

**ANDHRA UNIVERSITY**



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**ISSUE 2**

**Namaste AU fraternity!!!** During this quarter Andhra University celebrated and participated in many events



**Mahatma Gandhi's Jayanti Celebrations at Gandhian Studies Centre, A.U**



**Honoured and delighted to Receive and welcome the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, Shri Narendra Modi Ji, and Hon'ble CM of AP Shri Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy Ji at "Andhra University new Helipad Ground" on 12th November 2022.**



**Sir C.R. Reddy Birth Anniversary – Floral tributes offered by Prof. K. Hemachandra Reddy, Chairman, APSCH @ CAO, Andhra University**

**ISSUE 2, VOL 4, October - December, 2022**

**SEMINARS/CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS/ WEBINARS CONDUCTED (NATIONAL / INTERNATIONAL) :** The following is the list of webinars conducted by all the constituent colleges of AU during 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2022:

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

**International**

1.	The Staff and Research Scholars of Department of Anthropology attended one day international interaction on "Anthropology and Today: Development and Education Issues" with Prof.Kiran Jayaram, University of South Florida, U.S.A.	11th October, 2022
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**A.U. College of Engineering : (13)**

**International**

1.	Prof. G.V. Siva Krishna Rao, Organized Webinar on Opportunities, Experiences and Careers in Big Tech.	15th October, 2022.
2.	Webinar on Actionable Advice for Young Professionals Starting Out Their Careers.	03rd November, 2022.
3.	Webinar on Software Defined Vehicles - New frontiers of engineering	09th December, 2022
4.	Webinar on Importance of 5G, associated opportunities and new skills to be acquired by professionals	30th December, 2022

**National**

5.	Prof. G.V. Siva Krishna Rao, Organized Webinar on My career plan for 30 years.	28th October, 2022.
6.	Organized Webinar on Industry 4.0 and Smart Manufacturing: Decoding the ever evolving Digital Transformation landscape	11th November, 2022
7.	Organized Webinar on Managing in turbulent times	18th November, 2022
8.	B2B2C eCommerce for Sub Prime Customers to the students by our Distinguished Alumnus Shri K. Nageswara Rao Garu, Country Head, Purchasing Power India, Chennai on 25-11- 2022 through Microsoft Teams Platform.	25th November, 2022
9.	Organized Webinar on Roll of engineer in design industry	01st December, 2022
10.	Organized Webinar meeting on Connect with Industry Leaders	06th December, 2022
11.	Organized Webinar meeting on Digital Transformation in Energy, Resources & Manufacturing industries.	13th December, 2022
12.	Organized Webinar meeting on Energy transition and Net Zero Goals. - Oil Industry perspective	21st December, 2022
13.	Dr. B. Amarendra Reddy Organized a FDP on Enhancement And Utilization Of Green Energy In Powersystems Using Power Electronics And Control	12th - 17th December, 2022

**IQAC**

National Level Seminar on <b>"NEP 2020 Implementation Strategies for Quality Enhancement"</b> Prof.K.Rama Mohana Rao, Vice-Chairperson, APSCHE and Prof.P. Sujata Shanbagh NAAC Advisor were the resource persons. A total of 250 IQAC Coordinators / Principals from affiliated colleges of A.U. and other colleges attended the programme in Hybrid mode.	05th November, 2022
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## **INAUGURATION OF NEW OFFICE'S & BUILDINGS :**

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor has inaugurated New office's & Buildings in the various campuses of Andhra University during this quarter.

1. Inauguration – HDFC Smart Banking Lobby at Andhra University.
2. Inauguration - Ladies Waiting Hall and Restrooms at Dept. Of Statistics, - Strengthening of Infrastructure facilities.
3. Inauguration of SALPG Hostel Block @ AU College of Engineering for Women by Hon'ble Minister Sri Gudivada Amarnath – CSR Initiative by South Asia LPG Company Pvt. Ltd.
4. SALPG Hostel, Individual Rooms inauguration by students AU College of Engineering for Women.
5. Inauguration of Alumni Lecture Hall at Dept. of Chemistry, Andhra University – Sponsored by Dr. Subbaraju Gottumukkala of Enveda Life Sciences (Alumnus 1976-82).
6. Inauguration of 'Digital Photogrammetry Lab' @ AU College of Engineering by Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys – in the presence of Dr. G.M. Rao, Chairman, GMR Group & Chairman, AAA.
7. Inauguration of renovated and remodeled 'Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Auditorium' @ AU College of Engineering by Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys – in the presence of Dr. G.M. Rao, Chairman, GMR Group & Chairman, AAA.



