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NFSU DELHI CAMPUS

The National Forensic Sciences University (NFSU) Delhi Campus is a prominent institution in forensic sciences education. Established in 2020 under the Ministry of Home Affairs, it traces its origins to the Institute of Criminology and Forensic Science (ICFS) founded in 1972. NFSU Delhi has expanded its academic offerings, providing Graduation and Masters Programs in disciplines like Forensic Science, Cyber Security, Law & Justice, Forensic & Management, and various other fields. As part of the larger NFSU network, the Delhi Campus stands among seven campuses spread across India, with an additional international campus situated in Uganda. This extensive network allows NFSU to cater to a diverse student body of over 5,000.

NFSU focuses on academic interdisciplinary fields, including forensic sciences, criminology, law& justice, management, cyber security, etc. This comprehensive approach ensures students develop a deep understanding of the complex relationships between these disciplines. By staying abreast of the latest developments and emerging technologies in the field, it ensures that its graduates and scholars are well-prepared to meet the challenges posed by the dynamic landscape of Forensic sciences, Criminology, Law & Justice and of various other fields. In addition to academics, NFSU Delhi provides specialized training to government officials, law enforcement personnel, banking officials and people from various other sectors. Since its establishment, the institution has trained over 34,000 officers, equipping them with practical skills and knowledge.

NFSU is committed to the practical applications of various fields emphasizing hands-on training and research to the students providing a collaborative space for self discovery. As a leading institution, NFSU Delhi Campus continues to play a vital role in shaping the future of these interdisciplinary fields, both nationally and internationally.



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We introduce the fourth edition of "ITIVRITT" the official newsletter of the National Forensic Sciences University (NFSU), Delhi Campus. At the helm of NFSU Delhi Campus stands a visionary leader, the Vice Chancellor, Padma Shri Awardee Dr. J. M. Vyas, whose profound commitment to excellence and innovation serves as the guiding force behind our endeavors. With foresight and dedication, we envision it as a testament to our shared passion for advancing Forensic Sciences, Criminology, Digital Forensics, Law & Justice, Management, and shaping the future for a better mankind.

Our vision extends beyond the pages of our newsletter, permeating every facet of the NFSU Delhi Campus. We strive to push the boundaries of forensic sciences education, research, and practice with a focus on fostering a culture of innovation and excellence. Through strategic partnerships, state-of-the-art facilities, a dynamic curriculum, and various training modules, we empower our students, faculties, and various officials to lead the way in addressing the complex challenges of modern crime investigation

This newsletter serves as a testament to our commitment to transparency, communication, and engagement within our community. It will be a platform for sharing updates, accomplishments, and initiatives happening within our campus, as well as opportunities for collaboration and growth. In each edition of our newsletter, you can expect to find articles highlighting the groundbreaking research conducted by our faculty and students, updates on academic programs and events, profiles of distinguished alumni and partners, and insights into the latest developments in the field of forensic sciences.

I extend my sincere appreciation to the whole editorial team for their dedication and hard work in bringing this newsletter to fruition. Their efforts will undoubtedly contribute to fostering a sense of community and pride among all members of the NFSU Delhi Campus family. As we embark on this exciting journey together, I encourage each one of you to actively engage with the newsletter, share your ideas, feedback, and contributions, and continue to uphold the values of excellence, integrity, and collaboration that define NFSU.

PROF. DR. PURVI POKHARIYAL
CAMPUS DIRECTOR

MAJOR EVENTS

As we share a series of significant events that have taken place from July to September, the idea is to bring to your knowledge the initiatives taken by the NFSU, Delhi Campus. The experience has not only enriched our students' academic environment but have also reinforced our commitment to community engagement and professional development. From specialized courses to celebrations of key democratic principles, each event has contributed to our mission of fostering a holistic educational experience. Join us as we highlight these impactful gatherings that underscore our dedication to advancing knowledge and promoting societal well-being.

"Deeksharambh": The Inauguration of new beginnings



The School of Law, Forensic Justice, and Policy Studies at NFSU, Delhi Campus held "Deeksharambh" from July 15-19, 2024, to welcome new students. The inaugural session featured Hon'ble Mr. Kalpesh S. Jhaveri, Mr. Atman Desai, Prof. (Dr.) S.O. Junare, and Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal. Expert sessions were led by Adv. Bhumesh Verma, Prof. (Dr.) Jeet Singh Maan, Prof. (Dr.) Jyoti Dogra Sood, Dr. Deepak Raj Rao, Dr. Neha Tomar, and Dr. Navtika Singh Nautiyal. The program included academic guidance, anti-ragging awareness, wellness activities, drug awareness, and a Delhi tour.

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Empowering Futures: Focusing Student Development and Opportunities



Dr. Haresh Barot, Assistant Dean, School of Management Studies, NFSU, Gandhinagar on August 10th highlighted personality development programs to enhance students' soft skills and growth, along with nationwide campus expansion for better resource access. Sir emphasized strong placement support, internships, new MBA specializations, and the setup of a placement cell at the Delhi campus. Students were also informed about industrial visits and international exposure to prepare them for global careers.

