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With yet another monumental year for the Shiv Nadar University community, the Annual Alumni Magazine carries the name 'Breakthroughs', honoring and highlighting the pioneering achievements of our alumni. Spread across the globe, the magazine is a tribute to the massive strides made by our alumni in various spheres.

In building this record through the magazine, the hard work and chronicling are to be credited to Ms. Anubha Bali and the unwavering dedication that she has put into building the relationships through the magazine. The editorial team, comprising of Ms. Shweta Tayal, Ms. Kritika Vij,

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#### DISTINGUISHED ACCOLADE



# MRS. KIRAN NADAR HONOURED WITH THE PADMA SHRI AWARD IN THE ART CATEGORY

It is with great honor and admiration that we extend our heartfelt congratulations to Mrs. Kiran Nadar, esteemed founder-chairperson of the Kiran Nadar Museum of Art, an international bridge player, and a philanthropist, on being bestowed with the prestigious Padma Shri Award in the Art Category, one of the highest recognitions for Indian civilians committed to making a change in their respective fields. This esteemed recognition stands as a testament to Mrs. Nadar's unwavering commitment to fostering positive change within the sphere of art.

Among a cohort of notable individuals, Mrs. Nadar has been accorded this distinguished accolade in recognition of her invaluable contributions to the preservation and promotion of Indian arts and cultural heritage. Her profound passion and unwavering dedication have served as an inspiring beacon, illuminating the path for the Kiran Nadar Museum of Art to shine ever brighter in the realm of artistic endeavor.

Mrs. Nadar's exceptional achievements and steadfast dedication to enriching our cultural landscape are truly commendable. Her endeavors stand as a beacon of inspiration, uplifting individuals across the nation by leaving an indelible mark.

#### A MESSAGE FROM VICE CHANCELLOR

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"I hope to achieve much more, with the breakthroughs of our alumni at the forefront, and I would like to see this community of graduates grow with our university and achieve the best of their capabilities with leaps and bounds."

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Dr. Ananya Mukherjee Vice-Chancellor, Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence, Delhi NCR





#### FROM THE ALUMNI RELATIONS DESK



#### My Dear Alumni,

We hope you and your loved ones are doing well and keeping good health. In high spirits and pomp, the Convocation Ceremony for the class of 2023 was truly a very momentous occasion. To see the hats in the air signaling new beginnings, it was and is always ethereal to be a part of the experience. Dr. Rohini Godbole gave us a strong and firm message as she addressed the crowd of graduates and parents, to be fearless in our pursuit and remain firm in times of despair, and it really is extremely pleasing to see our alumni preparing to descend into the world and make it their own. It is this confidence in our students and alumni that the team here at Shiv Nadar IoE, faculty, staff and support staff alike, is driven by and is proud to be a part of.

As we usher in fresher batches looking to hone their skills and amass the rich university culture, the team at the Career Development Center would like to show our gratitude and best wishes to the graduating class, to 'seize the day' and make all of us prouder and gleaming with smiles. In this new day and age, it is imperative to honor and respect those who have carved a path for themselves and stood fearless in the face of difficulty, and this edition will highlight all of our alumni who are a league apart, while taking you on a journey of nostalgia and memories as we show you glimpses of our beautiful campus through winter and autumn, stories of your friends, peers or classmates and carry the exemplary mark left by Shiv Nadar IoE alumni. Sending warm regards and best wishes to all.

#### Regards Anubha Bali,

Senior Director, Career Development Center and Alumni Relations Office Managing Director, Atal Incubation Center, Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence

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#### NEWSFLASH

# BBC World News interview with Prof. Partha Chatterjee about India's economic growth

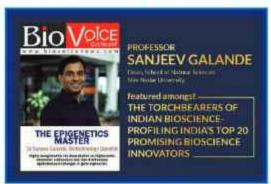


Prof. Partha Chatterjee, Professor and Head, Department of Economics, in a conversation with BBC World News.

"It was a pleasant surprise to see India's economy growing at 6.1% in the one quarter of FY 2022-23 and at 7.2% for the whole year. The good news is manufacturing grew at a healthy rate of 4.1% in the last quarter after contracting in the previous two quarters."

Prof. Partha Chatterjee's research interests are broadly in macroeconomics, international economics, and issues related to emerging economies.

#### India's Promising Bioscience Innovators: Dr. Sanjeev Galande in the Spotlight



Dr. Sanjeev Galande, Dean, School Of Natural Sciences, has been featured in "The Torchbearers Of Indian Bioscience -Profiling India's Top 20 Promising Bioscience Innovators" by Biovoice. Dr. Galande, a renowned cell biologist, epigeneticist, and academic, is the brain behind top chromatin biology and epigenetics laboratories in top Indian research institutes.

The Cover Story focuses on India's Top 20 shining stars of the Indian scientific fraternity and walks us through the exemplary and pioneering efforts of these Indian bio-scientists and innovators in biotech, healthtech, and agritech.

Dr. Galande is well-known for his extensive research on high-

order chromatin architecture and how it influences spatiotemporal gene expression changes.

#### Inspirational Lecture by Nobel Prize Winner Prof. Haroche at University



On a refreshing and crisp Spring morning setting, the campus welcomed the presence of Nobel Laureate Professor Serge Haroche, the distinguished recipient of the 2012 Nobel Prize for Physics.

Professor Haroche commenced his lecture by delving into the origins of quantum research. He took the audience back to the historical collaboration that transpired exactly a century ago in 1923, between the iconic Albert Einstein and the renowned Indian scientist, Satyendra Nath Bose. Professor Haroche emphasized, "This connection between fundamental and applied science paved the way for a new realm of physics known

as atomic interferometry."

The lecture by Professor Haroche was part of a captivating series organized by the Indo-French Centre for the Promotion of Advanced Research (CEFIPRA). Following his lecture, a stimulating panel discussion unfolded, featuring three eminent quantum physicists in India: Professor Urbasi Sinha from the Raman Research Institute, Bengaluru; Professor Umakant Rapol from the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune; and Professor Rajamani Vijayaraghavan from the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai.

As Professor Haroche concluded his address, he emphasized the vital importance of collaborations, especially the organic growth of scientific interests from the ground up. He further highlighted the tremendous potential for Indo-French cooperation in quantum technology and various other research domains.

#### NEWSFLASH

#### Leading the Way: Shiv Nadar IoE's Strong Performance in Global Impact Rankings

In 2023, Shiv Nadar IoE made our debut submission for the Times Higher Education Impact ranking, which ranks universities on Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Here are some of the results: 1.For SDG6 (Water) we are in top 200 globally. Our score is nearly in top 75% for SDG 6 2.For SDG7 (Clean Energy) we are in top 300 globally. Our score is nearly in top 75% for SDG 7 3.For SDG2 (Hunger) we are in the top 400 globally.