**1. HDFC Bank at Andhra Univeristy**



**2. Ladies Waiting Hall and Restrooms at Dept. Of Statistics, A.U.**





**3. Inauguration of SALPG Hostel Block at AU College of Engineering for Women by Hon'ble Minister Sri Gudivada Amarnath – CSR Initiative by South Asia LPG Company Pvt. Ltd.**



**4. SALPG Hostel, Individual Rooms inauguration by students of the college**



**5. Alumni Lecture Hall at Dept. of Chemistry, (Alumnae 1976-82)**



**6. 'Digital Photogrammetry Lab' at AU College of Engineering**



**7. Renovated and Remodeled 'Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Auditorium' at AU College of Engineering.**



## MAJOR EVENTS held during October - December 2022 in AU

### AU files 50 patents in nine months, gets own IP policy

Transfers Tech To Industry For First Time

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**Visakhapatnam:** Andhra University (AU) has filed nearly 50 patent applications in the last 9 months for its innovations and research work. As part of its Intellectual Property Policy, the institute is bearing the costs involved in patent filing as well as its maintenance, if it is granted, which amounts to ₹45 lakh.

The inventor/researcher will get 70% of the revenue generated out of licensing and royalty of the IP rights, while the university will get a 30% share as per the IP policy.

The IP policy of AU was recently submitted to the state government, which in turn referred it to the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education to examine the feasibility of implementing the policy in all the state universities. The university has also started working on modifying the ownership in its recent patent applications. The IP applications' rights should be submitted/granted in the name of the institute rather than an individual to bank on

#### PATENT PORTFOLIO



One invention is a pharmaceutical compound that can be used for treatment in gastritis and gastric ulcers

A multi-functional smart pole has been developed by researchers for early flood detection and rescue operations

A bioactive compound that has been studied can cure vibrio infections in cultured shrimp

Another invention is a PVA-based hydrogen sensor

A pyrrole derivative-based anti-depressant composition has been developed by university researchers

IPR has been made a mandatory credit for a few courses of the university

the research findings/innovations in the NIRF rankings. For the first time in its history, the university has recently transferred its technology on 'portable novel biosensor for type 2 diabetes' to a private organisation. The product being developed based on this technology will soon foray into the market. The biosensor diabetes device uses SPR-powered technology with novel diabetes biomarker GLP1 peptide. The strip-free device is environment-friendly, economical, and sustainable, as it can be reused by multiple patients for multiple times. The university is receiving enquiries from various organisations/establish-

ments for technology transfer of its other innovations. IPR chair professor and centre for IPR director, Dr H Purushotham, said the comprehensive IP policy prepared by the university has started yielding positive results. "The IP culture in the varsity has been catalysed by the recent policy decision taken by vice-chancellor PVGD Prasad Reddy. As per this decision, publication of a patent by the research scholars will be considered equivalent to publication of two peer-reviewed research papers, which is one of the requirements for award of a PhD," said Purushotham. He explained the technicalities and intricacies involved in patent application and granting. "The Centre has slashed the patent fee by 80% for all educational institutions to encourage innovations. In fact, the patent attorney/agent charges more than the application fee. The patent applications must meet three criteria - novelty, inventive step and industrial application. The applicant has to prove his case on all these parameters as the examination report in the majority of the cases goes against the inventor. It does not end there as post-grant oppositions can be filed in 12 months from date of publication of the grant of patent in the official journal of the patent office," he said.



