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**Prof. Visveswar Mavathur**  
Professor of Practice  
Director of Alumni Relations, DSU

Dear Alumni,

As the year draws to a close and the holiday season approaches, I am sure you have plans for the festivals and the New Year.

2024 was a great year for Alumni Relations at DSU, and I am grateful for the support I received from you, the alumni coordinators of your schools, and the management of DSU. In this volume of **AlmaSphere**, we present highlights of the last quarter of calendar year 2024.

The alumni section of the DSU website is your portal into an influential network of alumni from across DSU schools, going all the way back to the first graduating batch. This network amplifies your reach, your influence and your power to make progress, both at work and in life. I hope you are all exploiting this opportunity by logging in regularly and updating your profile pages.

Every DSU School has held events in 2024 that brought you together in person, with fellow alums, students, and your teachers. Beyond that, many positive outcomes have been delivered by the alumni community this past year. The **AlmaSphere** quarterly newsletter is now widely circulated beyond the alumni community, across all our stakeholders and well-wishers. I hope you are not only reading the newsletter but also forwarding it to your near and dear.

Feel free to send me a LinkedIn connect by clicking here [linkedin.com/in/vishmavathur](https://www.linkedin.com/in/vishmavathur). I wish you the very best for a fantastic 2025!!

Best Regards

## Convocation Ceremony 2024



Dayananda Sagar University conducted its 8th convocation ceremony for across DSU schools on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2024 (Monday) at its campus-4 in Harohalli.

To confer and award degrees and other academic distinctions to eligible students. The outgoing graduates and postgraduates committed and pledged to utilize their knowledge to advancement of Universe, as proud ambassadors of the University.

A total of 2115 students including 42 Ph.D.D candidates were awarded their degrees at the convocation ceremony. Among them, in recognition of their performance and achievements University awarded ranks and medals (Gold and Silver) to 52 students.

As the graduates were eagerly waiting to take their degrees, the event started at the sound of



trumpets blowing giving a red-carpet welcome to the Chief Guest, Guest of Honor, Chancellor, Pro Chancellor, Vice Chancellor and the Deans of DSU schools.

The Ceremony began with Chancellor Dr D. Hemachandra Sagar declaring the convocation open with his introductory speech during which he motivated the students to not to forget their value systems, work ethics and humanity the annual report where he highlighted the institute's performance and achievements of the students. He mentioned about the renowned companies across sectors visited the college for placements and the students making their mark in their respective companies.

The Pro Chancellor Dr D Premachandra Sagar administered the pledge to the candidates and highlighted the use of various innovative teaching methodologies in his address. While tracing the contemporary issues affecting the society, he advised the graduates to use their education for betterment of society. He exhorted them to use tools and skills to find solutions to prevailing problems for eradicating poverty and modernize the Country.

The event presided over by the registrar and controller of examination invited the rank holders, medalists and PhD holders on the Dias to felicitate them with their respective awards. The ceremony continued with Honorable Dr. Premachandra Sagar, the Pro Chancellor-DSU, Honorable Dr. Hemachandra Sagar, the Chancellor - DSU addressed the students and handed over the degrees and special awards of merit to deserving students.

Also present at the ceremony was distinguished chief guest Dr. Debabrata Das, Director of Indian Institute of Information Technology, Bangalore and Guest of honor Mr. Jonas Brunschwig CEO of Swissnex in India and Consul General of Switzerland in Bangalore who shared their thoughts and vision with the students.



During the keynote address, Chief Guest Dr Debabrata Das highlighted the key factors which are most important for shaping the life of a student are Attitude, Health and Academics. With regard to DSU, he said that the institute is putting its vision into practice. According to him, every student should never forget the learning & contributions of one's parents, teachers, well-wishers and Alma mater.

Finally, he concluded by saying that fundamental principles of life include a practice like "to be successful one should always explore and learn beyond their capacity and to focus on the attitude, health and life long learning."



Over the years DSU has earned the enviable reputation of being one of the finest Universities in Bangalore. The strength of the institute lies in its diversity, be it in its academic, ethnic or social. The institute presently boasts of outstanding students, excellent infrastructure and the best talent that make up its core faculty.



The ceremony closed with the trumpets singing the national anthem and a gala dinner. All the graduates went back in absolute contentment, having found life long friends at DSU.

# International Appreciation Tour to Malaysia

SCMS-PG



Dayananda Sagar University- SCMS embarked on the International Culture Appreciation Tour to Malaysia From July 23 to July 29, 2024. This week-long event offered a unique opportunity for for its 160 MBA student to experience the rich and diverse cultural heritage of Malaysia.