The ranking is based on research (SCOPUS-indexed, collected directly by THE); teaching; and campus operations and activities. A number rank is assigned for the top 100, after that bands are used. Our top score in a single metric is Education for the SDGs: how universities are teaching the next generation to adopt sustainability in their lives. Other areas where we scored high are energy reuse







density; water re use; university measures towards affordable and clear energy.

# Empowering Future Leaders: The Inaugural Rural Management Program at Shiv Nadar IoE



Trailblazing the path once again, Shiv Nadar IoE has come out with a new Masters degree in Rural Management, a first of its kind in the country.

Tasked with equipping students with necessary innovative and creative skills to best address the emerging challenges and opportunities posed by rural India, the program balances professional competencies with value-systems promoting sensitization and good will. Students who graduate from this program will be eagerly sought after by civil society organisations, major government programs, CSR organisations, donor foundations, UN agencies etc. A systemic exchange of information has created a demand for students with calibre, which is what the program seeks to fulfil.

#### HCLTech Chairperson Roshni Nadar Malhotra Honoured at Mission Shakti 4.0 Launch



Roshni Nadar Malhotra, Chairperson of HCL Technologies, received a prestigious honor from Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Shri Yogi Adityanath at the launch of Mission Shakti 4.0, a campaign dedicated to advancing women's initiatives in the state. She was honored for her outstanding achievements as a business leader and her impactful contributions to social development through philanthropy. She was recognized as an inspiring role model for women across various fields.

Chief Minister Adityanath praised her for showcasing the vast possibilities in different domains and the importance of making dedicated choices. This recognition underscores her significant contributions to both the industry and social causes.

#### THE FOUNDING FAMILY EVENT 2023











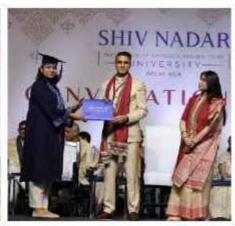


The Annual Founding Family Event for Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence was a huge success! We had a blast bringing together the visionary founders of our university with the rest of our community. From stimulating conversations to amazing cultural performances, it was a memorable event that truly captured the spirit of Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence. We can't wait to see what they will accomplish next. The Yearbook for the class of 2023 was also revealed by the founding family with the editorial team presenting them with the first copy. We look forward to continuing to build a strong and vibrant community at Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence.

#### THE SHIV NADAR IOE 9TH CONVOCATION













At the 9th Convocation ceremony, Mr. Shiv Nadar, Founder and Former Chancellor of Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence and Founder, HCL, said, "Stay focused on your goals, stay motivated, and remain optimistic about your future. As you venture into the world beyond, remember that success often lies in breaking free from conventional thinking. Embrace the power of your unique perspectives and be open to uncharted paths. Also, remember that while you may see many successes, there will also be failures. If you have never failed, you have not tested yourself. Treat failure as a learning and continue to move on".

#### Our Distinguished Guests speak:

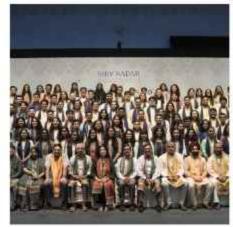
Professor Rohini Godbole said in a deeply inspiring acceptance speech, "I want to tell the graduating students that life is a game of chance, but choosing which part you want to trade on should be yours. Do not let anybody tell you what you can or cannot do, let your mind, brain, and heart decide". A passionate champion of gender equity, Professor Godbole had a special message for the female students and their parents, "please don't stop here."

Accepting his honorary doctorate, Professor Ajay Kumar Sood said, "I am happy to see that the university is committed to advancing fundamental research and excellence cultivated through pedagogical training and the churning of new ideas. The university plays a crucial role in building on a vision of global educational standards by being a multidisciplinary, research-focused, and student-centric institution."

#### Wisdom from our Chancellor

Mr. Shikhar Malhotra, Chancellor of Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence, said, "As the university celebrates its twelfth anniversary, it is pushing the frontiers of knowledge, offering a truly multidisciplinary experience to students. The university has also embraced the mission of sustainability. We will aim high and make the university one of the most sustainable campuses in the world." The ninth convocation ceremony conferred 442 undergraduate degrees, 106 graduate degrees, 33 doctorates, and four integrated bachelors-masters degrees.

## GLIMPSES OF THE CONVOCATION CEREMONY

















































#### **DEAN SPEAK**



Pioneer in the field of epigenetics and cell biology, Dr. Galande is the Dean of the School of Natural Sciences here at Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence, Professor of Biology, and previously headed the Centre of Excellence in Epigenetics (CoEE) at the Indian Institute of Science Education & Research (IISER). At the CoEE, his team and he primarily worked on studying the epigenetic evolution mechanism through multiple model systems. His research has had global ramifications and involvement and has impacted many recent works done on biochemistry, cell biology, bioinformatics and genomics. He has built a multidisciplinary program aimed at accelerating the quality and quantity of research on the topics. After moving to SNIoE, Prof Galande has launched the next phase of the Centre of Excellence in Epigenetics with a focus on regeneration and translational biology.

Dr Galande's accolades are a testament to his excellence, from the prestigious national level Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar Prize 2010 for outstanding research in the field of Epigenomics and its accompanying benefits, to the GD Birla Award for scientific excellence in 2015. He is also a recipient of various other opportunities and honors, such as the Swarnajayanti Fellowship from the Department of Science and Technology in 2007 and the JC Bose

Fellowship from the Science and Engineering Research Board in 2019. He is firmly established in international circles as well, often collaborating for research and dialogue with other prominent leaders in the field, such as Carl-Phillipp Heisenberg, Shubha Tole, Thomas Bosch and Riitta Lahesmaa.

An active vocalist for industry-academia collaboration, Dr Galande spearheaded the launch and development of a one-of-a-kind Center of Excellence in Flow Cytometry at IISER, Pune, with state-of-the-art instruments and specialized machinery with the industry giant Becton, Dickinson and Company as the partnering benefactor. His efforts have also enabled launching of the Revvity India, formerly Perkin-Elmer, sponsored Center of Excellence in Drug Discovery at Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence.

Dr. Galande was an honorary associate at the University of Sydney, Australia and visiting faculty at the University of Turku, Finland. We are ecstatic as he has been featured in BioVoice's magazine 2023 as one of the 'Torchbearers of Indian Bioscience R&D'.

#### Dr. Sanjeev Galande

Dean, School of Natural Sciences Professor & Head, Department of Life Sciences Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence

#### **UNIVERSITY EVENTS**

#### **TEDX MISFITS**

TEDx Shiv Nadar University brings together a collection of doers, thinkers, innovators, explorers, visionaries, teachers, learners and seeks to illuminate, inspire, change perceptions, incite action and foster new connections. The event was focused on proffering a TED stage to speakers of varied backgrounds and experiences for inspirational and intellectual acceleration. The event strategically allocates a window for collaboration of arts, sciences, entrepreneurship and women empowerment – ideas that are close to our central theme: MISEITS.







