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From the Vice Chancellor's Desk

Warm Greetings to all !

It is indeed a matter of pride and pleasure to watch the rapid strides this young university is making. Semester-end examinations for 2nd semester UG and PG students have been flawlessly conducted by the University Examination Section.



For a learner, allround development is essential to success in today's competitive world. I am glad to observe that our students and teachers attach equal importance to curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities. During the last three months, the university campus was abuzz with programs and activities of various kinds. The NSS cell of our University organized a mega plantation drive to create Amrit Vatika as part of the Mera Mitti Mera Desh program in the new University premises at Janthuluru. Independence Day Celebrations at the University Campus were a solemn occasion to recollect the great sacrifices made by martyrs and heroes of India. The landing of Chandrayan-3 was a historic moment for the nation and the students and faculty of our university partook in the joy of our distinguished scientists. It was a miracle that created faith in us all. National Sports Day was another august occasion which was celebrated with zeal at our campus.

Sanskrit is one of the most ancient languages in the world. With the noble objective of bringing Sanskrit within the reach of all, a ten-day Sanskrit workshop was organized in our university. I hope the young minds will get ignited by learning Sanskrit, which is at the core of Indian culture. World Tourism Day was observed in our premises on 26th and 27th September with the focus on sustainable development and eco-friendly tourism.

It is heartening to see that there was an overwhelming response to the programs introduced this year. I am happy to note that more states have been represented than last year. Thus there is a greater diversity. The NSS Unit of our university organized an on-campus clean drive as a part of the Swacch Bharat in September.

I am glad to note that two members of our faculty, Dipankar Dey and VSS Shreya, received doctorates in Political Science and Tourism Studies respectively. I congratulate them both on their accomplishment.

The University is marching ahead on the path of excellence. “Though much is taken, much abides.” We have a long way to go but I am sure we will be able to reach our goal.

**JULY
2023**

10th & 11th - Visit to conference at Rasthra Pathi Bhawan, Delh

14th & 15th - Visit to Central university of Bilaspur

24th
Visit to IIT Hyderabad

29th & 30th - Attended Prime Minister meeting Delhi siksha *samdhan* at *pragati* maidan delhi.

**AUGUST
2023**

5th - Meeting with DIG retired at Bangalore, in respect of Preliminary discussion for the establishment of cyber Security lab at CUAP.

17th - Visit to JSS Science & tech. university Board of management meeting.

19th to 21st - Visit to Delhi for the 4th FC and 6th EC meeting of CUAP & Signed tripolt MoE with JNU and Central university of Punjab.

25th - Visit to Visakhapatnam for the review meeting under chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister, MoE Shri. Dharmendra Pradhan

**SEPTEMBER
2023**

4th - 2nd Vision committee

25th & 26th - G20 meeting at New Delhi, addressed by PM

27th - Meeting with Chancellor, CUAP Dr. Shankar Acharya.

30th - Ph.D regulations meeting with Additional. Secretary UGC at CUAP.



Mera Mitti Mera Desh: Plantation Drive



NSS Cell, Central University of Andhra Pradesh organised a mega plantation drive to create Amrit Vatika as a part of Mera Mitti Mera Desh Program in the permanent campus premises in Janthaluru. Addressing on the occasion Vice Chancellor Prof.S.A.Kori asked the students to inculcate in themselves patriotism and contribute to the better future of nation. He urged the students to plant, adopt and nurture a plant each, recollecting the contributions of brave soldiers who fought in Kargil War and dedicate the plants in their names. Dean -in-Charge and NSS Coordinator Prof.Ram Reddy, Executive Engineer CPWD Srinivas, NSS Programme Officers Ms.O.Pranathi, Dr.A.Raveendra Babu, faculty, NSS volunteers, and non-teaching staff participated in the event.

Partition Horrors: Photo Exhibition



A photo exhibition on Partition horrors was organised at CUAP on 14th August, 2023. Professor SA Kori, Vice Chancellor, was the Chief Guest. In his speech, he spoke of the tragedy that took millions of lives on either side of the border. Professor G. Ram Reddy congratulated the faculty and the students who took great pains to arrange the exhibition. All the members of faculty and students attended the programme. It was an impressive show that took all down the memory lane.

