



HIGHLIGHTS FROM TRAINING & PLACEMENTS

IBM Chief of Operations Mr.Valdyanathan Iyer inaugurated 1st year B.Tech classes for 2022-23 academic year on 14th November 2022. Mr.Iyer shared inputs on next-generation student's role in developing society, skills relevant for businesses of tomorrow etc. Mr.Shriram,Alumni of CMR University batch of 2021 spoke of his experiences as student at the University and at corporate as an employee.



CXO Conclave was held at CMR University to deliberate on graduating engineers and management graduates' skill sets required for business outcomes, customer expectations. 40 plus CEO, COO, CFO, VP, Directors and Heads of different companies have participated in panel discussions followed by interactions with students.



ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENTS



Sowmya Keshava

From unpaid gigs to The Mustard Tree and more recently, Nilah Advisors, the story of glory of Sowmya Keshava is a true head-turning inspiration for entrepreneurs and dreamers alike. Sowmya, once a Brand Manager, vibrated with enthusiasm while helping her friends curate business ideas. She pivoted her curiosity into a career when she started The Mustard Tree, a strategic consulting brand. In 2022, she was accoladed under "The Top 10 Women Business Consultants" by Women Entrepreneurship India. She sculpted certain innovative mechanisms for businesses to traverse the highly unpredictable market landscape before establishing Nilah Advisors leading a passionate team of cross-disciplined experts who enable elucidative business resolutions for brands brimming with purpose.

ALUMNI SPEAK



Ms.Vandana Kanthraj | B.A LLB (Hons). 2016

The five years I spent in CMR were transformative and gave me both wings to fly, yet roots to be grounded which is important in this profession. It shaped my sensibility as a lawyer and gave me the freedom to design my career path the allowed me to design my career path how I was that this law school is a facilitator and enabler, which is the need of the hour today



Ali Abbas Takkar (2018 batch, CSE)

Opportunities don't happen, you create them" a quote that consists of only six words, yet conveys such a strong meaning. CMRU was an opportunity for me, an institution unlike others where I was taught so many new things, far from the get go. Be it the updated syllabus, the flexibility in choosing your credits, the helpful faculty, or even the initiatives taken towards extra-curricular activities, CMRU is filled with opportunities. Use this opportunity to its fullest; use this opportunity to create more opportunities. If you really wish to achieve something great, use CMRU as a platform to aid you; nothing is impossible.



Aditya Khatokar (2016 batch, ECE)

CMR University is known for the quality of education and recognition of student's talent and encourages them by providing scholarships and rewards. The wide range of courses and diversity provided the flexibility to students to choose their right career path. The students are always supported and guided by the HOD and faculties in academics, projects and internships. The university and dean have always arranged for multiple extra-curricular activities and events for the betterment of students. Overall "CMR University is a great place to pursue our career

DEPARTMENT OF COMMON CORE CURRICULUM.

CMR University Launches the 'Community Service Programme' under its Common Core Curriculum

University takes a lead in making community service compulsory for all its Undergraduate and Postgraduate students

The 'Community Service Programme' (CSP) was launched on 21 September 2022, for all CMRU undergraduate and postgraduate students under the Common Core Curriculum (CCC) from the academic year 2022-23, with a vision to create a culture of community engagement and public service among them.

The Chief Guest for the event was Dr. Tejaswini Ananthkumar - a prominent national politician and social activist. She is the Chairman and Co-founder of Adama Chetana Foundation. The Guest of Honour was Shri K. C. Ramamurthy IPS, Former Member of Parliament, Rajya Sabha and Chairman, CMR Group of Institutions and CMR University. The event was presided by Dr. Sabitha Ramamurthy Chancellor, CMR University. Other prominent personalities present on the occasion included esteemed founders and representatives of Bangalore based NGOs including C.R.Y. - Child Rights & You, Namma Bengaluru Foundation, Sparsha Trust, Vidyananya, FSL India and New Mighty Grace Charitable Trust.



Speaking on the occasion, the Chief Guest Dr. Tejaswini Ananthkumar said, "It is very heartening to see that a new age University like CMRU has taken up community service with such commitment and fervor. This is for the first time that community service is made to be an integral part of the curriculum, where all undergraduate and postgraduate students across all disciplines are mandated to complete a minimum number of volunteering hours as a part of their graduation requirement. I laud this pioneering initiative taken up by CMRU to bring about social transformation."

With a vision "To nurture creative thinkers who will drive positive global change", CMR University strives to ensure that students are equipped with 21st century leadership competencies that are required to thrive in the 'University of Life'. To achieve this vision of CMRU, the Common Core Curriculum (CCC) was designed with the objectives of - Preparing students for a future they do not know, for jobs that do not exist today and for all of life's challenges.