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Creating a Safe Campus: NFSU Delhi's Anti-Ragging Awareness Week



NFSU Delhi celebrated Anti-Ragging Week from August 12-18, 2024 with students from BBA-MBA, M.Sc. DFIS and BBA-LLB showcase their creativity through essay writing, slogans, and posters. A powerful street play by students highlighted the harmful effects of ragging, promoting respect and empathy. Informative sessions with videos and discussions across departments educated participants on the importance of fostering a safe and inclusive environment.

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Pride and Progress: NFSU Delhi Celebrates 78 Years of Freedom



Honouring our heritage and embracing the future "Celebrating 78 years of freedom and unity" at NFSU Delhi Campus. With pride in our hearts and hope for tomorrow, NFSU Delhi Campus marked the beginning of the 78th Independence Day. Campus Director, NFSU, Delhi Campus honors the occasion by hoisting the flag, symbolizing our unity and pride on Independence Day. Students performed in cultural programs on this occasion.

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Mastering Advocacy: NFSU Delhi's Moot Court Skills Workshop



The Moot Court Committee at the School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU, Delhi Campus, on August 22, 2024, hosted an engaging workshop on Mastering Moot Court Skills, having Ms. Ankita Gupta as a guest speaker to lead the session. She is a Judicial Law Clerk at the Supreme Court of India and is working in the Office of the *then* Chief Justice of India. The workshop gave invaluable practical insights into moot court proceedings, thereby enhancing legal acumen and advocacy skills of the students.

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“KALARAV” : The Freshers' Day



The arrival of the new batch at NFSU, Delhi Campus was celebrated on August 28, 2024 with cultural performances, competitions, and activities, beginning with a graceful Ganesh Vandana by the senior students of School of Law, Forensic Justice & Policy Studies. The event was graced by Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha, Prof. (Dr.) Rakhi Agarwal, and Dr. Nirag Dave, who shared inspiring messages and welcomed the students. Titles like Mr. and Ms. Talented, Well-Dressed, Popular, and Fresher were awarded, adding to the joyous celebrations.

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Insights on Risk Assessment and Violence



An expert lecture by Dr. Min-Chieh Jay Lin, Professor in the Department of Criminology at National Chung Cheng University Taiwan, China was organised by the School of Criminology, NFSU, Delhi Campus on September 4, 2024. Dr. Lin focused on risk assessment, intimate partner violence, harassment therapy, and substance abuse treatment.

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Building Foundations : Edging Legal Skills



A client counselling workshop on 'Navigating Client Counselling' was organized by Pro Bono Club, School of Law, Forensic Justice and Policy Studies, NFSU, Delhi Campus on September 6, 2024, by Dr. Navtika Singh Nautiyal, who provided comprehensive insights into the client counseling process.

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Festivities and Fun



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National Forensic Sciences University, Delhi Campus celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi or 'Ganeshotsav' to welcome new beginnings, new challenges and to embrace positive energy on September 7, 2024 with the worship of Lord Ganesh. The festival was observed over a week with regular community rituals and cultural events. Additionally, the campus celebrated the festival of Onam on September 21, 2024 with a showcase of various events, ranging from cultural extravaganza to sports and *chenda melam* were organized by the students. A feast, called 'Sadhya' was also arranged for the students and the faculty members to celebrate the festival in a more authentic and culturally inclined way.

Rights, Protection & Welfare: Understanding Labour Laws



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An online workshop on September 12, 2024 with expert Dr. Shri Kant Malegaonkar on Labour Law was organized by the School of Law, Forensic Justice, and Policy Studies, NFSU, Delhi Campus. The event was coordinated by Dr. Ashish Deshpande.

Hindi Pakhwada: Embracing Language and Cultural Heritage



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In compliance with the guidelines of the Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, the National Forensic Sciences University, Delhi Campus, successfully organized Hindi Pakhwada from September 17-27, 2024. During this event, a number of competitions such as speech-giving, essay-writing and poem-citing were organized. A workshop was also organized for officers and staff, on September 26, 2024. The event's Chief Guest and keynote speaker was Dr. Ganesh Shankar Srivastava, in-charge of the Official Language Section at the National Institute of Health and Family Welfare. Dr. Srivastava provided valuable insights on topics such as "Constitutional Provisions and the Importance of Hindi as the Official Language," "The Use of Hindi in Administrative Work," and "Official Correspondence for the Progressive Use of Hindi."

Moot Court Insights: Mastering Memorials



The Moot Court Committee of the School of Law, Forensic Justice & Policy Studies, NFSU, Delhi Campus, organized a workshop on Memorial Drafting and Oral Argument Skills on September 24, 2024. The guest speaker for the session was Mr. Shreshth Singh Tomar, a distinguished legal practitioner and former associate at Khaitan and Co.

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Empowering Innovation: Smart India Hackathon



Smart India Hackathon (SIH)-2024 was successfully organized by the students of B.Tech - M.Tech CSE, School of Cyber Security and Digital Forensics, NFSU, Delhi Campus on September 26, 2024.