The tour aimed at broaden students' understanding of various cultural and business practices, providing valuable insights and experiences that are essential for future global business leaders Multiple visits to historical sites, Guest session & workshops with seasoned business leaders and academicians were organized.

All students gained a deeper appreciation of Malaysia's vibrant culture and dynamic business environment. This tour not only enriched their academic journey but also fostered a greater sense of global awareness and cultural sensitivity, essential qualities for success in today's interconnected world.

# Outbound Global Immersion Program

Limkokwing University of Creative Technology, Malaysia



Dayananda Sagar University organized its first-ever Global Immersion Program in collaboration with the Limkokwing University of Creative Technology, Malaysia. The opportunity was taken up by 14 students including 1 faculty member from SCMS (UG).

It was indeed a significant milestone for all the students of DSU which helped them broaden their cultural understanding and deepened their global perspective. The program's immersive approach and rigorous coursework have equipped all students with valuable skills and insights for thriving in today's interconnected world.

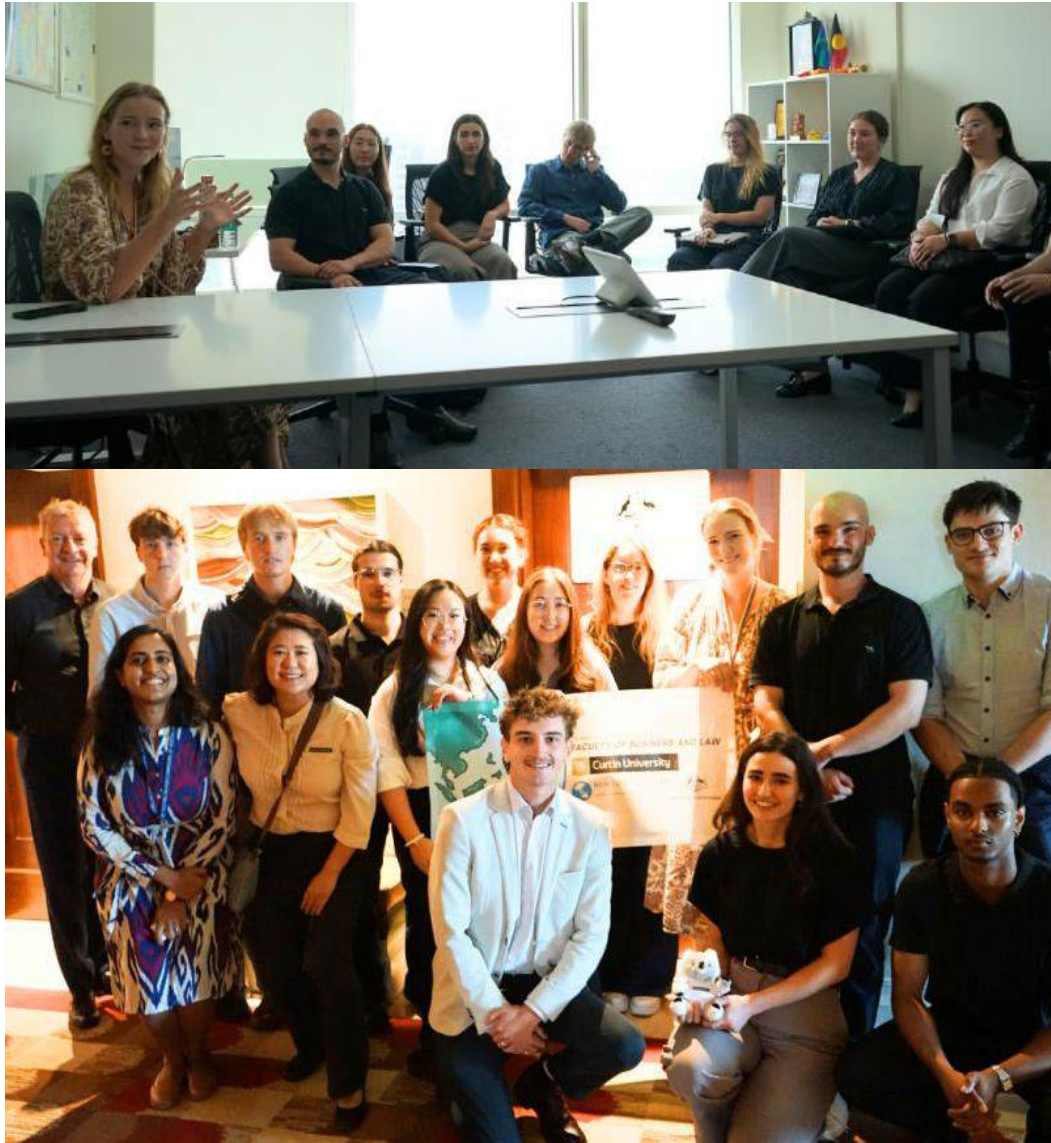
# Inbound Global Immersion Program

Curtin University - Bentley, Western Australia

DSU Welcomed a group of 15 students and one faculty from Curtin University, Australia. From exploring the vibrant city life and thriving businesses to diving into internships, it's was an unforgettable 21-day trip filled with lots of learning and adventures. It was truly a transformative experience for the students and faculty from Curtin University, Bentley.



The students got an opportunity to connect with Harriet, Vice Consul at the Australian Consulate-General, Bangalore. From exploring business opportunities in tech, renewable energy, and startups to insights on Bangalore's vibrant entrepreneurial scene, the session was packed with inspiration.



