solutions 2024–25 (MAHE–University of New Brunswick). Developed MedAssistive; won 60,000 INR	23 Apr 2025
16	Akshat Shraman Tiwari	Completed an off-campus internship as Agentic AI Intern at Jio Reliance Pvt Ltd, Gurgaon	01 Jun 2025
17	Ashwin Modey	Represented Project MANAS at IGVC 2025, securing 3rd Place in Auto-Nav Challenge, 3rd Place in Honorary Grand Awards, and 1st among Indian teams, Awarded 1,32,137.70 INR ($1500).	02 Jun 2025
18	Hiten Raj Singh	All-India Quiz Winner at Microsoft Campus Connect 2.0 (2025); recognized for excellence in AI, software engineering, and cybersecurity knowledge.	05 Jun 2025
19	Krish Rohilla	Quant Quest (IIT Madras) recognized for achievements at Quant Quest, IIT Madras, receiving 2,000 INR	05 Jun 2025
20	Krish Rohilla	Secured 3rd Place at Quant Quest, IIT Madras (Paradox '25). Designed trading algorithms and competed in national-level offline finals.	05 Jun 2025
21	Tejas Mohandas Patil	Secured 2nd Place Internationally at the Space Dynamics Payload Challenge (IREC 2025). Led payload systems for thrust MIT; won 750 USD (65,000 INR).	12 Jun 2025
22	Hiten Raj Singh, Mohammed Shadab, Anand Venukrishnan	National Semi-Finalist at Amazon HackOn Season 5. Built VoicePay, a voice-first UPI payment system for accessibility.	22 Jun 2025
23	Anirudh Agrawal	FIFS Gameathon 2.0 – Secured 4th position for developing an Agentic AI system predicting the best IPL playing XI, awarded 1,00,000 INR	03 Jul 2025
24	Sarvagya Singh	Successfully summited Mt. Kang Yatse II (20,600 ft) in Ladakh; among only 3 climbers to summit under extreme conditions.	06 Jul 2025
25	Aayush Kumar Singh	Google Cloud Agentic AI Hackathon – Contributed significant work in the Google Cloud Agentic AI Hackathon.	27 Jul 2025
26	Aayush Kumar Singh	Selected as a Finalist in the Google Cloud Agentic AI Hackathon 2025, Bengaluru. Built KrishiSahayak, addressing real-world challenges for Indian farmers.	27 Jul 2025
27	Avishi Bansal	Published and presented a research paper at CISCON 2025, MIT Manipal. The paper focused on AI-based Kidney Cancer Detection using CT scans.	01 Aug 2025
28	Vemula Charan	Secured 1st Place and Best Contingent Award in Independence Day Mar Past, MIT Manipal.	15 Aug 2025

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29	Anvesha Singh	Secured 2nd Position at Nova Genesis Hackathon organized by the Astronomy Club, MIT Manipal, as part of Team Constellars.	23 Aug 2025
30	Anshul Pradhan	Finshield Hackathon (Bank of India and IIT Hyderabad) – Recognized for performance in the hackathon and awarded 2,00,000 INR	03 Sep 2025
31	Ankur Goel	Finshield Hackathon (Bank of India and IIT Hyderabad) – Winner with recognition from Bank of India and IIT Hyderabad, receiving 2,00,000 INR	03 Sep 2025
32	Chanikya Gajjarapu	Winner (1st Prize) at Samsung EnnovateX AI Challenge 2025, Bengaluru. Team COD3INE won 1,00,000 INR for OD-MAS, a privacy-first on-device behavioural biometrics system.	18 Sep 2025
34	B Ashish Kamath	Presented a research paper at the International Conference on Innovation in Science, Technology and Management, Srinivas Institute of Technology, Mangalore.	23 Sep 2025
35	Rohan Mathur	Hackspace – Secured Second Position in Hackspace, winning 50,000 INR	25 Sep 2025
37	Neeti Kriplani	Secured 1st Place (Female Category) in MAHE Mental Health Run 2025 (5 K); awarded 5,000 INR	11 Oct 2025
38	Daksh Loiya	Recognized as a Rising Inventor for filing an Invention Disclosure on Alzheimer's disease research during an internship at Siemens Healthineers.	13 Oct 2025
39	Daksh Loiya	Rising Inventor – Filed an invention disclosure with the Indian Patent Office for work on Alzheimer's and Dementia classification.	13 Oct 2025
40	Shripriya K S	Secured 1st Place in Kumite (-45kg) and 3rd Place in Kata at the MAHE Inter Collegiate Karate Championship 2025; selected for the South West Zone Inter-University Championship.	16 Oct 2025
41	Soham Bose	Regional Finale Winner (Bengaluru) and 2nd Prize Winner (National Grand Finale) at NXP AIM 2024. Developed algorithms for a fully autonomous car. Awarded 75,000 INR	24 Oct 2025
42	Sahitya Rajeev Jain	Won Silver Medal at the State-Level Powerlifting Bench Press Championship.	24 Oct 2025
43	Ronan Madan	Successfully completed IRONMAN 70.3 Goa 2025, including swimming, cycling, and running in 7 hours and 40 minutes	09 Nov 2025
44	Yashraj Sandeep Sakunde	Won 1st Prize (Finance Domain) at MAHE HULT Prize Competition 2025 for CashTrack; awarded 10,000 INR and mentorship.	10 Nov 2025
45	Prayas Gupta	Represented India as National Secretary of IAESTE India at the 79th IAESTE Annual Conference, Charlottetown, Canada.	14 Nov 2025
46	Rusheel Reddy Kotha	Co-authored a Q1 journal paper in Scientific Reports on AI-based early detection of Alzheimer's disease.	05 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
in Institution

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Administration			
1	REVELS 25	MIT, Manipal, organized REVELS 25 Sports Fest	10 Mar 2025
2	MAHE Inter Collegiate Table Tennis Tournament 2025	MIT, Manipal, organized the MAHE Inter Collegiate Tennis Tournament 2025	10 Sep 2025
Electrical and Electronics Engineering			
1	Dr Bindu S	Dr Bindu S, Associate Professor, Electrical and Electronics, has secured second place in the 10 km run, MAHE 40-50 years female category at Manipal Marathon 2025	09 Feb 2025
2	Dr Chandrika B K	Dr Chandika B K, Associate Professor, Electrical and Electronics, has secured second place in the 10 km run, MAHE 50-60 years female category at Manipal Marathon 2025	09 Feb 2025
3	Vaishnav Krishnan	Vaishnav Krishnan, an IV-semester BTech student, Electrical and Electronics, MIT Manipal, showcased commendable athletic excellence by securing 3rd place in the 4×100m Men's Relay at the Revels Cup 2025.	15 Mar 2025
4	Dr Prateek Jain	Dr Pratik Jain, assistant Professor, Electrical and Electronics, has won prizes in the MAHE Intercollegiate Staff Athletic Meet on 23 Mar 2025, including first in 400 m running, second in 200 m and 100 m running, third in shot put and discus throw, in the men below 40 years category.	23 Mar 2025
5	Dr Shivarudraswamy	Dr Shivarudraswamy R, Professor, Electrical and Electronics, has won second prize in the 100 m run and third prize in 1 km walk and shot put, men 50 years and above category, in the MAHE Intercollegiate Staff Athletic Meet on 23 Mar 2025.	23 Mar 2025
6	Mr Ganesh Kudva	Mr Ganesh Kudva, Assistant Professor-Sr. scale, Electrical and Electronics, has secured second place in the Half-Marathon 21 km run, the MAHE men 40-50 years male category at the Manipal Marathon 2025. He has also won prizes in the MAHE Intercollegiate Staff Athletic Meet 2024-25 on 23 Mar 2025, including first in 800 meters run, first in discus throw, second in 100 meters run, second in shot put, and third in javelin throw.	23 May 2025
7	Dr Shivarudraswamy	Dr Shivarudraswamy R has secured second place in the MAHE intercollegiate staff 25-meter and 50-meter category of freestyle swimming, men held at MARENA, Manipal on 31 August 2025	31 Aug 2025
Physics			
1	Kinetica - 2025 was a day-long sports extravaganza organized by the Nano to Infinity Club of	the details about the activities are as follows: Box Cricket Tournament: the tournament began with qualifiers involving six teams the MSc 1st-year team advanced from	29 Jan 2025

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	the Department of Physics, Manipal Institute of Technology. The event was held on 29 Jan 2025, at the MIT Athletic Court for all the members of the Physics family, including MSc students, Research Scholars, and faculty of the department. The inauguration featured an inspiring address by Dr Sudha D Kamath, HoD, Physics and a symbolic volleyball serve, setting the tone for a spirited day of sportsmanship and camaraderie among the Physics community.	their match to face the faculty team in the finals. in a hard-fought match, the faculty team leveraged their experience to secure the championship. Throwball Tournament: the tournament included 4 teams, and the final match featured a contest between teams comprising 2nd-year MSc and PhD students. The 2nd-year MSc team emerged victorious in a closely contested final. Volleyball Match: A match between 1st and 2nd-year MSc students was held, with the 2nd-year team winning the encounter, reinforcing their strong presence in the tournament. Fun Activities: A series of engaging activities included a Lemon and Spoon Race for MSc and PhD participants and competitive matches between the two groups. The events showcased the dominance of the 2nd-year MSc students in various challenges. Chess Tournament: the chess tournament was conducted in room Academic Block 2 with 12 participants competing under standard chess rules, including a 10-minute time limit per player and the use of online timers. The tournament was marked by intense strategic play, and the final rounds witnessed strong performances by the participants. All equipment—chess boards, pieces, and timers—provided by the MIT Physical Education Department was returned in good condition by the end of the event. Badminton Tournament: the Badminton Singles Tournament was held at the MIT Recreation Centre with several participants from the MSc and Research Scholars community.	
School of Computer Engineering			
1	Won Women's MAHE Inter Collegiate Institutional Staff Throw Ball Tournament	From SCE: Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan, Ms Vibha, and Dr Sandhya Dubey	23 Feb 2025
2	Won Women MAHE Inter Collegiate Institutional Staff Volley Ball Tournament	From SCE: Dr Rashmi Laxmikant Malghan, Ms Vibha, and Dr Sandhya Dubey	03 Sep 2025
3	5k Run for Mental Health, organized by the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE	Ms Sahana Roshan, Dr Sumit,Mr Manoj R, Dr Vibha, Dr Preetham Kumar, and Dr Anoop B N	11 Oct 2025
4	Inter Collegiate MAHE Staff Cricket tournament	Dr Muralikrishna S N and Dr Abhilash K Pai represented MIT, who were the runners-up at the Inter Collegiate MAHE Staff Cricket tournament	01 Dec 2025

Inter Institution

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Administration			
1	MIT Cricket League	MIT, Manipal, organized the Inter-Branch Cricket Tournament 2025	12 Oct 2025
Mechanical and Industrial Engineering			
1	Cricket Tournament	MAHE Staff Cricket Tournament 2025- MIT Staff Team won the Runners-up Trophy	02 Jan 2025
School of Computer Engineering			
1	Mental Health Run MAHE 2025	A 5 KM race was organized on the occasion of Mental Health Day, and a huge number of students across all the MAHE campuses participated. I secured the first position in the MAHE female category and was awarded a medal, a trophy, and a cash prize of 5000 INR	11 Oct 2025
2	MAHE Inter Collegiate Karate Competition 2025	1st place in Individual Kumite in the -45 KG women's category and has been selected for the South West Zone Inter University Karate Championship. 3rd place in Individual women's Kata.	16 Oct 2025

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School of Computer Engineering			
1	Summited Mt Kang Yatse II (20600 feet)	Out of two expedition teams comprising 18 members, only three climbers, two Indian nationals and one Australian, successfully summited Mt Kang Yatse (Ladakh) on 06 Jul 2025. The summit push began from base camp at approximately 09:00 PM, with the objective of reaching the summit by early morning to ensure safer snow conditions. During the ascent, conditions deteriorated significantly, resulting in several climbers turning back due to Acute Mountain Sickness (AMS), fatigue, and other factors. Given the presence of multiple crevasses and the risks associated with soft snow after sunrise, a strict nighttime turnaround strategy was followed. Despite extreme physical and mental challenges, the summit was reached at around 07:00 am. with prior mountaineering experience and an A-grade in the Basic Mountaineering Course (BMC), this climb marked the successful achievement of crossing the 20,000 ft altitude milestone before the age of 21.	06 Jul 2025

Cultural Activities in Institution

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Administration			
1	Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Conclave	Held on 01 and 02 Feb 2025, this conclave promoted the vision of Viksit Bharat 2047 through quiz competitions and a	02 Jan 2025

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		Lok Sabha–style debate on the Uniform Civil Code. It fostered intellectual engagement, policy-oriented dialogue, and leadership among students.	
2	MES Wall Painting	During the Manipal Entrepreneurship Summit, ArtPod organized a collaborative mural painting that symbolized innovation and student creativity.	02 Jan 2025
3	Swalpa Swalpa Kannada Workshop and Janapada Vaibhava	Workshops and performances celebrated Kannada language and folk traditions, aligning with SDG 4 by promoting cultural education.	11 Jan 2025
4	MIT Radio Initiatives	Through Utsav, Yeh Shaam Mastani, Tech Tatva, and Karnataka Rajyotsava, MIT Radio enhanced student engagement, provided live coverage, and promoted cultural unity through music and storytelling.	11 Jan 2025
5	Theatre Productions (Spotlight, Double Bill, Saarang, Rotaract Collaboration)	AAINA presented multiple productions throughout the year, including full-scale plays, street performances, and collaborations promoting civic responsibility, empathy, and artistic excellence.	15 Jan 2025
6	10-Day Filmmaking Challenge 2025	Naqaab's in-house challenge engaged 78 participants to produce short films Multiple productions — Superstar, Cross Roads, Two Birds, One Stone, and 20 Minutes — showcased technical skill, storytelling, and teamwork. Other film projects like Mannpasand and Shall We? promoted civic awareness and sustainability.	20 Jan 2025
7	Talent Show and Stand-Up Comedy Night	Organized by the Music and Fine Arts Club in collaboration with the Student Council, the event showcased diverse student talents, promoting inclusivity and creative engagement	24 Jan 2025
8	Matribhasha Diwas	Goonj and Nudi collaborated with MIT Radio to celebrate Matribhasha Diwas through a special broadcast emphasizing the importance of preserving native languages, cultural identity, and communication.	21 Feb 2025
9	Cultural Fests and Collaborations	Participation in IIMB Unmaad Fest, Horrors of Partition Day, MAHE MUN Info desk, Psyche101, and Cadenza 2025 showcased inter-club partnerships and student leadership in creative domains	21 Feb 2025
10	Think-Cell Workshop	in the Think-Cell Workshop conducted by the Consulting Club at Manipal, participants were introduced to the Think-Cell add-in for PowerPoint, a tool widely used in consulting for creating clean, data-driven slides. The session covered core features like automated chart creation, agenda building, and layout tools that streamline deck preparation. Attendees	27 Feb 2025

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		followed along in real time, learning how to efficiently design professional-grade presentations with speed and precision.	
11	Product Management and AI Workshop	in the Product Management and AI Workshop conducted by the Consulting Club at Manipal, participants explored how AI is reshaping the product lifecycle from user research and roadmap planning to feature design and performance tracking. The session covered core PM principles and real-world use cases where AI enhances product decisions. Through hands-on discussions and scenario-based learning, attendees gained a modern perspective on building tech products in the AI era.	04 Mar 2025
12	Joy of Giving	an outreach initiative that included sports events, performances, and orphanage visits to share joy and encourage compassion among students and children.	28 Mar 2025
13	BCG x Bain Workshop	an exclusive Fireside Chat hosted by the Consulting Club at Manipal featured MIT alumni Chandraraj Singh and Shresht Singh, currently working at Bain and BCG. The session offered unfiltered insights into life at top-tier consulting firms, the transition from campus to consulting, and how to stand out in recruitment. From navigating case interviews to thriving in high-pressure environments, the speakers shared personal anecdotes and answered questions with honesty and depth making it a truly enriching experience for all aspiring consultants.	03 Apr 2025
14	Monopoly	in the Monopoly Strategy Game hosted by the Consulting Club at Manipal, participants were assigned real-world companies and competed in a simulated tech auction. Each team strategically bid for emerging technologies that aligned with their company's goals, followed by a case round where they pitched how their chosen tech would drive business growth and competitive advantage. The event blended strategic thinking, business acumen, and creative pitching in a fast-paced, engaging format.	04 Apr 2025
15	ADA Dramatics – Theatrica and Tathastu	ADA Dramatics presented Theatrica, a collection of three short plays, and Tathastu, a street play highlighting student life and aspirations showcasing expressive theatre as a medium for dialogue and creativity.	18 Apr 2025
16	Kavi Se Sabhi Tak	an online Hindi poetry series on Instagram that gave young poets a platform to share original works. The series received over 10,000+ views on select performances, promoting creative expression and linguistic appreciation	22 May 2025
17	Ram Navami	the Ram Navami event at the VGT Temple featured eight classical performances celebrating bhakti through music and dance. The event aligned with SDGs 4 and 11 by nurturing cultural education and community engagement.	04 Jun 2025
18	Industry Reports	the club developed comprehensive industry reports across four major sectors Technology, FMCG, Retail, and BFSI. The work involved analyzing market trends, competitive landscapes, consumer behavior, and emerging opportunities. Each report	15 Jun 2025

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		included data-driven insights, key growth drivers, challenges, and strategic recommendations tailored to the sector.	
19	Mahakumbh Yoga Week Quiz	Held on 20 Jun 2025, this online quiz tested participants' knowledge about yoga and its significance. Conducted jointly by Goonj and LDQ, the event encouraged awareness about wellness and mindfulness.	20 Jun 2025
20	Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan	On 28 Jun 2025, Goonj participated in an awareness session on substance abuse through poetry performances, promoting responsible and healthy living.	28 Jun 2025
21	Publications and Podcasts (Blank 101)	Blank 101 launched newsletters (the Newsletter, Spooksletter), podcasts (Symphony 101, Case Files 101), and insightful articles exploring diverse themes like perfectionism, comedy, and historical oddities, advancing creativity, literacy, and dialogue.	14 Aug 2025
22	Manga and Anime Club Activities	Flagship events like Shonen Fest, MAHE MUN NetFest, and MARInE. AI Hackathon demonstrated creativity, innovation, and design collaboration in visual culture and technology.	15 Aug 2025
23	Janmashtami Celebration	Held on 15 and 16 August 2025, this event at the VGT Temple included cultural performances, seva counters, and a grand Rath Yatra. The celebration exemplified teamwork, devotion, and community participation.	15 Aug 2025
24	Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration	A large-scale celebration organized by Mafia, Goonj, Rotaract, and MIT Radio with cultural showcases, live coverage, and community stalls.	26 Aug 2025
25	Cultural Collaborations and Performances	A series of performances by Mafia across events such as MAHE MUN, Freshers' Talent Hunt, 5 KM Run for Mental Health, Dandiya Night, and Hult Prize promotional events. Each initiative promoted wellness, creativity, and sustainable partnerships.	25 Sep 2025
27	Durga Pooja and Navratri – Jhoom '25	Held from 25 Sep to 01 Oct 2025, this multi-day celebration brought together performances, rituals, and collaborations among various clubs. ArtPod and Goonj jointly designed the pandal, integrating sustainability and traditional art. The event fostered creativity, devotion, and cultural unity.	30 Sep 2025
28	Case Comp Workshop	The Board members conducted a workshop for first- and second-year students to introduce them to case competitions, share experiences, and guide them on how to prepare winning decks	01 Oct 2025

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29	Jan Samvad	The "Jan Samvad" workshop, held on 10 Jan 2025 at MIT Manipal, aimed to improve students' public speaking and debating skills. About 30 students participated in this open forum designed to help them express their ideas confidently. The event featured leadership talks, debate training, and a moderated discussion on AI and employment in India. Overall, it successfully enhanced students' confidence, communication abilities, and debate skills.	01 Oct 2025
30	Inktober	A month-long art challenge by ArtPod, encouraging daily creativity and consistent practice. Member artworks were showcased online, fostering artistic discipline and community interaction.	01 Oct 2025
31	Kalakriya Initiatives (Kalanjali Flashmob, Partition Remembrance, Kalarav, Annual Day)	Kalakriya celebrated classical music and dance through spontaneous flashmobs, flagship shows like Kalarav 2025, and cultural performances.	02 Oct 2025
32	Orphanage Visit	Students visited a local orphanage on 10 Apr 2025, conducting art and music activities with children, emphasizing compassion and social responsibility.	04 Oct 2025
33	Deepotsav 2025	Organized on 21 Oct at the Venugopal Temple, the Diwali celebration featured bhajans, diya lighting, and aarti — symbolizing harmony and togetherness in the MIT community	21 Oct 2025
34	Graveyard Grooves (Halloween Event)	A collaborative event by ArtPod and Chords andCho featuring themed performances, live music, face painting, and a handcrafted photobooth. The event creatively merged art and music.	23 Oct 2025
35	Menstrual Hygiene Awareness Program	Project Mudra, in collaboration with Akshata Foundation, conducted an educational session at SMS. School, Brahmavar, focusing on menstrual health, hygiene, and stigma reduction among children.	29 Oct 2025

Inter Institution

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Administration			
1	Atharva, TAPMI	Participated in the Group Dance Competition at TAPMI's cultural fest and secured 2nd place.	17 Jan 2025
2	All India Political Parties Meet (AIPPM), MAHE- MUN	The Goonj Club hosted the All India Political Parties Meet (AIPPM) during MAHE-MUN on 18 and 19 Jan 2025 at TMA	18 Jan 2025

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		Pai Hall. The session focused on rising violence against women, drawing strong participation across campus. Chaired by Aansh Malkan with Samarth Agrawal and Aditya Nigam, the event included an Opening Ceremony, General Speakers' List discussions, and a Moderated Caucus featuring thoughtful debates between ruling and opposition parties. The committee concluded by drafting a resolution to improve women's safety. The event promoted awareness, dialogue on gender-based violence, and youth engagement in shaping social change.	
3	MAHE MUN Opening	Chords and Co. participated in the MAHE-MUN opening event, where we performed a short musical set. This was a great opportunity for us to introduce our club to the MUN participants and set an energetic tone for the conference. Number of participants- 4-piece band Relevant.	18 Jan 2025
4	Linquiztics '25	LDQ's flagship event, where we hosted several students from MAHE and elsewhere, to participate in a series of quizzes and literary events.	14 Feb 2025
5	Ergo '25	LDQ's category at MIT's cultural fest Revels, where we hosted quizzes, JAM, and a debate tournament.	12 Mar 2025
6	TEDx MAHE Collaboration	A Naqaab team participated in MCH's 5-hour filmmaking competition on the theme "Stories within Stories." A 3-member WorkComm team scripted, shot, and edited a complete short film within the allotted time and secured 1st Place. All production tasks were executed using existing club equipment, with no expenses incurred	22 Mar 2025
7	UTSAV is MAHE's vibrant annual cultural fest, bringing together students from all its constituent colleges for several days of music, dance, art, theatre, and literary competitions.	MAFIA had a wonderful time at UTSAV, where the team put their heart into a wide range of events and truly enjoyed the experience. The highlight of the fest was winning in the Eastern Vocal Group, a moment that made the entire club proud. Along with this big achievement, the team also took part in many other events, including Western Vocal Solo, Eastern Vocal Solo, Western Vocal Group, Creative Jam, Cultural Parade, Collage Making, Pottery, and even making props for the fashion show.	24 Mar 2025
8	Utsav	Secured 1st place in Eastern Group Dance. Also participated in Solo Eastern Dance.	25 Mar 2025
9	Utsav (MIME)	ADA Dramatics did a satire mime on the topic of unemployment.	26 Mar 2025
10	Utsav 2025 (KMC Fest)	The club showcased multiple performances, including a street play on data privacy and a Mad-Ads act. Scripts explored digital safety, misinformation, and conscious online behavior	28 Mar 2025

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		while encouraging creative delivery through humour and audience interaction.	
11	Invictus is the annual cultural and sports fest organized by Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal, known for its vibrant atmosphere and wide array of competitive events. The fest brings together students from various colleges, celebrating talent across music, dance, arts, and athletics.	Our club proudly won in the Eastern Solo Singing competition (1st position) and the Battle of the Bands (2nd position), where our performers showcased exceptional musical talent and stage presence. Both events saw enthusiastic participation and high-energy performances, offering a great platform for our members to represent the club and connect with a diverse artistic community.	08 Apr 2025
12	Invictus 2025 (KMC Cultural Fest)	AAINA performed the streetplay "Vyavastha Ki Awastha," addressing healthcare system gaps, followed by the centrestage production "Hayavadana." the fest provided a competitive theatre environment across MAHE institutions and encouraged artistic exchange.	12 Apr 2025
13	MAHE-MUN	MAHE-MUN 2025, held from 15 to 17 August at Academic Block 3, MIT, was successfully organized by Goonj in collaboration with MAHE-MUN, featuring the Lok Sabha committee. The agenda focused on "Evaluating New Tax Policies and Growing Concerns about Unemployment, Poverty, and the Economy," along with a surprise agenda on the India–Pakistan armed conflict and its impact on national security and welfare.	15 Aug 2025
14	Centre Stage for MUN	The room was filled with laughter as two short sit-com plays were performed, inspired by the skits of Kanan Gill and Kenny Sebastian for the MAHE MUN	16 Aug 2025
15	Anti-Ragging General Quiz	MAHE reached out to LDQ, requesting our quizzing team to host a general quiz at KMC targeting the student populace to educate them on the anti-ragging policies of the institution and the importance of nurturing our juniors.	17 Aug 2025
16	MCH Dastaan – 5-Hour Short Film Competition	Naqaab collaborated with TEDx MAHE by filming behind-the-scenes footage for the "Portrait of a Mind" event. Members documented preparations, speaker interactions, and event flow, gaining valuable professional exposure. The collaboration strengthened creative partnerships within MAHE.	23 Aug 2025
17	Collaboration with TEDx Manipal	Chords and Co. had the privilege of collaborating with TEDx Manipal during their flagship event. We prepared and	24 Aug 2025

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		performed a 20-minute setlist at the Library Auditorium. Our performance added a vibrant touch to the sessions, complementing the atmosphere of innovation and idea-sharing.	
18	Tarang face painting (in collaboration with VSO)	A collaborative community-oriented event organized by ArtPod in association with the volunteering organization VSO was held as part of Tarang, bringing together creativity and social engagement in a lively, child-friendly setting. The initiative showcased ArtPod's artistic versatility while supporting VSO's mission of community outreach and youth engagement.	03 Oct 2025
19	Mythology Quiz	LDQ held a mythology quiz centering on multicultural knowledge of various mythologies. The quiz was open, seeing participation from MAHE and nearby colleges such as NITK	24 Oct 2025
Physics			
1	Advanced Functional Materials and Applications 2025 (ICAFMA-202), organized jointly by the Department of Physics and the Department of Chemistry,	ICAFMA-2025 highlighted the most recent developments in physics, chemistry, and engineering of functional materials and their applications with an ultimate goal to catalyze innovative technological transformations. It provided a platform for researchers, academicians, students, and industry professionals to share knowledge, exchange ideas, and discuss the latest developments in advanced functional materials. The conference was supported by a symposia/workshop grant from Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF), Government of India.	02 Jan 2025
2	Condensed Matter Physics and Applications -CMPA 2025	National Conference on Condensed Matter Physics is an annual event of the Department, and CMPA 2025 is the 13th in the series. This conference will provide a platform for academicians, teachers, and young researchers to interact with distinguished scientists in the field and to learn about the latest developments in the field of Condensed Matter Physics. It aims at kindling interest in the minds of young students to pursue research as their career. It is anticipated that the Conference will expand research opportunities and promote interdisciplinary collaboration among the participants.	08 Dec 2025

Outside University

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Administration			
1	Christ University Debate Tournament	Held annually by Christ University, Bangalore. It is one of India's Premier Asian Parliamentary Debate Tournaments.	17 Jan 2025
2	MAHE MUN Dance Performance	The inauguration performance for MAHE MUN 2025 was conducted on the event's opening day and involved a team of trained classical dancers from the club. The preparation for the performance included choreography sessions, music selection, rehearsals, and stage coordination to ensure a smooth and impactful presentation.	18 Jan 2025
3	Environmental Awareness Program	Around 30 members, including both NSS volunteers and Nudi club members, participated in this beach cleaning event, which was held at Kapu Beach in the Udupi district. We took a bus to Kapu Beach for a beach cleaning event conducted by NSS in collaboration with the Nudi club. in Kapu Beach, we collected about 15 bags sacs of trash, covering the entire stretch of Kapu Beach/Light house beach.	22 Jan 2025
4	Beach Cleaning	The Environmental Awareness Program was conducted on 22 Jan 2025 with the aim of spreading knowledge about environmental conservation and cleanliness. The event took place at Parkala High School in collaboration with the Rotary Club Parkala. Activities Conducted: We initiated the session by addressing the students and highlighting the significance of environmental awareness. Through interactive discussions, we encouraged students to adopt eco-friendly habits such as reducing plastic usage, planting trees, and segregating waste. K Balakrishna sir of the Civil Engineering Department of MIT also gave a lecture on sustainable solutions.	22 Jan 2025

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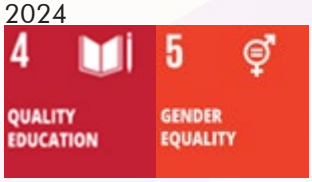
5	Christ University Quiz Tournament 	Held annually by Christ University, Bangalore. One of Karnataka's largest quizzing tournaments.	24 Jan 2025
6	UNMAAD, IIM-Bangalore 	Goonj participated in Umnaad 2025, the renowned cultural fest of IIM Bangalore held on 22 and 23 Feb. Known for its competitive spirit and vibrant atmosphere, the fest featured multiple events in which Goonj showcased strong artistic and literary talent. Members took part in Shabd Saga (Hindi–Urdu Poetry), Just A Minute, the Umnaad Quiz, Bollywood Bandits Trivia Quiz, and more.	02 Feb 2025
7	VIT VELLORE RIVIERA 2025	ADA Dramatics performed a Street play 'Kashmakash' and sent the crowd on a journey of introspection and societal awareness	19 Feb 2025
8	UNMAAD 2025 (IIM Bangalore) 	The team participated in both Street play and Centerstage segments. The street production focused on inclusivity for non-verbal and deaf communities. The centerstage play “Sukhiya Mar Gaya Bhook Se” won 1st place among national-level competing institutions and provided exposure to large inter-college theatre audiences.	21 Feb 2025
9	IIM BANGALORE - UNMAAD 2024 	ADA Dramatics took on the stage in Unmaad with Mayanagri (nukkad natak) and Lekhak Ka Kirdaar (centre stage)	22 Feb 2025
10	NIT Calicut’s annual cultural fest.	Participated in Non-thematic Group Dance at NIT Calicut’s annual cultural fest.	22 Feb 2025
11	Unmaad is IIM Bangalore’s annual cultural fest 	Unmaad, IIM Bangalore’s flagship cultural festival, features a wide range of events, one of which is the much-anticipated ‘Voice of Unmaad’. This prestigious singing competition attracts talented vocalists from various institutions, all competing on a grand stage known for its high standards and vibrant audience. in this edition, Shreyas Kumar P M from our club delivered an exceptional performance that stood out among numerous skilled	21 Mar 2025

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		participants. His vocal range, confidence, and stage presence earned him the title of First Runner-Up. This experience also reflects the spirit of UN SDG 4: Quality Education, which promotes creativity, skill development, and holistic learning beyond academics.	
12	An Art Walk was organized at the K K Hebbar Art Gallery	We organized a visit for students from our art community to the K K Hebbar Art Gallery at the Manipal Centre for Humanities, offering them a chance to immerse themselves in the works of one of India's most celebrated modern artists. This initiative supported cultural literacy and community engagement.	06 Aug 2025
13	MAHE MUN Opening Ceremony Dance Performance and Cultural Night	The opening ceremony of MAHE MUN commenced with a traditional Bharatanatyam Pushpanjali, setting a culturally rich and respectful tone for the conference. Pushpanjali, meaning "offering of flowers," symbolizes purity, gratitude, and the invocation of divine blessings before the start of an auspicious event.	15 Aug 2025
14	India ABP Fundraiser	Organized by an LDQ 4th year, this debate tournament helped fundraise for India's contingent at the Asian British Parliamentary Debate Championships.	30 Aug 2025
15	NITK Sci-Tech Quiz	Organized by NITK's literary, stage and debating club and IEEE NITK student branch, LDQ swept 1st and 2nd place.	28 Sep 2025
16	IITB Debate Tournament	The largest British parliamentary debate tournament in India. LDQ sent 10 teams, of which 2 were novice finalists, 1 was an open-semifinalist, and 1 was an open pre-quarterfinalist.	03 Oct 2025
17	A band performance was organized at Butterfly Cafe, MCHP, MAHE to promote the 5 KM Mental Health Run	As part of the 5 KM Run for Mental Health initiative, a band performance was organized to encourage dialogue, expression, and community support around mental well-being. People came together to enjoy music, and performances, fostering an inclusive and supportive environment. Following this, a Zumba session was organized, adding vibrancy to the cause. The event promoted awareness, community engagement, and emotional well-being.	04 Oct 2025

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18	Project Mudra Orphanage Visit	Project Mudra took place on 14 Oct 2025 at the Planet Mars Foundation, focusing on engaging underprivileged children through music. The performance featured a fusion of four trained classical musicians, blending Carnatic and Hindustani classical traditions to create a harmonious and culturally rich presentation. The repertoire included intricate ragas Hindolam and Malkauns, rhythmic tala Rupakam, and compositions like the Carnatic kriti Saraswati Vidhiyuvathi and Hindustani bandish Kanha Karat Mose. The performance format included a meditative alapana, carefully choreographed melodic passages, and an energetic taan exchange, encouraging active listening and appreciation among the young audience. The children, along with staff and volunteers, responded with enthusiastic engagement, demonstrating the success of the event in creating emotional and cultural resonance. This activity aligns with SDG 4: Quality Education, by fostering cultural literacy and holistic learning among children, and SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities, by providing access to artistic experiences for underprivileged communities. Overall, the event highlighted the role of classical music as a medium of outreach, education, and social connection.	14 Oct 2025
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20	Welfare Visit to Asare	our team collaborated with RedX Manipal to visit Asare, a rehabilitation home supporting individual with autism and Down syndrome. The visit focused on meaningful	15 Oct 2025

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		engagement through interactive activities and compassionate service. Volunteers served a wholesome lunch to the residents, ensuring a warm and inclusive dining experience. We conducted enjoyable games such as vegetable painting, encouraging creativity, and pass the ball, promoting coordination and joy. The collaboration strengthened community bonds and provided a valuable opportunity to contribute to the emotional well-being and social development of the residents at Asare.	
21	KMC Quiz Series 	KMC held a series of quizzes as part of the Inquizition fest, where LDQ won 2nd in the gaming quiz and 3rd in the Game of Thrones quiz	20 Oct 2025
22	KMC LitCipher 	KMC's annual literary fest. LDQ won 1st place in the letter-writing contest.	20 Oct 2025
23	BITS Goa – Waves 2025 	in Nov 2025, Chords and Co proudly represented Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) at Waves 2025, the annual cultural festival of BITS Pilani, Goa Campus	30 Nov 2025
24	Waves, BITS Goa	Took to the stages of BITS Goa with unmatched energy, winning 1st place in Natyanjali (Thematic) and finishing as 3rd runners-up in Natyanjali (Non-Thematic).	31 Oct 2025
25	BITS Goa Waves 	BITS Goa's cultural fest features a series of quizzes hosted by their quizzing society. LDQ participated, winning 1st in the TLC quiz, 1st and 4th in the Pop culture quiz, 3rd in the MELAS quiz, 4th in the Vices quiz, and 4th in the Open quiz.	31 Oct 2025
26	Waves is the annual cultural festival of BITS Pilani 	MAFIA had an unforgettable time at Waves, BITS Goa, where the team took part in events like Silence of the Amps, Indian Rock, Solonote, Jukebox, Artathon, Scribble to Story, Kickstart, and more. The club won 1st place in Silence of the Amps, and Gautam Bhatia also won 1st place in Solonote with a great performance. MAFIA even reached the finals in Artathon and Jukebox, which made everyone really proud. Every event pushed the team to try new things and enjoy the experience, making the whole fest fun,	31 Oct 2025

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		exciting, and truly memorable. This spirit of creativity and cultural celebration also reflects UN SDG 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities, which supports cultural participation and vibrant community experiences.	
27	BITS GOA WAVES 2025	ADA Dramatics took on the stage at Waves, BITS GOA with Mayanagiri (Nukkad Natak- 3rd Position), Court Martial (Rangmanch – 1st Position) and Daayan (Rangmanch)	31 Oct 2025
28	Indian Rock (BITS Goa – Waves 2025) 	This competition was a high-energy band event that celebrated rock music and creative performance	01 Nov 2025
29	South Atlantic Debating Championship 	A global debating tournament hosted in Brazil. LDQ sent a team of 2nd years that reached the novice finals.	01 Nov 2025
30	Rifaagat BPD 	A British parliamentary debate tournament hosted by the Zakir Hussain Delhi College. LDQ sent one adjudicator, that won best judge and panelled at the grand finals	08 Nov 2025
31	Silence of the Amps (BITS Goa – Waves 2025) 	This unplugged event featured acoustic sets emphasizing raw vocals and harmony. The event highlighted the club's ability to adapt across genres and performance formats.	30 Nov 2025
32	SoloNote (BITS Goa – Waves 2025) 	This was a solo singing competition that showcased talented vocalists from across India.	30 Nov 2025
School of Computer Engineering			
1	Participated in IIM Bengaluru's Cultural Fest Unmaad in Feb 2025	A nation-wide event where over 250+ participants registered for round 1. Unmaad at an offline round on 22 Feb, in front of famous poet and performer Chirag Anjaana. The student secured second prize in the competition.	22 Feb 2025
2	Campus Connect 2025 Quiz!	Participated in Microsoft Campus Connect 2.0 (2025) and was recognized as one of the All-India Quiz Winners. The	05 Jun 2025

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		event offered an enriching learning experience through hands-on workshops, industry-led sessions, and real-world career insights across domains such as artificial intelligence, software engineering, cybersecurity, design, and consulting. A key highlight was the opportunity to interact with the Microsoft University Recruiting Team during the coffee chat sessions, which provided valuable guidance on career pathways. Winning the national-level quiz was a rewarding outcome of the event.	

Photo Archive of Important Events

Department of Civil Engineering organized Program Earth Day 2025: Our Power, Our Planet

Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, MIT Manipal, in collaboration with Wipro GE Healthcare, inaugurated the Centre for Research in Medical Device Technology

The Department of Mechatronics organized the Geoverse 25 Flagship Event.

The Department of Civil Engineering organized a two-day International Conference on "New Horizons in Civil Engineering – Sustainable Innovative Materials and Emerging Technologies (NHCE–SIMET 2025)"

Department of Biotechnology organized 2nd International Conference - SYMBIOT '25 (Symphony of Medicine, Biological Sciences and Omics Technologies) and Post-Conference Workshops. Chief Guest Mr Ramgopal Rao.

Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering organized Intel Unnati Lab inauguration

Department of Chemical Engineering organized CHEMIGNITE 2K25 -Sustainable Development Conference. Keynote Speaker - Professor T V Ramachandra, IISC Bengaluru

Department of Mechatronics organized the 4th International Conference on Robotics, Control, Automation, and AI (RCAAI-2025)

Centre of Excellence in Avionics and Navigation

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 25 January 2016
Inception Date 01 February 2016 [Rename by GOI on 17 September 2018]

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Members: Kamlesh Kumar, Dr Pallavi M, and Dr Satish Shenoy B

Brief About the Centre
The Centre of Excellence in Avionics and Navigation was established within the Department of Aeronautical and Automobile Engineering at Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) with substantial backing from Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) and critical resources from the National Technical Research Organization (NTRO). This centre is dedicated to fostering research, innovation, and technological advancements in the field of avionics.

With a strong emphasis on cutting-edge aerospace technologies, the centre has played a pivotal role in the development, integration, and incubation of advanced avionics systems. Among its key projects are Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS), Flight Controllers, Communication Systems, and specialized hardware for UAV Avionics. These initiatives focus on improving UAV capabilities for various applications, including surveillance, reconnaissance, and disaster management.

Several of the centre's developments have been successfully tested in real-world scenarios. Notably, trials have been conducted at DARC Dehradun, a significant hub for defense and research testing, and the centre's UAV technologies have been deployed in flood surveillance operations in Coorg, demonstrating their practical impact. With a vision for continuous growth, the centre is committed to pushing the boundaries of avionics research and innovation.

Vision: Continuously build, integrate, and strengthen technological and incubation capacities in the area of Avionics.

Mission
- To develop technologies and incubation capacities to design and develop, manufacture and deploy indigenous and customized drones.
- To drain a skilled workforce and a critical mass of researchers through continuous and tailored short-term programs and research projects.
- To transmute the centre into an active nodal research centre for Avionics and support national security and development.

Objectives
- Design, Develop, and Deploy the Drones.
- Development of indigenous avionics systems and software to support the nation.
- Incubate experts from industries, institutions, and organizations to support research activities.
- PG Program, Certificate Course, UG Program, Minor Specialization, Training and Capacity Development with the development of Research Facilities.

Activities at the Centre
Centre monitors and provides the research facility, research and development, training, and research publications-conferences/journals/patents under the following labs are the theme of centre progress, activities, and research:

1. Avionics Lab and Avionics System Engineering Lab
2. Automatic Flight Control System Lab
3. Embedded System-Software Safety and Security Lab
4. Antenna Design and Wireless Communication Lab
5. Sensors Data and Handling Lab.
   - Virtual Internship to outside engineering college students [10 students]
   - Facilities access for project execution and laboratory: AeroMIT, MTech
   - Drone Activity for SEVC 2025

Research Activities

- Student access for research facility-Aero MIT
- MTech student academic and research
- Test Rig Design for new academic needs and research purposes in future
- Test Rig Design 01: Electrical, DAQ, Thermal 2
- Test Rig Design 02: RF, EMI/EMC 3
- Test Rig Design 03: Multipurpose- Autonomous System capable of computer vision, flight control, Communication, UAV test Rig, Thermal Data
- Autonomous UAV System design using Composite for Fertilizer Spray and Seed bombing [BTech Project completed]
- Engine Driven Generator Design for UAV [BTech Project completed]
- Training MTech Avionics Students, UG Aeronautical for UAV and Robotics System
- Research facilities upgraded to their associated labs are:
  - Unitree Quadruped Robot Research
  - Multi-domain System Simulation Software (SimulationX)-Training completed in 2025
  - STMicroelectronics Embedded Artificial Intelligence, STMicroelectronics Edge and AI Developer, NanoEdge AI-Training completed in 2025
  - Xilinx Vivado ML Enterprise Edition Software
  - New simulator design and activities under Avionics Lab
  - Upgraded **SIMULIA CST Studio Suite**

Research Publication

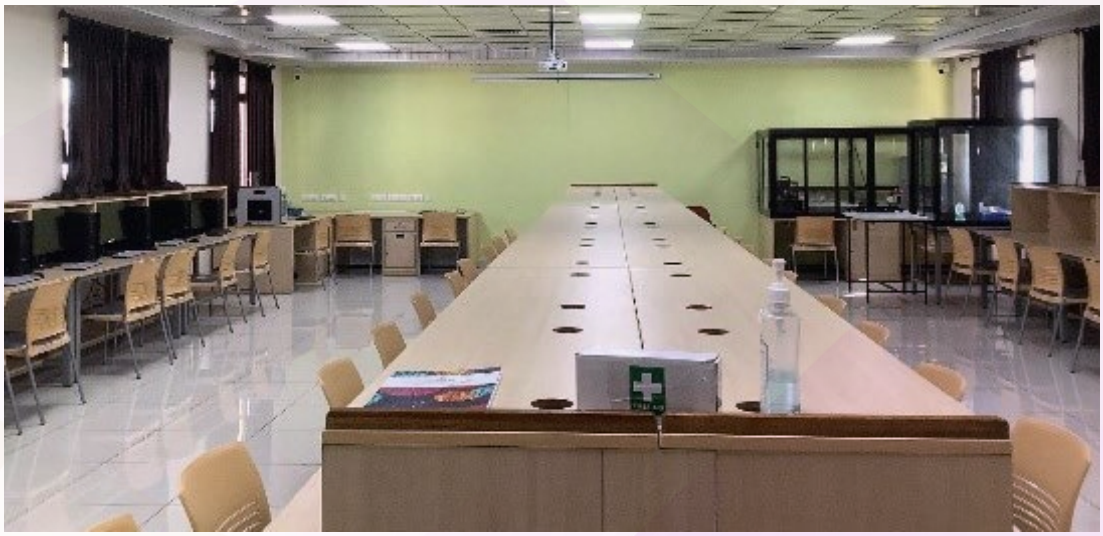
Q1 Journal (06)
Patents (04)
Conference (03)

Any SDG-related activities

- Multi-domain System Simulation Software (SimulationX)-Training completed in January 2025
- STMicroelectronics Embedded Artificial Intelligence, STMicroelectronics Edge & AI Developer, NanoEdge AI-Training completed in January 2025
- One-month summer internship on "Antenna Designing for Aviation Applications using Ansys HFSS" to intercollegiate UG students (08 June 2025 to 07 July 2025).
- Quadcopter Design, Integration and Flight Training (Training for PG students on Quadcopter) - Hands-on Training to PG students, Research Scholars, and Faculty members. (29/09/2025 to 30/09/2025).

Awards and Recognition: Completed two PhD associated with Centre.

Photo Gallery



MIT – KEF R&D Centre

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Members: Dr Anil Rana, Director MIT
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Dr Avinash A R

Brief About the Centre

The education part of the centre will be imparting advanced skills to research scholars, professional engineers, students, and other stakeholders of the construction industry. The centre aims to facilitate researchers and practising civil engineers with state-of-the-art testing facilities for structural members and construction materials, which will help them deliver quality in construction projects efficiently and reliably. This centre is designed to suit the requirements of all the stakeholders involved in the construction industry, with operational activities like planning, construction, procurement, and logistics planning. This centre aims to provide education to students and research scholars on building components that can resist seismic loads, wind loads, and dynamic loads using commercially available software such as STAAD, ETABS, COMSOL, and Bentley BIM.

Availability of a full-scale testing facility, which includes: Servo UTM – 1200 kN capacity; Loading frame – 2000 kN capacity; Electric furnace – 1200 ºC capacity; CTM – 5000 kN capacity; fatigue testing facility; pre-tensioning platform with jack – 30 tonne capacity; and a dedicated casting yard to accommodate production of modern concretes. The facility also houses the Centre for Excellence Design and Consultancy Cell, Civil Department, MIT, MAHE, which, along with the expertise of the faculty, provides consultancy for various public and private organizations. The facility also provides technical support to conduct field visits to schools and colleges, and provides stability reports, which are mandatory for statutory compliance.

Vision: Identifying funding and executing programs necessary to advance the precast industry

Mission: Facilitating research into new products more closely tailored to customer needs and local market requirements

Objectives

1. To enrich the curriculum of the civil engineering and architecture program by introducing in-depth modules on off-site and modular construction, drawing from its veritable experience in the field of smart construction.
2. To provide budding engineers with practical know-how about off-site construction– The future of the global infrastructure and construction industry.

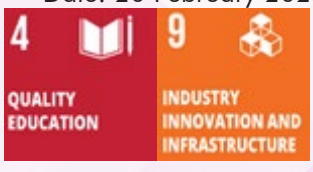
Activities at the Centre

1. International Conference 'New Horizons in Civil Engineering: Sustainable Innovative Materials and Emerging Technologies (NHCE-SIMET)' Date: 30 and 31 October 2025

   Venue: MIT-KEF R&D Centre, MIT, Manipal

2. Workshop titled 'Building Information Modelling (BIM) Fundamentals, Applications, and Use Cases' In partnership with Ar Vijayadurga Koppisetti, CEO, Architude

   Date: 20 February 2025



3. One-Day post Conference Workshop

   Title: One-Day Post Conference Workshop on Material Characterization Techniques in Civil Engineering
   Date: 12 March 2025

Research Activities

The following research activities are currently being conducted by students at our Centre.

The testing facilities at the Structural Engineering Laboratory were utilized for the research work titled "Investigation of Strength and Shrinkage Properties of No Aggregate Concrete."
Outcome: PhD award

The testing facilities at the Concrete and Highway Material Testing Laboratory were utilized for the Research work titled "Durability Properties of No Aggregate Concrete Subjected to Aggressive Environments."
Outcome: PhD award

Ongoing PhD works

1) Production of artificial aggregates using palletization and crushing techniques
2) Use of recycled concrete aggregates in manufacturing sustainable solid masonry concrete blocks
3) Bond strength assessment of alkali-activated material-based concrete under corrosive conditions
4) Symbiotic effects of coffee husk ash incorporated alkali-activated mortar on qualitative, durability, and sustainable characteristics
5) Mechanical, durability, and microstructure properties of self-healing concrete utilizing agro-industrial waste
6) Optimization of mix design for alkali-activated concrete
7) Effect of polypropylene fibers on strength and durability performance of M-sand self-compacting concrete
8) Corrosion of reinforcing bars in RCC structures
9) Synergetic effect of binary, ternary, and quaternary binders on microstructural, mechanical, and durability aspects of EAF aggregate high-performance concrete system
10) Properties of alkali-activated masonry units incorporating Linz-Donawitz steel slag aggregates and Mangalore tile waste.

Photo Gallery:

Inauguration of International Conference on New Horizons in Civil Engineering – Sustainable Innovative Materials and Emerging Technologies (NHCE-SIMET-2025)

Workshop- BIM Fundamentals, Applications, and Use Case

Workshop on Material Characterization Techniques in Civil Engineering

Non-Destructive Testing at Kundapura

Non-Destructive Testing Laboratory

Center for Marketing Advances

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 16 August 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Smitha Nayak

Brief About the Centre:

Vision:
To be a center of excellence in the sphere of knowledge development and knowledge dissemination within the domain of marketing.

Mission:
To promote research, training, and consulting in all aspects of marketing.

Objectives:

1. To serve as an interface between industry and academia, and function for mutual benefit.
2. To develop a strong industry linkage to source sponsored projects.
3. To identify emerging research issues in the field of marketing and provide a focus for such funded research.
4. To facilitate knowledge dissemination among practitioners, educators, and students.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
1	Student engagement	Max Pro Simulation	Jul to Nov 2025
2	Knowledge sharing	Resource Person for FDP on strengthening Research Skills •Workshop on undertaking a literature review	24 May 2025

Awards and Recognition:

- Best Paper award for paper titled "Embracing the paradigm shift of sustainable consumption and production practices: A global imperative for a resilient future", presented in an international conference on the theme “Socio-Economic Transformation and its Impact on Business”, organized by the School of Management Studies, Jodh Ishwar Singh University, West Bengal, India, 2024.
- Best Paper award for paper titled “From values to action: examining attitudinal determinants of pro-environmental behaviour”, presented in an international conference on sustainable synergies, organized by the Department of Commerce, MAHE, Bengaluru, on 26 –27 November 2025.

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during the conduct of **International Conference 2024** on **"Socio-Economic Transformation & its Impact on Business"** held on 9th January

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Session 2: Conducting an Effective Literature Review

Session 3: Data Analysis Using PLS-SEM (SmartPLS)

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Centre for Engineering Design Consultancy and Skill Development

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
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- Dr Shriharsha

Brief About the Centre

Vision

To excel in civil engineering consultancy and impart skills in civil engineering through teamwork.

Mission

To undertake civil engineering consultancy and conduct courses in Skill Development Training in civil engineering

Objectives

1. To provide civil engineering consultancy services in structural, geotechnical, surveying and transportation, construction and project management, and water resource engineering.
2. To identify and provide skill development training through certificate courses for Practicing engineers, Graduate engineers, working engineers, and final year undergraduate and post-graduate students.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Consultancy work has been taken up based on the availability of data submitted by the client. Interested faculty members are involved in consultancy jobs such as checking structural designs and drawings, as well as peer reviewing.	Proof checking of the structural design. Checking the stability of existing buildings and issuing reports.	Stability report for School buildings has been issued for 29 schools – revenue generated is around 4.85 lakh INR for the year 2025.

Photo Gallery

The Centre offers engineering design consultancy work in Structural Engineering, Geotechnical Engineering, Surveying, and Water Resources Engineering. The major work carried out to date is in the structural engineering domain, wherein structural stability reports of buildings are issued based on nondestructive testing and site visits, and peer review of the structural design of buildings is done.

Centre for Virtual Reality

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- Dr Arvind Pandy, KMC
- Dr Vineetha, MCODS
- Dr Shreenidhi Bhat, SCE, MIT
- Dr Asha, SME, MIT

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To establish a multidisciplinary Centre for Virtual Reality through a collaborative initiative of KMC and MIT, Manipal.

Mission: To leverage virtual reality–enabled 3D reconstruction, animation, and simulation of human anatomy to improve medical training, enhance surgical planning, and reduce procedural errors.

Objectives

1. **To support clinicians in preoperative planning and surgical procedures** through immersive visualization and simulation tools.
2. **To develop high-fidelity 3D reconstructions and visualizations of soft tissues and organs** for accurate anatomical understanding and clinical decision-making.
3. **To design and deploy interactive virtual models within a Virtual Reality environment** for training, planning, and simulation purposes.
4. **To create and maintain a comprehensive library of virtual 3D assets and anatomical objects** to enable immersive and experiential learning for medical education.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Offering an Open Elective for the IV Sem BTech students of MIT	Introduction to Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality	07 Jan 2026
2	Major Student Project – The V-aRise.	34 students in the project	(Ongoing)
3	Offered PhD proposal titled "Design and Development of a Computer-assisted Model for Surgical Wisdom Tooth Extraction"	In collaboration with the Oral and Maxillofacial Department, MCODS, Manipal	Awarded Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4	Offered PhD proposal titled "Implementation of Basic Life Support Training Module in a Health Professional setting using Virtual Reality"	MCHP student	Ongoing
5	Workshops and events organized - Introduction to unity - Course on blender	35 students participated 25 students participated	09-10 Oct 2025
6	DICOM Data visualization and interactive platform are tested.	A complete 3D Graphics Pipeline is created to support a VR environment.	
7	Hackathon organized, and 60 students were participated.	During Techtatva, 25 of our project students conducted a successful GameJam with participants from other colleges. GameJam is a five-day online game development hackathon.	08 Oct 2025
8	Journal Paper	Published in IEEE Access(Q1)	

List of Ongoing Projects/ Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Title: *Development and Validation of a Virtual Reality-Based Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation CPR Training Device with Advanced, Feedback-Driven Capabilities"*	*BIRAC-PACE grant*	Dr Hareesha KS	189.9 Lakhs	04 Jun 2025

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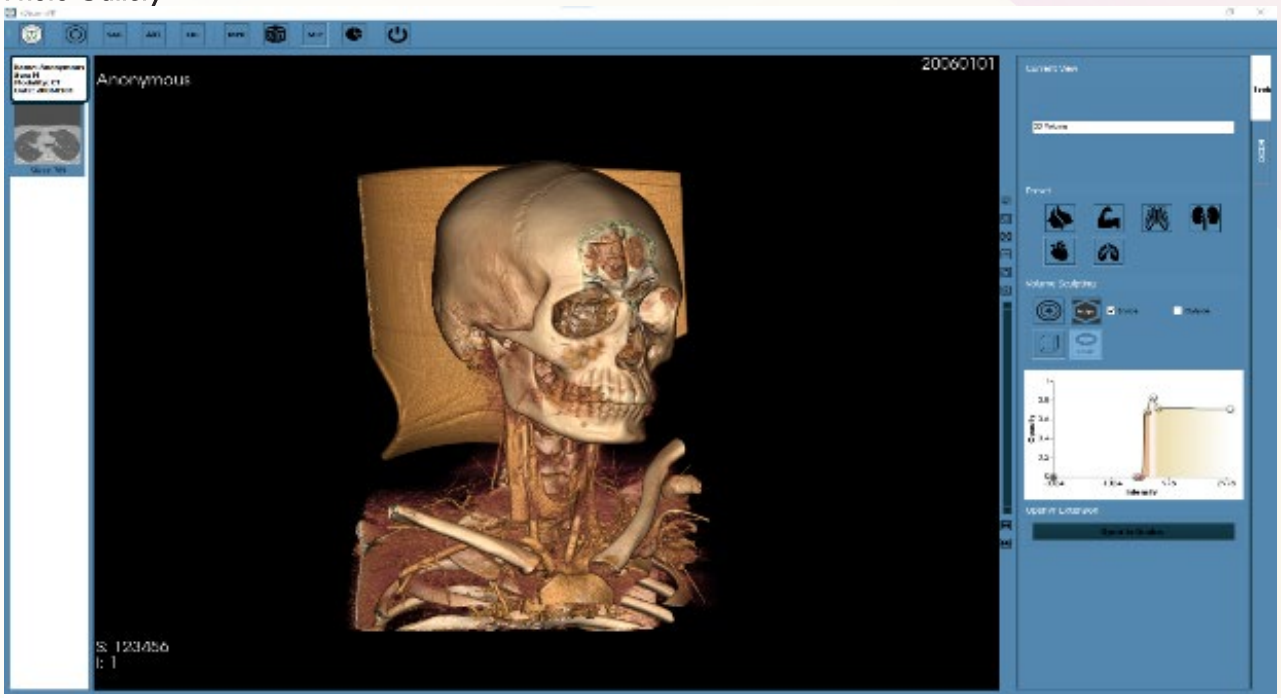

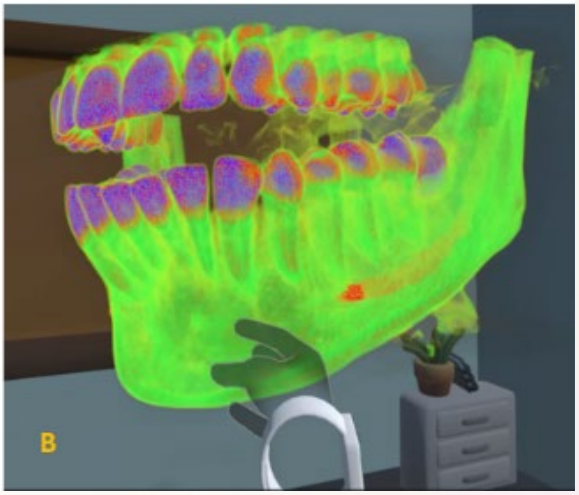

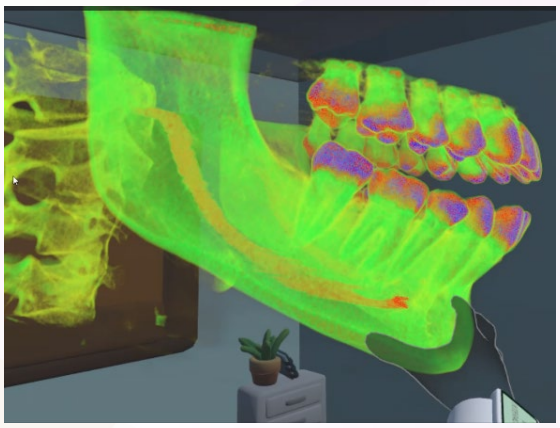

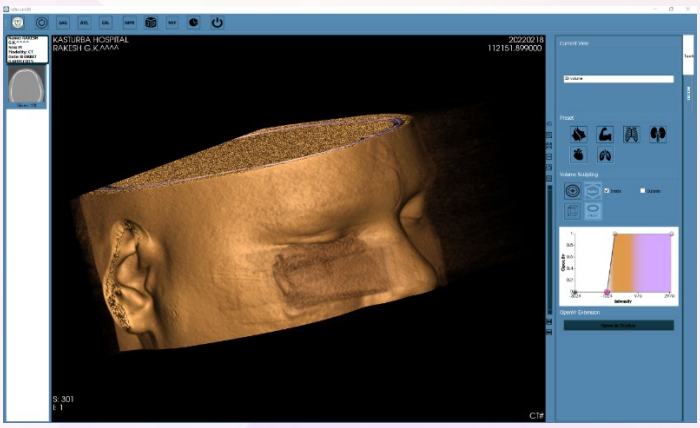

MAHE ISAC Center of Excellence for Cybersecurity

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 23 March 2022
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Members:

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2. Dr Rajesh Mahadeva
3. Dr Vidya Rao
4. Dr Vikas Singh
5. Dr Kishore B
6. Dr Yashwanth
7. Dr Srinivasan
8. Prof Sudhina Kumar G K

Brief About the Centre

The MAHE–ISAC Centre of Excellence (CoE) for Cybersecurity at MIT Manipal is a dedicated facility focused on advancing cybersecurity education, research, and hands-on training. The centre integrates Cyber Physical Systems (CPS), IoT–SCADA security labs, and real-time simulation platforms to provide practical exposure to emerging cyber threats and defense mechanisms. Its unique strength lies in industry-aligned curriculum, live cyber range environments, and scenario-based training modules that bridge the gap between academia and industry requirements. The CoE actively conducts bootcamps, certification programs, research initiatives, and government-supported cybersecurity awareness programs.

Vision: To become a leading academic and research hub in cybersecurity, fostering innovation, resilience, and secure digital transformation.

Mission: To deliver industry-relevant cybersecurity education, promote applied research, and build skilled professionals capable of addressing evolving cyber threats.

Objective: The objective of the MAHE–ISAC CoE for Cybersecurity is to provide hands-on, industry-aligned cybersecurity training through real-world simulation environments and live cyber range platforms.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Evening course basics in IoT security	Every month, the first week	
2	Evening course Handson simulation	Every month, the second week	
3	Internship (1-12 month)		
4	Kambala projects		10 Mar 2025
5	Cybersecurity awareness for KRCL employees		22 Sep 2025
6	Cybersecurity awareness for NSS units I and II		07 Oct 2025
7	Offensive bootcamp		08 Mar 2025
8	Defensive bootcamp		04 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
9	Cybersecurity awareness for PSPH MAHE		13 Oct 2025
10	NCPT and NCFI courses for BTech Fintech students		13 Feb 2025

List of ongoing projects/research grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (in INR/-)	Date
1	AICTE NCIIPC Bootcamp	AICTE	Dr Srikanth Prabhu	21,20,000	05 Dec 2025

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On 22nd September 2025, officials from KONKAN RAILWAY CORPORATION LIMITED visited at the MAHE-ISAC CoE for Cybersecurity.

Professor Srikanth Srinivas Prabhu led an insightful lab tour, showcasing our advanced cybersecurity simulations that bring together IoT, OT, and IT systems. These hands-on demonstrations highlight how real-world scenarios can be used to strengthen cybersecurity in critical infrastructure.

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🌟 We were honored to welcome Mr. Mithun, Coastal Superintendent of Police (CSP) Udupi, and Mr. Pramod, Circle Inspector of Coastal Police Malpe, to the MAHE-ISAC CoE for Cybersecurity.

Their visit focused on strengthening collaboration in cybersecurity initiatives and exploring advanced training opportunities.

We look forward to building a safer and more secure digital future together! 🔒✨

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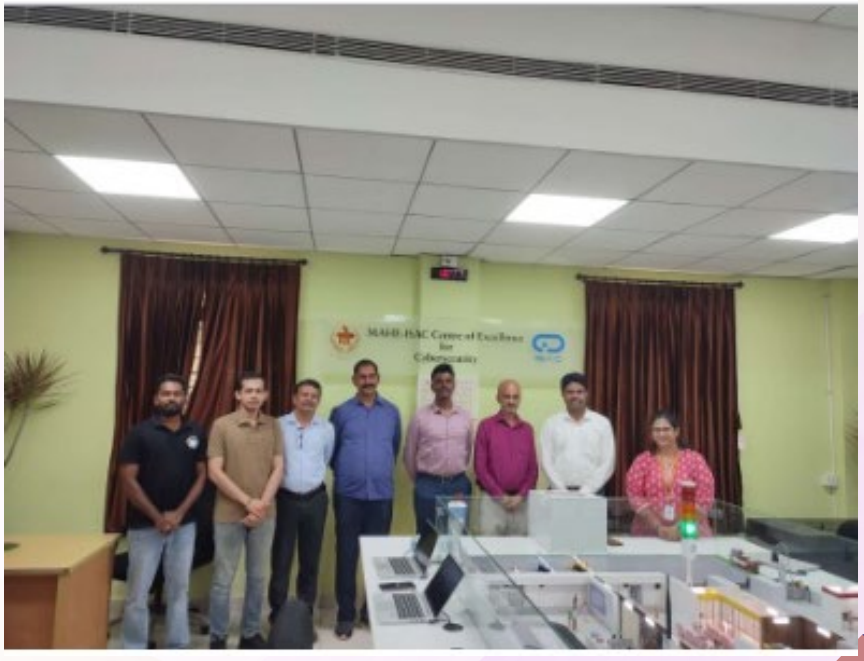

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🔐 Cybersecurity Awareness in Action!

As part of National Cybersecurity Awareness Month (October), NSS Units I & II of Manipal Institute of Technology organized an insightful "Cyber Security Experimental Learning Programme" on 7th October 2025 at the MAHE-ISAC CoE for Cybersecurity.

The session, led by Dr.Professor Srikanth Srinivas Prabhu , gave students a hands-on experience with real-world cyber threats and security practices, enhancing their awareness and practical understanding of cybersecurity.

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✨ AI meets Healthcare! ✨

An insightful session on "AI in Healthcare" was delivered by Dr. Professor Srikanth Srinivas Prabhu, Professor, School of Computer Science & Engineering, MIT, MAHE for Prasanna School of Public Health at the MAHE-ISAC CoE for Cybersecurity Centre on October 13, 2025.

The talk shed light on how Artificial Intelligence is revolutionizing healthcare — from smarter diagnostics to enhanced patient care and data-driven medical insights.

Manipal Academy of Higher Education Manipal Institute of Technology Information Sharing and Analysis Center National Security Database Tactical Cyberange Simulations Pvt Ltd. CopConnect Dr. USHA RANI (PhD) Professor Srikanth Srinivas Prabhu

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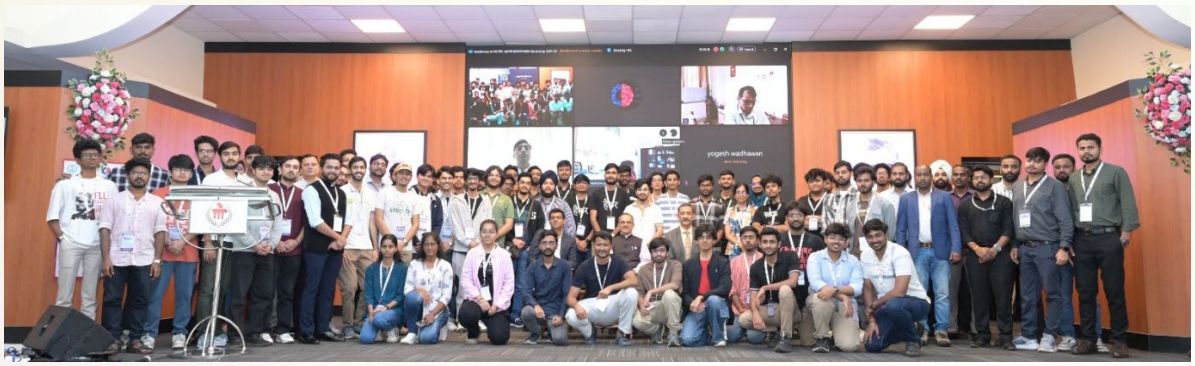
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Centre for Renewable Energy (CRE)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2022
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Murthy Dharmapura

Different research areas that are being addressed currently.
Team 1: Hydrogen technology and fuel cells (Dr Murthy Dharmapura and Team)
Team 2: Solar cells (Dr Suchand Sandeep and Team)
Team 3: Battery technology (Dr Manu Patel U M and Team)

Brief About the Centre
Vision: To make a transition towards sustainability by innovating alternative green energy technology for society and mitigating the negative effects of global warming.
Mission: To support interdisciplinary research activities between different centres/departments of MAHE with industries, to expedite innovations in the areas related to renewable energy and sustainability.

Objectives
- To develop materials and methods to reduce the overall cost of green hydrogen production and its utilization.
- To examine the efficiency and factors limiting the performance of alternate Li-free electrode materials for next-generation energy storage devices.
- To design cost-effective and solution-processable semiconductors to fabricate devices (solar cells, sensors, LEDs, and detectors).
- To develop materials and catalysts for carbon capture, utilization, and storage (CCUS).
- To facilitate interdisciplinary research activities related to renewable energy technology within MAHE and to train (Undergraduate (UG)/Postgraduate (PG)/ Doctoral (PhD)) students and faculty towards capacity building.

Activities at the Centre
- CRE organized the "International Conference on Advanced Functional Materials and Applications 2025" (ICAFMA 2025), from 2 to 4 January 2025 at MIT Manipal. This was a significant event aimed at internationalisation and advancing research and collaboration in the field of advanced functional materials. ICAFMA 2025 highlighted the most recent developments in physics, chemistry, and engineering of functional materials; including their applications, with a goal to catalyze innovative technological transformations. It provided a platform for researchers, academicians, students, and industry professionals to share knowledge, exchange ideas, and discuss the latest developments in advanced functional materials.
- On 3 February 2025, Professor Tom J Savenije from the Department of Chemical Engineering, Delft University of Technology (TU Delft), The Netherlands, delivered a talk titled "Metal Halide Perovskites for PV Applications" at MIT Manipal.
- On 7 February 2025, a one-day training workshop was conducted for Master of Science (MSc) Chemistry students on electrochemistry and analytical techniques at CRE, MIT Manipal.
- On 4 April 2025, the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) project kick-off meeting was conducted at CRE. During this event, the planning and execution of the approved project on hydrogen sensor development were discussed.
- On 22 April 2025, Researchers from Montana University, Loeben, Austria, visited the CRE and discussed for joint research activities and collaboration.
- On 26 April 2025, on the occasion of World Earth Day celebrations at MIT, Dr Murthy Dharmapura, Associate Professor, delivered a keynote address on emerging technologies and approaches in renewable energy to achieve sustainability, to a diverse audience.
- CRE hosted several dignitaries from national and international forums including the Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India, representatives and researchers from across the globe, for a discussion of the centre's research activities.

Awards & Recognition:
- Received a highly competitive research grant from MNRE to conduct advanced research on developing a real-time sensor to detect hydrogen

leaks. The technology developed through this grant will enable the expedition of hydrogen-based infrastructure for safer utilization at different levels in industry/transportation.

- On 9 July 2025, Dr Murthy Dharmapura, Associate Professor, participated as a member of the national Task Force on Future Ready Energy Education, IIT Delhi, New Delhi.
- On 11 September 2025, at MIT Manipal, Dr Murthy Dharmapura, Associate Professor, participated in the 1st Green Hydrogen R&D conference at New Delhi, India and presented the competency of MAHE in the renewable energy sector, particularly hydrogen technology.
- Initiated collaborations and submitted joint proposals with Mangalore Refinery Petrochemicals Ltd (MRPL) and Reliance Industries to the government for funding.

List of ongoing projects/ research grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Integrated Clean Energy Material Acceleration Platform (IC-MAP) on Bioenergy and Hydrogen	DST	Dr Murthy Dharmapura	1,25,00,000	March 2022 to March 2026
2	Developing smart optical sensors for ppm-level real time Hydrogen leak detection.	MNRE	Dr Murthy Dharmapura	1,00,00,000	September 2025 to October 2028
3	India–Austria bilateral research grant from	DST	Dr Murthy Dharmapura	12,00,000	June 2025 to June 2027

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Publications in reputed international journals

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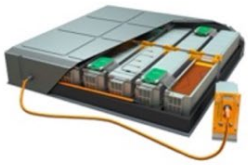
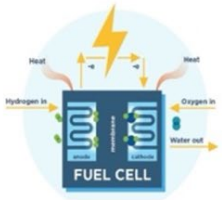
Technology areas targeted



Battery testing



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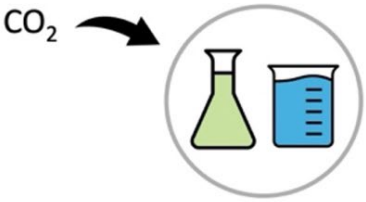

CO_2 conversion

Biomass valorization

Sensors

Presented our research activities related to energy to Shri. Dharmendra Pradhan, honorable Minister of Education, Govt. of India

Centre for Outdoor Studies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: November 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Ganesh Nayak
Members: Sagarika Bhatia, Alex Jaishvalli

Brief About the Centre

The Centre for Outdoor Studies (COS) represents India's pioneering approach to leadership education through the outdoors. Operating within MAHE's academic ecosystem, the Centre bridges experiential learning with research-driven outcomes and measurable student development.
COS addresses a critical gap in conventional education by cultivating leadership competencies that are difficult to develop in traditional settings: navigating ambiguity, building resilience and adaptability, practising empathy, making decisions under uncertainty, and engaging in collaborative problem solving. These are achieved through carefully structured outdoor curricula, including expeditions, field-based learning, reflective practice, and mentor-led instruction.

A defining strength of the Centre is its commitment to environmental stewardship and knowledge production. Student-led documentation, biodiversity assessment, and field research- ensure that learning extends beyond personal development to contribute substantively to environmental awareness and sustainable practice. The Centre's work aligns directly with multiple United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, particularly those concerning quality education, environmental sustainability, and leadership development.

By synthesizing academic rigour and experiential learning, the Centre for Outdoor Studies prepares students to think critically in ambiguous situations, collaborate effectively across differences, and act decisively under pressure while making tangible contributions to society and the natural environment.

Vision

To be recognized as pioneers in outdoor education in India by leveraging our natural heritage, interdisciplinary research capabilities, and dynamic population of students.

Mission

To enable positive outdoor experiences for young adults by responsibly providing opportunities in the wild to engage, evolve, and embrace change.

Objective

To cultivate a new generation of resourceful leaders by designing and delivering safe, transformative outdoor experiences that promote expertise in wilderness navigation and advocacy for its protection and conservation.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Credit course 4318 (Adventurer 11.1 and 11.2)	A three-week structured cycling-based outdoor leadership program culminating in an expedition through the Western Ghats. Focuses on physical endurance, teamwork, navigation, risk management, ecological awareness, and sustainable outdoor practices.	11.1 18 Aug to 21 Sep 2025 11.2 22 Aug to 02 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2	Payaniga 	Exploring the Western Ghats on foot. Visits to Kavaledurga Fort and Kurinjal Peak emphasized low-impact travel, landscape reading, biodiversity awareness, and group leadership. Payaniga develops adaptability, decision-making, and environmental sensitivity through immersive field experiences.	Kurinjal: 27 Aug 2025 Kavaledurga: 20 Sept 2025
3	Tide and Trail 	A sea kayaking program progressing from a river to the open ocean, covering kayaking fundamentals, paddling techniques, navigation, water rescue, and emergency procedures over three separate batches. Participants paddle through riverine backwaters, coastal waters, and open sea, building endurance, adaptability, and teamwork while learning about marine and coastal ecosystems and sustainable camping practices.	#1 10 to 12 Oct 2025 #2 17 to 19 Oct 2025 #3 22 and 23 Nov 2025 Finale: 30 Nov 2025
4	Adventurer + 	An advanced outdoor leadership program for experienced participants focused on expedition planning, mentoring, leadership under uncertainty, and heightened responsibility in risk assessment and decision-making. During the course, participants completed a cycling expedition from Asnoti to Gokarna, covering approximately 200 km with 2,400+ m of elevation gain, including a 100 km final-day ride.	15 Oct to 02 Nov 2025
5	Himalayas	High-altitude cycling expedition designed to build resilience, leadership, and adaptability in extreme environments, incorporating learning on mountain ecology, cultural sensitivity, and sustainable travel in fragile ecosystems. This year, a 20-day cycling expedition to Spiti Valley covered over 400 km with seven student participants, and included community engagement through volunteering with Spiti Ecosphere in Demul village, where participants supported the construction of check dams for local water conservation.	04 to 20 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
6	Ecology 	A campus-based ecological learning program focused on guided bird walks, biodiversity documentation, ethical wildlife engagement, and student-led data collection to build ecological literacy and long-term conservation awareness. During the reporting period, five bird walks engaged 50–60 students and documented 86 avian species across campus, supported by a collaborative birding ethics session with a student ecology club and expanded species records through additional field participation.	5 bird walks throughout the odd semester
7	Open Water Swimming 	An open water swimming initiative focused on endurance, risk assessment, safety protocols, and decision-making in dynamic aquatic environments. This year, COS conducted its first open water swim attempt in the Katpady backwaters, with 3 participants completing a 1.5 km swim under changing current conditions, supported by a safety kayak, contributing to foundational learning on open-water safety, environmental conditions, and program design.	06 Dec 2025
8	Adventure Documentary Film 	A collaborative effort between professionals and students team. This effort aimed at producing India's first sea kayaking documentary. Shot over three days from 29 November to 02 December in dynamic conditions off the Mattu Coast. The project is in post-production.	29 Nov to 02 Dec 2025

List of ongoing projects/research grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	Bird Survey	Ganesh Nayak	Tejas K Rao	--	
2	Cosmag Ed 4	Centre for Outdoor Studies	Sagarika Bhatia	--	Feb 2026

3	Sea Kayaking documentary	Centre for Outdoor Studies	Ganesh Nayak	2,56,000 INR	Dec 2025
4	Website	Private Funding	Sagarika Bhatia	--	Feb 2026

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The Adventurer Ed 11 October 2025

Payaniga- Kurinjal: 27 August 2025

Tide and Trail- October 2025

Adventurer +, Anshi Ghats, 02 November 2025

High Altitude Himalayan Expedition- Spiti Valley, June 2025

Ecology- MIT Campus Bird Walk

Centre for Microfluidics, Biomarkers, Photoceutics, and Sensors (μBioPS)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
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Joint Coordinators: Dr Praveen Kumar, Assistant–Selection, Biotechnology, MIT
Dr Vijendra Prabhu, Assistant–Selection, Biotechnology, MIT
Dr A S Bharath Prasad, Assistant Professor, MSLS
Dr M Mukhyaprana Prabhu, Professor and HOD, Medicine, KMC Manipal
Dr Raghavendra Upadhya, Assistant Professor, MCBR

Brief About the Centre's

Vision: To be a leader in advancing microfluidic technologies, biomarker discovery, and photoceutic innovations, revolutionizing healthcare diagnostics and therapeutics for a healthier future through interdisciplinary collaboration.

Mission: Drive cutting-edge research in microfluidics, biomarkers, and photoceutics to develop innovative, cost-effective, and accessible solutions for real-world problems. Through interdisciplinary collaboration, state-of-the-art facilities, and translational research, we aim to bridge the gap between scientific discoveries and real-world applications.

Objective: To integrate technology with healthcare, environmental, and food safety, offering a cost-effective solution in the form of an affordable, sensitive, specific, user-friendly, rapid, robust, and equipment-free prototype for the detection of analytes (biomarkers, pollutants, etc.) and pathogens, which is deliverable to end users in resource-constrained settings.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	MAHE–IIT Symposium and R Workshop	The symposium facilitated scientific advancement by bringing together students, researchers, faculty, and industry experts—including **Dr Jagadeesh Bayry (IIT Palakkad), Dr Debjani Paul (IIT Bombay), Dr Abhishek Choudhary (Premas Life Sciences), Dr Manjunath S (Cytiva), Dr Krishna Mohan Poluri (IIT Roorkee), Dr Umashankar Singh (IIT Gandhinagar), and Dr Shravanti Rampali (Ignite Life Science Foundation)**—to exchange innovations, foster interdisciplinary collaboration, and highlight emerging areas such as microfluidics and biomarkers in healthcare. It also served as a platform for institutional partnerships and provided participants with foundational training in R programming to strengthen core analytical skills.	21 Feb 2025
2.	27 Publications	**Dr Naresh Kumar Mani** 1. Advancements of paper-based microfluidics and organ-on-a-chip models in cosmetic hazards, **RSC Advances**. 2. 2D MXenes-based electrochemical sensors and supercapacitors for biomedical and energy storage applications – A review. 3. Recent advancements in point-of-care detection of contaminants and biomarkers in human breast milk: A comprehensive review, **Sensors and Actuators Reports**. 4. Microfluidic paper-based analytical extraction devices (μPAEDs): A cost-effective and portable solution for biomarkers, contaminants, and VOC detection, **Microchimica Acta**.	

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date

5. Molecular engineering of a fluorescent probe for highly efficient detection of human serum albumin in biological fluids, **Sensors International**.
6. Hair- and nail-on-chip for bioinspired microfluidic device fabrication and biomarker detection, **Critical Reviews in Analytical Chemistry**.
7. From biomarkers to biosensors: Modern approaches for the detection of matrix metalloproteinases (MMPs), **Biosensors**.
8. Highly sensitive cellulose gauze patch for the detection of morpholine coating on fruits, **Food Analytical Methods**.
9. Distance-based ratiometric assay using thread-based devices for Karaya gum detection in food samples, **Scientific Reports**.
10. Lab-on-paper for point-of-care detection of pesticides: A review, **Microchemical Journal**.
11. What's in my coffee? Do-it-yourself testing for chicory adulteration using particle trapping in stencil-based paper devices, **ACS Omega**.

Dr Praveen Kumar

1. Targeting triple-negative breast cancer: Resistance mechanisms and therapeutic advancements, **Cancer Medicine**.

Dr Vijendra Prabhu

1. Fluorescence in probing the biochemical and conformational changes in non-enzymatically glycated proteins, **Applied Spectroscopy Reviews**.
2. Streptococcus spp. in oral cancer: Host–microbe interactions, mechanistic insights, and diagnostic implications, **Frontiers in Cellular and Infection Microbiology**.

Dr Raghavendra Upadhya

1. Extracellular vesicle-mediated approaches for the diagnosis and therapy of MASLD: Current advances and future prospects, **Lipids in Health and Disease**.
2. Inflammatory priming of mesenchymal stromal cells enhances its secretome potential through secretion of anti-inflammatory and ECM-modulating factors, **Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications**.
3. Neprilysin regulates the progression of glioblastoma: An in-vitro study using siRNA-mediated gene silencing and HDAC1-mediated upregulation in U87 MG cells, **Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry**.
4. Regulation of chronic neuroinflammation through dietary herbal products, **Frontiers in Nutrition**.
5. Role of flow cytometry in the rapid assessment of organ-specific toxicity, **Flow Cytometry: Applications in Cellular and Molecular Toxicology**.

Dr Bharath Prasad A S

1. Assessment of biocompatibility for citric acid crosslinked starch elastomeric films in cell culture applications, **Scientific Reports**.
2. Characterization of microbiome diversity unveils substantial microbial variations in mangrove soil sediments from coastal regions of Malaysia, **Access Microbiology**.

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		3. Fabrication of a disposable microextraction analytical tool for in-vitro detection of Staphylococcus bacterial pathogens using metabolite emission, **RSC Advances**. **Dr Mukhyaprana M Prabhu** 1. A rare case of quadrivalvular infective endocarditis, **Case Reports in Medicine**. 2. Assessment of burnout among healthcare practitioners in India: A survey-based nationwide study, **Journal of the Association of Physicians of India**. 3. Comparative analysis of convolutional neural network and U-Net segmentation models for Alzheimer's disease detection, **IAENG International Journal of Computer Science**. 4. Designing a meditation module to affect etiological and preventative factors in primary hypertensive patients: A pilot study, **Physiological Reports**. 5. Early detection of Alzheimer's disease progression: Comparative evaluation of deep learning models, **Scientific Reports**. 6. Therapeutic yoga: A feasible complementary approach for glycemic control in individuals with impaired fasting glucose and HbA1c, **Contemporary Clinical Trials Communications**.	
3.	Guest Lecture 	A guest lecture titled "Imaging across Scales: Catching Organelle Dynamics in Living Cells and Tissues" was organized by uBioPS in collaboration with the Manipal Centre for Biotherapeutics Research. The lecture was delivered by Dr Senthil Arumugam, EMBL Australia Group Leader and Senior Research Fellow, Monash University, Australia, on 26 September 2025, and highlighted advanced bioimaging approaches for studying organelle dynamics in living systems.	26 Sep 2025
4.	Collaboration 	The centre actively engaged in collaborative research with leading national and international institutions, including CSIR–CGCRI, IIT-ISM Dhanbad, IIT Gandhinagar, NCL Pune, CLRI Chennai, NBIS (Sweden), USM (Malaysia), and IIIT Kalyani. These collaborations resulted in joint research publications and the submission of collaborative funding proposals.	

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	MIT Best Researcher Award	For outstanding research performance demonstrated through high-impact publications, patents, and successful research grants.	05 Jul 2025
2.	MAHE Best Research Award-Industry Excellence	For excellence in securing and executing industry-sponsored research projects as an Associate Professor.	24 Nov 2025
3.	MAHE Research Day-Best Stall Award	For effective dissemination and presentation of research expertise and innovations.	15 Feb 2025

List of ongoing projects/research grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (in INR/-)	Date
1.	Development of Hygiene Products	Reckitt Benckiser	Naresh Kumar Mani	1.03 crore	2023-2026
2.	Development and Characterization of Novel Exosome Display Technology Carrying TNFR1 for the Amelioration of Systemic Inflammation in the Treatment of Multiple Sclerosis	ICMR	Raghavendra Upadhya	50.74 lakh	2025-2028
3.	Modulating Inflammation by Photoceutical Approach -Implications in Delayed Wound Repair	ICMR	Dr Vijendra Prabhu, Dr Praveen Kumar	29.16 lakh	2021-2026
4.	Label-freeAGEs fingerprinting in diabatic serum proteomea clinical study	ICMR	Dr Vijendra Prabhu	38.04 lakh	2023-2026
5.	Influence Of Bacterial Proteases In Coagulopathy Among Individuals With Sepsis	ICMR	Dr Bharath Prasad A S	58 lakh	2025-2028

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Centre for Creative and Cultural Studies (CCCS)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 February 2016

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Unni Krishnan Karikkat

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To be recognized as a specialized Centre for Creative and Cultural Studies.

Mission: To excel in cultural and creative studies specialization.

Objective: To promote creative studies-centric projects, courses, and awareness with a dedicated PhD Centre.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Centre offers niche courses as Open electives to all institutions of MAHE	3 Credit certificate courses	All semesters

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Date
1	Post Fellowship review at Deakin University, facilitated by the Australia India Institute and the University of Melbourne (AIRSF)	2025-2026

Centre Activities

Centre offers niche courses on creative and cultural studies as open electives to the students of MIT, international students, and to all other institutions of MAHE. Listed are a few of the courses offered:

- Art Appreciation: Culture and Creativity.
- Creative Communication: Art, Media, Culture and Ideas.
- Corporate Communication and Media Management.
- Leadership, Sustainability, and Innovation: Cultural leadership.

Outreach, Awareness Campaigns, and Community Engagements of the Centre

Apart from regular activities of the Centre, such as open electives, conference presentations, and culture literacy awareness programs, our PhD scholars have taken initiatives on community engagement. Wilma Serrao is a PhD scholar of the Centre for Creative and Cultural Studies, CCCS, Humanities and Management Department, MIT, MAHE Manipal. Her PhD "A Study on the Service of Indian FM Radio Stations in the UAE for the Indian Diaspora", focuses on media and culture. Her engagement with Indian diaspora organizations and participation in media-related initiatives in the UAE provide her with unique insights into how Indian FM radio services foster cultural and social integration.

Wilma completed a prestigious fellowship at Deakin University, facilitated by the Australia India Institute and the University of Melbourne. Her research examined the role of Indian radio in promoting diaspora cohesion and cultural representation in Melbourne. The findings were later presented at MAHE-Dubai and MAHE MIT Manipal, offering valuable comparative insights into how radio services

support diaspora communities in different global contexts.

Podcast Initiative by Wilma: WeTube. WeTube, a podcast series featuring prominent radio personalities in the UAE, was launched in March 2024 and continues to date. This initiative explores trends, technological advancements, and audience engagement strategies employed by Indian FM radio stations. The podcast has become a vital component of her research, providing firsthand perspectives on how radio influences cultural and social interactions within the diaspora. It also serves as an educational tool for students and practitioners interested in understanding the evolving dynamics of media consumption in multicultural societies.

Alignment with UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

- SDG 4 (Quality Education): Courses on culture and creativity.
- SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being): Promoting community-centric approaches for mental and social well-being through podcast and community engagement projects.
- SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure): Emphasizing advancements in media technologies through Podcast interviews and forums.
- SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities): Highlighting cultural integration and representation for diaspora communities through Podcast programs.
- SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities): Showcasing media's role in fostering inclusive and culturally vibrant communities through Podcast programs.
- SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions): Advocating inclusive communication platforms throughout all of the Podcast programs.
- SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals): Promoting international collaboration in research and education through Podcast programs, conferences and media forums.

Intellectual Property Rights and Technology Transfer Office

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2017
Name of the Coordinator: Dr S Varadharajan
Members: Dr Naveen Salins, Dr S Varadharajan, Dr Namdev Dhas, Ms Akshatha

Brief About the Centre

MAHE's Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer Office (IPTTO) is a one-stop institutional gateway that converts research outcomes into protected, market-ready innovations. Our key strength is end-to-end support—from invention disclosure, prior art and patentability assessment, drafting coordination, filing strategy, prosecution monitoring, and portfolio maintenance, to technology valuation, licensing, and commercialization. IPTTO is built on process discipline and compliance, ensuring inventor-friendly documentation, clear ownership, ethical safeguards, and timely decision-making aligned to institutional and national frameworks.

We offer a researcher-centric experience: rapid guidance, structured templates, awareness programs, and targeted mentoring that help faculty and students translate ideas without disrupting core academic work. IPTTO also enables industry engagement through technology scouting, partner identification, and negotiation support for MoUs, NDAs, MTAs, and licensing terms—strengthening MAHE's innovation pipeline.

With a strong focus on quality, scalability, and impact, IPTTO supports strategic patent portfolio building, improves grant-readiness and translational outcomes, and reinforces MAHE's reputation as a leading innovation-driven university.

Vision: To improve the potential for commercializing research carried out within the Manipal Academy of Higher Education system.
Mission: To support commercialization of research generated after assessing market potential, including potential for securing various forms of Intellectual Property, within Manipal Academy of Higher Education by coordinating with researchers from Health Sciences, Technology, Management and other research disciplines.

Objectives

To support researchers in acquiring various forms of Intellectual Property.
To coordinate with researchers in identifying research for potential commercialization.
To sensitize and create awareness among various stakeholders regarding Intellectual Property and the importance of technology transfer.
To facilitate licensing/know-how through technology transfer.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	AI in IPR	MIT	11 Jan 2025
2	Patent Drafting for Medical Devices	OFFICE DST HUB	17 Jan 2025
3	NIPAM Awareness	DOR	04 Jul 2025
4	Commercialization and Product Development Aspects in IPR	MCON	07 Jul 2025
5	ANVESHAN–Patent Drafting Workshop	MCODS	03 Sep 2025
6	Innovation Idea	MCON	25 Oct 2025

Photo Gallery

Poster for NIPAM Awareness Event

Poster for ANVESHAM Event

Centre for Cryptography

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Name of the Coordinator: Dr Vivekaannd Bhat

Members
Dr Radhakrisna Bhat
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Brief About the Centre
Vision: To establish a Centre of Excellence in applied cryptography research

Mission: Cryptography training, teaching, and research for UG/PG/Research students

Objective: Improve security and privacy of information using applied cryptography (SDG 9: Industry Innovation and Infrastructure)

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Research Publications	6 Journal publications (Q1) (SDG 9)	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025

VGST-Centre of Excellence of Engineering

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr S Shanmuga Priya
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4. Darshan D Chalawadi, Research Scholar
5. Raksha, Research Scholar
6. Noel Abraham Thomas, Postgraduate Student
7. Radhika Krishna, Undergraduate Student
8. Dona Aristo, Undergraduate Student
9. Santusti Gour, Undergraduate Student
10. Mahika Pramodh, Undergraduate Student
11. Dilip Rao, Undergraduate Student
12. Udit Madhusoodan, Undergraduate Student
13. Aliasger Zaki, Undergraduate Student
14. Sharath S S, Undergraduate Student
15. Mukund Kedia, Undergraduate Student

Brief About the Centre

Vision

To establish innovative research in advancements of science and technology, address global challenges such as CO_2 emission, environmental pollution, and greenhouse gases, mainly focusing on CO_2 reduction using solar light and on interdisciplinary collaboration for societal betterment.

Mission

To create an environment for research on photocatalytic reduction of CO_2 for value-added fuel production using green-synthesized nanocomposites, which will help students excel in research, technology development, and skill enhancement by integrating academic excellence and instrumentation.

Objectives

1. To drive research in domains such as photocatalysis, methanol production etc., and generate transformative solutions.
2. To train and mentor researchers, students, and professionals, equipping them with advanced skills and knowledge.
3. To focus on research and innovation aligned with sustainable development goals (SDGs) to create a positive impact on the environment and society.
4. To bridge the gap between laboratory discoveries and real-world applications through the commercialisation of innovative technologies.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Performance testing using a binary nanocomposite for photocatalytic reduction of CO_2 to fuels	Ms Dona Aristo (210903086)	Jan to Jul 2025

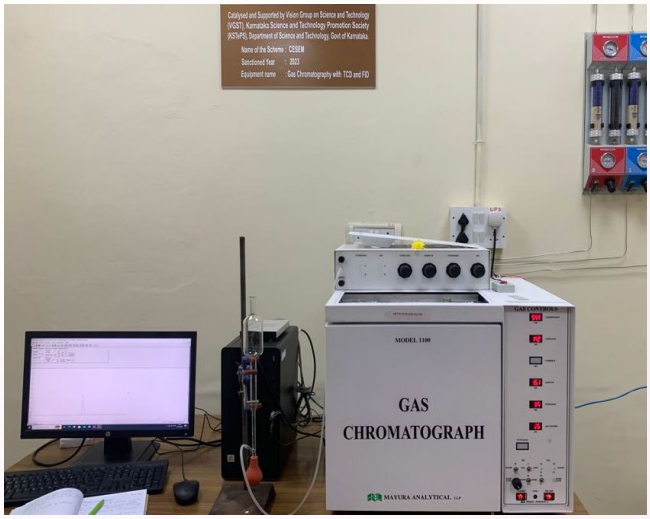
Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2	Performance testing and kinetic modelling of a ternary nanocomposite for photocatalytic reduction of CO_2 to fuels	Ms Batchu Radhika Krishna (210903076)	Jan to Jul 2025
3	Photocatalytic reduction of CO_2 to fuels using bio-based metal organic framework nanocomposite	Mr Noel Abraham Thomas (230949006)	Jul 2024 to Jul 2025
4	Silver incorporated ZIF-8 supported on rGO for photocatalytic reduction of CO_2 to fuels	Mr Dilip Rao (220903016)	Feb to Mar 2025
5	Enhanced photocatalytic activity of Fe-NH_2-MIL-101/ZnS-Type-II heterojunction for CO_2 reduction to solar fuels	Mr Udit Madhusoodan (210903008)	Nov to Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/ Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the Principal Investigator	Amount (in Indian rupee)	Date
1	Development of low-cost and bio-based metal-organic frameworks (MOF) for photocatalytic reduction of carbon dioxide to fuels	Vision Group on Science and Technology (VGST), Government of Karnataka Centre for Science, Engineering and Medicine scheme (CESEM)	Dr S Shanmuga Priya	40,00,000	2023–2024 and 2025–2026

Photo gallery

Gas Chromatograph-Thermal Conductivity Detector Flame Ionization Detector (GC-TCD FID)



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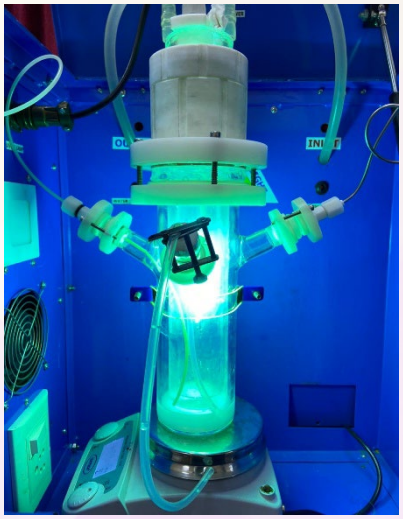
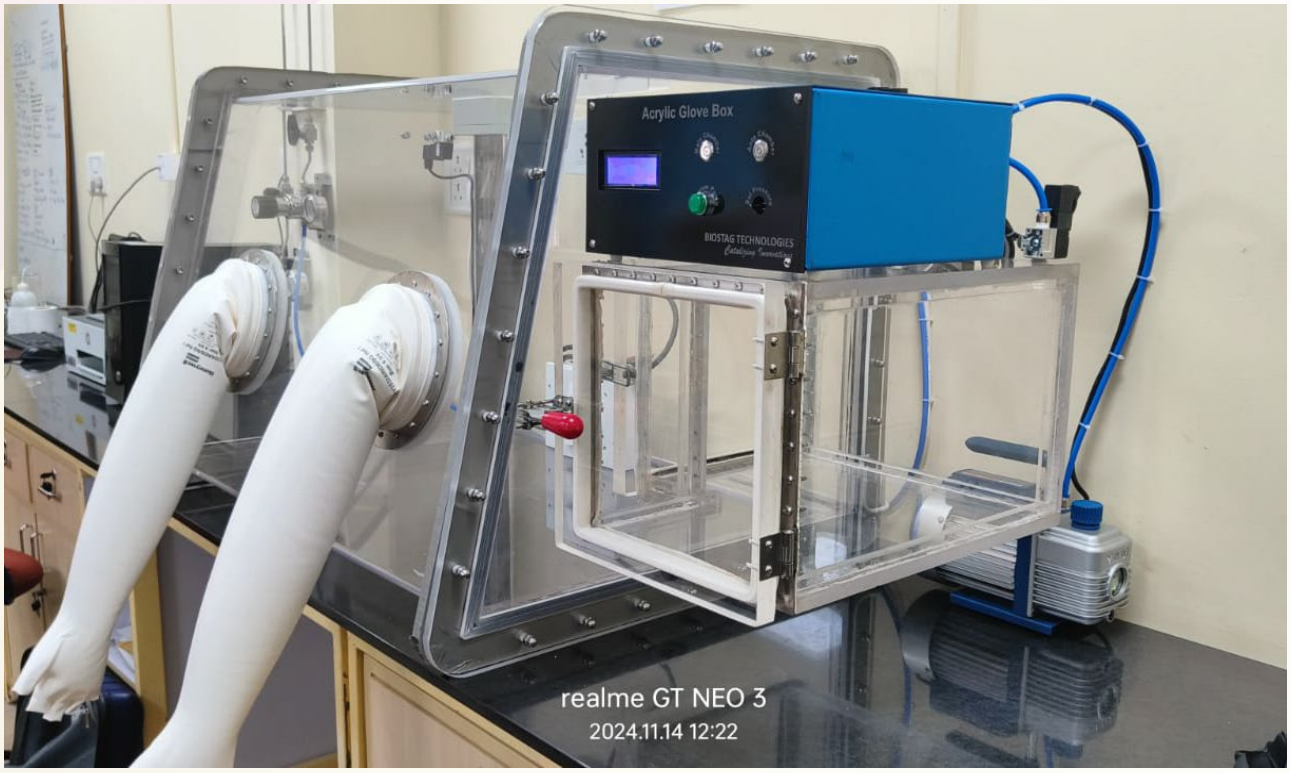


Reactor set-up



Acrylic glove box

Photocatalytic process set-up

MAHE-ARK Centre of Excellence in Cyber Physical Systems

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2018

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Santhosh KV

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To establish a Cyber Physical Systems (CPS) Hub, specially designed and created to focus on the fields of interdisciplinary research and teaching by integrating embedded systems, networking and communication, sensors, real-time systems and control, as well as domain-specific knowledge to realize and solve global grand engineering challenges.

Mission: Foster curiosity, creativity, and imagination to inculcate skills such as design thinking, algorithm engineering, computational thinking, adaptive learning, physical computing, etc.

Objectives:

To provide certification programs in Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer (CLAD), Certified LabVIEW Developer (CLD) in association with National Instruments India Limited (NI).

To enhance the publication quantity and quality through academic and corporate collaborations.

To provide internships and training to the undergraduate and postgraduate students.

To establish a test rig facility for CPS components within three years of its establishment.

List of Ongoing Projects/ Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the Principal Investigator	Amount (in crores, INR)	Date
1	Setting of Printed Circuit Board (PCB)facility	MAHE–ARK	Santhosh K V	2.71	30 Mar 2025

Photo Gallery

Centre for Climate Studies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: May 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Anish Kumar Warrier
Co-Coordinator: Dr Dhanasree Jayaram, Manipal Institute of Social Sciences Humanities and Arts (MISHA), MAHE

Brief About the Centre
Vision: To carry out high-resolution studies on past and modern climate and to build region-specific models.

Objectives
- To generate new data on the spatial and temporal climate variability of the Indian sub-continent.
- To develop infrastructural facilities for climate change research pertaining to observational, experimental, analytical, and modelling studies, as well as use them to impart training and develop human resources in climate sciences.
- To conduct research on socio-economic, political, and security implications of climate change in India.
- To build knowledge on the science-policy interface through co-production using a multidisciplinary methodology, aligned with India's National Mission on Strategic Knowledge for Climate Change for multi-scale climate governance.
- To spread the knowledge of climate change to the common man and to make policy makers aware of the principal issues pertaining to climate change by organizing seminars/workshops/exhibitions and generating policy-relevant reports/briefs.
- To provide inputs for India's climate diplomacy at the regional, bilateral, and multilateral levels by identifying entry points for cooperation with the foreign policy stakeholders.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Guest Talk by Dr Girish Gopinath	The Centre for Climate Studies, in collaboration with the Centre of Excellence for Smart Coastal Sustainability, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, organized a talk titled *"Role of Geospatial Technology in Earth Sciences."* The lecture was delivered by Dr Girish Gopinath, Professor and Head, Department of Climate Variability and Aquatic Ecosystem, Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies (KUFOS), Kochi, at the MIT-KEF R&D Centre Auditorium, MIT Manipal (Fig 1).	13 Feb 2025
2	Webinar on Antarctic Science and Geopolitics: Indian Perspectives	The Centre for Climate Studies at Manipal Academy of Higher Education organized a session titled "Antarctic Science and Geopolitics: Indian Perspectives." The speakers were Dr Sulagna Chattopadhyay, President of SaGAA and Editor-in-Chief of Geography and You, and Dr Mahesh B S, Project Scientist III at the National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research Goa (Fig 2).	27 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Guest Talk by Dr Amit Bafana	The Centre for Climate Studies, in collaboration with the Centre of Excellence for Smart Coastal Sustainability, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, organized a talk titled "Prevalence of Bioaerosols and their Health Risk Estimation at Landfill Sites in Nagpur." The lecture was delivered by Dr Amit Bafana, Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR–NEERI, Nagpur (Fig 3).	23 Oct 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Representative for the Sustainability Researchers from Low- and Middle-Income Countries	Dr Dhanasree Jayaram, elected as representative for the Sustainability Researchers from Low- and Middle-Income Countries in the Governing Council of Future Earth, for the term of 2026 to 2028.	In Dec 2025
2	External Expert to the Departmental Research Committee (DRC)	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier has been appointed as an External Expert to the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) of the Department of Geology, Central University of Kerala, for a period of two years, effective November 2025 onwards.	Nov 2025
3	Best Presentation Award	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier, Professor of Geology and Coordinator, Centre for Climate Studies, received the Best Presenter Award (Oral) in the Faculty category at the National Conference on "Green Business and Blue Revolution: Pathways to Environmental Sustainability" held on 12 and 13 Dec 2025 at Karnatak University, P G Campus, Karwar, for his paper "Are Potential Fishing Zones Microplastic Hotspots? Insights from Water and Pony Fish (Deveximentum insidiator) in the Arabian Sea."	13 Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	*Investigations on Microplastics and Heavy Metals from Agricultural Soil Samples of Maharashtra and Punjab*	Toxic Links, New Delhi	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier	3,79,500/-	Jun 2025
2	*Understanding the biogeochemical processes and dynamics of pelagic fishery resources off Udupi/Mangalore region: Validation of the PFZ advisory data*	Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services, Ministry of Earth Sciences (Government of India)	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier	93,15,000/-	03 Oct 2025 to 31 Mar 2026

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Presentation at Conferences

1. Dhanasree Jayaram, Keynote Address, Session on "Contemporary Challenges and Future Trajectories", International Conference on "Global Engagements: A Historical Perspective from Ancient to Modern Times and Future Prospects," CHRIST (Deemed to be University), 13 and 14 Nov 2025.
2. Dhanasree Jayaram, Invited Expert Speaker, Consultative Workshop and Science-Policy Dialogue on Solar Radiation Modification (SRM), organized by International Science Council (ISC), World Climate Research Programme (WCRP), United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) and the World Metrological Organization (WMO), Geneva, Switzerland, 19 and 20 May 2025.
3. Dhanasree Jayaram, Suva Dialogue on Security in the Pacific and Asia, 24 and 25 Apr 2025, hosted by Asia-Pacific Leadership Network (APLN), Suva, Fiji: an in-person Track 2 meeting to explore how the Pacific Islands and Asian states can collectively future-proof the region against shared security risks and challenges, including those arising from escalating geopolitical competition, increased militarisation, nuclear policies, and climate change.
4. Dhanasree Jayaram, Paper presentation on "Climate Change Action, Security, and Geopolitics in the Asia-Pacific Region" and Member, Scientific Committee, International Conference on Achieving Peaceful and Sustainable Futures, Network for Education and Research on Peace and Sustainability, Hiroshima University and De La Salle University, Manila, 05 to 07 Mar 2025.
5. Dhanasree Jayaram, Paper presentation, "Green Power Politics in China's Strategic Climate Engagement with the Global South," Two Day International Conference on "The Rise of China and the Maritime Global South", School of International and Area Studies, Goa University and Centre for China Analysis and Strategy (CCAS), New Delhi, on 11 and 12 Mar 2025.
6. Dhanasree Jayaram, Invited Expert Speaker, Kumbh Global Summit on Development and Sustainability, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh, India, 21 and 22 Feb 2025.
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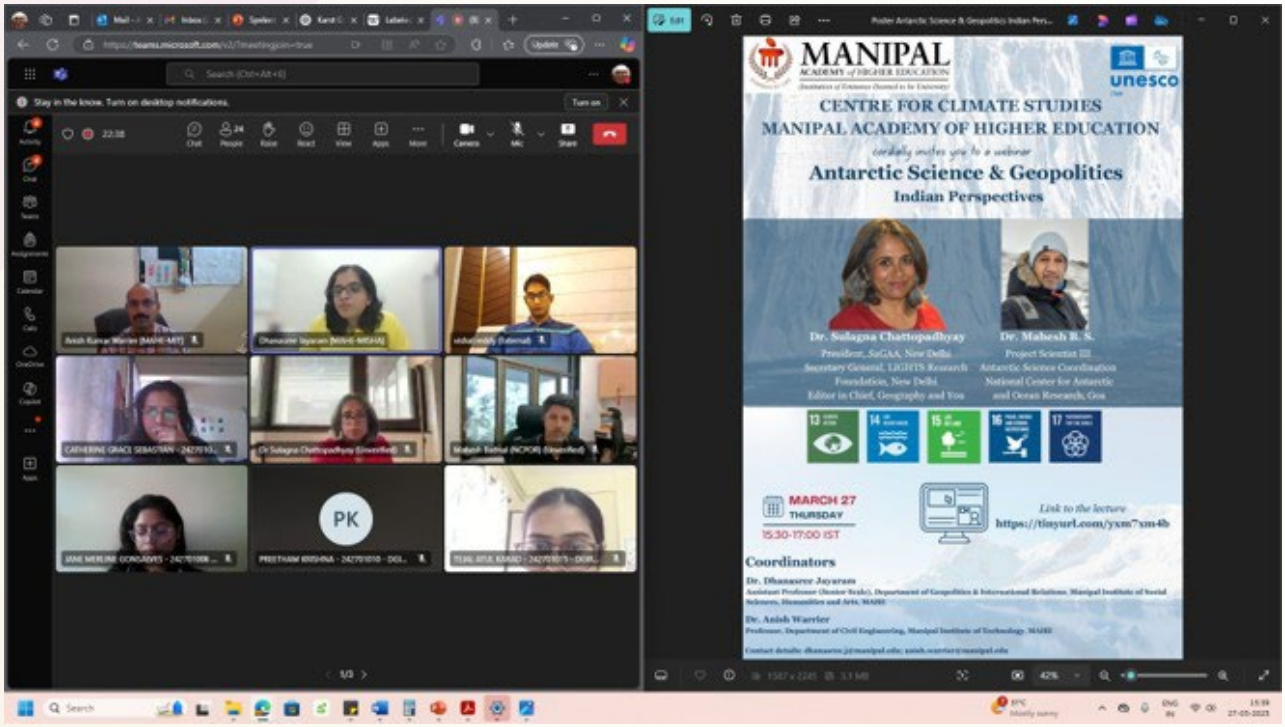
Photo Gallery

Participants with **Dr Girish Gopinath**, Professor and Head, Department of Climate Variability and Aquatic Ecosystem, Kerala University of Fisheries and Ocean Studies (KUFOS), after the invited lecture *"Role of Geospatial Technology in Earth Sciences"* held at MIT-KEF R&D Centre, Manipal, on **13 Feb 2025**.



Screenshot from the webinar *"Antarctic Science and Geopolitics: Indian Perspectives"* organised by the Centre for Climate Studies, MAHE, on **27 Mar 2025**, featuring talks by **Dr Sulagna Chattopadhyay** and **Dr Mahesh B S**, with participation from students, researchers, and faculty members.

Group photograph of students, research scholars, and faculty members following the invited lecture *"Prevalence of Bioaerosols and their Health Risk Estimation at Landfill Sites in Nagpur"* delivered by **Dr Amit Bafana**, Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR–NEERI, at the MIT-KEF R&D Centre, Manipal, on **23 Oct 2025**.

Centre of Excellence for Smart Coastal Sustainability

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr K Balakrishna
Members: There are 31 co-coordinators in this centre.

Brief About the Centre

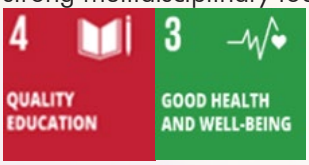
Vision: A developed coastal India that makes use of its resources sustainably.

Mission: Address the problems faced by the coastal population and encash on the opportunities available for development of coastal community.

Objective: To take up research projects that develop coastal towns and cities of India into clean, green, sustainable, resilient, economically vibrant, and socially inclusive habitats.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Dr S J Desai delivered a lecture on *Spilites and Spilitic Rocks*, outlining their chemistry, mineral assemblages, and Himalayan occurrences from Pir Panjal to Kumaon. He highlighted the metamorphic setting and the intriguing absence of schistosity despite multiple deformation events. Variolitic and quenched textures, along with emplacement environments, were explained using field examples. Emphasizing their understudied nature, the talk inspired interest and concluded with an engaging discussion. 	Department of Civil Engineering, Academic Block 2, MV Seminar Hall	25 Feb 2025
2	Dr Neloy Khare, Scientist-G, Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India, delivered a lecture on "Blue Economy: The Future of Sustainability". He emphasized capacity building in ocean sciences and the urgent need to protect marine ecosystems from anthropogenic impacts. Dr Khare highlighted the role of the blue economy in sustainable development through ocean-based renewable energy such as tidal, wave, and offshore wind. He urged academia to actively engage in marine research and conservation to support the vision of Viksit Bharat 2047. 	Department of Civil Engineering	5 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	The Centre for Smart Coastal Sustainability organised a one-day interdisciplinary field trip to St Mary's Island, Karnataka, for master's students studying Geopolitics, Security and Environmental Change. The visit enabled students to observe the island's unique columnar basalt geology and understand its origin, linked to the India–Madagascar breakup around 88 million years ago. Geological concepts such as plate tectonics, seafloor spreading, joints, and active rifting were explained through field demonstrations. Students connected these insights to geopolitical themes like territoriality, United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), climate change, and deep-sea mining. The trip fostered meaningful exchange between geology and geopolitics, making it both educational and engaging. 		11 Oct 2025
4	Dr Jyoti Srivastava, Scientist-E at the Birbal Sahni Institute of Palaeosciences (BSIP), Lucknow, interacted with students and research scholars during her visit. She emphasized the importance of a healthy and balanced lifestyle for sustaining a successful research career in geosciences. Dr Jyoti highlighted the physical and mental demands of geoscientific work, stressing the need for fitness, resilience, and well-being alongside technical skills. She also informed students about internship and dissertation opportunities at BSIP, encouraging a strong multidisciplinary foundation. 	Department of Civil Engineering	28 Oct 2025

Awards & recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards
1	The Coordinator is recognized at the international level as he is chosen to be in the Editorial Board of the international journal "Environmental Chemistry".

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the Principal Investigator	Amount (in lakhs, INR)	Date
1	Project on the "Understanding of	Indian National Centre for Ocean Information Services	Dr Anish Kumar Warrier	93.15	2023–ongoing

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the Principal Investigator	Amount (in lakhs, INR)	Date
	biogeochemical processes and dynamics of pelagic fishery resources off Udupi/ Mangalore region: Validation of the Potential Fishing Zone (PFZ) advisory data".	(INCOIS)–Ministry of Earth Sciences (MoES)	(MIT)		
2	Project titled "Groundwater Dynamics in Udupi District: An isotope-based approach" at the Department of Civil Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal.	Vision Group on Science and Technology (VGST)	Dr Lathashri U A (MIT)	40 lakhs	2025 – ongoing
3	Monitoring and assessment of environmental parameters/emerging contaminants around the Indian Antarctic Stations in Antarctica.	National Centre for Polar and Ocean Research (NCPOR)–MoES	Dr Laluraj C M (National Institute of Oceanography, Goa)	--	--
4	Microstructural Repository of Larsemann Hills, East Antarctica and its connection with the Eastern segment of the Indian Sub-Continent	NCPOR–MoES	Dr Aditya Udayraj Joshi (MIT)	--	--

Photo gallery

Sampling being carried out to understand emerging contaminants around the Indian Antarctic Stations in Antarctica.

Work being carried to understand Groundwater Dynamics in Udupi District.

An outreach program conducted for student in St. Mary's Island.

Sampling work being carried out to understand East Antarctica and its connection with the Eastern segment of the Indian Sub-Continent.

Sampling work being undertaken to understand biogeochemical processes and dynamics of pelagic fishery resources off Udupi/ Mangalore region.

Prof SJ Desai delivering a lecture on Spelites.

Dr Neloy Khare giving a lecture on "Blue Economy: The Future of Sustainability".

Dr Jyoti Srivastava interacting with students.

Centre of Excellence for E-Mobility

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Members

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- Dr Vijay Babu K—Associate Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering, MIT Manipal.

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To lead sustainable e-mobility innovation by advancing clean technologies, intelligent systems, and global impact for a resilient future.

Mission: To advance e-mobility through research, education, innovation, and industry collaboration; delivering sustainable solutions for present and future generations.

Objectives

1) To establish a state-of-the-art research facility catering to young researchers and practising professionals in the e-mobility domain.
2) To identify and solve the real-time key problems in the field of e-mobility by conducting high-quality and focused research.
3) To foster innovation and train/mentor students, researchers, and automotive professionals in this field.
4) To conduct training courses and workshops to benefit students, faculty, and industry personnel.

At the intersection of **cutting-edge research and real-world application**, we are more than just an innovation hub; we are the engine driving the global transition to sustainable transport. Our Unique Selling Proposition lies in a **holistic ecosystem** that bridges the gap between academic excellence and industrial necessity. While others focus solely on technology, we prioritize **comprehensive impact** through three core pillars:

- **State-of-the-art infrastructure:** We provide a world-class research facility designed specifically to empower the next generation of "e-mobility architects"—from aspiring students to seasoned automotive professionals.
- **Problem-first research:** We do not just innovate for the sake of novelty. Our focus is on identifying and solving **real-time, high-stakes challenges** within the e-mobility sector, ensuring our solutions are both viable and immediate.
- **Knowledge multiplication:** Through aggressive industry collaboration, specialized workshops, and intensive mentoring, we translate complex intelligent systems into accessible, scalable expertise.

By integrating **sustainable clean technologies** with a dedicated talent pipeline, we deliver a resilient future for e-mobility. We are not just predicting the future of transport; we are building the tools and training the people to lead it.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars
1.	Articles published	5 (Quartile 1:2, Quartile 2:2, Quartile 3:1)
2.	Patents	1 (Published)

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars
3.	Lab equipment commissioning and training	2 sessions conducted
4.	Resource person in Faculty Development Programs (FDPs)	2 FDPs
5.	Session Chair at the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) International Conference on Smart Technologies for Power, Energy, and Control (STPEC) 2025 international conference, held at the National Institute of Technology (NIT), Goa.	1 session

Publication List:

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Patent Published: *"A System and Method for Flexible Infrared Sensor Alignment in Switched Reluctance Motor Control"*, Inventors—Dr Vijay Babu Koreboina, Mr Navya Agarwal (210929090), Ms Stuthi Shetty (210929168), and Ms Suzanne Rency (210929232)

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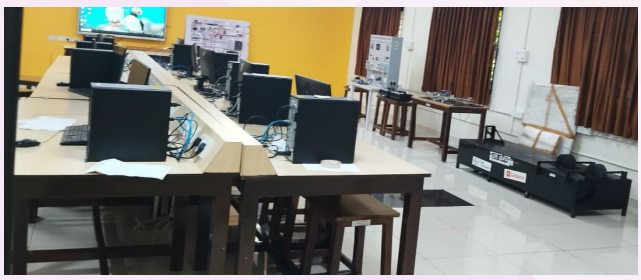

Lab with equipment

Training at the Centre of Excellence for E-Mobility by L&T EDUTech

Resource Person in an FDP at Nitte Mahalinga Adyanthaya Memorial Institute of Technology, NITTE, Mangalore

Session Chair at IEEE STPEC 2025 conference, NIT Goa

Resource Person in an FDP organized by the Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati

Centre for Aerospace Science and Technology (CAST)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
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Members: Dr Balbir Singh (Co-Coordinator), Commander Dr Anil Rana (Advisor), Dr Sreekumar P (Advisor)

Brief About the Centre

The Centre aims to establish itself as a leading hub for Aerospace Science and Technology, leveraging state-of-the-art research and educational facilities. Its mission encompasses advancing experimental aerodynamics, computational analysis, biomimetics, space engineering, artificial intelligence (AI), and machine learning (ML) applications in aerospace. The Centre focuses on cutting-edge topics like experimental aerodynamics, high-fidelity computational techniques, and biomimetic innovations to drive transformative advancements in aerospace technology. Pioneering the use of AI and ML in aerospace applications, the Centre aims to bridge technology gaps and introduce smart, data-driven solutions to complex aerospace challenges. The Centre is equipped with top-tier research facilities, creating an optimal environment for innovation and collaboration among students, researchers, and professionals. It fosters partnerships with industry leaders and academic institutions to enable knowledge exchange and practical applications, ensuring impactful outcomes in aerospace research. The Centre's multidisciplinary approach and emphasis on space engineering promote comprehensive learning and solutions, preparing stakeholders to tackle emerging global challenges in aerospace.

Vision: To develop state-of-the-art research and educational facilities for Aerospace Science and Technology.

Mission: To establish a world-class research and educational Centre that advances Aerospace Science and Technology through innovative research, cutting-edge infrastructure, and collaborative partnerships. The Centre is dedicated to pioneering advancements in experimental aerodynamics, computational analysis, biomimetics, space engineering, and AI and ML applications in aerospace. By fostering collaboration with industry and academia, the Centre aims to bridge the gap between knowledge and practical applications, nurturing a new generation of students and professionals in the field.

Objectives

- To create a hub for advanced research in experimental aerodynamics, high-fidelity computational analysis, biomimetics, space engineering, and AI and ML in Aerospace.
- To develop a world-class research infrastructure for students and professionals.
- To foster collaborations with industry and academic partners for knowledge exchange and practical applications.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Memorandum of Understanding with Dhruva Space	Industry Partner	29 Nov 2025
2	Open Design Challenge on Solar Sail Concept	Design Challenge	2 Sep 2025

MAHE – Forbes Marshall (FM) Centre for Steam Engineering and Energy Conservation

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2025
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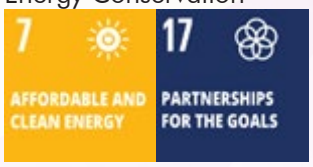
Dr Shanmuga Priya S, Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering
Dr Shivashankarayya Hiremath, Associate Professor, Department of Mechatronics
Dr Sudhakar Y N, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: To emerge as a Centre of excellence in steam engineering and energy conservation by fostering industry-aligned education, research, and sustainable engineering practices.
Mission: To strengthen academic–industry collaboration with Forbes Marshall by delivering high-quality training, research, and outreach activities in steam systems, thermal engineering, and energy efficiency.

Objective: The MAHE–Forbes Marshall (FM) Centre for Steam Engineering and Energy Conservation was established to bridge the gap between academic learning and industrial practice in steam engineering. The Centre leverages Forbes Marshall's extensive industrial expertise to enhance student and faculty competency through certification courses, guest lectures, industrial visits, and collaborative activities. A key strength of the Centre lies in its focus on practical exposure, sustainability-driven engineering solutions, and alignment with global energy-efficiency goals. The Centre actively contributes to capacity building in steam systems, promotes energy conservation awareness, and supports skill development relevant to process industries. Through structured training programs, industry-led lectures, and experiential learning opportunities, the Centre aims to develop industry-ready graduates and foster long-term academic–industrial partnerships.

Activities at the Centre

SL No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Final Year BTech Project Award	Recognition of outstanding final-year BTech Mechanical Engineering projects and an award by Forbes Marshall # First place: 50000 INR # Runner up: 25000 INR	26 Jun 2025
2	Online Certification Course on "Steam Engineering and Energy Conservation" 	Industry-led online course (live lectures) conducted by Forbes Marshall for BTech (Mechanical) as a Program elective and for MTech (Thermal Sciences and Energy Systems) and the faculty as a certification program	19 Jul - 08 Nov 2025
3	Guest Lecture	"Sustainability in the Process Industry – The Impact of Steam Systems"	19 Sep 2025

SL No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4	Industrial Visit to Forbes Marshall R&D Centre, Pune	Exposure to boiler systems, steam distribution, energy efficiency, and sustainable industrial practices	10 Oct 2025

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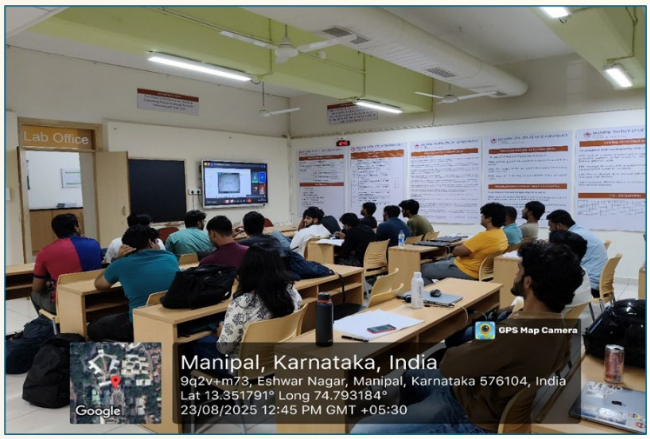

Online Certification Course on "Steam Engineering and Energy Conservation"

Guest Lecture on "Sustainability in the Process Industry – The Impact of Steam Systems"

Industrial Visit to Forbes Marshall R&D Centre, Pune

MAHE-NICO Centre for Nanobubble Engineering and Technology (CNET)

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 2025

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Members

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2. Dr Girish H, Assistant Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering, MIT Manipal
3. Dr Divyashree M S, Associate Professor, School of Civil and Chemical Engineering, MIT Manipal
4. Dr Meghana Navada K, Assistant Professor, School of Basic Sciences, Humanities and Management, MIT Manipal
5. Dr Akshatha R Shetty, Assistant Professor, School of Basic Sciences, Humanities and Management, MIT Manipal
6. Dr Madhusudan Kulkarni, Assistant Professor, School of Electrical Engineering, MIT, Manipal
7. Dr Raghu Chandrashekhar, Head and Professor, Department of Pharmaceutical Biotechnology, Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, MAHE, Manipal.

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To establish a multidisciplinary research and innovation hub focused on exploring, developing, and applying nanobubble technology for sustainable engineering solutions, industry collaboration, and societal impact.

Mission: To strengthen academic–industry collaboration with Nico – Nanobubble India Co. by delivering high-quality training, research, and outreach activities in Nanobubble Engineering and Technology.

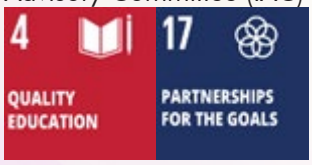
Objectives

- Identify opportunities and address challenges at both fundamental and applied levels in nanobubble generation, characterization, and engineering applications.
- Foster interdisciplinary collaboration across engineering domains to develop innovative and impactful solutions for real-world problems using nanobubble technology.
- Empower students and researchers through hands-on training, research initiatives, and knowledge exchange to promote sustainable and scalable technological advancements.

MAHE–NICO Center for Nanobubble Engineering and Technology (CNET) distinguishes itself through its strong academia–industry integration, multidisciplinary research ecosystem, and focus on translational nanobubble technologies. A key unique selling point of the Centre is its strategic collaboration with Nico–Nanobubble India Co., which enables direct access to industrial-grade nanobubble generation systems, real-world problem statements, and application-driven research outcomes. Unlike conventional research centres, CNET bridges fundamental nanobubble science with engineering-scale validation across diverse domains such as tribology, water-lubricated bearings, energy storage, construction materials, environmental remediation, biotechnology, and electrochemical sensing.

CNET fosters inter-departmental collaboration by integrating expertise from Mechanical, Civil, Chemical, Biotechnology, Electronics, and allied engineering disciplines under a single platform. The availability of dedicated nanobubble infrastructure supports hands-on training, experimental validation, and prototype development for students and researchers. Another key aspect is the centre emphasis on outcome-oriented research through structured project reviews and industry mentorship, ensuring alignment with emerging technological and industrial needs. Leadership support from Mr Amit Kapur, Director of Nico–Nanobubble India Co and an alumnus of MIT Manipal, further strengthens the centre relevance, innovation capability, and industry connect. Collectively, these attributes position MAHE–NICO CNET as a pioneering hub for sustainable, scalable, and application-focused nanobubble engineering solutions.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Foster interdisciplinary research between departments such as Mechanical Engineering, Chemistry, Biotechnology, Civil and Electronics	Received problem statements suitable for students, research scholars and faculty members in various disciplines of engineering. Eleven project proposals received from faculty members; each project involves faculty members, students/research scholars.	Jan 2025
2.	Establish and inaugurate a MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubble Engineering and Technology (CNET)	MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubble Engineering and Technology (CNET) established and inaugurated	04 Aug 2025
3.	Utility of Nanobubble generator at CNET	A nanobubble generator is provided at center by Nico – Nanobubble India Co	02 Aug 2025
4.	Periodically review the progress of running projects	7 review meetings were conducted, and the latest was in Dec	30 Dec 2025
5.	Industrial visit to the NICO facility at Manipal	Coordinators and members visited the NICO facility at MAHE Bio-incubator.	Sep 2025
6.	Include a representative from Nico – Nanobubble India Co for the new curriculum design 2026 and the Industrial Advisory Committee (IAC) 	Mr Amit Kapur, Director, Nico-Nanobubble India Co, is a member of curriculum design 2026 and IAC	Jun to Dec 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Name of the PI	Date
1.	Improving the Lubrication Performance of Water Lubricated Bearing Using Nanobubbles	Dr Girish H, Assistant Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering, MIT Manipal	Jan 2025
2.	Modulation of bacterial growth using nanobubbles	Dr Divyashree M S, Associate Professor, School of Civil and Chemical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025

Sl No	Title	Name of the PI	Date
3.	Enhancement of anaerobic reactions using nanobubbles	Dr Divyashree M S, Associate Professor, School of Civil and Chemical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
4.	Enhancing the Tribological Performance of Bearing Lubricants Using Nanobubbles	Dr Ganesha A, Associate Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
5.	Enhancing Electrochemical Performance of Batteries through Nanobubble-Engineered Electrolytes	Dr Ganesha A, Associate Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
6.	Nano bubbles in Coating applications	Dr Akshatha R Shetty, Assistant Professor, School of Basic Sciences, Humanities and Management, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
7.	Nanobubble-Assisted Electrochemical Sensing of Bioactive Compounds Using Metal Oxide Nanomaterials	Dr Meghana Navada K, Assistant Professor, School of Basic Sciences, Humanities and Management, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
8.	Effect of Nanobubble Water Curing on the Performance of Cement Concrete	Prof Kiran Bhat, Assistant Professor, School of Civil and Chemical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
9.	Influence of oxygen nanobubbles (O_2-NBs) in diesel and biodiesel fuels	Dr Shivakumar, Professor, School of Mechanical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
10.	Enhancing the Sensitivity of Electro-Microfluidic Viscosity (EMV) Sensors Using Nanobubbles	Dr Madhusudan B Kulkarni, Assistant Professor, School of Electrical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Jan 2025
11.	Nanobubble Technology for the Remediation of Heavy Metal Contaminated Soils using Geographical Information System in Udupi District, Coastal Karnataka	Dr Balakrishna S Maddodi, Associate Professor, School of Civil and Chemical Engineering, MIT Manipal.	Feb 2025

Photo Gallery

Initial discussions regarding the establishment of the MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubbles Engineering and Technology, 28 January 2025

Invitation to the inauguration of the MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubbles Engineering and Technology, 02 August 2025

View of the entrance to the MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubbles Engineering and Technology, ready for inauguration, 04 August 2025

Launch of the Nanobubble Generator at the MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubbles Engineering and Technology, 04 August 2025

Nanobubble Generator at the MAHE-NICO Center for Nanobubbles Engineering and Technology provided by NICO, 02 August 2025

A view of the Water Lubricated Bearing Testing with Nanobubble-induced Lubricant, August 2025

Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) , Bengaluru

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Name of the Director: Dr Iven Jose
Established: 2021

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Bachelor of Technology (BTech) Computer Science and Engineering
- BTech Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence)
- BTech Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security)
- BTech Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science)
- BTech Information Technology
- BTech Electronics and Communication Engineering
- BTech Electronics and Computer Engineering
- BTech Electronics Engineering (Very Large Scale Integration (VLSI) Design and Technology)
- BTech Robotics and Artificial Intelligence
- Master of Technology (MTech) Computer Science and Engineering
- MTech Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science)
- MTech Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design)

About the Institution/School:
The Garden City of India, Bengaluru, is now home to a new engineering institution—"Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru"—the latest constituent unit of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). MAHE is proud to open its doors in the bustling cosmopolitan Information Technology (IT) hub of Bengaluru by establishing its new engineering campus, Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Bengaluru. It offers BTech programs, with approval from the All-India Council of Technical Education (AICTE), Ministry of Education, Government of India. MAHE has been recognized as a deemed-to-be university since 1993 and has been accorded the status of Institute of Eminence (IoE) by the MHRD, Government of India. MAHE is accredited with the grade of A++ by NAAC. All BTech courses at the (MIT) have excellent campus placement opportunities. You may choose from a multitude of career paths that

open after a BTech degree, and opt for a technical or managerial job, or pursue a master's degree in technology. The MIT Bengaluru now offers nine BTech programs in streams including Computer Science, Computer Science (AI), Computer Science (Cyber Security), Computer Science (Data Science), Information Technology, Electronics and Communication, Electronics and Computer Engineering, Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design and Technology), Robotics and Artificial Intelligence (AI). The Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT) Bengaluru is offering three MTech programs in Computer Science and Engineering, Computer Science and Engineering (Data Science), and Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design).