#### E-SUMMIT

After an insipid 3 years, E-Cell came back into action with the most charismatic and gripping event of the year, The \*E-SUMMIT '23\*! An entrepreneurial extravaganza which will unify all the budding entrepreneurs, venture capitalists, investors, and start-ups from across the country in an electrifying aura filled with energy, zeal, and experiential learning.

Packed with fun games, exhilarating competitions and profound speeches, E-SUMMIT is a home for every entre soul.

#### **IDEAX CHANGE**

Atal Incubation Centre-Shiv Nadar University, Delhi-NCR was pleased to announce the launch of 'IdeaXchange' – a two-day event that served as a platform for start-up founders and tech-talent to meet top-notch investors, executives, and technology-heads from across the globe. The event brought together industry stalwarts, investors, mentors, key government officials, and different industry and corporate partners, who shared insightful stories and meaningful conversations with start-ups.

The attendees heard from Mr. Richard Pattle, Founder of True Beacon, who had also worked as a royal aide to Prince Charles before striking out as a FinTech investor, as he shared his entrepreneurial journey during a fireside chat. In another session, titled 'Striking the Balance', Mr. Naveen Malik from HCL Technologies, Mr. Amit Bahl, Partner at PwC, Mr. Bharat Anand, Senior Partner at Khaitan & Co., and Professor Pradeep Mehra from the School of Management & Entrepreneurship, Shiv Nadar University, Delhi NCR, came together for an engaging discussion.





# ✓ UNIVERSITY EVENTS

#### BREEZE

Breeze has been part the constant in every person's college life at Shiv Nadar University. Both as the annual techno cultural fest showcasing talent and interests, and as a spot for relationships to be forged and memories to be made. Emerging as one of the largest fests in the Delhi-NCR region, Breeze has consistently provided it's audiences with some of the best times of their lives-brilliant artists, exciting events and a fascinating landscape.

The Breeze 2023 was themed: "Bifrost: The Universal Bridge", inspired by the Nordic lore, a chance to travel between realities and explore fantasies. The three-day event was filled with amazing food, fancy outfits, stellar artists, and killer beats. The inaugural day of Breeze dawned with a plethora of competitions, events, and captivating performances hosted by various clubs. The festivities commenced with the melodic tunes of Dream Note, an indie band whose music resonated deeply with the audience, filling both their hearts and ears with pure delight.

Following this enchanting performance, the succeeding day unfolded with an array of diverse games and events, culminating in an electrifying DJ pro-night that set the atmosphere alive with pulsating beats. As the event drew closer to its conclusion, the final day brimmed with exhilarating games and thrilling competitions, leading up to a mesmerizing performance by the renowned band, Twin Strings. Their charismatic presence and soul-stirring melodies effortlessly captured the hearts of all in attendance. Bringing the festivities to a resounding crescendo, the grand finale was marked by another sensational DJ set, ensuring that Breeze concluded on a high note, leaving indelible memories etched in the minds of all who experienced its magic.





#### HCL CONCERT JAVED ALI

Javed Ali, the popular playback singer dazzled at the exclusive event organized by Shiv Nadar Institution of Eminence and HCL Concerts in 2023. The event was a roaring success, with everyone enjoying Javed Ali's mesmerizing performance. It left a lasting impression, fostering a sense of joy and camaraderie among all who were present, ensuring memories to cherish for years to come.









#### TVL EXPO 2023

The Venture Laboratory (TVL) at Shiv Nadar University, Delhi NCR announced TVL Expo 2023, marking the culmination of over a year of ideation, prototyping, and execution of business models by teams of talented BMS students. The Expo served as a celebration of their dedicated efforts, showcasing the progress made in their respective ventures.

## UNIVERSITY EVENTS

#### IQTISADIYYAT'23

The Economics Society of Shiv Nadar University an annual Economics Conclave, Iqtisadiyyat and hosts students from various universities and colleges of the NCR region. The event is filled with an intellectual exchange of ideas, panel discussions, seminars, paper presentations and policy-making competitions.

The first day of Iqtisadiyyat'23 was graced by Dr Kiran Bediand Ms. Shrayana Bhattacharya, with games, competitions and the end of the day with a bonfire to make it more than just an academic conclave.

The second day of Iqtisadiyyat'23 was graced by Ms AnusreeRaha, Dr Rakesh Mohan, and the band KAPOW! performed to end the night as well as the conclave.









#### INQUBE

InQube - National Business Quiz, Business Case, andSimulation Contest was a multifaceted competition aimed at discovering, challenging, uniting, and rewarding the brightest young minds in India instilled with business problem solving acumen. The competition invited entries from undergraduate students from any discipline and any college across India. The objective was to encourage and give recognition to the students who had the potential to become the next-gen global business decision-makers. The contest challenged the students on various fronts, including their innovation skills, critical thinking, knowledge of business concepts, and problem-solving through dynamic case studies, simulations, and quizzes.



#### UNLEASH

HCL and UNLEASH, a global innovation program for the UNSustainable Development Goals (SDGs), announced a year long collaboration to mobilize youth and develop innovative solutions to promote aquatic ecosystem conservation. These solutions will aim to tackle challenges from Source (mountains & glaciers) to Sink (oceans and seas) and their links to terrestrial ecosystems. Specifically, the partnership will allow youth to develop solutions encompassing SDG 14 (Life below water) and SDG 15 (Life on land), and explore synergies with other SDGs as well. During the process, they will be guided by industry experts and receive hands-on support to ensure that solutions are relatable to the context and feasible in practice.





#### **ALUMNI TALK SERIES**













The Alumni Talk Series hosted a range of our Alumni from different streams, sharing their journey and professional expertise through the years. The Alumni Relations Office and Career Development Center presents Alumni Talk Series, with the intention of providing a valuable insight into the vibrant and diverse lives of alumni, spread all around the world and engaging with their juniors in guiding them through the intricacies of life after college. The topics covered were from 'Cracking the Coding Interview' and 'Ace your Placements' to 'Evolving Career Path in Humanities', 'Finance Unplugged' and 'Career as an Economist'. We had joining us Sai Mounika (CSE'21), Vineet Chatterjee (ME'19), Sheikh Araf (CSE'19), Uma Chauhan (MBA'19), Suryakant Dwivedi (MBA'17), Kaustuv Acharyya (English'21), Sheetal Arora (MSc Econ'16), Akshay Dutta (MSc Econ'16) and many more who have carried the badge of the institution all around the world and hope to pass on the eternal flame and passion of the same.