Independence Day Celebrations



Independence Day 2023: 77th Independence Day was celebrated with gaiety and enthusiasm in CUAP transit campus-II. Prof. S. A. Kori, Vice Chancellor hoisted the National Flag on this occasion. While paying glowing tributes to legendary freedom fighters, Prof. Kori in his Independence Day message referred to various episodes of freedom struggle in which many brave sons and daughters of India laid down their lives fighting against the brutal colonial regime. A parade was organised by the NSS Cells of University followed by cultural programmes in which students of NSS participated and demonstrated their creativity. The programme ended with vote of thanks and National Anthem.

Ten-Day Sanskrit Conversation Workshop



A ten-day Sanskrit conversation Workshop was conducted at CUAP from 2nd August, 2023 to 31st August, 2023. Sri Vishal Kumar Bhatt, Faculty of Sanskrit, CUAP, was the resource person. He introduced simple verbs in Sanskrit and gradually led the students into the beautiful world of Sanskrit sounds and rhythm. It was an enriching experience for the students and faculty whose response to the event was truly overwhelming.

Distinguished Lecture



An online lecture on “Good Governance Practices in India” was organised by the Department of Political Science, Central University of Andhra Pradesh on 22nd August, 2023 in DDU Auditorium at 03:00 PM. Sri V. Srinivas, IAS, Secretary to the Government of India, was the Distinguished Guest Speaker. Prof. S. A. Kori, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Andhra Pradesh, was the Chief Guest. Prof. G. Ram Reddy, Dean in charge, and Prof. Hanuman Kennedy, Controller of Examinations, were the Guests of Honour. DR. Babu Gopal, Associate Professor of the Department of Political Science, was the convener and coordinator of the programme. O. Pranathi, Faculty of the Department of Political Science, introduced the Chief Guest. P. Ramakrishna Reddy, Faculty of the Department of Political Science, proposed the vote of thanks.

Chandrayan-3 Landing Viewed at CUAP



Landing of Chandrayaan-3 was watched live by the faculty of CUAP on 23rd August 2023. It was a proud and great moment for every Indian. The faculty of CUAP applauded the achievement of ISRO.

Celebration of National Sports Day



National Sports Day was celebrated at Central University of Andhra Pradesh on 29th August 2023 at DDU Auditorium. P. Ramakrishna Reddy, Faculty of Political Science, was the coordinator of the event. Prof. G. Ram Reddy and Prof. Hanuman Kennedy were ChiefGuests. The objective of the event was to encourage the students to participate in sports events and maintain physical fitness. More than a hundred

Celebration of Telugu Bhasha Dinotsavam



Telugu Bhasha Dinotsavam was celebrated on 29th August, 2023 at CUAP. Dr. B. Ashok Kumar, Faculty of Telugu, was the program coordinator. Prof. G Ram Reddy, Dean-in charge, was the Chief Guest on the occasion was to celebrate the birth anniversary of Sri Gidugu Ramamurthy Panthulu, writer and one of the earliest modern Telugu linguists and social visionaries during the British regime. He championed the cause of making Telugu language comprehensible to common man (*Vyavaharika Bhasha*) as opposed to the scholastic language (*Grandhika Bhasha*). The contribution of Sri Gidugu Ramamurthy Panthulu and his service to Telugu Language were lauded by the speakers. Nearly fifty students participated in the event.

World Sanskrit Day



World Sanskrit Day was celebrated at CUAP on 31st August,2023. Prof. SA Kori, Vice Chancellor was the Chief Guest. Speaking on the occasion, he highlighted the importance of Sanskrit in Indian culture. Sri Vishal Kumar Bhatt, Faculty of Sanskrit, gave a detailed account of the contribution of Sanskrit to diverse spheres of life like Astronomy, science and technology. Faculty and students of CUAP attended the programme.

World Suicide Prevention Day Celebrated



World Suicide Prevention Day: NSS Cell, Central University of Andhra Pradesh organized Elocution Competition on 07.09.2023 on the occasion of World Suicide Prevention Day in collaboration with Indian Psychiatric Society and Govt. Medical College, Anantapuramu near Govt. Medical College, Anantapuramu. Five NSS volunteers from CUAP participated in the event and Ch. Srujana, a student of BA (Hons.) Political Science 3rd Semester and Mahendra Kumar Thakur, a student of BA (Hons) Political Science 5th semester won prizes.