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Computer Science and Engineering			
1	MTech Program in Computer engineering MTech in Data Science International Business Machines Corporation (IBM) SkillsBuild Center of Excellence Gaming and Digital twinning	The School of Computer Science has expanded its academic offerings by launching two new postgraduate programs—MTech in Computer Engineering and MTech in Data Science—during January to December 2025. These programs are designed to meet the growing demand for advanced skills in computing technologies and data-driven research. In addition, the School has established an IBM SkillsBuild Center of Excellence to provide industry-aligned training and certifications, thereby strengthening students' technical competencies and employability. A state-of-the-art Gaming and Digital Twinning Lab has also been initiated to support innovation and hands-on learning in emerging areas such as virtual environments, simulation, and interactive technologies, marking a significant step towards enhancing research and industry collaboration.	1 Jan 2025–1 Dec 2025
Electronics and Communication			
1	The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering (ECE) launched two major academic programs in 2025 to address evolving industry needs—one at the BTech level and the other at the MTech level—BTech in Robotics and Artificial Intelligence and MTech in Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design)	The Department of ECE introduced two significant academic programs in 2025 to meet emerging industry demands. The BTech in Robotics and Artificial Intelligence aims to equip students with cutting-edge skills in intelligent systems, autonomous machines, and robotic technologies through a blend of theoretical foundations and hands-on learning. The MTech in Electronics Engineering (VLSI Design) focuses on advanced semiconductor design, chip development, and hardware optimization; preparing students for careers in the rapidly growing VLSI and microelectronics sector. Together, these programs strengthen the department's commitment to innovation, research, and industry-oriented education.	1 Jan 2025–31 Dec 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
Computer Science and Engineering			
1	School of Computer Science and Engineering organized a wide range of academic, industry-oriented, innovative, and research-focused events; including seminars, workshops, conferences, hackathons, and outreach activities. These initiatives contributed significantly to enhancing student learning, strengthening industry collaboration, and fostering a culture of research and innovation. The Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) mapping for each of these events is provided below.	TURINGER 2025—Panel Discussion (17 Jan 2025); Enabled expert interaction and research-oriented discussions (SDG: 4, 9).	
		TURINGER 2025—Research Poster Presentation (19 Jan 2025);Promoted research culture and innovation among students (SDG: 4—Quality Education, 9—Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure).	1 Jan 2025–1 Dec 2025
2		ACM India Industry Day (22 Feb 2025); Strengthened industry–academia collaboration with national ACM bodies (SDG: 8—Decent Work and Economic Growth, 9).	
3		A Primer on Digital Forensics (26 Mar 2025);Enhanced awareness of cybersecurity and investigation techniques (SDG: 4).	
4		CECAS X ACM Decoding AI (27 Mar2025); Eminent speaker session on advancements in AI (SDG: 4, 9).	
5		HackNite 2025 (29 to 30 Mar 2025); Overnight coding hackathon encouraging creativity and teamwork (SDG: 4, 9).	
6		SDG Awareness Program—"Raising Awareness on Sustainability Goals" (5 Apr 2025); Promoted	

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		sustainability education and climate consciousness (SDG: 4, 13— Climate Action).	
7		Hyderabad Corporate Week (May–June 2025); Strengthened industry connect and corporate exposure (SDG: 8, 17).	
8		MILAN 2025Recruiters Meet (19 Jul 2025); Enhanced placement opportunities and industry ties (SDG: 8, 17).	
9		IndoSys 2025 Symposium (24 to 26 Jul 2025); National symposium on advanced computer systems research (SDG: 9).	
10		One day Faculty workshop on AR/VR@ LTIMindtree officefor the Faculty of School of Computer Engineering on july 7th 2025	
11		July 25thHACKSKY48-Hour Hackathon (29 to 31 Jul 2025); Encouraged innovation and problem-solving skills (SDG: 4, 9).	
12		CECAS Alumni Event (22 Aug 2025); Strengthened alumni engagement and mentoring (SDG: 17 — Partnerships for the Goals). Elephant Conservation Awareness (12 Aug 2025); Educated students on wildlife protection (SDG: 15— Life on Land).	
13		HackVerse 2025 (28 to 30 Aug 2025); AI-focused hackathon promoting technical excellence (SDG: 4, 9).	
14		HackSpace 2025 (25 to 27 Sep 2025); Provided a platform for creative coding and innovation (SDG: 9).	
15		Organized Expert talk on "Exploring Innovations in Modern AI Research Technique on 25th October 2025	
Department of Science and Humanities			
1	The Department of Science and Humanities organized a series of academic, social, and outreach activities throughout 2025, each aligned with relevant SDGs.	Throughout 2025, the Department organized a series of impactful academic, social, and outreach initiatives, each strategically aligned with relevant SDGs. **The IEEE International Conference on Next Generation Communication and Information Processing** (23 Jan 2025) facilitated research dissemination and collaboration in emerging technologies, supporting SDG 9. **Additionally, the National Science Day Celebration** (28 Feb 2025) fostered scientific curiosity and innovation among students and faculty, contributing to both SDG 4 and SDG 9. **The Two-Day Quantum Mathematics and Computing Workshop QMAC-2025** (21 Mar 2025) provided insights into quantum technologies and applications, strengthening SDG 4 and SDG 9.	1 Jan 2025–1 Dec 2025

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		The International Women's Day Celebrations (7 Mar 2025) included inspiring sessions by experts on women's health, nutrition, holistic well-being, and the therapeutic role of art; thereby contributing significantly to SDG 5—Gender Equality and SDG 3—Good Health and Well-Being. The **Five-Day Workshop on Computational Fluid Modelling Using COMSOL** (16 to 20 June 2025) enhanced participants' technical skills in scientific modelling, supporting SDG 4—Quality Education and SDG 9—Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure. **A 2-Day Workshop on Self-Mentoring** (27 Oct 2025) empowered students to strengthen their mental abilities and emotional resilience, aligning with SDG 3. The **One-Day Outreach Program at OSUMUS Lab, IISc Bengaluru** (3 Nov 2025) exposed students to advanced research in materials science and motivated them toward higher studies, contributing to SDG 4 and SDG 9. **Expert sessions such as the Invited Lecture on Linear Congruences** (18 Nov 2025) and the **talk on Electro-Kinetics** (17 Oct 2025) deepened mathematical and scientific understanding, reinforcing SDG 4. **Constitutional Day** (26 Nov 2025) aimed to sensitize students to constitutional values and civic responsibility; supporting SDG 16—Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures :

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
Computer Science and Engineering				
1	Mr Alok Mishra	Centre for Artificial Intelligence and Robotics (CAIR), Bengaluru	Webinar/Guest Lecture	28 Feb 2025
2	Mr Sujeet Kumar	Tata Consultancy Services, Bengaluru	Guest Lecture	26 Mar 2025
3	Dr Maja Sarevska	European university Skopje	Guest Talk on "Robustness model of Two-layer Feed Forward Neural Networks"	26 Mar 2025
4	Dr Sunil Vupalla	Data Science, Ericsson R & D Bengaluru	Guest Lecture/ Technical Talk	27 Mar 2025
5	Dhaval Patel, Hemanand Vadivel, S Harish Kumar, Vaibhav Sirohi	Codebasics	Guest Lecture/ Technical Talk	29 Mar 2025
6	Ms Shalini Kapoor	Adobe and Marketing Information Technology (IT), Chief Information Officer,	Guest Lecture	2 Apr 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
		International Business Machines (IBM) India Pvt Ltd		
7	Mr Abhilash Chakkan Thottakath	Senior Principal Engineer, Unisys Campus Connect Team, Unisys India	Guest Lecture	5 Apr 2025
8	Ms Yasha Khandelwal	Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and Cofounder , Tech4biz and SpaceX Researcher	Guest Lecture	16 Apr 2025
9	Dr Sanjeev Shrivastava	Director, Skilling Programs, AI & Robotics Technology Park (ARTPARK), Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bengaluru	Guest Lecture	22 Apr 2025
10	Dr Maja Sarevska	Dean and Assistant Professor at European University	Guest Lecture	27 Apr 2025
11	Mr Diwakar B S	Founder of Gaja Conservation Trust	Guest Lecture	12 Aug 2025
12	Dr Debanjan Ray	Senior Software Engineer, Microsoft Discovery	Guest Lecture	23 Aug 2025
13	Ms Poornima Dhall	Lead Partner Manager, Academic Alliance—Asia–Pacific (APAC), Celonis	Guest Talk	8 Sep 2025
14	Aleem Shaikh	Microsoft	Guest Lecture	22 Sep 2025
15	Rajat Garg	Google	Guest Lecture	22 Sep 2025
16	Dr Dinesh R	Head of Artificial Intelligence, Samsung Electro-Mechanics	Guest Lecture	25 Oct 2025
Electronics and Communication				
1	Mr K S Sainarayan, Mr Krishna Patil and Mr Shourya Shukla	Marvel Semiconductor Pvt Ltd	Guest Lecture during VLSI Design Workshop	4 Aug 2025
2	Mr Shekar Jha	Analog Devices Pvt Ltd	Guest Lecture during VLSI Design Workshop	5 Aug 2025
3	Mr Ramadas M	Ventana Microsystems	Guest Lecture during VLSI Design Workshop	6 Aug 2025
4	Mr Sitaram Banda	Renesas Electronics	Guest Lecture during VLSI Design Workshop	8 Aug 2025
5	Dr Mohinder Jankiraman	Marine Electricals India Ltd	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	13 Oct 2025
6	Dr Jayprakash Thakur	Intel	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	13 Oct 2025
7	Mr Ajaykumar Vaidyanathan	Intel	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	14 Oct 2025
8	Dr K J Binoy	IISc Bengaluru	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	14 Oct 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
9	Dr V V Raghavendra Sai	Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	15 Oct 2025
10	Dr Varun Raghunathan	IISc Bengaluru	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	16 Oct 2025
11	Dr Vijay Kumar Sutrakar and Dr Ashutosh Kedar	Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO)	Guest Lecture during Antenna Workshop	17 Oct 2025
12	Dr Gopal Chandra Shit	Jadavpur University	Invited Talk	17 Oct 2025
13	Professor Om Prakash	IIT Patana	Invited talk	18 Nov 2025
14	Mr Ramakrishnan	Texas Instruments	Guest Talk on Semiconductor Industries and Labs	26 Nov 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
73	0	205	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
0	58	0	10

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Conference	0	2
Workshop	16	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
Computer Science and Engineering					
1	Sampling Methods in Qualitative Sampling in Multicultural Settings	Unveiling the Potential of Generative Approaches in AI Infused Web Development for Design, Testing, and Maintenance	Dr Raghavendra M Devadas	IGI Global Publisher	31 Jan 2025
2	Introduction to Social Engineering	Introduction to Social Engineering	H L Gururaj, B C Soundarya	Taylor & Francis	31 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
3	Accessibility symbol Accessibility Information Book Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	Text data analysis and sentiment classification of COVID19 vaccine tweets	Dr Raguru Jaya Krsihna	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
4	Accessibility symbol Accessibility Information Book Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	Enhancing Quora content: Bidirectional encoder representations from transformers-based similarity analysis in question pairs	Dr Raguru Jaya Krsihna	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
5	Accessibility symbol Accessibility Information Book Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	Text data analysis and sentiment classification of COVID19 vaccine tweets	Dr Gopalakrishnan T	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
6	Accessibility symbol Accessibility Information Book Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	Advances in skin cancer detection and classification: A comprehensive review	Dr Vamshi Krishna Bukkarayasamudram	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
7	Realization of Smart City Based on Internet of Things (IoT) and AI	Realization of Smart City Based on IoT and AI	N Pavithra, R Sapna, Preethi, C M Manasa, Raghavendra M Devadas	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
8	Book Digital Transformation and Sustainability of Business	Automated Structure of 3D animation methodology to increase the data clustering	Dr Bhuvaneshwari P	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
9	Book Digital Transformation and	Enhanced approximate topology generality and identity related broadcast encryption	Dr Bhuvaneshwari P	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
	Sustainability of Business	methodology for improving the security			
10	Book Digital Transformation and Sustainability of Business	Hybrid Bidirectional Long Short-Term Memory (BiLSTM) model for text based fake news detection in the social media	Dr Bhuvaneshwari P	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
11	Book Digital Transformation and Sustainability of Business	Enhanced deep fake video classification and detection: A ResNext Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) approach for improved accuracy	Dr Bhuvaneshwari P	Taylor & Francis	28 Feb 2025
12	Realization of Smart City Based on IoT and AI	Realization of Smart City Based on IoT and AI	N Pavithra, R. Sapna, Preethi, C M Manasa, Raghavendra M Devadas	Taylor & Francis	25 Mar 2025
13	Smart Workspace Automation	Smart workspace automation harnessing IoT and AI for sustainable urban development and improved quality of life	R Sapna, Preethi, N Pavithra, C M Manasa, M Raghavendra, Devadas	Taylor & Francis	31 Mar 2025
14	Smart Workspace Automation	Smart workspace automation harnessing IoT and AI for sustainable urban development and improved quality of life	R Sapna, Preethi, N Pavithra, C M Manasa, M Raghavendra, Devadas	Taylor & Francis	31 Mar 2025
15	Predicting Oil Reservoir Behaviour With Convolutional Neural Networks	Predicting oil reservoir behaviour with convolutional neural networks	Dr Mangalampalli Surya Sudheer	IGI Global	30 Apr 2025
16	Effective Teaching Around the World	Building a Better Network: The Promising Future of 6G Technology Applications and Challenges	Dr Karthik S A	Directory of Open Access Book	30 Jun 2025
17	Sampling Methods in Qualitative Sampling in Multicultural Settings	Unveiling the Potential of Generative Approaches in AI-Infused Web Development for Design, Testing, and Maintenance	Ms Sapna R	IGI Global	21 Jul 2025
18	Finite State Automata and	Dr Deepti Sisodia Dr Lokesh Singh	Dr Deepti Sisodia Dr Lokesh Singh	BR Publisher	30 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
	Discrete Structures				
Department of Science and Humanities					
1	Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	AgriFriend: A robust approach for crop recommendation system	Dr Rashmi S	Taylor & Francis	25 Jan 2025
2	Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence	Dr Anand Pal	Taylor & Francis	30 Jan 2025
3	Domain-Specific Bodies of Knowledge in Project Management	Chapter 15: Embodied Energy Assessment of Onsite Construction Processes of Concreting Work—Models and Validation	Dr Lairenlakpam Pinky Devi	World Scientific Connects	25 Mar 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Computer Science and Engineering					
1	Game based Deep Ocean Knowledge Enrichment through Virtual Reality Simulations and Mission Dives in Indian Sub-Continent Context	Tusar Kranti	Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF)	7,00,000	7 Mar 2025–7 Mar 2026
2	Automation of Single Cell Image Analysis of Human Stem Cells Using Deep Learning— Based Approaches	Rashmi R	MAHE Seed Grant	7,60,000	1 Oct 2025–31 Oct 2027
Department of Science and Humanities					
1	Understanding the influence of urbanization on morphology and genetic variation in common toads of Bengaluru and surrounding areas	Dr Preeti R Raghvendra Hebba	Intramural funding from MAHE	6,00,000	1 Jun 2025–1 Jun 2028
2	Understanding Evolutionary divergence in *Nyctibatrachus* frogs of the Western Ghats, India using acoustics and Genetics	Dr Preeti R Raghvendra Hebba	ANRF, Government of India	64,40,280	17 Jun 2025–31 Jul 2028

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
Electronics and Communication					
1	Advanced Materials based Emerging FETs for Logic and Health Care Applications	V Bharath Sreenivasulu	ANRF–Advanced Research Grant (ARG)	6,16,620	25 Jul 2025–27 Jul 2027
2	AI-Driven Neonatal ICU Monitoring System: Enhancing Infant care Through Intelligence Automation	Aswini Kumar Samantaray	Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR)	1,84,00,000.00	16 Oct 2025–16 Oct 2028

Patent details :

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Jayita Saha—A system and method for cost-effective indoor localization-based IoT safety device	3 Jan 2025
2	Soundarya B C—A system and method for real-time detection of deepfake medical images using federated learning	4 Jun 2025
3	System and method detecting arterial blockages	23 Jun 2025
4	Capacitance level sensing system and method for precise liquid level detection	27 Jun 2025
5	Madhura K—A system and method for providing multilingual health information on women's hormonal issues	17 Jul 2025
6	Amreen Ayesha—A system and method for expiry detection and inventory management in pharmaceutical products	22 Aug 2025
7	Amreen Ayesha—A system and method for secure IoT-enabled medicine dispensing and inventory management	1 Sep 2025
8	Amreen Ayesha—A system and method for IoT wearables to enable health monitoring of street dogs	27 Sep 2025
9	Capacitive liquid-level sensor device with axially grooved squircle apertured electrodes and method thereof	6 Oct 2025
10	Tusar Kanti Mishra—System and method for manure maturity assessment and automated agricultural application	8 Oct 2025
11	Vishwas G KiniA system and method for computer vision-based sensory-motor stimulation for cerebral palsy	15 Oct 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Device and method for indoor air quality management	21 Feb 2025
2	Device and method for air quality enrichment inside a vehicle cabin	21 Mar 2025
3	A system and method for computer vision-based sensory-motor stimulation for cerebral palsy	2 May 2025
4	Portable blood testing system and method for analysis of multiple blood analytes	9 May 2025

Sl No	Name	Date
5	System and method for evaluating and optimizing vastu compliance of an environment	30 May 2025
6	Smart spoon device for monitoring and promoting a balanced diet	25 Jul 2025
7	Smart air purification system and method thereof	15 Aug 2025
8	Apparatus for storing and transporting biological specimens	3 Oct 2025
9	System and method for real-time determination of manure maturity and automated agricultural application	10 Oct 2025
10	Wearable protective device and method thereof	17 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
Computer Science and Engineering			
1	Dr Srinidhi N N	Published Conference Paper titled "A Review on Deep Learning Techniques for Detecting Plant Leaf Diseases .INCIP-2025. Conference Paper Published: A Systematic Literature Review on Machine Learning Techniques for Heart Disease Prediction" Published: Dynamic Workload Balancing Strategies for IoT Based Fog Network Reviewer—Scientific Reports Journal	1 Apr 2025
2	Dr Karthik S A	3-Days Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Machine Learning and Advanced Techniques Usage of AI tools in Research and Writing. Presented a paper at the International Conference, "A framework for Automatic Summarization of text using text rank algorithm with ROUGE and BLEU"	8 Apr 2025
3	Dr Lokesh Singh	Secured IEEE Senior Membership, Secured position in Badminton, Published in International conference	13 May 2025
4	Dr Soumyalatha Naveen	40 hrs FDP on Deep Learning and on Foundations and Applications of Machine and Deep Learning: A Hands-on Approach. Faculty Enrichment Program by LTI Mindtree Reviewer-Expert Systems Reviewer-Information Processing in Agriculture Reviewer-Results in Engineering	25 May 2025
5	Dr Shweta S Aladakatti	IBM SkillsBuild course completed: 1. Introduction to Artificial Intelligence Deep Dive into AI: 2.Latest Trends using Machine Learning and Deep Learning 3. FDP Attended: Extended Reality and Quantum Computing	20 Jun 2025
6	Dr Shanmugavalli V	IBM SkillsBuild Certificate FDP Attendee for session titled " Extended Reality and Quantum Computing"	20 Jun 2025
7	Dr Megha D Bengalur	IBM SkillsBuild—Applied Machine Learning	23 Jun 2025
8	Dr Soumyashree	FDP—Extended Reality and Quantum Computing	26 Jun 2025
9	Dr Deepti Gupta	IBM Skilbuild course is completedtitle of the course is "Introduction to AI"	21 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Reviewer certificate from the following journal"Biomedical Signal Processing and control" journal	
10	Dr Pavithra N	6G Cyber Security Resilience: Trends and Challenges; Reviewer at IEEE International Conference for Women in Innovation, Technology, and Entrepreneurship ICWITE 2025; Attended 10th IEEE International Conference on Automatic Control and Intelligent Systems (I2CACIS2025)	27 Jul 2025
11	Dr Deepti Sisodia	Reviewer at Scientific reports (Springer Nature), Reviewer at Cluster Computing (Springer Nature), Secured IEEE Senior Membership Published in International conference	23 Aug 2025

Department of Science and Humanities

1	Dr Hareesh K	Best Paper Award at 3rd International Conference on "Recent Advances in Fluid Mechanics and Nanoelectronics", hosted by the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Kasetsart University (KU), Thailand	29 Oct 2025
2	Dr Hareesh K	World's Top 2% Scientists	30 Oct 2025
3	Dr Rajashekar Chowdary	World's Top 2% Scientists	30 Oct 2025
4	Dr Arpitha G R	World's Top 2% Scientists	30 Oct 2025
5	Dr Manasa Kongot	Awarded as Coach of the Indian Chess team by the All-India Chess Federation for the Commonwealth Chess Championship in Malaysia from 8 to 17 Nov 2025. India team won 45 medals in total in this championship	17 Nov 2025

Electronics and Communication

1	Dr V Bharath Sreenivasulu	Top 2% rank of Scientists worldwide	30 Nov 2025
2	Dr Sowmya R	Top 2% rank of Scientists worldwide	30 Nov 2025
3	Dr Roshan Joy Martis	Top 2% rank of Scientists worldwide	30 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Aryan Khandelwal	Internship at CSIR—National Aerospace Laboratories	4 Jan 2025
2	Divy Pratap Moudgal	Own startup, "Siren Clothing"	2 Feb 2025
3	Nidhi Tiwari	Recipient of the MAHE Student Mobility Fellowship; Spent 3 weeks in the University of Auckland, New Zealand	15 May 2025
4	Parth Bhatnagar	Papers published in International Conference on Machine Learning Technologies (ICMLT)	23 May 2025
5	Mohana Misra	Awarded the MAHE Student Mobility Fellowship to University of Auckland, New Zealand	31 Jul 2025
6	Mohana Misra	Developed production-grade software at Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO), deployed across all ISRO centres and units	31 Aug 2025
7	Nishanth Shet	Certificate of appreciation by ACM student Chapter, secured 1st position in research poster presentation	21 Oct 2025
8	Mohana Misra	Paper presented with first authorship at the 6th IEEE India Council International Subsections Conference (INDISCON); Invited as Keynote Speaker at Google DevFest Ranchi; Paper published with first authorship at the 3rd International Conference on Networks, Multimedia, and Information Technology (NMITCON-2025); Academic Topper of	25 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence); Awarded the MAHE Achiever's Scholarship (2023, 2024, 2025); National Programme on Technology Enhanced Learning (NPTEL) Topper—Software Engineering, top 1%—Operating System Fundamentals, top 2%—Ethical Hacking, top 5%— Engineering Intern in Solar Winds	
9	Induj Gupta	Own startup, "KISAN MITRA"; Designed E-Rakshak app for Police Department; Certificate of achievement for HACK-A-BOT	13 Nov 2025
10	Debashish Tripathy	Got Special acknowledgement from Coventry University, Wroclaw, Poland for outstanding Project Submission; Secured top finalist position in Healthcare Challenge 2025; 1st runner up in fiercest competition 4.0 Cyber & Risk Hackathon	13 Nov 2025
11	Prakhar Khurana	Interned at the Indian army Ministry of Defence under cyber security hosted Google Cloud GenAI exchange hackathon	29 Nov 2025

Staff

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Prashant Janagond	1.CISCO NetAcademy certificate-" Networking Devices and Basic Configuration 2.IBM Skillbuild certificate course completed on "Web Development Fundamentals" 3.IBM SkillsBuild certificate " Machine Learning - Dimensionality Reduction"	11 Jun 2025
2	Ashwini R	IBM SkillsBuild course completed on "Artificial Intelligence Fundamentals", two Sap courses completed: 1."Cloud Computing Fundamentals 2."Exploring the world of AI"	18 Jun 2025
3	Deepthi S M	IBM SkillsBuild—"Web Development Fundamentals SAP" and " Exploring the world of AI"	9 Jul 2025
4	Shilpa Parameshappa Somanakatti	IBM SkillsBuild—"Artificial Intelligence Fundamentals" and "Web Development Fundamentals"	18 Jul 2025
5	Anil Kumar N V	Web Development Fundamentals	28 Jul 2025
6	Prajna N	IBM SkillsBuild—"Web development fundamentals" and "Working in a digital world: Professional skills"	1 Dec 2025
7	Hareesh Babu M S	1.IBM SkillsBuild—Course completed on "AI Fundamentals" 2.Mat lab certification course course completed on MathsWorks—"Introduction to Computer Vision" 3.Google certiification course completed on "Introduction to Image Processing" 4.Coursera certification course complted on "Foundations of Cyber Security" 5.Coursera certificate completed on "Advanced Prompt Engineering for everyone"	1 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
Computer Science and Engineering			
1	Dr Lokesh Singh	Dr Lokesh Singh secured the 2nd prize in badminton in the MAHE Intra-Institute Sports Competition, demonstrating commendable skill and competitive spirit.	1 Jan 2025
2	Badminton Men Intra MAHE	The Men's Badminton Team won the gold medal in the intra-MAHE institute-level sports competition.	2 Sep 2025
3	Football Women's	The MIT Bengaluru Women's Football Team secured first place at the institute-level tournament held as part of FALAK 2025, earning a cash prize of 20,000 INR along with gold medals, and proudly showcasing outstanding talent and team spirit.	8 Oct 2025
Department of science and humanities			
1	Women's Basketball	The MIT Bengaluru Women's Basketball team delivered an exceptional performance at the Intra-MAHE Institute Level Sports Competition, proudly clinching the Gold medal. The team displayed remarkable coordination, endurance, and competitive spirit throughout the tournament, reflecting their dedication and consistent practice. This achievement highlights the growing strength of women's sports at the institute and serves as an inspiration for upcoming athletes.	3 Sep 2025
Electronics and Communication			
1	Women's Badminton	The Women's Badminton Team won the bronze medal in the intra-MAHE institute-level sports competition.	2 Sep 2025
2	Cricket Men's	The MIT Bengaluru Men's Cricket Team secured first place in the institute-level tournament conducted as part of FALAK 2025, earning a cash prize of 40,000 INR along with gold medals, and proudly demonstrating exceptional talent, teamwork, and sporting spirit.	5 Oct 2025
3	Men's Lawn Tennis	The MIT Bengaluru Men's Lawn Tennis Team displayed remarkable skill and determination at the Intra-MAHE Sports Competition securing the Gold medal. Their consistent performance and strategic play throughout the matches highlighted their sporting excellence and commitment. This outstanding achievement adds to the institute's growing stature in competitive sports and encourages greater participation among students.	22 Oct 2025

Outside University:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Hyderabad Tournament	The MIT Bengaluru Men's Lawn Tennis Team reached the Semi-Finals. The team displayed commendable skill, strategic play, and perseverance throughout the competition, competing strongly against top players from other institutions. The MIT Bengaluru Athletics team secured Gold, Silver, and Bronze medals across multiple events. The athletes demonstrated exceptional speed, stamina, and determination throughout the track and field competitions, competing strongly against participants from various institutions. These remarkable achievements highlight the institute's growing prominence in athletics and the dedication of its students at inter-institutional sporting platforms.	6–9 Feb 2025
2	Christ Kengeri Tournament	The MIT Bengaluru Men's Table Tennis Team, representing MAHE,secured the Bronze medal. The team displayed commendable skill, agility, and determination throughout the matches, competing strongly against teams from various institutions. This achievement reflects the growing excellence of table tennis at the institute and the dedication of our students in inter-institutional competitions.	27 Feb–1 Mar 2025
3	Devadan Cup	The MIT Bengaluru Women's Basketball Team representing MAHE, secured the Gold medal. The team demonstrated outstanding teamwork, skill, and determination throughout the tournament, excelling against strong competition from other institutions. This remarkable achievement reflects the growing strength of women's basketball at the institute and inspires further participation in inter-institutional sports events.	27 Feb–1 Mar 2025
4	Reva University Tournament	The MIT Bengaluru Women's Basketball Team, representing MAHE, secured the Gold medal. The team displayed exceptional teamwork, skill, and competitive spirit throughout the matches, outperforming strong teams from other institutions. This achievement highlights the growing excellence of women's basketball at the institute and motivates continued participation in inter-institutional sports competitions.	10–12 Mar 2025
5	BITS Goa Athletics	The MIT Bengaluru Athletics Team delivered an exceptional performance and secured Gold, Silver, and Bronze medals across various events. The athletes displayed remarkable speed, endurance, and determination in track and field competitions, competing strongly against participants from multiple institutions. The MIT Bengaluru Women's Basketball Team, representing MAHE, secured the Gold medal. The team displayed outstanding coordination, skill, and determination throughout the tournament,	26–30 Mar 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		competing strongly against top teams from various institutions. This remarkable achievement underscores the growing prominence of women's basketball at the institute and inspires further excellence in inter-institutional sports competitions. These outstanding achievements reflect the institute's growing excellence in athletics and highlight the dedication and talent of our students on a national platform.	
6	PES Infini'25 Tournament	The MIT Bengaluru Chess Team secured the Bronze medal. The players demonstrated excellent strategic thinking, focus, and competitive spirit throughout the matches, competing strongly against top teams from various institutions. This achievement highlights the analytical talent of our students and reinforces the institute's growing presence in inter-institutional mind-sports competitions. The MIT Bengaluru Women's Basketball Team secured the Silver medal. The team displayed excellent teamwork, skilful play, and determination throughout the competition, competing strongly against teams from various institutions. This achievement highlights the growing prominence of women's basketball at the institute and inspires students to excel in inter-institutional sports events. The MIT Bengaluru Men's Badminton Team secured the Silver medal. The team displayed commendable skill, agility, and competitive spirit throughout the championship, successfully competing against strong teams from various institutions. This achievement reflects the growing excellence of badminton at the institute and highlights the potential of our players at inter-institutional platforms.	13–17 Oct 2025
7	CSE Cup'25	The MIT Bengaluru Men's Football Team, representing MAHE, secured the Silver medal. The team demonstrated excellent teamwork, tactical skills, and resilience throughout the tournament, competing strongly against teams from various institutions. This notable achievement reflects the institute's growing prowess in football and inspires students to excel in inter-institutional sports events.	10–12 Nov 2025

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	International Women's Day	MIT Bengaluru celebrated International Women's Day on 7 March 2025 at AB5 Auditorium, honouring women's achievements and empowerment. The event, aligned with the theme "For All Girls and Women: Right, Equality, and Empowerment," featured speeches, discussions, and cultural performances.	7 Mar 2025

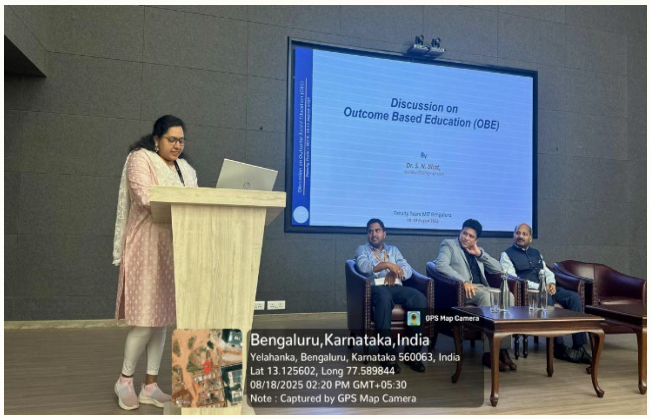
Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	RUBARU 2025	MAHE Bengaluru organized the cultural fest "RUBARU" featuring a vibrant mix of cultural and sports competitions for faculty, staff, and students. The event provided a platform for displaying talent, creativity, and team spirit across various activities, fostering engagement, camaraderie, and a lively campus atmosphere. RUBARU 2025 successfully celebrated the diverse skills and enthusiasm of the MAHE community.	19–22 Feb 2025
2	FALAK 2025	FALAK is the annual flagship Culture and Sports Fest of Manipal Institute of Technology, Bengaluru. Falak'25 was a vibrant platform that brought together creativity, talent, and sportsmanship, displaying the energy and enthusiasm of the student community. With an exciting lineup of cultural performances, competitions, and sporting events, this fest was an unforgettable celebration with various sports and cultural events including a Grand Proshow featuring prominent singer, Mohit Chauhan.	6–12 Oct 2025
3	DEEPAWALI 2025	The Cultural Coordination Committee (CCC) and Human Resources (HR) Team of MAHE Bengaluru organized vibrant Deepawali 2025 celebrations marked as "Ethnic Day". The event featured a Rangoli competition, a photography contest, student dance performances, a lively Dhol session, and departmental exhibitions, engaging both teaching and non-teaching staff. Participants celebrated in their ethnic attire, contributing creativity and enthusiasm, making the festival a joyous and memorable campus-wide occasion.	14 Oct 2025
4	Kannada Rajyotsava celebration	As part of the Kannada Rajyotsava celebrations at MIT Bengaluru, a series of engaging competitions such as Rangoli, Singing, Cooking, were organized exclusively for the faculty members. These activities provided a wonderful opportunity for faculty to display their artistic and creative talents while celebrating the cultural essence of Karnataka. The events fostered a sense of togetherness, fun, and friendly participation among the teaching fraternity, creating a lively and memorable festive atmosphere on campus.	12 Nov 2025

Photo Archive of Important events

MIT Bengaluru hosted the IEEE International Conference on "Next Generation Communication and Information Processing 2025" (INCIP 2025).

The Department of ECE–VLSI Group at MIT Bengaluru conducted a three-day workshop on "VLSI Circuit Design" from 4 to 6 August 2025.



IQAC–MIT Bengaluru organized a two-day workshop on "Outcome-Based Education 2025" (OBE 2025).

MIT Bengaluru celebrated International Women's Day on 7 March 2025.

IQAC–MIT Bengaluru organized a two-day workshop on "Philosophy of NBA and Attainment Calculation 2025".

HACKVERSE 2025 organized by school of Computer Engineering, MIT Bengaluru in association with ACM student chapter with Industry partner IBM SkillsBuild and AWS.

School of Computer Engineering, MIT Bengaluru MAHE organized Expert Talk on "Exploring Innovations in Modern AI Research Techniques" on 25 October 2025.

HackSky 2025, organized by the Department of Computer Engineering, Manipal Institute of Technology, MAHE Bengaluru, in association with MITB ACM Student Chapter.

MIT Bengaluru Team Wins First Prize at ITU FG-AINN Build-a-thon 2025.

One Day Faculty workshop on AR/VR @ LTIMindtree office for the faculty of School of Computer Engineering, MIT Bengaluru on 10 July 2025.

Centre of Excellence in Autonomous Mobility

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: December 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr V Sravani
Members: Dr Ramasamy, Dr V Sravani, Dr Ashish Sharma, Dr Sowmya R

Brief About the Centre

The Centre of Excellence in Autonomous Vehicle Technology at MIT Bengaluru marks a significant step forward in the institution's commitment to shaping the future of mobility. This state-of-the-art lab is not only a space for technological exploration but also a dynamic platform where cutting-edge ideas will thrive and potentially revolutionize the autonomous systems landscape.

Focusing on pivotal areas such as sensor technologies, algorithm development, and cybersecurity in connected vehicles, the centre is poised to drive advancements in the autonomous vehicle domain. By enhancing the capabilities of the next generation of self-driving vehicles, the lab aims to address current challenges and create new opportunities in mobility.

The centre is equipped with an impressive suite of core sensors, including

- **2D and 3D LiDARs**: These sensors provide the high-definition mapping and environmental perception necessary for autonomous navigation, ensuring vehicles can understand their surroundings with extraordinary accuracy.
- **Radars**: Essential for reliable vehicle operation in adverse weather or visibility conditions, radars contribute significantly to safety features such as collision avoidance and adaptive cruise control.
- **Ultrasonic Sensors**: Perfect for close-range applications like parking assistance, these sensors allow for precise detection of obstacles in a vehicle's immediate environment.
- **Inertial Measurement Units (IMUs)**: By measuring forces and angular rate, IMUs support the vehicle's stability and navigation, particularly in challenging environments where GPS signals may be weak or unreliable.
- **Depth-Sensing Cameras**: These cameras capture the 3D structure of the surroundings, enhancing object detection and enabling more informed decision-making for autonomous systems.
- **Monocular Cameras**: Simple but effective, these cameras serve in tasks like lane detection and traffic sign recognition, offering a cost-efficient solution for autonomous vehicle vision.

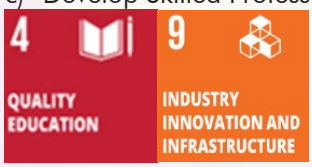
This ambitious initiative is set to position MIT Bengaluru as a global leader in advanced technology research and innovation. With a focus on impactful research and fostering strategic partnerships, the Centre is expected to unlock new avenues for progress in the evolving field of autonomous vehicles.

Vision: Excellence in autonomous mobility through research, innovation, and teamwork and fostering the next generation of leaders in autonomous systems.

Mission: To drive advancements in autonomous mobility by fostering a collaborative environment of research, innovation, and teamwork, developing groundbreaking technologies, and empowering students and professionals to lead the future of transportation.

Objectives

a) Promote Cutting-edge Research
b) Foster Industry-Academia Collaboration
c) Develop Skilled Professionals



Activities at the Centre

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1	**Autonomous Mobility Workshop**	An immersive workshop covering path planning, sensors, and self-driving navigation, featuring hands-on	14 - 16 Apr 2025

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		autonomous vehicle training and expert guidance from top professionals	
2	**Industry Visit**	TiHAN, IIT Hyderabad	27 May 2025
3	**Semi-Autonomous robot, one credit course**	One credit course in association with ARTPARK, IISc.	01 - 08 Aug 2025
4	**Industry Visit**	Industry visit to Bullwork Mobility	24 Sep 2025
5	**Workshop-Autonomous Mobility made simpler**	One-day workshop at MIT Bengaluru	25 Oct 2025
6	**ANSCER Robotics Connect**	Industry visit and robotics connect-participation of student team	02 to 03 Dec 2025
7	**Supercomputing India Conference(9-13 December 2025)**	Delivered a talk on Core Sensor Technologies in Autonomous Mobility	11 Dec 2025

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Super Computing India,2025: 11 December 2025

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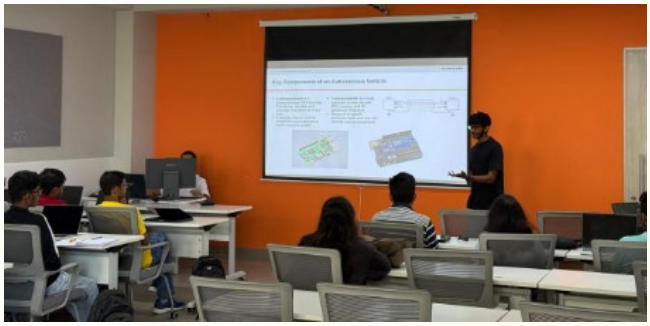

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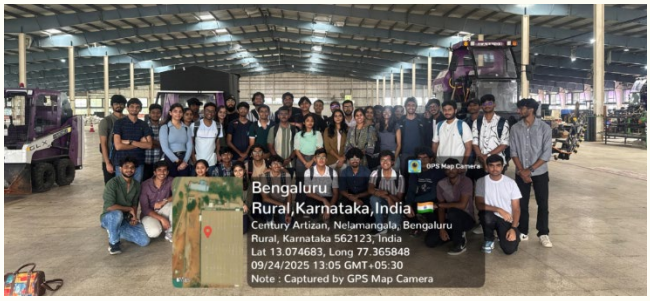

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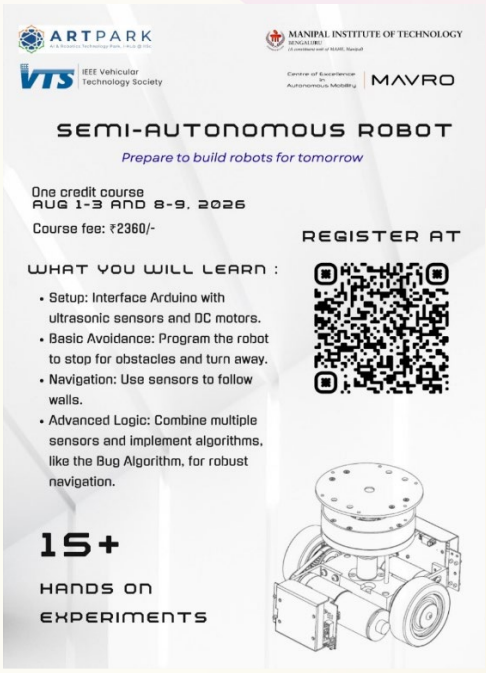

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Bio-inspired Design and Optimization Centre (BIODOC)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Arun Y Patil

Members: Dr Shrirang A Kulkarni, Dr Tusar Kanti Mishra, Dr Rajshekhar Choudhari, Dr Deepa Prabhu, Dr Roshan Martis, Dr Sanjukta Ghosh (SMI), Dr Manasa Nune (MIRM), Dr Abhilash Tilak, Dr Jayalaxmi Hanni, Dr Sumit Kumar and Dr Jyothi Prasanna (MIRM)

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To be a world-renowned centre for bio-inspired design by fostering multidisciplinary research on cutting-edge technologies.

Mission: To advance the field of bio-inspired design towards building a dynamic ecosystem of creative and bio-inspired thinkers, scientists, technocrats, and designers.

Objectives

- Promote Nature-Inspired Innovation: Develop innovative solutions by studying and applying principles from nature to address modern challenges in engineering, technology, and sustainability.
- Advance Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): Focus on creating technologies and practices that contribute to SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), SDG 14 (Life Below Water), and SDG 15 (Life on Land), aligning the centre's goals with global sustainability efforts.
- Create a knowledge hub: Develop an initial version of a digital library by December 2025 of proven bio-inspired designs helpful to researchers and learners.
- Develop a digital twin mechanism to verify and aid in gauging the efficiency and accuracy of existing designs or bio-inspired systems to enhance the features of our products.

Unique Selling Points

The BIODOC Centre stands out as a transdisciplinary bio-inspired design and translation hub that seamlessly integrates engineering, life sciences, design, healthcare, and agriculture to deliver solutions aligned with national priorities and global SDGs. Its strongest USP is the IDEA-to-POC-to-Product pipeline, operationalized through the indigenously developed PRO-SIGMA and 3PM frameworks, enabling structured innovation, TRL mapping, IP creation, and market readiness.

The centre has demonstrated exceptional research convergence and scale, with INR 26+ crore funding proposals under evaluation and ongoing high-impact projects in biomedical diagnostics, sustainable materials, mobility safety, circular economy, and agri-waste valorization. BIODOC's deep industry and institutional linkages—including IIT Ropar, Dassault Systèmes, UAS Bengaluru, and leading global universities—position it as a credible national and international collaboration node.

A defining USP is its nature-inspired problem-solving philosophy, translating biological intelligence (entomology, tissues, worms, soft systems) into deployable engineering and healthcare solutions, directly contributing to SDGs on health, sustainability, climate action, and responsible production. With strong outcomes in Q1 publications, patents, copyrights, FDPs, and curriculum innovation, BIODOC uniquely bridges research excellence, education, innovation, and societal impact within a single, scalable ecosystem.

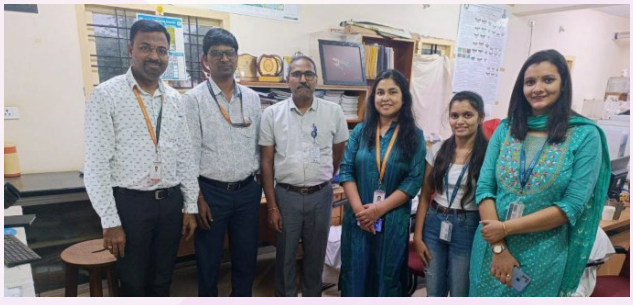
Activities at the Centre

a. The BIODOC core team collaboratively works with Prof Navin Kumar, HOD and Professor from the Department of Mechanical Engineering, IIT Ropar, Punjab, on the hard and soft tissue centre. He visited MIT-BLR on 10 June 2025 and discussed possible areas of collaboration. We have applied for ANRF-COE, ANRF-MAHA AI&SE, and AICTE-RPS funding proposals, with him covering more than INR 23 crore in 2025. Currently, all the proposals are under technical evaluation.

b. Dassault Systèmes, La Fondation CEO Dr Huzefa Salim interacted with all the faculties on upcoming CSR funding options and shared the possible collaboration areas for MIT-BLR faculty to apply for fund proposals.

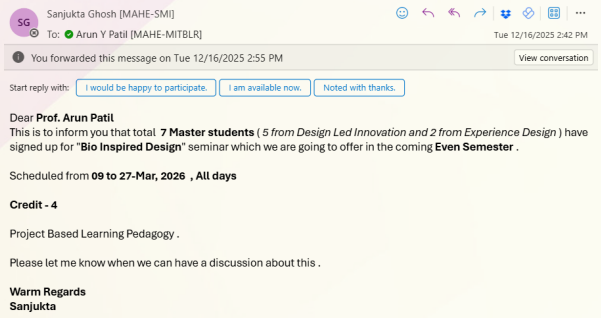
c. The PRO-SIGMA workshop was conducted for more than 30 faculties of various disciplines, such as SMI, MIRM, MCHP, DOC, MLS, and DLHS to provide the IDEA 2 POC using the bio-inspired design case studies developed at BIODOC. A three-day FDP was organized and conducted by Dr Arun Y Patil along with Mr Varun Gupta and Dr Indranil Saha on 23, 30 August, and 06 of September 2025.

d. Collaboration with Dr Ganiger C Prabhu, Professor in the Department of Entomology in University of Agricultural Science, Bengaluru, with BIODOC project works established. The faculty and research scholar team visited the entomology department on 29 September 2025 to discuss the possible projects to be worked.



e. Open elective course floated to Master of Design students in Srishti Manipal Institute on Bio-inspired

Design from BIODOC with the support of Dr Ganiger C Prabhu, Professor in the Department of Entomology, University of Agricultural Science, Bengaluru.



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Dear **Prof. Arun Patil**
This is to inform you that total **7 Master students** (*5 from Design Led Innovation and 2 from Experience Design*) have signed up for "**Bio Inspired Design**" seminar which we are going to offer in the coming **Even Semester** .

Scheduled from **09 to 27-Mar, 2026 , All days**

Credit - 4

Project Based Learning Pedagogy .

Please let me know when we can have a discussion about this .

Warm Regards
Sanjukta

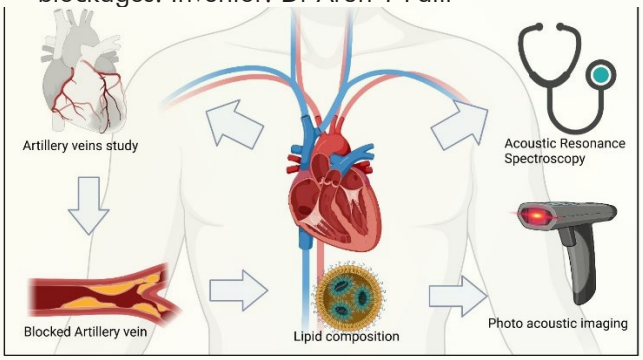
f. In December 2025, MOU focusing on innovation, incubation, and research with the Indian Institute of Technology Ropar, Punjab, will be executed.

g. Number of Articles Published

1. Cordeiro, A, Hussain, M, Ramachandran, T et al. Advancements in Packaging Materials: Trends, Sustainability, and Future Prospects. Circ.Econ.Sust. (2025). https://doi.org/10.1007/s43615-025-00586-4. (SCIE, WoS, and Scopus) **[Q1].**
2. Vishalagoud S Patil, Arun Y Patil, Piyush Kumar, Anil Kumar, Raman Kumar, Chander Prakash, P C Arunakumara, Mallikarjungouda B Patil, Keshavmurthy R, Jaber M Asiri, Yunus Khan T M, Shaik Mohamed Shamsudeen, Enhancing Material Properties with a Sustainable Wood-Quartz-HDPE Composite: A Study on Strength, Cogent Engineering, 10.1080/23311916.2024.2434946, **IF:2.1** (ESCI, WoS, and Scopus) **[Q2]**
3. Shridhar H Budapanahalli, Sandeep C Dhaduti, Raman Kumar, N Beemkumar, Abinash Mahapatro, Y Karun Kumar, Arun Y Patil, A review on aluminium metal matrix composite for tribological study on gear applications, Discover Applied Sciences, Accepted, 2025, 10.1007/s42452-025-07989-w **IF:2.8** (SCIE, WoS, and Scopus) **[Q1]**
4. Mallikarjunagouda Patil, Sridhar N Mathad, Arun Y Patil, Abdulaziz Abdulah Al-Kheraif, Sachin Naik, Sajith Vellapally, Enhanced and proficient chitosan membranes embedded with polyaniline-TiO2 core-shell nanocomposites for fuel-cell hydrogen storage, Turkish Journal of Chemistry, Vol. 49 (2025), No. 3, 10.55730/1300-0527.3730. **IF:1.4** (SCIE, WoS, and Scopus) **[Q3]**
5. Shridhar H Budapanahalli, S B Mallur, Arun Y Patil, Sandeep C Dhaduti, Experimental Investigation on Hybrid Aluminium Metal Matrix Composite Spur Gears, J. Inst. Eng. India Ser. D, https://doi.org/10.1007/s40033-024-00646-3 (Scopus) **[Q2]**

h. Patents Filed and Copyrights

1. Patent: System and method of detecting arterial blockages. Inventor: Dr Arun Y Patil



2. Copyrights (Filed:02)

a. 'Saptah Program' is for freshmen at under graduation level. Currently, the Saptah program is framed to meet the requirements of the entrepreneurship journey for students/faculty. The content initiates with identifying the problem statement, from idea generation to proof of concepts to business model development to pitch deck presentation preparation for all MAHE-BLR institutes.

b. 3PM analysis (P→Patent; P→Publication; P→Product; M→Megatrends)
It is an innovative platform for students and faculty to get engaged in their idea realization. Identifying their problem statements, feasibility of having the market traction potential are the main salient points of it. It also provides complete data pertaining to the level of your concept or proof of concept in terms of Technology Readiness Level (TRL 1-9). The platform will leverage the student/faculty to better connect to the world in terms of the unique and innovative ideas.

3PM Analysis Framework

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→ Once the keyword searched accordingly the synonyms for the keyword have to be established and highlighted. Further, option to be given to user to select those synonyms to run the search again if necessary.

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a. Market analysis report for future 5 to 10 years
b. CAGR %
c. Potential market players

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List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Development of a non-invasive Point of Care Testing Device to Screen Oral Potentially Malignant Disorders at all Levels of Health Care	ICMR, New Delhi	Dr Ashiwini Narasannavar, JNMC, Belagavi Dr Arun Y Patil (Co-PI)	99,28,000 (INR 15,00,000 received from JNMC, Belagavi, as Phase-I work)	Dec 2025
2	Orchestrating the future of cancer detection with Quantum Innovation: Oral Premalignant detection device OPMD	CMTI, Heavy Industries Ltd, Bengaluru	Dr Arun Y Patil	1,66,817	Dec 2025

List of Projects Applied (More than 26 crore)

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (Lakhs)	Date
1	Identification of Arterial Blockages via Fatty Acid Profiling and Lipid-Based Diagnostic Techniques	ANRF-ARG	Dr Arun Y Patil	72.19	15 Jul 2025
2	Real-time testing of sheep horn as impact resistive material for accident-prone regions in consumer vehicles	AICTE-RPS	Dr Arun Y Patil	48.6	28 Jul 2025
3	Experimental Evaluation and Optimization of Sound level and Sound intensity of an Automobile in closed and open field Environments for the reduction of the Noise	AICTE-RPS	Dr Vishal Patil (Govt Engineering College, Talkal) and Co-PI: Dr Arun Y Patil	49	28 Jul 2025
4	Design and Development of a Multi-Stage Post-Harvest Coffee Cherry Sorting Machine: From Lab Prototype to Field Application	AICTE-RPS	Dr Megha Arakeri (SoCE-MIT) and Co-PI: Dr Arun Y Patil	48	28 Jul 2025
5	Development of Nature-Inspired Compound Self-Heating Mechanism in Batteries for Cold Climate and Rapid Activation Scenarios	ANRF-COE	Dr Abhishek Kumar Rohit (TAPMI) and Co-PI: Dr Arun Y Patil	743.39	09 Sep 2025
6	Thermo Geo-plastic TGP Technology in pavement construction and manufacturing pavers	DST-Waste Management	Dr Sumana Vishnu (Civil-MIT) and Co-PI: Dr Arun Y Patil	67.10	17 Sep 2025
7	Development of a hybrid battery thermal management system employing bionic structures and a cooling plate	BOSCH-CSR	Dr Abhilash Tilak and Co-PI: Dr Arun Y Patil	50	17 Jun 2025
8	Advanced Pyrolysis-Based Circular Economy Solution for Wind Turbine Blades and Thermoset Waste Pilot-Scale Development and Commercialization	CSR Fund	Dr Harini Santhanam and Co-PI: Dr Arun Y Patil	40	10 Oct 2025

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (Lakhs)	Date
9	GENISIS-D: Generative Evolutionary Nature-Inspired Simulation Intelligence System for Defence Materials	ANRF-MAHA AI&SE	Dr Arun Y Patil	1498	27 Nov 2025

Any SDG-related Activities:

Currently centre is working on the following SDGs. Namely,

We have initiated collaboration with the following universities with BIODOC

a. London College of Fashion at UK - Prof Veronika Kapsil, Professor, Bio-inspired Textile Design (Fourth Best Fashion School in the world for 2025)
b. Universität of Rovira at Spain – Dr Sergio Gomez, Professor, Computer Networks and Bio-inspired Algorithms (As per QS Ranking 2025:731-740)
c. Queensland University of Technology, Australia: Dr Mohamed Shahriar, Associate Professor (Area: Biomedical device development and Engineering) (As per QS Ranking 2025:40)
d. Singapore University of Technology and Design, Singapore: Centre Head - Dr Pablo Valdivia y Alvarado, Associate Professor (Area: Bio-inspired design, soft robots and sensors) (As per QS Ranking 2025:519)
e. University of North Carolina at Charlotte, US - Erina B Joyee, PhD, Assistant Professor, Mechanical Engineering and Engineering Science (As per QS Ranking 2024:1001-1200)

6. International Projects

a. Title: Tissue Modeling and Simulation for Low-Intensity Vibration Devices

The work in progress with the Universität of Rovira in Spain by Master of Science student Mr Miguel, working on the feasibility study of the mammary gland study with respect to acoustic and harmonic responses of cells and stacking of the cells. The work is jointly handled with Prof Sergio Gomez, Professor, Computer Networks and Bio-inspired Algorithms, as shown in the figure.

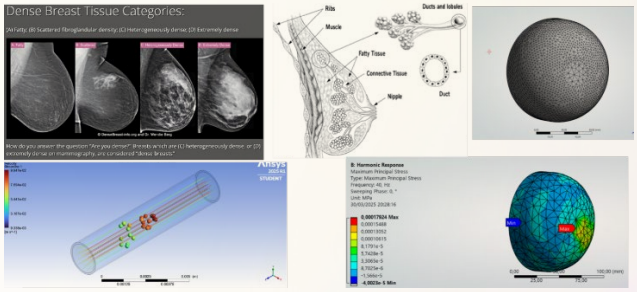

Figure 1. Mammary gland study with respect to the acoustic and harmonic responses of cells

b. Title: Biomimicking the earthworm for artificial vermi compost development

Currently, there is a limitation of biofertilizer, and the government is insisting on switching to organic farming, but the availability of biofertilizer is a constraint, as highlighted in Figure 2. Earthworms are the key promoters for biofertilizer, seeing the requirement, we are working on the biodigester to mimic the earthworm conversion process of biowaste to biofertilizers. This is in collaboration with the University of North Carolina at Charlotte,

US, Dr Erina B Joyee and UAS Bengaluru Dr Muthuraj R, Professor, Department of Microbiology.

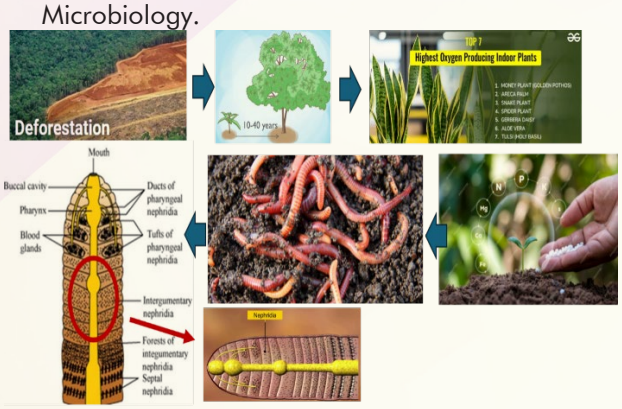

Figure 2. Biomimicking the earthworm digestive system with a biodigester

c. Title: Traffic Jam: Acoustic Noise, Air Pollution, Road Infrastructure, Traffic Violation leading to hazardous health issues

The metropolitan cities around India are heavily subjected to traffic-based congestion, leading to many issues such as acoustic noise, air pollution, road infrastructure, and traffic violations, leading to unnecessary stress and tension in the driver's daily travel routine. The whole project is to study the mental effects and stress-based problems faced by the travellers, as depicted in Figure 3. The Ministry of Road and Transportation is connected, and the data is gathered with respect to mortality and accidents.

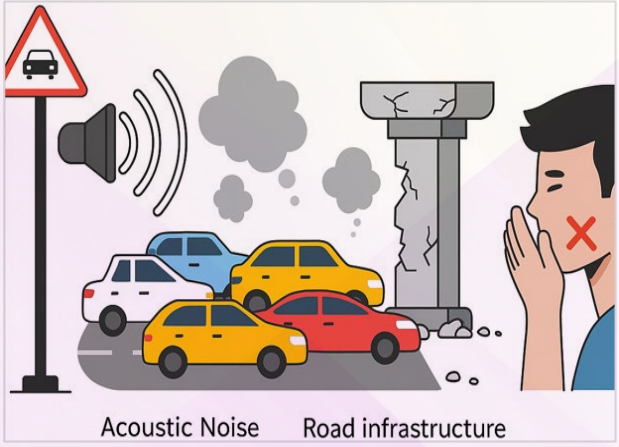

Figure 3. Traffic Jam: acoustic noise, air pollution, road infrastructure, traffic violations

d. *Title: Heart disease risk stratification calculator*

As per the data from the World Health Organization, the heart disease risk stratification score is not tabulated currently in India. Whereas in the USA, UK, and Germany, it has been in use, but the risk factors are supposed to be tabulated authentically by every hospital and testing unit. This data, as per the National Institute of Health, is not available for India. So, to initiate with one primary health centre, work on a large-scale model will be undertaken in the coming days, as shown in Figure

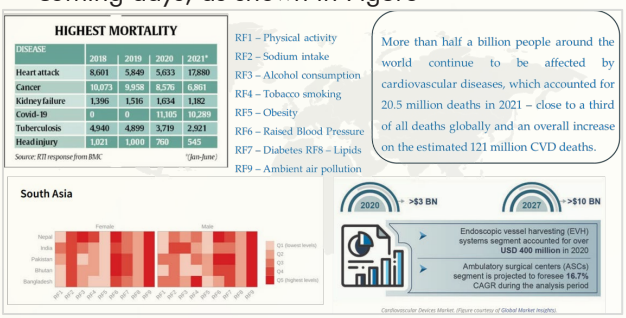

Figure 4. Heart disease risk stratification calculator

d. Title: Agricultural leftover waste to wealth-creating mission

In India, there is a huge amount of agricultural waste generated after every crop harvest. How to convert this into a useful product is the aim of the study highlighted in Figure 5. Currently, we have tied up with the University of Agricultural Science, Bengaluru, Dr Jayashree, Department of Agri Engineering.

Figure 5. Agri as waste to wealth creation

Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, Manipal

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Name of the Director: Dr Kalyan Kumar Mukherjee
Established: 1978

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:
- Bachelor of Architecture (BArch)
- Master of Architecture (Urban Design and Development) MArch (UDD)
- MDes (Sustainable Design)
- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

About the Institution/School:

Manipal School of Architecture and Planning (MSAP) provide high-quality design programs in the domain of architecture in the country. Established in 1978, the school established a pioneering legacy of creative, innovative, and intellectually vibrant learning environments with a global outlook. It strives to establish academic and professional excellence in architecture and design. MSAP is an elite institution with state-of-the-art facilities and infrastructure of design studios, a computer lab employing cutting-edge technology, various supporting labs, and a library with the latest additions of architecture and technology books and journals. Dedicated and experienced faculty members encourage student-centric practices, where learning expands beyond the four walls of the classroom. Preparing students for timeless success in the profession of design is the primary goal of the academic systems at MSAP.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Site visit: Portal Frame construction near MGM College, Udupi, for BArch second year, fourth semester, for the subject: Building	Site Visit near MGM College, Udupi, for BArch second year, fourth semester. Around six faculty members and 121 students participated. The outcome of the program were to understand steel as a building material and the involved construction techniques.	09 Jan 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
	Construction and Materials – IV. 		
2	The One Nature Animal Welfare Club 	"The One Nature Animal Welfare Club was formed under MAHE advisors: The following three students have been nominated to be in the leadership team representing the non-medical institutions, 1. Vyshnavi Narayan, Sixth Semester, A-Section BArch-General Secretary, Student Leadership Committee. 2. Ananya Banerjee and 3. V Madhurima; BArch Second Semester.	10 Jan 2025
3	National Youth Day Campaign 	Experts were 1. Dr Somashekar Bhat, Shri Kishore Alva, Dr Raviraj N S, 2. Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana, Dr Lopamudra Priyadarshini. The event started with a formal introduction to the campaign and its aims. The chief guest emphasized the significance of youth engagement in Nation-building. It was emphasized that unity, awareness, and active participation by the youth can transform society. The program concluded with a motivational call to action, encouraging every youth to take community initiatives and lead by example. The outcomes of the program were awareness spread among Manipal's youth on the importance of collective action toward a better and more sustainable world.	12 Jan 2025
4	Case study at Kinnigoli for BArch first year, second semester 	Residence case study at Kinnigoli for BArch first year, second semester for Subject Architecture Design and Detailing II, led by Ar Prajosh Kumar, ABCD Design Fundamentals, Mangalore, the students and faculties of ADD II Studio visited "Panchajanya," an award-winning residential project by Ar Prajosh Kumar. The project addresses the sustainable issues by using 100 per cent recycled wood in the whole project. Rainwater harvesting and other innovative ideas are implemented in the project. Outcomes of the Program were: 1) An opportunity to study the very well-planned and built residence. 2) Use of timber in construction. Five faculties and 30 students participated.	13 Jan 2025
5	Study Tour for BArch third year and second year at Navi Mumbai and Aurangabad 	Study Tour for BArch 3rd year, 6th semester and second year, fourth semester at Navi Mumbai. The students explored relevant case studies that contributed to their academic learning. In addition to the academic aspect, the trip was an opportunity to explore the rich cultural and historical heritage of the region. The students visited the Ajanta and Ellora Caves, gaining insights into ancient rock-cut architecture, murals, and Buddhist, Jain, and Hindu influences. The Grishneshwar Temple, one of the twelve Jyotirlingas, provided a deep understanding of temple architecture and cultural significance. The visit to Bibi Ka Maqbara, often referred to as the "Taj of the Deccan," helped students appreciate Mughal-era architectural styles. Around 61 students participated, along with three faculty members.	14 - 21 Jan 2025

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6	Site study to Ananth Nagar for BArch, first year, second semester. 	Ananth Nagar is situated in Manipal, Karnataka, within Udupi Taluk. The site spans approximately 500 square meters and features a flat terrain characterized by rocky and laterite soil. Outcomes of the Program were 1) A comprehensive understanding of the location's context, including its topography, climate, and surrounding infrastructure. 2) To identify opportunities and constraints, such as natural features to integrate or challenges to address, like slope or access. 3) This analysis informs the layout, orientation, and material choices to maximize comfort and energy efficiency. 4) Overall, the study shall ensure the design aligns with the client's needs while respecting the site's unique characteristics and regulatory requirements. Students learnt about the slope, gradient measurements, wind flow on site, and the natural water features. Three faculties and 31 students participated.	15 Jan 2025
7	Study Tour/site visit to Nashik, Maharashtra for BArch second and third year, fourth and sixth semester for Subject-IV and ADD-VI. 	Nashik, one of Maharashtra's most historically and culturally rich cities, served as a field study location for students aiming to explore its heritage, traditions, and urban fabric. Outcomes of the Program were: 1) Architectural Insights: Gained a deeper understanding of Nashik's diverse architectural styles, from ancient temples to colonial-era and modern structures. 2) Observed the adaptive reuse of heritage buildings and the challenges of conservation. Cultural and Religious Understanding. 3) Understood the deep-rooted spiritual significance of Nashik and how it influences urban planning. Analyzed the relationship between religious activities and public spaces. Understood the role of markets and informal economies in shaping urban dynamics. Four faculties and 73 students participated.	15 - 21 Jan 2025
8	Site Visit 	Site Visit to Mulki, for MArch (UDD), Second Semester	15 Jan 2025
9	Site Visit 	Site Visit to Manipal Lake, Udupi for BArch, Second Semester, Section B	15 Jan 2025
10	Study Tour to Coimbatore and Madurai 	Study Tour to Coimbatore and Madurai for BArch, second year, fourth semester, and third year, sixth semester. The study tour was for a duration of seven days. The students had participated by visiting temples and palaces and a heritage walk in Coimbatore. Outcomes of the Program were: 1) To understand the varied architectural styles of Dravidian architecture and subsequently understand the development of settlements along the monuments. Three faculties and 54 students participated.	15 - 21 Jan 2025
11	Site Visit	Site Visit for BArch, Third Semester, Section C for Puttur, Santhekatte, Udupi	16 Jan 2025

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12	Field Visit	Field Visit to Kunjibettu, Udupi for BArch, Second Semester, Section A	17 Jan 2025
13	Case study to Kinnimulky, Udupi, for BArch first year, second semester, for the Subject Architectural Design and Detailing II.	The project, a residential building spread over 6,900 sq ft on a flat terrain characterized by laterite soil. Four faculties and 33 students participated. Outcomes of the Program were: 1) Thoughtful spatial planning enhanced the functionality and flow of daily activities for its residents. 2) The integration of natural light and ventilation improved the living experience by fostering a sense of openness and connection to the outdoors. 3) Carefully curated materials and finishes added a timeless aesthetic, creating a harmonious balance between modernity and warmth. The building's design successfully addressed the needs of its occupants while maintaining a cohesive architectural identity.	20 Jan 2025
14	Case Study	Case Study to UVA Meridian Convention Centre, Koteshwar for BArch, Sixth Semester, Section C	20 Jan 2025
15	Field Visit	Field Visit to Kunjibettu, Udupi for BArch, Second Semester, Section B	20 Jan 2025
16	Field Visit	Field Visit to Udupi for BArch, Second Semester, Section B	20 Jan 2025
17	Site visit at Katpady	Site visit at Katpady-Residence case study at Katpady, for BArch, first year, second semester, for the Subject Architecture Design and Detailing II. The students and faculty of ADD II Studio visited "Ekam" Residence to study the site planning and building level planning aspects. The residence was one floor, and students conducted detailed documentation of the residence, including exterior and interior. Outcomes of the program were 1) Students got a very good opportunity to study the very well-planned and built residence. 2) The interior layout and the furniture. 3) Rainwater harvesting and other services were well	22 Jan 2025

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		explored by the students. Four faculties and 30 students participated.	
18	Field Visit to Kunjibettu	Field Visit to Kunjibettu, Udupi for BArch, Second Semester, Section C	23 Jan 2025
19	Building Study to Perdoor Ananthapadmanbabha Temple and Parkala Residence	Building study to Perdoor Ananthapadmanbabha Temple and Parkala Residence for BArch and BDes (ID)-sixth semester and fourth semester, sections A, B, C.	25 Jan 2025
20	Case Study to Maldabettu, Kallamundukur	Case Study to Maldabettu, Kallamundukur for BArch, fourth semester, sections A, B, C	25 Jan 2025
21	Manipal Marathon 2025	The 7th edition of the Manipal Marathon, themed "Innovation in Motion" with the tagline "Embracing Technology for Health and Fitness," highlights tech-driven wellness, through scenic, certified routes and a vibrant post-run carnival, witnessed an impressive turnout of over 20,000 runners, with international participation and the debut of the Manipal Global Virtual 5,000 m run, making the event more inclusive than ever. A major driving force behind the marathon's smooth execution was the incredible support from VSO. One faculty member and nine students participated.	09 Feb 2025
22	Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav	The Department of Student Affairs organized "Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav" at KMC Greens, Manipal. Ananya Narayanan, fourth semester BArch - NEP SAARATHI and 20 student volunteers from MSAP contributed to the success of the event. This event, organized under UGC's NEP SAARTHI initiative, aimed to promote and celebrate India's rich linguistic and cultural heritage. The distinguished guests included Dr Geetha Maiya, Dr Monica C Solomon, and Dr Rashmi Y Pai, who addressed the audience, emphasizing the importance of preserving regional languages and traditions. The program featured an array of cultural performances, including dance, music, Yakshagana, and a vibrant fashion show showcasing diverse Indian attire. The event also offered a delightful culinary experience, with food stalls serving a variety of regional delicacies.	01 Mar 2025
23	MAHE VSO – KIDATHON 2025	Kidathon 2025, at the EDU Building, Manipal, was a fun-filled event organized by VSO to raise awareness for the upcoming	02 Mar 2025

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		TARANG kite festival. After a short kidathon walk, children enjoyed several games, and TARANG ticket stalls were set up for attendees. The event saw enthusiastic participation from around 75 VSO volunteers who played a key role in its success. Ticket stalls for TARANG were also managed efficiently by the team. Kidathon 2025 successfully raised awareness about environmental responsibility and encouraged physical fitness among children. It created a fun and educational space for kids while building excitement for TARANG. The event also showcased the strong teamwork and dedication of VSO volunteers. One faculty member and seven students participated.	
24	Constitutional Awareness Day 	Constitutional Awareness Day (Tarang Kite Festival) at Manipal end point ground. The event started with a formal introduction to the campaign and its aims. The chief guest addressed the gathering, and then the event began with NSS volunteers going all around the ground and campus, interacting, and spreading awareness about the Constitution and the Preamble, as well as the constitutional rights of the citizens of India. Outcomes of the program were awareness spread among Manipal students and citizens about the constitutional rights and the Preamble of India. A total of 12 students participated.	09 Mar 2025
25	Finals of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May, 2025 at Infosys, Mysuru 	Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP students won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysore. 1) Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP), 2) Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP), 3) Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP). Outcomes of the Program. The final event had 41 teams from institutions from all over India. Five teams from MSAP (comprising 59 students, five faculty leads) were shortlisted for the finals.	23 - 25 May 2025
26	Site visit 	Site visit-site near Manipal Lake Road	09 Jul 2025
27	Site Study at Bramhavara for BArch fourth year, seventh semester, section A. 	The site spans approximately 30,000 square meters and features a mild terrain characterized by laterite soil. Outcomes of the program: 1) study to serve as the foundation for future design proposals, ensuring they respond effectively to the site's physical and environmental conditions. Four faculties and 34 students participated.	15 Jul 2025
28	Site Study at Karavali Junction, Udupi, for BArch, fourth year, seventh semester.	The site spans approximately 30,000 square meters and features a flat terrain characterized by laterite soil. Two faculties and 34 students participated. Outcomes of the program were: 1) Detailed observation and recording of site dimensions,	15 Jul 2025

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		topography, surrounding context, access routes, and existing natural features. 2) Documentation to serve as the foundation for future design proposals, ensuring they respond effectively to the site's physical and environmental conditions.	
29	Kundapur Site Visit for Urban Context Studio at Kundapur Town, Panchagangavalli Sunset for BArch, fifth year, ninth semester (UCS Studio) at Kundapur Town, Panchagangavalli Sunset Point, Kodi Sea Walk, and Kodi Beachfront.	The visit to Kundapur by students and faculty from the ninth semester, section C. It was structured to facilitate hands-on learning and site analysis in a coastal semi-urban environment. The outcomes of the program were: 1) Insights into conceptualization that aimed at addressing local urban challenges, informed by first-hand observations and community feedback towards tourism development. 2) Enhanced their understanding of coastal urban planning, sustainability practices, and real-world context analysis to augment advanced studio work during subsequent weeks. 3. Three faculties and 29 students participated. Key objectives of the Site Visit were as follows: to understand the urban fabric and context of Kundapur, focusing on local architecture, planning issues, and community interactions; to examine the impact of infrastructural developments, particularly the expansion of NH17, on town morphology and road networks.	15 Jul 2025
30	Site Visit	Site visit to Yeyyadi, Airport Road, Mangalore for Arch, seventh semester, section C	15 Jul 2025
31	Site Visit	Site visit to Empire Mall and Citadel Mindspace, Mangalore, for BArch, fifth semester, section A	15 Jul 2025
32	Site Visit	Site visit to Perampalli, Udupi, for BArch, seventh semester, section B	15 Jul 2025
33	Site Visit	Site visit to Ajantha Developers, Mangalore, for BArch, fifth semester, section B	15 Jul 2025

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34	Case Study 	Case study to Mudipu, Infosys Campus, Mangalore for BArch, fifth semester, section C	17 Jul 2025
35	Site Visit at Gokarna, Kumta, Karnataka for BArch, fifth year, ninth semester, section A 	During the visit, students explored important sites such as Shri Mahabaleshwara and other temples, beaches, and activity zones, Koti-teertha, Rathabeedi, Car Street, other streets, bus stands, transportation nodes, residential typologies, local communities, and local markets. A meeting with the local ex-Zila Panchayat President provided valuable insights into Gokarna's history, socio-economic life, and development challenges. The outcomes of the program were: 1) Offered students valuable insights into the interplay of divine identity, local culture, and coastal-spiritual tourism. 2) Observations and interaction with the local ex-Zila Panchayat President provided a deeper understanding of Gokarna's historical evolution, socio-economic dynamics, and development challenges. Three faculties and 32 students participated.	17 - 18 Jul 2025
36	Site visit for MArch second year, third semester to Sulthan Bathery, Mangalore. 	UDD Lab III course deals with the complexities of Metropolitan cities, addressing the importance of their existing and future engagement concerning stakeholders, globalization, and the environment. The interventions need to address the context of social fabric, formal and informal networks, urban equity (infrastructure), and spatial justice. The studio theme may relate to but is not restricted to green field development, urban transformation, Urban regeneration, Urban Revitalization, Heritage Management, Urban extensions, etc. Outcomes of the program were: 1) Key concepts and the importance of Inclusive Development in our cities. 2) Students are made aware of the importance of inclusiveness in its totality, from the planning to the design execution. Seven students and two faculty members participated.	18 Jul 2025
37	Site visit 	Site visit to Udupi City for BArch, ninth semester, section B	22 Jul 2025
38	Constitutional Awareness Campaign (UGC)-Constitution Awareness Act: Play - We, the People, Samvidhan ki Awaaz 	"Constitutional Awareness Campaign (UGC)-Constitution Awareness Act: Play - We, the People, Samvidhan ki Awaaz performed at MSAP at MSAP FF Foyer. This was part of the UGC initiative to spread awareness on the Indian Constitution and was performed by VSO MSAP and NSS MSAP student volunteers in association with MSAP Ailaan."	01 Aug 2025
39	An interactive meeting with previous SPARC awardees	"Prof Rabbinate Mukherjee, Joint National Coordinator of the SPARC program (Government of India), visited MAHE. valuable	08 Aug 2025

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		opportunity to learn about the Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration (SPARC), an initiative by the Ministry of Education (formerly MHRD) to foster high-impact research collaborations between Indian and global institutions. As part of the visit, an awareness session was held, followed by an interactive meeting with previous SPARC awardees at CAIF Conference Hall, Kirti Nishant Nikam; Monisha Kumar; Shanta Pragyan Dash; Rohit Kumar; Resmi G-attended".	
40	Site visit	Site Visit to D K Nirmiti Kendra, Surat Kal for the fifth semester sections A, B, C.	08 Aug 2025
41	Case study of a Heritage Building: HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal for BArch V Sem /A Sec at HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal	Case study of a Heritage Building: HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal for BArch fifth semester /A and B Sec at HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal, to understand the importance and methods of measuring and documenting an existing built environment/landscape through drawings. Students learnt to organize, compile, and systematize collected field data for further use; produce precise measured drawings and critically analyze the architectural and spatial qualities of the documented structure. One faculty member and 40 students participated.	09 Aug 2025
42	Case study of a Heritage Building: HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal for BArch fifth semester /section B at HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal	Case study of a Heritage Building: HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal, for BArch fifth semester /section B at HASTA SHILPA - Heritage Village Museum, Manipal, to understand the importance and methods of measuring and documenting an existing built environment/landscape through drawings. Measured drawing in architecture serves as a vital tool to express the understanding of the built environment and to represent construction and design schemes. Outcomes of the program were: 1) Apply various measurement techniques in the study of built and natural environments. 2)Interpret and understand a selected building, structure, interior space, or landscape through literature review and background study. 3)Accurately measure and record the details of an existing building, structure, interior space, or landscape. One faculty member and 31 students participated.	09 Aug 2025
43	Site study for BArch third year, fifth semester, section C for the subject Measured Drawing at Hasta Shilpa, Heritage Village Museum, Manipal.	Site study for BArch third year, fifth semester, section C, at Hasta Shilpa, Heritage Village Museum, Manipal. Hasta Shilpa, Heritage Village Museum is situated in Manipal, Karnataka, within Udupi Taluk. The site comprises various buildings that embody the heritage values of South Canara Architecture. Mangalorean Christian House (House No: 8) has been identified for Section C students to conduct the documentation work. Two faculty members and 34 students participated. Outcomes of the program were part of our academic exercise; we conducted a site visit to document any heritage buildings within the Hasta Shilpa Heritage Museum, Manipal premises.	09 Aug 2025

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		The study involved detailed observation and recording of site and building dimensions.	
44	Site study visits for MArch (UDD) first semester students at Coimbatore 	Site study visits for MArch (UDD) first semester students at Coimbatore. The students arrived at the site, Raja Street and surrounds, adjacent to the Town Hall, KoniAmman Temple, and Selvachintamani Lake. Students were given a brief about the site and the notional area that they will be doing the detailed study in the design studio by the faculty. The market streets, majorly Raja Street, Vysial Street, and Big Bazaar Street, and the adjoining blocks were taken for detailed study, documentation, and mapping. This site is a part of the core CBD area with major administrative offices; commercial buildings dotted with temples, which have daily rituals and commercial transaction practices by the visitors. The students roamed around the site in smaller groups, understanding the site context, identifying site features and site characteristics through observational study, mapping, and documentation. Five students participated.	14 Aug 2025 - 19 Aug 2025
45	Independence Day 	Independence Day Celebration at MAHE. MSAP contingent participated in the parade	15 Aug 2025
46	Site Visit 	Site visit to Northern Sky Apartment, Mangalore, for MDes (SD), first and third semester	23 Aug 2025
47	Field Visit 	Field Visit to Nirmithi Kendra, Manipal for BArch, first semester, sections A, B, and D	01 Sep 2025
48	Field Visit 	Field Visit to Nirmithi Kendra, Manipal for BArch, first semester, section C	03 Sep 2025
49	Industry Visit to The Walnut Vein Furniture Factory at Belupu, Kaup, Udupi, Karnataka 	Industry visit to the Walnut Vein Furniture Factory at Belupu, Kaup, for BArch, ninth semester/fifth year. The visit offered students valuable insights into the processes of furniture mass production, the functioning of machines, and the transformation of raw materials into finished furniture products. Outcomes of the program were: 1) Bridging the gap between design concepts taught in the classroom and their practical application in large-scale manufacturing. 2) Interaction with professionals offered valuable insights into industry standards, material choices, and production workflows, enhancing the	13 Sep 2025

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		students' technical knowledge and design perspective. Two faculties and 40 students participated.	
50	MSAP VSO -6th National Conference on Youth in Social Change	The 6th National Conference on "Youth in Social Change" was organized at Dr TMA Pai Hall. Experts were 1. Dr Chetan Singh Solanki - Solar Scientist and Social Entrepreneur, Founder of Energy Swaraj Foundation, "Solar Man of India", 2. Dr Yogesh Kulkarni – Director of Vigyan Ashram, 3. Ms Elizabeth Yorke – Founder of Saving Greens, 4. Ms Sneha Shahi - ATREE, UNEP - Plastic Tide Turner Ambassador Youth Champion, Earth Care Awards, 2025, 5. Mr Shishir Joshi - Founder and CEO, Project Mumbai. From MSAP, a total of 21 students participated in the conference. Two MSAP teams showcased their creativity and awareness by taking part in the poster competition.	17 Sep 2025
51	Meeting with MAHE Ombudsman	"Representatives for Meeting with MAHE Ombudsman, Single point of contact Sridhara, Assistant Professor, Senior Scale Student council members: Tia Kulkarni; Sathvika; Shrija at Admissions Hall, 1st Floor, Edu Building".	23 Sep 2025
52	Awareness Workshop on Suicide Prevention	Awareness Workshop on Suicide Prevention at Medical Education Hall, EDU Library Building. The workshop, organized by the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE, Manipal, aimed to create awareness and promote safe, supportive spaces for students across various institutions under MAHE. Through interactive discussions, expert sessions, and participatory activities, the event emphasized the importance of mental well-being, inclusivity, and mutual respect within campus environments. It encouraged open dialogue on issues often left unspoken, fostering empathy, understanding, and collective responsibility among students and faculty alike. Outcomes of the program were that the workshop enhanced students' understanding of mental health and suicide prevention, equipping them with the skills to identify distress, offer peer support, and seeking help responsibly. Two students participated.	29 Sep 2025
53	Case Study Visit to Nirmiti Kendra, Suratkal	Case Study Visit to Nirmiti Kendra, Suratkal. The first year, first semester BArch students (Batch 2025-26) visited Nirmiti Kendra, Suratkal. The visit provided hands-on exposure to stabilized mud blocks, brickwork techniques, arches, lintels, and sustainable construction practices. The students observed live demonstrations and engaged in discussions with experts to strengthen their foundational understanding of building materials and construction methods. The outcome of the program were that the site visit to Nirmiti Kendra was an enriching learning experience for the students of the first year BArch program. It provided practical knowledge on construction systems and sustainable building materials. Eight faculty members and 126 students participated.	29 Sep 2025

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54	Workshop on Mental Health Readiness for Humanitarian Emergencies	Workshop on "Mental Health Readiness for Humanitarian Emergencies", eight NSS Volunteer students from MSAP/DOD deputed to attend Clayton Mathias; Shrey Bansal; Aanya Shrivastava; Kavya Arora; Mariam Fiza; Ashika Bhargava; Aishwrya S Prabhu	15 Oct 2025
55	Gender Champion 4.0-Workshop	"Gender Champion 4.0-Workshop at Admission Hall organized by Director of student affairs, MAHE. Faculty Sridhara, and students -Bindiya Sadangi, Sudhamsh participated.	31 Oct 2025
56	VSO MAHE DAAN UTSAV – felicitation event at IDEA Café, Marena.	Felicitations to all student and faculty coordinators of MAHE. On 20 November, the VSO Daan Utsav Felicitation ceremony was held with Vice Chancellor Dr Venkatesh as the Chief Guest. The event celebrated the spirit of giving and recognized outstanding contributions by donors and volunteers. Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh praised the community for their generosity and encouraged continued support for social causes. The felicitation highlighted various charitable initiatives and honoured individuals and organizations who made significant impacts through their donations and voluntary service. From VSO MSAP Faculty Coordinator Ar Lulwa Khaleel received the Certificate of Appreciation from Dr Abhishek, while VSO MSAP Student Volunteers Ms Pratiksha Shenoy and Ms Bindia were honoured for their efforts. Ar Lulwa was also asked to honour the student volunteers from other institutes by presenting them with Certificates of Appreciation.	15 Nov 2025
57	Visited Rajasthan, Jaipur, Chittorgarh, and Udaipur for Architectural Study Tour	Visited Rajasthan-Jaipur, Chittorgarh, and Udaipur for an Architectural Study Tour as a part of an academic activity of the BArch and BDes courses with second and third year BArch and third year BDes (Interior Design) students. The architectural study tour provided students with experiential learning of the regional architecture of Rajasthan, its heritage structures, and urban contexts. Students studied some of the heritage sites, such as Amber Fort, City Palace, Jantar Mantar, and Hawa Mahal in Jaipur. In Udaipur, visits to City Palace, Jagdish Temple, and Jag Mandir highlighted palace and temple architecture. At Chittorgarh, the extensive exploration of the fort through sketches and videography provided insights into the fort's structures and its elements. Four faculty members and 42 students participated.	22 Nov 2025 - 01 Dec 2025

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58	Study tour to Ahmedabad Jodhpur and Jaisalmer	Study tour to Ahmedabad, Jodhpur, and Jaisalmer for site visits as a part of an academic activity of the BArch course with second and third-year BArch students. Three faculty members and 29 students participated. Outcomes of the program were - • Gained in-depth understanding of historic urban morphology, including fort-led city growth, pol settlements, and walled city structures. • Developed insights into how cultural heritage contributes to sustainable urban identity and continuity. • The role of courtyards, thick masonry walls, narrow streets, jaalis, and orientation in achieving thermal comfort in hot-arid and composite climates. • Recognized the relevance of traditional passive design strategies for contemporary sustainable architecture. • Identified the use of locally available materials such as sandstone, lime mortar, timber, and traditional finishes.	22 - 30 Nov 2025
59	Destination Manipal	Sonali Walimbe travelled to Delhi as part of the Destination Manipal–Delhi Chapter, which is part of the ongoing admission drive from 27 to 29 June 2025. Shantanu Chitgopkar-Tavel to Hyderabad as part of the destination Manipal, 12 to 14 June 2025. Purushottam Kesar, a faculty member deputed from MSAP for Outreach Activities in Delhi from 12 to 17 October 2025.	31 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

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1	Pramod Neupane	Currently leading Asia's Linear Infrastructure safeguarding Nature (ALIGN) project in WWF-India; Civil and Structure Engineer	Expert for the ALIGN Guest Lecture Series at Seminar Hall-MSAP for BArch/MArch/MDes (SD), first and fifth year, second and tenth semester. Asia's Linear Infrastructure Safeguarding Nature (ALIGN) Group and MSAP have signed an MoU as part of Knowledge sharing between the Industry and Educational Institution. As part of the MoU, a set of lectures from Align experts was conducted. The UG and PG students from MSAP participated in the event. Outcomes of the program were that the participants got a good idea of the present practices in the field of environmental laws, linear infrastructure policy planning, etc. The industry exposure regarding policy planning, execution, and implementation is extremely helpful to the participants for their understanding and future reference. Around 12 faculty members and 169 students participated.	13 - 14 Jan 2025
2	Ridhima Solanki	PhD in Forestry and Wildlife Sciences from the	Expert for the ALIGN Guest Lecture series at Seminar Hall-MSAP for BArch/MArch/MDes (SD), first and fifth year, second and tenth semester for the subjects EVS, Policy	13 - 14 Jan 2025

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		Forest Research Institution of India	Planning, and Urbanism. Asia's Linear Infrastructure Safeguarding Nature (ALIGN) Group and MSAP have signed an MoU as part of knowledge sharing between the Industry and Educational Institution. As part of the MoU, the set of lectures from Align experts was conducted on 13 and 14 January 2025. The UG and PG students from MSAP participated in the event. Outcomes of the program were that the participants got a good idea of the present practices in the field of environment laws, linear infrastructure policy planning, etc. Around 12 faculty members and 169 students participated.	
3	Tejas Singh Kapoor	Currently a Senior Program Officer, Centre for Environmental Law and Project Coordinator, Conservation Catalyst Program at WWF-India	Expert for the ALIGN Guest Lecture series at Seminar Hall-MSAP for BArch/MArch/MDes (SD), first and fifth year, second and tenth semester, for the subjects EVS, Policy Planning, and Urbanism. Asia's Linear Infrastructure Safeguarding Nature (ALIGN) Group and MSAP have signed an MoU as part of Knowledge sharing between the Industry and Educational Institution. As part of the MoU the set of lectures from Align experts was conducted on 13 and 14 January 2025. The UG and PG students from MSAP participated in the event. Outcomes of the program were that the participants got a good idea of the present practices in the field of environment laws, linear infrastructure policy planning, etc. The industry exposure regarding policy planning, execution, and implementation is very helpful to the participants for their understanding and future reference. Around 12 faculty members and 169 students participated.	13 - 14 Jan 2025
4	Dr Monica Charlotte Solomon	Dean, MCODS	Chief guest for the Annual Sports Event SIEG'25.	03 Feb 2025
5	Ar Sathya Prakash Varanashi	Sathya Consultants Bengaluru	Expert lecture on the topic Design with Nature for BArch, second-semester students	06 Feb 2025
6	Dr Narayana Sabahit	Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE	Chief Guest for Opus 2025 at MSAP	14 Feb 2025
7	Prof Dr Clemens Bonnen	Head of the Department of Architecture, Hochschule	Collaboration meeting with Prof Clemens Bonnen, Head of the Department of Architecture, Hochschule Bremen, Bremen University, in the boardroom, MSAP. Guest Lecture: Architectural Education in Germany	19 Feb 2025

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		Bremen, Germany	at the Seminar Hall, MSAP for all year Architecture students. Prof Dr Clemens Bonnen, Head of the Department of Architecture at Hochschule Bremen, interacted with faculty and students about architectural education in Germany. Outcomes of the program were that it offered them perspectives on architectural education in Germany. Five faculty members and 19 students participated.	
8	Ar Ashok Louis Pius Mendonca Goal 15-Life on land	Landscape Architect, Mangalore	Ar Ashok Louis Pius Mendonca, Landscape Architect from Mangalore, conducted an expert lecture on the topic Site Planning and Landscape Design for BArch, second-semester students for the subject ARC 4508: Site Planning and Landscape Design at MSAP Seminar Hall. Two faculty members and 95 students participated.	27 Feb 2025
9	Ar Vishvesh Prabhakar Kandolkar	Associate Professor of Architecture, Goa College of Architecture	"External reviewers for Thesis Panel Review 2-MArch (Urban Design and Development) and MDes (Sustainable Design) by Ar Vishvesh Prabhakar Kandolkar, PhD Associate Professor of Architecture, Goa College of Architecture-MArch (Urban Design and Development) Internal review 02 and Ar Shefali Rai, Sr Analyst, Environmental Design Solutions Pvt Ltd Bengaluru-MDes (Sustainable Design) Internal review 02	28 Feb 2025
10	Ar Shefali Rai	Environmental Design Solutions Pvt Ltd Bengaluru		
11	Shijomon Yesudas	Manager, Business Development, Deakin University, International Marketing Manager	MSAP, in collaboration with Deakin University, Australia, organized a guest lecture and interaction that explores - Higher Education in Australia at Seminar Hall, MSAP, for all year students by Mr Shijomon Yesudas, Manager, Business Development, Deakin University, international marketing manager, facilitating institutional partnerships and student recruitment for final year architecture students on the following topic: 'Study Abroad Opportunities for Architecture Students'. He interacted with faculty and students about higher education in Australia. Outcomes of the program were: 1. It offered them perspectives on higher education in Australia. Two faculty members and 35 students participated.	06 Mar 2025
12	Dr A K Kasthurba	Professor, Department of Architecture, National Institute	Dr A K Kasthurba, Professor, Department of Architecture, National Institute of Technology, Calicut, conducted an expert lecture on the topic Vastuvidya for Batch 1	07 Mar 2025

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		of Technology Calicut	and 2 of Program Elective (ARC 3004 Vastuvidya), which include fourth and sixth semester BArch students and Department of Design students.	
13	Mr Abhyuday Pai;	Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment;	Mr Abhyuday Pai, Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment, and Mr Christopher Connor, Vice Provost for Enrollment Management from the State University of New York (SUNY).	12 Mar 2025
14	Mr Christopher Connor,	Vice Provost for Enrollment Management from the State University of New York (SUNY),	Mr Abhyuday Pai, Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment, and Mr Christopher Connor, Vice Provost for Enrollment Management from the State University of New York (SUNY).	12 Mar 2025
15	Ar Gurneet Singh	Environmental Design Solution Global, New Delhi	Ar Gurneet Singh, Director, Environmental Design Solution Global, New Delhi, conducted an expert lecture on the topic Current Scenario of Green Buildings and Energy Performance in India for BArch. (second year, fourth semester) and MDes SD (all semester) at Seminar Hall, MSAP. Outcomes of the program were 1) Enhanced Understanding of Sustainability in the Indian Context: 2) Insights into the current trends, challenges, and opportunities within the Indian green building sector, helping them contextualize global sustainability practices locally. 3) Introduced students to key energy performance indicators, national building codes, and compliance frameworks such as ECBC and GRIHA, enhancing their technical knowledge and practical understanding. Around 10 faculty members and 107 students participated.	22 Mar 2025
16	Dr Matthew C Jones	Assistant Instructional Professor, Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Florida, USA	A short guest lecture titled "Personal Statements-Expert Lecture on Architectural Writing" was organized for the elective subject Architectural Journalism in the fourth and sixth semester. Visiting Foreign Faculty Speaker: Dr Matthew C Jones, PhD, Assistant Instructional Professor, Liberal Arts and Sciences, University of Florida, USA at Seminar Hall MSAP. Outcomes of the program were: It gave them an understanding of personal statement writing. One faculty member and 18 students participated.	22 Mar 2025
17	Ar Shefali Rai	Sr Analyst, Environmental	"External reviewers for Thesis Panel Review 3 - MArch (Urban Design and Development)	04 Apr 2025

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		Design Solutions Pvt Ltd Bengaluru	and MDes (Sustainable Design) by Ar Vishvesh Prabhakar Kandolkar, PhD	
18	Ar Vishvesh Prabhakar Kandolkar	Associate Professor of Architecture, Goa College of Architecture	Associate Professor of Architecture, Goa College of Architecture-MArch (Urban Design and Development) Internal review 3 and Ar Shefali Rai, Sr Analyst, Environmental Design Solutions Pvt Ltd Bengaluru-MDes (Sustainable Design) Internal review 3.	
19	Dr Lewlyn L R Rodrigues	Professor at the European Global Institute of Innovation and Technology, Malta, Europe	Dr Lewlyn L R Rodrigues, Professor at the European Global Institute of Innovation and Technology, Malta, Europe, conducted an expert lecture on the topic "Research as Exploration: Approaching Dissertation" at Seminar Hall, MSAP, for students BArch, fourth year, eighth semester, MArch in Urban Design and Development, and MDes in Sustainable Design. Dr Rodrigues delivered a thought-provoking and inspiring talk that encouraged students to approach research with clarity, curiosity, and intent. Outcomes of the program enabled BArch students to develop a clearer understanding of dissertation research as an exploratory and purpose-driven process. Helped students identify meaningful research questions, appropriate methodologies, and expected academic outcomes. Encouraged critical thinking, curiosity, and independent inquiry, strengthening students' preparedness for dissertation work. Contributed to building a research-oriented academic culture within the BArch program at MSAP. Around 115 out of 131 students participated.	10 Jul 2025
20	Ar Sharath Nayak	Director, Biome Environmental Solutions Pvt Ltd	Ar Sharath Nayak, Director, Biome Environmental Solutions Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru, conducted an expert lecture on the topic "Designing a Kindergarten" for BArch third semester students.	11 Jul 2025
21	Ar Pushyamithra Londhe	Senior Associate Architect, Hafeez Contractor, Mumbai	Guest lecture on "Connected by Design" at Seminar Hall for BArch fourth year, seventh semester, by Ar Pushyamithra Londhe, an associate of Hafeez Contractor, Senior Associate Architect, Mumbai, Maharashtra. This lecture will help the students of the seventh semester to understand housing as a part of ADD VII. Students developed a contextual approach to high-rise design, working within site constraints. Through case-based exercises, they mapped infrastructure needs at both site and	12 Jul 2025

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			building scales. Overall, they left with a broader, more connected perspective on problem-solving. Outcomes of the program were that students learned to understand high-rises in context. They learnt mapping services' needs at the site level. With examples, try to understand services at the building level. Around 12 faculty members and 70 students participated.	
22	Mrs Prathima Manohar	Architect, Entrepreneur in Eco-tourism and Urbanist	Expert lecture for our ninth semester BArch students by Mrs Prathima Manohar, Mumbai, on the topic-Urban Public Spaces for Sustainable Tourism in Coastal Karnataka at MSAP Seminar Hall. Outcomes of the program were that Ar Pratima discussed conserving the natural coastal habitats that enhance tourism potential and Urban Public Spaces, and spoke about responsible infrastructure for sustainable tourism, focusing on the materials, vernacular architecture, and water conservation. She elaborated with examples from her own experience as a tourism and hospitality entrepreneur in Malpe and Kundapur. Around 16 faculty members and 128 students participated.	15 Jul 2025
23	Dr Ranjan Chattopadhyay	Kolkata	Expert lecture for our ninth semester BArch students by Dr Ranjan Chattopadhyay, Kolkata on the topic Urban Development.	18 Jul 2025
24	Ar Shiv Marwaha	Principal Architect and Town Planner, Shiv Marwaha and Associates	Ar Shiv Marwaha, Principal Architect and Town Planner, Shiv Marwaha and Associates (currently at Manipal), conducts an expert lecture on the topic "Design Approach to a Learning Space" for third semester BArch students.	25 Jul 2025
25	Dr Suptendu P Biswas	Partner, VSPB Associates, Chairman, SEARCH	Dr Suptendu P Biswas, Partner, VSPB Associates, Chairman, SEARCH, conducted an expert lecture on the topic "Public Space as Project: Designing for People in Contemporary Cities" for fifth year BArch, section B, students at Seminar Hall, MSAP. He presented a lecture on public spaces and project creation in urban areas. The lecture covered many facets of urban design and planning with real projects and experiences based on the same. The lecture spanned two hours, including a question and answer session, well participated by the students and faculty. The session was enriching in knowledge gained from different case studies presented. Three faculty members	26 Jul 2025

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			and 50 students participated. Outcomes of the program were that students had a good understanding about practical approach and on-site issues while designing public spaces. One-to-One student-expert interaction based on the topic and studio-based queries.	
26	Ar Sanjay Mohe	Mindspace Architects, Bengaluru	Ar Sanjay Mohe, Mindspace Architects, Bengaluru, conducted an expert lecture on the topic "Learning from the Context" for third and fourth-year BArch students.	31 Jul 2025
27	Ar Anup Gadgil	Practicing architect, Urban designer, Ochre Design Group, Goa and Visiting Faculty, Department of Urban Design, Goa College of Architecture	Ar Anup Gadgil, a practicing architect, Urban Designer, Ochre Design Group, Goa and Visiting Faculty, Department of Urban Design, Goa College of Architecture for MArch (UDD) Prethesis Internal Review I & II and UDDL – I & III Internal reviews at MSAP. The works of students of MUDD was reviewed and discussed in detail in regard to the urban design thesis proposal as part of their course work – Thesis Preparation Seminar. Outcomes of the program1) Students got a critical review of their urban design thesis proposals and a way forward in terms of clarity and project definition and research. Around 10 faculty members and 12 students participated.	01 Aug 2025
28	Ar Adarsha Kapoor	Principal Urban Designer at Creative Footprints, New Delhi	Ar Adarsha Kapoor, Principal Urban Designer at Creative Footprints, New Delhi conducted expert lecture to BArch, fifth year and MArch (Urban Design and Development) students.	02 Aug 2025
29	Ar Yogish Chandra Dhara	Practicing Architect	Guest lecture: "Why Extimation and Specification Matter"– by Ar Yogish Chandra Dhara, Practicing Architect for third year, fifth semester, section A, B, C at Seminar Hall. The guest lecture provided an integrated understanding of Estimation, Specification, Tenders, and Contracts as essential components of architectural practice. The practicing architect explained how these processes collectively ensure that a design concept can be translated into a feasible, high-quality, and legally compliant built project. Students were encouraged to view these topics not as isolated subjects but as interlinked professional tools vital for project success. Outcomes of the program were that students understood the interrelationship between estimation, specification, tenders, and contracts in	14 Aug 2025

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			architectural practice. They gained knowledge about cost planning and control through systematic estimation methods. Students recognized how precise specifications ensure material quality, workmanship standards, and clarity in execution. Three faculty members and 67 students participated.	
30	Ar Saparya Varma	Conservation Architect, Bengaluru	Ar Saparya Varma, Conservation Architect, Bengaluru, conducted an expert lecture on Measured Drawing for BArch third year, fifth semester, at the Seminar Hall, MSAP, MAHE. Six faculty members and 111 students participated. Outcomes of the program were that the students of the fifth semester BArch could understand and learn various tools and techniques to conduct any kind of measured drawing documentation. The lecture could also help the students to understand the value of heritage building structures in our nation and how well they need to be preserved in the long run to ensure that it is in action.	20 Aug 2025
31	Mr. Jinu Kunjumon Varghese	PhD Scholar, MIC from the MIC Department, MAHE	Guest lecture for the BArch fifth semester students as part of the Open Elective – Visual Media in Architecture (ARC 3111) on "Visual Design for Moving Images", to be delivered by Mr Jinu Kunjumon Varghese, PhD Scholar, MIC from the MIC Department, MAHE, who is also a PhD scholar for the BArch fifth semester at MSAP Seminar Hall. The lecture broadened students' understanding of interdisciplinary design thinking, encouraging them to apply visual design strategies in architectural presentations, animations, and digital storytelling. It also inspired critical thinking on the ethical use of AI in creative practices. Outcomes of the program were that students gained practical skills to critically watch films and apply visual design thinking to their own architectural and media projects. Two faculty members and 32 students participated.	21 Aug 2025
32	Er Prashant Bhanware	Director, GKSPL, New Delhi	"MDes SD - third semester, Thesis Seminar Guest Lecture by Er Prashant Bhanware (Director, GKSPL, New Delhi) for MDes SD (third semester, first semester) BArch (ADD, fifth semester)".	29 Aug 2025
33	Dr Er Udayraj	Associate Prof, Department of	Guest Lecture cum Workshop by Dr Udayraj- Associate Prof, Department of	29 Aug 2025

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		Mechanical Engineering, IIT Bhilai	Mechanical Engineering, IIT Bhilai and Er Prashant Bhanware-Consultant for Energy Efficient and Thermally Comfortable Building Design, Director, GKSPL, New Delhi for third year, fifth semester BArch and MDes SD at Seminar Hall, MSAP. Guest lecture was conducted on the current scenario of green buildings and energy performance in India, and green building case studies proved to be very insightful and helped them acquire knowledge about the current changes and opportunities in the sustainable market in India. Outcomes of the program were enhanced understanding of sustainability in the Indian Context: Students gained deep insights into the current trends, challenges, and opportunities within the Indian green building sector, helping them contextualize global sustainability practices locally. Exposure to Real-world Case Studies: Through detailed case studies, students were able to connect theoretical concepts with practical applications in architecture and sustainable building design. Around 10 faculty members and 107 students participated.	
34	Dr Srikumar Madhav Menon	Associate Professor, School of Humanities, National Institute of Advanced Studies, Indian Institute of Science Campus, Bengaluru	Guest lecture on the topic "The Folk and the Classical in Indian Monumental Architecture" at Seminar Hall for BArch, first year, first semester, by Dr Srikumar Madhav Menon, Associate Professor, School of Humanities, National Institute of Advanced Studies, Indian Institute of Science Campus, Bengaluru. The lecture is titled 'The Folk and the Classical in Indian Monumental Architecture'. It is primarily intended for the Theory of Architecture course in the first year of the BArch program for students. The guest outlined his extensive fieldwork experience in Indian architecture and spoke about the nuances and new perspectives on traditional Indian architecture. Around 10 faculty members and 139 outcomes of the program were: An understanding of Indian traditional architecture through the lens of the Theory of Architecture.	24 Sep 2025
35	Ar Anup Gadgil	Practising architect, Urban designer, Ochre Design Group, Goa and Visiting	Ar Anup Gadgil, a practising architect, Urban Designer, Ochre Design Group, Goa, and a visiting faculty at the Department of Urban Design, Goa College of Architecture, served as an external	26 Sep 2025

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		Faculty, Department of Urban Design, Goa College of Architecture	reviewer for MArch (UDD) Prethesis Internal Review I & II and UDDL – I & III Internal reviews. The works of students of MUDD were reviewed and discussed in detail in regard to the urban design thesis proposal as part of their coursework – Thesis Preparation Seminar. Outcomes of the program were that students got a critical review of their urban design thesis proposals and a way forward in terms of clarity, project definition and research. The discussion of the studio works gave practical perspectives in terms of field studies and design concepts. Around 10 faculty members and 12 students participated.	
36	Mr Nitesh	Music Artist from Manipal	Mr Nitesh, Music Artist from Manipal for Pre-Opus Fair on 28 October 2025	28 Oct 2025
37	Shalini James	Shalini James, Founder and Lead Designer, Mantra, Kochi	Guest of Honour Ms Shalini James, Founder and Lead Designer, Mantra, Kochi, for OPUS X AVANT 2025 at MSAP.	29 Oct 2025
38	Dr Shobha U Kamath	Chairperson, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	Dr Shobha U Kamath, Chairperson, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE for OPUS X AVANT 2025 at MSAP.	29 Oct 2025
39	Dr Manoj Panwar	Assistant Professor, Department of Architecture, DCR University of Science and Technology, Murthal, Haryana	Dr Manoj Panwar, Assistant Professor, Department of Architecture, DCR University of Science and Technology, Murthal, Haryana, to conduct a Research Lecture on Multi-Criteria Decision Making (MCDM) for faculty, research scholars and postgraduate students (MDes, MArch, PhD) at the Seminar Hall, Second Floor, MSAP.	03 Nov 2025
40	Mr Kasthuri Srinath Pai	Executive Vice President, Cadence McShane Austin, Texas, USA	Guest Lecture by Mr Kasthuri Srinath Pai, Executive Vice President, Cadence McShane Austin, Texas, USA, conducted the Guest Lecture on the topic "A Journey of a Manipal Graduate Architect-An Adventure Filled with Pivoting and Learning" for faculty members, students, and members of the IIA (Indian Institute of Architects) Manipal-Mangalore Chapter at the Seminar Hall MSAP.	17 Nov 2025
41	Dr Hari Hara Subramanian	Vice President at Neuronano AB-USA;ex-Boston Scientific; Science and Medical Affairs; Business Development; Enterprise Level	Guest talk addressing MSAP faculty by adjunct international guest faculty Dr Hari Hara Subramanian, Vice President at Neuronano AB-USA; ex-Boston Scientific; Science and Medical Affairs; Business Development; Enterprise Level Partnerships; Research & Development; Professor at Mayo Clinic; Author of "The Art and Architecture of	20 Nov 2025

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		Partnerships; Research and Development; Professor at Mayo Clinic; Author	Neuromodulation", MIT alumnus at Board Room MSAP.	

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non-Indexed	Indexed	Non-Indexed
36	1	18	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty	
National	International
3	9

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Conference	0	1
Workshop	17	0
Other	35	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1		Applications of Remote Sensing and GIS Techniques in the Monitoring of Ecosystem Services	Dr Nandineni Rama Devi	National	31 Jan 2025
2	Intelligent Infrastructure and Smart Materials: Sustainable Technologies for a Greener Future		Dr Anoop Kumar Shukla	International	31 Jan 2025
3	Sustainable Development and Geospatial Technology, Volume 2: Applications and Future Directions		Dr Anoop Kumar Shukla	International	31 Jan 2025
4	Sustainable Development and Geospatial Technology Volume 1: Foundations and Innovations		Dr Anoop Kumar Shukla	International	31 Jan 2025
5		Circular Economy and Construction Industry: A Case Study Approach for	Mrs Gowri Shenoy B	International	31 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
		Adaptive Reuse in Construction and Demolition Waste			
6		Applications of Remote Sensing and GIS Techniques in Monitoring and Assessment of Land Surface Temperature (LST)	Mrs Gowri Shenoy B	International	30 Sep 2025
7		Green Photocatalytic Air Purification	Dr Sasmita Chand	National	31 Oct 2025
8		Bridging Traditions and Futures: Integrating Traditional Water Systems for Sustainable Urban Water Management in Chennai	Mr Shanta Pragyan Dash	National	31 Oct 2025
9		Assessing circular economy through sustainable solid waste management: Case of Tier II Indian City Cuttack	Mr Shanta Pragyan Dash	National	31 Oct 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl. No.	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Town planning and water resource management of Udupi Heritage town of Barkuru and Moodabidri and surrounding region	Dr Deepika Shetty	AICTE, New Delhi	1,20,442.00	20 Jan 2023 - 31 Dec 2024
2	Conducting the study of Gram Panchayat Spatial Development Plans	Dr Deepika Shetty	Panchayati Raj, New Delhi	10,00,000.00	22 Nov 2024 - 21 Nov 2025

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A System and Method for Sustainable Hydroponic Gardening -Kirti Nishant Nikam	04 Jun 2025
2	A Retractable Office Chair-Roshan Shetty	06 Jun 2025
3	A Modular Deployable Housing Structure for Extended Post-Disaster Occupancy and A Method Thereof-Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das	03 Sep 2025
4	A Passive Ventilator Device for Enhanced Induced Ventilation in Buildings and a Method for Enabling the Same-Vaibhav Jain	13 Nov 2025
5	A Ceiling Fan-Mounted Hybrid Thermoelectric Cooling and Dehumidification System and a Method Thereof-Vaibhav Jain	17 Nov 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Indian Institutional Ranking Framework (IIRF)	Indian Institutional Ranking Framework (IIRF) –2025 Rankings-All India Rank-Architecture-3rd Rank Architecture-State-3rd Rank	07 Apr 2025
2	THE WEEK-Hansa Research Best Colleges Survey 2025	THE WEEK BEST COLLEGE SURVEY 2025-Architecture-All India-Overall (Private/Gov) - 7 All India Private - 1	22 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
3	Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2025- Architecture-5th Rank	Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2025-Architecture-5th Rank Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2025: Top 30 Private Architecture Institutes | Outlook India	12 Jul 2025
4	National Institute Ranking Framework 2025	National Institute Ranking Framework 2025-Awarded 27th Rank in Architecture Category.	04 Sep 2025
5	Indian Green Building Council (IGBC)	Manipal School of Architecture and Planning is an annual member of the Indian Green Building Council (IGBC) bearing membership no- IGBCIST220669, valid up to December 2025.	31 Dec 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Sasmita Chand	Reviewer certificate in recognition of contribution to one manuscript in 2025 for Discover Civil Engineering	11 Jan 2025
2	Dr Shantharam Patil	PhD Open Pre-synopsis (Summary) Presentation by Ms Sneha Marium Varghese (Reg No 219800001)	15 Jan 2025
3	Dr Shantharam Patil	PhD Open Pre-synopsis (Summary) Presentation by Ms Sneha Marium Varghese (Reg No 219800001)	15 Jan 2025
4	Dr Shantharam Patil	University Representative in the upcoming "Institution Protocol Approval Committee (IPAC) meeting".	20 Jan 2025
5	Dr Shantharam Patil	University Representative in the upcoming "Institution Protocol Approval Committee (IPAC) meeting".	22 Jan 2025
6	Dr Shantharam Patil	Doctoral Advisory Committee meeting to evaluate the sixth PhD progress presentation of Mr Gopal Bharamappa Bekkeri (210900105), Department of Civil Engineering, MIT, Manipal.	22 Jan 2025
7	Dr Sasmita Chand	Reviewer certificate in recognition of contributions to two manuscripts in 2025 for Discover Civil Engineering	25 Jan 2025
8	Dr Sasmita Chand	Reviewer certificate in recognition of contribution to two manuscripts in 2025 for Discover Civil Engineering	25 Jan 2025
9	Dr Shantharam Patil	Attended the thesis defence viva on 03 February 2025 (Monday) at the National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bengaluru, as the MAHE representative.	03 Feb 2025
10	Dr Shantharam Patil	The 9th SDC presentation of my PhD Scholar, Mr Charanjeet Singh (Roll No 202303010)	12 Feb 2025
11	Ms Trupti Amit Kinjawadekar	Shortlisted participant in the 5th forum for women in research, "QUWA: Together innovating to shape the future".	21 Feb 2025
12	Dr Shantharam Patil	Shortlisted participant in the 5th forum for women in research, "QUWA: Together innovating to shape the future".	21 Feb 2025
13	Ms Sahana	Event at MAHE for judging one of the competitions work-Manipal and Nature Indian culture, and Manipal.	26 Feb 2025
14	Dr Sasmita Chand	Reviewer for Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences.	27 Feb 2025
15	Dr Sasmita Chand	Reviewer certificate in recognition of contribution to one manuscript in 2025 for Scientific Reports.	28 Feb 2025
16	Dr Shantharam Patil	Doctoral Advisory Committee meeting to evaluate the PhD Synopsis presentation of Mr Gopal Bharamappa Bekkeri, Research Scholar (210900105), Department of Civil Engineering, MIT, Manipal.	05 Mar 2025
17	Dr Shantharam Patil	External Reviewer for mid-semester jury examiner.	17 Mar 2025

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18	Mr Sridhara.	External Reviewer for the mid-semester jury of the subject Graphics and Communication.	20 Mar 2025
19	Mr Shanta Pragyan Dash	Academia Connect technical lecture on Bridging Research and Design: Translating Dissertation insights into a cohesive thesis project for third-year and fourth-year students.	24 Mar 2025
20	Mr Ganesh Urala H G	Conducting special training sessions for our students on mask-making as part of our SPECTRUM-Summer Camp 2025.	29 Mar 2025
21	Ms Kala Choyimani K Kandiyil	Juror for the end-of-semester examination in the winter semester 2025 for the course AP3011D-ADFT VI.	07 May 2025
22	Dr Nandineni Rama Devi	External Examiner at Nitte Institute of Architecture, Paneer Campus.	22 May 2025
23	Ms Trupti Amit Kinjawadekar	External evaluator for the MTech thesis of Mr Chandan.	22 May 2025
24	Mrs Akshatha Rao	External Examiner at Nitte Institute of Architecture, Paneer Campus, Deralakatte.	23 May 2025
25	Dr Jayesh Dashrath Khaire	External Examiner at NITTE Institute of Architecture.	23 May 2025
26	Ms Trupti Amit Kinjawadekar	"MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce".	24 May 2025
27	Ms Trivikram T N	External Examiner at Nitte Institute of Architecture, Paneer Campus.	24 May 2025
28	Mr Shanta Pragyan Dash	Appreciation certificate for commitment to net zero and resilient buildings, and their mentorship to students as a partner in Solar Decathlon India 2024-25. Team Name: SAMARPAN. Position: Faculty Lead and Mentor.	25 May 2025
29	Ms Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das	Appreciation certificate for commitment to net zero and resilient buildings and their mentorship to students as a partner in Solar Decathlon India 2024-25. Team Name: SAMARPAN. Position: Faculty Lead and Mentor.	25 May 2025
30	Dr Shantharam Patil	Attended thesis defence viva as MAHE representative at the National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bengaluru.	11 Jul 2025
31	Ms Trupti Amit Kinjawadekar	MTech thesis presentation of Mr Srijan H D	12 Jul 2025
32	Dr Deepika Shetty	Speaker in the National Workshop on Enhanced Gram Panchayat Spatial Development Plan (GPSDP)	18 Jul 2025
33	Dr Shantharam Patil	Attended thesis defence viva in person as MAHE representative at Ashoka Trust for Research in Ecology and the Environment (ATREE), Bengaluru.	19 Jul 2025
34	Dr Nandineni Rama Devi	Expert Panel Member during faculty interviews for the Architecture department.	22 Jul 2025
35	Dr Shantharam Patil	MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce.	24 Jul 2025
36	Dr Shantharam Patil	10th SDC presentation of PhD Scholar, Mr Charanjeet Singh. (Roll No. 202303010)	24 Jul 2025
37	Dr Nandineni Rama Devi	Advisory Board Meeting of Manipal Centre for DWEEPA.	25 Jul 2025
38	Dr Sasmita Chand	Recognition of contribution to two manuscripts in 2025 for scientific reports.	29 Jul 2025
39	Dr Shantharam Patil	MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce.	02 Aug 2025
40	Dr Shantharam Patil	As a University Representative in the upcoming "Institution Protocol Approval Committee (IPAC) meeting".	05 Aug 2025

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41	Ms Trupti Amit Kinjawadekar	MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce	08 Aug 2025
42	Dr Shantharam Patil	MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce	12 Aug 2025
43	Dr Sasmita Chand	Recognition of contribution to one manuscript in 2025 for Discover Chemistry.	14 Aug 2025
44	Dr Sasmita Chand	Recognition of contribution to two manuscripts in 2025 for scientific reports.	19 Aug 2025
45	Dr Shantharam Patil	MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce.	20 Aug 2025
46	Dr Shantharam Patil	MTech (Structural Engineering) thesis evaluation and viva voce.	28 Aug 2025
47	Ms Gowri Shenoy B	Course entitled "Heat Stress and Advances in Passive Cooling".	12 Sep 2025
48	Dr Deepika Shetty	Gave a talk on the topic-Indian knowledge system in Barkur town planning at the One-day National Seminar on "Barkur-Unforgettable Historic Capital of Tulunad".	20 Sep 2025
49	Ms Lulwa Khaleel	Certificate of appreciation for the significant contribution as Faculty Coordinator for Daan Utsav-The Joy of Giving Week, 2025, organized every year.	08 Oct 2025
50	Dr Shantharam Patil	University Representative in the "Institution Protocol Approval Committee (IPAC) meeting".	11 Oct 2025
51	Ms Lulwa Khaleel	On behalf of the Department of Immunohematology and Blood Transfusion, appreciation for all the efforts from Ms Lulwa Khaleel and the team in making the blood donation camp a success at Manipal School of Architecture and Planning organized by NSS, MSAP, and VSO, MSAP.	11 Oct 2025
52	Dr Sasmita Chand	Reviewer certificate-recognition of contribution to one manuscript in 2025 for Discover Chemistry.	25 Oct 2025
53	Dr Deepika Shetty	Graduation Day on IDWA-2025 AURAVERSE-chief guest for the convocation of students of India Design School.	30 Oct 2025
54	Dr Shantharam Patil	Doctoral Advisory Committee meeting to evaluate the fourth PhD progress presentation of Mr Durgaprasad Baliga, Research Scholar (180900106), Department of Civil Engineering, MIT, Manipal.	04 Nov 2025
55	Ms Sanjana S Shetty	Best Oral Presentation-Interdisciplinary Conference on Healthcare and Technical Research (ICHTR) 2025.	13 Nov 2025
56	Dr Shantharam Patil	Session Chair in Down to Earth-2025, the second International Conference on Natural Hazards: Risk Analysis and Mitigation.	15 Nov 2025
57	Dr Nandineni Rama Devi	External Adjudicator for the PhD viva voce of Ms Vidya Srikanth, Research Scholar from the School of Architecture. PhD thesis entitled “Project-Based Learning in The Architecture Design Studio: A New Tool for Deep Learning,” under the guidance of Dr Vimala Swamy and Dr Vikas Shinde.	18 Nov 2025
58	Dr Kalyan Kumar Mukherjee	Session Chair in 1st International Conference on Socially Conscious Built Environments.	28 Nov 2025
59	Dr Shanta Pragyan Dash	Reviewer for the 1st International Conference on Socially Conscious Built Environments.	28 Nov 2025
60	Mr Vaibhav Jain	External Examiner for Portfolio Evaluation Nitte (Deemed to be University)/viva voce and theory paper valuation for BArch third semester for the subject Environment and Building Structures.	05 Dec 2025

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61	Dr Shanta Pragyan Dash	External Examiner at Nitte Institute of Architecture, Paneer Campus.	10 Dec 2025
62	Mr Trivikram T N	Delivered a guest lecture for the BArch (2022 batch), currently in their fourth year, Urban Design Studio.	15 Dec 2025
63	Mr Shanta Pragyan Dash	The 4th Edition of the Synergic Manipal Integrated Leadership Engagement (SMILE) Program.	31 Dec 2025
64	Mrs Akshatha Rao	The 4th Edition of the Synergic Manipal Integrated Leadership Engagement (SMILE) Program.	31 Dec 2025
65	Dr Purushottam Kesar	"Dr TMA Pai Gold Medal 2025, Best Research Paper-Past, Present, and Future of the Smart City in India: An Institutional Perspective. Published in Cities Journal. Volume 146. Article no: 104775. March 2024-first and corresponding author".	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Nandhini A	MArch (UDD), for having submitted the thesis on Model Neighborhood Encouraging Active Mobility for the final jury of the awards program.	22 Jan 2025
2	Eshal Anis	BArch, in appreciation of her contribution to the VSO, as a Project Coordinator for MSAP from September 2024 to April 2025 organized by VSO, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal.	30 Apr 2025
3	Nathan Ponnan	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain.	25 May 2025
4	Aisiri Rao	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain.	25 May 2025
5	Prashant Biswakarma	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain.	25 May 2025
6	Nitya Beerakayala	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Sonali Walimbe.	25 May 2025
7	Aaditya Kuyyamudi	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Sonali Walimbe.	25 May 2025

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8	Priyansh Barodia	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Sonali Walimbe.	25 May 2025
9	Ishaan Godbole	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Sonali Walimbe.	25 May 2025
10	Jainaa Yelavarthi	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Sonali Walimbe.	25 May 2025
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16	Amrutha Kasturi	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's	25 May 2025

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17	Jayanth G Prabhu	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysore. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain	25 May 2025
18	Paranjay Bhawsinghka	Sonali Walimbe-Faculty Lead-BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Sonali Walimbe.	25 May 2025
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23	Chiranth	Ipsita Das, Faculty Lead-BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das.	25 May 2025
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25	Pratyaksha Tahiliani	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das.	25 May 2025
26	B Madhumita	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May, 2025 at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das.	25 May 2025
27	Ria Kharche	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das.	25 May 2025
28	Akhila Sharma	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das.	25 May 2025
29	Aaditya Krishna	Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025, at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain.	25 May 2025
30	Karthiayani Narayanan	BArch, Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025 at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain.	25 May 2025
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32	Yashaswith	MDes (SD), Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May, 2025 at Infosys, Mysuru. MSAP's won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysuru. Winner (first prize): Product Design Division (Team Kalpana, MSAP). Faculty Lead: Vaibhav Jain.	25 May 2025
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Staff

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1	Ms Shobha Mahesh Prabhu	Librarian-Senior Scale, Third Prize in Asana Competition (Group C-50 years) on occasion of International Day of Yoga 2025 organized by Division of Yoga, Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research (CIMR), MAHE, Manipal.	21 Jun 2025

Extra-Curricular Activities:

Sports Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual Sports Event SIEG'25	SIEG 2025 started with PRESIEG, conducted from 19 to 22 August 2024, with indoor sports, which included chess, carrom, table tennis, and badminton. SIEG was held from 07 January 2025 to 01 February 2025, with the main day wrapping up all the sports and hosting athletics at the MIT ground. The sports that were hosted during SIEG included tennis, basketball, cricket, football, E-games, volleyball, throwball, and swimming. The main SIEG day hosted various track and field events for both students and faculty. SIEG day started with the commencement of the march past by the council and houses, followed by the torch lighting and introduction of the chief guest. The chief guest was Dr Monica Charlotte Solomon (Dean, MCODS), who addressed the crowd and declared the meeting open, ending the formal event. The afternoon formal segment started with the distribution of prizes by the dignitaries to the winners, ending it with the award to the overall SIEG house champion, TARVOS.	03 Feb 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Inter MAHE Faculty Cricket Tournament	Inter MAHE Faculty Cricket Tournament	25 Jan 2025
2	MAHE Inter Collegiate Volleyball Tournament	Venue-Sharda Court 25 Jan 2025	25 Jan 2025
3	Inter MAHE Staff Swimming Tournament	Inter MAHE Staff Swimming Tournament	31 Aug 2025

Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	PRE OPUS WEEK 25'	PRE OPUS WEEK 25' at MSAP Foyer and Courtyard Day 1: PIRATE DAY. The eagerly awaited Pre Opus Week commenced with Pirate Day, where students dressed as pirates to embrace the adventurous theme. As part of the MSAP Cultural Fest, students showcased their talents in various events such as Mime, Mad Ads, and Classical Dance Solo. Day 2 of Opus Week embraced Desi Core, with students doing vibrant traditional attire. The student	10 Feb 2025

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		council, along with volunteers, set up Mehendi stalls in the foyer. The cultural festivities for the evening included exciting events such as Mimicry, Antakshari, Street Play, and Creative Jam. Continuing the excitement of Opus'25, Day 3 introduced the Denim and Dazzle theme, encouraging participants to express themselves through fashion and creativity.	
2	OPUS 25'	OPUS 25' at MSAP OPUS'25 – Euphoria was a grand celebration filled with energy and excitement. The formal segment began at 05:30 pm with a welcome dance, followed by the traditional lamp-lighting ceremony and invocation. Key addresses by the Director of MSAP and the Chief Guest highlighted the evening, along with faculty achievements and felicitation ceremonies to honour faculty and students. Following the formal proceedings, the event transitioned back to informal cultural performances. The faculty showcased their talents, followed by an electrifying set of performances by third-year students, a vibrant Dhol Tasha act, an emotional outgoing batch video, and an energetic performance by the fifth-year students. The night concluded on a high note with a thrilling band performance, leaving the audience mesmerized.	14 Feb 2025
3	Onam and Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration 2025	Onam and Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration 2025	02 Sep 2025
4	Vishwakarma Pooja	Vishwakarma Pooja held at MSAP Foyer.	17 Sep 2025
5	"Sharada Pooja and Ganahoma" Pooja at 2nd floor Foyer, MSAP	"Sharada Pooja and Ganahoma" Pooja at 2nd floor Foyer, MSAP	23 Sep 2025
6	Event "Rhythms of Tradition-Garba Night 2025-Garba Mahotsav	Event "Rhythms of Tradition-Garba Night 2025-Garba Mahotsav", an evening filled with rhythm, colour, and culture, organized at the MSAP at MSAP Courtyard.	26 Sep 2025
7	Pre Opus and OPUS X AVANT 2025	"AVANT X OPUS 2025-Annual Day of MSAP chief guest is Dr Shobha U Kamath, Chairperson-Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE. Guest of Honour-Shalini James, Founder and Lead Designer, Mantra, Kochi, Mr Nitesh, Music Artist from Manipal for Pre-Opus Fair on 28 October 2025". Pre-Opus Fair featured a vibrant Halloween theme, with students and faculty setting up different stalls. On 29 October 2025, our college celebrated Opus X Avant with grandeur and excitement. The event was themed Arabian Nights, and it began with lively batch and faculty performances, followed by the felicitation of the outgoing council and the investiture of the new council. The formal ceremony featured addresses by the Chief Guest	28 Oct 2025

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		and Guest of Honour, along with awards for students and faculty, and the launches of the Jersey and Reverb magazines. The evening's highlight was Avant, the stunning fashion walk by final year Fashion Design students, showcasing their creations. The celebration concluded with captivating performances by the dance, music, and drama forums, making it a truly memorable night. Around 120 to 150 faculties and 600 to 650 students participated.	

Photo Archive of Important events

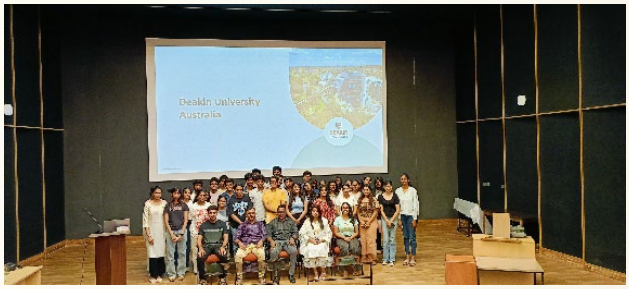
Ar Sanjay Mohe, Mindspace Architects, Bengaluru, conducted an expert lecture on the topic "Learning from the Context" for third and fourth year BArch students on 31 July 2025.

Workshop on Chennapatna Toys by artist Smt Sukanya Neelasandra.

Ar Adarsha Kapoor, Principal Urban Designer at Creative Footprints, New Delhi, conducted a lecture on Urban Context and Development to BArch, fifth year and MArch (Urban Design and Development) students on 02 August 2025.

Centre for SADBHAVA (Studies in Allied Design, Built Heritage, and Vernacular Architecture), a research centre at MSAP, hosted The Historic Cities Series 2025 Manipal Edition Karavaliya Vaarasatva Vaibhava at Seminar Hall, MSAP, on 11 October 2025.

Asia's Linear Infrastructure Safeguarding Nature (ALIGN), Guest Lecture Series at Seminar Hall on 13 and 14 January 2025.



MSAP, in collaboration with Deakin University, Australia organized a guest lecture and interaction that explores higher education in Australia by Mr Shijomon Yesudas, Manager, Business Development, Deakin University, International Marketing Manager, on 'Study Abroad Opportunities for Architecture Students' on 06 March 2025.

Placement Cell at MSAP is conducting "The Career Fair 2025", which aims to shape brighter futures for our students through internship and job opportunities on 8th March 2025.

One-Day Workshop on Bridging Academia and Industry: Women's Day Month Event by Ms Shobha Regunathan, Founder, The Build Ed and Ms Shaifali Singh, Vice President and Business Unit Head, DivyaSree Developers, on 28 March 2025.

*MSAP hosted an **International Conference on Everyday Urbanism–Nagar Manch Manipal,** on 12 and 13 May 2025.*

HRD Training Program for faculties-An interactive session on "The Art of Working Together: Communication, Collaboration, and Culture" by Dr Seema Rao, Director-MHRC, organized by Team L&D-MAHE HR and MSAP on 13 September 2025.

Centre for Urban Studies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
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Brief About the Centre
Vision: To become a nodal point for interdisciplinary research on urban issues.
Mission: To address contemporary urban issues to ensure health, safety, and well-being for all.

Objectives
- To conduct and publish research works
- To focus on issues related to inclusive development and vulnerable sections of the population
- To conduct summer/winter schools and seminars
- To start a postgraduate degree and online courses

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Applied for a Research Grant under the 'ASPIRE' Program of Directorate of Urban Land Transport (DULT)	The ASPIRE scheme (A Scheme for Promotion of Innovation, Rural Industry, and Entrepreneurship), managed by India's Ministry of MSME	10 Apr 2025

Centre for Inclusive Cities

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Year of Establishment of Centre: February 2023
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Members: Ar Kumar Gaurav, Dr Ketaki Chowkhani

Brief About the Centre

Vision
To become a leading research centre engaged in cutting-edge research on the inclusive city agenda with comprehensive and multidisciplinary approaches.

Mission
To mainstream inclusivity in urban development through innovative research, multidisciplinary collaboration, and capacity-building.

Objective: To establish a Centre of Excellence that fosters research, partnerships, and education on inclusive city approaches.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	International Conference, "Imagining Urban Futures in India and Beyond"	International conference on various themes related to Urban Future, with participation drawn from national and international scholars, held at MAHE-Manipal	05-06 Mar 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Book Proposal – Imagining Urban Futures in India	Routledge	04 Aug 2025
2	Paper Proposal - Contested urban policy: breeding concrete utopias' AESOP Planning/Conflict thematic Conference 2025 at TU Berlin – Germany	Paper proposal accepted at TU Berlin, Germany. Titled "Envisioning Utopias - Educating desire and hope through the praxis of insurgent citizenship in southern cities"	02 Oct 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount	Date
1	**SHAANTI SPOTS:** Research study jointly conducted by Faculty at Centre for Inclusive Cities and MISHA Manipal	None	Dr Emma Dawson Varughese, Professor, Manipal Institute of Social Sciences Humanities and Arts (MISHA), Manipal	None	2025-2026

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Delegates at the International Conference "Imagining Urban Futures in India and Beyond" held on 5-6 March 2025

Centre for Socio-Architectural Studies (CSAS)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
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Members: Architect Ipsitaa Priyadarsini Das, Assistant Professor–Senior Scale (Associate Coordinator)

Brief About the Centre

Vision

- Develop a Centre of Excellence for research and learning through a socio-architectural approach, enabling sustainable endeavours for societal well-being and community welfare.

Mission

- Enable experiential learning and community engagement to encourage inclusive and sustainable design, incorporating the concept of "Social Architecture" and its practice in architectural design.
- Provide an international platform for interdisciplinary learning and collaborative research.

Objectives

- To become a nodal point towards undertaking research works on various societal issues related to rural and urban structure, health, safety, environment, basic services, and quality of life for vulnerable and minority groups, as well as capacity building of the stakeholders towards community welfare.
- To carry out the practice and policy-focused, multi-disciplinary research, and developmental community outreach activities in line with social sustainability.
- To collaborate with national and international institutes to target inter-disciplinary research addressing areas of societal concerns within the built environment.
- To build a research-based body of knowledge with all realms of the anthropological, socio-cultural, qualitative, and quantitative experimental paradigms; to support the social design process.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Publication of a peer-reviewed research article on circular economy-based sustainable solid waste management for a Tier-II Indian city.	Study conducted in collaboration with Dr Dibya Jivan Pati and Jyoti Mishra from the School of Architecture, GITAM, Deemed to be University, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh, India. This work contributed to various Sustainable Development Goals (SDG), including SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities), SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), and SDG 13 (Climate Action).	30 Sep 2025
2.	Publication of a peer-reviewed paper based on student research work focusing on integrating traditional water systems for sustainable urban water management in Chennai.	Collaborative student research work conducted under the Centre. This work contributed to SDG 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation), SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities), SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), SDG 13 (Climate Action), and SDG 15 (Life on Land).	12 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Publication of a peer-reviewed journal article based on student research work examining the impact of colour on learning experience and creativity in design schools. 	Collaborative student research work conducted under the Centre. This contributed to SDG 4 (Quality Education) and SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities).	1 Feb 2025
4.	Expert Session as an Academic Expert on "Bridging Research and Design: Translating Dissertation Insights into a Cohesive Thesis Project" at Kalasalingam School of Architecture's Academia Connect event. 	Invited as a Research Expert to conduct a session on translating a study into a structured and coherent research/thesis framework. This work contributed to SDG 4 (Quality Education) and SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure).	24 Mar 2025
5.	Publication of a peer-reviewed research paper titled "Optimizing Window Design for Enhanced Productivity and Well-Being of Employees in Office Workspaces", examining the role of window design in improving workplace performance and occupant well-being. 	Research in collaboration with Dr Trupti Dabe Chauhan and Ms Megha Elizabeth, Department of Design, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). This work contributed to SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being), SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth), and SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities).	3 Apr 2025
6.	Publication of a peer-reviewed research paper titled "Impact of Indoor Fungal Growth on Building Materials in Coastal Karnataka: A Comparative Study of Traditional and Modern Construction" examines how coastal climatic conditions influence indoor fungal growth and its impact on the durability and performance of traditional versus modern building materials in Coastal Karnataka. It highlights material resilience, health implications, and informs climate-	Research in collaboration with Ms Muskan Ara, Student of Bachelor of Architecture from Manipal School of Architecture and Planning (MSAP), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) and Architect Ramnath Nayak, Principal Architect of Archisatva as Practicing Architect. This work contributed to SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being), SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities), and SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production).	5 Nov 2025

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	responsive material selection and construction practices for humid regions.		

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	Best Research Paper Award	Dr Shanta Pragyan Dash. Associate Professor, MSAP-Received the Best Research Paper Award at the 14th International Conference on Sustainable Waste Management 2024, organized by Opus × Avant, MSAP–MAHE, for outstanding research contribution.	29 Oct 2025

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Assessing circular economy through sustainable solid waste management: Case of Tier-II Indian City - Cuttack

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ABSTRACT

As the cities grows, the challenges to settle proper infrastructure in Tier-II cities in India also grows as most demand and focus lie on Tier-I cities. Solid waste management (SWM) services, being one of the major infrastructural concerns is mostly overlooked in many Tier-II cities in India. Though municipalities have addressed many challenges in SWM services, yet it continues to face issues related to collection, treatment and management. Financial support for SWM services is an important question that needs to be addressed in academic research. This research aims to develop effective circular economy and sustainable solid waste management strategy for Cuttack City, a Tier-II city in India. This study focuses on estimating municipal solid waste (MSW) generation, evaluating existing management systems, identifying opportunities for improvement and formulating a financial model. Primary data was gathered through household surveys to understand waste generation behaviours, segregation practices, and willingness to pay (WTP) for enhanced waste management services. Secondary data, sourced from governmental reports and prior studies, was analysed to estimate waste generation, evaluate current solid waste management practices, and propose improvements. Analysis revealed that 70% of households in Cuttack City are willing to segregate and recycle waste, and an average of 80% of household are willing to pay for daily collection, Odor free services and street cleaning. The revenue generated out of WTP can be further used for investing on transportation of waste, labour wages, composting and recycling, which in turn returns the after-sale value in marketing.

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THE EFFECT OF COLOUR ON STUDENTS' LEARNING EXPERIENCE AND CREATIVITY IN DESIGN SCHOOLS

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Abstract. Research indicates that colours used in learning environments can influence student performance in terms of creativity. However, the impact of different shades of classroom walls affect students' learning experience regarding creativity and willingness in a design school has not been explored in past research. This study aims to analyse the effects of various colours on students' creativity in a design school based on hue, chroma, and value attributes. The colour of the walls has a unique effect on how successfully college students perform in the classroom. This study built six virtual classrooms with red, blue, and green walls, each with two distinct values and chroma, to determine a good wall colour to encourage creativity. College students' perceptions were also gathered at the same time. According to the subjective survey, the colours green-yellow (105, 131, 130) and blue-green (48, 132, 154) on the walls had a mildly positive effect on the students. In contrast, green-yellow (114, 127, 82) and blue-green (37, 150, 190) positively impacted the student's ability to focus and desire to work. Red (196, 88, 88) and red (231, 49, 69) had a negative effect on the students. These findings highlight the potential of carefully chosen colours to enhance the learning environment and improve student outcomes in design schools.

Keywords: colours, creativity, design school, learning experience, student performance.

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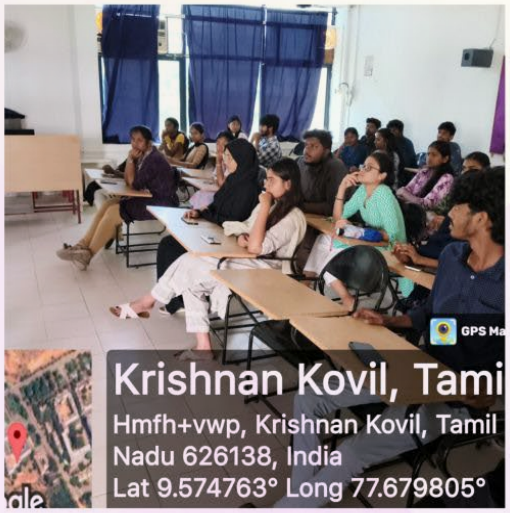

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Impact of Indoor Fungal Growth on Building Materials in Coastal Karnataka: A Comparative Study of Traditional and Modern Construction

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Abstract Fungal growth, commonly known as mould, poses a significant challenge in humid tropical climates, especially in coastal regions where moisture retention is high. This study evaluated the extent of fungal colonisation of various building materials used in traditional and modern residential structures across coastal Karnataka. Field investigations were conducted through surveys, visual inspections, and microscopic analyses in locations such as Udupi, Manipal, Kaup and Barkur. This research aimed to identify susceptible materials, characterise dominant fungal species, and assess the health impacts on occupants. In this study, a contrast was observed between modern and traditional constructions: certain materials and architectural features appeared more resistant to moisture-related deterioration. In our sample, occupant-reported symptoms (sneezing, coughing and musty odours) were more frequently reported in buildings finished with cement-based materials. This study underscores the importance of material selection and passive design strategies in mitigating fungal proliferation and promoting healthier indoor environments, while enhancing the durability of buildings in monsoon-affected coastal regions.

Keywords Fungal growth · Mould growth · Building materials · Indoor environment · Coastal Karnataka · Traditional construction · Modern construction

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Abbreviations

SBS	Sick building syndrome
BRSs	Building-related symptoms
RCC	Reinforced cement concrete
IAQ	Indoor air quality
MVHRV	Mechanical ventilation and heat-recovery ventilation

Introduction

Fungi such as moulds and yeasts are common in indoor environments and, under favourable conditions, may produce mycotoxins associated with certain building-related health outcomes. *Cladosporium*, *Aspergillus*, *Stachybotrys*, and *Penicillium* are among the genera most frequently associated with indoor contamination and sick building symptoms [1] [2]. Mould growth in building materials is not merely an aesthetic issue; it may pose risks to occupant health and contribute to structural and envelope deterioration [3] [4].

The primary environmental drivers of indoor fungal proliferation are moisture related: water leaks, construction defects, condensation, and high ambient humidity facilitate the colonisation of organic and inorganic substrates [5] [6] [7]. Poor ventilation and inadequate air exchange further can increase the indoor relative humidity, increasing the persistence and spread of fungal spores. Some energy-efficient buildings with insufficient ventilation have been reported to contain a relatively high prevalence of indoor fungi, such as Aspergillus and Penicillium, which have been reported to affect indoor air quality [8] [9]. However, energy efficiency and good ventilation are compatible when ventilation is explicitly designed (via MVHRV, demand- controlled systems, or well- sized operable openings).

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Brief About the Centre

Vision: To create a **Centre of Excellence** in the realm of Allied Design, Built Heritage, and Vernacular Architecture.
Mission: Heritage for All.

Objectives

- To facilitate opportunity and experience the tangible and intangible heritage by **cultural immersion** through field visits and summer schools exploring Karnataka.
- To engage in events that **impart contemporary knowledge** through workshops and online courses aligning with the vision of NEP.
- To **collaborate with statutory authorities and institutes** dealing in culture and heritage.
- To provide **advisory and consultancy services** in the fields of heritage management and conservation.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Channapatna Toys Workshop	This workshop provided the students with insights into model making and scaling. It also helps in understanding the importance of the traditional art and crafts of India. Especially the Channapatna toys. This workshop was coordinated with Bhaasa Art Gallery, Udupi and artists and craftsmen from Channapatna.	06 Jan 2025
2	Historic Cities Series 2025	Details Shared below "Karaviliya Vaarastva Vaibhava"	11 Oct 2025

Key Details

City Edition_Manipal
"Karaviliya Vaarastva Vaibhava"
11 October 2025, 09:30 am to 12:30 am
Seminar Hall, MSAP, MAHE, Manipal
Date: 11 October 2025

Event Content

Event Overview

The event highlighted both the tangible and intangible dimensions of heritage in the Udupi district. Special attention was given to the historic town of Barkur, noted for its significant built heritage. Additionally, the program showcased Kaavi art, a distinctive mural tradition indigenous to the Konkan coast, thereby foregrounding the region's intangible cultural assets.

Key Takeaways

Participants were afforded opportunities to critically observe the extent of heritage present within their surroundings, often neglected in daily life. The event underscored the necessity of appreciating and perpetuating local heritage traditions. Emphasis was

placed on the relevance of sustaining these traditions and adapting their practice within the context of contemporary, technologically oriented society.

Summary of Each Activity of the Event
Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, MAHE, Manipal, Karnataka.

Session 1
First talk:
Dr Deepika Shetty, Professor, MSAP, MAHE, Manipal.

Topic: Insights from Barkur and its Heritage.
Prof Deepika underscored the significance of the Barkur settlement, emphasizing the critical role of both its tangible heritage, evidenced through the town's evolving built environment and integration with natural features, and its continued intangible practices. The study demonstrated how Barkur's unique adaptation to its historical and environmental context over centuries has contributed to a layered and resilient heritage landscape. Moreover, Prof Deepika highlighted the ongoing vitality of local intangible cultural traditions, reinforcing their relevance alongside physical heritage in the broader discourse of sustainable urban and architectural design.

Session 2
Second Talk:
Dr Janardhana Rao Havanje, Sr Artist and Academician, Udupi.

Title: Kaavi Art/Kaavi Kale of the West Coast of India
Dr Janardha Rao Havanje emphasized the imperative of fostering a collective sense of heritage consciousness among community members. He underscored the importance of engaging students in the study of cultural heritage, encouraging them to identify adaptive strategies that bridge traditional practices with contemporary societal needs. Dr Havanje also presented the ongoing efforts of his team in the systematic identification, documentation, and preservation of Kaavi art along the Konkan coast, illustrating a proactive approach to safeguarding intangible cultural assets within the region.

Panel discussion by Dr Deepika Shetty, Dr Jagadeesh Shetty, Dr Janardhana Rao Havanje
Main points: The panel discussion focused on strategies for safeguarding heritage. Dr Jagadeesh Shetty highlighted the necessity of engaging with the factual history of a place, arguing that heritage preservation must extend beyond the built environment to include a nuanced understanding of social layers often obscured in conventional architectural history studies. Both Dr Deepika and Dr Janardha Rao underscored the vital role of youth in cultivating awareness of India's heritage, emphasizing its enduring significance for future generations.

Overall event summary
Key takeaways:
The event received positive feedback from students and participants, contributing to a broader understanding of heritage as a dynamic and living element rather than a mere remembrance of the past. It underscored the relevance of integrating heritage awareness into everyday practices and emphasized the necessity of sustaining intangible art forms. The event further highlighted the importance of revitalizing these art traditions and promoting their presence in the public domain to ensure their continued recognition and to prevent their decline into obscurity.

Photo Gallery

Channapatna Toy making workshop: 06 January 2025

Discussion with the Panel: Historic Cities Series 2025
L to R: Dr Deepika Shetty, Dr Jagadeesh Shetty and Dr Janardhana Rao Havanje

Participants with the Panel and Faculty of MSAP

Dr Janaradhana Rao Havanje Sharing importance of Kaavi art and his journey.

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Brief About the Centre:
Mission:

1. To establish an interdisciplinary research and consulting facility and develop it into a centre of excellence.
2. Undertake projects related to energy-efficient planning, design, and construction practices in the built environment.
3. Establish academic industry interface in the Architecture, Engineering, and Construction (AEC) industry.

Objectives:

1. To undertake research related to energy-efficient building design, building energy simulation, building envelope optimization, thermal comfort, and renewable energy.
2. To provide consulting work in the built environment related to the building industry and real estate sector.
3. To foster innovation, such as developing tools and fabricating system prototypes for addressing existing industry requirements.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Patent Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) submitted to Controller General of Patents, Designs and Trade Marks, Government of India (GoI)	Application Number: 202541112613 Title: A Ceiling Fan-Mounted Hybrid Thermoelectric Cooling and Dehumidification System and a method thereof.	20 Nov 2025
2.	Patent IPR submitted to Controller General of Patents, Designs and Trade Marks, GoI	Application Number: 202541110725 Title: A Passive Ventilator Device for enhanced induced ventilation in buildings and a method for enabling the same.	13 Nov 2025
3.	Guest Lecture by Engineer Prashant Bhanware, Director, Greentech Knowledge Solutions Private Limited (GKSPL), New Delhi	Engineer Prashant Bhanware delivered a lecture on the topic of "Current scenario of Building Thermal Performance in India—with Case Studies" for students of Bachelor of Architecture, Master of Design in Sustainable Design (SD), and Doctoral (PhD) courses at MSAP.	29 Aug 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
4.	Guest Lecture by Dr Udayraj, Associate Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Bhilai	Organized a Guest Lecture by Dr Udayraj on the topic of "Current scenario of Energy Efficient Green Buildings in India—with Case Studies" for students of BArch, MDes SD, and PhD courses at MSAP.	29 Aug 2025
5.	Paper Publication	Vaibhav Jain, Assistant Professor, Senior Scale, MSAP, presented a paper titled "Women, Buildings, and Climate Change: Toward Inclusive and Resilient Built Environments" at the 1st International Conference on Socially Conscious Built Environments (SCBE 2025), Manipal University, Jaipur.	27 Nov 2025
6.	Updation of Climatology and Sustainability Lab at MSAP	Architect Vaibhav Jain updated the Climatology and Sustainability Lab at MSAP by procuring a number of new Equipment, apparatus, and Software to support ongoing academics and research.	2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	Team Kalpana from MSAP won the First Prize in the Solar Decathlon India (SDI)—Net Zero Challenge 2025 in the Residential Cooling Retrofit division.	Ar Vaibhav Jain was the Faculty Lead of Team Kalpana from MSAP at the SDI.	25 May 2025
2.	Team Nirman from MSAP won the First Prize in SDI—Net Zero Challenge 2025 in the Educational Building division.	Ar Vaibhav Jain was the Faculty Advisor for Team Nirman at the SDI.	25 May 2025
3.	Team Samarpan won the Second Prize in SDI—Net Zero Challenge 2025 in the Office Building division	Ar Vaibhav Jain was the Faculty Advisor for Team Samarpan at the SDI.	25 May 2025

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Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution

SMI offers six different academic programs with varying study durations for students at the undergraduate, postgraduate, and doctoral levels. The programs reflect the breadth of our vision. They cater to the whole spectrum and ecosystem of capabilities. We create opportunities to make a creative impact at various levels of practice through capabilities developed in the areas of law, environment and policy, media arts and sciences, education and development, and business and the humanities. The process of creative impact making is interdisciplinary and draws upon the disciplines of art, design, and technology in a synthetic manner. Our integration of conventional perspectives to sense making, problem-framing, and envisioning are complemented by new methods and approaches that are informed through the intersections of art, design, and technology.

- Bachelor of Design (BDes)—Business service and system design, Creative and Applied Computation, Creative Education, Human Centred Design, Information Arts and Information Design Practices, Spatial Design, Textile Futures, Visual Communication and Strategic Branding, Industrial Arts and Design Practices.
- Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)—Contemporary Art Practice, Digital Media Arts, Film.
- One-year postgraduate (PG) diploma.
- Two-year PG program in Design (Master of Design (MDes))—Design-Led Innovation Human-Centred Design, Industrial Arts and Design Practices, Information Arts and Information Design Practices.
- Two-year PG program in Arts (Master of Arts (MA))—Animation, Contemporary Art Practice, Experience Design, Filmmaking.
- Doctoral program in art, design, and transdisciplinary studies.