#### **ALUMNI PLACEMENT PREPAREDNESS SESSIONS**













We had various Mock Interview sessions lined up for students sitting for their placements, with ample guidance and support from their seniors. In this mutually beneficial series, we saw participation from various batches of alumni, Anusha'22, Adil'22, Lokesh'15, Nimish'22, Garisha'20, Ajoe'17 and Anuva'16. With their insights into both technical and aptitude aspects of a placement process, they helped transform student outcomes and also manoeuvred them through roadblocks and interviewers' metrics in the fast-changing job market! The aim is to instil a confident mechanism for a student to think critically and analyze when required and also structure their technical skills as per requirements. Along with helping through mock interviews, their advice was crucial for students in clearing their queries and gaining suggestions for their discussion and technical rounds as well!

#### **ALUMNI INTERACTION WITH FRESHMEN CLASS**



Our alumni across various departments took part in the Freshman Orientation for the Class of 2027. Interacted with the freshers to talk about how their experience was as a student and now after stepping into the outside world. They discussed things to explore, opportunities provided and interdisciplinary curriculum. Gave information on different sports facilities and academics. Increased curiosity by adding details on events and activities conducted by the college, clubs and societies. Explained about OURs, OCJs, Minor and research opportunities.

Guided the students in how to identify their interests and hobbies during their time in college. Talked through the points to focus on and how to take a great chance of real-life exposure on campus. Cleared queries on higher education and professional spheres.

Overall they shared and gave insights on how campus life is challenging, competing and rewarding.

We thank all the alumni who took their invaluable time in guiding the freshers way across the college.

#### **HYDERABAD CHAPTER MEET 2023**

We're thrilled to share that our recent "Hyderabad Chapter Alumni Meet 2023" was a resounding success! Alumni from all around gathered together to reconnect with old friends, make new connections, and celebrate their shared experiences. The event was held at Hard Rock Café, Hyderabad, and attendees were treated to a day full of delicious food, drinks, and entertainment. The atmosphere was electric, with alumni from different classes and courses mingling and sharing stories. The highlight of the evening was our alumni sharing their experiences of how their time at our institution had helped shape their careers and life. The alumni were delighted to reconnect with old friends, meet each other's extended families, network with fellow alumni, and learn more about exciting developments taking place on campus.







#### **ANNUAL ALUMNI REUNION 2022**

The Annual Alumni Reunion 2022 was scheduled to be held on 16 and 17 December 2022 at the Shiv Nadar IoE campus. The two days of excitement were added to everyone's box of memories.

It was an event of nostalgia, good conversations, and cheer spread across two days on the 16th and 17th of December. More than 250+ alumni from close to seven batches revisited the sprawling Shiv Nadar IoE campus. The reunion was one for the books.

The Homecoming Parade started things on the first day. The alumni were welcomed home with a special enthusiastic entourage. The marching band led the parade and gave a special performance, followed by a group photograph at the G block. Everyone proceeded to the auditorium for a memorable evening to rewind their college days. Vice-Chancellor Dr Ananya Mukherjee gave the alumni a grand welcome. Next, a panel of seven alumni shared their valuable experiences and mischievous memories at SNU. Lastly, Ms Anubha Bali encouraged the alumni with her poignant words. The Gala Night included an extravagant dinner and warm conversations. The exhilarating DJ and the photo booth etched the night into everyone's heart.

The next day, the alumni toured around the campus. The day was headlined by the Power Hour, where the Alumni, students, and faculty bonded over a good game of badminton, football, and more. The Alumni Reunion was wholesome in every meaning of the word.



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## **ANNUAL ALUMNI REUNION 2023**

Shiv Nadar University hosted its Annual Alumni Reunion on December 16, 2023. The University welcomed the proud alumni with a colourful parade under the bright December sky. The Vice-Chancellor, in her address quoting the founder, said that the University today not only finds a place among the top universities in the country but is also working towards setting benchmarks. It is now upon the alumni to take the legacy forward.

Alumni who joined us from across the world made the most of every minute spent at the University. The reunion brought back memories of yesterday and left the alumni yearning for more until next time!



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#### **ALUMNI STORIES**



Arun Pandianathan'15 B. et h. Mec hanic al Engineering

Assistant Director General, Indian Taipei Association (Indian Foreign Services)

Although it was a hard moment, but it also gave me the confidence that I'm capable of cracking it sooner or later.

Can you walk us through how your life has been since you cleared the examination, and being part of the Foreign Services?

It truly has been a great experience so far. After I cracked the Civil Services Examination (CSE), I began my 3-month long foundation course training at the Lal Bahadur Shastri National Academy of Administration at Mussoorie, which involved a week of village visit and also a Himalayan trek. I saw various attachments with the Army, Navy, ISRO, Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) and also a week-long mission attachment to Bhutan. I got a chance to meet the Hon'ble President and Prime Minister of India, during my 3 month of desk attachment at the Ministry of External Affairs after finishing my training. Currently, I am posted in Taiwan, learning Mandarin as part of my language training.

# How do you describe the moment you found out you cleared the Civil Services exam?

My wife was actually the bearer of this good news! My entire family was overwhelmed and happy, and I was glad and relieved to have finally cracked the exam after initial failures.

#### Who/What has been your number one pillar of support through your journey?

My entire family, and especially my wife, has been my strongest pillar of support. I met my wife, who was also preparing for the CES, during my own initial days of preparation. Right from then, she has been my source of strength, and has supported me throughout. She has always helped me bounce back whenever I am doubtful and on a downward slope.

While you certainly have shown much hard work and determination, has there ever been pointwhere you wanted to give up and let the dream go?

I would say 'Never'! I went till the final round (Personality test) in my second attempt and was confident that I would clear it while sadly I didn't. Although it was a hard moment, but it also gave me the confidence that I'm capable of cracking it sooner or later. So even though there were moments of frustration, I never thought of giving up.

I was confident in clearing the final personality test on my second attempt itself, and even though I didn't, it helped me refocus and boosted my spirits. I knew I would crack it sooner or later. There were many moments of frustration, but the thought of giving up never came to me.

Do you have advice to students looking to get into the Civil Services examination preparation?

The best rule of thumb to follow if you are planning to attempt the exam after your graduation, is to begin your full-fledged

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The best rule of thumb to follow if you are

planning to attempt the exam after your graduation, is to begin your full-fledged preparation atleast year before the exam. A constant habit you can start off is to read the newspaper (preferably The Hindu/ Indian Express), as it is a non-negotiable when it comes to preparing for the CSE. I also advise you to not let your physical and mental health take a backseat as it is absolutely essential to balance 10-12 hours of studying a day with regular physical activity.

#### If you revisit campus, what is one place that holds a lot of memories for you?

It would most definitely be the Hostel Lawns and common rooms where we use to play and watch football matches, especially the champions league matches. It felt like being in an actual stadium and cheering for your team in that unbeatable atmosphere!

#### What did your routine look like on an average day on campus?

My South Indian background had me waking up to either idly, Vada or Dosa for breakfast, so my day started at Anna's and Surya Tuck shop, after which I had my regular classes for the day. I was part of the college cricket team and has cricket practice in the evenings for the first two years of my campus life. I had a new-found interest in football, and spent most of my time on the ground, much more than what I spent in classes. Some of my days would go well past midnight, playing FIFA or Age of Empires with friends, many fond memories.

