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Mahatma Gandhi Jayanthi



Dr.C.R.Reddy Jayanthi

Namaste AU fraternity!!! During this quarter Andhra University paid respects to Mahatma Gandhi on October, 02nd & Dr.C.R.Reddy, Founder Vice-Chancellor, on his birthday on October, 10th, 2021 amidst covid protocols remembering the sacrifices and contributions of the great personalities. This quarter from October – December 2021 has seen many important activities in the campus.

Constitution Day also known as "National Law Day" was celebrated in Andhra University on 26th November, 2021. Hon'ble VC, EC Members, Principal of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar College of Law, staff and students participated in the celebrations.



SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS/ WEBINARS CONDUCTED (NATIONAL / INTERNATIONAL) : The following is the list of webinars conducted by all the constituent colleges of AU during 1st October, 2021 to 31st December, 2021:

A.U. College of Arts, Commerce & Management Studies : 01

1.	National Applied Anthropology Congress – Anthropology for India – Theme “Bringing Anthropological Applications to address the Contemporary Issues – Organised by Dept. of Anthropology & Anthropological Association for Humankind	December, 08 th 2021
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A.U. College of Science & Technology : 03

2.	BIOCHIMICA -2K21 a science FEST for students of PG life sciences Organized by Dept. Of Bio Chemistry	November, 10 th to 13 th 2021
3.	Recent Advances in Biochemistry and Microbial Biotechnology (RABMB-2021), Organized by Dept. Of Bio Chemistry	30th November, 2021

International

4.	International Conference on ‘Biochemistry – Unfolding New Horizons of Life’ BUNHL-2021 as a part of Golden Jubilee celebrations of Department of Biochemistry.	November 26 th , 2021
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A.U. College of Engineering : 34

National

Department of Civil Engineering :

5.	Prof. C.N.V. Satyanarayana Reddy - Organised 3 day online Training Programme on "Earthquake and Cyclone Disaster Risk Mitigation".	October 26 th -28 th , 2021
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Department of Electrical Engineering :

6.	Prof. G.V. Siva Krishna Rao HoD, Organized Webinar on "A Bureaucrat to the students".	October 09 th , 2021
7.	Webinar on "Effective Work Life and Career Management Leads to Harmonious Growth in Life"	October, 11 th , 2021
8.	Webinar on "Today Everyone is a Journalist How Relevant are Professional Journalists?".	October, 14 th , 2021
9.	Webinar on "Interview Skills Development and Work Ethics".	October, 23 th , 2021
10.	Webinar on "JUMPSTART YOUR CAREER"	October, 28 th , 2021

International

11.	Prof. G.V. Siva Krishna Rao, HoD, Organized Webinar on "My Journey: Learning's, Opportunities & WLAN Market Landscape".	October, 01 st , 2021
12.	Webinar on "How To Get Into Data Analytics Career and What To Expect My Experience"	October, 03 rd , 2021
13.	Webinar on "Importance of Long Term Career Goals & Networking to Achieve Your Goals!"	October, 05 th , 2021
14.	Webinar on "Evolution of Computing: My Influences & Impacts to the Industry"	October, 07 th , 2021
15.	Webinar on "People Skills and First Job- Navigate Through Corporate Ladder"	October, 26 th , 2021
16.	Webinar on "Professional Pilgrimage"	November, 10 th , 2021
17.	Webinar on "Opportunities in DAE"	November, 10 th , 2021.