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GDG's 2024-25 Academic Year Kickoff



On September 30, 2024, the Google Developer Group, formerly known as the Google Developer Students' Club, held an information session to launch its activities and outline the plan of action for the 2024-25 academic year. A guest lecture was organized on Cryptocurrency, for the B.Tech - M.Tech CSE, semester IV students of the Department of Cyber Security and Digital Forensics. The resource person for the event was Dr. Bhoopesh Singh Bhatt, Assistant Professor at the Indian Institute of Information Technology, Sonapat.

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TRAINING & COURSES

The National Forensic Sciences University (NFSU) Delhi Campus has consistently delivered exceptional training programs and courses designed to equip participants with specialized skills and knowledge in forensic sciences and allied fields. These initiatives combine theoretical foundations with hands-on practical exposure, fostering a comprehensive learning experience. Participants have benefitted from expert-led sessions, advanced technologies, and real-world case studies, enhancing their expertise in areas such as cyber forensics, forensic accounting, criminal investigation, and more. The campus remains a hub for cutting-edge education and skill development, catering to professionals and students aiming to excel in forensic and investigative sciences.

NFSU-Delhi held a training on Forensic Psychological Profiling



NFSU, Delhi Campus held a training on Forensic Psychological Profiling from July 1-2, 2024. The inauguration was done by Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal and Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha. Sessions were led by Prof. (Dr.) Beulah Shekhar, Prof. (Dr.) Asha Srivastava, Dr. Ranjeetha Kumari, and Dr. Nandita Chaube. Event was coordinated by Dr. Nandita Chaube and Ms. Aastha Gupta.

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Faculty Development Program: “Horizons of Forensic Science Education in India as per NEP”



NFSU-Delhi campus held a training on Forensic Psychological Profiling from July 1-2, 2024. The inauguration featured Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal and Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha. Sessions were led by Prof. (Dr.) Beulah Shekhar, Prof. (Dr.) Asha Srivastava, Dr. Ranjeetha Kumari, and Dr. Nandita Chaube. Event coordination was done by Dr. Nandita Chaube and Ms. Aastha Gupta.

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Forensic Document Examination Course



The NFSU-Delhi Campus conducted a course on Forensic Document Examination from July 1-5, 2024, with participants from PSU, Nationalized Banks, NPCIL, Power Grid Corp., SAIL, and MDNL. The course was inaugurated by Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal and Prof. (Dr.) Meenakshi Sinha. Expert sessions were led by distinguished professionals, while the Valedictory address was given by Prof. (Dr.) Meenakshi Sinha. Coordination was handled by Shri Sanjeev Kumar and Dr. Amrita Das.

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Three-days training on “Collection and Preservation of Digital and Forensic Evidence with New Criminal Laws”



NFSU, Delhi Campus held a three-days training on “Collection and Preservation of Digital and Forensic Evidence with New Criminal Laws” for J&K Police Officers from July 2-4, 2024. Sessions were led by Dr. Col. Inderjit Singh, Dr. Brahm Prakash, Sh. Vijayraghavan, Dr. Deepak Garg, and Dr. Hirak Ranjan Dash. Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha delivered the valedictory address.

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"Criminal Justice and Digital Forensics"



NFSU, Delhi Campus launched its 3rd "Criminal Justice and Digital Forensics" course for Public Prosecutors, held from July 22-26, 2024. This course was sponsored by the Indian Cybercrime Coordination Centre (I4C), the course aims to enhance prosecutors' skills in cybercrime. The inauguration featured insights from Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal, Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha, and I4C's Mr. Mayank Ghildiyal. Topics such as computer fraud, deep fakes, the deep web, and digital evidence forensics were covered by experts including Col. (Dr.) Inderjit Singh and Mr. Vinay Chauhan.

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“Offences Against Women: Application of New Criminal Laws”



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NFSU-Delhi campus held a five-day course, “Offences Against Women: Application of New Criminal Laws,” from July 29 to August 2, 2024. Day 3 featured sessions by Dr. Naresh Kumar, Dr. Deepak Raj Rao, Dr. Brahm Prakash Dahiya, and Dr. Navtika Singh Nautiyal, while Day 4 included a visit to the National Commission for Women. The final day's sessions were led by Ms. Mradul Singh and Prof. M.C. Joshi, with a valedictory address by Prof. (Dr.) Ikramul Haque. Dr. Hunny Matiyani and Ms. Deepanshi Kaur coordinated the program.

Bridging Law and Medicine: Special Course on New Criminal Laws



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NFSU-Delhi campus hosted a two-day “Special Course on New Criminal Laws for Medical Officers from the Delhi Government” on July 30-31, 2024. The course included panel discussions on the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita and Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita, led by experts such as Prof. (Dr.) S.K. Verma, Dr. Trikalagya Tiwari, and Prof. (Dr.) Sanjeev Lalwani. Sessions on forensic evidence collection and a mock trial were also conducted. The program concluded with a valedictory by Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha and was coordinated by Dr. Tanya Chauhan and Mr. Shikhar Gupta.

Connecting Minds: NFSU's Global Forum on Forensic Technology Trends



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NFSU Delhi campus organized a five-day virtual International Faculty Development Program (FDP) from August 1-5 with IAFS titled “The Emerging Technology Trends: Shaping the Future of Forensics.” The event began with an inaugural keynote by Padma Shri Dr. J. M. Vyas, Vice Chancellor, NFSU, followed by a session on “Humanitarian Forensics” by Prof. Duarte Nuno Vieira from the University of Coimbra, Portugal, highlighting its relevance and advancements. The day concluded with a lively Q&A, encouraging deeper exploration of the subject.