### Andhra University Files 50 Patents - News published by times of India

### A Team of Professors of Andhra University – Successfully completed the Digital Firestarter Facilitation Training Program from 18th Sept to 1st October, 2022 @ Purdue University, USA



### Establishment of Chair Professor by RINL-Visakhapatnam Steel Plant @ Andhra University – Sanctioned under Industry-Academia Collaboration

### Interaction with Secretary Skills Shri. Atul Kumar Tiwari along with Shri Buddha Chandra Sekhar to discuss the possibilities on establishing Skill hub in AU Campus



### North Coastal Districts Yoga Championship – Mr. Yoga - 2022 & Miss Yoga - 2022 on 16-10-2022 @ Yoga Village, Andhra University in association with District Yoga Association, Visakhapatnam





**Visit of Sister Jayanti, Brahma Kumaris Additional Administrative Head to AU Engineering College Grounds – to donate a sapling**



**Launch of Kalpataruh Project @ Andhra University in collaboration with Govt. of AP (BCDE) & Brahma Kumaris**



**Prize Distribution Ceremony of 'U Genius' – National level General Awareness Quiz Competition 2022 organized by Union Bank of India, Visakhapatnam**



**Prof. K. Saraswathi Vidyarthi, Department of Music & Dance, Andhra University for achieving the Prestigious 'Dr. .APJ Abdul Kalam Rastriya Puraskar' award by the Global Management Council, Ahmedabad**



**Dance Concert at the Department of Music & Dance, Andhra University on the occasion of Birth celebrations of Kuchipudi Dance Legend 'Padmabhushan' late Shri Vempati Chinna Satyam**



**One Day Programme on 'Space Technology – Development & Application in our Daily life' @ Department of Electrical Engineering, AU**





**Poster Release - 'Run To Read' – 5 & 10 KM Run - Literacy Awareness Campaign on 11-12-2022 – organizing by Rotary International and Rotary Institute 2022**



**Launch of Certificate course in Audio & Music @ Andhra University under MoU with St. Lukes Audio Engineering & Music Production**



**"Contribution of Tribal Heros' in India's Freedom Struggle" Programme under the initiative of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' jointly organized by Andhra University & National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, New Delhi**

**Flag-off the Rally - National Unity Day Celebrations @ Andhra University on the occasion of the 147th Birth Anniversary of Iron Man of India, Shri Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel**







**National Unity Day Celebrations @ Dr. B.R. Ambedkar AU College of Law, Andhra University on the occasion of the 147th Birth Anniversary of Iron Man of India, Shri Sardar Vallabhbai Patel**



**At Indo-pacific endeavor 2022, Reception on board HMAS Adelaide, Australian Flagship regional engagement activity @ Visakhapatnam Port Trust**



**Sri GMC Bala Yogi Endowment Lecture @ Andhra University delivered by Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu, Hon'ble former Vice-President of India**



**National Seminar on NEP 2020 – Implementation Strategies for Quality Enhancement - Organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Andhra University**



**Ms. Sree Laya, Final year student of MBA, Department of Commerce and Management Studies, Andhra University – Campus placed - Bharti Airtel Limited as a Financial Advisor, with a package of Rs.23.00 lakhs per annum**



**National Library Week – 2022' Celebrations at Dr. V.S. Krishna Library, Andhra University**





**National workshop on 'Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) : Key for Academic & Industry Excellence in AP' @ Andhra University – Jointly organized by Andhra University, Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, a-HUB & Institution's Innovation Council**



**Technical & Educational Visit to Andhra University - 26th Batch of PG Course participants of RS & GIS course of Centre for Space Science and Technology Education in Asia Pacific (CSSTEAP),**



**International GIS Day – 2022 - Workshop on 'GIS for Green Life' @ Andhra University in association with Indian Society of Geomatics, Visakhapatnam Chapter**



**Inaugurated the Seminar on 'Agro-Food Processing Exports from Andhra Pradesh – Growth Opportunities' organised by AP Chambers of Commerce & Industry Federation**



**World Philosophy Day Celebrations 2022 at Department of Philosophy, Andhra University in association with Indian Council of Philosophical Research, New Delhi**





**Ms. P. Rajeswari, Final Year LLB student of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar College of Law, Andhra University for receiving the award from the District Legal Services Authority in recognition of her legal counseling in number of cases @ Free Legal Aid Clinic, Andhra University**