About the Institution/School

Our mission is to creatively impact and build new ecosystems that produce creative competencies ahead of the curve. Towards this mission, the institution entrusts itself with the role of building capabilities through its professional and vocational research programs and principles that include anticipating emerging needs and opportunities, being future-informed, challenging assumptions, uncovering hidden opportunities, nurturing proactive mindsets, developing an expanded consciousness and holistic development of individuals and communities, and honouring environmentally responsible and sustainable means to achieve our vision.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Natural fibers and dyes	New certificate course in natural fibers and dyes (CoE)	19 Mar 2025
2	MA Comics and Graphic Literature (CGL)	The program is oriented to the Animation, Visual Effects, Gaming, and Comics sector (AVGC). Comics content can work across platforms and is often the material on which animation and gaming sectors are built. The program explores the medium of comics and graphic literature in its broadest sense.	15 Jul 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

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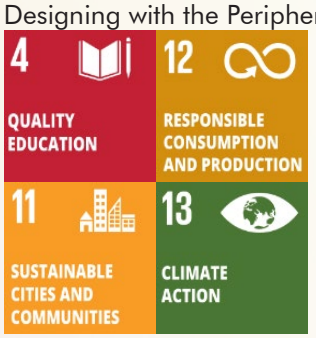
1	Designing with the Peripheries 	This project explored how communities across urban alleyways, semi-urban edges, rural villages, and migratory corridors continuously redesign systems of living when formal support structures fall short. Learners investigated everyday ingenuity, sustainability, resilience, adaptability, creativity, and quiet resistance embedded in shared practices. Through a research-through-design process, students represented these systems not as anomalies, but as vital evolving practices influencing social innovation, sustainability, resilience, and alternative systems of living. Visitors experienced visual research artefacts, conceptual systems, field-inspired design proposals, community-based interventions, insights into everyday periphery ingenuity, ethnographic representations, research-driven prototypic possibilities, and design-led sustainability strategies.	26 Aug 2025–21 Dec 2025
2	Public furniture	This pre-thesis project offered three areas of engagement: furniture for compact urban spaces, public seating for the Biocon Hebbagodi Station, and furniture designed through material exploration. Students researched their chosen context and created full-size prototypes that demonstrate methodology, user research, conceptualisation, materials, and manufacturing possibilities. Visitors could see and test the built furniture ideas, touch full-scale prototypes, experience how form responds to real urban space constraints, explore material-led making processes, observe details of seating systems for a transit space, and learn how small spatial design choices influence comfort and belonging publicly.	26 Aug 2025–21 Dec 2025
3	"Prologue : Making Of New Worlds"	2-day SMI "Prologue : Making of New Worlds" PG Works Showcase (7th Semester) at Venkatappa Art Gallery.	1 Sep 2025–20 Dec 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
4	Pre-thesis project titled "Re-shaping District Institutes of Education and Training (DIET): Empowering spaces for creative pedagogies" essentially is about spatial reimagination of DIET, which are teacher training institutes and professional development centres for teachers from government schools (elementary + secondary)	The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 presents a comprehensive framework to transform India's education system by fostering multidisciplinary and holistic learning, critical thinking, technology integration, and vocational education. Central to realizing this vision is the community of teachers and educators, who serve as a vital link between policymakers and learners. NEP 2020 underscores the importance of teacher quality and competence, which significantly depends on the training and support they receive. DIET, conceptualized under the National Policy on Education 1986 and established in the early 1990s, was created to advance teacher professional development and indirectly support school improvement. Despite the presence of over 700 DIETs across India, many suffer from inadequate infrastructure and uninspiring learning environments, limiting their effectiveness. In recent years, Karnataka has seen significant interest in modernizing and upgrading its educational infrastructure to enhance quality and accessibility. Of the 34 DIETs in the state, many possess ample physical space, yet lack thoughtful spatial utilization. This highlights the need for a context-sensitive, sustainable, and adaptive design approach to unlock their full potential. This pre-thesis project proposed to reimagine existing DIETs as "DIETs of Excellence" through spatial interventions and infrastructural upgrades, enabling dynamic pedagogies, personalized learning, and inclusive education in alignment with the transformative goals of NEP 2020.	26 Aug 2025– 21 Dec 2025
5	Care Craft: Proactive Health by Design Today, the world is dealing with big issues like poor access to healthcare, growing social inequality, difficult work environments, and serious environmental damage. These challenges highlight the need to examine the current systems and services that tackle these issues so that areas that are underserved can be addressed.	In this project, we investigated and created designs to support the wellbeing of individuals, service providers, and communities of people who are in situations or circumstances that need more attention. We need more solutions that are flexible, fair, and strong enough to handle change. By investigating various determinants of health like physical environment, social circumstances, individual behaviours, medical care available, and workplace health and support; we uncovered underserved issues and seemingly invisible challenges. We did this by taking people's own perspective of their agency and relationship towards work, wellbeing, and health seeking behaviours. "Care" is a flexible, multifaceted practice that cab be defined in many ways—ranging from selfless love in theology, gift-like exchange in anthropology, to the dedication people bring to both paid work and parenting. Ethicists of care however emphasize that "good care" can't be defined by universal rules (like justice or rights). Instead, people constantly shape and adapt care in everyday life. "Care" is not one thing. Its meaning shifts depending on context. In this project we used the ethicist's lens of "care" to re-define and	26 Aug 2025– 21 Dec 2025

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		design care in particular contexts for particular communities of people.	
6	Kidding 	This collaborative project celebrates 30 years of children's storytelling by Tulika Books. It explored how children's picture books become cultural tools for learning, empathy, imagination, and expression. Learners reinterpreted the pedagogic philosophy through storytelling, play, research, and visual curation; creating new worlds that respond to and expand its legacy. The work acted as both tribute and inquiry, inviting audiences of all ages into a public-facing ecosystem of stories that have shaped young learners over generations. Visitors saw illustrated pages, learning kits, research-inspired picture-book reinterpretations, gameful storytelling artefacts, curated story ecosystems, and public-facing visual narratives.	26 Aug 2025–21 Dec 2025
7	Designing Dignity 	This project highlighted mobility challenges faced by accident survivors, amputees, children with birth deformities, and elderly citizens. Learners explored barriers to prosthetic and orthotic access in rural and low-income urban India due to cost, stigma, imported standards, and cultural mismatch. The project proposed inclusive design approaches for modular, low-cost, locally relevant, and dignified mobility support systems inspired by Indian lifestyles, climate, movement habits, and aesthetic sensibilities. Visitors saw assistive design concepts, modular prototypes, visual research displays, orthotic and prosthetic system proposals, locally sensitive aesthetics for devices, stigma-aware narratives around mobility, adaptive prototyping frameworks, and conceptual systems that redefine movement support inclusively.	26 Aug 2025–21 Dec 2025
8	CoE Showcase 	BRIDGE was a three-day exhibition and public outreach event that highlighted ongoing interdisciplinary work at the CoE in natural fibres, biomaterials, urbanism, and select collaborative projects. The showcase also featured short workshops for design students and the public, engaging with themes of heritage practices, urban tools, and creative research methodologies.	7 Nov 2025–9 Nov 2025
9	A Space for Hope 	This project harnessed 3D animation not merely as a visual medium but as a philosophical inquiry into our interconnected lives amid global turbulence. Through Blender's digital possibilities, the project proposed a contemplative aesthetic defined by slowness, fragility, and repetition. The work does not present spectacle; instead, it presents what theorist Jill Bennett calls empathetic vision—an art practice that acknowledges suffering without collapsing into despair while making space for resilience and solidarity. The looping animation, by refusing linear closure, symbolized the persistence of life and the ongoing renewal of commitment to	26 Aug 2025–21 Dec 2025

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		justice despite recurring hardship. Hope, in this context, is not abstract optimism but rather an activist gesture. It is an embodied stance toward continuity, perseverance, and care. By merging digital creativity with contemplative temporality, the project reoriented animation as more than storytelling; it becomes world-making, crafting a shared site for recognition, mourning, endurance, and forward-looking conviction.	
10	Bee My Guest 	What does urban hospitality look like when the guest is a bee? This project was an invitation to observe, craft, and co-exist with the more-than-human world. There are co-inhabitants in our cities that we often fail to notice. Honeybees are a great example of this. Wings that hum above traffic. Nests built quietly in the cracks of broken bricks and walls. Their invisible labour sustains the food we eat, the flowers we admire, and the natural cycles we rarely think about. Yet, our cities—designed for humans, by humans—forget them. This project was about creating sensitive ecosystems, micro-habitats for those we usually overlook. It was proposed to remind us that architecture can host not just humans but also shelter life. Participants were encouraged to build with natural materials, sculpt with found resources, stitch, carve, code, weave, film, record, or even grow.	24 Nov 2025–19 Dec 2025
11	Life Design: Crafting the Future Self 	In a world marked by ecological fragility, social inequity, and rapid technological shifts; how do young designers' craft meaningful lives and futures for themselves and their communities? This project invited students to approach life as a design project, treating the experience of living as design material. The act of designing in this context is framed as both a critical and creative practice. Participants engaged in hands-on processes of problem solving, prototyping, mapping, and illustrating their personal and collective futures through a series of well-researched and proven exercises from the Stanford Life Design framework —a framework developed by Bill Burnett and Dave Evans, faculty at Stanford University, cofounders of the Stanford Life Design Lab. Students created plans, visualisations, action items, reflections, and other artefacts of prototyping that act as guideposts across different aspects of their lives and at key moments in their future.	24 Nov 2025–19 Dec 2025
12	Pixels of Bangalore 	Cities are living archives of memory, identity, and transformation. Bangalore, with its complex coexistence of rural and urban landscapes, colonial and contemporary architecture, cultural forms, communities, rituals, festivals, flora, fauna, and everyday life; offers a layered site for artistic inquiry. During this project students documented and reinterpreted the city beginning with photographic images and transforming these visual references into expansive charcoal works. Much like pixels constructing an image, the drawings emerged from fragments, textures, and visual narratives, stitched together into a monumental installation that reflected the dynamic identity of Bangalore in contemporary times. The	24 Nov 2025–19 Dec 2025

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		project aimed to facilitate a critical engagement with Bangalore as a cultural and spatial archive, develop students' abilities in field-based visual documentation through photography, strengthen technical and conceptual skills in large-scale charcoal drawing, and explore processes of fragmentation, layering, and narrative construction in visual art.	
13	Art for the 99% 	This project was designed for those who want to reimagine how art is created and shared. Our focus was to make art which is accessible, affordable and alive. We explored interactive art and accessibility. We addressed barriers in material through a junkyard trip and waste audit, then toured fab labs to develop prototype ideas. We constructed canvases and modular spaces from waste, designing immersive experiences with sound, light, and shadow. We focussed on production, refining aesthetics, and assembling our structures. And finally, we brought our art to life with affordable tech (Arduino) for interactivity and merged our work into a final collective showcase that was sustainable, immersive, and truly accessible to all.	24 Nov 2025–19 Dec 2025
14	Conversations with Trees 	If the trees around you had a voice, what would they say? Would they tell you stories of where they are from? Would they whine about being planted there? Or have a dark (shadowy?) sense of humour? How do we bring the science of trees alive through imaginative, narrative storytelling? How do we create opportunities for communities to become stewards of the ecology around them? This project was an interdisciplinary, immersive audio theatre project that was sensorial, participatory, and experiential. It empowered students and the campus community to co-design audio narratives to reveal the ecological roles and cultural significance of urban trees in the face of climate change. Students explored play as a design process, theatre in education, science communication, sound design, and narrative mapping. Students designed immersive audio theatre pieces; made signages, maps, and interactive touchpoints linking trees, listeners, and stories; conducted data-to-dialogue experiments translating science and sensory data into creative forms; and developed community engagement experiences (Artist—Janet Orl).	24 Nov 2025–19 Dec 2025
15	God of Small Things: a patchwork of urban coexistence 	This project explored the material and aesthetic presence of beetles, butterflies, moths, flies, ants, bees, wasps, etc., amidst rapidly "developing" urban environments. Students attempted to see these smaller beings past the unfair disdain they have been subjected to, possibly because of the popular media and grotesque depictions. The creative inquiry aimed at converging the urban human–insect engagements, by understanding and analyzing the information that emerged and then translated it into mixed media–material artefacts. Materials like textile and paper and techniques like crochet, hand-sewing, appliqué, patchwork, etc that are often equally disregarded, as the insects in the animal world will be used to build meticulous, measured and mindful visual and tactile info-narratives. The participants engaged in field work documenting urban ecologies,	24 Nov 2025–19 Dec 2025

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		mappings, sightings and collated it into understandable meaningful information charts, visual maps. These were used to further discuss the politics of coexistence and culminated the discussions into info driven artefacts, experiential exhibits, and interactive mapping sessions.	
16	Conscious Collective	SMI–Godrej "Conscious Collective" Exhibition at Mumbai.	9 Dec 2025–11 Dec 2025
17	"Practices of Attunement"	2-day SMI "Practices of Attunement" PG Works showcase at Bengaluru International Centre (BIC).	17 Dec 2025–19 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	HS Sudhira	Gubbi Labs	Science and Society: Taking theory to practice and practice to theory, Science Communication, Spatial data.	4 Mar 2025–5 Mar 2025
2	Dr Claire Cowie	University of Edinburgh	Dr Cowie presented a variationist analysis of "dialect" features of Indian English in commercial Bollywood films in India. Dr Claire Cowie is a sociolinguist at the University of Edinburgh, with a special interest in the effects of contact between English and other languages in India. For the past twenty years, together with students and colleagues she has worked on code-switching with English, English accents and dialects—in real life contexts in India—as well as in fiction, film, television, and other media. She is part of a research community which explores the use of Scots and Scottish English in Edinburgh. At the University of Edinburgh, she teaches Global English, corpus linguistics, History of English Language, pragmatics, and research skills. She particularly enjoys supervising dissertations on diverse media in South and South-east Asia including Bollywood, K-pop and K-drama.	1 Aug 2025
3	Arshia Sattar	SMI	In this session, Arshia Sattar introduced participants to the Sanskrit plays and its poetics, discussing some of the major ones and their narrative structures. She also discussed the major Sanskrit playwrights and their historical contexts. Arshia Sattar is a well-known mythologist, having translated the Indian epics and other Sanskrit texts, especially the Ramayana and Kathasaritsagara. She has recently published a book, Vasanta, which is a selection of abridged versions of some major Sanskrit plays. The session was from	25 Aug 2025

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			10 am to 12 pm on 25th August at Rasa 204 and was open to all.	
4	Prakhyipta Akinchit	Artist	This session explored the artistic practice of Prakhyipta Akinchit through a conversation with one of his long-standing interlocutors, the Bangalore-based artist Abhishek Hazra. It traced Akinchit's attempts to inhabit the terrain of ideas and other disciplines through the inadequate modalities of an art-making that is not necessarily beholden to an artefact.	28 Aug 2025
5	Dhiren Borisa	O P Jindal Global University Law School	Dhiren Bhosia presented a lecture titled "Do You Smell the Stench of Our Stories? Dalit Queer Storytelling as Decolonial City-Making". This presentation traced Dalit queer geographies along Delhi's "Sahibi", represented officially as a river on the map but known by those living in its shadows as "Najafgarh nala"; marked by stench, untreated sewage, and the shame of caste. The speaker mapped how queerness negotiates caste-marked spaces through addresses, apps, and fleeting intimacies. Drawing on the project "Across the Nala", which used walking, urgent witnessing, storytelling, and zine-making as methods, the speaker explored how memory—what is shared and what is withheld—functions as a political archive. These stories refuse sanitized cartographies and instead produce insurgent maps that braid desire, stigma, and survival. By reading sexualness and caste not as residues but as infrastructures of urban life, their work framed them as archives of queer urbanisms—lived, fragile, and embodied. Dhiren Borisa is a Dalit queer poet and urban sexual geographer whose work explores queer and anti-caste world-making in Indian cities and diasporic spaces. He teaches Gender and Sexuality Studies at Jindal Global Law School and has held international fellowships at the University of St Andrews, the University of Sheffield, and the University of Leicester. His research combines ethnography, art, and storytelling to map how caste and sexualness shape urban life, producing archives of everyday desires through collaborative projects like, "Across the Nala", a Dalit Bahujan queer zine reimagining Delhi from its margins.	9 Sep 2025
6	Pratyush Gupta	SMI	Pratyush Gupta, a Srishti alumni, presented the journey of the making of his pop-up book, "Master of the 7 Swars", a project that came to life at Srishti in 2012. In this session, Pratyush shared his process, and demonstrated how paper, light, music and storytelling can blend into an immersive learning experience.	15 Sep 2025
7	Tanvi Chowdhary	SMI	Delivered a session titled "Telling Stories with Meaning: From Vision to Pitch". The session explored the deeper intent and purpose behind storytelling choices and examine individuality, relevance, and personal connection in one's work. Screening and discussing three Indian short films and their makers. The introspection not only strengthened one's creative voice but also enhanced the ability to pitch	25 Sep 2025

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			effectively for film labs, film festivals, and university applications. Former Srishti film student, Tanvi Chowdhary, is a filmmaker whose films have travelled across the world and won her various accolades for her creative direction and narrative storytelling. She was awarded her Masters in Directing Fiction from the prestigious National Film and Television School, UK. She currently co-runs the production house, Peru and is developing her feature film, "Gulkhanah".	
8	Professor Nicolas Mathevon	University of Saint-Etienne	In his talk titled "The Voices of Nature: How and Why Animals Communicate by Sound", Professor Mathevon introduced the mysteries of animal sound. Wandering from the steamy heat of the Amazon jungle to the icy terrain of the Arctic, Mathevon revealed the amazing variety of animal vocalizations. He described how animals use sound to express emotion, to choose a mate, to mark their territory, to call for help, and much more. What may seem like random chirps, squawks, and cries are actually signals that, like our human words, allow animals to carry on conversations with others. Mathevon explained how the science of bioacoustics works to decipher the ways animals make and hear sounds, what information is encoded in these sound signals, and what this information is used for in daily life. For anybody who has wondered about the meaning behind a bird song or a mouse ultrasonic call, this talk offered a listening guide for the endlessly varied concert of nature. Professor Nicolas Mathevon, is a distinguished professor of Neurosciences and Bioacoustics at the University of Saint-Etienne, Associate Director of Studies at the Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes – University Paris Sciences Lettres, Senior Member of the Institut universitaire de France, Member of Academia Europaea, a former visiting Miller Professor at the University of California, Berkeley, and a former visiting professor at Hunter College, City University of New York. He is also a National Geographic Explorer and has been President of the International Bioacoustics Society. Author of over 130 scientific publications in international journals (Nature, Nature Communications, PNAS, Current Biology), Professor Mathevon has been conducting scientific research on animal acoustic communication for over thirty years. Mathevon's book "The Voices of Nature. How and Why Animals Communicate" won the prestigious top prize RR Hawkins Award together with the PROSE Award for Excellence in Biological and Life Sciences from the Association of American Publishers. It was also awarded Library Journal's Best Science and Technology Book of the Year.	30 Sep 2025
9	Dr Christoph Woiwode (PhD)	Leibniz Institute of Ecological Urban and Regional	Delivered a lecture titled 'The Relational Turn in Human-nature Relationships".	22 Sep 2025

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		Development (IOER)	Abstract: Human-nature relationships are manifold and complex. How humans relate to the world around them has been decisive for the kind of interactions people have with their environment. In recent years, scholars have rediscovered the notion of relationality as a desired way of how humans may connect with their fellow beings. This talk brought to the fore hitherto neglected or marginalized perspectives such as decolonialism and indigenous cosmologies that are seen as challenging or at best complimentary to the predominant positivistic, scientific lens. Core concepts of inner transformation and urban human-nature partnership are introduced and illustrated by a case study of bio-cultural heritage conservation of the *Tamirabarani* river in South India. Dr Christoph Woiwode (PhD) is currently a senior researcher at the Leibniz Institute of Ecological Urban and Regional Development (IOER) in the research area Landscape, Ecosystems and Biodiversity. Christoph was a two-time, long-term Resident Visiting Professor with the Indo-German Centre for Sustainability (IGCS) at the Indian Institute of Technology Madras (2013–2016, 2019–2024). He has accumulated over twenty-five years of experience working in India. Holding a PhD in Planning Studies from the Development Planning Unit, University of London, Christoph graduated in urban and regional planning (TU Berlin) and social anthropology (FU Berlin). Christoph has taught as a Senior Lecturer in Human Geography in the UK (2017-2019), a lecturer at the Faculty of Spatial Planning, TU Dortmund, Germany (2008-2012), and also served as a planning advisor with the German development agency GIZ in Sri Lanka (2005-2007). His cross-disciplinary research areas cover sustainable urbanisation, climate change and disaster risk mitigation, socio-cultural change and transformation to sustainability, theory and practice of urban planning and governance, development studies, India/South Asia.	
10	Mira Brunner	Queer Archive for Memory, Reflection, and Activism (QAMRA)	Delivered a talk titled "The Queer Archive and its Limits: History, Memory, and Representation". In this talk, Mira Brunner introduced the Queer Archive for Memory, Reflection, and Activism (QAMRA) and shared examples from its collections, including material from the T Jayashree Collection. She outlined QAMRA's history and political foundations, as well as its present realities and constraints, to highlight both the possibilities and the challenges of community archives. She also reflected on the intersections of her practice as an artist and archivist; and consider the epistemological limits of the archive—what it can hold, what it excludes, and how these boundaries shape our understanding of the past. Mira Brunner is an archivist at QAMRA and a visual artist by training. She has a BFA (cum laude) from Pratt Institute, New	6 Oct 2025

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			York, US, and has worked in artist's archives for the better part of a decade. Her personal and professional interests intersect around ephemera, personal papers, and the cataloguing of unconventional archival items.	
11	Samina Mishra	Creative practitioner, educator, and researcher	Delivered a lecture titled "Being and Becoming: Children's Voice, Art and Education" Samina, a creative practitioner, educator and researcher, described her practice and what a project means to her, how it evolves and takes on a life of its own and permeates between different learning spaces. Based on Samina's work across disciplines as a media practitioner, writer and arts educator, the talk focused on creation, curation, and collaboration with children to enable their voice and agency as well as to create a channel of communication across the adult-child split.	29 Oct 2025
12	M S Prakash Babu	SMI	Delivered a talk titled "Visible-Invisible". M S Prakash Babu is a film director, screenwriter and visual artist, known for his work in the Kannada feature film "Attihannu Mattu Kanaja" (Fig Fruit and The Wasps), which was officially selected in the Competition and nominated for "Tiantan Award" 2015, 5th Beijing International Film Festival. He completed Post-graduation Diploma in Visual arts from Viswa Bharati University, Santiniketan, West Bengal, India. He has worked as an illustrator and Graphic designer at The Times of India, for over 17 years. Currently, he is Professor at SMI, Bengaluru, India since 2017.	29 Oct 2025
13	Ed D'Souza	Winchester School of Art, University of Southampton (UK)	Ed D'Souza is a professor of Critical Practice at Winchester School of Art, University of Southampton (UK). He is co-founder of Electronic Life Research Studio, and has recently collaborated with Tate Britain, the Alan Turing Institute AI and Arts Group and Kochi-Muziris Biennale focusing on the overlapping areas of responsible AI, cultural heritage, and social practice. His books include India's Biennale Effect (2016), Barcelona Masala: Narratives and Interactions in Cultural Space (2013), and Outside India: Dialogues and Documents of Art and Social Change (2012). His work has been exhibited widely including Bergen Kunstall 3,14 (2019), osloBIENNALEN (2019), India Habitat Centre (2019), Tate Exchange, Tate Modern (2018), and Kochi-Muziris Biennale (2014).	4 Nov 2025
14	Madan Meena	Artist	Delivered a talk titled "Textile as Identity", wherein Madan described textiles as an embodied language and how its endangerment leads to loss of identities and civilizational knowledge. Madan Meena is a practicing visual artist and a researcher working extensively with rural, nomadic, and tribal communities. He has designed two important exhibitions in western Rajasthan based on brooms and pottery. He is the recipient of various fellowships to work on the oral traditions	24 Sep 2025

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			of Rajasthan, among which Tejaji Ballad is a major one documented in more than one dozen languages. He has been involved in the revival of various craft traditions among the indigenous communities. Presently, he is honorary director of the Adivasi Academy in Gujarat.	
15	Dr M H Bala Subrahmanya	Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru	M H Bala Subrahmanya is a Professor of Economics at the Department of Management Studies, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore. He has been serving in IISc since May 1996. He has won three prestigious fellowships in his career: Commonwealth Fellowship (2000), Japan Foundation Fellowship (2004/05), and Fulbright-Nehru senior Research Fellowship (2009/10). His field of specialization is Industrial Economics. Two of his research works were published as monographs by De Gruyter, Berlin, Germany in 2021, namely, (i) Entrepreneurial Ecosystems for Tech Start-ups in India: Evolution, Structure & Role, and (ii) Technology Business Incubators in India: Structure, Role, and Performance. Abstract: Technology entrepreneurship and entrepreneurial ecosystem for tech startups are attracting the attention of policy makers and empirical researchers alike, across the world. In India, Bengaluru has been getting increased global recognition as a tech start-up hub, and as of now, Bengaluru is the home for the largest number of tech start-ups and unicorns in the country. An important factor which has contributed to this recognition is the emergence of a unique entrepreneurial ecosystem which promotes tech startups. Given this, it is important to understand how a favourable entrepreneurial ecosystem for tech start-ups emerge in Bangalore. What are its major components? What role do these components play in different stages of the life cycle of tech start-ups? What are the lessons to learn?	26 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
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Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty	
National	International
18	15

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Futuring Design Education	Big Brother Is Watching You: Designing in the Age of Surveillance Technologies.	Saroja Ganapathy	Springer	1 Feb 2025

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2	Brick Architecture Craft in Nineteenth-Century South India: Reading Buildings as Archives	Brick Architecture Craft in Nineteenth-Century South India: Reading Buildings as Archives.	Priya Joseph	Routledge	4 Mar 2025
3	Futuring Design Education	Sounding out Emerging Designers: Experiments with Indian Classical Music Within a Design Curriculum.	Saroja Ganapathy	Springer	8 Apr 2025
4	Nation Region Modernity	A South-Easterly Approach to the Developing Cold Front (or the Creative and Business Explorations of a True Crinsepian).	Abhishek Hazra	Routledge	11 Aug 2025
5	Down to Earth	Clock ticking for amphibians.	Gururaja KV	Down to Earth and Centre for Science and Environment	5 Sep 2025
6	Architecture Education in the Changing World	Architecture graduate employability readiness: The gap between academia and practice.	Shanu Raina	Routledge	15 Sep 2025
7	Qualitative Methods for Digital Social Research	Memewhile: A Carrier Bag of Baat-Cheet (Chit-Chat) and Makeshift Methodologies, While Studying Memes in India.	Naveen Bagalkot	Springer	15 Sep 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Conversation with Trees	Yash Bhandari	Bengaluru Sustainability Forum Small Grants	0	1 Jan 2025 - 30 Dec 2025
2	2025 Hunt-Simes Visiting Junior Chair in Sexuality Studies, SSSHARC, University of Sydney for which he was in Sydney from Feb to Mar 2025	Kush Patel	NA	0	1 Feb 2025 - 28 Mar 2025
3	Nurture Innovation, Entrepreneurship, Conscious Consumption Behaviour and Sustainable Design Through Happy Minds to create Resilient And Self Sustainble Communities	Sanjukta Ghosh and Sujata Pudale (SMI) in collaboration with Sikkim Manipal University	Manipal Research Board	5,30,000	1 Jul 2025 - 31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Arul Devan	SMI Faculty Arul Devan was awarded the 52nd Karnataka Lalit Kala Academy Yearly Art Award (2023–24).	28 May 2025

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2	Dyutiman Mukhopyadhay	Dyutiman Mukhopyadhay wins recognition in Berlin and Athens for the film "3 Long Takes Dedicated to Abbas Kiarostami."	28 Sep 2025
3	Mamta Sagar	Mamta Sagar wins Sahitya Shree Award from the Government of Karnataka, India.	8 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Anuhya Mahesh and Aditya Sonwane	SMI BDes students—Anuhya Mahesh and Aditya Sonwane—won first Prize in Amrita University Gen AI X Gender International Hackathon.	18 Jan 2025
2	Gayatri Jadhav	SMI BDes student—Gayatri Jadhav—won second Prize in Amrita University Gen AI X Gender International Hackathon.	18 Jan 2025
3	Nanadana Rijju, Sreelakshmi Unnikrishnan, and Krishnasree VJ	BDes students won the Hult Prize at MIT Manipal for Innovation and Entrepreneurship.	24 Feb 2025
4	Aditi Puttige	SMI BDes student, Aditi Puttige's Raptor Project was selected by World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF).	25 May 2025
5	Sanaa Mangalore	SMI BDes student, Sanaa won the iF Design Student Award 2025 under the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDG) category of Gender Equality, one of 100 winners from 7,000 entries.	12 Jul 2025
6	Vishwajith HU	Vishwajith HU, SMI PhD student, was selected for the prestigious Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) Senior Research Fellowship.	15 Jul 2025
7	Aditya Patankar	SMI BDes student, Aditya Patankar won India's Best Design Student 2025 Award at the Design India Show 2025.	21 Jul 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

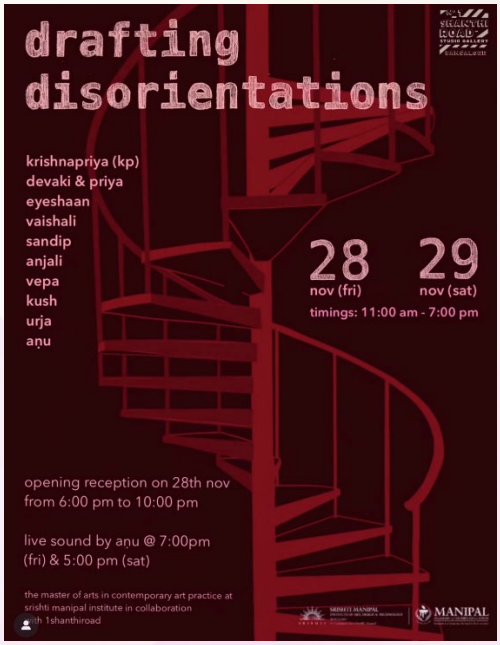
Project "Climate Compass—Finding, Framing, Futuring", inviting visitors to pause, reflect, and be inspired by the beauty and resilience of our planet, in collaboration with Godrej Archives, Mumbai.

"Prologue: Make New Worlds" is an exhibition of works by emerging designers and artists that sow the seeds for New worlds across healthcare, education, sustainability, urban development, and many other diverse creative contexts. The show with artefact, systems, and processes of seventh semester students, is divided into four zones of engagements: The Gallery, Lab, Forum, and Book; at the Venkatappa Art Gallery on 20 to 21 December 2025.

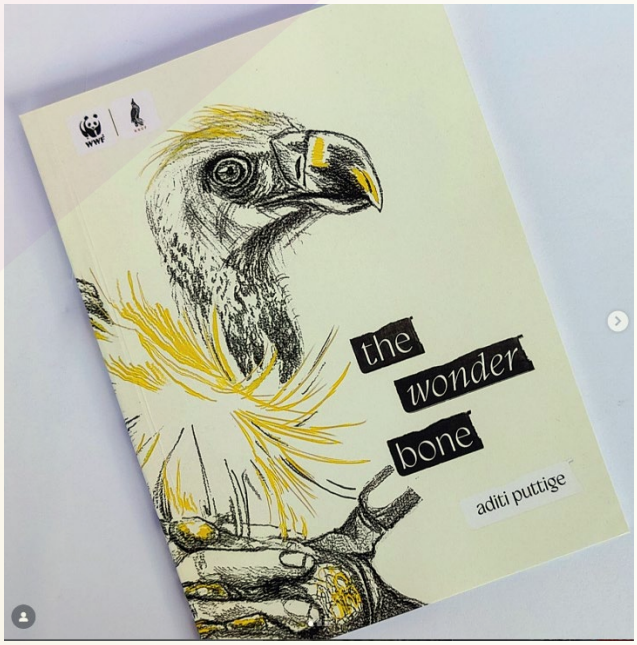
UG Interim Semester work on 18 to 19 December 2025.

Director Dr Arindam Das was part of the panel discussion, "The Next Revolution in Design Education : Human Centred, Tech-Enabled, and Future-Ready" at the 25th Global Design Summit and Exposition 2025 at Hotel Leela Bhartiya City, Bengaluru.

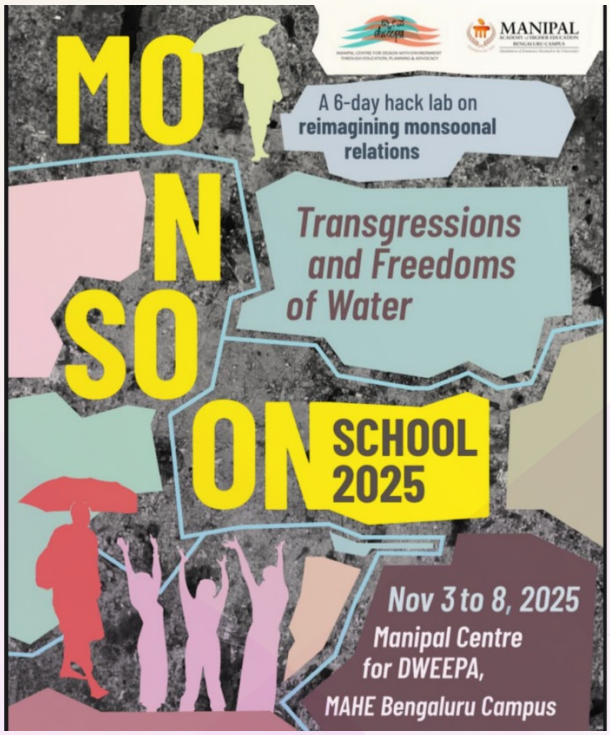
"Practices of Attunement" at Bangalore International Centre (BIC) on 18 to 19 December, 2025.



A two-day show presented by the Year Two MA Contemporary Art Practice students at ShanthiRoad.



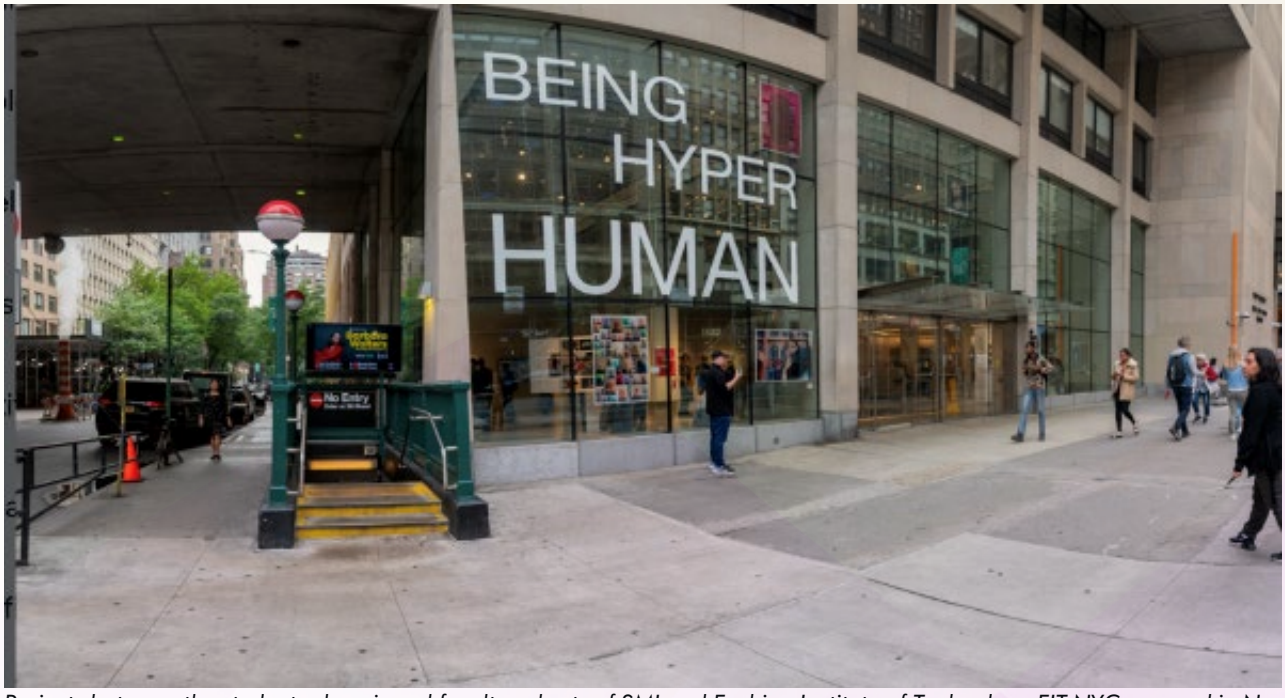
Aditi Puttige, graduated from SMI in 2025 with an undergraduate degree in Information Arts and Information Design Practice. The book she made for her seventh semester pre-thesis project—Wonder Bone—an illustrated book of poems, looking at and beyond, the causes of the rapid decline in the population of vultures in India was published by WWF.



Monsoon School 2025 organized by Manipal Centre for Design with Environment through Education, Planning, and Advocacy (DWEEPA), in collaboration with SMI, MAHE Bengaluru.

Anavadya their India's Best Design Student Awards 2025.

A conversational toolkit designed to help Indian women recognise and dismantle internalised sexism. The project won the iF Design Student Award 2025 under the UN SDG Category of Gender Equality and is one of 100 award winners selected from over 7,000 globally admitted concepts.



Projects between the student, alumni, and faculty cohorts of SMI and Fashion Institute of Technology FIT NYC, opened in New York. A project conceived during the visit of faculty Mahesh Bhat with Prof Brian Emery of FIT in March 2025.

Centre for Emerging Pedagogies and Practices

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Brief About the Centre

The Centre of Excellence (CoE) for Emerging Pedagogies and Practices is dedicated to developing, advancing, and disseminating innovative pedagogical frameworks and practices across art, design, and other creative disciplines. The centre serves as a platform for rethinking how knowledge is produced, taught, and shared, responding to the evolving educational needs of contemporary and emerging societies.

Vision: To reimagine pedagogy as a dynamic, transdisciplinary, and inclusive force that shapes future-ready creative education and addresses the complex challenges of emerging societies.

Mission

- To foster transdisciplinary research and practice that generates new pedagogical methodologies and conceptual frameworks across creative fields.
- To design accessible, shared learning ecosystems and multidisciplinary curriculum models that are responsive, adaptive, and future-oriented.
- To integrate Indian vernacular and traditional knowledge systems with contemporary, experimental practices and emerging technologies in teaching, research, and scholarship.

Objectives

Interconnected: Practice, Projects, Products, and Pedagogies

Projects often result in tangible outputs such as products, processes, research papers, or new pedagogies. In turn, pedagogies can be developed around the creation of products, where the act of making itself becomes a valuable learning process. Moreover, pedagogical innovations can open new avenues and approaches, eventually evolving into formal degree programs at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels. Practice is deploying assets generated through projects, products, and pedagogies for revenue generation.

- **Pedagogies**: Structured educational experiences, such as workshops or short-term courses, with a clear focus on experimentation and teaching.
- **Products**: Physical or digital creations developed with a clear purpose and designed for immediate application.
- **Projects**: Comprehensive, long-term initiatives focused on research and exploration. Designed to address future-oriented challenges and typically involves deep investigation, iterative experimentation, and strategic planning.
- **Practice**: Involves leveraging specialized expertise to generate revenue by engaging with selected external clients.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	*Mann Deshi Kickstart Girls* 	Digital Modules on Financial Literacy for young girls between the ages of 16 to 26	15 Mar 2025
2.	*Mann Deshi Agriculture* 	Animated educational videos of sustainable soil practices for farmers.	01 Jul 2025
3.	*Craft Product Exploration* 	An intervention focusing on developing new innovative craft products using pandanus weaving craft from the Nicobar Islands. This focuses on craft rejuvenation and revival of the Pandanus weaving craft, which is diminishing in practice.	15 Apr 2025
4.	*Certificate Course Launch, 'Introduction to Natural Fibres and Dyes'* 	This six-day immersive workshop is designed for design students and young professionals to explore the world of natural fibres and dyes. Rooted in sustainable and traditional knowledge systems, participants will learn hands-on skills in cleaning, carding, spinning, and dyeing. The workshop encourages understanding and engagement with circular production systems, providing students with the skills to be informed creators and advocates of sustainable textile practices.	07 Jul 2025

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5.	*Material Experimentation Lab:*	An initiative focused on the research, development, and prototyping of next-generation materials that are biobased or can be grown using living organisms. These materials would be less resource-intensive and are designed to be biodegradable, providing an alternative to synthetic materials that rely on fossil fuels.	10 May 2025
6.	*Mars Corporation*	Research partner for Bengaluru, a global initiative on the Best Cities for Pets project.	01 Sep 2025
7.	*Pandanus craft workshop course*:	A hands-on pandanus weaving course as part of workshops week at SMI focused on learning through making and failure.	27 Aug 2025
8.	*Hand Spinning for Holistic Education Programme:*	Hand spinning sessions twice a week with the students of SMI as part of the Holistic Education Programme.	21 Jul 2025
9.	*Bridge*:	The first CoE Showcase, entitled Bridge: Between the Past and the Future was held over three days, 07 to 09 November, 2025, at the Samagata Foundation, Church Street, Bengaluru. This event and public outreach initiative exhibited ongoing work at the CoE in urbanism, natural fibres, biomaterials, selected collaborative projects with our partners, and an artistic film installation by the CoE's visiting artist. Additionally, four workshops on spinning with charkhas, urban mapping, and walk-throughs with visiting artists were organized.	07 Nov 2025

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The showcase was a resounding success with nearly 700 visitors that included art and design professionals, entrepreneurs, ex-government officials, NGOs, CSR foundations, and the public.

The Bridge consisted of the following exhibits:

Urban Futures: The modern city was born from the machine's rhythm—motion without rest. Factories separated home from work and place of leisure; the movement between the points became a critical element. The street, once a place of encounter, was flattened into a line on tracing paper. In India, this idea meets resistance. Here, the street refuses abstraction. It is rubbed, shaped, and claimed by life—by vendors, walkers, shadows, and sounds. It is not an object but a living process: ever-unfolding uses and improvisations. What planners call encroachment, the city calls habitation. What seems like disorder is a continuous negotiation. Mapping Yelahanka Streets traces this vitality through six visual essays. Each map reads the street as a theatre of everyday life—a dialectic of movement and rest, permanence and flux. Together, they reveal a city built not by design alone, but by gesture, negotiation, and time.

Fibre Commons: In a world saturated with materials that are toxic, polluting, and designed without regard for planetary health, natural fibres offer a way forward. By their very nature, they are grown rather than manufactured, sustaining local economies and supporting systems of processing that cause little or no harm to the environment. Entirely biodegradable, they embody circularity long before the term existed. Our goal is to carry this heritage into the future—balancing ecology, livelihoods, and modern use. Fibre Commons envisions a living bridge between inherited knowledge and contemporary innovation. Fibres Commons is an open repository—a living archive of materials, transformation stages, tools, and techniques—accessible to students, creatives, and entrepreneurs. It will connect contemporary making with inherited knowledge, ensuring that this material heritage continues to evolve, renewing the dialogue between craft, ecology, industry, and design.

Biomaterials: Why do we need materials that outlive us? Can we imagine a future that is decomposable—a material life that ends as gracefully as it begins? Biomaterials explore next-generation substances that are biobased or grown using living organisms. These materials are less resource-intensive, biodegradable, and offer alternatives to fossil-fuel and animal-derived systems. At the Materials Experimentation Lab, we research, design, and prototype these living materials to reimagine how things are made, used, and returned to the earth. By combining biopolymers with local biowaste, we create composites that are both high-performing and ecologically sound. Each experiment aims to shift how we think about material value—from permanence to renewal, from waste to resource. Some prototypes are now being

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		refined for potential applications, while others remain provocations that ask: what if decay, too, could be a design principle? Film Sculpture: Gaze that Wants to Give Form to Absence, 2025, Installation. How do the absence of obsolete machinery and the presence of found film reframe our experience of the moving image? When an archive is not only a record of the past but a vessel shaping contemporary imagination, absence itself becomes material. This analogue film installation revisits projection as a spatial act. Using a handmade projector, it embraces entropy—blur, distortion, and light diffusion—image as in-between light and lens. The work questions ways of seeing a film and explores projection as performance, where light, lens, and memory intertwine. Born from the chance discovery of 8 mm films without the means to view them, the project seeks new practices for obsolete media. In doing so, it renews the tactile, unpredictable physicality of analogue film—a medium that resists erasure by continually demanding presence, touch, and reinvention.	

List of Ongoing Projects/ Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Kick Start Girls: Digital Modules on Financial Literacy	Mann Deshi Foundation	Pithamber R Polsani	11,88,000	31 Dec 2024
2	Musical Bus	Indian Music Experience Museum	Pithamber R Polsani	27,35,000	Dec 2025
3	Agriculture Practice: Infographic videos on sustainable soil conservation	Mann Deshi Foundation	Pithamber R Polsani	5,50,000	Sep 2025
4.	Best Cities for Pets-Study of Bengaluru Pet and Animal Ecosystem	Mars Petcare	Pithamber R Polsani	17,16,015	Aug 2025

Photo gallery

Hand Spinning Workshop using the Peti Charkha at the CoE Showcase organized at the Samagata Foundation at Church Street.

Craft Product Exploration, experimenting with different construction styles used in pandanus weaving in Nicobar, traditionally used for making a 'Chatrai' or mat. Later, it also materialized into a workshop for the students as part of the curriculum at SMI.

Urban Futures as part of the CoE Showcase, Bridge: between the past and the future. Visitors viewing the maps designed by architects as part of their urban mapping exercises in Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru.

Organized a Certificate Course on Introduction to Natural Fibres and Dyes in association with Avani. From understanding the material ecosystem, discovering indigenous brown cotton and learning about Himalayan wool, to spinning, natural dyeing, and hands-on craft activities, the six-day-long course included this and much more.

Biomaterial experiments and material building at the recently established Materials Experimentation Lab, set up as part of the Material Futures research inquiry at The Centers of Excellence. The work done as part of this work package was exhibited as part of 'BRIDGE: between the past and the future'.

Centre for Creative and Cultural Expressions

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: May 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Pithamber R Polsani
Members:
Chairperson: Dr Pithamber R Polsani
Senior Designer-Spatial Design-Siddharth Srivastav
Designer-Textile and Biomaterials: Saumya Singh
Design Assistant-Spatial Design and Modelling: Vikram Ashok Hegde
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Brief About the Centre:
The Centre of Excellence (CoE) for Creative and Cultural Expressions positions creativity and culture as critical drivers of economic growth, social well-being, and collective consciousness. Anchored within an Institute of Eminence (IoE), the Centre fosters innovative thinking, nurtures creative practices, and enables sustainable ecosystems that empower creative industries to inspire transformation and shape the future.

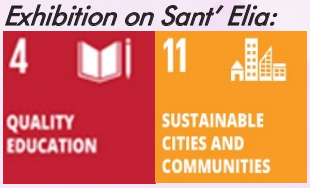
Vision: To envision a future where creativity and culture are central to resilient economies, empowered communities, and meaningful responses to the challenges of a rapidly evolving world.

Mission:
- To advance interdisciplinary collaboration that bridges creativity, culture, technology, and society.
- To nurture creative talent and practices through research, pedagogy, and real-world engagement.
- To generate and disseminate transformative ideas that position culture and creativity as catalysts for positive change and lasting impact.

Objectives: Interconnected: Practice, Projects, Products, and Pedagogies
Projects often result in tangible outputs such as products, processes, research papers, or new pedagogies. In turn, pedagogies can be developed around the creation of products, where the act of making itself becomes a valuable learning process. Moreover, pedagogical innovations can open new avenues and approaches, eventually evolving into formal degree programs at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels. Practice is deploying assets generated through projects, products, and pedagogies for revenue generation.

- **Pedagogies**: Structured educational experiences, such as workshops or short-term courses, with a clear focus on experimentation and teaching.
- **Products**: Physical or digital creations developed with a clear purpose and designed for immediate application.
- **Projects**: Comprehensive, long-term initiatives focused on research and exploration. Designed to address future-oriented challenges and typically involves deep investigation, iterative experimentation, and strategic planning.
- **Practice**: Involves leveraging specialized expertise to generate revenue by engaging with selected external clients.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	*'The City of the Future', Exhibition on Sant' Elia:* 	An exhibition about the visionary world of Antonio Sant' Elia, the radical Italian architect who reimagined the city as a machine of speed, power, and progress is for the people between the ages of 16 and 26.	17 May 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2.	*Musical Bus Museum with Indian Music Experience Museum* 	An ongoing client project to design the musical-experience, interaction, and exterior graphics for a bus museum for rural Karnataka school children.	07 Apr 2025
3.	*Dye Garden*: 	The Dye Garden integrates the cultivation of colour-yielding plants like pomegranate, hibiscus, henna, indigo, turmeric, annatto and Tulsi. This hands-on approach enhances students' understanding of sustainable practices while fostering appreciation for the ecological and cultural significance of natural materials.	26 Mar 2025
4.	*Artist in Residence:* 	Stuti Bansal, a filmmaker and visual artist who works across film, animation, and photography. Stuti has an MA in Animation from the Royal College of Art, London, and has studied at the Friedl Kubelka School for Independent Film (Vienna), the Estonian Academy of Art (Tallinn), and the GLS Institute of Design (India).	01 Jul 2025
5.	*Bridge*: 	The first CoE showcase entitled Bridge: Between the Past and the Future was held over three days, 07 to 09 November 2025, at the Samagata Foundation, Church Street, Bengaluru. This event and public outreach initiative exhibited ongoing work at the CoE in urbanism, natural fibres, biomaterials, selected collaborative projects with our partners and an artistic film installation by the CoE's visiting artist. Additionally, four workshops on spinning with charkhas, urban mapping and walk-through with visiting artists were organized. The showcase was a resounding success with nearly 700 visitors that included art and design professionals, entrepreneurs, ex-government officials, NGOs, CSR foundations, and the public. The Bridge consisted of the following exhibits: Urban Futures: The modern city was born from the machine's rhythm — motion without rest. Factories separated home from work and place of leisure; the movement between the points became a critical element. The street, once a place of encounter, was flattened into a line on a tracing paper. In India, this idea meets resistance. Here, the street refuses abstraction. It is rubbed, shaped, and claimed by life — by vendors, walkers, shadows, and sounds. It is not an object but a living process: ever-unfolding uses and improvisations. What planners call encroachment, the city calls habitation. What seems like disorder is a continuous negotiation.	07 Nov 2025

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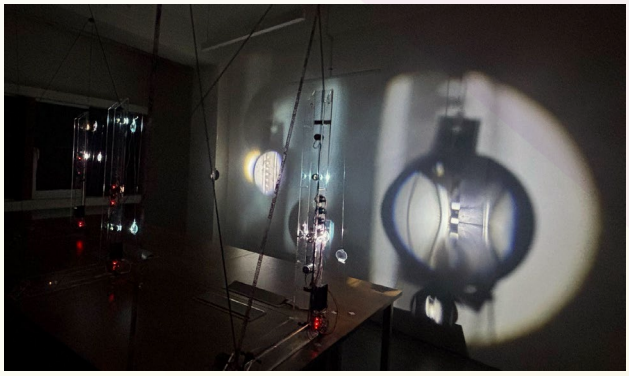
		Mapping Yelahanka Streets traces this vitality through six visual essays. Each map reads the street as a theatre of everyday life — a dialectic of movement and rest, permanence, and flux. Together, they reveal a city built not by design alone, but by gesture, negotiation, and time. Fibre Commons: In a world saturated with materials that are toxic, polluting, and designed without regard for planetary health, natural fibres offer a way forward. By their very nature, they are grown rather than manufactured, sustaining local economies and supporting systems of processing that cause little or no harm to the environment. Entirely biodegradable, they embody circularity long before the term existed. Our goal is to carry this heritage into the future — balancing ecology, livelihoods, and modern use. Fibre Commons envisions a living bridge between inherited knowledge and contemporary innovation. Fibres Commons is an open repository — a living archive of materials, transformation stages, tools, and techniques — accessible to students, creatives, and entrepreneurs. It will connect contemporary making with inherited knowledge, ensuring that this material heritage continues to evolve, renewing the dialogue between craft, ecology, industry, and design. Biomaterials: Why do we need materials that outlive us? Can we imagine a future that is decomposable — a material life that ends as gracefully as it begins? Biomaterials explore next-generation substances that are biobased or grown using living organisms. These materials are less resource-intensive, biodegradable, and offer alternatives to fossil-fuel and animal-derived systems. At the Materials Experimentation Lab, we research, design, and prototype these living materials to reimagine how things are made, used, and returned to the earth. By combining biopolymers with local biowaste, we create composites that are both high performing and ecologically sound. Each experiment aims to shift how we think about material value — from permanence to renewal, from waste to resource. Some prototypes are now being refined for potential applications, while others remain provocations that ask: What if decay, too, could be a design principle? Film Sculpture: 'Gaze that Wants to Give Form to Absence, 2025, Installation' How do the absence of obsolete machinery and the presence of found film reframe our experience of the moving image? When an archive is not only a record of the past but a vessel shaping contemporary imagination, absence itself becomes material. This analogue film installation revisits projection as a spatial act. Using a handmade projector, it embraces entropy — blur, distortion, and light diffusion — image as in-between light and lens. The work questions ways of seeing a film and explores projection as performance, where light, lens, and memory intertwine. Born from the chance discovery of 8 mm films without the means to view them, the project seeks new practices for obsolete media. In doing so, it renews the tactile, unpredictable physicality of analogue film — a medium that resists erasure by continually demanding presence, touch, and reinvention.	

Photo gallery

Flourishing Annatto plant at the Dye Garden, as seen in the image above. This is an initiative to allow understanding of plant growth as a part of the process.

CoE Showcase-'Bridge-between the past and the future', an event organized at Samagata Foundation on Church Street by the Centres of Excellence, exhibiting the engagements and research done in the last year.



Film Sculptures as part of the CoE Showcase, Bridge: between the past and the future. This section was curated by our Artist in Residence, Stuti Bansal.

'Fibre Commons', an installation to highlight our ongoing efforts on setting up a Natural fibres archive housed at the Centre of Excellence, serving as a repository of knowledge and physical fibre samples, open to access by students, creatives, designers, and other interested individuals.

A mapping workshop was organized as part of 'Bridge, between the past and the future'. The session explored how movement, pauses, gestures, memory, and observations can be transformed into maps that tell the story of a place.

Manipal Centre for DWEEPA

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Prof Dr Deepta Sateesh
Co-Coordinator: Dr Meera Baindur
Member: Dr Sunil John

Brief About the Centre

Vision: Manipal Centre for Design with Environment through Education, Planning and Advocacy (DWEEPA) is envisioned to be a world-class space for practice-based research, environmental education, and local action that responds to environmental conflicts through transdisciplinary approaches and situated practices in order to build and restore nature-culture synchronicities. The centre is a pioneer in design research for sustainable and resilient futures, in line with the SDGs, including 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 17. The centre will drive change through engagement on the ground through new eco-pedagogies, policy propositions, consultations, and planning and design. The centre will drive change through sustained on-the-ground engagement, the development of new eco-pedagogies, evidence-based policy propositions, structured consultations, and integrated planning and design.

Mission: To be a Centre of Excellence in climate change, environment, sustainability, and knowledge systems and practices. Established in November 2023, the centre will work in the areas of sustainability and resilience, social and ecological justice, and academic thought (to impact planning and policy). Established in November 2023, the Centre aims to be a Centre of Excellence in climate emergency, environment, sustainability, and conventional knowledge systems and practices. The centre would operate at the intersection of sustainability and resilience, social and ecological justice, and academic scholarship. It aims to generate interdisciplinary knowledge that informs planning, governance, and public policy to prepare students to address complex environmental and social challenges through research, critical analysis, and evidence-based decision-making.

Objectives

1. To engage in **context-based transdisciplinary research** in the environment and communities
2. To conduct **education and outreach** work through events and programs with key partners on the ground
3. To participate in **advocacy** and influence environmental policies at the local, regional, and global levels
4. To design and develop new **practice-based creative methodologies** and **methods**
5. To develop and connect with **diverse networks** and build action-oriented collaborations
6. To **communicate findings** to a wide audience, including students, scholars, and society, through multiple practices of research and diverse forms of outputs

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	*Liminal Listening–Whispers of an Amphibious World* (PhD Workshop): Led by Prof Dr Deepta Sateesh, with Dr Corinna Dean (University of Westminster) and Ar Duarte Santo (Cornell University). Guest Faculty: Dr Gururaja KV (SMI) and Dr Srivi Kalyan (SMI)	This was an ecocultural learning platform that bridged art, design, and ecological engagement. It explored the concept of "becoming" within liminal, transitional spaces, emphasising the ethics of coexistence, cultural etiquettes across species and landscapes, material knowledge, and processes of listening with and co-inhabiting with 'others.' Rooted in transdisciplinary practices, it drew from anthropology, post humanist theory, and ecological design to foster a deeper understanding of our shared existence in dynamic ecosystems.	14 - 18 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2	UN World Environment Day 2025 – "Beat Plastic Pollution"	In collaboration with the Indian Economic Trade Organization (IETO) and the Rewilding Task Force, MAHE Bengaluru. Dr Deepta Sateesh, Dr Meera Baindur, and Dr Sunil John anchored the event. Chief guests: His Excellency Fernando Bucheli, Ambassador of the Republic of Ecuador; Prof Dr Rajeev Gowda	30 May 2025
3	Exhibition of Research – "Neerina Ottige", Kundapura (Collaboration under MoU with FSL-India)	The exhibition was a celebration of the rich culture and dynamic nature of the region – a diversity of wetlands (fresh to brackish), while highlighting threats to local livelihoods and the environment of the Kundapura region. It was a moment of sharing research findings of the team with the wider **Kundapura community** in a creative and interactive format, to garner community interest towards action and advocacy for the future of their watery lands.	06 - 09 Jun 2025
4	Master Class at Kautilya School of Public Policy, GITAM, Hyderabad	Dr Deepta Sateesh was invited to deliver a master class to master's students in the course called "The City", sharing ideas, practices, and philosophies around data, representation, and policy.	04 - 05 Sep 2025
5	University of Calicutt, Kerala	Invited plenary talk on "Forest life and Upanishad: Eco-phenomenological perspectives" during the National seminar entitled-*Rethinking Nature: Deep Ecology, Metaphysics, and the Future of Environmental Philosophy.*	14 - 16 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES 4 QUALITY EDUCATION 13 CLIMATE ACTION		
6	[K]NOTTING: Exhibition of Collaborative Research at the Microscope Gallery, London, UK, with Dr Corinna Dean (University of Westminster) and Ar Duarte Santo (Cornell University) 13 CLIMATE ACTION 11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES 4 QUALITY EDUCATION	Correspondences take place across three ecologies drawn from collaborative walks, field recordings, and microbial engagements in a lake in Bengaluru, Seneca Landfill, Upstate NY, and Channelsea Island, London. This transcontinental dialogue asks how we can know this world not by looking at it from afar, but by weaving our lives into its very fabric. The work is drawn from collaborative walks, field recordings, and microbial engagements in Bengaluru, Ithaca, New York, and London. They are ephemeral records of an encounter or traces of life lived in active, sensory participation with the world, where walking is a way of listening to the ground, breathing is a continuous exchange with the atmosphere, and knowing is a skilled craft of intimate attention.	23 Oct - 08 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	"Neerina Ottige"– research project with FSL-India	--	Dr Deepta Sateesh	--	01 Jul 2025 onwards
2	Wet Ontologies– Decolonizing the Scottish Landscape	British Academy Small Grant	PI: Dr Laura Denning. Co-PI: Dr Deepta Sateesh.	GBP 10,000 (received and disbursed by the PI)	May 2023– Apr 2025

Photo Gallery

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News article on World Environment Day 2025 (May 2025)

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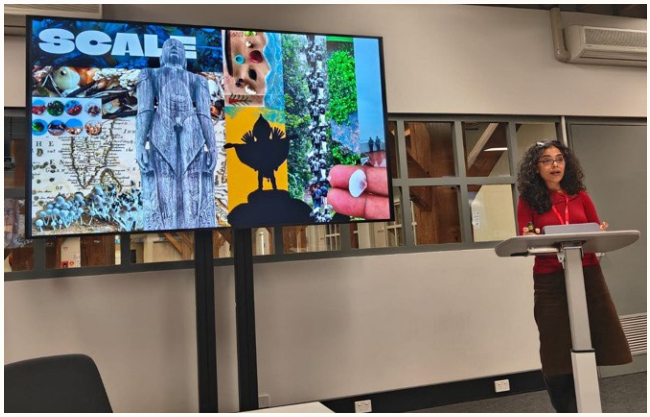
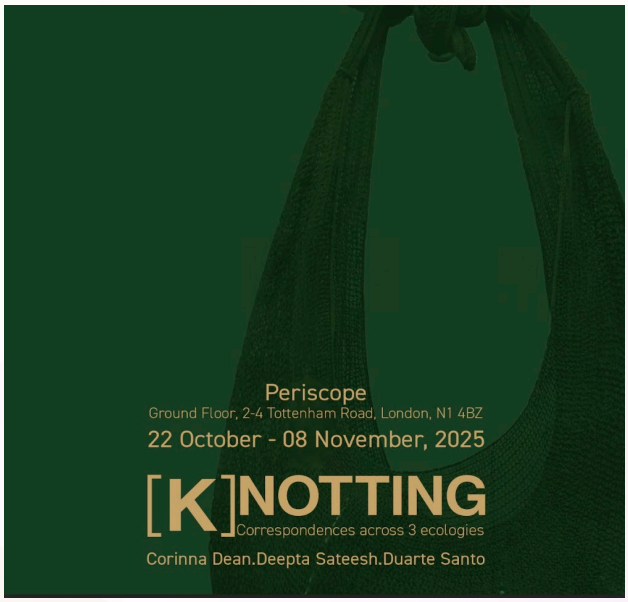
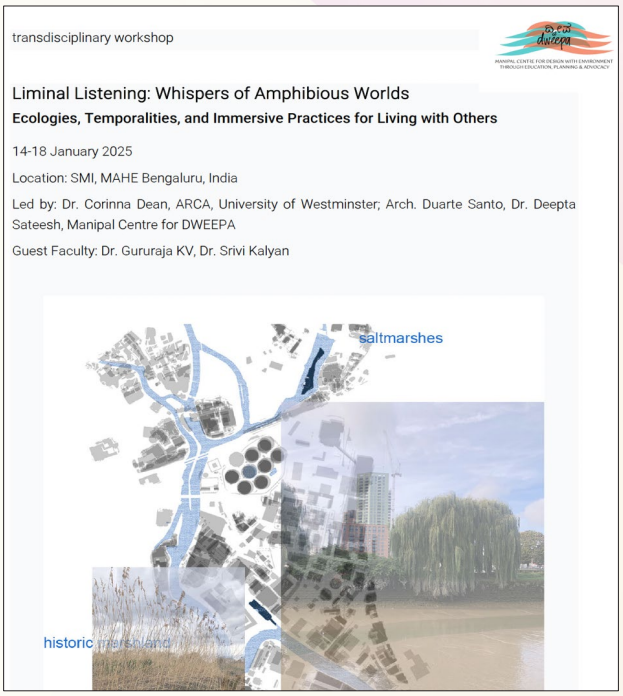


Dr Deepta Sateesh at the COCE Conference 2025, Hobart, Australia (June 2025)

Dr Meera Baindur at the COCE Conference 2025, Hobart, Australia (June 2025)



Announcement of Periscope/Microscope exhibition, London (October-November 2025)



Poster, Liminal Listening PhD Workshop (five days) (January 2025)

"Neerina Ottige" Exhibition, in collaboration with FSL-India (June 2025)

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Manipal School of Information Sciences, Manipal

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Established: 1998

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Master of Engineering (ME) in Electronics Engineering (Very-Large-Scale Integration (VLSI) Design)
- ME in Electronics Engineering (Microelectronics and VLSI Technology)
- ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Embedded Systems)
- ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)
- ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Big Data Analytics)
- ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Cloud Computing)
- ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Cyber Security)
- ME in Computer Science and Engineering
- MEE in Computer Science and Engineering (Embedded Systems—Dual Degree Program with École Supérieure d'Ingénieur en Génie Électrique(Higher School of Engineering in Electrical Engineering) (ESIGELEC), France)

About the Institution/School:

Manipal School of Information Sciences (MSIS), formerly known as Manipal Centre for Information Science (MCIS), is an ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015 certified institute set up in the year 1998. MSIS is an industry-driven, state-of-the-art training institute of excellence initially started with the Master of Science (MS) Medical Software in collaboration with Wipro GE Medical Systems. Since its inception, the institute has been continuously striving for excellence in education, training, and research with a mission of offering value-based education. MSIS has been conducting ME courses in highly specialized areas like VLSI Design, Microelectronics and VLSI Technology, Embedded Systems, Big Data Analytics, Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML), Cyber

Security, Cloud Computing, and Computer Science. At MSIS, we create a vibrant atmosphere where creativity and discipline are balanced equally.

New Initiatives:

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	ME in Computer Science Engineering	The batch started from 2025 onwards.	14 Sep 2024
2	ME in Computer Science and Engineering (Embedded Systems)—Dual Degree program with ESIGELEC, France	Restarted the program from the year 2025 onwards.	14 Sep 2024
3	Master of Business Administration—Artificial Intelligence and Data Science	The collaborative program initiated by T A Pai Management Institute, with teaching support provided by MSIS, has been running since 2025 onwards.	14 Sep 2024

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Workshop on "Windows Device Driver Development and Debugging"	Mr Ganesh Kamath, Advanced Micro Devices (AMD), Bengaluru (Alumnus), was the resource person for this workshop.	7 Jan 2025
2	Workshop on "Wireshark for Network Packet Analysis"	Mr Ganesh Kamath, Advanced Micro Devices, Bengaluru (Alumnus), was the resource person for this workshop.	8 Jan 2025
3	A two-day hands-on training workshop on Static Timing Analysis (STA) and Physical Design (PD) concepts using Cadence software	Mr Sanjay G S, Field Application Engineer, Entuple Technologies, Bengaluru was the resource person for this workshop.	15-16 Jan 2025
4	Workshop on "Penetration Testing"	Mr Vishweshwara Sharma, Senior Product Security Engineer, Mozarc Medical India Private Limited, Bengaluru (Alumnus).	1 Feb 2025
5	Workshop on "Scientific and Technical Article Writing"	Ms Vaishali P, Research Scholar, MSIS was the resource person for this workshop.	13 Jun 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
6	Workshop on "Technical Skill Development—Administration of Linux-based operating systems and support for office data automation"	A workshop was held for the technical staff of MIT, Manipal. Ms Shahswathi, Technical Staff, MSIS and Dr Sreepathy H V, Faculty, MSIS were the resource persons for the workshop.	19-20 Jun 2025
7	Workshop on "Basic Life Support to Save Lives"	Dr Sushma Prabhath, Associate Professor, Department of Anatomy, Kasturba Medical College, MAHE, was the resource person for this workshop. Workshops like these play a vital role in empowering individuals with the confidence and practical skills needed to respond effectively during medical emergencies, potentially saving lives before professional help can arrive.	21 Jul 2025
8	Workshop on "Microsoft Loop"	Mr Errol Joshua D'Souza, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Tiny Prism Labs Pvt Ltd, Manipal, was the resource person for this workshop.	24 Jul 2025
9	Session on "Connect to Achieve"	Dr Virupaksha Devaramane, A V Baliga Hospital, Udupi, was the resource person for this workshop.	9 Aug 2025
10	Workshop on "VLSI Front End Design Verification using SystemVerilog"	Mr Navaneeth Krishnan Veerachamy, Senior Field Application Engineer at Entuple Technologies Pvt Ltd, was the resource person for this workshop.	15-17 Aug 2025
11	Yoga Camp for Eye Improvement	Conducted Yoga Camp for Eye Improvement by the Department of Yoga, Kasturba Hospital, for the teaching and non-teaching staff, within the age group of 35–60 years.	18 Aug 2025
12	Workshop on "Interpretable Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning (AI/ML) for Stock Index Prediction"	Professor Sudarsan N S Acharya, Faculty, MSIS was the resource person for this workshop.	1-2 Oct 2025

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13	Workshop on "Web Application Security Testing—Deep Dive"	Mr Vishweshwara Sharma, Senior Product Security Engineer, Mozarc Medical India Private Limited, Bangalore (Alumnus).	17 Oct 2025
14	Workshop on "Indian Cuisine"	This was conducted in Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA) for the Efrei, France students under the Study Abroad Program (SAP) as part of their curriculum.	17 Oct 2025
15	Research Seminar on AI tools for Research Efficiency	Ms Sneha S, our Research Scholar was the resource person.	24 Oct 2025
16	Expert Lecture on Overview of Semiconductor Fabrication Technique for Devices and Sensors	Professor Nimisha, Faculty, MSIS was the resource person.	25 Oct 2025
17	Expert Lecture on Fabrication of Field-Effect Transistor-based (FET) based Sensors	Professor Nimisha, Faculty, MSIS was the resource person.	31 Oct 2025
18	Interactive Hands-on Session on Custom VLSI Layout Design (1)	Mr Pavanraj, Analog Layout Engineer, Karmic Design Pvt Ltd, Manipal, was the resource person for this session.	6 Nov 2025
19	Conference on Scaling up Innovative Cervical Cancer Screening in India (Prevention and Screening Project Towards Elimination of Cervical Cancer (PRESCRIP-TEC) project)	Result of Pan-India implementation research and lessons learnt from PRESCRIP-TEC.	13-14 Nov 2025
20	Interactive Hands-on Session on Custom VLSI Layout Design (2)	Mr Pavanraj, Analog Layout Engineer, Karmic Design Pvt Ltd, Manipal, was the resource person for this session.	18 Nov 2025
21	Mock Interview Placement Drive	The mock interview sessions were conducted for the current batch of students. The session	13-24 Dec 2025

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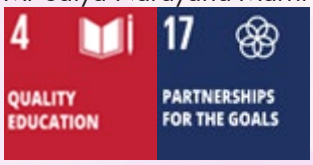
		was organized with the support of MSIS alumni, who generously volunteered their time and expertise. It was conducted in both offline (on campus) and online (via virtual platforms) modes. This helped the students gain real-world interview experience, improve confidence, and receive constructive feedback. This initiative provided students with valuable insights into industry expectations and helped them prepare better for upcoming placement opportunities. MSIS alumni Mr N Tarun, Mr Pavan Kumar, Mr Gandheeshwar Reddy, and many more were part of this activity.	
22	Workshop on "Language Modeling, Large Language Models (LLMs), and Agentic AI"	Professor Sudarsan N S Acharya, Faculty, MSIS was the resource person for this workshop.	15-18 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit(lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Mr Sharath H D, Manager - Talent Network (along with his team—Puttaiah Jagadish, Aishwarya Sridhar, Raunak Mathur, Snehith Shenoy)	Infineon Technologies India Pvt Ltd	Infineon Internship Placement Drive	9 - 10 Jan 2025
2	Mr Prashanth Kumar Mattu	Working for the US Government Defense industry in Michigan	Mr Prashanth Kumar Mattu, alumni of MSIS batch of 1999–2001, MS Medical Software, interacted with faculty and students of MSIS.	11 Jan 2025
3	Dr Veena T	Associate Professor and Head of Department, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, National Institute of Technology Goa	To conduct Academic Audit.	25 Jul 2025
4	Mr Satya Narayana Marni 	Senior Director, R&D Solutions Group, Synopsys, Bangalore	Chief Guest for the MSIS Orientation Day held on 28 July 2025. He is an alumnus of MS (VLSI Computer-Aided Design (CAD)), 2000–2001 batch.	28 Jul 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
16	0	5	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
0	3	0	4

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Other	4	0
Conference	0	1
Workshop	14	0
Seminar	8	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty Members	Publisher	Date
1	Biosensors: Developments, Challenges and Perspectives	Triple Material Dual Gate Dopingless Tunnel Field-Effect Transistor Biosensor with Symmetrical Gate Structure	Dr Ribu Mathew, Associate Professor	Springer	31 Dec 2025
2	Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering	Material Selection and Performance Analysis of Organic Micro-Electro-Mechanical Systems Cantilever Force Sensors with Integrated Piezoresistive Readout	Dr Ribu Mathew, Associate Professor	Springer Science and Business Media Deutschland GmbH	31 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Prevention and Screening Innovation Project towards Elimination of Cervical Cancer (PRESCRIP-TEC)	Dr Keerthana Jayadeva Prasad	Government of India, Ministry of Finance and Technology, Department of Biotechnology	21,15,848	22 Nov 2021 - 21 Nov 2025

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Suppression of OFF current (I_{OFF}) using High Bandgap Strip and Gate Work Function of 3D Gate All Around (GAA) Steep Density Film (SDF) Retrograde Doping Tunnel FET	29 Apr 2025
2	An electromagnetic energy harvesting system with a metamaterial-integrated fractal antenna for portable biomedical devices	6 Aug 2025
3	A System and method for *in-vivo* neurophysiological monitoring Using Nanoelectromechanical Systems (NEMS)-Based multimodal Sensor technology	18 Nov 2025
4	A system and method for reliability-aware design and optimization of analogue integrated circuits	24 Nov 2025
5	A system and method for predicting piezoresistive coefficients for micro-electro-mechanical system sensors	27 Nov 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A system for performing a binary division	31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions:
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Devi Prasad M	His talk "Secrets of the Rachets" was accepted and delivered in the inaugural Open-Source Summit India under the aegis of Linus Foundation.	5 Aug 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Vaishali P	PhD Research Scholar, MSIS has been selected for the India AI Fellowship under the India AI Mission.	1 Aug 2025
2	Mr Sameera P	Engaged as a Post Doctoral Fellow under the Visvesvaraya PhD Scheme for Electronics and IT in a Phase II funded project titled "Development of a deep learning approach for generalized and robust detection of cancer from histopathological images".	27 Oct 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MSIS Annual Sports/Athletc Meet	MSIS Annual Sports Meet was held on 29 March 2025. Students and faculty participated in various sports and games events. Various athletic events and games like cricket, volleyball, table tennis, and badminton were organized.	29 Mar 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No		Details	Date(s)
1	Volleyball Tournament	An inter-collegiate volleyball tournament was conducted for men and women, hosted by MSIS.	25 Jan 2025

Cultural Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	FELICITY—MSIS Annual Cultural Day	A platform to recognize the student's talent is “FELICITY”, the cultural day. Various cultural activities were conducted before the cultural day, and prizes were distributed on the cultural day. Various students participated wholeheartedly.	11 Apr 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Workshop on Penetration Testing

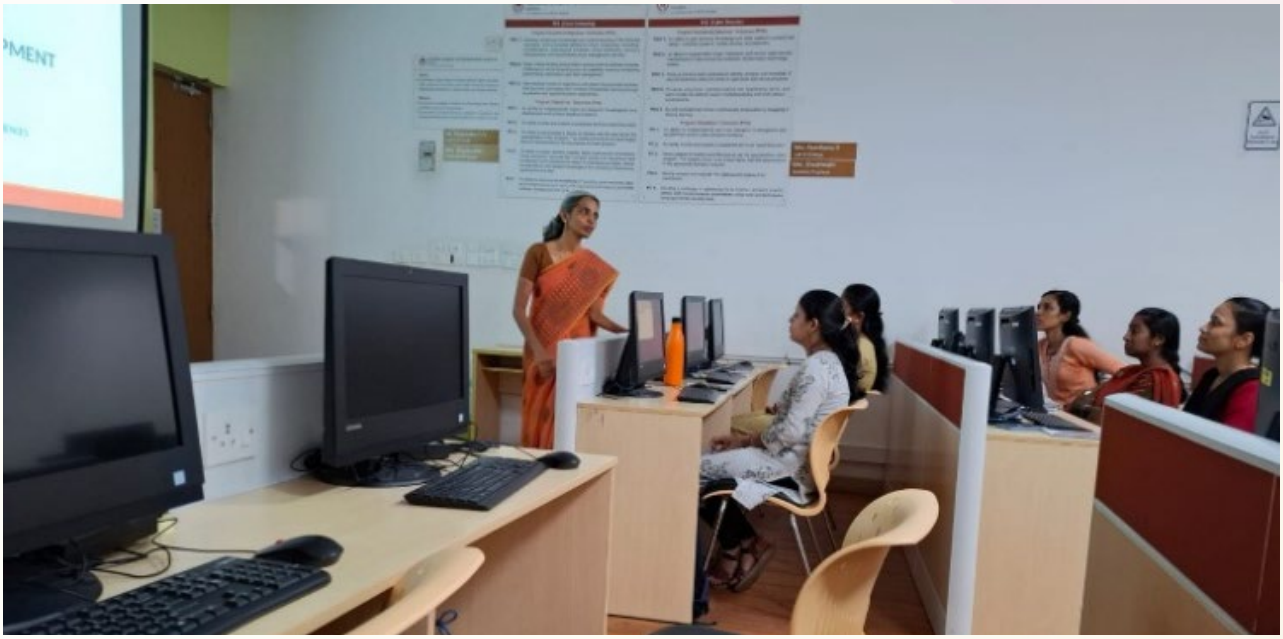
Session by Dr Virupaksha Devaramane

Annual Sports Day

Web Application Security Testing - Deep Dive

EFFRIE Student's visit to Hastha Shlipa

Workshop on VLSI Front End Design Verification using System Verilog



Technical Skill Development Workshop

Talk on Custom VLSI Layout Design

Centre for Software Development, MAHE

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2015 (started the software consultancy in 2013)

Name of the Coordinator: Sudhakara Upadya P

Members: Director–Manipal School of Information Sciences (MSIS), Staff members, Content Services Division (CSD) Developers, Interns, Trainees, Consultants

Brief About the Centre:
Vision:
Inculcate industry-standard software development practices into relevant academic courses in terms of lectures and practical sessions.
Mission:
Specialize in the development of software solutions to the Information Technology (IT) needs of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) for enhanced customer satisfaction.

Objectives:
- Develop software solutions to felt needs of MAHE and health systems.
- Provide internship opportunities for students to work on projects and train faculty on project management skills.
- Market the product outside the MAHE system if such a potential exists.
- Work with the technology transfer office to explore possibilities of outright sale of products.
- Conduct workshops on effective project implementation to budding practitioners of software engineering.

Activities at the Centre:
CSD provides software consultancy services to various functional institutes of MAHE to help in automating their processes or their research workflows. CSD also provides Internships and Trainee positions to students and fresh graduates to train them in software development processes.

Research Activities
Sudhakara Upadya, Coordinator - CSD has applied for a grant as co-investigator with the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) to maintain the Venoms Registry, working with the Emergency Medicine department of Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal.

Rolled out the following projects, along with supporting the ongoing existing software consultancy projects of CSD:
- Hostel Management System
- Performance Appraisal System module added to the Manipal Student/Project Management Portal application of MAHE

- Services portal that acts as a common platform for Consultancy Services offerings from MAHE
- Manipal Hospital Research Centre (MHRC) module developed for the Management of Data and Electronic Management System (MODEMS) application

International Centre for Applied Sciences, Manipal

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Name of the Director: Dr Hareesha K S
Established: 1994

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

International Centre for Applied Sciences (ICAS), Manipal, a constituent unit of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) started the International Transfer Program in Engineering (full-time, four-year duration) in the year 1994 to provide international education and exposure to Indian students. This program (BSc Applied Sciences in Engineering) has been designed as a perfect launch pad for those who aspire to study and graduate from one of the world's top universities. This is a unique program where the students spend the first two years in ICAS, MAHE, and the following two years in a university abroad, of their choice (the engineering degree is awarded by the foreign university only). This is made possible by adopting the high-quality curriculum, teaching, and evaluation methodologies that are followed by top universities abroad. In the last 32 years, more than 2,500 students have entered more than 100 foreign universities through acceptable credit transfer from ICAS, pursuing their Bachelor's/Master's degrees in Engineering.

About the Institution/School

International transfer: The key highlight of this course is the fact that the students can transfer their credits and graduate with an international engineering degree from some of the top universities in the world.

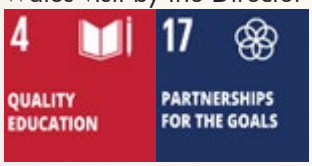
International placements: Students, on successful completion of the course, participate in the placement activities at the destination university. The annual salary package upon graduation is between 55,000 USD and 85,000 USD.

Face-to-face interactions with foreign university delegates: Delegates from some of the global universities visit Manipal twice a year to address the ICAS students and advise them on the various options available to them.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Virginia Commonwealth university visit	Dr Manu Gupta, heads all graduate (Master's level) programs in Business and Engineering. Dr Ashok Iyer is a Senior Professor at the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. Prof Shivaprakash Aduvalli Ramaswamy, Indian Co-ordinator for Virginia Commonwealth University, USA, visited ICAS.	07 Jan 2025
2	Alumni visit	Mr Jayanth Voruganti, ICAS student from 2021–23 batch, who continued his studies in University of New South Wales (UNSW), Australia, under the 2+2 degree in engineering, visited ICAS.	27 Jan 2025
3	Artificial Intelligence (AI) affirmation pledge	As per the guidelines of the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE), ICAS organized the AI Affirmation Pledge on 31 January 2025 at 9:15 AM. The event was conducted to create awareness among students about the responsible, ethical, and sustainable use of AI and to encourage their active participation in India's AI-driven growth. The program began with an introduction to the significance of AI in modern society. Students collectively recited the AI Affirmation Pledge, expressing their commitment to advancing AI responsibly and ethically. The pledge was administered by Dr Nagaraj Naik, Faculty, ICAS, who highlighted the transformative role of AI in shaping the future of technology. He emphasized the responsibility of students in ensuring that AI is used for societal benefit while adhering to ethical principles.	31 Jan 2025
4	Mr Saravanan Nagarathinam, University of Queensland (UQ), Australia visit.	Mr Saravanan Nagarathinam proposed to have dedicated pathway between ICAS and UQ for mutual benefits, wherein publicity and branding of the pathway can happen jointly.	04 Mar 2025
5	Open house	An open house was arranged for the fresher students to give them insights about the program. The first session was held.	19 Mar 2025
6	UNSW International Premier Partner Summit	Dr Hareesha K S, Director, took part in 2025 UNSW International Premier Partner Summit in New Delhi, held for the launch of the UNSW Strategy: Progress for its partners.	14 Apr 2025
7	Engagement activity	Activity conducted with ICAS alumni to discover their journeys, gain insights, and get inspired. Mr Soham Shan, Ms Muskan	16 Jun 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		Gupta, and Ms Advita Shrivastava helped newly admitted students in clarifying their doubts.	
8	Visit to partner universities of ICAS in the USA.	Dr Hareesha K S, Director, ICAS, visited The State University of New York at Buffalo (Sunny), Virginia Commonwealth University, Drexel University, Philadelphia Rutgers University, University of Wisconsin, Madison Illinois Institute of Technology, University of California, etc.	09 to 24 Jul 2025
9	Orientation program 2025	The 32nd batch of the International Transfer Program in Engineering at the ICAS, MAHE was formally inaugurated at Dr TMA Pai Auditorium, Manipal on 9 August 2025. Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Manipal, was the Chief Guest of the function. Mr Carlin Simon Joseph, Alumni, 2021–23 batch, Ms Lasya Madhuri Gundapaneni, Alumni, 2022–24 batch, and Ms Yamini S, Alumni, 2022–24 batch were the guests of honour of the function. After the formal inauguration, the university officials gave a series of short presentations on various topics, including administrative matters, academic matters, student welfare measures, hostel facilities and regulations, library facilities, sports and games facilities, Volunteer Service Organization (VSO), Alumni talk, and ICAS tech club activities. Dr Hareesha K S, Director, ICAS, welcomed the gathering and delivered speech on "Academic and administrative matters". Dr Raghavendra K G, Faculty, ICAS, delivered vote of thanks. Ms Advita Shrivastava and Mr Ojaswi Bharatiya were the masters of the ceremony. Several orientation activities were conducted for the newly joined ICAS students. Eleven foreign university delegates and representatives participated in the orientation function. On the same day, all the new students and their parents got an opportunity to interact with the foreign university delegates, to know better about the credit transfer process and facilities/requirements available at foreign universities.	09 Aug 2025
10	Monash University delegates visit	Ms Athena Bangara, Director, South Asia and Ms Jenny McHendrie, Director, International Marketing and Recruitment, Monash University, Australia, visited ICAS, MAHE, Manipal.	18 Aug 2025
11	Pledge against drugs	As part of the Government of India's Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan campaign, ICAS students participated in a mass pledge against drugs. All ICAS students actively took part in the pledge, reaffirming their commitment to a drug-free lifestyle and to spreading awareness about the harmful effects of substance abuse.	19 Aug 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
12	Enigma hackathon	Enigma Technical Society, ICAS, successfully hosted its first-ever 36-hour beginner-friendly hackathon with 40 participants across nine teams, working across Research, development, and robotics—showcasing their technical expertise and innovative problem-solving skills. The event spanned four tracks and three checkpoints to track progress and guide teams, project submissions, (reports, GitHub repositories, and demonstrations), and final presentations were conducted on September 1, judged by an esteemed panel consisting of Dr Santhosha Rao and Mr Sudhakar Upadhyay. After thorough evaluation, the top three teams were awarded as follows: 1. DROP TABLE teams: Rituparan Reddy, Arnavjit Sachdeva, Pulavarthy Sai Mohith, and Raunak Khandelwal 2. Error 404: Karthik Reddy, Swastik Das, Jeremiah Prathab Chacko, Bingi Abhinav, and Lakshya Choudhary 3. Elden Bytes: Adved Krishna, Hyndavi Manogna, Sahay Reddy, Ramjaswanth Reddy, and Riteshwar Singh.	30 Aug 2025 to 01 Sep 2025
13	Deakin University visit	Mr Imran S M, Manager—Business Development (South Asia) and Ms Irfa Javed, Manager, Research Engagement (South Asia), Deakin University, Australia, visited ICAS, MAHE, Manipal.	25 Sep 2025
14	Interaction with Global Degrees	Mr Shijomon Yesudhas and team from Global Degrees, Bangalore, interacted with ICAS students from 12 to 4 pm in Conference Room-1, LG-02, AB-5. Destination experts for the USA and Australia were available for personal guidance and counselling on-the-spot application submissions.	31 Oct 2025
15	University of New South Wales visit by the Director 	Dr Hareesha K S, visited UNSW to participate in their International Education Development Week. This exciting event was scheduled from 24–28 Nov 2025, at their Kensington Campus in Sydney.	24 to 28 Nov 2025
16	Delegate visit from Monash University, Australia	Ms Avanti Redkar-Sachdeva, Senior Manager—Transnational Education Strategy and Engagement, Monash University, Australia visited ICAS, MAHE, Manipal and discussed the following points: 1. To organize awareness sessions for the outgoing student batch 2. Strengthen the existing pathway articulation 3. Encourage PhD Co-supervisor and Joint-PhD opportunities	06 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Ms Jahnavi Kajjer	University of Queensland, Australia	Admission counselling	15 Jan 2025
2	Mr Dermott McGrath	Monash University, Australia	Admission counselling	17 Jan 2025
3	Ms Vidya Suresh	École Supérieure d'Ingénieurs en Génie Électrique (ESIGELEC), France	Admission counselling	20 Jan 2025
4	Mr Shijomon Yesudhas	Deakin University	Admission counselling	23 Jan 2025
5	Mr Bakul Dhabe	Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago	Admission counselling	24 Jan 2025
6	Ms Nilanjana Shihn	Trinity College Dublin	Admission counselling	24 Jan 2025
7	Mr Rittwick Visen	Australian National University, Australia	Admission counselling	11 Feb 2025
8	Mr Sebastian Kuntze	University of Technology Sydney, Australia	Admission counselling	04 Mar 2025
9	Mr Abhyuday Pai and Mr Christopher Connor	The State University of New York (SUNY)	Admission counselling	12 Mar 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non-Indexed
09	0

Conferences Attended by the Institution Faculty and Students:

Faculty	
National	International
01	03

Patent Details

Details of Patents Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A system and method for cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) training with advanced real-time feedback	27 Feb 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Rakshit C and Ms Sneha Sinha	Mr Rakshit C and Ms Sneha Sinha, 2023–25 batch Computer Science students, won second place in the event Hult Prize organized by MIT, Manipal.	22 Feb 2025
2	Ms Advita Shrivastava	Ms Advita Shrivastava, a second-year student, was selected as one of 30 global members—and one of only two students—in the NASA Space Apps Collective Cohort and spoke at the Collective Genius Summit, presenting her AI-based disaster prediction tool, Preva, to NASA leaders.	24 Mar 2025
		Ms Advita Shrivastava, a second-year student, won the Major League Hacking (MLH) Prize at PennApps (University of Pennsylvania), the oldest collegiate hackathon in the USA	19 Sep 2025
		Ms Advita Shrivastava, a second-year student, was a finalist in the Google Cloud Agentic AI Day powered by Hack2 skill.	24 Sep 2025

Extra-curricular activities
Sports activities
In the institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual Sports Meet 2025	The Chief guest of the program was Dr Vinod C Nayak, Secretary, Sports Council, MAHE, Manipal. The event started with a march past and lighting of the lamp. Students actively participated in the games, and the prizes were distributed to the winners at the valedictory function held on the same day.	08 Mar 2025

Cultural Activities
In the institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual day and awards ceremony	The annual day and awards ceremony was celebrated at the Library Auditorium, MIT, Manipal. Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science), MAHE, Manipal, was the Chief Guest of the function. Awards were distributed to the achievers from academic and Co-curricular activities. Grand cultural programs followed the celebrations.	29 Mar 2025
2	REVERB-Techno cultural fest	REVERB, the techno-cultural fest of ICAS, was celebrated with much zeal in the Library Auditorium, fourth floor, Central Library, MIT. A lot of games and fun activities were planned by the students throughout the day, such as FIFA, Treasure Hunt, Balloon Dart, Water Splash, Musical Chair, Tug of War, etc. Many students took part and won prizes in different categories. The event was wrapped up in the evening by the ICAS students with various stage performances.	13 Sep 2025

Photo archive of important events

Annual Day and Awards Ceremony

Orientation Program 2025

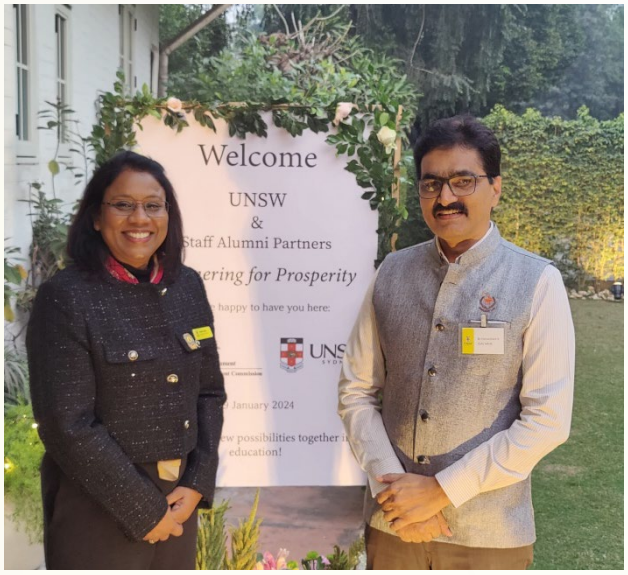
One-on-one interaction with foreign university officials on account of the orientation program 2025.

Mr Sebastian Kuntze, Manager International, University of Technology Sydney, Australia, visited ICAS on 4 March 2025 as a normal practice for admission counselling.

Mr Rakshit C and Ms Sneha Sinha, 2023–25 batch students, won second place in the event, Hult Prize, organized by MIT, Manipal, on 22 February 2025.

ICAS annual athletic meet held on 8 March 2025.

Mr Christopher Connor, Vice Provost for Enrollment Management and Mr Abhyuday Pai, Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment, University at Buffalo, The State University of New York (SUNY), USA, visited ICAS on 12 March, 2025.



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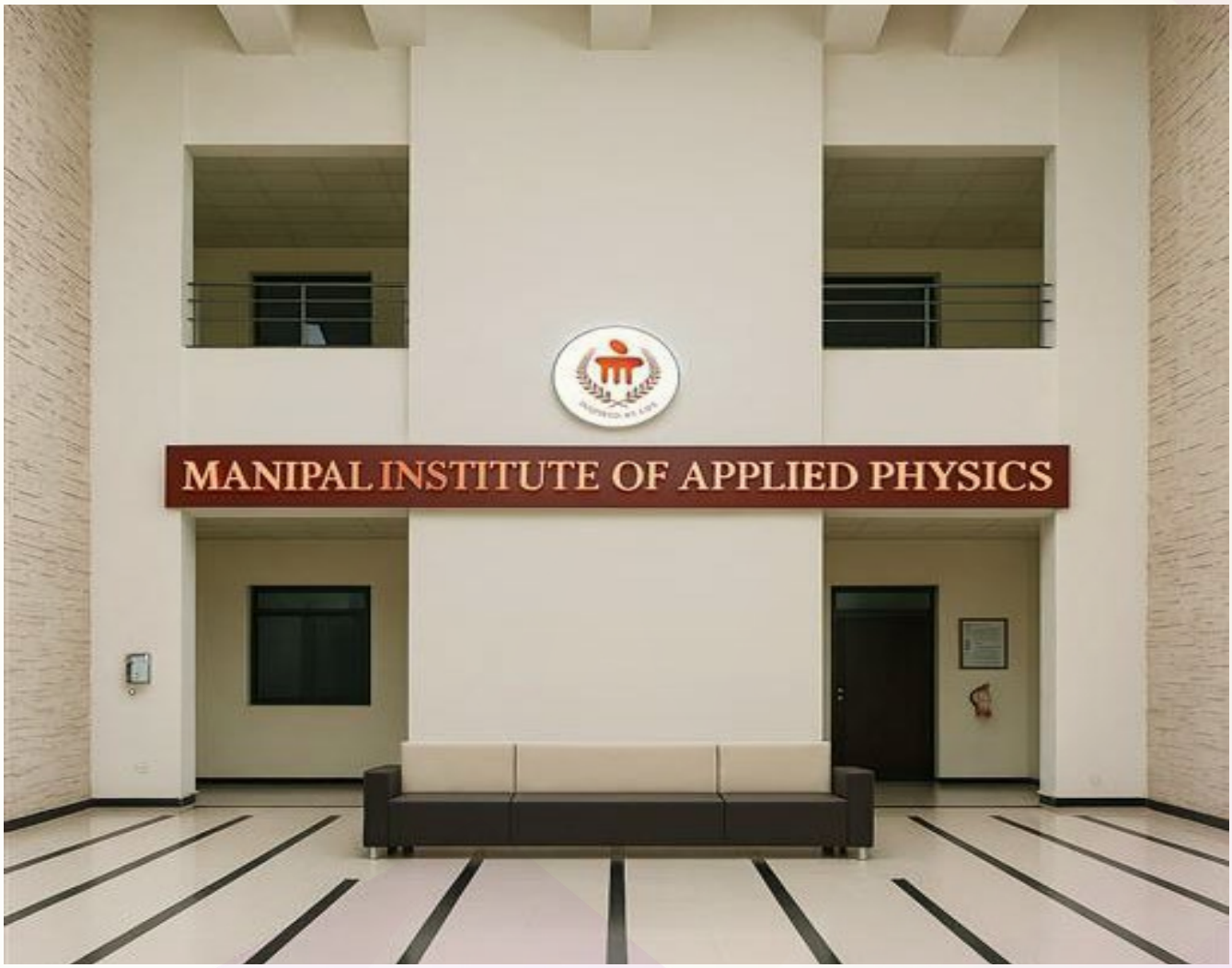


Name of the Director: Dr Sajan Daniel George

Established: 2025

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Master of Science (MSc) in Photonics
- MSc in Nanoscience and Technology
- Bachelor of Science (BSc) Honours in Physics
- BSc in Physics

About the Institution/School:

The Manipal Institute of Applied Physics (MIAP) is the flagship interdisciplinary research institute of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), dedicated to applying fundamental principles of physics to high-impact basic and translational research at the interface of engineering, healthcare, and the sciences. Established as an independent institute in 2025, MIAP builds on a strong research legacy dating back to 1997, beginning with the Centre for Laser Spectroscopy and later evolving into the Department of Atomic and Molecular Physics in 2008. The institute offers BSc Physics and BSc (Honours) Physics programs in accordance with National Education Policy (NEP) guidelines, along with specialized postgraduate programs in MSc Photonics and MSc Nanoscience and Technology. MIAP's research activities are anchored by two Centres of Excellence—the Centre for Excellence in Biophotonics and the Centre for Applied

Nanosciences—supported under MAHE's Institution of Eminence initiative, and span key areas including applied science and technology, nanoscience and materials science, and medical physics and technology, with focused expertise in photonics and biophotonics, plasmonics, clinical spectroscopy, archeophotonics, nanosensors and medical technologies, the energy–water–environment nexus, structural biology, and bio-inspired surface engineering. The institute is supported by significant government and industry-funded research projects and is recognized under the Department of Science and Technology (DST) FIST (Fund for Improvement of S and T Infrastructure) (DST-FIST) program of the Government of India and as a Centre of Excellence by Vision Group on Science and Technology (VGST), Government of Karnataka, while maintaining active collaborations with leading national and international research institutions.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Seminar series by research scholars	As a joint activity of MIAP Student Council and MIAP Researchers Forum, a seminar series was conducted. As part of this fortnightly event, each research scholar gives a seminar giving an overview of their research work to the UG and PG students. Three such seminars were held this year, and more are to follow in the coming months.	11 Sep 2025 to 9 Oct 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Workshop on Advanced Materials for Healthcare	Under the aegis of the Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration (SPARC), Government of India, MIAP organized a one-day Workshop on Advanced Materials for Healthcare at Sir M V Seminar Hall, MIT. The workshop was supported by SPARC funding and provided an effective platform for knowledge exchange and networking among scientists and researchers working in the area of applied nanotechnology for healthcare. The program was inaugurated by Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science). Dr Rajesh K Vatsa, Former Head, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), Mumbai, graced the occasion as the Guest of Honour. Other delegates included Dr T Govindaraju, Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR), Bangalore, Dr Ethayaraja Mani, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras, Dr Ranjan Ganguly, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, and Dr Soumyadip Sett, IIT Gandhinagar.	10 Mar 2025
2	MIAP Faculty Retreat and Awards Ceremony 2025	A faculty retreat of MIAP was held for providing an opportunity for reflection, interaction, and recognition of academic achievements. The program was graced by the Honourable Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science), Dr Narayana Sabhahit, who interacted with the faculty members and presided over the awards ceremony recognizing outstanding faculty achievements during the year 2024. The following awards were presented in recognition of excellence in teaching, research, innovation, and grants:	24 Mar 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		1. Award for the Highest Cumulative Impact Factor in 2024 – Dr Sajan D George 2. Award for the Original Research Paper with the Highest Impact Factor in 2024 – Dr Aseefhali Bankapur 3. Award for the Highest Number of Publications in 2024 – Dr Sajan D George 4. Award for the Highest Number of Patents Filed in 2024 – Dr Sajan D George 5. Award for the Patent Granted in 2024 – Dr Ajeetkumar Patil 6. Award for the Highest Grant Amount Sanctioned in 2024 – Dr Unnikrishnan V K 7. Award for the Best Teacher of 2024 – Dr Surya Harikrishnan. The retreat fostered collegial interaction among faculty members while reinforcing MIAP's commitment to excellence in teaching, research, and innovation.	
3	One-day Symposium on Recent Advances in Photonics (RAP) 	This symposium is a flagship annual event of MIAP (formerly the Department of Applied Mathematics and Physics (DAMP)) and has been organized consistently for over fifteen years. In 2025, the symposium was held at the Sir M V Seminar Hall, MIT. The theme of the symposium was "Optical Spectroscopy for Remote Sensing Applications", and the event witnessed participation from more than seventy-five students, researchers, and faculty members. The symposium was inaugurated by the Chief Guest, Honourable Vice Chancellor of MAHE, Lieutenant General (Dr) M D Venkatesh. The Guest of Honour, Dr D Narayana Rao, Raja Ramanna Centre for Advanced Technology (RRCAT), delivered an invited lecture as part of the program. The technical sessions featured invited talks by the following eminent speakers: Professor Soma Venugopal Rao, Senior Professor at the School of Physics and Advanced Centre for Research in High Energy Materials (ACRHEM), Hyderabad; Dr Anoop K K, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, Cochin University of Science and Technology (CUSAT), Cochin; Dr E Bhoje Gowd, Chief Scientist and Professor (Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR)) Material Sciences and Technology Division, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research – National Institute for Interdisciplinary Science and Technology (CSIR–NIIST), Thiruvananthapuram; Dr G Manoj Kumar, Professor, School of Physics, Hyderabad; and Mr Siddhartha Dhawale, Executive Director, Light Guide Optics Pvt Ltd. The symposium provided a valuable platform for academic interaction, knowledge dissemination, and discussions on recent advances in photonics and remote sensing applications.	14 Jun 2025
4	MIAP–Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC) One-Day Workshop on Material Physics and Spectroscopy of Advanced Nanomaterials	MIAP organized a one-day workshop on "Material Physics and Spectroscopy of Advanced Nanomaterials" in collaboration with the BARC. The workshop focused on advanced nanomaterials, state-of-the-art characterization techniques, and their emerging applications. The event attracted more than 80 researchers, scholars, and students actively engaged in nanomaterials research. The workshop was inaugurated by Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science). Dr Arun M Isloor, NITK Surathkal, graced the	18 Jul 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		occasion as the Guest of Honour. The technical sessions featured invited lectures by the following distinguished speakers: Dr Jatish Kumar, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER) Tirupati; Dr P M Aneesh, Central University of Kerala, Kasargod; Dr Subramanyan Namboodiri, National Institute of Technology Calicut (NITC), Calicut; Dr Jyoti Prakash, BARC, Mumbai; and Dr Murthy Dharmapura, MIT, MAHE, Manipal. The workshop provided an effective platform for interdisciplinary interaction, fostering academic collaboration and enhancing understanding of recent advances in nanomaterials and spectroscopic techniques.	
5	Rasayan 21	MIAP, in collaboration with the Department of Chemistry and Department of Physics, MIT, organized a two-day International Symposium titled “Science Beyond Boundary: Invention, Discovery, Innovation and Society – Rasayan 21” on behalf of MAHE. The symposium was jointly organized by MAHE and Chirantan Rasayan Sanstha (CRS) and brought together over 200 internationally renowned scientists, researchers, and thought leaders to deliberate on transformative research and innovations addressing critical global challenges. The inauguration ceremony was graced by Honourable Vice-Chancellor, MAHE, Lieutenant General (Dr) M D Venkatesh, who formally inaugurated the symposium. The event was attended by several distinguished dignitaries, including Professor J B Joshi, Chancellor, Institute of Chemical Technology (ICT), Mumbai; Professor Ramgopal Rao, Vice-Chancellor, Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani; Professor Vudhichai Parasuk, President, Thailand Chemical Society; Professor Sajan D George, Convener of the Symposium and Director, Manipal Institute of Applied Physics; Professor C V Yelamaggad, Secretary, Chirantan Rasayan Sanstha; and Professor Braja Gopal Bag, President, Chirantan Rasayan Sanstha. As a mark of recognition for his contributions to science and academic leadership, Professor Sajan D George was conferred the CRS Silver Medal and was felicitated during the inaugural session. The symposium provided a vibrant international platform for interdisciplinary exchange, fostering collaboration across scientific domains and strengthening the interface between science and society.	1 Aug 2025 to 2 Aug 2025
6	KIRAN 2025	KIRAN is the annual student-run outreach event of the Manipal Institute of Applied Physics (MIAP). This year, continuing its tradition, undergraduate and postgraduate students of MIAP enthusiastically demonstrated 35 experiments covering diverse aspects of Optics and Photonics. The exhibits included experiments on diffraction, polarization, interference, quantum dots, and magneto-optic sensors, along with several engaging and interactive demonstrations such as optical cloaking, laser harp, laser maze, water-drop microscope, Lissajous figures, and other hands-on displays. The event was attended by nearly 180 school students from five different institutions, who benefited from the interactive demonstrations and gained exposure to fundamental and applied concepts in optics and photonics. KIRAN 2025 served as an effective platform for	11 Oct 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		scientific outreach, fostering curiosity and interest in physics among young learners while providing MIAP students valuable experience in science communication and public engagement.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Professor K P Rajappan Nair	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics	Student Interaction Program	24 Mar 2025
2	Dr Arindam Das	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics	Guest talk and faculty interaction	24 Mar 2025
3	Dr Gautham Narayana Sabhahit	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics	Guest talk and Student interaction	29 Apr 2025
4	Professor Rabibrata Mukherjee	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics	As part of the visit, an awareness session was held, followed by an interactive meeting with previous SPARC awardees	8 Aug 2025
5	Dr Kashmiri Lal Mittal	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics	Guest talk and faculty interaction	19 to 21 Aug 2025
6	Dr Pramoda K. Nayak	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics	Discussion meeting in the field of 2D materials	25 Aug 2025

Details of Publications:

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
85	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
5	13	4	6

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National
Workshop	3
Conference	1

Books/chapters authored by faculty members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Applied Raman Spectroscopy	Hyphenated Raman spectroscopic systems: applications in biological, environmental, and materials sciences	Unnikrishnan V K	Elsevier	1 Jan 2025
2	Applied Raman Spectroscopy	Current and future prospects of Raman spectroscopy	Unnikrishnan V K	Elsevier	1 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
3	Applied Raman Spectroscopy	Current and future prospects of Raman spectroscopy	Unnikrishnan V K	Elsevier	1 Jan 2025
4	Applied Raman Spectroscopy	Biochemistry of blood and application of Raman spectroscopy in studying blood cells, and membranes	Aseefhali Bankapur	Elsevier	1 Jan 2025
5	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences	Quantitative Optical Phase Imaging Techniques: Interference-Based Basics and Working Principle	Ajeetkumar Patil	CRC Press	1 Jan 2025
6	Biophysical Techniques in Biosciences	Quantitative Optical Phase Imaging Techniques: Non-Interference-Based Basics and Working Principle	Ajeetkumar Patil	CRC Press	1 Jan 2025
7	Applied Raman Spectroscopy	Theoretical developments, instrumentation, and biological applications of surface-enhanced Raman spectroscopy	Aseefhali Bankapur	Elsevier	1 Jan 2025
8	Diagnostic Biomedical Optics: Fundamentals and applications	Raman spectroscopy techniques for medical applications: analysis of human blood components	Santhosh Chidangil	IOP Publishing	1 Jul 2025
9	Diagnostic Biomedical Optics: Fundamentals and applications	Diagnostic Biomedical Optics: Fundamentals and Applications	Santhosh Chidangil	IOP Publishing	1 Jul 2025
10	Laser Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS): Chemometrics, Environmental and Forensic Applications	Laser Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS): Chemometrics, Environmental and Forensic Applications	Unnikrishnan V K	Springer Nature	26 Sep 2025
11	Laser Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS) Chemometrics, Environmental and Forensic Applications	Chemometric Tools for the Fast Identification of Microplastics from Environmental Sources	Unnikrishnan V K	Springer Nature Switzerland	1 Oct 2025
12	Laser Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy (LIBS) Chemometrics, Environmental and Forensic Applications	Standoff Laser-Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy: Recent Developments and Instrumentation	Unnikrishnan V K	Springer Nature Switzerland	1 Oct 2025
13	Advanced Optical Sensors for Aerospace Applications	Laser Spectroscopic Techniques for Aerospace Remote Sensing	Unnikrishnan V K.	Springer Nature Singapore	16 Nov 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Innovative optical diagnostics for Early Detection of Cardiovascular Disease (Sanction number : SPARC/2019-2020/P2133/SL)	Dr Santhosh Chidangil	SPARC	46,03,775	28 Jul 2023 - 27 Jul 2025
2	Development and testing the effectiveness of a multifunctional nanotherapeutic to overcome antimicrobial resistance among pathogenic bacteria associated with recalcitrant mastitis infections in dairy cows	Dr Sajan Daniel George	SPARC	42,12,320	28 Jul 2023 - 27 Jul 2025
3	Dual Wavelength assisted handheld and cost-effective Light Emitting Diode (LED) based device for cervical cancer screening in rural areas	Dr Jijo Lukose	Department of Biotechnology (DBT)	12,60,403	5 Jan 2024 - 4 Jul 2025
4	Development of handheld LED based optical device for the screening of oral malignancy.	Dr Santhosh Chidangil	MAHE-DST-MIDAS	37,92,615	8 Mar 2024 - 7 Mar 2027
5	Smart Bio-Compatible Membrane Sensor Based Sanitary Pads for Autistic, Neonatal, and Bed-Ridden Patients—under MIDAS HUB	Dr Jijo Lukose	MIDAS	13,67,026	8 Mar 2024 - 7 Mar 2025
6	Microfluidic channel embedded contact lens for ophthalmic drug delivery glaucoma treatment	Dr Sajan Daniel George	DBT	87,15,000	13 Jun 2024 - 12 Jun 2027
7	Non-invasive detection of lung cancer from exhaled breath using optical technique	Dr Santhosh Chidangil	Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB)	28,49,000	31 Mar 2025 - 30 Mar 2028
8	Optothermal-Assisted Rapid Synthesis of High Quality Mesophase Pitch from Coal Tar Pitch for Advanced Carbon Fiber Applications	Dr Rajashekhar Pujar	Anusandhan National Research Foundation (ANRF)	66,39,360	10 Jun 2025 - 9 Jun 2027
9	ANRF-PAIR HUB-SPOKE Network: One Health	Dr Sajan Daniel George	ANRF	1,50,00,000	14 Jul 2025 - 13 Jul 2026

Patent details :

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Method for eliminating suppression of Polydimethylsiloxane Curing on 3D Printed Moulds	4 Apr 2025
2	A system and method for Microscope-Free Laser Spectroscopy of environmental contaminants	4 Oct 2025
3	A system and method for dynamic monitoring of bodily fluids	4 Oct 2025
4	A Magnetic Sweeper System and a method for operating thereof	8 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name	Date
5	A system and method for a Palmtop Device for screening cervical cancer with integrated hardware	6 Nov 2025
6	System and method for detection of nano plastics	7 Nov 2025

Details of Patent Granted:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Security Ink Formulation with Rub Enhanced, Excitation Wavelength Dependent and Solvent Sensitive Fluorescence for Anticounterfeiting	1 Jan 2025
2	A method for producing Oleophilic, Superhydrophobic, and Superhemophobic articles, and uses thereof	1 Jan 2025
3	A Novel Sensitive and Quantitative Detection of Pyridoxine (Vitamin B6) by Interaction with CdTe Quantum dots	1 Jan 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Sajan Daniel George	CRS Silver Medal; Research Excellence: Research Grant, MAHE Research Awards; Editorial Advisory Board Member (Engineering Physics, American Institute of Physics)	1 Jan 2025
2	Dr Abdul Ajees Abdul Salam	Recipient of "Best Research Paper" award at MAHE Research Awards and "Best Research Team" at Innovation Mela conducted by Ministry of Earth Sciences and MIT, Manipal	1 Jan 2025
3	Dr Ajeetkumar Patil	Editor at Scientific Reports, Nature	1 Jan 2025
4	Dr Pragnya Satapathy	"Best Oral Presentation Award" at ICONN 2025, SRM Tamil Nadu	1 Jan 2025
5	Dr Sajan Daniel George	Award for the highest cumulative impact factor in 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025
6	Dr Aseefhali Bankapur	Award for original research paper with the highest impact factor in 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025
7	Dr Sajan Daniel George	Award for the highest number of publications in 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025
8	Dr Sajan D George	Award for the highest number of patents filed in 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025
9	Dr Ajeetkumar Patil	Award for the patent granted in 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025
10	Dr Unnikrishnan V K	Award for the highest grant amount sanctioned in 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
11	Dr Surya Harikrishnan	"Best Teacher" award for the year 2024 (MIAP Retreat Award)	24 Mar 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Megha Sunil	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at OSICON 25, "Best Poster Presentation Award" at Micro-Plastics Research Innovations and Sustainable Management (M-PRISM 25), "Best Poster Presentation Award" at Symposium titled "Microplastics in the Environment and Water: Challenges, Research, and Mitigation Strategies" (MP Symposium 2025), and "Singapore Oceanarium Award" at Microplastics Symposium 2025.	1 Jan 2025
2	Harshika M	Recipient of "Organizer's Choice Award" at the 5th international symposium on frontiers in molecular science held at Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan and "Best Oral Presentation Award" at "Structural and functional insights of plant-derived protein for synthetic dye bioremediation" conference held at BHU, Varanasi, India.	1 Jan 2025
3	Varalakshmi S D	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at Rasayan 21 held at MAHE, Manipal and "Vikram Sarabhai Best Poster Award" at SCOPOSIS 2025.	1 Jan 2025
4	Suraj Sunil Joshi	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at Rasayan '21, and "Best Poster Presentation Award" (third place) at the conference titled "Innovations, Advances in Material Science for Sustainable Goals 2025".	1 Jan 2025
5	Rohit B Kumbhar	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at Micro-Plastics Research Innovations and Sustainable Management (M-PRISM 25).	1 Jan 2025
6	Thripthi N Shenoy	Recipient of "Best Oral Presentation Award" at "Structural and functional insights of plant-derived protein for synthetic dye bioremediation" conference held at BHU, Varanasi, India.	1 Jan 2025
7	Ramesh Bharadwaj	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at "Structural and functional insights of plant-derived protein for synthetic dye bioremediation" conference held at BHU, Varanasi, India.	1 Jan 2025
8	Anusha Pillai	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at India Bioimaging Annual Conference and Meeting 2025.	1 Jan 2025
9	Sudarshana	Recipient of "Best Poster Presentation Award" at conference titled "Innovations, Advances in Material Science for Sustainable Goals 2025" held at Jaipur Engineering College and Research Centre (JECRC)University, Jaipur, India.	1 Jan 2025
10	Vasudeva M	CSIR- Senior Research Fellowship-SRF Direct, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research Human Resource Development Group.	1 Jan 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:

Sports Activities:

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Intra MAHE Teaching Deparment Sports events	Winners were: Pruthvi Y D (Carrom mixed doubles—3rd place); Shyambhargav and Raghavendra (Carrom doubles (men)—2nd place); Dr Rajashekhar Pujar (Badminton Men's Singles—2nd Place); Vishwachetan and Aditya (Badminton Men's Doubles—2nd Place); Harshika and Phibakordor (Badminton Women's Doubles—1st Place); Vishwas and Harshika (Badminton mixed doubles— 1st place); Shyam Bhargav and Phibakordor (Badminton mixed doubles—2nd Place); Suraj Sunil Joshi (Badminton mixed doubles—3rd place); Megha Sunil (Badminton doubles (women)); • Yashas and Adi Das (Chess—3rd place). In Cricket, TEAM MIAP were the winners.	1 Jan 2025

Cultural Activities:

Inter Institution:

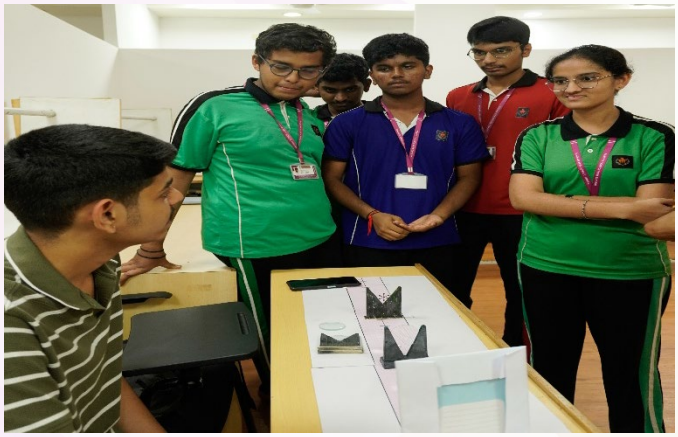
Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Cultural Activities and Festivities at MIAP	Along with curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities, MIAP members set apart some time to gather together and celebrate festivals like Onam, Navarathri, and Deepavali.	1 Jan 2025
2	UTSAV 2025	Mr Vineeth P won first place in the Indian classical Vocal solo event. Ms Sai Srivaishanvi Guntury won third place in Cartooning.	25 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

MIAP-BARC One-Day Workshop on Material Physics and Spectroscopy of Advanced Nanomaterials

MIAP Faculty Retreat and Awards Ceremony 2025

One-day Symposium on Recent Advances in Photonics (RAP)



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Diwali Celebration at MIAP

MIAP Orientation Program 2025

MIAP Participation at UTSAV 25

Centre for Applied Nanosciences

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2. Mr Swithin Hanosh
3. Ms Pratheeksha Rao I K
4. Mr Shreyas M S
5. Ms Jyeshta Prabhu
6. Ms Parvathy M R
7. Mr Vivek M
8. Ms Sandhya R
9. Ms Pooja Hirehal

Brief About the Centre:
The Centre for Applied Nanosciences is a premier research Centre advancing nanotechnology for transformative applications. With core expertise in nanoscale surface engineering and laser spectroscopic techniques, the Centre focuses on innovative solutions that bridge science and practical applications. Our research spans wearable sensors, novel therapeutic strategies, and light-assisted particle manipulation, offering cutting-edge advancements in these fields. We also specialize in nature-inspired surface engineering, photothermal techniques, and multimodal spectroscopy, driving progress in healthcare, energy, and materials science. Notable achievements include the development of nanosensors, optical lithographic methods, and novel therapeutic approaches, showcasing our commitment to impactful research. Our multidisciplinary approach and focus on high-impact, real-world solutions set us apart. By leveraging nanotechnology's potential, we aim to address global challenges and redefine possibilities in science and engineering.

Vision: To be a globally renowned Centre of Excellence in the field of Applied Nanosciences

Mission: To undertake applied research in the field of nanoscience through activities ranging across multiple realms of science.

Objectives:
- Development of upconversion/downconversion nanoparticles for *in vivo* bioimaging
- Development of optofluidic technologies for lab-on-a-chip systems
- Fabrication of hierarchical structures for digital microfluidic and wettability control
- Sensing applications utilizing the energy transfer between a donor and an acceptor

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Establishment of four new laboratories	(i) Microfluidic 3D Printing Laboratory, (ii) Bacterial Culture Laboratory, (iii) Projection Lithography Laboratory, and (iv) Microwave Therapy Laboratory	14 Aug 2025
2	Workshop on Advanced Materials for Healthcare	SPARC-funded workshop with speakers such as Dr R K Vatsa, ARC Dr T Govindaraju, JNCASR, Bengaluru Dr Ethayaraja Mani, IIT Madras Dr Ranjan Ganguly, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, Dr Soumyadip Sett, IIT Gandhinagar	10 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	MIAP-BARC One-Day Workshop on Material Physics and Spectroscopy of Advanced Nanomaterials	• Dr Jatish Kumar, IISER Tirupati • Dr P M Aneesh, Central University of Kerala, Kasargod • Dr Subramanyan Namboodiri, NITC, Calicut. • Dr Jyoti Prakash, Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai • Dr Murthy Dharmapura, MIT, MAHE, Manipal	18 Jul 2025
4	Rasayan 21	Jointly organized with the Department of Chemistry and the Department of Physics, MIT.	25 - 28 Aug 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	Award for Research Excellence	Research Grant, Manipal Academy of Higher Education	Nov 2025
2	Patent Granted	A Method for Producing Oleophilic, Superhydrophobic, and Superhemophobic Articles, and Uses Thereof Inventors: Sajan Daniel George, Swithin Hanosh	Apr 2025
3	Silver medal, CRS	Silver medal of Chirantan Rasayan Sanstha (CRS) for contributions in applied sciences	Aug 2025
4	Outstanding Research Publication (AORP)	Vision Group on Science and Technology (VGST), Government of Karnataka- Category: Nanoscience and Engineering	May 2025
5	Editorial Advisory Board Member	American Institute of Physics, Engineering Physics	Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Duration
1	Microfluidic channel embedded contact lens for ophthalmic drug delivery and glaucoma treatment	Department of Biotechnology, Government of India	Dr Sajan Daniel George (PI)	2024 - 2027
2	Bioinspired physio-chemically micro-nanostructured surfaces with bactericidal and photonics properties	Indian Council of Medical Research, Government of India	Dr Sajan Daniel George (Co-PI)	2024 to 2027
3	Development and testing the effectiveness of a multi-functional nanotherapeutic to overcome antimicrobial resistance among pathogenic bacteria associated with recalcitrant mastitis infections in dairy cows	SPARC, Ministry of Human Resource and Development, Government of India	Dr Sajan Daniel George (PI)	2023 to 2025

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Duration
4	ANRF-PAIR HUB-SPOKE Grant - One Health	ANRF	Dr Sajan Daniel George (PI)	2025 to 2026
5	Disposable SERS Sensors For Screening of Cardiac Biomarkers	India-Taiwan Programme of Cooperation in Science and Technology	Dr Sajan Daniel George (Co-PI)	2025 to 2028

Photo Gallery

Newly established microfluidic 3D printing lab.

Newly established bacterial culture lab

Newly established microwave therapy lab

Projection lithography lab

Department of Design

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Name of the HOD: Dr Veena Rao
Established: 2012
Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Bachelor of Design (Interior Design)/BDes (ID)
- Bachelor of Design (Fashion Design)/BDes (FD)
- Master of Design (Interior Design)/MDes (ID)
- Master of Design (Product Design)/MDes (PD)
- Master of Arts (Fashion Management)/MA (FM)
- Certificate of Fashion Design
- PhD

About the Institution/School:

The Department of Design (DoD), established in 2012 under the mentorship of the Manipal School of Architecture and Planning (MSAP), offers Fashion Design, Interior Design, and Product Design that fit the array of design education in India. These new programs, offered under UGC regulations and AICTE-approved, are designed to foster design education in India and offer a range of opportunities to design graduates. At our institute, we strive to instill the concept of sustainability and the use of indigenous materials in designing interior and fashion products for contemporary use. The design understanding is encouraged through individual projects given to the students to explore the vibrant fashion/interior industry and the application of the rich heritage of textiles and crafts of our country in their design projects.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	MDes (Design Computation) Course	MDes (Design Computation) Course of II year duration started in July 2025.	01 Jul 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	The One Nature Animal Welfare Club	The One Nature Animal Welfare Club was formed under MAHE advisors Dr Geetha Maiya and Dr Aravind Kumar. Faculty coordinators include Dr Freston Marc, Dr Vrinda Lath, Dr Vidya Rao, and Dr Bryal Dsouza. Three MSAP students were nominated to represent non-medical institutions in the leadership team. They are Vyshnavi Narayan (General Secretary), Ananya Banerjee and V Madhurima (PR Team).	10 Jan 2025
2	National Youth Day Campaign	The National Youth Day Campaign at MIT AB2 MV Seminar Hall featured experts Dr Somashekar Bhat, Shri Kishore Alva, Dr Raviraj N S, Cdr (Dr) Anil Rana and Dr Lopamudra Priyadarshini. Speakers highlighted the role of youth in nation-building, stressing unity, awareness, and active participation. The program concluded with a motivational call urging youth to lead community initiatives and drive positive change. Four students participated, and the event promoted awareness among Manipal's youth on collective action for a sustainable world.	12 Jan 2025
3	Case Study in Goa	A study trip to Goa included Case Studies at Terttulia, Bawri, and SOPO, along with a guest lecture on Commercial Interior Design by Ar Manguesh R Prabhugaonker for BDes (ID), Year II. Students explored how Goan culture blends with contemporary interiors, supplemented by visits to INOX and historic sites for material and colour insights. The trip enriched learning in anthropometry, ergonomics, services, HVAC, furniture, clearances, and NBC-compliant commercial design. With two faculty members and 40 students participating, the experience fostered strong class bonding and a practical understanding of fine-dining and commercial spaces.	12 - 16 Jan 2025
4	Case Study	Case study of Dr Ramdas Pai Hospital for BDes (ID), Sem II	13 Jan 2025
5	visited Calicut, Kerala for Case Study visit as a part of an academic activity of B Des ID course, III Year, VI sem	The Calicut study tour for BDes (ID), Year III, Semester 6, offered hands-on exposure to corporate interiors through visits to Stapati, Malabar HQ, Team Thai Office, Avani Institute, and Vanitha Veed Expo. Students engaged in interactive sessions, including a professional talk by Ar Afnan Mohammed (Humming Tree), gaining insights into integrated design practices and industry workflows. The trip strengthened understanding of workspace design, branding, ergonomics, materials, and real-time corporate projects. With two faculty members and 24 students participating, the program enhanced practical awareness, design thinking, and industry-academia connection.	13 Jan 2025 - 16 Jan 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
6	Industrial Visit to Dogsee Chew Manufactures, Mahadevapura, Design Object Electronicity, Bangalore as a part of an academic activity of M Des PD course of 1st year 2nd Semester M Des PD DOD	MDes (PD) first-year students visited Dogsee Chew and Design Objects to understand real-world product manufacturing. They observed processes like material handling, packaging, production workflows, and quality control. Interactive sessions with founders and design experts provided insights into innovation, sustainability, and user-centric design. With one faculty and five students, the visit enhanced the practical industry	14 - 17 Jan 2025
7	Case study	Case Study to Mandavi, Times Square-Cafeteria for BDes (ID), Semester II, Section A	14 Jan 2025
8	Visited to design Houses and material sourcing in Mumbai for Case Study visit as a part of an academic activity of the BDes FD course	BDes (FD), IIIyear, 6th semester students visited leading design houses and material markets in Mumbai for Fashion Studio VI. They observed industry workflows, creative processes, and current fashion trends while interacting with professionals. The trip also included cultural sightseeing, enriching their creativity and broadening design perspectives. With 1 faculty and 15 students, the visit strengthened industry exposure.	19 - 23 Jan 2025
9	Visited IKEA Bengaluru for Case Study visit as a part of an academic activity of MDes ID course	MDes (ID), 1st year, Semester II students visited IKEA Bangalore as part of Design Studio II to study brand identity and spatial design. The IKEA Interior Design Team guided students through visual merchandising, brand building, and signature spatial strategies. The visit supports exposing students to industry innovation and real-world design infrastructure. With one faculty and 12 students, the program strengthened the understanding of colour psychology and brand-based spatial design for studio application.	21 - 23 Jan 2025
10	Site Visit for Interior Design at Signature by Associate Builders & Construction Near Narayan Guru Sabha Bhavana, Bannanje, Udupi	BDes (ID), III Year, Semester VI students visited the Signature building by Associate Builders and Construction, Udupi, for their Interior Design Corporate studio. The visit supported by giving students real-site exposure to corporate interior requirements. They learned about structural systems, services, circulation, and space planning relevant to corporate interiors. A total of three faculty members and 29 students participated in the site study.	21 Jan 2025
11	visited Tirupur, Tamil Nadu for a case study	BDes (FD), II year students visited Tiruppur for Fashion Studio IV to understand knit fabric manufacturing,	22 - 26 Jan 2025

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		dyeing, and garment production. They explored factories such as Sri Vinayagar Fabs, Prosper Exports, and Sri Vetrivel Dyeing, gaining insights into knitting, quality checks, pattern making, stitching, printing, finishing, and dyeing processes. Students also sourced fabrics and trims from key textile markets, including Walrus Exports, Ultron Textiles, SV Colony, and Laxmi Nagar. With two faculty members and 25 students participating, the visit strengthened practical knowledge in fabric sourcing and knitwear production workflows.	
12	Republic Day	MSAP students participated in the Republic Day Celebration at MAHE.	26 Jan 2025
13	Site Visit for BDes (ID) at Harsha K M Marg, Udupi. 	BDes (ID), I Year, second semester students visited Harsha K M Marg, Udupi, as part of their Material and Construction course to explore a wide range of interior and construction materials. They examined flooring, wall finishes, ceilings, furniture materials, hardware, tiles, stones, laminates, veneers, wallpapers, glass, fittings, and modular units. The visit helped students understand material properties, applications, durability, sustainability, and selection based on cost and function through guidance from showroom experts. With three faculty members and 32 students participating, the visit strengthened practical material knowledge.	28 Jan 2025
14	Manipal Marathon 2025 	The 7th Manipal Marathon 2025, themed *"Innovation in Motion"*, saw over 20,000 participants, including international runners, and introduced the Manipal Global Virtual 5K Run. Supported by nearly 400 VSO volunteers, the event ensured smooth execution across route management, registration, hydration points, stage coordination, and disability support. Their teamwork created an inclusive, energetic, and well-organized marathon experience for all participants. A total of one faculty member and nine students took part.	09 Feb 2025
15	Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav	The Department of Student Affairs organized *Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav* at KMC Greens under the UGC NEP SAARTHI initiative, with participation from Ananya Narayanan (IV sem BArch) and 20 MSAP volunteers. The event celebrated India's linguistic and cultural diversity through traditional lamp lighting, guest addresses, and performances in dance, music, Yakshagana, and a multicultural fashion show. Food stalls featuring regional cuisines added to the cultural experience, creating a vibrant, festive atmosphere. The program concluded with impactful student performances, leaving the audience with a deeper appreciation of India's rich linguistic and artistic heritage.	01 Mar 2025

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16	MAHE VSO – KIDATHON 2025 	Kidathon 2025, organized by VSO at the EDU Building, Manipal, promoted fitness and environmental awareness while creating excitement for the upcoming TARANG kite festival. Around 75 volunteers managed games, registration, hydration points, ticket stalls, and the kidathon route, ensuring smooth event coordination. Children participated in a short walk followed by engaging games, creating a joyful and educational experience. With 1 faculty member and 7 students participating, the event highlighted teamwork and sustainability awareness.	02 Mar 2025
17	Case Study Report for BDes (Id) 	BDes (ID), I Year, second semester students visited Signature Udupi and the Sai Radha Corporate Office as part of Material and Construction II. They studied finished interiors at Signature, observing joinery, material layering, final finishes, and functional space planning. At Sai Radha's under-construction site, students learned about false ceilings, partitions, electrical integration, flooring preparation, and construction sequencing. With 3 faculty and 32 students, the visit helped bridge theory and practice, strengthening material understanding.	04 Mar 2025
18	MAHE VSO- TARANG 2025	MAHE VSO- TARANG 2025, The Kite Festival of Manipal at End Point, Manipal	09 Mar 2025
19	Constitutional Awareness Day (Tarang Kite Festival)	Constitutional Awareness Day at Manipal End Point Ground focused on promoting understanding of the Constitution and the Preamble. After the Chief Guest's address, NSS volunteers spread awareness across the ground and campus. They interacted with students and citizens, highlighting constitutional rights and duties. Twelve students participated, helping strengthen constitutional literacy in the community.	09 Mar 2025
20	Fashion Design Council of India (FDCI) X Lakmé Fashion Week (LFW)	Six students of the Department of Design, MSAP, Manipal, participated as volunteers for the Fashion Design Council of India (FDCI) XLakmé Fashion Week (LFW) at Jio Convention Centre in Bandra Kurla Complex, Mumbai.	25 - 31 Mar 2025
21	MAHE VSO- SPARSH 2025 	Sparsh 2025, held at TMA Pai Hall, celebrated the birth anniversary of Dr TMA Pai and showcased VSO's year of impactful volunteer work. The event featured cultural performances, reflections on major projects like Manipal Marathon, Tarang, Kidathon, Daan Utsav, and the Wish Tree initiative. Certificates of appreciation were awarded to faculty, student coordinators, and support staff for their dedicated service. Presided over by Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, the event honoured contributors, including Ar Lulwa Khaleel, T Prathiksha Shenoy, and Eshal Anis.	28 Apr 2025

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22	Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Net Zero Energy Challenge	MSAP participated in the Solar Decathlon India 2024-25 Finals held at Infosys, Mysuru, competing among 41 shortlisted teams nationwide. Five MSAP teams reached the finals, and three emerged winners: Team Kalpana (Product Design – 1st Prize), Team Nirman (Institutional Building – 1st Prize), and Team Samarpan (Office Division – Runner-up). A total of 38 students and three faculty leads contributed to these award-winning teams. The achievement supports showcasing MSAP's commitment to net-zero and sustainable design innovation.	23 - 25 May 2025
23	Udupi city store visit	Udupi city store visit, BDes (ID)-III V and VII semester section A	04 Jul 2025
24	Site visit to Moodbidri for BDes (ID)	BDes (ID), II Year, Semester three students visited the Savira Kambada Basadi in Moodbidri for cultural and architectural documentation. They explored Jain temple architecture through sketching, photography, material study, and observing spatial planning and symbolism. The visit deepened understanding of heritage conservation, craftsmanship, and Indian temple typologies. With one faculty member and 31 students participating, the activity supported fostering cultural appreciation and experiential learning.	16 Jul 2025
25	Live Case Study (Residential) to Mangalore and Padubidri	BDes (ID), II Year, Semester three students conducted a live residential case study in Mangalore and Padubidri, guided by Guulshan Roy Architects Inc. and Ar Deekshith Raj. They studied real residential interiors through site analysis, space evaluation, material observation, and discussions with practicing architects. The visit strengthened understanding of spatial planning, interior detailing, and client-centric design strategies. With three faculty members and 32 students participating, the activity supported bridging theoretical learning with real-world residential design practice.	22 Jul 2025
26	Industry Visit-Study tour to Mangalore Fabric market at Fabric Market, Mangalore for III Year BDes FD (Fifth Semester)	BDes (FD) V semester, students visited the Mangalore Fabric Market to source materials for their ethnic wear collections. They explored fabrics and trims while studying material qualities, pricing, and vendor interactions. The visit improved their practical sourcing skills and understanding of market requirements. One faculty member and 22 students participated.	25 Jul 2025
27	Industry Visit -Study tour to Mangalore Fabric market for 2nd Year BDes FD (3rd semester)	BDes (FD), III-semester students visited the Mangalore Fabric Market to explore fabrics and trims for their Fashion Studio III ethnic wear concepts. They gained hands-on exposure to material qualities, pricing, vendor interaction, and sourcing processes for	25 Jul 2025

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		informed design decisions. One faculty member and 24 students participated.	
28	Site visit – Stores at Nexus Forum Mall, Mangalore 	M A (F M) students visited Nexus Forum Mall, Mangalore, to study visual merchandising elements such as store layout, lighting, fixtures, and menswear categories. They observed VM practices across department stores and brand outlets and learned about product types, garment details, washes, and printing, supported by an alumni talk on merchandise planning. Two faculty members and 8 students participated.	26 Jul 2025
29	Constitutional Awareness Campaign (UGC)- Constitution Awareness Act: Play - We, the People, Samvidhan ki Awaaz	A Constitutional Awareness Campaign play *"We, the People – Samvidhan ki Awaaz"* was performed at the MSAP FF Foyer under the UGC initiative. The performance aimed to spread awareness about the Indian Constitution and was presented by VSO MSAP and NSS MSAP volunteers in collaboration with MSAP Ailaan. It promoted constitutional literacy and student engagement on campus.	01 Aug 2025
30	Site visit at Sai Radha Township, Manipal, for BDes (ID) 	BDes (ID) III semester students visited Sai Radha Township, Manipal, to study real residential interior projects under the guidance of Project Manager Mr Wasim. They observed spatial planning, material application, and on-site design execution through analysis, documentation, and interactions with project representatives. With three faculty members and 30 students, the visit strengthened practical interior design understanding.	05 Aug 2025
31	Interactive meeting with previous SPARC awardees	Prof Rabibrata Mukherjee, Joint National Coordinator of the SPARC program, visited MAHE and conducted an awareness session on the Scheme for Promotion of Academic and Research Collaboration. He highlighted how SPARC fosters high-impact research partnerships between Indian and global institutions, followed by an interactive meeting with previous SPARC awardees. Attendees included Ms Kirti Nishant Nikam, Ms Monisha Kumar, Ms Shanta Pragyan Dash, Mr Rohit Kumar, and Ms Resmi G.	08 Aug 2025
32	Case Study Visit at Hasta Shilpa 	MDes (ID) I semester students visited Hasta Shilpa to study vernacular architecture, heritage documentation, and the relevance of traditional practices in contemporary design. They observed heritage interiors, cultural activities, and adaptive-reuse methods, gaining insights into motivations, challenges, and restoration constraints. With 1 faculty and 6 students participating, the visit	12 Aug 2025

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		supported promoting heritage-based learning and sustainable preservation practices.	
33	Site visit	Site visit to Taj Vivanta, Manipal for BDes (ID), V Semester, Section A	14 Aug 2025
34	Independence Day	MSAP students participated in the Independence Day Celebration at MAHE.	15 Aug 2025
35	Case Study Visit at Old DC Office Mangalore	MDes (ID) I semester students visited the Old DC Office, Mangalore, to study vernacular heritage, documentation methods, and the relevance of traditional architecture in contemporary design. They learned about heritage interiors, cultural context, and adaptive-reuse practices, including motivations, challenges, and restoration constraints. With one faculty member and five students participating, the visit promoted heritage preservation awareness.	19 Aug 2025
36	Site Visit to Sandur Kushala Kala Kendra, Sandur, Ballari District	BDes (FD), III and IV year, V and VII Semester students visited Sandur Kushala Kala Kendra to document Lambani craft techniques and interact with Lambani artisans for their Craft Documentation course. The visit provided hands-on learning of traditional Lambani embroidery methods and insights into artisan practices. With 1 faculty and 9 students participating.	21 Aug 2025
37	MSAP VSO 6th National Conference on Youth in Social Change	The 6th National Conference on Youth in Social Change at Dr TMA Pai Hall featured national experts discussing "Leading the Green Transition." MSAP students participated through posters, cultural performances, and anchoring, showcasing active youth engagement. With three faculty members and 29 students involved, the event highlighted youth-driven sustainability efforts.	17 Sep 2025
38	Site Visit	Site Visit to K K Hebbar Gallery and Art Centre, Manipal, for MAFM, III semester	18 Sep 2025
39	Meeting with the MAHE Ombudsman	A meeting with the MAHE Ombudsman was attended by the designated MSAP representative, Sridhara (Assistant Professor Senior Scale), as the single point of contact. Student Council members Tia Kulkarni, Sathvika, and Shrija represented the student body with their respective contact details. The meeting was held at the Admissions Hall, 1st Floor, EDU Building.	23 Sep 2025
40	Study Trip to Handloom Weaving Centre, Udupi	BDes (FD), II year, and MA(FM) students visited the Handloom Weaving Centre, Udupi, to study pirn winding, warping, weaving, and yarn-dyeing processes for handloom fabrics. The visit helped them understand key stages of cloth production, including loom sizing and weaving techniques used in traditional saree making. With two faculty members and 27 students participating.	27 Sep 2025
41	Awareness Workshop on Suicide Prevention	The Suicide Prevention Awareness Workshop at the Medical Education Hall focused on mental well-being through expert sessions, discussions, and interactive	29 Sep 2025

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		activities organized by the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE. It promoted supportive campus environments by encouraging open dialogue, reducing stigma, and strengthening empathy and peer-support skills. With two students and six faculty members from other HEIs participating.	
42	Workshop on "Mental Health Readiness for Humanitarian Emergencies."	Workshop on "Mental Health Readiness for Humanitarian Emergencies", eight NSS Volunteer students from MSAP/DoD deputed to attend Mr Clayton Mathias, Mr Shrey Bansal, Ms Varnika Aswal, Ms Aanya Shrivastava, Ms Kavya Arora, Ms Mariam Fiza, Ms Ashika Bhargava, Ms Aishwrya S Prabhu	15 Oct 2025
43	Gender Champion 4.0	"Gender Champion 4.0-Workshop at Admission Hall, organized by the Director of Student Affairs, MAHE. MSAP students participated.	31 Oct 2025
44	VSO MAHE DAAN UTSAV – FELICITATION EVENT at IDEA Café, Marena	The VSO Daan Utsav Felicitation Ceremony, held on November 20th, with Vice Chancellor Lt Gen (Dr) M D Venkatesh, as the Chief Guest, celebrated donor contributions and honoured faculty and student coordinators across MAHE. The event marked the farewell of VSO Chief Coordinator Dr Abhishek Chaturvedi and the welcome of the new coordinator, Dr Praveen, with certificates awarded to all volunteers for their Daan Utsav efforts. From MSAP, Ar Lulwa Khaleel, Ms Pratiksha Shenoy, and Ms Bindia were recognized.	15 Nov 2025
45	Visited Rajasthan- Jaipur, Chittorgarh, and Udaipur for an Architectural Study Tour	Students from the II and III year BArch and III year BDes (ID) visited Jaipur, Chittorgarh, and Udaipur for an architectural study tour guided by Ar Nischal Jain. They documented regional Rajasthani architecture through visits to major heritage sites, including Amber Fort, City Palace, Jantar Mantar, Hawa Mahal, Chittorgarh Fort, Jagdish Temple, and Jag Mandir. With four faculty and 42 students, the tour offered valuable real-world exposure to historic urban fabrics, monumental architecture, and cultural landscapes.	22 Nov - 01 Dec 2025
46	Outreach Program	Yassa Zubair participated in an Outreach Program in Delhi from 17 to 21 Nov 2025 and also attended the Outreach Open House event held in Bangalore on 08 Nov 2025.	31 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

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1	Dr Monica Charlotte Solomom	Dean, MCODS	Chief guest for the Annual Sports Event SIEG'25.	03 Feb 2025
2	Dr Narayana Sabahit	Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE	Chief Guest for Opus 2025 at MSAP	14 Feb 2025
3	Dr A K Kasthurba	Professor, Department of Architecture, National Institute of Technology Calicut	Dr A K Kasthurba, Professor at NIT Calicut, delivered an expert lecture on **"Vastuvidya"** for Program Elective ARC 3004. The session was attended by Batch I and II students, including those from the IV and VI semester BArch and the Department of Design.	07 Mar 2025
4	Dr Raghavendra Rao P	Assistant Professor, Department of Mechatronics	Dr Raghavendra Rao P and Dr Asha C S from the Department of Mechatronics, MIT, MAHE, delivered an expert lecture and hands-on workshop on *Integrating Electronics into Product Design and Development* for MDes (PD) students at MSAP. The session enhanced students' understanding of electronic systems, interdisciplinary design, and industry-relevant prototyping, with one faculty member and 22 students participating.	11 Mar 2025
5	Dr Asha C S	Associate Professor, Department of Mechatronics	Guest Lecture by Dr. Raghavendra Rao P – Assistant Professor, Department of Mechatronics, MIT, MAHE and Dr. Asha C S – Associate Professor, Department of Mechatronics, MIT, MAHE conducted expert lecture and hands-on workshop on "Integrating Electronics into Product Design and Development" For M.Des Product Design as part of Product Design Studio 2 At MSAP Board Room. The lecture explored the relevance and practical application of electronics in contemporary product design. Dr. Raghavendra Rao P elaborated on the role of microcontrollers and interface design in enhancing user experiences. Dr. Asha C S highlighted the importance of interdisciplinary collaboration for successful design outcomes. The	11 Mar 2025

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			session was interactive, with demonstrations that contextualized electronic components in real-world product systems. Students gained exposure to industry-relevant knowledge, further enhancing their technical understanding of product development. Outcomes of the Programme – Students developed an understanding of integrating electronic systems into product design, appreciated the interdisciplinary nature of design and engineering, and learned about current industry trends. The session inspired students to explore prototyping tools and electronic modules in their design projects, fostering innovation and technical curiosity. 1 faculty and 22 students participated. SDG-3, SDG-4 & SDG-11.	
6	Mr Christopher Connor	Vice Provost	Mr Abhyuday Pai, Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment, and Mr Christopher Connor, Vice Provost for Enrollment Management from The State University of New York (SUNY),	12 Mar 2025
7	Mr Abhyuday Pai	Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment	Mr. Abhyuday Pai, Assistant Dean for Graduate International Recruitment, and Mr. Christopher Connor, vice Provost for enrollment Management from The state university of new york(SUNY),	12 Mar 2025
8	Ar Shreya Prakash	Design Consultant, HARSHA Retail- Furniture division, Mangalore	The Internal Review 3 for DOD3104 Design Dissertation was conducted at DoD, MSAP, with external reviewers Ar Srishti A Rao, Ar Shreya Prakash, and Ar Melanie D'Souza, who evaluated students' design progress and research development. They provided detailed feedback on design clarity, research-design alignment, and presentation refinement, with three faculty and 27 students participating.	29 Mar 2025
9	Ar Melanie D'Souza	Principal Architect, VRITTI Design Studio, Mangalore	external reviewers for Internal Review 3 of DOD3104 Design Dissertation – B. Des (Interior	29 Mar 2025

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			Design) by Ar. Srishti A Rao, Co-founder and Principal Architect, The Blueprint Architecture and Design Studio, Manipal (residing in Mangalore);Ar. Shreya Prakash, Design Consultant, HARSHA Retail- Furniture division, Mangalore and Ar. Melanie D'Souza, Principal Architect, VRITTI Design Studio, Mangalore. At DoD, MSAP For Subject DOD 3104 – DESIGN DISSERTATION . Experts were Ar. Srishti A. Rao, Co-founder and Principal Architect, The Blueprint Architecture and Design Studio, Manipal (residing in Mangalore) Ar. Shreya Prakash, Design Consultant, HARSHA Retail – Furniture Division, Mangalore Ar. Melanie D'Souza, Principal Architect, VRITTI Design Studio, Mangalore. The Internal Review 3 of the Design Dissertation course (DOD3104) was conducted with the participation of three external reviewers from professional architectural and design backgrounds. The review aimed to critically evaluate the students' progress in design development, research documentation, and project resolution prior to the final submission phase. Each student presented their dissertation progress, encompassing concept articulation, contextual analysis, design intervention strategies, spatial planning, visualization, and presentation formats. The panel assessed the projects on parameters such as research depth, design clarity, feasibility, and alignment with identified user needs or contextual issues. 3 faculties and 27 students particiapted. Outcomes of the Programme were The reviewers provided constructive feedback emphasizing the refinement of design details, coherence between research and design outcome, and enhancement of presentation	

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10	Ar Srishti A Rao	Alumni, Co-founder and Principal Architect; The Blueprint Architecture and Design Studio, Manipal (residing in Mangalore);	external reviewers for Internal Review 3 of DOD3104 Design Dissertation – B. Des (Interior Design) by Ar. Srishti A Rao, Co-founder and Principal Architect, The Blueprint Architecture and Design Studio, Manipal (residing in Mangalore);Ar. Shreya Prakash, Design Consultant, HARSHA Retail- Furniture division, Mangalore and Ar. Melanie D'Souza, Principal Architect, VRITTI Design Studio, Mangalore. At DoD, MSAP For Subject DOD 3104 – DESIGN DISSERTATION . Experts were Ar. Srishti A. Rao, Co-founder and Principal Architect, The Blueprint Architecture and Design Studio, Manipal (residing in Mangalore) Ar. Shreya Prakash, Design Consultant, HARSHA Retail – Furniture Division, Mangalore Ar. Melanie D'Souza, Principal Architect, VRITTI Design Studio, Mangalore. The Internal Review 3 of the Design Dissertation course (DOD3104) was conducted with the participation of three external reviewers from professional architectural and design backgrounds. The review aimed to critically evaluate the students' progress in design development, research documentation, and project resolution prior to the final submission phase. Each student presented their dissertation progress, encompassing concept articulation, contextual analysis, design intervention strategies, spatial planning, visualization, and presentation formats. The panel assessed the projects on	29 Mar 2025

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11	Ar Yogish Prabhu	Architect	External reviewer for Internal Review 3 of DOD7302 Thesis – MDes (ID) by Ar Yogish Prabhu	04 Apr 2025
12	Ms Ruchi Mehta	Design Director, FRDC	A micro-credential course on *Retail Interior Design and Consumer Engagement* was conducted by FRDC experts Ms Ruchi Mehta, Ms Prateeksha Unnikrishnan, and Ms. Surbhi Gupta for II, III, and IV year BDes (ID) students through lectures, guided activities, market research, site visits, and design exercises. Students gained industry-aligned insights and presented group outcomes, with completion certificates jointly awarded by FRDC and MSAP; four faculty and seven students participated.	01 - 05 Jul 2025
13	Ms Prateeksha Unnikrishanan	Senior Project Lead, FRDC	Expert for Micro credential Course by FRDC (Future Design Research Company), Bengaluru, India for 2nd, 3rd and 4th year B. Des (ID) For Subject RETAIL INTERIOR DESIGN AND CONSUMER ENGAGEMEN at FF22, CAD Lab, UGF 04 for Industry – Academia Collaboration by Ms. Ruchi Mehta, Design Director, FRDC; Ms. Prateeksha Unnikrishanan, Senior Project Lead, FRDC & Ms. Surbhi Gupta, Studio Director –	

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14	Ms Surbhi Gupta	Studio Director – Studio and Design, FRDC	Expert for Micro credential Course by FRDC (Future Design Research Company), Bengaluru, India for 2nd, 3rd and 4th year B. Des (ID) For Subject RETAIL INTERIOR DESIGN AND CONSUMER ENGAGEMEN at FF22, CAD Lab, UGF 04 for Industry – Academia Collaboration by Ms. Ruchi Mehta, Design Director, FRDC; Ms. Prateeksha Unnikrishanan, Senior Project Lead, FRDC & Ms. Surbhi Gupta, Studio Director – Studio & Design, FRDC. The session was intended to enable students to relate to real world practice of Retail Interior Design. Experts engaged the students with lectures, guided activity and discussions in the forenoon sessions on all days and market research, site visits, and design exercise in the afternoon sessions. Outcomes of the Program were The students in the session interacted with the industry experts, gained insights into the	

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15	Ms Sandra Soman	Creative Director, Weavers Stores.	Ms Sandra Soman, Creative Director of Weavers Stores, led a micro-credential course for II to IV year BDes (FD) students on brand-based product development using sustainable handloom fabrics. Students created a Spring–Summer range of four ensembles, integrating brand aesthetics and forecasts, with four faculty and nine students participating; certificates were jointly awarded by Weavers Stores and MSAP.	03 - 05 Jul 2025
16	Ar Sudeep Karat Parambath	Healthcare Design Specialist, Principal Architect, Sparch Consultancy, Calicut	Ar Sudeep Parambath, Principal Architect at Sparch Consultancy, delivered a guest lecture on *"Healthcare Design – The Systematic Approach"* for BDes (ID), fifth semester, covering planning principles, spatial zoning, material and lighting standards, and evidence-based healthcare design. Through case studies, standards, and interactive discussions, six faculty and 48 students gained industry-aligned insights into healthcare workflows, user psychology, documentation, and sustainable design.	22 Jul 2025
17	Mr Shovan Kar,	Design Director and Founding partner, Design objects, Bengaluru	Mr Shovan Kar, Design Director and Founding Partner, Design Objects, Bengaluru, conducted classes for Product Design Studio - I for First Semester MDes (PD) students	06 - 09 Aug 2025
18	Mr Shovan Kar	Design Director and Founding partner, Design objects, Bengaluru	Mr Shovan Kar, Design Director and Founding Partner, Design Objects, Bengaluru, conducted classes for Product Design Studio -	06 - 09 Aug 2025

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			I for First Semester MDes (PD) students	
19	Mr Sayal Elias	Trend Forecasting Manager, Reliance - Yousta, Bengaluru	Mr Sayal Elias, Trend Forecasting Manager at Reliance Yousta (Bengaluru), delivered an expert lecture on *Menswear Design and Trends* for third-year BDes (FD)and second-year MA (FM) students, focusing on design elements, pricing categories, and trend-forecast implementation. With two faculty and 22 students participating, the session enhanced understanding of menswear development, consumer behaviour, and industry practices.	30 Aug 2025
20	Mr Shovan Kar	Design Director and Founding partner, Design objects, Bengaluru	Mr Shovan Kar, Design Director and Founding Partner, Design Objects, Bengaluru conducted classes for Product Design Studio - I for First Semester MDes (PD) students	10 - 13 Sep 2025
21	Dr Santosh Nayak	Assistant Professor-Selection Grade, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (formerly Department of Commerce), Manipal Academy of Higher Education	Dr Santosh Nayak, Assistant Professor (Selection Grade), Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, delivered an expert lecture on *Business Regulations* for first-year MA (FM) students as part of the Entrepreneurship course at MSAP. The session helped students understand key legal frameworks, compliance requirements, and regulatory impacts on business decisions, with one faculty member and four students participating.	08 Oct 2025
22	Mr Nitesh	Music Artist from Manipal	Music Artist from Manipal for Pre-Opus Fair	28 Oct 2025
23	Ms Shalini James	Shalini James, Founder and Lead Designer, Mantra, Kochi	Guest of Honour Ms Shalini James, Founder and Lead Designer, Mantra, Kochi, for OPUS X AVANT 2025 at MSAP.	29 Oct 2025
24	Dr Shobha U Kamath	Chairperson, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE	Dr Shobha U Kamath, Chairperson, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE for OPUS X AVANT 2025 at MSAP	29 Oct 2025
25	Dr Manoj Panwar	Assistant Professor, Department of Architecture, DCR University of Science and	Dr Manoj Panwar, Assistant Professor, Department of Architecture, DCR University of Science and Technology, Murthal,	03 Nov 2025

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		Technology, Murthal, Haryana	Haryana, to conduct a Research Lecture on Multi-Criteria Decision Making (MCDM) for faculty, Research scholars, and Postgraduate students (MDes, MArch, PhD) at the Seminar Hall, Second Floor, MSAP	
26	Ms Rimjhim Kumar Charan	COO and Co-Founder, 100 Krafts (Connoisseurs Desk Pvt Ltd.)	Micro credential Course by Mr Ravi Roshan, CEO and Co-Founder, 100 Krafts (Connoisseurs Desk Pvt Ltd.) Bengaluru, India, and Ms Rimjhim Kumar Charan, COO and Co-Founder, 100 Krafts (Connoisseurs Desk Pvt] Ltd) for I, II and III BDes (ID) at Seminar Hall, CAD Lab, MSAP	17 - 20 Nov 2025
27	Mr Kasthuri Srinath Pai	Executive Vice President, Cadence McShane Austin, Texas, USA	Guest Lecture by Mr Kasthuri Srinath Pai, Executive Vice President, Cadence McShane, Austin, Texas, USA, conducted the Guest Lecture on the topic "A Journey of a Manipal Graduate Architect-An Adventure Filled with Pivoting and Learning" for faculty members, students, and members of the IIA (Indian Institute of Architects) Manipal-Mangalore Chapter at the Seminar Hall MSAP	17 Nov 2025
29	Mr Ravi Roshan	CEO and Co-Founder, 100 Krafts (Connoisseurs Desk Pvt Ltd.) Bengaluru, India	Micro credential Course by Mr Ravi Roshan, CEO & Co-Founder, 100 Krafts (Connoisseurs Desk Pvt. Ltd.) Bengaluru, India, and Ms Rimjhim Kumar Charan, COO and Co-Founder, 100 Krafts (Connoisseurs Desk Pvt Ltd)for I, II, and III BDes (ID) at Seminar Hall, CAD Lab, MSAP	17 - 20 Nov 2025
29	Dr Hari Hara Subramanian	Vice President @ Neuronano AB-USA; ex-Boston Scientific; Science and Medical Affairs; Business Development; Enterprise Level Partnerships; Research and Development; Professor @ Mayo Clinic; Author; MIT ALUMNUS	Guest Talk addressing MSAP faculty by Adjunct international guest faculty Dr Hari Hara Subramanian, Vice President @ Neuronano AB-USA;ex-Boston Scientific; Science and Medical Affairs; Business Development; Enterprise Level Partnerships; Research and Development; Professor @ Mayo Clinic; Author; on "The Art and Architecture of Neuromodulation", MIT ALUMNUS at Board Room, MSAP	20 Nov 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
2	10	2	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students:

Faculty	
National	International
0	1

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Workshop	18	0
Other	0	35

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Design and development of affordable caregiver-friendly clothing for children with cerebral palsy based on the Functional, Expressive, and Aesthetic Consumer Needs Model: A multidisciplinary approach	Mrs Nagaveni Nayak	ICMR, New Delhi	174,635	16 Nov 2023 - 15 Nov 2026
2	Smart Sensor-based Responsive Mattress for Offloading and Treating Pressure Ulcers	CO-PI Dr Resmi G	ICMR, New Delhi	1,208,688	10 Mar 2025 - 09 Mar 2028

Patent Details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Ergonomic Artificial Intelligence Integrated Reading Chair Device for Children – Ms Akshaya R	23 Aug 2025
2	An Ergonomic Compression Sleeve for Limb Stabilization – Ms Anitha S	13 Nov 2025
3	Ergonomic Handbell Device – Ms Akshaya R	03 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Indian Institutional Ranking Framework (IIRF)	Indian Institutional Ranking Framework (IIRF) - 2025 Rankings; DOD-6TH Rank Design; State-1st Rank	07 Apr 2025
2	THE WEEK-Hansa Research Best Colleges Survey 2025	The Week Best College Survey 2025- Fashion Technology- Overall (Private/Gov) - 19 All India Private - 6	22 Jun 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Resmi	Selected to participate in the Women Leadership in STEM Program, be part of a cohort of 20 women scientists in India. First Residency, 22 to 26 Jul 2024, Mussoorie; Second Residency, 22 to 25 October 2024, Bengaluru; Third Residency, 28 to 31 2025, New Delhi.	31 Jan 2025

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2	Dr Resmi G	"Question Paper Setter for The End Semester Examinations in April/May 2025 - QP Submitted On 06 Feb 2025"	06 Feb 2025
3	Mrs Aiswarya Ajith	Conduct an expert lecture on an artisans' awareness workshop in the Knitwear Design Department, NIFT, Kerala	07 Feb 2025
4	Mr Palaniappan A R	"Recognition of their valuable contribution as the Faculty Coordinator of the 3K route design for Manipal Marathon 2025"	09 Feb 2025
5	Dr Resmi G	Guest speaker for delivering a distinguished talk in the technical session entitled Emerging Trends in AI and Sustainability for the Fashion Industry, during the International Conference on Transforming Fashion with AI and Sustainability	02 Apr 2025
6	Dr Resmi G	Facilitator Certificate received for contributing as a facilitator for the Sunny Smiles - Summer Camp 2025	24 Apr 2025
7	Dr Veena Rao	BoS meeting of MSc Textiles and Apparel Design	24 Apr 2025
8	Ms Yassa Zubair	Facilitator Certificate received for contributing as a facilitator for the Sunny Smiles - Summer Camp 2025, conducted a Creative Frame Making Workshop for children	24 Apr 2025
9	Mrs Nagaveni N Nayak	A guest and judge for the student fashion show at the annual event "VOGUE VISTA 2025."	29 Apr 2025
10	Dr Trupti Ravindra Chauhan	Reviewer certificate in recognition of contribution to 1 manuscript in 2025 for Discover Civil Engineering	09 May 2025
11	Ms Nagaveni N Nayak	Chief guest for the school reopening day at Christ School, Manipal	02 Jun 2025
12	Ms Yassa Zubair	External Jury member for the subjects GP/DC/RP for the III year students of the BDes (knitwear design) program	03 Jun 2025
13	Ms Nagaveni N Nayak	Course Coordinator in the certificate course on Art of Sewing: A Beginner's Workshop at Manipal Summer School Program 2025	26 Jul 2025
14	Mr Santosh Gupta	Course Coordinator in the certificate course on Craft Your Kaftan: A Beginner's Guide To Garment Making at Manipal Summer School Program 2025.	26 Jul 2025
15	Dr Veena Rao	Examined a thesis on the topic "Dhabhla Weaving of Kutch: Prospects for their Sustainability and Revival through Innovation." Submitted by Mrs Arooshi for the Award of the PhD Degree of the Banasthali Vidyapith.	06 Oct 2025
16	Ms Nagaveni N Nayak	awarded a 2,250 USD International Travel Scholarship from the American Academy for Cerebral Palsy and Developmental Medicine (AACPDM) to attend the 79th Annual Meeting in New Orleans, Louisiana, from 15 to 18 Oct 2025 for a poster presentation, titled: 'Mom, if I were able to walk, you would have brought all these clothes, right?': Caregivers' lived experiences of clothing-related knowledge, Challenges, and Preferences of Children with Cerebral Palsy	18 Oct 2025
17	Ms Nagaveni N Nayak	External Examiner for the Semester-End Practical Examination of the III semester BA (FD)	19 Nov 2025
18	Mr Santosh Gupta	External Examiner for the Semester End Practical Examination of V Semester BA (Fashion Design), Nov/Dec 2025 Session	19 Nov 2025
19	Dr Monisha Sobti	External Examiner for the End Semester Examination for BSc Home Science (Pass), Semester III students	06 Dec 2025
20	Mr Gaurav Mishra	Bharatiya Vigyan Sammelan 2025 (BVS 2025) - Bharatiya Perspective of Integral Development	29 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ms Prathiksha Shenoy	In appreciation of her contribution to the VSO, as a college Coordinator for MSAP from Jul 2024 to April 2025, organized by VSO, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	30 Apr 2025
2	Ms Aastha Saini	BDes, Final event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-2025 Net Zero Energy Challenge on 23 to 25 May 2025 at Infosys, Mysore. MSAP won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-2025 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysore. Winner (first prize): Institutional Building Division (Team Nirman, MSAP)	25 May 2025
3	Ms. Preeyal Singhi	Bdes (ID), Finals event of the Solar Decathlon India 2024-2025 Net Zero Energy at Infosys, Mysore, where MSAP won three awards at the prestigious Solar Decathlon India 2024-2025 Net Zero Energy Challenge at Infosys, Mysore. Winner (runner-up): Office Division (Team Samarpan, MSAP)	25 May 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual Sports Event SIEG 2025	SIEG'25 began with PRESIEG indoor events (19 to 22 Aug 2024) and continued with major sports from 07 Jan to 01 Feb 2025, culminating in the main athletics day on 03 Feb at MIT Grounds, inaugurated by Dr Monica Charlotte Solomon. The event featured multiple sports, cultural contests, prize distribution, and concluded with TARVOS as the overall house champion, achieving strong participation across departments.	03 Feb 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Inter MAHE Faculty Cricket Tournament	Inter MAHE Faculty Cricket Tournament	25 Jan 2025
2	MAHE Inter Collegiate Volleyball Tournament	Venue - Sharda Court	25 Jan 2025
3	Inter MAHE Staff Swimming Tournament	Inter MAHE Staff Swimming Tournament	31 Aug 2025

Cultural Activities:
In Institution:

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1	Pre-Opus Week 25'	Pre-Opus Week 2025 at the MSAP Foyer and Courtyard featured themed days, Pirate Day, Desi Core, and Denim and Dazzle with scavenger hunts, Mehendi stalls, DIY stations, and cultural events including mime, dance, street play, and creative performances. The celebrations concluded successfully with a Bohemian theme, showcasing strong student participation and creativity.	10 Feb 2025
2	OPUS 25'	OPUS'25 – *Euphoria* at MSAP featured faculty and student achievements, batch toppers of 2023-2024, formal	14 Feb 2025

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		ceremonies, and vibrant cultural performances by students and faculty across all years. With a packed audience of students, faculty, and guests, the event concluded successfully, demonstrating excellent planning and execution.	
3	Onam and Ganesh Chaturthi	Onam and Ganesh Chaturthi Celebration 2025	02 Sep 2025
4	Vishwakarma Pooja	Vishwakarma Pooja	17 Sep 2025
5	Sharada Pooja and Ganahoma Pooja	Sharada Pooja and Ganahoma Pooja at the second-floor Foyer, MSAP	23 Sep 2025
6	Event "Rhythms of Tradition - Garba Night 2025 - Garba Mahotsav	Event "Rhythms of Tradition - Garba Night 2025 - Garba Mahotsav, an evening filled with rhythm, colour, and culture, organized at MSAP Courtyard	26 Sep 2025
7	Pre-Opus and OPUS X AVANT 2025	Pre-Opus and OPUS X AVANT 2025 at MSAP featured Halloween-themed fairs, presidential elections, batch and faculty performances, and a grand Arabian Nights–themed celebration with felicitations, awards, investiture, and the Avant fashion showcase. Bringing together 120 to 150 faculty and 600 to 650 students, the events celebrated creativity, research, achievements, and community spirit.	28 Oct 2025

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Workshop by alumna Akshatha Hegade gave BDes Fashion Design students hands-on exposure to the knitwear design process and tech-pack development, strengthening industry skills aligned with SDGs 3, 9, and 12.