# What is one country that is on your bucket that you really want to visit, and why?

Japan, For the richness of its culture and the use of technology in everyday life to make life convenient. Japan is definitely on top of my travel bucket list. The richness of its culture and the seamless use of technology in everyday life to make life convenient is more than enough reason why I am so intrigued to make a visit to the Land of the Rising Sun!



#### **ALUMNI STORIES**



#### Sonal Shekhawat'16

**B.Tech. Computer Science and engineering** 

#### Scientist, Indian Space Research Organisation

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We made history and became the first country to land on the south pole of the moon. It was a moment of pride and happiness, and at that time, everything seemed worth it.

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#### Could you describe your biggest learning curve in your college or career?

The Biggest learning curve I experienced started when I began college, and I consider myself extremely luck to be a part of SNU family. In many ways, my mentors have groomed and guided me through ups and downs in life, and it helped me take bold decisions with respect to my career and also boosted the confidence when I wanted to follow my passions!

#### What is the best thing about working at ISRO?

The best thing is that there are no restrictions on using any specific language, technology, or problem-solving skill. You are free to learn and implement your ideas until you achieve the desired result within given deadline. ISRO, invokes love and respect for years of hard work, perseverance and legacy-making. It carries the vision of many great personalities, from Vikram Sarabhai to Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, the organization has emerged as a pioneer in the space world, and I consider myself as extremely lucky, to be surrounded by the smartest minds of the country, and doing my part and contribute as service to the nation!

#### What was going on behind the scenes after the Chandrayaan-3 launch at your ISTRAC center?

From the day CH3 was launched till landing, which was a period of 40 days, we used to be present round the clock in the office to make sure

that everything happened smoothly and whatever corrective actions were required should be taken on time as it was a real-time event. After finishing some work which was required post-landing, we were all set to make the soft landing. Then, as you all witnessed the happy and proud faces all over the MOX HALL and that iconic ZERO. We made history and became the first country to land on the south pole of the moon. It was a moment of pride and happiness, and at that time, everything seemed worth it. All the pressure, strict deadlines and hard work paid off.

# What is the next big plan at ISRO? Any sneak peeks you can give us?

ISRO launched the successor to the failed Chandrayaan-2 mission, the Chandrayaan-3 which landed on the surface of the moon and became only the 4th nation to do so! Then ISRO also launched a solar observatory ADITYA-L1 satellite in August. It will be first of its kind mission for ISRO. ISRO is also planning to send Indian Astronauts in the space using Indian human-rated rocket. This mission is termed as Gaganyaan mission.

# What was your motivation behind the shift from a corporate job to working with DRDO and ISRO, considering the huge difference in CTC?

The idea of being stuck in the same type of job at a young age frightened me.



However, the thought of having the freedom to explore different career paths and the assurance that I could always return to my original path if needed, motivated me to pursue my dreams. However, it's important to note that knowledge can be a valuable asset too.

#### Describe the biggest hurdle you faced on your journey to becoming a scientist involved in space research?

I won't say the biggest hurdle but yeah, it took me some time to truly grasp the practical aspects of the work, as there is no fixed technology or methodology to get the work done. The knowledge and skills acquired in college proved to be of utmost importance in equipping me with the necessary knowledge and skills to successfully accomplish the work at hand.

# What is one healthy habit you have cultivated during your college days that you still practice?

Never lose the essence of who you are. Being authentic and staying true to your own values, dreams and aspirations can lead to personal fulfilment and success.

#### What is your best memory of campus? Could be related to friends, academics, sports or clubs.

Long pathways with dark cloudy sky little breeze with beautiful yellow lights guiding our way and we, pouring our hearts out whether about the day we had or revising theorems together. That experience is something I would love to live any day and every day.

# If you revisit campus, what is one place that holds a lot of memories for you?

Library. Back in college time, our hostel rooms lacked air conditioning, so we found ourselves spending late nights in the library to study without sweating. However, the outdoor seating area just outside the library became highly sought during winters, especially for sun

basking. I vividly recall those chilly January Mornings when we would set out from our hostels for morning classes, but pause at the library steps to soak up the warmth of the sun, ending up missing the 1st lecture. Library holds a treasure trove of memories for the majority of SNUites.

#### In what ways have you stayed connected with the other alumni? How can you contribute to the growth and development of the alumni network?

Having stayed connected through the alumni association, networking and online forums, I actively participate in the engagement activities and provide help and guidance on various topics such as career advice, industry trends, or any other educational opportunities.

# What is the top advice you can give a student interested in research and innovation?

Start early and begin accumulating knowledge. You can attend conferences, seminars and talks



to open your mind up and expand your interest in the topics. Take your mentor's help in college and it will take you a long way!

#### **ALUMNI STORIES**



#### V arun Mishra'15

B. Tech. Computer science and engineering

#### Assistant Professor, Northeastern University

For those interested in academia, I would say that passion and patience are critical. It's a marathon, not a sprint.

# How has your experience been from studying at a university to teaching at one?

Until recently, I was solely focused on absorbing knowledge, developing skills, and understanding the intricacies of my field. Now as a professor, I have to create syllabi, plan lessons, deliver lectures, mentor PhD students and much more in research. While it has only been 1.5 years, I have had a great experience so far! In essence, being a faculty at a university is not just about delivering knowledge, but also about fostering a vibrant learning community where both students and professors can grow together.

# As one of the first people from Shiv Nadar IoE who achieved a PhD after your B achelor, what are some hurdles and speedbumps you faced, and how did you overcome them?

Given that I was part of the founding batch, applying to a PhD program was challenging since we didn't have access to any immediate support network in terms of alumni who could guide/advise us through the process. Overcoming these required resilience, developing a strong support network, maintaining a growth mindset, and reminding myself" why I was doing this.that I enjoy taking.

# Who/what has motivated you to achieve the place you have made for yourself?

My motivation has always come from a desire to make a meaningful difference in the field of health and well-being with ubiquitous technology. I have had the privilege and opportunity to work with terrific mentors and faculty throughout my academic career. They

have significantly shaped my path, constantly pushing me to aim higher and work harder. It all started with an on-campus RA position at SNU in the Mobile and Wireless Lab. The experience exposed me to the possibilities, peaked my interests and led to my PhD work at Dartmouth.

#### What is the best advice you can give to someone interested in academia and teaching?

For those interested in academia, I would say that passion and patience are critical. It's a marathon, not a sprint. Be prepared for challenges and don't be afraid to ask for help. Also, stay open-minded and always keep learning, because that's what academia is all about.