**Awareness Programme on Child Rights Protection organised by Bala Vikas Foundation, Visakhapatnam in association with Andhra University @ Department of Social work, Andhra University**



**Achieved 7 STAR Rating in Environment Audit - Assessed in accordance with the standards set by the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (MoEF & CC) and Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) – Honourable Vice-Chancellor and Registrar appreciated the IQAC Team.**



**Inauguration - Andhra Pradesh State Level Philatelic Exhibition organised by Department of Post, Govt. of India**

**Appreciation to the team of students of final year B.Pharmacy 2019-23 Batch on successful submission of their Project titled 'Simultaneous Estimation of Quercetin and Rutin in leaves of Syzygium Cumini (Black Jamun) by using HPTLC (High Performance Thin Layer Chromatography) under the guidance of Dr. A. Krishna Manjari Pawar, AU College of Pharmaceutical Sciences.**







**Visakha Life Sciences & Entrepreneurship (VLSE) Symposium 2022 @ Dept. of Zoology, Andhra University**



**Establishment of 'SMT. SHEIK SYDOON MASUMA BEGAM Chair Professor' by M/s. MAP AVENUES, Visakhapatnam @ Andhra University – Sanctioned under Industry-Academia Collaboration**



**Establishment of 'SYMBIOSYS TECHNOLOGIES Chair Professor' by M/s. Symbiosys Technologies, Visakhapatnam @ Andhra University – Sanctioned under Industry-Academia Collaboration**



**Establishment of 'LEE PHARMA Chair Professor' by M/s. Lee Pharma Ltd., Hyderabad @ Andhra University – Sanctioned under Industry-Academia Collaboration**



**Inauguration – 1st International Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Security and Communications (AISC) 2022 organised by Dept. of Computer Science & Systems Engineering @ Lendi Institute of Engineering, Visakhapatnam**





**73rd Constitution Day Celebrations at Central Administrative Office, Andhra University on 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022.**



**Constitution Day Celebrations at Dr.B.R. Ambedkar college of Law, Andhra University**



**Poster Release – 'BIOCHIMICA 2K22' – Science Fest by the Dept. of Biochemistry, Andhra University**



**Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) Programme – Certificates Distribution Ceremony for rendering merit – AU Regional Coordinate Institutions.**



**Under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) Programme the Certificates were distributed to the regional coordinators and Institutions for exhibiting merit performance by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor**





**Dr. B. Bharatha Lakshmi, former Professor, Dept. of Zoology, Andhra University for achieving 'AZRA – Honorary Fellowship Award – 2021' by the Applied Zoologists Research Association for her outstanding research contributions in the field of Ornithology**



**Book Release – 'Corporate Turnarounds and Human Resource Management' authored by Sri Y.R. Reddy, Former Director (HR), RINL Vizag Steel & Visiting faculty in Management, Andhra University**



**Inauguration of Internship & Entrepreneurship embedded -Food Science & Technology Programme @ Dept. of Chemistry, Andhra University, leading to 4 Years B.Sc (Hons) + 1 Year M.Sc., Multi Entry & Exit Scheme.**



**Brochure Release – Seminar on 'Digital India: Ambedkar's Vision – Modi's Provision' on 03-12-2022**



**'Run to Read' – 5 & 10 KM – Run - Literacy Awareness & Women Empowerment Campaign – Organising by Rotary, Visakhapatnam - Press Meet & T-Shirt Launch**





**Ms. B. Angeline Bhaskar, student of III year B.A. in St. Joseph's College for Women, Visakhapatnam for securing 'Fourth' position in the state wide 'APSCE Excellence Awards-2022' in the category of Community Service Award for the Academic year 2021-22**



**Inauguration of Seminar on 'Digital India: Ambedkar's Vision - Modi's Provision' - organised by Dr. Ambedkar Chair, Andhra University**



**Student Enrichment Program (SEP) - organised by the Andhra Pradesh Private Un-aided Schools' Managements' Association (APPUSMA), Visakhapatnam District at AU Convocation Theatre**