Interlaced with the Programme Core Curriculum, the Common Core Curriculum (CCC) courses are offered to all the students irrespective of the academic programme that they pursue. The Common Core Curriculum (CCC) courses are designed on the foundations of the three main aspects namely - Preparing for Success, Contributing to Society and Knowing Self & Community.

Under the pillar of Contributing to Society, the Community Service Programme (CSP), aims to inculcate empathy among students, develop a love for serving others and be instrumental in



Launching the event, Dr. Tristha Ramamurthy (Vice Chancellor, CMR University) said, "CMR University is dedicated to helping students become the best versions of themselves while simultaneously striving to make the world a better place. We firmly believe that learning through service is an effective educational tool, which will create empathetic leaders of tomorrow who will not only be leaders but become community builders with a problem solving approach. This academic year CMRU aims to complete over 100,000 hours of community service."

UNLEASH INNOVATION CHALLENGE

CMRU students and 2 Faculty members have been selected among 1,000 international participants from over 172 countries as Global Talents for the Unleash Global Innovation Challenge.

The Global Innovation Challenge will be held at the Infosys Campus, Mysore in December 2022. The event will gather 1,000 young talents to develop innovative solutions in line with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

Being successful in the event would not only place CMR University and the team on a global platform but also earn us all an endowment for the selected project. We wish our team Good Luck!

(Note: UNLEASH is a non-profit organization in Denmark with a mission to accelerate positive change toward the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by mobilizing young talented people in community leadership, problem-solving, and launching social and environmental solutions.)

*List of selected participants for UNLEASH

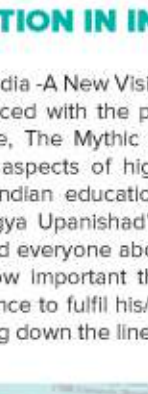
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2. MOHAMMED OMER (SOET-BTech ECE-Sem II-Batch 2021-25)-SHIRLEY ELIZABETH MATHEW (Faculty - Design Thinking Facilitator, DCCC)
3. PUTTAM REDDY LIKITH (SOET-BTech ECE-Sem II-Batch 2021-25)
4. VINDHYA UMADATHY (Faculty/Design Thinking Lead, DCCC)



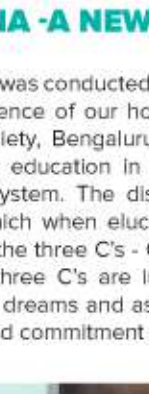
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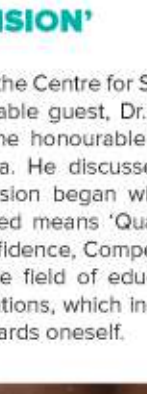
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SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND COMMERCE.

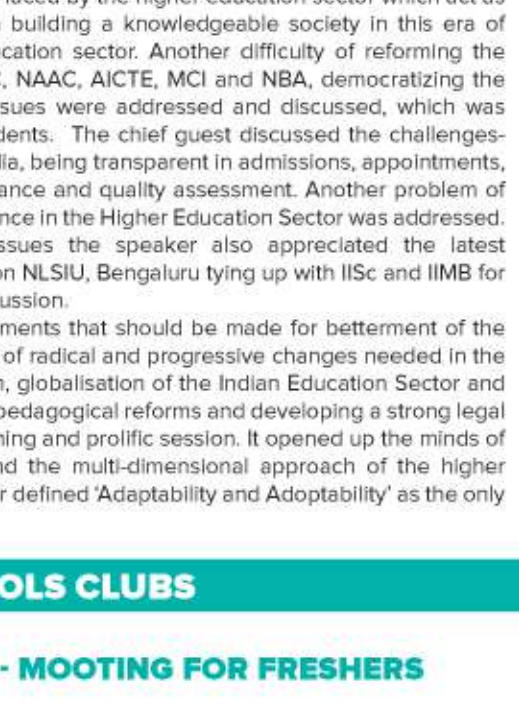
At the School of Economics and Commerce, we organise various club events and activities to provide a perfect balance of academics, sports, artistic and social opportunities. The main aim is in the holistic development of children and to empower them to take up challenging future roles once they step out of CMR University. In order to fulfil this aim CMR university started partnership with TCS for the B Com (Industry Integrated) program. TCS will offer 9 courses that will be integrated into the program. TCS will also be conducting the Train the Trainer program for our faculty members. SOEC aims at overall development of students by providing a realm of opportunities to students.

B.COM

**in Business Process Management
(Industry Integrated) in collaboration with
TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES (TCS)**



BOOKS DISTRIBUTION IN THE SLUMS BY WOW CLUB



SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Visit of Internationally reputed Professor

Prof. Jonathan Wakefield from Huddersfield University, UK visited the SOET campus on 29th August 2022 and addressed students and faculty. The internationally famed visitor appreciated the curriculum design of SOET and the campus collaborations with several prominent industries to boost the academic/research activities. He also assured that his institute will collaborate with CMRU in near future to benefit the students.