# What is your mantra for achieving growth and success in the field of research?

My mantra for achieving growth and success in the field of research is to stay curious, persevere, and always remember the 'why' behind my work. Embracing interdisciplinary collaboration, I believe, is also key in modern research, especially in my field.

#### What ways have you stayed connected with the other alumni? How can you contribute to the growth and development of the alumni network?

I am in touch with several of my peers and friendsfrom SNU and do meet them every time I am in India. However, living on a different continent definitely affects how much I can get involved in the alumni events – in fact, I have somehow managed to miss all major alumni



reunions. I have attended some of the events that have happened in New York. As a member of the alumni network, I believe I can contribute by sharing my experiences, mentoring students interested in a similar career path, and promoting collaboration between the alumni community and my current institution.

#### Do you remember your first day on campus? Do you have any advice for incoming freshers, especially?

I remember the first night on campus! We literally walked into a swamp. The hostel (GHI at the time) was still under construction; our rooms didn't have window grills or a mattress! We stayed up all night as the amazing team at SNU brought us mattresses and installed the grills. It was indeed an experience. I met people who are great friends to this day. I do have a few heads-ups for incoming students: - embrace the challenges: college life can be challenging at times, but remember that everyone is going through a similar transition. - be open to new experiences - nurture friendships - seek guidance and support - enjoy the journey!

# Have you ever thought about changing your field of interest at any point?

Not really! My field of interest, at the intersection of technology and health, has always resonated with me. Although I have expanded my knowledge and expertise to incorporate more disciplines, the core interest in using technology for health interventions has remained consistent.

# If you revisit campus, what is one place that holds a lot of memories for you?

Honestly, it's a completely different campus from when I was there. It is almost unrecognizable! I think one place that would hold a ton of memories would be the third floor of GHI (sorry, I don't know what it's called now).

#### Where on campus have you had the best food?

It's a very different campus now from when I was there. We used to have some really good rolls and also there was this " @lu da dhaba" in the dining hall, which had some nice north Indian food.





#### **ALUMNI STORIES**



Paridhi Sood'19

B. Tech. Computer Science and Engineering

#### Flying Officer, Indian Air Force

Every day is new and different in the forces. One day you are flying from one place to another, finessing the art of flying, and the next day you are firing arms.

#### How do you describe the moment you graduated from the Air Force Academy?

There are no words to describe that feeling. It would be a mix of accomplishment, relief, happiness. It had been my dream to join the air force as a pilot and the moment I earned those wings I was on top of the world. It felt as if this is it! I got what I had longed for.

# Can you describe the experience when you're flying in an Air Force plane?

I love the pure adrenaline rush that I get when I go up among the clouds, and this makes me want to return every time. When I am in that aircraft looking down at the entire world, it's all so beautiful! The views from up there are to die for! There is a part of me that knows it's a dangerous profession, as anything could happen up there, but that risk factor fuels my fire that I affirm myself that yes, I want to take the risk. I have built up the confidence to know that I am capable enough to get this aircraft down safely even if something goes wrong in the air. Being the captain of the aircraft is a great responsibility that I enjoy taking.

# What/who has been your inspiration throughout your journey?

My biggest inspiration has been my father. He is are tired pilot from the Indian Air force, where he served for almost 26 years. Growing up, I had

seen him in the uniform, and always lived in and around the fauji atmosphere throughout my childhood, and also had friends whose parents were in the forces. I'm afraid that it got to me, some way or the other. My father has always supported me in all my decisions and has been my pillar of strength through every phase of my life. He is the reason I joined the forces and why I am so determined and strong.

#### Do you have any advice for people wanting to pursue a career in the armed forces?

I wouldn't call it advise but anyone who wants to join the armed forces should understand one very basic thing- that it is not like a regular job that you can just do and go on with your personal life separately like you would in a ideal corporate world. The force is a lifestyle in itself. So, if you are willing to experience and live, and have what it takes to live the life of military personnel, I would definitely suggest thinking about joining the forces.

#### What has been your biggest hurdle to overcome on your journey to being an Air Force pilot?

Air force is not just all about flying, it's almost a way of life. To adjust to that lifestyle after being in college for 4 years and working in the corporate sector for more than I year was a bit challenging at first. Getting into the air force was a huge challenge by itself and finally got selected only on my 3rd attempt. After that the rigorous training got the best out of me. It required all my will and determination to get through the training period of 1.5 years. It was not just one hurdle there were many in my way but I think it was my determination that got me through them all.

#### Do you remember your first day on campus? Do you have any advice for incoming freshers, especially?

Who doesn't remember their first day in college! I recall back to when DHI was setup as the welcome centre and my parents had come to drop me off in college. I had amazing first interactions with my roommates, who by the way I am still very close with. We also had a movie screening of Casino Royale on the very first night in SNU in B315.

I just want to say that SNU has given me the experiences and memories of a lifetime to cherish so enjoy every moment you spend there and live it to the fullest. When I visited for the alumni reunion i realised that SNU has changed so much from what we had both in terms of infrastructure and the environment but some things haven't changed a bit like the faculty members and all the lively nostalgia. To all the freshers- you only go to college once and not every college gives you the opportunities that SNU will so expolit the most of



SNU because you won't realise it but these 4 years will just fly by and one day some of you would be writing interviews like these and start feeling nostalgic about those days.

# If you revisit campus, what is one place that holds a lot of memories for you?

Canopies and my hostel room of first year 1A 201.

#### What is a day in the life of an Air Force pilot?

Every day is new and different in the forces. One day you are flying from one place to another, finessing the art of flying, and the next day you are firing arms. Then another day you are rehearsing for a parade and March past. It is difficult to describe a routine as such. There are so many things to learn in such a short span of time and suddenly you have the responsibility of such big assets of the nation that you can't afford to have rookie moments. Even so there are some moments that everyone has but I haven't had any till now.