Cyber Security Summit at Christ University



The Cyber Security Summit at Christ University proved to be a pivotal gathering for cyber security enthusiasts, professionals, and students. The event aimed to address the latest trends, best practices, and innovative solutions in the ever-evolving realm of cyber security. The summit offered a comprehensive overview of the current trends in cyber security, including emerging threats and evolving attack vectors. Our attendees gained valuable insights into the changing landscape of digital security. Industry experts shared best practices in cyber security, covering topics such as risk management, threat intelligence, and incident response. These insights will undoubtedly contribute to enhancing our organization's approach to safeguarding sensitive information. Cutting-edge technologies and strategies were explored, providing our faculty and students with exposure to the latest tools and solutions in cybersecurity. This knowledge will be instrumental in fortifying our organization's security posture. The summit facilitated meaningful discussions and networking opportunities with industry experts and fellow professionals. Our attendees were able to exchange ideas, share experiences, and establish valuable connections that can potentially lead to collaborative initiatives in the future. The knowledge and insights gained from this event will undoubtedly have a positive impact on our organization's approach to cyber security.

The following are the faculty, Staff and students will attend the summit.

1. Mr.Sumanth Paranjii ,IT Consultant
2. Dr.P.Sumalatha, Faculty , Dept. of Artificial Intelligence & Data Science
3. Dr.C.Dhanunjay Kumar ,Faculty, Dept. of Molecular Biology
4. Mr.Suleman, IT Staff

5. Abhishek Tripathi, Student
6. Apoorva Misra, Student

Orientation Programme for Freshers



Orientation programme was organized at CUAP for freshers of UG and PG programs. Prof. V V N Rajendra Prasad, Prof. G Ram Reddy and Prof. Ch Sheela Reddy addressed the students and their parents. The speakers emphasized the need for discipline, industry and development of skills required for personal and professional growth. Dr. Ch. Raju and Dr. Suneetha Kumari, Wardens of Men's and Women's Hostels respectively explained in detail the rules and regulations of the hostels. Prof. Hanuman Kennedy, Controller of Examinations, CUAP, dwelt in detail on the credit system and the norms to be followed by the students. This was followed by cultural activities. MA English students, Ajith, Meenakshi P, Amritha PS, Amrita RM, Soumika, Monika and Lakshmi Kavya performed a skit titled "C3" which enthralled the audience.

Celebration of Mahakavi Gurajada Jayanti In CUAP



Mahakavi Gurajada Appa Rao's Jayanti was celebrated on 21st September, 2023 at CUAP. The event was organised by the Department of Telugu and the Coordinator of the programme was Dr. Garikapati Gurajada, Asst. Professor of Telugu, CUAP. He highlighted the achievements of Gurajada Appa Rao, the playwright. Dr. B. Ashok Kumar, Faculty of Telugu spoke on the contribution and service of Gurajada Appa Rao to Telugu language. The students were enlightened about the impact of the legendary playwright on the society. Twenty students took part in the programme.

CUAP NSS Unit attended Inauguration of Vande Bharat Express

Volunteers of NSS Units 1&2 of CUAP participated in the inauguration event of The Vande Bharat Express train from Hyderabad to Yeshwanthpur that passes through Ananthapuramu. The train represents a remarkable achievement for Indian technological advancement, as they are indigenously developed, and are high-speed, automated train units. Equipped with cutting-edge facilities for passengers, these trains offer a swifter, exceedingly comfortable, and remarkably convenient travel experience.



Later the team joined the dignitaries to welcome the Vande Bharat Express on the platform and enjoyed the free inaugural trial run from and to Ananthapuramu and Dharmavaram. NSS Program Officer Ms.O.Pranathi and NSS volunteers Saran A, Ashirwad Kumar, Abhinav Raj, Saraswathi S, Essaki Vigneswari A, Lavanya L, Megha Joshi, Raj Kumar and Chandana participated in the event.