18.	Webinar on "RBI Making a Difference to Everyday Life"	November, 12 th , 2021
19.	Webinar on "Relevant Technologies in the Job Market"	November, 14 th , 2021
20.	Webinar on "Different types of storage batteries and a brief interactive session on key components of Electric Vehicles"	November, 16 th , 2021
21.	HoD, Organized Webinar on "Disruptive technologies and Digital transformation"	November, 18 th , 2021
22.	Webinar on "Tips for Growth in Corporate's"	November, 23 rd , 2021
23.	Webinar on "Global Energy - A new paradigm"	November, 25 th , 2021
24.	Webinar on "Ragging: Prohibition, Prevention and Punishment"	November, 27 th , 2021
25.	Prof. G.V. Siva Krishna Rao, as a HoD, Organized Webinar on "Career Sutras & Key Learnings in My Journey from Researcher to Management to Entrepreneur"	November, 02 nd , 2021
26.	Webinar on "General, Career Options, Leadership, Service, Entrepreneurship, etc."	November, 06 th , 2021
27.	Webinar on "Career Success: Skills needed beyond academics"	November, 30 th , 2021
28.	Webinar on "Management after Engineering - Opportunities and Challenges"	December, 02 nd , 2021
29.	Webinar on "Transitions in life and how to be prepared for them".	December, 13 th , 2021
30.	Webinar on "Introduction to Aircraft Flight Control Systems".	December, 16 th , 2021
31.	Webinar on "Be a generalist and how to make it count".	December, 17 th , 2021
32.	Webinar on "IT Career Options, Challenges, work life balance and emotional intelligence".	December, 20 th , 2021
33.	Webinar on "Convergence of Technologies".	December, 28 th , 2021
34.	Webinar on "Oracle - A Leader in Cloud".	December, 30 th , 2021
35.	Prof. G.V. Siva Krishna Rao, as a HoD, Organized Webinar on "Building sustainable future".	December, 08 th , 2021
36.	Webinar meeting on "My career out of college and my current work".	December, 09 th , 2021
37.	Webinar on "Learning is continuous and Change is constant".	December, 23 rd , 2021
38.	Webinar on "Masters Journey from AU to America".	December, 25 th , 2021
College of Pharmaceutical Sciences :		
39.	National Webinar Series on Industrial approach – Pharmaceutical Analytical Techniques (IPAT – 2021)	December, 19 th , 2021
A.U. Incubation Centre & IIC		
40.	A Workshop on “Awaken the Entrepreneur in you” was conducted by Institution Innovation Council (IIC) & AU Incubation Center	November, 12 th , 2021

INAUGURATION OF NEW BUILDINGS :

1. Inauguration of IIM-V Annexe Building on 28th December, 2021.
2. Inauguration of “The Center for Advanced-Applied Biological Sciences & Entrepreneurship (TCABS-E) Laboratory” Dept. of Zoology, AU on 24th November, 2021.
3. NASSCOM Centre of Excellence - IoT & AI in association with Andhra University – Inaugural function on 30th November, 2021.
4. Laying Foundation Stone – Hostel cum Alumni Office Block - Built by AU Engineering College Alumni Association on 31st October, 2021.
5. Inauguration of Examination Block - II & Computer Centre (RUSA 1.0) on 02nd October, 2021.



Inauguration of IIM-V Annexe Building



Center for Advanced-Applied Biological Sciences & Entrepreneurship (TCABS-E)



Hostel cum Alumni Office Block



NASSCOM Centre of Excellence - IoT & AI



Inauguration of New building complex of Computer Centre & Examination Building

MAJOR EVENTS held during October-December 2021 in AU



Shri. M.Venkaiah Naidu, Vice President of India graced the occasion as Chief Guest for Visakha Saahithi Golden Jubilee Celebrations hosted by Andhra University on 05th November, 2021



As part of National Library week, the Hon'ble VC has inaugurated one of the most important event of Digitalization of Talapatras in Dr.V.S.Krishna library on 27th December, 2021



Golden Jubilee Celebrations of 1966-71 Batch, AUCE(A) on 22nd December, 2021 Hon'ble VC felicitating famous Alumni



Plantation during the birthday celebrations of our Hon'ble CM Sri Y.S.Jagan Mohan Reddy Birthday on 21st December, 2021



Blood Donation Camp organized by AU NSS on 15th December, 2021



“WAVES 2021”- The Grand Annual Alumni Meet conducted Virtually on 11/Dec/2021. The meeting was graced by Shri Rajeev Chandrasekhar, Union Minister of State as Chief Guest and Justice D.V. S. S. Somayajulu, Judge, High Court of AP, Mr. Purna R. Saggurti, Vice Chairman, Bank of America, USA, Dr. Vinay Kumar Nandicoori, Director – Centre for Cellular and Molecular Biology, New Delhi, along with Founder President of Alumni – Shri GM Rao as Guests of Honor.