They also visited the renowned Rameshwaram Cafe in Indiranagar, Bangalore, a gem celebrated for its authentic South Indian cuisine. A special highlight of this visit was the opportunity to meet Mr. Raghavendra Rao, the owner of Rameshwaram Cafe.

Mr. Rao generously shared his knowledge of the culinary traditions behind each dish and also welcomed the group into the kitchen, showcasing the incredible care and attention to detail that goes into food preparation.

The students were particularly impressed by the kitchen's cleanliness and the vibrant culture that is evident in every aspect of the cafe's operations. The students eagerly explored a variety of traditional dishes which provided the perfect ending to our culinary experience. This experience not only delighted their taste buds but also provided invaluable insights into the rich culinary heritage of South India.



The fun and cultural exploration continued during Immersion Program students with a Bollywood classic. The students experienced learning and fun go hand in hand.

After diving into the local startup ecosystem and cultural activities, the students enjoyed watching Bhool Bhulaiyaa 3 – a true Bollywood experience. The evening also included some leisure time at a local mall, where they got a taste of India's vibrant shopping scene.



The students were introduced to the rich cultural heritage of India. They were presented with hand-loomed sarees made by skilled artisans from Karnataka. They also participated in a rejuvenating Yoga session, focusing on mindfulness and well-being, followed by an engaging dance practice to showcase Indian traditions.

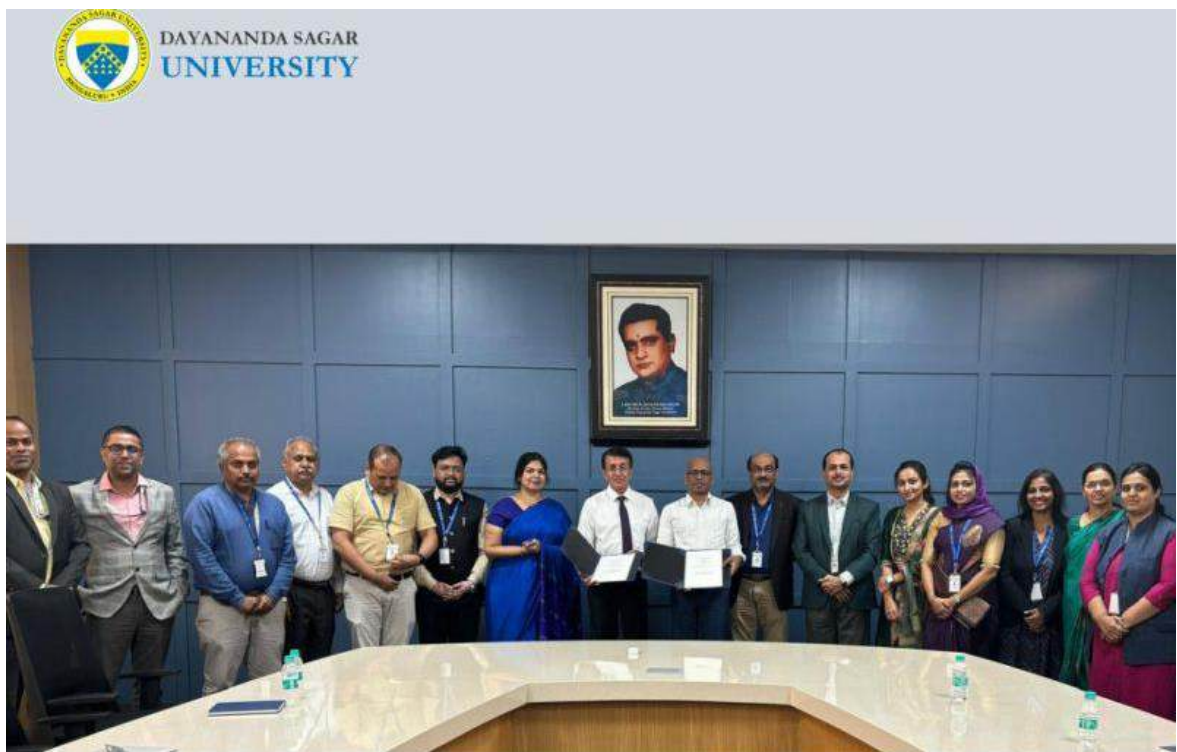
This experience is truly a beautiful blend of professional learning, cultural exploration and personal growth.



