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EMBRACING NEW BEGINNINGS: WELCOMING FRESH TALENTS AND CELEBRATING FREEDOM



As the summer sun made way for the monsoon season, July brought a wave of excitement to Gautam Buddha University with the commencement of admissions for the new academic year. This year, we took a significant leap forward by implementing an online registration system, which has proven to be a game-changer for both prospective students and the university administration. The shift to a digital platform not only streamlined the application process but also made it more inclusive and accessible to students from diverse geographical locations. The online system has enabled us to manage applications more efficiently, reduce paperwork, and offer a smoother, more user-friendly experience for our new intake. August was a time of celebration and patriotism as we observed Independence Day with fervour and pride. The event was a vibrant showcase of our students' creativity and cultural enthusiasm, with a series of impressive performances and engaging activities that highlighted the spirit of freedom and unity. The Independence Day celebrations were more than just a commemoration of our nation's freedom; they were a powerful reminder of the values of unity and patriotism that we hold dear. As we reflect on these significant events, we are filled with anticipation for the academic year ahead, eager to build on our successes and embrace the opportunities and challenges that the new term will bring. As we embark on a new academic year, our focus will be on fostering an environment that supports both academic excellence and personal growth. We are committed to enhancing our educational offerings, expanding student engagement opportunities, and continuing to embrace innovative technologies that enrich the learning experience. With a renewed sense of purpose and community spirit, Gautam Buddha University is poised to make this academic year a remarkable journey of discovery, achievement, and collective progress. We invite all members of our university family to join us in this exciting chapter, as together we strive to reach new heights and contribute meaningfully to our shared goals.



NCC cadet Ekta Singh

NCC Cadet Ekta Singh Participates in Rock Climbing and Training Camp (RCTC): Ekta Singh, an NCC cadet from Gautam Buddha University, participated in the Rock Climbing and Training Camp (RCTC) held in Pithoragarh, Uttarakhand. The camp commenced on June 26, and continued till July 1. There were various challenges and training sessions in the camp. Ekta Singh was selected from the senior wing cadets of various colleges and universities under the 31 UP Girls Battalion. She was the only cadet from the senior wing representing the 31 UP Girls Battalion. The purpose of this camp was to train cadets in the intricacies of mountaineering and the physical and mental preparation associated with it.

During the camp, the cadet practiced various rock climbing techniques and participated enthusiastically in all activities. This camp not only provided an opportunity to enhance physical abilities but also served as an important means to strengthen mental resilience and self-confidence. According to Dr. Bhavna Joshi, CTO of Gautam Buddha University, the selection of the cadet for this camp was a matter of pride for the university, and the experience of the camp, held amidst the natural beauty of Pithoragarh, will always remain a valuable memory in the cadet's life.