India Skills 2021 Regional Competition South were started by Hon'ble Minister for Industries, Commerce & Information Technology, Govt., of A.P. Sri M.Gowtham Reddy held during the month of December, 2021



Our Hon'ble VC as a Chief Guest @ Dr. V.S. Krishna Library, Andhra University during National Librarian Week Celebrations on 14th November, 2021



Hon'ble Vice Chancellor along with A.U. Official's and Director of Dr.Durgabai Deshmukh Centre for Women Studies Flagging off the event **"RIDE FOR CHANGE"** organised by "Anti Human Trafficking" Club, Andhra University on 27th November, 2021.

APSET 2021 – Steering Committee Meeting AP State Legislative Committee on Welfare of Backward Classes - Review @ AU on 20th November, 2021.



Inauguration of AU Inter-collegiate games and sports & Hockey Selections on 25th November, 2021.



Launch of online programmes [B.Com](#) and M.A (Sociology) through School of Distance Education, AU on 01st December, 2021.



AP State Legislative Committee on Welfare of Backward Classes - Review @ AU on 28th October, 2021.

TRIBUTE :

1. Andhra University paid tributes to General Bipin Rawat, the first Chief of Defence Staff (CDS), his wife and the 13 others who lost their lives in a fatal helicopter crash on December 08th 2021.
2. A Tribute to Bharat Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar on December 06th 2021.
3. A Tribute to Mahathma Jyothirao Phule on November 28th 2021.



Visit of V.I.P's to Andhra University :

1. Interaction with Padmashree Dr. DP Pattanayak, Founder & Chancellor of Centurion University of Technology and Management and Prof.G.S.N.Raju former Vice-Chancellor of Andhra University.
2. Interaction with Principals, Govt. Degree Colleges of West Godavari, East Godavari and Vizianagaram districts.
3. Interaction with Shri. Vinay K Nandicoori, Director, CSIR - Centre for Cellular & Molecular Biology (CCMB), Ministry of Science & Technology, Govt. of India.
4. Interaction with Sri K. Manoj Kumar, Scientist – E (Computer Science), Information and Library Network Centre, Gujarat.
5. Interaction with Prof.Y.Chinna Rao, Director, Centre for Study of Discrimination and Exclusion, JNU, New Delhi



Padmashree Dr DP Pattanayak



Shri. Vinay K Nandicoori



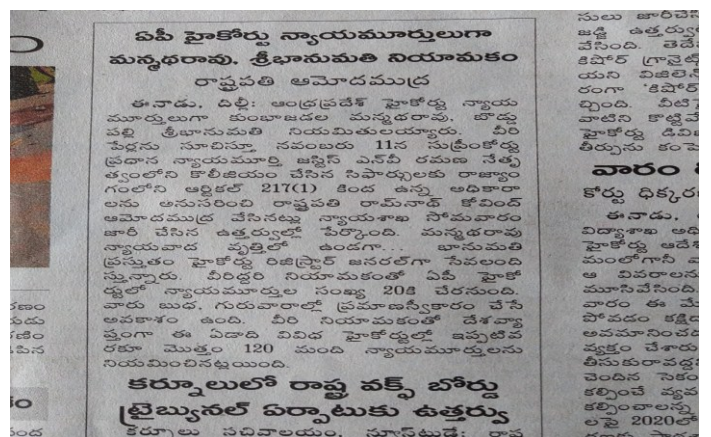
Sri K. Manoj Kumar



Principals, Govt. Degree Colleges

Proud Alumni of College of Law:

Sri K.Manmadha Rao, Smt.B.Sree Bhanumati have sworn as AP.High Court Judges. They are alumni of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar College of Law, Andhra University



ATAL WORKSHOPS / STTP Conducted:

1. Dept. of Electrical Engineering conducted an FDP on “**Community Service**” under AICTE sponsored ATAL workshop during 24th to 29th October, 2021.
2. Dept. of Electrical Engineering organized a STTP on “**Mastering Self- Motivation and Attitude- Art of Living**” during 24th to 29th November 2021 under AICTE sponsored ATAL workshop.
3. Dept. of Computer Science & Systems Engineering conducted STTP on “**Recent Trends in Digital Forensics and Crime Investigation**” 16th to 21st December, 2021.
4. A 5-day faculty development program on “**IPR in Academia- Creation, protection, and Commercialization**” to create awareness on various dimensions of IPR’s was conducted by DPIIT - IPR Chair, A.U. during 07th to 14th November, 2021.

Faculty Recognition/Awards: Several Faculty have been awarded with various Prestigious awards and Recognitions at both State and National Level as given below:			
S.No	Name of the faculty	Dept/College	Recognition / Award Received
1	Prof.S.Prasanna sree	Department of English, College of Arts & Commerce	Authored a book titled “Hope Raises No Dust”
2	Prof.S.Prasanna sree	Department of English, College of Arts & Commerce	Edited a book titled “ Beyond borders rethinking cultures” and Prof.Fewzia Benyelles Bedjaoui from Djillali Liabes University, Algeria.
2	Prof. N.VIJAY MOHAN	Department of Physical Education, College of Arts & commerce	Best Sports Supporting Award on 20/10/2021
3	Dr.Tukaram Bai	Dept. of Chemical Engineering, AUCE(A)	Global Teacher Award during December 2021

Number of Ph.D's/M.Phils awarded during this period:01-10-2021 to 31-12-2021

Sl.No	Name of the College	Ph.D. Awarded	M.Phil. Awarded
01.	College of Arts & Commerce	45	02
02.	College of Science & Technology	39	03
03.	College of Engineering(A)	32	--
04.	College of Pharmaceutical Sciences	05	--
05.	Dr.B.R.Ambedkar, College of Law	03	--
Total :		124	05





MoU's Inked between Andhra University and the parties during October 2021 - December 2021

1	Aizant Drug Research Solutions Pvt. Ltd. on 07th October, 2021 to collaborate and cooperate with each other in the areas of (i) Teaching Research and training in selected and advanced thrust area of Pharmaceutical Sciences, with special reference to Drug Discovery Development, Analytical Method Development, Industrial Pharmacy Quality Control and Quality Assurance, Regulatory Affairs and Clinical Research; (ii) Consultancy Work ; (iii) Sponsored Research / Contract research / Sponsor Projects and fellowships ; (iv) Intellectual property rights ; and (v) Any other areas of mutual interest, as may be identified from time to time.
2	Headquarter Chief Engineer (Navy) on 04th October, 2021 for the consultancy for monitoring of Prefabricated Vertical Drain (PVD) Technique being utilized for soil stabilization prior to construction of Parallel Taxi Track (PTT) at INS Dega, Visakhapatnam.
3	Ashtanga Naturo Pathy, Ayurved and Yoga (ANAY) on 12th, October, 2021 to conduct two courses viz., (i) Diploma in Yoga (6 months) with 80 seats and (ii) Certification course in Yoga (3 months) with 80 seats.
4	Suruksha Pharma Private Limited, Hyderabad on 07th October, 2021 to collaborate and cooperate with each other in the areas of (i) Teaching Research and training in selected and advanced thrust area of Pharmaceutical Sciences, with special reference to Drug Discovery Development, Analytical Method Development, Industrial Pharmacy Quality Control and Quality Assurance, Regulatory Affairs and Clinical Research, NDDS, Safety and efficacy studies, PK/PD Studies, etc.; (ii) Consultancy work; (iii) Sponsored research / Contract research / Sponsor Projects and fellowships; (iv) Intellectual Property Rights; (v) University Suraksha Join Research Programmes funded from outside agencies and publication of results; (vi) Technology management and Technology Transfer; (vii) Campus Placements and Guest Lectures; and (v) Any other areas of mutual interest, as may be identified from time to time.
5	Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited on 18th October, 2021 for setting down the operational framework governing cooperation between AU and HPCL for the purpose of conducting internship / apprenticeship programs by HPCL to students of AU in the field of administration, maintenance etc., and exchanging industrial and educational expertise.
6	Bharateeya Vidya Kendram Visalakshi Nagar, Visakhapatnam on 11th November, 2021 to stimulate quality education and training in yoga including collaborative research and promote inter-institution cooperation.
7	Logistics Sector Skill Council (LSC) Anna Salai, Nandanam Chennai on 11th November, 2021 to launch and efficiently conduct apprenticeship-based BBA/B.Com./BMS Degree Program in Logistics, and Maritime logistics from the Academic Year 2021-22 at the premises of AU. in academic collaboration with LSC.
8	AP State Skill Development Corporation, DASSAULT Systems 3D Experience Centre and Department of Mechanical Engineering, AUCE(A) on 03 rd November, 2021 for a period of 03 years. The MOU is to establish and manage 3D Experience centre (3D-EC) for Diploma / UG / PG students in various Polytechnic / Engineering Colleges /University Campuses to enhance employability of Students.
9	AU & Advanced-Applied Biological Sciences & Entrepreneurship (TCABS-E) – An MoU for Startup & Internships in Zoology Department.