## DSU in Collaboration with NASSCOM

Dayananda Sagar University has partnered with **NASSCOM** to elevate digital fluency and industry-ready skills for students and faculty. This strategic partnership through a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), is aimed at reskilling and upskilling both students and faculty in emerging technologies and to foster the next generation of digital leaders through cutting-edge, certified courses in emerging technologies.

By leveraging **NASSCOM's Future Skills Prime** platform our students would get an opportunity to enhance their digital fluency and gain industry-recognized certifications. With a focus on building India's digital talent pool, this initiative offers a blend of free and paid courses that ensure continuous, self-paced learning. Through advanced skill development programs, this alliance will also equip our students and faculty with critical, industry-relevant competencies, positioning them for leadership in the global digital ecosystem.



## MoU with DSTI School of Engineering, France

DSU recently hosted and welcomed Dr. Sebastien Corniglion, CEO & Co-Founder of DSTI, and Mr. Niraj Deobhankar, CMO of DSTI School of Engineering, France.

The delegation from DSTI School, France and DSU management aimed at engaging discussions which paved a way for signing a special MoU between both institutions focusing the collaboration in the area of innovative engineering & AI/ML through various immersion and exchange programs, FDPs/ MDPs between DSTI and DSU. The students and faculty of both institute would get benefited with these collaborative initiatives in the near future.



## MoU with Samuel Merritt University, California

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DSU'S  
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Samuel Merritt University  
ranked #16 in Nurse Practitioner  
Degree Programs

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Dayananda Sagar University is proud to announce the signing of MoU with the Samuel Merritt University based in Oakland, California, ranked 16 in Nurse Practitioner Degree Programs.

With their main campus in Oakland SMU offers bachelors, masters, and doctoral degrees in the health sciences. This partnership aims at fostering a global opportunity for the students and faculty through various students/faculty exchange programs and facilitate integrated study abroad master's programs by both the institutions.

## MoU with Vermont Law School, Vermont

Dayananda Sagar University is proud to announce the signing of an MoU with the Vermont Law School, ranked 168 in Best Law Schools. The Vermont Law School is the only ABA-accredited law school in the state.

This partnership aims to foster international student exchanges and facilitate study abroad master's programs offering various courses including Juris Doctor (JD), Master of Laws (LLM) in Environmental Law, Master of Environmental Law and Policy (MELP), Master of Food and Agriculture Law and Policy (MFALP), Master of Energy Regulation and Law (MERL) . The management at DSU looks forward to the exciting opportunities this collaboration will bring for its students and faculty in the near future.



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**DSU'S**  
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 Vermont Law School  
ranked #168 (tie) out of 196 in  
Best Law Schools.

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# Alumni Talk Series

Department of Computer Science and Engineering, SOE

**“The spark that ignited: How research fueled my passion”**

**SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING**

**DAYANANDA SAGAR UNIVERSITY**  
School of Engineering

Devarakaggalahalli, Harohalli, Kanakapura Road, Ramanagera Dist – 562 112.

**Department of Computer Science and Engineering**

**Alumini Talk series**  
**Session - 5**

**Topic :** “The spark that ignited: how research fueled my passion”

**Resource person**

**Objectives**

- To motivate the youngsters to pursue higher studies
- To do research in multidisciplinary domains

**Date & Time:** 14th Sep 2024 at 10:00 AM  
**Venue:** Lecture Hall

**Nyrika Bhargavaram Renuka**  
Software Engineer, (AI/ML) at Lucid Motors, USA

**Faculty Coordinator**

**Dr. Rajesh T M**  
Associate Professor, CSE

**Dr. Praveen kulkarni**  
Associate Professor, CSE

**Dr. Renuka Devi**  
Assistant Professor, CSE

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Dean, SOE-DSU

**Dr. Girisha G S**  
Chairman CSE-DSU

**Alumni Coordinator**

**Dr. Gousia Thahaniyathi**  
Assistant Professor, CSE

Department of CSE at SOE organized an alumni guest talk on “*The Spark that Ignited: How Research Fueled My Passion*” for their students to dive into research with curiosity and resilience.