Enhancing Skills: NFSU Delhi's 2nd Course on Crime Scene Management



NFSU Delhi campus conducted a 5-day physical training from August 5- 9 on the "2nd Course on Crime Scene Management" for Judiciary members, FSL officers, and Defence personnel. Participants visited labs at NFSU Delhi campus and FSL Rohini, interacting with experts in Crime Scene Management, DNA, Cyber Forensics, and Ballistics. The program concluded with a valedictory address by Prof. (Dr.) Minakshi Sinha, followed by certificate distribution.

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From Courtroom to Lab: NFSU Delhi's Forensic Induction for Judiciary Officers



NFSU Delhi campus conducted a four-day Induction Course on Forensic Science from August 20 - 23 for newly recruited judiciary officers from the Delhi Judicial Academy, inaugurated by Vice Chancellor Padma shri Dr. J.M. Vyas. The course featured expert sessions on forensic topics such as Biology, Serology, Document Examination, DNA Profiling, Cyber Forensics, and Psychological Autopsy. It concluded with polygraph demonstrations and visits to various forensic laboratories, including those for DNA, Ballistics, Toxicology, and Cyber Forensics.

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INSTITUTIONAL VISITS

We are delighted to share the major industrial visits undertaken by National Forensic Sciences University, Delhi campus during July to September 2024. Institutional visits allowed students to peek inside the professional world. Participants had a chance to meet the experts, view real applications of their studies, and get key insights into how things run at the institution, its operations, and its strategy. This experience helped students dive deeper into industry practices, think more critically, and inspired career aspirations. It emphasized experiential learning as a method in the link between theory and practice, motivating participants while preparing them better for work.

Beyond the Classroom: Yakult Danone India Pvt. Ltd. Visit



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The School of Management Studies at NFSU Delhi campus visited Yakult Danone India Pvt. Ltd. in Rai, Haryana, with the BBA-MBA 2024-29 batch. Students found the visit highly informative and insightful. Faculty, staff, and students expressed their gratitude to Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal, Campus Director, for her guidance and support.

Lok Adalat Visit



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On August 9, 2024, the Legal Aid Committee of the school of Law, Forensic Justice, and Policy Studies organized a visit to the Lok Adalat (under the DLSA Act, 1987) at the Rohini District Court. The participants had the honour of meeting Justice O.P. Saini, a highly esteemed figure in the Indian judiciary.

Doordarshan Visit



The students of the BBA -LLB program, V semester, were invited to attend the program 'Apna Mulk Apna Aayeen' at the Doordarshan (Prasar Bharati) Office, Khelgaon, South Delhi, on September 06, 2024.

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National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) Visit



Students of BBA-MBA, V semester were taken to visit the National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC) on September 06, 2024 for a hands-on experience.

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Hands-on-Learning: bridging theory & Practice



NDTL VISIT: Students of M.Sc. Forensic Science Toxicology specialization was taken to the National Dope Testing Laboratory (NDTL) for a visit on September 06, 2024 under the supervision of Dr. Karan Chaudhary.



AUTOPSY VISIT: Students from the M.Sc. Forensic Physics and Ballistics program, along with those specializing in Biotechnology under the M.Sc. Forensic Sciences program, participated in an autopsy visit at Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar Medical College. Two subsequent mortuary visits for the students of M.Sc. Forensic Science Toxicology specialization was organized at Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar Medical College on September 13 and 20, 2024.

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Celebrating Cybersecurity: I4C's Foundation Day Celebration



The Indian Cybercrime Coordination Centre (I4C) celebrated its inaugural foundation day at Vigyan Bhawan on September 10, 2024. Students from the M.Sc. Digital Forensics and Information Security program attended the event, which was centered around the theme of cyber security.

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Youth for Change: NFSU's NSS Community Outreach Initiative



On September 21, 2024 the NSS unit of National Forensic Sciences University, Delhi campus organized a community outreach camp in a nearby slum, focusing on awareness and youth empowerment. Additionally, volunteers performed a Nukkad Natak addressing social issues, aiming to inspire positive change.

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OUR ACHIEVEMENTS

Greenlighted: Green University Award 2023



NFSU-Delhi has been awarded the Green University Award 2023 for its holistic approach to sustainable practices and environmental sustainability. This recognition reflects the university's commitment to instilling eco-conscious values among students. Under the leadership of Prof. (Dr.) Purvi Pokhariyal, NFSU joins an esteemed group of universities dedicated to environmental conservation.

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Victory in Excellence: NCC



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NCC unit of girls have clinched the 1st prize for The Line Area Competition which was held by The Combined Annual Training Camp from September 7-16, 2024.