#### One-word Answer

#### a.Describe a lazy Sunday afternoon on campus

- In winters by SNU lake or sunbathing on mount SNU

#### b.Getting accepted into the Air Force Academy

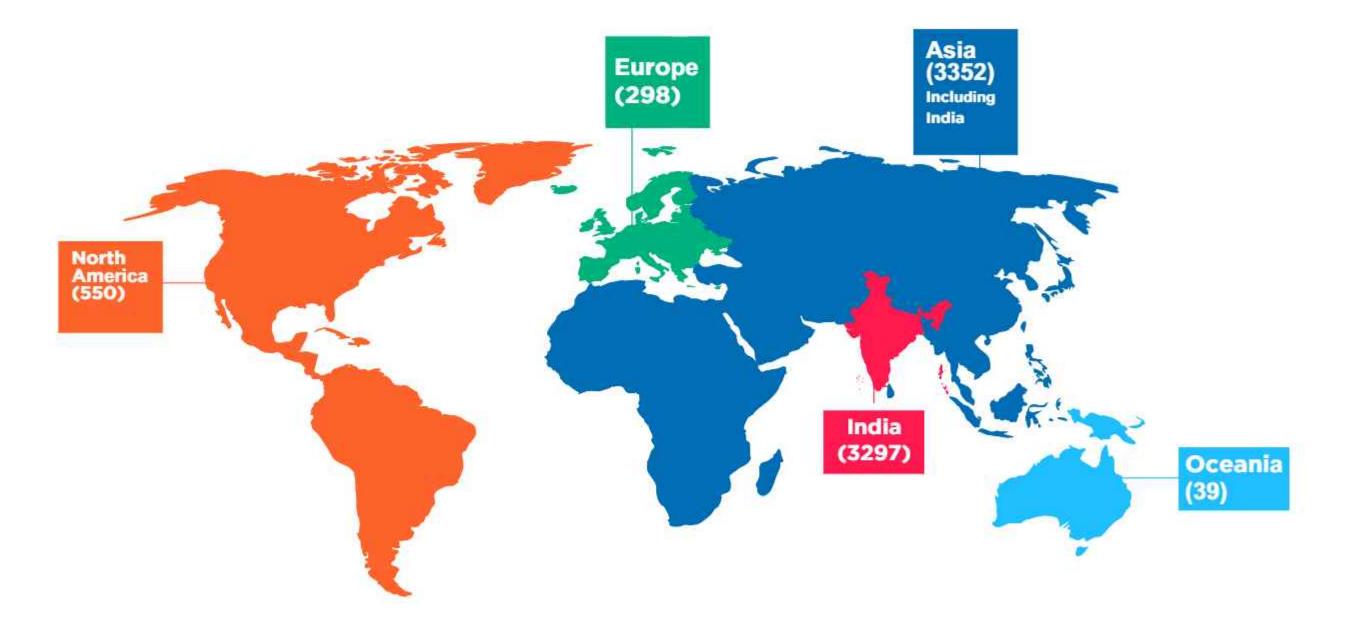
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# ALUMNI ACROSS THE WORLD



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- USA-497
- Canada-52
- Mexico-1

#### Europe -298

- UK-76
- Germany 78
- Netherlands -31
- France -26
- · Ireland -21
- Sweden -14
- Denmark –14
- · Others -41

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- Delhi NCR 1649
- · Bangalore 469
- Chennai 198
- · Hyderabad 258
- Mumbai 118
- Pune 104
- Others 501

#### Asia -3352

- India- 3297
- Singapore –19
- Russia -5
- UAE -7
- · Japan-8
- · China -2
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- Indonesia –1

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Others –11

#### **ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT**



Arohi Singhal' 21 B.Tech Chemical Engineering

#### Touching the clouds and soaring to new heights, Arohi is now prepared for takeoff!

Many congratulations to our esteemed alum, Arohi Singhal, on having the all clear and taking up the role of a pilot at the New Zealand International Commercial Pilot Academy. Before this, she worked as a process engineer at UFLEX Group. It is indeed amazing to note her perseverance and steadfast belief in herself and her goals!

She graduated with a degree in Chemical Engineering, minoring in management. She displayed the true spirit of multi-disciplinary learning, with courses in her basket from varied departments. During her time at Shiv Nadar IoE Arohi participated raptly in several clubs, such as Aura-indulging in social work, and Kalakritithe Art Society of Shiv Nadar IoE.

We couldn't be prouder of her remarkable accomplishment. She's living all of our dreams of touching clouds, reaching for the skies, and inspiring us all to chase our true calling, fearlessly. We wish her smooth flights and boundless success as she embarks on this exciting new chapter and we hope this motivates us to never give up on what we truly love and stay the course!

# Here at Shiv Nadar IoE, our students push for excellence to redefine their limits, and we are proud to talk about one of our alumni, Ruthwik and the laurels he has achieved today.

Graduating with a degree in Electronics and Communication Engineering in 2017, Kotte Ruthwik Sai has always shown promise in his vivid interests and now has cleared the coveted UPSC examination with a rank of 558 for the Indian Police Service (IPS).

He was part of the robotics club during his university days, being appointed technical manager of the Supersonics club as well as being part of the hospitality team for Breeze, the annual technocultural fest of the university.

Taking inspiration from the words 'Stay the Course', he was completely focused on clearing the civil services examination, with coaching support from Vajiram and Ravi to prepare for the written and interview rounds.

Many congratulations to Ruthwik for this remarkable achievement and his 'Never Give Up' attitude. We know he is going to stand as an inspiration to many, and we wish him the best to leave a lasting mark in whatever he pursues.



Kotte Ruthwik Sai'17 B.Tech Electronics and Communication Engineering

#### **ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT**

#### Gaurang Khuraana completes the prestigious NYC Marathon

An Engineer by profession, Gauraang Khurana from the CSE class of 2016 has routinely excelled in his passion for social service and good Samaritanism. He recently took part in the famed 2023 New York City Marathon, finishing the distance of 26.2 miles (42 kilometers), in roughly 5 hours! Apart from his passion, his altruistic nature saw him volunteering in various organizations, such as Feeding India and Samaritans, a suicide prevention helpline. We are incredibly proud of his feat as he continues to make his mark and do his part for society!



Gauraang Khurana'16 B.Tech Computer Science and Engineering

# Shiv Nadar University alumnus Sanchit Mittal, a graduate of B.Tech. in Civil Engineering (Batch of 2016), is among the winners of the "BW Marketing 30 under 30 Awards 2023".

He has been selected for his unwavering commitment and innovative contributions to reshaping the marketing sector. With the onset of new technology trends in every industry, the marketing sector has also undergone a massive shift. With young pioneers like Sanchit, the hard work and dedication of those who are attempting to adapt and revolutionize the sector has not gone unnoticed. Sanchit, currently working as a product manager at Britannia, has made our entire Shiv Nadar IoE extremely proud. We wish him the best for more prestigious awards and hope to see him trailblaze a path for a generation.



Sanchit Mittal'16 B.Tech Civil Engineering

# Succeeding requires an equal amount of determination, confidence and the ability to learn whenever you can.

Kolluru Venkata Srikanth recently made the headlines by securing All India Rank 1 after clearing the Union Public Service Commission prelims and interviews. He has been recommended to be appointed in the Indian Forest Service and to be commissioned as an officer after the training. Completing his graduation from Shiv Nadar IoE in 2019, with a degree in Electrical and Electronics Engineering. Srikanth mentions one of the top periods of his life were spent at SNIoE, calling it his 'second home', he was actively involved in making the best of his time, enjoying the ambience, sports facilities and interesting courses. His sights were fixed on bagging this position right from then and focused entirely on clearing the exam right from then.

We are incredibly proud of his journey, and have faith that he will positively lead initiatives through his innovative approaches and critical thinking. Srikanth stands as an inspiration to all those people looking to crack the civil service examinations, through consistent effort, balanced lifestyle and staying focused on your goal. Our best wishes to Srikanth and we have confidence in your success going forward!