The talk began with a warm welcome by Dr. Rajesh T.M. who highlighted Nyrika’s remarkable career journey. Since graduating from DSU, Nyrika has worked on various groundbreaking research projects.

Nyrika recounted early days at DSU, admitting that research was not her initial passion. However, during the second year, worked on a project “*Efficient framework to bifurcate healthy and diseased vegetables and fruits using a multi-modal approach*” which won the BEST PAPER AWARD at the ICICC conference in September 2020. This project laid the foundation for a shift in perspective, as she began to understand how research could solve real-world problems and push the boundaries of knowledge. Nyrika also shed light on realizing that failure is often a stepping stone to discovery and how her research had a tangible impact on her career. After graduating, she did her MS in Computer Science, at Boston University. She joined as a Software Engineer (AI/ML) where their research skills helped her tackle complex challenges at Lucid Motors. She also shared examples of how their research in *ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY* directly contributed to innovations that improved the automotive industry.

Her message to current students was clear: research is not just about publishing papers or conducting experiments; it’s about developing a mindset that seeks answers and constantly

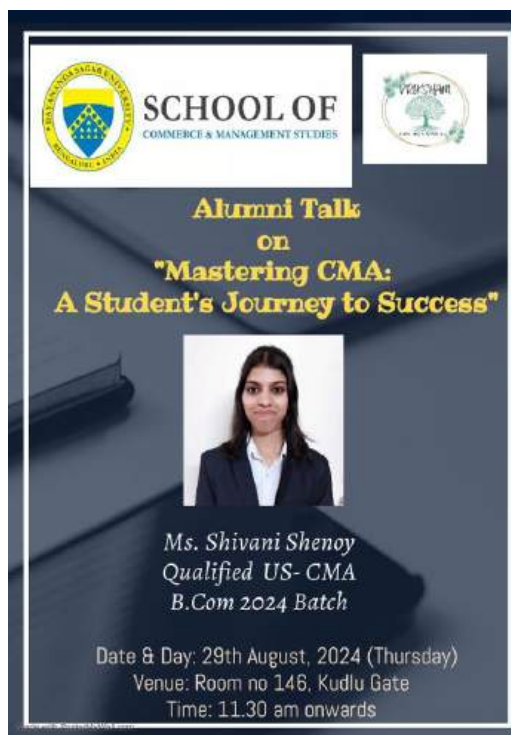
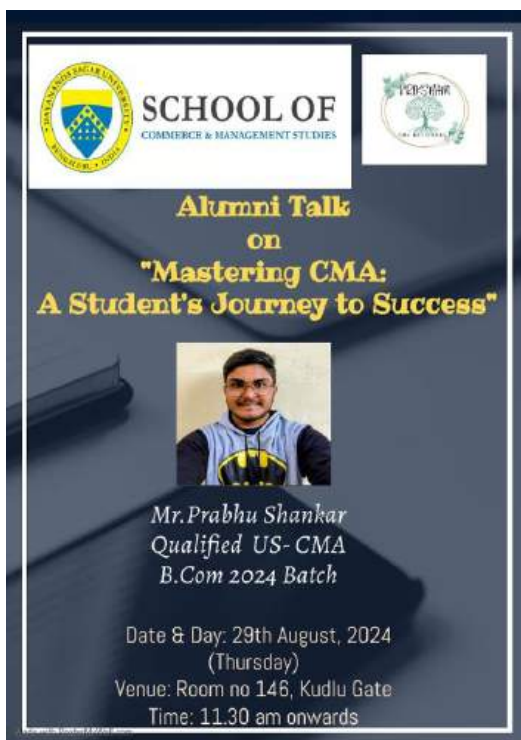
pushes boundaries. It was overall an inspiring and motivating session that resonated with the audience. It served as a powerful reminder of the transformative potential of research, not just in terms of academic or professional success, but also in personal fulfillment and growth.



# Alumni Interaction

SCMS (UG)

“Mastering CMA-A Student’s Journey to Success”



SCMS-UG recently organized an insightful session on mastering the US Certified Management Accountant (CMA) exam. The session was conducted by two of the university’s distinguished alumni from the 2021-2024 batch, Prabhu Shankar and Shivani, who recently cleared the prestigious US CMA certification. The event aimed to guide and motivate current students aspiring to pursue US CMA by providing first hand insights, strategies, and study techniques that helped Prabhu and Shivani succeed.