Admissions Drive featured international experts Ms Ashwini Pai and Ms Lipika Balaji, offering applicants a global design workshop and campus tour that strengthened MSAP's admissions outreach and highlighted its international design excellence.

Ms Krishna Satish, CEO of Weavers Stores, guided BDes and MA(FM) students in developing an entrepreneurial mindset with practical insights on brand building and fashion venture development, supporting SDG 4.

BDes Fashion Design students volunteered at FDCI x Lakmé Fashion Week, gaining national-level exposure, industry networking, and professional portfolio enrichment within India's leading fashion ecosystem.

The Weavers Stores Micro-credential Course led by Creative Director Ms Sandra Soman, immersed BDes Fashion Design students in craft-based product development and creative direction, strengthening industry–academia collaboration in alignment with SDG 17

Mr Sandeep Sarkar gave BDes Fashion Design students full exposure to the fashion shoot workflow and enabled them to produce portfolio-ready work, supporting SDG 4.

Mr Santosh Gupta introduced foundational garment-making techniques to BDes Fashion Design and DoD students while promoting inclusive and ethical practices aligned with SDGs 4, 5, 8, and 12.

The National Handloom Day event on 07 Aug 2025 brought MSAP faculty, staff, and students together for a Handloom Hackathon and Block Printing workshop led by Mr Santosh Gupta and Dr Monisha Sobti, promoting cultural sustainability and collaboration aligned with SDGs 4, 8, 11, and 12.

Workshop by Mr Srini Shankar Neelakantan introduced VII-semester BDes (FD) and MA(FM) students to sustainable brand development, forecasting, and merchandising strategies for fashion brands, supporting on 11 Aug 2025 aligned with SDG 4.

Dr Raghavendra Rao P and Dr Asha C S introduced MDes Product Design students to integrating electronics in product development, strengthening technical and innovation skills in alignment with SDG

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Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Bachelor of Hotel Management (BHM)
- Bachelor of Science (BSc) /BSc (Hons) Culinary Science
- Bachelor of Science (BSc)/BSc (Hons) Hospitality and Services Management
- Master of Science (MSc) Dietetics and Applied Nutrition (DAN)
- Master of Hotel Management (MHM)
- Master of Arts (MA) Indian Cuisine and Food Culture

About the Institution/School

Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA) is a constituent unit of Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, and was established in 1986 as a unit of Dr TMA Pai Foundation, in partnership with the Hotels Division of ITC Ltd. Today, WGSHA is India's premier hotel management institute, ranked among the best hotel management schools in India and the world. An institute with excellent brand image, three decades of history, highly successful alumni base, supportive staff, and a welcoming atmosphere. WGSHA is approved by All India Council of Technical Education (AICTE) for BHM and MHM programs. It is partnered with ITC Hotels which supports the institute by lending its expertise in conducting the courses, continuous update of curriculum, assisting in admissions, and providing other support from its hotels. The college is accredited by "Hotel Schools of Distinction", US. WGSHA is the first and only hospitality school in Asia-Pacific region to be accredited by HSD and be certified by Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI), as a licensed food business operator. WGSHA offers several international collaborations and flexible pathway options for students. Apart from the university scholarships, the college provides many scholarships as prizes as well as medals and some of them are fully sponsored scholarships by alumni and other partners. WGSHA has launched Industry–Academia Interface Sessions with industry stalwarts from the top hotel brands and faculty members, to share their views and concerns. Celebrity Chef Vikas Khanna, "Distinguished Alumnus" of WGSHA, and 6-time Michelin Starred Indian Chef, has donated a Culinary Museum displaying antique utensils and tools worth 2 million USD. Simulations, Culinary Boot Camps, Food Enthusiasts Programmes, Wine Appreciation Programmes, Expert Sessions, Food Festivals, Indian festivals etc., are conducted frequently to add to the

students' learning and exposure. The college uses Oracle Cloud, Opera Property Management System (PMS), and IDS NEXT Integrated PMS for hands on learning and has subscribed to STR Share Center for hospitality industry data. To enrich students' co-curricular and extra-curricular experiences, the institution has developed a comprehensive Pastoral ecosystem that supports holistic development, well-being, and engagement. As part of this ecosystem, several dynamic societies have been established, including: Gastronomy Society, Sports Society, Lifestyle Society, Sustainability Society, Career Society, Alumni Society, Start-up Society, and Digital Society. These societies organize a wide variety of activities such as events, chapters, meetings, reunions, sessions (dance, drama, music, literary), projects (entrepreneurship, innovation, cottage and cloud), regional and international culinary experiences, patisserie and boulangerie workshops, experiences (photography, movie screenings, gaming, social interactions, art, wine, fashion, luxury), community engagement, outdoor and indoor activities, volunteering, athletics, and marathons. These societies provide opportunities for skill development, networking, and personal growth. It also provides opportunities to foster skill development, networking, leadership, and personal growth.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

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1	BSc / BSc (Honours) Hospitality and Services Management	The BSc (Honours) in Hospitality and Services Management program with a specialization in Real Estate Management, Retail Management and services sector is a pioneer program in India's hospitality and services management domain. It aims to develop an overall understanding of the business dynamics of the hospitality and selected service industries such as real estate and retail. This program tailors the curriculum to cover business fundamentals while incorporating specific knowledge and skills relevant to the Services Sector employment requirements. Focus: a)To provide students with a foundation in basic concepts that focus on the business and management aspects of the hospitality and selected service industries, b) To offer specialized courses that focus on the unique aspects of the service industries that help students to develop a deeper understanding of the essence of business, c) To enable the application of requisite skills in diverse service domains such as hospitality, retail, and real estate to give a holistic understanding of the business ecosystem, and d) To cultivate management, communication, and leadership skills essential for a successful career in service industries. At the end of the program, the students will be able to get employment at different levels based on the exit option they opt for. Mandatory dual internship opportunities in any of the service industries, such as hotels, retail, real estate, and events, prepare them to join suitable industries based on their choices. Upon completion of an Honors degree, they can also pursue higher studies and research or start their own entrepreneurial venture/s.	3 Aug 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

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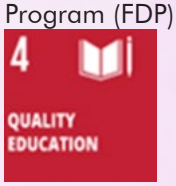
1	The Faculty Development Program (FDP) 	The Faculty Development Programme (FDP) 1.0 for 2025, titled "The Educators' Toolkit: Effective Teaching, Leadership, Resilience, and Well-being," was held at WGSHA. It was an inspiring and enriching event that brought together faculty members for a day of learning, reflection, and skill enhancement. The chief guest of the event, Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE while inaugurating the FDP, emphasized the	7 Jan 2025

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		significance of continuous learning and development for academicians. He highlighted the unique qualities of Gen Z and Gen Alpha, urging teachers to stay updated and attuned to the evolving needs and perspectives of their students. The resource persons of the workshop were Dr Ram Narayan, Pro Chancellor, Sikkim–Manipal University and Mr Prakash Chugani, Global Leadership Expert and Resilience Strategist.	
2	Session on "Physical and Mental Well-being" 	WGSHA, in association with Student Affairs MAHE, organized a session on "Physical and Mental Well-being" for the first-year UG students.	14 Jan 2025
3	Alumni Lecture Series 	Alumni Lecture Series was organized by the Department of Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, WGSHA. The theme given by the Indian Dietetics Association was "Maximize the reach of nutritionists through sustainable solutions towards communicable and non-communicable diseases (NCDs) using Technology and Artificial Intelligence". Alumni Lecture series was conducted by alumni in the industry, Ms Jayalakshmi Shenoy, Nutrition Consultant, Alumna (MSc DAN (3rd Course)) and Mr Nikesh Kumar Jain, Founder—NSR NutriEduTech Solutions Pvt Ltd, Alumnus (MSc DAN (8th Course)). Ms Shenoy gave a lecture titled "The Nutripreneur's E-business Toolkit: Navigating opportunities, Overcoming challenges and thriving with Technology" and Mr Jain spoke on the role of digitalisation in nutrition.	16 Jan 2025
4	Boot camp for the students of Korea Global Chef High School 	WGSHA, MAHE, hosted students from Korean Global Chef High School, South Korea, for an exclusive Culinary Boot Camp exploring the rich tapestry of Indian food and culture. This immersive experience featured hands-on workshops on authentic Indian cuisine, cultural activities highlighting India's traditions, and opportunities for cross-cultural learning.	19 - 26 Jan 2025
5	Expert session on "Revenue Management and Sustainability and Net Zero Initiatives in the Hospitality Industry" 	An expert session on "Revenue Management and Sustainability and Net Zero Initiatives in the Hospitality Industry" was organised at WGSHA by Mr Shatrunjay Yadav, Associate Vice President, Association of Hospitality Professional's Welfare for the students of 1st year MHM and final year students of BHM.	20 Jan 2025

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6	Hospitality 201 Training for IT professionals supporting the hospitality domain	WGSHA, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with ITC Infotech, a subsidiary of ITC Ltd organized "Hospitality 201 Training" at its premises for its 3rd batch of IT professionals supporting the hospitality domain. This comprehensive course was exclusively designed to equip IT professionals working in the hospitality domain with specialized knowledge and skills essential for excelling in the dynamic and evolving hospitality industry. The training provided an in-depth understanding of a guest's journey through various stages of the guest cycle.	20 - 21 Jan 2025
7	A temple cooking experience	A temple cooking experience is organized for the students of the MA in Indian Cuisine and Food Culture—3rd course at the Narasinghe temple, Manipal. It was a hands-on experience of volume cooking within the temple premises based on dishes served as part of temple prasad.	29 Jan 2025
8	A Day of Learning and Luxury at The Lalit Resort andand Spa Bekal	MHM 5th course students had field trip to a luxury property in Bekal, Kerala, renowned for its world-class hospitality. The visit was designed to bridge classroom learning with real-world applications in Sales and Marketing, Revenue Management, and Luxury Hospitality Practices. Key highlights included: **Property Tour** (Exploring the resort's unique features, such as its private helipad, exclusive beach access, and the tranquil Nombili River), **Interactive Sessions** (Gaining valuable insights from industry experts, including the General Manager, senior staff, and a detailed session by the Spa Manager on Ayurveda and wellness in hospitality), and **Culinary Excellence** (Enjoying the resort's exceptional culinary offerings during lunch and high tea). The trip was an enriching experience; blending practical knowledge, professional interactions, and exposure to the luxury hospitality industry.	29 Jan 2025
9	Educational trip of The Food and Beverage Service specialization batch of the 36th course Bachelor of Hotel Management (BHM) students	The Food and Beverage Service specialization batch of the 36th course BHM of WGSHA visited Bengaluru for an educational trip. During this tour, students visited Byg Brewski Brewing Company and Grover Zampa Vineyard Ltd to gain on-site experience and insight into the brewing and winemaking processes. The tour provided students with a comprehensive understanding of the production methods, quality control, and service aspects of the beverage industry. On the way to Bengaluru, students visited the Belur Chennakeshava Temple, a UNESCO Heritage site. The students had an opportunity to experience the temple's architecture, history, and cultural significance. At the BGY BREWSKI Brewing Company, students had the rare experience of witnessing the magical creation of brewed beer. Head brewer, Ms Vidya briefed about beer making followed by a beer tasting session. During the tasting session, they explored some of the best beers BGY BREWSKI Brewing Company offered. At the Grover's Vineyard Ltd, a renowned winery in India, students had an opportunity to gain hands-on knowledge about the wine-making and tasting process. During the visit, students were exposed to the entire wine production process, from grape harvesting to bottling. Students also participated in a wine-tasting session, where they learned to appreciate the nuances of different wines. During the	31 Jan 2025 - 2 Feb 2025

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		visit to the Isha Foundation's Adi Yogi Temple, located at Chikkaballapura, students could witness the cultural and spiritual significance of our country.	
10	Bootcamp	WGSHA Entrepreneurship Development Cell in collaboration with Innovation Centre, MAHE hosted a Bootcamp. The guest speakers were Mr Suhas D Prabhu and Ms Regina Hoffman, Department of Humanities andand Management. The speakers gave lectures titled "Creating Generational Wealth from Disruptive Innovation" and "Revealing the truth of Product Customer Fit" respectively. Ms Regina Hoffman is from Delft University, Netherlands. Mr Suhas has enormously worked in Saudi Arabia and has well-travelled for his business around the world. The guest speakers enlightened the students with simple examples and triggered the spark of entrepreneurship in every student.	1 Feb 2025
11	Session on "Hotel Law and Ethics"	WGSHA, MAHE organized an insightful session on "Hotel Law and Ethics" by Mr Santosh Nayak, Assistant Professor –Selection Grade, Department of Commerce, MAHE for MHM 5th Course students.	4 Feb 2025
12	Masterclass on food authenticity and sustainable diets	WGSHA, MAHE Hosted distinguished experts from University College Dublin, Ireland, for an insightful masterclass on food authenticity and sustainable diets for students of MSc Dietetics andand Applied Nutrition. Professor Frank Monahan, Head, School of Agriculture and Food Science, University College Dublin gave insights on "How Real (Authentic) Is Your Food?" Professor Eileen Gibney, Professor, School of Agriculture and Food Science, University College Dublin explored the challenges and opportunities to deliver healthy and sustainable diets. This session offered an exclusive opportunity to gain global perspectives on nutrition, food science, and sustainability.	14 Feb 2025
13	Session on Online Reputation Management in the Hospitality Industry	Mr Rohan Jugran's (Customer Success, Cesim, India) session on Online Reputation Management in the Hospitality Industry was conducted for the students of Master of Hotel Management, focusing on its significance in today's digital landscape. The session provided a comprehensive understanding of how online reputation impacts business growth and sustainability, particularly in the hospitality sector.	22 Feb 2025
14	Online session for the students of Master of Hotel Management on the hospitality business	Mr Lakshminarayanan Srinivasan (Alumnus, BHM 14th Course) conducted an informative online session for the students of Master of Hotel Management on the hospitality business, offering valuable insights into the industry's key aspects and operational structures.	22 Feb 2025
15	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025	WGSHA Celebrated its Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025 at the Lawns, Fortune Valley View (Member, ITC's hotel group),	26 Feb 2025

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		Manipal in presence of Mr Sanjay Bose Executive Vice President - Human Resources and Learning and Development, ITC Hotels Limited. The Chief Guest of the event was Lieutenant General (Dr) M D Venkatesh, Vice Chancellor, MAHE. Honourable dignitaries included Guest of Honour, Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor Technology and Science; Dr PLNG Rao, Advisor, MAHE; Distinguished Alumni Awardees 2025 Mr Rohit Ramachandran, Independent Board Member, Jazeera Airways, WGSHA Alumnus (9th Course BHM); and Ms Swatee Chaturvedi, Director of Human Resources, WGSHA Alumna (10th Course BHM). The event was attended by MAHE Officials, faculty, guests, parents and students.	
16	Alumni Silver Reunion of 9th to 12th Course BHM	WGSHA proudly hosted its Alumni Silver Reunion of 9th to 12th Course BHM at Fortune Valley View, Manipal; marking 25 years of excellence and camaraderie. The event united esteemed alumni, and faculties in a spirit of nostalgia and accomplishment.	27 Feb 2025
17	WGSHA Research Day 2025	WGSHA hosted its annual Research Day, a vibrant event that brought together students, faculty, and industry experts to celebrate innovation and research in hospitality, culinary arts, and nutrition. Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar of MAHE, presided over the event as the chief guest and officially commenced the proceedings. Dr Senthil Kumaran, Professor and Research Coordinator at WGSHA, provided an overview of Research Day 2025, highlighting its significance in balancing the development of hospitality and nutrition professionals while fostering a strong research culture. One of the highlights of the day was an engaging session by Dr Dasharathraj K Shetty, Associate Professor from the Department of Data Science and Computer Application at MIT, MAHE. His talk on the ethical use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in research captivated the audience. Drawing parallels the initial resistance to calculators, Dr Shetty emphasised that AI is an inevitable and valuable tool in modern research. He demonstrated practical ways to use AI ethically. The valedictory ceremony was graced by Dr Yogesh Pai P, Professor and Head of the Department of Humanities and Management at MIT, MAHE.	6 Mar 2025
18	Workshop on Techniques and Methods of Nutritional Assessment	WGSHA conducted a 3-day Workshop on "Techniques and Methods of Nutritional assessment" by inviting resource persons Dr N Aralappa, Mr Sree Ramakrishna, and Ms Neeraja from the prestigious National Institute of Nutrition, ICMR, Hyderabad. The first day of the workshop covered a broad spectrum of nutrition-related topics, starting with foundational concepts like the Minimum Acceptance Diet (MAD), malnutrition, the Triple Burden of Malnutrition, and Hidden Hunger, along with clinical signs and symptoms for identifying nutritional deficiencies. Various dietary survey methods, including Food Balance Sheets, 24-hour Recall, and Weighment, were discussed, analyzing their pros and cons. After the session on these methods on 20th March 2025, students received practical training for two days (21st and 22nd March 2025) in the field by visiting Anganwadi with a hands-on	20 - 22 Mar 2025

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		experience on anthropometric measurement techniques of using a stadiometer, digital scale, skin fold caliper etc for infants, pre-schoolers, and school going children followed by a visit to houses nearby to learn the techniques of capturing the dietary intake using standard methods. The afternoon session on 21st March focused on a balanced diet for Indians, acceptable macronutrient distribution, and "my plate" concept. Later, the ICMR household survey was discussed, gathering key information on demographics, living conditions, sanitation, and nutrition access; essential for designing effective nutritional policies and guidelines. The household demographic data collection tool was discussed. The afternoon's session on 22nd March focused on the WHO child growth standards for different age groups, calculation of Z scores, BMI classification for Asians, and nutritional biomarkers.	
19	WGSHA Sports Day 2025	WGSHA organized its annual sports day at MIT Athletic Ground, MAHE, Manipal.	21 Mar 2025
20	The Lecture based on National Education Policy (NEP) 2020	The Lecture based on NEP 2020 was organized by the NEP SAARTHI of WGSHA, MAHE to raise awareness among students about the 2020. The initiative aimed to educate and engage students about the key reforms and principles introduced by the policy, which focuses on transforming and enhancing the educational framework in India. The guest speaker for the lecture was Dr Guruprasad Rao, Deputy Registrar Academics (Health Sciences), MAHE.	25 Mar 2025
21	Chocolate and pastry workshop	WGSHA organised the chocolate and pastry workshop for the students of 12th Course BA (Culinary Arts) by our distinguished alumna, Chef Nandheetha Varadarajan. Students learned about cocoa harvesting and the composition of different chocolates and practiced various products using chocolate tempering techniques. Chef Nandheetha showcased the art and skill of perfectly tempered chocolates using precise methods and temperatures. The enjoyable, insightful, and informative workshop concluded with plated dessert techniques and valuable tips and tricks to achieve flawless tempered chocolate each time.	1 - 5 Apr 2025
22	Masterclass on Indian Contemporary Desserts	WGSHA, MAHE, hosted a masterclass on Indian Contemporary Desserts by Chef Kajal, offering final-year BHM culinary specialization students a unique learning experience. Chef Kajal demonstrated her creative takes on traditional desserts, preparing Ghewar, Shahi Buns, and a Matcha Roll with her signature twists. The session gave students hands-on insights into modern dessert-making techniques, blending classic Indian flavours with contemporary presentation. The enriching workshop inspired students to innovate and refine their culinary skills.	4 Apr 2025
23	Formal banquet with the graduating batches of the 36th Course BHM and 12th Course BA (Culinary Arts).	Formal banquet with the graduating batches of the 36th Course BHM and 12th Course BA (Culinary Arts) was organized. Chief Guest for the formal banquet were Chef Nandheetha Varadarajan (Pastry Chef, Consultant, and Educator), Mr Manas	8 - 10 Apr 2025

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		V Krishnamoorthy (Cluster General Manager, ITC Grand Goa, alumnus from the 11th course BHM), and Ms Amandeep Kaur, General Manager, ITC Gardenia, Bengaluru.	
24	Expert Session 	Hosted Expert Session by Mr Manas Krishnamoorthy, Cluster General Manager at @ITC Grand Goa, with 1st year BHM students of WGSHA. He shared his valuable insights, industry trends, and leadership wisdom that promise to inspire and elevate.	9 Apr 2025
25	Expert Session on Cultural Sensitivity 	Organized insightful expert session on "Cultural Sensitivity" by Dr Praveen K Shetty, Assistant Professor, and Coordinator—Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue, MIT MAHE, for MHM and MAIC Students.	9 Apr 2025
26	Field trip to Mangalore 	Final-year students specializing in Accommodation Management embarked on an enriching field trip to Mangalore, exploring various cultural and professional experiences. The group visited Pilikula Guttu Mane, Artisan Village, and Hotel Avatar, Mangalore. At Pilikula Guttu Mane and Artisan Village, the students got a wonderful opportunity to witness traditional arts, crafts, and local heritage. They observed skilled artisans at work, showcasing intricate craftsmanship in weaving, pottery, woodwork, and other traditional art forms. The visit offered valuable insights into the effort, creativity, and precision of preserving these crafts. The trip concluded with a tour of a boutique hotel, Hotel Avatar, where students gained exposure to real-world hospitality operations. They observed sustainable housekeeping practices, design aesthetics, and service standards, connecting their classroom learning with practical applications in the field. Overall, it was a highly informative and inspiring day for the students, blending culture, creativity, and professional growth.	11 Apr 2025
27	Educational field visit 	WGSHA organised an educational field visit for students of the 4th Course of MAIC to Campco Chocolate Factory, Mangalore. Students were exposed to the entire chocolate-making process from sourcing ingredients to production. It was an extremely informative visit, which made students aware of all the standard operating procedures of operating a chocolate factory. Students also visited Artisan Village, Pilikula, where they witnessed the traditional arts of pottery making, blacksmithing, cold pressing of oil, handloom, making of flattened rice, and grain grinding. It was a day filled with learning, joy and an unforgettable experience.	12 Apr 2025
28	Dance Workshop 	WGSHA hosted a Dance Workshop conducted by our alumnus, Mr Piyush Koner, from the 35th Course BHM.	12 Apr 2025

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29	Cross Exposure Training at ITC Hotels	13 Faculties participated in Cross Exposure Training at different ITC Hotels.	1 - 7 Jun 2025
30	IEC—Orientation and Documentation session	IEC—Orientation and Documentation session for faculty, conducted by Ms Pallavi Mahesh Shettigar, Assistant Professor (Selection Grade) and MSc Dietetics and Applied Nutrition Program Coordinator.	1 Jul 2025
31	IT Skills Training session for the academic staff	WGSHA, MAHE had the distinct privilege of hosting a highly informative IT Skills Training session for the academic staff. The session was expertly led by Mr Rohith Radhakrishnan, Senior Research Fellow at MSCE, MAHE, Manipal. Held from 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM in the Computer Lab, the session was an engaging blend of practical learning, in-depth discussions, and technological exploration. Mr Rohith's interactive approach and insightful guidance equipped staff with valuable tools to enhance academic performance and confidently navigate the evolving digital landscape. Participants left the session not only with enhanced skills but also with a renewed sense of inspiration and motivation to continue their journey of professional development.	10 Jul 2025
32	Cyber Safety Awareness Workshop	WGSHA, MAHE organized Cyber Safety Awareness Workshop for Non-Teaching Staff by Mr Raghavendra G, Assistant Professor – Selection Grade, IT and Management Studies, WGSHA, MAHE.	12 Jul 2025
33	Design Thinking Workshop Series by Professor Satish Jayaram	Design Thinking Workshop included Module planning for faculty, Module delivery for faculty, Module assessment for faculty, and Module evaluation for leaders. All 68 faculty from WGSHA participated in this workshop.	21 - 26 Jul 2025
34	Hyderabad WGSHA Alumni Chapter Launch	51 proud alumni of WGSHA— from the Bachelor of Hotel Management, Bachelor of Culinary Arts, and MSc Hospitality and Tourism Management programs— gathered at 10 Downing, Gachibowli, Hyderabad, to reconnect and celebrate the launch of the Hyderabad WGSHA Alumni Chapter. The event was thoughtfully organized by Mr Vikram Velamuri (8th Course, BHM) and Mr Harkirat Singh Bedi (5th Course, BHM), who played key roles in bringing together this vibrant group. The gathering saw the participation of accomplished alumni holding significant positions across various industries, reflecting the diverse and successful footprint of WGSHA graduates. Dr Vidya Patwardhan, Alumni Coordinator at WGSHA, represented MAHE and WGSHA.	26 Jul 2025

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35	Orientation Program 2025 — UG Batch	Hosted orientation program for new batch students of BHM, BSc / BSc (Honours) Culinary Science, and BSc (Hospitality and Services Management).Chief Guest was Dr Narayan Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor– Technology and Science, MAHE	2 Aug 2025
36	Inter-House Chess Tournament	The Sports Society, WGSHA conducted Inter-House Chess Tournament.	9 Aug 2025
37	Mocktail Making Competition	The Lifestyle Club, WGSHA conducted the Mocktail Making Competition with the theme “Monsoon Refreshers”.	9 Aug 2025
38	Reel Making and Photography Competition	Digital Society of WGSHA, MAHE conducted the Reel Making and Photography Competition for students.	15 Aug 2025
39	Session on Mental Health and Emotional Well-being	The Student Affairs team at WGSHA, in association with the Department of Student Affairs, MAHE, Manipal hosted a dedicated session for 1st year BHM, BSc (Culinary Science), and BSc (Hospitality and Services Management) students on mental health and emotional well-being.	18 - 22 Aug 2025
40	Orientation Program 2025 for new postgraduate students	WGSHA, MAHE Manipal, conducted orientation Program 2025 for the new postgraduate students of MSc Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, Master of Hotel Management, and MA in Indian Cuisine and Food Culture.	20 Aug 2025
41	Krishna Janmashtami festival celebration	WGSHA, MAHE celebrated Krishna Janmashtami festival. From Matka-Company to Culinary Hunt, Sip and Paint, Skits and soulful performances; every moment was pure celebration.	23 Aug 2025
42	Workshop on AI-Powered Literature Synthesis	WGSHA conducted workshop on AI-powered literature synthesis for faculty members. Resource person was Dr Rajasekharan Pillai, Professor at WGSHA, MAHE.	23 Aug 2025

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43	Young Entrepreneur's Forum 2025 Panel discussion on "The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs"	WGSHA's Alumni Society organized Young Entrepreneurs Forum Panel discussion on "The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs". Panel members were Mr Prakhyath Naik ,Partner Juice Junction and Punjabi Dhaba, Mangalore Alumnus (23rd Course BHM); Mr Shibin Shetty, Founder —Smart Hospitality, Alumnus (26th Course BHM); Mr Sudhindra Prabhu, Founder—Prabhava Caterers and Partner Maharaja Hospitality, Mangalore Alumnus (28th Course BHM); Mr Gavin Rodrigues, Founder—The ROSHoW hut Mangalore and Manipal, Alumnus (29th Course BHM); Ms Vaishali Shenoy, Founder—Panda's Kitchen, Mangalore, Alumna (6th Course BACA), and Mr Subhash Ullal, Proprietor , Azure – Sky is the Limit, Assistant Manager–Marketing, The Avatar Hotel and Convention Alumnus (8th Course BACA).	23 Aug 2025
44	Ganesh Chaturthi festival celebration	WGSHA celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi festival celebration. Various cultural programs were conducted as part of the festival.	30 Aug 2025
45	WGSHA Student Council Investiture Ceremony 2025–26	WGSHA "Student Council Investiture Ceremony" was held.	6 Sep 2025
46	WGSHA Chennai Alumni Chapter Launch	21 WGSHA alumni from the Bachelor of Hotel Management and Bachelor of Culinary Arts programs gathered at Lord of Drinks, Chennai, for the launch of the "WGSHA Chennai Alumni Chapter". The initiative was spearheaded by Mr Vikram Velamuri (8th Course BHM), with strong support from Mr Madura Madan, Mr Kevin Kundargi, and Mr Rohit Suresh in organizing the event. Alumni from diverse domains came together to reconnect, network, and celebrate their shared WGSHA legacy. With warm regards, Professor Dr Satish Jayaram, Principal, WGSHA, conveyed his message, encouraging alumni to stand beside their alma mater and contribute to its initiatives. Dr Vidya Patwardhan, Alumni Coordinator, WGSHA, attended the event and addressed the gathering, underlining the importance of building alumni networks for the continued growth and advancement of the institution.	6 Sep 2025
47	"Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" plantation drive	The Department of Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, in collaboration with the Sustainability Society, organised a plantation drive at the WGSHA campus. The initiative, themed "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam", encouraged participants to plant	13 Sep 2025

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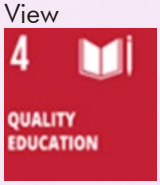
		saplings in honour of their mothers; symbolising care, love, and responsibility towards nature. Faculty, staff, and students actively took part, contributing to the green enrichment of the campus and reinforcing the institute's commitment to achieving sustainability goals. The event also served as a reminder of the vital role trees play in environmental conservation and climate action. WGSHA continues to strengthen its sustainability-driven activities through such meaningful ingenuities.	
48	A workshop on Corporate Styling 	A workshop on Corporate Styling was conducted by Dr Monisha Sobti (Associate Professor, MSAP) and Ms Yassa Zubair (Assistant Professor, MSAP) focusing on the importance of grooming and professional fashion in the workplace. The session highlighted key aspects of personal presentation, including attire, etiquette, and styling tips that align with corporate standards. Students were guided on how to project confidence and professionalism through their appearance, preparing them to make a strong impression in the corporate world. Final year students appearing for their campus placements took part in the event.	13 Sep 2025
49	Trip to Bengaluru 	Department of Dietetics and Applied Nutrition of WGSHA organized a three-day trip to Bengaluru. This wasn't just a trip; it was a deep dive into the real-world applications of their studies. On the first day, students attended a thought leaders consortium on nutritional education program at Mount Carmel College in collaboration with Nutrishilp. They had the incredible opportunity to hear from top names in the field like Ms Gauri Murty, Ms Sheela Krishnaswamy, Dr Ashna Urooj, Dr Dharini Krishnan, and Dr Soumya Bharani, who spoke on a variety of cutting-edge topics, including Precise Nutrition for body recomposition, supplements, Nutrition Communication in digital age, and the fascinating world of the Gut Microbiome. Day two offered a refreshing break with a trek to the Handi Gundi betta in Ramnagara near Bengaluru, allowing everyone to connect, recharge, and create memories amidst nature. On their evening excursion, the students explored the streets of Bengaluru and the local delicacies. The final day was packed with hands-on learning. The students started with an industrial visit to Britannia, where they got a firsthand look at food production and quality assurance processes. The trip concluded with an inspiring visit to the Sports Authority of India, where they learned how nutrition and athletic performance go hand-in-hand. This trip was a perfect blend of academic insight, practical exposure, and team-building, creating memories and knowledge that will last a lifetime.	20 - 22 Sep 2025
50	Field Visit to Fortune Valley View 	MHM students visited our training hotel, Fortune Valley View, Manipal. It was a wonderful opportunity to explore the hotel information system and interact with executives across various departments. The visit was organised as part of the IT subject—MS Excel for Managers.	26 Sep 2025
51	Eco Walk and Talk	On the occasion of World Tourism Day, the WGSHA – Sustainability Society organized an enriching event titled "Eco	27 Sep 2025

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		Walk and Talk: Know Your Trees and Plants Around the Campus", beginning from the WGSHA Main Porch. The session was facilitated by Professor Valsaraj P, who guided the participants through the campus landscapes, sharing valuable insights about the diverse trees and plants that form an integral part of the natural environment. Participants learned about the ecological, cultural, and aesthetic significance of the flora around them. The walk provided a unique opportunity for students and faculty to connect with nature, deepen their understanding of local biodiversity, and reflect on the importance of sustainability in everyday life.	
52	Awareness Program on Right Nutrition for Healthy Life	WGSHA's Department of Dietetics and Applied Nutrition in collaboration with NABARD organised an awareness program titled "Right Nutrition for Healthy Life" at SCDCC Bank, Uppunda Branch, Udupi.	29 Sep 2025
53	Celebration Navaratri Festival	WGSHA family celebrated Navaratri with great enthusiasm and cultural spirit.	29 Sep 2025
54	Session on "Mind Hacks: Introductory session to the YES+ workshop"	WGSHA's Lifestyle Society, in association with the Art of Living, organized session titled "Mind Hacks: Introductory session to the YES+ workshop" by Ms Richa Kaushik, Faculty at Art of Living and proud Alumna of Manipal Institute of Management.	11 Oct 2025
55	Celebration of International Chefs Day 2025	On occasion of International Chefs Day 2025 WGSHA's Gastronomy Society presented an exciting culinary challenge titled "Order Before Fire" for second-year BHM students.	13 - 16 Oct 2025
56	International Chefs Day 2025	As part of International Chefs Day 2025, the Gastronomy Society, WGSHA, organized "Food Explorers", a vibrant poster and collage competition celebrating Healthy Eating, Sustainability and Culinary Creativity.	14 Oct 2025
57	Workshop on Food Safety Training and Certification.	As part of International Chefs Day 2025, WGSHA, MAHE organized a workshop on Food Safety Training and Certification for students, faculty, and staff.	14 - 15 Oct 2025

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58	World Food Day 2025 	WGSHA's Gastronomy Society celebrated World Food Day 2025 by organizing Poster Making Competition on the theme of sustainable food and wellbeing.	16 - 17 Oct 2025
59	Hands-on mocktail workshop titled "Chill Madi – The Mocktail Magic"	The Department of Hotel Administration and Hospitality, WGSHA, MAHE, organized a hands-on mocktail workshop titled "Chill Madi—The Mocktail Magic" at Lavana Restaurant, WGSHA. The session aimed to enhance participants' understanding of mixology, ingredient pairing, and sustainable beverage preparation techniques. The event began with a refreshing welcome drink and an introductory note by Mr Valsaraj P, Faculty In-charge. He introduced the objectives of the workshop and emphasized the importance of creative and sustainable mixology practices. Following the introduction, the lead demonstrators — Mr Vageesh Kelkar, Mr Arjun Hegde, and Mr Manish Devadiga — conducted a series of mocktail-making demonstrations. Each demonstration was followed by a tasting session, allowing participants to experience the flavours and techniques firsthand. The workshop was designed to be interactive and hands-on. During every demo, three participants were invited to prepare their own versions of the showcased drinks under faculty guidance. Later, a special Tepache demonstration was conducted by Mr Valsaraj P, highlighting the fermentation process and its role in beverage innovation. A highlight of the evening was the "Thematic Mixology Showcase", where participants creatively crafted mocktails inspired by the essence and emotions of regional cinema, blending culture, storytelling, and mixology. The session concluded with a thanksgiving ceremony graced by Professor Satish Jayaram, Principal of WGSHA, who appreciated the team's efforts and the engaging learning environment created. Saplings were presented to the guests and resource persons as a token of gratitude and to symbolize sustainability.	25 Oct 2025
60	Self-Defence Session for girl students of UG programs 	Student Affairs–WGSHA successfully organized a Self-Defence Session for girl students of UG programs, led by Ms Fazliy Mariyam (MSc DAN, 2nd Year). The session as organized as a step towards building confidence, awareness, and empowerment among the students.	27 - 29 Oct 2025
61	Poster-Making competition—World Food Day 2025 and International Chef Day 	WGSHA organized a Poster-Making competition for the 15th Course BSc (Culinary Science) students as part of World Food Day 2025 and International Chef Day. The Theme for the World Food Day 2025 poster competition is " Healthy Diets, Sustainable Futures" This theme raised awareness about the fundamental human right to food, encouraging creativity and advocacy while highlighting the importance of food security for a healthier, more sustainable future. Participants explored how access to nutritious food affects health, well-being, and community resilience. Students worked together in teams of five, submitting extremely	27 Oct 2025

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		creative entries that demonstrated significant effort and enthusiasm.	
62	Christmas Fruit Mixing 2025	WGSHA organized Christmas Fruit Mixing 2025	21 Nov 2025

Details of Guest Visit(lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Ram Narayan	Pro Chancellor, Sikkim–Manipal University	FDP 1.0 for 2025, titled "The Educators' Toolkit: Effective Teaching, Leadership, Resilience, and Well-being".	7 Jan 2025
2	Mr Prakash Chugani	Global Leadership Expert and Resilience Strategist	FDP 1.0 for 2025, titled "The Educators' Toolkit: Effective Teaching, Leadership, Resilience, and Well-being".	7 Jan 2025
3	Ms Jayalakshmi Shenoy	Nutrition Consultant, Alumna—MSc DAN (3rd Course)	Alumni Lecture Series.	16 Jan 2025
4	Mr Nikesh Kumar Jain	Founder – NSR NutriEduTech Solutions Pvt Ltd	Alumni Lecture Series.	16 Jan 2025
5	Mr Shatrunjay Yadav	Associate Vice President, Association of Hospitality Professional's Welfare	An expert session on "Revenue Management and Sustainability and Net Zero Initiatives in the Hospitality Industry".	20 Jan 2025
6	Mr Kim Joo Nam	Faculty Coordinator at Korea Global Chef High School	Korea Culinary Boot Camp I.	20 Jan 2025
7	Chef Kajal Prabhu	Co-Founder of Crustyz	Bootcamp for the students of Korea Global Chef High School.	21 Jan 2025
8	Dr Chef Thirugnanasam-bantham K	Founding Dean, The School of Hospitality, Mahindra University	Culinary Boot Camp.	23 Jan 2025
9	Br Noelvic H Deloria	President, Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	Delegation visit from Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines.	23 Jan 2025
10	Dr Teresa P Fabiania	Vice President for Academic Affairs, Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	Delegation visit from Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines.	23 Jan 2025
11	Ms Sheryl J Urdaneta	Head of the Center for Linkages, Internationalization, and Language Studie, Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	Delegation visit from Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines.	23 Jan 2025
12	Engr Gernanate Polestico	Head of Information Communication Technology, Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	Delegation visit from Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines.	23 Jan 2025

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13	Mr Suhas D Prabhu	Professor of Practice, MIT Manipal	Bootcamp by WGSHA Entrepreneurship Development Cell in collaboration with Innovation Centre, MAHE.	1 Feb 2025
14	Dr Regina Hoffman	Assistant Professor, MIT Manipal	Bootcamp by WGSHA Entrepreneurship Development Cell in collaboration with Innovation Centre, MAHE.	1 Feb 2025
15	Mr Santosh Nayak	Assistant Professor - Selection Grade, Department of Commerce, MAHE.	Session on "Hotel Law and Ethics".	4 - 5 Feb 2025
16	Professor Frank Monahan	Head, School of Agriculture and Food Science, University College Dublin	Expert Session.	14 Feb 2025
17	Professor Eileen Gibney	Professor, School of Agriculture and Food Science, University College Dublin	Expert Session.	14 Feb 2025
18	Mr Sanjay Bose	Executive Vice President–Human Resources and Learning and Development, ITC Hotels Limited	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
19	Lt. Gen. (Dr) M. D. Venkatesh	Vice Chancellor, MAHE	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
20	Dr Narayana Sabhahit	Pro Vice Chancellor-Technology and Science, MAHE	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
21	Dr PLNG Rao	Advisor, MAHE	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
22	Mr Rohit Ramachandran	Independent Board Member, Jazeera Airways	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
23	Ms Swatee Chaturvedi	Director of Human Resources President, Mumbai - IHCL SeleQtions	Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
24	Dr P. Giridhar Kini	Registrar , MAHE	WGSHA Research Day 2025.	6 Mar 2025
25	Dr N. Arlappa,	Scientist 'G' and Head, Public Health Nutrition, National Institute of Nutrition, ICMR, Hyderabad	Workshop on Techniques and Methods of Nutritional Assessment.	20 - 22 Mar 2025
26	Mr Sree Ramakrishna	Technical Officer – A, National Institute of Nutrition, ICMR, Hyderabad	Workshop on Techniques and Methods of Nutritional Assessment.	20 - 22 Mar 2025
27	Mrs Neeraja	Technical Officer – A, National Institute of Nutrition, ICMR, Hyderabad	Workshop on Techniques and Methods of Nutritional Assessment.	20 - 22 Mar 2025
28	Dr Raviraja N S	Chief Operating Officer of MAHE	WGSHA Sports Day 2025.	21 Mar 2025
29	Dr Guruprasad Rao	Deputy Registrar Academics (Health Sciences), MAHE	The Lecture based on NEP 2025.	26 Mar 2025
30	Chef Nandheetha Varadarajan	Pastry Chef, Consultant, and Educator	Chief Guest for the formal banquet with the graduating batch of 36th Course BHM and 12th	8 Apr 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
			Course BA (Culinary Arts) students.	
31	Mr Manas Krishnamoorthy	Cluster General Manager at @ITC Grand Goa	Chief Guest for the formal banquet with the graduating batch of 36th Course BHM and 12th Course BA (Culinary Arts) students.	9 Apr 2025
32	Dr Praveen K. Shetty	Assistant Professor, and Coordinator, Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue, MIT MAHE	Expert session on "Cultural Sensitivity".	9 Apr 2025
33	Ms Amandeep Kaur	General Manager, ITC Gardenia, Bengaluru	Chief Guest for the formal banquet with the graduating batch of 36th Course BHM and 12th Course BA (Culinary Arts) students.	10 Apr 2025
34	Mr Rohith Radhakrishnan	Senior Research Fellow at MSCE, MAHE, Manipal.	IT Skills Training session for the academic staff.	10 Jul 2025
35	Mr Sudhindra Prabhu	Founder - Prabhava Caterers and Partner Maharaja Hospitality, Mangalore	Young Entrepreneurs Forum panel discussion on topic titled “The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs”.	23 Aug 2025
36	Mr Gavin Rodrigues	Founder – The ROSHoW hut Mangalore and Manipal	Young Entrepreneurs Forum panel discussion on topic titled “The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs”	23 Aug 2025
37	Ms Vaishali Shenoy	Founder – Panda’s Kitchen, Mangalore	Young Entrepreneurs Forum panel discussion on topic titled “The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs”	23 Aug 2025
38	Mr Subhash Ullal	Proprietor Azure – Sky is the Limit and Assistant Manager – Marketing, The Avatar Hotel and Convention	Young Entrepreneurs Forum panel discussion on topic titled “The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs”.	23 Aug 2025
39	Mr Prakhyath Naik	Partner Juice Junction and Punjabi Dhaba, Mangalore	Young Entrepreneurs Forum panel discussion on topic titled “The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs”.	23 Aug 2025
40	Mr Shibin Shetty	Founder – Smart Hospitality	Young Entrepreneurs Forum panel discussion topic titled “The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs”.	23 Aug 2025
41	Dr Monisha Sobti	Associate Professor, MSAP	A workshop on Corporate Styling.	15 Sep 2025
42	Ms Yassa Zubair	Assistant Professor, MSAP	A workshop on Corporate Styling.	15 Sep 2025
43	Ms Richa Kaushik	Faculty at Art of Living	session titled “Mind Hacks: Introductory session to the YES+ workshop”	11 Oct 2025
44	Mr Praveen Andrews	Technical Director, Parikshan FSS Pvt Ltd	Workshop on Food Safety Training and Certification.	11-13 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
2	0	38	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
0	22	2	0

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National
Conference	1
Workshop	12
Seminar	5
Other	75

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Economic and Political Consequences of AI: Managing Creative Destruction	Confluence of AI and Global Security Paradigms: A Dimensional	Dr A B Satish Rao	IGI Global	14 Jan 2025
2	Studies in Big Data	Nudging Toward Consumer Choices: Current Status and Future Directions	Dr Rajasekharan Pillai K	Springer Science and Business Media Deutschland GmbH	29 Apr 2025
3	Balancing Mountain Tourism, Cultural Heritage, and Environmental Stability	Mountains under pressure: Smart solutions for overtourism	Mr Nagendra Yadav	IGI Global	7 May 2025
4	Technological Innovation and AI for Sustainable Development in Events and Festivals	Linking Green Technologies and Sustainable Infrastructure for Transformative Events and Festivals in Malaysia	Dr Partho Pratim Seal	CABI International	6 Jun 2025
5	Perspectives on Asian Tourism	Sustainable Tourism Resources: Perspective of Wellness Tourism Practitioners: A Delphi Approach	Dr Senthil Kumaran P and Dr Partho Pratim Seal	Springer	18 Jun 2025
6	AI Powered English Teaching	Book	Mr Nagendra Yadav	IGI Global	25 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
7	AI's Role in Language Learning and Communication	Book	Mr Nagendra Yadav	IGI Global	27 Jun 2025
8	Gastronomic Tourism: Discovering the World through Culinary Journeys	Preserving Authenticity and Heritage: Culture of Bandel Cheese	Dr Partho Pratim Seal	CABI International	22 Sep 2025

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Digital oil bottle dispenser device	15 Apr 2025
2	Smart bill presenter system and method	6 May 2025
3	Adjustable vase device	5 Aug 2025
4	Device for real-time monitoring of food temperature during cooking applications	9 Oct 2025
5	A system and method for a digital cutting board apparatus	10 Oct 2025

Details of Patent Granted

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Awards/Recognitions

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Kaushalya Karnataka Award for “Best Institute in Skills Competition”	WGSHA, MAHE has been honoured with the prestigious Kaushalya Karnataka Award for “Best Institute in Skills Competition” at the grand Bengaluru Skills Summit 2025. The award, a testament to WGSHA's unwavering commitment to fostering world-class vocational talent, was presented in recognition of the institute's exceptional contribution to training contestants for the globally acclaimed WorldSkills Competition. WGSHA was specifically recognised for its pivotal role in enabling contestants to bring laurels to the nation through their sterling performance in the competitive domains of Restaurant Service and Cookery. The institute’s excellence was highlighted by the remarkable achievements in both the 2022 and 2024 editions of the WorldSkills Competition. The Kaushalya Karnataka Award	4 Nov 2025

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		celebrates institutions that demonstrate exemplary performance in skill development, thereby strengthening Karnataka's position as the "Skill Capital of India". WGSHA's recognition firmly cements its status as a leader in hospitality and culinary arts training, not just nationally, but on the global stage.	
2	Institution Ranking	The Institute has consistently upheld its position as a leader in hospitality education, securing the #1 rank among private hotel management colleges in India by Outlook, The Week, India Today, and GHRDC.	31 Dec 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Rajasekharan Pillai K, Professor	Participated as a speaker at a webinar on Youth and Sustainability.	12 Jan 2025
2	Dr Vidya Patwardhan, Professor	Received Highly Commended Paper Awards for the paper titled "Integrating Service Fairness as a Second-Order Construct in Explaining Satisfaction, eWOM, and Behavioural Intentions of Restaurant Diners" at the International Research Symposium in Service Management(IRSSM) India Chapter 24.	18 Jan 2025
3	Mr Rajmohan Dhandapani, Assistant Professor–Selection Grade	Participated as an Expert Speaker and received a Letter of Appreciation for delivering an expert talk on the topic "International Breads (Advance Food Production)".	15 Jul 2025
4	Dr Rajasekharan Pillai K, Professor	Participated as a Resource Person at FDP on "Ethical AI and Machine Learning: Principles to Practice".	5 Aug 2025
5	Mr Saurabh Bharti, Assistant Professor–Senior Scale	Participated as Guest Speaker and received a Letter of Appreciation for delivering an expert talk for the session "Role of Cinematic Tourism in Branding Tourist Destinations".	16 Aug 2025
6	Mrs Chhaya K, Assistant Professor on Contract	Received Letter of Appreciation for delivering a captivating lecture on the topic entitled "Nutritional Management in Metabolic and Neuro -developmental disorders" in a state-level CME Balaposhana 2025.	30 Sep 2025
7	Dr Partho Pratim Seal - Associate Professor	Received 1st Runner-Up for the paper titled "Customer experience touchpoints that drive customer satisfaction at wellness resort: A Qualitative analysis" at the 5th International Conference on Tourism, Gastronomy and Tourist Destination.	16 Oct 2025
8	Mr Nagendra Yadav- Assistant Professor-Senior Scale	Received 1st Runner Up for the paper titled "Customer experience touchpoints that drive customer satisfaction at wellness resort: A Qualitative analysis" at the 5th International Conference on Tourism, Gastronomy and Tourist Destination	16 Oct 2025
9	Mr Saurabh Bharti, Assistant Professor-Senior Scale	Participated as Resource Person and received Letter of Appreciation in recognition of valuable contribution as WLF Career Coach towards Empowering the next generation of global leaders through the Master Class on the topic "Tourism and Hospitality Tech Trends".	19 Oct 2025
10	Mr Paritosh Dabral, Assistant Professor–Selection Grade	Received appreciation in recognition of outstanding contribution to the World Skills Asia Taipei 2025.	26 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr C D Harsh	Won the silver medal at IndiaSkills 2024 under the Restaurant Service skill category.	29 Jan 2025
2	Mr Sukrit Sabharwal	Won silver medal at IndiaSkills 2024 under the Hotel Reception skill category.	29 Jan 2025
3	Ms Samiksha Agarwal and Mr Sabeer Mandal	Secured 1st position in culinary brilliance in Better Kitchen Culinary Challenge Season 6, held at SRM IHM, Chennai.	17 Feb 2025
4	Mr Abhishek Pandit	Won 3rd position in Enzo Housekeeping Olympiad—Better Kitchen Culinary Challenge Season 6—held at SRM IHM, Chennai.	17 Feb 2025
5	Mr Lavish Shetty	Won 1st position in Enzo Housekeeping Olympiad—Better Kitchen Culinary Challenge Season 6—held at SRM IHM, Chennai.	17 Feb 2025
6	Ms Keerthi B	Won the Third Best Poster Presentation Award at the national workshop titled "Empowering Diabetes Care: Nutritional Screening, Assessment, and Customized Diet Module". Her poster, titled "Modulating Gut Microbiota for Glycaemic Control: A Review of Recent Research", showcased insightful findings on the emerging role of gut health in diabetes management. The event was organized by the Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics, SRM Medical College Hospital and Research Centre, in association with the Nutrition Society of India—Chennai Chapter	26 Feb 2025
7	Mr Sumukha K S and Mr Kunal Chowdhury	Won the coveted First Place in the challenging Gastro Grid, showcasing their exceptional culinary creativity and execution at the Odyssey 2025, a prestigious inter-college competition organized by the Department of Hotel Management, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru.	5 Mar 2025
8	Mr Sumukha K S and Mr Kunal Chowdhury	Secured Runner-Up positions in the innovative Cyber Chef and the creative Food Verse competitions at the Odyssey 2025, a prestigious inter-college competition organized by the Department of Hotel Management, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru.	5 Mar 2025
9	Mr Archit Bhowmick and Mr Shaliwan Singh	Secured Runner-Up in the Hospitality Quiz event at the Odyssey 2025, a prestigious inter-college competition organized by the Department of Hotel Management, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru.	5 Mar 2025
10	Mr Mrityunjay Das	Secured gold medal in the Inter-Collegiate MAHE Powerlifting Competition.	5 Mar 2025
11	Mr B R.Sumukha	Secured silver medal in the Inter-Collegiate MAHE Powerlifting Competition.	5 Mar 2025
12	Mr Agrim Gupta	Secured bronze medals in the Inter-Collegiate MAHE Powerlifting Competition.	5 Mar 2025
13	Mr Alex Jame	Won the Silver Medal in the MAHE Best Physique 2025 competition organized by MAHE at Interact Hall, KMC, Manipal.	28 Mar 2025
14	Mr Rohan Raj	Won the Gold medal in the MAHE Best Physique 2025 competition organized by MAHE at Interact Hall, KMC, Manipal.	28 Mar 2025
15	Mr B R Sumukh	Secured 1st Place in the Karnataka State-level "Rockfit Classic Deadlift" championship.	6 Apr 2025
16	Ms Megha Kiran	2nd place at Inter MAHE Swimming competition.	9 Oct 2025
17	Mr Tushar Dhingra	3rd place at Inter MAHE Swimming competition.	9 Oct 2025

Staff

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Sathish	Received Meena Memorial Award 2025 in the category "Best Non-Teaching and Supporting Staff" at Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
2	Mr Nagesh	Received Meena Memorial Award 2025 in the "Best Non-Teaching and Supporting Staff" at Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025
3	Mr Ramakrishna	Received Meena Memorial Award 2025 in the "Best Non-Teaching and Supporting Staff" at Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025.	26 Feb 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	WGSHA inter-house volleyball tournament	WGSHA inter-house volleyball tournament.	27 Jan 2025
2	WGSHA Inter-house basketball tournament	WGSHA inter-house basketball tournament.	2 Feb 2025
3	WGSHA inter-house football tournament	WGSHA inter-house football tournament.	15 Feb 2025
4	WGSHA annual sports day	WGSHA annual sports day held at MIT Athletic ground.	21 Mar 2025
5	WGSHA inter-house chess tournament	WGSHA inter-house chess tournament.	9 Aug 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	UG Orientation Program	During the UG Orientation Programme at WGSHA, the Western Band and Eastern Music Band played a key role in creating a warm, engaging, and welcoming atmosphere for the new batch of students. The bands performed live during paid lunch and dinner services at the institute's training restaurants, Ghritha and Lavana, enhancing the dining experience with melodious and lively music. In addition, both bands presented performances at the orientation program held at Dr TMA Pai Hall, contributing to the celebratory tone of the welcome sessions. Complementing the musical performances, the Western and Eastern Dance Groups surprised the newcomers with an energetic flash mob at the WGSHA lobby, designed to break the ice, reduce first-day anxiety, and encourage interaction between senior and junior students. The combined efforts of music and dance successfully fostered inclusivity, comfort, and camaraderie, making the orientation program a memorable and engaging experience for the newly admitted UG students.	30 Jul 2025

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2	Janmasthami : Interhouse Cultural Variety Competition	WGSHA celebrated Janmashtami with great enthusiasm and cultural vibrancy through an Interhouse Cultural Variety Competition, organised as part of the institute's annual co-curricular calendar for 2025. The event aimed to foster cultural awareness, teamwork, and creative expression among students while commemorating the birth of Lord Krishna and the values he symbolises devotion, harmony, and righteousness. Students from all houses participated actively, presenting a diverse range of performances that reflected India's rich cultural heritage. The program featured classical and dance performances inspired by Krishna's life, as well as devotional and contemporary musical pieces, thematic skits, solo acts, and creative storytelling. Each performance highlighted not only artistic talent but also strong coordination, discipline, and interpretative skills. The stage was transformed with traditional décor, enhancing the festive atmosphere and immersing the audience in the spirit of Janmashtami.	23 Aug 2025
3	Ganesh Chaturthi	WGSHA celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi with devotion, joy, and vibrant cultural expression through a student-led cultural program in 2025. The celebration reflected the spirit of unity, tradition, and inclusiveness, providing students with an opportunity to engage with India's rich cultural heritage in a meaningful and participatory manner. The program was organised and performed by students, who presented a series of energetic and graceful cultural performances inspired by Maharashtrian traditions. A key highlight of the celebration was the lively Marathi-style dance performances, which captivated the audience with their rhythmic movements, traditional costumes, and expressive storytelling. Complementing the dances was an enthusiastic dhol performance, where students showcased the powerful beats and celebratory rhythms synonymous with Ganesh Chaturthi festivities in Maharashtra. The synchronized drumming created an atmosphere of excitement and devotion, drawing active participation and appreciation from the audience.	30 Aug 2025
4	Onam	WGSHA celebrated Onam, the vibrant harvest festival of Kerala, with great enthusiasm and cultural elegance in 2025 through a student-led cultural program. The celebration highlighted the spirit of unity, prosperity, and cultural inclusiveness that Onam represents, while offering students a meaningful platform to express regional traditions and artistic talents. The program featured a variety of traditional performances curated and performed by students. A major highlight was the graceful presentation of Kerala folk and classical dance forms, including group performances inspired by Thiruvathira, which beautifully reflected the rhythm, aesthetics, and cultural symbolism of the festival. Students adorned themselves in traditional attire, enhancing the authenticity and visual appeal of the performances. The cultural segment was further enriched by melodious music and thematic presentations that narrated the significance of King Mahabali and the values of equality and harmony associated with Onam.	6 Sep 2025
5	Vijaya Dashami : Inter-House Garba competition and Cultural show	WGSHA celebrated Vijaya Dashami with vibrant energy and cultural splendour through an Inter-House Garba Competition and Cultural Show as part of its annual student engagement activities for 2025. The event marked the	27 Sep 2025

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		culmination of Navratri celebrations and symbolised the victory of good over evil, aligning tradition with student creativity and collective participation. Students from all houses enthusiastically participated in the Garba competition, presenting well-coordinated group performances inspired by traditional Gujarati folk dance forms. Dressed in colourful and authentic attire, the participants showcased rhythmic footwork, graceful hand movements, and synchronised formations that reflected the festive spirit of Navratri. The performances demonstrated strong teamwork, discipline, and cultural understanding, transforming the campus into a lively celebration space.	
6	Diwali	WGSHA celebrated Diwali 2025 with devotion, creativity, and togetherness through a vibrant cultural program jointly organised and performed by students and faculty members. The celebration reflected the spirit of the festival of lights, emphasising harmony, cultural values, and community bonding within the campus. The program began with a serene Bhajan Sandhya, where students and faculty presented soulful devotional songs. The bhajans created a peaceful and spiritually uplifting atmosphere, reminding everyone of the values of gratitude, inner reflection, and positivity associated with Diwali. The devotional session set a meaningful tone for the celebrations and was deeply appreciated by the audience. This was followed by engaging group dance performances, showcasing a blend of traditional and contemporary styles. Students, along with faculty participation, demonstrated energetic coordination, expressive movements, and cultural elegance. The performances added vibrancy and festive colour to the program, reflecting enthusiasm and collective joy.	25 Oct 2025
7	Fruit- Mixing ceremony	During the Cake Mixing Ceremony, the celebration was further enlivened by vibrant performances from the Eastern and Western Music Teams, adding rhythm and festive energy to the occasion. The Eastern music team presented melodious renditions rooted in Indian musical traditions, creating a warm and culturally rich ambience that resonated with the spirit of the ceremony. Complementing this, the Western music team delivered lively performances featuring contemporary tunes and popular melodies, bringing a modern and energetic touch to the event.	17 Nov 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Drishti—Dance, Musci and Instrumental competition	Drishti—intercollege Dance, Music, and Instrumental competition held in seminar hall, WGSHA.	8 Feb 2025
2	Revels 2025: A Grand Celebration of Culture and Talent at MIT Manipal	A student from WGSHA actively participated in the Western Solo Dance Competition at Revels 2025, the flagship inter-collegiate cultural festival hosted by Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal. The performance showcased high energy, precise choreography, expressive movements, and strong stage presence, reflecting the student's technical skill and creativity in Western dance forms. Competing alongside talented dancers from various institutions, the participant demonstrated confidence and artistic excellence on a prestigious inter-institutional platform. Participation in Revels 2025 offered valuable exposure, enhanced performance	11 Mar 2025

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		experience, and highlighted WGSHA's commitment to promoting cultural engagement, creative expression, and holistic student development.	
3	Annual inter-collegiate cultural festival, Utsav 2025.	Students of WGSHA actively participated in Utsav 2025, the annual inter-collegiate cultural festival hosted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education, held at KMC Greens, Manipal. The event provided a vibrant platform for students to showcase their talents across an extensive range of performing and creative arts. In the performing arts segment, students competed in singing and dance events covering Indian classical, Eastern, Western, folk, and contemporary styles, presented in both solo and group formats. Additional stage-based competitions included stand-up comedy, mimicry, mime, street play, Mad Ads, Antakshari, creative jam, and cultural parade, all of which highlighted students' confidence, expressive ability, teamwork, and stage presence. Beyond the stage, students also demonstrated strong creative and visual artistry through participation in collage making, cartooning, painting, rangoli, clay modelling, installation art, and spot photography competitions. These events encouraged innovation, aesthetic sensibility, and conceptual thinking while allowing students to interpret themes with originality and cultural relevance. A major highlight of the festival was the fashion show and entertainment performances, where both students and faculty came together to deliver engaging and energetic presentations, strengthening campus unity and mentor–student bonding. Participation in Utsav 2025 offered students valuable inter-institutional exposure, fostered cultural exchange, and contributed significantly to their holistic development, making it a memorable and enriching experience within WGSHA's annual co-curricular achievements for 2025.	24 - 28 Mar 2025
4	INVICTUS 2025 (Annual Inter-medic Sports and Open Cultural and Literary Fest by KMC, MAHE) 	The Western Band from WGSHA actively participated in the Annual Inter-Medic Sports, Open Cultural and Literary Fest Invictus 2025, organised by KMC, MAHE. The band delivered an energetic and well-coordinated performance, presenting a repertoire of contemporary Western music that showcased strong instrumental skills, vocal harmony, and stage presence. Their performance was well received by a diverse inter-institutional audience, adding vibrancy and entertainment value to the cultural segment of the fest. Participation in Invictus 2025 provided the students with valuable exposure to a competitive cultural platform, enhanced their confidence, and reflected WGSHA's commitment to encouraging artistic excellence and holistic student development through active engagement in university-level events.	8 Apr 2025
5	MAHE's 33rd Convocation	The Eastern and Western Music Teams from WGSHA had the honour of performing at MAHE's 33rd Convocation High Tea Function, where they entertained graduating degree holders and their parents with a lively and engaging musical program. The teams presented a harmonious blend of Eastern melodies and Western compositions, creating a warm and celebratory ambience during the reception. Adding a special and memorable touch to the event, the Principal of WGSHA joined the karaoke session, delighting the audience and	21 Nov 2025

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		strengthening the spirit of connection between leadership, students, and guests. The performances significantly enhanced the overall convocation experience, reflecting professionalism, cultural richness, and the vibrant artistic spirit of WGSHA.	

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Incident—cultural fest of NITK Surathkal	Two students from WGSHA actively participated in the Hip-Hop Dance Competition at Incident, the annual cultural festival of National Institute of Technology Karnataka (NITK), Surathkal. The participants delivered a high-energy and well-synchronised performance that highlighted strong rhythm, dynamic movements, coordination, and expressive stage presence, reflecting their dedication and skill in contemporary dance forms. By performing at a prestigious national-level inter-collegiate platform, the students gained valuable exposure to diverse talent and competitive performance standards. Their participation in "Incident" reinforced WGSHA's encouragement of student involvement in major cultural festivals and its commitment to nurturing creativity, confidence, and holistic development through active engagement in youth-centric cultural forums.	6 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important events

Christmas Fruit Mixing 2025

Diwali Celebration

Formal banquet 2025

WGSHA annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025

WGSHA Alumni Reunion 2025

WGSHA Alumni Society organized YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR'S FORUM 2025—Panel discussion on "The Challenges of Young Entrepreneurs"

Annual Sports Day 2025

Design Thinking Workshop

Workshop on "Techniques and Methods of Nutritional assessment" by inviting resource persons Dr N Aralappa, Mr Sree Ramakrishna and Ms Neeraja, from the prestigious National Institute of Nutrition, ICMR, Hyderabad.

Session by Chef Julie Walsh, Head Pâtisserie Chef at Le Cordon Bleu London

T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal

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Established:1980
Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

- MBA
- MBA (Banking and Financial Services)
- MBA (Human Resource Management)
- MBA (Marketing Management)
- MBA (International Business)
- MBA (Artificial Intelligence and Data Science)
- Integrated Program in Management (BBA/MBA)

About the Institution/School

T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI) was founded by Padma Bhushan awardee, late Shri T A Pai, in the year 1980. TAPMI had commenced its first two-year residential PG program in Management in 1984. Currently, TAPMI is a constituent unit of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), an Institute of Eminence deemed to be a university, Manipal, Karnataka. AICTE recognized TAPMI in 1989 with retrospective effect. TAPMI Students have representation from 23 states of India. In 2022, the nomenclature of the program was changed from PGDM to MBA. As of now, more than 7500 PGDM graduates and 500 MBA graduates constitute the TAPMI alumni base. The institute has been ranked amongst the top 40 B-Schools in India by NIRF under the management category. TAPMI is accredited by The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB-International), Association of MBAs (AMBA), and NBA. TAPMI is an advanced signatory of the United Nations Principles for Responsible Management Education (UNPRME). TAPMI has been among the UN PRME Champions for the last three cycles. We have also partnered with MIT Sloan for the SOLVE initiative. TAPMI has continuously innovated its pedagogy to encourage experiential learning using simulations, cases, outcome-based learning standards and encouragement for practical experience through assignments. TAPMI offers a course titled 'Students Managed Investment Course (SMIC)' that gives students the unique opportunity to invest in the share market under the mentorship of corporate executives. In addition, TAPMI has introduced industry immersion courses that include the Industry Institute Conclave and CXO guest lectures. An international immersion program is part of the MBA program, where all the

MBA students would spend a week at an international location, understanding the business and local culture of the country. Under the Young Leaders Programme (YLP), select 20 students are sent to leading firms in Corporate India to work as an intern under senior industry leaders. Society, Environment, Values, and Attitudes (SEVA) is a course offered to the students, that introduces students to live projects and functioning NGOs, small enterprises, and individuals creating/attempting to create superior societal/environmental value.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	MBA (Artificial Intelligence and Data Science)	In today's rapidly advancing and evolving digital landscape, businesses across all industries want to stay ahead of the curve by embracing Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Data Science to maintain a significant competitive edge. This growing demand for AI and DS professionals is reshaping industries, fueling innovation, and driving change. TAPMI (70%), in collaboration with the Manipal School of Information Science (30%), has designed an innovative MBA program in AI and Data Science to address this need. A futuristic new age cutting edge program that combines business management concepts with AI and Data Science methodologies and techniques to prepare prospective students for the future challenges and help them gain better professional positions and excel in the corporate world. The program merges advanced technical skill sets with strategic business acumen and knowledge. Prepares the incoming students to lead and manage AI-driven digital transformations in IT or non-IT firms. This is not a Master's degree program in Technology or MS in AI and Data Science or MSc in Machine Learning and Data Science, but an MBA degree program that is deeply thought through and one of its kind being offered in India.	21 Jun 2025 - 31 Mar 2027

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	'Good Health and Well Being' Local Collaboration	Local Collaboration Samvedena (CPR Training): Collaborated with KMC doctors to provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CSR) training to students and faculty. CPR training has a profound impact on individuals and communities by equipping them with the knowledge and skills needed to save lives during cardiac emergencies. It not only increases survival rates but also promotes a culture of preparedness and compassion within society. CPR training has a profound impact on individuals and communities by equipping them with the knowledge and skills needed to save lives during cardiac emergencies. It not only increases survival rates but also promotes a culture of preparedness and compassion within society. Blood Donation: Conducted a blood donation drive in collaboration with the doctors and staff of KMC Hospital. Blood donation has a profound and far-reaching impact on healthcare, emergency response, and community well-being. It saves lives, improves health outcomes, and strengthens the bonds of solidarity and generosity within society.	01 Aug 2025 - 01 Dec 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
2	4.3.3 - Vocational training events (lifelong learning) Host events at the university that are open to the general public: executive education programs (this refers to short courses for people who are not attending the university; this specifically excludes courses like MBA) and/or vocational training. 4.3.4 - Education outreach activities beyond campus: Undertake educational outreach activities (e.g., tailored lectures or demonstrations) beyond campus in local schools, in the community. This can include voluntary student-run schemes.	4.3.3 - Vocational training events (lifelong learning) EEPs-Training details and Photos Centre for Executive Learning, TAPMI organized several Executive Education Programs. The details are enclosed 4.3.4 - Education outreach activities beyond campus Mindful Mandate: Conducted a three-day stress-buster event to help students cope with the MBA rigour. Art is a stress-relieving therapy; hence, SEG provided a platform where students could enjoy doing zentangles, mandala art, and finger painting. We even put up a nostalgia board where everyone shared their favourite foods, places, celebrities, and memories. And there was an online event on the last day, where we shared pictures and stories of our favourite dishes, celebrating the special places and memories associated with them. Make a wish: The TAPMI community came together to bring holiday joy to the students of APS school. This initiative aimed to fulfill the wishes of the students, spreading happiness and creating memorable experiences during this festive season by being their Santa.	01 Aug 2025 - 01 Dec 2025
3	Gender Equality Scholarship	Scholarship Dr Ramdas Pai Merit Scholarship Category – I Fee Waiver: a. Dr Ramdas Pai Merit Scholarship Category - I involves 30% waiver of the tuition fee. All other Fees (Refundable Caution Deposit, Lifetime Alumni Membership Fee, and Hostel Fees) must be paid by the student. Any other fees declared by the Institute in the Admission Letter also need to be paid by the student. b. Number of Scholarships: Twenty students of the PGP (Batch of 2023-2025) will receive the Dr Ramdas Pai Merit Scholarship Category I. Of the twenty scholarships, a minimum of ten shall be set aside for female candidates. The scholarship is available for the PGP (Batch of 2023-2025) as a whole, and the selection process is agnostic of the number of applicants across programs	01 Aug 2025 - 01 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Anna Thoma	A postdoctoral researcher at the Max Planck Institute for Human Development in Berlin, specifically within the Center for Adaptive Rationality.	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09-15 Jan 2025
2	Dr O¨zgu¨r Simsek	Professor of Artificial Intelligence, Department of Computer Science, University of Bath	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09-15 Jan 2025
3	Dr Dirk Wulff	Senior Researcher, Max Planck Institute for Human Development; Senior Adjunct Researcher, Center for	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on	09-15 Jan 2025

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		Cognitive and Decision Science, University of Basel	"Boosting Informed Decisions."	
4	Dr Felix Rebitschek	Head Research Scientist and CEO of the Harding Center for Risk Literacy, University of Potsdam	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09-15 Jan 2025
5	Dr Frederike Stock	Doctoral researcher, Max Planck Institute for Human Development	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09-15 Jan 2025
6	Dr Konstantinos Katsikopoulos	Professor of Behavioural Science at the Department of Decision Analytics and Risk of the University of Southampton, where he has been the former Director of Research for the Business School.	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09-15 Jan 2025
7	Dr Poonam Suri	Representative, Max-Planck-Gesellschaft India	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09-15 Jan 2025
8	Dr Sneha Shashidhara	Senior Research Consultant, Centre for Social and Behaviour Change; Teaching position, Psychology Department of Ashoka University	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09 Jan 2025 - 15 Jan 2025
9	Dr Sumitava Mukherjee	Associate Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences (HSS), Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Delhi	Speakers at the TAPMI–Max Planck Winter School 2025 on "Boosting Informed Decisions."	09 Jan 2025 - 15 Jan 2025
10	Mr Ravikumar Narayanan	Business Development Director, DYNATA	Guest Research Seminar	16 Jan 2025
11	Prof Jang Bahadur Singh	An Associate Professor in the Information Systems and Analytics Area, IIM Tiruchirappalli.	Resource person for the Fourth Management Research Day at TAPMI; conducted a workshop on qualitative research in management.	16-17 Apr 2025
12	Mr Nipun Singh	Fidelity International	ASPIRE Series Topic: AI, Analytics and Digital Fluency and how b school will help in leadership roles	11 May 2025
13	Mr Syed Mohsin Mumtaz	BNY Mellon	ASPIRE Series Topic: Build What Matters: The Product Mindset	11 May 2025
14	Mr Nidhin Chandran A K	Axis Bank	ASPIRE Series Topic: Next-Gen MBA Skills: Embracing AI, Analytics, and Digital Mastery	17 May 2025
15	Mr Rudresh Kaul	Neo Avrio Consultancy LLP	ASPIRE Series Topic: Customer Centricity - A foundational principle for management	17 May 2025
16	Mr Akash Goyal	HLE Glasscoat Limited	ASPIRE Series Topic: From Campus to Global Careers:	18 May 2025

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			Lessons in Self-Management, Corporate Growth, and Maximizing Your MBA Degree	
17	Mr Sumeet Minocha	Accenture	ASPIRE Series Topic: AI to Analytics: How B-Schools Prepare You for Digital-Era Leadership	18 May 2025
18	Mr Vishal Chopra	Nayara Energy	IGNITE Series Topic: Aligning business and departmental goals - keys to successful public affairs	18 May 2025
19	Mr Siddhartha Shukla	Sanofi	DISHA Series Topic:" Early Talent Leader - Global Hubs	23 May-23 Aug 2025
20	Mr Navin Narendran	Enterprise Minds	ASPIRE Series Topic: Navigating the Middle East Opportunity	24 May 2025
21	Ms Puja Agarwal	PWC	ASPIRE Series Topic: Data is the New Superpower – Are You Ready?	25 May 2025
22	Mr Uday Kiran	Mentza	ASPIRE Series Topic: Honest Conversations on balancing academics peer pressure and selfcare	25 May 2025
23	Mr Arjun Singh Dasoondi	Amway	IGNITE Series Topic: Campus to Corporate: Navigating Choices, Staying Real and Managing Up	25 May 2025
24	Ms Poornima Bhaskaran	Kaybase	IGNITE Series Topic: Some lessons and memorable encounters with purpose-driven leaders	25 May 2025
25	Mr Girish Mallya	Next Gen Publishing Ltd.	IGNITE Series Topic: Campus to Corporate Life Transition	31 May 2025
26	Mr Karthik Reddy Koppula	Islands of Loom	ASPIRE Series Topic: What did I do wrong in MBA	31 May 2025
27	Mr Siddharth C	Mu Sigma Inc.	ASPIRE Series Topic: AI in Pharma	31 May 2025
28	Mr Madhav Agarwal	BYN Mellon	ASPIRE Series Topic: Corporate Sales Cycle - B2B	01 Jun 2025
29	Mr Vishnu Vardhan	Bajaj Finserv	ASPIRE Series Topic: Crack the Code: From Campus to Corporate	01 Jun 2025
30	Prof Agnieszka Wiszniewska	Professor (Associate), Institute of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics, University of Warsaw, Poland	Guest Research Seminar	03 Jun 2025
31	Mr Pawan Rao	IGT Solutions	ASPIRE Series Topic: B-School to Boardroom: How an MBA Shapes Your Career Journey	07 Jun 2025

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32	Mr Amit Tewary	4Fin	ASPIRE Series Topic: Mental Wellness and High Performance in B-School	07 Jun 2025
33	Mr Subham Agarwal	Holisol Logistics	ASPIRE Series Topic: Cracking summer internships / Placements and Some discussion on supply chain	08 Jun 2025
34	Mr Sanjay Panigrahi	Pidilite Industries	IGNITE Series Topic: The Human Side of Strategy: Building Culture Around Purpose	08 Jun 2025
35	Maninder Kapoor Puri	Biocon	IGNITE Series Topic: Purpose-driven leadership: Aligning strategy with Impact	08 Jun 2025
36	Prof Babu (Lourduraj) John-Mariadoss	J B Hoskins, Professor of Marketing at Rawls College of Business, Texas Tech University, and Editor-in-Chief of Marketing Intelligence and Planning	Guest Research Seminar	23 Jun 2025
37	Mr Sujith Rayirath	Luminous	DISHA Series Topic: AI-powering the future of energy	23 Aug 2025
38	Mr Maninder Kapoor Puri	Biocon	DISHA Series Topic: Leading through change and uncertainty	23 Aug 2025
39	Mr Anup Thomas	Grant Thortan Bharat	Governance and Risk Management: What can go wrong with AI	23 Aug 2025
40	Mr Rudresh A Kaul	Ascential	DISHA Series Topic: Decoding Your Boss: Gen Z x Millennials x Gen X	23 Aug 2025
41	Mr Arpit Mohta	Sanofi	DISHA 2025: "Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI"	23 Aug 2025
42	Mr Ashok Kumar Vishnoi	WebEngage	DISHA 2025: "Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI"	23 Aug 2025
43	Mr Sateesh G	LTIMindTree	DISHA 2025: "Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI"	23 Aug 2025
44	Mr Rohit AK	Avocor	DISHA 2025: "Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI"	23 Aug 2025
45	Mr Abhisht Shukla	HDFC Ergo	DISHA Series Topic "Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of A"I	23 Aug 2025
46	Mr Rinku Ananad	Sodexo	DISHA Series Topic Future of GBSs/GCCs – From Cost Centers to Value Creators	24 Aug 2025
47	Mr Manish Singh	Innovatiview	DISHA Series Topic HR Value Creation - Best is Yet Ahead	24 Aug 2025

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48	Ms Laxmi Shetty	Robosoft Technologies	DISHA Series Topic The People Side of AI: How AI is Reshaping HR in IT	24 Aug 2025
49	Mr Vishwanadh Raju	PlugScale	DISHA Series Topic Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI	24 Aug 2025
50	Mr Abhishek Srivastava	Clifford Chance	DISHA Series Topic Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI	24 Aug 2025
51	Mr Nishith Maheshwari	Incred	DISHA Series Topic Fintech and Embedded Finance	24 Aug 2025
52	Mr Ashish Banka	Cradlewise	DISHA Series Topic Career Planning in Adversities	24 Aug 2025
53	Mr Arjun	Amway	DISHA Series Topic Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI	24 Aug 2025
54	Mr Shashidhar Bilgi	Diversey	DISHA Series Topic Disrupt design dominate - business strategy in the age of AI from FMCG Perspective	30 Aug 2025
55	Mr Manish Gupta	D2C Ecommerce	DISHA Series Topic Post-MBA Career Choices and their Future Implications-What kind of skills and training should management graduates develop to succeed in AI-driven business environments?	30 Aug 2025
56	Ms Amrita Choudhury	Prodapt	DISHA Series Topic AI in HR	31 Aug 2025
57	Ms Meenakshi Goel	EY GDS	DISHA Series Topic Disrupt. Design. Dominate: Business Strategy in the Age of AI	31 Aug 2025
58	Mr Atanu Banerjee	Spectrum Talent Management	DISHA Series Topic Future of workforce evolution across industries and the Emerging roles for freshers	31 Aug 2025
59	Ms Sanjana Sipani	PayPal	DISHA Series Topic The human edge: Designing purposeful careers in the age of AI	31 Aug 2025
60	Mr Pratik Upadhyay	PayPal	DISHA Series Topic The Future of Decision-Making: Strategy at the Intersection of Data & AI	31 Aug 2025
61	Mr Piyush Mathur	Goldman Sachs	DISHA Series Topic Personal Brand in the World of Finance	31 Aug 2025
62	Prof P Murugan	Senior editor of Career Development International Journal and was a faculty (on lien) at IIM Shillong	Resource person for the Sixth Research Day at TAPMI; conducted a workshop on qualitative research.	18-19 Sep 2025

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63	Prof Jang Bahadur Singh	An Associate Professor in the Information Systems and Analytics Area, IIM Tiruchirappalli.	Resource person for the Sixth Research Day at TAPMI; conducted a workshop on qualitative research.	18-19 Sep 2025
64	Prof Constantine S Katsikeas	Arnold Ziff Research Chair in Marketing and International Management, Leeds University Business School	Session with the Guest and a one-to-one research feedback sharing session to TAPMI Faculty	07-08 Oct 2025
65	Prof Pawan Budhwar	Professor, Leeds Business School, University of Leeds, UK	Resource person for the Seventh Research Day at TAPMI; related to research consultancy for HR and OB faculty.	13 Dec 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
112	3

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty	
National	International
22	12

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Workshop	3	1
Seminar	15	3
Conference	0	1
Other	3	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty Members	Publisher	Date
1	Elgar Companion to Marketing and the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	Agricultural Transactions – Perspectives from the Base of the Pyramid. Agricultural Transactions – Perspectives from the Base of the Pyramid	Prof Jeevan J Arakal	Edward Elgar Publishing	31 Dec 2025
2	Book titled "Social, Ethical and Legal Aspects of Generative AI: Tools, Techniques and Systems". Book	Harnessing the Power of AI: A resource-based view of the MedTech Industry DETAILS: Murchhana Tripathy, Manaswini Jena, Vivek kumar Garg,	Prof Murchhana Tripathy	Springer Nature	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty Members	Publisher	Date
	Series “Studies in Computational Intelligence” (SCI).	Yaswanth Srinivas Karri, and Debjyoti De (2025). 'Harnessing the Power of AI: A Resource-Based View of the MedTech Industry'. Social, Ethical and Legal Aspects of Generative AI. Studies in Computational Intelligence, Springer.			
3	Risk, Reliability and Resilience in Operations Management	"Disruption management in the Indian steel industry: Enhancing resilience through digital interventions" Details: Varun Sharma, Neelesh Kumar Mishra, Vatsal Agrawal, 'Chapter 16 - Disruption management in the Indian steel industry: Enhancing resilience through digital interventions', Risk, Reliability and Resilience in Operations Management, Elsevier.	Prof Varun Sharma	Elsevier	31 Dec 2025
4	Mc Graw Hill	HR Analytics: Bridging Theory and Practice DETAILS: Vinit Ghosh, Shruthi J Mayur, Satwik Upadhyay, 'HR Analytics: Bridging Theory and Practice', 1st Edition, Mc Graw Hill.	Prof Vinit Ghosh and Prof Shruthi J Mayur	McGraw Hill	31 Dec 2025
5	Human-Centered Digitalization, Volume 3	Exploring the Impact of Additive Manufacturing on Personalized Footwear Detail: Sagar Ghuge and Avik Sarkar (2025). Exploring the Impact of Additive Manufacturing on Personalized Footwear. In: Das, S, Akram, W, Khanzode, V, Iqbal, R (eds) Human-Centered Digitalization, Volume 3. Design Science and Innovation. Springer, Singapore.	Prof Sagar Ghuge	Springer	31 Dec 2025
6	Human-Centered Digitalization, Volume 3	Workspace Ergonomics: An Integrated Approach Toward Sustainable Sitting and Seating. details: Sarkar, A, Deshmukh, C, Ghuge, S (2025). Workspace Ergonomics: An Integrated Approach Toward Sustainable Sitting and Seating. In: Das, S, Akram, W, Khanzode, V, Iqbal, R (eds) Human-Centered Digitalization, Volume 3. HWWE ACED BRICS 2023 2023 2023. Design Science and Innovation. Springer, Singapore.	Prof Sagar Ghuge	Springer	31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty Members	Publisher	Date
7	Additive Manufacturing for Biomedical Implants and Prosthetics	Industry 4.0 Interventions in Additive Manufacturing of Bio-Implants. "Pranjal Bothra and Sagar Ghuge (2025), Chapter 10 'Industry 4.0 Interventions in Additive Manufacturing of Bio-Implants', Additive Manufacturing for Biomedical Implants and Prosthetics"	Prof Sagar Ghuge	Taylor and Francis Group	31 Dec 2025
8	The Palgrave Handbook of Change and Resilience at Work	Embracing LMX-Quality and Social Networks When Leading Change. Manoj Kumar Yadav, Rajesh Mokale, and Jyoti Kumari Singh (2025). 'Embracing LMX-Quality and Social Networks When Leading Change'. In: Marques, J (eds), The Palgrave Handbook of Change and Resilience at Work. Palgrave Macmillan, Cham.	Prof Manoj Kumar Yadav	Springer	31 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Bala and Vasantha Balachandran Research Grant 2025 for his paper, “Ready Too Soon? The Paradoxical Effects of Premature Consumption Cues on Consumer Satisfaction.”	Prof Tathagata Ghosh	NASMEI (North American Society of Marketing Education in India) conference organized by Great Lakes Institute of Management, Chennai	100,000	19-20 Dec 2025
2	An International travel grant and Invitation from TU Clausthal, Germany to conduct workshops for System Dynamics and Masters Students	Prof Vasanth Kamath V P	Internationalization Funds of TU Clausthal, Germany	211,120	19-20 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Prof Ganesh C B	Prof Ganesh C B received a 'Best Teaching Faculty Award' for the year 2024-25.	31 Dec 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Prof Kavitha Ranganathan	Long Service Award for completing 10 years of service at TAPMI	12 Apr 2025
2	Prof Aditya Mohan Jadhav	Long Service Award for completing 10 years of service at TAPMI	12 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
3	Prof Vasanth Kamath	Long Service Award for completing 10 years of service at TAPMI	12 Apr 2025
4	Prof Pradeepta Sethi	Long Service Award for completing 10 years of service at TAPMI	12 Apr 2025
5	Prof Madhu Veeraraghavan	Prof Madhu Veeraraghavan, Pro Vice Chancellor, T A Pai Management Institute, MAHE, has been ranked No 1 in India and No 223 in the world in the most recent 12-year period according to the Brigham Young University (BYU) Accounting Rankings 2024.	31 Dec 2025
6	Prof Ganesh Balasubramanian,	Prof Ganesh Balasubramanian, (with co-author) has received the 'Bryant University Best Paper Award' in Supply Chain Management and Logistics at the Gala Dinner of 54th Annual Conference of the Northeast Decision Sciences Institute on 28 Mar 2025, in Hershey, Pennsylvania."	31 Dec 2025
7	Dr Kavitha Ranganathan	Dr Kavitha Ranganathan had been invited by a consortium of ICSSR grant awardees from BITS, XIM, and other schools to deliver an online workshop, organized by BITS-Pilani, Hyderabad Campus, on ""Risk Elicitation in the Field Experiments"" on 07 Jul 2025."	31 Dec 2025
8	Dr Nandan Prabhu	Dr Nandan Prabhu had been invited to deliver a lecture in a faculty development program organized by AJ Institute of Management, Mangalore. He spoke on "Mapping Literature for Review Articles and Thesis Writing". "	31 Dec 2025
9	Prof Mukta Srivastava	Prof Mukta Srivastava has been recently promoted to the Senior Associate Editor role at the Marketing Intelligence and Planning journal (ABDC-A, SCOPUS Q1)	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Chourasia Anshul Sunil Kumar	Winner, X-Culture 2024-1 Case Study; Organized by X-Culture	28 May 2024
2	Ms Deblina Mohapatra	Runner Up, Strike or Yield – Industrial Relations Flagship Event 2024; Case Study; Xavier School of Management (XLRI), received 20,000 INR	10 Nov 2024
3	Ms Shreya Agarwal	Runner Up, Strike or Yield – Industrial Relations Flagship Event 2024; Case Study; Xavier School of Management (XLRI), received 20,000 INR	10 Nov 2024
4	Ms Sanskriti Singh	2nd Runner Up, Indian Biz League, Paragana'24; Case Study; NMIMS, received 4,000 INR	18 Oct 2024
5	Mr Devanshu Bhansali	Winner, PROelio 10.0; Case Study; SIBM Pune, received 75,000 INR	28 Nov 2024
6	Mr Aditya Choudhury	Winner, PROelio 10.0; Case Study; SIBM Pune, received 75,000 INR	28 Nov 2024
7	Ms Rakshita Aggarwal	Winner, PROelio 10.0; Case Study; SIBM Pune, received 75,000 INR	28 Nov 2024
8	Mr Anirban Bhattacharjee	Runner Up, Visago 5.0; Case Study; IIM Bengaluru, received 4,000 INR	3 Jun 2024
9	Ms Shubha Agarwal	Second Runner Up, Consulimate 4.0; Case Study; IIM Visakhapatnam, received 14,000 INR	26 Nov 2024

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10	Ms Devanshi Rastogi	Second Runner Up, Consulimate 4.0; Case Study; IIM Visakhapatnam, received 14,000 INR	26 Nov 2024
11	Ms Jaspreet Kaur Jolly	Second Runner Up, Consulimate 4.0; Case Study; IIM Visakhapatnam, received 14,000 INR	26 Nov 2024
12	Mr Devanshu Bhansali	Second Runner Up, Breakthrough Case Competition; IIM Visakhapatnam, received 5,000 INR	24 Nov 2023
13	Mr Aditya Choudhury	Second Runner-Up, Breakthrough Case Competition; IIM Visakhapatnam, received 5,000 INR	24 Nov 2023
14	Mr Harsh Madhur Sanchawat	Winner, Sketch-HR; Case Study; IIM Ahmedabad, received 20,000 INR	30 Nov 2024
15	Ms Deblina Mohapatra	Winners, Sketch-HR; Case Study; IIM Ahmedabad, received 20,000 INR	30 Nov 2024
16	Mr Aman Kumar Santosh Kumar Shukla	Winners, SCOPE - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 20,000 INR	17 Feb 2024
17	Ms Ramya Jaya Dhevi Prabakar	Winners, SCOPE - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 20,000 INR	17 Feb 2024
18	Mr Aditya Yadav	Winners, SCOPE - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 20,000 INR	17 Feb 2024
19	Ms Shubha Agarwal	First Runner Up, Virtuoso - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 12,000 INR	13 Dec 2023
20	Mr Devanshu Bhansali	First Runner Up, Data-Vortex: The Ultimate Battle of Analysts - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 15,000 INR	13 Dec 2023
21	Mr Aditya Choudhury	First Runner Up, Data-Vortex: The Ultimate Battle of Analysts - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 15,000 INR	13 Dec 2023
22	Ms Aditi Saxena	Winners, Call for Research Articles for The Economics Association - Case Study; Organized by Sri Venkateshwara College, Delhi University	1 Dec 2024
23	Mr Aditya Choudhury	Winners, Fin-Odyssey - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 25,000 INR	15 Jan 2025
24	Mr Siddhant Padhi	First Runner Up, Psychorama - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 10,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
25	Ms. Dhanu	First Runner Up, Eco-Grand Prixx - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 10,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
26	Mr Rajershi Rastogi	First Runner Up, Infinovate Marketing Case Competition - Case Study; Organized by SIOM Nashik, received 7,000 INR	29 Dec2024
27	Mr Rajershi Rastogi	Second Runner Up, Crossroads (M&A) - Case Study; Organized by IIM Rohtak, received 3,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
28	Ms Navya Shukla	Second Runner Up, Crossroads (M&A) - Case Study; Organized by IIM Rohtak, received 3,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
29	Mr Sarthak Gupta	Second Runner Up, FinQuest 2.0 - Case Study; Organized by IIM Bodhgaya, received 3,000 INR	17 Jan 2025
30	Mr Lakshay Khandelwal	Winners, Smart Beta Finance Case Study - Organized by IIM Rohtak, received 12,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
31	Mr Anirban Bhattacharjee	Winners, EY Young Leaders Business Case Competition - Case Study; Organized by EY India, received 50,000 INR	19 Aug 2024
32	Mr Sheikh Yajidul Islam	Winners, EY Young Leaders Business Case Competition - Case Study; Organized by EY India, received 50,000 INR	19 Aug 2024

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33	Mr Harsh Madhur Sanchawat	Runner Up, Strike or Yield – Industrial Relations Flagship Event 2024; Case Study; Xavier School of Management (XLRI), received 20,000 INR	19 Oct 2023
34	Ms Sanskriti Singh	Runner Up, Strike or Yield – Industrial Relations Flagship Event 2024; Case Study; Xavier School of Management (XLRI), received 20,000 INR	19 Oct 2023
35	Ms Shreya Agarwal	Second Runner Up, Indian Biz League, Paragana'24; Case Study; NMIMS, received 4,000 INR	18 Oct 2025
36	Mr Anirban Bhattacharjee	Runner Up, The Power Pitch; Case Study; SIBM Pune, received 10,000 INR	7 Dec 2025
37	Ms Aishwarya Bhagwat	Runner Up, The Power Pitch; Case Study; SIBM Pune, received 10,000 INR	7 Dec 2025
38	Ms Shreya Agarwal	Winners, Sketch-HR; Case Study; IIM Ahmedabad, received 20,000 INR	30 Nov 2024
39	Ms Sanskriti Singh	Winners, Sketch-HR; Case Study; IIM Ahmedabad, received 20,000 INR	30 Nov 2024
40	Mr Dhanu	Second Runner up, Avatar: The Ultimate CEO; Case Study; IIM Kozhikode, received 15,000 INR	19 Dec 2025
41	Mr Rishabh Romin Bose	Second Runner up, Avatar: The Ultimate CEO; Case Study; IIM Kozhikode, received 15,000 INR	19 Dec 2025
42	Ms Shivali	First Runner Up, Virtuoso - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI in collaboration with IIM Kashipur, received 12,000 INR	24 Nov 2023
43	Mr Devanshi Rastogi	First Runner Up, Virtuoso - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 12,000 INR	9 Nov 2024
44	Ms Jaspreet Kaur Jolly	First Runner Up, Virtuoso - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 12,000 INR	9 Nov 2024
45	Ms Shubha Agarwal	Winner, Shikhar 2024 - Case Study; Organized by N L Dalmia Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai, received 30,000 INR	8 Sep 2024
46	Ms Jaspreet Kaur Jolly	Winner, Shikhar 2024 - Case Study; Organized by N L Dalmia Institute of Management Studies and Research, Mumbai, received 30,000 INR	8 Sep 2024
47	Mr Dipak Jalan	Winners, Fin-Odyssey - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 25,000 INR	15 Jan 2025
48	Mr Vineet Agarwal	Winners, Fin-Odyssey - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 25,000 INR	15 Jan 2025
49	Ms Shivali	First Runner Up, Psychorama - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 10,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
50	Mr Rishabh Romin Bose	First Runner Up, Eco-Grand Prixx - Case Study; Organized by TAPMI, received 10,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
51	Ms Jahnavi Chandra	Second Runner Up, FinQuest 2.0 - Case Study; Organized by IIM Bodhgaya, received 3,000 INR	17 Jan 2025
52	Ms Parnika Agarwal	Winners, Smart Beta Finance Case Study -Organized by IIM Rohtak, received 12,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
53	Mr Lakshay Khandelwal	Runner Up, Bears & Bulls 5.0 (Equity Research) - Organized by IIM Vizag, received 8,000 INR	26 Dec 2024
54	Ms Parnika Agarwal	Runner Up, Bears & Bulls 5.0 (Equity Research) - Organized by IIM Vizag, received 8,000 INR	26 Dec 2024

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55	Mr Prahalad Srinath	Runner Up, The Power Pitch; Case Study; SIBM Pune, received 10,000	7 Dec 2024
56	Mr Naman Singh Rawat	Runner Up, Arthneeti 2025 - Case Study; IMI New Delhi, received 8,000 INR	26 Jan 2025
57	Ms Palak Jitendra Sahu	Runner Up, Arthneeti 2025 - Case Study; IMI New Delhi, received 8,000 INR	26 Jan 2025
58	Mr Devanshu Bhansali	Runner Up, Operace - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	5 Jan 2025
59	Ms Rashi Garg	Runner Up, Operace - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	5 Jan 2025
60	Mr Rahul Muraleedharan Pillai	Runner Up, Operace - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	5 Jan 2025
61	Mr Devanshu Bhansali	Runner Up, Hall of Fame - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	7 Jan 2025
62	Ms Rashi Garg	Runner Up, Hall of Fame - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	7 Jan 2025
63	Mr Sanchit Jain	Runner Up, Hall of Fame - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	7 Jan 2025
64	Mr Rahul Muraleedharan Pillai	Runner Up, Hall of Fame - Case Study; Organized by SPJIMR, Mumbai	7 Jan 2025
65	Ms Vartika Tandon	Winners, Dealmakers' Conclave - Case Study; DSE	18 Feb 2025
66	Mr Ankur Gupta	Winners, Dealmakers' Conclave - Case Study; DSE	18 Feb 2025
67	Ms Sindhu Kamath	Winners, Kaizen Feb'25 - Case Study; IIM Rohtak	2 Feb 2025
68	Mr Udit Dimothe	Winners, Kaizen Feb'25 - Case Study; IIM Rohtak	2 Feb 2025
69	Ms Sindhu Kamath	Runner Up, Analytica Feb 2025 - Case Study; IIM Rohtak	4 Feb 2025
70	Mr Udit Dimothe	Runner Up, Analytica Feb 2025 - Case Study; IIM Rohtak	4 Feb 2025
71	Mr Udit Dimothe	Winners, Photography Challenge - Case Study; IIIT Nagpur, received 3,750 INR	27 Feb 2025
72	Ms Sindhu Kamath	Runner Up, Call for Articles - Case Study; TAPMI	13 Jan 2025
73	Mr Udit Dimothe	Runner Up, Call for Articles - Case Study; TAPMI	13 Jan 2025

Staff

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Ganesh Nayak	Long Service Award for completing 10 years of service at TAPMI	12 Apr 2025
2	Mrs Jyothi Nayak	Long Service Award for completing 30 years of service at TAPMI	12 Apr 2025
3	Dr Sushant Lobo	Dr Sushant Lobo, our Placement Manager, has been awarded the "Change Maker Award - Academic" at the Making India Employable	07 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
		Conference and Awards 2024. Dr Sushant was selected from over 300 nominations by a distinguished jury panel and was honored at the award ceremony at Mumbai.	
4	Ms Reshma K	Has been awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in " Social Work" for her thesis entitled: “Reconnoitering the factors influencing women workforce attrition in selected industries of Dakshina Kannada and Udupi District”.	21 Nov 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	SPEED - Phase 2	"In the first three months of the year, TAPMI hosted its main sports event, SPEED, which brought together students from all sections to compete and enjoy various sports. The event included Basketball, Football, Cricket, Swimming, Athletics, and Badminton. All matches were conducted as per the official rules of each sport, with proper refereeing to ensure fairness. Football and Cricket drew large crowds and showcased great teamwork and strategy. Basketball games were energetic and fast-paced, with excellent coordination among players. Swimming and Athletics highlighted individual talent, with events like sprints, relays, and jumps testing speed, strength, and endurance. Badminton, played in both singles and doubles formats, displayed skill, focus, and agility. Students showed great enthusiasm, whether as players, volunteers, or supporters. The event helped build friendships across sections, promoted sportsmanship, and added excitement to campus life. It also helped us identify talented players who could represent TAPMI in future inter-college competitions."	01 Jan to 31 Mar 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Inter Mahe tournaments	In the first three months of the year, TAPMI actively participated in the Inter-MAHE Sports Tournament, competing against other MAHE institutions across multiple disciplines. Our institute fielded teams in Volleyball, Cricket, Football, Throwball, and Athletics.	01 Jan to 31 Mar 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Farewell	Kabhi Alvida Na Kehna, the formal farewell for the Batch of 2025. "The goal of the event was to create a fun and memorable farewell filled with celebration, nostalgia, and entertainment. The evening began with the Bollywood Character Resemblance contest, where students nominated friends who most closely resembled well-known Bollywood characters. This was followed by lively on-stage performances that added humor and excitement to the atmosphere. The energy continued with the Bollywood Trivia Challenge, which featured movie dialogue rounds, song identification tasks, and fast-paced questions designed to keep the audience engaged. The atmosphere was elevated further by a special Bollywood performance from YTBN, whose dynamic presence infused the event with vigor and enthusiasm. Students also enjoyed a delightful culinary break, thanks to food stalls offering a variety of snacks and desserts that complemented the celebration. As the night	15 Feb 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		progressed, students cherished their final moments together. Before saying goodbye to their classmates, they had one last opportunity to dance, celebrate their friendships, and create lasting memories during a lively and emotional DJ Night."	
2	Waves	TAPMI's annual inter-section war, Waves'25, brought all sections together for two days of exciting cultural, artistic, and recreational competitions. The event celebrated talent, creativity, teamwork, and healthy competition. "Wave Warriors, an energetic water-balloon team competition that kicked off Day 1, set a lively tone for the festivities. This was followed by Saregama, a group singing competition where teams performed in harmony and showcased their musical coordination. Later in the day, Chalchitra, a theatre event, allowed participants to demonstrate their acting, directing, and storytelling abilities through short plays based on themes or genres of their choice. Day 2 began with Jhoom, a group dance competition known for its strong choreography, coordinated formations, and vibrant performances. The excitement continued with Hunger Games, a food-based timed challenge that added humor and thrill to the event. Teams competed in fast-eating rounds and completed a variety of entertaining tasks. Waves'25 concluded on a high note with a lively DJ Night, where all sections came together to celebrate their efforts, enjoy music, and create lasting memories."	24 Feb 2025
3	Women's Day	The Cultural Committee honored the outstanding women of the TAPMI community by celebrating Women's Day at the Student Center. The purpose of the event was to recognize the tenacity, fortitude, and consistent contributions of staff, instructors, and students. The celebration began with a heartwarming and upbeat video featuring inspiring tales of empowerment and perseverance. Following the screening, every woman on campus received a heartfelt card and a red rose as a token of appreciation and acknowledgment for her contributions to TAPMI.	08 Mar 2025
4	Janmashtami	Janmashtami: Celebrated with traditional fervor, including rituals, devotional songs, and cultural performances that highlight the significance of Lord Krishna's birth.	16 Aug 2025
5	Durga Puja	Durga Puja is a major Hindu festival honoring the goddess Durga. It spans over nine days, symbolizing the triumph of good over evil. Devotees worship Durga's various forms, offer prayers, and participate in cultural festivities.	02 Oct 2025
6	Karnataka Rajyotsava	Karnataka Rajyotsava is the state festival of Karnataka, India. Celebrated on 01 Nov, it commemorates the formation of the state. The day is marked with cultural programs, flag hoisting, and honoring Kannada language and heritage.	01 Nov 2025

Photo Archive of Important events

Farewell

Waves

Women's day

Durga Puja and Dussehra

Krishna Janmashtami

Karnataka Rajaosthasava

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Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution
Integrated program in Management (which is a combination of 2 degrees named BA foundations in Management (3years) + MBA (2 years)

About the Institution/School
The Manipal Institute of Management (MIM) at MIT Manipal was established in 1999 and its MBA program offers dual specializations in the areas of Marketing, HR, Finance and Operations Management. It also has a course in sectoral MBA in Healthcare Management.

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)
Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Ms Laxmi Shetty	Robosoft Technologies	Soft Skills Training Session for IPM Students	07 Nov 2025

Extra-Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	Annual Sports Meet	Sports day celebration for MIM students	04 Jan 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date
1	Annual Day celebration	Annual Day celebration for IPM students	12 Apr 2025

Intercollege Management Fest conducted by IPM students was held on 07 and 08 March 2025. A total of 20 different colleges from Bengaluru and Mangalore participated. The inauguration program was held on 07 March 2025 at the MIT Library Auditorium, followed by the events at MIM.

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Established: 1997

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

- Bachelor of Arts in Media and Communication (BAMC)/ BA (Hons)
- Bachelor of Science in Animation (B Sc Animation)
- BA in Graphic Design and Digital Media Marketing
- Master of Arts in Media and Communication (MAMC)
- MA in Film Art

About the Institution/School

The Manipal Institute of Communication (MIC) is a premier institution for media and communication studies and a constituent unit of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), which has been recognized as an Institution of Eminence by the Government of India. Established in 1997, MIC is consistently ranked among the top five journalism and media colleges in the country and is known for its commitment to excellence in media education. The institute provides comprehensive training across all aspects of media, combining practical skills with theoretical knowledge, while emphasizing a holistic understanding of the ethical, cultural, and political dimensions of the industry, all within an international perspective.**Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities New Initiatives:**

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Photo Studio 4 QUALITY EDUCATION	Mr Anant Nath, Caravan President, Editor Guild of India, inaugurated new photo studio at MIC on 14 November 2025.	14 Nov 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Namma Santhe 2025—a curated fest at KMC Greens, Manipal	**Namma Sante** is MIC's flagship social responsibility initiative aimed at empowering financially weaker sections of society by providing them with a free platform to sell their products. The third edition, held from 14–16 February 2025 at KMC Greens, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), in collaboration with Udayavani, featured 120 stalls showcasing homemade food, handicrafts, organic products, and other local goods. With a total footfall of 12,508 visitors over the three-day event, Namma Sante not only promoted community entrepreneurship but also encouraged students to actively engage with grassroots sustainability and inclusive development.	14-16 Feb 2025
2	Blood Donation 2025	The Blood Donation Camp, organised on 7 March 2025, in collaboration with the Department of Immunohematology and Blood Transfusion, KMC MAHE Manipal, sought to inculcate the spirit of social responsibility and humanitarian service among students. The objective was to create awareness about the importance of voluntary blood donation and to contribute meaningfully to society's healthcare needs. The drive saw 133 registrations, with 87 units of blood successfully collected, making it a significant gesture of solidarity and lifesaving support from the MIC community.	7 Mar 2025
3	Namma Santhe Plus—a hands-on training workshop	Namma Santhe Plus—a hands-on training workshop in association with Udayavani. Resource Persons: Ms Shruthi Shetty and Ms Sowparnika Attavar.	10 Mar 2025
4	NEEM Club MIC commemorates "International Zero Waste Day"	Photography contest and awareness drive in MIC campus promoting sustainability, waste reduction, and eco-friendly living. Faculty Coordinator: Dr Anupa Lewis. Student Co-ordinator: Harshita Roy.	30 Mar 2025
5	Namma Angadi	Namma Angadi is a long-standing student-driven event at MIC that combines cultural pride with ethical consumerism. The 22nd edition, conducted from 11 to 13 April 2025 in collaboration with Namma Bhoomi, brought together traditional artisans, craftspeople, and youth groups to promote indigenous products and sustainable livelihoods. The event generated close to 27	11-13 Apr 2025

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		lakhs (INR) in revenue, all of which was directed to Namma Bhoomi to support community development initiatives. Its objective was to bridge the gap between rural artisans and urban consumers while instilling in students a deep appreciation of cultural heritage and social entrepreneurship.	
6	An Anti-Ragging Seminar .	As part of the observance of Anti-Ragging Day and the commencement of Anti-Ragging Week, a program was organized to create awareness among students about the harmful effects of ragging and to remind everyone of the importance of maintaining a safe and respectful campus environment. The program began with an inaugural session attended by faculty members, the nodal officer, and student representatives from different departments. Students reported to the venue by 9:45 AM and the formal proceedings started at 10:00 AM. The event was conducted in a serious and attentive atmosphere, reflecting the importance of the topic being addressed. The key session of the seminar was the address delivered by the Superintendent of Police, who was the chief guest for the program. The speaker explained the legal aspects of ragging, the laws in place, and the consequences faced by individuals involved in such activities. Real-life instances were shared to help students understand how ragging affects victims emotionally and mentally, and how it can also negatively impact the future of those who engage in it. Students were encouraged to treat one another with respect and to contribute towards creating a positive and welcoming campus culture. The importance of reporting incidents at an early stage and making use of institutional support systems was also emphasized, assuring students that their safety and well-being are a priority. After the formal session, a seminar on the anti-ragging theme was conducted and continued until 12:15 PM. The discussion focused on building a healthy learning environment where students feel secure and supported.	12 Aug 2025
7	MIC highlights dangers of substance abuse through guest lecture 	MIC hosted a guest lecture of substance abuse awareness, titled “Choices and consequences: Understanding Substance Abuse” on 1st September 2025. This lecture was conducted by Dr Vinod Nayak at the MIC Auditorium. Dr Vinod Nayak is the Professor in the Department of Forensic Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal and Associate Dean at KMC. The session lasted for an hour, from 2–3 PM, under the guidance of Dr Shubha H S, Director and Professor at MIC. The event was coordinated by Dr Manjushree Naik and aimed to educate students about the consequences of substances which are harmful to them. Dr Vinod Nayak spoke of the psychological, medical, and legal aspects of substance abuse; relating real life occurrences in order to prove his point. The lecture drew a full audience of Undergraduate students from BA Media Communication and Animation programs. Dr Nayak began by stressing that substances such as drugs, alcohol, and other narcotics can be easy to get addicted to and one should be really careful with any substance that is harmful, since it could lead to serious health issues. He explained that addiction is not sudden, but a gradual process influenced by	1 Sep 2025

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		peer pressure, curiosity, and emotional vulnerability. Dr Vinod Nayak gave details on short-term and long term effects of drugs and alcohol on the nervous system. He further discussed the legal frameworks under India's Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act, as well as the effect of peer pressure and family problems causing stress.	
8	Talk on Prevention of Sexual Harassment topic: Talk on Prevention of Sexual Harassment	Dr Geetha Maiya, Director of Student Affairs at MAHE and Chairperson of the Internal Complaints Committee (ICC), delivered a talk on the prevention of sexual harassment at Manipal Institute of Communication on 4th September 2025. In her address, she outlined the different forms of sexual harassment students may encounter, extending beyond physical harassment. Drawing from her experience as ICC Chairperson, Dr Maiya shared real incidents to illustrate the types of complaints addressed by the committee, while also cautioning students against filing false allegations. The session also featured MAHE counsellor, Mrs Karuna Devadige, who engaged with students on the broader challenges of adapting to a new academic environment. Issues such as ragging, anxiety, and stress were discussed, and she encouraged students to reach out to her for guidance and support when needed.	4 Sep 2025
9	Self-awareness and professional identity workshop	MIC organised a workshop on self-awareness and professional identity from 10 to 11 September 2025 at the MIC Auditorium. The session was conducted by Mr Subhash Bangera—a seasoned soft skills facilitator and corporate trainer— and the session was organised by the placement cell for final-year students. The workshop was held in two slots, from 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM and 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM, to ensure active participation from all attendees. The primary objective of the workshop was to prepare students for the corporate world by helping them understand the importance of self-awareness, professional conduct, and essential soft skills required in a workplace environment. The session focused on how individuals are expected to behave in a corporate setup, emphasising communication skills, teamwork, adaptability, and professional etiquette. During the seminar, students were divided into six groups and were engaged in several interactive group activities. These activities were designed to highlight the importance of teamwork, collaboration, and self-expression in a professional setting. One of the most impactful segments involved discussing personal fears related to joining the corporate world. Students were encouraged to openly share their concerns, after which Mr Bangera guided them on practical ways to overcome these fears and build confidence. Overall, the workshop was highly engaging and insightful, equipping students with a clearer understanding of corporate expectations and helping them take a step closer to becoming confident professionals.	10 to 11 Sep 2025

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10	Collective Action for a Cleaner Tomorrow—Swachhata Pakhwada 2025 	As part of the Swachhata Pakhwada 2025 initiative, MIC organised a cleanliness and awareness drive on 16th September 2025 under the theme "Collective Action for a Cleaner Tomorrow". The program aimed to promote environmental awareness, encourage responsible waste management, and reinforce the values of cleanliness and sustainability among students. The activity was coordinated by Mr Akhil Raj K V and Dr Manjushree G Naik, with active participation from a large number of students from various batches. Dr Shubha H S, Director of MIC, addressed the gathering, commending the students and faculty members for their enthusiastic participation and for upholding the spirit of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. Students took part in campus cleaning activities, segregating waste, and ensuring that the surroundings were neat and well-maintained. Awareness messages and slogans promoting cleanliness and eco-friendly practices were also displayed during the event. The initiative fostered a sense of social responsibility and teamwork among the students, reflecting MIC's ongoing commitment to environmental stewardship. The Swachhata Pakhwada 2025 initiative at MIC was a successful and inspiring event that highlighted the importance of collective action towards a cleaner, greener, and healthier environment. The efforts of the faculty coordinators and student volunteers contributed to strengthening the culture of cleanliness and sustainability within the campus community.	16 Sep 2025
11	MAHE Ombudsman Talk Emphasises Structured Grievance Redressal for Students 	MAHE, Manipal, organised an interaction with the MAHE Ombudsman on 23rd September 2025 to familiarise student representatives with the university's grievance redressal framework. The session was conducted at the EDU Building and brought together student leaders and faculty members from various constituent institutes to engage in dialogue on institutional accountability and student welfare. The meeting was convened with the objective of strengthening awareness about the Ombudsman system at MAHE and clarifying the processes students must follow while addressing grievances. Each institute was represented by one faculty member and three members of the student council, ensuring a balanced exchange of perspectives between the administration and the student community.	23 Sep 2025
12	Leadership workshop 	The leadership workshop, organised by the Department of Student Affairs and conducted by the M R Pai Foundation jointly with the Forum of Free Enterprise, sought out to instil a sense of deep retrospection and self-identity amongst the young leaders of MAHE. With Dr P Giridhar Kini as the Chief Guest, the event began with an inauguration ceremony on 26th September 2025 at 9:30 AM. The guests were welcomed with a wonderful rendition of the flute by a council member of MIT. Following this, the students were invited to join their respective group sessions. Through the various interactive activities and thought-provoking sessions, Mr Sachin Kamath and Mr Vivek Patki assisted the students of MAHE's council through a variety of necessary skills, namely public speaking and creating connections, to mention a	26 - 27 Sep 2025

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		few. Throughout these sessions, students were provided with material that helped them strategize and streamline their goals. It also gave many students opportunities to put their thoughts forward. As the workshop came to an end, our speakers—Mr Sachin Kamath and Mr Vivek Patki—as well as the organising personnel from the Department of Student Affairs were felicitated for their hardwork and contribution. In conclusion, the entire session ran for two days and provided an opportunity for all the students to work towards their life goals and gave them a chance to interact with the members of the council.	
13	Daan Utsav 2025 	As part of Daan Utsav 2025, Project Tejas was conducted on 4th October 2025 at the KMC Women's and Children's Ward. The session aimed to bring joy and positivity to the children through creative and engaging activities. The volunteers organised painting and drawing sessions, allowing the children to express their imagination through colours and shapes. Some children also participated in puzzle-solving and mental games, making the atmosphere vibrant and interactive. The ward was filled with cheerful energy, laughter, and enthusiasm throughout the activity. All the volunteers actively participated with warmth, patience, and teamwork, ensuring that every child was included and encouraged. Their compassionate approach and dedication made the event meaningful and memorable for everyone involved. Project Tejas was a joyful and impactful initiative that beautifully embodied the spirit of Daan Utsav. The event successfully spread smiles among the children and strengthened the connection between Volunteer Services Organisation (VSO) volunteers and the community. It truly reflected the VSO vision of spreading happiness through service, creativity, and compassion.	4 Oct 2025
14	Project Jonaki 	As part of the VSO initiative to spread joy and compassion through community engagement, Project Jonaki was conducted on 12th October 2025 at Access Life Cancer Shelter, Manipal. The project aimed to create a cheerful and supportive environment for the children residing at the shelter. The session began with an art and colouring activity, where the children enthusiastically expressed their creativity through drawings and colours. This was followed by interactive games such as throw ball and puzzle-solving, which encouraged teamwork, laughter, and active participation. Although the number of children present was fewer, the four volunteers ensured that each child received individual attention and care. Their warmth, enthusiasm, and dedication helped create a lively and joyful atmosphere throughout the session. Project Jonaki was a heartwarming and meaningful experience that beautifully reflected the VSO spirit of spreading light, joy, and togetherness. The volunteers' efforts made the session impactful, leaving smiles and positivity among the children at Access Life Cancer Shelter. Volunteers Present: Mishal, Trupti, Sreshtha, and Leimathoi.	12 Oct 2025
15	Report on Blue Hour Sessions Conducted by the Student Support Centre	The Student Support Centre, MAHE, organized a series of Blue Hour Sessions aimed at promoting mental health awareness and emotional well-being among students. These sessions were conducted as interactive discussions with mental health	21 Oct 2025 - 24 Nov 2025

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		professionals, offering students a safe and supportive space to reflect on personal and social concerns. The Blue Hour Session held on 24th October 24 2025, focused on the theme "Understanding Body-image". The session addressed how body image develops over time and its impact on mental health and self-esteem. Students were encouraged to reflect on social influences, self-perception, and acceptance, leading to meaningful discussions and active participation. Another session was conducted on November 21st, 2025, titled "Who are we when we're watched?" This session explored the idea of social masks and the ways in which individuals shape their identities based on social expectations. The discussion helped students better understand authenticity, self-awareness, and emotional responses in social settings. Both sessions were held from 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM and were open to students from various MAHE institutes and departments. They received positive engagement and contributed to greater awareness of mental well-being and self-reflection among students.	
16	NEEM [Network of Eco Explorers Manipal] - Club celebrates "World Food Day" 	MIC's nature club NEEM celebrated "World Food Day" through its "plant an idea initiative". The theme chosen this year was "Go Green, Eat Clean", with a photo-collage exhibit capturing the pulse of culture and tradition of different cities in India, showcasing the diversity of living food customs and value systems. The student event coordinator was Drisya Hari, and the faculty coordinator was Dr Anupa Lewis. Venue: MIC Auditorium.	25 Oct 2025
17	RASA—Creative Communication Art Exhibition 	The art exhibit titled "RASA Palette of Ethnic Art" was organized by the Creative Communication Students of MAMC-III at the Manipal Institute of Communication, presented a rich tapestry of ethnic expression through visual, olfactory, and gustatory impressions. Held on 27th October at the MIC Auditorium, the event was inaugurated at 11:00 AM by Dr Hild Nordal, Lecturer at Volda University, and remained open for viewing until 3:00 PM. The showcase featured a diverse array of installations by students, including works like Millet Earth by Deeksha Karkera, Warli Sweet Hut by Samruddhi Trivedi, Threads of Mehndi by Joannah John, and Pickle Palette (A Stain of Life) by Abdul Samad, among others. Each piece offered a unique sensory experience rooted in cultural memory and tradition. The event was coordinated by Dr Anupa Lewis.	27 Oct 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)/ Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Mr Prithvi Konanur	Writer, Director, and Producer	Guest lecture titled "Frame to frame an interaction with film maker"	9 Jan 2025
2	Mr Mukesh Kumar	Senior Fellow and Lecturer, University of Zurich	Public lecture	11 Jan 2025
3	Ms Lata Jagtiani	Author—Thank You, Guru Dutta	Interactive session	13 Jan 2025

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4	Mr Manek Premchand	Author—And the Music Lives On	The Evolution of Music in Indian Cinema	13 Jan 2025
5	Dr Nili Steinfeld, Ariel University	Ariel University, Israel	Public Lecture by Dr Nili Steinfeld, Ariel University, Israel, on an "Introduction to conducting Social Science Research with Eye-tracking"	17 Jan 2025
6	School Counsellor	School Counsellor	School Counsellor's visit with interaction at MIC	18 Jan 2025
7	Mr Karandeep Singh Kapany	Regional Marketing Director, Duolingo	Teaching English to the next billion, one friendly threat to a time	23 Jan 2025
8	Mr Sri Shekhar Gupta	Eminent Journalist, Founder and Editor in-Chief—The Print	National Interest: Decluttering The Indian Story in the Contemporary World Order	27 Jan 2025
10	Mr Nitin Kaushal	Co-founder, Country Delight	Milking Success: The Country Delight Story	7 Feb 2025
11	Mr Rajeev Raja	Founder and Soundsmith, Brand Music	The Future of Branding in Sound	13 Feb 2025
12	Mr Sanket Kulkarni	Head Business Development, Oxmax Media	Dive Deep into Media Analytics	17 Feb 2025
13	Ms Dvija Mandava	Senior Analyst, Ormax Media	Dive Deep into Media Analytics	17 Feb 2025
14	Ms Nimisha Mathur	Senior Account Manager, Adfactors Public Relations (PR) Delhi	Career in Public Relations	24 Feb 2025
15	Mr Jijoy P R	Film and Television Institute of India (FTII) and Narayana Film School in Kerala	Acting workshop	24 Feb 2025-1 Mar 2025
16	Ms Nandita Lakshmanan	Founder and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Practice	Session on Public Relations	11 Mar 2025
17	Mr Prasad Karat	Vice President of Practice	Session on Public Relations	11 Mar 2025
18	Ms Shruthi Bojamma	Director, Corporate Communications, SmartSoc Solutions, Ex-Coca Cola, Ex-Himalaya	Session on Public Relations Role of PR in Marketing Communication	13 Mar 2025
19	Dr Mathew Jones	University of Florida	Interactive Meeting with Dr Mathew Jones from the University of Florida	14 Mar 2025-14 Apr 2025
20	Ms Chirantana Borathakur	Account Manager, MSL India	Introduction to Digital PR	20-21 Mar 2025
21	Mr Anup Oli	VP-Marketing, Oben Electric	Role of event in brand building	21 Mar 2025
22	Mr Siddartha Jatla	Alum—FTII and Cinematographer	Script Writing and Filmmaking workshop	1-4 Apr 2025
23	Professor Buroshiva Dasgupta	Director—Sister Nivedita University, Kolkata	Lecture on Development Communication	1-2 Apr 2025

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24	Mr Sumanth Bhat	Filmmaker and Director	Behind the Lens—Screening of the Film Mithya and Discussion	4 Apr 2025
25	Dr Manisha Mishra	Fellow at the University of Agder, Norway	Guest lecture	7 Apr 2025
26	Mr Anirudh Baboo	One Advertising and Communication (AD) Services Limited	AD—Filmmaking workshop	9-10 Apr 2025
27	Dr Shashidhar Nanjudiah	Founding Dean— Mahindra Media School	Guest lecture	23 Apr 2025
28	Dr Satish Kolluri	Associate Professor, Pace University	International Communication Association (ICA) Hub 2025—Talk on Quest for Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) and Pedagogical Challenges	13 Jun 2025
29	Dr Sumit Narula	Professor and Director, AMITY University Gurgaon	ICA Hub 2025—Workshop: Declutter the clutter in Academic Research and Ethics	13 Jun 2025
30	Mr Timothy Wayne Pollock	Osaka Kyoiko University, Japan	ICA Hub 2025—Talk on Why Hollywood does not Turn: What Film can teach us about the Trolley Car Dilemma	14 Jun 2025
31	Dr Lata Satyen	Associate Professor in Psychology, Deakin University	Talk on Breaking the silence: Media's role in addressing Domestic Violence	16 Jun 2025
32	Dr Virupaksha Devaramane	Consultant Psychiatrist, Dr AV Baliga Memorial Hospital, Udupi	Visited MIC and gave a talk at 3 PM in the MIC Auditorium. Human Resources Department, MAHE invited staff from other institutions to attend this special talk on the topic, "The Power of Communication—Unlocking Workplace Potential"	4 Jul 2025
33	Ms Kinshu Jain Doshi	Corporate Trainer and Career Coach	Unlocking the Creative You — Workshop	5 Aug 2025
34	Dr Arpan Yagnik	Faculty, Penn State University	Masterclass on Advertising	6 Aug 2025
35	Dr Arpan Yagnik	Faculty, Penn State University	Public talk on Inner Listening	7 Aug 2025
36	Mr Sterin	Nikon India	Modelling Photography – Workshop	19 Aug 2025
37	Dr Erin Hawley	Associate Head of School of Communication and Creative Arts, Deakin University	Masterclass on Why Communication Matters More Than Ever Before	21 Aug 2025
38	Mr Satheesh P	National Award Winning—Sound Engineer	Sound workshop	3-5 Sep 2025
39	Mr Ramasubramanian Bangaru Raju	Senior User Interface (UI)/User Experience (UX) Designer and Project Management	Session on Project Management	8-13 Sep 2025

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40	Mr Subhash Bangera	Soft Skill Facilitator and Corporate Trainer and Founder of Shlokaa Enterprises	Workshop on Self-Awareness and Professional Identity	10-11 Sep 2025
41	Mr Nikhil Pran	Director, Pran's Features Limited Liability Partnership (LLP)	Artifex Chapter 7—Beyond Super Heros, The power of Comics	18 Sep 2025
42	Mr Jotirmaya Gadanayak	Head of Department, Training and Development, Technicolor	Artifex Chapter 7—Shaping Animation Careers Storytelling, AI and Tech Enabled Creativity, and Studio Readiness	18 Sep 2025
43	Mr Ankur Rastogi	Cg Supervisor-Real Time and AI, Unreal Engine Specialist, Strategic Freelance Consulting	Artifex Chapter 7—Shadows, Light and Story, The Human Touch in an AI World	18 Sep 2025
44	Mr Abidh Ali	CEO and Executive Producer, Illucus Films	Artifex Chapter 7—Guest Speakers	18 Sep 2025
45	Mr Pranav Sunil	Director and Creative Producer, Illucus Films	Artifex Chapter 7—Guest Speakers	18 Sep 2025
46	Mr Baisil Kunjumon	Editor and Post Production, Illucus Films	Artifex Chapter 7—Guest Speakers	18 Sep 2025
47	Mr Vikramjit Roy	Executive Producer and Global Co-Production Architect	Article-19—2025: Keynote Speaker	19 Sep 2025
48	Mr Prabhu Mejel	CEO of Soolal and Founder of Asia's first IP Creation Company	Scripting workshop	19 Sep 2025
49	Ms Anushka Chikara	Strategist and Storyteller	Article-19—2025: Speaker	20 Sep 2025
50	Mr Sangeet Shobhan	Filmfare Award Winner	Article-19—2025: Resource Person	20 Sep 2025
51	Ms Riya Shibu	Young Actress, Influencer and Producer	Article-19—2025: Speaker	20 Sep 2025
52	Mr Timothy W. Pollock	Osaka Kyoiku University, Japan	Research Seminar series on writing an abstract	24 Sep 2025
53	Mr Astro Mohan	Senior News Photographer, Udayavani	A photography workshop on the art of composition	9 to 10 Oct 2025
54	Mr Satheesh P	National Award Winning—Sound Engineer	Sound workshop	22 to 24 Oct 2025
55	Mr Praveen Rao S	Assistant Professor and Clinical Research Training Program (CRTP) Fellowship Institute of Public Health, Bengaluru	Workshop on the Importance of Media Management in Public Health	29 Oct 2025
56	Mr Badekkila Pradeep	Voice Actor and Podcaster	Workshop on Video and Audio Production Skill Enhancement	30-31 Oct 2025
57	Ms Sharadi Padake	Reverb Incorporated	Workshop for Master Students	30-31 Oct 2025

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58	Dr Vanilakshmi P	Statistician	Workshop on Statistics	8 Nov 2025
59	Mr Anant Nath	Editor, The Caravan President, Editor Guild of India	Facts, Fairness, and Accountability: The Ethical Compass of Journalism	14 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
0	7

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
8	13	3	3

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Conference	0	1
Workshop	10	0
Seminar	8	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	South Asian Alternative Cinema(s)	Socio-Economic Dynamics and Economic Implementations: Unrevealing Son Preferences in Indian Cinema.	Debjani Halder	Routledge May 2025, ISBN 978-1-03-245460-3, pp. 154–164	31 May 2025
2	Digital Inequalities in Media Education in South Asia	Students Perception of Online, earning, and Evaluation: A case study of India during the Covid-19 Pandemic	Dr Manjushree G Naik	Routledge/New York/2025	31 Dec 2025
3	The Routledge Companion to Conflict and Crisis Reporting	Conflict and crisis reporting in South Asia	Shreeraj Gudi (Co-Author)	Routledge/UK/2026	31 Dec 2025
4	Future Feminisms	Myths and Realities of Motherhood in India	Dr Manjushree G Naik and Dr Padma Rani	Routledge/UK/2026	31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	The Week—India's best College	The Week ranked it 6th among the best mass communication colleges in India.	29 Jun 2025
2	India Today—Ranking 2025	India Today ranked it 4th among the best mass communication colleges in India.	30 Jun 2025

3	Outlook Magazine—India's Best Colleges	Outlook Magazine ranked it 3rd among the best mass communication colleges in India.	21 Jul 2025

Faculty Members:

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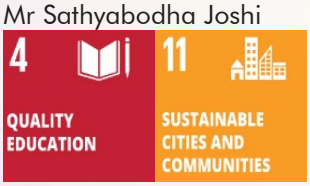
1	Dr Padma Rani	Chaired a session on Gender Dynamics in Media at the International Conference titled, "Innovative Paradigms in Communication and Media: Bridging the Digital Perspectives" organized by Center for Journalism and Mass Communication, Visva Bharti, West Bengal, in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR).	9 Jan 2025
2	Dr Manjula Venkataraghavan	Invited as a resource person at the International Conference on Media and Social Responsibility 2.0, held on 11–12 February 2025 at Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College (DDGD) Vaishnav College, Chennai.	12 Feb 2025
3	Dr Shubha H S	Attended the University Grants Commission (UGC) Study Webs of Active–Learning for Young Aspiring Minds (SWAYAM)Workshop on Integration and Implementation of SWAYAM Courses from Universities and Affiliated Colleges, representing MAHE.	25 Feb 2025
4	Mr Sathyabodha Joshi	Conducted a masterclass on Lights and Camera at the Paridrisha 3rd International Film Festival, Mysore, February 2025.	28 Feb 2025
5	Dr Anupa Lewis	Certified in a Training Program on Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) at University of Mysore, 3–8 March 2025, organized by University Grants Commission, New Delhi, in collaboration with IKS Division of Ministry of Education.	8 Mar 2025
6	Mr Sathyabodha Joshi 	Short story collection Gudi Sheenya Mathu Ithara Kathegalu shortlisted by Chandaprakashana, a well-known publication house.	31 Mar 2025
7	Dr Shubha H.S	Conducted an interview with Shekhar Gupta, published on YouTube.	31 Mar 2025
8	Dr Shubha H S	Delivered two online sessions on Media in India and Intercultural Communication to students of Technische Hochschule Nürnberg, Germany.	15 May 2025

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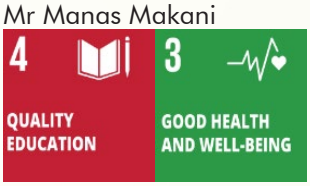
9	Mr Shreeraj Gudi	Represented MIC at the —World Audiovisual and Entertainment Summit (WAVES), Mumbai.	31 May 2025
10	Dr Padma Rani	Represented the International Communication Association (ICA) India Chapter as a key panellist in the dialogue on Internationalization and Global Outreach of ICA at the 2025 ICA Annual Conference, Denver.	16 Jun 2025
11	Dr Debjani Halder	Received the Artist Residency Award by Art Firm, Goa.	30 Jun 2025
12	Mr Manas Makani 	First place in the Inter-MAHE Staff Table-tennis Tournament.	19 Aug 2025
13	Dr Sowparnika Pavan Kumar Attavar	Awarded PhD	22 Aug 2025
14	Dr Shubha H S	Topic: 'Why crisis communication is a must-have skill for media students—Today's high-speed communication landscape demands professionals who are adept at responding with clarity, accuracy, and urgency.' Published in *The Hindu* newspaper.	28 Sep 2025
15	Dr Debjani Halder	Completed and submitted ICSSR Major Research Grant Project on [Film & Television Institute of India] FTII.	31 Dec 2025
16	Dr Debjani Halder	Made a 120-minute documentary titled "The Raconteur of Dark — Aandharpotua".	31 Dec 2025
17	Dr Rashmi Kumari Ammembala	Recognized for Outstanding Contribution and Dedicated Service as a member of the State Monitoring Committee for the successful implementation of the Atal Vayo Abhyuday Yojana (AVYAY) Project sponsored by the Ministry of Social Justice, Government of India,	10 June 2025

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		Ministry of Social Justice and Community Radio Association, New Delhi (Online).	
18	Dr Padmakumar K 	Vice Chancellor's Nomination. Appointed as a member of the Board of Management, nominated by the Vice Chancellor of MAHE, Manipal, for MAHE. Appointed as a member of the Selection Committee, nominated by the Vice Chancellor of Kannur University for the position of Assistant Professor at Kannur University.	31 Dec 2025
19	Mr Manas Makani 	MIC features in Indigo's Hello 6E Magazine—April 2025 issue—showcasing MIC as India's creative hub of storytellers.	31 Dec 2025
20	Mr Akhil Raj KV 	Appointed as a Member of the Academic Council at Aranmula Vasthuvidya Gurukulam, a premier institution under the Ministry of Culture, Government of Kerala.	31 Dec 2025
21	Mr Manas Makani 	5th position in cross country race.	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mini Utsav 2025 winners 	Cultural fusion literary events: Debate—First Krish Gosain (BA MC III year), Mihir Malla (BA MC III year), Third Rohit Ramesh (BA MC III year); JAM—First Krish Gosain (BA MC III year), Second Rohit Ramesh (BA MC III year), Third Videep Gupta (BA MC III year); Extempore—First Akshaj Shetty (BA MC III year), Second Shruti (BA MC I year), Third Samarth Pai (BA MC III year); Poetry English—First Mary Thomas (BA MC II year), Second Anna Kennedy (BSc II year), Third Vaibhav Koushik (BA MC I year); General Quiz—First Devashish & Vidish, Second Mohammed Hasir (MA MC II year), Third Bhavatna, Yashi, Aaditya (BA MC III year); Poetry Hindi—First Anshika Singh (BA MC II year). Cultural Fusion Art Events Painting— First Yadu Krishnan (BSc I year), Second Jeetasha Mohanty (BAMC I year), Third Samaira Kashyap (BA MC III year); Collage—First Khushi, Rhythm, Anjali (MA MC II year), Second Harichandana, Raina, Neha (BA MC II year); Rangoli—First Harichandana, Raina, Devika (BA MC II year), Second Nabomalikaa, Khushi, Sonakshi (MA MC II year);	27 Feb 2025

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		Spot Photography—First Allen Menezes (BSc II year), Second Samyak Yash Jain (BA MC III year), Third Abhiram P G (BA MC II year); Clay Modelling—First Yadu, Sharon, Abeer (BSc I year), Second Rajath, Dev, Aarman (BSc I year), Third Vanisha, Devendra, Nambrutha (BA MC II year); Cartooning— First Yadu Krishnan (BSc I year), Second Keerthana Suresh (BSc II year); Cultural Fusion Music Events—First Iyrene Rose (BA MC I year), Second Mandira (BA MC III year), Third Sthavista (BA MC I year); Solo music (eastern) First Ishika Sharma (BA MC III year), Second Ishaan Arunabh (MA MC II year), Third Drisha Kodagu (BA MC I year); Solo music (classical)—Jeetasha Mohanty 1st place (BA MC I year); Antakshari—First Adithi, Swasthi, Videep (BA MC III year), Second Shrinidhi, Akshaj, Aryan (BA MC III year), Third Anshika, Sneh, Mishal (BA MC II year); Instrumental (Solo)— Pavana (BA MC III year); 1st place Creative JAM—Vishal, Rishin, Anuj, Manu, Joannah (MAMC I year); Cultural Fusion Dance Events Solo dance (classical)— First Adithi Mehendale (BA MC III year), Second Malavika Sheeja (BA MC II year), Third Aiswarya (BA MC I year); Solo dance (eastern)—First Anshika Singh (BA MC I year), Second Aadhya Sinha (BA MC year), Third Bhavatna Prasad (BA MC III year); Solo dance (western)— First Akshatha Anand (BA MC II year); Cultural Fusion Theatre Events Mimicry— Ryan Maxwell Footman (BA MC III year); Stand-Up Comedy— Utkarsh Daniel (BA MC III year).	
2	Harichandana 	Harichandana, BA MC III, Malvika, BA MC I, and Dhanushri BSc Animation III secured first place in NRITYAKALA, a group classical dance contest at Wave 2025, an inter-university cultural event on 1 November 2025.	Events spread across: 31 Oct, 1 Nov, 2 Nov 2025
3	Dinesh Patel 	Space Break, a 3D animation short film produced by Dinesh Patel, from BSc Animation III year was nominated for the Association Internationale du Film d'Animation (ASIFA) International Animation Day (IAD) International Animation Day.	22 Oct 2025
4	B M Vaibhav Koushik 	B M Vaibhav Koushik from BA MC II year secured third place in QUERENCIA, a literary contest at Wave 2025, an inter-university cultural event.	1 Nov 2025
5	Fanatics Club, MIC	Fanatics Club won first place in FASH, a Fashion show contest at Wave 2025, an inter-university cultural event.	1 Nov 2025

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6	Devika Gayathry Satheesh	A short film titled "Luther", directed by Devika Gayathry Satheesh, a BA MC third-year student, was nominated for the Teen Indie Film Festival (TIFF), hosted by RV University.	11 Nov 2025
7	International Student Exchange Program awardees	Govind V Baburaj (MA MC II year) and Alka Lewis (MA MC I year) set off to Norway, Venu and Pranav R set off to Netherlands after being awarded the prestigious Erasmus + Scholarships by the European Union (EU) Meera.	31 Dec 2025
8	International Representation by MIC Students	Avishi Khyathi, Adithi Keshav Mehendale, and Samyak Yash Jain represented MIC at the finals of Creative Shock Social Business Case Competition in Vilnius, Lithuania, conducted by ISM [International School of Management] University of Management and Economics. The students competed against 450 participants from 27 countries.	31 Dec 2025
9	Rhythem Jain and Akshaj Shetty	Rhythem Jain and Akshaj Shetty (Received certificates for all the events conducted at MIC and Mini UTSAV).	31 Dec 2025
10	UTSAV Winners	Aryan Sharma, Akshaj Shetty, Shrinidhi Rao were winners in Collage; Rhythem Jain, Khushi Satyakam, Anjali Gupta were runner-ups in Collage; Quiz runners-up were Devashish Namjoshi, Vidish D Karkera, Mohammed Hasir; Srinidhi Rao, Akshaj Shetty, Aryan Sharma, were Antakshari Winners.	31 Dec 2025
11	Miss and Mr Revels 2025 Winners	Winner: Shreya Das and Runner-up: Akshatha Anand and Kandiban Balaji.	31 Dec 2025

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12	Vinod Jose—TVR Shenoy Award	MIC alumnus TVR receives the [Thalayadiparamvil Vittappa Ramachandra] TVR Shenoy Award for Excellence in Journalism at Kerala House, New Delhi.	4th Feb 2025
13	MIC Football Team	MIC football team were Runner-up in the Ablaze 2025 tournament, organized by the Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), kicked off with a thrilling opening match between the Manipal Institute of Communication (MIC) and the National Institute of Technology Karnataka (NITK) at Endpoint.	31 Dec 2025
14	Kathan Sushya	BAMC III Sem student MIC—won third place for Best Documentary at the International Star Film Festival Awards.	31 Dec 2025
15	Srikar Pai	Crowned Super Model 2025 at Mr Tulunad—Season 7	31 Dec 2025
16	Aditi Kiran	MIC Animation Department alumni—Aditi Kiran (concept and story artist—Zebu Animation Studios) featured as a mentor at Bengaluru Gaming, Animation, Visual Effects, and eXtended Reality (GAFX) 2025.	31 Dec 2025
17	Rohit Ramesh	Rohit Ramesh, BA MC III year student, won the Gold Medal in the Inter-MAHE Powerlifting Event in the 59 Kg [Kilo Gram] category.	31 Dec 2025

Staff

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1	Dr Prathima J Acharya	First Place in the Inter-MAHE non-teaching staff carrom singles tournament and runner-up in doubles.	13 Aug 2025
2	Mr Ramesh Nayak	First place in Inter-MAHE non-teaching staff squash tournament.	28 Aug 2025
3	Dr Prathima J Acharya	First place in Inter-MAHE non-teaching staff badminton doubles tournament.	31 Aug 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities

Sports Activities

In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MIC Sports Day 2025	MIC annual sports day was conducted at the MIT ground Manipal. The event was inaugurated by Colonel Vijay Bhaskar Reddy.	1 Feb 2025

Inter-Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Inter MAHE Table Tennis	MIC men's team participated in Inter-MAHE Table Tennis tournament. First —Dev Tehlan, BSc Animation; Second — Amanjyot Saini, BAMC; Third —Anuj Mishra, MA MC II; Fourth —Tarun Srinivas, MA MC II.	5 Oct 2025

Cultural Activities

In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Film Screen under MIC Film Club	1) 777 Charlie by Kiranraj K screened on 7th November 2025 on the occasion of Karnataka Rajyotsava. 2) Close-Up by Abbas Kiarostami screened on 17th October 2025. 3) Fallen Angels by Wong-kar-Wai, screened on 3rd October 2025. 4) Old Boy by Park Chan-wook screened on 29th August 2025. 5) Under the Belly of Tigher by Siddartha Jatla screened on 3rd April 2025. 6) Mithya by Sumanth Bhat screened on 4th April 2025. 7) A Night of Knowing Nothing, by Payel Kapadia, 18 March 2025. 8) Super Deluxe by Thiagarajan Kumararaja, 14th March 2025. 9) Masculine Feminine by Jean Luc Godard on 11th March 2025. 10) Cinema Day organized by MIC on 12th February 2025. 11) The Tale of Two Sisters by Kim Jee Woon screened on 31 January 2025. 12) Rush Hour by Brett Ratner screened on 28 January 2025. 13) Dead Poets Society by Peter Weir on 14 January 2025.	1 Jan 2025
2	Pongal 2025	Pongal 2025 Celebration at MIC with traditional art display.	22 Jan 2025
3	MIC Silver Jubilee Reunion	MIC Silver Jubilee Reunion—MS Communication Batch of 1999 to 2001—celebrating Alumni Day.	24 Jan 2025
4	Mini-Utsav	A Mini Utsav was conducted for MIC students as a cultural fest in February 2025.	25 Feb 2025

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5	MIC Annual day 	Function at TMA Pai Hall. Guest of Honour: Mausami Singh— Editor, National Bureau, India Today Group (Distinguished alumna, MS Communication, Batch of 2004). Chief Guest: Dr Harish Kumar S, Director, Corporate Relations, MAHE, Manipal.	17 Apr 2025
6	Patriotic Song Competition 	79th Independence Day. Chief Guest: Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE. Event was held at MIC Auditorium (4 PM). Event was organized by Dr Rashmi Ammembala, Assistant Professor and Coordinator, Radio Manipal Community Radio Station , MIC.	15 Aug 2025
7	Fanatics, the fashion club of MIC 	Presented a cultural showcase during the MAHE Model United Nations. The performance was based on the theme "Echoes of Old History," drawing inspiration from significant figures such as Alauddin Khilji, Malik Kafur, Padmavat, Mastani, Jodha, Akbar and more. Overall, the performance added a meaningful cultural element to MAHE Model United Nations (MUN) 2025 and was appreciated for its thoughtful presentation of historical narratives.	16 Aug 2025
8	Annual freshers—Oxygen 2025 	The Manipal Institute of Communication hosted its annual freshers' cultural event Oxygen 2025 at the MIC Auditorium on 23 August 2025 at 2:30 PM. The event, organized by the Cultural Coordination Committee, opened with an address by Director Dr Shubha H S. and Faculty Coordinators Mr C Manikandan and Ms Kavita Nagasampige. Freshers showcased their talents through Bollywood songs, a rock band performance, dancing, singing, and a fashion ramp walk. All of which showed creativity and confidence among the newcomers. Short films made by freshers were also screened—The Devil's Apple and Voicemail.	23 Aug 2025
9	Teacher's Day celebration 	Cultural Coordination Committee, MIC, organizes the Teachers Day Celebration on Friday, 5 September 2025 at 4 PM.	5 Sep 2025
10	Onam celebration 	Manipal Institute of Communication celebrated Onam on 6 September 2025, with vibrant festivities and cultural splendour. The event was organised by the Cultural Committee, under the guidance of faculty coordinators Mr Manikandan C and Ms Kavita Nagasampige, and was presided over by the Director, Dr Shubha H S. From the grand welcome of King Mahabali, to the electrifying rhythms of Chendamelam, the day was celebrated with great enthusiasm. The MIC dance club, Meraki, brought the stage to life with a spirited performance featuring the traditional Thiruvathirakali, alongside freestyle and kuthu dance numbers. The excitement then carried forward into traditional games, starting with the Tug of War.	6 Sep 2025

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11	ARTIFEX Chapter 7	ARTIFEX is a flagship creative fest organised by the Department of Animation, MIC, MAHE, Manipal. The event was conducted as a three-day celebration of creativity, visual storytelling, and innovation in the animation and design industry.	17 Sep 2025
12	Dhol Baaje	the occasion of Dhol Baaje, a fundraiser organized by the Rotaract Club and Fanatics, the fashion club of MIC, presented a spirited fashion showcase at the Student Plaza (SP). The event successfully blended cultural celebration with a meaningful cause, as the fundraiser was dedicated to supporting old age homes and orphanages. The theme of the showcase reflected the festive mood of Navaratri, with traditional kurta-pajamas and vibrant lehengas defining the outfits. The colorful attire and styling captured the joy and energy associated with the festival, resonating with the event's lively atmosphere. All the models were newly recruited members of Fanatics, and this performance marked their debut with the club. Their fresh presence, energy, and enthusiasm brought vibrancy to the event and were warmly appreciated by the audience.	18 Sep 2025
13	Article-19, 2025: "Noise to Narrative: Rooted in the Art of Storytelling"	Article-19, 2025 was a vibrant celebration of creativity, storytelling, and media innovation. This year, the festival revolved around the theme "Noise to Narrative: Rooted in the Art of Storytelling", exploring how stories are shaped from chaos into compelling narratives. Vikramjit Roy, an esteemed Executive Producer and Global Co-production architect, delivered the keynote address. This was followed by an address by the Chief Guest, Ms Vineeta Sharma, Director–Marketing, MAHE. The two-day festival brought together students and creative professionals from across India for a series of thought-provoking discussions, collaborative workshops, and cultural showcases. A scripting workshop was conducted by Mr Mejel Xavier, CEO of Soozhal, a pioneering media and entertainment organisation that specializes in creating tailored content solutions for film production houses, Over-the-Top platforms, and gaming companies.	19 Sep 2025
14	Agomoni	Manipal Institute of Communication celebrated Agomoni and Raas Mela on 11th October 2025 with great pomp and splendour. Agomoni, the Bengali festival, marks the joyous arrival of Maa Durga to her parental home and the onset of the festive season. Kalamanch, the drama and theatre club of MIC, presented a powerful rendition of Mahishasura Mardini, depicting Goddess Durga's battle with the demons Mahishasura and the brothers Shumbha and Nishumbha, aided by Goddess Kali. MIC's dance club, Meraki, performed the Dhunuchi Naach, where the performers balance earthen pots with burning incense, coconut husk, and camphor. They also performed Sindoor Khela, a ritual with historical and cultural significance where women apply vermillion powder to each other's foreheads as a symbol of sisterhood and celebration before bidding farewell to Goddess Durga. Raas Mela, celebrating the vibrant dances and fairs during Navaratri, was observed on the same day, emphasising community as people come together through music and dance. Fanatics, the fashion club of MIC, captivated the audience with a showstopping	11 Oct 2025

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		ethnic fashion walk featuring traditional attire from across India. Meraki, MIC's dance club, then lifted the energy with a spirited Garba performance, celebrating the joy and rhythm of the season. The event was presided over by Dr Shubha H S, the director of Manipal Institute of Communication, and coordinated by Mr C Manikandan and Ms Kavita Nagasampige, the faculty coordinators.	
15	Ethnic day	Manipal Institute of Communication celebrated Ethnic Day on 11 October 2025, with a vibrant and dynamic pageant. The event commenced with the Mister and Miss MIC contest, where participants graced the ramp in the first round, showcasing their traditional attire with elegance and confidence. The second round featured a lively dance segment, allowing contestants to express their personality and charm. Finalists then faced a round of questions posed by the judges, Professors Dr Padmakumar and Ms Shruthi Shetty, who evaluated their spontaneity and presence of mind. Manu Gautham Dileep and Vibha Venkatesan from MA MC II year were crowned Mister and Miss MIC 2025, respectively. The event was presided over by Dr Shubha H S, the director of Manipal Institute of Communication, and coordinated by Mr C Manikandan and Ms Kavita Nagasampige, the faculty coordinators.	11 Oct 2025
16	MAHE MUN Board Transfer	Meraki, the official dance club of MIC, proudly represented MIC at the MAHE MUN Board Transfer held at the Manipal School of Life Sciences. A powerful trio from Meraki presented a mesmerizing Bharatanatyam performance, channelling the strength of the Devi. Through grace, expression and intensity, the piece celebrated femininity, empowerment and inner resilience, leaving the audience deeply moved.	27 Oct 2025
17	Karunadu Nudisiri—Karnataka Rajyotsava	MIC celebrated Karunadu Nudisiri in honour of Karnataka Rajyotsava, which is observed annually on 1st November across the state. The event began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp and floral tribute by Dr Shubha H S, Director of MIC, the faculty coordinators of the cultural committee, Dr Manikandan C and Ms Kavita Nagasampige, and the student representatives, Tarunn Prakash and Devendra Shenoy. It was accompanied by the rendition of Naada Geethe, the state anthem. Emcees Sanjana Esturi and Vishal G warmly welcomed the audience, after which the Director addressed the gathering, reflecting on the cultural richness of Karnataka and the significance of preserving its language and traditions. The International exchange students of MIC presented a graceful Bharatanatyam performance under the guidance of Adithi Mehendale. The staff and faculty of MIC also came together for a musical presentation. The non-teaching staff were felicitated with gifts in appreciation of their contributions. The institute's music club, UNPLGD, further enlivened the atmosphere with a vibrant performance. To mark the occasion, several competitions were organised, including Cooking Without Fire, the Rajakumara and Rajakumari pageant, and the traditional game of Lagori. Tejaswi S J Rao and Sai Niranjan were crowned Rajakumaras, while Ankitha R was crowned Rajakumari. The Cooking Without Fire competition was won by Senora Dsouza, Chris Joy Kachhap, and Aryan Dinesh Shriyan, with Rekan Kumar and Prasanna Kumar M	8 Nov 2025

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		emerging as runners-up. The first years of BSc Animation team emerged as the champions of the Lagori tournament.	