Elevating Leadership: SUO Tanya Singh was appointed as the Company "Vishwambhara" Senior, 2nd in command Camp Senior, and Social Media Head for the Camp which was held by The Combined Annual Training Camp from September 7-16, 2024.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

M.Sc. Forensic Science student, **Mr. Devansh Tripathi**, under the guidance of Dr. Sweety Sharma, presented a research paper titled "Canine Forensics: An Emerging Field in Forensic Sciences." and was awarded the First Prize at the International Conference on Recent Developments in Forensic Science (ICRDFS-24), hosted by the School of Science, Department of Forensic Science, Sandip University, Nashik, in July 2024.

M.Sc. Forensic Science students, **Ms. Arpita and Mr. Mani Ranjan**, under the guidance of Dr. Sweety Sharma, presented their research paper titled "Towards A National DNA Database: Challenges and Ethical Concerns." Their outstanding work was awarded the First Prize at the International Conference on Recent Developments in Forensic Science (ICRDFS-24) hosted by the School of Science, Department of Forensic Science, Sandip University, Nashik in July 2024.

Mr. Aryan Prem Aggarwal, a student of BBA LLB 3rd year won a gold medal in the 50mts freestyle Swimming competition organized by SWIM FOR INDIA ACADEMY in which participants from 3 countries and 11+ states and 114+ universities participated.

International Conference on Global Criminology and Victimology (ICGCV), August 8-10, 2024, RV University, Bengaluru, India. Presented paper on AN EXPLORATORY STUDY ON BODY IMAGE ISSUE AND ASSOCIATED UNWANTED CONSENSUAL SEX, Presented by **Ms. Rudhika Sathyan**, MSc Clinical Psychology, NFSU, Delhi Campus Along with Gargi Khandwe, NFSU Gandhinagar Under the guidance of Dr. Naphisabet Kharsati.

FACULTY CORNER

The faculty achievements section celebrates the dedication and excellence our teachers have shown throughout the quarter of the year. Through innovative teaching, collaboration, and ongoing professional growth, our educators have enriched our students' learning and upheld the university's mission. This section honors their accomplishments, which strengthen our school community and drive our success.

Prof. Dr. Rakhi Agarwal

- Delivered a talk on “Crime Scene Investigation in Poisoning Cases” on August 6, 2024 during training Course on Crime Scene Management from August 5-9, 2024.
- Delivered Keynote Session on “Investigation of Drug-Facilitated Crimes- Methods, Challenges, and Case Studies during National Conference on “Global Perspectives of Forensic Science.” organized by School of Forensic Sciences, Centurion University of Technology and Management Bhubaneswar Campus, Odisha on September 21, 2024.
- Delivered an online Expert talk on “Analytical Chemistry in Forensic Investigation and Research” at “Evidentia 2.0” on the occasion of National Forensic Science Week-2024 organized by Department of Forensic Science, School of Allied Sciences, Dev Bhoomi Uttarakhand University, Dehradun on September 19, 2024.
- Organised a One Week International Faculty Development Program (Virtual Mode) on “The Emerging Technology Trends: Shaping the Future of Forensics” during August 1-5, 2024 held at National Forensic Sciences University, Delhi Campus.
- Has received a Patents on: Dash, H. R., Agarwal, R. Device for collection and preservation of prophylactic sheath for forensic investigation. Filed on July 11, 2024 to The Controller of Patent, The Patent Office, Govt of India.
- Published a Research articles on: Akanksha Behl, Rakhi Agarwal (2024). Qualitative Chemical Screening of Phenylephrine from Drug Combination: A Forensic Based Approach. International Journal of Medical Toxicology & Legal Medicine; 27: 127-142.
- Invited as Guest of Honour and a Distinguished Alumnus during an Induction Programme to inspire the newly admitted students of School of Chemical & Life Sciences (SCLS); Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi on September 2, 2024.
- Invited as Guest of Honour for the Orientation Program for Forensic Studies Program to inspire the newly admitted students of D. Y. Patil Deemed to be University, Navi Mumbai on August 2, 2024.

Prof. Dr. Deepak Raj Rao

- Delivered a guest lecture on the topic “Cyber and Digital Forensics: Need for Incident Response & Threat Hunting” at 3rd Cyber Security Conference organized by Global Counter Terrorism Council on July 12, 2024 at India Habitat Center, New Delhi.
- Provided consultancy services on Digital Forensics on behalf of NFSU, Delhi Campus, to the CBI in Lucknow.

Dr. Manu Sharma

- Published a research article co authoring with Jyoti Pal and Varsh Chauhan on “Crude extract chemical engineering: Strategy for the library generation of novel.” *Phytochemistry Reviews*, 2024, Aug,1-12. Impact factor: 7.3.

Dr. Vandana Shriharsh

- Participated as one of the Panelists on Suicide Prevention Day on September 12, 2024 at Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi.
- Attended Webinar on Continuing Rehabilitation Education Programme entitled “Management and Strategies for Sensory Integration in Children with Developmental Disabilities” on July 24, 2024 accredited by Composite Regional Centre, Ranchi Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi.

Prof. Dr. Yashwant K Nagle

- Conducted an exam at the pre-PhD (Clinical Psy) Seminar DRC Member at Amity Institute of Behavioural (Health), & Allied Sciences, Amity University, Noida on September 25, 2024.