The session began with a warm welcome by the faculty of the Department of Commerce and was attended by over 150 students from various commerce and management disciplines, eager to learn from their successful seniors. Some of the key highlights of the session were:

**Preparation Strategies:** The speakers emphasized on the importance of consistent study schedules, utilizing study materials effectively, and enrolling in the right coaching classes. They highlighted the value of understanding core concepts over rote memorization.

**Time Management:** The significance of time management during preparation and appearing for exam was discussed. The students were encouraged to strike a the balance between college commitments and self-study for CMA.

**Resource Recommendations:** The speakers recommended key resources such as Wiley and Hock study materials, online mock tests, and CMA study groups that helped them stay focused and informed throughout their preparation journey.

**Exam Day Tips:** Alumni speakers shared unique tips on handling exam anxiety, managing time during the exam, prioritizing questions based on their difficulty level and learning to navigate the computer-based testing environment efficiently.

**Career Prospects:** The students were guided about the career opportunities and professional growth that CMA certification offers globally out of their personal experiences from the job market.

The session concluded with an interactive Q&A segment, where students posed questions regarding challenges in CMA preparation, how to stay motivated, and balancing academic responsibilities with CMA studies. The event not only showcased the potential of DSU alumni but also strengthening and fostering a supportive community aimed at collective growth and success.



# Alumni Interaction

SoHS - Pharma

“Career Guidance, GPAT Exam Preparation and Soft Skills Development”

COLLEGE OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES  
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES  
DAYANANDA SAGAR UNIVERSITY

**CAREER GUIDANCE**  
-A WEBINAR ON GPAT EXAM PREPARATION & DEVELOPMENT OF SOFT SKILLS

Speaker: Mr. J.N.B. Indushekar  
GPAT Discussion Centre PVT,LTD  
Bilaspur

Featuring,  
Ms. Ghanavi R  
Alumna, COPS, DSU  
AIR 62 Rank

FRIDAY  
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COPS

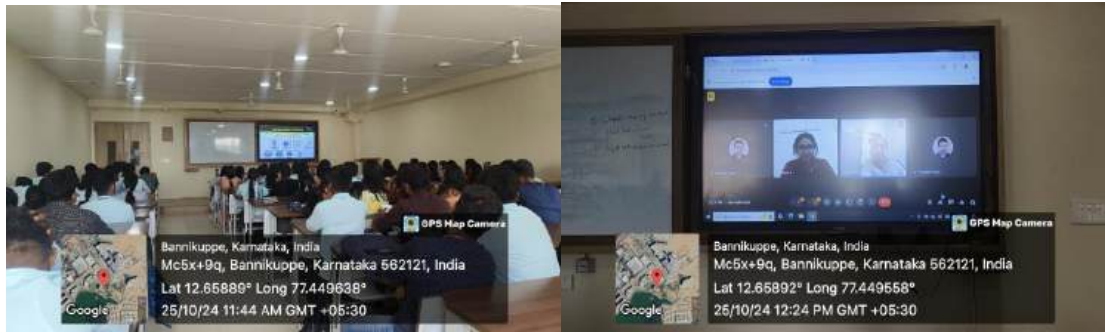
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Ms. Ghanavi R, Alumni completed her B. Pharm from College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dayananda Sagar University (2020-24). She has secured all India rank 62 in GPAT and got admission in IIT BHU-Department of Pharmacology and she was invited for a guest session to address the challenges in the Preparing for the Graduate Pharmacy Aptitude Test.

The exam is competitive, and candidates often face difficulties in balancing the large syllabus, mastering complex topics, and managing stress. The strategic approach and the right mindset can overcome these obstacles and succeed. The key is to stay focused on your goal. If you ever feel stuck, don't hesitate to seek help from peers, mentors, or online resources. There were around 90 participants from B.Pharm. It would also include opportunities for audience engagement through a Q&A session.



# Samwad- Alumni Guest Talk

SCMS-PG

“Entrepreneurship Opportunities and Challenges in Contemporary World”

**AKSHAY N S**  
Vice President,  
Wizzybox Pvt Ltd

**Prof. Navita Vijay**  
Assistant Professor  
SCMS, DSU  
Event Coordinator

**Capt. A.Nagaraj Subbarao, Phd**  
Prof. of Strategy  
& Leadership  
Dean - SCMS, DSU

SCHEDULED ON	SATURDAY	VENUE
30th November 2024	11 AM to 12 PM	DSU-City Innovation Campus.