Patents Filed/Published/Granted by the faculty :

S.No	Name of the faculty & Department	Patent Title and Application No.	Status
1.	Prof.P.V.G.D.Prasad Reddy	System and Method for Creating & managing Mind Map for Explaining User Thoughts Using Personalized Network Application No.202141050903 A	Published on 03-12-2021

Student Achievements:

Dr.B.R.Ambedkar, College of Law	Mr Venkata Badrinath Vishnubhotla of 3/5 BA.LLB, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar College of Law, Andhra University was adjudged WINNER in the 1st National Online Quiz Competition, 2021, organised by Marwadi University in association with Legal Aid Society on 26th November, 2021. Appreciating Mr. Ch. Sai Teja, NSS Volunteer - selected for Republic Day Parade Camp 2022 @ New Delhi
College of Science & Technology	Internship to (Fifty) AU students from Botany Department @ HPCL – Navaratna Company - Launch of HP HARITA
College of Arts & Commerce.	 <p>Congratulating BFA 2nd Year, AU student Miss Charishma Krishna, on her attainment as “Miss Vizag Shining Star and 2nd Runner Up” – through Creative Plus Entertainment Network, Visakhapatnam</p> <p>Miss. Sunayana & Mr. SR. Koundinya S. Bhashyam from the Department of Music have been awarded Moulana Abdhul Kalam Azad award on the eve of national education day.</p>
IASE	 <p>78 B.Ed students were placed as Teachers in various prestigious schools in an around Visakhapatnam. Shri. Vijaya Sai Reddy, Hon'ble M.P. of Rajya Sabha handed over the placement orders to all the students.</p>
NSS Volunteers	 <p>‘Ek Bharat – Shrestha Bharat’ National Integration Camp @ Rohtak, Haryana During November, 2021.</p> <p>NSS Students of Andhra University have made AU proud by their presence and contribution towards National contribution camp held at Rohtak during 19th -25th November 2021.</p> 

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof.P.V.G.D. Prasad Reddy encouraged all the students and Congratulated them for making Andhra University proud.

I take this platform to request all our faculty members to regularly fill in the Governors Data portal monthly and thank all of you for your support. Further, for providing any information related to the newsletter for the next quarter(1st Jan 2022 to 30th Mar 2022) to iqac@andhrauniversity.edu.in or auiqac2005@gmail.com.