Celebration of World Tourism Day

The Central University of Andhra Pradesh, Ananthapuramu, organized an intercollegiate fest as part of World Tourism Day celebrations on 26th and 27th September, 2023. This event was organized by the Yuva Tourism Club under the Department of Management and Vocational Studies. Prof. V.V.N. Rajendra Prasad, Distinguished Visiting Faculty, CUAP and Prof. Sheela Reddy, Dept. of Political Science, were the Chief Guests. Sri B. Venkateswara Rao, Senior Manager, Canara Bank, was the Guest of Honor.



Competitions like Young Manager, Teasure Hunt, Spot Photography, Quiz were open to all colleges and universities in and around Anantapur, E-poster making competition was held in online mode with participants from all over the country. Attractive prize money was awarded to the winners of these Competitions on 27th September. On the occasion, students also organized various food stalls showcasing the flavors of India. The Department in collaboration with AP Tourism Authority also organized essay writing and elocution on the World Tourism Day theme, “Tourism and Green Investments” on 25th September.



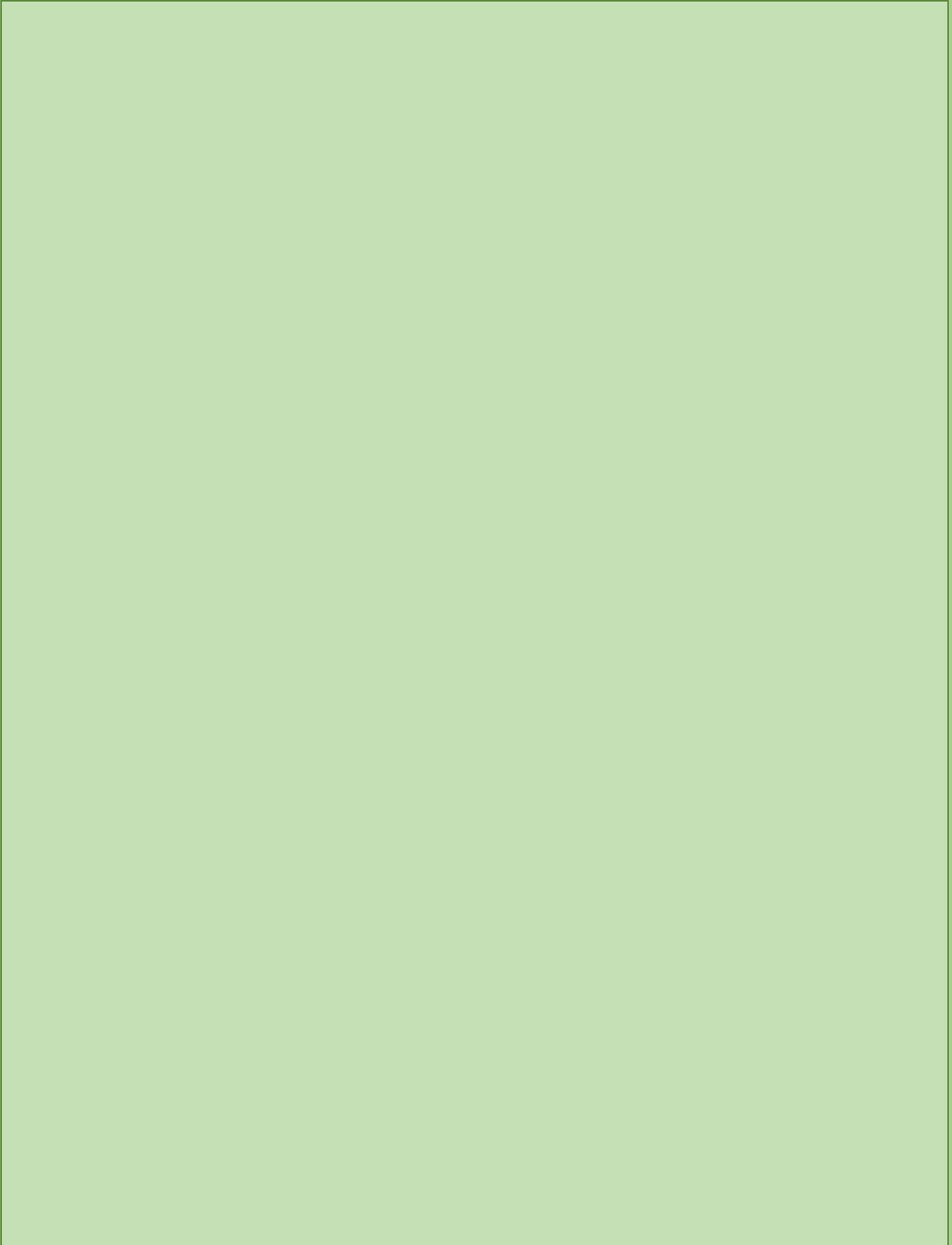
On-Campus Clean Drive

As a part of Gandhi Jayanthi celebrations, Swachh Pakhwada 3.0 campaign was organized by NSS CUAP as a part of Swachh Bharat program outside the academic block and in the premises of boys and girls hostel respectively from 26.09.2023 to 30.09.2023 aimed to achieve a clean India by promoting cleanliness, hygiene and sanitation across the country. NSS Coordinator Prof. G Ram Reddy, Ms. O Pranathi, Faculty of Political Science were the coordinators of the Program. The five days cleaning program was divided among different departments of the University.

- Day 1 (26-09-2023) was allotted to Department of Political Science-PG and Economics-UG.
- Day 2 (27-09-2023) was allotted to Department of Political science-UG and Economics-PG.
- Day 3 (28-09-2023) was allotted to Department of Psychology and MBA.
- Day 4 (29-09-2023) was allotted to Department of Mathematics.
- Day 5 (30-09-2023) was allotted to Department of Molecular Biology, BBA and B.Voc

NSS volunteers and students of all the departments cleaned the premises and actively participated in cleaning activities.





Achievements: Faculty

Lecture on Wordsworth



Dr. V. L. V. N. Narendra Kumar delivered a lecture on William Wordsworth on 10th July 2023 at Government College (A), Ananthapuramu. The session was arranged by the Department of English, Government College, Ananthapuramu. Nearly forty Undergraduate Literature Students and members of faculty attended the session.