Kolluru Venkata Srikanth'19 B.Tech Electrical and Electronics Engineering

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#### **CREATORS**

#### My YouTube journey began in my first year at Shiv Nadar University in 2015.



Arnab Nayak'18 B.Tech Electronics and Communication Engineering

My YouTube journey began in my first year at Shiv Nadar University in 2015. After realizing I didn't enjoy engineering, I turned to freelancing for income, initially struggling but eventually finding success on Fiverr. I also explored content writing and blogging. In 2017, I started creating inspirational videos and gradually found my niche in Indian startup case studies. Despite challenges, my channel grew, and I reached 100,000 subscribers.

After a job in content writing, I quit to pursue video creation full-time, with my channel, Startupgyaan, now having over 480,000 subscribers. I also launched Foundergyaan, a podcast with over 90,000 subscribers. My goal is to make entrepreneurship accessible and support brands through our agency. Shiv Nadar University provided the freedom to explore my passions, contributing to my success.





# "These four years have been a whirlwind of artistic growth and self-discovery, leaving an indelible mark on my life."



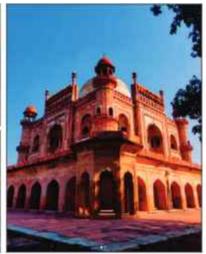
Rajat Mittal'19 B.Tech Electrical and Electronics Engineering

Reflecting on my college journey, I can't help but be grateful for the profound impact that singing with Snuphoria and being a part of Imprints had on my life. From my very first year, Snuphoria became my musical haven, offering countless opportunities to perform both within and beyond our college campus. In my second year, I took the plunge into the dramatics club, and ventured into short film production, a passion that continues to shape my creative journey till date.

Today, the values and experiences I gained through music and drama in college continue to enrich my life, reminding me of the power of art to bridge gaps and forge meaningful connections.







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#### MUSINGS

#### Perpetual: The tale of the Moon



Today, as I picked up this pen and paper and sat down to write about thoughts mercurial, thoughts unknown and some fears known. The date of August 5th, an hour past midnight as I sat on my Covid work-from-home desk sipping from the cup, black tea decaffeinated.

Since the beginning of last year - 2019, I've had a timeless fact etched in my heart, in my veins and through my soul. While it needs several words to be described in English, it has a dedicated word in the Pali language, Anichye

meaning transitory. The timeless fact to remember is the transitory nature of the moment and all that it entails. My emotions, my pain, my hunger, my happiness, my physical attributes, or my circumstances, it is all transitory. The story of how and where I imbibed this invaluable wisdom is for a different time.

If you reflect back in time, the validity of this statement will become more evident to you. Think about your physical size, your intellect, your lost best friends or lost lovers. If there was a provision possible, I'd also ask you to examine the transitory nature of your being, which one day, will cease to exist. Then Why, why are you sad, why are you jealous, why are you anxious and why on earth are you worried.

While on a drive today, coming back from a friend's apartment, I was sitting in the back seat of a Navy blue Nissan while two of my friends sat in the front. Peeking outside the window I noticed the brightly lit moon, looking absolutely gorgeous and within a few seconds of my first glimpse, the clouds overshadowed the wonderful scenery. The moon wasn't visible anymore except a few vague glimpses from beneath the clouds. The unexpected disappointment led me to close my eyes and when I woke up from my nap, I noticed the magnificent moon, having fought its way through the clouds, and now shining in all its glory. The moon was visible through the rest of the drive and I was reminded of the life lesson I had learnt at the start of 2019.

Just as darkness overshadowed the moon, so does our anxiety and unhappiness. But in that moment, being aware of the transitory nature of the clouds gives you utmost strength to fight our way through the anxiety and stress and shine brighter, stand stronger, taller and more confident than ever before.

No matter what problems we go through in life, we must know that this too shall pass. As I came back and entered my room, my anxieties did not vanish miraculously, but I felt stronger to fight my battles, to face my problems and with the knowledge that this too shall pass, I prepared myself for the challenges to come.

#### Gauraang Khurana'16

B.Tech Computer Science and Engineering

#### Life At SNU (Simply New Universe)

To the Class of 2020, This is time when we realize The unexpected beginning which we started in July 2016 is worth a zillion:

To all those glimmering eyes filled with tons of hopes for the next 4 years:

years;
Cheers to all those hopes
to all the fun
to all the smiles and whines
to all the hard work
to all the endless nights
to all the countless talks and walks
to trying all the possibilities of
having good food every day
to the everyday routine
to missing classes at times
to sleeping all the time
to meeting new chums
to collecting more than a handful of
memories.

This is the time when we realize All these years flew like a breeze and what we want is this time to freeze

So that we could add more to the countless count

So that we could plunge into this ocean once again

To get the better of the best

The 4 years are going far from us yet always close to us;

Collected in our memories which can never be forgotten but only reminisced.



V Nagisha'20 B.Tech Electronics and Communication Engineering

#### HAPPY MOMENTS

#### Congratulations everyone on the new beginnings

#### Swathi Ainala'15

(B.Tech Electronics and Communication Engineering) Child: Daiwik Sai



Harshita Narasimhan'19 (M.A English) Spouse: Siddharth







#### Muskein Singh'15

(B.Tech Computer Science and Engineering) Spouse: Rishma





#### Sajal Malhotra'15

(B.Tech Electronics and Communication Engineering) Spouse: Purva

#### SHUTTER SPACE



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Chayank Racharla'24

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#### SHUTTER SPACE



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## **THROWBACK**



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# Remembering Him In the loving memory of



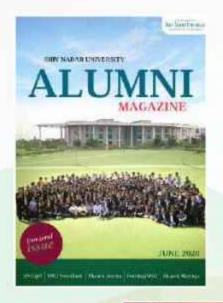
#### Mr. Arup Dey

1989 - 2022 Master of Business Administration, Class of 2018

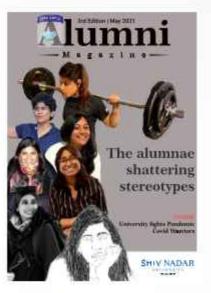
It is with great sadness that we announce the demise of our beloved alumni, Arup Dey (1989 - 2022), Master of Business Administration, Class of 2018. A true entrepreneurial spirit and a talented visionary, Arup Dey was a source of never-ending inspiration. He will be sorely missed by all those who knew him.

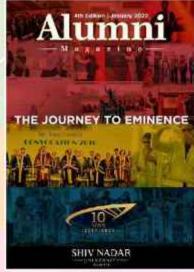
We express our sincerest condolences to Arup Dey's family, close relatives and friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

This edition was curated with the timely support and creative talent of many individuals and we send out our warm gratitude to them. If you wish to contribute to the upcoming edition of the Alumni Magazine, do share details and your content with us at alumnirelations@snu.edu.in!













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