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## MESSAGE FROM THE CHANCELLOR

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DIT University is bringing out another issue of its quarterly newsletter "Aarohan". This Newsletter exemplifies the multi-faceted literary skills of the

Dear students, I urge your maximum participation and involvement in different activities being conducted in the University. The faculty and staff are always there to support you, so that you can reach the pinnacle of perfection and

I congratulate the Editorial Board members on their tireless efforts in bringing out this edition. I also extend my sincere thanks to the staff and students who have contributed to this issue and enhanced its quality through their articles, poems, photography, short stories etc.

International Day of Yoga, or commonly and unofficially referred to as Yoga Day, is celebrated annually on 21 June since its inception in 2015 by the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA). The administration of DIT, like every year since the advent of this noted event, celebrated the day with utmost zeal and enthusiasm this year as well. The event started at 8:45 AM sharp with honorable dignitaries; namely Pro Vice-chancellor Brigadier (Dr) M Srinivasan (Retired) and Chief Proctor Dr Naveen Singhal; at the Vishwakarma

Different Yoga postures are meant to benefit different parts of the body and when combined as a whole, can improve the life-expectancy and health of a human being to an extent. The dignitaries who were also the guests of honor of the event taught the students and staff members different yoga postures and their benefits. Among these were the Tadasana (also known as Samasthiti or Mountain pose) and Uttanasana (also called Intense Forward Stretch). While the former is meant to correct body posture and body alignment, the latter tones the liver, spleen, kidneys, and the



#### LOQMAN NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL AWARDS

On 23rd June 2019, Dr. Manmohan Singhal (Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacy, DIT University) won the 'Young Scientist Award' at the Logman awards ceremony. Dr. Manmohan Singhal is a formidable asset to the University who has contributed greatly in its well-being and prosperity. He has also proven to be extremely supportive and encouraging to his colleagues and the students of the university. The man has always been passionate towards his work and it's this passion of his that has resulted in him winning the prestigious 'Young Scientist Award 2019'. We congratulate him and wish him good luck more such prestigious jewels of awards to be added to his crown.



#### NCC ANNUAL TRAINING CAMP

Over the past decade or two, women empowerment has become a significant topic of discussion in the development of society, economics and the world as a whole. Empowering the girls and promoting equality, a 10 days NCC Annual Training Camp (ATC) was held at DIT University for 530 NCC girl cadets. DIT University was proud to host Combined Annual Training Camp 'NCC 11 UK GIRLS BATTALION' from 27th June-6th July 2019. During this period, the university campus served as a haven for rigorous training and routine activities designed to create cadets out of girls from the battalion of 530 girl cadets from Dehradun district. It was an honor



and a proud moment for the University to host this an event this huge and of such significance. DIT University thanks NCC for providing the University with the opportunity to host this program

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#### **RANKING SURVEY 2019**

2019 kick started on a high note as DIT University got ample amount of recognition and appreciation from the outside world for its contribution in the field of Engineering. It bagged various positions in different categories in a survey conducted by the Times Engineering Institute, 2019.

Our institute ranked 37th amongst 140 public and private Engineering Institutions offering full-time 4-year programs. It ranked 26th amongst top private Engineering Institutions offering full-time 4-year programs.

With mass-recruiters like Cognizant, Wipro, Infosys, etc. there was an increase in the percentage of placement in 2019 which helped our University rank 50th for Best Placement Records amongst top Engineering Institutions. It was also awarded the 7th Topmost Institution in Northern India.

A proud feat for everyone at DIT indeed.

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30	Chaitanya Bharathi Institute of Technology, Hyderabad
31	Shri Dharmasthala Manjunateshwara College of Engineering And Technology, Dharwad
32	IMS Engineering College,Ghaziabad
33	Army Institute of Technology, Pune
34	Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering, Pune
35	Government College of Engineering Karad, (Satara Dist.)

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- 37 Siddaganga Institute of Technology Tumakuru
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- 40 Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderaba

#### **FAREWELL PARTY 2019**

What goes away as you leave this place, but comes back in memory. The murmur that you hear in libraries or in study groups as people work together in the evening. The sounds of music. The sounds of people talking to their parents on cell phones as they walk through corridors or down the lawn. The sounds of student life-sorority rush, joining other organizations, being together in the groups that define the community of student existence. The sounds of traffic. The sounds of carols. The sounds of exhilaration at each and every normal. The cheers at games, no matter what the sport is. To be completely honest, goodbyes never get easier, no matter how many times you rehearse them. The final flashes for the college life were experienced with pomp and gala. The happiness of seeing all of them spreading their wings and flying from their nests did make staff and students nostalgic. Every branch had their own special moments. It might be Mechanical, Electrical, Architecture or B.Pharm. It never mattered as they were collectively united by the name DITians. Time became impertinent as it sped up the events and soon we were at the points of sayonara. The sounds of music and laughter gradually dimmed when the realization of the circumstance hit. It was miserable to see each of them go down different paths while willfully hiding their tears but it was essential. Goodbye seniors. Yesterday brought the beginning, tomorrow brings the end, though somewhere in the middle we all became a family. A good one.

### NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY DAY

DIT University celebrated the National Technology Day on May 11 to mark Shakti, the historic feat of test-firing India's very first nuclear-capable missile. The nuclear tests that took place on May 11, 1998 saw late President of India, Dr APJ Abdul Kalam leading the team of Indian scientists to successfully test-fire the Shakti-1 nuclear missile at Rajasthan's Pokhran test range, in the district of Jaisalmer. Apart from the nuclear tests being conducted, India's first indigenous aircraft - the Hansa 3 also took flight in the state of Bengaluru, the very next year. DRDO added to the day's importance by successfully completing the test-fire sessions of Trishul, India's surfaceto-air missile.

The day is a significant milestone in the history of India's technological innovations and is commemorated every year by honouring the architects of such innovations. DIT University is proud to be a part of the MAKE IN INDIA campaign with our very own version as MADE IN DIT, MADE FOR THE WORLD.

Events like DITU Lab & Campus visits, AV film on Space/Earth Development, Online Quiz (Aptitude, General Knowledge & Science) and Sports & Fun Activities took place. In the event many school students, academicians and industry experts participated. The quiz exam was conducted for school students to test their skills and talent in different areas of science, computing, and general awareness. The school students were awarded prizes for their talent.

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## **\*\*Faculty Achievements\*\***

Ms. Mauli Shree Mishra, Assistant Professor, School of Architecture & Design has awarded Scholar Ship from Indian National Trust for Art and Cultural Heritage