Dr. Hunny Matiyani

- Presented a paper on “Victims of Hostile Academic Culture : An Assessment of Existing University Policies on the lines of POSH Act, 2013 at the WSV Symposium from September 1-5, 2024 at NFSU, Gandhinagar.
- Conducted a special Lecture with guest speaker Dr. Vibha Hetu Faculty of Northumbria University, Newcastle on Sexual Violence: Responses and Remedies for the Students of B.sc. M.sc. Criminology & Forensic Science and MA Criminology on August 22, 2024.
- Published a research Article on “Gender Dynamics in the World of Criminality: Breaking Stereotypes and Understanding realities, Humanities and Social Sciences Studies” in the Vol. 13, Issue 2, No. 2, July-December 2024, ISSN 2319-829X, Under UGC Care list.
- Published a research Article on “Unveiling the relationship between Online Gambling and Video Gaming: Risk Factor, Behavioral Trends and Effective Approaches” in the *Journal of Foundational Research*, ISSN: 2395-5635, Volume XXXII, No.2 (B): July-December: 2024, Under UGC Care List.

Dr. Mohammed Subhan Attar

- Organized Seminar on “Violence Against Women: Challenges and Remedies” delivered by Dr. Vibha Hetu from Northumbria University, UK.
- Presented a Paper titled “Crime Against Women in Public Transport: A Delhi Based Study” for presentation in the panel at 18th World Symposium on Forensic and Contemporary Perspectives in Victimology and Victim Assistance at National Forensic Sciences University, Gandhinagar, September 1-5, 2024.
- Presented a Paper titled “Meme Culture and Victimization” for presentation in the panel at 18th World Symposium on Forensic and Contemporary Perspectives in Victimology and Victim Assistance at National Forensic Sciences University, Gandhinagar, September 1-5, 2024.
- Authored a paper titled- “CYBER PSYCHOLOGY AND ITS ROLE IN CRIME CONTROL: A COMPREHENSIVE OVERVIEW” in the *Journal of Foundational Research*, ISSN: 2395-5635 Volume XXXII, No. 2 (B) : July-December: 2024
- Authored a paper titled-” EXPLORING CULTURAL VARIATIONS IN SUSCEPTIBILITY TO SOCIAL ENGINEERING: A CROSS-CULTURAL ANALYSIS” In the *Indian Journal of Psychology Book No.03 2024* ISSN: 0019-5553

Dr. Tanya Chauhan

- Delivered Lectures in an Induction Course on Forensic Science for Newly recruited Delhi Judicial officers on August 20, 2024 and August 22, 2024.
- Invited as lecturer in 2nd course on recent Trends in DNA Examination: Advances and Impediments in analysis, report Writing and court Evidence on September 2, 2024.
- Invited as a lecturer in a special course on Forensic Science for Public Prosecutor, Bihar, September 23, 2024.
- Conducted Induction Course on Forensic Science for Newly recruited Delhi Judicial officers from August 20-23, 2024.
- Hosted a visit from CBI Academy on August 28, 2024.
- Hosted visits of MSc Forensic Science 3rd semester and BSc MSc Forensic 7th semester students to B S A Hospital, Rohini Delhi for a Postmortem demonstration on September 6th, 13th, 20, and 27th, 2024.

Dr. Thirupathi Chellapalli

- Hosted a visit of Prof. Haresh Barot, SMS, NFSU, Gandhinagar campus at Delhi to attend orientation program for newly joined faculty members and students on August 8, 2024.
- Hosted academic visits for the School of Management Studies of National Forensic Sciences University, as they visited at Yakult Damone India Private Limited at Rai Industrial area in Haryana, the visit was attended by students of BBA-MBA 2024-29 admitted batch and all found it very informative and insightful.
- Organised an enriching industrial visit to the NSIC facility in Okhla, Delhi. On September 6, 2024, for BBA-MBA (Integrated) V Semester students from NFSU Delhi Campus. This eye-opening trip provided invaluable insights into the world of FMCG manufacturing and the dynamic landscape of start-ups.
- Delivered a session on the “Introduction to Fraud Triangle and Forensic Aspects of Investigation of Economic Offences.” The Delhi Campus of NFSU is hosting a 5-day training course on “Document Examination for CJF” from July 29 to August 2, 2022. A course is designed for functionaries within the Criminal Justice Administration, focusing on enhancing their skills in document examination crucial for effective investigation and prosecution of economic offense.