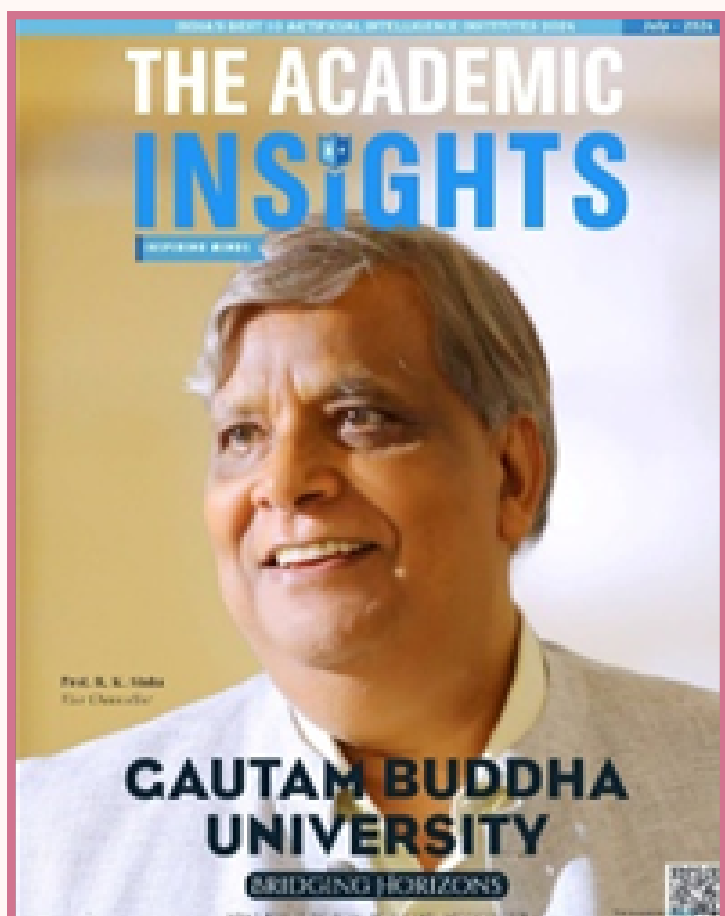


Inauguration of the Hostel Management System Website

Inauguration of the Hostel Management System Website: In the current academic session 2024-25, Gautam Buddha University has introduced a new system for newly admitted students to select and complete the hostel room allocation process from the comfort of their homes, based on a first-come, first-served basis. To implement this system effectively, an Online Hostel Management System has been launched. This system has been developed entirely by the students of Gautam Buddha University. The online hostel management system, created by B.Tech students Abhay Srivastava and Prashant Tiwari under the GBU Internship program initiated last year, was inaugurated on July 22 by the Honourable Vice-Chancellor, Professor Ravindra Kumar Sinha. The event was attended by Registrar Dr. Vishwas Tripathi, Dean Students Affair Dr. Manmohan Singh Shishodia, Chief Male Hostel Warden Dr. Shubhojit Banerjee, Chief Female Hostel Warden Dr. Vidushi Sharma, Deputy Registrar Dr. K.K. Dwivedi, and Corporate Cell Director Dr. Vinay Litoria.

On this occasion, the team that developed the Online Hostel Management System gave a demonstration of the system. Explaining the

system, they stated that new students will be able to complete their online registration with minimal information. The remaining details will be automatically retrieved by the system from the information provided during admission. Not only will hostel allocation be done from home, but all forms required at the time of admission will be auto generated, and their PDF copies will be available on the students' dashboards. Students can print these auto-generated forms and directly come to hostel to obtain the room key from the hostel office. During the event, Vice-Chancellor Professor Ravindra Kumar Sinha praised the system created by the students and encouraged them for more innovative contribution.



Gautam Buddha University Secures Prestigious Third Position in AI Institutions Ranking in India: Gautam Buddha University has been recognized as one of the top institutions in India for artificial intelligence

(AI) education, owing to its commitment to excellence in education and innovation. According to the latest survey conducted by Education Insight magazine last year, Gautam Buddha University achieved a distinguished third position in the ranking of the best AI institutions in India.

The Education Insight magazine survey evaluates institutions based on various parameters including academic reputation, research output, industry collaboration, and infrastructure. Gautam Buddha university's significant contribution to the field of AI education, strong curriculum, dedicated faculty, and state-of-the-art facilities were noted as key factors contributing to its high ranking.

Vice-Chancellor Professor Ravindra Kumar Sinha, expressed happiness over this achievement and emphasized the university's ongoing efforts to promote a conducive environment for cutting-edge research and development in AI. He credited the success to the collective efforts of the faculty, students, and administrative staff, who have consistently striven for excellence in teaching and research.

Participation of Vice Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha: On July 29, Vice Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha participated as a member in the Governing Board meeting of the Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics. Later, on August 6, he participated in the Council meeting at the same center.

Registration of Students: The semester registration process for the existing students took place on July 29 and 30 in different departments and hostels of the university. Their classes commenced on July 31.

Online Registration of New Students at the University: The registration of new students in various departments and hostels was completed online on August 1st and 2nd, and their classes commenced on August 8th.

The orientation and induction program



Glimpses of orientation and induction programme



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orientation and induction program for newly admitted students for the academic session 2024-25 was held on August 6th and 7th. Approximately 2,500 students participated in the program. On the first day, the chief guest was Mr. Babloo Kumar, Additional Commissioner of Police, Gautam Budh Nagar, and on the second day, Dr. Rajendra Singh, the Ramon Magsaysay Award recipient and India's Water Man, graced the event.

Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha introduced the students to the university's vision and stated that the mission of the university is to achieve global excellence in research. While addressing the new students he focused on achieving excellence in their lives and overall character development. Registrar Dr. Vishwas Tripathi discussed the concerns and main expectations of new students and provided insights into the university environment, including various support systems that are available to them. Dean Academics Prof. N.P. Malkenia familiarized the students with the university's faculty members, various academic and administrative committees and resources.

Mr. Babloo Kumar shared his experiences with the students during his speech, emphasizing that this is the time for the students to dream and set goals. He encouraged students to strive to excel in their chosen field of study to achieve success. He highlighted the importance of both skill learning and communication skills and advised students to engage in sports, cultural activities, and yoga. He also reminded them that true heroes emerge after overcoming adversities, advising them not to give up and to focus on productivity rather than perfection. He encouraged students to aim for high standards but not to get stuck if perfection is not achieved; to maintain a competitive spirit, and yet to work in a spirit of cooperation with others.

Dr. Rajendra Singh delivered a motivational talk on Climate Change Crisis through Tarun Bharat Sangh's Experiences. He differentiated between education and knowledge, stating that education is acquired through hard work and may be limited to a degree, while knowledge is awakened when a student's inner self is stirred and their imagination begins to materialize. He emphasized that the inner self motivates one to achieve goals, and while teachers can guide, the drive to succeed must come from within oneself. Dr. Singh also addressed the issue of global warming. He stated that we must make advancements to achieve both spiritual and material gain. He remarked on the traditional significance of water, women, and rivers in India and emphasized that protecting and nurturing these elements would elevate India to the position of world leader. He stressed that touching upon Indian knowledge traditions and engaging with our earth and nature is essential for awakening and experiencing both knowledge and joy.

Regarding water conservation, he shared that he learnt the lesson from Mangu Kaka. Using the song "Baadal to Aate the Par Barsate Nahin the Wo / Par Rooth Kar Chale Jaate Hain Kahaan / Mujhe Nahin Maloom" he illustrated that while this song was relevant in 1980, it has changed today due to our knowledge in water conservation. He explained that nature teaches us to collect and store raindrops, while education teaches us to nourish every drop. He highlighted that India has now built 14,800 dams and that small efforts can lead to achieving goals. He concluded that the solution to global warming must start locally.

In the evening of the first day, Anjana Welfare Society organized a cultural program. Kathak Artist Ms. Maya Kulshreshtha delivered a speech in which she explained the nuances of kathak as an art form. It was followed by a Kathak dance performance by Ananya Arora and Anshika Jain. All teaching and non-teaching staff of the university were present during these two days program.





During induction and orientation programme in School of Management

Induction and Orientation Programs in Various Schools: On August 8th, the university held separate induction and orientation programs in various schools, including the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, School of Buddhist Studies and Civilization, School of Management, School of Engineering, School of ICT, School of Law, Justice, and Governance, School of Biotechnology, and School of Vocational Studies and Applied Sciences. The newly admitted students participated in these programs with great enthusiasm.



Disability Certificate Distribution Camp with Dr. Anand Pratap Singh & Dr. Puja Kumari, Dr. Shipra Sharma, Ms. Pragati Ganotra and Others

Distribution of Disability Certificates for Children with Disabilities: On August 9th, under the guidance of the District Magistrate of Greater Noida and the direction of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha, a mental health camp was organized at Jewar Tehsil by the Department of Psychology and Mental Health of Gautam Buddha University. This initiative was part of the Uttar Pradesh government's Integrated Education Campaign aimed at fulfilling the objectives of comprehensive education for children with disabilities.

The camp involved medical examinations of children with disabilities, conducted with the assistance of faculty members and trainees from the department. Disability certificates were issued in collaboration with the CMO Office, Gautam Budh Nagar. A total of 53 disabled children and their families participated in the camp, and appropriate certificates were issued to them.