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Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Utsav 2025 	MIC staff actively participated in the Utsav 2025	24 Mar 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Mangalore Literature Festival 	Faculty Participation—Mr Shreeraj Gudi featured at the Mangalore Literature Festival.	11 Jan 2025
2	WAVES 2025 	MIC once again made its mark on the national cultural stage with a spectacular performance at WAVES 2025, the annual cultural fest of Birla Institute of Technology, Goa. After a remarkable run at WAVES 2024, MIC returned stronger this year, securing first place in two major categories—Fashion Parade and Nrithyakala—proving its growing dominance in creative and performing arts. With an enthusiastic contingent of 73 students, MIC showcased excellence across music, dance, theatre, literature, and fashion. The fest, known for drawing some of the finest talents from universities across India, became a stage where MIC's artistic prowess and collaborative spirit shone brightly. The dance club Meraki delivered a breathtaking Nrithyakala performance, mesmerizing the audience and judges alike. Their Bharatanatyam choreography, deeply rooted in rhythm and storytelling, stood out among fierce competition and earned them the first prize, marking a proud milestone for the team. The fashion club, Fanatics, brought glamour and creativity to the runway, clinching first place in the Fashion Parade. Their performance was a perfect blend of concept, style, and presentation, earning wide acclaim for its innovation and execution. Sarah Lobo (BAMC II) won Best Model of WAVES 2025. It was verbally revealed that three of our students—Sarah Lobo, PG Abhiram, and Dev Tehlan—would be models for the upscale clothing brand Westside. The public speaking club, yELL, demonstrated intellectual sharpness through quizzes, short story writing, and literary contests. Vaibhav Koushik (BAMC II) added to the club's achievements by securing 3rd place in Querencia, the short story writing competition.	30 Oct 2025

Photo Archive of Important events

Blood Donation Camp

MV Kamath Memorial Endowment Lecture

ICA Manipal Regional Hub 2025

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KARANATKA RAJYOTHSAVA Karunaadu Nudisiri

NIKON-World Photography Day 2025

MIC Orientation - 2025-26 Batch

Faculty Retreat- 2025

The International students from our partner universities, Volda University, Norway and ICHES, Belgium

MIC Staff Participation -Utsav-2025

Multimedia Resource Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Shubha H S

Brief About the Centre:

Vision: To establish a Centre that will provide support for high-quality audio-visual multimedia production and dissemination of resources for education and research purposes.

Mission: Participate in resource and capacity building within and beyond the university

Objectives

1. To develop and produce audio-visual/multimedia educational and research-related content
2. To foster the syndication of interdisciplinary expertise
3. To disseminate the resources within and beyond the university

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars
1	MAHE New Year Award 2025 videos	scripted, directed, and edited four awardee introduction videos, 8-minute duration each
2	CSR Video Edit	Centre for Diabetic Foot Care and Research; 13-minute
3	4 Tinnitus videos	In 4 languages, Shooting and Editing
4	Mr Abhayachandra Jain Interview	28-minute video shoot
5	Hyper Tension video	33-minute video, shooting and editing
6	Impact of excessive screen time on children	2 languages, 13-minute video shooting and editing
7	Reading with your child	18 minutes of shooting and editing
8	Prof Rajani Prasanna Endowment Lecture Series (Phase 2)	05 videos of 75 mins each, editing
9	ICMR One Health Hackathon	Scripting, Visual Creation, and Editing for two 03 minutes videos in two languages
10	ICMR National One Health Mission	2 videos of 05 minutes each, editing
11	MANIPAL cGMP MUSEUM project – Phase 2	Scripting, Visual Creation, and Editing of 06 videos of 3 minutes each VO recording, editing of 75 case studies of 02 minutes each Scripting, Visual Creation & Editing of promotional video, 02 videos of 3 minutes each
12	Dr TMA Pai video	Comprehensive Re-edit and update of a legacy film of 10 minutes
13	Featurette on Smriti Bhavan	Shooting and editing of 08 minutes
14	*Gange bare, Gouri bare*	A short film about the milk revolution in Shankaranaraya village, shooting and editing, 15 minutes duration

Media Research Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Padma Rani
Members: Dr Manjushree G Naik

Brief About the Centre: The Centre's focus is to promote media and communication research in India.
Objectives

1. To conduct research in the area of communication and media.
2. To establish a network of researchers/academicians/professionals interested in the area of communication and media.
3. To promote interdisciplinary research in the respective field.
4. To hold conferences/symposia to interact with international experts in the field.
5. To establish an international network of researchers/academician/professionals in the field

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Publication of a peer-reviewed journal	Global Media Journal-Indian Edition; Listed in UGC-CARE and EBSCO Since 2017, the journal has published two issues per year, each based on a theme. The June issue was on AI and Media. The December issue was on the Satellite Instructional Television Experiment (SITE).	

T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Bengaluru

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Established: 2022
Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- BBA(Honours)
- MBA Technology Management

About the Institution/School:
TAPMI Bengaluru extends the four-decade legacy and outstanding institutional culture of TAPMI Manipal with a holistic learning experience for students, excellent career support, and state-of-the-art infrastructure. TAPMI is among the top 5 per cent of business schools worldwide to have received the illustrious AACSB and AMBA accreditation and is a participant in PRME, demonstrating a commitment to advancing values such as sustainability, responsibility, and ethics in teaching, research, and thought leadership. TAPMI Bengaluru commenced its activities in 2022 and offers two specialized programs: BBA Honours and MBA Technology Management. Situated in the heart of India's tech capital, the institute provides students with unique opportunities to engage with leading corporates and gain real-world insights through industry interactions, internships, and live projects. 1. The Bachelor of Business Administration Honours (BBA Honours) program is a four-year transformative course based on an industry-aligned curriculum and centered around experiential learning to cultivate comprehensive skills and knowledge, fostering the holistic development of students. Additionally, the program offers students the flexibility to exit with a BBA degree after three years. The four-year BBA Honours program is designed to catapult students into outstanding careers: Year 1 – Multidisciplinary foundational courses followed by a social internship; Year 2 – Core business and management courses followed by a sales internship; Year 3 – Specialization courses followed by a corporate internship; Year 4 – Honours Learning Track. TAPMI's four-year program design includes several innovative features. Students can choose from any of the following five tracks in the

fourth year: • Track 1 – Corporate Track: (Functional Specialization): Choose from the following disciplines to specialize in – Marketing, Finance, HR, Operations, Analytics, Strategy, etc. At the end of the fourth year, students may participate in the placement process and secure a corporate role. • Track 2 – Research Track: Students may opt for this track in preparation for doctoral work. • Track 3 – Entrepreneurship Track: Students with the aptitude and ability may pursue this track, leading to the launch of a business start-up. • Track 4 – Higher Education in a Foreign University. 2. The MBA in Technology Management is designed to prepare future leaders for the evolving business landscape, where technology plays a crucial role. This program focuses on Business Management, Technology Management, and Sectoral Specialization, ensuring that students develop a comprehensive understanding of business fundamentals alongside emerging technological trends. The objective is to enhance the application of technology by MBA graduates to improve technological efficiency in companies. This is a two-year program for students with two to seven years of technology experience in leading IT services, product, and platform companies. The curriculum is built on three unique pillars: Pillar 1 – Business Management Fundamentals; Pillar 2 – Technology Management, including the creation, selling, implementation, and adoption of technology; Pillar 3 – Industry vertical specialization, such as FinTech, E-Commerce, Retail, and Healthcare. TAPMI is also at the forefront of research, with its faculty members contributing their intellectual output to the top journals. TAPMI Bangalore has a Centre for Social Empowerment, with a focus on Sustainability and nurturing the social sector.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	The TAPMI Centre for Social Empowerment (CSE) is a key institutional initiative aimed at advancing socially relevant engagement through collaborations among academia, industry, and communities. It actively involves faculty and students at MAHE in projects centered on inclusive development, sustainability, and social impact, particularly within underserved sectors. CSE facilitates partnerships with national and sectoral institutions to address real-world challenges through research, consulting, training, and experiential learning. A notable example is the MoU between TAPMI Bengaluru and the National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI), New Delhi, initiated under CSE's leadership. This collaboration focuses on strengthening the financial sustainability of cooperatives and enhancing youth participation in the cooperative movement in alignment with national development goals. Through its multifaceted activities, CSE fosters meaningful engagement among policymakers, industry experts, faculty, and students, enriching academic experiences while contributing to broader societal progress.	The TAPMI Centre for Social Empowerment (CSE) • Name of the Centre: TAPMI Centre for Social Empowerment(CSE) • Institution: T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Bengaluru • Parent University: Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal • Nature of Activity: Social impact, sustainability, and community engagement initiatives • Focus Areas: -Inclusive growth and social empowerment -Sustainable development initiatives -Cooperative sector development -Youth engagement and capacity building • Key Activities: -Research and consulting on socially relevant issues -Capacity building programs and workshops -Faculty and student engagement projects -Industry and institutional collaborations -Guidance and Governance: Led by academic leaders and supported by experienced industry advisors • Outcome Orientation: -Strengthening institutions and communities -Enhancing experiential learning -Promoting responsible management education • Alignment: -National development priorities -United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)	31 Jul 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
2	TAPMI–Bengaluru has launched a Management Development Program (MDP) in partnership with the Telangana Hub (T-Hub) titled 'Make AI Business Successful'. Designed for startup founders, the three-month program focuses on the practical use of artificial intelligence in building, managing, and scaling business ventures. TAPMI faculty deliver online sessions that integrate strategic, managerial, and technological perspectives, enabling participants to apply AI tools effectively within entrepreneurial settings. This initiative underscores TAPMI Bengaluru's commitment to industry engagement and innovation-led capacity building, strengthening its role in supporting the startup ecosystem.	MDP in partnership with the Telangana Hub (T-Hub) • Program Title: Make AI Business Successful • Type of Activity: Management Development Program (MDP) • Collaborating Partner: Telangana Hub (T-Hub) • Beneficiaries: 30 startup founders registered under T-Hub • Duration: Three months • Month: November 2025 • Mode of Delivery: Online sessions • Resource Persons: TAPMI–Bengaluru faculty • Objective: To provide strategic, managerial, and technological insights for leveraging AI in business growth • Formal Arrangement: A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed between TAPMI Bengaluru and T-Hub to facilitate and govern the collaboration	30 Nov 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium	The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) hosted its Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium 2025 for the first time in India, in collaboration with TAPMI Bengaluru, at MAHE Bengaluru. The three-day event comprised of plenary sessions, concurrent sessions, a doctoral consortium, and speeches by eminent speakers. The theme of the conference was 'The Dynamics and Challenges of Regional Economies: Implications for Accounting, Governance, and Economic Strategy SDGs'	05 to 07 Jan 2025

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2	Sustain Shikhar 	The Sustain Shikhar 2025 event, organized by the Sustainability Committee (SCOT) of TAPMI Bengaluru. This flagship sustainability initiative served as a platform to integrate environmental consciousness, innovation, and entrepreneurial thinking among students and the broader academic.	25 Jan to 30 Nov 2025
3	KALA 2025 - Cultural Fest 	KALA 2025, TAPMI's cultural fest, promoted creativity, student engagement, sportsmanship, and experiential learning through diverse cultural, sports, and informal events, fostering holistic development and vibrant campus life.	01 and 02 Feb 2025
4	Adhikshana 2025 	Adhikshana 2025, TAPMI Bengaluru's flagship management fest, engaged students in strategy-driven competitions on Global Capability Centers, fostering experiential learning, analytical thinking, leadership skills, collaboration, and industry-relevant decision-making.	08 Mar 2025
5	Greening the Red 2.0 	The event raised awareness on menstruation, broke societal taboos, encouraged eco-friendly menstrual products, highlighted lifestyle wellness, and engaged students with hands-on learning, discussion, and collaboration to foster gender equality and sustainability.	31 Mar 2025
6	Clash of the Traders (COTT) 	The initiative develops managerial competence through faculty mentorship, teamwork, risk management, and responsible leadership in a competitive environment, aligning with AACSB standards for experiential learning and producing industry-ready, socially responsible graduates.	30 Apr 2025
7	Outbound Program for new incoming BBA and MBA Technology Management batches 	Designed a unique outbound program for incoming first-year students before the commencement of classes. The outbound program included an adventure outing with activities like trekking, along with camping.	01 May to 31 Aug 2025

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8	MoU with Deakin University, Australia, to conduct combined Executive Education. 	The distinctive feature of the program is to conduct Executive Education in the areas of Health Care, Leadership, and Banking.	31 Jul 2025
9	Youth Plus Program by Art of Living 	Program to improve concentration, stress management, and positive attitude in the BBA First Year students.	01 to 10 Aug 2025
10	Theatre Workshop by Organizational Theatre 	Special workshop to improve collaboration, interpersonal skills, and communication in BBA First Year students.	01 to 10 Aug 2025
11	Global Leadership Conference 	Global Leadership Conference 2025 at TAPMI Bengaluru brought CXOs, leaders, and students together to discuss India's global value creation, digital innovation, AI adoption, leadership excellence, and strengthened industry–academia collaboration.	04 Oct 2025
12	MoU with United Way Bengaluru 	TAPMI Bengaluru signed an MoU with United Way Bengaluru to collaborate with the Centre of Social Empowerment. The distinctive features of the MoU are: -Facilitate TAPMI students to work with NGOs. -Capacity building for NGOs	23 Oct 2025
13	Design Impact Movement Workshop	The workshop organized for BBA Second Year students aimed to empower students and young professionals to apply human-centered design in addressing real-world challenges across healthcare, environment, agriculture, livelihood, and education. Students from various departments of MAHE Bengaluru and other	31 Oct 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		Bengaluru colleges participated in this day-long event.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Katherine Schipper	Thomas F Keller Professor of Business Administration, Duke University, Fuqua School of Business, USA	Invited as Keynote Speaker for The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium organized by TAPMI Bengaluru and MAHE	05 to 07 Jan 2025
2	Dr Sanjay Kallapur	Professor of Accounting, Indian School of Business (ISB), Hyderabad	Invited as Keynote Speaker for The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium organized by TAPMI Bengaluru and MAHE	05 to 07 Jan 2025
3	Dr Bin Srinidhi	Professor, The University of Texas at Arlington, USA	Invited as the guest and judge for The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium organized by TAPMI Bengaluru and MAHE	05 to 07 Jan 2025
4	Dr Partha Sarathy Mohanram	John H Watson Chair in Value Investing, University of Toronto, Canada	Invited as Keynote Speaker for The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium organized by TAPMI Bengaluru and MAHE	07 Jan 2025
5	Vani Murthy	Fondly known as 'Worm Rani' and Composting enthusiast, Urban farmer	Invited as Chief Guest for Sustain Shikhar, the flagship event of the Sustainability Committee (SCOT), TAPMI Bengaluru	25 Jan 2025
6	Varun Venugopal Gupta	Co-Founder, Glocal Colab	Invited as the judge for The Sustainable Business Competition of Sustain Shikhar	25 Jan 2025
7	Vasuki Iyengar	Founder of Soil and Health	Invited as speaker for Sustain Shikhar, the flagship event of the Sustainability Committee (SCOT), TAPMI Bengaluru	25 Jan 2025
8	Ramveer Tanwar	Director, Pondman of India	Invited as the Chief Guest to deliver the Sri T A Pai Memorial Lecture on the occasion of Founders' Day	31 Jan 2025

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9	Arpita Khadria	Founder and CEO, Barefoot Consultancy	Invited as Judge and Panelist for Adhikshana 2025 - Flagship Management Fest of TAPMI Bengaluru	08 Mar 2025
10	Sivaramakrishnan P	Lead HR, Bosch	Invited as Judge and Panelist for Adhikshana 2025 - Flagship Management Fest of TAPMI Bengaluru	08 March 2025
11	Ruby Singhh	Founder, SmoothJazz Consulting	Invited as Judge and Panelist for Adhikshana 2025 - Flagship Management Fest of TAPMI Bengaluru	08 Mar 2025
12	Uday Kiran	Co-Founder, Mentza	Invited as Judge and Panelist for Adhikshana 2025 - Flagship Management Fest of TAPMI Bengaluru	08 Mar 2025
13	Prashant Shetty	Founder, Foundry House	Invited as Judge and Panelist for Adhikshana 2025 - Flagship Management Fest of TAPMI Bengaluru	08 Mar 2025
14	Praveena Gundiah	Senior Director, Commercial at Iron Mountain	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	17 Mar 2025
15	Dr A Velumani	Founder and Ex-CEO, Thyrocare Technologies Ltd	Invited as a guest speaker for the E-Cell (Entrepreneurship Cell) of TAPMI Bengaluru	24 Mar 2025
16	Deepak Kumar	Director (Data Analytics) at Target	Invited as Chief Guest for the MBA Technology Management batch 2025 Induction Program	28 Jun 2025
17	Biplove Belwal	Founder and CEO of Nukebox	Invited as the Guest of Honour for the MBA Technology Management Batch 2025 Induction Program	28 Jun 2025
18	Arnob Mukherjee	AI & ML Team Lead at NewCold	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	12 Aug 2025
19	Aravind Warrier	Lead of People Partner and Culture at Volvo Group	Invited as Chief Guest for BBA 2025 Induction Program	18 Aug 2025
20	Avinash Bhat	Global Head of Customer Experience and India Delivery Head at Randstad Digital	Invited as Guest of Honour for BBA 2025 Induction Program	18 Aug 2025
21	Saurabh Ruhela	Head-South, JioStar	Invited as speaker for the Aluminate Alumni Guest Talk Series	23 Aug 2025
22	Dilnawaz Warisi	Senior Manager of Software Engineering at McKinsey and Company	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	30 Aug 2025
23	Sunil Koshy	Co-Founder, From Mug to Mike	Invited for a guest lecture	08 Sep 2025
24	Shashwat Vatsa	AVP-Brand Marketing and Strategy and PR (CEO's Office) at Olyv India (formerly SmartCoin)	Invited as Guest Speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series as guest speaker for the NEXUS Guest Talk Series	12 Sep 2025
25	Mukul Chhabra	Founder, ScrapUncle (formerly Swapeco)	Invited for a Guest Lecture	16 Sep 2025
26	Aradhika Mehta	Head of Marketing, Aditya Birla Fashion and Retail Ltd.	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	01 Oct 2025
27	Ebenezer Tagoe	Health Information Manager, Ghana Health Service	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership	04 Oct 2025

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			Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	
28	Kartik Saini	Power Platforms Specialist at AB InBev India	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
29	Shriprada Bhat	Senior Marketing Executive, Content at Creative Synergies Group	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
30	Vinay Gowda	Designated Partner at Pixel Global AV LLP	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
31	Manish Kumar Singh	Head of India GCC and Global Innovation and AI Leader at Johnson & Johnson	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
32	Madyantika Mehra	Deputy Manager Training at Relaxo Footwears	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
33	Dr Sangeetha P	Associate Professor, Department of Managerial Studies, Lead College of Management, Palakkad	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
34	Chetan Dhumane	Architect, Ness Digital Engineering	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
35	Ujwala Shettigar	Project Management Officer at PwC India	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
36	Gaurica Sethi	Assistant Vice President, Enterprise Incident Management at Wells Fargo	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
37	Dorothy Sharma	Manager, HRBP at Comviva	Participated in the Learning and Development workshop conducted as part of the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
38	Anil Kumar	General Manager, Talent Acquisition, Quess Corp	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 (Young Achiever Award) at the	04 Oct 2025

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			3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	
39	Thulasi Reddy	Senior Talent Acquisition and HR Strategy Leader, HCA Healthcare	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
40	NLS Murthy	General Manager, Greenway Health India	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
41	Bala Ramakrishnan Tanjore	Founder, NeuSix	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
42	Gautam Kar	Vice President and Global Head of Talent Acquisition, Zensar Technologies	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
43	Arindam Banerrji	Country Head, State Street	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
44	Venkatesa Thirunarayanachari	Head of Engineering- Equinix	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
45	Vamsi Krishna Ithamraju	Chief Technology Officer, Axis Mutual Fund	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
46	Anuj Ahuja	Managing Director, Barclays	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
47	Anirban Ganguly	ED, Senior Credit Officer at Standard Chartered Bank	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
48	Deepankar Singh	Senior Director, Lowes	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
49	Tanmay Agarwal	Vice President and Head, Global People Operations, Wipro	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
50	Jay Mangal	Senior Manager Analytics, Khatabook	Invited as an industry guest at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
51	Neeraj Agarwal	Vice President, Information Technology at Genpact	Invited as an industry guest at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
52	Mohit A	Global Digital Marketing at Mars	Invited as an industry guest at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025

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53	Manoj Sinha	COO, PwC Actuarial Services	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
54	Lalit Mittal	Vice President-Products/Platforms and Production Support at State Street	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
55	Karthik Kumarasami	Technology Director, Lululemon	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
56	Dr Dinesh Kumar Murugesan	VP GES HR and Head GCC India, DSM Firmenich	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
57	Aneel Kumar Savalagi	Global Chapter Leader, ICC (Innovation Capability Centre), Takeda	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
58	Malvika M	Sourcing and Category Management, Lowe's India	Invited as an industry guest at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
59	Farkhanda Yasmin	General Manager, HR (Digital & Data Labs) India and GCC Region, Landmark Group	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 (Young Achiever Award) at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
60	Nikhil Raj	Director, Human Resources Development, Equiniti	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 (Exclusive Innovation Award) at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
61	Muthukumaran Subramaniyan	Talent Acquisition Leader, Tessolve	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
62	Abhishek Sharma	Associate Director, Talent Solutions/ Vendor Management at ANSR	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
63	Paras Nigam	Vice President, Engineering and AI and Site Leader at KnowBe4	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
64	Sampath Kumar	Global Talent Acquisition Leader, AztraZeneca	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
65	Shiva Kumar	EY	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
66	Nitin Srivastava	Global Head of Data and Analytics, Dr Martens PLC	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025

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67	Shubha Goel	People Partner, Rakuten India	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
68	Arun Palivela	Indian Director, Align Innovation Center and Invisalign R&D at Align Technology	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
69	Lubna Farheen	Senior Manager, HRBP at BestBuy India	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
70	Navin Patel	Director, Global TA Shared Services at AtkinsRéalis	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
71	Praveen Kumar Voona	GCC HR Head (India and South Asia region), Airbus	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
72	Sangeet Srinivas Nyapati	Country Director, People, Dun & Bradstreet Technology and Corporate Services India	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
73	Amod S Gopinath	Vice President, Head, Talent Acquisition, Global Technology Services and Capability and Transformation Cluster at Societe Generale	Winner of GCC Excellence Award 2025 at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
74	Divita Dutta	Talent Acquisition Specialist, Google	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
75	Raju Arora	Lead, Technical Program Manager at Google	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
76	Dr Tanvi Saxena	Senior Product Manager, Digital Health at JIO	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
77	Apurvah Sahay Aarzoo	Vice President, Brand Solutions at Schbang	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
78	Prabhash Mishra	Head of Engineering at TATA Digital	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
79	Neha Mittal	Vice President, Marketing and Product Management at HDFC Bank	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
80	Palanivel Saravanan	Vice President, Cloud Engineering Leader at Oracle India Private Limited	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025

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81	Soumya Datta	Director, Infrastructure and Cloud at London Stock Exchange Group (LSEG)	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
82	Anand Ramakrishnan	Managing Director, EQ India	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
83	Shammi Prabhakar Singh	Executive Director and GPO, NielsenIQ	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
84	Mohua Banerjee	VP, GCC SME and Business Leader, Capgemini Americas at Capgemini	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
85	Ravi Hemnani	Vice President HR and Head Talent, Learning and OD at Nuvoco Vistas Corp. Ltd.	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
86	Dibyendu Ghosh	Learning Leader, GlobalFoundries	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
87	Debasis Rath	L&D Lead- Enterprise Capabilities and PSAI at Dr Reddy's Laboratories	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
88	Pawan Sachdeva	Senior Managing Director and Technology Head, India at Carelon Global Solutions	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
89	Kalilur Rahman	Director, DDIT, Architecture, Platform, and Data APD Shared Services - Testing/Archival/PMaaS/PE/ALM at Novartis	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
90	John Dawber	Corporate Vice President and Managing Director at Novo Nordisk	Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	04 Oct 2025
91	Amisha Arun	Product Manager, Sabre Corporation	Visited for Campus recruitment	30 Oct 2025
92	Kshitij Mehta	Talent Acquisition Lead, Haleon	1. Visited for Campus recruitment 2. Invited as a speaker for the panel at the 3rd Global Leadership Conference organized by TAPMI Bengaluru	12 Nov 2025
93	Sandeep Kupsad	System Manager at Novo Nordisk	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	13 Nov 2025
94	Sayi Jyothi	Agile People Leader at Novo Nordisk	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	13 Nov 2025
95	Silpa Polisetti	Founder and CEO, Green Metrics	Invited as Chief Guest for Sustain Shikhar 2.0, a flagship event of TAPMI Bengaluru	15 Nov 2025
96	Riten Debnath	Founder of Fueler.io	Invited for a guest lecture	19 Nov 2025
97	Kafil Saleem	Founder and CEO, Zapro	Visited for Campus recruitment	26 Nov 2025

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98	Vijay Rajgopal	Head, BFSI & Fintech, Go-to-Market at Amazon Web Services (AWS)	Invited for a guest lecture	30 Nov 2025
99	Yashasvi Tadepalli	Associate Director, Business Partnerships	Visited for Campus recruitment	16 Dec 2025
100	Leisanne Pinto	Head of People and Culture - GrayQuest	Visited for Campus recruitment	16 Dec 2025
101	Anagha Devade	HR Business Partner, GreyQuest	Visited for Campus recruitment	16 Dec 2025
102	Bhavesh A Shah	Managing Director and Head-Investment Banking at Equirus	Invited as guest speaker for NEXUS Guest Talk Series	18 Dec 2025
103	Niranjini K	Manager, Acquisition and Relations, BPL Medical Technologies Ltd	Visited for Campus recruitment	19 Dec 2025
104	Nitin	Senior Manager IR & HR Operations, BPL Medical Technologies Ltd.	Visited for Campus recruitment	19 Dec 2025
105	Vani Satish	Founder and CEO, Aviana Academy	Conducted Professional Excellence workshop for BBA Year I students	20 Dec 2025

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
1	0	33	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students:

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
8	3	3	1

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National	International
Conference	1	1
Workshop	3	0
Other	1	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members:

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	An Indian Adaptation: Essential Mathematics for Economics and Business	--	Prof Bhupesh Dutt Sharma	Wiley Publications	09 Jan 2025
2	The Palgrave Handbook of Breakthrough Technologies in Contemporary Organisations	The Influence of Artificial Intelligence on Human Resource Management to Enhance Work	Prof Selvaraj Vadivelu	Springer Nature	09 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
		Efficiency and Shape Employee Behaviour			
3	Considering, Questioning and Reimagining Harmony: Multicultural, Multihistorical and Multidisciplinary Reflections	The Conceptualisation of Harmony in Indian Aesthetic Thought: the Santa Rasa	Prof Meera Baindur	Bloomsbury Publishing	30 Oct 2025
4	The Routledge Handbook of Eco-Phenomenology	The Earth is the Essence of All Beings: Eco-Phenomenology in the Upanisads	Prof Meera Baindur	Routledge	19 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	Upcycled Food: Transforming Waste to Wealth for Food Security and Sustainability	Prof Parthesh R Shanbhag	Indian Council of Social Science Research, New Delhi	4,500,000 INR	01 Jan to 31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Prof Meera Baindur	Selected and represented as the Member of the International Jury and Head Delegate India at The International Philosophy Olympiad 2025, Bari, Italy	15 May 2025
2	Prof Sweta Bhusan	Completed Social Impact Assessment Certification from the National Institute of Securities Markets.	24 July 2025
3	Prof Satarupa Mitra	Won best paper award at HOPE 2025 – Global Conference on the Science of Happiness and Human Flourishing, organized by the Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness, Department of Management Studies, IIT Roorkee	25 Nov 2025
4	Prof Abhishek Kumar Rohit	Won the Best Paper award at The Leveraging Emerging Technologies and Analytics for Development (LEAD)-2025 organized by IIM Shillong	12 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Ayush Jaggi	Finalist at BluePrint fest - The Business and Entrepreneurship Conclave (BECon), organized by the Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) at IIT Delhi	02 Feb 2025
2	Sanndhiya Sinha Roy	Finalist at BluePrint fest - The Business and Entrepreneurship Conclave (BECon), organized by the Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) at IIT Delhi	02 Feb 2025
3	Arunima Laskar	Finalist - Mind the Product competition 2025, IIT-Roorkee	02 Feb 2025
4	Arvind A	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025
5	Vaasvi Soni	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025
6	Vinamra Pratap Singh	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025
7	Shachi Teotia	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025
8	Viddhushi Choudhary	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
9	Vridhi Sood	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025
10	Krish Bhatia	Finalist at Adroit 2025, A National Level Intercollegiate Commerce Fest organized by Kristu Jayanthi University	04 Feb 2025
11	Krati Singh Dangi	First runner-up and won the Best Economic Strategy Award at Econoquest - Business Simulation and Strategy Competition, XIM University, Bhubaneswar	17 Feb 2025
12	Prarobdha Sengupta	First runner-up and won the Best Economic Strategy Award at Econoquest - Business Simulation and Strategy Competition, XIM University, Bhubaneswar	17 Feb 2025
13	Arya Jha	First runner-up and won the Best Economic Strategy Award at Econoquest - Business Simulation and Strategy Competition, XIM University, Bhubaneswar	17 Feb 2025
14	Adarsh Tiwari	First runner-up and won the Best Economic Strategy Award at Econoquest - Business Simulation and Strategy Competition, XIM University, Bhubaneswar	17 Feb 2025
15	Dhwanit Sharma	Semi-finalist at KAIZEN 2.0, Business Quiz organized by the CHRIST, Yeshwanthpur Campus, Bengaluru	19 Feb 2025
16	Aman Agarwal	Semi-finalist at KAIZEN 2.0, Business Quiz organized by the CHRIST, Yeshwanthpur Campus, Bengaluru	19 Feb 2025
17	Arya Jha	Presented research paper at the 5th International Conference on Management Research (ICMR) organized by KIIT School of Management - KSOM, Bhubaneswar, Odisha	22 Feb 2025
18	Swathika Sarjoni K M	Presented research paper at the 5th International Conference on Management Research (ICMR) organized by KIIT School of Management - KSOM, Bhubaneswar, Odisha	22 Feb 2025
19	Shreeya Sachdeva	Presented research paper at the 5th International Conference on Management Research (ICMR) organized by KIIT School of Management - KSOM, Bhubaneswar, Odisha	22 Feb 2025
20	P Dharmik	Co-founder of Collabzify, a LinkedIn-first influencer marketing agency	31 Mar 2025
21	Shreyaa Pradeep Srivastava	Co-founder of Collabzify, a LinkedIn-first influencer marketing agency	31 Mar 2025
22	Abhinandan Bangal	Co-founder of Collabzify, a LinkedIn-first influencer marketing agency	31 Mar 2025
23	Kriti Pande	Selected as HPAIR Delegate for the 2025 Harvard College Project for Asian and International Relations (HPAIR) Asia Conference at The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan	24 Aug 2025
24	Sanskriti Singh	Secured Second place in X-ITE 2025 - National Article Writing Competition organized by Xavier Institute of Management (XIM), Bhubaneswar	31 Aug 2025
25	Jade Dak	Winner of Prabhav 6.0 - HR Case Competition held under Tangerine Trails! the management fest of IIM Nagpur	07 Sep 2025
26	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	Winner of Prabhav 6.0 - HR Case Competition held under Tangerine Trails! the management fest of IIM Nagpur	07 Sep 2025
27	Jade Dak	Special Mention at Optrix 3.0 - The Operations Case Study Competition organized by NALSAR University of Law (NALSAR), Hyderabad	13 Sep 2025
28	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	Special Mention at Optrix 3.0 - The Operations Case Study Competition organized by NALSAR University of Law (NALSAR), Hyderabad	13 Sep 2025
29	P Dharmik	Co-Founder of Groviti, The Personal Branding agency	30 Sep 2025
30	Jade Dak	National Finalist of Prod-A-Vista: A Product Case Competition organized by IIM Raipur	07 Nov 2025
31	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	National Finalist of Prod-A-Vista: A Product Case Competition organized by IIM Raipur	07 Nov 2025
32	Varanya Bhattacharya	Semi-finalist of The McGill International Portfolio Challenge (MIPC): A Case Challenge hosted by McGill University	07 Nov 2025
33	Sumaya Shaik	Semi-finalist of The McGill International Portfolio Challenge (MIPC): A Case Challenge hosted by McGill University	07 Nov 2025

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34	Shreya J Shetty	Semi-finalist of The McGill International Portfolio Challenge (MIPC): A Case Challenge hosted by McGill University	07 Nov 2025
35	Anushka Das	Awarded a Silver Award in The Queen's Commonwealth Essay Competition 2025 for the essay titled "When the Glass Cracked Open"	13 Nov 2025
36	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	Winner of Storytelling Maestro 2025: Storytelling Competition organized by IIM Calcutta	18 Nov 2025
37	Jade Dak	National Finalist of SynOpsis 2025: Operations and Supply Chain Case Competition organized by SIBM Pune	19 Nov 2025
38	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	National Finalist of SynOpsis 2025: Operations and Supply Chain Case Competition organized by SIBM Pune	19 Nov 2025
39	Jade Dak	National Finalist of Concordia- The National HR Case Competition organized by TAPMI Manipal, MAHE	20 Nov 2025
40	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	National Finalist of Concordia- The National HR Case Competition organized by TAPMI Manipal, MAHE	20 Nov 2025
41	Jade Dak	National Finalist of InOpsitive: Operations Case Competition organized by TAPMI Manipal, MAHE	26 Nov 2025
42	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	National Finalist of InOpsitive: Operations Case Competition organized by TAPMI Manipal, MAHE	26 Nov 2025
43	Jade Dak	Second runner-up of Decode To Conquer 6.0: A Product Management Case Competition organized by IIM Calcutta	29 Nov 2025
44	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	Second runner-up of Decode To Conquer 6.0: A Product Management Case Competition organized by IIM Calcutta	29 Nov 2025
45	Jade Dak	Winner of YUKTA 2025 - The Consulting League, Consulting Case Competition organized by TAPMI Manipal, MAHE	01 Dec 2025
46	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	Winner of YUKTA 2025 - The Consulting League, Consulting Case Competition organized by TAPMI Manipal, MAHE	01 Dec 2025
47	Jade Dak	First runner-up of Taxi2Sky - Sustainable Sky Economics, A Case Competition organized by CaseUnion, Masters' Union School of Business, Gurgaon	05 Dec 2025
48	Sannidhya Sinha Roy	Winner of Ad-Sense: An Advertising Case Competition organized by IIM Calcutta	12 Dec 2025
49	Jade Dak	Winner of Ad-Sense: An Advertising Case Competition organized by IIM Calcutta	12 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities:
In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Kala Fest 2025	Football, Cricket, Basketball, Table Tennis, and Badminton matches were organized.	01 Feb 2025
2	The Under-18 Shri T A Pai Memorial Trophy Football Tournament	TAPMI Bengaluru organized the under 18 football tournaments from 18 to 20 December at MAHE Bengaluru campus	28 Aug 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	FALAK 2025 - Inter-Collegiate Badminton Tournament	Pranav Krishnamurthi secured the Winners' Title in the Men's Singles Badminton tournament	12 Oct 2025

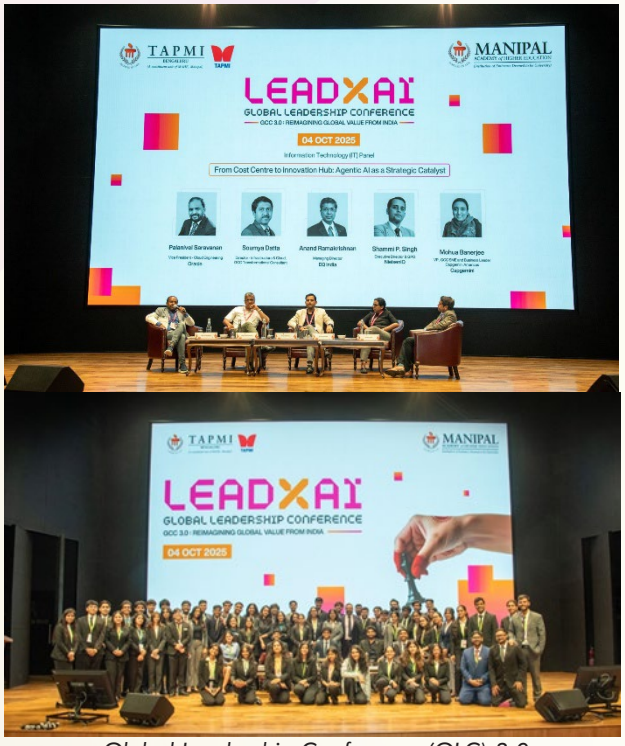
Cultural Activities:

In Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Kala 2025	TAPMI's cultural fest promoted creativity, student engagement, sportsmanship, and experiential learning through diverse cultural, sports, and informal events, fostering holistic development and vibrant campus life.	01 Feb 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events:

Inauguration of new TAPMI Bengaluru Building (Academic Block 6)



Global Leadership Conference (GLC) 3.0

TAPMI "Under 18 Sri T A Pai Memorial Trophy Football Tournament."

MoU with United Way Bengaluru

Sustain Shikhar 2025, conducted by the SCOT Committee of TAPMI Bengaluru

The Indian delegation, led by Prof Meera Baindur, participated in the International Philosophy Olympiad 2025 held in Bari, Italy.

The Journal of Contemporary Accounting and Economics (JCAE) Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium 2025

Founder's Day Dr T A Pai Memorial Lecture by Ramveer Tanwarg, Pondman of India

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Name of the Coordinator: Dr Sweta Bhusan
Members

Role	Name, Designation, Institute
Coordinator	Dr Sweta Bhusan, Assistant Professor, TAPMI, Bengaluru
Co-coordinators	(Cdr) Dr Navaneetha Krishnan, In-Charge Dean, TAPMI Bengaluru
Internal academic collaborators	Dr Meera Baindur, Associate Professor, TAPMI Bengaluru
	Dr T S Hariharan, Assistant Professor, TAPMI Bengaluru
	Dr Priya Sharma, Assistant Professor, TAPMI Bengaluru
	Dr Subhasree Kar, Assistant Professor, TAPMI Bengaluru
	Dr Kalpana R, Assistant Professor, TAPMI Bengaluru
External academic collaborators	Dr Sarasu Thomas, Director, Manipal Law School, Bengaluru
	Dr Sanjukta Ghosh, Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology
	Dr Varun Gupta, Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology
	Dr Arun Y Patil
External industry collaborators	Mr Harinarayan, CEO, Manipal Foundation
	Mr Sumit Singh, Advisor, National Cooperative Union of India
	Mr Ramnath Ballala, Director-Health Systems, Blockchain for Impact (BFI)
	Mr Abdul Latheef, Research Consultant, Catalyst Management System Global
	Ankur Grover, Founder, Tinker Labs
Advisors	Ankur Grover, Founder, Tinker Labs
Staff	Ms Praveena Kundar

Brief About the Centre

TAPMI Centre for Social Empowerment stands apart through its holistic approach that blends inclusive growth, sustainable development, cooperative sector excellence, and purposeful youth engagement.
The centre empowers communities by promoting equitable access to opportunities, designing sustainability-focused interventions, strengthening grassroots cooperatives, and building the next generation of socially conscious leaders through structured training, research, and field-based action.

Vision: The Centre for Social Empowerment (CSE) is dedicated to creating a just, inclusive, and empowered society where every individual—regardless of background or circumstance—has the opportunity, voice, and agency to shape their future and contribute meaningfully to their communities towards a sustainable future.

Mission: The primary mission of the Centre for Social Empowerment (CSE) is to foster inclusive, sustainable growth by empowering the marginalized groups in the underserved geographies with the right knowledge and opportunities to achieve social and economic empowerment and cultural inclusivity.
We are committed to advancing equity, dignity, and active participation through student engagement, knowledge sharing, advocacy, capacity building, and collaborative action.

Objective

The primary objective of the CSE is to generate innovative solutions and data-driven insights for addressing social issues through responsible and sustainable organizational practices and ecosystem strengthening. This will be achieved through a couple of short-term and long-term objectives as follows:

Short-term objectives	Medium-term objectives	Long-term objectives
Objective 1: Execute funded research and consulting projects.	**Objective 1:** Establish a social innovation lab and think tank.	**Objective 1:** Become a Premier Knowledge Hub.
Objective 2: Deepen strategic collaborations with social purpose organizations.	**Objective 2:** Deliver High-Impact Capacity Building.	**Objective 2:** Establish a Partnered Endowment Fund.
Objective 3: Scale student engagement through social immersion projects.	**Objective 3:** Host an annual multi-stakeholder conference.	**Objective 3:** Cultivate a Global Community of Social Innovators.

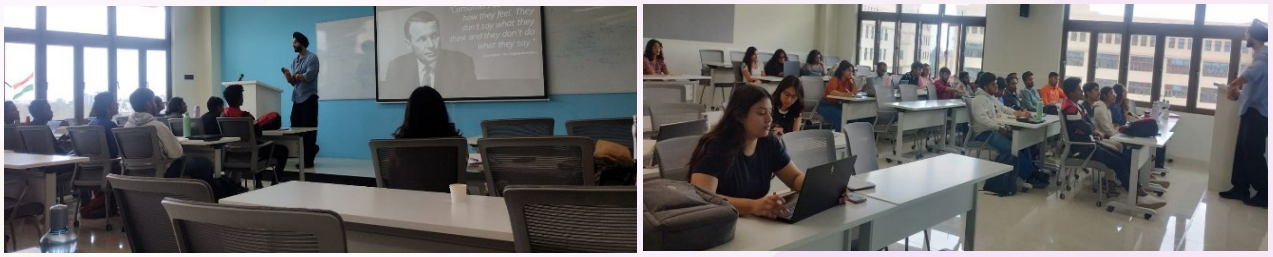
Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Conducted Social Internship–Batch 2024	A total of 279 students participated in the Social Internship	May–Jul 2025
2	MoU Signing with National Cooperative Union of India (NCUI)		17 Jul 2025
3	MoU Signing with United Way Bengaluru	1. Conduct capacity-building sessions for students on: • Proposal Writing • Resource Mobilization • Project Monitoring, Evaluation, and Impact • Compliance and Due Diligence • Storytelling, Reporting, and Communication • Webinar and In-person sessions 2. Facilitate student and faculty engagement through: • Internship opportunities • Concurrent fieldwork • Orientation on CSR and the philanthropy landscape, required skill sets, and career prospects • Support for thesis and research initiatives • Curriculum review for social work and development studies 3. Engage in any other mutually agreed areas of cooperation. Such areas shall be subject to a separate written Agreement.	23 Oct 2025
4	Design Impact Movement First Workshop–Students	To equip students and young professionals with human-centered design skills to solve real-world	20 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		challenges in healthcare, environment, agriculture, livelihood, and education.	
5	Design Impact Movement 2025–Second Workshops–Students		28 Oct 2025
6	Design Impact Movement Third Workshop–Students		21 Nov 2025
7	Design Thinking Certification – TAPMI Faculty	Address the increased social internship workload due to BBA batch strength by developing more trained faculty mentors.	22-23 Nov 2025
8	Employee Engagement Program–Deloitte	Organized by Deloitte; coordinated by partner NGO United Way Bengaluru (UWBe).	28 Nov 2025

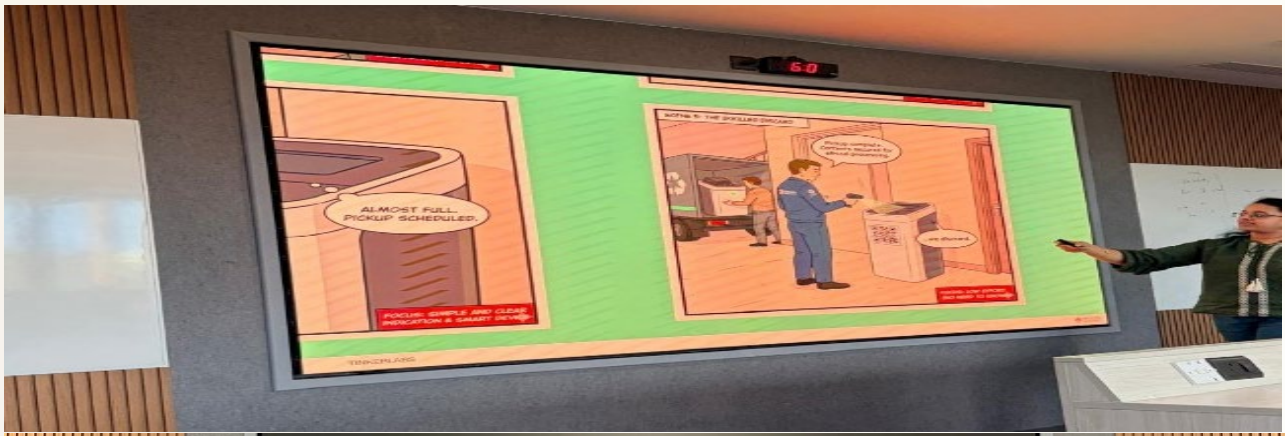
Photo Gallery

MoU Signing with United Way Bengaluru



Design Impact Movement Workshop - Students

Employee Engagement Program – Deloitte



Design Thinking Certification – TAPMI Faculty

Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)

Address: Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA) Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Valley Campus: Old WGSHA building, Manipal, 576104 Lake Campus: Planetarium Complex, Alevoor Road, Manipal, 576104
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Name of the Director: Dr Gayathri Prabhu
Established: 2025

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

- Bachelor of Arts (BA)/BA Honours with Majors and Double Majors (Economics/English/ French and Intercultural Studies/ German and Intercultural Studies/ History/ Philosophy/ Psychology/ Sociology).
- Master of Arts (MA) (English/ European Studies/History/ Philosophy/Sociology).
- Master of Arts (MA) Geopolitics and International Relations.
- MA (Research) in Sankrit Studies.
- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)

About the Institution/School

MISHA adopts a liberal arts approach to a diverse range of disciplines that explore human experiences, knowledge systems, and societies. The academic offerings at MISHA include a flagship BA/BA Honours program with Majors and Minors, several MA

programs in key domains, and a PhD program. The consolidation of these diverse units brings together an incredible range of programs with curated courses that are unique in India. These courses enable students to grasp a range of disciplines, each with diverse methodologies. In a world where conventional career pathways are radically altering, the humanities and social sciences are well-positioned to provide students a broad array of critical transferable skills that can be used in various fields and domains. These include the corporate and social sectors, media and publishing, think-tanks, universities, cultural heritage and art industries, law, and so on. MISHA gives students the widest possible exposure to successful and fulfilling careers.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Proposal for a Centre for Disability Studies and Research (CDSR) to: a) establish a centre where disability will be examined from multiple academic standpoints; namely the socio-cultural, literary, legal, political, and philosophical disciplines. b)*To gain recognition as a leading centre of humanities-based disability research and teaching at the national and international levels.	The Centre for Disability Studies and Research (CDSR) will be the hub of humanities-driven, interdisciplinary research in disability studies at MAHE, Manipal. While MAHE has a robust legacy in medical and rehabilitative care for disabled "patients", it will benefit from developing a strong and sustained cultural approach to these issues from within the humanities. The university, however, has taken some steps in this direction; Professor Jagriti Gangopadhyay and Professor Gayathri Prabhu, two seasoned scholars at Manipal Centre for Humanities, have done important work in allied domains. The centre will undertake teaching, research, and training involving multiple stakeholders from India and abroad, such as academics from the humanities, social and health sciences, legal studies, architecture, and technology including persons with disabilities and their families, students, etc.	15 Oct 2025 - 15 Oct 2027

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Nominated faculty and staff participated in the International Organization for Standardization Awareness Workshop on Implementing Quality and Environment Management System on 9 July 2025 and in the ISO Internal Auditor training program (ISO 9001:2015 and 14001:2015) organized by Quality and Compliance, MAHE	Several aspects of quality were assessed, such as: • Incorporation of contemporary pedagogical and research trends in the curricula. • Extensive interactions with experts within India and abroad on enhancing academic and research programs. • Encouragement of specific domain specializations aligned with the interests, skills, and aptitude of students to enhance their future prospects. • Personalized mentoring to support students' learning, research, and career requirements.	9 Jul 2025 - 24 Sep 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
		• Promote international mobility opportunities for students and faculty. • Support community engagement and cultural activities.	

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Jagannath Panda	Institute of Security and Development Policy, Sweden	Orientation lecture on "Great Powers in the Himalayan Region: Interests, Strategies and Trends"	6 Jan 2025
2	Dr Jagannath Panda	Institute of Security and Development Policy, Sweden	Orientation lecture on "India's Engagement with Northeast Asia"	7 Jan 2025
3	Dr Jagannath Panda	Institute of Security and Development Policy, Sweden	Orientation lecture on "Transatlantic Relations in the context of the Russia-Ukraine Conflict"	7 Jan 2025
4	Dr Hemachandran Karah	Indian Institute of Technology, Madras	Book launch of "Blind Narrations and Artistic Subjectivities: Corporeal Refractions"	10 Jan 2025
5	Dr Prakash Bhat and G N Mohan	chief of the People First Foundation, Dharwad	Book talk and discussion on "Constructing Villages: Joys and Jitters"	13 Jan 2025
6	Dr Satendra Singh	University College of Medical Sciences, University of Delhi, India	Special lecture on “Empowered or Restricted? (Disability Law and the Path to Justice)”	16 Jan 2025
7	Dr Ketaki Chowkhani and Sruthi Bhattathiri	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)	Book discussion on “Rated A: Soft Porn Cinema and Mediations of Desire in India”	17 Jan 2025
8	Sri Ram Soni	Senior artist	Special session on "Sanji Art of Mathura"	25 Jan 2025
9	Prashant Bhat	Film maker	Film screening and discussion on "The Word and the Teacher"	27 Jan 2025
10	Professor Cherian Varghese	Prasanna School of Public Health, MAHE	Special lecture on "Global Health and World Health Organization at a Crossroads"	31 Jan 2025
11	Srinath Perur	Award-winning Author and Translator	Special lecture on "Travel Among Others"	10 Feb 2025
12	Dr Ali Ahmed	Strategic Affairs commentator	Special lecture on "Peacekeeping: A Multilateral Instrument Worth Preserving"	13 Feb 2025
13	Dr Veda Vaidyanathan	Centre for Social and Economic Progress, New Delhi	Special lecture on "Redefining Africa's Future: The Role of the African Union"	18 Feb 2025
14	Dr Sreenath V S	Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT-Madras	Talk on Classical Indian aesthetics	18 Feb 2025
15	Dr Rob York	Director for regional affairs - Pacific Forum, Honolulu, Hawaii	Special lecture on "North Korea's Narrative Control: Understanding its Impact on Geopolitics"	19 Feb 2025

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16	Nature and Photography Club	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)	Photography exhibition	19 Feb 2025
17	Srikar Raghavan and Ned Dostaler	Manipal Centre for Humanities, Alumni	Book talk and discussion on “Rama, Bhima, Soma: Cultural Investigations into Modern Karnataka”	21 Feb 2025
18	Dr Purushothama Bilimale and Dr Peggy Mohan	hairperson, Kannada Development Authority, Karnataka Government, Bangalore. Writer and Linguist in residence at Department of Languages, MAHE	Special lecture on "Imagining the Multilingual University"	22 Feb 2025
19	Dr Rhea Abraham	Independent researcher, Bahrain	Special lecture on "Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) in a Multipolar World: Balancing and Building Strategic Alliances"	25 Feb 2025
20	Madhu Nataraj	Natya University of Khatak and Choreography, Bangalore	Special session on "Choreographing Life"	27 Feb 2025
21	Cleo Paskal	Non- resident Senior fellow, Foundation of defense of Democracies	Special lecture on "What Does China Want in the Indo-Pacific and How is it Trying To Get It?"	3 Mar 2025
22	Dr Peggy Mohan	Writer and Linguist in residence at Department of Languages, MAHE	Discussion on her debut novel “Jihajin” and the practice of field visit	4 Mar 2025
23	Cleo Paskal	Non- resident Senior fellow, Foundation of defense of Democracies	Special lecture on "Pacific Islands - Frontline in the Fight for Freedom in the Indo-Pacific "	7 Mar 2025
24	Dr Meera Viswanathan	Shiv Nadar University, Greater Noida	Special lecture on "A Future for our Pasts"	7 Mar 2025
25	Commodore Srikant Laxmikant Deshmukh	Senior Vice President (aerospace & defence) SUN group Gurugram	Special lecture on "India's Naval Strategy"	11 Mar 2025
26	Commodore Srikant Laxmikant Deshmukh	Senior Vice President (aerospace & defence) SUN group Gurugram	Special lecture on "India's Maritime Domain Awareness"	11 Mar 2025
27	Dr Prayaag Akbar	SIAS at Krea University, Andhra Pradesh	Special talk on “Writing for a Living: How, What, but also, why”	13 Mar 2025
28	Mr Leo Wigger	Mercator Fellow	Special lecture on "The EU-India Conundrum and the China Factor: Challenges and Opportunities in Times of Renewed Great Power Competition"	13 Mar 2025
29	Dr Ramu C M	Senior geopolitical analyst APAC assistance, Singapore alumnus, DGIR	Special lecture on "Energy Security and Geopolitics in the Indo-Pacific"	19 Mar 2025
30	Dr Jens Marquardt	Technische Universitat Darmstadt, Germany	Special lecture on "Energy Transitions in Southeast Asia: Tracing the Power Struggles"	20 Mar 2025
31	Student Fest	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)	Dastan	21 - 22 Mar 2025
32	Dr Jens Marquardt	Technische Universitat Darmstadt, Germany	Special session on "Geopolitics and Peace Anthropocene" in collaboration with the	21 Mar 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
			Department of Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences, MISHA, MAHE and the Department of Geopolitics and International Relations, MISHA, MAHE	
33	Dr Stephen P Westcott	Senior Campaign Support Officer, Strategic Communicatiom, Joint Agency Task Force, Operation Sovereign Borders, Department of Home Affairs, Australia	Special lecture on "Australia's Indo-Pacific Strategy: Pursuing a Stable and Prosperous Region"	27 Mar 2025
34	Dr Jagannath Panda	Head of the Stockholm Centre for South Asian and Indo-Pacific Affairs (SCSA-IPA)	Special lecture on "Japan-India-Philippines Thrilateral Core to a Rules-Based Order?"	28 Mar 2025
35	Theatre Club	MISHA Student	Play-Free Adaptation of "The Persona Police"	28 Mar 2025
36	Dr Shaantanu Shankar	Country analyst – Middle East & Africa, The Economist Intelligence Unit DGIR Alumnus	Special lecture on "Eastern Africa and the Indo-Pacific"	1 Apr 2025
37	Dr Dattesh D Parulekar	School of International and Area Studies, Goa University	Special lecture on "India in the Quad: Shaping the Oceanic Continuum, The 'India Way'"	2 Apr 2025
38	Dr Ramu C M	Senior geopolitical analyst APAC assistance, Singapore alumnus, DGIR	Special lecture on "Redefining Energy Security: China's Critical Minerals Strategy in the Transition Era"	3 Apr 2025
39	Shrimathi Devi	Hindustani vocalist and theorist, Mysuru	Session on "Hindustani Music Appreciation"	4 - 5 Apr 2025
40	Dr Arka Chattopadhyay	Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT-Gandhinagar	Special talk on "Who said we are posthuman?"	7 Apr 2025
41	Ms Aparna	Calligraphy Artist, Mysuru	Session on "Calligraphy"	15 Apr 2025
42	Abhilash Shetty	Film Maker	Film screening and discussion "Koli Taal"	8 May 2025
43	Dr Tarinee Awasthi	Flame University Pune	Lectures on the following topics “Rama in Awadhi, Braj, and Khari Boli literature”, “Rethinking Indian Knowledge Systems on the Eve of Colonialism", and “Playing with Philosophy: Some Observations on the Late Second Millennium in India”.	12 - 16 May 2025
44	Professor Amitabh Mattoo	Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi	Special lecture on "International Relations Theory History, Relevance and Future"	5 Aug 2025
45	Professor Amitabh Mattoo	Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi	Special lecture on "Challenges of Indian Foreign Policy"	6 Aug 2025
46	Dr Lipin Ram	University of bremen	Special lecture on "Are we all populists now? The ‘ambivalences’ of populism in contemporary politics"	14 Aug 2025
47	Dr Vivek Pandi	Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences, MAHE	Special lecture on "Biodiversity and Conservation in the Anthropocene"	3 Sep 2025
48	Professor Nikhil Govind and Dr Anand V	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)	Book release and conversation with the Author—Mao Zedong— and China's	16 Sep 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
			Foreign Policy: The Man, the Mind and Vietnam	
49	Professor K P Vijayalakshmi	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)	Special lecture on "Role of Hypothesis in Research"	19 Sep 2025
50	Dr Vineet Thakur and Dr Ladhu Ram Chaudhury	Leiden University, the Netherlands Department of political science, University of Rajasthan	Research conversation on how a Nazi occupied India's first chair in international relations	19 Sep 2025
51	Professor S Chandrashekar	Adjunct Faculty at the Dept. of Geopolitics and IR, MAHE, Manipal.	Special lecture on "The Cuban Missile Crisis"	26 Sep 2025
52	Professor S Chandrashekar	Adjunct Faculty at the Dept. of Geopolitics and IR, MAHE, Manipal.	Special lecture on "The Evolution of the World Space Order"	26 Sep 2025
53	Professor S Chandrashekar	Adjunct Faculty at the Dept. of Geopolitics and IR, MAHE, Manipal.	Special lectures on "The Geopolitics of Outer Space Technologies'	26 - 27 Sep 2025
54	Professor S Chandrashekar	Adjunct Faculty at the Dept. of Geopolitics and IR, MAHE, Manipal.	Special lecture on "The Role of Space Power in Addressing China's Vulnerabilities"	27 Sep 2025
55	Professor S Chandrashekar	Adjunct Faculty at the Dept. of Geopolitics and IR, MAHE, Manipal.	Special lecture on "Space, War and Security: A Strategy for India"	27 Sep 2025
56	Dr Ramu C M	Senior geopolitical analyst APAC assistance, Singapore alumnus, DGIR	Special lecture on "Geopolitics of Energy Transition"	10 Oct 2025
57	Dr Aditya Udayraj Joshi	Department of Civil Engineering, MIT, Manipal	Workshop on "St. Mary's Island Walking Tour—A Geological Perspective".	11 Oct 2025
58	Nature Club - Earthlings	Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts (MISHA)	Documentary Screening "Jane Goodall: An Inside Look"	13 Oct 2025
59	Dr Anish Warrier	School of Civil and Chemical Engineering, MIT MAHE	Special lecture on "Climate Science and Antarctic Expeditions"	15 Oct 2025
60	Dr Pawel Odyniec	Karlstad University, Sweden	Special talk on "Intercultural Philosophy as A Way of Life: Rethinking the Concept of Philosophy Across Borders"	17 Oct 2025
61	Dr Ramu C M	Senior geopolitical analyst APAC assistance, Singapore alumnus, DGIR	Special lecture on "Geopolitics of Critical Minerals"	17 Oct 2025
62	Ms Thammy Evans	Brigadier General (Reserve) British Army	Special lecture on "Trends in Climate Security Risk - how armies win and lose in war with a changing climate"	27 Oct 2025
63	Dr Jens Marquardt	Senior Researcher, TU Darmstadt, Germany.	Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with TU Darmstadt and interactions with students/faculty	30 Oct 2025 to 9 Nov 2025
64	Dr Alexander Fisher	Director Indo-German Cooperation on Climate Change (IKI Interface India), GIZ, India Office, New Delhi	Special lecture on "Indo-German Cooperation on Climate Change"	5 Nov 2025

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65	Dr Alexander Fisher	Director Indo-German Cooperation on Climate Change (IKI Interface India), GIZ, India Office, New Delhi	Climate Policy and Economic Priorities in India and Indo-German Climate Cooperation	6 to 7 Nov 2025
66	Dr Jens Marquardt	Technische Universitat Darmstadt, Germany	Special Talk on "Environmental Populism—A Struggle Over Nature and Democracy"	7 Nov 2025
67	Dr Jens Marquardt	Technische Universitat Darmstadt, Germany	Special lecture on "Environmental Populism: A Struggle Over Nature and Democracy"	7 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
3	5	18	4

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
9	19	3	6

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Seminar	1	2
Workshop	3	0
Conference	4	1
Other	0	2

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Yashpal: On Gender and Revolutionary Thought	On Divya	Dr Nikhil Govind	Orient Blackswan	10 Mar 2025
2	Implications, Prospects, and Challenges in China's Global South Strategy	Building the great wall abroad: China's security engagement in Africa	Amrita Jash	IGI Global Scientific Publishing	30 Jun 2025
3	Book discussion on "Mao Zedong and China's Foreign Policy: The Man, the Mind, and Vietnam"	Book discussion on "Mao Zedong and China's Foreign Policy: The Man, the Mind, and Vietnam" under Takshashila's Network for Advanced Study of China (NASC) Fellowship	Amrita Jash	Palgrave Macmillan	16 Sep 2025
4	Structural Shift of Geopolitics in the Indo-Pacific	Walking the Tightrope: Japan's Policy Toward Xi Jinping's China	Amrita Jash	World Scientific	30 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
5	Contours of India-EU Engagements Multiplicity of Experiences	Constructive Engagement in Times of Strategic Confusion: Mapping India-EU Relations	Priya Vijaykumar Poojary	Taylor & Francis	30 Nov 2025
6	Essential Concepts for Implementing the Sustainable Development Goals an A Z Guide	North-South relations	Dhanasree Jayaram	Routledge	31 Dec 2025
7	Climate Change and Public Health : Governance and Challenges	Climate Change and Health: Geopolitical Perspectives	Dhanasree Jayaram	Springer	31 Dec 2025
8	Priorities and Challenges in the Indian Coastal Region: Environmental, Economic, and Geopolitical Perspectives	Gender-Responsive Climate Policy in India's Coastal Security: Vulnerabilities, Capacities and Governance	Dhanasree Jayaram	Centre for Public Policy Research and The Asia Foundation	31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Nikhil Govind	Working Editor, Indian Journal of Medical Ethics (IJME).	1 Jan 2025
2	Dr Amrita Jash	Awarded the Think Visegrad 2025 Fellowship. Under the fellowship, served as a Visiting Fellow at the Polish Institute of International Affairs (PISM), Warsaw, Poland, from 20 October to 7 December 2025.	24 Jun 2025
3	Priya Vijaykumar Poojary	Best Paper Award—International Conference.	22 Nov 2025
4	Dr Gayathri Prabhu	Medical Humanities Editorial Board member.	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Rahul S	The winner of the Best Poster Presentation at the 6th conference on youth in social change.	17 Sep 2025
2	Smitha C	Smitha C, a student of the Department of Geopolitics and International Relations, successfully cleared the KSET Exam 2025.	6 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities:
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Inter-MAHE Cross-Country Race Competition	MISHA Students have participated in Inter-MAHE Cross-Country Race Competition at Marena, Manipal.	28 Sep 2025
2	Inter-MAHE Table-Tennis Tournament	MISHA Students (Women's) have participated in Inter-MAHE Cross-Country Race Competition at Marena, Manipal.	30 Sep 2025
3	Inter-MAHE Table-Tennis Tournament	MISHA Students (Men's) have participated in Inter-MAHE Cross-Country Race Competition at Marena, Manipal.	5 Oct 2025
4	Inter-MAHE Badminton Tournament	MISHA Students have participated in Inter-MAHE Badminton Tournament at Marena, Manipal.	7 Oct 2025
5	MAHE Boxing Ring	MISHA Students have participated in Inter-MAHE Boxing Ring at Marena, Manipal.	9 Nov 2025
6	MAHE Teaching Staff Football Tournament	MISHA Faculties have participated in MAHE Teaching Staff Football Tournament.	14 Dec 2025

Cultural Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Ethnic Day Celebration	Department of Geopolitics and International Relations, MISHA celebrated Ethnic Day. This celebration helps us understand our roots and respect the traditions of different communities. By celebrating Ethnic Day, MISHA promoted unity, pride, and appreciation for our cultural heritage, reminding us that diversity makes our society stronger and more beautiful.	1 Mar 2025
2	International Women's Day	Department of Geopolitics and International Relations, MISHA celebrated "International Women's Day". The program included inspiring speeches, cultural performances, and awareness activities that highlighted the importance of gender equality and women's empowerment. Students and staff actively participated, expressing appreciation for the role of women in education, family, and society. The celebration created a positive and motivating atmosphere, encouraging everyone to support women's rights and work together for a more equal and inclusive future.	8 Mar 2025
3	International Women's Day	International Women's Day was celebrated in the Department of Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences, MISHA, with great enthusiasm and respect to honour the achievements and contributions of women. The program included inspiring speeches, cultural performances, and awareness activities that highlighted the importance of gender equality and women's empowerment. Students and staff actively participated, expressing appreciation for the role of women in education, family, and society.	8 Mar 2025
4	Farewell Programme	The Farewell programme for the 2023–25 MAGIR batch was organized with warmth and emotion to honour their journey in our institution. Teachers and juniors shared heartfelt speeches, memories, and best wishes, making the occasion meaningful and memorable.	13 May 2025
5	Teachers' Day celebration	The Teachers' Day celebration at the Department of Geopolitics and International Relations, MISHA, was a joyful and memorable occasion filled with	5 Sep 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		gratitude and respect for our teachers. The program began with a warm welcome, followed by speeches and performances organized by students to express appreciation for their teachers' dedication and hard work. Cultural activities such as songs, dances, and skits added enthusiasm and cheer to the event. Students also shared heartfelt messages, acknowledging the guidance and support they receive from their teachers every day.	
6	Shree Krishna Janmashtami	Krishna Janmashtami was celebrated with great devotion and enthusiasm at our institution MISHA, creating an atmosphere filled with joy, spirituality, and cultural pride. The campus was beautifully decorated.	15 Sep 2025
7	Happy Halloween	The "Happy Halloween" program conducted at our institution was a vibrant and joyful celebration that brought together students, faculty, and staff in a spirit of creativity and togetherness. The campus was filled with festive decorations, colourful costumes, and cheerful enthusiasm, creating a lively and engaging atmosphere. A variety of activities, including games, performances, and themed events, encouraged active participation and showcased the talents and imagination of the participants.	31 Oct 2025
8	KAIROS 2025	MISHA Students actively participated in the International Student Day "KAIROS" with great enthusiasm and a strong sense of unity. The event provided a platform for students to showcase their talents, ideas, and cultural diversity through various activities such as presentations, performances, discussions, and creative displays. Participants engaged wholeheartedly, demonstrating teamwork, leadership, and global awareness. Overall, the event was a meaningful experience that fostered confidence, collaboration, and international understanding among students.	17 Nov 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

A two-day workshop was conducted for the students of Rajkumar College- Raipur

Women's Day celebration at MCH

Two-month free Science Communication classes by Mr Divyansh Mansukhani started at Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences (GCPAS), MAHE.

Two-Day International Conference on "Imagining Urban Futures in India and Beyond"

Special Guest lecture on "Choreographing Life"

Orientation lecture Series on "International Relations Theory-History, Relevance and Future"

Orientation lecture Series by Dr Jagannath Panda

MISHA Students' participation in the March past on 79th Independence Day

International Conference on Therapeutic Philosophy in Global Perspectives (TPGP)

International Conference on SynergIA

"Geopolitics and Peace in the Anthropocene" under the joint auspices of Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences (GCPAS) and Department of Geopolitics and International Relations (DGIR)

First Field trip of the year to Magadha Vana

Book Talk and Discussion by Dr Prakash Bhat and G N Mohan on "Halligalannu Kattuva Kashta Sukha"

A two-day Hindustani Music appreciation under the auspices of Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences (GCPAS), MAHE, Vid Shrimathi Devi

International Centre for Business Studies

Address: Manipal Centre for European Studies, Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts
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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2015
Name of the Coordinator: Ms Aroor Aatmika Shetty
Members: Ms Aroor Aatmika Shetty

Brief About the Centre:

Vision:
To foster a global campus where through mutual understanding and respect, all MAHE Stakeholders transform and grow together.

Mission:
ICBS is dedicated to fostering a dynamic and collaborative environment that encourages meaningful academic engagement and the exchange of ideas with peers through robust national and international professional networks. The center strives to bridge academia and industry by building strong connections with industry leaders, enabling innovative partnerships that drive growth and success. By cultivating a space for knowledge sharing and professional development, ICBS empowers individuals and organizations to thrive in an ever-evolving global landscape.

Objectives:
- To facilitate cross-cultural communication and understanding through internationalization initiatives, fostering a global mindset among students, faculty, and corporate partners.
- To forge strategic partnerships with multinational corporations and industry leaders to offer experiential learning opportunities, internships, and job placements for students.
- To implement innovative teaching methodologies and technology-driven solutions to enhance the effectiveness and relevance of corporate training programs.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Erasmus+ Doctoral Mobility Facilitation	The Centre provided structured guidance and coordination support for Erasmus+ mobility applications, resulting in two doctoral scholars being awarded Erasmus+ Mobility Grants to the University of Castilla-La Mancha, Spain.	31 May – 31 Jul 2025
2.	International Conference Paper Presentation	A member of ICBS, presented a research paper at the 6th ICLHE RG International Symposium at the University of Castilla-La Mancha, Spain, contributing to international research dissemination and academic engagement.	06 Aug 2025
3.	Workshop on Intercultural Competence and Team Dynamics	An in-house workshop was conducted for students of the Department of Languages, MISHA. The session focused on intercultural communication, navigating unfamiliar cultural contexts, and strengthening collaborative team-building skills in diverse academic and professional environments	03 Sep 2025
4.	Global Conflict Management and Negotiation (Ongoing Academic Course)	Continued delivery of the course *Global Conflict Management and Negotiation* (introduced in 2022) for MSCE students,	Since 2022

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		focusing on negotiation theory, conflict resolution strategies, and global diplomatic and organizational contexts	

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1.	Erasmus+ Teaching Mobility Grant	Centre faculty was awarded Erasmus+ Teaching Mobility under the Erasmus+ program to undertake academic engagement at Turība University, Latvia.	17 – 23 Nov 2025

Photo Gallery :

Centre for Education Research (CER)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Ms Priya Vijaykumar Poojary
Members: Dr Senthil Kumaran, Dr Animesh Jain, Ms Ida Dsouza

Brief About the Centre:

Vision
Excellence in inclusive, responsible, and quality research and policy dialogue in education.

Mission
Be the most preferred destination for researchers in education with a multidisciplinary approach.

Engage in research and policy advocacy in education nationally with a global outlook.

Objectives
- To promote quality research in education - school education, higher education, and medical education
- To support evidence-based education policy
- To analyze existing policies, publish and disseminate research outcomes
- To generate policy dialogues among stakeholders
- To network with other think tanks and centres of education research

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	3-credit certificate course *Higher Education 1-O-1: Research, Policy, and Practice* over four months	The program examined HE's dynamic shifts amid globalization-deglobalization, regionalism, nationalism, conflicts, tech innovations like generative AI, DEI, sustainability, and financing issues. Spanning nine modules, from HE fundamentals and internationalization to decolonization, rankings, digital classrooms, and war's impacts. It aimed to enable students to analyze policies and propose reforms tailored to diverse scales. The first edition of the course had four students registered and successfully completed.	Jan-Apr 2025
2	National Workshop on Bilingual Pedagogy in Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE).	On 29 and 30 August 2025, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH) at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), in collaboration with Center for Education Research (CER), MAHE, MISHA (MAHE), and DIET Udupi, hosted an offline international workshop on Bilingual Pedagogy in Early Childhood Care and Education (ECCE). Discussions focused on child language development, curricula, and ECCE practices, aligning with PSPH's academics/research pillars and SDGs 4 (Quality Education), 8 (Decent Work), and 10 (Reduced Inequalities), equipping participants with practical skills for Udupi's Cluster Resource Persons (CRPs) and Block Resource Persons (BRPs).	29-30 Aug 2025

Photo gallery

North East Studies Centre (NESC)

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Email (Coordinator): vignesh.guruswamy@manipal.edu

Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2015
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Vignesh Ram

Brief About the Centre

Objectives

1. Encourage preservation of local dialects, culture, tradition, and performing arts.
2. Organize regular seminars, workshops, training programs, symposia, etc., to understand the region better and disseminate the knowledge to the rest of the country.
3. Facilitate mobility of scholars for field studies and to encourage publication of scholarly works.
4. Provide meaningful inputs to policymakers on the issues concerning the North East.

Centre for Polish and Central European Studies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2012
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Amrita Jash

Brief About the Centre

The Centre for Polish and Central European Studies is dedicated to understanding Europe through the Polish and Central European lens as well as a larger European perspective. It connects European developments with India's global outlook, offering interdisciplinary research, policy dialogue, and academic engagement on contemporary European issues

Objectives

1. Creation of a bank of knowledge on Poland and Central Europe, as well as Europe at large, and its correlation with India's Geopolitical challenges and opportunities.
2. Establishment of a network of young analysts.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Special Lecture	Lecture on **"Transatlantic Relations in the Context of the Russia-Ukraine Conflict"**, delivered under the Orientation Lecture Series, by Dr Jagannath P Panda, https://www.isdp.eu/people/jagannath-p-panda/ of the Stockholm Center for South Asian and Indo-Pacific Affairs (SCSA-IPA), Institute of Security and Development Policy (ISDP), Stockholm, Sweden, https://wnpism.uw.edu.pl/en/pracownicy/jagannath-panda/" \t "_blank at the Department of Regional and Global Studies at the University of Warsaw and Adjunct faculty, DGIR, MISHA, MAHE.	07 Jan 2025
2	Special Lecture	Special lecture on "The EU-India Conundrum and the China Factor: Challenges and Opportunities in Times of Renewed Great Power Competition" by Mr Leo Wigger, Mercator Fellow.	13 Mar 2025
3	Research Publication	Amrita Jash, China's green expansion and the EU: Hungary and Spain as strategic gateways", The Polish Institute of International Affairs-Think Visegrad, December 2025. Available online at: https://think.visegradfund.org/wp-content/uploads/PISM_Amrita_Jash_PISM_research_fellow.pdf	Dec 2025

Awards and Recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	ThinkVisegrad Expert Fellow	Dr Amrita Jash was a ThinkVisegrad Expert Fellow, affiliated with *The Polish Institute of International Affairs (PISM)*, Warsaw, Poland	10 Oct-07 Dec 2025

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Lecture on "Transatlantic Relations in the Context of the Russia-Ukraine Conflict", delivered under the Orientation Lecture Series, on 07 January 2025, by Dr Jagannath P Panda

Centre for Indo-Pacific Studies

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Email (Coordinator): ravi.p@manipal.edu

Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2022
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Ravindranathan P

Brief About the Centre

Objectives:

1. To create a Centre of knowledge, information, research, and cooperation on subjects relating to India's engagement with the Indo-Pacific region and India's extended neighbourhood in the region.

2. To provide an institutional foundation for the exchange of students, scholars, and professionals to interact, educate and cooperate on ideas, academic pursuits, and professional practices for the benefit of a larger section of people and stakeholders.

3. To chart a roadmap of events and activities in consonance with the existing organizations, institutions, and forums such as the RIS, IORA, ASEAN, BIMSTEC, SAGAR, MEA-Indo-Pacific Division, etc.

4. To explore, initiate, and stimulate opportunities and policies to interact and collaborate with countries in the larger Indo-Pacific region and those in the ambit of India's extended neighbourhood in the areas of science, technology, medicine, healthcare, academic disciplines classified under Humanities, and any other area of academic and commercial importance.

5. To interact and network with students, faculty, researchers, and institutions to facilitate the exchange of knowledge and experience as part of the capacity-building process.

Dvaita Philosophy Resource Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2010
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Srinivasa Kumar N Acharya

Brief About the Centre:
Vision: The Centre creates academic platforms for philosophical discourse on Dvaita Vedanta. The larger idea is to integrate Indian knowledge systems into the global knowledge system.

Mission: DPRC strives to be the Centre of excellence among Dvaita centres and encourages the academic approach to Dvaita School, offering programs, conducting research, and bringing out publications.

Objectives:
- To preserve the rich philosophical, spiritual, and cultural heritage of India
- To open the doors of Indian philosophy to the scholars of the world
- To bridge the gap between traditional and modern academia with the help of technology
- To mainstream the discourses in philosophy and social sciences with a focus on contemporary relevance

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	International Conference	"Being and Becoming: Philosophical Counselling of Mind Body Wellbeing" presented at Therapeutic Philosophy in Global Perspectives (TPGP), The Department of Philosophy, MAHE, in collaboration with Clinical Psychology (MCHP) and the University of Hildesheim, hosts TPGP and launches CTP, from 13 to 17 Jan 2025, MIT Library Auditorium, Manipal.	17 Jan 2025
2	National Debate	Moderator for National Debate on Jnatr Lakshana Vimarsha in Advaita, Dvaita, and Vishishtadvaita | Indian Council of Philosophical Research (ICPR) and Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit (SSUS), Kaladi	03 Apr 2025
3	National Seminar	Sita Parityaga | Ramayana seminar | National Seminar – Tatvajnana Mahotsava | Pejavara Adhokshaja Matha (PAM), Udupi	11 Apr 2025
4	International Conference	Poised Positions: The Discreet Art of Tending to the Philosophy of Vedanta-Yoga | International Day of Yoga 25 International Conference on Interaction and Polemics of Western Spiritual Culture and Vedic Tradition | Latvia University, International Centre for Indian Studies ICIS	19 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		Latvia |	
5	International Seminar	Ontological Realism: Philosophising Knowledge Frontiers in Dvaita Foundational Works | International Seminar on Life and Works of Sri Jayatirtha | National Sanskrit University Tirupati and Poornaprajna Samshodhana Mandiram Bengaluru |	22 Aug 2025
6	International Seminar	Mapping structural frameworks of philosophical inquiry in Sri Jayatīrtha's commentaries | International Seminar on Life and Works of Sri Jayatirtha | NSUT and PPSMB	23 Aug 2025
7	International Conference	"Metaphysics of Atman in Bhagavadgita." *Jnana Bharatam - Indian Knowledge Systems*. Udupi: Nitte University IKS and SDG 4, 16	12 Sep 2025
8	Workshop	Workshop on Methods and Practice: Introduction to Philosophy of Research | National Workshop on Research Methodology | Poornaprajna Samshodhana Mandiram, Bengaluru |	30 Oct – 06 Nov 2025
9	National Workshop	Workshop on Research and Publication Ethics for doctoral students, PPSM, BLR |	17-21 Nov 2025
10	National Workshop	Translanguaging Thoughts: Bridging Worlds through Words | National Workshop on Anuvada-kala Art of Translation | Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, BBS, CSU and KSU, BLR	11-13 Mar 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Samāyogi	Ashtadashi, CSU, New Delhi	Dr Srinivasa Kumar N Acharya	1500000	15 Jul 2024
2	Evening School Project Contemporizing Sanskrit: Conversational and Textual courses for a modern University	Ashtadashi, CSU, New Delhi	Dr Srinivasa Kumar N Acharya	600000	15 Jul 2024

Centre for Therapeutic Philosophy

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Karl-Stéphan Bouthillete

Members:
Associate Coordinator: Prof Dr Shwetha T S
Affiliation (Designation, Institute): Associate Professor and Head, Department of Clinical Psychology, MCHP, MAHE

Members

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2. Prof Dr Rolf Elberfeld: University of Hildesheim, Institut für Philosophie, Head of DFG Project: Philosophizing in a globalized World. Historical and Systematic Perspectives elberfel@uni-hildesheim.de
3. Dr Krisha Kops: Munich School of Philosophy, Research Associate krisha.kops@hfph.de

Brief About the Centre:
The Centre for Therapeutic Philosophy (CTP) is committed to advancing holistic well-being by integrating philosophical inquiry with therapeutic practices. While the Centre draws inspiration from India's rich philosophical traditions, it also embraces a global perspective on therapeutic philosophy. Our goal is to demonstrate how philosophy can be a practical and enriching force for life and health, offering more than just theoretical insights, but tangible, actionable pathways to well-being. Our methodological framework involves engaging in concrete philosophical practices able to foster epistemological mindfulness, metaphysical contemplation, and ethical inquiry, to cultivate a deeper understanding of human nature and the workings of the mind, with an eye on the consequences of individual behaviours on the world.

Vision:
Dedicated to exploring therapeutic philosophies from a global perspective, with a particular emphasis on the transformative principles of Indian philosophy.

Mission:
Promoting holistic well-being through the integration of philosophical and therapeutic practices
Objectives:

1. Biennial International Conference of 'Therapeutic Philosophy in Global Perspectives'
2. To offer cutting-edge interdisciplinary courses in the field (in person and online)
3. To promote research collaboration and international networking in the field, leading to publication in outstanding journals

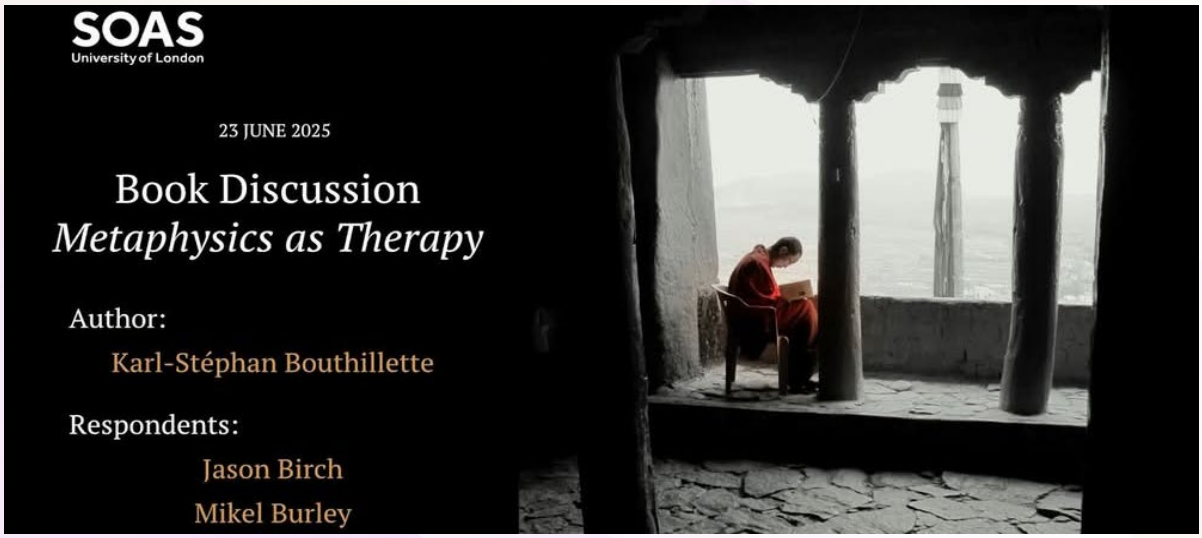
Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Book Discussion: Metaphysics as Therapy	SOAS Centre of Yoga Studies was delighted to bring together three internationally renowned scholars of yoga and Indian philosophy to discuss a groundbreaking new publication in the field: Metaphysics as Therapy: List-Making and Renunciation in Gnostic Yogas (Springer, 2025), by Dr Karl-Stéphan Bouthillette. The event features a conversation between Dr Bouthillette, Assistant Professor at MAHE Manipal, and two distinguished respondents: Dr Jason Birch, Co-Director of the "Yogacintāmaṇi Project" and founding member of SOAS's Centre for Yoga Studies, and Dr Mikel	23 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		Burley, Associate Professor of Religion and Philosophy at the University of Leeds. https://yso.soas.ac.uk/product/karl-stephan-bouthillette-metaphysics-as-therapy	
2	Completion of the SMILE_PH certification program with Luis de Miranda	Certificate acquired in Philosophical Counselling by Dr Karl-Stéphan Bouthillette	23 Jun 2025
3	Book Discussion: Metaphysics as Therapy at MISHA, MAHE	With discussants, Dr Nikhil Govinda, Dr Raghu Menon, Dr Anasuya Agarwala	23 Apr 2025
4	Conference: Intercultural Philosophy as a Way of Life: Rethinking the Concept of Philosophy Across Borders	Discussants: Dr Karl-Stéphan Bouthillette Dr Pawel Odyniec (Karlstad University, Sweden)	17 Oct 2025
5	Online conference: Revisiting Philosophical Yoga: The Other-Worldly Gnostic Turn Toward Introversion, Asociality, and Arationality	Given for the: Internationale Gesellschaft für Philosophische Praxis (IGPP), established in Munich	02 Apr 2025
6	Publications	• 2025. *Metaphysics as Therapy. List Making and Renunciation in Gnostic Yogas*, Indian Philosophy: Past and Present, Singapore, Springer. • 2025. 'Madhvācārya and the *Bhāgavata Purāṇa*: The Scope and Legacy of the *BhāgavatatatParyanirṇaya*' in *Journal of Vaishnava Studies*, vol. 34, no. 1, 143-158, collaborative paper with M. Vishnuvardan. • 2025. 'What is Yogic Gnosticism? Demarcating an Elite Ritual Identity Worth Reconsidering,' in *Journal of Yoga Studies.*, vol. 6, 161-219. **Review**: • 2025. Stephen E. Harris, 'Buddhist Ethics and the Bodhisattva Path. Śāntideva on Virtue and Well-Being,' in *Religion*, vol. 55, no. 4, p. 905-908.	

Book release of Metaphysics as Therapy at MISHA, MAHE

Conference: Intercultural Philosophy as a Way of Life: Rethinking the Concept of Philosophy Across Borders



SOAS online conference

Centre for Women's Studies

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Jagriti Gangopadhyay

Brief About the Centre

Vision: The Centre for Women's Studies at the Manipal Centre for Humanities, and under the leadership of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), was formed with the goal of fostering different gender issues through academic engagement and policy discourse.

Mission: The main aim of this Centre is to focus on key areas of enforcement of women's rights, such as Women, Labour and the Economy, Sexuality, Caste and Gender, Politics of Reproduction, The Domestic Sphere, and Violence and Discrimination.

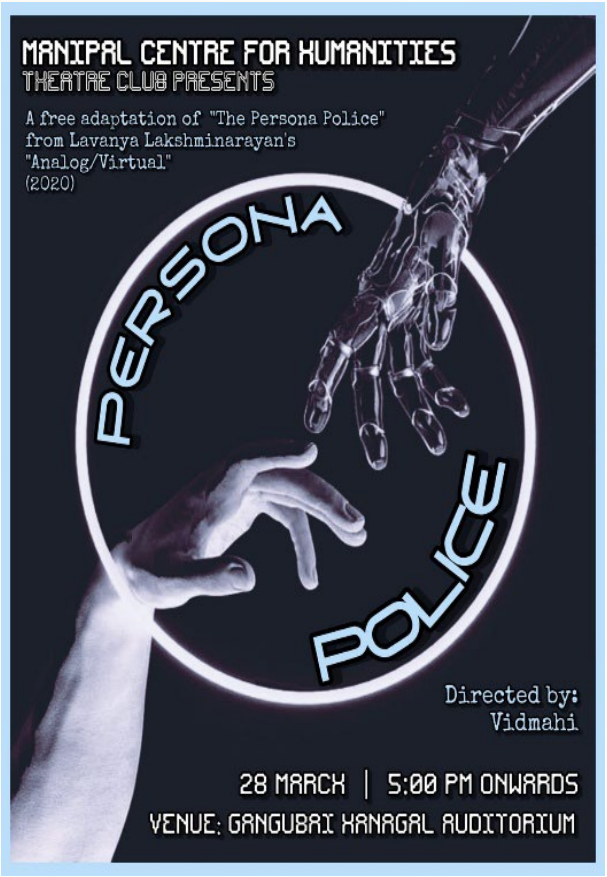
Objectives

1. To focus on equality and ethical issues related to gender and sexuality.
2. To document, study, and advocate for women's issues in different spheres, such as education, health, the legal system, and policy.
3. To sensitize, educate, and encourage different target groups and stakeholders to address the complex changing demands related to gender in a developing country such as India.
4. To build MAHE's reputation as a gender sensitive organization and collaborate amongst different institutions within MAHE.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Memories and Histories	Faculty from the University of Southampton and MISHA spoke about the intersections between history and culture, with Dr Gayathri Prabhu focusing on women, travel, and history	24 Mar 2025
2	Dr Emma Dawson Varughese's book launch of the book: Millennial Indian Speculative Fiction in English: Desi Dystopias and Ideas of Belonging	Dr Emma Dawson Varughese and Dr Gayathri Prabhu discuss changing gender roles in a dystopian world, and the event was followed by a play, Persona Police, which depicts the intersections between decision-making and women's bodies	28 Mar 2025

Caption: Event Name: Memories and Histories, joint event between the University of Southampton and the MISHA Faculty



Caption: Play Persona Police

K K Hebbar Gallery and Art Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Ms Anusha Ravishankar
Members: HGAC Board

Brief About the Centre

The K K Hebbar Gallery and Art Centre (HGAC) at the Manipal Centre for Humanities (MCH) and under the leadership of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), was formed with the goal of creating a space that nurtures creative expression and art pedagogy, cross-disciplinary engagement with artists, cultural practitioners, and student communities. The Art Centre houses twenty-six works of K K Hebbar from the Portrait Collection, courtesy of the K K Hebbar Art Foundation. The Art Centre situated on the top floor of the building of the Manipal Centre for Humanities is the first step of the MAHE's initiative to eventually establish a cultural Centre promoting art and performance with special emphasis on the coastal region of Tulu Nadu & South Canara.

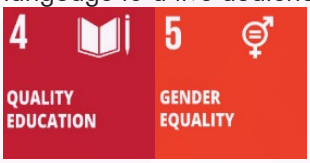
Vision: The main aim of this Centre is to ensure inclusive and equitable quality education in the arts and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all. HGAC is committed to its immediate regional community of students and artists, as well as the wider global artistic community, with a focus on creating a space for thinking about and making art.

Mission: Artist-led projects supported by MAHE, and collaborative initiatives across disciplines and departments. HGAC aims to foster an engagement with the arts in the spirit of constructive critical enquiry and act as an enabling space for curious and creative minds, encouraging meaningful kinships in the region.

Objectives

- Curating programs that include workshops and readings, forums and screenings, and a keen interest in engaging with the student community and the artistic community in and around the region of Tulu Nadu and South Canara.
- Invite and host artists and art works from across India and internationally which are accessible to all students and the public.
- Support for artist-led projects and collaborative initiatives that create a strong impetus for engaging with the arts.
- To build Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) reputation as an arts and culture sensitive organization and collaborate amongst different institutions within Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE)

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Conducted monthly Open Mic events at the gallery space open to all MAHE students and staff to perform poetry, narrative fiction, dramatic text, and original music in any language to a live audience. 	In a first this year, Dr Ketaki Chowkhani, sociology faculty from MCH, premiered the dramatized reading of her one-woman one-act play 'Keerti K, Spinster', which has since been published. Audiences at HGAC were the first to see it read and performed.	Jan-Dec 2025
2	Conducted the first talk of the series 'Curating the City: Conversations and Interventions', where experienced curators and cultural practitioners are invited to Manipal. They introduce audiences to the practice of curating a city. Participating in the global conversation on how our cities can themselves be seen as	Historian and journalist Yunus Lasania spoke to MAHE students and faculty gathered about curating his beloved city of Hyderabad through the curatorial practice of heritage walks, where the city's historical monuments, old cafes,	7 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	museums holding precious artefacts within them.	buildings, parks, and culinary histories are explored and shared.	
3	Hosted 'Come Eat With Me' - a performance piece by Sri Vamsi Matta that explores the relationship between caste and food while sharing a meal together.	Attended by audiences from across MAHE	14 Feb 2025
4	Student visits and curated tours for MAHE institutions and other national institutions. Art Appreciation workshops to introduce students to modernist paintings and, in particular Hebbar's portraits.	Students learn ways to look at portraits and engage meaningfully with the form, medium, and the artist's exploration of the inner and outer worlds of the subjects.	Jan-Dec 2025
5	MAP Academy (Museum of Art and Photography, Bangalore) conducted a workshop 'Interpreting Contemporary Indian Art' with a special focus on Hebbar's portraits. Conducted by Sneha Sridhar and Krishna Unny.	This workshop equipped students to understand and appreciate Indian artworks from the 19th century to the present. It looked at socio-political changes in modern India and the influence of KK Hebbar's experimentations with traditional and modern art — including his expressive line-drawings on the country's evolving artistic landscape. Through a series of discussions and hands-on activities, students developed tools to appreciate unfamiliar art, and also get a chance to pause and reflect on conversations.	11 Oct 2025

Photo Gallery

Dramatized reading of the one-act play 'Keerti K, Spinster' by playwright Dr Ketaki Chowkhani at the Open Mic

Historian and journalist Yunus Lasania delivers the first talk 'AWalk through Hyderabad's Heritage' of the series 'Curating the City: Conlversations and Interventions'.

Curated tour for visiting students

Performance 'Come Eat With Me'

MAP (Museum of Art and Photography) Academy workshop in progress

Student Support Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2017
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Gayathri Prabhu
Members: Debasmita Phukan, Gatha B, Sukanya Chowdhury, Agnes Mary James, Tanya Gupta, Varsha Bhoja Shetty, Saish S Kotian, N Nagaraja

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To maintain a high-quality confidential psychotherapy service to exclusively support the emotional well-being of MAHE students.

Mission: Create a holistic mental health ecosystem for MAHE students.

Objectives

1. To provide student access to mental health support by clinically trained psychologists in a comfortable, non-hospital setting that is covered by Medicare.
2. To support students through their treatment and recovery through psychotherapy sessions. 3) To combat general social taboos associated with mental health and to foster a positive outlook among students through outreach and creative activities.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Blue Hour Session: "It's not you, it's us"	Interactive session between students and a psychotherapist - accountability in interpersonal relationships	24 Jan 2025
2	Blue Hour Session: The Unspoken Goodbye	Interactive session between students and a psychotherapist - exploring the impact of lost friendships	13 Feb 2025
3	Professional workshop	Skill development workshop for the therapists at SSC, conducted by Dr Jyothsna Chandur	01 Mar 2025
4	Inaugural Meeting of Student Advisory Board	Orientation of the Student Advisory Board for 2025-26	12 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
5	Blue Hour Session: Bored out of your mind? Let's talk about it. 	An interactive session about boredom between students and a psychotherapist.	21 Mar 2025
6	Open Mic 	An evening of poetry and music for MAHE students, organized with the help of SSC's Student Advisory Board, to commemorate the Centre's 8th anniversary.	01 Apr 2025
7	Certificate Course in Supporting Peer Psychological Wellness 	5 interactive sessions for students, conducted by the psychotherapists at SSC, aimed to equip students with skills that help support the psychological well-being of their peers and themselves.	07 to 11 Apr 2025 and 08 to 12 Sep 2025
8	Blue Hour Session: The Sting of Rejection 	An interactive session between students and a psychotherapist on the subject of rejection.	25 Apr 2025
9	Dear Life… 	A reflective letter-writing group session for students, facilitated by a psychotherapist.	25 Jul 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
10	Campus Life and Social Well-being 	An interactive session for students, hosted by a psychotherapist, to meet, share stories, and find common ground with fellow students on campus.	08 Aug 2025
11	Blue Hour Session: Ghosting in Social Encounters 	An interactive session between students and a psychotherapist about the psychology of ghosting.	22 Aug 2025
12	Off the Record 	A sharing circle for students, facilitated by a psychotherapist, for conversations aimed at creating a supportive space.	29 Aug 2025 and 07 Nov 2025
13	Blue Hour Session: Beyond the To-Do List 	An interactive session between students and a psychotherapist about procrastination.	26 Sep 2025
14	Community Flea Market 	Organized on World Mental Health Day with items donated by the community in Manipal, live music, and refreshments. All the proceeds from the event went towards supporting the residents of Hombelaku Psychiatric Rehabilitation Centre.	10 Oct 2025
15	Blue Hour Session: Understanding Body-Image 	An interactive session between students and a psychotherapist about body image.	24 Oct 2025
16	Blue Hour Session: Who are we when we're watched? 	An interactive session between students and a psychotherapist about social masks and their impact on identity.	21 Nov 2025

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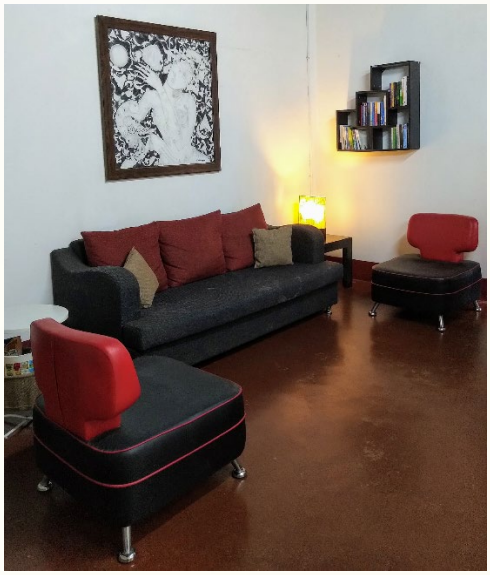
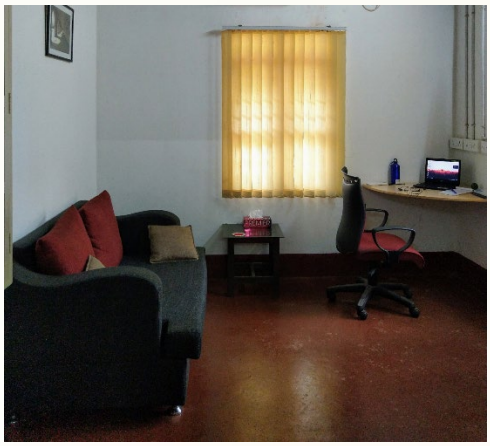


Waiting area for students at the Student Support Centre

MAHE students and SSC staff at the Open Mic



One of the therapy rooms at the Student Support Centre

A participant writing a letter to himself at the Dear Life reflective letter-writing session.

Students performing at the Open Mic, organized to commemorate the 8th anniversary of SSC.

MAHE students in one of the cohorts of the Certificate Course in Supporting Peer Psychological Wellness.

Department of Library and Information Sciences, Manipal

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Name of the Co-ordinator: Dr Shivananda Bhat K

Established: 01 August 2011

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

- Master of Library and Information Sciences
- PhD

About the Institution/School

The Department of Library and Information Sciences was established on 01 August 2011. The department is situated at the Health Sciences Library of the University. Apart from the classroom learning, students are exposed to practical environments to get acquainted with the organizational structure of various types of libraries through field visits and internships. The Department has developed an updated and employable curriculum. Emphasis has been given to practice-led teaching, practice-supported learning, and hands-on training through online and offline resources. Students will be given exposure to the advanced techniques in the field of librarianship, including computing, internet, and library software training facilities.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Session on Clinical Key	SEARCH- The KMC Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, organized a session on "ClinicalKey" in the Seminar Room, Fourth Floor, DLIS, KMC Health Sciences Library, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Abhishek Gupta, Customer Success Manager, Elsevier, was the resource person for this event.	22 Apr 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
2	Session on Lippincott Medical Education (Kortext)	SEARCH- The KMC Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, organized a session on "Lippincott Medical Education (Kortext)" in the Seminar Room, Fourth Floor, DLIS, KMC Health Sciences Library, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Rahul Kumar, Content and Publishing Consultant, Wolters Kluwer, was the resource person for this event.	20 May 2025
3	Redefining Literature Search Using ProQuest Resources Powered by AI	SEARCH- The KMC Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, organized a session on "Redefining Literature Search Using ProQuest Resources Powered by AI" in the Seminar Room, Fourth Floor, DLIS, KMC Health Sciences Library, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Srijith Shashidharan, Trainer, Clarivate, was the resource person for this event.	05 Jun 2025
4	Become a Smart Researcher: Essential Tips to Navigate Springer Nature Platforms	SEARCH- The KMC Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, organized a session on "Become a Smart Researcher: Essential Tips to Navigate Springer Nature Platforms" in the Seminar Room, Fourth Floor, DLIS, KMC Health Sciences Library, MAHE, Manipal. Ms Alpana Sagwal, Head, Customer Engagement, Springer Nature, was the resource person for this event.	03 Sep 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Professor (Dr) Ramesh C Gaur	Dean (Administration), Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), New Delhi, Ministry of Culture, Government of India	NACML-2025 conference organized by KMC Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal.	22 Feb 2025
2	Dr Nabi Hasan	Head Librarian, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi	NACML-2025 conference organized by KMC Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal.	22 Feb 2025
3	Dr Aditya Tripathi	Professor, Department of Library and Information Science, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	Library Visit	18 Aug 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
1	1	1	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
2	2	2	0

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Conference	1	0
Other	4	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Shaping the Future of Academic Libraries: Trends and Prospects: Trends and Challenges. Proceedings of the 6th National Conference on Management of Modern Libraries (NACML)	Shaping the Future of Academic Libraries: Trends and Prospects: Trends and Challenges. Proceedings of the 6th National Conference on Management of Modern Libraries (NACML)	Dr Shivananda Bhat K and Dr Mahabaleshwara Rao	AVI Publishers, New Delhi	31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Mahabaleshwara Rao	"The paper titled 'Stacks Implementation for Unified Library Solution Interface at KMC Health Sciences Library, MAHE, Manipal' won the Best Paper Award at the 70th ILA International Conference on Libraries and Artificial Intelligence: Empowering Users for Sustainable Knowledge System, held at the University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur, from 20 to 22 March 2025.	22 Mar 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Health Sciences Library and Department of Library and Information Sciences, MAHE, Manipal, organized the 6th National Conference on Management of Modern Libraries between 21 and 22 February 2025 at Manipal. The theme of the conference was Shaping the Future of Academic Libraries: Trends and Prospects.

Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), Manipal

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Established: 2007

Details of Programs offered by the Institution
Undergraduate (UG) programs

- Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) with eleven specializations
- Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) Professional, BCom Business Process Management, BCom Capital Markets, and BCom Fin Tech and Data Analytics.

Postgraduate (PG) programs

- Master of Commerce (MCom) Professional, MCom Fintech and Analytics, and MSc Supply Chain Management.
- MSc in Health Economics
- MSc in Financial Economics
- MSc in Business Analytics
- Master of Arts in Digital and Creative Marketing
- Master of Sports Management
- Post Graduate Diploma in Logistics and Supply Chain

Doctoral (PhD) Programs

About Institution/School:

Manipal School of Commerce & Economics (MSCE), formerly known as Department of Commerce (DoC) was established in the year 2007 with the launch of the undergraduate program—BBM—specializing in e-banking and finance. The institute subsequently introduced additional specializations, namely: Financial Markets, Professional, Logistics and Supply Chain Management; Human Resource Management; Marketing Management; Insurance, Family Business Management; Business Analytics; and Economic Studies. The institute also started a MCom program, specializing in Logistics and Supply Chain, Professional, and Banking Technology; BCom program with Professional and Business Process Services specializations; and a one-year Post Graduate Diploma (PGD) in Logistics and Supply Chain. From the academic year 2018, the institute

introduced two more PG programs: MSc Health Economics and MSc Financial Economics. In the year 2019, —MSc in Business Analytics was introduced, followed by MA in Digital and Creative Marketing in 2020 and Master of Sports Management in 2024. Mcom in Banking Technology was replaced with M.com in Fintech and Analytics and MCom in Logistics and Supply Chain Management with MSc in Supply Chain Management from 2025 Academic year onwards. The vision of the institute is to develop into a world-class centre of excellence in education, training, and research. We strive to prepare students not only for examinations but also for life, with industry oriented areas of specialization and competence. MSCE hosts eight centres focused on excellence in their respective domains. They are: Centre for Advanced Learning in Finance and Accounting; Centre for Managing Family Business; Centre for Supply Chain Education and Research; Centre for Consultancy, Training, and Corporate Interface; Centre for Business Analytics; Centre for Economics and Social Networking; Centre for Advanced Research in Financial Inclusion; and Centre for Social Entrepreneurship. MSCE has recorded a consistent improvement in its academic, research, and placement performance. It offers a range of innovatively designed programs whose curricula are constantly updated to meet the changing requirements of the industry and to meet the needs of major stakeholders. We are encouraged to see many industries coming back to our to recruit our students, which reinforces our belief in the effectiveness of our curriculum and its suitability to the dynamic corporate world.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Renaming of Master of Commerce (Banking Technology) as Master of Commerce (Fintech and Analytics)	MSCE entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with National Stock Exchange (NSE) Academy through which MSCE will receive academic support from NSE Academy. With the support from NSE Academy, a detailed curriculum revision of Master of Commerce (Banking Technology) was undertaken, and the revised curriculum was introduced from the academic year 2025–26 with new nomenclature for the programme as Master of Commerce (Fintech and Analytics) widening the scope of the programme and industry relevance.	17 Jan 2025
2	Renaming of Master of Commerce (Logistics and Supply Chain Management) as Master of Science (Supply Chain Management)	In alignment with the requirements of the industry—based on the feedback from industry representatives, students, academicians and other stakeholders— MSCE undertook extensive curriculum revision of Master of Commerce (Logistics and Supply Chain Management) and the revised curriculum was introduced from the academic year 2025–26 with new nomenclature for the programme as Master of Science (Supply Chain management) widening the scope of the programme and industry relevance.	17 Jan 2025
3	Introduction of new specialisations in Bachelor of Commerce programme (((1)Fintech and Data Analytics (2) Capital Markets) in collaboration with NSE academy	–MSCE entered into a MoU with NSE Academy through which – MSCE will receive academic support from NSE Academy. With the support from NSE Academy for training, academic delivery, and certifications; MSCE has introduced two new specialisations—1) Fintech and Data Analytics (2) Capital Markets—in the BCom program of the institute from the academic year 2025–26.	17 Jan 2025

All other activities in the department relating to the program/course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Workshop on "Overview of Bloomberg"	Ms Anushka Keshan, Enterprise Account Manager, Bloomberg, was the resource person.	10 Jan 2025
2	Workshop on "Commercial Determinants of Health (CDoH) "	Dr Upendra Bhojani, Senor Fellow, Institute of Public Health, Bengaluru was the resource person.	17 Jan 2025
3	Workshop on "Soft Skills, Personality Development and Placement Training"	Mr Abhilash, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Wisdom Institutions Network was the resource person.	21 Jan 2025
4	Family Business Conclave	Ms Supriya Kamath, Managing Partner, Uttam Agro Industries was the Chief guest.	7 Feb 2025
5	Sales Force—Admission software training	Admission software training was provided to the faculty for conducting personal interviews with prospective students.	8 Feb 2025
6	"UPahaar: National Seminar on Upcycled Food Systems Challenges, Opportunities, and Pathways"	"UPahaar: National Seminar on Upcycled Food Systems Challenges, Opportunities, and Pathways" was organized by MSCE, in association with Welcome Group Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA), MAHE; Kasturba Medical College (KMC), Manipal; Department of Public Policy, MAHE, Bengaluru and TAPMI, Bengaluru have hosted the seminar.	11 Feb 2025
7	Logo Designing Competition	A logo designing competition was held for the new project “Upahar—Upcycled Food”.	11 Feb 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
8	Workshop on "Mahila Bharath # 2—A Women Empowerment" 	Ms Tanuja Maben, Platform of Women Entrepreneurs Regd., Udupi was the Chief guest.	19 Feb 2025
9	Research Sessions 	Dr Sheena, Associate Professor and Head of the School of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Management at the National Institute of Technology Karnataka (NITK), Surathkal, was the resource person.	21 Feb 2025
10	"CommFit—Fitness Fiesta Challenge", a special health and nutrition workshop 	On the occasion of International Women's Day, MSCE organised "CommFit—Fitness Fiesta Challenge", a special health and nutrition workshop designed exclusively for faculty. The session featured Chef Manish T K (Culinary Arts, WGSHA) and Ms Chhaya K (Dietetics and Applied Nutrition, WGSHA), who conducted a live demonstration of healthy recipes and shared key nutritional insights to help people incorporate wellness-focused food choices into their daily routines.	5 Mar 2025
11	Fire training 	Fire training was conducted for students, staff, and faculty.	10 Mar 2025
12	Inter Class Management Fest 	Inter Class Management Fest—"Aahav"—was inaugurated by Mr Edward Maben, Chief Social Impact Officer, Trescon India.	12 Mar 2025
13	Faculty Retreat 	Faculty retreat was organized by MSCE.	14 Mar 2025
14	Workshop on "Navigating Markets and Careers" 	Ramakrishnan V Nayak, Director at Dakshin Capital Pvt Ltd, was the resource person.	26 Mar 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
15	Ablaze 4.0—Annual Sports Festival	Ablaze 4.0 is the intercollege annual sports festival of MSCE, exclusively for students. It aims to ignite the students' passion for sports, teamwork, and competitive spirit through thrilling events and challenges.	27 to 29 Mar 2025
16	"Mahila Khreedha Bharath", a women empowerment workshop	Dr K Vidyakumari, Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, Udupi, was the Chief guest.	29 Mar 2025
17	Annual Day	Dr Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, Manipal, was the Chief Guest.	7 Apr 2025
18	International Online Webinar on "Understanding E-commerce Trends"	Dr Raja Sreedharan, Cardiff Metropolitan University, UK was the resource person.	8 Apr 2025
19	International Online Webinar on "Global Analysis from P & G"	Dr Raja Sreedharan, Cardiff metropolitan University, UK was the resource person.	15 Apr 2025
20	International Online Webinar on " Do You Want Cola or Fanta: Lets Model the Data"	Dr Raja Sreedharan, Cardiff Metropolitan University, UK was the resource person.	22 Apr 2025
21	Workshop on " Solving Marketing Challenges through creative communication solutions "	Ms Kunj Shah, Ex-Amazon Head of India and EM Creative was the resource person.	28 Apr 2025

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22	A training session on "Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH) at workplace" 	A training session on "Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH) at workplace" was held as part of the regulatory compliance for staff members (teaching and non-teaching). Ms Sabitha Seetharaman, a certified POSH Consultant from Bengaluru was the resource person.	29 Apr 2025
23	Faculty Development Programme on "Bloomberg Terminal" 	Dr Satyaban Sahoo, Faculty, MSCE was the resource person.	5 May 2025
24	Workshop on "Secondary Agriculture and Upcycled Foods" 	Mrs Poornima, Joint Director, Department of Agriculture, JDA office, Rajathadri, Manipal was the resource person.	29 May 2025
25	Ganahoma 	Ganahoma and visit to renovated MSCE premises was organized.	12 Jul 2025
26	BBA Orientation Program 2025 	Dr Naganagouda, Chief Growth Officer, Amphi Ventures Pvt Ltd, was the Chief Guest.	16 Jul 2025
27	BCom Orientation Program 2025 	B.Com Orientation Program- 2025 was held on 17th July 2025. Mr.Vishal Chinchure, Talent Attraction and Acquisition Lead, Ernst & Young was the Chief guest. The program was presided by Dr Harish Kumar, Director, Corporate Relations, MAHE, Manipal. Mr Vishal Chinchure, Talent Attraction and Acquisition Lead, EY was the Chief guest.	17 Jul 2025
28	Certification Orientation Program 2025 	Mr Akhil from International Skill Development Corporation, Mr Sherry from Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA), and Ms Nanda Devi from ISDC were the guests who shared their resources.	18 Jul 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
29	The Orientation Program of the new batch of PG students (2025–26) 	Mr Abhilash Mishra, CEO, NSE Academy Ltd, was the Chief guest.	23 Jul 2025
30	Workshop on "Research Grant writing" 	Dr Dinesha P T, Assistant Professor and Principal (I/C), Kukke Sri Subrahmanyeshwara College, Subrahmanya was the resource person.	30 Jul 2025
31	Pre-placement talk 	A pre-placement talk was organized at Interact Hall, by the Placement Cell, MSCE, MAHE, for MCom students, having representatives from Withum SmithBrown India LLP as resource persons.	1 Aug 2025
32	CV building workshop 	The Placement Cell, MSCE, MAHE, organized a career-focused workshop titled "THE CV EDGE: Stand Out to Step Up" for MCom students . The session was conducted by Mrs Sangeeta Pai, Assistant Professor, MSCE, MAHE.	2 Aug 2025
33	Student Council and the Freshers' Day 	The Installation ceremony of the UG Student Council and the Freshers' Day 2025–2026 was held.	12 Aug 2025
34	Convergence 	An event titled "Convergence", Internal Management Fest 2025 was held on 19 and 20 August 2025. Convergence is an intra-departmental management fest organised for the First-year batches to acquaint them with management skills.	19 - 20 Aug 2025
35	World Entrepreneurs' Day 	The Innovation and Entrepreneurship Cell (IEC–MSCE) organized an event in collaboration with the Manipal–GoK Bioincubator and Xelevate Ventures titled "Celebrating Courage: World Entrepreneurs Day". Mr Rahul Kamath, Director, Bolas Agro (P) Ltd, was the resource person.	21 Aug 2025
36	Pre-Placement Talk 	The session was conducted by Mr Rishab Pandey and Mr Prabhakar Pandy from Serexia Consultancy Pvt Ltd. for the students of MSCE, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), and Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences (MCPS).	22 Aug 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
37	Virtual Online Interaction on the topic "Impact of Globalisation on Youth and Grass Routes Sports Development" 	Mr Tushar, Founder and CEO of PP&R Sports, Texas, US was the resource person.	22 Aug 2025
38	Workshop on "Brand Building" 	Dr Vadiraj Jagannath Rao, Faculty, MSCE was the mentor of the program.	23 Aug 2025
39	Faculty presentations of research areas and publications for the benefit of first-year postgraduate (PG) students. 	As part of our initiative to strengthen the research culture at MSCE and in line with MAHE's PG Student Publication Scholarship and Research Incentive Scheme, faculty presentations of research areas and publications were organized for the benefit of first-year PG students.	28 - 29 Aug 2025
40	Workshop on "Employability Essentials: Launching Your Career" 	Mr Abhilash Kshatriya, Director, Abhijnya Education Pvt Ltd, was the resource person.	1 Sep 2025
41	Industry–Academia Connect Series 2.0 related event on the topic "Strategies for managing expansion at Yoactiv" 	Mr Jubie Joseph, Co-founder and CEO at Yoactiv was the resource person.	2 Sep 2025
42	Installation ceremony of the PG Student Council and the Freshers' Day 	Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, MAHE, Manipal, hosted the Student Council Inaugural Ceremony and Freshers' Day for the academic year 2025–26 on 2nd September 2025 at T.M.A Pai Hall. The program was conducted in two sessions: the morning session, dedicated to the inaugural proceedings and oath-taking ceremonies, and the afternoon session, which celebrated Freshers' Day with vibrant performances and interactive activities. The event successfully combined the solemnity of leadership induction with the joy of welcoming the new batch of students, creating a memorable and meaningful start to the academic year.	2 Sep 2025

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43	"Walk for Change: NEP Saarthi" 	"Walk for Change: NEP Saarthi", a student and faculty-led event was held to raise awareness and celebrate the spirit of India's National Education Policy 2020 (NEP 2020).	3 Sep 2025
44	Teacher's Day 	Teacher's Day celebration was held wherein students expressed their gratitude for their teachers.	6 Sep 2025
45	Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan (NMBA) initiative 	As part of the NMBA initiative, the NMBA Club, MSCE organized a dance workshop titled "Groove to Heal" for the students. The workshop was facilitated by Ms Soundarya Rani, an alumna of BBA (Batch 2021–24), who conducted an engaging and interactive session.	10 Sep 2025
46	"Mahila Bharath: Women Empowerment Workshop" 	Ms Anagha Joshi, Founder and President, Dyot Foundation, California, was the Chief Guest.	11 Sep 2025
47	Suicide Prevention Week 	As part of our commitment to promote student well-being and mental health awareness, Suicide Prevention Week was conducted.	13 Sep 2025
48	Management Development Program 	Management Development Program on " Building management excellence" was organized by MSCE. Dr Harish Kumar S, Director, Corporate Relations, MAHE, was the Chief guest.	15 Sep 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
49	Innovation Day	Vinod D Nayak, Director, Bharathaksha Foundation, was the Chief Guest.	30 Sep 2025
50	Business Conclave /Industry Academia Conclave	Business Conclave /Industry Academia Conclave "Samudyamah" was organized by MSCE. Mr Kunal Gajwani, Senior Director, Business Development, Cuezen, India was the Chief guest.	08 - 9 Oct 2025
51	"Investor Awareness Program—Basics of Capital Markets"	"Investor Awareness Program—Basics of Capital Markets" was organized by MSCE. Ms Bhavana Ravikumar, General Manager, Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) and Mr Mathew Rijo Rajeev, Chief Manager, Investor Service Cell, NSE, were the resource persons.	08 Oct 2025
52	Diwali Special Exhibition	“Deepa Sanjeevini"—A Diwali Special Exhibition was organized by MSCE, which featured rural women entrepreneurs and their handcrafted Diwali creations. Mrs Indira S Ballal, Philanthropist, was the Chief guest.	15 Oct 2025
53	The “Leaders of Tomorrow” program	The “Leaders of Tomorrow” program was conducted at Mytheli Gandhi Centre for Leadership, Sri Gnananda Matriculation Higher Secondary School (SGMHSS), Thirukovilur, Villupuram District, Tamil Nadu, in association with the Centre for Economics and Social Networking, MSCE, MAHE, Manipal.	18 Oct 2025
54	“Mahila Bharath—Women Empowerment Workshop”	“Mahila Bharath—Women Empowerment Workshop” was organized by MSCE. Mrs Swati Kulkarni, Principal, Madhava Kripa School, Manipal was the Chief Guest.	26 Oct 2025
55	BCom and PG Annual Day celebration	BCom and PG Annual Day were celebrated.	7 Nov 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
56	Konkan Railway Corporation Limited (KRCL)— Management Development programs	Centre for Consultancy, Training and Corporate Interface, MSCE conducted Management Development programs for the employees of Konkan Railway Corporation Limited.	10 Nov 2025
57	Workshop on "Designing Effective Measures—Tools and Techniques for Social Science and Business Research"	Dr Pradeep Salgaonkar, Founder, Saldots Academy, Goa was the resource person.	2 Dec 2025
58	One-day Entrepreneurship Development Program (EDP)	MSCE, MAHE Manipal, in collaboration with Department of Commerce and the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), MGM College, Udupi, conducted a one-day EDP. The program was inaugurated by Mr Natraj Prabhu, Vice President, Udupi Chamber of Commerce.	3 Dec 2025
59	Leadership and Career Development Outreach Program	The Centre for Economics and Social Networking, MSCE, MAHE Manipal, conducted a two-day Leadership and Career Development Outreach Program at Tirukoilur; in collaboration with the Maithili Gandhi Centre of Leadership, Tirukoilur, and the Shivakumar Palani Foundation (Spice Foundation), Chennai.	5 Dec 2025
60	Workshop on "ICSSR Project Application and Procedures"	The session was delivered by experienced ICSSR major research project awardees.	8 Dec 2025
61	Workshop on "Research Protocol"	Workshop on "Research Protocol" was organized for entry level or prospective research students.	11 Dec 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
62	Bal Vivah Mukt Bharat (BVMB) Awareness Campaign	The BVMB Awareness Campaign was organized virtually to create awareness against child marriage through a poster-making competition and pledge-taking ceremony. Students actively participated by designing creative posters and collectively pledging to support the cause. The initiative, jointly organized by Electoral Literacy Club (ELC), Information, Education and Communication (IEC), and National Medical Commission (NMC), successfully encouraged dialogue, social responsibility, and youth engagement in addressing this important issue.	19 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit(lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Ms Althea Le	Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), South India	Guest Talk titled "ACCA Resources".	9 Jan 2025
2	V Mohan Rao	Bank of India	Guest talk titled "Recent trends in banking and finance".	29 Jan 2025
3	Dr Jayant Jacob	Department of Management Studies, Anna University, Chennai	Guest talk titled "Introduction to Theory Building"	1 Feb 2025
4	Mr Naveen Rao	Manager–Operations, Zomato	Guest talk titled "Strategic Responses to Supply Chain Challenges in Platform Business—A Practioner's View".	3 Feb 2025
5	Dr Santhosha Rao	CEO, Manipal Universal Technology Business Incubator	Guest of Honour for the talk titled "Family Business Conclave".	7 Feb 2025
6	Mr Ritesh Amin	Lead Business Analyst with R System Internationals, Noida.	Guest talk titled "Business Analytics: A Glimpse for Teaching and Research Fraternity".	17 Feb 2025
7	Mr Srinivas Rao	Project Director, Zilla Panchayat, Udupi	Workshop titled "Women Empowerment".	19 Feb 2025
8	Mr Praveen Suvarna	Senior Auditor, British Standard Institutions, Mumbai	Guest talk titled "Auditing on Enterprise Risk Management".	22 Feb 2025
9	Mr Edward Maben	Chief Social Impact officer, Trescon India	Inauguration of Inter Class Management Fest, "Aahav".	12 Mar 2025
10	Ms Pallavi Mahajan	Regional Brand Marketing, L'Oréal (BBA Batch 2013–2016)	Alumni Guest Talk titled "Strategies in Marketing Campaigns".	13 Mar 2025
11	Mr Partha Varanashi	Director, Surf Life Saving India, Varanashi	Guest Talk titled "Physical Literacy & Neural Plasticity: Key to Unlocking Super Brain".	28 Mar 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
12	Mr Akhil	ISDC	Certification program orientation.	18 Jul 2025
13	Mr Sherry	AICPA and CIMA	Certification program orientation.	18 Jul 2025
14	Ms Nanda Devi	ISDC	Certification program orientation.	18 Jul 2025
15	Mr Kiran A Kuttappa	Motilal Oswal Home Finance, Bengaluru	Guest talk connected with Industry–Academia Connect Series 2.0 titled "Opportunities for growth in the Financial Service Sector"	21 Jul 2025
16	Ms Prerana Mohan, (Alumnus 2023-25, M.Sc. Business Analytics)	Associate at Beghou Consulting, Bengaluru	Session titled "Unlocking the Market Potential of Academic Excellence".	21 Jul 2025
17	Dr Murugan P	School of Management Studies, University of Hyderabad, India	Guest talk titled "Gen AI for Research".	9 Aug 2025
18	Mr Mohan Narayan (Alumnus batch 2015-17)	Assistant Manager, Digital Analytics Genpact, Bengaluru	Alumni Guest Talk titled "Clicks, Conversions, and Careers".	20 Aug 2025
19	Mr Chinmaya S Bhat, Alumnus 2016-18 (MCom Logistics and Supply Chain batch)	Mediterranean Shipping Company, Sweden	Alumni guest talk titled "Beyond borders: Worldwide glimpse of logistics".	22 Aug 2025
20	Ms Aishwarya Srinivasan, Alumnus (batch 2015-18)	Narayanamma institute of technology and science, Hyderabad	Alumni Guest Talk titled "Journey from the classroom to the World Economic Forum and beyond".	23 Aug 2025
21	Dr Anand Suryanarayana	Director, Postgraduate Studies, Research and Innovation Department, College of Banking and Financial Studies, Ruwi, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman	Dr Anand Suryanarayana, Director, Postgraduate Studies, Research and Innovation Department, College of Banking and Financial Studies, Ruwi, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman, delivered two guest talks titled "Sustainability in Action: Innovating Business Strategies for a Greener Future" and "What matters for successful scientific publications?"	29 Aug 2025
22	Mr Praveen Suvarna	British Standards Institution, Mumbai	Guest talk titled "Navigating risk management".	30 Aug 2025
23	Dr Roopa Modem (Alumna: 2015-17)	School of Innovation and Management, Hyderabad	Alumni Industry–Academia Connect Series 2.0- Talk titled "The Research journey: from idea to publication".	10 Sep 2025
24	Dr Sandeepan Battacharjee	Director, Real World Evidence, Bayer Health Care Pharmaceuticals, US	Academic guest lecture titled "Real-world evidence and decision making in health economics and outcomes research".	6 Oct 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
25	Ms Brinda Varma	Advocate and Managing Partner, Aekam Legal	Guest talk titled " Demystifying the intellectual property spectrum".	28 Oct 2025
26	Dr Nagaraja V	IISc, Bangalore	Guest lecture titled "An emerging strategy by *Mycobacterium Tuberculosis* for its success".	5 Dec 2025

Details of Publications:

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
78	0

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
10	4	1	25

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Conference	0	1
Workshop	17	0
Seminar	1	0
Other	1	0
CME/CDE	0	1

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Trends and Challenges of Electronic Finance	Digital Financial Access and Financialization: Panel Evidence from the Selected Countries in Asia–Pacific Region	Dr Savitha Basri	Springer Nature Singapore Pvt Ltd	1 Jul 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	"Upcycled Food: Transforming Waste to Wealth for Food Security and Sustainability" under the Special Call for collaborative research projects on Vision Viksit Bharat@2047(VVB@2047)	Dr Praveen Kumar	Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)	75,00,000	10 Sep 2024 - 9 Sep 2027

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
2	Supporting the establishment of MINDLABS, a behavioural research lab focused on advancing knowledge in immersive technologies (VR, AR, XR) and neuromarketing techniques	Dr Vadiraj Jagannathrao	Spatial Grid	3,50,000	08 Oct 2025 - 7 Oct 2030
3	"Financial Literacy and Economic Empowerment Program for Non-Teaching Women Staff in Higher Education Institutions"	Dr Satish Kumar	BOBCARD Limited	10,00,000.00	31 Dec 2025 - 31 Mar 2026

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	A system and method for adaptive forecasting of sustainable stock indices in dynamic markets.	3 Sep 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Santosh Nayak	Awarded "Black Belt (Sho Dan-Ho) Dan" under Indian Academy of Shito-Ryu Karate Do (IASK–Do) Affiliated with World Karate federation (WKF)—Recognized by International Olympic Committee (IOC)	6 Apr 2025
2	Dr Harish Joshi	Received Adhyapak Bhushan (Best Researcher) award from the Karnataka State Higher Education teachers Forum, for excellent research . The award ceremony was held at Alvas Educational Institutes, Moodabidre and handed over by His Excellence Sri Gyanchand Gehlot, Honourable Chancellor of State of Karnataka	26 Jul 2025
4	Dr Mathew Thomas Gil	Awarded "Best Research Paper" award during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
5	Dr Pushparaj M Nayak	Awarded "Best Research Paper" award during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
6	Dr Ankitha Shetty	Awarded "Best PhD Guide—Assistant and Associate Professor category"/"Research Excellence: Contribution to SDG" award during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
7	Dr Praveen Kumar	Awarded "Research Excellence: Government Grants" award during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
8	Dr Savitha B S	Awarded "Research excellence in publications"/ "Research excellence in overall research" award during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
9	Dr Vidya Bai G	Awarded "Research excellence in publications"/ "Research excellence in overall research" award during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
10	Dr Sandeep S Shenoy	"Best PhD Guide—Professor Category" award awarded during MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony.	24 Nov 2025
11	Dr Deekshitha	In recognition of outstanding service and commitment, Dr Deekshitha was awarded the "Dedicated Global Collaborator" award by Global CGMA University and Academic Center of Excellence.	15 Dec 2025
12	Dr Harish Joshi	Selected as Executive Secretory of Udupi district forum of Kannada Shale Ulisi Abhiyana.	31 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Melanie Pius Dsouza	Best poster prize under Humanities category at Manipal Research Colloquium 2025.	28 Apr 2025
2	Melanie Pius Dsouza	Best "5 minutes Thesis Presentation" prize at Manipal Research Colloquium 2025.	28 Apr 2025
3	Rohith Radhakrishnan	Awarded "Best Poster" in Mandatory PhD presentation.	28 Apr 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Badminton (Men and Women)	Inter-batch—The tournament was conducted at the MIT Recreation Center and was played amongst the different batches of all the UG and PG students. Overall, around 150 students participated in this event. The official MSCE Men's and Women's Badminton team for Inter MAHE were drafted. The MSCE Men's team won Gold (for the second time in a row).	15 Oct 2025
2	Basketball (Men and Women)	Inter-batch—The tournament was conducted at the MSCE basketball court as well as at the MIT basketball courts. Participation was seen across the UG and PG batches. Around 80 students participated in this event.	15 Oct 2025
3	Table tennis	Inter-batch—The tournament was held at the Marena indoor sports complex. A good number of students from UG and PG did participate in the competition, numbering around 60 students.	26 Oct 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
4	MSCE Premier League (Cricket)	Four unique teams (built by auctioning) were created with 4 captains each and were mentored by 4 faculties. The teams were a mixed bag of UG/PG male and female cricketers and also faculties. The tournament was held at the End point (A & B) grounds. The event saw active participation by both men and women cricketeers.	31 Oct 2025
5	Football	Inter-batch—The tournament was amongst the different batches across the UG and PG programmes. The event was held at End point football ground. Around 250 students actively participated in the event.	6 Nov 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Volleyball (Women)	The team won the first ever Gold medal for MSCE.	25 Jan 2025
2	Intercollegiate Cricket Tournament	The team won the 3rd Gold medal consecutively (6 Gold medals in total).	20 Feb 2025
3	Swimming	Vion Dsouza won two silver medals and two bronze medals.	29 Sep 2025
4	Karate	Avniel Mascarenhas won one Gold medal and Mohit Kumar won one Bronze medal. Overall MSCE received Bronze medal (3rd place).	18 Oct 2025
5	Badminton	The team won 2nd consecutive Gold medal for MSCE	8 Nov 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Football	Udupi District Football Association cup held at Nitte. MSCE football team were crowned the overall Udupi District Champions.	15 Aug 2025
2	Volleyball	Falak 2025 Bangalore—MSCE Boys represented MAHE and won Runners-up.	9 Oct 2025
3	Marathon	Manipal Marathon for Mental Awareness—K L Belaku Bollamma secured 3rd place.	11 Oct 2025

Cultural Activities In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Annual Day	Dr Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, Manipal was the Chief guest.	7 Apr 2025
2	Cultural Fest— "COGNITIA 2025"	The Post Graduate Program of MSCE, MAHE conducted the 1st edition of its National Level Management and Cultural Fest—"COGNITIA 2025".	11 Sep 2025
3	CONSCENDO	The 14th edition of National level management fest "CONSCENDO" was organized by MSCE, MAHE. Ms Shravya V J, Alumnus, batch of 2018-21 (BBA), Founder, Embim, was the Chief Guest.	28 Oct 2025
4	Kalothsava' 25	"Kalothsava' 25", celebration of cultures was organized by MSCE, MAHE. Dr Shobha U Kamath, Chairperson, Cultural Coordination Committee, MAHE, Manipal, was the Chief Guest.	4 Nov 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
5	Global Village Day: A Celebration of Cultural Diversity	MSCE, MAHE hosted Global Village Day, an inter-program cultural competition.	4 Nov 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	"Atharva" at TAPMI	MSCE, MAHE participated in "Atharva", the annual cultural fest hosted by T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal.	18 Jan 2025
2	Women's Day Celebration at MAHE: MSCE Takes the Stage	MAHE hosted a grand Women's Day celebration. MSCE, MAHE was proud to be part of the event, with the MSCE students.	08 Mar 2025
3	UTSAV: MAHE's Cultural Fest	MSCE, MAHE proudly participated in UTSAV, the annual cultural fest organized by MAHE. The event brought together colleges from across the university, creating a dynamic platform for artistic expression and spirited competition.	24 Mar 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Conquest 4.0—National Level Fest	Students from the department actively participated in Conquest 4.0, a University Level Fest organized by Srinivassa Sinai Dempo College of Commerce and Economics, Goa. The fest brought together students from various institutions, providing a vibrant platform to showcase talent, creativity, and managerial skills through a range of competitive and cultural events.	24 Jan 2025

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"Annual Day" was held on 7th April 2025. Dr Giridhar Kini, Registrar , MAHE, Manipal was the Chief guest.

The Orientation Program of the new batch of PG students (2025–26) was held on 23rd July 2025. Mr Abhilash Mishra, CEO, NSE Academy Ltd, was the Chief guest.

BBA Orientation Program 2025 was held on 16th July 2025. Dr Naganagouda, Chief Growth Officer, Amphi Ventures Pvt Ltd, was the Chief guest.

The Installation ceremony of the UG Student Council and the Freshers' Day 2025–2026 was held on 12th August 2025.

BCom Orientation Program 2025 was held on 17th July 2025. Mr Vishal Chinchure, Talent Attraction and Acquisition Lead, EY was the Chief guest.

The PG Student Council and the Freshers' Day 2025–2026 were celebrated on 2nd September 2025, at Dr TMA PAI Auditorium.

The Industry–Academia Conclave, "Samudyamah", with the theme "People, Businesses, and AI—Way forward: Responsibility to think and Grow" was conducted on 8th and 9th October 2025.

MAHE's Annual Research Award Ceremony held on 24th November 2025

The Installation ceremony of the PG Student Council and the Freshers' Day 2025–2026, was conducted on 2nd September 2025, at Dr TMA PAI Auditorium, 3rd Floor.

Workshop on "Investor Awareness Program-Basics of Capital Markets" was held on 8th October 2025. Ms Bhavana Ravikumar, General Manager , SEBI and Mr Mathew Rijo Rajeev, Chief Manager, Investor Service Cell, NSE were the resource persons.

Centre for Consultancy Training and Corporate Interface (CCTCI)

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Brief About the Centre
Vision: To become corporates preferred partner in consulting, training, and social development initiatives.

Mission: To empower organizations and communities through consulting, training, and social development initiatives, fostering sustainable growth, inclusivity, and positive impact.