Dr. Richa Rohatgi

- Served as a Invited co-chair at IAMLECON 2024 organised by AIIMS Jodhpur September 28, 2024.
- Provided lectures at Delhi Police Academy on July 5, 2024.
- Presented a paper as delegate in IAMLECON 2024 at Jodhpur September 28, 2024.
- Attended Mandatory Training Program for Technical Committee Members at NITS Noida on July 3, 2024.
- Attended International Association of Forensic Medicine, Medico-legal and Forensic Science Conference (IAMLECON) at All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) Jodhpur.
- Conducted Case work regarding Fingerprints received from Central Board of Indirect Taxes (CBIC), Govt. of India on Sept ember 11, 2024
- Monika, Taruna Lodhi, Richa Rohatgi and Seema R. Pathak (2024) Biomedical Waste as Environmental Toxicants in Edited Book 1st Ed. Bioremediation of Environmental Toxicants; Taylor and Francis (Sept 2024)
- Sakshi Jatav, Richa Rohatgi, Komal Pal (2024) Instrumentation and Fundamentals to Fluorescence Spectroscopy in Edited book on A Complete Guide to Analytical Techniques in Forensic Sciences; Bentham Publishers (Aug 2024)
- Vandana, Vikash Sharma, Richa Rohatgi (2024) An Analytical Approach for Forensic Comparison of Soil samples in Delhi Region, JFMT, Vol.41, No.01 (SCOPUS)
- Authored a case study in Khabeera P V, Puneet Puri, Richa Rohatgi (2024) on A Close range study of inorganic GSR from Std. 7.65 mm ammunition using physical and instrumental techniques, J-SIMLA , vol 16, No.01 (SCOPUS)
- Published a Case Study by Deepika Dubey, Richa Rohatgi, Seema R Pathak (2024) on Unveiling Digital Documents Manipulation: A case study in Forensic Examination, IJFMT, vol 18, no.02 (SCOPUS)

Dr. Sweety Sharma

- Delivered a Plenary Session on “Enhancing Forensic Investigations with ATR FTIR Spectroscopy- A non-destructive approach to trace evidence analysis” at the International Conference in Recent Developments in Forensic Science ICRDFS-24 conducted by the School of Science Department of Forensic Science, Sandip University, Nashik on July 18-20, 2024.
- Chaired a scientific session at the international conference on forensic science, law, and justice organised by Bennett University, Greater Noida, U.P. from September 26-28, 2024.
- Presented a guest lecture on “Collection, Preservation, and Packaging of Biological Fluids at the Crime Scene” on August 5, 2024, during the 2nd Course on Crime Scene Management (August 5-9, 2024).
- Presented an expert lecture on “Advancement in the Collection, Preservation, and Packaging of Biological Fluids at the Crime Scene” during the 2nd Course on Recent Trends in DNA Examination: Advances and Impediments in Analysis Report Writing and Court Evidence from September 2-6, 2024.
- Conducted an expert lecture on “Crime Scene Management: Legal Issues and Challenges” during the 1st Course on New Criminal Laws: Applications in Criminal Justice Process from September 2-6, 2024.
- Presented a Research paper titled “Towards A National DNA Database: Challenges and Ethical Concerns” at the International Conference on Recent Developments in Forensic Science (ICRDFS-24), hosted by the School of Science, Department of Forensic Science, Sandip University, Nashik (Authors: Mani Ranjan, Arpita Tiwary, and Sweety Sharma).
- Presented a Research paper titled “Canine Forensics: An Emerging Field in Forensic Sciences” at the International Conference on Recent Developments in Forensic Science (ICRDFS-24), organised by the School of Science, Department of Forensic Science, Sandip University, Nashik. (Authors: Devansh Tripathy and Sweety Sharma).
- Authored a book, along with a co-author, titled “Advancement in Body Fluid Analysis in Forensics: Current and Emerging Methods”. This significant work was published by Springer International Publishing AG in September 2024. The book is available with ISBN-10: 3031658035 and ISBN-13: 978-3031658037.
- Published a Research Paper along with other authors entitled “ Forensic discrimination of white architectural paints via ATR FT-IR spectroscopy and chemometrics, Arab Journal of Forensic Sciences & Forensic Medicine (AJFSFM);Vol.6No.SpecialIssue(2024):125-44.Scopus and UGC CARE List DOI, published on July 24, 2024.
- Published a Research Paper along with other authors, on “Current Perspectives in the Forensic Analysis of Timbers using Vibrational Spectroscopy: A Review”. Journal of Wildlife Science, August 01-12, 2024.
- Awarded First Prize In July 2024 for the research paper titled “Towards A National DNA Database: Challenges and Ethical Concerns” at the International Conference on Recent Developments in Forensic Science (ICRDFS-24), hosted by the School of Science, Department of Forensic Science, Sandip University, Nashik.

Dr. Somabha Bandhopadhyay

- Invited as a panellist for Training on Criminal Justice System and LGBTQ Community by Andaman Police Training School, Prothrapur, Andaman, August 26, 2024.
- Invited as a panellist for training on the Interplay of Transgender Persons (Protection of Rights) Act, 2019 and BNS at Discussion by Kolkata Anandam for Equality and Justice, Kolkata, August 11, 2024.
- Presented a Paper titled “Legal Perspective To Forensic Profiling Of Victims Of Emotional Abuses In Marital Relationships” for presentation in the panel at 18th World Symposium on Forensic and Contemporary Perspectives in Victimology and Victim Assistance at National Forensic Sciences University, Gandhinagar, September 1-5, 2024.
- Presented a Paper titled “Violence, Victimization and Human Rights: The Stories from West Bengal” for presentation at 18th World Symposium on Forensic and Contemporary Perspectives in Victimology and Victim Assistance at National Forensic Sciences University, Gandhinagar, September 1-5, 2024.
- Authored a paper titled “Rabindranritya as Traditional Cultural Expression: Advocating Legal Protection of the Traditional Dance form of Bengal”, Sangeet Galaxy, Volume 13 Issue 1, ISSN: 2319 - 9695 (2024). [UGC Care listed].