As a result of this camp, the children with disabilities and their family members will now be able to fully benefit from various government schemes. The camp was organized under the leadership of Dean, SOHSS Prof. Bandana Pandey and Head of the Department of Psychology and Mental health Dr. Anand Pratap Singh, with support from faculty members Dr. Puja Kumari, Dr. Shipra Sharma, and Ms. Pragati Ganotra, along with all trainees. All potential beneficiaries were contacted and invited through BRC Jewar.

Dr. Anand Pratap Singh, Head of the Department of Psychology and Mental Health, emphasized the need for organizing such welfare camps in the future to continue supporting the community.





Kakori Train Action Ceremony

Kakori Train Action Ceremony: On 9th August, Kakori Train Action Ceremony was organized in Gautam Buddha University by National Service Scheme (NSS) coordinator Dr. Jai Prakash Moyal. Dr. Moyal provided an in-depth discussion on the Kakori Train Action, highlighting its significance and historical context. Following this, on August 10, the NSS unit of Gautam Buddha University, Gautam Budh Nagar, U.P., conducted another Kakori Train Action Ceremony, with program officers Dr. J.P. Moyal and Dr. Naveen Kumar overseeing the event. The program saw active participation from numerous NSS volunteers who engaged in detailed discussions on the involvement of the Indian populace in the freedom struggle, the ideologies of revolutionary and non-violent groups, and the contributions of freedom fighters.

Volunteers were informed about the role and sacrifices of freedom fighters, and they prepared and displayed posters related to the topic during the program. Most students were already familiar with the subject, and they participated in the event with great enthusiasm. Additionally, a rally was conducted by the volunteers, during which they highlighted the importance of the Kakori Train Action and the commendable efforts of our freedom fighters. Program coordinator

Dr. Jay Prakash Moyal, and all program officers, including Dr. Naveen Kumar, Dr. Siddharamu, Dr. Ajay Kansal, and Dr. Alpa Yadav were present in the event.



From left: Student Shikha, writer Ms. Anamika, student Deepika, Dr. Renu Yadav

Educational Excursion: On August 11, the students of the B. A (Honors) Hindi program from the Department of Indian Languages and Literature had the opportunity to meet the renowned poet and writer Ms. Anamika as part of their educational excursion. During this meeting, the students asked questions about women's rights, the role of realism and imagination in writing, and various aspects related to the works included in their curriculum. Ms. Anamika provided insightful responses to the queries of the students and clarified their doubts and enriched their understanding.





The team of ITPI experts, along with Dr. Kirti Pal, Dean of the School of Engineering, Dr. Nirmita Mehrotra and others

Visit of ITPI Experts: On August 12, a team of experts from the Institute of Town Planners, India (ITPI) visited the Urban and Regional Planning Department of Gautam Buddha University for a continuous assessment project. The experts, Mr. R. Srinivasa, Retired Town Planner, Delhi, and Mr. Raj Kumar Udayan, Town Planner, Lucknow, inspected the department. During the inspection, the ITPI experts engaged in detailed discussions with both students and faculty members, reviewed various student projects, and shared several useful ideas aimed at promoting the department's development and enhancing its academic and research capabilities. They emphasized the importance of collaboration to achieve academic excellence and assured continuous support to the department. On this occasion, Dr. Vishwas Tripathi, Registrar, Gautam Buddha University, stated that this inspection was a milestone for this department. The suggestions and support from ITPI experts will undoubtedly pave the way for new opportunities and progress.

Dr. Kirti Pal, Dean of the School of Engineering, praised the visiting team and emphasized the role that this visit will play in the department's development, saying, "The insights and recommendations from ITPI experts are invaluable for our continuous growth and improvement."

The Head of the Department, Dr. Nirmita Mehrotra, along with faculty members Dr. Asha Pandey, Dr. Shobharam, Dr. Prakash Dilare, Mr. Alok Verma, Mr. Gaurav, Mr. Ashok, Ms. Madhuri Agarwal, Mr. Anant Singh, Mr. Rajesh Kumar, as well as students from the department, participated in a discussion with the experts.