Publication of Paper



Dr. M. Kulasekhar, faculty of Economics published a paper entitled “Development of capital markets in India: A Study” in *EPRA International Journal of Economic and Business*, vol-11, Issue - 8, in August 2023.

**Valedictory Address at the
“International Seminar on Earthy Echoes in English Literature”**



Prof. VVN Rajendra Prasad gave the Valedictory Address at the “International Seminar on Earthy Echoes in English Literature” organized by the Department of Languages and Literature - English, Sri Sathya Sai Institute of Higher Learning, on 29 and 30 September 2023. Describing ecocriticism as a distinctive approach to the practice of literary criticism, he observed that all ecocritics share an environmentalist motivation of some sort. He affirmed that Indians were ecocritics ages ago, and our Vedic texts, our most precious heritage literature and world’s oldest literature, were truly ecocentric. Prof. Prasad also touched on the difference between anthropocentrism and ecocentrism. He concluded with an ecocritical study of Kurt Vonnegut’s novel *Galápagos*.

Award of Doctorate



Dipankar Dey, Faculty of Political Science, CUAP, was awarded Ph.D by Central University of Jharkhand on 8th August, 2023. His topic of research was

“Geopolitical Dynamics in India’s Foreign Policy in Indo-Pacific Region with reference to Andaman and Nicobar Islands.”

Award of Doctorate



V.S.S Shreya, Faculty of Management Studies, Central University of Andhra Pradesh was awarded PhD on 11th August 2023. Dr V.S.S Shreya had successfully defended her PhD thesis in online public viva-voce and was awarded Ph.D in Tourism Studies from the Department of Tourism Studies, Pondicherry University. The title of the thesis was “**Assessment of Social Carrying Capacity using Residents’ Perceived impacts of Tourism and willingness to accept more tourism.**” About fifty participants attended the event.

Achievements: Students



Prakriti Saini BA (Hons) Political Science, CUAP participated in the selection of students for the Floral Tribute to Mahatma Gandhiji & Lal Bahadur Sastry Event at Indian Parliament Central Hall. The topic of the elocution competition was “Gandhi's Global Impact - Relevance of Gandhian Thought in Today World.” The event was held on 14th September 2023 organised by S.V. Degree and PG College Anantapuramu. She got selection for the State Level Competition.

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