**Inauguration of Ireland Education Fair at Andhra University - organised by the i-20fever team of Yathapu Consulting Pvt. Ltd.,**



**CELEBRATIONS OF AAA MEET 2022 – VISIT OF EMINENT PERSONALITIES TO A.U.**



**Visit of Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys to AU Incubation Hub – in the presence of Dr. G.M. Rao, Chairman, GMR Group & Chairman,**



**Inauguration of 'Dream Wall' at AU College of Engineering by Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys – in the presence of Dr. G.M. Rao, Chairman, GMR Group & Chairman, AAA**



**Interactive session between Andhra University Vice-Chancellor Prof. P.V.G.D. Prasad Reddy and Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys**



**Establishment of 'Dr. SRINUBABU GEDELA Chair Professor' by PULSUS Group @ Andhra University – Sanctioned under Industry-Academia Collaboration**



**Poster & Brochure Release – 'PERIScope – 2022' – A Two-day National Conference @ Dept. of Computer Science & Systems Engineering, AU College of Engineering – Dec 30-31, 2022**





**'WAVES – 2022' - Andhra University Alumni Meet – Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys graced the event as the Chief Guest**



**'జగనన్న పచ్చతోరణం' - Plantation Programme @ AU grounds organised by the NSS Unit and Sanitation and Beautification Unit, Andhra University in association with the Forest Department, Govt. of AP**



**Birthday Celebrations of Hon'ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh, Shri Y.S. Jagan Mohan Reddy garu @ Andhra University – Distribution of Rice Bags by the students**



**Prof. Y. Rajendra Prasad, Principal, AU College of Pharmaceutical Sciences for achieving the 'Lifetime Achievement award in Pharmacy' by the Association of Biotechnology and Pharmac**



## VISIT OF V.I.P's TO ANDHRA UNIVERSITY

1. Visit of Alumni - Shri Murali Krishna Vadrevu, Chief General Manager – Retail at Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited, Mumbai.
2. B.Tech (CSE) 2004-2008 batch - Visit to Andhra University.
3. Visit of Prof. Majesté Ihou Wateba, Togolese Minister of Higher Education and Research from Togo to Andhra University under the ICCR's Distinguished Visitors Programme- 2022-2023.
4. Mr. Srinivas Pola (MCA 1996-99 Batch), working as Senior Manager in ADP LLC, New Jersey, USA.
5. Interaction with Alumni – Visit of Dr. Prabha L. Atreya, Director of the Division of Scientific Advisors and Consultants, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER) and Associate Director for Research office of Blood research and review, Food and Drug Administration (FDA), USA.
6. Interaction with Alumni – Visit of Dr. D Elizabeth Nathaniel, Director, Nate Petroleum Development and Research LLP, Navi Mumbai.
7. Visit of Ms. Erinn Fischer –Vice Consul/ Regional Security Office of Investigations, the Consulate General of the USA, Hyderabad – Interaction with faculty.
8. Interaction with Sri Venkat Nekkanti, CEO, Nekkanti Sea Foods, Visakhapatnam.
9. Alumni Visit – Sri P. Bangarayya Setti, ACE and Project Manager, Nuclear Power Corporation of India Ltd., to Andhra University.
10. Alumni Visit – Dr. Murthy Remilla, Head, Project Management, Human Spaceflight, Gaganyaan Mission, ISRO.
11. Interaction with Shri Aditya Modi, Sound Engineer, AV Consultant, Studio Designer, Pro Audio Distributor and the Founder of MODI Digital.
12. Interaction with Shri Arvind Kumar, the Director General of Software Technology Parks of India (STPI), New Delhi.
13. Interaction with Shri Mukesh Kumar Sharma, nominated NCST Speaker for the 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav', National Council for Scheduled Tribes (NCST), New Delhi.
14. Visit of Ms. Jennifer A. Larson, Consul General, Consulate General of the United States of America, Hyderabad
15. Visit of Ms. Sarah Kirlew, Consul General, Australian Consulate General, Australian Government – Interaction with Vice Chancellor.
16. Visit of Prof. Aswani K. Volety, Chancellor, University of North Carolina Wilmington, USA – Interaction with the Vice-Chancellor for possible academic collaboration.
17. Interaction with Sri Mandapati Seshagiri Rao, Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Grandhalaya Parishad, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh & Dr. B. Sutradhar, Chief Librarian, IIT - Kharagpur and Joint Director, NDLI Project.
18. Interaction with Dr. A.P. Tiwari, Group Director, BARC, Govt. of India.
19. Visit of Dr Lawrence Jones-Walters, Programme Director, Nature Inclusive Transitions, along with his delegation from Wageningen University & Research, Netherlands to Andhra University.
20. Interaction with Prof. Pallu Reddanna, Retired Professor, School of Life Sciences, & Director, ASPIRE, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad.
21. Visit of Prof. Umesh Gargh, Dept.of Physics & Astronomy, Notre Dame, U.S.A to Andhra University.
22. Interaction with Sri L. Gopinath, Senior Research Officer, NITI Aayog, Govt. of India.
23. Alumni Visit – Mr. Venkata Sai Kusumanchi, Vice-President, Data Engineering, State Auto Insurance Companies, Columbus, Ohio, USA.
24. Dr. Sekhar Bonu, Director General, Development, Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO), NITI AAYOG, New Delhi and Sri Partha Mukhopadhyay, Centre For Policy Research, New Delhi.
25. Alumni Visit – Lt. Col. Doshehe Y. Sema (Retd.), Former Minister, Govt. of Nagaland
26. Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Alumni Batch (B.Tech Mechanical Engineering 1968-1972) – Interaction with Vice-Chancellor.
27. Interaction with Shri Manomay Rai, CEO of GMR Visakhapatnam International Airport Ltd and Shri SGK Kishore, IAS, Executive Director (South) and Chief Innovation Officer at GMR Group.
28. Visit of Alumni (MBA - 1979-1981 Batch) – Interaction with Vice-Chancellor.