The School of Commerce and Management Studies (SCMS) at Dayananda Sagar University organized an insightful alumni talk on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024, focusing on the topic **"Entrepreneur Opportunities and Challenges in Contemporary World "** The session featured our esteemed alumni, Mr. Akshay N S, who is currently a Vice president in Wizzy Box Pvt. Ltd.

Akshay N.S. provided valuable insights into the dynamic landscape of entrepreneurship, focusing on emerging opportunities in technology-driven markets and the critical challenges that aspiring entrepreneurs face today. He emphasized the importance of innovation, adaptability, and resilience in navigating a rapidly changing global economy.

The talk also included many practical advice on identifying market gaps, building a strong team, and leveraging technological advancements to create sustainable business models. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A, where students actively participated, seeking guidance on entrepreneurial ventures and strategies. The event was highly beneficial for students, inspiring them to explore the entrepreneurial journey with confidence and informed perspectives.



# Alumni Achievements

SoE- Computer Science and Electronics dept.

Our alumna Ms. Shubhashree P, who graduated from the Department of Computer Science and Engineering from DSU-SOE in 2023 was recently awarded with a certificate of achievement for conducting a workshop on ML Mastery during Machine Learning Week organized by BMSCE IEEE Computer Society.

The workshop has widened the horizon of the participants both from a technical and non-technical point of view. At the heart of this workshop was a dataset from a project-based Algorithm Introductory session on the E-Box platform. The workshop was designed to help the participants develop their key skills like:

- Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
- Creativity and Innovation
- Constant Self-Learning
- Collaboration and Self-Direction
- Social and Cultural Responsibility



## SoE-Aerospace Engineering

Gourav Mohanan our alumnus from DSU - SoE (Aerospace Department) who graduated in 2024 has submitted his abstract, "Preparing for Deep Space Exploration: Research Scenarios Beyond Low Earth Orbit," which is accepted for the prestigious 75th International Astronautical Congress!

His hard work and innovative approach to space research is truly inspiring for everyone. Wishing you the best as you represent Dayananda Sagar University on this global stage. Keep reaching for the stars.



## School of Arts, Design & Humanities - CJMC

Our proud alumna Veechika, a recent graduate from College of Journalism & Mass Communication (CJMC), has achieved a milestone by participating in the prestigious Australian Broadcasting Corporation (ABC)'s Women in News and Sports (WINS) Initiative in Delhi.

Through this incredible platform, she honed her skills in commentary, podcasting, journalism, and explored the vital representation of women in sports media. She also had the opportunity to learn from mentors like Sally Eeles, Aaron Kearney OAM, Kasey Symons, Manuja Veerappa, and Rica Roy, while connecting with inspiring figures such as Jess Jonassen and Lisa Sthalekar.



## DSU Aerospace Students Soar High

Students from the Aerospace Department of DSU projected their groundbreaking innovations at Bangalore Expo 2024 and showcased their stellar projects at the FPSI Fluid Power Challenge. 2 Final-year students who are currently pursuing their Aerospace Engineering from DSU, Amshu and Sharon presented an impressive hydraulic thrust reverser prototype for enhanced aircraft deceleration, earning them a spot for the “Yoganarasimha Prize” for their Innovation.



## Alumni Messages



Prajwal S  
SoE-CSE  
2018-22

My journey at Dayananda Sagar University was transformative, setting the foundation for both my career and personal growth. From my first day in 2018 to graduating in 2022, the experiences and support I received were invaluable in helping me to become master's student in data science at the University of Arizona.

The professors at DSU played a pivotal role in my success, providing guidance that extended beyond academics. Their support was instrumental in my achievements, including publishing research papers at IEEE conferences. Beyond academics, serving as vice chair of the IEEE student branch helped me develop communication, leadership, and volunteering skills. Organizing various events and working with peers taught me the value of teamwork, responsibility, and persistence.

Graduating with job offers from top companies like IBM, Cognizant, and Wipro felt like a validation of the skills and knowledge I gained at DSU. The career trajectory allowed me to deepen my technical expertise, paving the way for my advanced studies. Throughout my journey, I hold onto my success mantra: "*Control the controllables and ignore the uncontrollables.*" This simple yet powerful philosophy has guided me through challenges, reminding me to focus on what I can influence.

In essence, DSU was more than a university—it was a launchpad that prepared me with the skills, knowledge, and mindset to pursue my goals confidently and make meaningful strides in my career.



Niveditha C  
SoHS-B. Pharma  
2020-2024

As an alumni of COPS DSU I am writing to share some words of motivation and encouragement with current students. I recently completed my Bachelor of Pharmacy from College of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dayananda Sagar University.