Students and faculty members of the Department of Social Work during educational trip

Social Work Department Students Undertake Educational Trip: On August 13, students from the Department of Social Work visited the NGO C3 - Collaborate to Create Change' as part of their 'Orientation Visit' program. On this occasion, C3's associate, Ms. Rita Singh, presented the NGO's entire work to the students and answered their various questions. To gain a better understanding of the NGO's work, the students also visited Higher Primary School in Sirsa, and met with its teachers. During this visit, the faculty members of the Department of Social Work, including Dr. Siddharamu, Dr. Rahul Kapoor, and Mr. Navneet Singh were present.





Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha with the members of Anti-Ragging Committee

Anti-Ragging Committee Organized Awareness and Prevention Program:

From August 12 to August 18, the Anti-Ragging Committee of Gautam Buddha University conducted a week-long program focused on awareness and prevention of ragging in the campus. On August 14, an event was organised by this committee. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha, in his presidential address during the event, emphasized his commitment to creating a safe and inclusive environment at the university, highlighting that it is a significant step in the university's progress. Dr. Manmohan Singh Shishodia, Dean of Student Affairs, praised the Anti-Ragging Committee for its efforts in providing immediate assistance in case of need and ensuring student safety.

Dr. Rama Sharma, Chairperson of the Anti-Ragging Committee and coordinator of the event, highlighted the purpose of celebrating Anti-Ragging Week and raised awareness among students. On this occasion, Khushi Sharma, a student from the School of Law Justice and Governance, performed a beautiful poetry recitation, and Vaishali Sharma, a student from the school of Humanities and Social Sciences, Department of English, presented an outstanding mono act. Additionally, students from the School of Law presented an excellent and enlightening play. On August 18, winners of the poster-making

and slogan-making competitions organized by the committee were awarded. Committee members also visited hostels to raise awareness among students.



From left Dr. Priyanka Singh, Dr. Bipasha Som and Dr. Manmohan Singh Shishodia



Glimpses of Orientation Program and Establishment of Political Science Club

Political Science Club: On 13th and 14th August, Department of Political Science and International Relations organised an event on the occasion of India's 78th Independence Day. The event comprised of various competitions like elocution, poetry, poster making, badge making etc. The B.A Final year students of the department launched a Political Science Club on this day. The Dean of SoHSS, Prof. Bandana Pandey appreciated the entire team including students and gave her wishes for this initiative. The students expressed their gratitude to the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. R K Sinha, for always extending his valuable guidance and support to the Department. The Head of the Department, Dr. Akshay Kumar Singh, and all faculty members applauded the foundation of the Political Science Club. The Club will come up with more creative ideas and events in the coming days.

Grand Presentation of Folk Dance on Independence Day



Glimpses of folk dance on the occasion of Independence Day programme

Grand Presentation of Folk Dance on Independence Day: On, 14th August, on the eve of Independence Day, a grand programme of folk dance was organized in the campus. The event was jointly organized by the Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR) Zonal Office (North) and S.G.K. Sanskritik kala Samiti. The program featured Mr. Murarilal Tiwari and his group from Mathura, who showcased various forms of folk dance, along with Krishna Leela, and the Tarang Dance Studio from Faridabad, which presented a Kathak performance. The performances captivated everyone. All the teachers, non-teaching staff, and students present at the gathering were filled with joy and enthusiasm.

Memorandum of Understanding with USAI:

On August 14, a significant Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between Gautam Buddha University and the United States Artificial Intelligence Institute (USAI). Under this partnership, USAI's world-renowned Artificial Intelligence (AI) certification and training programs will be introduced in Gautam Buddha University's campus. This partnership aims to revolutionize AI education and empower students with cutting-edge skills to excel in the dynamic global job market. The collaboration will bring together the expertise of USAI® and the academic excellence of GBU to offer industry-relevant AI certification programs and training to the university's students.



During Har Ghar Tiranga Ghar Ghar Tiranga rally

Har Ghar Tiranga, Ghar-Ghar Tiranga Campaign: On August 14-15, NSS volunteers from GBU organized a vibrant rally on the campus as part of the "Har Ghar Tiranga, Ghar-Ghar Tiranga" campaign. The rally was aimed at fostering a sense of national pride and unity by encouraging participation in this patriotic initiative. On August 14, the volunteers also took part in Anti-Ragging Day, where they educated newly admitted students about the role of the anti-ragging committee and emphasized that GBU is a ragging-free campus.