29. Interaction with Air Commodore VM Reddy, Air 1, Chief Air Operation Officer, Southern Air Command, Trivandrum.
30. Visit of Sri Santhosh Karnanda, Trade & Investment Director – Education, South Asia, Australian Trade and Investment Commission, Australian Government – Interaction with Vice-Chancellor.
31. Visit of Mr. Malcolm Byrne, Senator, Senate of Ireland – Interaction with the Vice-Chancellor
32. Visit of Shri Udai Krishna Pandamaneti, Founder & CEO of HaloHues Studios Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad to Andhra University – Interaction with the Vice-Chancellor.
33. Visit of Shri N.R. Narayana Murthy, Founder of Infosys to Andhra University – Guard of Honour - Ceremonial welcome by the AU NCC Cadets.
34. Alumni Visit – Mr. Surya Jayanthi, Engineering Leadership, Working at Meta, Boston, USA.
35. Visit of Dr. M. Mohapatra, Director General, Meteorology, India Meteorological Department, New Delhi – Interaction with the Vice-Chancellor





**1. Shri Murali Krishna Vadrevu**



**2. B.Tech (CSE) 2004-2008 batch**



**3. Prof. Majesté Ihou Wateba, Togolese Minister of Higher Education and Research**



**4. Mr. Srinivas Pola**



**5. Dr. Prabha L. Atreya, Director of the Division of Scientific Advisors and Consultants**



**6. Dr. D Elizabeth Nathaniel, Director, Nate Petroleum Development and Research LLP, Navi Mumbai**





**7. Ms. Erinn Fischer –Vice Consul/ Regional Security Office of Investigations, the Consulate General of the USA, Hyderabad**



**8. Sri Venkat Nekkanti, CEO, Nekkanti Sea Foods, Visakhapatnam**



**9. Sri P. Bangarayya Setti, ACE and Project Manager**



**10 Dr.Murthy Remilla, Head, Project Management, , Gaganyaan Mission, ISRO**



**11. Shri Aditya Modi, Sound Engineer, AV Consultant, Studio Designer, Pro Audio Distributor and the Founder of MODI Digital**