INTERACTION WITH DELEGATES FROM UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI PETRONAS, MALAYSIA

The renowned academicians Prof. Dr. Hisham, DVCA Student affairs, Dr. Vijanth, Dr. Ramani and Dr. Maran from Universiti Teknologi Petronas, Malaysia visited our campus and had interactions with all the faculties and students. They shared their knowledge on the current education system and proposed some collaborative ideas with our university with an intent of improvising the research activities.



CELEBRATING THE AMRUTHA MAHOTSAV 75TH YEAR OF INDIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY

The SoET witnessed the landmark event on the 75th year of Independence Day. The Dr. Rubini hoisted the tricolor flag and delivered the speech about the freedom struggle and also insisted the faculties to contribute in their own ways to the reputation of our country.



SCHOOL OF LEGAL STUDIES.

CENTRE FOR STUDIES ON NEW INDIA 'HIGHER EDUCATION IN INDIA -A NEW VISION'

The lecture on 'Higher Education in India -A New Vision' was conducted by the Centre for Studies on New India. This session was graced with the presence of our honorable guest, Dr. Vithal Potdar, a Senior Research Associate, The Mythic Society, Bengaluru. The honourable guest speaker spoke about the different aspects of higher education in India. He discussed the progress and backlogs under the Indian education system. The discussion began with the exaggeration of the term 'Chandogya Upanishad' which when elucidated means 'Quality in Education'. The guest speaker briefed everyone about the three C's - Confidence, Competence and Commitment. He articulated how important the three C's are in the field of education. Education begins with one's confidence to fulfil his/her dreams and aspirations, which includes competence with all the peers coming down the line, and commitment towards oneself.

The speaker shed light on how the higher education sector needs a multi-dimensional approach to bring in reformations. The higher education sector has different stakeholders: teachers, students, management, government, corporate world and society which perform their respective roles. The speaker addressed different issues faced by the higher education sector which act as hindrances. First issue being the difficulty in building a knowledgeable society in this era of privatisation and globalisation of higher education sector. Another difficulty of reforming the Indian Universities Act, 1904, regulating UGC, NAAC, AICTE, MCI and NBA, democratizing the Indian Education System, and many more issues were addressed and discussed, which was followed by a fruitful interaction with the students. The chief guest discussed the challenges such as introducing Foreign Universities in India, being transparent in admissions, appointments, examination process, promising quality assurance and quality assessment. Another problem of rewarding the researchers, corporate governance in the Higher Education Sector was addressed. After briefing about the challenges and issues the speaker also appreciated the latest research in which he focused the most on NLSIU, Bengaluru tying up with IISc and IIMB for research for which the floor was open for discussion.

The guest speaker suggested some developments that should be made for betterment of the education sector such as having a new vision of radical and progressive changes needed in the HEIs, development of an integrative approach, globalisation of the Indian Education Sector and keeping up with the global standards, bringing in pedagogical reforms and developing a strong legal framework for the HEIs. It was a very enlightening and prolific session. It opened up the minds of the participants and helped them understand the multi-dimensional approach of the higher education sector. In the end, the guest speaker defined 'Adaptability and Adoptability' as the only need of the hour.

CMRU SOLS CLUBS

MOOT COURT SOCIETY - MOOTING FOR FRESHERS

The session on mooting for freshers were conducted in two sessions. The first session took place on 13th September 2022 by Adv. Susanna George and the second session was conducted Adv. Vandana Kanthraj on 23rd September 2022. The primary focus of both the sessions was to give a brief about mooting to freshers.

The first session by Adv. Susanna George dealt with the concept and significance of mooting, fundamental components of mooting (Skills required, etc.), cultivating research and memorial drafting skills and basics of argumentation. The session was very informative and interesting. In the first session the resource person talked about the importance of mooting and also her experience of mooting.

The second session conducted by Adv. Vandana Kanthraj dealt with the aspects of drafting memorial, language and formatting and oral argumentation structuring and court manners. In the session the resource person showed the sample memorial prepared by her during her mooting years and explained on how to go about with mooting. The significance of understanding the moot problem was also covered during the session and the audience was also enriched with her own mooting experience that she shared. Along with that court etiquettes and articulation of oral arguments were also discussed in detail.

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

The students got together and organized a cultural event called Chilpili which owing to its meaning, was very cheerful and fun event. The show was hosted by Joyel Thomas and Priyanka who are students of the first year and the second year respectively. There were many memorable and energetic performances given by the students, such as dances, singing, plays and even stand-up comedy etc. Some of our alumni had also recorded and sent their performances which was screened during the event. One of the main highlights includes a short dance video done by three of our faculty.

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