The event was graced by the presence of the Vice-Chancellor, Professor Ravindra Kumar Sinha, who praised the NSS's involvement in both Anti-Ragging Day and the Tiranga campaign. The efforts of the volunteers were further supported and encouraged by the program coordinator Dr. Jay Prakash Moyal and program officers Dr. Naveen Kumar, Dr. Ajay Kansal, Dr. Alpa Yadav, and Dr. Vibhavari. Their dedication helped make the event a success, highlighting the commitment of GBU to both student welfare and national cause.



Tri colour food

Tri color Meal Arrangement at the Hostel Mess on the 78th Independence Day: On the occasion of the 78th Independence Day, tri coloured themed meals were served in the hostel which filled the students with joy and satisfaction.



78th Independence Day at Gautam Buddha University



Glimpses of the 78th Independence Day Celebration

THE 78th Independence Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Gautam Buddha University. Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha, hoisted the flag and addressed the gathering. He highlighted that in 1947, our country could begin a new era as a free nation because of the sacrifice of our freedom fighters. He emphasized that we must pay tribute to the freedom fighters who sacrificed their lives for the country.

Prof. Sinha also highlighted the university's activities and achievements. He mentioned important points like increase in student admissions, new appointments, and the university's growing reputation at national and international levels due to advancements in Artificial Intelligence, sustainable development, and research publications. He also highlighted the university's agreements and collaborations with other institutions.

Registrar, Dr. Vishwas Tripathi, recalled the sacrifice of the country's martyrs using the lines from Makhanlal Chaturvedi's poem "Mujhe tod lena vanmaali us path par tum dena phenk, maatri-bhoomi ko sheesh chadhane jis path jaaven veer anek." Dr. Tripathi also appreciated different committees of the university for their working style and active participation in various programmes. During the event, students took part in cultural performances like singing and playing instrumental music, and NCC cadets performed a march past.





Students & Faculty members from the Department of Education and Training in NCTE's Third Foundation Day Ceremony

Participation of students from the Department of Education and Training in NCTE's Third Foundation Day Ceremony:

On August 17, the third foundation day of NCTE was celebrated with great enthusiasm at the Kaushal Bhawan in Delhi. The chief guest for the event was Shri Jayant Chaudhary, honourable Minister of State, Government of India. The event saw participation from prestigious institutions selected by NCTE, including a captivating performance of Ganesh Vandana and Gujarati folk dance by the students of the Education and Training Department, Gautam Buddha University. Additionally, Ms. Amrita Sharma, a student from ITEP, shared her experiences related to her coursework. Dr. Rakesh Kumar Srivastava, Head of the Department of Education and Training, faculty members Dr. Shruti Kanwar and Dr. Vaishali were also present on the occasion.



Webinar on 'Understanding school social work: Charting the roadmap in the context of NEP Guidelines'

Webinar organised by Department of Social Work: The Department of Social Work, Gautam Buddha University organised a webinar titled, 'Understanding school social work: Charting the roadmap in the context of NEP Guidelines' in association with National Association of Professional Social Workers in India on 20th August as part of observing the 5th National Social Work Week from 15th - 21st August.

The Webinar was attended by Vice Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha, who welcomed the guest of honour Prof. Keshav Walke, Head, Matru Sewa Sangh Institute of Social Work and the key note speaker Ms. Seema Banerjee, Senior Teacher and School Social Worker, Laxman Public School, Hauz Khas.

The webinar was organised under the leadership of Prof. Bandana Pandey, Dean, SOHSS, who thanked Prof. Keshav Walke and Ms. Seema Banerjee for their address to the students.

In the chain of activities planned for the National Social Work Week, the students of Department of Social Work, GBU also organized a cloth distribution drive and distributed clothes to people living in nearby slums and also to the cleaning and housekeeping staff of GBU. Registrar, Dr. Vishwas Tripathi appreciated this noble initiative of students and encouraged them to take up more social work activities in the university.