- Authored a paper titled “Gender: An Elusive issue under International Human Rights Law”, Jindal Forum for International and Economic Law, Volume 2, 2024.
- Attended a Faculty Development Programme organised by Vivekananda University of Professional Studies, Delhi, August 12-23, 2024.
- Served as a member of Peer Review Committee , Journal of Contemporary Law and Society, NUJS, Kolkata.
- Adjudicated a 3rd Intra Mediation Competition organised by Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur, August 31, 2024.
- Attended a training workshop on Mooting at National Law University, Meghalaya, August 20-21, 2024.

Dr. Sudhanshu Mishra

- Facilitated mortuary visit by 22 BS-MS (VII Sem) students from Cyber and Fingerprints and Questioned Document Specialization to the Baba Saheb Ambedkar Hospital, Rohini on September 27, 2024.
- Contributed as reviewer of a scientific manuscript for the Animal Microbiome journal (Springer Nature).
- Contributed as reviewer of a scientific manuscript for the PLoS One journal.

Dr. Raj Maurya

- Had a patent accepted having application number 423108-001.
- Had a book published on Employees Job Satisfaction in Indian Government Universities.

Dr. Abhinash Mishra

- Invited to review a manuscript for The Journal of Supercomputing titled “RHDO: Regressive Hybrid Data Oversampling.”
- Invited to review a manuscript for Scientific Reports titled “Exploring the Efficacy of Deep Neural Networks in the Classification of Ziziphi Spinosae Semen and Ziziphi Mauritiana Semen.”
- Invited to review the manuscript titled "An efficient water quality prediction and assessment method based on the improved DBN-LSTM model".
- Authored a paper, titled "A Comparative Study of Password Strength Prediction using Baseline and Ensemble based Classifiers" was selected for the oral presentation at Third International Conference on Information Security, Privacy and Digital Forensics (ICISPD 2024), which was held at National Institute of Technology Goa on October 18-19, 2024.

Dr. Archana Patel

Published a book titled “AI and Emerging Technologies: Automated Decision-Making, Digital Forensics, and Ethical Considerations”

Dr. Rohit Kanojia

- Published a Research Article in Kanojia R, et al. on the topic Assessment and Analysis of Heavy Metals Present in Vegetables Grown Near , Yamuna River Region: A Review. Int J Forensic Science 2024, 9(3): 000406.

Dr. Ritu Goel

- Had 2 Research Papers accepted in Scopus indexed journal "Some Results of Generalized Entropy Measure and Its application".in Statistics, Optimization & Information Computing Some Results of Entropy-Based Measure of Divergence for Record Statistics in Journal of the Iranian Statistical Society.

Dr. Amrita Kumari Das

- Invited to present at the National Conference on Emerging Trends and Techniques in Forensic Investigations inaugurated at the University of Ladakh, Leh Campus, on July 29, 2024.
- Co-published a book chapter titled "Supply Chain Management: Strategic Implementation in Manufacturing, (1st ed.)"

Ms. Parul Arora

- Attended a Session on Protection of Data and Digital Public Goods at BPR&D on September 02, 2024
- Attended a Expert Talk on Cyber Security Prevention in Special Course on Cyber Security, Forensics and Social Media Analysis for Indian Navy.
- Participated in the Session on Protection of Data and Digital Public Goods at BPR&D on September 02, 2024

Mr. Shikhar Gupta

- Served as a resource person for the "2-Week National Level Online Capacity Building Programme on AI, Technology & Law," jointly organized by NFSU Delhi Campus and Law Teachers India, presenting on the topic: "Comparative Analysis of Global AI Regulations: Lessons for India" on September 22, 2024.
- Acted as a resource person for the "10-Day Online Capacity Building Programme on New Criminal Laws," focusing on the topic: "ICJS & CCTNS," jointly organized by Sambhav Initiative and Pro Bono India.
- Attended a colloquium on "New Teaching Methods in the Age of Artificial Intelligence," focusing on "Generative AI in Higher Education: In Search of a Balancing Act," organized by the School of Law, IILM University, Greater Noida, on September 21, 2024.
- Conducted the "2-Week National Level Online Capacity Building Programme on AI, Technology & Law," jointly organized by NFSU Delhi Campus and Law Teachers India, from September 9 to September 22.
- Coordinated a faculty and student visit (B.B.A.LL.B. Sem 3 & LL.M. Sem 1) to a panel discussion on the DD Urdu program titled "Apna Mulk Apna Aayeen," focusing on "Online Gambling & Gaming," which was later broadcast on DD Urdu on September 20, 2024.
- Delivered a training lecture on "IT Act 2008: An Overview and Introduction to the Draft Digital India Act - 2023" during the Special Course on Cyber Security, Forensics & Social Media Analysis for the Indian Navy from September 23 to September 27, 2024, on September 26, 2024. Resource person for the '10 days Online Capacity Building Programme on New Criminal Laws' for the topic: 'ICJS & CCTNS' jointly organized by Sambhav Initiative & Pro-bono India on 05/07/2024.



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