Objectives

1. To provide consulting and training services to corporate clients and academic institutions.
2. To provide training on leadership skills to the administrators and management staff of local academic institutions.
3. To provide employability skills training to the local youth to improve employment-generating capabilities and to the students at local colleges to gain employment.
4. To partner with agents of social change and deliver initiatives that contribute to sustainable development and community empowerment.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Dates
1	Management Development Program	The program was conducted in 4 batches for 98 employees of Konkan Railway Corporation Limited in Residential training mode.	15-19 Sep 2025 22-26 Sep 2025 06-10 Oct 2025 27-31 Oct 2025
2	Exhibition of the Products of Udupi Sarees	MSCE provided an opportunity to Udupi Sarees to display their products at the innovation mela conducted by the innovation centre, MAHE.	08 Feb 2025

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Management Development Program

Exhibition of the Products of Udupi Sarees

Centre for Advanced Learning in Finance and Accounting (CALFA)

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8. Dr Daniel Frank
9. Dr Rita Rani Chopra
10. Dr Sreekha

Brief About the Centre

Vision

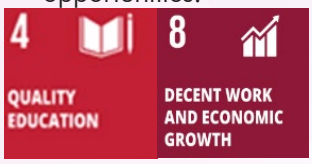
- To be a leading centre of excellence in finance and accounting education, integrating globally recognized certifications, interdisciplinary financial literacy, and cutting-edge research, with the aim of developing future-ready professionals equipped with industry-relevant skills and insights.

Mission

- To offer globally recognized certifications such as US Certified Management Accountant (CMA), Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA, Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA), Bloomberg, and stock market-related credentials, enhancing employability and industry readiness.
- To extend financial education to non-finance students, fostering essential life skills in personal finance, budgeting, and wealth management.
- To advance the knowledge frontier in finance and accounting through research in emerging areas such as fintech, sustainable finance, risk management, and behavioural finance.
- To utilize financial data and analytics software in a case-based learning approach, providing practical experience in financial data analysis and decision-making.
- To partner with leading financial institutions, regulatory bodies, and academic organizations to align learning with market trends and evolving industry demands.

Objectives

- Enhance professional competency through globally recognized certification programs that provide industry-relevant knowledge and practical skills, thereby improving employability.
- Promote financial literacy by designing tailored financial education programs for non-finance students, equipping them with essential finance and accounting skills, and contributing to financial inclusion.
- Advance research and innovation in finance and accounting by leveraging real-time financial data and analytical software, while encouraging contributions to academic literature, policy discussions, and industry advancements.
- Strengthen industry and academic partnerships through strategic alliances with financial institutions, regulatory bodies, professional associations, and universities to drive industry-aligned curriculum, guest lectures, internships, research collaborations, and placement opportunities.



Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date (s)
1	Financial support for the research scholars	CALFA provided financial support to the research scholars to participate in the Annual Symposium and Doctoral Consortium in research from 5th to 7 January 2025, organized by TAPMI Bengaluru.	5 - 7 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date (s)
2	Overview of Bloomberg Terminal	On 10 January 2025, organized an overview session by Ms Anushka Keshan, Enterprise Account Manager at Bloomberg, on the use of the Bloomberg Terminal.	10 Jan 2025
3	Guest Talk by Mr V Mohan Rao	A guest talk by Mr V Mohan Rao, Retired Deputy Chief Manager, Bank of India, on Recent Trends in Banking and Finance was organized on 20 January 2025.	20 Jan 2025
4	Orientation sessions on Bloomberg Terminal for the students of Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration	Orientation sessions on the Bloomberg Terminal were organized for the students of Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration. Dr Satyaban Sahoo, Assistant Professor, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, was the resource person.	5 - 7 Mar 2025
5	Faculty Development Programme focused on the resources and usage of Bloomberg Terminal	Organised a Faculty Development Programme focused on the resources and usage of the Bloomberg Terminal. Dr Satyaban Sahoo, Assistant Professor, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics, was the resource person.	5 - 7 May 2025
6	Session on Personal Finance	Dr Subrahmanya Kumar N, conducted a session on "Personal Finance" for the students of Manipal School of Commerce and Economics on 8 August 2025	8 Aug 2025
7	Guest Talks by Dr Anand Suryanarayana	Organized two guest talks by Dr Anand Suryanarayana, Director, Postgraduate Studies, Research and Innovation Department, College of Banking and Financial Studies, Ruwi, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman, on the topics "Sustainability in Action: Innovating Business Strategies for a Greener Future" and "What matters for successful scientific publications?"	29 Aug 2025
8	Investor Awareness Programme	Organized Investor Awareness Programme, for medical professionals, in association with Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI) and National Stock Exchange (NSE) on the occasion of World Investor Awareness Week. Ms Bhavana Ravikumar, General Manager, SEBI and Mr Mathew Rijo Rajeev, Chief Manager, Investor Service Cell, NSE were the resource persons.	8 Oct 2025
9	Attended panel discussion titled "AI-Ready, Future-	Dr Subrahmanya Kumar N and Dr Deekshitha attended an exclusive panel discussion titled "AI-Ready, Future-	27 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date (s)
	Confident: Empowering Finance Talent for a World of Constant Change,"	Confident: Empowering Finance Talent for a World of Constant Change," hosted by ACCA India at Bengaluru, Karnataka.	
10	Attended the annual Bloomberg Edutech Forum for South India organised by Bloomberg	Dr Subrahmanya Kumar N and Dr Sanket Ledwani attended the annual Bloomberg Edutech Forum for South India, an annual gathering of academicians to discuss the inculcation of technology in Business Schools and Education organized by Bloomberg at Bengaluru, Karnataka.	2 Dec 2025

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Centre for Advanced Research in Financial Inclusion

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Brief About the Centre

Vision

The Centre aims to develop and disseminate knowledge through advanced research, extension activities, and awareness campaigns by adopting a joint approach to promote financial inclusion that is mutually beneficial to all stakeholders.

Objectives

1. To develop new knowledge and insights within the field of inclusive growth related to financial inclusion and the challenges for inclusive finance.
2. To generate awareness towards financial products and impart financial literacy
3. To work towards strengthening microfinance institutions, business facilitators, and business correspondents that can give easy access to banking services, especially for the rural population.
4. To undertake curricular development and work towards a course to enable management students to understand and carry out projects in inclusive finance in an interdisciplinary framework.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Submission of a monograph to be published by ICSSR	Indian Council of Social Sciences Research has granted the Centre to undertake a research study on "Pradhan Mantri Bharatiya Janaushadhi Pariyojana: An Evaluation of Physicians, Patients, Jan Aushadhi owners' Experiences and Supply Chain Management in Select Districts of Karnataka and Tamil Nadu" and we received 44943 INR for the grant in 2025. The monograph on the project will be published by the granting agency as a book.	Feb to Apr 2025
2	Research papers publications	1. 'Digital Financial Access and Financialization: Panel Evidence from the Selected Countries in the Asia-Pacific Region'. In eds. Dr Anand and Dharmendra Singh, Trends and Challenges of Electronic Finance, https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-96-3304-3_2	Jul 2025
		2. Integrating psychological predictors and relational moderators on loan repayment intentions in India's textile sector, Acta Psychologica, 261:105972. DOI: 10.1016/j.actpsy.2025.105972 ABDC 'A'	Nov 2025
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		4. Precursors of interactional value formation through digital banking interactions, F1000research, 14, 235	Feb 2025
3	Submission of research grant proposals	1. 'Wheels of Change: Assessing the Economic, Financial and Social Outcomes of Shakti Scheme in Coastal Karnataka', submitted to Directorate of Urban Land Transport, Government of Karnataka. Unsuccessful.	Mar 2025
		2. 'Green Finance Adoption: An assessment of Greenwashing and Barriers to Investment', submitted to the Economic Policy and Research (EPR) department,	Sept 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		National Stock Exchange. Awaiting response from the agency. 3. 'Gen Z at the Crossroads: Kutumb Vyavastha as Anchors for Work-life balance and Leadership development' submitted to the Indian Council of Social Sciences Research. Unsuccessful. 4. 'Viksit Bharat@2047: An Assessment of STEM Career Choices, Digital Skills for Economic Empowerment, and e-Health Adoption Among Women in Rural Karnataka and Kerala' submitted to the Indian Council of Social Sciences Research. Awaiting response from the agency.	Nov 2025 Dec 2025

Awards and Recognition

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	MAHE Research Awards	Overall researcher (Professor Category)	24 Nov 2025
2	MAHE Research Awards	Publications (Professor Category)	24 Nov 2025

Center for Business Analytics

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Brief About the Centre:
Vision:
Achieve excellence in consulting, advisory, training and educating through leveraging analytics.

Mission:
The mission of the centre is to provide business consultation and advisory services for businesses, to provide Business Analytics-related training for the teaching fraternity, and education to as piring students to gain a competitive advantage in the field.

Objectives:

1. Provide consultancy and advisory services to the industry
2. Training and organizing faculty development programs
3. Enhance the research capability of research scholars
4. Help students develop competencies
5. Enhance the employability of students

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
1	Guest talk	The Guest talk titled "Business Analytics—An Industry Perspective" was delivered by Mr Ritesh Amin, an industry expert currently working as Lead Business Analyst with R Systems International, Noida. Mr Ritesh Amin has close to 10 years of invaluable experience in the analytics domain and has been associated with Multinational corporations like Tata Consultancy Services (TCS), Colgate, Pepsico, and Reckitt Benckiser in the past. Mr Ritesh has direct exposure to the entire project life cycle, starting with requirement gathering from clients, developing and implementing innovative strategies to optimize business performance, and enhancing efficiency through data-driven decision-making. The event was attended by 27 students of the Bachelors in Business Administration (BBA) in Business Analytics specialization of the Department of Commerce, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, and was organized by Kishore L—Coordinator, Centre for Business Analytics, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal.	17 Feb 2025
2	Workshop	The hands-on workshop on "Analytics life cycle" was delivered by Mr Ritesh Amin. The event was attended by 30 students of the BBA Business Analytics specialization of the Department of Commerce, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal, and was organized by Kishore L.	10 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
3	Research article published	**Title: The impact of dynamic capabilities on shipping port performance: a serial mediation of sustainability practices based on dynamic capability view** • Authors: Kishore L, Yogesh P Pai, Geetha E, Venisha Jenifer Dmello, Shilpa Badrinath Bidi • Year: 2025 • Journal / Publisher: Discover Sustainability/Springer • DOI / Link: 10.1007/s43621-025-01235-4/ https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s43621-025-01235-4	2025
4	Research article published	**Title: Discrepancy in efficiency scores due to sampling error in data envelopment analysis methodology: evidence from the banking sector** • Authors: Kishore L, Geetha E, Shivaprasad S P, Sachin R Chandra, Raksha Jain • Year: 2025 • Journal / Publisher: F1000Research •DOI/Link:10.12688/f1000research.153125.2/ https://f1000research.com/articles/13-890/v2	2025

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Centre for Economics and Social Networking (CESN)

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Prof Raghavendra Nayak

Brief about the Centre

The Centre for Economics and Social Networking (CESN) is a research centre based at the Manipal School of Commerce and Economics under Manipal Academy of Higher Education, India. CESN focuses on interdisciplinary research at the intersection of economics, social networks, and data analytics. CESN serves as a dynamic academic platform fostering interdisciplinary research, dialogue, and community engagement in the areas of economics, public policy, and social capital. The Centre integrates theoretical frameworks with real-world applications to promote evidence-based decision-making and socially responsible development.

Vision: To become a leading academic centre promoting research-driven social networking and economic transformation aligned with sustainable development goals.

Mission

- To facilitate research and dialogue in economics and social systems
- To strengthen academic-industry-society linkages
- To promote socially relevant, Impact-oriented initiatives
- To encourage student engagement in research and community development

Objectives

- Conduct seminars, workshops, and research discussions
- Promote SDG-oriented projects and outreach programs
- Encourage collaborative research and policy dialogue
- Enhance student leadership and networking opportunities.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	**"Deepa Sanjeevini – Lighting Lives, Celebrating Strength"**	"Deepa Sanjeevini – Lighting Lives, Celebrating Strength" was a special Diwali exhibition and celebration organized to empower and promote rural women entrepreneurs. The event provided a platform for rural women to showcase and sell their handmade Diwali products, such as diyas, lamps, lanterns, decorative items, sweets, and eco-friendly festive crafts. This initiative aimed to promote self-reliance, creativity, economic independence, and inclusive growth. It was organized by the Centre for Economics and Social Networking (CESN), Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), MAHE, in collaboration with NRLM – Sanjeevini, Zilla Panchayat, Udupi, Dyot Foundation (USA), and Dr Dharmambala Namashivayam Trust (Chennai). The event celebrated the spirit of entrepreneurship and strengthened collaboration between academia, local governance, and social organizations while	15 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		supporting sustainable rural development.	
2.	Student Union Inauguration	Inaugurating the Student Union with the support of School Principal Mrs Leelavathi Bhat and the staff members of the Government Pre-University College, Udupi	03 Jul 2025
3.	Guest Talk in Government First College, Hiriyadka	Looking forward to engaging discussions, new ideas, and continued community outreach as we strengthen the bridge between economics, society, and development.	03 Jun 2025
4.	Faculty Development Program	**Program Organizer is MCOPS, MAHE Manipal**. Key persons of this program are **Dr Srinivas Mutalik,** Principal, MCOPS, and **Dr Usha Nayak,** Professor and Vice Principal. My talk explored the connection between personality and professional success through the lens of three *koshas*: • **Annamaya Kosha** (Physical Body) • **Manomaya Kosha** (Mind and Emotions) • **Pranamaya Kosha** (Vital Energy)	04 Jun 2025
5.	Money Matters – Financial Literacy for a Confident Career Start	This event is about **helping students build financial literacy skills** so they can start their careers with confidence. It's part of the *Balance Beyond Books – Financial Wellness Program*, which focuses on student well-being beyond academics. The session, titled *Money Matters – Financial Literacy for a Confident Career Start*, will cover practical aspects of managing money, understanding financial basics, and making informed decisions early in professional life. In short, it's designed to give students the tools and knowledge to handle personal finances wisely as they transition into their careers.	19 Sep 2025
6.	Kreeda Bharathi	*Kreeda Bharathi* is a **nationwide sports promotion program and organization** that blends fitness, traditional games, and community engagement with a broader vision of social and character development through sports. Organised Kreeda Bharathi at AGE schools like Agumbe School, Bhuvanendra Residential School, Karkala, Kamala Bai School, Madhava Kripa School, Mangalore Manipal School, NON-AGE Schools, Sharada High School, Panemangalore.	
7.	**Mahila Bharath, Women Empowerment Workshop**	**Women Empowerment Training for the Fisheries women of Malpe in the Department of Commerce, MAHE, Manipal.**	11 Jan 2025
8.	Two-Day Leadership and Career Development Outreach Program	**Collaborating Organizations** • Maithili Gandhi Centre of Leadership, Tirukoilur • Shivakumar Palani Foundation (Spice Foundation), Chennai **Day 1 Details**	05 – 06 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		• Venue: Danish Mission Girls Higher Secondary School • Participants: Approximately 200 girl students • Topics Covered: Academic leadership, career pathways, sports pathways • Facilitators: Dr Satish Kumar, Dr Ren, and Mr Jugan **Day 2 Details** • Venue: Gnannda School • Focus: Career opportunities with reference to the MAHE prospectus • Objective: Clarity on higher education pathways and expanding academic aspirations **Outcomes** • Increased awareness about MSCE and MAHE • Enhanced confidence and motivation among students • Encouraged informed career decision-making	
9.	Leaders of Tomorrow	**Organized By:** Centre for Economics and Social Networking, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), MAHE Manipal **In Association With:** Mytheli Gandhi Centre for Leadership, Sri Gnananda Matriculation Higher Secondary School (SGMHSS), Thirukovilur, Villupuram District, Tamil Nadu **Venue:** Sri Gnananda Matriculation Higher Secondary School (SGMHSS), Thirukovilur, Tamil Nadu **Chief Guest:** Dr Vikram Baliga, Associate Director, MSCE, MAHE Manipal (Virtual Address) **Other Dignitaries Present:** • Mr M M Mukil Vannan, Correspondent, SGMHSS (Vivekananda Trust) • Dr Shridevi Nachiyar, Trustee, Vivekananda Trust • Dr M M Anjana Vannan, Trustee, Vivekananda Trust • Mr Shrudhan Siva Kumar, Outreach Coordinator and Consultant, SGMHSS **Participants:** Around 200 students (Grades 11 and 12) **Type of Program:** One-day leadership and personality development initiative **Key Sessions Included:** • Leadership address (Five Pillars of Leadership) • Career Guidance Session • Sports and STEM Integration Session • Special Teacher Training Session on Academic Pedagogy **Objective:** To empower students with leadership qualities, essential life skills, academic direction, and career clarity.	18 Oct 2025
10	Mahila Bharath – Women Empowerment Workshop	The workshop was organised by the Centre for Economics and Social Networking (CENS), Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), MAHE, at the Development Centre, MSCE 1 Building, MAHE, Manipal. The objective of the workshop was to promote women empowerment through financial literacy, legal awareness, and mental well-being. Key highlights of the event include: • Chief Guest: Mrs Swati Kulkarni, Principal, Madhava Kripa	26 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
		School, Manipal • Presided by: Dr Vikram Baliga, Associate Director, MSCE, MAHE • Guest of Honour: C A Supriya Vinay, who delivered a session on "Money and Savings" • Dr Ashalatha conducted a session on "Women and Law" • Dr Satish Kumar delivered a session on "Mental Well-being and Work-Life Balance" • 40 women participants actively engaged in the workshop The event focused on holistic empowerment and aligned with Sustainable Development Goals (SDG 5 and SDG 8).	
11.	Mahila Bharath – Women Empowerment Workshop 	The workshop focused on **women empowerment and entrepreneurship development**, encouraging women to explore business opportunities, government schemes, marketing strategies, and mental well-being support. The event witnessed active participation from **44 women members of Sanjivini Self-Help Groups (SHGs)** from various taluks. **Chief Guest:** • Ms Anagha Joshi, Founder and President, Dyot Foundation, California **President of the Function:** • Dr Sandeep S Shenoy, In-charge Director, MSCE, MAHE Manipal **Other Dignitaries and Speakers:** • Dr Ren Trevor Dias, Assistant Professor and Active Member of the Centre • Ms Anushree, Research Scholar, MSCE (Prayer) • Dr Rakshith Bhandary, Spoke on Government Schemes for SHGs • Prof Sachin R Chandra, Marketing Opportunities for Women Entrepreneurs • Centre Coordinator, Addressed Mental Well-being of Women Entrepreneurs • Ms Hilda, Assistant Manager, MAHE (Certificate Distribution) • Mr Avinash, Project Director, Zilla Panchayath (Coordination Support) **Key Highlights:** • Inspirational address on women entrepreneurship • Awareness of government schemes • Marketing guidance for SHG members • Focus on mental well-being • Certificate distribution ceremony • Fellowship over food	11 Sep 2025
12	Guest Lecture on Personality Development and Career Guidance 	Guest lecture delivered by Dr Satish Kumar at Composite Government High School, Valakadu, Udupi, for 9th and 10th standard students, focusing on personality development, confidence building, communication skills, career guidance, goal setting, and awareness of opportunities beyond school education	28 Nov 2025
13.	Workshop on Secondary	Organized under the ICSSR VBB project led by Dr Praveen Kumar,	29

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	Agriculture and Food Upcycling | ICSSR-VBB Project 	Associate Professor, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE). Held in collaboration with the Udupi Agriculture Department and the Centre for Economics and Social Networking. Venue: Medical Education Building, MAHE Manipal. Inaugurated by Smt Poornima, Joint Director, Agriculture Department, Udupi. Presided over by Dr Sandeep S Shenoy, In-Charge Director, along with officials from multiple departments. Key sessions included: • Primary Agriculture – Smt Pooja Nayak • National Mission on Natural Farming – Shri Sriram Hegde • Food Upcycling – Dr Bhagyajyoti Conducted Natti-e interviews led by Dr H G Joshi, Dr Bhagyajyoti, Dr Praveen Kumar, and Dr Rohith Bhagavathi. Farmers were felicitated with certificates and honorariums.	May 2025
14.	Visit to Dr Dharmambal Namasivayam Trust, Chennai 	Visit by Dr Satish Kumar, Associate Professor and Lead Faculty (Economics), Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE). Purpose: Completion of the MoU signing process with Dr Dharmambal Namasivayam Trust and Dyot Foundation (initially initiated on 09 Sep 2025). Formal signing concluded during this visit, as Trustees were unavailable during the initial signing. The MoU marks continued collaboration towards social empowerment and youth engagement. The Trust has actively collaborated with the Centre for Economics and Social Networking (CENS) under MSCE. Supported Shishu Bharath (10 Sep 2025) and Mahila Bharath (11 Sep 2025) events by sponsoring food and logistics. Facilitated interactions with international sports professionals for MSCE students. Reaffirmed commitment to women empowerment, youth engagement, and sustainable community development across Southern India.	19 Oct 2025

Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1.	Financial Literacy and Economic Empowerment Program for Non-Teaching Women Staff in Higher Education Institution in Karnataka 	BOB CARD CSR	Dr Satish Kumar	1000000/-	31 Dec 2025 – 31 Mar 2026

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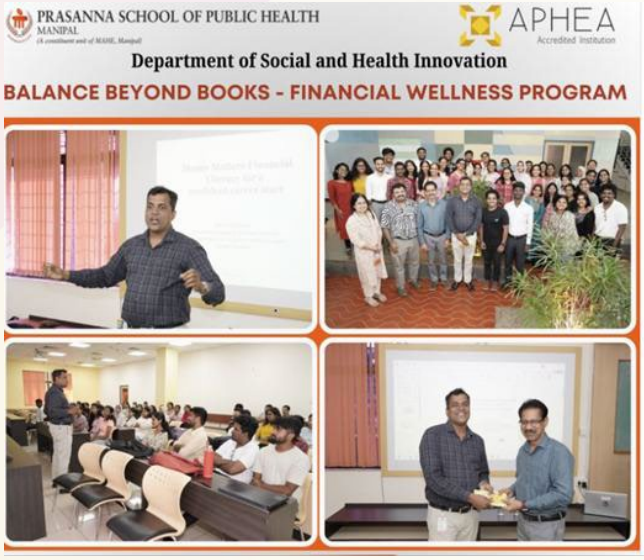

Financial Wellness Program held on 19 September 2025, Money Matters – Financial Literacy for a Confident Career Start

Inaugurating the Student Union of Government PU College, Udupi

Guest Talk in the government First college, Hiriyadka

Kreeda Bharathi at AGE schools, Mangalore School

Workshop on Secondary Agriculture and Food Upcycling at Medical Education Building, MAHE, Manipal

Faculty Development Program MCOPS, MAHE Manipal

Department of Commerce (DoC), Bengaluru

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Established: 2022

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution

The Department of Commerce (DoC) is a dynamic and integral part of MAHE, Bengaluru Campus. The department is a new-age academic place aiming to set a benchmark in commerce education through a multidisciplinary program that will work at the intersection of commerce, business, analytics, design thinking, and technology. With the untiring efforts of our accomplished faculty and talented students, we will be able to make rapid progress on our path of continuous growth. We are fully committed to creating and nurturing leaders who will empower their organizations in the global economy through trust, transparency, and radical honesty. The department is dedicated to fostering academic excellence and practical knowledge in the field of commerce. The department plays a vital role in preparing students for the challenges of the ever-evolving business world. With a commitment to providing a comprehensive education. Further, DoC strives to equip students with the skills and knowledge necessary to excel in various facets of commerce and business management. Through a focus on core competencies, we prepare our students to thrive in the dynamic and competitive landscape of the commerce sector.

The following programs are offered at DoC

1. BCom (H)
2. MCom
3. PhD

About the Institution/School:

1. Global Professional Integration
    - UG/PG programs are integrated with ACCA (Association of Chartered Certified Accountants), offering nine paper exemptions and professional training for the remaining papers.
    - Additional certifications like US CPA, US CMA, and EA are available, giving students an international edge.

2. Industry-Relevant Specializations

- Cutting-edge specializations in Business Analytics, Banking & Finance, Fintech, and Corporate Accounting prepare students for emerging market needs.

3. Career Readiness & Placement Support

- Comprehensive training for aptitude, interviews, and group discussions ensures strong placement outcomes.
- Multiple internships and financial market training through NSE-certified NISM and NCFM modules.

4. Global Exposure

- International collaborations for student exchange, summer programs, and faculty exchange.
- Global Immersion Programs for international learning experiences.

5. Dynamic Learning Environment

- Experienced faculty and Professors of Practice bring real-world insights.
- Modern infrastructure with a Wi-Fi-enabled campus, advanced labs, and digital resources.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	BCom (H) - Fintech		06 Nov 2025 - 18 Aug 2028

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	SUSTAINNOVATE 2025	The objective is to empower students with sustainable business insights, creative expression, and strategic leadership skills through experiential learning platforms aligned with global sustainability goals. 1. Promote Sustainable Business Thinking • Encourage students to integrate the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) into business strategies. 2. Foster Innovation and Strategic Skills • Through competitive events such as Business Battles—covering Marketing, Finance, HR, Best Manager, and Business Plan Development—students showcased industry knowledge and innovative problem-solving skills. 3. Enhance Creativity and Inclusivity • Cultural programs, including dance performances and fashion walks, provided a platform for artistic expression and promoted inclusivity among participants. 4. Build Teamwork and Competitive Spirit • Sports and gaming activities, such as mobile gaming and football tournaments, emphasized collaboration, resilience, and healthy competition. 5. Provide Experiential Learning • Students gained hands-on exposure to real-world business challenges, sustainability concepts, and leadership roles through event coordination and active participation.	05 - 07 Mar 2025
2	A course on Environmental Studies was included in the curriculum.	As part of the Environmental Studies curriculum, a donation drive was organized in support of Charlie's Animal Rescue Centre (CARE), a local animal shelter. The primary objective of this initiative was to collect essential supplies for the shelter, which provides care for over 300 animals. Additionally, a visit to the facility was undertaken to enhance participants' understanding of animal welfare practices, rescue	23 - 30 Mar 2025

operations, and the ethical responsibility of treating animals with compassion and dignity.

3 International Conference on Sustainable Synergies 2025

1. Promote Sustainable and Resilient Business Practices, address global challenges such as technological disruption, environmental concerns, and social responsibility by implementing sustainable business strategies.
2. Align with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), encourage research and discussions that integrate SDGs into key areas such as economics, finance, marketing, human resources, supply chain management, and corporate governance.
3. Facilitate Knowledge Exchange between Academia and Industry, create platforms for scholars, industry experts, and policymakers to share insights, innovations, and best practices that strengthen global business resilience.
4. Drive Technological Innovation in Business, explore emerging tools such as FinTech, business analytics, and digital transformation to achieve sustainable growth and maintain a competitive advantage.
5. Foster Collaborative Research and Networking, build international partnerships and interdisciplinary collaborations to advance research and develop practical solutions for sustainability.

27 - 28 Nov 2025

Details of Guest Visit (Lectures, Collaboration, Visitors on Campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Mr Sridhar Kubasad	Associate Vice President, ANZ	The guest session was a comprehensive talk covering resume writing, mock interviews, group discussions, digital skills, corporate communication, and more. It was designed to provide students with practical insights and prepare them for future placement activities. The session offered valuable exposure to industry expectations, helping participants gain confidence in interview techniques, professional communication, and overall career readiness.	31 Jan 2025 - 01 Feb 2025
2	Dr Rakesh Pati	Senior Professor, Deakin University, Australia	To equip students and professionals with actionable strategies for navigating hyper-competitive markets by leveraging innovation, differentiation, and agility, while fostering resilience and sustainable growth.	25 Mar 2025
3	Dr Rajesh Kumar	Founder, Vittam Praveena Gurushala	The primary objective of the session was to provide training in data analysis using Jamovi, a free, open-source statistical software that is widely used in academic and applied research. The session offered hands-on experience to help students and research scholars enhance their understanding of data analytics and strengthen their analytical skills.	23 - 24 May 2025
4	Dr Rakesh Pati	Senior Professor, Deakin University, Australia	The primary objective of the guest talk on "Decision Making: The Psychology of Choice" was to provide participants with insights into the cognitive processes, behavioural patterns, and psychological factors that influence decision-making. The session aimed to deepen understanding of how biases, heuristics, and emotional triggers shape choices, while equipping attendees with strategies to make informed, rational, and effective decisions in both personal and professional contexts.	22 Aug 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
5	StepUp Learning Solutions Professionals	StepUp Learning Solutions	The primary objective of this program was to enhance the analytical, verbal, and logical abilities of students, preparing them for campus placements and various competitive examinations. The training covered three major modules of Quantitative Aptitude, Verbal Ability and Reading Comprehension, and Logical Reasoning and Data Interpretation.	28 Aug 2025 - 10 Oct 2025
6	Dr V K Ranjith	Professor, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics	The session's objective was to explore various types of cases used in teaching, including critical incidents, descriptive illustrations, problem-identification cases, and decision-focused stories. They covered application-based cases, contextual issue cases, and cases presented through multimedia and digital formats.	04 - 05 Sep 2025
7	Vishal Agrawal	VP-Operations, Scripbox Wealth Managers	The objective of the session is to highlight the opportunities in the fintech sector, but also to think critically about the evolving financial ecosystem.	18 Sep 2025
8	Shejal Ajmera and Malay Shah	Co-Founders, Crisp Idea	The main objective of the session was to familiarize students with the recruitment process, job expectations, and professional competencies required in the field of equity research and capital markets. The session also aimed to enhance students' understanding of industry demands and help them align their preparation accordingly.	07 Oct 2025
9	Mr Pawan Kuldeep	Head HR, Discover Dollar	The main objective of the session was to familiarize students with the recruitment process, job expectations, and professional competencies required in the field of financial analysis. The session also aimed to enhance students' understanding of industry demands and help them align their preparation accordingly.	07 Oct 2025
10	Nidhi Pant	Lead-Partner Learning, KPMG India	The objective of the session was to highlight modern tools and methods driving skill development, emphasizing the shift toward platforms such as Learning Management Systems (LMS) and Learning Experience Platforms (LXP). LinkedIn Learning was cited as a prime example of an accessible and effective professional development resource.	07 Oct 2025
11	Prof Viraj Kumar	Visiting Professor, Kotak–IISc AI-ML Center, Indian Institute of Science (IISc)	The session addressed a core issue facing modern education: generative AI tools are now widely accessible to students and are becoming ubiquitous in professional workflows. Since these AI tools can create complex artifacts central to many fields, including computing and business domains.	15 Oct 2025
12	Biji Balan	Head HR, Kaufman Rossin	The main objective of the session was to familiarize students with the recruitment process, job expectations, and the professional competencies required in financial analysis. It also aimed to strengthen their understanding of industry demands and guide them in aligning their preparation with key qualities such as analytical thinking, market awareness, financial acumen, and effective communication skills, highly valued by employers.	24 Oct 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non-Indexed
10	2

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
1	8	0	3

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Other	0	2
Conference	0	1
Workshop	1	0

Books/chapters authored by faculty members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Exploring Trends, Innovations, and Digitalization of Entrepreneurship	Digital Intrapreneurship in Action: Insights from Real Cases and Interviews	Dr Itam Urmila Jagadeeswari	Springer Nature	08 Jul 2025
2	Examining Global Regulations During the Rise of Fintech	Financial Sector Hyper-Automation: Transforming Banking and Investing Procedures	Dr Siddanagouda Policepatil	IGI Global Scientific Publishing	24 Sep 2025
3	Rethinking Resources Strategies, Policies, and Partnerships for a Circular Future	Brewing a Better Future: Navigating Sustainability Challenges in the Tea Industry	Dr Vishal Soodan	Springer Nature	01 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Itam Urmila Jagadeeswari	Best Paper Award: "Workforce Ready: How Millennials Can Bridge Skill Gaps in a Competitive Job Market?" at "Contemporary Trends in Business Management Research: Sustainability, Innovation and Growth (CTBMR-2025)" International Conference, India	09 Jan 2025
2	Dr Vishal Soodan and Dr Anurag Jain	Second Runner Up: "Modelling the Role of AI-based Interventions in Young Consumers' Fashion Purchases through Live Stream Commerce" at the 10th PAN-IIM World Management Conference (IIM Ranchi) (27-29 Nov 2025)	29 Nov 2025
3	Dr Varsha P S	Nominated for Best Paper-Role of AI in Exploring the Paths of the Manufacturing Sector in Industry 5.0: An Empirical Insight using the fsQCA Approach at the Pre-ICIS SIGDSA Symposium, Nashville, USA	13 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Priyanshi Tandon	Priyanshi Tandon, a first-semester BCom student, wrote a book on "The Placebo Effect: A Mosaic of False Comforts", Libresco Feeds Private Limited.	29 Aug 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
2	Shirniya Bugata	Shirniya Bugata, a third-semester BCom student, has been selected for the first-ever ChatGPT Lab in India by OpenAI. She will work on AI-driven projects in collaboration with peers and the OpenAI team.	01 Nov 2025
3	Titiksha Agarwal	Titiksha Agarwal, a fifth-semester Business Analytics student, and Dr Urmil received the Best Paper Award: "Integration between NLP models and Traditional Investment Analysis: A Case Study of OLA Electric Ltd" at the International Student Conference organized by Westford College, Dubai.	05 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MAHE Inter Collegiate Sports Tournament, Bengaluru	The DOC Girls volleyball team won second place in the MAHE Inter Collegiate Sports Tournament, Bengaluru	23 Oct 2025
2	MAHE Inter Collegiate Sports Tournament, Bengaluru	The DOC Boys volleyball team won third place in the MAHE Inter Collegiate Sports Tournament, Bengaluru	23 Oct 2025
3	MAHE Inter Collegiate Sports Tournament, Bengaluru	DOC MAHE students won the Champions in Football	25 Oct 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Dr TMA Pai Memorial Basketball Tournament U-18 Tournament for Boys and Girls MAHE-B'LRU Ballers League (MBL3.0)	The Department of Commerce successfully organized the third edition of the MAHE Ballers League (MBL 3.0) for under-18 boys and girls on the 28 and 29 August 2025. The tournament brought together talented young athletes from across Bengaluru, with nine boys' teams and three girls' teams participating in two days of spirited competition. Cash Prizes A total of 1,30,000 was awarded as cash prizes to the top performing teams: First Place (Boys): St Clarets PU College-50,000 Second Place (Boys): Vidyashilp Academy-25,000 Third Place (Boys): St Joseph's Indian Composite PU College-10,000 First Place (Girls): Mount Carmel PU College-30,000 Second Place (Girls): Army Public School-15,000	28 Aug 2025
2	Karnataka Open Amateur Championship	DoC MAHE student Mr Mahir Rakhra of BCom first-semester winner of the Karnataka Open Amateur Championship held at the Bangalore Golf Club.	05 Sep 2025
3	Snooker Tournament-Karnataka State Billiards Association	DoC MAHE student Mr Aditya M R of BCom third semester won first place in the Snooker Tournament held at Karnataka State Billiards Association, Bengaluru.	08 Sep 2025
4	Jakarta International Golf Championship	DoC MAHE student Mr Abhinav Baskar of BCom secured third place out of 124 players in the Men's 19–24 Amateur category at the Jakarta International Golf Championship held at the Jakarta Golf Club.	09 Sep 2025
5	MRF F2000 Championship at the Madras Motor Race Track (MMRT)	DoC MAHE student Mr Ethan Joy of BCom first semester secured a second-place podium finish in the opening race of his debut	17 Oct 2025

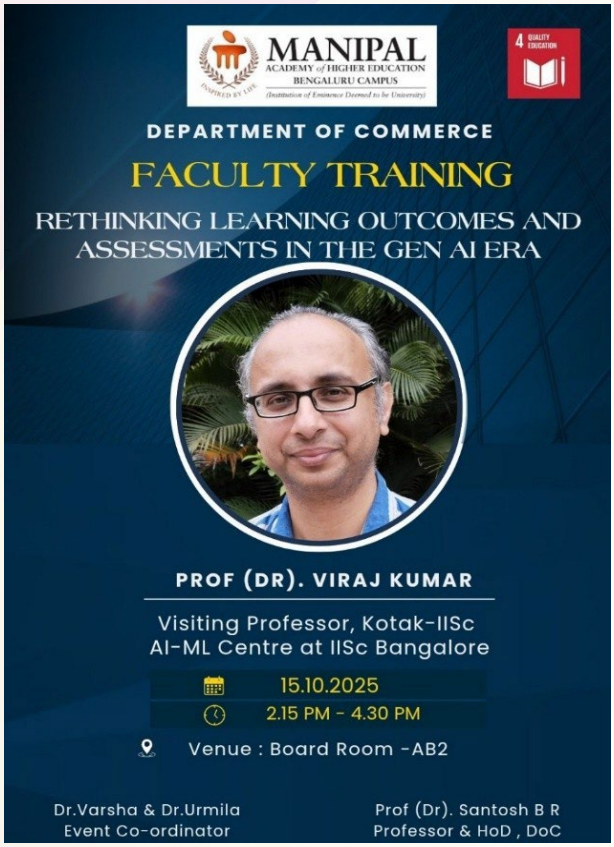
Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		season in the MRF F2000 Championship at the Madras Motor Race Track (MMRT), Chennai.	
6	Badminton (Men) at the PES University National Sports Fest - INFINI 2025	DoC MAHE student Mr Siddhanth Sirdesai of BCom fifth semester secured the Runners-Up position in Badminton (Men) at the PES University National Sports Fest - INFINI 2025.	25 Oct 2025
7	CSE Inter College Cup 2025	Team MAHE Bengaluru has bagged the Runners-Up trophy at the CSE Inter College Cup, 2025. The 12 students from DoC were part of this team.	13 Nov 2025

Cultural Activities In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	RUBARU'25	The Department of Commerce, MAHE-Bengaluru, proudly hosted the Folk Dance competition at RUBARU'25, an event that celebrated India's vibrant cultural diversity. With five enthusiastic teams representing various states like Kerala, Rajasthan, and Karnataka, each performance was an explosion of energy, colours, and authenticity. The stage came alive with Lavani beats, traditional attire, and impeccable synchronization that had the audience cheering from start to end.	19 Feb 2025
2	Freshers' Day	The Department of Commerce at MAHE Bengaluru hosted a vibrant Freshers' Day 2025 to welcome the new batch. The event began with a traditional lamp-lighting ceremony, followed by an introduction of the Student Council and orientations by various clubs, including Extella, Finnova, FlareHaus, Valorous, Oratoria, Under-25, Savi, Sonicbyte, and more. Highlights of the day included: Ms and Mr Fresher Contest–A fun icebreaker with three exciting rounds. Cultural Performances–Music, dance, and ramp walk showcasing talent and diversity. Club Activities and Games–Sports events by Valorous, finance-themed games by Finnova, creative sessions by FlareHaus, and an engaging MUNyverse by Oratoria. Special Moments–a Teacher's Day tribute and cake-cutting added warmth to the celebrations. The event concluded with the announcement of winners: Ms Fresher: Trishla; Mr Fresher: Akshay. Freshers' Day 2025 was a perfect blend of fun, creativity, and camaraderie, setting the tone for an exciting academic year ahead.	09 Sep 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

International Conference Sustainable Synergies - Date 27 November 2025 – 28 December 2025



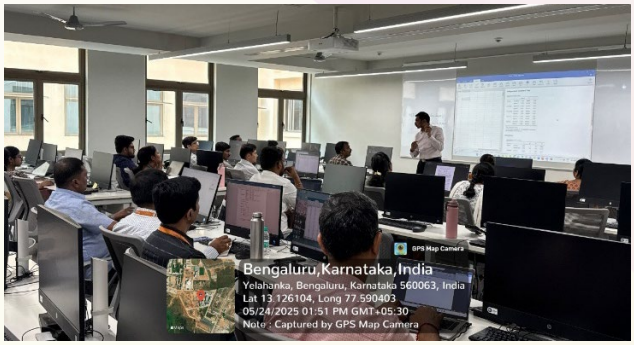
Faculty Training – Rethinking Learning Outcomes and Assessment in the Gen AI Era - Date 15 October 2025

Expert Talk by Dr Rakesh Pati, Senior Professor, Deakin University, Australia - Date 25 March 2025

MAHE-B'LRU Ballers League (MBL3.0) - Date 28 to 29 August 2025

Freshers Week - Date 09 to 12 September 2025

Visit to ICICI Bank Model Branch - Date 11 April 2025



Two-day workshop on Data analysis using Jamovi - Date 23 to 24 May 2025

Industrial Visit to Mysore District Milk Union (MYMUL) - Date 11 April 2025

Manipal Law School (MLS), Bengaluru

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Established: 2022
Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Five-year BA LLB (Honours)
- Five-year BBA LLB (Honours)
- LLB (Honours)
- LLM in Data Privacy and Information Technology Laws
- LLM in International Investment and Commercial Arbitration
- LLM in Construction Law and Arbitration
- PhD

About the Institution/School:

Manipal Law School (MLS) Bengaluru strives for a paradigm shift in the field of legal education. MLS focuses on enabling students to comprehend multidimensional legal systems with a clear objective of developing their abilities by persuasively enhancing their written and oral skills, anticipating outcomes, and using research and analytical skills in problem-solving. The curricula and pedagogy at MLS aim to be on par with leading law schools, involving contemporary global issues and standard legal practices. MLS fosters a holistic academic environment in a state-of-the-art infrastructure that gives students inclusive access to progressive, adaptive, and innovative legal education. The learning pedagogy consists of theoretical and practical involvement with neighborhood communities. MLS believes in producing lawyers who would excel in their profession and be humane with a strong sense of social justice. A major thrust is given to courses like professional ethics to make students more acclimatized to the practical nuances of the legal career. An excellent learning environment at MLS comprises an eco-sustainable green campus, a wide range of co-curricular and extracurricular activities, legal research centers, diverse departments with multidisciplinary expertise, and Legal Aid clinics to enhance the study of law. The students, under the guidance of our exemplary faculty, endeavor to engage actively in the service to the local, regional, national, and international communities. Our goal is to create a holistic community of teachers and learners in a conducive and sustainable ecosystem. Law programs suited for emerging industry needs. Technology-focused law programs for new age lawyers. Industry interface lectures. Training programs – campus to corporate training. International exposure through in-house faculty & guest faculty.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	NCLT Bangalore Visit	As part of the Industry-Academia Relationship initiative, Manipal Law School, MAHE, Bengaluru, organized a visit to the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT), Bengaluru Bench, from 19 to 23 May 2025 for students of the LLB (3 Years) program. The visit provided students with valuable exposure to real-time corporate legal proceedings under the Companies Act and Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code. They observed live hearings, interacted with legal professionals, and gained insights into tribunal procedures.	19-23 May 2025
2	Consumer Court Visit: Bridging Legal Theory and Practice	Students of BA LLB (Honors) and BBA LLB (Honors) at Manipal Law School, Bengaluru, visited the District Consumer Forum at Shantinagar. The forum includes the First, Second, Third, and Fourth (Urban and Rural Bengaluru, Additional Consumer Forums). This immersive learning experience was organized in two batches on 21 and 28 May 2025. To optimize the learning experience, students were divided into four small groups, each assigned to a different court within the complex. They observed live proceedings in their respective courts, gaining firsthand exposure to how consumer protection laws are implemented in real-time. From advocate arguments to the adjudication process under the Consumer Protection Act, 2019, students witnessed the legal system in action. A highlight of the visit was an interactive session with the presiding officers, including Judge Syed Anser Khalim and Judge Ramachandra. These discussions offered valuable insights into the nuances of consumer dispute resolution, effectively bridging the gap between academic learning and courtroom practice. Judge Syed Anser Khalim also extended an internship opportunity. The visit significantly enriched students' understanding of the Consumer Protection Act and offered a rare opportunity to engage directly with judicial officers.	21- 28 May 2025
3	Bangalore Legal Forum	Bangalore Legal Forum is a monthly series of panel discussions hosted at the Bangalore International Centre by Manipal Law School, Bengaluru, in collaboration with National Law School of India University, St Joseph's College of Law, and School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru. The second panel in the series was organized by Legal Services Clinic, NLSIU, on 23 May 2025. The panel comprising Mr Anind Thomas (Partner at AZB and Partners), Adv Promod Nair (Senior Advocate), Dr Jaya Vasudevan (Professor of Law, Manipal Law School) and Mr Vikas Mahendra (Partner at Keystone Partners) and moderated by Dr Apoorvi Shrivastava (Associate Professor, Manipal Law School) discussed the implications of the recent Supreme Court decision in the Gayatri Balasamy case that allowed the modification of arbitral awards, reforms to the arbitration laws in India and the use of arbitration and ADR as a legal aid tool.	23 May 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
4	MLS Debate and MUN Society – It's Debatable	MLS Debate and MUN Society hosted "It's Debatable", an engaging and intellectually charged event that brought students together to deliberate on contemporary geopolitical and governance issues. Participants debated motions such as Confidence in the Governance of the Trump Administration and The Future of the United Nations Organization. The event was open to both students and faculty and created a dynamic platform for critical thinking and reasoned argumentation.	23 May 2025
5	LLM Cohorts at Aapti Institute, Bengaluru	A knowledge session on "Governance of Health Data Infrastructures" was held at the Aapti Institute, Bengaluru, on 23 May, 2025. The session was part of the LLM capstone policy project for the "Health Technologies and Data Privacy" course. As part of the capstone project, the LLM students drafted policy proposals evaluating the governance of electronic health records, genetic technologies, artificial intelligence, and biobanking.	23 May 2025
6	UG Orientation 2025	Manipal Law School welcomed the fresh cohort of undergraduate students from the BA LLB (Honors), BBA LLB (Honors), and LLM (Honors) programs through a thoughtfully curated Orientation Day. Held on 22 July 2025, the program featured addresses by Prof (Dr) R Venkata Rao, Vice Chancellor of IIULER, Goa, as the Chief Guest and Mr. Karan Singh, founding partner of Trilegal, as the Guest of Honour. The students were also addressed by Dr Raghavendra Prabhu, Additional Registrar and Director Administration, MAHE Bengaluru and Dr Sarasu Esther Thomas, Director, Manipal Law School, who offered insights into the academic life and values of the institution. The day aimed to ease the transition for new students by fostering connections, outlining expectations, and introducing the vibrant learning environment that awaits them at MLS.	22 Jul 2025
7	Faculty Research Seminar Series	The series is aimed at fostering a culture of scholarly exchange and interdisciplinary dialogue among our faculty. MLS conducted the inaugural session of the series with Mr Akshat, Assistant Professor, Manipal Law School, MAHE, and Mr Alind Gupta, Assistant Professor at UPES, Dehradun, presenting their research titled, "Reportability of Judgments: A Conundrum".	13 Aug 2025
8	Bangalore Legal Forum	The third Bangalore Legal Forum panel discussion, organized by Manipal Law School in collaboration with St. Joseph's College of Law, held at the Bangalore International Centre in Domlur, on 28 August 2025, was well attended and appreciated. The topic for discussion was "Litigating Elections in India." The panel of experts included Alok Prasanna Kumar (Co-Founder of Vidhi Centre for Legal Policy), Dr Harish Narasappa (Senior Advocate and Co-founder of Daksh and Samvad Partners), and Senior Advocate B T	28 Aug 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
9	LLM Field Visit	On 03 Sep, the LLM students of the Construction Law and Arbitration program undertook a construction project site visit to Tumkur. The project involves the construction of gravity canals and aqueducts, both at an elevated corridor and on a huge water reservoir. (VJNL's Yettinahole Project, being executed by BSR Infratech India Limited to provide water supply to drought-prone districts near Tumkur) The visit was a vital component of the experiential learning approach followed in this unique postgraduate program.	03 Sep 2025
10	Field Visit	The third and fifth semester students of Manipal Law School had an academic excursion to the Archive at National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS) under the guidance and initiative of Dr Sreeparna Chattopadhyay, PhD. The visit was crucial for legal students to understand the ways in which representation matters for marginalized groups. It helped them understand what issues get left out and why, and the importance and effectiveness of mobilizing people to transform societies.	04 Sep 2025
11	Faculty Seminar Series	The series is aimed at fostering a culture of scholarly exchange and interdisciplinary dialogue among our faculty. MLS second session of the series on 03 September 2025 with Ms Neethu Mary Abraham, Assistant Professor, Manipal Law School, Bengaluru, presented her research titled, "Struggles with Gender Neutrality: A Study of Ann Leckie's Ancillary Justice".	05 Sep 2025
12	Teacher's Day	Manipal Law School celebrated Teacher's Day by appreciating all those who contribute towards making the school a roaring success. As a token of appreciation, the Director, Dr Sarasu Esther Thomas, gave gifts and hosted a high tea.	05 Sep 2025
13	Industry Academia Connect – Legal Tech Workshop	Manipal Law School, Bengaluru, successfully concluded the 3-day Legal Tech Workshop on 17 Sep 2025. Manipal Law School hosted industry experts Himanshu Seth and Aryan Singh from DueDraft, who delivered exceptional insights into the intersection of law and technology. Over three intensive days, participants explored cutting-edge topics including document automation, AI-powered legal research, and digital transformation in legal practice. The workshop bridged traditional legal methods with innovative tech solutions, providing our students with practical knowledge for the evolving legal landscape.	15 - 17 Sep 2025
14	Bangalore Legal Forum	The fourth Bangalore Legal Forum panel discussion, organized by Manipal Law School, was held on Saturday, 27 Sep 2025, at the Bangalore International Centre in Domlur. The topic for the discussion was "The Digital Health Revolution: Regulatory Framework for Data Protection.	27 Sep 2025

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15	Debate and MUN Club – Intra MUN	The Debate and MUN Club successfully conducted the Intra-MUN, featuring spirited debates, diplomacy, and insightful discussions across two committees, UNHRC and DISEC. This event also served as the selection round for the official MLS MUN Team, offering students a platform to demonstrate their research, negotiation, and public speaking skills in preparation for larger inter-university conferences.	13 Oct 2025
16	Workshop Series – Prison Administration and Reform	A comprehensive sensitization workshop was conducted to provide students with critical insights into India's prison system, contemporary reform initiatives, and the role of legal professionals in advancing prisoner rights and institutional transformation, "Prison Administration and Reforms in India: Understanding the Contemporary Challenges and Legal Framework." The sessions were conducted by Advocate Basawa Prasad Kunale, who has been litigating before various courts in Bengaluru for 8 years.	15 Oct 2025
17	Debate and MUN Club – Intra Debate Competition	MLS successfully hosted its Intra-Debate Competition 2025, a platform where intellect met eloquence and ideas clashed to shape powerful discourse. The event featured intense rounds of debate, with participants demonstrating exceptional reasoning, clarity, and persuasive skill on a range of contemporary topics. Serving as the selection round for the official MLS Debate Team, the competition provided an excellent opportunity for students to refine their critical thinking, articulation, and teamwork, key traits for excelling at national-level debate tournaments.	16 Oct 2025
18	Workshop – Filing and Prosecution of Trademarks	Manipal Law School, MAHE, Bengaluru, and Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE, organized a one-day workshop on "FILING AND PROSECUTION OF TRADEMARKS". Mr Sourav Dan, Counsel -Khaitan and Co., was the invited resource person.	19 Nov 2025
19	MILANA 2025 – Emerging Trends in Construction Law	Manipal Law School hosted MILANA 2025 – Emerging Trends in Construction Law on 13 Dec 2025, providing a scholarly platform for deliberation on evolving issues in construction law, technology, and dispute resolution. The event witnessed participation from judges, academicians, legal practitioners, engineers, and students, fostering meaningful interdisciplinary engagement.	13 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (Lectures, Collaboration, Visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures:

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Ms Sudha Hooda	General Counsel, Employee at NVIDIA Bangalore Campus	Guest Lecture	22 Apr 2025
2	Mr Anurag Naskar	Anoma Legal	Guest Lecture	17 May 2025
3	Mr Preetish Sahoo	Amazon India	Guest Lecture	17 May 2025
4	Ms Vaneeta Patniak	WBNJUS	Guest Lecture	21 May 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
5	Dr Sujata Roy	WBNJUS	Guest Lecture	28 May 2025
6	Mr Timothy Franklin	Fox & Mondal	Guest Lecture	14 Oct 2025
7	Prof Sairam Bhat	NLSIU, Bangalore	Guest Lecture on Special Contracts	17 Oct 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
2	7	8	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students

Faculty	
National	International
6	13

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Conference	6	13
Workshop	10	0
Seminar	9	2

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	International Conference on Intelligent Systems and Computational Networks (ICISCN)		Dr Pavan V	IEEE Explore	01 Apr 2025
2	AI Ethics in Practice	Implementing Respective and Ethical AI in India	Dr Yashu Bansal	Springer	06 May 2025
3	Rivers Unbound: Exploring Social Currents, Legal Tides, and Stories of Flow	Leveraging ESG Principles for Effective Mitigation of Urban Water Pollution in Bangalore,	Anuja Paul	by Routledge Taylor and Francis Group.	01 Jun 2025
4	Financial Aspects of NEP-2020	Book Chapter- Proposing a Structured NPO Model for Financing Inclusive and Sustainable Educational Institutions in India, in Financial Aspects of NEP 2020,978-93-49531-20-8,2025, KITABWALE, New Delhi	Dr Nagendra S	Financial Aspects of NEP 2020,978-93-49531-20-8,2025, KITABWALE, New Delhi	10 Sep 2025
5	Gender Justice: Contemporary developments	Exploring LGBTQ rights to marriage and adoption: a	Dr Neha Saxena	Law and Justice Publishing Co	18 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
		comparative study of India and Sweden			
6	Enhancing Intergenerational Social Connections Using Shared Common Values	SCOPUS INDEXED-, book chapte Common Social Values among the Various Generations in edited book titled "Common Social Values among the Various Generations, Enhancing Intergenerational Social Connections Using Shared Common Values, ISBN13: 9798337343679|ISBN13 Softcover: 9798337343686|EISBN13: 9798337343693, Published in the United States of America by IGI Global Scientific Publishing 701 East Chocolate Avenue Hershey, PA, 17033, USA Tel: 717-533-8845 | Fax: 717-533-7115 Website: https://www.igi-global.com E-mail: cust@igi-global.com	Dr Nagendra S	Published in the United States of America by IGI Global Scientific Publishing, 701 East Chocolate Avenue, Hershey.	01 Nov 2025
7	Accessibility of necessary medicines through right to health in India: women's perspective		Dr Rahul Mishra	Global legal challenges in the transforming society	22 Nov 2025
8	Social media and protection of digital data- Challenges for India	International Conference proceedings virtual book chapter on " Social media and protection of digital data- Challenges for India"	Dr Rahul Mishra	published in the international conference proceedings virtual book weblink released during the 10th international conference on Economic growth and sustainable development: emerging trends, organized by Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Institute for Management Development, Mysuru, India.	28 Nov 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	A Study on the Sustenance and the Transmission Cultural and Ritualistic Patterns of Kurumba Tribes living in the Nilgiris Forest of South India	Dr Rahul B N	Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)	900,000	01 Sep 2023-30 Sep 2025

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
2	Endometriosis Voices	Dr Sreeparna C and Dr Bijoya Roy	CWDS	300,000	01 Dec 2025-01 Feb 2026

Awards/Recognitions

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Kaamaakshee Aathreya	Crowned Miss Universe Tamil Nadu 2025, winning the state title to represent Tamil Nadu at the Miss Universe India 2025 pageant	20 May 2025
2	Kaziah Liz Mejo	Miss Teen International 2025 Cultural Event, Glamanand International, Level 1st runners up - representing India	31 Aug 2025
3	Varsha Gummagolmath	Moot Court Shri N J Yasaswy Memorial, 9th National Moot Court Competition 2024 National Level Best Researcher	01 Sep 2025
4	Adi Biswas, Rakshithashree MR, and Bhumika Rai	Moot Court 13th UFYLC Ranka National Moot Court Competition National Level Winners (First Prize)	07 Sep 2025
5	Pradeep and Vaishnavi	Moot Court DNLU - India Juris Moot Court Competition National Level 1st prize and Best Speaker Award	14 Sep 2025
6	Pakhi Kalode, Urvi Shetty	Debate Intra Debate MLS Intra (within MLS) First Position/Winners	17 Oct 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities

Sports Activities

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	ERAYA SPORTS 2025 at Manipal Law School: Manipal Law School successfully organized its annual sports extravaganza, ERAYA 2025, a celebration of talent, teamwork, and sporting spirit. The event witnessed an overwhelming response with 17 reputed law institutes and leading universities participating, bringing together over 500 sports aspirants under one platform. The tournament featured spirited competitions across multiple disciplines, fostering camaraderie and healthy rivalry among future leaders of the legal fraternity. Some of the prominent institutions that showcased their athletic prowess included:	• Abhiraj Barua (Team captain)BA LLB, 3rd Semester, Soham Agarwal BBA LLB (Hons),Ignatius V Thomas, BA LLB (Hons),1st Semester, Akash Kumar BA LLB (Hons), 1st Semester, won Runners position in Intercollegiate Sports Tournament 2024-25 - Badminton • Kaviyaa Varshini N BA LLB (HONS)-1st Sem won third position in Intercollegiate Sports Tournament 2024-25 Table Tennis • Darshan from BBLLB 1st year won runners-up in Centre of Sports Excellence Tournament (Inter collegiate) on 12 Nov 2025 • Shivanee Sivaraman BBLLB 2nd year won 2nd position in basketball , inter collegiate Eraya	13 Sep 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
	• KLE Society's Law College • Al-Ameen Law College • Reva University • SDM Law College • Christ Academy Institute of Law • BMS College of Law • PES University • National Law School of India University (NLSIU) • CMR University • Dayanand Sagar University • Ramaiah College of Law • Ramaiah school of law • Christ School of Law • Presidency University • NMIMS Bengaluru • Kristu Jayanti College of Law • Bishop Cottons College, among others.	2025 Sports Fest, on 14 Sep 2025 at MAHE Bengaluru, hosted by Manipal Law School • Shresht S Gogi BBLLB 2nd year won 2nd position in 100 m and 200 m in Eraya 2025 Sports Fest, on 14 Sep 2025 at MAHE Bengaluru, hosted by Manipal Law School Dr Sarasu Esther Thomas, Director of Manipal Law School; Dr Nagendra Sanoor, Faculty Convenor of Velocitas; and Dr Rajesh Williams, Director of Sports at MAHE Bengaluru, have our deepest gratitude for all the help they have given us in organizing and running this event. Milinda Vijay Thambanda and Sneha Singh, with their team, who spearheaded the Sports Committee (Velocitas) and were instrumental in making ERAYA a reality, deserve special recognition. Not only did the event showcase the competitive nature of law students, but it also mirrored the increasing significance of athletics in well-rounded education. The ERAYA 2025 was an incredible success, raising the bar for intercollegiate sports festivals in the region with its enthusiastic participation, exciting matches, and unforgettable performances. Everyone who helped out throughout the two days, from the volunteers to the participants to the passionate audience, deserves a huge thank you.	

Outside University

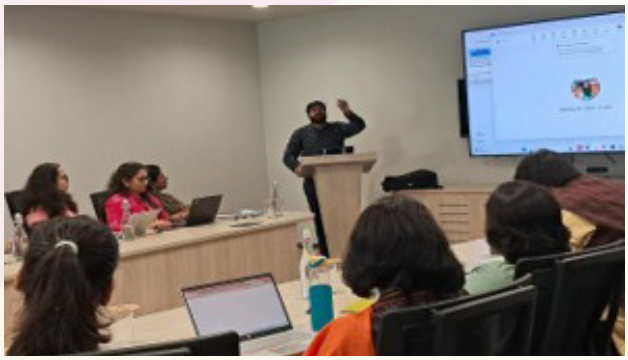
Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Other Universities/Outside Universities	• Tamanna Saraswat, BALLB 1st year, won Silver in Individual Sparring, Bronze in Individual Tuls, Gold in Team Tuls, and Gold in Team Sparring in Taekwondo, South West India level competition held on 30 and 31 Aug 2025 • Alena Ann Alexander, BBLLB, 2nd year, participated in Table Tennis Singles in BITES Pilani Goa on 26 to 30 Mar 2025	26 Mar 2025

Inter Institution:

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Eraya Group song competition	Bhargavi Kaundinya, Nishan gupta, Tamanna Saraswat, Amrapali Maitra, Diya Deepak, G Bhoomika, Amritanshu Mishra, Azad, Cultural Event 1st runner up	12 Sep 2025
2	Diwali Celebration and Competition	As part of the Diwali celebrations, 'Deepotsav,' Manipal Law School students participated in the rangoli competition and emerged victorious. The rangoli portrayed the spirit of Diwali, the festival of lights, which signifies the transition from darkness to light, ignorance to enlightenment, and despair to hope, the triumph of light over darkness and good over evil. The dark side of the design symbolizes darkness and portrays the negativities, difficulties, and struggles in life. The other side transitions into bright colours, flower pots, and festive patterns, which indicate light, positivity, and celebration.	15 Oct 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Dr. TMA Pai International Technology Law Moot Court Competition



Faculty Research Seminar Series

LLM Field visit

Bangalore Legal Forum

LLM cohorts at Aapti Institute, Bengaluru

Centre for Construction Law Research

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Prof R Venkataraghavan
Members: Alumni 47 (LLM and PGDCLA 2024-25 batch) and current 47 LLM and PGDCLA cohorts)

Brief About the Centre:
The first and only academic centre in India exclusively dedicated to construction law education, research, and dispute resolution training for lawyers and engineers.

Alternatively

A first-of-its-kind interdisciplinary centre bridging construction engineering, law, and arbitration practice in India.

Vision: To promote construction law as a distinct interdisciplinary field of specialization.

Mission: To provide quality education and training in the field of construction law and dispute resolution related to infrastructure and construction projects.

Objective: To offer a master's degree in construction law and arbitration and a PG Diploma program for working professionals like engineers and surveyors.

CCLR @MLS has commissioned India's FIRST and ONLY LLM program in Construction Law and Arbitration in the year 2024. The inaugural batch cohorts have secured employment with corporates, leading law firms and have established their own consultancy practices.

The construction law master's program is offered to professional engineers as well as a postgraduate diploma. Again, the program is unique and first in India, with senior professionals like general managers, vice presidents, directors, and colonel were cohorts of the inaugural batch. Many of them obtained job promotions, better overseas employment and they are now actively working in arbitration alongside legal counsel.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	International Conference-Industry focused	An international conference titled "Constructing Legal Foundations 2025" was held with speakers from India, GCC and Far East	15 Jun 2025
2	International Conference-Academia focused	MILANA 2025-An academic conference focusing on integration of law and engineering. Around 35 research papers were submitted on three themes. Senior faculties from IIT Madras, NICMAR, SRM and 10 law schools from Karnataka	13 Dec 2025

Photo Gallery

International Conference Inauguration

Academic conference MILANA 2025 Inauguration

International conference Group photo (concluding session)

MILANA 2025 (Audience view partial)

International conference (Welcoming chief guest Justice Sunil Dutt Yadav)

MILANA 2025- Felicitation to Chief Guest Dr Dinesh Hegde, Director Karnataka Arbitration Centre

Centre for Dispute Resolution and Management

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Prof Dr Jaya Vasudevan
Members: Dr Apoorvi Shrivastava

Brief About the Centre

Effective collaboration with the Business, State Organizations, Judiciary, Civil Society and Media Houses through consulting services and training programs to build up the culture of community dispute resolution across businesses.

Vision: To provide a platform for deliberations on policymaking in dispute resolution

Mission: To establish collaboration between industry and academia.

Objective: To study the impact of research on advocacy/training in dispute resolution.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Online Arbitration Training Workshop	Online training program on Arbitration Advocacy and Award Drafting	18-23 Apr 2025

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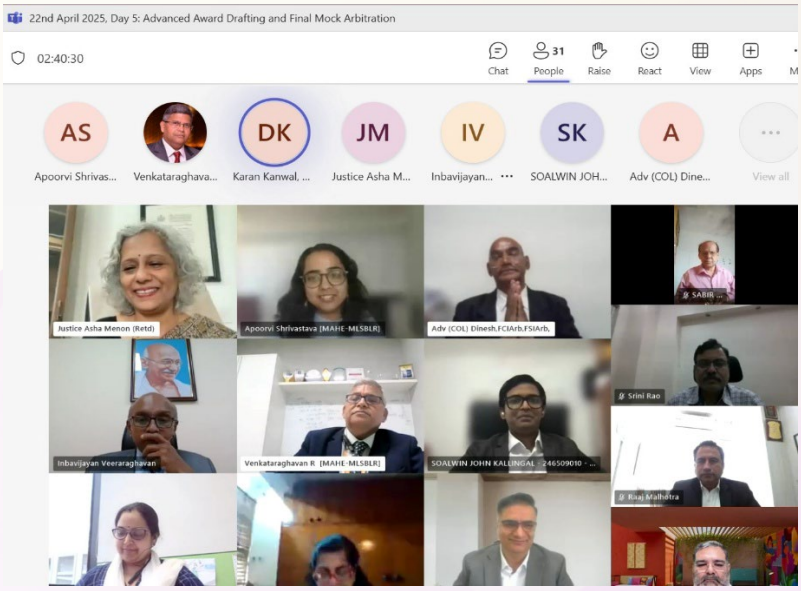

Centre for AI and Data Privacy Law

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Ms Yashu Bansal
Members: Ms Sujata Newton

Brief About the Centre:

The Centre for AI and Data Privacy at Manipal Law School sits at the intersection of law, technology, and policy at a pivotal moment for India. As the country prepares to implement the Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023, and shape its first comprehensive AI legislation, there is a real need for rigorous, independent research that can inform these frameworks. We are building a space where students, faculty, and practitioners can engage with these questions seriously, not just theoretically, but through work that contributes to actual policy development.

What makes our approach different is the emphasis on collaboration. We are creating opportunities for students to work alongside experts from government, industry, and academia on live research projects. Whether it is analyzing draft regulations, comparing international approaches, or examining how these laws will actually work in practice, the focus is on generating insights that matter. This is not about producing research that sits on shelves, it is about contributing to conversations that will shape how India governs emerging technologies.

As we move forward with this initiative, we are focused on building a sustainable research infrastructure that enhances Manipal Law School's reputation in technology law and regulatory scholarship. The centre aims to position the institution as a key academic voice in India's emerging legal frameworks for AI and data protection, creating opportunities for faculty publications, student engagement, and partnerships with government bodies and industry stakeholders. This work aligns with the university's commitment to research excellence and real-world impact.

Vision: To be India's leading academic hub for technology law, shaping the future of AI governance and data protection through rigorous research, stakeholder collaboration, and evidence-based policy advocacy.

Mission: To establish a platform to bring together relevant stakeholders for the regulation of AI and privacy and contribute to the development of the governance framework and laws in India.

Objectives: To contribute to the development of the new AI laws in India; To contribute to the effective implementation of the Digital Personal Data Protection Act, 2023, and the rules to be introduced soon; To generate quality research and experimentation with the support of grants and projects by the government and regulators; To provide a platform for the interface of industry and academia.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Guest Lecture on Consent Management	Offered a clear overview of the evolving landscape of consent management, its practical implementation, and its role in strengthening data privacy frameworks. The interactive discussion encouraged thoughtful questions and deepened students' understanding of privacy compliance and user-centric data practices. We are grateful to Mr Mehta for sharing his expertise and enriching our learning experience.	06 Oct 2025
2.	Guest lecture on Privacy Compliance Solutions	The session offered practical perspectives on how organizations navigate India's evolving data protection landscape and implement compliance frameworks under the DPDPA. The interactive discussion further deepened students' awareness of risk assessments, data integrity, and user trust.	11 Nov 2025

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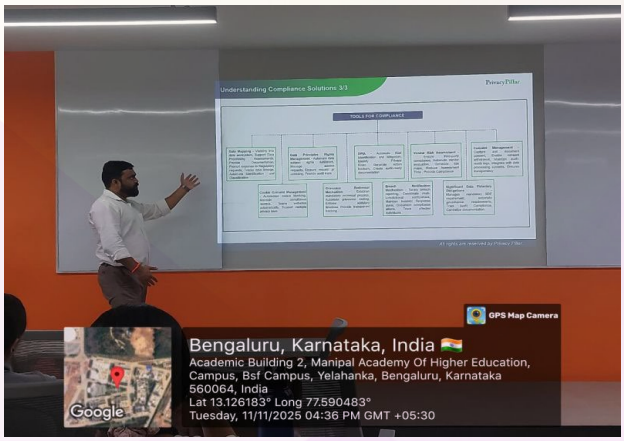
Guest Lecture on Consent Management



Guest Lecture on Privacy Compliance Solutions

Centre for Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Law and Research

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 15 July 2024

Name of the Coordinator: Dr Indranil Saha

Members: Dr Ella Gorian (Co-Coordinator)

Advisory Committee Members

- Chairperson - Prof (Dr) Pinaki Ghosh, IPR Chair Professor, NUJS, Kolkata
- Board Member (National) - Dr Mohan Dewan, Principal at R K Dewan and Co
- Board Member (National - Dr Amar Desai (General Manager – Global IP, Zydus)
- Board Member (National) - Mr R Lakshminarayanan, Director and Head of IPR and Innovation Management, Samsung Electronics India.
- Board member (National) - Mr Siddharth Karkhanis, Head of IPR, Robert Bosch India.

Brief About the Centre

Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) are significant for higher education institutions as well as industry dealing with products and processes, as they safeguard the Intellectual Property (IP) of stakeholders created through research and development. The importance of IPR in the NIRF ranking and NAAC accreditation process has demonstrated the significance of IPR for universities because the scope of IPR is not just limited to science and technology but to all faculties on the campus, such as a) Humanities, b) Commerce and Management, c) Science and Technology, and d) Interdisciplinary Studies.

Given the above factors, the Centre for IPR Law and Research at MAHE was established for the following reasons in order to drive sustained and broad academic growth of MAHE and Manipal Law School:

(a) Create and encourage IPR awareness and education amongst faculty and students on intellectual property rights (IPRs) so that they are aware of how to safeguard their creative works.
(b) To foster scholarly investigation and academic research concerning intellectual property rights, emerging technologies, and corresponding regulatory policies and reforms in the field of IPR.
(c) Conduct short-term certificate courses in a variety of IPR sectors while taking industry needs into consideration.

Vision

(a) To create and encourage IPR awareness and education amongst faculty and students on intellectual property rights (IPRs) so that they are aware of how to safeguard their creative works.
(b) To promote MAHE and Manipal Law School in the field of IPR in the academic scenario, short-term certificate courses, executive development programs, postgraduate diploma courses, and research activities in a variety of IPR sectors need to be launched and undertaken, all while taking industry needs into consideration.

Mission

(a) The prime aim is to promote, encourage, and conduct academic research in the field of IPR and emerging technologies, policies, and reforms associated with IPR.
(b) A further aim is to conduct and launch IPR-related courses in order to drive sustained and broad academic growth of MAHE and Manipal Law School.
(c) A further aim is to promote IPR awareness among academicians and industry professionals.

Objectives

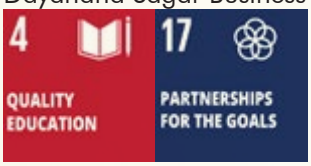
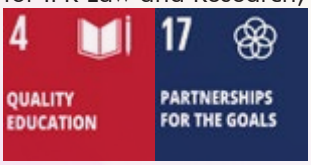
- *Educational Objectives:*
- Offer at least two short-term certificate courses in the field of IPR.
- *Research Objectives:*
- Undertake research projects that address emerging issues in IPR and the interface of intellectual property and emerging technologies and publish research papers, articles in national and international journals and magazines.

Community Engagement Objectives

- Collaborate with industry stakeholders, government agencies, and non-profit organizations to contribute to IPR awareness, policy discussions and reforms in the field of intellectual property rights, especially in the light of emerging technologies.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker in the one-day workshop as an expert on the topic of "Fundamentals of IPR and Design in Architecture and Planning", Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, MAHE, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.	The workshop dealt with legal aspects of the Designs Act 2000 and the Copyright Act 1957, involved in registration and further commercialization of creations in the field of architecture and design engineering.	11 Jan 2025
2	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker in the one-day seminar as an expert on the topic of "IPR as a Career Choice", Xavier Law School, St Xavier's University, Newtown, Kolkata, in collaboration with the Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.	The invited lecture in the seminar dealt with the commercial aspects and impact of the subjects involved in intellectual property rights study, like patents, trademarks, copyright and the scope of choosing a career in law in IPR with high prospective returns in the future for law students.	02 Apr 2025
3	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert in a one-day seminar on the topic of "Fundamentals of Technology Transfer", Faculty of Juridical Sciences, JIS University, Kolkata, in collaboration with the Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.	The invited lecture in the seminar dealt with fundamentals of patenting, technology readiness levels, start-ups and MSMEs, funding opportunities and schemes and methods of technology transfer, especially for universities.	04 Apr 2025
4	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert in three days workshop in the area of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Intellectual Property Rights, on the topic of "AI and IPR Intersection", Reva University, Bengaluru.	The invited lecture in the workshop dealt with legal aspects of emerging technologies in the field of artificial intelligence, both in the healthtech as well as fintech sector and their intersection with intellectual property rights, especially patents and copyright laws. It also dealt with the need to regulate these technologies legally as well as on ethical grounds for the sustainability and betterment of society.	22 Apr 2025
5	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert on the topic of "Blockchain, Cryptocurrencies and Smart	The invited lecture dealt with core aspects of technologies like blockchain and the legality of smart contracts that	25 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
	Contracts" as part of the Law Special Lecture Series, Vidyashilp University, Bengaluru.	are the backbone of cryptocurrencies, the legal and regulatory framework involved in India, the types of cryptocurrencies, and the risks involved.	
6	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert, on the topic of "Patents: Concepts, Process and Legal Framework", ATAL Faculty Development Program, Dayanand Sagar Business Academy, Bengaluru. 	The invited lecture dealt with fundamental concepts in relation to inventions, novelty, inventive step, industrial applications, patentability, and the associated legal framework under the Indian Patents Act, 1970.	23-28 Jun 2025
7	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert to deliver lecture on the topic of "Introduction to Intellectual property Rights", in a seven-day virtual workshop named "Saptah Workshop: Discovering the Next Big Idea" organized by the Innovation and Incubation Centre (E-Cell) of MAHE- Bengaluru, in association with the Institution's Innovation Council (a Ministry of HRD initiative) and the IEEE Robotics and Automation Society.	The workshop was designed to guide aspiring innovators and entrepreneurs on a comprehensive journey from the initial spark of an idea to creating a compelling pitch in the field of innovation and subsequent IPR protection and commercialization.	01 Aug 2025
8	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert, in the Pro-Sigma Multi-Disciplinary Faculty Development Program, MIT, MAHE Bengaluru, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE, Bengaluru. 	The FDP dealt with aspects of selecting an emerging technology area, choosing a specific problem in that area, finding prior art in that specific area, devising and building a solution, and checking for patentability prospects.	23, 30 Aug 2025 and 06 Sep 2025
9	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker in the two-day workshop, as an expert, on the topic of "Fundamentals of Patents and Designs", Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, Bengaluru, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE, Bengaluru	The workshop dealt with aspects of design registration possibilities coupled with prospects of patent filing for the work that the BDes students are doing at Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, especially in relation to artificial limb, movement, and functional technologies.	15-16 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
10	Manipal Law School, MAHE-Bengaluru and Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE, organized a three-hour workshop on "Filing, Prosecution and Infringement of Design Applications".	The event hosted Mr Abhishek Sharma, Partner and Co-Founder of Pulastya Legal Services LLP, as the resource person. The workshop dealt with the fundamentals of designs, what can and cannot be registered as design, practical knowledge and insights on filing and prosecution of Design applications in India and also dealt with seminal case laws on infringement of design applications in India.	15 Oct 2025
11	Dr Indranil Saha, Coordinator of the Centre was an invited speaker as an expert, in the one-day seminar on the topic of "Fundamentals of Fintech", Manipal Law School, Bengaluru, in collaboration with the Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.	The seminar was specially aimed at LLM students pursuing their master's degree in law in the domain of data privacy and IT laws. Considering that fintech is the way forward in banking and finance sectors, the seminar dealt with core aspects of fintech, the technologies and regulations involved, and the prospects of the fintech industry, especially in India.	13 Nov 2025
12	Manipal Law School, MAHE-Bengaluru and Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE, organized a three-hour workshop on "Filing and Prosecution of Trademarks".	Mr Sourav Dan, Counsel-Khaitan & Co, was the invited resource person. Broadly, the workshop covered the practical aspects of kinds and categories of trademarks, registration procedure for various kinds of trademarks, preparing a prosecution application, and overcoming objections from the IPO in trademark prosecution.	19 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Role	Amount INR	Date
1		Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)	Dr Indranil Saha (Coordinator of the Centre) is the Co-Project Director (Co-PD)	30,53,000/-	21 Nov 2025

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	PVTGs and Government Policies and Programs, Impact of Modernization on PVTGs **Application number:** ICSSR-PVTG2-2025-998				

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1	Certificate Course in IPR Licensing and Technology Transfer 	This certificate course is designed for professionals working in all sectors of engineering and science who seek a comprehensive understanding of IPR license techniques and types, technology transfer mechanisms, and drafting license agreements.	MOU signed with R K Dewan & Co, Pune on 07 Aug 2025
2	Certificate Course in Patent Law for Pharma and Biotech Professionals 	This certificate course is designed for professionals working in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology sectors who seek a comprehensive understanding of patent law, both within India and internationally.	MOU signed with LexOrbis, New Delhi, on 10 Oct 2025.

List of ongoing/completed courses

Sl No	Title	Description	Partnership/ Collaboration with
1	Intellectual Property Management and Technology Transfer Course 	Course for MDes students (04 credit course) **Mode:** Off-line **Status:** Completed in October 2025.	Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, MAHE.

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Workshop on "Fundamentals of IPR and Design in Architecture and Planning", Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, MAHE, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.

One-day seminar on "IPR as a Career Choice", Xavier Law School, St. Xavier's University, Newtown, Kolkata, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law & Research, MAHE.

One-day seminar on "Fundamentals of Technology Transfer", Faculty of Juridical Sciences, JIS University, Kolkata, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.

Two-day workshop on "Fundamentals of Patents and Designs", Srishti Manipal Institute of Art, Design and Technology, MAHE, Bengaluru, in collaboration with Centre for IPR Law and Research, MAHE.

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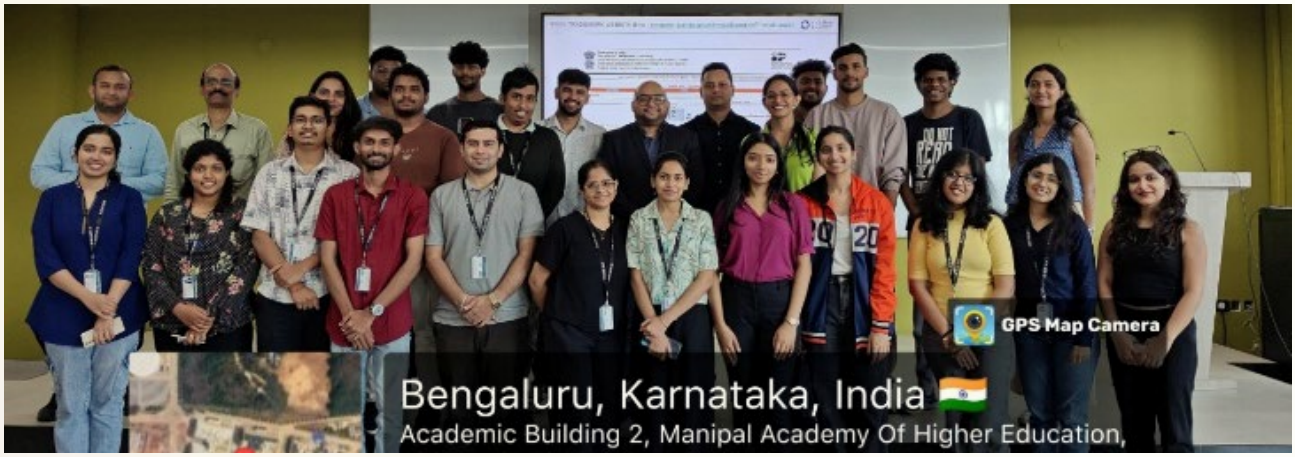

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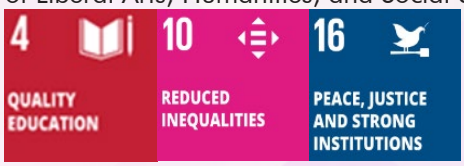
Details of Programs Offered by the Institution
DLHS offers the following academic programs
Single-major Undergraduate (UG) programs leading to the Bachelor of Arts (BA) degree in English, Journalism and Mass Communication, andPsychology

Double-major undergraduate (UG) programs leading to the BA degree with the following combinations History / Political Science / Economics / Sociology

Postgraduate (PG) programs leading to the Master of Arts (MA) / Master of Science (MSc) degree in English Language and Literature, Multimedia and Communication, andApplied Psychology

The department also offers doctoral (PhD) programs in relevant disciplines.

About the Institution/School
DLHS is a constituent unit of the Bengaluru Campus of the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). The Department aims to nurture future global citizens with the ability to address prominent social, economic, and structural challenges facing human civilization today. Through a transdisciplinary approach grounded in critical thinking, the department equips students with topical clarity, analytical and introspective abilities, essential life skills, and effective communication skills. Its objective is to develop well-rounded individuals who can take on the world with confidence and contribute meaningfully to making it a better place. DLHS offers a wide range of relevant undergraduate (UG) and postgraduate (PG) programs across various disciplines within the broader domains of Liberal Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences.



Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities
New Initiatives

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1	Centre for Gender Education and Research	The Centre for Gender Education and Research under MAHE Manipal was effective from 15 Apr 2025. The Centre aims to foster critical inquiry and academic research on issues at the intersection of gender, sexuality, violence, technology, and development within educational contexts. It seeks to cultivate sensitisation, awareness, and capacity-building among faculty, students, and corporate stakeholders by addressing challenges to achieving gender equality in diverse institutional settings. The Centre also focuses on strengthening pedagogical strategies that promote reflexive education, equal opportunities, and the dismantling of unequal power hierarchies. In addition, it intends to add value to MAHE, DLHS, and the broader scholarly community by offering certificate courses, executive training programs, Prevention of Sexual Harassment (POSH) certification, and diversity and inclusion initiatives aligned with industry needs. Its key objectives include, 1. Educational objectives: Developing certificate courses for professionals at various career stages and creating training modules that sensitise students across Bengaluru to gender-responsive practices; 2. Research objectives: Contributing to national and international scholarship by undertaking research projects on emerging gender issues and publishing in reputable academic platforms; 3. Community Impact and Outreach: Influencing policy and practice through collaborative networks across industry, government, and civil society, while modelling effective gender education interventions within the MAHE Bengaluru campus; and 4. Consultancies and Collaborations: Establishing productive partnerships with corporations and Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO) through Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) to conduct gender audits, deliver mandatory POSH trainings, and design customised inputs for Human Resource (HR) departments to advance diversity and inclusion. The centre aligns its work with key Sustainable Development Goals (SDG)—SDG 5 (Gender Equality), SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities), and SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions)—to promote gender justice.	15 Apr 2025-31 Dec 2025
2	Centre for Digital Humanities	The Centre for Digital Humanities, DLHS, was effective under MAHE Manipal from 1 April 2025. The centre aims to become a world-class hub for research and academic activity in the evolving field of Digital Humanities. It seeks to advance scholarship at the intersection of the humanities and digital technology through interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary collaboration. Its key objectives are to, 1. Encourage creative research and cooperation across disciplines to expand knowledge at the confluence of humanities and digital tools; 2. Provide comprehensive training in digital humanities methodologies and technologies, equipping students, researchers, and professionals with essential digital-era skills; and 3. Promote digital literacy, cultural heritage preservation, and inclusive public engagement through accessible, community-oriented digital humanities initiatives. The centre aligns with SDG 4 (Quality Education) by enhancing digital	14 May 2025-31 Dec 2025

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		literacy and integrating digital tools into humanities learning; SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure) by advancing digital platforms, tools, and innovation within academic and cultural contexts; SDG 10 (Reduced Inequality) by expanding access to digital humanities research and cultural heritage for diverse and underserved communities; SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) by digitally preserving cultural heritage and supporting resilient cultural ecosystems; SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions) by using historical and cultural analysis to promote transparency, justice, and social understanding; and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals) by building global collaborations with universities, NGOs, and cultural institutions. The centre, through its integrated approach, is positioned to become a pioneering space for digital innovation in the humanities while contributing meaningfully to MAHE's academic and societal commitments.	

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

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1	Student Research Colloquium (SRC) 	In the face of growing global challenges—including inequality, climate change, and resource depletion—the SDGs offered a unified roadmap to ensure that no one was left behind. Achieving these goals required global collaboration, partnerships, innovation, and knowledge-sharing. This Student Research Colloquium (SRC) aimed to foster dialogue, encourage interdisciplinary engagement, and inspire collective action toward sustainable solutions. Organized by the Student Research Forum (SRF), arivu (Department Research Committee), and the Institutional Research Committee (IRC) of DLHS, MAHE Bengaluru, the colloquium provided a platform for undergraduate, postgraduate, and PhD students to present original research, case studies, and theoretical discussions related to the SDGs. The 17 SDGs were organised into 10 thematic areas, including poverty and hunger, health and well-being, quality education, gender equality, water and sanitation, energy and economic growth, sustainable cities, climate action, global partnerships, and innovation and technology. The SRC promoted academic growth, critical thinking, and scholarly engagement, enabling students to refine their research skills and contribute meaningfully to the academic community at MAHE Bengaluru. The SDGs adopted by the United Nations in 2015 as part of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, presented a comprehensive framework of 17 goals and 169 targets aimed at achieving inclusive and sustainable global development. These goals brought together nations across diverse economic and social contexts under a shared vision of prosperity, equity, and environmental responsibility. By integrating economic, social, and environmental dimensions, the SDGs addressed interconnected global challenges such as poverty, hunger, health, education, gender equality, access to clean water, and environmental sustainability.	28 Feb 2025

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2	Manovaad— Psychology Conclave MAHE-Blr	The inaugural "Manovaad" event successfully fostered a dynamic platform for dialogue between academia, practice, and society; aligning with the theme "The Psychology Nexus: Where Science, Practice, and Society Converge". It inspired participants to recognize the practical relevance of psychological knowledge beyond theoretical study. Dr Manas K Mandal's keynote emphasized the importance of experiential learning and professional growth. The launch of the newsletter "PsychSamvaad" further reinforced the commitment to continuous knowledge sharing. The event strengthened interdisciplinary engagement, motivated students to translate academic insights into societal impact, and set a precedent for future initiatives bridging psychology with real-world challenges.	3 Apr 2025
3	Wavelength 2025— Media Conclave	The inaugural edition of "Wavelength 2025" was a two-day media conclave aimed at bridging academia and industry through meaningful dialogue and collaboration. Featuring eminent speakers from journalism, branding, advertising, filmmaking, public relations, and digital storytelling, the event offered a mix of keynote sessions and lively panel discussions on integrated marketing communication, corporate reputation, journalism in the age of Artificial Intelligence (AI), and hyper-local storytelling on over-the-top (OTT) platforms. These conversations gave students valuable insight into emerging industry trends, ethical challenges, and the future of media technologies. The conclave emphasized credibility, creativity, and inclusivity in communication while providing a platform for students to interact with professionals, ask critical questions, and build networks. Creative showcases—including student short films reviewed by filmmaker Bejoy Nambiar—highlighted collaborative learning beyond the classroom. With strong faculty support and a proactive student-led organizing team, the event embodied the synergy between theory and hands-on practice. From an SDG perspective, the event mapped strongly to SDG 4 (Quality Education) by expanding the horizons of media education through direct industry exposure. Discussions on innovation in communication, AI, and digital transformation resonated with SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure). Panels on representation, inclusivity, and regional content addressed SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities), while the recurring emphasis on ethics and accountability in journalism aligned with SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions). Thus, the event not only celebrated camaraderie but also reaffirmed media's role as a driver of sustainable, responsible, and inclusive growth.	10-11 Apr 2025
4	Namma Shakespeare	Namma Shakespeare was organized by the English discipline students of 1st Year BA English, 2nd Year BA English, and 1st Year MA English Language and Literature courses as a celebration of Shakespeare's works and their continued relevance today. The event brought together students from various disciplines to engage with Shakespeare's works in creative and meaningful ways. The online competitions saw enthusiastic submissions, reflecting a strong interest in blending classical literature with contemporary forms of expression. The offline events on the day	23 Apr 2025

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	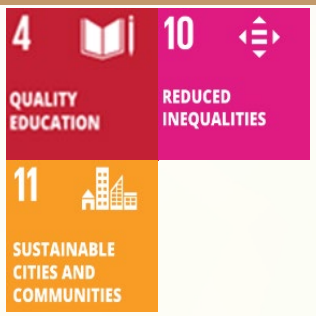	of the celebration were met with active participation and audience engagement. Performances and competitions showcased the talent, creativity, and interpretative skills of the students; while the in-house plays offered a variety and depth to the event, giving space for different forms of expression and interpretation. The "Make Your Own Bookmark" stall served as a fun and interactive space, drawing steady participation throughout the day and adding a personal, hands-on element to the celebration. The event succeeded in fostering appreciation for literature and performance, encouraging creative expression, and building a sense of community among students and faculty. It stood out as a vibrant and enriching experience for everyone involved.	
5	Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Developing Art-Integrated Pedagogy 	A Two-day FDP titled *Developing Art-Integrated Pedagogy*, scheduled for 14 and 15 July 2025, was facilitated by the team from Delhi Art Gallery (DAG). The workshop explored innovative and interdisciplinary teaching methods using art and visual culture to enhance student engagement and critical thinking.	14-15 Jul 2025
6	FDP on Navigating the Publishing Process in Psychology: Insights and Best Practices 	This one-day FDP aimed to enhance research and publishing competencies in Psychology by offering practical insights into journal selection, manuscript preparation, peer review, and ethical publishing practices.	16 Jul 2025
7	FDP: Reimagining Pedagogy in the Age of AI 	Faculty Development Program titled "Reimagining Pedagogy in the Age of AI and Digital Narratives", scheduled for 18th July 2025 was facilitated by Dr Dishari Chattaraj and Dr Arya Parakkate Vijayaraghavan where the facilitators explored several topics such as "The evolving role of facilitators in the AI era", "Understanding digital-native students", "Learner-centered pedagogical practices", "Integrating research into everyday teaching". The team's insightful sessions were on contemporary pedagogical strategies, ethical considerations in AI, and learner-centred approaches. The blend of theoretical perspectives and practical strategies you shared was immensely beneficial. The discussions on engaging digital-native learners and integrating classroom-based research have given our faculty valuable insights to enhance their teaching practices.	18 Jul 2025
8	World Suicide Prevention Day 	To mark World Suicide Prevention Day on 15 September, DLHS organised an event of a day of meaningful conversations and reflections. The program brought together diverse voices to raise awareness and foster dialogue on suicide prevention. It solicited the presence of all DLHS faculty and students across programs.	15 Sep 2025

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9	alèy Literature Festival 2025 	alèy 2025, literature festival took place on 18 to 19 September at MAHE Bengaluru. This year's theme, "Waves of Solidarity" celebrated the power of literature and storytelling to bring people together. The festival featured competitions, panel discussions, masterclasses, book talks, and performances—each designed to create dialogue, kindle imagination, and honour the sheer possibility of thought.	18-19 Sep 2025
10	Mental Health Week 2025 	Mental Health Week 2025 was organized as a multi-day initiative from 6th to 10th October 2025, consisting of pre-events, expert lectures, a masterclass, and a Mental Health Week Carnival. The programme was designed to promote psychological well-being, emotional expression, community resilience, and awareness on mental health through experiential, academic, and creative modalities. The event aligns with SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being), SDG 4 (Quality Education), and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals). By promoting accessible mental health education, fostering collaboration between faculty, students, and clubs, and encouraging psychological resilience, the programme contributed to strengthening mental health literacy and community well-being on campus.	1 Oct 2025
11	Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences 	The social sciences festival titled Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences was a two-day (16 to 17 October 2025) event that celebrated friendship and solidarity through academic, cultural, and interactive initiatives. The word 'Maitri' is rooted in Buddhist, Ambedkarite and feminist traditions, speaks to fraternity across differences; inspiring conversations on justice, community, and collaboration. The event featured panels, workshops, masterclasses, and student competitions. Maitri explored themes such as Peace and War, Social Sciences and AI, and Environmental Humanities. Anchored in interdisciplinarity, the event aimed to connect academia with practice, while showcasing the work of social science students.	16-17 Oct 2025
12	Reflekta 2025 	Reflekta 2025, the annual media fest organized by the students of BA Journalism and Mass Communication, DLHS, was held on Friday, 24th October 2025. The day began with the Opening Ceremony, graced by Ms. Vidya Iyengar, Chief Editor, City Express – The New Indian Express, as the Chief Guest. With over a decade of experience in journalism and people-centered storytelling, Ms. Iyengar shared her insights on "Off the Record: Inside the Unscripted Newsroom." Throughout the day, the campus came alive with a series of exciting events that celebrated creativity, intellect, and innovation.	24 Oct 2025

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13	FDP on Demystifying Bloom's in the Era of Large Language Models	Dr Sowmya Narayanan, Learning and Development Expert, Communication Strategist and Leadership Trainer, facilitated this FDP on Demystifying Bloom's in the Era of Large Language Models.	27 Nov 2025 to 17 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit(lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Timothy W Pollock	Osaka Kyoiku University, Japan	Timothy W Pollock, Lecturer, Osaka Kyoiku University, Japan, conducted a workshop on "The Effect of Dramatic Visual Narrative on Moral Decision-Making: How Movies Can Influence Our Response to the Trolley Car Problem".	9 Jan 2025
2	Mr Sanjeev Kotnala	INTRADIA World	A two-day workshop on Personal Branding was conducted by Sanjeev Kotnala on 17th and 18th January 2025. Sanjeev Kotnala is the Founder at INTRADIA WORLD, Mumbai.	17 - 18 Jan 2025
3	Jayanta Kumar Dash	Senior Advisor, Field Marketing, Dell Technologies	As part of a workshop series on Market Research and Data Analytics with senior industry professionals from reputed organizations, Mr Jayanta Kumar Dash, Senior Advisor – Field Marketing at Dell Technologies conducted a workshop on the topic "Role of Data in Decision Making and Trend Analysis".	18 Jan 2025
4	Dr Rituparna Patgiri	Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Guwahati	An online guest lecture on Sociology Practice in Contemporary Contexts was delivered by Dr Rituparna Patgiri, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Guwahati.	23 Jan 2025
5	Professor M Govinda Rao	Chairman, Karnataka Regional Imbalances Redressal Committee, Member, 14th Finance Commission and former Director, National Institute of Public Finance and Policy (NIPFP)	Professor M Govinda Rao was invited for a panel discussion at DLHS.	5 Feb 2025
6	Dr Gayathri Vasudevan	LabourNet Services India Private Limited, Bengaluru	Dr Gayathri Vasudevan who is the Chairperson at LabourNet Services India Private Limited, Bengaluru was invited for a panel discussion at DLHS.	5 Feb 2025
7	Mr Raghuvir Badrinath	LEAF Farmer Network, Bengaluru	Mr Raghuvir Badrinath, Senior Vice President–Corporate Development, LEAF Farmer Network, Bengaluru, was invited for a panel discussion at DLHS.	5 Feb 2025

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8	Mr V Sridhar	Frontline	Mr V Sridhar, Former Associate Editor, Frontline, was invited for a panel discussion at DLHS	5 Feb 2025
9	Deepali Puranik	Flipkart	Ms Deepali Puranik, Senior Brand Manager at Flipkart visited DLHS to conduct a workshop on “Quick Commerce Campaign and Media Planning”.	8 Feb 2025
10	Ammel Sharon	National Law School of India University	A workshop titled, “The Past is not a Fact: A Workshop on Uncertain Archives” was conducted by Ammel Sharon, Assistant Professor, National Law School of India University.	21 Feb 2025
11	Mr Chakshu Roy	PRS legislative Research, New Delhi	Mr Chakshu Roy, Head of Legislative and Civic Engagement at PRS legislative Research, New Delhi, was invited to speak an orientation session at DLHS.	25 Feb 2025
12	Ms Yashika Kedia	PRS legislative Research, New Delhi	Ms Yashika Kedia, Program Associate at PRS legislative Research, New Delhi, was invited to speak an orientation session at DLHS.	25 Feb 2025
13	Mr Siddharth Agarwal	Veditum India Foundation	Mr Siddharth Agarwal has been walking across India and along India’s rivers, attempting to document and bring stories of marginalised communities and the environment into the mainstream. Trained as an aerospace engineer, since 2014 he has walked 6000+ kms, including the lengths of the rivers Ganga and Ken. He is the founder of Veditum India Foundation where he is working to transform the environmental governance landscape in India. He conducted a guest lecture on “Walking across societal lines to unlearn”.	26 Feb 2025
14	Smriti Kedia	Development Professional	Smriti Kedia, Development Professional, was invited for a panel discussion on "Working with Civil Society Organizations—What can University and students do to prepare themselves".	27 Feb 2025
15	Anisha Kaushik	Pratham Education Foundation	Anisha Kaushik, Program Manager, Pratham Education Foundation, was invited for a panel discussion on "Working with Civil Society Organizations—What can University and students do to prepare themselves".	27 Feb 2025
16	Shukla Bose	Parikrma Humanity Foundation	Shukla Bose, Founder, and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) at Parikrma Humanity Foundation was invited for an online panel discussion on "Working with Civil Society Organizations—What can University and students do to prepare themselves".	27 Feb 2025
17	Sandipan Baksi	Foundation for Agrarian Studies	Sandipan Baksi, Director, Foundation for Agrarian Studies, was invited for an online panel discussion on "Working with Civil Society Organizations—What can University and students do to prepare themselves".	27 Feb 2025

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18	Dr A R Vasavi	Social Anthropologist	Dr A R Vasavi, Social Anthropologist, was invited for an online panel discussion on "Working with Civil Society Organizations—What can University and students do to prepare themselves".	27 Feb 2025
19	Spatica Ramanujam	Vidyashilp University	A theatre workshop was organized by Spatica Ramanujam which introduced students to performance techniques and the art of shedding inhibitions. The session fostered a sense of community among students and encouraged them to engage with the performing arts. The workshop provided a platform for creative expression and served as an excellent opportunity for students to develop their communication and stage presence skills.	28 Feb 2025
20	Dr Rajendran Narayanan	Azim Premiji University, Bengaluru	Dr Rajendran Narayanan, Associate Professor, School of Arts, Science, Azim Premiji University, Bengaluru, was invited for a panel discussion on the role of civil society organisations in ensuring accountability and transparency in Indian Elections.	10 Mar 2025
21	Ms Leah Varghese	DAKSH	Ms Leah Varghese, Research Manager, DAKSH, was invited for a panel discussion on the role of civil society organisations in ensuring accountability and transparency in Indian Elections.	10 Mar 2025
22	Divya Ravindranath	Cities in Fiction and Indian Institute for Human Settlements, Bengaluru	Divya Ravindranath, Cofounder, Cities in Fiction, Senior Researcher at the Indian Institute for Human Settlements, Bengaluru, was invited to conduct a workshop titled "Cities in Fiction".	18 Mar 2025
23	Mr Prakash Marpady	Karnataka Health Promotion Trust (KHPT)	Mr Prakash Marpady, Program Co-ordinator, KHPT, conducted a workshop on Introduction to Participatory Research Methods used in Civil Society Organizations (CSOs)s.	18-19 Mar 2025
24	Dr Shalini Balan	Punarlife	Dr Shalini Balan, Founder, CEO—Punarlife, Counselling Psychologist, Transformation Mind Coach, Corporate POSH and Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act (POSCO) Trainer " was invited to DLHS to conduct a Curriculum Vitae (CV)/Cover Writing Workshop.	21 Mar 2025
25	Ms Akanksha Varma	National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru	Ms Akanksha Varma, PhD research scholar at NIMHANS, Bengaluru, conducted a workshop on "Rorschach Inkblot Test – Theory and Application".	24 Mar 2025
26	Mr Robin Christopher Joseph	Legal Consultant	Mr Robin Christopher Joseph, a Legal Consultant, delivered a guest lecture on Human Rights and Freedom of Religion.	24 Mar 2025
27	Dr Rumki Majumdar	Deloitte	Dr Rumki Majumdar from Director at Deloitte, delivered a guest lecture on "Trade and Tariffs: Economic Impact and Policy".	1 Apr 2025

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28	Dr Keshav J Kumar	NIMHANS	Dr Keshav J Kumar, Professor of Neuropsychology, NIMHANS, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
29	Ms Shruti Rajan Kappil	Amaha Health	Ms Shruti Rajan Kappil, Clinical Psychologist, Amaha Health, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
30	Dr Deepti Puranik	Narsee Monjee Institute of Management Studies (NMIMS), Mumbai	Dr Deepti Puranik, Assistant Professor, NMIMS, Mumbai, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
31	Tara Dnyaneshwar Shinde	Smt P N Doshi Women's College	Tara Dnyaneshwar Shinde, Assistant Professor of Psychology, Smt P N Doshi Women's College, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
32	Dr Ashwini N V	Mukhta Foundation	Dr Ashwini NV, Founder–Director, Mukhta Foundation, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3 - 4 Apr 2025
33	Mr Arjun Kapoor	Centre for Mental Health Law and Policy (CMHLP)	Mr Arjun Kapoor, Program Director, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for Mental Health Law and Policy (CMHLP), was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3 - 4 Apr 2025
34	Mr Arjun Gupta	Independent Researcher and Influencer	Mr Arjun Gupta, Researcher and Influencer, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
35	Dr M Janani	Independent Researcher	Dr M Janani, Independent Researcher, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
36	Dr Manas K Mandal	Visiting Professor at Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Kharagpur	Dr Manas K Mandal, Visiting Professor at IIT Kharagpur, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
37	Dr Ipshita Chowdhury	Thapar Institute of Engineering and Technology	Dr Ipshita Chowdhury, Assistant Professor at Thapar Institute of Engineering and Technology, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
38	Dr Jini K Gopinath	YourDOST and Indian Institute of Psychology and Research (IIPR), Bengaluru	Dr Jini K Gopinath, Clinical Psychologist and Clinical Hypnotherapist, Chief Psychology Officer, YourDOST, Adjunct Professor, IIPR, Bengaluru, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
39	Ms Vishwapriya Kochhar	CHRO and Coach, BlewMinds Consulting	Ms Vishwapriya Kochhar, CHRO and Coach, BlewMinds Consulting, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
40	Dr Latha K	NIMHANS	Dr Latha K, Associate Professor, Department of Mental Health Education, NIMHANS, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	3-4 Apr 2025
41	Professor Malavika Kapur	National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS), Bengaluru	Professor Malavika Kapur, Visiting Professor, School of Humanities, National Institute of Advanced Studies (NIAS),	3-4 Apr 2025

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			Bengaluru, was invited to participate in the Psychology Conclave, Manovaad.	
42	Raju Hittalamani	Kabes Media	Raju Hittalamani, Co-founder Kabes Media, delivered a guest lecture on "What Story Will You Tell? Communication Beyond the Classroom".	3 Apr 2025
43	Nidhi Krishnan	Amadeus Software Labs	Nidhi Krishnan, Principal UX Researcher, Amadeus Software Labs, was invited to deliver a guest lecture on "Consumer Narratives: The Qualitative Realm" as part of a seminar series.	5 Apr 2025
44	Srinivas Kondra	The English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad	Srinivas Kondra, scholar at the EFLU, Hyderabade, delivered an online guest lecture on Gaddar and Telangana Movement.	5 Apr 2025
45	Rajiv Ranjan	IDC Corp	Rajiv Ranjan, Associate Research Director, at IDC Corp, conducted a guest lecture titled, "Use of Inferential Statistics in Industry".	5 Apr 2025
46	Dr Aditya Deshbandhu	University of Exeter, UK	Dr Aditya Deshbandhu, Senior Lecturer of Communication, University of Exeter, UK, was invited to deliver a guest lecture on "Gaming and Digital Leisure: Research approaches, questions, and methods the communications and media studies perspective" as part of a seminar series.	7 Apr 2025
47	Ms Amritha Mohan	Monash University, Australia	Ms Amritha Mohan, Research Scholar, Monash University, Australia, was invited to deliver a guest lecture on "Playing in the Field: Unpacking Sports Studies through life-history and Ethnographic Methods" as part of a seminar series.	8 Apr 2025
48	Lavanya B. T	IIPM, Bengaluru	Lavanya B T, Assistant Professor, IIPM, Bengaluru delivered a guest lecture on Behavioural and Experimental Economics.	8 Apr 2025
49	Ayshwarya Sharma	Leo Burnett India, Mumbai	Ayshwarya Sharma, Executive Creative Director, Innovation, Leo Burnett India, Mumbai, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
50	Nigel Sequeira	Herbalife, Bengaluru	Nigel Sequeira, Senior Manager—Brand and Sponsorships, Herbalife, Bengaluru, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
51	Meera Krishnan	Dua Consulting, Delhi	Meera Krishnan, Principal, Dua Consulting, Delhi, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
52	Narahari KS	The PRactice, Bengaluru	Narahari KS, Senior Media and Crisis Communications Advisor, The PRactice, Bengaluru, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
53	Anusha Ravi Sood	South First, Bengaluru	Anusha Ravi Sood, Executive Editor, South First, Bengaluru, was invited for the	11 Apr 2025

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			second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	
54	Arjya Patnaik	Full Focus Entertainment, Mumbai	Arjya Patnaik, Co-Founder, Full Focus Entertainment, Mumbai, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave— Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
55	Dr Anurag Tripathi	Christ University, Bangalore	Dr Anurag Tripathi, Associate Professor Dept of International Studies, Political Science and History, Christ University, Bangalore, was invited to deliver a guest lecture on "The Role of Ideologies in the US Party System".	11 Apr 2025
56	Dhanya Rajendran	The News Minute	Dhanya Rajendran, Editor-in-Chief, The News Minute, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
57	Adyasha Roy Tomar	McCann Worldgroup, Delhi	Adyasha Roy Tomar, Creative Director, McCann Worldgroup, Delhi, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
58	Nandita Lakshmanan	The PRactice, Bengaluru	Nandita Lakshmanan, Founder and CEO, The PRactice, Bengaluru, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
59	Dr Samir Kapur	Adfactors PR, Delhi	Dr Samir Kapur, Director, Adfactors PR, Delhi, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
60	Bejoy Nambiar	Filmmaker	Bejoy Nambiar, Filmmaker of Repute, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave— Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
61	Rahul Biddappa	Reuters, Bengaluru	Rahul Biddappa, Digital Editor, Reuters, Bengaluru, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
62	Tanay Sukumar	Mint, Delhi	Tanay Sukumar, Editor (Data), Mint, Delhi, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
63	Srinivasan S	Flam, Bengaluru	Srinivasan S, Creative Director, Flam, Bengaluru, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
64	Trishant Srivastava	Film Writer	Trishant Srivastava, Film Writer of Repute, was invited for the second edition of DLHS Media Conclave—Wavelength 2025.	11 Apr 2025
65	Dr. Deepika Kashyap	Digital Media, Indian Institute of Mass Communication, (IIMC)–Aizawl	Dr Deepika Kashyap, Assistant Professor in Digital Media, IIMC–Aizawl, was invited to deliver a guest lecture on "From Field to Facebook: Netnography and its future implications for Digital Research" as part of a seminar series.	14 Apr 2025
66	Shailesh Jadhav	Mirafra Technologies	Shailesh Jadhav, Vice President and Global Head of HR, Mirafra Technologies, facilitated a workshop titled, "Strategic Compensation, Training, and	16 Apr 2025

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			Organizational Culture: Contemporary Frameworks".	
67	Nishant Roy	National award winning filmmaker, scriptwriter, and executive producer	Nishant Roy, National award-winning filmmaker, scriptwriter, and executive producer, conducted a workshop titled, "Pitch Perfect".	18 Apr 2025
68	Ashutosh Pandey	Kanalytics	Ashutosh Pandey, CEO of Kanalytics, was invited to conduct a workshop titled "Media Analytics: Insights Drives Business".	21 - 22 Apr 2025
69	Ms Georgina Evangeline	Accenture	Ms Georgina Evangeline, Director at Accenture, was invited to conduct a session industry-interaction connect.	21 Apr 2025
70	Ms Anusha	KPMG	Ms Anusha, Associate Director, KPMG, was invited to conduct a session industry-interaction connect.	21 Apr 2025
71	Dr Pooja Shrivastava	COTT App, Noida	Dr Pooja Shrivastava, Cofounder–COTT App, Noida, delivered a guest lecture titled "Decoding OTT Media in India".	23 Apr 2025
72	Professor AR Vasavi	Social Anthropologist and an Independent Researcher	Professor A R Vasavi, Social Anthropologist and an Independent Researcher, based out of Bengaluru, delivered a guest lecture on "Conversation on Embedding Practice in Social Sciences".	26 May 2025
73	Ms Shreeja Sen	Delhi Art Gallery (DAG)	Ms Shreeja Sen, Assistant Manager–Education, Museums at DAG facilitated FDP—"Reading Images Using Interdisciplinary Lenses: Modes and Methods of Art-Integrated Pedagogy".	14-15 Jul 2025
74	Ms Ayana Bhattacharya	DAG	Ms Ayana Bhattacharya, Senior Executive–Research and Content, Museums at DAG facilitated FDP —"Reading Images Using Interdisciplinary Lenses: Modes and Methods of Art-Integrated Pedagogy".	14-15 Jul 2025
75	Dr Ankan Kazi	Museums at DAG	Dr Ankan Kazi, Manager, Museums at DAG facilitated FDP—"Reading Images Using Interdisciplinary Lenses: Modes and Methods of Art-Integrated Pedagogy".	14-15 Jul 2025
76	Ms Sumona Chakravarty	DAG	Ms. Sumona Chakravarty, Vice President, Museums at DAG facilitated FDP— "Reading Images Using Interdisciplinary Lenses: Modes and Methods of Art-Integrated Pedagogy".	14-15 Jul 2025
77	Dr Santhosh K R	CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru	Dr Santhosh K R, Associate Professor, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru, facilitated an FDP session on "Navigating the Publishing Process in Psychology: Insights and Best Practices".	16 Jul 2025
78	Dr Dishari Chattaraj	IIT Indore	Dr Dishari Chattaraj, Assistant Professor, School of Humanities & Social Sciences, IIT Indore, facilitated FDP on "Reimagining Pedagogy in the Age of AI and Digital Natives".	18 Jul 2025
79	Dr Shukla Bose	Founder and CEO of the Parikrma Humanity Foundation,	Dr Shukla Bose, Founder and CEO of Parikrma Humanity Foundation, was	21 Jul 2025

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			invited to address the students at DLHS UG Orientation.	
80	Dr Satish Ramaiah	Sukoon Psychiatry Centre	Dr Satish Ramaiah, Sukoon Psychiatry Centre, was invited to address the students at DLHS PG Orientation.	24 Jul 2025
81	Dr Claire Cowie	University of Edinburgh	Dr Claire Cowie, Sociolinguist, University of Edinburgh, delivered a guest lecture on "Shared Rules, Diverse Voices: Corpus and Computation in Language Study".	1 Aug 2025
82	Professor Ramnathan	NA - Researcher	Professor Ramnathan, Researcher, delivered a guest lecture on "Special Talk: Family Therapy: A Practice Method for Counseling Psychologists, Clinical Social Workers and Clinical Psychologists in India and Beyond".	1 Aug 2025
83	Dr Maaz Saiyed	Nexford University, Washington DC	Dr Maaz Saiyed from Nexford University, Washington DC, conducted a two-day workshop (Day 1—Social Commerce: Building Engagement, Value and Growth in the Digital Marketplace, Day 2—Mastering the Seo Game: Rank, Reach, and Results").	22-26 Aug 2025
84	Adyasha Roy Tomar	McCann Worldgroup	Adyasha Roy Tomar, Creative Director, McCann Worldgroup, facilitated a workshop titled, "The Big Brand Theory: How Brands Speak".	25 Aug 2025
85	Dr Kalpana Puroshothaman	NA	Dr Kalpana Puroshothaman, Senior Professor and Counselling Psychologist, conducted a guest lecture on "Law, Mind and Justice: Exploring the Role of Psychology in the Indian Legal System" with two sessions (Session I: "Childhood on Trial- Can Juvenile Justice in India Restore Childhood & Dignity?" and Session II: "In the Best Interest of the Child- Forensic Psychology in Juvenile Justice").	25 Aug 2025
86	Mr Gaurav Ramani	MANASA	Mr Gaurav Ramani, Project manager MANASA, conducted a workshop on "Juvenile Justice Act and Career Prospects of a Forensic Psychologist / Role of a Psychologist in the Indian Justice System".	25 Aug 2025
87	Dr Kalpana Purushothaman	Indian Institute of Psychology and Research (IIPR)	Dr Kalpana Purushothaman from Indian Institute of Psychology and Research (IIPR), conducted a workshop on "Juvenile Justice Act and Career Prospects of a Forensic Psychologist / Role of a Psychologist in the Indian Justice System".	25 Aug 2025
88	Dr Padmini Ram	Urban Ethnographers	Dr Padmini Ram, Founding Director of Urban Ethnographers, invited to conduct a workshop on "A Critical lens on Urban Planning in India Exploring a Public Policy and Problem-Solving Approach".	28 Aug 2025
89	Champaka Tirumala Rajagopal	Centre for Policy Research (CPR)	Champaka Tirumala Rajagopal from Centre for Policy Research (CPR) conducted a workshop on "A Critical lens	28 Aug 2025

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			on Urban Planning in India Exploring a Public Policy and Problem-Solving Approach".	
90	Yashika Kedia	PRS Legislative Research, Delhi	Yashika Kedia, Program Associate, PRS Legislative Research, Delhi, India, conducted a workshop on Parliamentary Reporting.	5 Sep 2025
91	Dr Lalita Murty	NA Applied Linguist (Retired), University of York	Dr Lalita Murty, Applied Linguist (Retired), University of York, conducted a workshop on "Why We Write What We Write: Texts and Social Purpose in Professional English" and delivered a guest lecture on "How to Develop ESP Courses: Interfacing Language Studies with Career Goals".	10 Sep 2025
92	Mr Mohammed Ismail	Manager-Branding, Partnership and Sourcing	Mr Mohammed Ismail, Manager–Branding, Partnership and Sourcing, conducted a guest session on "Towards a Collective Vision for Education".	12 Sep 2025
93	Dr Manavi Pathak	NA Independent Researcher	Dr Manavi Pathak conducted a workshop on "Career Compass: Navigating Crossroads of Organizational Psychology".	12 Sep 2025
94	Nelson Vinod Moses	QPR Institute India	Nelson Vinod Moses, Founder and CEO at QPR Institute India, was invited to deliver a guest lecture titled "Suicide Prevention Day".	15 Sep 2025
95	Dr Nithya Poornima M	NIMHANS	Dr Nithya Poornima M, faculty at NIMHANS was invited to deliver a guest lecture titled "Suicide Prevention Day".	15 Sep 2025
96	Dr Sreemoyee Sarkar	CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore	Dr Sreemoyee Sarkar, Assistant Professor (Senior-scale), Department of Political Science and History, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bangalore, delivered two guest lectures titled "Historical Foundations of Legal Thought in Forensic Psychology" and "Evolution of Legal Frameworks in Ancient India: A Historical Lens for Forensic Psychology".	16 Sep 2025
97	Udbhavi Balakrishna	NA Reporter	Udbhavi Balakrishna, a reporter was invited to deliver a guest lecture.	16 Sep 2025
98	Arpita Das	Yoda Press	Arpita Das, Publisher, Yoda Press, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
99	V Geetha	NA Independent Writer	V Geetha, Writer, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
100	S Joseph	NA Independent Writer	S Joseph, Writer, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
101	Perumal Murugan	NA Independent Writer	Perumal Murugan, Writer, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
102	Nisha Abdulla	Qabila	Nisha Abdulla, Playwright at Qabila, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025

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103	Radha Ramaswamy	Centre for Community Dialogue and Change	Radha Ramaswamy from Centre for Community Dialogue and Change, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
104	Menaka Raman	NA Independent Writer	Menaka Raman was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
105	Neelima Vinod	NA Independent Writer	Neelima Vinod was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
106	Srinath Perur	NA Writer and Translator	Srinath Perur was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
107	Rahul Soni	Harper Collins India	Rahul Soni from Harper Collins India was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
108	Lalitha Murugesan	Lalitha's Book Nook	Lalitha Murugesan from Lalitha's Book Nook was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
109	Athul	Cubbon Reads	Athul from Cubbon Reads was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
110	Rajassekar	Sollazhi Literature Circle	Rajassekar from Sollazhi Literature Circle was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
111	Banu Mushtaq	NA Independent Writer	Banu Mushtaq, Writer and Booker Prize Winner, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025	18-19 Sep 2025
112	Sharanya Manivannan	NA Independent Writer	Sharanya Manivannan, Writer, was invited to participate in the second edition of alèy lit fest 2025.	18-19 Sep 2025
113	Dr Girishchandra B S	NA	Dr Girishchandra B S, delivered a guest lecture on "Bridging Theory and Practice: Neuropsychological tools for understanding Cognition".	26 Sep 2025
114	Dr Madhurima Das	NA	Dr Madhurima Das, One-Day Workshop on Design Thinking.	26 Sep 2025
115	Nujhat Nuari Islam	English and Foreign Languages University	Nujhat Nuari Islam, PhD Scholar, English and Foreign Languages University, delivered a guest lecture on "Emergent Nationhood: Citizenship and the Birth of Bangladesh".	29 Sep 2025
116	Anirudh Baboo	Films Division, One Advertising and Communication Services Limited, Ahmedabad	Anirudh Baboo, Head, Films Division, One Advertising and Communication Services Limited, Ahmedabad, India, conducted a workshop on "Ad Filmmaking: A Practice-Based Approach for the Evolving Media and Entertainment (M&E) Industry Landscape".	8 10 Oct 2025
117	Dr Kumari Ruchi	UPES, Dehradun	Kumari Ruchi is an Assistant Professor of Business Communication at the School of Business, UPES, Dehradun. She delivered a guest lecture on "Tracing Queer Language in Non-urban India".	10 Oct 2025

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118	Professor Chandan Gowda	Vidyashlip University, Bengaluru	Professor Chandan Gowda, Dean, Vidyashlip University, Bengaluru, delivered a guest lecture on "What Do I Miss in Indian Social Sciences?".	11 Oct 2025
119	Dr Payel Dutta Chowdhury	American Welding Society, Doral, Florida, US	Dr Payel Dutta Chowdhury, Marketing and Communications Content Specialist (Asia, Africa, Oceania), American Welding Society, Doral, Florida, USA, delivered a guest lecture on "Colonialism, Insurgencies and the Politics of Intervention in India's Northeast Region with Special Emphasis on Temsula Ao's Writings".	13 Oct 2025
120	Professor P Thirumal	University of Hyderabad	Professor P Thirumal, Professor, University of Hyderabad, was invited for a Book Talk: Inhabiting Technologies/Modernities: Media and Cultural Practices in South Asia.	13 Oct 2025
121	Dr Nuaiman K A	University of Calicut	Dr Nuaiman K A, Assistant Professor, University of Calicut, was invited for a "Book Talk: Inhabiting Technologies/Modernities: Media and Cultural Practices in South Asia".	13 Oct 2025
122	Purna Sarkar	Repair Café Collective India	Purna Sarkar, Founding Member, Repair Café Collective India, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
123	Shradharaj HR	NA Independent Theatre Artist	Shradharaj HR, Independent Theatre Artist, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
124	Aarti Mohan	Sattva Consulting	Aarti Mohan, Co-founder and Partner, Sattva Consulting, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
125	Bhargavi Sathyanarayana Rao	NA Climate Justice and Community Action Leader	BHARGAVI SATHYANARAYANA RAO, Climate Justice and Community Action Leader, was invited for Maitri— Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
126	Namrata	Keemiya Creatives	Namrata, Founder, Keemiya Creatives, delivered a guest lecture on "Marketing Your Book: Real-World Strategies for Authors and Publishers".	16 Oct 2025
127	Anjali Jayanthi Ramachandran	National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS)	Anjali Jayanthi Ramachandran, Archivist, National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS), was invited for Maitri Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
128	Shreyas Srivatsa	Living Labs Network And Forum	Shreyas Srivatsa from Living Labs Network and Forum was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
129	Nitin Devdas Rai	NA Ecologist	Nitin Devdas Rai, an Ecologist was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
130	Aishwarya Ravikumar	Alternative Law Forum	Aishwarya Ravikumar, Communications Coordinator, Alternative Law Forum, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025

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131	Aswathi A Nair	RV College of Engineering, Bengaluru	ASWATHI A NAIR, Assistant Professor, RVCE, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
132	Sukrita Satyabrata Lahiri	PES University, Bengaluru	Sukrita Satyabrata Lahiri, Assistant Professor, PES University, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
133	Gnanasigamony Aloysius	NA Writer, Independent Researcher	Gnanasigamony Aloysius, a writer, independent researcher, was invited for Maitri—Dialogues in Social Sciences program.	16-17 Oct 2025
134	Dr Mrinalini Sinha	Universty of Michigan, US	Dr Mrinalini Sinha, Alice Freeman Palmer Professor of History, University of Michigan, US, delivered a guest lecture on "Spectrum 2025: Talks on Gender and Sexuality—Gendered Citizenship: The Curious Case of India".	17 Oct 2025
135	Shamara Wettimuny	Queen's College, University of Oxford	Shamara Wettimuny, Junior Research Fellow, Queen's College, University of Oxford, delivered a guest lecture on "Centring Conflict: Contemporary Sri Lanka in Perspective".	23 Oct 2025
136	Ms Vidya Iyengar	City Express	Ms Vidya Iyengar, Editor, City Express, was invited for a guest session for Media Fest, Reflekta 2025.	24 Oct 2025
137	Nagesh K	Canon Chinema and Broadcasting, Bengaluru	Nagesh K, Product Specialist, Canon Chinema and Broadcasting, Bengaluru, conducted a workshop on "Canon Camera Workshop".	27 Oct 2025
138	Dr Arpita Chakravorty	M and B Sciences	Dr Arpita Chakravorty, Senior Economist at M and B Sciences, who holds a PhD from the University of Houston delivered a guest lecture on "Bridging the Gap: The Role of Econometrics in Industry." This session is intended for Semester V students and will be held during my regular Econometrics class".	28 Oct 2025
139	Sandeep Chatterjee	Film and Television Institute of India (FTII), Pune	Sandeep Chatterjee, Professor and Head, Department of Direction and Screenwriting, Film and Television Institute of India (FTII), Pune, conducted a workshop on "From Page to Screen: A Foray into the World of Writing Dialogues for Cinema".	30-31 Oct 2025
140	Dr Sowmya Narayanan	NA	Dr Sowmya Narayanan, Independent Learning Consultant; Pedagogical Trainer; Communication and Leadership Trainer, conducted a workshop on "Lead the Change: Student Leadership for Impact and Responsibility" on 31 Oct 2025 and FDP session titled "Demystifying Bloom's in the Era of Large Language Models".	31 Oct 2025-17 Dec 2025
141	Raisa Wickrematunge	Himal South Asia	Raisa Wickrematunge, Senior Editor at Himal South Asia, delivered a guest lecture at DLHS.	31 Oct 2025

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142	Dr Rosa Abraham	Azim Premji University	Dr Rosa Abraham, Associate Professor at Azim Premji University, delivered a guest lecture "Informal Workers: Who are they? What do we know? How do their employment trajectories unfold?".	7 Nov 2025
143	Ms Sindhu Eradi	NA Digital Marketing Trainer, EDOXI, London	Ms Sindhu Eradi, NA - Digital Marketing Trainer, conducted a workshop on "Being Thinkfluencers: Cracking Today's Advertising Briefs" on 15th Nov 2025 and a workshop on "Meta Marketing".	11-15 Nov 2025
144	Ms Debdatta Bajpai	Monks	Debdatta Bajpai, Group Creative Director at Monks, conducted a workshop on Ad Copy Writing.	15 Nov 2025
145	Dr Sheetal Yadav	Assistant Professor, SRM Andhra Pradesh	Dr Sheetal Yadav, Assistant Professor, SRM Andhra Pradesh, delivered a guest lecture on "Who Gets to Belong? : Gendered Spaces, Power, and the Spatiality of Everyday Violence".	17 Nov 2025
146	Puneet Kapoor	Ogilvy South	Puneet Kapoor, Head of Ogilvy South, was invited for a memorial event "Pandeymonium: Tribute to Piyush Pandey".	20 Nov 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
1	26	17	20

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty	
National	International
10	28

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National
Other	1
Workshop	36
Seminar	4

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Students Etched in Memory	Book translated from Perumal Murugan's Tamil memoir	Dr Iswarya V	Penguin Random House India	30 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
2	Challenges to Multiculturalism: Exploring Indian and Italian Experiences	The Language Question: Politics, Policy and Possibility of Multilingualism in India	Dr Ardra Neelakandan Girija	Milano University Press	1 Feb 2025
3	Mozhi Prize Anthology 1: House without Cats and Other Stories	Ammaiyappam (Translation)	Dr Iswarya V	Hyderabad Book Trust/Southside Books	15 Feb 2025
4	On Reflexivity, Relatedness, and Interpretations: The Curved Trajectory of Social Research	Introduction	Dr Roopa Rathnam	Aakar Books	1 Mar 2025
5	On Reflexivity, Relatedness, and Interpretations: The Curved Trajectory of Social Research	Power, Privilege and Representation: Some Methodological Puzzles	Dr Roopa Rathnam	Aakar Books	1 Mar 2025
6	Sociolegal Challenges for the Social Justice Continuum: Perspectives from India and South Africa	Climate change, migration and transformative justice: Towards an ethics of practice.	Dr Devisha Sasidevan	Routledge	1 Nov 2025
7	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	Ainkurunuru (165): The Heroine's Complaint	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
8	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	The Song of the Indoor Season	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
9	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	Where's your Hand, Gnanasoundari?— Amba fishing song	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
10	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	Malaysian Tamil Folk Songs (fragments)	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
11	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	No Fear	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
12	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	Pariah God	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
13	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	Message through the Stork	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
14	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	Politics of the Dogs	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
15	Tamil Terrains: Poems, Translations, Reflections	The Home You Carry Within	Dr Iswarya V	Trace Press, Canada	1 Nov 2025
16	Contours of India-EU Engagements: Multiplicity of Experiences	Cultural Diplomacy and the Dynamics of Cultural Institutes in India and Europe	Amrutha Yathish	Routledge	11 Nov 2025

Details of Research Grants:

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (in INR)	Date(s)
1	DLHS—Tara Prakashana Collaborative Research Project	Dr Arjuna S R	Tara Prakashana and MAHE	15,00,000	20 Feb 2025-19 Feb 2027
2	Women in Decision Making: A study on the impact of representation of women in gram panchayats in Sikkim	Dr E Shantha	Sikkim Manipal University	10,00,000	13 Jun 2025
3	International Workshop on Computational Sanskrit: An Indo–Sri Lankan Collaboration	Dr Arjuna S R	India-Sri Lanka Foundation (ISLF)	2,95,000	26 - 29 Jul 2025

Patent details

Details of Patent Filed

Sl No	Name	Date
1	Systems and Method for Evaluating and Optimising Vastu Compliance of an Environment	29 Oct 2025

Awards/Recognitions

Institution (including "The Best Teacher Award" for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Arjuna S R	Dr Arjuna S R was honoured with the Excellence in Research under Government Grants award in the Assistant Professor category for the year 2024 at MAHE Manipal.	24 Nov 2025

Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Anushree	Shri T R Satish Chandran Memorial Prize in Economics.	20 Jan 2025
2	Dr Iswarya	Dr Iswarya was awarded the Excellence in Research (2024–25) by DLHS, MAHE on the occasion of Annual Day 2025.	17 Apr 2025
3	Dr Arjuna S R	D Arjuna S R was awarded the Excellence in Research (2024–25) by DLHS, MAHE Blr on the occasion of Annual Day 2025.	17 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
4	Dr Divya Kalavala	Dr Divya Kalavala was awarded the Archives and Collections Visiting Fellowship (2024/25) at the Sainsbury Centre for Visual Arts, University of East Anglia, UK.	19 May 2025
5	Dr Kedar Vishnu	Dr Kedar Vishnu was selected for the Australia Awards Short Course on Agriculture and Food Security, fully funded by the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT), Government of Australia.	26 May 2025
6	Dr Kedar Vishnu	Dr Kedar Vishnu was awarded the International Travel Grant for Early Career Professionals by the Agricultural and Applied Economics Association (AAEA), USA.	27 Jul 2025
7	Dr B Geetha	Dr B Geetha received the Certificate of Merit in the 6th Chidananda Dasgupta Memorial Competition for Best Film Criticism 2025, organised by Fédération Internationale de la Presse Cinématographique	1 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Aurosee Panda	Aurosee Panda, a student of BA Journalism and Mass Communication (BA JMC), was selected to participate in the Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue, held from 10 to 12 January 2025. She was among the 30 students selected from the state of Odisha. The national-level platform provided her the opportunity to interact with eminent leaders, youth representatives, journalists, and bureaucrats, and to engage in meaningful discussions on issues shaping India's growth and development.	12 Jan 2025
2	Muskan Dakuda	Muskan, a student of MA Multimedia and Communication (MA MMC), conducted a workshop on "Branding and Communication Strategies" for undergraduate students at the department of Media Studies, CHRIST (Deemed to be University) Bannerghatta Road Campus on 16 January 2025.	16 Jan 2025
3	Juana Siju	Juana Siju, a student of BA Double Majors, presented a paper titled "Retrogression of Maternal Health and the Misalignment of Tribal Knowledge with Contemporary Schemes: A Critical Review of Attapadi" at the National Conference on "Tribal Culture, Heritage and Indigenous Practices", a Janjatiya Gaurav Seminar sponsored by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) and organised by Mount Carmel College, Bengaluru, held on 30 to 31 July 2025.	31 Jul 2025
4	Sharvari Vartak	Sharvari Vartak, a student of BA Psychology, represented MAHE at the 6th International Conference on Research in Psychology, held at Oxford University, London, from 22 to 24 August 2025, where she presented a paper titled "Dissociative Disorders in the Indian Society: Possession or Psychopathy".	24 Aug 2025
5	Ajithesh Menon	Ajithesh Menon from BA Double Majors (2022–2025), published a research paper titled "How do Economic and Systemic Factors Influence Revenue from Stamp Duty and Registration Fees? An Analysis of Kerala, India" in Journal of Property Research, Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group, in August 2025.	31 Aug 2025
6	Nithya Yashasvi	Nithya Yashasvi, a student of BA Psychology, presented a poster at the 6th National Conference on Youth in Social Change, titled "Leading the Green Transition for a Sustainable Future", organised by the Volunteer Service Organization (VSO), MAHE, on 17 September 2025.	17 Sep 2025
7	Aditi B	Aditi B, a student of MSc Applied Psychology, conducted an interactive Mandala Art Therapy session for undergraduate students at BMS College, Bengaluru on 30 October 2025.	30 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
8	Deepa Thiyagarajan	Deepa Thiyagarajan, a student of BA Double Majors, received the Best Research Associate Intern Award under the Law Enforcement and Policing Fellowship on 23 November 2025, conferred by the Council of the Takshashila Institution in association with the India Police Foundation.	23 Nov 2025
9	K Jayakrishna	K Jayakrishna, a student of MA Multimedia and Communication, had his photograph titled "Beyond the Symmetrical" selected as a Highly Commendable Image in the category "My MAHE, My Campus". The competition received 753 photographs from 251 participants, and his was the only image shortlisted as Highly Commendable from DLHS, MAHE, Bengaluru.	10 Dec 2025
10	Archit Sinha	Archit Sinha, a student of BA Double Major, has demonstrated notable academic and professional achievements. He served as a Translator (English to Hindi) for the Voice of Voyant Project, contributing to the translation of the Voyant Tools interface—a widely used digital text analysis platform—into Indian languages. He published an Angika–English translation of "Damyanti," a short story by eminent writer Aniruddh Prasad Vimal, in the translation quarterly The Antonym. He received a Certificate of Achievement (Diamond Tier) from Instilt Educate in recognition of 250+ hours of service, placing him in the organisation's highest service tier. He was also awarded the Outstanding Research Paper Award at the Student Research Colloquium on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) organised by Arivu (the Department Research Committee), and the Student Research Forum (SRF) of DLHS, MAHE. He emerged as the highest scorer among undergraduate and postgraduate participants for his paper titled "Fallacies and Contradictions in the Sustainable Development Goals and the United Nations Operations".	31 Dec 2025
11	Vasundhara Srinivasan	Vasundhara Srinivasan of BA English (2022–2025) won a special mention by the jury at the Mozhi Prize 2025 for her translation Even Luck is a Kind of Talent	31 Dec 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	MAHE Bengaluru Inter Collegiate Women's Table Tennis	The DLHS Women's Table Tennis team achieved Third Place in the MAHE Bengaluru Inter-Collegiate Tournament, delivering a commendable performance across matches.	1 Sep 2025
2	MAHE Bengaluru Inter Collegiate Women's Badminton	The DLHS Women's Badminton team secured the Championship title at the MAHE Bengaluru Inter-Collegiate Tournament, delivering a strong and commendable performance.	2 Sep 2025
3	MAHE Bengaluru Inter Collegiate Men's Basketball	The DLHS Men's Basketball team secured the runner-up position in the MAHE Bengaluru Inter-Collegiate Tournament, showcasing determination, teamwork, and consistent performance throughout the competition.	3 Sep 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
4	MAHE Bengaluru Inter Collegiate Men's Basketball	The DLHS Men's Basketball team finished as runner-up in the MAHE Bengaluru Inter-Collegiate Basketball Tournament, showcasing strong teamwork, skill, and sportsmanship throughout the competition.	21 Sep 2025
5	MAHE Bengaluru Inter Collegiate Women's Tennis	The DLHS Women's Tennis team clinched the Championship title at the MAHE Bengaluru Inter-Collegiate Tournament, demonstrating exceptional performance and competitive spirit.	29 Sep 2025
6	CSE Inter-College Cup 2025	Utsav Khurana from BA Double Majors represented the MAHE Bengaluru football team and secured the runner-up position in the CSE Inter-College Cup 2025, held from 10th to 12th November 2025.	10 Nov 2025

Cultural Activities In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Suggi Habba—Sankranti Cultural Celebration at DLHS	The Cultural Committee of DLHS successfully organised Suggi Habba—A Celebration of the Harvest Season on 17 January 2025 at the AB-2 Ground Floor, bringing together students, faculty, and staff to honour the diverse harvest festivals celebrated across India; including Makar Sankranti, Pongal, Lohri, Bihu, and various regional traditions. The event aimed to foster cultural exchange, community bonding, and appreciation for India's agrarian heritage. The celebrations began with a high-energy surprise flash mob, which set a lively and festive tone for the day. Students arrived in colourful ethnic attire, adding visual vibrancy to the atmosphere. A range of cultural activities—including a Rangoli-making competition, a Mehendi stall, kite-making, a tongue-twister challenge, a JAM session, and a series of mini-games—offered opportunities for creativity, collaboration, and joyful participation. The Rangoli competition showcased exceptional artistic talent, with designs inspired by themes of harvest, nature, and prosperity. The Mehendi stall and kite-making activities highlighted traditional craftsmanship and festive symbolism, while the linguistic games celebrated the diversity of regional languages. The event encouraged community engagement beyond conventional classroom learning, allowing students to experience the spirit of celebration, gratitude, and cultural identity associated with agricultural traditions. Exciting prizes were awarded to winners across various competitions, and the celebrations concluded with collective music and dance, capturing the essence of togetherness and festive cheer.	17 Jun 2025
2	Freshers' 2025	Freshers' Day for the incoming batch, titled "That 2000's Show", was themed around iconic TV shows from the early 2000s. The event featured performances by various clubs, along with music and dance competitions exclusively for the new students. Non-competitive showcases—including group dances and instrumental pieces—added to the celebratory atmosphere. Clubs Questa and Tamasha hosted an interactive quiz, and prizes were awarded to the winners of the competitions. These winners were then nominated for the titles of Star Fresher and Runner-up Star Fresher.	22 Aug 2025
3	Teacher's Day	Teacher's Day was celebrated with a full-day program where students dressed up as the professor of their choice. Each student–professor pair participated in a ramp walk organised by Viella, adding a fun and personal	29 Aug 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
		touch to the event. The celebration also featured music and dance performances by various clubs, making it a vibrant and memorable occasion.	
4	Prakash—Diwali 2025	Prakash—Diwali 2025, an initiative by the Cultural Committee, was a three-day celebration featuring a series of engaging activities. The events included Diya painting, a clothes collection drive, a lively jam session, and an Ethnic Day that brought the community together in festive spirit.	13 Oct 2025
5	Error 666—halloween	The Halloween celebrations at DLHS, organised by the Committee, featured students arriving in creative costumes throughout the day. A running contest for the top three best-dressed participants was hosted on the CC Instagram account, adding to the excitement. The campus was decorated with themed installations and photobooths, creating a festive atmosphere for students to enjoy and capture memorable moments.	29 Oct 2025
6	Resonant Pasts—Mapping Music and Memory	The student exhibition Sonic Worlds in South Asia was held in the AB-2 ground-floor corridor and showcased creative projects exploring sound, memory, and musical traditions. Students worked within three themes—Mapping Song Cultures, Sound Archives, and Instruments, Makers and Music Technology— to examine how music travels, transforms, and is remembered across generations. Many displays highlighted memory as a method of archiving, using interviews, family stories, field recordings, and conversations with instrument makers to trace lullabies, migration songs, labour sounds, and everyday musical practices. Clear visual layouts, thoughtful one-liners, and comment boxes helped audiences engage with the process behind each project. The exhibition also connected to SDG 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities) through safeguarding intangible cultural heritage, SDG 4 (Quality Education) by promoting creative, research-based learning and SDG 5 (Gender Equality) through work on women's musical traditions and SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth) by foregrounding artisans and music-making livelihoods.	29 Oct 2025

Inter Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Rubaru 2025	Rubaru 2025 was the second edition of MAHE Bengaluru Inter Institute festival led by the Central Students Office. It was a 4 day long grand event with 34 student competitions, various competitions and programs for staff and other important sessions that included inauguration, prize announcement and distribution, entertainment sessions such as concert, DJ and Tiger Dance. DLHS had organized four of the competition events such as Extempore, Poetry Competition in English, Street Play, and Stand-up Comedy. All the events organized by DLHS were conducted successfully. DLHS students showcased active participation in all the categories of competitions and DLHS team won the position of First Runner Up in the overall Championship at Rubaru 2025.	19 Feb 2025
2	Utsav 2025	Between 24 to 28 March 2025, MAHE organised "Utsav 2025", a pan-campus cultural festival, bringing together students from across all its campuses—the main campus at Manipal (Karnataka), plus its off-campuses in Mangalore, Bengaluru, and Jamshedpur (India), and international campuses in Dubai (UAE).	24 Mar 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)

From DLHS, a delegation of 90 students participated, representing the MAHE Bengaluru with enthusiasm and pride. The five-day festival was a vibrant celebration of talent, culture and institutional camaraderie, featuring music, dance, theatre, literary performances, art exhibitions, debates and informal hangouts. Utsav succeeded in fostering a strong sense of institutional identity and inter-campus solidarity. Students mingled across campuses, exchanging ideas, collaborating in team events, and building friendships that went beyond academic departments or geographic location. Performances ranged from traditional dance to contemporary music, from dramatic skits to open-mic poetry, showcasing the diverse cultural roots and creative energies of MAHE's student body. For the DLHS delegation, the festival provided an opportunity to experience a breadth of artistic expressions, share Bengaluru perspectives with peers from Manipal, Mangalore, Dubai and Malaysia, and engage in intercultural dialogue. The event boosted morale, fostered cross-campus networks, and strengthened collective belonging to the larger MAHE community. Overall, Utsav 2025 reinforced the value of collaborative cultural spaces within higher education—as venues for celebration, creative exchange, and forging institutional unity across national and international campuses.

Photo Archive of Important Events

International Booker Prize (2025) winning author Banu Mushtaq delivering the keynote address at the alèy Literature Festival 2025, on 18 September 2025.

Keynote Address by G Aloysius, eminent social theorist, at Maitri on 16 October 2025.

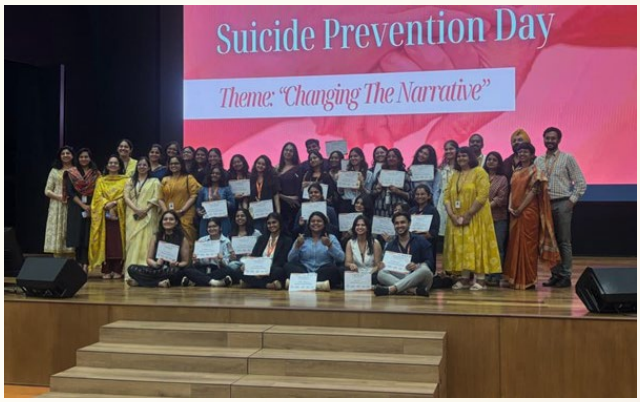
Student performances at Namma Shakespeare, celebrating the birth and brilliance of William Shakespeare on 23 April 2025.

Inauguration of the second edition of the Media Fest, Reflekta 2025, on 24 October 2025.

Dhanya Rajendran's keynote address at the two-day Media Conclave, Wavelength on 10 April 2025.

A Panel Discussion on the Emerging Interface between Artificial Intelligence and Psychology, held during Manovaad—The Psychology Conclave on 3-4 April 2025

Two-Day Faculty Development Program on Art-Integrated Pedagogy conducted by IQAC at DLHS on 14 July 2025



World Suicide Prevention Day, 15 September 2025: meaningful conversations and reflections, bringing together diverse voices to raise awareness on suicide prevention.

Awareness activities conducted as part of Mental Health Week 2025

Student Research Colloquium (SRC), organized by Arivu (the Department Research Committee) and the Student Research Forum (SRF) of DLHS, on 27 February 2025.

Centre for Digital Humanities

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 April 2025
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Arjuna S R
Co-coordinator: Dr Girish N and Dr Swathi Shivanand

Brief About the Centre

The Centre for Digital Humanities, DLHS, was effective under MAHE Manipal from 01 April 2025. The centre aims to become a world-class hub for research and academic activity in the evolving field of Digital Humanities. It seeks to advance scholarships at the intersection of humanities and digital technology through interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary collaboration.

The centre aligns with several Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), enhancing digital literacy and integrating digital tools into humanities learning. Advancing digital platforms, tools, and innovation within academic and cultural contexts. Expanding access to digital humanities research and cultural heritage for diverse and underserved communities. Digitally preserving cultural heritage and supporting resilient cultural ecosystems. Using historical and cultural analysis to promote transparency, justice, and social understanding. Building global collaborations with universities, NGOs, and cultural institutions. The centre, through its integrated approach, is positioned to become a pioneering space for digital innovation in the humanities while contributing meaningfully to MAHE's academic and societal commitments.

Vision: To become a world-class centre in the field of digital humanities research and academic activities.
Mission: To advance digital humanities through innovative research, interdisciplinary collaboration, academic training, and the application of digital technologies to humanities scholarship.

Objectives

- Encourage creative research and cooperation across disciplines to expand knowledge at the confluence of humanities and digital tools.
- Provide comprehensive training in digital humanities methodologies and technologies, equipping students, researchers, and professionals with essential digital-era skills.
- Promote digital literacy, cultural heritage preservation, and inclusive public engagement through accessible, community-oriented digital humanities initiatives.

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount(INR)	Date
1	Mahattara Research Project	Manipal Academy of Higher Education and Tara Prakashana®	Dr Arjuna S R	15,00,000	Jun 2025

Centre for Gender Education and Research

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 01 December 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Sumathi N
Members: Dr Roopa Rathnam

Brief About the Centre

The Centre for Gender Education and Research at MAHE Manipal was established on 01 December 2024. The centre aims to foster critical inquiry and academic research on issues at the intersection of gender, sexuality, violence, technology, and development within educational contexts. It seeks to cultivate sensitization, awareness, and capacity-building among faculty, students, and corporate stakeholders by addressing challenges to achieving gender equality in diverse institutional settings. The centre also focuses on strengthening pedagogical strategies that promote reflexive education, equal opportunities, and the dismantling of unequal power hierarchies. In addition, it intends to add value to MAHE, Department of Liberal Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences (DLHS), and the broader scholarly community by offering certificate courses, executive training programs, POSH certification, and diversity and inclusion initiatives aligned with industry needs. Its key objectives include: 1. Educational Objectives: Developing certificate courses for professionals at various career stages and creating training modules that sensitize students across Bengaluru to gender-responsive practices. 2. Research Objectives: Contributing to national and international scholarship by undertaking research projects on emerging gender issues and publishing in reputable academic platforms. 3. Community Impact and Outreach: Influencing policy and practice through collaborative networks across industry, government, and civil society, while modelling effective gender education interventions within the MAHE Bengaluru campus. 4. Consultancies and Collaborations: Establishing productive partnerships with corporations and NGOs through MOUs to conduct gender audits, deliver mandatory POSH trainings, and design customized inputs for HR departments to advance diversity and inclusion. The centre aligns its work with key Sustainable Development Goals—SDG 5 (Gender Equality), SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities), and SDG 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions)—to promote gender justice.

Vision

- Fostering academic research on the intersection of gender, sexuality, violence, technology, and development in educational contexts.
- Creating and encouraging strong pedagogical strategies for gender relations that address specific apprehensions in HEI about reflexive education, provision of equal opportunities, uncovering unequal power hierarchies.

Mission

- To build on MAHE's core values of fostering cross-disciplinary collaborations within the university's various programs.
- To equip students, academics, and professionals with the analytical tools necessary to critically examine and challenge gender inequalities prevalent in their specific contexts.