**12. Shri Arvind Kumar, the Director General of Software Technology Parks of India**





**13. Shri Mukesh Kumar Sharma, National Council for Scheduled Tribes (NCST), New Delhi**



**14. Ms. Jennifer A. Larson, Consul General, Consulate General of the United States of America, Hyderabad.**



**15. Ms. Sarah Kirlew, Consul General, Australian Consulate General, Australian Government.**



**16. Prof. Aswani K. Volety, Chancellor, University of North Carolina Wilmington, USA – Interaction with the Vice-Chancellor for possible academic collaboration**



**17. Sri Mandapati Seshagiri Rao, Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Grandhalaya Parishad, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh & Dr. B. Sutradhar, Chief Librarian, IIT - Kharagpur and Joint Director, NDLI Project.**







**18. Dr. A.P. Tiwari, Group Director, BARC, Govt. of India**



**19. Dr Lawrence Jones-Walters, Programme Director, Nature Inclusive Transitions.**



**20. Prof. Pallu Reddanna, Retired Professor, School of Life Sciences, & Director, ASPIRE, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad.**



**21. Prof. Umesh Gargh, Dept.of Physics & Astronomy, Notre Dame, U.S.A**



**22. Sri L. Gopinath, Senior Research Officer, NITI Aayog, Govt. of India**



**23. Mr. Venkata Sai Kusumanchi, Vice-President, Data Engineering, State Auto Insurance Companies, Columbus, Ohio, USA**





**24. Dr. Sekhar Bonu, Director General, Development, Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO), NITI AAYOG, New Delhi and Sri Partha Mukhopadhyay, Centre For Policy Research, New Delhi.**



**25. Lt. Col. Doshehe Y. Sema (Retd.), Former Minister, Govt. of Nagaland**



**26. Golden Jubilee Celebrations of Alumni Batch (B.Tech Mechanical Engineering 1968-1972)**



**27. Shri Manomay Rai, and Shri SGK Kishore**



**28. Visit of Alumni (MBA - 1979-1981 Batch)**



**29. Air Commodore VM Reddy, Air 1, Chief Air Operation Officer, Southern Air Command, Trivandrum.**





**30. Sri Santhosh Karnanda,**



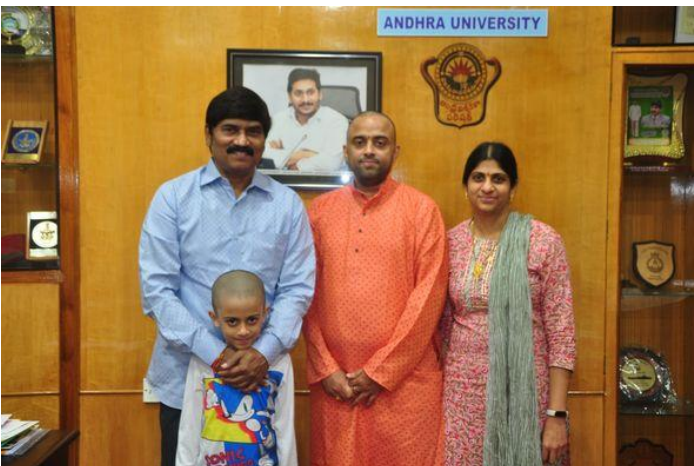
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**34. Mr. Surya Jayanthi, Engineering Leadership, Working at Meta, Boston, USA**



**35. Dr. M. Mohapatra, Director General, Meteorology Department.**



## **TRIBUTEs:**

1. Tributes to Mahatma Gandhi at Andhra University.
2. Tributes to Bharat Ratna “Maulana Abul Kalam Azad” on his 134th Birth Anniversary - National Education Day.
3. Paying tributes to Dr. B.R. Ambedkar on his 66th death anniversary at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar College of Law, Andhra University.