These four years of journey had become the big milestone to develop myself as an passionate pharmacist. The support of faculty members in every step including academics and also in other extra-curricular activities like industrial visits, internships, career guidance had a prominent role to build a strong foundation of my field. The labs at DSU are well-organized and provided with high-quality equipment.

Various Seminars, Conferences, Workshops organized by DSU helped me to develop my skills and gain information on latest developments in pharmaceutical field. With the assistance of faculties, organizing National and International Conferences was a great source for interacting with various Industrialists, research professionals and students from other colleges. Participating in various cultural & Sports events and initiating Social and health programs like NSS, Blood donation camps helped me collaborate with people and develop my communication and soft skills, which is beneficial for any professional field. The student clubs gave us opportunity to involve and show cases our talents.

I am thankful for the strong academic curriculum that trained me to face the challenges of the pharmaceutical world and make meaningful contributions to public healthcare.

Wishing you all the best.



Kamakshi N  
SCMS- BBA  
2021 – 2024

I would like to share the joy and proud of completing an enriching 7-day global immersion program with Limkokwing University, Malaysia. This experience has broadened my cultural understanding and deepened my global perspective.

The program's immersive approach and rigorous coursework have equipped me with valuable skills and insights for thriving in today's interconnected world. The dedicated faculty and collaborative environment greatly contributed to my educational growth.

This certification marks a significant milestone in my academic and professional journey, reflecting the high standards and exceptional quality of education at Limkokwing University. I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to the management of DSU SCMS- (UG) and the entire faculty for providing me with the opportunity to participate in the global immersion program at Limkokwing University. Their unwavering support, guidance, and dedication have significantly enriched my experience and contributed to my personal and professional growth.

Thank you again !! for creating such an impactful and transformative program.



# First Aid Awareness Program

Indian Red Cross Society



A First Aid Awareness Program was organized by the Students' Affairs Office of DSU in collaboration with the **Indian Red Cross Society**. The comprehensive workshop was specifically designed for the students of SCMS-PG and the School of Design, providing them with in-depth training on essential first aid techniques and practices. The program aimed to enhance students' emergency response skills and preparedness, equipping them with critical knowledge to handle medical emergencies effectively.

This initiative proved to be a valuable learning opportunity, fostering a greater sense of responsibility and readiness among participants. The training covered a range of first aid topics, empowering students to respond confidently in emergency situations.

# Plantation Drive

September 12th - 17th, 2024

The Department of Students' Affairs organized a week-long tree plantation drive across its all campuses from 12<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> September 2024 that engaged students, particularly across all the batches. Over 100 enthusiastic students participated by planting a total of 150 saplings on the main campus, significantly contributing to the environmental growth of DSU. This initiative not only aimed at enhancing the campus's greenery but also fostered a sense of responsibility and awareness about environmental sustainability among the students.



# “MILES OF MEANING” WALKATHON

## Indigenous Games

The Walkathon event organized by the students' affairs of DSU on 20<sup>th</sup> September recorded a tremendous success by drawing enthusiastic participation from over 100+ participants. The highlight of the event was the 6K run, where the winner completed the race in an impressive 23 minutes, showcasing remarkable stamina and speed.

Throughout the event, participants demonstrated incredible determination and sportsmanship, encouraging one another to push beyond their limits. The scenic route and favorable weather further enhanced the experience, making it enjoyable for both runners and spectators.

The sports event also showcased a variety of indigenous games with enthusiastic participation in both the men's and women's categories. With over 450 participants, the energy and passion displayed by the participants and volunteers was remarkable. . The event not only highlighted the athletic skills but also brought the community together, as students filled the stands, passionately cheering for their teams. The day was filled with excitement, teamwork, and a strong sense of sportsmanship, making it an unforgettable experience for everyone involved.





## Freshers' Day at DSU



DSU hosted its much-anticipated Freshers' Day celebration at Kudlu Gate Campus on 28th September, delivering double the fun and excitement in one unforgettable party!

The event created a lively atmosphere, making it the ultimate spot for new students to relax, let loose, and start building lasting friendships. A highlight of the celebration was the variety of captivating cultural performances, which included the highly anticipated "Mr. and Ms. Fresher" competition that showcased incredible talent and confidence among students.

The evening was taken to new heights by an electrifying live musical performance by H2O band, followed by the pulsating beats of DJ Prathik, ensuring the party continued in full swing. It was the perfect opportunity for freshers to bond with their peers, create lifelong memories, and kick start their college journey with an unforgettable experience. The vibrant energy of the event set the tone for a dynamic, engaging, and fun-filled year ahead!

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