Objectivse

- To build a practitioner community by offering certificate courses for professionals at various stages in their careers.
- To sensitize the student community by developing training modules for a wide range of actors within the educational ecosystem in Bengaluru city to promote gender sensitive education.
- To contribute to existing knowledge on gender-related concerns by undertaking research projects that address emerging issues in the context of gender education and publish research papers, articles in national and international journals and magazines.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Gender Sensitization Session	The session was conducted for all UG and PG students of DLHS as part of the Centre's objectives.	30 Jan 2025
2	Establishment of the Advisory Board	The advisory board was established in consultation with industry professionals and academicians. This activity, spanning over two months July 2024 – September 2024, has opened up research avenues and enabled the centre to make connections with several notable personalities.	

Photo gallery

The Centre for Gender Education and Research conducted six sessions of gender sensitization with each of the programs in DLHS

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Our advisory board member shared a post acknowledging her acceptance of the role at the Centre for Gender Education and Research

Department of Public Policy (DPP), Bengaluru

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Established: 2022
Details of Programs offered by the Institution:

- MA Public Policy
- PhD (Evidence-based research)

About the Institution/School:

Department of Public Policy (DPP) was established to cater to the growing educational needs of new-age courses in public administration and management, Public Policy in the country. The department was established in August 2022 and began offering the program in Public Policy from August 2023. Current Program offered: 1. MA Public Policy (two years; first year Learning year and second year Practice year). Aim of the Department: DPP within the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) family caters to the growing need for comprehensive, new-age education of the social, economic, environmental, regulatory, as well as technological challenges from a policy perspective. Our Vision and Mission statements are as follows: • Our Vision is to develop niche programs in the policymaking domain that foster holistic learning and mainstream practice of Public Policymaking in India. • Our Mission is to provide the academic and research framework for capacity-building through education and skill training for futuristic policymakers in diverse fields. Advantage with the advantage of its open-ended, modular-learning curriculum, and efficient pedagogical framework, DPP offers students unparalleled opportunities to explore the art, science, and technique of policy-making across the domains of their personal as well as professional interests. Students can opt for an exit after completion of the first year to obtain a Post-graduate Diploma in Public Policy.

Details of Publications:

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
2	0	2	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students:

Faculty	
National	International
1	0

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution:

Particulars	National
Workshop	1
Conference	1

Photo Archive of Important Events:

First iPolicy workshop was organized from 24 to 26 February 2025 by the excellent team from Centre for Civil Society (CCS) @ccsindia at #maheblru Campus!

SAMAH – The Dr TMA Pai Student Research Conference is an initiative. It serves as a platform for students, researchers, and aspiring policymakers to engage with critical public policy issues.

Centre of Excellence XIII

Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences, Manipal

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Established: 2012

Details of the Programs Offered by the Institution

- PhD
- Integrated MSc PhD- Program

About the Institution/School

Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences (MCNS) was started in the year 2011 under the Manipal Advanced Research Group (MARG). MCNS was conceived as a unique Centre dedicated to the pursuit of fundamental research at the frontiers of the natural sciences. The fledgling MCNS came into its own as a Centre of Excellence under Manipal University in 2012. From its inception, a unique academic program has been initiated and integrated with existing research at leading institutions in India and abroad. Building on its core strength in astronomy, astrophysics, and theoretical physics, MCNS has expanded into specialized areas of Computational chemistry and Evolutionary Biology. MCNS has a vibrant PhD student research program in these areas of Natural Sciences and offers an integrated MSc-PhD program in Physics. The Dr TMA Pai Planetarium housed at MCNS plays a unique and supportive role in conveying the excitement of space and astronomy research to school and college students and the wider public with exciting shows throughout the year.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Sparc School Program	MCNS has organized two SPARC-funded programs on Meeting on High Energy Astronomy - Instrumentation and National level School on "Analysis and statistical modelling of space science data" and "Fundamentals of Space radiation for scientists, engineers, and space entrepreneurs"	07 Jul-24 Sep 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Education and Public Outreach	Public outreach programs using the Dr TMA Pai planetarium shows throughout the year, sky-watch programs, etc., are regularly organized to raise the level of scientific temper among students and the general public. A limited number of Western Ghat biodiversity field trips are also organized for small groups.	01 Jan 2025-31 Dec 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
2	National Science Day	As part of the National Science Day (2025) celebration, school students visited MCNS under the MAHE residential program. The program included an exhibition of models in the foyer, a demonstration of the telescope's workings, and daytime observations of sunspots.	24 Feb 2025
3	Total Lunar Eclipse	As part of outreach activities, MCNS organized a one-day event, 'TOTAL LUNAR ECLIPS' for eclipse viewing.	07 Sep 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
1	Dr Gautham Sabhahit	Armagh Observatory, United Kingdoms	Guest talk on "A new mass estimate method with hydrodynamical atmospheres for very massive Wnh stars"	15 Jan 2025
2	Dr Chethan Krishnan	Professor, Centre for High Energy Physics (CHEP), Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Bengaluru	Guest talk on "Black Holes and Quantum Gravity"	13 Feb 2025
3	Dr S G Rajeev	Professor of Physics and Emeritus Professor of Mathematics, University of Rochester, New York, United States.	Guest talk on "Symmetries in Physics"	22 Feb 2025
4	Prof Ajit Kembhavi	Emeritus Professor, Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics and Principal Investigator of the Pune Knowledge Cluster	Guest talk on "The James Webb Telescope and Observations of the Early Universe"	05 Mar 2025
5	Dr Rama Chandra Prasad Pillutla	Associate Professor, Lab for Spatial Informatics, International Institute of Information Technology, Gachibowli, Hyderabad	Guest talk on "Synergizing Space and Field: Integrating Remote Sensing Satellite Imagery with Vegetation Ecology Studies"	28 Mar 2025
6	Dr Sarath Nelleri	Postdoctoral Fellow, Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur	Guest talk on "Cosmological Modeling: A Bayesian Approach	09 Apr 2025
7	Dr Sameer Salunkhe	Postdoctoral Fellow, NCRA-TIFR, Pune	Guest talk on "Probing the large-scale structures with SKA Pathfinder and Precursor"	16 Apr 2025
8	Dr Somnath Dutta	Support Scientist, Academia Sinica, Taiwan	Guest talk on "Formation of Star-Planet Systems within Molecular	03 May 2025

Sl No	Visitor	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date of Visit
			Clouds and Radio Instrumentation for High-Resolution Observations"	
9	Dr Anirban Bhowmick	Indian Institute of Astrophysics Scholar	Guest talk on "From Ancient Stargazers to Modern Astronomy: How Spectroscopy Shaped Our Cosmic Understanding"	21 May 2025
10	Dr P S Athiray	Assistant Professor, University of Alabama, Huntsville, USA, Center for Space Plasma and Aeronomic Research, NASA Marshall Space Flight Center, ST13	Guest talk on "The success story of slitless X-ray spectroscopy from MaGIXS rocket flights"	11 Jun 2025
11	Prof G Srinivasan	Raman Research Institute	Public Talk on "Origin and Evolution of the Universe"	08 Jul 2025
12	Dr Suchira Sarkar	Post-Doctoral Fellow, IUCAA, Pune	Guest talk on "Exploring structure & dynamics of disk galaxies: Massive disk galaxies with extended low surface brightness stellar disk, and the vertical structure of the Milky Way"	23 Jul 2025
13	Prof Keiichi Umetsu	Academia Sinica Institute of Astronomy and Astrophysics (ASIAA), Taiwan	Guest talk on "Weak Lensing in the Era of Multi-Probe Cluster Cosmology and Astrophysics"	20 Aug 2025
14	Prof Lu Yin	Shanghai University, China	Guest talk on "Gravitational waves from the early universe with present observations"	03 Sep 2025
15	Dr Dibya Chakraborty	Postdoctoral Researcher, Centre for Strings, Gravitation and Cosmology, Department of Physics, Indian Institute of Technology, Madras	Guest talk on "The importance of being warm in the Early Universe: Can String Theory play a role?"	05 Nov 2025
16	Dr Atreyee Sinha	Reader, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research	Guest talk on "Our Universe at the highest energies"	20 Nov 2025
17	Dr Koshy George	Senior Research Fellow, University Observatory Munich, Ludwig Maximilians University	Guest talk on "Euclid: A Space Mission to Map the Dark Universe - Science Objectives, Observational Capabilities, and Early Results"	09 Dec 2025
18	Dr Sanna Gulati	Postdoctoral Fellow, National Centre for Radio Astrophysics-Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (NCRA, TIFR), Pune	Guest talk on "Relativistic Jets from Supermassive Black Holes: Tracing Their Emission from Radio to High Energies"	17 Dec 2025

Details of Publications

National		International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed	Indexed	Non - Indexed
3	0	37	0

Conferences Attended by Institution Faculty and Students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
25	8	13	6

Details of Conferences/Workshops Conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
Workshop	03	0

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	INSPIRE Fellowship under the Inspire Program - Fellowship for students pursuing a full-time doctoral (PhD) program	Ms Sruthy K S, Guide: Dr Chandrachur Chakraborty	DST, New Delhi	597,200	16 Dec 2024 - 15 Dec 2029
2	INSPIRE Fellowship under the Inspire Program - Fellowship for students pursuing a full-time doctoral (PhD) program	Mr B Ananthamoorthy, Guide: Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Department of Science and Technology (DST), New Delhi	644,080	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
3	Study of the Emission mechanism of spatially resolved astrophysical jets in AGN using AstroSat observation	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	ISRO, Bangalore	1,190,383	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
4	Constraints from Ultraviolet Completion on Cosmology	Dr Kazuyuki Furuuchi	Department of Science and Technology (DST), New Delhi	200,349	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
5	SPARC	Prof P Sreekumar	Ministry of Education, New Delhi	5,779,714	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
6	Zooreach Conservation Seed Grant	Mr Vishnu Shreekara Bhat K, Guide: Dr Vivek Pandi	Zoo Outreach Organization Trust	75,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
7	Development of processing tools for the generation of a UV point source catalog using AstroSat/UVIT Data	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	ISRO, Bangalore	1,390,589	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
8	Design and development of a laboratory model of a solar imager for magnetic and doppler at two heights (SIMD-2H)	Dr Sreejith Padinhatteeri	ISRO RESPOND	4,300,000	21 Nov to 31 Dec 2025

Awards/Recognitions
Faculty Members

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Member of ISRO's Space Science Roadmap Formulation (SSRF) program	01 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
2	Prof P Sreekumar	Selected as Chairperson of the Standing Committee of the Venus Orbiter Mission of ISRO	09 Jan 2025
3	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Scientific organizing committee member of the Regional Astronomy Meet (RAM-X)	31 Jan 2025
4	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Chaired one session at the Regional Astronomy Meet (RAM-X) organized by Cochin University of Science and Technology	01 Feb 2025
5	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Chaired one session at the Regional Astronomy Meet (RAM-X)	12 Feb 2025
6	Prof P Sreekumar	Invited to deliver a talk on 'Science Day' at SDM College in Ujire, Karnataka	01 Mar 2025
7	Dr Sumit Kumar	Invited to deliver a talk on "Leptonic Probes of Alternative Left-Right Symmetric Models" at the Centre for High Energy Physics (CHEP), IISc Bengaluru	13 Mar 2025
8	Dr Ashwini U, Senior Staff Scientist	Invited to deliver a talk on "Introduction to FLUKA: A Monte Carlo simulation tool for Radiation Transport" at the Department of Physics at MIT, MAHE, Manipal	19 Mar 2025
9	Dr Vivek Pandi	Invited to deliver a talk on "Recent Trends on Biological Sciences 2025" at the Department of Zoology, Mangalore University	22 Mar 2025
10	Prof P Sreekumar	Chaired a session at the Indian Institute of Astrophysics, Bangalore, as a member of the faculty selection committee	25 Mar 2025
11	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	An invited talk on "Study of blazars and the validity of AGN unification scheme" at Regional Astronomy Meet -X (RAM 2025)	31 Mar 2025
12	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Chaired one session at the “Multiwavelength Study of AGN Central Engine and Its Environment.” Chaired one session at the “Multiwavelength Study of AGN Central Engine and Its Environment”, Central University of Himachal Pradesh (CUHP), Dharamshala	06 - 07 Jun 2025
14	Dr Debbijoy Bhattachary	An invited talk on "Blazars, AGN unification scheme, and beyond" at Multi-Wavelength Study of the AGN Central Engine and Its Environment	08 Jun 2025
15	Dr Debbijoy Bhattacharya	Visiting Associateship at IUCAA (awarded a three-year extension till 31 Jul 2028)	01 Aug 2025
16	Dr Kazuyuki Furuuchi	Recognition as a 'Visiting Associateship' at IUCAA Pune for a duration of three years from 2025 to 2028	01 Aug 2025
18	Prof P Sreekumar	Invited to deliver a talk on “India’s mission to Venus: an early preview” as part of the National Space Day celebration at Central University of Kashmir, Srinagar	21 Aug 2025
19	Prof P Sreekumar	Invited to give a talk on 'The Story of Hydrogen in Our Universe' at the Valedictory Function of MIT Tech Week, organized by the Astronomy Club, MAHE, Manipal.	29 Aug 2025
20	Prof P Sreekumar	Alternate Chairperson of ISRO-Venus Orbiter Mission Preliminary Design Review and Critical Design Review Committee, ISRO, Bangalore	12 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
21	Dr Sreejith Padinhatteeri	Invited to deliver a talk on "Solar Transient Studies with SUIT onboard Aditya-L1", hosted by the Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology, Thiruvananthapuram	13 Oct 2025
22	Dr Kazuyuki Furuuchi	Keynote talk on "Research, Higher Education, Opportunities, and Cultural Practices" at India-Japan Education Conclave 2025	14 Nov 2025
23	Prof P. Sreekumar	Invited to deliver a talk about "Indian Space Astronomy Program: A brief summary" at Suranaree University of Technology (SUT), Nakhon Ratchasima, Thailand	03 Dec 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Adithya H N	Visited as resource person - “Aditya-L1 Teachers Training Workshop”, held at HBCSE, Mumbai	03 Mar 2025
2	Mr Adarsha H A	Manipal Research Colloquium: Best poster award under the Science and Technology category	28 Apr 2025
3	Ms Gayathri Rajendiran	Invited to present the research proposal at the Inter-University Accelerator Centre (IUAC), New Delhi. After a successful evaluation, the committee approved the proposal and granted access to the BTR-2 Beam Time Account (BTA), a facility provided by the IUAC for Ph.D. students.	17 Nov 2025
4	Ms Sruthy K S	Invited as a resource person for the Indian Space Olympiad (ISSO) -2025	27 Dec 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

National Science Day organized by MCNS on 20 February 2025

MCNS arranged Sharada Pooja on the occasion of Mahanavami on 30 September 2025

Meeting with high astronomy on Instrumentation from 24 to 25 September 2025, organized by MCNS

Teachers and Onam Day Celebrations at MCNS 13 September 2025

National Science Day 24 February 2025

National level School on "Analysis and statistical modelling of space science data" organized by MCNS from 07 to 12 July 2025

Technical Session on Advances in design, calibration, and modelling of space-based experiments organized by MCNS between 22 and 23 December 2025

Fire training at MCNS on 12 February 2025

Matrubhasha Diwas was conducted by MCNS on 21 February 2025

MCNS conducted an orientation program for the new batch of the Integrated MSc-Phd Program on 01 August 2025

University Centers XIV

Centre for Kannada and Regional Languages (CKRL)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2023
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Prithvirajesh Kumar S K

Brief About the Centre:

Vision:
The Centre was established in February 2023 on the occasion of *mātṛbhāṣā divas* (International Mother Language Day) with the vision of becoming a Centre of Excellence for teaching and research in Kannada and the regional languages of Karnataka. This represents a significant step towards fulfilling the call of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 for Indian universities to play an active role in developing multilingual programs, promoting Indian and classical languages, and creating high-quality teaching and learning resources to facilitate knowledge transfer across all levels of education. This endeavour also aligns with the pursuit of United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UNSDGs) through language and culture.

Mission:
The Centre offers Kannada language classes to students from diverse disciplines such as Health Sciences, Technology, Management, Humanities, and Social Sciences. It is also working towards developing a learner-centric Spoken Kannada course, with a curriculum aligned with pedagogical frameworks such as the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). Besides, the Centre serves as a resource centre by providing translation services and information on local culture and communities.

Objectives

- To emphasize Kannada pedagogy and to develop innovative, modern, and internationally comparable curricular practices.
- To focus on the research on teaching, learning, and assessment of language competencies for Kannada and some regional languages of coastal Karnataka.
- ***māt̄āḍōṇa kannaḍa***
  To design the programs and modules of Kannada for specific purposes.
- ***gaḍiyāce kannaḍa***
  Translating to and from European languages and developing mutual language practices.
- ***ka-space***
  To create and develop a *'Ka Space'* where artists and practitioners of Kannada arts and cultural practices can come together and share ideas.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	A seminar on old Kannada literature was held to explore contemporary approaches to its reading and interpretation, as part of the celebration of International Mother Language Day.	Dr Purushothama Bilimale, Chairperson of the Kannada Development Authority, delivered a lecture on how classical literary texts such as *Pampa Bhārata, Ranna's Sāhasa Bhīma Vijaya*, and *Kumaravyāsa Bhārata* can be re-read and reinterpreted to engage a wider readership in contemporary times.	23 Feb 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
2.	Panel discussion with language scholars to explore the potential of multilingualism in higher education institutions. 	Dr Peggy Mohan and Dr Purushotham Bilimale shared their ideas on going beyond language barriers and emphasised the importance of mother tongues in higher education institutions, enabling individuals from diverse linguistic backgrounds to actively engage in knowledge exchange.	23 Feb 2025
3.	A field visit to a Koraga settlement to study the Koraga language, listed by UNESCO as an endangered language. 	Students, along with faculty members and the renowned linguist Dr Peggy Mohan, visited a Korga settlement near Padubidri in Udupi District with the objective of undertaking first-hand documentation and linguistic data collection of a tribal language.	6 Mar 2025
4.	A unique lecture–demonstration on local medicine was conducted by Sri Purushotham Adve. 	This workshop was conducted for students of Siddhoushadha enrolled in Kannada classes and was followed by a structured and engaging interactive session. The discussion facilitated a deeper understanding of local medicinal traditions and practices, emphasizing the role of the local language in preserving and transmitting indigenous knowledge.	5 Apr 2025
5.	A panel discussion on the theme *Paad-dana (Tulu Oral Narratives): Tradition and Relevance* was organised in collaboration with Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue (CISD) and other departments at MAHE, inviting local art practitioners as resource persons. 	This marked one of the first occasions where practitioners were brought onto a university platform to share their knowledge, providing valuable insights for researchers in the fields of local art and cultural practices.	13 Aug 2025
6.	A Yakshagana demonstration was presented by renowned Yakshagana artist Sujayeendra Hande, along with Ajith Kumar and Kavya Hande. 	This demonstration helped students studying theatre and performance to understand the local vibrant art form from both theoretical and practical perspectives.	18 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
7.	Initiation of a collaboration proposal between the University of Würzburg and MAHE. 	Professor Karin Steiner and Ms Anette Finger Albert from the University of Würzburg, Germany, visited CKRL, MAHE. During this visit, Dr Prithvirajesh Kumar, Coordinator, CKRL, was invited by the Chair of Indology, University of Würzburg, for a short-term lectureship. As part of this engagement, he interacted with faculty and students, delivered lectures, and gained exposure to international academic practices and collaborative opportunities. An interaction to explore potential avenues for collaboration was also held during the visit.	19 - 25 Oct 2025

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Dr Purushothama Bilimale, Chairperson of the Kannada Development Authority, delivered a lecture on the re-reading of Old Kannada literature, highlighting its contemporary relevance and interpretative approaches.

Professor Sujayeendra Hande, Ajith Kumar Ampalapady, and Kavya presented a Yakshagana demonstration for the Theatre and Performance students.

Purushothama Adve delivered a lecture-demonstration on the local medicinal traditions of coastal Karnataka for Siddha Aushadha students.

Dr Prithvirajesh Kumar at Chair of Indology Wurzburg Univesrity. Dr Katharina Holz, Dr Anna Aurelia Esposito, Prof Karin Stiener, Ms Anette Finger-Albert

Dr Ahmad Gualai, a Tunisian human rights activist who plays a prominent role in the Tunisian Human Rights League—an organisation that is part of the Tunisian National Dialogue Quartet, awarded the 2015 Nobel Peace Prize—visited CKRL during his visit to the institute.

Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (CARAMS)

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Year of Establishment of Centre: 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr K Manjunatha Prasad
Members: All Faculty members of DDS, PSPH, MAHE and DOM, MIT, MAHE.

Brief About the Centre

Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (CARAMS) was established in September 2018 at MAHE with the objectives of fostering advanced research and training in the area of Mathematics, Statistics, and their applications. It facilitates bridging the gap between Mathematicians /Statisticians and Applied Mathematicians working in the area of Health, Technology, and Social Sciences.

CARAMS consists of several (https://carams.in/chapters/)working in different dimensions of pure and Applied Mathematics. Adjunct faculty of MAHE are associated with CARAMS in promoting research and acting as mentors for CARAMS. Along with the activities promoting research in Mathematics and Statistics, the centre aims at offering advanced (https://carams.in/courses) in the subjects of interest. CARAMS offers positions of JRF, PDF, and visiting scientists to work in the area of CARAMS' research interests. MAHE faculty, adjunct faculty associated with MAHE, and the mentors associated with CARAMS are available as advisors for the conduct of research in the area of focus.

CARAMS organizes (https://carams.in/events/) in the focus area, which helps the promotion of Mathematics and Statistics in the university and also in the region. Also, it organizes a series of events, which are popular in nature, to develop teams with members from different branches of science and to develop multidisciplinary projects.

Vision

Attain and enhance the recognition of MAHE in the area of Mathematics and Statistics

Mission

- To organize national and international workshops and conferences in the focus area
- To organize a series of lectures in pure and Applied Mathematics
- To develop several teams with members from different branches of science
- To develop multidisciplinary projects

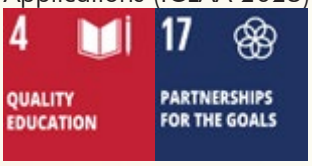
Objectives

- To train our students in the advanced topics, and expose young faculty and scholars to the recent developments and research problems in the emerging area of mathematics and statistics, such as Game Theory, Network Theory, Advanced Linear Algebra, and Combinatorics, with a focus on applications in different branches of sciences
- To introduce the researchers working on Technology, Clinical Research, Public Health, Administration, and Economics to the applications of the emerging area of Mathematics.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
1	One-day symposium on Applied Linear Algebra, Probability, and Statistics (ALAPS 2025)	Padma Vibhushan Professor Calyampudi Radhakrishna Rao is one of the great Indian statisticians who received the 2023 International Prize in Statistics, which is equivalent to the Nobel Prize in Statistics. CRR, a legendary statistician, received this prize for his groundbreaking work entitled 'Information and the Accuracy Attainable in the Estimation of Statistical Parameters' published in the Bulletin of Calcutta Mathematical Society in 1945. C R Rao, born on 10 Sep 1920, at Hoovina Hadagali, Karnataka, lived a long, fruitful life of 102+ years till 22 Aug 2023. Center for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics (CARAMS, MAHE) has been organizing events and special sessions in honor of him since 2020, the year it	13 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
		celebrated 'CRR Day' marking Rao's 100th birthday. In the same year, CARAMS organized an international conference, ALAPS 2020 (online format), in honor of Rao, where Prof C R Rao arrived on the screen with the help of his daughter Teja Rao, accepted felicitation, and conveyed his best wishes to his disciples, collaborators, and admirers among the participants. In the following year, CARAMS organized an international conference, ICLAA 2021, and an international workshop, IWMS 2021 (hybrid format), with common sessions in honor of Prof. Rao. In 2023, a two-day symposium was organized to pay tribute to Prof. Rao, and on the same occasion, a book-volume published in honor of Prof. Rao and dedicated to ICLAA 2021 and IWMS 2021 was released. CARAMS, MAHE, organized a one-day symposium on 13 Sept 2025, in memory of Prof Rao. On the same occasion, there was a technical talk by Prof M H Suryanarayana, which was a part of the CRR Lecture Series organized by CARAMS, MAHE. Quiz competition, College, and Paper presentation competitions were held for students from surrounding colleges. About 120 students from different colleges and universities in the region actively participated in these student activities.	
2	CRR Lecture Series 	The talk-3 in the CRR Lecture Series was organized by CARAMS, MAHE, on September 13, 2025, in which Prof. M H Suryanarayana, *Member, High Power Committee on Redressal of Regional Imbalances, Government of Karnataka,* delivered a talk on 'Statistics and Public Policy Applications'. Around 120 students from different colleges and universities in the region were present.	13 Sep 2025
3	International Workshop on Special Matrices, Graphs and Applications (IWSMGA 2025) 	Centre for Advanced Research in Applied Mathematics and Statistics, MAHE, organized a preconference workshop, 'International Workshop on Special Matrices, Graphs, and Applications', a week before the conference 'International Conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications (ICLAA 2025)'. The main goal of the workshop was to train young students, scholars, and faculty interested in the focus area of special matrices, graphs, and their applications, and to provide exposure to recent developments, applications, and open research problems in this rapidly advancing and dynamic field. The workshop also aimed to stimulate research and support the interaction among the scientists by creating an environment for the participants to exchange ideas and to initiate collaborations and professional partnerships. The workshop was an excellent opportunity for interested students and researchers to interact with the eminent personalities of the subject. Sessions in the workshop included lectures, tutorials, and discussions on recent research trends in special matrices and graphs by Abraham Berman, Stephen J Kirkland, Simo Puntanen, TES Raghavan, S K Neogy, Sukanta Pati, Sivaramakrishnan Sivasubramanian, and other leading personalities of the subject. The course conducted in the workshop carried a credit of two.	10 - 16 Dec 2025

Sl No	Name of the activity	Particulars	Date
		Around 80 participants were actively involved in the workshop in person.	
4	International Conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications (ICLAA 2025) 	International conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications – ICLAA 2025, sixth in its sequence, following CMTGIM 2012 and ICLAA 2014, ICLAA 2017, ICLAA 2021, and ICLAA 2023, is scheduled on December 17-20, 2025, in Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal. It is endorsed by the International Linear Algebra Society (ILAS) and supported by ANRF through the SERB seminar-symposia scheme. Like its preceding conferences, ICLAA 2025 is also focused on the theory of Linear Algebra and Matrix Theory, and their applications in Statistics, Network Theory, and other branches of science. Study of Covariance Matrices, being part of the Matrix Method in Statistics, has applications in various branches of science. About 208 delegates have registered for ICLAA 2025 alone (31 Invited + 112 Contributory) and are from different countries of the world. Interestingly, 80\% are repeaters of the earlier conference, and the remaining 20\% are young students or scholars. Despite a few dropouts due to unavoidable constraints, it is felt evident that the group of scholars with a focus area of Linear Algebra, Matrix Methods in Statistics, and Matrices and Graphs is not only consolidating but also growing as a society with a strong bond. ICLAA 2025 provided a platform for renowned Mathematicians and Statisticians to come together and discuss research problems. It provided ample time for 95 young scholars to present their contributions before eminent scholars. Having adequate parallel sessions in the conference, every contributory speaker got not less than twenty minutes to present their results. The following publications dedicated to the conference 'International Conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications (ICLAA 2023)' have been published. (i) A special issue in the journal 'Indian Journal of Pure and Applied Mathematics (IJPAM)' dedicated to ICLAA 2023. And the following are in the press. (ii) A special issue in the journal 'AKCE International Journal of Graphs and Combinatorics' dedicated to ICLAA 2023. (iii) A book-volume 'Linear Algebra, Matrices, and their Applications' proposed to be published in AMS Contemporary Mathematics' dedicated to ICLAA 2023. The following publications dedicated to the conference 'International Conference on Linear Algebra and its Applications' are planned. (i) A special issue in the journal 'Journal of Algebra and its Applications' dedicated to ICLAA 2025. (ii) A special issue in the journal 'AKCE International Journal of Graphs and Combinatorics' dedicated to ICLAA 2025.	17-20 Dec 2025

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SEQ Figure\ARABIC: Inauguration of ALAPS 2025

SEQ Figure\ARABIC: Release of Souvenir ICLAA 2025

SEQ Figure\ARABIC: Inauguration of ICLAA 2025

SEQ Figure\ARABIC: CRR Lecture Series: Talk - 3 by Prof M H Sooryanarayana, Member, HPCRRI, Government of Karnataka

SEQ Figure\ARABIC: Group Photo – IWSMGA 2025

Manipal Centre for Innovation Leadership and Entrepreneurship (MILES)

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Coordinators: Aparna Pai and Jyothi J

Brief About the Centre

Manipal Centre for Innovation, Leadership and Entrepreneurship (MILES) is an industry-led centre for innovation and entrepreneurship, designed to bridge academic learning with real-world venture creation. Its programs are 100% online, offering flexibility for students and working professionals, and are taught by industry veterans, entrepreneurs, and practitioners. With an application-oriented curriculum, structured academic rigour, and hands-on mentorship, MILES aligns learning to real business contexts. Learners also gain exposure to a strong innovation ecosystem comprising entrepreneurs, incubators, investors, and government-backed platforms, supporting pathways from ideation to venture readiness.

Vision

1. To be the platform of choice in the next 3-5 years for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (IE).
2. Create a strong IE ecosystem within MAHE to geminate more startups.

Mission

Innovation

1. Establish collaborative Centres of Innovation with Industry partners to develop solutions for futuristic problem statements and evangelize new technologies, leveraging the student and faculty pool of the university.
2. Conduct structured academic courses curated by industry leaders on innovation for students and industry professionals.

Entrepreneurship

1. Create a structured program on Entrepreneurship for internal students and external entrepreneurs.
2. Develop alliances with investors, enterprises, and technologists to create a vibrant startup ecosystem.

Objectives

- Build a strong foundation in innovation and entrepreneurship through industry-relevant, application-oriented academic programs.
- Equip learners with practical skills, strategic thinking, and an entrepreneurial mindset to ideate, validate, and develop scalable ventures.
- Deliver structured learning and mentorship led by industry veterans, entrepreneurs, and practitioners.
- Enable pathways for venture creation, incubation readiness, and sustainable growth within and beyond the MAHE ecosystem.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	MILES MILAN-Immersion Program	Cohort 1	11 Jan 2025
2	Ignite Immersion Program	Cohort 1	15 Nov 2025

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MILES 2nd Immersion program for Cohort 1 (Ignite Immersion Program)

MILES 2nd Immersion program for Cohort 1 (Ignite Immersion Program)

MILES MILAN – 1st Immersion program for Cohort 1

MILES MILAN – 1st Immersion program for Cohort 1

Mentorship session led by Dr Raghupathi C N for Cohort 1 at MILES MILAN.

China Study Centre

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2018
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Anand V

Brief About the Centre:
Vision:

1. To establish a university-based study Centre on China of stellar international reputation that would provide objective inputs to the key policy community
2. To create an academic space to discuss, debate, and recommend specific measures on the themes relating to China
3. To link with the rest of the strategic community in the world

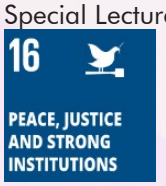
Mission:

1. To identify convergences and divergences between India and China and endeavour to study them in depth.
2. To encourage academic traditions in society, an approach adopted by advanced nations in formulating strategies and taking decisions, provide a platform for exchanging information, knowledge, and ideas with similar institutions abroad, establish cooperation with academic institutions, research Centres, and universities at local, regional, and international levels.
3. To create a highly efficient research team that can contribute meaningfully through their keen intellect and analysis, create databases on security and strategic issues for the future and next generation of researchers, and disseminate the research findings based on rigid analytical processes to the decision makers and civil society.
4. To prepare specialized reports for the National Security Establishment on identified and relevant themes impacting India's national security, with a special focus on the problems of peninsular India and the Indian Ocean littoral.

Objectives:

1. To create a bank of knowledge on China from a multi-faceted dimension, with a concentration on Politics, Economics, Commerce, Society, Culture, Science, and Technology.
2. To establish a network of young analysts having holistic knowledge of China.
3. To build capacity on understanding China's intentions, fundamental goals, and behavioural patterns.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Special Lecture 	Special Lecture by Ms Cleo Paskal on "What Does China Want in the Indo-Pacific and How is it Trying to Get It?"	03 Mar 2025
2	Special Lecture	Special Lecture by Prof S Chandrashekar on "The Role of Space Power in Addressing China's Vulnerabilities"	27 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
3	Research Publication	Jash, A, and Anand, V (2025). *Building the great wall abroad: China's security engagement in Africa*. In *Implications, prospects, and challenges in China's Global South strategy* (pp. 361–393). IGI Global. https://doi.org/10.4018/979-8-3373-0938-5.ch013	11 Jun 2025
4	Research Publication	Anand, V (2025). *China's ascent as a quantum space power*. Chintan Research Foundation. https://www.crfindia.org/publications/issue-brief/chinas-ascent-as-a-quantum-space-power?utm_source=chatgpt.com" \t "_new	01 Sep 2025

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Special Lecture by Prof S Chandrashekar on "The Role of Space Power in Addressing China's Vulnerabilities" on 27 September 2025

Centre for Excellence for Biophotonics

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2016
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Santhosh Chidangil
Members: Professor: 1, Research Associate: 2, PhD Students: 2.

Brief About the Centre

The Centre of Excellence for Biophotonics at Manipal Academy of Higher Education is a premier hub for translational research in light-based technologies, uniquely bridging fundamental photonics with transformative clinical applications through seamless interdisciplinary collaboration among engineers, physicists, researchers, and clinicians across the Manipal campus, India, and international partner institutions. Its pioneering emphasis on non-invasive, portable, and affordable diagnostics, particularly suited for resource-limited settings, sets it apart and is exemplified by the development of advanced optical devices for oral cancer screening and detection, which are currently undergoing multicentre clinical trials in hospitals. Ongoing cutting-edge research activities further underscore its leadership. These include the standardization of photonics-based methods for detecting endometriosis, as well as oral and renal cancers. The centre is also advancing optical techniques for assessing thiamine levels in blood and plasma and developing liquid biopsy approaches. In addition, research efforts encompass laser speckle imaging for cardiovascular diseases and photoacoustic spectroscopy (PAS) for lung cancer detection via breath analysis. Studies on storage lesions in blood components using optical tweezers integrated with micro-Raman spectroscopy further strengthen these initiatives.

Vision: To become a centre of excellence with a focus on fundamental and applied research in photonics and biophotonics.

Mission: To explore, initiate, and pursue research in the cutting-edge areas of photonics and biophotonics, including other interdisciplinary subjects; to create an environment to promote this endeavour and to shape the future direction of work in the subject.

Objectives

- Multi-centre trial of an oral cancer screening device.
- Investigation of storage lesions in platelets and RBCs using optical tweezers combined with micro-Raman spectroscopy.
- Optical diagnostics for early detection of cardiovascular disease using laser speckle imaging.
- Exploring the feasibility of the existing PAS setup for the screening of lung cancer and the development of a portable device
- The protein profiling of blood plasma and peritoneal fluid for the detection of endometriosis.
- Detection of thiamine deficiency using an HPLC-LED system.
- The synchronous fluorescence spectroscopy for detection of endometriosis from body fluids.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Mithun, N, Shamee Shastry, Ganesh Mohan, Jijo Lukose, Murukeshan Vadakke Matham, and **Santhosh Chidangil**. "Activation dynamics study of trapped platelets using a lab-built optical tweezers micro-Raman spectrometer." Scientific Reports 15, no. 1 (2025): 6049.	Corresponding Author	Feb 2025
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5	Lukose, Jijo, Megha Sunil, Elizabeth K Westhead, **Santhosh Chidangil**, and Satheesh Kumar. "Gaining traction of optical modalities in the detection of microplastics." Current Opinion in Chemical Engineering 47 (2025): 101086.	Co-Author	Mar 2025
6	Sunil, Megha, Nelliat Mithun, Martin Xavier, Guruprasad Nayak, Guruprasad Kalthur, **Santhosh Chidangil,** Satheesh Kumar, and Jijo Lukose. "Exploring the detrimental effects of nanoplastics on ecosystems and human health." Journal of Hazardous Materials Advances (2025): 100831.	Co-Author	Aug 2025
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8	Mithun, N, K P Sreejith, and **Santhosh Chidangil**. "Raman spectroscopy techniques for medical applications: analysis of human blood components." In Diagnostic Biomedical Optics: Fundamentals and applications, pp. 5-1. Bristol, UK: IOP Publishing, 2025.	Book Chapter	Jul 2025
9	Matham, Murukeshan Vadakke, C S Suchand Sandeep, Maria Merin Antony, Manojit Pramanik, and **Santhosh Chidangil**. "Diagnostic Biomedical Optics: Fundamentals and Applications." (2025). UK: IOP Publishing, 2025.	Edited Book	2025
10	Storage effect on human blood components probed by Raman Tweezers Spectroscopy, BRICS Workshop on Biophotonics-2025, 29 to 30 September, Saratov State University, Saratov, Russia	Papers presented at the conference	29-30 Sep 2025
11	Optical trap combined with micro-Raman spectroscopy study of live cells: probing of storage effects on red blood cells and platelets, OPTIQ-2025, 26 to 28 November, International School of Photonics, CUSAT Cochin.	Papers presented at the conference	26-28 Nov 2025
12	Raman-tweezers technique to probe storage lesions in blood cells; MTOT-2025, 15 to 17 December, IIT B, Mumbai.	Papers presented at the conference	15-17 Dec 2025

Awards and recognition:

Sl No	Name of the Awards	Particular	Date
1	BRICS workshop on Biophotonics-2025, 29 to 30 September 2025, Saratov State University, Russia.	India Chair	29 Sep 2025
2	OPTIQ-2025: 'Recent Advances in Photonics and Quantum Technologies, 26 to 28 November 2025. International School of Photonics, CUSAT, Cochin, Kerala.	Session Chair	26 Nov 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	Innovative optical diagnostics for Early Detection of Cardiovascular Disease	SPARC, MHRD Govt of India	Dr Santhosh Chidangil	46,03,775	2023-2026
2	Non-invasive detection of lung cancer from exhaled breath using optical technique	SERB Government of India	Dr Santhosh Chidangil	20,00,000	2024-2027
3	Development of handheld LED based optical device for the screening of oral malignancy.	DST- MIDAS Govt of India	Dr Santhosh Chidangil	37,92,615	2024-2027

Photo Gallery

Prof Sandeep Verma, IIT Kanpur and former Secretary of Science and Engineering Research Board (SERB) visited our laboratory.

Prof Shivarama Krishnan, IIT Madras and Prof Sabhu Thomas with Biophotonics Researchers

Visitors from Kannur University, Kannur, Kerala

Demonstrated the oral cancer screening device, developed by our centre, at the Research Conclave, MIT, Manipal

Visitors from Central University Kerala, Kasaragod, Kerala

Prof P K Gupta, Former Director, RRCAT, Indore, visiting the Biophotonics Laboratory.

Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue (CISD)

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2017
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Praveen K Shetty
Members:

- Mr Nitesh Anchan
- Mr Ganesh B V

Brief About the Centre:
The Centre for Intercultural Studies and Dialogue (CISD), MAHE, is a platform for communication across cultures and promotes a meaningful exchange of knowledge between India and the wider world. It is working on a project, 'Discerning India: Living Cultures of Tulunadu', with a focus on bringing the indigenous knowledge system within the academic ambit. As part of the CISD project, several exciting initiatives have been launched to appreciate and preserve the vibrant heritage of the region Tulunadu (a region in the southern coast of Karnataka, India). In 2022, a self-paced online certificate course, "Living Cultures of Tulunadu," was offered to provide a glimpse into the region's rich traditions. Following this, in November 2023, CISD published a visually captivating book titled Living Cultures of Tulunadu, introducing readers to the prominent living traditions that define the area. Additionally, a compelling series of documentaries exploring various facets of the Tulunadu traditions has been produced and shared within academic circles, further contributing to academic discourse and cultural awareness

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Particulars
1	Project- Living Cultures of Tulunadu	Research on Indigenous Knowledge Systems - Documentation - Digital Production - Online Course - Community Engagement - Workshops and outreach activities	Aug 2021 - Present

Awards and Recognition:

CISD Documentaries - **Official Selections at International Film Festival -2025**

Target 11.4-strengthening efforts to protect and safeguard the world's cultural and natural heritage.

Name of the Festival	Place	Documentary	Date
Eight International Folklore Film Festival 2024	Thrissur, India	*Pilivesha of Tulunadu*	10 Jan 2025
Eight International Folklore Film Festival 2024	Thrissur, India	*Satyada Siri*	10 Jan 2025
Tokyo Documentary Film Festival in Osaka	Osaka	*Pilivesha of Tulunadu*	08 Mar 2025

Name of the Festival	Place	Documentary	Date
Rural Film Fest	Alicante, Spain	*Traditional Kambala of Tulunadu*	30 Jun 2025
Fest5 International Film Festival	Kolkata, India	*Pilivesha of Tulunadu*	05 Sept 2025
Indigenous Culture International Film Festival INCUFF	Turkey	*Kambala*	25 Oct 2025

Outreach Activity:

Target 4.7: promotes education for sustainable development, cultural diversity, and appreciation of culture's contribution to sustainable development.

Screenings and Discussion of Documentaries:

- Manipal University Jaipur - November 2025
- Manipal Institute of Social Sciences and Humanities (MISHA), MAHE - October 2025
- Manipal Institute of Communication (MIC), MAHE - October 2025
- Manipal Centre for Health Professions (MCHP), MAHE - November 2025
- Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration (WGSHA), Manipal, MAHE, September 2025.
- Manipal Bangalore Campus - January 2025
- Manipal Institute of Technology - August 2025
- Manipal School of Nursing - November 2025
- Government College, Tenkanidiyur, Udupi – June 2025
- Department of English, Mangalore University - October 2025

Journal Publication:

***Panorama: The Journal of Travel, Place, and Nature's* 16th edition: Encounters.**

https://panoramajournal.org/issues/issue-16-encounters/encounters-when-the-land-looks-back/

Photo Gallery

Kambala Poster

Pilivesha of Tulunadu

Traditional Kambala- Rural Film Fest

Official Screenings at International Film Festivals in 2025

Centre for Research in Banking Financial Services and Insurance

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2019
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Chetana B S
Members:

- Faculty members from Banking, Insurance, FinTech, Statistics, Management, IT, Behavioral Sciences, and allied disciplines
- Research associates and doctoral scholars (as applicable)

Brief About the Centre

Vision:

To emerge as a recognized Centre of Excellence driving impactful research, thought leadership, and innovation in Banking, Financial Services, and Insurance (BFSI).

Mission:

To foster interdisciplinary and industry-integrated research that addresses emerging challenges in BFSI, enhances policy relevance, and strengthens academia–industry collaboration through evidence-based insights and capacity building.

Objectives:

- Bring actionable research through networking with leaders of the BFSI sector and understand issues and trends through organizing Seminars, Conferences, Symposia, and Expert Talks.
- Promote and facilitate collaborative and/or interdisciplinary research and enhancement of research networking capacity and infrastructure.
- Encourage Research Associates and MAB employees to conduct research in the BFSI domain and thereby facilitate them to do PhD through MAHE.
- Provide thought leadership, best practices, research and cutting-edge training in all facets of the BFSI domain.

Activities at the Centre

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Think Tank Session	Thanveer S R, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Yelahanka Division. The session provided valuable insights into cyber threats, recent cases, the role of banks in preventive measures, law enforcement's role in tackling cybercrimes, etc.	20 Mar 2025
2	Awareness Program	RBI integrated Ombudsman scheme 2021 and Safe Banking Practices by Ms Mangalam Venkataraman, Manager, RBI	24 Apr 2025
3	Training session	AI tools for BFSI trainer by Ms Harpreet Kaur Gill	30 Oct 2025
4	Expert Talk	Latest trends in Data and Analytics usage in Banking Sector and what the Future holds by Souvik Chakraborti, Director - EY	06 Nov 2025

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
5	Expert Talk	Academia and Media-Effective Writing for Public and Scholarly Platforms by Prof Vasanth Hegde and Prof Ramya Tauh	11 Dec 2025
6	Panel Discussion	RBI's Recent Policy Initiatives and Their Impact on India's Economy. Moderated by Dr Soumyadip Roy and Panellists: Prof Meena Herle, Prof Venkatesh K V, Prof Boby Joseph.	18 Dec 2025

Photo gallery

Cybercrime in BFSI

Latest trends in Data and Analytics usage in the Banking Sector

RBI integrated Ombudsman scheme 2021

Academia and Media- Effective Writing for Public and Scholarly Platforms

AI tools for BFSI

Panel Discussion

Centre for Ocular Nano Medicine

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2022
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Sulatha V Bhandary, Dr Bharath Raja Guru

Members: Dr Soumya S Nair, Dr Srinivas Mutalik, Mr Nagarajan T, Dr Manjunath Shetty

Brief About the Centre

Vision: To develop a state-of-the-art drug delivery product indigenously, patent it, and take it to clinical trials.

Mission: To advance the field of ocular health by developing innovative nanomedicine solutions for the diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of eye diseases. Through cutting-edge research and interdisciplinary collaboration, we aim to enhance the precision, efficacy, and accessibility of ocular therapies; improving vision outcomes and quality of life for patients worldwide.

Objectives:

- To develop a target nanoparticle Drug Delivery System (DDS) for various ocular diseases.
- To develop animal research models to carry out the nanoparticle drug delivery research.
- To foster innovation and train students, researchers, and health care providers in animal eye research/ nano-ocular drug delivery.
- To apply for patents and take the products to clinical trials.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1.	Continuing Medical Education (CME) on Translating ocular microbiome research into precision drug delivery for ocular diseases and hands on workshop	110 participants registered for the CME and 50 PhD scholars underwent hands on training in metabolomics, confocal microscopy, and 3D printing. Dr Mark Willcox Ocular Microbiologist, Professor at school of Optometry and Vision science . UNSW (University of new south wales) Sydney, Australia Dr Manisha Acharya.Director Cornea services and Eye Banking Dr Shroffs Charity Eye Hospital, Delhi	17 Dec 2025
2.	International preconference workshop on "Exploring the hidden world of microbial diversity: metagenomics uncovered" and hands-on workshop.	80 participants attended the workshop. An international speaker delivered a guest lecture.	13 - 14 Jan 2025

During the reporting period, the Centre strengthened its academic and research profile through doctoral enrolment, scholarly publications, and active student training.

a. **PhD-related work:**
   i. Two PhD scholars were enrolled under the Centre, contributing to the expansion of focused research activities and capacity building.

ii. Ongoing Project 1: Nanoparticle/drug delivery in fungal keratitis
iii. Ongoing Project 2: Nanoparticle/targeted drug delivery in diabetic retinopathy
iv. Ongoing Project 3: Microneedle-based drug delivery in glaucoma

b. Research activity: The Centre currently has two review articles under peer review in reputed journals, reflecting ongoing scholarly output and subject expertise.

Publicaions:

Ocular Delivery of Natamycin in Fungal Keratitis: Barriers, Advanced Drug Delivery Systems, and Translational Challenges – accepted in Journal of Applied Pharmaceutical Science

c. Academic: The Centre actively mentors and trains undergraduate and postgraduate students and PhD scholars in laboratory techniques, research methodology, data analysis, and scientific writing.

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	A microneedle based biodegradable drug delivery system for treatment of glaucoma	Seed Money Grant, MAHE	Dr Sowmya S Co-coordinator of Centre for Ocular Nano Medicine	5,00,000	May 2025

Photo gallery :

International preconference workshop on "Exploring the hidden world of microbial diversity: metagenomics uncovered".

International CME on Translating ocular microbiome research into precision drug delivery for ocular diseases.

Regional Resources Centre for Folk Performing Arts

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 1983

Name of the Administrative Officer: Dr B Jagadeesh Shetty

Advisory Committee Members
Prof B A Viveka Rai, President
Dr K Chinnappa Gowda, Member
Dr K L Kundanthaya, Member
Dr Abhay Kumar, Member
Dr Rekha Bannadi, Member

Brief About the Centre

The Regional Resources Centre for Folk Performing Arts (RRC, as popularly known), Udupi, was established as a unit of the Mahatma Gandhi Memorial College, Udupi. It was founded in 1983. This non-governmental, non-profit organization is dedicated to the documentation, dissemination, and preservation (by archiving) of folk performing arts, folk rituals, folk games, and other folk cultural aspects of the Karnataka region. The RRC took giant steps in this direction under the leadership of the late Prof K S Haridasa Bhat, its founder-director. It grew into an institution of high reputation in the field of folklore studies, thanks to the timely and periodical non-recurring grants from the Ford Foundation between the years 1983 and 1995. Now it is under the administrative Control of MAHE.

Activities at the Centre: Publication, documentation, seminars, workshop, etc.

Interview

RRC, in continuation of its documentation program of great personalities interviewed Dr A Sundara, a well-known Archaeologist of International fame in his house in Shimoga on 12 November 2025

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Visitors

Aikala Pampei Degree College (25 February 2025)
Students of the History Department of Aikala Pampei Degree College visited the Research Centre for Folk Performing Arts to acquaint themselves with the library resources of the RRC."

B B Hegde First Grade College, Kundapura (05 March 2025)

Yakshagana students from B B Hegde First Grade College, Kundapura, visited the Regional Resources Centre for Folk Performing Arts. During the visit, they received information about the library, documentation of RRC and other activities.

Rajendra Singh (13 March 2025)
On 13 March 2025, Senior and renowned Kannada Film Director Rajendra Singh Babu visited R.R.C. to acquaint himself with regional culture.

Research Activities
Recognized Research Centre, MAHE, 5 students are pursuing PhD

Research Publication
A book having articles by known folklorists of **International Fame is in Press**

Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Samshodhana Kendra

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 1965
Name of the Coordinator: Dr B Jagadeesh Shetty
Members:
Prof B A Viveka Rai, President
Dr N T Bhat, Members
Dr Padekal Vishnu Bhat, Members
Prof Muralidhar Upadhya, Members
Dr S D Shetty, Members

Brief About the Centre:
Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Samshodhana Kendra was established in 1965 as a centre for research in Humanities and Area Studies. It was upgraded to a Doctoral Research Centre, originally affiliated with Mysore University, then with Mangalore University, Kannada University, Hampi, and now with MAHE.

The Centre also conducts seminars, workshops, folk-art festivals, theatre arts, as well as documentation programs and maintains an archaeological museum and manuscripts library. It also publishes research works, monographs, conference reports, etc., which are highly valued in the scholarly world. Many foreign scholars visit the centre for their research work on Indian anthropology, sociology, culture, linguistics, and folklore.

Activities at the Centre:
Publication, Endowment Awards, conducting seminars and workshops, maintaining the Archaeological museum, etc.

Endowment Award Programs are:
Muliya Thimmappayya Award (Date: 22 February 2025)
The Muliya Thimmapppayya Award presentation ceremony was held on 22 February 2025 under the auspices of MAHE, Manipal, with the collaboration of Senior Yakshagana artist Jabbar Samo, Muliya Thimmappaya Award Committee. Prof M L Samaga spoke in felicitation of Jabbar Samo.

Govinda Pai Award (23 March 2025)
Dr Hampa Nagarajaiah was presented with the Govinda Pai Award 2024 on 23 March 2025, in recognition of his contributions to scholarship and literature. The award, sponsored by T V Mohandas Pai in memory of his mother, Smt Vimala V Pai, was conferred during the release of the second part of the revised edition of *Govind Pai Samshodhana Samputa*.

Inamdar Award (Date: 23 April 2025)

The **2024 "Inamdar Award"**, given by the **Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre**, was presented to renowned theatre director and playwright **Sri Raghunandan** for his critical work *"Thuythavella Navyadatta: Andattara Uyyale Mattu Adara Sutta"* during the **Muddana Literary Festival** held at **MGM College**.

2024 Ku Shi Birth Centenary Award and 2025 Ku Shi Folklore Award (on 21 June 2025)

Prof Ku Shi Haridas Bhat Folklore Award presentation ceremony was held at the T Mohanadas Pai Skill Development Auditorium of MGM College. The award is instituted in memory of Prof Ku Shi Haridas Bhat Folklore Award is sponsored by Smt Asha Kutyar and Ashok Kutyar, and presented by the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

Dr Purushottama Bilimale, Chairman of the Kannada Development Authority, who attended as the chief guest, presented the 2024 Ku Shi Birth Centenary Award to D K Rajendra of Mysuru and the 2025 Ku Shi Folklore Award to Vijayashree Sabarada of Bengaluru.

Polali Sheenappa Hegde and S R Heggade Award Ceremony (Date: 12 July 2025)

The Polali Sheenappa Hegde and S R Heggade Award ceremony, presented by the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, was held on 12 July 2025 at Nutana Ravindra Mantapa, MGM College campus. The award was presented to historian and retired professor **Dr Malathi Krishnamurthy**. On this occasion, historian **Dr Pundikai Ganapayya Bhat** delivered a special lecture on the topic *"Oral Tradition and Tulu History."*

Sediyapu Award and Kadengodlu Poetry Award (Date: 16 August 2025)

Under the auspices of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, the 2025 Sediyapu Award and Kadengodlu Poetry Award ceremony was held on 16 August 2025 at the Nutana Ravindra Mantapa of MGM College Campus. The Sediyapu Award was conferred on Dr H V Nagaraj in recognition of his achievements. Dr H Mahesh Bhat, a professor at Udupi SMSP Sanskrit College, delivered a felicitation speech about him. Dr S J Bhat released *"Beladingala Sonemale"*, the poetry collection by Prajña Mattihalli, which was selected for the Kadengodlu Poetry Award for the year 2025. The Chief guest, Dr Sridhar R Pai, Administrator of Manipal Academy of General Education, presented the awards.

Keshava Award (Date: 18 October 2025)

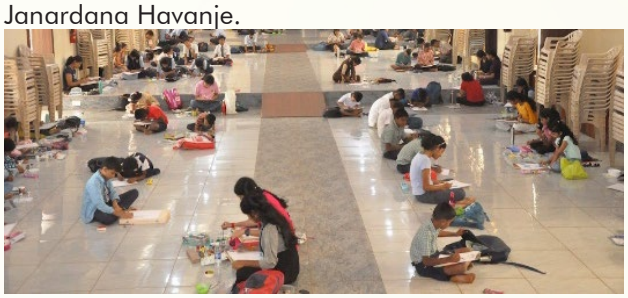
Under the auspices of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, the presentation ceremony of the 2025 Keshava Award was held on Saturday, 18 October 2025, at *Dhvanyāloka* of RRC located in the premises of MGM College. Writer and Yakshagana *arthadhari* Dr Ramananda Banari was conferred the Keshava Award.

Dr U P Upadhyaya – Dr Susheela P Upadhyaya Award (Date: 29 November 2025)

Under the joint auspices of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre and Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), the Dr U P Upadhyaya – Dr Susheela P Upadhyaya Award presentation ceremony was held on Saturday, 29 November 2025, at the Geethanjali Auditorium of MGM College. The award was presented to Ashtavadhani and poet Dr Kabbinale Vasantha Bharadwaj. Tulu dictionary expert Padmanabha K Kunnaya delivered the felicitation speech regarding the awardee.

Barkuru Moodukeri Gangamma Ramachandra Shastri Memorial Drawing Competition (Date: 29 November 2025)

Under the auspices of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, and MGM College, Udupi, the Barkuru Moodukeri Gangamma Ramachandra Shastri Memorial Drawing Competition was organized on Saturday, 29 November 2025, at the Ravindra Mantapa of MGM College Campus. Students from pre-primary, primary, secondary, higher secondary, and degree levels participated in large numbers. Cash prizes and certificates were awarded to the winning students. The judges for the competition were Sri Santosh Pai, Art Teacher, Sri Ramesh Ambadi, and Dr Janardana Havanje.



Extra activities

Ranganath Celebration (Date: 12 August 2025)

The Ranganathan Birthday celebration, organized at the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre on 12 August 2025, was successfully held. The chief guests were Shri Kishore Kumar, Librarian of MGM College. Shri Bhuvanaprasad Hegde was also present. Dr B Jagadeesh Shetty, Administrative Officer of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Dr Arun Kumar S R, and other staff members participated in the program.

Publication

Śrīrāma-Āśvamedhaṁ and Naṇḍaḷike's Aisiri

On the occasion of the 155th birth anniversary of Muddaṇ, an unveiling program of works composed by Muddaṇ, including Tekkunja Gopalakrishna Bhaṭṭa's creations, was held. The event was organized in collaboration with the Rāṣṭrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, MGM College, and Naṇḍaḷike's Muddaṇ Prakāśana. Dr Kabbinale Vasanth Bhāradvāj introduced Muddaṇ's work *Śrīrāma-Āśvamedhaṁ*. Dr Pādekallu vishnu bhatta, the editor of *Śrīrāma-Āśvamedhaṁ*, was also present.

Pampabharata Book Release (Date: 06 January 2025)

Under the auspices of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre and Manipal Academy of Higher Education, the book by Dr N T Bhat titled Pampabharata Retold as English Narrative' was unveiled. Belagodu Ramesh Bhat introduced the book.

Govinda Pai Samputa Book Release (23 March 2025)

On 23 March 2025, coinciding with the 142nd birth anniversary of the late Manjeshwara Govinda Pai, the second volume of the revised edition of *Govinda Pai*

Samshodhana Samputa was released. The event was presided over by Dr B A Viveka Rai, former Vice Chancellor of Kannada University, Hampi, and the volume was officially released by Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor of MAHE. Editors Prof Muralidhara Upadhya and Dr Padekallu Vishnu Bhat discussed the special features of the revised edition during the event.

PhD Degree

Shamanth Kumar K S: Kannada University, Hampi, has awarded a PhD degree to Shamanth Kumar K S. for his research thesis titled "*Kannadalli Takura Natakagalu: Bidugadeya Kathana.*" The research was conducted under the guidance of Dr Gananatha Shetty Ekkar under the auspices of Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Samshodhana Kendra, Udupi.

Prafulla K V has been awarded a PhD by Kannada University, Hampi, for her thesis titled *"Yakshagana Adhyayanagalu: Tatvika Swaroopa."* The research was conducted under the guidance of Dr Udaya Kumar under the auspices of Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Samshodhana Kendra, Udupi.

Visitors

Students of Aikala Pampai Degree College (on 25 February 2025)

Students of the History Department of Aikala Pampa Degree College visited the Regional Folk Arts Study Centre and the Govinda Pai Research Centre. They gathered information about the library and the Oriental Antiquities Collection here and engaged in the study of books required for research activities. They also obtained information about activities such as RRC documentation.

B B Hegde First Grade College, Kundapura

On 05 March 2025, Yakshagana students from B B Hegde First Grade College, Kundapura, visited the Regional Folk Performing Arts Study Centre and the Govind Pai Research Centre. During the visit, they received information about the library, RRC documentation, and other activities.

Rajendra Singh (13 Mar 2025)

On 13 March 2025, senior and renowned Kannada Film Director Sri Rajendra Singh Babu visited R G Pai Library.

Research Activities

Recognized PhD centre by Hampi University

Research Publication

We publish a research journal, 'Tuluva'

Yakshagana Kendra

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- Sri Manjunath Mayya, Member
- Vishwanath Shenoy, Member
- Prof S V Uday Kumar Shetty, Member
- Dr Tallur Shivarama Shetty, Member
- Sri V G Shetty, Member
- Dr Shailaja S, Member
- Smt Meenalakshini Adyanthaya, Member
- Dr B Jagadeesh Shetty, Secretary

Brief About the Centre

School of Yakshagana

Yakshagana Kendra, Udupi (now run by Yaksha Gurukula Shikshana Trust) is one of the cultural wings of MAHE. It was established in 1971. It is a training centre, imparting professional training (free of charge) in the art of Yakshagana (Badagutittu) dance and music to young learners in the traditional Gurukula system. The learners are provided free food and accommodation. The learners here live with their teachers under the same roof and are housed in Shivaprabha, the training complex of the centre, having facilities like classrooms, library, green room, practice hall, study rooms, rest rooms, etc. The complex also includes well-laid-out quarters for the Gurus, in addition to an outdoor auditorium and a museum for the benefit of visitors. The Kendra is managed by a Registered Trust, the Yaksha Gurukula Shikshana Trust.

Activities at the Centre:

Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali, Udupi - 52nd Annual Day *(Date: 08 February 2025)*

The 52nd Annual Day of Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali, and M M Hegde Award presentation ceremony was held on 08 February 2025 at Yakshagana Kendra Indrali. The event was organized by Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali, in collaboration with **Yakshagurukula** Shikshana Trust, Manipal, Academy of Higher Education, and Department of Kannada and Culture, Udupi.

During the program, Yakshagana artist Srinivasa Devadiga from Naguru was honoured with the M M Hegde Award. At the same time, Mr Praveen Koppal, a member of YakshaRanga of Kendra, was also felicitated. Performances included the Yakshagana "Bhishma Vijaya" by students of the Kendra, and "Himmela Vaibhava" by students from outside.

07 June 2025

Mr Vishwanath Shenoy, the founder of the Vishwasamskrutiprathistanaand member of the Advisory Committee of the Yakshagana Kendra, donated notebooks and other learning materials to the students of Yakshagana Kendra.

Jambavati Kalyana Yakshagana Performance

Date: 14 June 2025 | Venue: Manipal Institute of Communication (MIC), Manipal

In an International Conference held at MIC MAHE on 14 June' 2025, Yakshagana artists of Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali, presented the *"JambavatiKalyana"* Yakshagana performance.

YakshaSadhakaAward (19 July 2025)

The Guru Matapadi Veerabhadra Nayak Yaksha Sadhaka Award, sponsored by the Belanje Sanjeev Hegde Trust (Regd), was presented to Jalavalli Vidyadhara Rao, a well-known yakshagana Artist. Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali, G Shankar Family Trust Ambalpadi, and Ujwal Developers and Belanje Sanjeeva Hegde Trust ® jointly organized this program, held at Town Hall, Ajjarkad on Saturday, 19 July 2025. Sri Bhuvana Prasad Hegde, a member of the advisory committee of Yakshagana Kendra, delivered the felicitation address of the awardee. After the award ceremony, the Yakshagana performances *"KrishnaarjunaKaalaga"* and *"Raja Bhadraseena"* were held.

Yakshagana Certificate Course (28 September 2025)

The Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali (MAHE), in collaboration with Manipal Academy of Higher Education, inaugurated the Yakshagana Certificate Course on Sunday, 28 September 2025, at the auditorium of the MISHA Lake Campus, Manipal. The course was inaugurated by Dr H S Ballal, Pro Chancellor, MAHE.

On the occasion, Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor, MAHE, Dr P Giridhar Kini, Registrar, MAHE, Prof M L Samaga, Retd Principal, Shri Palli Kishan Hegde, Chairman, Advisory Committee, Yakshagana Kendra, Dr Jagadish Shetty, Administrative Officer, Yakshagana Kendra, Mr Manjunath Maiya, Member of Advisory Committee, Yakshagana Kendra, and Dr Praveen Shetty, Coordinator of the course were present.

123rd Birth Anniversary of Dr Kota Shivaram Karanth – 10 October 2025

On 10 October 2025, the 123rd birth anniversary of Dr Kota Shivaram Karanth and the book release ceremony of *Yakshagana Poorvaranga* were held at Ravindra Mantap of MGM College. The program was organized jointly by the Yakshagana Kendra, Indrali, and the Manipal Academy of Higher Education. On this occasion, a documentary on Dr Karanth was screened, and an exhibition of rare photos of Dr Karanth was also arranged.

Kanakadasa Adhyayana Samshodhaa Peetha

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2008
Name of the Administrative Officer: Dr B Jagadeesh Shetty
Advisory Committee Members:

- Prof B A Viveka Rai, President
- Dr A V Navada, Member
- Prof Taltaje Vasantha Kumar, Member
- Dr Mahabaleshwar Rao, Member
- Dr Arun Kumar S R, Member

Brief Information About the Centre:

In 2008, the Government of Karnataka sanctioned a grant of 1 crore INR to the Govind Pai Samshodhana Kendra to undertake research and allied projects in honour of the great Saint Kanakadasa. Study of his devotional songs, poetry, propagation of his work among the masses and the youth, encouraging studies on the works of Kanakadasa, are some of the objectives of the Kanaka Adhyayana and Samshodhana Peetha. The Peetha works in collaboration with Saint poet Kanakadasa and Tatvapadas Study Centre, Bangalore.

The Kanaka Adhyayana and Samshodhana Peetha undertakes diverse programs and projects to encourage not only scholastic and academic study of the songs and literary compositions of the sage Kanakadasa but also to encourage laymen and young people, particularly school children and students, to take to the study of the life of Kanakadasa, understand the significance of his works, and spread his message to the people.

Activities at the Centre:

Extension Lecture Series (25 August 2025)

Under the auspices of the Kanakadasa Adhyayana and Samshodhana Peetha, Udupi (MAHE), Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre (MAHE), and the Department of Kannada, Dr B B Hegde First Grade College, Kundapur, an extension lecture was held on 25 August 2025 on the topic: Kanakadasa Vartamanadamukhamukhi. The lecture was delivered by Dr Sudhakar Devadiga B, Head, Kannada Department, Government Pre-University College, Koteshwara.

Kanaka Jayanti (08 November 2025)

On 08 November 2025, Saturday, Kanaka Jayanti was celebrated at Ravindra Mantapa, MGM College. It was organized by the Kanakadasa Study and Research Centre, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE). Dr R Narasimhamurthy, Retd Kannada Professor, from Mangalore, delivered a lecture on the topic *Kanakadasa, the Unique Consciousness of the Dasa Tradition*. In connection with Kanaka Jayanti, on 07 November 2025, a Kanaka Singing Competition was conducted for pre-university and degree students of the Udupi district, and prizes were distributed to the winners.

Pre-University Section:

Ms Medini Bhat, 1st PUC, 1st place, Poornaprajna College

Ms Aditi R Aithal, 2nd place, 2nd PUC, MGM College, Udupi

Mr H Achintya Rao, 2nd PUC, 3rd place, Vidyodaya Pre-University College

Degree Section:

Ms Shreya Nagaraj, 1st place, Dr B B Hegde College, Kundapur

Ms Chandana C M, 2nd place, Saint Mary's Syrian (SMS) College, Brahmavar

Mr Satvik, 3rd place, MGM College, Udupi

Bhajana Samavesha (06 and 07 December 2025)

The Department of Kannada and Culture, Santa Kavi Kanakadasa and Tattvapadakara Study Centre, Bengaluru, Kanakadasa Adhyayana Samshodhana Peetha, Udupi, and Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre jointly organized a Coastal Bhajana Convention on 06 and 07 December 2025, at T Mohandas Pai Amrita Soudha Auditorium, MGM College campus.

Dr B A Viveka Rai inaugurated the function. Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor (Technology and Science), MAHE, was the chief guest and Ka.Ta. Chikkanna, President of the Santakavi Kanakadasa and Tattvapadakara Study Centre, presided over the function. Prof Vanita Maiyya, Principal, MGM College, Dr Devidas S Nayak, Principal of MGM Evening College, Smt Poornima, Assistant Director, Department of Kannada and Culture, Udupi, Raviraj H P, Program Coordinator, Dr B Jagadish Shetty, Administrative Officer of the Rashtrakavi Govinda Pai Research Centre, Katyayani Kunjibettu, Member Secretary of the Santakavi Kanakadasa and Tattvapadakara Study Centre, Bengaluru, were present on the occasion. 13 Bhajana troupes participated in the convention. At the valedictory function, Smt Pratibha M L Samagawas was the chief guest.

Vadiraja Kanakadasa Sangeetotsava (28 December 2025)

On 28 December 2025, with the collaboration of the Department of Kannada and Culture, Bengaluru, Vadiraja Kanakadasa Sangeetotsava Samithi, Kanakadasa Kanakadasa Adhyayana Samshodhana Peetha, Udupi, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, MGM College, Udupi, and SaRiGaMa Bharathi Music School (R), Parkala, the 47th Vadiraja Kanakadasa Music Festival was held at the Geethanjali Auditorium of MGM College.

Senior scholar Dr B A Vivek Rai inaugurated the program and released the book *"Vadiraja Kanakadasa Sahitya Manthana"*. Dr Ramesh T S, Head of the Department of Sanskrit, Poornaprajna College, delivered a lecture on Vadiraja Kanakadasa. The program was presided over by Dr B Jagadeesh Shetty, Administrative Officer of the Kanakadasa Samshodhana Peetha. Umashankari, Director of Sarigama Bharathi Music School, Parkala; Dr Arun Kumar S R, and Mrs Malathi Devi, Principal of MGM Pre-University College, were present.

A music concert was presented by Vibha S Nayak and a troupe from Mangalore and Mrs Usha Ramakrishna Bhat from Bengaluru with her troupe. Vocal performances were also given by the winners of the Vadiraja Kanakadasa Singing Competition. The valedictory function and prize distribution took place from 15:45 to 16:30.

Research Activities:

Extension lectures are given by scholars after the required study and research.

Research Publication:

Vadiraja Kanakadasa Sahithya Chinthana

Center for New Age Happiness

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Year of Establishment of the Centre: 2024
Name of the Coordinator: Dr Rayan Charls Mathias
Members: Dr Geetha Maiya, Dr Roshan David Jathanna, Dr Arvind Pandey, Dr Rashmi Yogesh Pai

Brief About the Centre:
Aim: To offer a nurturing and supportive setting where individuals can delve into and improve their overall wellness.

Objectives:

- To assess and quantify the existing state of happiness of students/staff of the MAHE community.
- To equip students/staff with tools and techniques to cultivate greater well-being, resilience, and emotional intelligence.
- To advance research in the field of new age happiness, fostering local innovation and establishing collaborative partnerships on both national and international scales.

Activities at the Centre:

Sl No	Name of the Activity	Particulars	Date
1	Individual Yoga Pose Video	International Day of Yoga Online Competitions	02 - 10 Jun 2025
2	Peer Yoga Challenge	International Day of Yoga Online Competitions	02 - 10 Jun 2025
3	Daily Yoga Challenge	International Day of Yoga Online Competitions	02 - 10 Jun 2025
4	Yoga Storytelling Video	International Day of Yoga Online Competitions	02 - 10 Jun 2025
5	E Poster Competition	Theme: Say no to drugs	24 Jun 2024
6	Why Happiness Matters in Everyday Life	Student Council Heads Meeting, MAHE Manipal	18 Aug 2025

List of Ongoing Projects/Research Grants:

Sl No	Title	Funding Agency	Name of the PI	Amount (INR)	Date
1	"Mapping Students' Happiness: Psychological Insights into Emotional Wellness and Campus Inclusivity"	DSA MAHE	Dr Rayan Mathias	6000	04 Dec 2025

Centre for Distance and Online Education

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Directorate of Online Education

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Year of Establishment: 2019

Details of Online Programs/Courses offered

UG Programs	PG Programs	PG Certificate Programs
Bachelor of Business Administration	Master of Business Administration	PG Certificate in Logistics and Supply Chain Management
Bachelor of Commerce (Professional)	Master of Science (Data Science)	PG Certificate in Business Analytics
	Master of Science (Business Analytics)	
	Master of Computer Applications	

About the Institution:

The Centre for Distance and Online Education (erstwhile Directorate of Online Education) is a constituent unit of Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) committed to advancing the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 4 (SDG 4) of ensuring inclusive and equitable quality education for all. Established in 2019, CDOE strives to revolutionize the field of education by offering high-quality online programs that provide lifelong learning opportunities to individuals worldwide. CDOE takes pride in its diverse range of online programs designed to enhance professional skills and academic knowledge while promoting sustainable development.

CDOE's commitment to inclusive and equitable education extends globally. At present, students from more than 50 countries have enrolled in CDOE's online programs, creating a diverse and inclusive learning environment that fosters cross-cultural understanding and collaboration. This global reach ensures that learners from different backgrounds and regions have access to quality education and the opportunity to contribute to sustainable development in their communities. CDOE-MAHE has signed an agreement with the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), Government of India, to support education in African countries. Through the MEA's eVidyaBharati eArogyaBharati (eVBAB) Pan-African Network Scholarship Project, CDOE offers its online programs to African learners, empowering them to pursue quality education and contribute to sustainable development in their countries. This transformative initiative has already enrolled over 1000 students from 15 African countries, widening access to education and creating pathways for sustainable development in Africa. By equipping African learners with the knowledge and skills to address local challenges, CDOE-MAHE is playing a vital role in fostering human capital development and promoting sustainable socioeconomic progress across the continent.

Academic Activities:

1. Dr Nahima Akthar completed a course titled "Higher Education 1-0-1: Research, Policy, and Practice" offered by the Centre for Education Research (CER), MAHE, Manipal, from 23 Jan to 10 May 2025.

2. Prof Shrishma Rao attended a 3-Day Hands-on Workshop (Online) on "AI for Precise Cancer Detection" organized by Think (AI) – A Machine Learning Community, from 03 to 06 Feb 2025. The program was conducted under the guidance of Mr Nirmal Gaud, CEO and Master Trainer, Think (AI), Bhopal.

3. Dr Aruna Doreen Manezes participated in a "Core skills for successful publications" - One-hour training organized by Wiley Researcher Academy held on 07 Feb 2025.

4. Dr Aruna Doreen Manezes completed a certificate course in Scoping Review Methodology conducted by Prasanna School of Public Health, MAHE, Manipal, held on 10 Feb 2025.

5. Dr Poornima Shetty successfully completed a certificate course in Scoping Review Methodology conducted by CliMed Academy and Curio Training and Research Institute (CTRI), initiatives of CliMed Research Solutions, India, held from 10 to 13 Feb 2025, and secured Grade A with two academic credit points.

6. Dr Nahima Akthar attended a workshop on "Introduction to Evidence and Gap Maps (EGM)" on 27 and 28 Feb 2025, organized by the Centre for Evidence-informed Decision-making in collaboration with the George Institute for Global Health.

7. Dr Poornima Shetty successfully completed the "Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Writing" certificate course conducted by CliMed Academy and Curio Training & Research Institute (CTRI), initiatives of CliMed Research Solutions, India, held online from 13 to 16 Mar 2025, and secured Grade A+ with two academic credit points.

8. Dr Poornima Shetty delivered a talk on "AI and the Future of Work: What Every Computer Graduate Must Know" at MGM College, Udupi, on 26 Jun 2025.

9. Prof Ujwal M S served as a Session Chair at a One-Day International Conference on the theme "Sustainable Development Goals in Action – Empowering Solutions for a Sustainable World." The conference was held on 26 Jun 2025 in hybrid mode at the Manel Srinivas Nayak Institute of Management (MSNIM), Bondel Campus, Mangalore. It was organized by MSNIM in collaboration with INTI International University, Malaysia, and in association with the Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (MSCE), MAHE.

10. Prof Shrishma Rao participated in a two-Day scientific workshop on "Frontiers in Biomedical Intelligence: Signal Processing, Imaging, and Clinical Applications" conducted on 20 and 21 Aug 2025 at Manipal Institute of Technology (MIT), MAHE, Manipal.

11. Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige participated in a workshop on "Developing Best Practices for Quality Assurance in Open, Distance and Online Learning" organized by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council & Indira Gandhi National Open University in partnership with The Open University, U K, held on 25 and 26 Aug 2025 at New Delhi.

12. Dr Vishwajeet Singh attended a workshop on Nurturing Future Leadership Program (Capacity Building Program under MMTTP), at TAPMI, Manipal, held from 15 to 19 Sep 2025.

13. Dr Aruna Doreen Manezes participated in a three-Day Faculty Development Programme on Experimental Design and Text Analytics organized by TAPMI, Manipal, on 14 Oct 2025.

14. Dr Poornima Shetty participated in a 3-day Faculty Development Programme on "Experimental Design and Text Analysis" organized by TAPMI, Manipal, from 14 to 16 Oct 2025.

15. Prof Shrishma Rao attended the Faculty Development Program on "Experimental Design and Text Analytics" held on 14, 15, and 16 Oct 2025 at TMA Pai Block, T A Pai Management Institute (TAPMI), Manipal.

16. Prof Ujwal MS served as a Judge on 04 Nov 2025 for Kalotsava 2025, the inaugural edition of the intercollegiate cultural competition, organized as part of the Global Village Day celebrations at MSCE Campus, Manipal School of Commerce and Economics (Formerly Department of Commerce, Manipal Campus), Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal.

17. Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige, Director, Directorate of Online Education, was invited as a speaker at D2L on "Transforming Outcome-Based Education with AI" held on 06 Dec 2025 for a Round Table meet in Mangalore.

18. Dr Nahima Akthar participated in the 2-Day Online Faculty Development Program on "Generative AI for Teaching and Research" on 08 and 09 Dec 2025, organized by Service Setu Academics.

19. Dr Vishwajeet Singh participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

20. Dr Aruna Doreen Manezes participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

21. Dr A Venugopal Shanbhogue participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

22. Dr A Venugopal Shanbhogue served as a member of the organizing committee for the workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" conducted by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

23. Dr Poornima Shetty participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 December 2025.

24. Prof Gaurav Chandrashekhar Hajare participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

25. Dr Nahima Akthar participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

26. Prof Shrishma Rao participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

27. Dr Archana Nayak Kini participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

28. Prof Ujwal MS participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

29. Prof Shreevatsa Gudi participated in a workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" organized by the Directorate of Online Education, MAHE, on 10 Dec 2025.

30. Dr Archana Nayak Kini participated in a workshop on 'Plan Lessons That Stick: Boost Retention and Engagement Through Smarter Course Design' by Harvard Business Impact on 11 Dec 2025.

31. Dr Aruna Doreen Manezes completed a Coursera course on GenAI for people and Talent Management on 13 Dec 2025.

32. Dr Nahima Akthar participated in a workshop on "Beginning your AI journey: The Practical Starter for Healthcare Professionals", organized by the Department of AI in Healthcare, KMC Manipal, on 16 Dec 2025.

Conference Presentations and Research Publications:

1. Dr Vishwajeet Singh presented a research paper titled "Evaluating Agricultural Development in Uttar Pradesh using a TOPSIS-Based Factor Analytic Model" at ICAN-OPT NEPAL 2025, Kathmandu University, Nepal (08 to 10 May 2025).

2. Dr Anamika Kumari presented a research paper titled "Utilizing Neutrosophic Stratified Ranked Set Sampling: An Efficient Approach for Estimating Average Relative Humidity in the USA" at ICAN-OPT NEPAL 2025, Kathmandu University, Nepal (08 to 10 May 2025).

3. Prof Gaurav Chandrashekhar Hajare presented a research paper titled "Unveiling Socio-economic Inequalities in Uttar Pradesh: A spatio-temporal Study with Wroclaw Taxonomy and K-means Clustering Techniques" at the International Conference on Non-linear Analysis and Optimization (ICAN-OPT Nepal 2025), organized in collaboration with Tribhuvan University, Nepal Sanskrit University, Nepal (08 to 10 May 2025).

4. Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige presented a research paper titled *"Enhancing Communication Competencies through MOOCs: Insights from a Student Survey"* at the 31st AMIC Annual conference in Mumbai, held from 09 to 11 Oct 2025.

5. Prof Shrishma Rao presented a research paper titled "From Pixels to Words: ResNet-LSTM Based Image Captioning with Greedy and Beam Search" at the 1st Engineering Data Analytics and Management Conference (EAMCON 2025), held on 26 and 27 Nov 2025 at Melaka, Malaysia.

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7. Kamath R et al, Singh V (2025) – Impact of early tracheostomy on resource utilization and patient outcomes in trauma ICU patients – PLoS One (Scopus Q1/SCIE) (Corresponding Author).

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9. Singh V, Kumari A, Singh R (2025) – Neutrosophic Stratified Ranked Set Sampling for Relative Humidity Estimation – International Journal of Neutrosophic Science (Scopus Q1).

10. Kamath S et al, Singh V (2025) – Out-of-pocket expenditure in India: A systematic review – Frontiers in Public Health (Scopus Q1).

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Non-Response Error with Numerical Illustration and Simulation Study. Quality and Quantity.

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19. Poornima, S, Shashidhar, K, and Fernandes, R (2025). Real Time Sentiment Analysis of YouTube Live Chat with Apache Spark and Kafka. IEEE Access. (Q1)

Photo Gallery

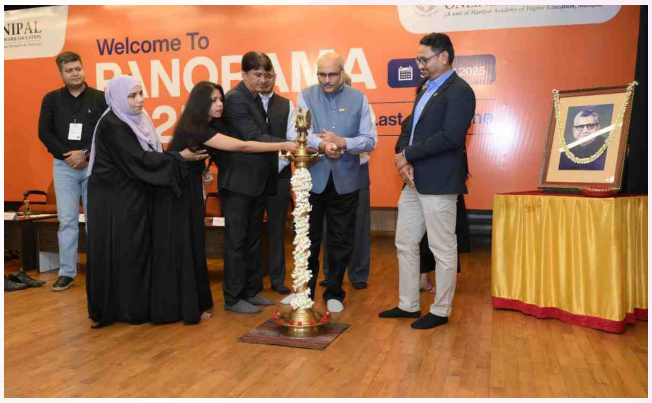
1st Convocation of MAHE Online Education - February 2025

Staff Outbound Training - March 2025

International Women's Day celebration at DOE - March 2025

Yoga Session led by Women for Women and Others - March 2025

DOE Participation in Staff Utsav - March 2025



Panorama -Campus Immersion Programme for MAHE Online Learners - June 2025

Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige participated in a workshop on "Developing Best Practices for Quality Assurance in Open, Distance and Online Learning" organized by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council and Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) in partnership with The Open University, United Kingdom, held on 25 and 26 August 2025 at New Delhi

Teacher's Day celebration at DOE - September 2025.

Part of 33rd Convocation of MAHE: 2nd Convocation of MAHE Online Education, November 2025.

Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige, Director, Directorate of Online Education, was invited as a speaker at D2L on "Transforming Outcome-Based Education with AI" held on 06 December 2025 for a Round Table meet in Mangalore.

Workshop on "Case-Based Teaching" for the faculty of DOE - December 2025.

Alumni meet- Dr Manojkumar Nagasampige, Director, Directorate of Online Education, with an alumnus of the Directorate of Online Education, Mr Ndikumana Jacques (MSc Data Science-Batch 1) in Kigali, Rwanda.

Offshore Campus XVI

MAHE – Dubai Campus

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Established: **2003**

Details of Programs Offered by the Institution:

- Bachelor of Architecture
- Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
- Bachelor of Arts in Film Studies and Television Production
- Bachelor of Arts in Media and Communication
- Bachelor of Business Administration
- Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours)
- Bachelor of Commerce (Honours) Professional
- Bachelor of Commerce (Professional)
- Bachelor of Design (Interior Design)
- Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Applied Psychology
- Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Biotechnology
- Bachelor of Science (Honours) in Food and Nutrition Science
- Bachelor of Science in Animation
- Bachelor of Science in Applied Psychology
- Bachelor of Science in Biotechnology
- Bachelor of Science in Food and Nutrition Science
- Bachelor of Science in Information Systems and Management
- Bachelor of Technology (Honours) in Computer Science and Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology (Honours) in Mechanical Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology in Civil Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Financial Technology
- Bachelor of Technology in Data Science and Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology in Electrical and Electronics Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology in Mechanical Engineering
- Bachelor of Technology in Mechatronics
- Doctor of Philosophy in Engineering and IT
- Doctor of Philosophy in Business
- Doctor of Philosophy in Biotechnology
- Master of Arts in Media and Communication
- Master of Business Administration (International Business)
- Master of Design in Interior Design
- Master of Design in Sustainable Design
- Master of Science (Food Science and Safety)

- Master of Science in Applied Psychology
- Master of Science in Information Science
- Master of Science in Medical Biotechnology
- Master of Science in Molecular Biology and Human Genetics
- Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics
- Master of Technology in Civil Engineering (Construction Engineering and Management)
- Master of Technology in Computer Science and Engineering (Information Security)
- Master of Technology in Energy Systems and Management
- Master of Technology in Engineering Management
- Master of Technology in Mechanical Engineering (Manufacturing Technology and Automation)
- Post Graduate Diploma in Business Administration
- Post Graduate Diploma in Cyber Security
- Post Graduate Diploma in Data Science
- Post Graduate Diploma in Logistics and Supply Chain
- Certificate Program in Interior Design Foundation

About the Institution/School

MAHE, Dubai Campus proudly holds a prestigious 5-star rating from the Knowledge and Human Development Authority (KHDA) and is licensed by the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research (MoHESR), further establishing itself among the UAE's leading universities. The campus was also the recipient of the Forbes Middle East Higher Education Award for Outstanding Student Support in 2019. MAHE Dubai was also declared a winner for three categories at the Economic Times (ET) Education Excellence Awards 2025 – Middle East: Excellence in Green and Sustainable Campus, Excellence in Career Development and Industry Collaboration, and Excellence in Student Well-being, Support and Inclusion. With over 3100 students and a network of more than 9,500 alumni making significant contributions across industries worldwide, MAHE Dubai's impact extends far beyond its campus walls. MAHE Dubai offers various undergraduate, postgraduate, certificate, foundation, and doctoral programs through its five schools: Business, Engineering and IT, Life Sciences, Design and Architecture, and Liberal Arts. All programs are designed to blend academic rigour with real-world relevance, supporting students in becoming adaptable, industry-ready professionals.

Institutional Activities/Curricular Activities

New Initiatives:

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
1	Centre for ESG	The Centre for ESG launched at MAHE Dubai aims to integrate Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) principles into Academics, Research, Campus operations, and Community engagement (ARC). The Centre will embed principles of sustainability, social impact, and ethical leadership amongst students by fostering innovation, building industry-academic collaborations, and empowering them to contribute meaningfully to global and regional sustainable development.	13 Jun 2025
2	SOLS - Student Training Agreement with the Gabriel Registrar	A student training agreement has been signed with Gabriel Registrar, a leading training service provider of ISO certifications and Quality management.	03 Jul 2025

Sl No	Activity	Particulars	Date(s)
3	E-waste Campaign	In partnership with New Era Recycling, MAHE Dubai organized an E-waste Campaign for the campus community to recycle the e-waste	24-25 Sep 2025
4	MILA - Launch of Bachelor of Arts (Honours) Program at MAHE Dubai. The university introduced an interdisciplinary undergraduate program aimed at developing ethical, socially conscious, and globally competent graduates. The initiative focuses on integrating humanities and social sciences with skill-based learning and research orientation. It represents a significant academic expansion aligned with global education standards and emerging career pathways in creative industries, social impact, policy, and communication sectors.	The Bachelor of Arts (Honours) at MAHE Dubai is an interdisciplinary undergraduate program designed to nurture ethical thinkers and global leaders. Students explore multiple disciplines such as English, Sociology, Psychology, Mass Communication, Filmmaking, Gender Studies, Geopolitics and International Relations, and Foreign Languages. The program offers flexible learning pathways including single majors, double majors, and minors. The curriculum emphasizes contemporary global issues, critical inquiry, research, digital literacy, and skill development. It prepares graduates for diverse careers in creative industries, media, public policy, international relations, social sectors, education, and higher studies, while promoting analytical thinking and social responsibility.	30 Sep 2025
5	SOEIT – Launch of a new program in 2025	The School of Engineering and IT (SOEIT) launched the program, Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science and Financial Technology. This course introduces students to the essential mathematical concepts and techniques used in financial analysis, modeling, and decision-making. It covers topics such as time value of money, interest rate calculations, annuities, risk assessment, and optimization methods relevant to financial systems. Emphasis is placed on applying mathematical tools to real-world financial problems, particularly in the context of digital finance, algorithmic trading, and blockchain-based financial technologies.	30 Sep 2025

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6	Manipal Business School (MBS), MAHE Dubai	A new entity with this name was created to focus on Post Graduate Business Education within MAHE Dubai.	30 Sep 2025
7	SOLS - Strategic MoU with ANANTA group	SOLS has signed a strategic MoU with ANANTA Middle East Scientific Office LLC. A group of health & wellness companies. The MoU covers research cooperation in areas of nutraceuticals, medicine, and food supplements. It also facilitates student internships and workshops.	02 Oct 2025
8	MAHE Dubai Beyond Boundaries Podcast Launch	MAHE Dubai has launched the Beyond Boundaries podcast series to establish itself as a thought leader and a bridge between academia and industry. The series brings together industry leaders, experts, and policymakers for meaningful dialogues designed to inspire students, parents, and the wider community.	13 Nov 2025
9	SOLS - Strategic MoU with Dubai Municipality	The School of Life Sciences (SOLS) has signed a strategic MoU with the Dubai Municipality during the concluding day of the Dubai International Food Safety Conference 2025. The MoU covers cooperation on Research, Student Internships, and Food Safety workshops, campaigns, etc. The MoU was signed by Dr Arif Hussain, Chairperson of the School.	17 Nov 2025
10	Seeding Sustainability Program at Glendale International School	MAHE Dubai's 'Seeding Sustainability' Program, which has received a Verified Impact Project Stamp from MAJRA was conducted for Grade 3 to Grade 5 Students for awareness on water footprint. A survey was conducted to understand choices for students on packaging lunch boxes and overall awareness	03 Dec 2025

All Other Activities in the Department Relating to the Program/Course:

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1	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA) Licensure and Accreditation - The Academic President and the Deputy Registrar will create a template for capturing Course Outline information. The template will then be circulated among all the Chairpersons for comments/suggestions.	03 Jan 2025

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2	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Turnitin Usage - The Academic President asked all the Chairpersons to ensure that all their faculty utilize the tool.	03 Jan 2025
3	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA) Licensure and Accreditation - The Academic President mentioned that he has received well-documented reports from most of the Schools regarding course outlines from various CAA-accredited institutions and faculty-course mapping. He emphasized that these reports clarify the following points: 1. The institution cannot retain a faculty member who does not possess a Doctorate or has not yet enrolled in a PhD program. The Academic President urged all Chairpersons to encourage their faculty members to enroll in a PhD program by the end of January 2025. 2. The course outlines specify that Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs) and Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs) are required and must be aligned with the School's mission statement.	03 Jan 2025
4	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA) Licensure and Accreditation - The Academic President mentioned that MAHE Dubai will apply for CAA licensure by May 2025 and will work towards obtaining CAA accreditation beginning with the September 2025 intake. He informed the Chairpersons to submit the following early next week: 1. Prepare documentation that outlines the process used to develop the mission statement for the School. This documentation should include the date of creation and must be submitted along with the Minutes of the Meeting (MoM). Additionally, it should clearly explain how the mission statement aligns with the Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs) in a tabular format. 2. Create a mapping of current faculty members to the courses they are qualified to teach. Include a report detailing how many new faculty members are needed. 3. Faculty members must revise their courses to incorporate the Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs) and Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs).	03 Jan 2025
5	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Revamping Sports and Cultural Activities - The Academic President is in the process of creating a new framework wherein every student will be required to be part of at least one Student Club and participate in one sports activity. This is to facilitate the holistic development of every student and to provide them with a richer university experience. It can also help alleviate many stress-related issues that can arise from being involved in a high-pressure environment.	03 Jan 2025
6	SODA - Council of Architecture Training and Research Centre (COA TRC) Faculty	In collaboration with the Council of Architecture Training and Research Centre (COA TRC), a five-day online Faculty Development Program on "Dynamics of High-Rise Living" was hosted. The program explored social and environmental perspectives on adaptive planning, smart and efficient technologies, and global residential typologies.	21-30 Jan 2025

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	Development Program on "Dynamics of High-rise living- Social and environmental perspectives"		
7	SODA - Unbuilt Vision 2025 (Part 1) Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID) Graduating batch Thesis exhibition	Unbuilt Visions 2025, the exhibition of students' work, was attended by Ms Shiam Shibl, Associate at DLR Group Middle East; Mr Anirban Bhattacharya, Operations Director at Space Well Interiors LLC; Ms Marta Sowinska, Architect, Head of Department Alef Group, Co-Founder of SOSA, as jury members for the Interior Design graduate thesis presentations. The presentations showcased remarkable creativity, meticulous research, and a refined design sensibility.	29 Jan 2025
8	SODA - BArch year 5 Urban Design studio project showcase and viva day	Mr Safaa Bahrany-Senior Design Manager- Studio 360; Ms Nivedita DLima, Head of Department Planning and Urban Design, Sidara; Mr Jose Quelhas, Head of Dubai Studio, Broadway Maylan; Prof Dr Gisela Lohlein, Founding Partner, Magenta Clover; Mr Matthias Bauer, Urban design and Master planning lead, Jacobs; Mr Apoorva Alankar, Director at Dubai Holding Land Estate; Mr Yogesh Agashe, Associate Director, Group Lead at Jacobs; and Ms Jessica Voorn, Principal Urban Planner at Atkins (MRTPI) were external jury members for the Urban Design Studio 2024-2025 Viva. aligned with Dubai 2040 Urban Master Plan, and our students presented a visionary framework to enhance liveability in shaping Dubai's future urban landscape.	29 Jan 2025
9	SODA - "ARCHITEXTURE 2025"- Sketching competition	"ARCHITEXTURE 2025" was hosted as a national-level inter-university competition celebrating hand-drawn architectural renderings. Students showcased creativity, precision, and storytelling, judged on scale, aesthetics, line quality, rendering techniques, and technical detail, without using digital tools.	06 Feb 2025
10	SOEIT - Confab 360 Degree Conference	The Confab360 Degree Conference featured a panel discussion on "Innovating for Impact" with industry experts, like Mr Muneer Al Wafaa, Mr Naveen Garg, Dr Anna Tarabasz, Mr Senthil Kugan, Mr Naveen Bhardwaj, and Dr Nishu Ayedee, for a panel discussion focusing on how digital technologies are transforming sectors such as public administration, engineering, sustainability, and healthcare. The conference explored how digital technologies are transforming sectors like public administration, engineering, environmental protection, sustainable business, and healthcare.	19 - 20 Feb 2025
11	MSCM - Innovating for Impact: Digital Technologies for Public Administration, Engineering Applications, Environmental Protection,	MAHE Dubai was the co-organizer of the conference. The conference attracted over 175 participants in both offline and online modes from various parts of the world.	19 - 20 Feb 2025

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	Sustainable Business Operations, and Healthcare		
12	SODA - Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Visit for Part-1 Validation for BArch Program	Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) validation was received for the BArch Program in February 2025. Following the visit, the program was officially validated on 25 April 2025, making MAHE Dubai currently the only Indian university to receive this prestigious recognition. This achievement reaffirms MAHE's 25-year legacy of academic excellence in Dubai and sets a new benchmark in architectural education across the region. The RIBA Part-1 validation reflects strong studio culture, commitment to global standards, and a curriculum that integrates creativity, sustainability, and real-world relevance.	25 - 26 Feb 2025
13	SODA - Visit to Quranic Park	The students of Second-year Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) visited The Quranic Park, gaining insights into climate-responsive design, Islamic architecture, and inclusive spatial strategies that promote ecological and cultural responsibility. This visit was part of their Bio-Climatic Design Studio coursework, supporting their academic and practical understanding of sustainable and context-sensitive architecture.	27 Feb 2025
14	MILA - Partnership with CiniInfo	MILA signed an MoU with CiniInfo to bridge academia and the film industry, offering internships, industry projects, workshops, and launching the UAE Filmmakers Hub for creative collaboration.	27 Feb 2025
15	SOEIT - Industrial Visit to Oasis Coils and Coatings (OCC)	The industrial visit, organized by the Indian Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ISHRAE) MAHE Dubai Student Chapter, helped bridge the gap between classroom learning and industry by exposing students to advanced manufacturing processes, including Computer numerical control (CNC) and automated machinery.	27 Feb 2025
16	MILA - Academic Trip to Uzbekistan	MILA students undertook an international academic and cultural immersion trip to Uzbekistan, blending heritage exploration with academic exchange.	28 Feb 2025

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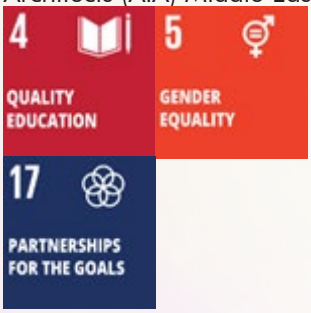
17	MILA - Visit to XPOSURE Photography Festival	Students explored global photojournalism, sustainability, heritage, and humanitarian storytelling through exhibitions and expert interactions.	28 Feb 2025
18	MILA - Partnership with VPM Mind Weavers UAE	A wellness-focused MoU was signed between MILA and VPM Mind Weavers UAE to provide expert-led counselling, mental health programs, and holistic well-being support.	04 Mar 2025
19	SOEIT - 2nd International Conference on Data Science and Exploration in Artificial Intelligence (CODE-AI 2025)	CODE-AI 2025 brought together global researchers and innovators to bridge research gaps and promote international collaboration. The conference focused on Intelligent Computing and AI applications, covering areas such as optimization algorithms, machine learning, neural networks, quantum computing, biometrics, computer vision, expert systems, speech recognition, and smart robotics, inspiring participants to drive future technological advancements.	07 - 08 Mar 2025
20	SODA - International Women's Day Celebrations by Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Gulf Chapter and American Institute of Architects (AIA) Middle East 	The RIBA Gulf Chapter and AIA Middle East Chapter partnered to host International Women's Day at MAHE Dubai. The event brought together industry leaders, practitioners, and students for an engaging evening of dialogue and celebration. The keynote address was delivered by Dr Pallavi Dean, Founder and Creative Director of Roar. The program also featured PechaKucha presentations on the theme "Empowered Women in Our Industry" by student teams from various universities.	08 Mar 2025
21	MILA - Women's Day Week-long Celebration	Manipal Institute of Liberal Arts (MILA), MAHE Dubai, marked Women's Day 2025 with a finance workshop, Womenomics, creative open mic Canvas, and Through HER Lens with National Geographic photographer Vidhyaa Chandramohan, celebrating women's voices and leadership.	10-13 Mar 2025
22	MILA - Launch of RED TALK Podcast	MILA launched RED TALK, a socio-cultural podcast challenging stereotypes and amplifying unheard voices. A campus social experiment engaged students and staff through discussions on societal assumptions and identity.	13 Mar 2025

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23	MILA - Career Session with Behaviour Enrichment	A career-oriented session on emotional intelligence and behavioural sciences was conducted by Ms Meera Ramani and Ms Maira Saeed, highlighting internships and career paths in counselling and behavioural analysis.	20 Mar 2025
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25	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Manipal Education Systems Vice Chancellor's Council (MESVCC) Meeting Update - PhD Candidates: He also informed the Chairpersons to check for candidates pursuing PhD in Manipal for possible employment opportunities. They may seek his support if required	21 Mar 2025
26	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Manipal Education Systems Vice Chancellor's Council (MESVCC) Meeting Update: He informed the Chairpersons that he would discuss with them separately regarding incorporating SWAYAM Plus into the curriculum	21 Mar 2025
27	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	CAA Accreditation - The Academic President informed that program outlines will be submitted to MOHESR through the Knowledge and Human Development Authority (KHDA) next week	21 Mar 2025
28	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points - Prof (Dr) Madhu Veeraraghavan, Pro Vice Chancellor, Management, Law, Humanities and Social Sciences, is expected to visit the campus to explore potential collaborations with the Schools	21 Mar 2025
29	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points -Dr G K Prabhu, Chief Academic Officer (CAO), MEMG, will be visiting MAHE Dubai between 21 and 27 April, to interact with departments and understand the operational practices followed at international campuses.	21 Mar 2025
30	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points: Dr Narayana Sabhahit, Pro Vice Chancellor of Technology and Science at MAHE Manipal, along with Dr Iven Jose, Director of MIT Bengaluru, will be visiting the campus during the second week of April 2025.	21 Mar 2025
31	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Manipal Education Systems Vice Chancellor's Council (MESVCC) Meeting Update: The Academic President informed that he gave a presentation on MAHE Dubai's new journey, with its 25 years of completion, MOHESR license acquisition, and the receipt of RIBA accreditation. The Vice Chancellor expressed appreciation for MAHE Dubai's efforts, and the Academic President congratulated everyone for their contributions.	21 Mar 2025
32	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Manipal Education Systems Vice Chancellor's Council (MESVCC) Meeting Update - high-performing employees: The institution must cultivate a culture that retains high-performing employees. He urged the Chairpersons to identify such faculty members and the factors contributing to their dissatisfaction and report these issues to him.	21 Mar 2025

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33	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Manipal Education Systems Vice Chancellor's Council (MESVCC) Meeting Update: The Academic President advised Chairpersons to encourage faculty to incorporate the pedagogies they use into their course outlines and Performance Management Systems (PMS). This will ensure that the faculty members follow advanced methods. Capturing this data will also be beneficial for assessments by the MOHESR.	21 Mar 2025
34	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Manipal Education Systems Vice Chancellor's Council (MESVCC) Meeting Update – In his discussion regarding the Manipal Research Board (MRB), it became clear that most research is conducted by faculty from the Science and Engineering streams. Faculty members from other disciplines at MAHE Dubai are either not involved in research studies or do not engage in research that requires funding. He encouraged Chairpersons to motivate their faculty to apply for MRB as Co-Investigators and to collaborate with faculty from Manipal University, Jaipur, and MAHE Manipal.	21 Mar 2025
35	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	UG Students' attendance reporting to Parents - The Academic President stated that program coordinators should reach out to students who miss three consecutive classes. All attendees agreed that both students' academic results and attendance should be reported to parents. Additionally, the Academic President emphasized the importance of all faculty members recording attendance during class. He will discuss with the IT team the need to ensure course configurations are properly set up in the Learning Management System (LMS), which will facilitate attendance tracking by faculty during the first class.	21 Mar 2025
36	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Foundation program: The Academic President has instructed the Admissions department to inform students applying for the Foundation program that the program is exclusively for entry into undergraduate programs at MAHE Dubai. Acceptance of this program by other institutions is at their discretion.	21 Mar 2025
37	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Foundation program: Additionally, he requested the Chairpersons to address any misconceptions that students travelling to Dubai may have during the Orientation sessions. This includes issues such as quick employment guarantees and transitioning from morning to evening classes. Addressing these topics will help prevent students from making unnecessary assumptions and provide a better student experience.	21 Mar 2025
38	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points: The Academic President advised that faculty members should concentrate on highlighting the unique selling points (USPs) of MAHE Dubai to students and parents during Open Houses. Even a small discount offered by competitors can influence parents' decisions. Faculty members should emphasize that students will gain hands-on experience in our Management Lab, Fintech Lab, etc., as these facilities are unavailable with our competitors. Discussions should center on the actual student experience that distinguishes MAHE Dubai from other institutions.	21 Mar 2025
39	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Student attendance: The Academic President informed that he has spoken with the IT department regarding the requirement for faculty members to begin marking attendance from the first class of the upcoming semester. All courses and timetables that need to be set up in the system must be submitted to the IT department at least one month in advance. The IT department will ensure that	04 Apr 2025

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		the Student Lifecycle Management (SLCM) system is configured 15 days before classes start. Additionally, the President mentioned that the part-time budget should also be prepared one month prior to the beginning of classes.	
40	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Education Bridge Program: The Academic President has informed that a process needs to be established to formalize the Bridge program. This program will serve as a remedial option for students who do not meet the necessary credits or courses required to join undergraduate programs. Chairpersons can share their input on the content of the remedial courses. The remedial program will run concurrently with regular classes and will consist of approximately 5 credits, with each credit comprising 15 hours of instruction.	04 Apr 2025
41	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Mr Vaitheeswaran's campus visit: The Academic President informed that Mr Vaitheeswaran, Vice Chairman, Manipal Edu &Med Group (MEMG), will be visiting the campus from April 29 - 30, 2025. He has requested that the Chairpersons prepare a detailed presentation outlining the strategic initiatives they plan to introduce in the next 3-5years, along with an explanation of the perceived benefits in terms of admissions, student experience etc.	04 Apr 2025
42	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points: The Academic President asked the Chairpersons to consult with their counterparts at the parent campus about faculty members who are available to teach a course for 10 days in a modular format. These faculty members will be compensated adequately and treated as full-time faculty for accreditation purposes.	04 Apr 2025
43	SODA - Presentation and visit at West Elm store	The Second-year BDes ID students visited West Elm to explore furniture styles, present design analyses, as part of the furniture design course and gain hands-on experience with contemporary design and merchandising strategies in a real-world retail setting.	07 Apr 2025
44	SOEIT - Visit to 3D Printing site	The visit highlighted advanced 3D concrete printing used for architectural and structural construction, showcasing sustainable and time-efficient methods and offering insights into the future of digital construction technologies.	10 Apr 2025
45	MILA - Editing Workshop – Legacy Series	Alumnus Renith conducted a professional post-production and editing workshop for media students, covering advanced workflows.	15 Apr 2025
46	SODA - Visit to SBJ Technical Works, Dubai Investment Park (DIP) and the Dubai Wood Show at the Dubai World Trade Centre (DWTC)	The first-year Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) students visited SBJ Technical Works in Dubai Investment Park (DIP) and the Dubai Wood Show at the Dubai World Trade Centre (DWTC).	16 Apr 2025

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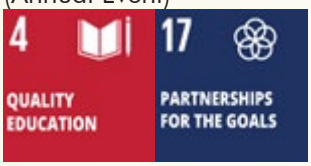
47	SODA - Visit to Ingvar Kamprad Elmtaryd Agunnaryd (IKEA) store	First-year Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID) students undertook a curated visit to the Ingvar Kamprad Elmtaryd Agunnaryd (IKEA), gaining hands-on exposure to Scandinavian design principles, branding, visual merchandising, and global user-centric strategies.	22 Apr 2025
48	SOLS - Scientific Conference "Current Trends in Life Sciences" (Annual Event) 	SDG4 Quality Education, SDG17 Partnerships for the Goals - The School of Life Sciences (SOLS) under the aegis of the ASM International student chapter organized the 10th edition of Life Science conference titled "Current Trends in Life Sciences". The event showcased Keynote sessions, invited lectures and Special talks by eminent speakers covering diverse areas of Life Sciences, including Biotechnology, Medicine, Nutrition, Genomics, and Food Science. As part of the student activity, an inter-university student poster competition and an ASM Microbiology Quiz were also organized. The annual conference is the signature event of the School.	23-24 Apr 2025
49	MSCM - ACCA QUIZFEST	The event hosted by Manipal Dubai in collaboration with the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA) brought together high school students for a dynamic experience focused on business and finance. Designed to spark passion and test knowledge, the event featured a series of fun and challenging activities that engaged participants throughout the day. Guests from Phoenix joined the event to support and encourage the participants. Scholarships and Cash Awards were presented to the winners, celebrating their outstanding performance.	24 Apr 2025
50	SOEIT - Visit to Precast factory - United Precast	Civil Engineering students visited the United Precast Concrete factory to observe precast manufacturing processes, including casting, curing, and quality control, gaining insights into the speed, precision, and sustainability of modern precast construction practices.	24 Apr 2025
51	SODA - Visit to Jotun Middle East and India (MEIA)	Third-year Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID) students attended Jotun Middle East and India (MEIA) Open House, organized by AIA Middle East Chapter, gaining insights into the Natural Color System (NCS), product innovation, and color-driven design.	25 Apr 2025
52	SODA - Session by American Institute of Architects (AIA) Middle East	The American Institute of Architects (AIA) Middle East hosted a session at the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Dubai Career Fair. The session provided students with insights into chapter membership, awards programs, and global architectural opportunities. The dialogue was led by Ms Shahd	25 Apr 2025

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	at the Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Dubai Career Fair	Babbili, Senior Architect and Social Media Director of AIA Middle East.	
53	SODA - Three-Dimensional (3D) Printing Workshop by InSculp 3D and Team Visual Solutions LLC	A two-day computational design workshop was conducted in collaboration with InSculp 3D and Team Visual Solutions LLC, where Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.) and Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID) students learned three-dimensional (3D) modelling, printing, and post-processing techniques. Participants earned Level 1 Printsmith titles, gaining hands-on experience in advanced additive manufacturing workflows and digital fabrication.	01-02 May 2025
54	MILA - MERAKI – Interschool Media Competition	Media students organized MERAKI, an interschool competition for UAE students covering advertising, journalism, Public Relations, filmmaking, and storytelling. GEMS Millennium School won the overall championship.	07 May 2025
55	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting on 09 May 2025	Supporting Graduates for academic growth - The Academic President emphasized the importance of preparing and supporting our graduates in applying to institutions that are ranked similarly to, or higher than, MAHE. He asked Dr Naushad Rais from the School of Life Sciences to develop a framework and present it to the Chairpersons. The following key activities of the framework were discussed by Dr Naushad: 1. Language Testing: With MAHE Dubai officially established as an International English Language Testing System (IELTS) Training Centre, students of MAHE Dubai will receive a discount when applying for IELTS tests. 2. Awareness Campaign: A campaign will be launched to raise awareness among final-year students. This will involve establishing a Centre at MAHE Dubai that supports students in this endeavour. The Centre will include faculty members and alumni representing all academic Schools. 3. Application Support: This includes assistance with: Recommendation letters, University partnerships and Industry connections	09 May 2025
56	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Supporting Graduates for academic growth -The Academic President also proposed a process for matching students with reputable universities based on their grades and suggested setting up peer study groups to share relevant information about Graduate Record Examinations (GRE) study requirements and visa support.	09 May 2025
57	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	The Academic President mentioned that there has been continuous communication with Monash and Deakin universities regarding potential collaborations. He asked the Chairpersons to review the websites of these universities for programs that can be aligned with our existing offerings, leading to dual degrees for undergraduate, postgraduate, and PhD programs with joint supervision. These collaborations will enhance our current programs and will be seen as valuable additions.	09 May 2025
58	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Strategic Plan: The Academic President will present the Vision and Mission to the Vice Chancellor, Pro Vice Chancellor, and the Registrar to gather their feedback. He will also meet with the Head of the Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP) to	09 May 2025

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		understand the regulatory requirements for starting allied health programs at MAHE Dubai next year. Additionally, he will discuss the proposed name change for the School of Life Sciences with the Vice Chancellor.	
59	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Strategic Plan - The Academic President will present the Vision and Mission to the Vice Chancellor, Pro Vice Chancellor, and the Registrar to gather their feedback. He will also meet with the Head of the Manipal College of Health Professions (MCHP) to understand the regulatory requirements for starting allied health programs at MAHE Dubai next year. Additionally, he will discuss the proposed name change for the School of Life Sciences with the Vice Chancellor.	09 May 2025
60	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Academic Calendar: The Deputy Registrar stated that from now on, the Academic Calendar (AC) must be structured according to the requirements of the Ministry of Higher Education, Science, and Research (MOHESR). The Academic President informed the Chairpersons that once the AC is published, it is important to adhere to it carefully and minimize any disruptions.	09 May 2025
61	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Inactive students tracking - The Academic President has informed the Chairpersons that students should be marked inactive if they are absent for 3 consecutive weeks. He also mentioned that he will collaborate with the IT department to explore the possibility of automatically flagging attendance. Additionally, he proposed including a category for marking students who are participating in events as "absent with a reason." he emphasized that adjunct faculty must take attendance during class hours and noted that they will be restricted from marking attendance after class has ended.	09 May 2025
62	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Strategic Plan: He asked the Chairpersons to seek out PhD scholars from renowned institutions outside the UAE who could potentially be hired as faculty members.	09 May 2025
63	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Honours program: Students enrolled in Honours programs can earn extra credits from postgraduate courses or through research activities. The School will determine which option is suitable for them.	09 May 2025
64	SOEIT - MOU with PROKON	MAHE Dubai has entered into a formal software licensing agreement with PROKON, effective from June 2025. The PROKON software will provide students with hands-on experience in industry-standard structural analysis and design, helping them apply theory to real-world problems, enhance project quality, and improve industry readiness and employability.	12 May 2025
65	ISRC 2025- 4th Edition	The 4th edition of the International Student Research Confluence (ISRC) was a research event organized by the MBA students. It brought together students from across the UAE to share their work through paper and poster presentations. We had over 200 participants from 19 schools and 11 universities across the country, and also hosted students from various universities in	12 May 2025

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		India who joined us online. It was a great platform for young researchers to connect, learn, and showcase their ideas. BCom and BBA students participated as volunteers and participants in the conference.	
66	SOEIT - Industrial Visit to Grundfos Gulf Distribution	The ISHRAE UAE student chapter, accompanied by Dr Pramod George, organized an industrial visit exposing students to advanced pumping technologies, sustainable water solutions, and manufacturing processes, along with a technical session and factory tour, enhancing their learning and professional development.	13 May 2025
67	MILA - International Student Research Colloquium	The 3rd International Student Research Colloquium on Exploring New Horizons in Liberal Arts hosted global UG and PG participants through virtual and on-campus modes.	16 May 2025
68	SODA - Universities Climate Network (UCN) Youth Student Ambassador Webseries	Ms Marwa Kombanezhuth, a second-year Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) student, was selected as one of the UAE UCN Student Ambassador Program and was a speaker for the second online session of "Climate Change and Me"	17 May 2025
69	MILA - Industry Visit to UBMS Studios	Students gained exposure to professional broadcasting environments, studio operations, and production equipment at United Broadcast and Media Solutions (UBMS).	19 May 2025
70	MSCM - SEAMLESS Middle East	Students from the BBA Finance Specialization program attended Seamless Middle East and Seamless FinTech 2025 at the Dubai World Trade Centre. The event offered an immersive experience into the future of FinTech, covering key themes such as open finance and banking innovation, Bank-FinTech collaborations, the UAE's Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC) initiatives for tourism, and Dubai's role as an innovation hub. Students also explored advancements in agentic AI-driven banking.	20 - 21 May 2025

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71	SODA - Visit to Hive Furniture Show 2025 	Third-year Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID) students visited the Hive Furniture Show 2025 at Expo Centre Sharjah, exploring sustainable and multifunctional furniture. The students engaged with global exhibitors and visionary designer Mr Karim Rashid, while gaining insights from industry experts and exploring emerging design possibilities.	22 May 2025
72	SODA - INDEX (Interior Design and Furniture Exhibition) 2025 visit 	First-year and third-year Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID) students visited INDEX (Interior Design and Furniture Exhibition) 2025, gaining firsthand exposure to emerging trends, innovative materials, and sustainable solutions across key sectors.	28 and 29 May 2025
73	MILA - Farewell 2025	Juniors organized a farewell for graduating seniors, featuring performances, emotional speeches, and a celebration of achievements and shared memories.	30 May 2025
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75	SODA - Visit to Atkins Realis office 	Fifth-year Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) students visited the Atkins Realis office, where they presented their Dubai 2040 projects and received feedback from industry experts, including Ms Purva Jamadade, Ms Kairmein Deboo, Mr Andre Mourinha, and the team. The sessions included engaging discussions and coordination by the Smart Cities elective course faculty, Mr Siddharth Khakhar.	09 Jun 2025
76	SODA - Ask Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Gulf chapter event at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Dubai 	The ASK RIBA event hosted included Esteemed speakers Ms Sandra Woodall, Fellow of the Royal Institute of British Architects (FRIBA), Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts (FRSA), Academy of Urbanism (AoU); Mr Andy Shaw, Chair of the Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Gulf Chapter; and Ms Aldrine Sánchez, Master of Science (MSc), Member of the Chartered Institute of Marketing (MCIM) of Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Gulf Panellists, Ill-Sam Park, Partner at Foster + Partners, Dubai, and Mrs. Farah Naz, Fellow of the Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers (FCIBSE), Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Associate Fellow (RIBA AF), also shared their insights. The event marked a key milestone for students and alumni, strengthening engagement with global architectural discourse.	14 Jun 2025
77	SODA - UNBUILT VISION 2025- PART 2-BArch Graduate Thesis exhibition and external viva day	UNBUILT VISION 2025 – Part 2, a graduate thesis exhibition and external viva for Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) students, was hosted, which showcased final thesis projects. The external jury included Prof Dr Khaled Galal Ahmed, Professor of Architecture and Urban Design at United Arab Emirates University (UAEU); Ms Nivedita D'Lima, Head of Department, Planning and Urban Design, Sidara; Mr Jose Quelhas, Practice Principal, Head of	19 - 26 Jun 2025

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		Dubai Studio, Broadway Maylan; Mr Avinash Kumar, Executive Director, Godwin Austen Johnson Architects; Ms Riana Viegas, Studio Director, Graphite; Mr Christopher Walter Pinto, Design and Project Director, Zebra; Ms Alina Valcarce, Founder and Director of Design, Valcarce Architects; Mr Apoorva Alankar, Director, Dubai Holding Land Estate; Mr Yogesh Agashe, Associate Director, Master Planning, Group Lead at Jacobs; Ms Raneem Qaddoura, Senior Associate – Design, RSP; Mr Rahul Sudheer, Design Director, Eagle Hills Dubai; Ms Ann Thomas, Associate Architect, LWK + Partners; and Mr Mohammed Eyas, Design Manager, ALEC. From technology-driven concepts and climate-responsive prototypes to culturally rooted urban interventions, the exhibition reflected the diversity and depth of emerging design voices.	
78	SOEIT - ISHRAE UAE Sub Chapter and Leminar Air Conditioning Company Training Session 	Selected Mechanical Engineering students and faculty of MAHE Dubai attended an onsite training on “Pre & Post Commissioning: Site Inspection Checklist & Its Importance,” conducted by Mr Arjun Guru, Manager at Leminar Service Providers.	21 Jun 2025
79	Minutes of the Chairpersons’ Meeting	Updates from the Academic President: He added that the Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies (CIS) will be henceforth overseen by Dr Sophia Rahaman and that Dr Jawid Nazir will be the new Program Director, Computer Science and IT.	24 Jun 2025
80	Minutes of the Chairpersons’ Meeting	Compliance with timelines: The Academic President asked the Chairpersons to comply with the timelines related to elective submissions/Student Lifecycle Management (SLCM) etc. pertaining to the next semester that were discussed in the earlier meetings and submitted to the IT. This will ensure that Brightspace is updated with course materials/outline the day before the start of classes and that the faculty can begin to take attendance from the first class.	24 Jun 2025
81	Minutes of the Chairpersons’ Meeting	School Curriculum Conclave 09 to 13 Jun 2025: The Academic President informed that he was impressed with the faculty presentations made during the School Curriculum Conclave as their commitment and efforts were very visible and displayed ownership of the process. He asked the Chairpersons to ensure that the faculty would implement them in the upcoming semester and that this process must be allotted significant weightage in their PMS.	24 Jun 2025
82	Minutes of the Chairpersons’ Meeting	Proposal for single mid-term test by the Deputy Registrar-MAHE Dubai: The Academic President approved the request raised by the Deputy Registrar-MAHE Dubai to minimize the current practice of two internal mid-term test to single mid-term test for each course to ensure a balanced academic load. This was	24 Jun 2025

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		suggested in the Academic process compliance audit of 2024 as well.	
83	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	The Academic President emphasized the importance of continuing the Life Skills training program for faculty members and proposed its implementation in two distinct phases. It was recommended that all newly joined faculty members undergo Cultural Competence Training to ensure alignment with the institutional values and diverse student body. For the existing faculty members, the Academic President advised conducting training sessions focusing on note-taking practices and effective classroom behaviors. These skills should subsequently be instilled in students by the faculty as part of classroom management and academic integrity initiatives.	24 Jun 2025
84	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points: The Deputy Registrar discussed the events marked on the Academic Calendar in detail and revised the dates wherever suggestions were made. The Academic President advised that any additional event that may rise during the year should be scheduled only after consulting the calendar to ensure maximum student participation and avoid resource crunch. He asked the Heads of Departments and the Chairpersons to account the expenses for the expenses mentioned in the calendar in the next AOP and to send in budget approvals in advance.	24 Jun 2025
85	SOEIT - MOU with Vision Concept Aviation Training Institute (VCATI)	MAHE Dubai signed an MoU with Vision Concept Aviation Training Institute (VCATI) a KHDA-approved and GCAA CAR 147–certified aviation training provider, to provide engineering students with industry-integrated learning in Aviation and Avionics. The partnership includes an on-campus aviation lab and one-month VCATI internships, enhancing practical exposure and industry readiness.	30 Jun 2025
86	SOEIT - AI in Mechanical Engineering Level 1 to Level 3 for School students	The Mechanical Engineering Department conducted AUTOMECHANICA 2025 on "AI in Mechanical Engineering" through the School Connect Program. Level 1 featured online sessions with presentations and quizzes for school students; Level 2 included hands-on activities and interactive games; Level 3 offered a one-month research assistantship for selected students to gain deeper exposure to advanced mechanical engineering and AI topics.	30 Jun - 21 Jul 2025
87	MILA - Portfolio Day 2025	Final-year Media, Communication, and Animation students showcased capstone projects, including films, ads, documentaries, and animation to families, alumni, and industry experts. Awards were presented.	01 Jul 2025

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88	SODA - "Design Futures" School of Design and Architecture (SoDA)'s School Connect Workshops for Emerging Creatives	A workshop for students in Grades 10 to 12 was conducted to introduce architecture, product design, drawing fundamentals, climate-responsive design, and speculative design thinking. These workshops aimed to develop early design literacy, nurture creative confidence, and inspire young students to explore innovative, sustainable, and user-centric approaches to the built environment.	03 Jul 2025
89	SOEIT - Workshop: AI and IoT based smart solutions for sustainable smart cities	This hands-on workshop introduces the core principles of IoT, covering real-world applications. Participants explored ESP8266 NodeMCU, programming the NodeMCU with the Arduino IDE, guided activities on sensor interfacing using IR, colour, and ultrasonic sensors, enabling students to detect environmental conditions.	08 Jul 2025
90	SOLS - Faculty Development Program (FDP)	SDG4 Quality Education -Online FDP on "Empower the Next Generation laboratories with Virtual Labs" by Praxi Labs	28 Aug 2025
91	SOEIT - ISHRAE UAE Sub Chapter Training Session	Mechanical Engineering students and faculty of MAHE Dubai attended an online training on "Ventilation Cooling Design for Industrial Spaces," conducted by Mr Moan Abraham, Director and Managing Partner of Phileo P M Airconditioning and Refrigeration Trading LLC.	30 Aug 2025
92	SOEIT - Industrial Visit to Phillips Additive	15 final-year Mechanical Engineering students from MAHE Dubai, guided by Dr Pramod George, visited Phillips Additive, Dubai. The visit included introductory and technical sessions on additive manufacturing, followed by a facility tour showcasing advanced 3D printing and post-processing systems. Students gained practical exposure to cutting-edge manufacturing techniques and appreciated the informative and engaging experience provided by the Phillips Additive team.	10 Sep 2025
93	SOEIT - ACM Student Chapter at MAHE Dubai	Department of Computer Science and Information Technology inaugurated the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Student Chapter at MAHE Dubai to promote student-centric learning. The chapter enhances students' technical knowledge, research skills, and professional networking through workshops, seminars, and competitions aligned with global ACM standards.	15 Sep 2025

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94	SOEIT - Training Session by Rheem Air Conditioners, USA	Students and faculty from Mechanical Engineering, MAHE Dubai attended an online training on "Sustainability in Action – Measuring Impact and Mapping the Future in Manufacturing Industry," conducted by Rheem Air Conditioners, USA.	17 Sep 2025
95	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Review of agenda points for BoS by Pro Vice Chancellor: The Pro Vice Chancellor mentioned that the Chairpersons should discuss the points with him before convening the BoS. The BoS should be convened only after receiving his approval for the points. The Deputy Registrar further recommended that existing cohorts continue under their current regulations with minimal disruption, so as not to adversely impact their learning experience.	18 Sep 2025
96	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Credit Management: The Pro Vice Chancellor emphasized that, in accordance with the CAA procedures, faculty workload must be documented to reflect both instructional commitments and the hours allocated as research relaxation. He recommended that the workload assigned by HR, based on designation, be recorded alongside the actual workload undertaken. The variance between the two should be explicitly presented as hours apportioned to research and/or administrative responsibilities. Discussions were held on improving student learning experience by including more autonomous learning. Classes can be dedicated for self-learning modules and faculty should be trained to carry out rigorous evaluations to ensure that learning objectives are achieved. Dr. Ramaprasad highlighted the need to ensure alignment of assessments with the Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs).	18 Sep 2025
97	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Malpractice: In view of the rising incidents of malpractice despite stringent measures, discussions were held on strategies to minimize occurrences while fostering academic integrity among students. It was agreed that students must be sensitized to the seriousness of malpractice, with clear instructions and penalties displayed on smart screens in examination halls. Further, repetitive offences will attract stricter sanctions, including mandatory re-registration for the course.	18 Sep 2025
98	Minutes of the Chairpersons' Meeting	Micro-credentials: The Pro Vice Chancellor highlighted that, as discussed in the recent MESVCC meeting, students may earn credits beyond classroom hours through micro-credentials. Such courses, preferably industry-led and skill-centric, should provide employability-oriented certifications. Platforms like NPTEL and SWAYAM were recommended, with up to 10% of a program permissible through these avenues. He further emphasized that all selected courses must receive BoS approval.	18 and 19 Sep 2025

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99	SOEIT - Visit to Romana Water Industries	Civil Engineering students from MAHE Dubai, accompanied by Professor Deepa, visited Romana Waters to observe its industrial water purification process, including filtration, disinfection, activated carbon filtering, reverse osmosis, UV/ozone treatment, mineral balancing, and quality testing across 21 checkpoints before hygienic bottling.	25 Sep 2025
100	SOEIT - Visit to Dubai World Congress	On 25 Sep 2025, 50 students and faculty from the Mechanical and Mechatronics Engineering departments of MAHE Dubai, accompanied by Dr Sachidananda H K, Dr Pramod George, Prof Suresh B, and Mr Subramanya K, visited the Dubai World Congress for Self-Driving Transport at the Dubai World Trade Centre. Participants explored exhibitions showcasing autonomous mobility, smart infrastructure, AI-driven platforms, delivery robots, self-driving vehicles, and additive manufacturing in transport prototyping, gaining hands-on exposure to cutting-edge technologies and practical insights into next-generation mobility systems.	25 Sep 2025
101	SODA - School of Design and Architecture Tech Week	A Tech Week, featuring an International Joint Studio on Computational Modelling and Fabrication, was conducted and included material testing laboratory sessions, concrete cube testing, and project presentations by alumni. The event also highlighted a Lighting Workshop and a session on Digital Modelling, concluding with the Construction Yard Inauguration.	29 Sep - 03 Oct 2025
102	SOEIT - Industrial Visit to Mohammed Bin Rashid Space Centre, Al Khawaneej – Dubai	Data Science and Engineering students visited the Mohammed Bin Rashid Space Centre in Al Khawaneej, Dubai, gaining insights into the UAE's space programs and cutting-edge technologies. They explored space technologies, satellite development, the UAE Astronaut Programme, and the Emirates Mars Mission, enhancing their understanding of research, innovation, and future STEM career pursuits.	30 Sep 2025
103	SODA - Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) Construction Yard Activity	Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) students translated their studio drawings into real-world construction during a hands-on Construction Yard Activity. Teams planned and assembled full-scale mock-ups, practiced brick bonding, reinforcement tying, shuttering, and tool safety.	01 Oct 2025
104	SOLS – Webinar	Under the auspices of Dubai Municipality's Food Safety Department, an informative student webinar was organized by the UNITAR (United Nations Institute for Training and Research) focusing on immersion program for students of Food Science and Safety consisting of field visits, expert lectures and training workshops in Rome.	02 Oct 2025

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105	SOLS - Students Field Visit	BSc Biotechnology 5th Semester students visited the M42 Genomics Lab, at Abu Dhabi, one of the region's most advanced genomic facilities. Students were able to explore DNA sequencing lab, AI-powered automation facility and precision medicine lab while interacting with experts gaining insights into careers in biotechnology and genomics.	06 - 08 Oct 2025
106	SOLS - Celebrating World Food Day (Annual Event)	Awareness activities on UAE Food Bank and reducing Food wastage. Organized in association with UAE Food Bank-Dubai Municipality, UAE, and Dubai. The theme of the day was "Right to food for a better life and better future"	16 Oct 2025
107	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	CAA Annual Inspection - The Pro Vice Chancellor congratulated the Chairpersons on successfully receiving accreditation for the validated programs. He acknowledged the ongoing efforts and noted that the team is working closely with the Commission for Academic Accreditation (CAA) to secure accreditation for the remaining endorsed programs. He further informed the group that an inspection will be conducted for four programs, and emphasized the importance of preparedness. He urged all Chairpersons to thoroughly review the 11 CAA standards and ensure that each of the four programs is fully compliant with all regulatory requirements.	16 Oct 2025
108	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Centre for Research and Doctoral Studies: The Pro Vice Chancellor informed the Chairpersons about the establishment of the Centre for Research and Doctoral Studies. The main objectives of the Centre would be to enhance institutional support for research and come up with new initiatives to improve research outcomes and the PhD program. Dr Balamurugan Balusamy, Chairperson, School of Engineering and IT, will serve as the Chair of the Centre. He will be joined by Dr Subburaj Alagarsamy, Assistant Professor, Manipal Business School, who will take on the role of Research Coordinator. Both will hold these roles in addition to their current responsibilities.	16 Oct 2025
109	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Two-day Faculty retreat on 17 and 18 Nov 2025: The Pro Vice Chancellor proposed to take all the faculty members for a two-day retreat in appreciation of the hard work and commitment invested towards MOHESR accreditation.	16 Oct 2025
110	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Lancet Commission - The Pro Vice Chancellor has requested the Commission to invite key dignitaries and stakeholders to the event, including: • The Minister of MOHESR • Heads of Dubai Health Authority (DHA), Dubai Development Authority (DDA) • Other relevant government entities	16 Oct 2025

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111	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Social Media Guidelines: Ms Anzuma from the Marketing team presented the Student-Run Social Media Guidelines and agreed to roll them out across Schools/Clubs/Departments. The attendees agreed that the new student pages would send a short proposal and get written approval, use MAHE Dubai branding correctly, keep content respectful/accurate, and discuss adding a disclaimer stating that the page is student-led. Each page would name a Student SPOC. Marketing could ask for changes, do quarterly audits first, and escalate unresolved issues to the Chairperson/Department Heads. The Chairpersons approved the rollout; a central registry would list all pages and SPOCs, and no new page would go live without Marketing's written approval	16 Oct 2025
112	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Lancet Commission: The Pro Vice Chancellor provided an overview of the World Health Summit (WHS) and its connection with the Lancet Commission. He shared that he had a meeting with WHS representatives on 11 Oct 2025, during which it was announced that the Lancet Commission will be launching a new Commission on Academic Responsibility in Healthcare. Given that MAHE is a member of the WHS Academic Alliance, it was initially proposed that MAHE India would host the kick-off event. However, due to anticipated visa challenges for several Commissioners traveling to India, the Vice Chancellor approached Dr Sudhindra with the suggestion for MAHE Dubai to host the event instead. Recognizing that hosting a collaborative event involving the Lancet Commission and WHS would significantly enhance the academic stature of MAHE Dubai, the inaugural program of the Commission will be hosted by MAHE Dubai in Feb 2026. The kick-off meeting is scheduled for 06 and 07 Feb 2026, preceded by an evening symposium on 05 Feb, centered on the theme of academic responsibility in healthcare. During the symposium, Lancet Commissioners will engage with regional leaders and academic heads to collect inputs and insights relevant to the Commission's agenda.	16 Oct 2025
113	SOLS - Student Workshop	Student awareness workshop on "Basics of Food Safety and AI" by Sweta Gorthi, Founder and CEO Safe Guardian Food Safety Solutions, Abu Dhabi-UAE.	21 Oct 2025
114	MILA - World Mental Health Day Celebration – Labyrinth of Light	MILA celebrated World Mental Health Day through Labyrinth of Light, an immersive experiential event integrating psychology, creativity, and well-being. Guided by psychology students, participants explored emotional resilience using the PERMA model through interactive checkpoints, reflective activities, and themed installations that promoted self-awareness and mental health literacy.	21 Oct 2025
115	SOEIT - Engineers Day Celebrations by Bharat Tech Foundation (BTF)	MAHE Dubai and Bharat Tech Foundation (BTF UAE) hosted the Engineers' Day celebrations with the theme "Deep Tech and Engineering Excellence: Driving India's Techade." The event featured Chief Guest Shri Suresh Prabhu, former Cabinet Minister of India, Mr.Niranjan Jayakumar, CEO Manipal Education MENA Region and Dr Sudhindra Shamanna, Pro Vice Chancellor MAHE Dubai, along with participation from eminent academicians and industry leaders.	23 Oct 2025

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116	SOEIT - IMechE Speak out for Engineers (SOFE) Competition	The Speak Out for Engineering (SOFE) competition, hosted by the Institution of Mechanical Engineers (IMechE) chapter of MAHE Dubai, offers young engineers a platform to develop and showcase presentation skills, encouraging them to communicate complex engineering concepts clearly and engagingly to a broader audience.	24 Oct 2025
117	SOEIT - ISHRAE UAE Sub Chapter and HIRA industries Training Session	Selected Mechanical Engineering students at MAHE Dubai attended an on-site training on "Beyond Theory: Achieving Peak Energy Performance in HVAC Design," conducted by Mr Thomas Kulik, Global Technical Marketing Manager, HIRA Industries.	25 Oct 2025
118	SOEIT - IEEEXtreme 18.0- An epic 24-hour coding challenge	The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Student Branch at MAHE Dubai participated in IEEEXtreme 18.0, a 24-hour global coding competition, enhancing students' problem-solving, programming, and teamwork skills while fostering innovation, resilience, and collaborative learning.	25-26 Oct 2025
119	MILA - PsychED 2024 – Interschool Psychology Competition	The third edition of PsychED witnessed participation from 12 schools across the UAE. The event featured three competitive segments such as Roundtable Conference, Lobotomy (quiz-based psychology challenge), and Just Reel It (reel-making competition). Students showcased critical thinking, creativity, and applied psychological insight through engaging interdisciplinary formats.	29 Oct 2025
120	SODA - Designing Cities of Meaning: Regeneration, Resilience, and Culture	The forum was hosted with industry support partner as FICCI The session featured a dialogue between city leadership, academia, diplomacy, and strategic urban innovation to examine how a city's transformation demonstrates that urban resilience is not only technical, but also social, cultural, and spiritual. The Keynote Address was delivered by Hon'ble Mr Dazesh Mavani, Mayor of Surat, India on 'Regeneration and Resilience – The Surat Model for Future Cities' and Hon'ble Dr Dharm Singh Meena, First Secretary (Economic Affairs) Embassy of India, Abu Dhabi, UAE delivered Keynote on 'Perspective: Cultural Regeneration and Tourism – India's Global Narrative and UAE India' The panel discussion "Where Cities Heal – Designing for Resilience, Culture, and Conscious Living," was led by Ms Misha Mittal, Senior	30 Oct 2025

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		Manager, City Advisory, Expo City, Dubai. Ms Radhika Arvind Kheni, Graduating student of the BArch Program, presented her topic, Project Title: Urban Regeneration of Tapi River-Edge: Empowering Growth, Education, and Economy for Local Populace.	
121	SOEIT - Technovanza 2025 (Technical Event)	The 14th edition of TECHNOVANZA was a technology-focused inter and intra-university event in the UAE, bringing together engineering students for technical and non-technical competitions. It featured 14 activities across programs, including two Mechanical Engineering events: Equinox 2025 by the ISHRAE UAE Student Chapter at MAHE Dubai, comprising Home Breeze, Grid Vision, and a quiz, and the Inter-university Hydrojet Competition.	05 - 06 Nov 2025
122	SOEIT - Technovanza Events: Clash of bots and Cypher Punk	A series of exciting mini-games to challenge and entertain participants using mBots. The Cypherpunk Escape Challenge is a dark-themed, techno-inspired game designed exclusively for engineers, blending strategy, speed, and teamwork in an immersive cyberpunk setting by Mechatronics Department.	05-06 Nov 2025
123	Manipal School of Commerce and Management (MSCM), MAHE Dubai - Genesis 2.0	Genesis is a renowned Inter University and Inter-school Management Fest, serving as a vibrant platform for students from universities and schools across the UAE, bringing together bright, innovative minds to participate in a range of business challenges, promoting creativity, critical thinking, and entrepreneurial spirit.	12 Nov 2025
124	SODA - Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Dubai student project showcase at Big5 Global	Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) students showcased their innovative academic and studio projects at Big 5 Global 2025, one of the region's largest and most influential events for construction, architecture, and design.	24-27 Nov 2025
125	SODA - Visit to Engineering and Infrastructure Services (EGIS) Office	Bachelor of Design in Interior Design: Year 2 students visited the Engineering and Infrastructure Services (EGIS) Office for an educational exposure session focused on interior services. The visit provided insights into professional interior design practices, service workflows, project coordination, and industry standards.	26 Nov 2025
126	MSCM - 2nd International Conference on Innovating for Impact: Digital Technologies for Public Administration,	The conference brought together distinguished researchers, academicians, and industry professionals to explore technology-enabled solutions across diverse domains, including business transformation, healthcare, environmental monitoring, smart tourism, engineering applications, digital finance, and mobile	10-11 Dec 2025

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	Engineering Applications, Environmental Protection, Sustainable Business Operations, and Healthcare	learning. With a strong focus on sustainability and impact, the event serves as a platform for thought leadership, academic dialogue, and cross-disciplinary collaboration.	
127	MSCM - Life Skills session on "Noteworthy – The Art of Effective Note Making"	The Life Skills session on "Noteworthy – The Art of Effective Note Making" was conducted for students across different programs - BBA, BCom, and BBA (Evening)	10-11 Dec 2025
128	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	New Program Approvals: The Additional Registrar made a presentation on the various processes to be followed for obtaining approvals for the following new programs and requested the Chairpersons to initiate the request for new program approvals with the Pro Vice Chancellor at the earliest. Preliminary meeting will not be required for programs that are already being offered at MAHE Manipal: • MBA (Core), MBA (Marketing), and MBA (BKFS) ProgramS Aligned with TAPMI, Manipal, India, from AY 2026-2027 • B.Tech. program in Robotics and Artificial Intelligence • BSc in Public Health • BSc in Hospitality and Services Management • BSc Animation and Visual Effects	12 Dec 2025
129	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Update from the Manipal Business School (MBS), MAHE Dubai: • Dr Praveen Gupta and Dr Subburaj, along with a maximum of four students, will participate in the MBA IB Day organized by TAPMI at Manipal from 31 Jan to 01 Feb.	12 Dec 2025
130	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	MAHE Dubai Alumni Meet: The Pro Vice Chancellor informed the Chairpersons that all alumni must register with the Alumni Association by contributing AED 100 towards the Al Daem Scholarship Fund. Additionally, he noted that once the MAHE Manipal Alumni portal becomes operational, he will request access to it to reach out to MAHE alumni worldwide.	12 Dec 2025
131	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Updates from the School of Engineering and IT (SOEIT): Dr Balamurugan Balusamy, Chairperson, SOEIT mentioned that the School is presently conducting faculty upskilling sessions facilitated by reputed industry experts from around the world through online platforms.	12 Dec 2025
132	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Updates from the School of Design and Architecture (SODA) - Dr Bhakti More, Chairperson, SODA mentioned that the School has	12 Dec 2025

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		received the renewed Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists (CIAT) accreditation for the next five years.	
133	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Updates from SODA: The School has launched an alumni mentorship program under which groups of three students are mentored by alumni based across the globe. The mentoring covers both project guidance and career development. The Pro Vice Chancellor commended this initiative as a valuable support system for the student community.	12 Dec 2025
134	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Update from the Manipal Business School (MBS), MAHE Dubai: Dr Praveen Gupta, Chairperson, MBS mentioned that to enhance the unique value proposition of the MBA IB program at TAPMI Manipal, they have launched a strategic initiative enabling students to pursue their 6th and final term at MAHE. The marketing drive for this initiative will begin in Jan 2026.	12 Dec 2025
135	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Additional points: Dr Sunitha Prabhuram, Chairperson, Manipal School of Commerce and Management (MSCM), MAHE Dubai, mentioned that, under the guidance of Dr Bhakti and as part of her SMILES program project, she successfully planted the first set of plants in the Community Garden at the MAHE Dubai Campus yesterday. This marks a significant milestone for MAHE Dubai, as it is the first university-led community garden initiative of its kind in the UAE higher education sector.	12 Dec 2025
136	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Updates from SOEIT: A comprehensive review of laboratory software is in progress, and efforts are being made to procure additional open-source tools.	12 Dec 2025
137	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Updates from SOEIT: Additionally, a workshop covering important aspects of research is scheduled for all faculty members next week.	12 Dec 2025
138	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	Updates from SODA: The School participated in BIG5 from 25 to 29 Nov exhibiting their significant student projects.	12 Dec 2025
139	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting]	Additional points: The Pro Vice Chancellor discussed the possibility of offering short-term courses and requested the Additional Registrar and the Head of Quality Assurance to review the regulatory compliance requirements.	12 Dec 2025
140	Minutes of Chairpersons' Meeting	MAHE Dubai Alumni Meet: The Alumni Meet will be held on 17 Jan 2026 at MAHE Dubai. The Pro Vice Chancellor emphasized that all faculty must attend and actively encourage alumni participation. He shared that during the meet, alumni will be assigned to their respective Schools, as their affiliation plays a pivotal role.	12 Dec 2025

Details of Guest Visit (lectures, collaboration, visitors on campus)

Guest Lectures

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1	Mr Li Ren, President	American Institute of Architects (AIA) Middle East	Students at the School of Design and Architecture (SoDA), gained expert guidance on crafting impactful portfolios in "Portfolio 101," led by Mr Li Ren, focusing on global standards and presentation strategies	31 Jan 2025

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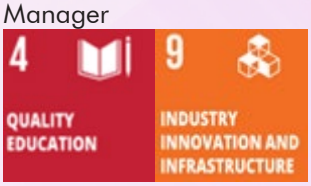
2	Dr Snigdha Misra, Associate Professor	Department of Human Nutrition, Monash University- Malaysia	Guest Lecture "Navigating the Nutrition shift: From traditional diets to processed foods- insights for tomorrow's nutritionists and dieticians"	18 Feb 2025
3	Mr Swapnil Joshi, Director and Industry Principal	Infosys	Mr Swapnil Joshi led a thought-provoking session on digital innovation in sustainable architecture, highlighting data-driven tools, smart systems, and resilient design strategies for future-ready built environments	19-20 Feb 2025
4	Mr Johan Du Plessis, Technical Support Manager, PROKON.	PROKON	The workshop introduced students to PROKON, a widely used structural analysis and design software that helps engineers model, analyze, and design structures like beams, columns, and slabs efficiently. Participants explored the software's interface, workflow, and key modules for structural analysis, concrete and steel design, and detailing tools.	20 Feb 2025
5	Ms Sabiha Yusuf, Designer	SODA Alumna	An alumna talk, "Design Stories of a Young Designer," featuring Ms Sabiha Yusuf. She shared her creative journey, design philosophies, and career milestones, inspiring Bachelor of Design in Interior Design (BDes ID).	12 Mar 2025
6	Mr Andrew Cochrane	AWS Solutions Architect and Cloud Expert	The Google Developer Student Chapter hosted an Amazon Web Services (AWS) workshop with guest speaker Andrew Cochrane, introducing students to cloud computing and core AWS services. The session featured real-world applications, hands-on demonstrations, and networking, sparking strong interest in cloud technologies.	12 Mar 2025
7	Mr Anand Thayalaguru, CEO and Mr Subash Subramanian, BIM Project Manager 	Swifterz Creative Engineering Services LLC	Speakers highlighted evolving roles and expanding opportunities for civil and core engineers within the Architecture, Engineering, and Construction (AEC) industry, including careers in project management, structural design,	13 Mar 2025

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			sustainability, and digital construction tools such as BIM.	
8	Mr Shikhar Saraswat, Structural Design Engineer	Arkiplan Consulting Architects and Engineers	The session showcased Extended Three-Dimensional Analysis of Building Systems (ETABS) in real-world structural engineering, focusing on multi-storey building analysis and design. Through live demonstrations and case studies, Mr Saraswat explained the workflow from modelling and load analysis to result interpretation for safe, efficient design.	22 Mar 2025
9	Dr Sojan Andrews Zachariah, (Production Engineer in the Department of Operations and Development at Worldwide Oilfield Machine Middle East)	Worldwide Oilfield Machine Middle East	The session covered key concepts such as quality and tolerance, differences between Quality Assurance and Quality Control, inspection stages, and destructive and non-destructive testing methods.	25 Mar 2025
10	Mr Vineeth Nair	Co-founder, VOCCA	Guest lecture	27 Mar 2025
11	Ms Deepthy K B, Senior Director GBCI MENA	Green Business Certification Inc., Middle East and North Africa (GBCI MENA)	SODA organized a session on "Introduction to Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED)" and "Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Certification" for the Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) and Master of Design (MDes) students, delivered by Ms Deepthy.	27 Mar 2025
12	I Film festival coordinator	I Film festival	To brief MILA students about the workshops and volunteering opportunities during the festival.	08 Apr 2025
13	Mr Rameshkumar, Project manager	PHOENIX CONTACT, Dubai	PHOENIX CONTACT conducted a hands-on PLCnext training for II-year Mechatronics students, offering practical exposure to industrial automation, PLC programming, control systems, and real-time applications.	10 - 24 Apr 2025
14	Mr Renith Sunil, Professional Photographer	And Cut Media	To conduct a session on editing using Adobe Premiere Pro as part of the Legacy Series	10 Apr 2025