**1. Tribute to Mahatma Gandhi**



**2. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad**



**3. Dr. B.R. Ambedkar**



<b>Faculty Recognition/Awards:</b> 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.Y.Rajendra Prasad	Principal College of Pharmaceutical Sciences	Lifetime Achievement award in Pharmacy

**Number of Ph.D's/M.Phils awarded during this period: 01-10-2022 to 31-12-2022**

Sl.No	Name of the College	Ph.D. Awarded	M.Phil. Awarded
01.	College of Arts & Commerce	55	04
02.	College of Science & Technology	47	06
03.	College of Engineering(A)	42	--
04.	College of Pharmaceutical Sciences	17	--
05.	Dr.B.R.Ambedkar, College of Law	05	--
<b>Total</b>		<b>166</b>	<b>10</b>

<b>MoU's Inked between Andhra University and the parties during October 2022 - December 2022</b>	
1.	MoU between National Centre for Coastal Research (NCCR), MOES, Chennai and Andhra University.
2.	MoU between Software Technology Parks of India and AIC STPINEXT INITIATIVES, New Delhi and Andhra University.
3.	MoU between e-Vidya Bharati and e-Aarogya Bharati (e-VBAB) Network Project (Technologically upgraded PAeNP-Phase-I) of Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), Govt. of India between Andhra University, A.P & Telecommunications Consultants India Limited (TCIL), New Delhi
4.	MoU between ONGC New Delhi and Andhra University for Master Planning of Townships and Comprehensive Architectural Services
5.	MoU between (AIILSG) All India Institute of Local Self-Government , Administrative Office, Mumbai and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
6.	MoU between Resolute4IP of LC GC Resolute Group, Hyderabad, Telangana for Promoting IPR Culture in the University and AP state and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
7.	MoU between Garudalytics Private Limited and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
8.	MoU between Biofact Research Private Limited, Gajuwaka,Vsp and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
9.	MoU between Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Limited Visakhapatnam Steel Plant, Visp and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam
10.	MoU between India Meteorological Department (Ministry of Earth Science, Govt. of India) and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam.
11.	MoU between Defence Institute of Psychological Research (DIPR) and Andhra University, Visakhapatnam



### Student Achievements:

Dr.B.R.Ambedkar College of Law, A.U	(1) <b>Mr. Siva Satish</b> , (2) <b>Ms. Krishna Sudha</b> , and (3) <b>Mr. Kalyan Rama Rao</b> , the students of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar College of Law, Andhra University for securing the 'Winner' Position in the Quiz competition conducted by the HPCL, Visakh Refinery in association with District Legal Services Authority and Visakhapatnam Bar Association on the occasion of 73rd National Constitution Day Celebrations
College of Arts & Commerce.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar College of Law, Andhra University students have participated in the Debate competition conducted by the HPCL, Visakh Refinery in association with District Legal Services Authority and Visakhapatnam Bar Association
College of Engineering	<b>Ms. Jahnavi Keerthi</b> , student of AU College of Engineering for securing 'Second' place in 'Athletics – 100 Mts (Women)' and 'Third' place in 'Athletics – 200 Mts (Women)' in Inter – Collegiate Games & Sports at Andhra University
	<b>Mr. Surya Sai Teja</b> , student of AU College of Engineering for securing 'First' place in 'Athletics – Pole Vault (M)' in Inter – Collegiate Games & Sports at Andhra University
	<b>Md. Meherunnisa Begum</b> , student of Dept. of Marine Engineering, AU College of Engineering, representing Andhra Pradesh State for securing 'First' place in 'Sanda Sport – 52 Kgs Category' in Khelo India Women's Wushu League South Zone at Calicut
College of Engineering (W)	<b>Ms. Sai Samhitha</b> , student of College of Engineering for Women, Andhra University for having bagged two silver medals in the 60th National Roller-Skating Championships-2022 at Bengaluru.
College of Pharmaceutical Sciences	<b>Mr. J.V. Lalith Roshan</b> , student of AU College of Pharmaceutical Sciences for securing 'Second' place in 'Athletics – Half Marathon (M)' in Inter – Collegiate Games & Sports at Andhra University
<b>Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof.P.V.G.D. Prasad Reddy encouraged all the students and Congratulated them for making Andhra University proud.</b>	

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(1<sup>st</sup> January, 2023 to 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023) please do mail to [iqac@andhrauniversity.edu.in](mailto:iqac@andhrauniversity.edu.in) or [auiqac2005@gmail.com](mailto:auiqac2005@gmail.com).