The faculty members of the Department of Social Work Dr. Siddaramu, Dr. Rahul Kapoor, Mr. Navneet Singh, Ms. Akanksha Tiwari and Ms. Pooja Verma were also present during the distribution drive.

Uttar Pradesh Police Recruitment and Promotion Board Examination : Gautam Buddha University was chosen as one of the examination centres for Uttar Pradesh Police Recruitment and Promotion Board Examination conducted in the month of August. The exam was successfully held in the campus on August 23-25, 30 and 31.



On August 20, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha met with the Honorable Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh and Chancellor of Gautam Buddha University Yogi Adityanath at UP Sadan, Delhi to provide an update on the ongoing activities at the university. During their discussion, Prof. Sinha highlighted the key developments and ongoing projects of GBU.



On August 31st, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ravindra Kumar Sinha met with Sh. Nand Gopal Nandi, Honorable Minister of Uttar Pradesh, along with Dr. Vishwas Tripathi and Dr. Vivek Mishra, to provide an update on the ongoing activities at the university. During their discussion, Prof. Sinha highlighted the key developments and ongoing projects of GBU.

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Krishna Janmashtami celebration: On the occasion of Krishna Janmashtami, various programmes were organised in different girl's hostels of Gautam buddha university on 26th and 27th August.



Dr. Vibhavari receiving the 'Rajendra Yadav Hans Award 2024'

Awards/Honors: In the April 2024 issue of the renowned Hindi literary magazine 'Hans,' an article titled 'Representation of Dalit in Cinema' was published by Dr. Vibhavari from the Department of Indian Languages and Literature. For this, she was awarded the 'Rajendra Yadav Hans Award 2024'



Dr. Renu Yadav from the Department of Indian Languages and Literature has been announced as the recipient of the 'Shrilal Shukla Smriti IFFCO Yuva Sahitya Samman – 2024' for her book 'Kala Sona' by the Shrilal Shukla Smriti IFFCO Sahitya Samman committee.



Admission: In academic session 2024-25 more than 2,700 students have taken admission in Gautam Buddha University so far.



Ph.D.: In the months of July-August, the following researchers were awarded their Ph.D. degrees: Pandita and Rajesh Kumar Rai from the Department of Buddhist Studies and Civilization; Shalini Johar and Trishala Bhaskar from the Department of Education and Training, and Mukhtar Ahmad and Farida Ali from the School of Management.



Projects:

Dr. Rekha Puriya and Dr. Vikrant Nain from the School of Biotechnology received the project titled "Development of Penicillin-Resistant *Candida auris* Prototype in *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* through Synthetic Biology" from CSIR under ASPIRE.

Dr. Vandana Singh from the Department of Applied Chemistry and Dr. Asha Pandey from the Department of Environmental Science were awarded the project titled "Degradation of Wastewater Pollutants by Zeolite Encapsulated Metal Nanocomposites."

Dr. Barkha Singhal and Dr. Rekha Puriya from the School of Biotechnology at CST-UP received the project titled "Investigating Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET) Hydrolases through Metagenomics for Degradation of PET-Based Plastic Waste from Landfills in Noida and Greater Noida."



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Dr. Vinod Kumar Shanwal

Placement



Gautam Buddha University's Department of Social Work has achieved 100% Placement this year. These students got placements in Breakthrough, Tara Homes, MAQ Software, Triguna, Smile Foundation and Zumax Pvt. Ltd.

- ➔ Adhyan Negi, student of MBA got placement in TDEFI, at a salary package of 15.75LPA.
- ➔ Moumita Das student of B.Tech(EE) and Suyash Patodia student of B.Tech(ECE) got placement in Addverb Technologies at a salary package of 10 LPA.
- ➔ Sahil Bhati and Gauri Singh, students of MBA got placement in Inox Air Pvt Ltd. at a salary package 6 LPA.
- ➔ Nine students of B.Tech (CSE) got placement in Tata Consultancy Services. Apart from this, Schwing Stetter (India) Private Limited, Compliance Quest, Haier India, Lambda Test, Suprajit Engineering, Metaply and Tecquire Solutions Private Limited had conducted campus drive in July-August and 30 more students from various departments got placed through that.



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