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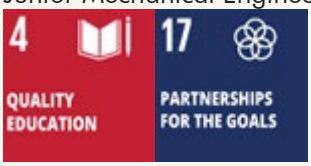
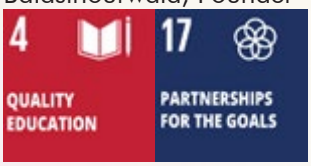
15	Dr Abdul Ajees, Associate Professor	Manipal Institute of Applied Physics, MAHE India	Guest Lecture and Faculty interaction Research Presentation on "Sustainable Approaches to Wastewater Bioremediation and Cancer Treatment Using Indigenous Plants"	14 Apr 2025
16	Mr Ammar Hussain, Planning Engineer, Alec Engineering and Contracting and Mr Atif Mulla, Marine Structures Engineer, CWP Engineering.	Alec Engineering and Contracting & CWP Engineering.	This session offered students firsthand insights into the transition from campus to career, with alumni sharing their professional journeys, industry experiences, and practical strategies for succeeding in civil engineering. They highlighted the importance of internships, certifications, skill development, networking, and continuous learning, while reflecting on their time at MAHE Dubai.	23 Apr 2025
17	Ms Subbiksha Sugumar, Junior Mechanical Engineer 	9E Global	Mechanical Engineering Department at the School of Engineering and IT, MAHE Dubai, in collaboration with the ASHRAE Falcon Chapter-UAE-AFC, hosted a guest lecture by our esteemed alumni, Ms Subbiksha Sugumar	24 Apr 2025
18	Mr Murtaza Asgar Balasinourwala, Founder 	Build Mode Interiors	Hands-on visit for Bachelor of Design in Interior Design students as part of Furniture Design. Mr Murtaza shared insights on material exploration, reclaimed wood, furniture prototyping, and design detailing	28 Apr 2025
19	Mr Faheem Rashid, Mechanical Engineer	Fluid Codes	Mechanical Engineering department at SOEIT organized a guest lecture on "Innovation through ANSYS simulation" by Mr Faheem Rashid. Students, faculties and staff members attended the event	01 May 2025
20	Karan Mathews Shaji, Electrical Engineer, Joshua Augustine, Mep Engineer	Condor Group DUTCO	The guest lecture "From Campus to Career: Insights from Research, Internships and Growth" guided students on transitioning from academics to the professional world. It highlighted the importance of internships, project-based learning, and practical experience, while	07 May 2025

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			offering insights on skill development, workplace adaptation, and goal-setting	
21	Ms Lathika Joshi and Mr Varun Joshi	Corporate and Soft Skills Trainer	Guest lecture	07 May 2025
22	Mr Yezhil, Asst Director	Freelance	To conduct a session titled Behind the Stream: How Over-The-Top (OTT) Platforms Work	12 - 19 May 2025
23	Ms Anjali Bohra, Creative Head	Colorking UAE	To brief students on a session titled 'Post Processing Images using Adobe Lightroom'	14 May 2025
24	Dr Peng Du, Faculty	Thomas Jefferson University and Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat, Asia. (CTBUH Asia)	Guest lecture for fourth-year Bachelor of Architecture and Bachelor of Design in Interior Design students on innovative, sustainable urbanism and global trends in academic and career specialization	12 Jun 2025
25	Ms Zohra Ameen, Radio Jockey	BigFM	To conduct a professional workshop titled "Behind the Mic: What It Takes to Be a Great Radio Presenter" as part of MILA's Legacy Series, highlighting essential skills and real-world practices in radio broadcasting	22 Sep 2025
26	Mr Shammas Sulaiman BIM Manager United Engineering Construction	United Engineering Construction	The session highlighted the role of Building Information Modeling (BIM) and advanced digital tools in modern construction. The CEO and Founder of BIMelite shared insights on industry advancements and future trends	24 Sep 2025
27	Mr Allan Jonathan David, Founding Partner	The Chaos Company	To conduct a professional development workshop titled "Boss Yourself", aimed at equipping students with foundational skills for freelancing, specialization, and career readiness in creative industries	30 Sep 2025
28	Dr Nina Lazar, Faculty	Vellore Institute of Technology, India	Session on "Adaptive Morphologies" using Grasshopper three-	01 Oct 2025

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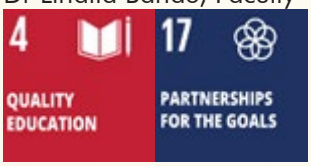
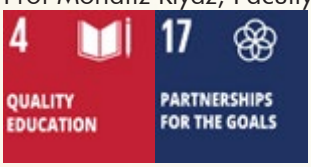
			dimensional computational design workflows	
29	Dr Lindita Bande, Faculty 	United Arab Emirates University, Al Ain	Served as resource person for the International Joint Studio on "Adaptive Morphologies" using Grasshopper three-dimensional computational design workflows	01 Oct 2025
30	Prof Mohafiz Riyaz, Faculty 	VIT School of Architecture, India	Served as resource person for the International Joint Studio on "Adaptive Morphologies" using Grasshopper three-dimensional computational design workflows	01 Oct 2025
31	Mr Raaghav Naagendran, CEO and Architect	A+R Architects	Delivered a guest session on "Digital Fabrication and three-dimensional Printing in Future Housing," discussing additive manufacturing, prototyping, and smart city design	02 Oct 2025
32	Ms Yamini Mahajan, Founder	YM Studio	To deliver an industry-focused workshop titled "Finding Your Calling in the Media Industry" as part of MILA's Legacy Series, guiding students on navigating early career choices, freelancing pathways, and professional growth in media production	07 Oct 2025
33	MBS - Dr Manish Dhameja	Ex Standard Chartered Banker, Abu Dhabi	Guest lecture to our Day MBA students detailing his three decades of experience in international banking	08 Oct 2025
34	Mr Peter Inbaraj Associate Director	Robert Bird Group (Dubai)	The workshop offered real project examples; students gained a deeper understanding of innovative construction methodologies, design challenges, and the critical role of temporary works in enabling landmark structures	14 Oct 2025
35	Huda Sharif Geotechnical Engineer, Basil Ismail Structural Engineer, Jainey Erum Structural Engineer, Akhil Surendran Structural Engineer	Robert Bird Group, WSP, Mott McDonald, Robert Bird group	The Mola Model workshop offered an enriching learning experience, encouraging active student participation and fostering deeper understanding of structural behaviour through practical demonstration and expert guidance	16 Oct 2025

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36	Ms Lubna Pathan, Head of Marketing	Falcon Eye Drones Services (FEDS) Drone Powered Solutions and The Drone Centre	To conduct a reflective and motivational workshop titled "Beyond the Career" as part of MILA's Legacy Series, focusing on personal growth, professional mindset, and the importance of holistic well-being	21 Oct 2025
37	Mr Bobby Sujansingani, Principal Architect and Partner	Beyond Green Architecture	Delivered a session "Shared Ground: Designing at the Intersections" exploring collaborative creativity across architecture, ecology, and technology	22 Oct 2025
38	DrcVijay Kumar Professor and Risk and Safety Management expert	Freelance	With 25+ years of experience, Dr Vijay delivered a guest lecture on "Risk and Safety Management in Industries," emphasizing proactive safety, hazard prevention, and staff welfare. Key topics included Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (HIRA), Failure Mode and Effects Analysis (FMEA), control measures, labor roles, and industrial risk strategies	22 Oct 2025
39	Mr Roman Gazine, Export Manager	Vivax-Metrotech, Germany	This workshop on "The Theory of Underground Cable and Pipe Location offered industry professionals and Engineering students a valuable opportunity to gain practical insights into non-intrusive detection methods, promoting safer infrastructure development and improved utility management	30 Oct 2025
40	Dr Tharwat Al-Bataineh	Global Food Regulatory and Halal Compliance Specialist- Ministry of Climate Change and Environment, UAE	Expert Talk for MSc Food Science and Safety students: Federal Law on Food Safety and MOCCAE Quality Standards Guideline	30 Oct 2025
41	Dr Georges Zgheib	Physician, Board-Certified in Aesthetic and Preventive Medicine Sesderma Skin Center, Dubai	Expert Talk for MSc students: Dietary management of Liver and Pancreatic diseases	30 Oct 2025
42	Mr Shamsu G Technical Engineer	3 phase technical services	A demonstration lecture by 3 Phase Technical Services introduced students to an Energy Monitoring Lab Kit, highlighting real-time monitoring, energy analysis, and sustainable,	31 Oct 2025

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			NETZERO-focused energy management practices.	
43	Dr Alavikunhu Panthakkan, Assistant Professor	University of Dubai	"Smart Eyes in the Sky" was a knowledge-sharing session on the role of AI in space and remote sensing. The talk covered how machine and deep learning enhance satellite imagery analysis and enable applications such as climate monitoring, disaster prediction, urban planning and space research.	03 Nov 2025
44	Mr McQuaig Wayne	Higher Education Manager (Europe and Middle East) Taylor and Francis imprints - CRC Press.	Mr Wayne visited the SOLS to discuss current teaching and learning resource requirements. The meeting is mainly to update on new and existing textbooks and demonstrate the various learning and research resources from Taylor & Francis (Routledge/CRC Press).	04 Nov 2025
45	Dr Vijay Vaidhyanathan (Manager, Rubber World Industry LLC) and Mr Jesfer Thauvalappil (Head of Sales, Rubber World Industries LLC)	Rubber World Industry LLC	The Mechanical Engineering Department at the School of Engineering and IT, MAHE Dubai, in collaboration with the ISHRAE UAE Sub Chapter, organized a technical talk during Technovanza's EQUINOX event titled "Digital Transformation in HVAC Support: The Gulf-O-Flex Assist Advantage." The session was attended by students, faculty, and staff.	05 Nov 2025
46	Dr Alan Taylor	Certified Genetic Counsellor, Al Jalila Children's Specialty Hospital, Dubai	Expert Talk for MSc students: Role of Genetic counseling in Clinical Practice: Pediatrics	13 Nov 2025
47	Dr Shruti Shenbagam	ABGC Certified Genetic Counselor, Al Jalila Children's Specialty Hospital, Dubai	Expert Talk for MSc students: Role of Genetic counseling in Clinical Practice: Pre-Marital	20 Nov 2025

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48	Ms Riddhi Anilkumar	Manager, Channel Growth, Marketing and Tech Strategy	IEEE Women in Engineering (WIE) – MAHE Dubai conducted the talk that addressed career transitions into tech, personal branding, leveraging AI, and financial independence. A structured Q&A session further explored career growth and networking strategies, leaving participants motivated and equipped to pursue technological careers with confidence and clarity.	26 Nov 2025
49	Dr Varsha P Ingale	Laboratory Director, Star Metropolis Clinical Laboratories and Health Services, UAE	Expert Talk for MSc students: "Clinicopathological features of familial cancer syndromes."	27 Nov 2025
50	Ms Shayan Rahaman	Medical Sales Representative and Coordinator, Zulekha Hospitals, Sharjah-UAE	An Alumni Talk on "Exploring Careers in Healthcare Administration" was organized in the School of Life Sciences. Ms Shayan, who studied BSc Biotechnology in MAHE Dubai shared valuable insights on career pathways and industry experiences in healthcare administration.	28 Nov 2025
51	Mr Shishan Sheriff	CFO, Esanjo	Guest lecture	15 Dec 2025

Details of Publications

International	
Indexed	Non - Indexed
60	6

Conferences attended by Institution faculty and students

Faculty		Student	
National	International	National	International
1	20	1	8

Details of Conferences/Workshops conducted by the Institution

Particulars	National	International
CME/CDE	1	0
Conference	0	6
Workshop	22	0
Seminar	6	1
Other	1	0

Books/Chapters Authored by Faculty Members

Sl No	Name of the Book	Chapter(s) name (if authored, chapters only)	Faculty members	Publisher	Date
1	Perspectives on Asian Tourism	Unleashing the Power of Animation Movies on Sustainable Tourism: A Case Study on "Moana"	Dr Rajani Ramdas	Springer	31 Jan 2025

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2	Advancements in colorectal cancer	Multi-faceted surgical intervention using robotic technology for better colorectal cancer management	Dr Arif Hussain	Elsevier B V	31 Aug 2025
3	Transforming Education with Data Science in the AI Era	AI-Based Real-Time Class Engagement Emotions Monitoring System Integration and Innovation	Dr Praveen Kumar T	IGI Global	30 Sep 2025
4	Redefining Sustainability: International Conference on Net Zero Solutions and Circular Economy: Volume 2	Enabling Sustainable Energy: Integrating NetZero IoT, Cloud, and AI for Smart Energy Management	Dr Ravishankar Dudhe (MAHE Dubai), Dr Bhakti More (MAHE Dubai), and Mr Mirza Azmat Baig (Industry Partner – 3 Phase Technical Services)	Springer Nature	10 Oct 2025
5	Microbial Cell Factories in Food Waste Biorefinery	Upcycling food waste	Dr Faheem SM. and Dr Monica Premi	Elsevier	31 Oct 2025
6	Microbial Cell Factories in Food Waste Biorefinery	An insight into food waste generations: Status, source, and global impact	Dr Sowmya Rao	Elsevier	31 Oct 2025
7	Unveiling Blockchain Enabled Business Applications	Application of blockchain in the healthcare industry using nanotechnology to detect cancer	Dr Faheem SM	Springer Nature	31 Dec 2025
8	Redefining Sustainability International Conference on Net Zero Solutions and Circular Economy: Volume 2	Enabling Sustainable Energy: Integrating NetZero IoT, Cloud, and AI for Smart Energy Management	Dr Ravishankar Dudhe, Dr Bhakti More, and Mr. Mirza Azmat Baig	Springer	31 Dec 2025
9	Redefining Sustainability International Conference on Net Zero Solutions and Circular Economy: Volume 2	Towards a Greener Future: An Exploration of Sustainable Villa Retrofitting Technologies to Achieve Net Zero	Biji Sara Binu, Ravishankar Dudhe, Bhakti More, Eldo Mathew, and P C Fahima Kunhabdulla	Springer	31 Dec 2025

Details of Research Grants

Sl No	Project Name	Principal Investigator	Funding Agencies	Total Grants Received (INR)	Date(s)
1	State, Tourism, and Heritage: Kalbeliyas in Post-Recognition Phase in India	PI- Dr Suruchi Thapar-Bjorkert, Uppsala University, Sweden, Co-PI- Dr Ruchika Ranwa, MAHE Dubai	Swedish Research Council	33,213,683	01 Aug 2023 - 28 Feb 2026

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2	Applied Blockchain Center	Dr Ganesan Subramanian	Information Data System, USA	2,079,878	01 Oct 2023 - 30 Sep 2028
3	HVACR Project and Tuition fees support	Ms Kayana Chita, Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins	American Society of Heating Ventilation and Air Conditioning Engineers, USA	858,120	15 Feb 2024 - 14 Feb 2025
4	HVACR project-related conference	Ms Kayana Chita, Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins	American Society of heating ventilation and air conditioning Engineers, USA	85,812	10 Sep 2024 - 31 Aug 2025
5	Experimental Investigation of Advanced Composite Materials for Aircraft Fuselage Structures	Dr Pramod George (PI), Dr Rajiv Selvam (Co-PI), Dr Naveen Chandrasekhar (Co-PI)	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	128,500	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
6	Development of Electrospun Polymeric Nanofibers for Humidifier Systems	Dr Sawan Shetty, Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins	Intramural Funding (|Me) For Research Projects, MAHE, India	450,000	01 Jan 2025 - 31 Dec 2027
7	Mapping Social Cognition Variations in Pathological Personality Traits: Insights from the DSM – 5 Hybrid Model	Dr Jereesh K Elias (PI), Ms Aswathy Menon	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	124,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
8	Performance analysis of a vertical axis dehumidifier using vacuum regenerator and portable vertical axis wick type rotary humidifier	Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins (PI) and Dr Sachidananda	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	98,183	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
9	Genetic association studies on 3′-UTR variants rs356219 and rs356220 in SNCA Gene with Parkinson's Disease in Emirati population	Dr Naushad Rais	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	494,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
10	AI-Driven Smart Mobility Optimization in Cognitive Cities: A Predictive Model for Traffic Management and Emission Reduction	Dr Zakiya Ansari	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	99,000	01 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
11	High-Precision position Control of Electro-Pneumatic Actuation Systems	Dr Naveen Chandrasekar (P1), Dr Rajiv Selvam (Co-PI), Dr Pramod George (Co-PI)	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	94,870.	02 Jan - 31 Dec 2025
12	Seeding Sustainability	Dr Bhakti More	MAJRA National CSR Fund (Majra is the National CSR Fund in the UAE)	495,000	01 Jul 2025 to 31 Jul 2028

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13	Migration, Socio-Economic Inequality, and Healthcare Vulnerabilities in Dubai	Dr Richa Arora (PI), Dr Ruchika Ranwa	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	147,994	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
14	Stock Synchronicity in the Indian Capital Markets: Evidence from Covid-19 Pandemic Event	Dr Ullas Rao	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	111,150	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
15	Design and fabrication of the portable vortex refrigerator unit	Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins (PI) and Dr Sachidananda	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	49,091	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
16	Design and fabrication of the cyclone separator or centrifugal air separator	Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins and Dr Sachidananda (PI)	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	49,091	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
17	Design and fabrication of a centrifugal air purifier	Dr Sachidananda H K (PI) and Dr Sampath Suranjan	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	44,000	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
18	Development of low cost indoor mobile robot testbed for path planning and SLAM research	Mr Suresh Balakrishnan	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	117,500	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
19	Stock Synchronicity in the Indian Capital Markets: Evidence from the Covid-19 Pandemic Event	Dr Ullas Rao	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	110,400	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
20	Valorization of underutilized plant biomass as a prebiotic source using sustainable ultrasound assisted Natural Deep Eutectic Solvents (NADES)	Dr Faheem SM	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	292,000	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2027
21	Study of anticancer properties of Ursolic Acid's Piperolein A on human cancer cells	Dr Arif Hussain	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	488,000	01 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2027
22	Design and fabrication of the desiccant dehumidifier for crop storage	Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins (PI) and Dr Sachidananda	Manipal Research board (MRB), MAHE	560,000	31 Oct 2025 - 30 Sep 2026
23	ASHRAE Travel Grant	Ms Kayana Chita and Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins (PI)	MAHE Dubai Internal Research Grant	90,059	01 Nov 2025 - 28 Feb 2026

Patent details:

Details of Patent Filed:

Sl No	Name	Date
1	An Air Humidifier	03 Jan 2025
2	Domestic Refrigerator Based Space Cooling System and Method	22 Aug 2025
3	Six-Seater Electric Golf Cart	14 Nov 2025

Awards/Recognitions:

Institution (including 'The Best Teacher Award' for the year)

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Dr Ramaprasad Poojary	Promoted to the role of Head of Quality Assurance and Accreditation Cell (QAAC)	31 Jan 2025
2	Dr Rajani Ramdas	Spot Award	28 Feb 2025
3	Year of Sustainability Seal	The UAE Federal Government presented MAHE Dubai the "Plan to Action: Year of Sustainability's Seal" as part of the 2024 Year of Sustainability Initiative. The seal is attached for your reference. This prestigious recognition celebrates the University's collective efforts in promoting sustainability through impactful initiatives, student-led projects, and community engagement through the activities of the Manipal Environment Conservation Students (MECS) Club and other campus-wide actions aligned with UAE sustainability goals.	05 May 2025
4	Verified Impact Project Stamp from MAJRA	MAHE Dubai received the Verified Impact project stamp for its initiative 'Seeding Sustainability Program' aligned with Sustainable Impact, ESGs and SDGs in the UAE. This innovative program by Water Alliance was delivered by MAHE Dubai's students across schools in the UAE and was selected among the top 20 projects nationwide in MAJRA's (a UAE Federal Government initiative) Sustainable Impact Challenge 2025, earning the program a grant of AED 20,000. The program was implemented in the schools in UAE and directly supports the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), 13 (Climate Action) and 14 (Life Below Water), as well as furthering the UAE's COP28 climate action legacy.	01 Jun 2025
5	Sustainability Initiative of the Year – Universities – Winner and 'Digital Innovation of the Year – Highly Commended'	MAHE Dubai won the Chartered Institute of Building Services Engineers (CIBSE) MENA – 'Student Design Competition' and 'Sustainability Initiative of the Year' - Universities and Highly Commendable for 'Digital Innovation for the year'- Universities for the CIBSE MENA Awards, in collaboration with CIBSE UAE Region that serve as a platform to recognize excellence in building services engineering, highlighting innovative projects and professionals who are setting new standards in sustainability, safety, and performance.	30 Oct 2025

Faculty Members

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1	Dr Subburaj Alagarswamy	Best Presenter Award at the 2nd International Conference on Innovation, Sustainability, and Applied Sciences (ICISAS 2025)	22 Feb 2025

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2	Dr Subburaj Alagarswamy	Best Presenter Award at the 2nd International Conference on Innovation, Sustainability, and Applied Sciences (ICISAS 2025)	23 Feb 2025
3	Dr Sunitha Prabhuram	Became a member of ACCA	28 Feb 2025
4	Dr Ritu Singh	Certified Professional Coach certification	28 Feb 2025
5	Dr Pramod George	Selected as the Youth Co-Chair for ISHRAE UAE Sub Chapter for 2025-2026	03 May 2025
6	Dr Rajani Ramdas, Prof Thahani Iqbal and Dr Soumya Sasidharan	Won 3000 Euros in the Finance & Business category at the European Foundation for Management Development (EFMD) Global case competition 2025	31 May 2025
7	Dr Ruchika Ranwa	Annual Research Excellence Awards 2025, MAHE Dubai	04 Sep 2025
8	Dr Sampath Suranjan Salins	Won “Research Excellence Award” by MAHE Dubai	05 Sep 2025
9	Dr Sachidananda H K	Won “Research Excellence Award” (Runner up) by MAHE Dubai.	05 Sep 2025
10	Dr Arif Hussain and Dr Faheem SM	Listed in UAE Research Map, a centralized portal for the research community in the United Arab Emirates. It is a joint initiative led by Advanced Technology Research Council (ATRC), and in collaboration with Emirates Research and Development Council (ERDC), and Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research (MOHESR).	23 Nov 2025

Students

Sl No	Name	Details	Date
1	Mr Mohamed Nihmathullah (Year IV, Bachelor of Design in Interior Design)	Mr Mohamed Nihmathulla along with his team members, won the first Prize at the Green Entrepreneurship Program hosted by Ajman Youth Hub and organized by Ajman University. Ajman’s first community-driven circular economy platform transforming food waste into compost, biodiesel, and a gamified rewards app.	18 Feb 2025
2	Ms Veronica Francis (Bcom Professional with ACCA, II Year), Mr Sumith Manjunath (Bcom Professional with ACCA, III	First Place at the Carnival 2025 Fashion Show	28 Feb 2025

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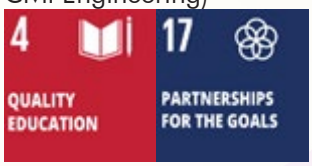
	Year), Ms Sukhmani Sehra (Bcom Professional with ACCA 1st year).		
3	Veronica Francis, Bcom Professional with ACCA, II Year	SDG8 Decent Work and Economic Growth - Participated in SPIRE hosted by SP Jain and achieved Runner-Up in both Finance and Marketing challenges.	28 Feb 2025
4	First Prize in the Bridge Load Efficiency category: Mr Jaskaran Singh, Mr Ayaan Patel, Mr Affan Ahamed Hussain (VI Sem BTech Civil Engineering), Mr Mohammed Mujtabaa Hussain (II Sem BTech Civil Engineering), First Runner Up position in the Bridge Load Efficiency category: Mr Aaron Thomas Kuruvilla, Mr Akhil George Oommen, Mr Chris John, Abubaker Usman Hassan (VI Sem BTech Civil Engineering). First Prize in the Load Prediction: Ms Sreelakshmi Palakka Valappil VI Sem BTech Civil Engineering) 	Civil Engineering undergraduate students and members of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) Student Chapter MAHE Dubai, won the First prize in the Bridge Load Efficiency category at the Annual Wooden Bridge Competition held at the American University in Dubai. They won a cash prize of 5000 AED.	03 Mar 2025
5	First position in the Challenge 'Rubbish Collecting Mobile Robot': Suhana Khaise (Electrical and Electronics Engineering), Hamid (Mechatronics), Sanjit (Mechatronics), Ehshaanya (Mechatronics), Asanthi (Mechatronics), Mahir (Computer Science and Engineering). Second position in the Challenge 'Recycling Robot': Aadhith (Mechatronics), Athul (Mechatronics), Prince Lee	BTech Students from MAHE Dubai secured various positions at the III Emirates Robotics Competition (ERC 2025), organized by Dubai Future Labs.	08 Apr 2025

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	(Mechatronics), Aupsal (Mechatronics), Zelia (Mechatronics), Aaron Varghese (Mechanical Engineering). Best Innovation Award in the Challenge 'Water Cleaning Surface Robot': Hanif (Mechatronics), Bilal (Mechatronics), Syeda Maizah (Mechatronics). Best Innovation Award in the Challenge 'Recycling Robot': Khalid (Electrical and Electronics Engineering), Ayan (Mechatronics), Kiran (Electrical and Electronics Engineering), Gagan Pramod (Mechanical Engineering), Aditya (Electrical and Electronics Engineering), Altamash (Computer Science and Engineering)		
6	Mr Prem (Year III, Bachelor of Architecture) Mr Yuvraj (Year III, Bachelor of Architecture) Ms Radhika Keni (Year V, Bachelor of Architecture)	Third Prize at the Architecture Student Contest 2025 – United Arab Emirates National Stage, organized by Saint-Gobain.	17 Apr 2025
7	Adwaith Anilkumar Jessica John Ms Kashyapi Shah (BArch) Students	First Prize for Architecture Student Contest 2025 – United Arab Emirates National Stage, organized by Saint-Gobain. The team presented their project internationally in France.	17 Apr 2025

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8	Adheeba (Year III, Bachelor of Architecture) Ms Jenifer (Year 3, Bachelor of Architecture) Ms Diyaa Khan (Year 5, Bachelor of Architecture)	Second Prize at the Architecture Student Contest 2025 – United Arab Emirates National Stage, organized by Saint-Gobain.	17 Apr 2025
9	Mr Mohamed Maahir, Mr Chris D'Souza, Veron Monteiro, Iffah Konian, Asma Afzal	Team MAVIC CODERS secured the Runners Up position at the prestigious "Wellington Hackathon," organized by Dubai Airport Freezone (DAFZ) under the AI Innovation Forum 2025, as part of Dubai AI Week.	24 Apr 2025
10	Final year and III Year BTech Mechatronics and Mechanical Engineering students - Bilal Baslar (Mechatronics), Medwin Varghese (Mechatronics), Hanif Nazar (Mechatronics), Mohammed Ayan (Mechatronics), Muhammed Hamid (Mechatronics), Sanjit Sriprasanna (Mechatronics), Syeda Maizah (Mechatronics), Gagan Pramod (Mechanical), Owais (Mechatronics), Abhinav Arunkumar (Mechatronics)	Mubadala's Higher Education Student Competition 2024-25 - First Prize	26 Apr 2025

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11	Mr Abdul Kabir (Bcom Professional with ACCA, Year II) and Ms Shivani Vekant, (Bcom Professional with ACCA, Year I)	They were a part of Team Manipal at JASHN, showcasing their enthusiasm, talent, and college spirit. Themed "Atlantis", Mr Kabir starred as Poseidon, directed the storyline and design, and Ms Shivani played the Role of Lion Fish. The team won 1st Place JASHN 2025	30 Apr 2025
12	II year Mechanical Engineering Students, 2023-2027 - Tharun Guruvareddiyur Karthikeyan Abdulla Abdul Jaleel Jaya Jatin Bhavesh Podugu Mohamed Shoaib	The team secured the First Runner-up position in the Repeatable Vehicle category, won First Prize in the Poster Presentation, and also clinched First Prize in the Peer Review category.	10 May 2025
13	Mr Aryan Bhingare, VII semester Mechanical Engineering	Secured Third place in the prestigious ASHRAE RAL (Region-at-Large) Student QUIZ Competition 2025. Mr Aryan will be awarded a cash prize of 600 USD (2200 AED).	15 May 2025
14	Ms Mahima Subramanian	Best Paper at 3rd International Student Research Conference (ISRC) at MAHE	16 May 2025
15	Ms Bhavya Mohan	Best Paper at 3rd ISRC at MAHE	16 May 2025
16	Ms Aysha Rias	Best Paper at 3rd ISRC at MAHE	16 May 2025
17	Sivakami Anil	Runner-Up Best Paper at 3rd ISRC at MAHE	16 May 2025
18	Arown Reji	Runner-Up Best Paper at 3rd ISRC at MAHE	16 May 2025
19	3rd Year BTech Mechanical Engineering (2022-2026) - Enos Calwin Paul, Shuaib Mohamed Akram, Konain Ahmed, Mahesh Thekkath, Aryan Vijayraghavan, Abdullah Najib	Won the best project award in Mechanical Engineering for completing the 'Design Analysis and Fabrication of a 6-Seater Golf Cart' project in the research colloquium (AEIT 2025), organized by SOEIT.	22 May 2025

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20	III Year BTech Mechanical Engineering students - Enos Calwin Paul, Shuaib Mohamed Akram, Konain Ahmed, Mahesh Thekkath, Aryan Vijayraghavan, Abdullah Najib	Won the best project award in Mechanical Engineering for completing the 'water purifier and humidifier unit 'project in the research colloquium (AEIT 2025) which was organized by SOEIT.	22 May 2025
21	Best project Award AEIT 2025 Mechatronics second year students.	Team of Mechatronics Students Successfully Developed A Robo Dog Project, Which Received The Best Project Award At The AEIT 2025 Research Colloquium.	22 May 2025
22	Medwin Varghese, Ehshaanya Gujaran, Owais Shaikh Asif	12th Undergraduate Research and Innovation Competition (URIC)- Project title: AI-Driven ROVs for Automated Coral Restoration and Marine Ecosystem Monitoring in the UAE: A Sustainable Approach to Marine Conservation.	29 May 2025

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23	Second position at Senior Design Project (Computing and Robotics) by Final Year and 3rd year, BTech Mechatronics) – Mr Bilal Baslar, Mr Mohamed Hanif Nazar, Mr Owais Shaikh Asif, Mr Sanjit Sriprasanna. Third position at Common Design Project) by Final Year and 3rd year, BTech Mechatronics – Mr Adarsh Baburaj, Ms Shaima Zaffar, Ms Ehshannya Gujaran, Mr Ganesh Surendranath	19th IEEE students Day 2nd position at Senior Design Project (Computing and Robotics) and 3rd position at Common Design Project.	31 May 2025
24	Mr Somanimalan Subramanian	Recognized by DIAC Community	18 Aug 2025
25	Mr Umar Sayed	3rd Place in Sony Middle East Asia (MEA) Competition	18 Aug 2025
26	Ms Swetha Sree	Recognized by DIAC Community	18 Aug 2025
27	Ms Ayesha Imran (Bachelor of Design in Interior Design, Class of 2025)	Winner for Best Student Interior Design Concept of the Year, 19th Commercial Interior Design (CID) Awards 2025, for "WAQT – The UAE Cultural Hub Resort." The project celebrates Emirati cultural heritage through experiential hospitality and narrative-driven interior environments.	25 Sep 2025
28	Ms Delara Shaji (Bachelor of Design in Interior Design, Class of 2025)	SDG4 Quality Education - Highly Commended for Best Student Interior Design Concept of the Year, 19th Commercial Interior Design (CID) Awards 2025, for "The Althaia Holistic Wellness Retreat for Post-Cancer Survivors." The design integrates evidence-based design (EBD) to support emotional, psychological, and physical healing.	25 Sep 2025
29	Final Year, BTech Mechanical Engineering (2022-2026) – Mr Aryan Bhingare, Jasim Anas, Mr	Students were shortlisted and participated in the Research Poster Competition jointly organized by American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) UAE Section, Additive	25 Sep 2025

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	Aaron Varghese, Mr Gautham Shaji, Mr Yash Samir	Manufacturing and 3D Printing (AM) Conclave 2025, and Advanced Materials and Composites (ADMAT) Expo.	
30	Ms Tridha Singh (Bachelor of Architecture, Class of 2024)	Received the Council of Architecture (COA) Award and was among the Top 5 finalists at the Zone 4 (Z4) Zonal Awards for Excellence in Architectural Thesis 2024, organized by the Council of Architecture, India, for her thesis "The Next Marvel: Readapted Oil Rig in United Arab Emirates."	01 Oct 2025
31	Ms Hannah Ann Danny and Mr Goutham Chandra (Bachelor of Architecture, Class of 2025)	Two Bachelor of Architecture (BArch) students from the 2025 graduating batch received the Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Gulf Future Architects Awards at Dubai Design Week 2025. The Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) celebrated outstanding student projects from five regional universities, including the three Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) validated institutions, Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Dubai, Abu Dhabi University, and Heriot-Watt University Dubai, alongside the American University of Sharjah and the American University in Dubai.	07 Nov 2025
32	Owais Asif Shaikh, Moin Alam, Abhinav Arun Kumar, Jaya Jatin Podugu, Siva Subramanian Swaminathan, Tharun Karthikeyan, Abdulla Abdul Jaleel, Mohammad Jasim Siddiqui	Team PARIJAL and AZURA participated in Mubarmij Al Emarat 2025. Team PARIJAL is listed in top ten under the Senior Pioneers category	08 Nov 2025

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33	Aiman Abid and Riwa Khan (Year 5, Bachelor of Architecture	Third Prize at Roca One Day Design Challenge 2025 for their project "The Mishk," showcasing culturally contextual interior design and contemporary functional detailing.	15 Nov 2025
34	Ms Arina Arun and Mr Muhammad Sadath (Year V, Bachelor of Architecture)	First Prize at Roca One Day Design Challenge 2025 for their project "Cove," an innovative hotel bathroom concept rooted in traditional Bedouin-inspired luxury, desert-responsive design thinking, and sustainability-driven interior concepts.	15 Nov 2025
35	Ms Hephziba Elsa George, Ms Shiny Rachel and Ms Pooja K	Students of MSc Food Science and Safety Semester III have presented a research poster and won the Best Student Poster Award at the 19th Dubai International Food Safety Conference (DIFSC) 2025	18 Nov 2025
36	Ms Sreevarshini Subramanian	2nd Prized at 'Uncovered' by DIAC	19 Nov 2025
37	Team Regen • Biji Sara Binu (Master of Design in Sustainable Design – MDes) • Marwa K (3rd Year Bachelor of Architecture – BArch) • Mr Kiran Krishnan (3rd Year Bachelor of Technology – BTech in Electrical and Electronics Engineering) • Mr Khalid (4th Year Bachelor of Technology – BTech in Electrical and Electronics Engineering)	Winner at Student Design Competition for a smart building retrofit proposal using intelligent Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) systems, Internet of Things (IoT)–enabled technologies, and Artificial Intelligence (AI)–driven systems, demonstrating advanced sustainable building innovation.	21 Nov 2025
38	Ms Hannah Ann Danny (Bachelor of Architecture, Class of 2025)	Received the Award of Merit Certificate for her project "Intertwined Ecologies" under the Student Graduation category at the American Institute of Architects (AIA) Middle East Year End Conference 2025, held in Amman, Jordan.	22 Nov 2025
39	Team 1: Asmi Fathima, Iqra Irfan (Third Year, BTech Mechatronics Engineering 2023-2027),	Students were shortlisted and participated in the Sustainability Project/Poster Competition conducted in American University in Dubai. Topic for Team 1: ECODIGI: Every Battery counts to a	27 Nov 2025

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	Team 2; Mohammed Shoaib, Tharun Guruvareddiyur Karthikeyan, Abdu Sameeol Khalid, Allwin Joshua H (Third Year, BTech Mechatronics Engineering (2023-2027)'	cleaner future'. Topic for Team 2: Design and analysis of a cyclone-based dust separation system.	
40	Ms Kayana Chita	Has been awarded the ASHRAE Travel Grant of USD 1,000 to attend the ASHRAE Winter Conference in Las Vegas, USA, scheduled from 31 Jan to 04 Feb 2026.	30 Nov 2025

Extra - Curricular Activities
Sports Activities
In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Intramural 2	Students competed against each other in Badminton, Table Tennis, Chess, Billiards	14 Mar 2025
2	Intramural Phase 3 - Ramadan Football Cup	Students competed against each other in Football	21 Mar 2025
3	Intramural Phase 4	Students competed against each other in Indoor Cricket	12 May 2025
4	Intramural Phase 5	Students competed against each other in Tug of War	19 May 2025
5	International Yoga Day	Staff and students participated in International Yoga	20 Jun 2025
6	Sports tryouts	Tryouts for the University team were conducted in Badminton, Basketball, Football, Volleyball, Table Tennis, Cricket, Billiards, Dodgeball, and Athletics (for both Boys and girls)	15 Oct 2025
7	Dubai 30-30 challenge	Conducted during Week 1: Activities: Deadlift Challenge, Skipping Challenge, and Football. Conducted during Week 2: Activity: Volleyball Tournament. Conducted during Week 3: Activity: Basketball. Conducted during Week 4: Activities: Badminton and Table Tennis.	01 Nov 2025

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8	Intramural Doubles Badminton Phase 1	Students engaged in an intramural Doubles Badminton tournament.	10 Dec 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Manipal Sports Fest (MSF) Phase 2	Students participated in Table Tennis, Chess, and Billiards. Second prize in Women's Chess and First prize in Women's Billiards	11 Feb 2025
2	Skyline Sports Fest	Students participated in Cricket, Basketball, and Table Tennis	14 Feb 2025
3	Watt Fest	Students participated in Table Tennis, Cricket, and Badminton	15 Feb 2025
4	Excel Magazine	Students participated in Football	20 Feb 2025
5	American University Sharjah (AUS) Ramadan Cup	Students participated in Basketball	07 Mar 2025
6	Emirates Cricket Board (ECB) women's Cricket	Students participated in Cricket	08 Mar 2025
7	Westford Sports	Students participated in Football, Padel, Tennis, Basketball, and won the First prize in Padel and Throwball	08 Apr 2025
8	Curtin Sports Fest	Students participated in Football, Padel, Tennis, Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, and won the First prize in Women's Badminton	08 Apr 2025
9	AUS Raquet Tournament	Students participated in Badminton, Table Tennis, Padel, and won the Second prize in Women's Badminton	08 Apr 2025
10	MSF Phase 3	Students participated in Football and won second prize in Women's Football	14 Apr 2025
11	Rochecter Institute of Technology (RIT) Sports Clash	Students participated in Basketball, Volleyball, Table Tennis, Football, Badminton, and Chess	23 Apr 2025
12	UAE University Games	Students participated in Boys' Basketball, Girls' Football, and Boys' Football	15 Oct 2025
13	Amity Sports Fest	Students participated in the Boys' Cricket tournament	20 Oct 2025
14	Amity Sports Fest	Students participated in the Dodgeball mix category tournament	21 Oct 2025
15	AUS Sports Fest	Boys participated in Cricket, Volleyball, Football, Basketball, and Padel. Bagged second place in the cricket. Girls participated in Volleyball and Basketball.	03 Nov 2025
16	Emirates Cricket Board (ECB) women's Cricket	Students participated in Cricket	15 Nov 2025
17	American University of Ras Al Khaimah (AURAK) Sports Fest	Students participated in the boys' cricket and girls' volleyball tournament.	17 Nov 2025

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
18	BITS sports fest	Students participated in the Girls' Teams: Throwball, Basketball, Cricket, Table Tennis, Badminton, Tennis, Athletics, Volleyball, and Chess. Boys' Teams: Football, Cricket, Basketball, Tennis, Athletics, Chess, Table Tennis, Badminton, Boxing. Achievements: Athletics and Boxing: 2 Gold Medals, 2 Silver Medals Cricket (Boys): First Place, Throwball (Girls): Second Place, Badminton (Girls): Second Place	19 Nov 2025

Cultural Activities In Institution

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Carnival 2025	MAHE Dubai brought together students from 17 universities across the UAE competing in eight categories over two dynamic days during Carnival 2025. Held at multiple venues with industry expert judges, the event featured vibrant student-led stalls, and the celebration wrapped up with an electrifying DJ keeping the energy high and the students dancing.	16 Feb 2025
2	Ramadan Charity Drive 2025	A Ramadan Charity Drive in collaboration with Emirates Red Crescent encouraged students, faculty, and staff to contribute essential items for those in need. The campaign fostered a spirit of compassion and unity on campus, reflecting the values of giving during the holy month.	17 Feb 2025
3	Youth Icon Auditions 2025	The Youth Icon Auditions saw enthusiastic participation from students showcasing their talent, personality, and stage presence. After a competitive round of auditions, Mr Siddarth Menon and Ms Varsha Ajayan were shortlisted to represent MAHE Dubai at the Youth Icon Finale.	28 Feb 2025
4	Youth Icon Finale 2025	The Youth Icon Finale hosted by MAHE Dubai featured 10 competing performances from universities across Dubai. Ms Varsha from MAHE, Dubai and Mr Fares from Amity University, Dubai were declared 'Ms and Mr Youth Icon 2025' after captivating performances. The event also included four special performances by MAHE Dubai, Amity University Dubai, and Symbiosis International University Dubai, showcasing inter-university camaraderie.	18 Mar 2025
5	Eid Celebration 2025	Eid Celebration 2025 at MAHE Dubai was a colorful celebration of culture, with student-led stalls, lively performances, and a whole lot of festive spirit bringing everyone together in joy and unity!	03 Apr 2025
6	Unplugged Evenings	Unplugged Evenings 2025 at MAHE Dubai hit a whole new level of energy! The evening batch lit up the night with soulful tunes, high-voltage dance, and stunning displays of art and photography. It was a creative explosion and the most electrifying Unplugged yet!	07 May 2025
7	Anti-Vaping Campaign	The Anti-Vaping Campaign was a student clubs-led initiative supported by the Office of Student Affairs. Through creative performances, informative sessions, and interactive activities, the campaign aimed to raise awareness about the dangers of vaping and encourage students to choose healthier alternatives.	21 May 2025
8	Africa Day	MAHE Dubai brought the spirit of Africa to campus with a vibrant Africa Day celebration! From colourful traditional attire to rhythmic beats and energetic dance moves, the event was a joyful tribute to the continent's rich diversity. It was all about pride, unity, and soaking in the beauty of African culture - MAHE style!	26 May 2025

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9	MAHE Jams 2025	A first-of-its-kind dance initiative organized and led by the Dance Club, featuring three invited choreographers who conducted mini dance workshops. The event was open to MAHE students as well as participants from nearby universities, fostering collaboration and creative exchange through dance.	28 May 2025
10	Welcome Back on Campus	A warm and vibrant event to welcome continuing students, faculty, and staff back to campus for the new academic term. This gathering aims to foster a sense of community, celebrate fresh beginnings, and help everyone ease into campus life after the break. The event featured lively student-led performances, fun quiz segments and game stalls to celebrate the spirit of togetherness and showcase student talent. It was a great opportunity for returning students to reconnect, to feel at home, and for everyone to engage in the energy and creativity of our campus community.	25 Aug 2025
11	Week of Welcome	A vibrant orientation week that introduced new students to university life through faculty sessions, code of conduct briefings, club introductions, and cultural activities. The week concluded with fun performances, games, and fresher recognitions.	15 Sep 2025
12	Investiture Ceremony	The academic year kicked off with the Badging Ceremony, celebrating the seamless handover from the outgoing to the new Student Council in the presence of university leaders and staff. It was a proud moment welcoming fresh leadership and honoring commitment.	15 Sep 2025
13	PG Orientation	The orientation welcomed new postgraduate students and introduced them to faculty, support departments, and campus life. It encouraged cross-school networking in a relaxed setting and concluded with a dinner	06 Oct 2025
14	Grad Connect 2025	A special evening event was organized for university students enrolled in evening programs, featuring a variety of engaging activities aimed at fostering interaction among students. The ground floor foyer of the campus hosted interactive game stalls, food stall, and entertainment options including live music and a host of other ice breaker sessions to induce students to actively interact with each other particularly bridging the gap between existing evening students and the evening freshers and get to know the campus more. The event successfully promoted social interaction and student well-being, receiving positive feedback for its inclusive and vibrant atmosphere.	13 Oct 2025
15	Diwali 2025	MAHE Dubai celebrated the festival of Diwali with great enthusiasm and joy. The event showcased the spirit of unity and cultural diversity among students. The celebration included vibrant decorations, traditional music and dance performances, a diya-painting competition, Rangoli competition, Lantern making competition and delicious food stalls. Students dressed in colorful ethnic attire, creating a festive atmosphere filled with laughter, light, and togetherness. The event not only highlighted the significance of Diwali as the "festival of lights" but also strengthened the sense of community and cultural appreciation within the university.	16 Oct 2025
16	Hostel Connect'25	The event began with a Hostel Orientation to familiarize residents with facilities and guidelines, followed by Hostel Connect featuring interactive games and performances. The evening concluded with a dinner, encouraging bonding and a sense of belonging among hostel residents.	18 Oct 2025
17	Pink October	Pinktober is a breast cancer awareness day as a part of AW Rostamani group's initiative in collaboration with Subscribe Me to educate and engage the student community on this critical health issue. The event featured a blend of infotainment activities by various student clubs and an informative session by a medical professional Dr Anitha Sophia, providing valuable insights into breast cancer prevention, early detection, and overall awareness. Students	29 Oct 2025

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		actively participated, gaining both knowledge and practical tips, making the event both educational and engaging.	
18	UAE Flag Day '25	A patriotic observance dedicated to honouring the UAE flag as a symbol of national pride, unity, and loyalty, marked by flag hoisting and collective participation by the MAHE Dubai student community, featuring Dance and Musical performances.	03 Nov 2025
19	International Day 2025	International Day is an event dedicated to celebrating diversity, inclusion, and cultural tolerance. The program highlighted the richness of global traditions by representing five regions: Asia, Africa, Europe, the Americas, and the Middle East. The event featured: • Cultural Performances showcasing music, dance, and artistic expressions from each region. • Culinary Experiences with food stalls offering a variety of dishes. • Exhibitions displaying artifacts and cultural items that reflected heritage and craftsmanship. • Interactive Games originating from different regions, encouraging participation and engagement. • Henna, Face Painting, Nail art and Calligraphy Stalls offering traditional designs. • The International Day parade featured students proudly dressed in traditional attire from Asia, Africa, Europe, the Americas, and the Middle East. As they moved around the event area, the parade created a vibrant display of cultural identity and unity. • Student-led Stalls where products creatively crafted by our students were presented and sold. The International Day fostered intercultural understanding and strengthened community bonds within the University. By bringing together diverse traditions under one platform, the event underscored the institution's commitment to promoting global awareness, respect, and unity.	20 Nov 2025
20	UAE National Day	The University commemorated UAE National Day with a vibrant program that reflected the nation's heritage and cultural pride. The celebration featured a variety of activities designed to engage the community and highlight Emirati traditions. Key highlights included: • Henna and Face Painting Stalls offering traditional designs. • Musical Performances with singing and drums that created a lively atmosphere. • Calligraphy Competition showcasing the artistry of Arabic script and encouraging student participation. • Fun Games and Interactive Activities that fostered enjoyment and community spirit. The event successfully combined cultural expression with student involvement, reinforcing the values of unity, pride, and respect for national traditions. It provided an opportunity for the university community to come together in celebration of the UAE's identity and achievements.	27 Nov 2025

Outside University

Sl No	Event	Details	Date(s)
1	Wattfest	MAHE Dubai cultural teams, Invictus (dance) and Xylapse (band), proudly represented the university with outstanding performances in WattFest 2025, hosted by Heriot-Watt University, Dubai. Invictus secured first place, showcasing exceptional talent and spirit.	26 Feb 2025
2	UTSAV 2025	Utsav, the annual cultural showdown among all Manipal institutions, showcased exceptional talent and spirited participation. MAHE Dubai delivered an impressive performance, securing 1st place in Instrumental Solo, 2nd in Western Group Dance, and 3rd place in both Indian Classical Dance (Solo) and Mime.	24 Mar 2025

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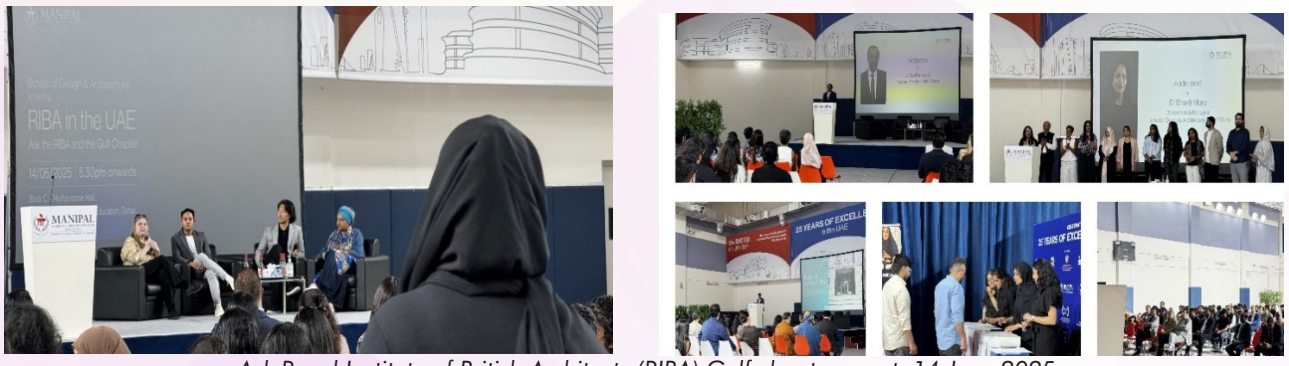
3	Myriad Talent Arena	MAHE Dubai Dance Club participated in the Myriad Talent Arena organized by The Myriad Group, open to universities across the UAE, and emerged as Champions, securing 1st Position for their outstanding performance.	12 Apr 2025
4	Jashn 2025	MAHE Dubai students shined at Jashn 2025, an inter-university cultural fest hosted by BITS Pilani Dubai. From dance and drama to music and art, our talented students showcased their creativity, connected with peers across the region, and proudly represented MAHE on a vibrant cultural stage.	21 Apr 2025
5	Ormachuvadukal 2025	MAHE Dubai Dance Club secured the 1st Runners Up position in the Cinematic Group Dance category at this event organized by the Malayalam Association of UAE, showcasing outstanding teamwork and performance excellence.	25 May 2025

Photo Archive of Important Events

Designing Cities of Meaning Event' at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Dubai, 30 October 2025



Ask Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) Gulf chapter event, 14 June 2025

BTF Engineers Day Celebrations UAE- Chief Guest Mr Suresh Prabhu (Former Union Cabinet Minister, India), 23 October 2025

Guest lecture taken for MBA students in Finance, 08 October 2025

MAHE Dubai Carnival 2025, 17 February 2025

MAHE Dubai students at Utsav 2025, 28 March 2025

MAHE Girls Football Team - MSF 3 2025, 21 April 2025

MoU with the Dubai Municipality 17 November 2025

MERAKI – Interschool Media Competition, 07 May 2025

MSCM - ACCA QUIZFEST

Library Resources XVII

Central Library- SEARCH, Manipal

Address: MAHE, Manipal – 576 104
Phone Number: 0820 29 22358; 22293
Email (Library): lib.kmc@manipal.edu **Email (Chief Librarian):** shiva.bhat@manipal.edu

Name of the Chief Librarian: Dr Shivananda Bhat K
Year of Establishment of the Library: 1953

Brief About the Library:
The SEARCH–The Health Sciences Library at Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, is widely regarded as one of India's best Health Sciences libraries. The state-of-the-art library, stretching over 1.5 lakh square feet on five levels, is a domain for information seekers, be they students, faculty, or researchers. It can accommodate 1300 students at a time. Besides the comfortable seating and reading environment, the library is well equipped with modern facilities such as access to the internet and web resources, including online journals and e-books. The library is a central library for numerous institutions/ departments/centres within MAHE, including:

- Kasturba Medical College, Manipal
- Manipal College of Dental Sciences, Manipal
- Manipal College of Nursing, Manipal
- Manipal School of Nursing, Manipal
- Manipal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Manipal
- Manipal College of Health Professions, Manipal
- Manipal School of Life Sciences, Manipal
- Prasanna School of Public Health, Manipal
- Manipal Institute of Virology, Manipal
- Department of Library and Information Science, Manipal
- Department of Biotherapeutics Research, Manipal
- Department of Basic Medical Sciences, Manipal
- Centre for Integrative Medicine and Research, Manipal

Designed with various spaces to meet different needs, the library offers reading areas, group study spaces (for UG, PG, and research), private study rooms, a computer lab, internet kiosks, self-service scanning, a self-check-out/in kiosk, a book drop box, accessible spaces for differently-abled users, a cafeteria, a lounge, and an audio-visual room.

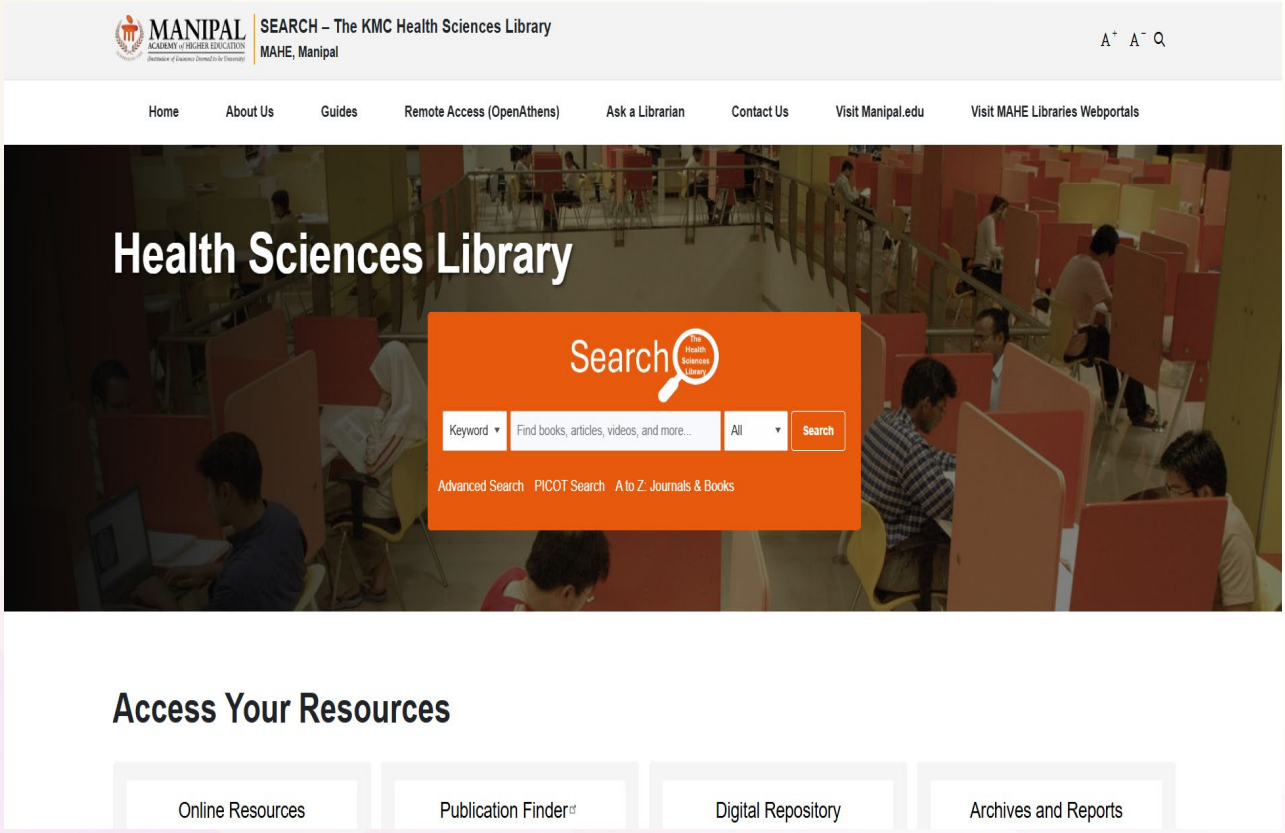
In addition to providing ample seating and a conducive reading environment, the library offers modern facilities like access to online resources, including e-books and online journals. The library is equipped with a growing collection of online databases accessible through the campus network and remotely via OpenAthens Single Sign-On (SSO), using login credentials from Office 365 (learner.manipal.edu or manipal.edu).

All library collections and services are fully automated using Koha library management software, and users can search for print materials such as books, journals, theses, and WHO publications through the Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC).

The library ensures a secure and efficient environment with state-of-the-art RFID technology, Wi-Fi, and security systems, including CCTV. It also offers research and project support services, such as Turnitin for plagiarism checks, Grammarly for grammar and spelling corrections, AJE for English language editing, author workshops, literature search services, and access to bibliographical and citation tools like Scopus and Web of Science.

The library engages in best practices such as organizing information literacy programs, library workshops and conferences, book exhibitions, and celebrating Librarians' Day and National Library Week. Other services include reference services, current awareness, circulation, photocopying, scanning, inter-library loans, access to question papers from previous years, and training in using e-resources.

The library's Unified Library Services Solution (Library Web Page) integrates Stacks with a Web-Scale Discovery Service, offering a comprehensive search function across all subscribed and open-access resources. All library collections and services are fully automated using Koha library management software, and users can search for print materials such as books, journals, theses, and WHO publications through the Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC).



The Health Sciences Library is committed to providing world-class information support, ensuring its users have the resources for academic and research success.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	**Accessible Space**: Services for differently-abled individuals include talking screen readers for the blind, walking ramps, tactile flooring, capsule lifts, and wheelchairs.
2	**Author Workshops**: The library organizes workshops with publishers to assist users in publishing articles.
3	**Books Drop Box**: A drop box in the Level I lobby provides an easy way for users to return books.
4	**CD-ROM Access**: The library's CD-ROM collection includes multimedia resources, back volumes of medical journals, and more.
5	**Circulation**: Books are issued to interns, postgraduates, research scholars, and faculty, with journals and multimedia materials for in-house use only.
6	**Computer Services**: A fully equipped computer lab offers internet access, academic database search, and printing facilities.
7	**Current Awareness Service**: The library informs users about new additions through display boards and by publishing updates on the library's webpage.
8	**Grammarly Tool**: An online tool for grammar and spelling checks, available through the library's website to assist users in improving their writing.
9	**Inter-Library Loan/Document Delivery**: The library helps obtain materials from DELNET and other libraries to expand its collection for faculty, students, and researchers.
10	**Internet Access/Wi-Fi**: Dedicated internet browsing sections (computer lab) and Wi-Fi coverage are available across the library's reading halls.
11	**Internet Kiosks**: Located on all five levels, these kiosks offer users access to the internet and to accessing e-resources subscribed by the library.
12	**IP-Based Access to e-Resources (Campus Access)**: Access to subscribed e-resources is available through the campus network for faculty, students, and researchers.
13	**Library Spaces**: Designed to meet various needs, the library offers reading areas, group study spaces for UG, PG, and research students, as well as private study rooms.
14	**OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue)**: The OPAC allows users to search for all print resources in the library's collection, accessible via the library's webpage.
15	**OpenAthens (SSO – Remote Access to e-Resources)**: Users can access subscribed e-resources remotely through the OpenAthens Single Sign-On (SSO) system using their Office 365 credentials.
16	**Publication Finder (A-Z Resources: Journals, Books, Databases):** The Library provides access to a comprehensive collection of resources, including journals, books, and databases, through the Publication Finder. These resources are available for browsing by subject on the library's webpage, allowing users to explore the full range of subscribed materials easily.
17	**Question Paper Archives**: Users can access previous years' question papers via the library's web page.
18	**Reference Service**: Library staff provides personal assistance in navigating the collection for research and study, helping users locate relevant resources.
19	**RFID/Wi-Fi/CCTV**: The library uses advanced RFID technology, Wi-Fi, and CCTV for security and efficient service.
20	**Self-Service Scanning**: A self-service scanning facility on Level I enables users to digitize documents quickly.
21	**Self-Check-Out and Self Check-In Kiosk**: Located on Level I, this kiosk offers users a convenient way to borrow and return books independently.
22	**Training in Accessing e-Resources**: The library arranges training sessions from time to time for the users to conduct effective literature searches using e-resources.
23	**Turnitin**: A service to check document originality and prevent plagiarism, available upon request through the library.

These services collectively provide a comprehensive, user-friendly experience, supporting academic, research, and personal study needs.

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	72,862
e-Books	45,955
Journals	96
Online journals	8,698
Back volumes of journals	41,242
CDs	965
WHO publications	2,115
Dissertations	11,117
Online databases	42

Details of Guest Visit

Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of Visit	Date
1	Dr Ramesh C Gaur, Professor and Dean (Administration)	Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA), New Delhi	Library Visit	22 Feb 2025
2	Dr Nabi Hasan, Head Librarian	Indian Institute of Technology Delhi	Library visit	22 Feb 2025
3	Dr Aditya Tripathi, Professor	Department of Library and Information Science, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi	Library visit	18 Aug 2025

Paper presented by the Librarian: Sl.No	Name of the Librarian	Name of the Workshop/ Conference	Title of the paper/poster presented, with name of the Co-Authors	Date	Place	State/ National/ International
1.	Dr Mahabaleshwara Rao	6th National Conference on "Management of Modern Libraries"	Current Status of the Resources Availability and Services offered in the Government. Medical College Libraries of Karnataka to Meet the User Expectations: A Pilot Study	21-22 Feb 2025	Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	National

Paper presented by the Librarian: Sl.No	Name of the Librarian	Name of the Workshop/ Conference	Title of the paper/poster presented, with name of the Co-Authors	Date	Place	State/ National/ International
2.	Dr Mahabaleshwara Rao	6th National Conference on "Management of Modern Libraries"	Technology Adoption Models in Libraries and the Challenges Involved in the Adoption of Innovative Technologies	21-22 Feb 2025	Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	National
3.	Dr Mahabaleshwara Rao	70th ILA International Conference on Libraries and Artificial Intelligence: Empowering Users for Sustainable Knowledge System	Stacks Implementation for a Unified Library Solution Interface at KMC Health Sciences Library, MAHE, Manipal	20-22 Mar 2025	University of Agricultural Sciences, Raichur	International
4.	Dr Mahabaleshwara Rao	22nd MANLIBNET-2025 International Conference on Marching Beyond the Libraries: Talent, Technology and Transformation	Implementation of a Unified Library Solution: MAHE Libraries Global Web Portals.	18-20 Dec 2025	KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha	International
5.	Ms Saritha (Deputy Librarian)	6th National Conference on "Management of Modern Libraries"	Is the Reading Habit among Secondary School Students Fading Away in the Digital Age?: A Pilot Study Dr Shivananda Bhat K	21-22 Feb 2025	Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal	National

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person/institution/vendor	Name of the Book	Date
1	CBS Publishers and Distributors Pvt Ltd, Bangalore	Ten into Ten: Ten Subjects by Ten Teachers. 1st edition (2 copies)	13 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person/institution/vendor	Name of the Book	Date
2	Dr K Ramnarayan, Pro Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University (SMU)	India @100 (4 copies)	14 Jan 2025
3	KMC Office, MAHE, Manipal	Essentials of Ophthalmology	29 Jan 2025
4	Dr K M Cherian (MS 1964 batch KMC, Mangalore), Chairman and CEO, Frontier Lifeline Hospital, Chennai	Just an Instrument	29 Jan 2025
5	CBS Publishers and Distributors Pvt Ltd, Bangalore	CC Chatterjee's Human Physiology. 15th edition (2 copies)	29 Jan 2025
6	CBS Publishers and Distributors Pvt Ltd, Bangalore	BD Chaurasia's Human Anatomy, Regional and Applied Dissection and Clinical Vol 1 and 2, 10th edition (2 copies each)	04 Feb 2025
7	CBS Publishers and Distributors Pvt Ltd, Bangalore	BD Chaurasia's Human Anatomy, Regional and Applied Dissection and Clinical, Vol 3 and 4	04 Feb 2025
8	KMC Office, MAHE, Manipal	Beyond the Stethoscope. 1st edition	01 Mar 2025
9	KMC Office, MAHE, Manipal	Clinical Diagnosis. 1st edition	01 Mar 2025
10	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Concise Textbook of Drug Regulatory Affairs (24 copies)	10 Apr 2025
11	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Affordable and Effective Drug Delivery. 1st edition (17 copies)	10 Apr 2025
12	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Concepts in Chronopharmacology (30 copies)	10 Apr 2025
13	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Progress in Drug Delivery Research-Manipal Experience (12 copies)	10 Apr 2025
14	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Evolving Pharmacy Profession: Education, Research, and Beyond (5 copies)	10 Apr 2025
15	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Exploring Nanotechnology in Healthcare (6 copies)	10 Apr 2025
16	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Insight into Industrial Pharmacy (6 copies)	10 Apr 2025
17	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	COVID-19 1st edition (3 copies)	10 Apr 2025
18	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Editing Pharmacy (3 copies)	10 Apr 2025
19	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Battle against cancer with a pharmaceutical weapon (7 copies)	10 Apr 2025
20	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Fundamentals of Pharmaceutical Care (3 copies)	10 Apr 2025
21	Dr Udupa N, Former Principal, MCOPS and Former Director Research, MAHE, Manipal	Pharmaceutical Marketing Management (4 copies)	10 Apr 2025
22	Dr Cinoy Pius Maliakal (190101039), MBBS, KMC, Manipal	Pharmacological Classification of Drugs with Doses and Preparations, 6th edition	20 May 2025
23	Dr Cinoy Pius Maliakal (190101039), MBBS, KMC, Manipal	Pharmacology for Medical Graduates, 5th edition	20 May 2025
24	Dr Cinoy Pius Maliakal (190101039), MBBS, KMC, Manipal	Textbook of Pathology, 8th edition	20 May 2025
25	Dr Cinoy Pius Maliakal (190101039), MBBS, KMC, Manipal	Forensic Medicine Prep Manual for Undergraduates, 1st edition	20 May 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person/institution/vendor	Name of the Book	Date
26	Dr Cinoy Pius Maliakal (190101039), MBBS, KMC, Manipal	Exam Preparatory Manual for Undergraduates: Community Medicine, 4th edition	20 May 2025
27	Dr Kahon Chakraborty, EMMESS Medical Publishers Pvt Ltd.	Periodontology Simplified	18 Jun 2025
28	Dr Ramadas M Pai, Chancellor, MAHE, Manipal	Autobiography of a Surgeon, 1st edition	28 Jul 2025
29	MBK Charitable Society, New Delhi	Satya Ramayan, 1st edition	06 Aug 2025
30	Kindoori Lal Dwarka Prasad Goyal Charitable Trust, Jaipur.	Shrimdbhagvadgita, 1st edition	06 Aug 2025

Photo Gallery

Group Study Area

Computer Lab

Library reading hall second floor

Central Library- Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore

Address: LH Road
Phone Number: 0824 2422271
Email (Library): lib.kmcmlr@manipal.edu **Librarian:** pooja.bhat@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Dr Pooja Bhat

Year of Establishment of the Library: 1953

Brief About the Library

Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore, has a rich and diverse library service. The total area of the Library building is about 4100 sq mt with a seating capacity of 800 people. The library is centrally air-conditioned, Wi-Fi enabled, and well-structured with separate book sections with open access for the undergraduate in the basement and postgraduate/reference section on the ground floor. Separate sections are maintained for the current periodicals, the back volumes, and also for group discussion and reading. There is one more library at the Basic Science Campus. The users can utilize the Central library from 9:00 AM to 11:30 PM and the Basic Science Library from 9:00 AM to 8:30 PM on all weekdays. The library has a collection of around 39,000 print books, 29,000 bound volumes of journals, and a subscription to more than 100 print journals per year. The library also has around 1000 thesis titles for reference. Besides traditional carriers of information such as books and journals, the library is well equipped with online journals/books/databases. The library has subscribed to more than 30 online databases, such as Up-to-date, Clinical Key, Scopus, Web of Science, BMJ, Springer, Cambridge, Oxford, Sage Publications, etc. To facilitate the user for a single-window search, the Ovid Discovery Service (ODS) has been subscribed to, where we can search the contents and topics of all the subscribed databases in a single platform. All these resources can be accessed remotely, outside the campus, beyond the working hours of the library, through OpenAthens, and also through the Library portal at MU Portal. The library is fully automated with library software. The library is enabled with modern best practices such as Access Control Security system, RFID Technology, CC Camera monitoring, etc.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Book Borrowing
2	Internet Browsing
3	Reprography
4	Inter-Library Loan
5	Online Database Searching within the Campus
6	Ovid Discovery Service
7	Remote Access to E-Resources
8	Reference Service
9	Plagiarism checking through Anti-Plagiarism Software

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as of 31 December 2023)

Collection	Total
Books	39,651
E-Books: Health Science and other subjects	55,707
Journals- Subscribed for the year 2025	114
Online journals- Health Science and other subjects	9,618
Back volumes of journals	29,890
CDs	1,610
WHO publications	1,578
Thesis	2,930
Online databases	31

Details of Donation of Books-

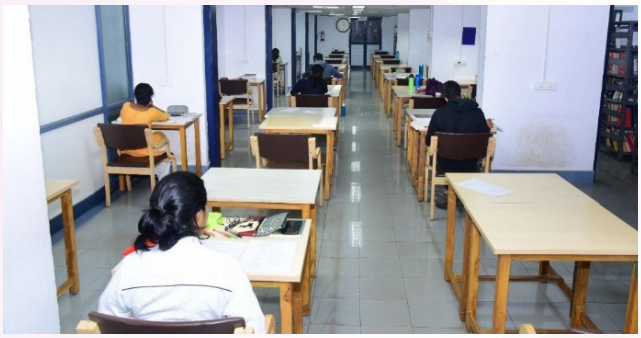
1. "SRB's Manual of Surgery-8th Ed.", Donated by Dr Sriram Bhat, Professor of Surgery, KMC, Mangalore

Photo Gallery

Group Study Area

Current Journal/Back Volume Section

Photocopying Section



PG Section

Central Library, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal

Address: Manipal Institute of Technology
Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal
Phone Number: 0820 2924451
Email (Library): lib.mit@manipal.edu **Email (Librarian):** rekha.pai@manipal.edu

Name of Chief Librarian: Dr Rekha D Pai
Year of Establishment of the Library: 1957
Library Stacks Page:
https://mitmpllibportal.manipal.edu/

Brief About the Library

The Central Library of Manipal Institute of Technology is located at the heart of the institution and is easily accessible to the students, faculty, and researchers of the institute. The building occupies a total area of about 70,000 sq ft and has three floors with individual and group study halls with 950 seating capacity. The central library provides services not only to MIT but also to MSIS (Manipal School of Information Science), ICAS (International Centre for Applied Science), and MIAP (Manipal School of Applied Physics) having more than 10,000 active users. MIT library subscribes to many electronic resources as a component of the digital library. MIT central library hosts more than 1 lakh twenty-six thousand documents. It subscribes to many e-journals, e-databases, e-books, e-standards, and CD-ROMs. These information resources promote and advance teaching and learning and facilitate improved productivity and qualitative research. The entire library is Wi-Fi enabled, and a security system with CCTV and an RFID security gate is present. The library is fully automated with KOHA software, and collections are RFID tagged. The remote access facility (OpenAthens) is implemented for accessing e-resources from outside the campus. Grammarly, grammar-checking software, and Turnitin, plagiarism-checking software, are the added research support tools available in the library. The library has taken membership of DELNET Online services. Users can get photocopies of articles/books that are not available in the MIT library using inter library loan facility of DELNET. The library has arranged two information literacy programs in the year 2025 for the benefit and effective use of library resources by the users. Open Library works 24x7. The newly opened BIS corner is available for users to refer to the IS codes.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Lending Facility for UG, PG, PhD Scholars, and Faculty
2	Reference Service
3	Photocopying Service
4	Interlibrary Loan Facility
5	Display of Faculty Publication and New Arrivals
6	Newspaper Service
7	Remote Access to Library Resources using OpenAthens
8	E-question Paper Services
9	Plagiarism Check
10	Single Search Window
11	Impressions @ MAHE for Institutional Repository
12	Grammarly (Spelling and Grammar checking software)
13	Talking Screen Reader for Blind and Low Vision (Fusion)
14	Self-check-in and Self-check-out facility
15	Drop Box for Returning the Books

Library Resources

The total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025 is as follows:

Collection	Added/Renewed. (During the year 2025)	Total (As on 31 Dec 2025)
Books	1,147	1,30,979
E-books	26,890	1,02,370
Journals (Print)	120	120
Magazines	10	10
Online Journals	4,020	4,020
Bound Volumes	138	13,111
CD-ROM	0	7,760
Project Reports	0	11,070
Thesis (PhD)	112	547

E-Resources subscribed by the MIT library:

Sl No	Product Name	Publisher Name	No of Journals/ Books	Back volumes from
		E- Journals (full text)		
1	IEEE online	IEEE	280	1995
2	ASCE	ASCE	32	2000
3	ASME	ASME	27	2000
4	ACM	ACM	37	2000
5	Springer Link (Full package) / Nature journals	Springer	1300	1995
6	Science Direct Engineering (All Series)	Elsevier	1120	1995
7	World Scientific Journals Environment	WSJ	175	2024
8	Cambridge Journals	Cambridge	49	2020
9	Wiley Online	Wiley	400	2015
10	Taylor and Francis	Taylor and Francis	506	2000
11	Sage Journals	Sage	88	2000
12	Royal Society of Chemistry	RSC	56	2008
13	Institute of Physics Science	IOP	68	2024
		E- Standards		
1	ASTM standards Digital Library	ASTM		2010
2	BIS Codes - Online version	BIS		

Sl No	Product Name	Publisher Name	No of Journals/ Books	Back volumes from
		E-Books		
1	Springer Link (Full package)	Springer	74,860	2005-24
2	MC Graw Hill Access Engineering	Mc Graw Hill	620	
3	Science Direct	Elsevier	12113	1951
4	Taylor and Francis	Taylor and Francis	7868	2019
5	Cambridge	Cambridge University Press	5358	2020
6	CBS	CBS	151	2020
		E-Databases		
1	J-Gate	Informatics India		
2	Scopus online	Elsevier		
3	SciFinder	American Chemical Society		
4	Scival	Elsevier		
5	Web of Science	Thomson Reuters		
6	Pure	Elsevier		
7	JCR	Thomson Reuters (Clarivate)		
8	MAGZTER Gold	E-Magazines/Newspapers		

Paper Presented by Librarian:

Sl No	Name of the Librarian	Name of the Workshop/ Conference	Title of the paper/poster presented, with name of the Co-Authors	Date	Place	State/ National/ International
1.	Dr Rekha D Pai and Ms Pooja	6th National Conference on Management of Modern Libraries (NACML) 2025	Cybersecurity in Higher Education Libraries	21-22 Feb 2025	Manipal	National
2.	Dr Rekha D Pai and Ms Melborine Nongspung	6th NACML 2025	Reading Environment in Libraries for Researchers: A Satisfaction Survey	21-22 Feb 2025	Manipal	National
3.	Dr Rekha D Pai and Ms Pooja	National Conference on Modern Library Technologies and Services (NCMLTS) 2025	"Electronic Resources and Cybersecurity in Engineering College Libraries: Availability and Awareness Study"	28-29 Mar 2025	Bangalore	National

Paper Publications:

1. Chaithra G and Rekha D Pai "Scholarly publishing through Open Access: Challenges and role of Universities". Journal of Information Systems Management. 15(2), 2025, 71-78. https://doi.org/10.6025/jism/2025/15/2/71-78
2. Aruima Baiju, Rekha D Pai, Shivananda Bhat K "Mapping the Invisible: A Two-Decade Bibliometric Analysis of Intangible Cultural Heritage Research". Open Information Science. 9(1), 2025. https://doi.org/10.1515/opis-2025-0030

Details of Donation of Books:

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	No of Books	Date/year
1	Students and Faculty	Text and Reference	121	2025

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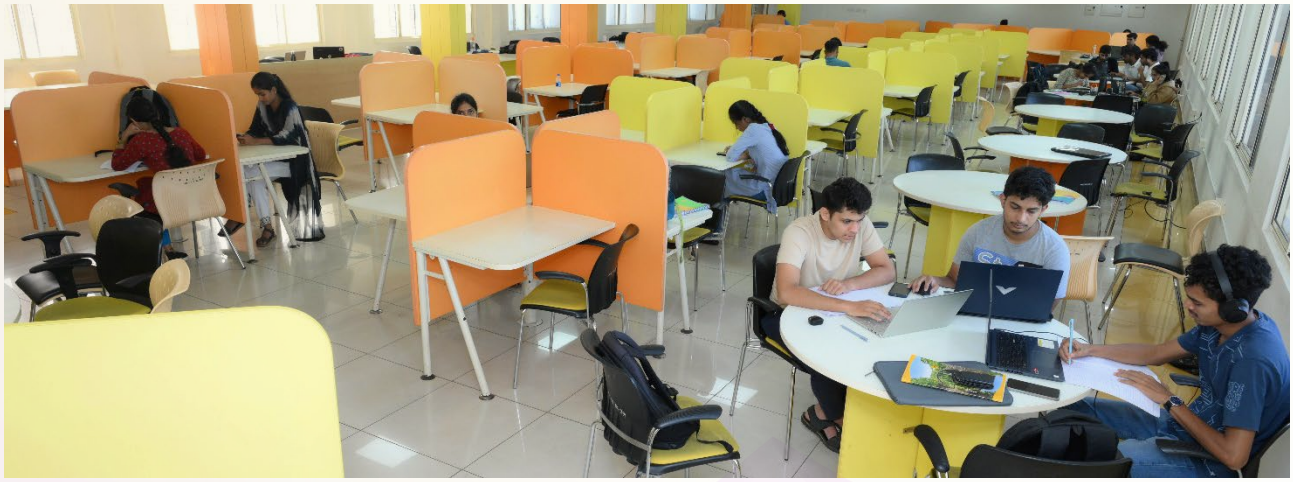
BIS Corner

Book Stack



Group Study Hall

Library Entrance

Manipal Institute of Communication, Manipal

Address: Press Corner Road, Manipal
Phone Number: 0820 2922077
Email (Library): lib.mic@manipal.edu **Librarian mail:** prathima.acharya@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Dr Prathima J Acharya
Year of Establishment of the Library: 1997

Brief About the Library

MIC Library is well stocked with books, journals, magazines, and audiovisual materials to meet the information needs of students and faculty of MIC. New books are continuously added in order to keep the library abreast of developments in media and communication studies. More than three thousand books donated by the Honorary Director, Dr M V Kamath is an invaluable addition. Library is having a unique collection of Ganghi's work. MAHE Libraries Global Web Portals, where users can search not only the MIC library but also the library catalogue in a single window search.

We also have the General Library, adjacent to the MIC library. Staff of MAHE and their children can get the benefit of the library.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1.	OPAC
2.	Inter-library loan

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 Dec 2025)

Collection	Total
Books(MIC)	14,042
Books (General Library)	7030
Journals	17
Back Volumes of Journals	1,017
CDs	798
Online databases	426 through EBSCO Database

Details of the Guest Visit

Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date
1.	Abhishek D	SIES (N) Mumbai	Education	29 May 2025
2.	Ruchi Kher	Symbiosis Japan	Education	22 Aug 2025

Paper presented by Librarian

Sl No	Name of the Librarian	Name of the Workshop/ Conference	Title of the paper/poster presented, with name of the Co-Authors	Date	Place	State/National/International
1.	Dr Prathima J Acharya	NACML-2025	Social Media Presence and Engagement	21-22 Feb 2025	Manipal	National
2.	Dr. Prathima J Acharya	NCMLTS	Sustainability Initiatives in libraries	28-29 Mar 2025	Bangalore	National

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1.	Dr Sangamitra Roy, Faculty, Manipal School of Architecture and Planning (MSAP)	General books	27 Dec 2025

Photo gallery

Case for the Constitution of India Book

Formal Inauguration of the Constitution of India book case on 08 January 2026

First Handwritten print book of the Constitution of India

General Library

Individual Study area for the students

Manipal School of Commerce and Economics Library, Manipal

Address: 3rd Floor MIT Central Library, MIT Campus, MAHE, Manipal
Phone number: 0820 2925314
Email (Library): librarian.msce@manipal **Email (Librarian):** usha.latha@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Mrs Ushalatha

Year of Establishment of the Library: 1999

Brief About MIT Central Library:

The library and information centre have a vast collection of management books and journals. Apart from printed resources, the library is subscribed to an online database. The centre is fully automated (Koha software), and the resources are made available as an electronic public access system (OPAC). Students also have access to the internet, CD-ROM information retrieval, and photocopying facilities. These information resources promote and advance teaching and learning while also facilitating improved productivity and qualitative research. The library is fully air-conditioned and Wi-Fi enabled. The library is kept under CCTV surveillance. Library e-resources can be browsed through the intranet portal http://muportal.and and remotely accessed through Openathens. The working hours of the library are from 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM on working days (Monday to Saturday). The library is closed on Sunday. During vacation, it is open from 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM. The library has a seating capacity of 60. The total library area is 286 sq m, comprising a reading room of 203 sq m in area and an 83 sq m stack room (carpet area).

Services of the library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Circulation of books
2	Reference services
3	Inter-library loan
4	Internet access/Wi-Fi
5	Turnitin
6	Online databases
7	Openathens /Remote access to subscribed e-resources

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	32,262
E-books	101
Journals	11
Online journals	212
Back volumes of journals	914
CDs	1,463
WHO publications	-
Dissertations/Projects	3,027
Online databases	7

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Welcomgroup Graduate School of Hotel Administration Library, Manipal

Address: Door Number 8-26A8B, Near WGSHA Hostel, Madhava Nagar,
Shivalli Village, Manipal 576104, Karnataka, India
Phone Number: 0820 2933320
Email (Library): lib.wgsha@manipal.edu **Librarian:** jyothi.mallya@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Ms Jyothi Mallya
Year of Establishment of the Library: 1986

Brief About the Library:
The College has a well-stocked library with nearly 14146 books on Hospitality and Tourism management and allied subjects. In addition, it subscribes to nearly 52 journals and magazines on general and trade subjects from all over the world. The library also has a large section devoted to general reading, including sports, history, culture, and fine arts. There is a separate library for the BA in Culinary Arts course, currently having around 3,153 books.

Book Bank Facility: Course books prescribed by the college are available in the library and are issued to students at the beginning of the Academic Year.

Students are required to deposit the textbook at the library at the end of the course in good condition. Value of the book in case of non-return or the loss thereof would have to be paid for by the concerned student as per the rule.

E-Resource

1. The library subscribes to an online database called EBSCO Hospitality and Tourism, which covers scholarly research and industry news relating to all areas of Hospitality and Tourism. This collection contains more than 749,000 records, with coverage dating as far back as 1965.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Circulation Services
2	Reference and Information Services
3	Plagiarism Checking Service
4	Document Delivery Service (DDS)

Sl No	Name of the Facility
5	Inter Library Loan (ILL)
6	New Arrivals of Books
7	Printing
8	Air Condition
9	Computers with an Internet connection

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	14,146
e-Books	58 (Part of Databases)
Journals	31
Online journals	82
Back volumes of journals	307
CDs	899
WHO publications	--------
Dissertations	467
Online databases	01

Details of the Guest Visit

Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date
1.	Ms Mekhla Sinha, Executive Director, Global Human Resource Development Center (GHRDC) Ms Aradhana Changkakoti, Assistant Director	GHRDC	WGSHA Visit	16 - 17 Jan 2025
2.	Mr Shatrunjay Yadav, Associate Vice President (AHPWI) Association of Hospitality Professional Welfare of India	(AHPWI Association of Hospitality Professional Welfare of India	Expert session	20 Jan 2025
3.	Mr Neeraj Vaidya, Regional General Manager	Sterling Holidays	Placement Drive	22 Jan 2025
4.	Br Noelvic H Deloria President	Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	WGSHA Visit	23 Jan 2025
5.	Dr Teresa P Fabiania, Vice President for Academic Affairs	Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	WGSHA Visit	23 Jan 2025
6.	Ms Sheryl J Urdaneta, Head of the Center for Linkages, Internationalization, and Language Studies	Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	WGSHA Visit	23 Jan 2025
7.	Engineer Gernanate Polestico Head, Information Communication Technology, toured the college campus	Holy Cross of Davao College, Philippines	WGSHA Visit	23 Jan 2025
8.	Mr Santhosh D'Souza, Deputy General Manager – Operations Partner at Indya Foods (Quess Corporation Ltd)	Quess Corporation Ltd	Placement Drive	27 - 28 Jan 2025
9.	Chef Murali Murthy, Executive Chef (Indian region) HMSHOST India Pvt LTD	AVOLTA (HMSHOST)	Placement Drive	03 Feb 2025
10.	Mr Kumar Saurabh, Hotel General Manager, Lemon Tree Hotel, Electronic City	Lemon Tree Hotels	Placement Drive	07 Feb 2025
11.	Ms Sanjana Muddappa Senior Sales Manager	Fastcollab System Pvt Ltd	Expert session	14 Feb 2025
12.	Mr Akash Kapoor, Manager, Business Excellence and learning	Abu Dhabi Hotels and Villas and Learning Specialist of	Recruitment Drive	24 Feb 2025

Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date
		Abu Dhabi and Jordan		
13.	Ms Nibedita Ratha, Area Director, Human Resources	Abu Dhabi and Jordan, Hyatt Hotels Corporation	Recruitment Drive	24 Feb 2025
14.	Mr Sanjay Bose, Executive Vice President and Head, Human Resources	ITC Hotels Limited	WGSHA Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025	26 Feb 2025
15.	Mr Rohit Ramachandran, Independent Board Member, Jazeera Airways	Jazeera Airways	WGSHA Annual Day and Awards Ceremony 2025	26 Feb 2025
16.	Dr N Arlappa, Scientist 'G' and Head	National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad	Workshop on Techniques and Methods of Nutritional Assessment	20 Mar 2025
17.	Mr Sree Ramakrishna and Mrs Neeraja, Technical Officer, Public Health Nutrition	National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad	Workshop on Techniques and Methods of Nutritional Assessment	20 Mar 2025
18.	Chef Nandheetha Varadaraj, Pastry Chef, Consultant	Educator	Workshop - Pastry and Chocolate Techniques	01 Apr 2025
19.	Mr Manas Krishnamoorthy, Cluster General Manager	ITC	Expert Session	09 Apr 2025

Paper presented by **Librarian**:

Sl No	Name of the Librarian	Title of the paper/poster presented, with name of the Co-Authors	Date	State/ National/ International
1.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	Understanding consumer preferences of whiskey attributes: a conjoint study	19 Feb 2025	International
2.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	Sustainable tourism education: current status and future agenda	01 May 2025	International
3.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	Customer incivility in hospitality: insights from existing literature and pathways for future research	04 Jun 2025	International
4.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	Residents' empowerment in tourism contexts: a structured literature review and future research agenda.	01 Jul 2025	International
5.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	How restaurant influencers' characteristics impact Gen Z's restaurant visit: an elaboration likelihood perspective	20 Jul 2025	International
6.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	Chef Competencies in the Hospitality Industry: A Structured Systematic Review	01 Aug 2025	International
7.	Ms Jyothi Mallya	Generative artificial intelligence in library and information science literature: a structured, systematic review	25 Nov 2025	International

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Mr Siddharth Gahlaut (Student)	An Introduction to Wine	20 Jan 2025
2	Mr Siddharth Gahlaut (Student)	Wines Looking Behind the Label	20 Jan 2025
3	Mr Siddharth Gahlaut (Student)	Workbook	20 Jan 2025

Photo Gallery

WGSHA Library

Manipal Institute of Social Sciences, Humanities and Arts Library, Manipal

Address: Valley Campus: Fourth Floor, Old WGSHA Building, Opposite Kasturba Hospital OPD, MAHE, Manipal – 576104
Phone: 0820 2923096 / 2927701
Lake Campus: Planetarium Compound, Manipal-Alevoor Road, MAHE, Manipal – 576104
Phone: 0820 2923562 **Email (Library):** lib.misha@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian:

- Mr Anantha Rao K R (Manipal Centre for European Studies)
- Mrs Jayanthi S (Department of Geopolitics and International Relations)
- Mr Balu Wagle (Manipal Centre for Humanities)

Year of Establishment of the Library: 2025
Brief About the Library:
The MISHA Library is named after merging with the group of libraries of the Department of Geopolitics and International Studies, the Department of Languages, the Department of Philosophy, the Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences, the Manipal Centre for European Studies, and the Manipal Centre for Humanities. The MISHA Library works with two different campuses. One is in Valley Campus, i.e., in Old WGSHA Building, fourth floor, Opposite Kasturba Hospital OPD, with an area of 2,582 square feet. Another one is on Lake Campus, i.e., near Life Sciences Building, Planetarium Complex, Manipal-Alevoor Road, with an area of 21796 square feet.

3. Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Wi-Fi access; assistance from library staff to access library resources; and iBUS Wi-Fi services for students
2	Remote access (OpenAthens) of library resources through the MAHE Library Portal
3	Plagiarism check through Turnitin

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	25,725
E-Books	Nil
Journals (print)	22
Online journals	18
Back volumes of journals	Nil
CDs	68
WHO publications	Nil
Dissertations	334
Online databases	22

Details of Donation of Books:

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Prof Dr Varadesh Hiregange, Head, GCPAS, MAHE, Manipal	The collected works of Mahatma Gandhi (100-volume set)	05 Nov 2025
2	Dr Cesar de Prado	Global multi-level governance: European and East Asian leadership by Cesar de Prado	09 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
	Associate Professor, MCES, MAHE, Manipal		
3	Dr N Thirumaleshwara Bhat Utthana, 7th Cross, Eshwar Nagar, Manipal	"Pampabharata: retold as English narrative by Thirumaleshwara Bhat N"	11 Jan 2025
4	Dr Priyanka Tamta and Sukanya Sharma Department of Humanities and Social Sciences IIT Guwahati, Assam	The Kamakhya Temple and its Art and Architecture by Priyanka Tamta and Sukanya Sharma	22 Jan 2025
5	Dr Brahmari Gandhian Centre for Philosophical Arts and Sciences, MAHE, Manipal	1. Gejje Uluhina Naduve (Nruthya Sathya: Vasundara Samvada) (Kannada) by Shubhada Subramanyam 2. Orbit of Vasundhara: Realm of Dance's Truth by Shubhada Subramanyam	29 Jan 2025
6	Tara Prakashana #25, 3rd Main, Chennammanakere Acchukattu Banashankari 3rd Stage Bengaluru - 560085.	Complete works of Sri Madhvacarya (the Sarvamula Grantha series). vol. 7: Sat-prasnopanisadbhasyam (commentary on sat-prasnopanisat) by Vinayacharya P	12 Mar 2025
7	Dr Nikhil Govind Professor, MISHA MAHE, Manipal	• The Cambridge Companion to Science Fiction • Shri Ramayana Darshanam (Sahitya Akademi Award Winning Kan da Epic)	07 Jan 2025
8	Varughese E Dawson Professor	• Post-millennial Indian Speculative Fiction in English: Desi Dystopias and Ideas of Belonging • Joothan: A Dalit's Life • Dalit Kitchens of Marathwada: Anna He Apoorna Brahma	27 Mar 2025
9	Abeer Khatoon PhD Student, MISHA, MAHE, Manipal	• Art of Contemplation Abhyas Vidhi (way to do) in Six Exercises • Oxford Mini English-Hindi Dictionary • Hegel: A Guide for the Perplexed • The Meaning of Civilisation: Essays on Culture, Religion and Politics • An End to Suffering: The Buddha in the World • A Room of One's Own	07 May 2025
10	Ketaki Chawkani Assistant Professor	• Dravidam; then-now-forever • Why women became enslaved? • A Concise History of the Justice Party • Language trap: Agitation against Hindi imposition	26 Aug 2025

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Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences Library, Manipal

Address: Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal
Phone Number: 0820 2923577
Email (Library): lib.mcns@manipal.edu **Email (Librarian):** jessy.a@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Dr Jessy Saadi
Year of Establishment of the Library: 2013

Brief About the Library:

The Manipal Centre for Natural Sciences (MCNS) was conceived as a unique Centre within MAHE with a dedicated library to aid research in Natural Sciences, situated in the right wing of the Dr TMA Pai Planetarium building at Manipal. The air-conditioned library was opened to researchers in 2013. The library is wi-fi enabled and offers a wide range of Science and Technology online resources, textbooks, research books, reference books, and back volumes to support fundamental research in the physical sciences, astronomy and astrophysics, chemistry, evolutionary biology, and computational sciences. The library serves as a comprehensive resource center for scientific outreach, featuring a curated collection of nature books and popular educational audio-video materials. A 30-seater seminar room equipped with video conferencing facilities is available at the Centre. MCNS is a member of the Developing Library Network (DELNET), enabling inter-library loans. The library's fully computerized collection can be accessed via the Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC). MCNS library digital subscription is available through the MAHE Library's Global Web Portal link, https://mahelibportal.manipal.edu/mcns. To support research activities, the library offers individual user consultancy for accessing online resources and provides originality checks for documents using Turnitin. Orientation programs are conducted for new members to familiarize them with the library's facilities, physical and digital collections, services and accessing digital resources through MU Portal and use of Web OPAC. Library users also benefit from 24/7 remote access to subscribed online resources, enabling uninterrupted research and learning opportunities. In 2025, the MCNS library expanded its infrastructure by adding new facilities, including a computer-enabled reading/reference section, a group discussion area and an interactive research discussion zone, designed to provide natural light and pleasing learning environment for its patrons.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
	Circulation of Books
2	Inter-library Loan Service
3	Reference Service
4	Current Awareness Service
5	Plagiarism Checking Service
6	Literature Search Service
7	Research Support Service
8	Computers with Internet
9	Wi-Fi and LAN Access
	Remote Access Facility

Library Resources Offered (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	1,330
E-Books	>2,000
Journals	07
Online journals	>1,500
Back volumes of journals	311
CDs / DVDs	35
Dissertations (PhD & PG)	77
Online databases	>10

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Dr Jessy Saadi, Librarian-Senior Scale, MCNS Library, MAHE, Manipal	Power of Your Subconscious Mind by Joseph Murphy	17 Mar 2025
2		Atomic Habits: An Easy & Proven Way to Build Good Habits & Break Bad Ones by James Clear	17 Mar 2025

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Group Discussion Area of the Library

Interactive Research Discussion Zone at the Library

Nehru Memorial Library, Manipal

Address: Madhav Nagar, MAHE, Manipal -576104
Phone Number: 0820 2940003
Email (Library): lib.nml@manipal.edu **Email (Deputy Librarian):** nithya.n@manipal.edu

Name of the Deputy Librarian: Mr Nithyananda
Year of Establishment of the Library: 1967

Brief About the Library:

Nehru Memorial Library, MAHE, Manipal, is a public library. The library covers 5,000 square feet and has the capacity to accommodate 59 users at a time. It has a rich collection of books, including fiction and non-fiction, Self-improvement, General knowledge, General management, Cookery, Philosophy, Religion, children's books, etc. Leading newspapers and general magazines are also made available for public reading. Collection development is carried out based on users' needs. The library has a separate children's section. It is fully computerized, and its collection can be accessed through OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue) within the campus network. The library is equipped with the Closed Circuit Television System (CCTV) and remains open from 09:00 to 19:00 on all days, including Sundays.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Circulation of Books
2	Reference Service
3	Inter-library Loan
4	Current Awareness Service
5	OPAC – The Library Search Engine

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	16865
Magazines	14
Newspapers	10

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Mr Narahari B	• Nation Building Through Character Building • Nagamandala • Kaleyalli Vrathiparathe • Shabari • The Secret of the Nagas • Mogasaleya Mukhantara • Oladaniya Palukugalu • Yestu Sogasu Ee Baduku • Swargavemba Naraka • Muddana In Focus	15 Jan 2025
2	Dr Mahabaleshwar Rao	• Visha Varthula (2 Books)	15 Jan 2025
3	Mr Ranganath Hegde	• Smarane (2 Books)	18 Jan 2025
4	Mrs Sujatha Nambiar	• The Lord Sahiva • Behind Bars • Nutrition and Dietetics • Wings of Fire: An Autobiography • Half the night is gone • Disclaimer • Fifty Shades of Grey • Fifty Shades Darker • Fifty Shades Freed • Bahubali: The Rise of Sivagami • Bahubali: Queen of Mahishmathi • All the lives we never lived • Barracuda • Shakespeare • Pregnancy Notes • The PCOD Thyroid Book • Don't Lose Your Mind, Lose Your Weight • Indian Super Foods • Women and The Weight Loss	21 Jan 2025
5	Dr Mohan G Shenoy	• Hamva Doktru Jallom	22 Jan 2025
6	Dr Akhilesh Ranjan	• Mail Ki Mahima • Arunachal Yathra • Bacchon Ke Sri Ramakrishna	27 Jan 2025
7	Prof Benjamin Joseph Former Head of Paediatric Orthopaedic Department, KMC Manipal.	• Animal Fairy Stories • The Girl Guide • The Animal Storybook • Princess Tina	31 Jan 2025
8	Mr Narasimha Murthy	• Sriramashwamedham • The Black Eagle	04 Feb 2025
9	Mr Shankara Yaji	• Gana Gana Ganaata Bote	16 Feb 2025
10	Prof Ramesh C Gaur	• Tribes of Indigenous Language of India • Mapping of the Archives in India	04 Mar 2025
11	Dr Benjamin Joseph	• The Summer Holidays • The Blue Cup • Grandpa's Glasses	08 Mar 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
12	Dr N Udupa Former Principal, MCOPS MAHE, Manipal	• All About the Telescope • The Widow's Son • Colours of the Rainbow • A Handbook of Sesame • The Gandhi cap and other short stories • The other face • Comets Nomads of the solar system • Fair Play • Quality Assurance for Ayurvedic Formulations New Horizons • Smart choices: A Practical Guide to making better life decisions • Anurakte the enamoured • The Princely states and the making of modern India • A modern introduction to Madhava philosophy • A Professor remembers some more • Administrative and social history of Mysore under the Wodeyars (1600- 1800 CE) • Master storytellers of India • Defiance • Why we are poor and other essays • Ayurveda Dravyaguna sarasangraha • Aparimith Mog -love unlimited • Balakrishna Acharyara smriti sourabha • English-Kannada vaidya padakosha • Rasayanikagala Jagattu manukulakke apattu	10 Mar 2025
13	Mr Ananya Kamath	• Sarala Pathaniya Srimadbhagavadgite • Kadalateerada Kranthipurusha Shivarama Karantha • Frequently Asked Questions about the Universe • Monalisa Mystery • So, You Want to Know About Economics • Book Lovers • Talk Like TED • Romeo and Juliet • Network 18 • Gopi Diaries-Finding Love • Great Stories for Children • The Time Machine • Folk Tales of India • Folk Tales From Around the World • Tales of Kathasaritsagara • 151 Nursery Rhymes • Moral Stories • Moral Stories • Tantri the Mantri • 101 Fairy Tales Book • Panchatantra • Wonderful Mantra • Rama Fights Tataka • Sweet Words or Harsh Words	30 Apr 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
		• Tiger Charmer • Unni's Story • Hanuman Enters Lanka	
14	Mrs Vijayalakshmi Bhat	• Witness 8	08 May 2025
15	Kripa Pai	• Wonder Woman at Super Hero High • First Term at Malory Towers • Second Form at Malory Towers • Thea Stilton and the Dancing Shadows • George's Marvellous Medicine • Stories of Vikram Bethal • Veer Karna • Chhota Bheem in the Magical Stairway • Chhota Bheem in Jungle Party • Chhota Bheem in Dadaji Ki Durbeen • Prasiddha Jathaka Kathegalu	15 May 2025
16	Mr Narahari B	• Vimarsheya Haritha 2 • Pro. Shankar Jadoo Journey	19 May 2025
17	Mr Siddalingeshwar	• Answer Book 10001 Fast Facts About Our World	08 Jun 2025
18	Mr Narasimha Murthy	• Jagdguru Brahmashree Narayan Guru "Mareyalagada Manikyagalu • Saviraru Nenapugalu Bala Mussanjeyalli	13 Jun 2025
19	Mrs Smitha Nayak	• Children's Atlas of Animals • Best Indian Cookbook • Simple and Delicious Baking • Oxford Roald Dahl Dictionary • Vaccine Safety Manual • Overcoming and Preventing Heart Problems	17 Jun 2025
20	Mr M R Vasudeva	• Neeneka Adharavenagagiru • Bhagavad gita as it is • Eruve Yellellu Eruve • Sumukha Danta arogya margadarshi • Mogasalege Pravesha • Arivu Bayi cancer margadarshi • Pancharangi • Saagaradalli Bindu • Peradala Krishnayya -Samagra Sahitya Samputa • Nammura Janpadaru • Of Love and lovers • Honour Thyself • Naila • Yaksha Shatha Ravi • Jeeva Rakshaka Uraga Tajna Gururaj Sahil • Benkiya chendu KUYLI • Nannuru Nanna Jana • The Scalpel-game beneath • As the Crow Flies • Little Women	25 Jun 2025
21	Mrs Smita Seth	• Tirukkural: Tamil ka Gaurav Granth	25 Jun 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
		• Tamil Saiva-Bhakti Literature • Niti Kusumanjali • Jeevan Moksha • Tamil Agam-Sastra: Tirumular Krit Tirumantiram • Tamil Saiva Bhakta Kavi Sundarmurthy Nayanar • Mukundmala: Bhakti ki Prarambik Kriti • Tamil Saiva Bhakti Kavi: Tirujnasambandhar • Tamil Saiva Bhakti Kavi: Nyanmaras • Tamil Vaishnav Poets: Alvars • Tamil Maha Kavi: Thiruvallar • Tamil ka prachin Sahithya • Tamilnadu Ke Mandir • Peria Puranam in Pictures	
22	Mrs Usha Nair	• My Journey Through Time -A spiritual memoir of Life, Death, and Rebirth	13 Jul 2025
23	Dr Ramdas M Pai Chancellor MAHE, Manipal	• Accelerating India, 7 years of Modi Government • Retaining Balance, the Eternal Way • India Positive citizen perspectives • Fearless Governance • Doolally Sahib and the Black Zamindar • Revisiting the Educational Heritage of India • North East Chronicle • The Monk who Transformed Uttar Pradesh • The Modi Gambit Decoding Modi 2.0 • Chidakasha Geetha 1(1) part 1 • Chidakasha Geetha 1(2) part 2 • Chidakasha Geetha 2 & 3 part 3	15 Jul 2025
24	Mr Sudhakar Pandit	• Jnana Ganga	16 Aug 2025
25	Dr Sucharitha Shetty	• Chicken Soup for the Woman's Soul • Manual for College Teachers on Student Counselling • English for Business Communication • Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan	04 Sep 2025
26	Mrs Smitha Nayak	• DIY Manual • Food from Your Garden and Allotment • Superworm • The Complete Vegetarian Cookbook • Little Book of Feng Shui • Coast - The Walks	11 Sep 2025
27	Mrs Archana Shanbhag	• Panchatantrada Neethi Kathegalu • Wings of Fire • Laugh and Learn with Dr Parikh • Secret Island	13 Sep 2025
28	Dr Vijay G S	• Swantha Kaarinalli Bengalurininda Londonge	27 Sep 2025
29	Mrs Ashwini Pai	• Body Language • Baby and Toddler Cookbook • Da Vinci Code Decoded • Message in a Bottle	09 Oct 2025
30	Prof Benjamin Joseph	• John Craven's Newsworld	15 Oct 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
	Former Head of Paediatric Orthopaedic Department, KMC Manipal	• The Famous Five • Rupert • Danger Mouse • Postman Pat Storybook • Quest of the missing map • Secrets can kill • Stay tuned for danger • Three great Nancy Drew Mysteries • Pure Poison • Buried secrets • False moves • circle of evil • The Twin Dilemma • Scarlet slipper mystery • Second Form at ST Clare's • Famous Five Diary • The Mystery of the Secret Room • Famous five in fancy dress • The Mystery of the Pantomime Cat • Five run away together • Claudine at St. Clare's • Do Look Out Noddy • Noddy and the Tootles • Come to the Circus • Five go down to the Sea • Hardy Boys - Dead on Target • Hardy Boys - Nightmare in Angel City • Hollywood Horror	
31	Mrs Anaghaa Shenoy	• Mahabharata	21 Oct 2025
32	Dr Malavika	• Naama Yogi	22 Oct 2025
33	Mrs Gauri Kamath	• Reader's Digest How to write and speak better • High school English Grammar and Composition • High school English Grammar and Composition • Vijayanagar	24 Oct 2025
34	Mr Chetan R Narvekar	• How Not to Invest	02 Dec 2025
35	Dr Malavika	• Jnaneshwara Vachanamrutha	18 Dec 2025

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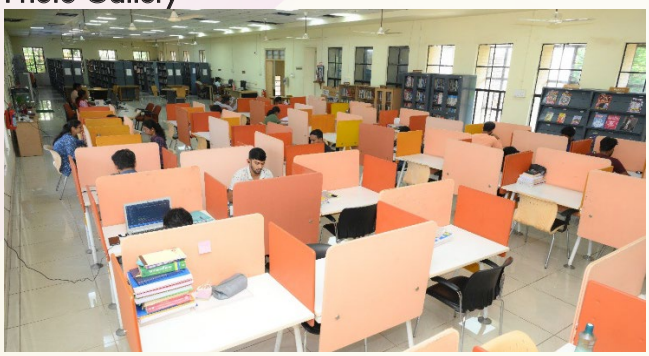

Manipal School of Architecture and Planning, Manipal

Manipal School of Architecture and Planning (MSAP)
Address: Behind 10th Block, MIT Campus, Manipal
Phone Number: 0820 2928611
Email (Library): lib.msap@manipal.edu **Librarian:** shobha.m@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Shobha Mahesh Prabhu
Year of Establishment of the Library: 2019

Brief About the Library:

The Manipal School of Architecture and Planning library has a vast collection of Architecture and Fashion design books and journals. Apart from printed resources, the library is subscribing to an online database and E-Books. The library is fully automated (Koha), and the resources are made available as an Electronic Public Access System (EPAC). Students also have access to the internet, CDROM information retrieval, and off-campus OpenAthens (remote access to e-resources). These information resources promote and advance architecture and design, and facilitate improved quality of research. Wi-Fi enabled. Library e-resources can be browsed through the intranet portal http://muportal. The working hours of the library are as follows: On working days, 09:00 AM – 5:00 PM , Sunday Holiday. The Library's seating capacity is 98, and the area is 4,500 square feet.

Brief About the Library:

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	**Reference Service:** Reference service is a personal aid provided to the user by the library staff in interpreting library collections for study and research. The library staff assists the user to locate needed information from the available information resources. On the basis of the collection, the library provides a reference service to its users.

Sl No	Name of the Facility
2	**Current Awareness Service:** Currently, the library offers the following current awareness services to the users. • Display of new additions in the library • Publishing of "new acquisition" in library microsite.
3	**Circulation:** The books are issued to undergraduate students, postgraduate students, research scholars, and faculty members. Bound/unbound journals, audio-visual materials, and CDs are for in-house use only.
4	**OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue):** Users can search all the print resources (books, journals, back volumes of journals, WHO publications, etc.) of the Health Sciences Library and other libraries of MAHE through the Library's online catalogue – the OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue).
5	**OpenAthens (SSO-Single Sign-on) -** Remote Access to Subscribed e-Resources: Access to the subscribed e-resources of MSAP Library, remotely, is available to all the users (students, researchers, and faculty members) of MSAP, MAHE at the Manipal campus through OpenAthens account. The OpenAthens account is configured with the users' Office 365 Outlook email account (manipal.edu/learner.manipal.edu). The eligible/authorized users' authentication has been done through Office 365 (manipal.edu/learner.manipal.edu) via OpenAthens.
6	**Inter-Library Loan/Document Delivery:** The library helps to obtain photocopies of the references from other library sources. Further, the library augments its collection by acquiring reading materials not available for the use of its faculty members, research scholars, and postgraduate students from several outside sources on an inter-library loan basis.

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	9,487
E-Books	2,752
Journals	13
Online journals	1,220
Back volumes of journals	896
CDs	100
Dissertations/Project work	3,313
Online databases	1

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Economics for people and earth: The Auroville 1968-2008	10 Sep 2025
2	Prof Vaibhav Jain	The Structure Works of Mahendra Raj	10 Sep 2025
3	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Paths Uncharted	10 Sep 2025
4	Prof Vaibhav Jain	The Vaastu Workbook	10 Sep 2025
5	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Building Services	10 Sep 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
6	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Auroville Architecture: Towards New Forms for a New Consciousness	10 Sep 2025
7	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Landscapes and Gardens of Auroville: The Transformation of the Land	10 Sep 2025
8	Prof Vaibhav	Fundamentals of Town Planning	10 Sep 2025
9	Prof Amit C Kinjawadekar	Creative Confidence	10 Sep 2025
10	Prof Amit C Kinjawadekar	GATE-Civil Engineering Solved Papers	10 Sep 2025
11	Prof Amit c Kinjawadekar	Century Term of the IIA Karnatak Chapter 2015-2018	10 Sep 2025
12	Dr Kalyan Kumar Mukerji	A sense of SPACE: The Crisis of Urban Design in India	10 Sep 2025
13	Prof Vaibhav Jain	The Auroville Handbook	18 Sept 2025
14	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Town Planning	18 Sep 2025
15	Prof Vaibhav Jain	Engineering Materials	18 Sep 2025
16	Dr Kalyan Kumar Mukerji	Men, Monuments and Memories: God on the Hill & other stories	14 Oct 2025

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MTMC Health Sciences library, Jamshedpur

Address: Manipal Tata Medical College, Kadani Road, Baridih, Jamshedpur.
Phone Number: 06572472067, 06572472071
Email (Library): lib.mtmc@manipal.edu **Email (Librarian):** ranjit.hegde@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Ranjit Hegde
Year of Establishment of the Library: 2020

Brief About the Library:
The library serves as a crucial Learning Resource Centre, supporting the academic and research activities of the institution. It continuously enhances its print and digital collections while offering innovative services to improve teaching, learning, and scholarly pursuits.

The MTMC Health Sciences Library of Manipal Tata Medical College (MTMC) in Jamshedpur, established in 2020, functions as a Learning Resource Centre that supports academic, clinical, and research activities. The library is located in a two-story building with an area of 2,500.76 square meters.

It is fully automated using the Koha Library Management Software and provides extensive online resources accessible both on-campus and remotely via OpenAthens. The library is equipped with Wi-Fi, security systems, and CCTV.

Additionally, the MTMC Health Sciences Library offers various research and project support tools and services, such as a Web-Scale Discovery Service (a single-window search tool), access to Turnitin (for plagiarism checking), Grammarly (an online grammar and spelling checker), AJE software (English language editing), literature search services, and access to bibliographical and citation tools like Scopus and Web of Science.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1.	**Reference Service -** The library staff assists users in locating needed information from the available information resources. Based on the collection, the library provides reference services to its users.
2.	**Circulation -** Books are issued to undergraduates, interns, postgraduates, research scholars, and faculty with journals and multimedia materials for in-house use only.
3.	**Reprographic-** Through this service, users can get photocopies of articles and other documents.

Sl No	Name of the Facility
4.	**Computer Services -** A fully equipped computer lab offers internet access, academic database search, and other software.
5.	**Turnitin:** A service to check document originality and prevent plagiarism, available upon request through the library.
6.	**Library orientation -** Library orientation is to introduce students and faculty to the library's services and resources, as well as to educate and guide them on how to use the library's services and other resources.
7.	**OpenAthens: Remote access to e-resources -** Users can access subscribed e-resources remotely through the OpenAthens Single Sign-On (SSO) system using their Office 365 credentials.
8.	**WEB OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue) -** Users can search all the print resources (books, journals, etc.) of the MTMC Health Sciences Library and other libraries of MAHE through the Library's online catalogue – the WEB OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue).
9.	**American Journal Expert (**AJE) - AJE is an academic author service offering a range of translation, formatting, editing, and peer-review services.
10.	**SPSS (Statistical Data Analysis Software) -** SPSS is a software used to enter, manage, and analyze data. It helps users perform statistical tests, create charts and tables, and interpret results easily, especially for research purposes.
11.	**Unified Library Services Solution (Library Web Page):** The Unified Library Services Solution, accessible through the library's web page, combines Stacks with a Web-Scale Discovery Service. This integrated system enables a comprehensive search across all library materials, including subscribed and open-access resources.
12.	**Publication Finder (A-Z Online Resources):** Journals, Books, Databases: The Library provides access to a comprehensive collection of resources, including journals, books, and databases, through the Publication Finder. These resources are available for browsing by subject on the library's webpage, allowing users to explore the full range of subscribed materials easily.
13.	**IP-Based Access to e-Resources (Campus Access):** Access to subscribed e-resources is available through the campus network for faculty, students, and researchers.
14.	**Question Paper Archives:** The library offers access to question papers from previous years in both print and digital formats to aid students in their examination preparation.

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December, 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	9,900+
E-Books	527
Journals	48
Online journals	1,850
Back volumes of journals	168
Online databases	15

Details of the Guest Visit

Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date
	Vice Principal	GSL Medical College and General Hospital, Rajahmundry	Library Visit	30 Jan 2025
	Professor	Dr R Uma Maheswari	Library Visit	22 Nov 2025

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Dean, MTMC	Jamshedpur: 100 Years and Counting by Manav Kambli	11 Apr 2025
2	Paras Medical Publisher	The Fine Art of Communication by BM Hegde	06 Jun 2025
3	Universities Press	Textbook of Pharmacology: An Integrated Approach by Jagminder Kaur Bajaj	11 Nov 2025
4	Techno Books	In Ernest Quest: EJ Borges – Legendary and Revered Cancer Surgeon by Renee Maria Borges	13 Nov 2025
5	Elsevier	Mastering AETCOM: Attitude, Ethics, and Communication in Medical Education by Ajay Kumar	29 Dec 2025
6.	Paras Medical Publisher	Doctors Do Cry by Ashish Goel	29 Dec 2025

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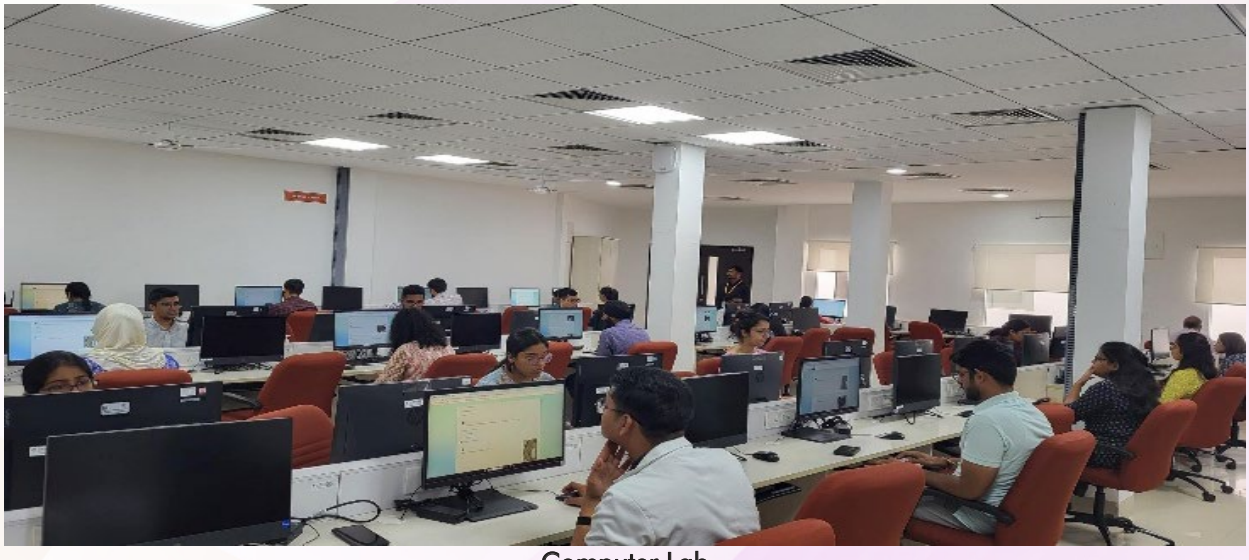
Inside Reading

Journal Section



Computer Lab

MAHE Bengaluru Central Library

Address: MAHE Bengaluru (BLR) Campus, Govindapura Village, Yelahanka, Bengaluru -560063
Phone Number: 080 24497152
Email (Library): lib.maheblr@manipal.edu **Chief Librarian:** ishappa.bandi@manipal.edu

Name of the Chief Librarian: Dr Ishappa C Bandi
Year of Establishment of the Library: 2022

Brief About the Library:

The year 2025 was very eventful for the Central Library in terms of acquisition of Text books and Reference books, and the Book-Bank system was implemented for the BBA(H) and MBA Tech students. The Book Bank System is the green initiative where the textbooks are issued for one semester and returned after the final exam, and this has helped us to reuse books. This year too, the library played a vital role in providing the most essential resources to support the teaching, learning, and research activities in the university. The Central Library have strengthened both print collection and online resources. The collection development is based on the faculty recommendations. All our faculty members, HODs, HOIs, and Library Committee Members actively supported building the library collection. All our libraries are automated using the integrated Koha LMS with Web-OPAC. We have implemented the inter library books circulation where students, faculty, and researchers can borrow books from any of the MAHE BLR Libraries. This has helped us to achieve the optimum utilization of resources and meet the user requirements.

We continued the use of the OpenAthens remote access facility for all users to access and integrated all online resources subscribed to as Central Subscriptions and also MAHE BLR Campus-specific resources. More than 9000 e-journals and one lakh+ e-books are part of this OpenAthens platform. These initiatives by the library team have culminated in supporting our users to access online resources 24/7 using the OpenAthens facility.

This year, the complete RFID system for the SMI Library was implemented and continued with the MITB library using the RFID system. In addition to what we had, the RFID security gate, Smart Serve Kiosk, Smart Stock, Book Tags, and Staff Station, this year we added the Patron Traffic Controller system for Entry/Exit registration.

Like last year, this year we also organized various events to make users understand and make good use of the online and offline resources and services. The

events like "Know Your Library" monthly online sessions, Library Book Club-Review sessions, Book Exhibitions, Database trainings, competitions, etc., were organized. The extended library hours till 22:00 throughout the Semester has made very significant effect on the Hostel students' library usage and on their academics at large.

The ambitious project of Library Stacks Page and Integrated-Discovery service has been implemented this year. The Central Library-KMC, IT-Manipal have coordinated this initiative, and the MAHE Bengaluru Library Stacks page has been developed (https://mahelibportal.manipal.edu/mahe-library-bengaluru).

The dedicated MAHE BLR- Central library Stacks Page and an EBSCO Discovery Service are planned this year and will be implemented by integrating the Central Subscriptions and Bengaluru Subscriptions with OPAC also. This will strengthen the users' search and research work at the Bengaluru campus.

The first National Conference, National Conference on Modern Library Technologies and Service (NCMLTS) 2025, was successfully organized by the library team. More than 200 librarians and LIS professionals actively participated in the conference. There were 68 papers presented, and we had 10 special talks by the resource persons from IITs, IIMs, NITs, IISc. This was a great occasion to learn good practices from them. An NCMLTS Taylor and Francis Conference Proceedings is going to be published soon.

One more great development at the MAHE Bengaluru Library has happened in this year to develop the new Teaching Department to offer a two-year PG course, Master of Library and Information Science (MLibISc) from the Department of Library and Information Sciences, Bengaluru (DLIS-BLR). This is in addition to

the seven PhD scholars working on various library concepts under the guidance of Dr Ishappa and Dr Harish.

The Central Library, with a total area of 60000 sq ft and a seating capacity of 1500+, is going to be functional soon at MAHE Bengaluru Campus. The Central Library building will be one of the iconic and modern facilities to meet the academic and research needs of the users. This will be a dynamic space and **"One Stop"** for students, researchers and faculty members in the time to come. The strategic location of the Library Building on campus is very convenient and approachable every passing year, the library is making a positive impact on all students, faculty, and researchers.

The Central Library of MAHE BLR Campus has engaged in numerous events and programs throughout the year to connect with the users.

Mahe Blr Library, Central Library Events List -2024

Sl No	Event Name	Event Type	Event Date	Resource Person	No of Attendees
1	The Future of Work and Skilling (Coursera Training)	Workshop	10 Dec 2024	Ms Ramya Srinivasan	34
2	Database Training (Manupatra, SCC online, LexisNexis Advance)	Database Training	22 Aug 2024	Mr Chandrashekar, Mr Savisaj, Mr Abhijit	89
3	Introduction to Knovel : Unlocking the power of full text and interactive data (Knovel Database Training)	Database Training	18 Oct 2024	Mr Vinesh Rajan	32
4	Author Workshop:" Best practices for scholarly publications" using Elsevier tools	Author Workshop	10 Sep 2024	Ms Shubhra Dutta	49
5	Training/Orientation: BBA students Section-know your Library session	Training/ Orientation	06 Sep 2024	Chief Librarian	261
6	Training/Orientation: MIRM students know your Library session	Training/ Orientation	07 Aug 2024	Chief Librarian	48
7	Training/Orientation: SMI students-know your Library session	Training/ Orientation	07 Aug 2024	Chief Librarian	15
8	Training/Orientation: DOC faculty members and Research scholars-know your Library session	Training/ Orientation	23 Jul 2024	Chief Librarian	10
9	Training/Orientation: DLHS faculty members-know your Library session	Training/ Orientation	18 Jul 2024	Chief Librarian	29
10	Advance Training on LexisNexis Database	Database Training	06 Nov 2024	Chief Librarian	114
11	Training/Orientation: Department of Library and Information Science-Know Your Library session	Training/ Orientation	03 Oct 2024	Chief Librarian	126
12	Department of library and information center manupatra session	Database Training	30 Aug 2024	Mr Chandrashekhar Patil	20
13	How to get articles published with Sage	Author Workshop	09 Aug 2024	Mr Debbie Dhar	83
14	Book Exhibition, Best Library Users Award, Book Talks, and Author Talks.	Book Exhibition	26 and 27 Feb 2024	Chief Librarian	Open Event

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Library Stacks Page and Discovery Service
2	Online public access catalogue (OPAC)
3	Book-Bank Service
4	Circulation of Textbooks/Reference Materials
5	Access to digital resources (E-Books and E-Journals)
6	Remote Access facilities using OpenAthens
7	Library Orientations
8	Group Discussion Rooms and Digital Library Services
9	RFID System
10	Help Desk Services
11	Extended Timings and Library Services on Sat, Sun, and Holidays
12	Supportive Library Staff

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2024)

Collection	Total
Books	35,605
e-Books	152,097
Journals and Magazine	94
Online Journals	9,297
Back volumes of Journals	50
CDs	100
WHO Publications	NA
Dissertations	250
Online Databases	49

Details of Guest Visit

Visitor Name	Designation and Organization	Purpose of visit	Date
Dr Umesh Reddy	Librarian, IISC, Bengaluru	Invited Speaker	28 Mar 2025
Dr Bhojraju Gunjal	Chief Librarian, IIT Hyderabad	Invited Speaker	28 Mar 2025
Dr Mallikarjun Angadi	Chief Librarian, NITK, Surthkal	Invited Speaker	27 Mar 2025
Dr Appasaheb Naikal	Chief Librarian, IIM Kozikode	Invited Speaker	27 Mar 2025
Dr Ranjan Sinha Thakur	Chief Librarian, BITS Pilani, Rajasthan	Invited Speaker	27 Mar 2025
Dr Prahalad G Thadasad	Professor, KSAWU, Bijapur	Invited Speaker	29 Mar 2025
Prof Gururaj Hadagali	HoD and Professor, DLIS, KUD, Dharwad	Invited Speaker	27 Mar 2025
Dr Santosh Hulagabali	University Librarian, Central University of Haryana	Invited Speaker	29 Mar 2025
Dr Suresh Jange	University Librarian, Gulbarga University	Invited Speaker	29 Mar 2025
Dr Nagappa Bakkannavar	Head, KRC, TCS Bangalore	Invited Speaker	28 Mar 2025
Dr Kotrayya Agadi	University Librarian, Central University of Rajasthan, Ajmer	Invited Speaker	28 Mar 2025
Dr Rajendra Babu H	Assistant Professor, Tumkur University	Rapporteur General	26 Mar 2025
Prof Muttayya Koganuramath	Director, Basava Samith, Basava International Information Centre	Chief Guest	29 Mar 2025
Dr Alok Kumar Srivastava	Director, ISRO, Bengaluru	Distinguished Guest	28 Mar 2025

Details of the Donation of Books

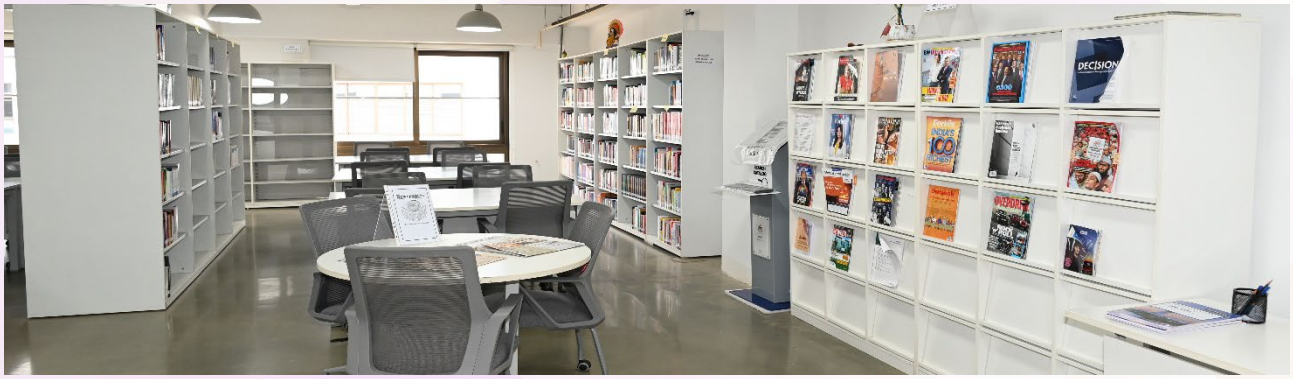
Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	No of the Book	Date
1	Dr Ishappa Bandi	9	11 Dec 2025
2	Dr Harish H T	1	10 Jan 2025
3	Dr Raghavendra Prabhu (Additional Registrar)	1	01 Jan 2025
4	Dr Someshwara Guru Mate	1	01 Jan 2025
5	Dr Animesh B (TAPMIBlr)	1	17 Feb 2025
6	Found in Hostel Rooms	6	03 Mar 2025
7	Mr Bhumesh Varma	1	03 Mar 2025
8	Mr Nadkarni	1	05 Jun 2025
9	Centre for Civil Society	15	20 Mar 2025
10	Dr Din Bandhu	1	07 Apr 2025
11	Mr Pradyumna, Evaluation, Blr	6	07 Apr 2025
12	Dr Shilpa Kalyan, DLHS Blr	1	27 May 2025
13	Dr J Shreyas, MIT Blr	1	30 Jun 2025
14	Dr Gururaj H L, MIT Blr	2	11 Dec 2025
15	Dr Santhosh (HoD, DOC, MAHE Bengaluru)	72 Books (ACCA) (36 Exam kit +36 Study Kit)	29 Feb 2024

Photo Gallery

MIT BLR Library

MLS DLHS DOC DPP MIRM Library

SMI BLR Library



TAPMI BLR Library

TAPMI Library, Manipal

Address: T A Pai Management Institute, A Constituent Unit of the MAHE
Post Box No 9, Manipal - 576104, Karnataka
Phone Number: 0820 2701105
Email (Library): libservices.tapmi@manipal.edu **Email (Librarian):** librarian.tapmi@manipal.edu

Name of the Librarian: Mr Shankar Nadoor
Year of Establishment of the Library: 1984

Brief About the Library:

The TAPMI Library - **Knowledge Resource Centre** significantly contributes to the Institute's **academic** ecosystem and **research** support systems by ensuring access to comprehensive **print** and **digital** information resources in core areas of management through both **on-campus** and **remote access** platforms. It offers an up-to-date and well-curated collection of knowledge resources and information.

Centrally located, **air-conditioned**, and fully **automated,** the library focuses on core management disciplines and related fields. Spanning an area of **1,115 square meters**, it offers seating for **100 users** and is equipped with **state-of-the-art infrastructure and facilities**.

The library holds a comprehensive **print collection** comprising 39075 **book** volumes representing 33303 titles, along with 97 print **journals**, 40 **magazines**, and subscriptions to prominent **newspapers** in various languages.

The library maintains 6,398 **bound volumes** comprising print periodicals, PhD **theses**, SP/MIP and SMIC **project reports**, brand scan reports, **faculty publications**, and special collections, including **Government of India** reports and the **Sri T A Pai archival collections.**

The TAPMI Library offers an extensive range of **electronic resources** to support teaching, learning, and research. Its digital collection includes 11,750 **e-books**, 5,753 **e-journals**, **e-magazines**, and 13 online **databases**. These provide access to **market and company intelligence platforms** such as Capital Line AWS and NAV India, CMIE Consumer Pyramids, Prowess IP, and CapExDx, CRISIL, Prime Databases : Indian Boards , Financial Results & Environmental, Social & Governance and Statista; **management and business literature** through EBSCO Business Source Ultimate, ScienceDirect, Oxford University Press, Taylor and Francis, SpringerLink, Wiley Online Library,

Cambridge Core, and World Scientific; **citation and bibliographic** tools including Scopus, Web of Science, SciVal, and Journal Citation Reports (JCR); **plagiarism** detection via Turnitin; and key research memberships.

Memberships: The library has obtained **Inter-Library Loan (ILL) membership** with the Developing Library Network (DELNET), New Delhi, and holds **research memberships** with The Case Centre (formerly the European Case Clearing House – ECCH), SSRN (Social Science Research Network), Rochester, NY, Chicago Booth's Kilts Center for Marketing, **Chicago, Illinois, USA**, and Cabells Scholarly Analytics, Blacksburg, Virginia, USA.

Facilities and services:

The fully **automated** library offers extended **working hours**, **barcoded** circulation, overnight borrowing, a dedicated **book** collection, **reprographic** facilities, LAN terminals, and a spacious **reading hall**. Its services include **Inter-Library Loan (ILL)**, the **MAHE - TAPMI Library Global Portal integrated with EBSCO Discovery Service (EDS)**, and an **Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC)**, all delivered through a modern **digital library** platform. The library also provides 10 internet-enabled **computers** and a **student laptop lounge**, connected to a campus-wide **high-speed (1:1) internet** network and **Wi-Fi**, along with **OpenAthens** for seamless **remote access** to subscribed databases.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Centrally air-conditioned **reading area** equipped with dedicated research cubicles.
2	**Automated** Library – Barcoded borrowing system
3	**Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC)** – Library resources search
4	Overnight **Borrowing** Facility
5	**Reprographic** Facility
6	Research Support Library Book Collection and Course Book Collection
7	**Digital Library** – 12 internet-enabled computers and student laptop lounge, connected to a campus-wide high-speed (1:1) internet network and Wi-Fi
8	MAHE-TAPMI **Library Global Portal** – Integrated with **EBSCO Discovery Service** (EDS)
9	**OpenAthens** – Seamless **remote access** to subscribed databases
10	**Inter-Library Loan** (ILL) and **MAHE Resource Sharing** Facility

Library Resources

Collection	Total
Books	39075
e-Books	11,750
Journals	97
Online journals	5,753
Back volumes of journals	6,398
CDs	4,000
WHO publications	---
Dissertations	22
Online databases	14

Details of Guest Visit

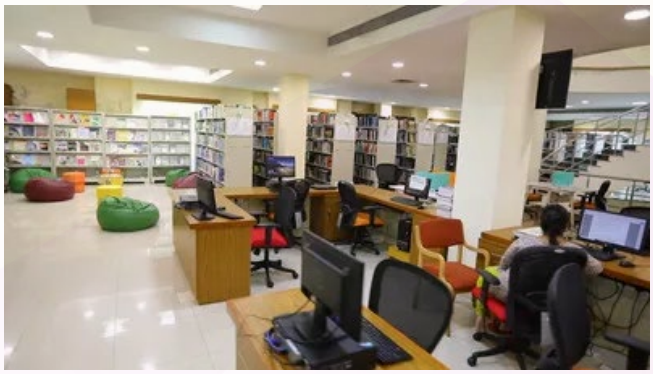
Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date
1	Mr Abhishek Agarwal, Director	TIME Institute, Madhya Pradesh, India	Alumni Meet	30 Dec 2025

Paper Presented by the Librarian:

Sl No	Name of the Librarian	Name of the Workshop/ Conference	Title of the paper/poster presented, with name of the Co-Authors	Date	Place	State/National /International
1	Mr Shankar Nadoor	National Conference on Management of Modern Libraries (NACML)	**"AI in Research Writing: Transforming Efficiency and Quality"** Mr Shankar; Mr Joyson Prakash Miranda; Dr Purushothama Gowda M	21 and 22 Feb 2025	Manipal	State

Photo Gallery

TAPMI Library – Knowledge Resource Centre



Scholarly Reading Area equipped with Research Cubicles

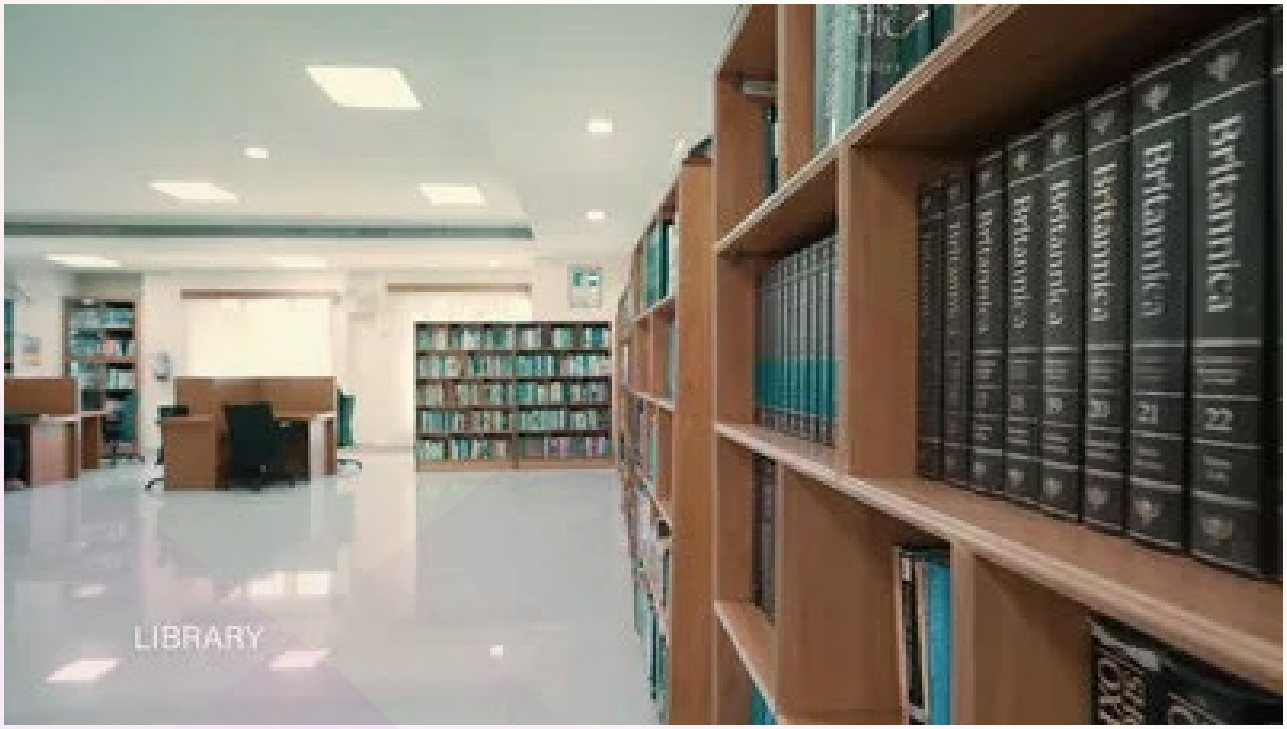
Founders' Gallery Showcasing the Legacy and Archives of Sri T A Pai

Digital Library – Gateway to TAPMI Subscribed Databases and Additional Resources

Library Collection – Lending Books Stack Section

Periodicals and New Arrivals Section

Reference Section



Reference and Archival Section – Bound Volumes of Print Periodicals

Periodical Section

Periodical Section

Book Bank Section (Course Books)

Reprographic Section

Central Library, Dubai Campus

Address: First Floor, A-Block, MAHE Dubai, UAE
Phone Number: +971 4 4290 731
Email (Library): library@manipaldubai.com **Email (Librarian):** yoganath@manipaldubai.com

Name of the Librarian: Mr Yoganath Manivel
Year of Establishment of the Library: September 2003

Brief About the Library:

The Library enables access to information resources of all kinds and provides innovative, responsive, and effective services to meet the changing needs of the academic community. The Library is equipped with all necessary facilities, making it a pleasant environment for study. It holds literature predominantly related to Business and Management, Finance, Economics, Computer Science and Information Technology, Biotechnology, Interior Design, Architecture, Engineering, and their allied subjects. It aims to develop a comprehensive collection of information resources useful for academic and research purposes. The Library plays a proactive role in ensuring that the information resources are acquired and organized to meet the present and future needs of its users. The Library has utilized Information Technology extensively to ensure that resources are always accessible. The library catalogue is available online, and the availability of the resources can be checked using the same. The Library holds a hybrid collection of printed as well as electronic resources, which include books, journals, databases, audio-visuals, CDs/DVDs, e-books, e-journals, etc.

Services of the Library

Sl No	Name of the Facility
1	Exclusive Library website, a gateway to access the information sources available within the library and beyond the library
2	Online Public Access Catalog (OPAC) services to browse the library collection
3	Two Group Discussion Rooms available for library users
4	Access to over 17,108 books and 24 print magazines/journals/newspapers
5	Access to over 1,985 audiovisual materials

Sl No	Name of the Facility
6	Photocopying/Printing Facilities
7	3 MAC PCs and 12 desktop PCs dedicated to the user group for browsing the internet and accessing subscribed online databases
8	E-Question bank of previous years
9	Books oversighted are promoted through the End of Shelf Display and Books You Might Have Missed Rack
10	Dedicated space is available for patrons to connect their laptops
11	Library orientation given to small groups or individual classes as required

Library Resources (Total collection of library resources as on 31 December 2025)

Collection	Total
Books	17,108
E-Books	2,50,000
Journals	24
Online journals	35,000
Back volumes of journals	86
CDs	1,985
WHO publications	Nil
Dissertations	750
Online databases	4

Details of the Guest Visit

Sl No	Visitor Name and Designation	Name of the Organization	Purpose of visit	Date (dd mmm yyyy)
1	Dr S Srinivasa Ragavan	Bharathidasan University–Librarian	General visit	12 Sep 2025
2	Council of Architecture Inspection Team	COA–India	Institutional Assessment	07 Oct 2025

Details of the Donation of Books

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
1	Prof Prachee Gupta, Assistant Professor	Fulton's Concrete Technology	23 Jan 2025
2	Dr Bhakti More, Chairperson SODA	Ethics in the Real Estate and Hospitality Industry: Architecture, Interior Design, and MEP Services Vol 1	25 Jan 2025

Sl No	Name and Designation of Person	Name of the Book	Date
3	Dr Bhakti More, Chairperson SODA	Net Zero City: The Ten-Year Transformation Plan How to Overcome the Climate Crisis by 2032	25 Jan 2025
4	Ms Riya Mattookkaran, Student	Cursed Bonds: A Fate Entwined	14 May 2025
5	Ms Riya Mattookkaran, Student	The Mask	14 May 2025
6	Ms Riya Mattookkaran, Student	Project Indigo: 03-021 [X|Y]	14 May 2025
7	Dr Sudhindra Shamanna, Pro Vice Chancellor	My Story: 50 Memories from Fifty Years of Service	22 May 2025
8	Ms Aayushi Buttan, Student	The Monk Who Sold His Ferrari	13 Aug 2025
9	Prof Asifa Mahajabeen, Assistant Professor	INTACH Heritage Awards for Excellence in Documentation of Unprotected Heritage 2022	12 Sep 2025
10	Dr Bhakti More, Chairperson SODA	Cities of Repetition: Hong Kong's Private Housing Estates	11 Nov 2025

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TEDEX-MAHE Lecture Series, DSA

UTSAV 2025

International Women's Day, MAHE

Manipal Startup Expo 2025

MARInE.ai Launching Programe, ICT, MIT

National Power Safety Week, DGS, MAHE

National Science Day, MCOPS

New Year Awards Celebration, MAHE

Engineers Day, MIT

Inauguration of Anti-Ragging Week

SPIC MACAY Odissi Dance, CCC, MAHE

IMPRINTZ'25

Beach Yoga 25, DSA, MAHE

One-Day Conclave, FINENT'25

Inaugural Ceremony of MIDAS DST-MAHE HUB

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IX Top Ranking Institutions

MANIPAL
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(Institution of Eminence Deemed to be University)

UNIVERSITY RANKINGS 2025

Global • Asia • India

THE Impact Rankings 2025 - Partnership for the Goals
601-800

THE Impact Rankings 2025 - Good Health & Well Being
74

THE Impact Rankings 2025 - Quality Education
43

THE Impact Rankings 2025-Gender Equality
11

THE World University Rankings 2025– Asia University Ranking
201-250

THE World University Rankings 2024 – Young University Rankings
175

THE World University Rankings Reputational Rank 2024

Overall – 637, Research – 729
Teaching -547

THE World University Rankings By Subjects 2025

Clinical and Health	301-400
Life Sciences	601-800
Physical Sciences	801-1000
Computer Science	801-1000
Engineering	801-1000
Business & Economies	801+
Social Science	601-800

THE World University Rankings 2026
601-800

THE Impact Rankings 2025 – Impact Ranking Overall
101-200

QS World University Rankings: Sustainability 2026

Overall – 467, ASIA – 104
India -10

QS World University Rankings by subject

Pharmacy	101-150
Medical	251-300
Dentistry	51-120
Biological Sciences	501-550
Chemistry	501-550
Computer Science	601-650
Chemical Engineering	401-450
Economics & Econometrics	551-700
Under Broad Category – Life sciences	293

QS World University Rankings
851-900

QS University Rankings: Asia
206

IIRF 2025

Overall (Deemed - Govt, Pvt & Public	14
Under state Rank	1
All India Pvt Rank	2

Shanghai Ranking (ARWU) 2025

World	801-900
National	10-13

Careers 360 2025 The Education Hub

Multidisciplinary University	1
Overall and Pvt	2

UI GreenMetric

India: No	1
Global (Overall)	117
Asia	59

Outlook ICARE -2024
1 in Top 40 Deemed University

nirf 2025

University	3
Overall	14
Research	19
SDG Institutions	5
Innovation	11 -50

The Week 2025

Private	1
Multi Disciplinary University	1

EducationWorld 2025
2 – Private Multidisciplinary University

U.S.News & World Report 2025

Best Global Universities	802
Best Global Universities in Asia	253
Best Universities In India	15
Clinical Medicine	255
Pharmacology & Toxicology	260
Biology & Biochemistry	605
Chemistry	879
Physics	987
Public, Environment & Occupational Health	132
Social Science & Public Health	586

SCIMAGO Institutions Rankings 2025

India under University Overall Rank – all subjects	4
Research	3
Societal	4
Innovation	119
India under Dentistry	2
India under Medicine	3
India under Pharmacology	8
India Under Psychology	5
India under Arts & Humanities	5
India under Business, Management and Accounting	15
India under Vaterinary	5

Nature Index 2025

India (Academic – All subjects)	53
India (Academic – Biological Science)	22
India (Academic – Health Science)	7
India (Academic – Physical Science)	84
India (Academic – Chemistry)	49
India (Academic -Natural Science)	61
Asia Pacific -All Subject	553

	Category	THE WEEK	nirf	EducationWorld	Outlook	INDIA TODAY	CAREERS360
KMC- Manipal	Private	2 (Pvt/Pvt south zone)			1		2
	Overall	7	10			13	
KMC - Mangalore	Private	6-Pvt/ 5-Pvt-south zone					4
	Overall	20	35			29	
WGSHA ,Manipal	Private	1 (Pvt/Pvt-south zone)			2		
	Overall	4				2	
MCODS - Manipal	Private	1			1		
	Overall	2	5			5	
MCODS - Mangalore	Private	3			3		
	Overall	8	11			11	
MIC, Manipal	Private	4		2 (BJMC)	3		
	Overall	6				4	
MSAP, Manipal	Private	1-Architecture Design -6 & 2-south zone		8	5 9 (Design)		
	Overall	7-Architecture Design -19	27				
MIT - Manipal	Private	7-Pvt/5-Pvt south zone / 2-Karnataka		Comp. Science-4 Data Science -3 BioTech/Biomed - 1	5	4 1- Pvt (South)	
	Overall	27	59			19	AAAAA
MCOPS, Manipal	Private				2		5
	Overall		8				
PSPH, Manipal	Private						
	Overall				14 (MSW)	1 (Emerging-MSW) 14 (MSW)	
MSLS, Manipal	Private						
	Overall				39		
MCON	Private						
	Overall			1 (B.Sc Nursing)			
TAPMI	Private						
	Overall		39				

University Teaching Hospitals XX

Hospital Statistics

Name of the Hospital	Bed Strength
Kasturba Hospital, Manipal and Shirdi Sai Baba Cancer Hospital, Manipal	2032
Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi	215
Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala	85
KMC Hospital, Ambedkar Circle, Mangalore	410
KMC Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore	610
Manipal Hospital, Bengaluru	600
Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital, Kateel	130

Kasturba Hospital, Manipal

KMC Hospital Ambedkar Circle, Mangalore

Dr TMA Pai Hospital, Udupi

KMC Hospital, Attavar, Mangalore

Dr TMA Pai Rotary Hospital, Karkala

Manipal Hospital, Bengaluru

Durga Sanjeevani Manipal Hospital Kateel

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"Its my firm conviction that one man can only struggle, but it requires the "co-operation" of thousands to make his efforts succeed."
Padma Shri awardee Dr T M A PAI

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