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Exemplary Achievement: VFSTR Student Achieved Ph.D. and Prestigious Central Government Fellowship



Ms. Dr. D. Bhargavi, a Ph.D. scholar in the Department of Chemistry at Vignan's University, has successfully obtained her doctorate degree. Her research, titled "Design, Synthesis of Novel Heterocyclic Compounds Based on Sacubitril, Piperazine, Indazole Moieties, and Their Biological Activities," was conducted under the guidance of Prof. Koya Prabhakara Rao and Dr. M. Sireesha. Throughout her Ph.D. program, she demonstrated remarkable productivity, publishing five scientific papers in high-impact journals and receiving two best paper awards at national conferences.

Furthermore, her accomplishments have earned her recognition beyond academia. She has been awarded a prestigious postdoctoral fellowship by the Department of Science and Technology (DST), a central government funding agency. With this fellowship, she will be conducting research at the esteemed Indian Institute of Chemical Technology (CSIR-IICT), Hyderabad, collaborating with Dr. Nagender Punna to explore new organic molecules for various drug properties.

This outstanding achievement has been acknowledged and celebrated by the leadership of Vignan Institutions, including Dr. Lavu Rathaiah (Chairman), Dr. Lavu Krishna Devarayaulu (Vice Chairman and Member of Parliament), and Dr. P. Nagabhushan (Vice Chancellor), along with all heads of departments and deans. Ms. Dr. D. Bhargavi's dedication and contributions to the field of chemistry exemplify the excellence upheld by Vignan's University.

The Department Of Food Technology Hosts An Insightful Guest Lecture On Current Trends And Challenges In The Food Industry.



In a recent event on January 20, 2024, the Department of Food Technology organized a guest lecture. The resource person of the event was Mr. Prasanth T.N., Manager Quality Assurance and R&D at Priya Pickles (Ushodaya Enterprises). The esteemed speaker, with over 25 years of experience in food technology, addressed students on recent trends and challenges in the food industry. Mr. Prasanth emphasized the importance of passion and continuous learning in the field, as well as the process of moving food from the laboratory to full-scale production.

During the lecture, Mr. Prasanth discussed the current scenario of the food processing sector, highlighting the impact of technological development, e-commerce, and digitalization on its growth. He also addressed the challenges faced in daily processing, such as competition, consumer acceptance, and the consequences of minor errors. The speaker underlined the significance of having scientific, practical, and technical knowledge for individuals entering the field and the importance of networking and knowledge-sharing in the industry.

The guest lecture turned out to be an interactive session where students actively participated and gained valuable insights. These insights are expected to empower students, helping them make informed decisions about their future careers in the dynamic and challenging field of food technology.



Dr. Jyotsna Devi Bodapati's Expertise in AI/ML and Data Science for Industry 4.0 Applications

Dr. Jyotsna Devi Bodapati, an Associate Professor at VFSTR, was invited as a distinguished resource person at NITTTR Chandigarh's ICT-based Short-Term Course on "AI/ML and Data Science for Industry 4.0." Her expertise in transfer learning strategies and NLP for industrial text data provided valuable insights essential for Industry 4.0 applications. Her lectures were enlightening and garnered appreciation from the participants, highlighting her significant contributions to the field.



PhD to Scholar of Mechanical Department

VFSTR, has recently conferred a PhD degree to Garigipati Prithvi Raju, a research scholar from the Department of Mechanical Engineering in the Core Engineering discipline. As a part of his research Mr.Raju worked on the area "Preparation, Characterization and Computational Machining Studies on Aluminum Silicon 7-Silicon Carbide Composite." He did his research under the guidance of former professor K. Balamurugan from the Mechanical Department.



This significant accomplishment highlights VFSTR's commitment to fostering academic excellence and promoting research in the field of mechanical engineering.

Birthday Wishes
Students, Staff and Management wishes
Happy Birthday to
21.02.2024
Dr. Naveen Kumar B.N
Asst. Prof., S&H
18.02.2024
Dr. B. Sudharani
Sr. Asst. Prof. ACSE
Dr. Thottempudi Prabhakara Rao
Asst. Prof., AE

Staff Attendance Details on 21-02-2024

Staff	% of Attendance	% of Staff on duty	% of Staff on Leave	% of Staff on Absent
Teaching	90.02	2.04	9.37	0.61
Non teaching	89.46	0	9.19	1.35

Vignan Priyadarshini Girls Hostel 20.02.2024

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	1492	386	1881	11
Lunch	1462	419	1881	33
Snacks	1410	471	1881	14
Dinner	1495	386	1881	32

NTR Vignan Library 20.02.2024

NO. OF VISITORS (STUDENTS)	1828
NO. OF VISITORS (STAFF)	94
NO. OF BOOK ISSUES	109
NO. OF BOOK RETURNS	98

Vignan Vihar Boys Hostel 20.02.2024

Time	Present	Absent	Total	Wastage in kgs
Breakfast	1574	96	1670	12
Lunch	1621	49	1670	20
Snacks	1590	80	1670	11
Dinner	1638	35	1670	22

Finance 16.02.2024

Particulars	Amount in Lakhs
Dean R&D Dept.	3354
Naga Sai Traders, Gnt	4920
Dr.B.Nageswara Rao, E-Cell	14000
Maharaja Marketing - Vja	2500
Johnson Lifts Private Limited, Vijayawada	657661
204 - Staff Refreshments & Welfare Expenses	3750
905 - Guest House Exp	7499
B.Anjaneyulu, Marketing Staff	10000
The Jijo Events, Guntur	739801
K.Rama Mohan,Estate Manager	8200
Sk.Azgar Ali, False Ceiling	29155
Poojitha Iron & Steel & Aluminium Works ARXPT7235L	73527
306 - Industrial Visit Expenses	7200
306 - Industrial Visit Expenses	13050
920 - Travelling & Accommodation Exp	2200
K. Balakrishna, Asst Prof. EEE	10000
920 - Travelling & Accommodation Exp	5317
Extension Services- NCC	43005
Fee Collection from students - 44	24,77,000
TOTAL	41,12,139

Diploma Dept. wise consoldt. attend. (1st hour) (Excluding Blocked Students)

Branch	Strength	Absent	Present	%
DECE	9	9	9	100
DCSE	77	77	61	79
TOTAL	77	77	61	79

M.Tech Dept. wise consoldt. attend. (1st hour) (Excluding Blocked Students)

Branch	Strength	Absent	Present	%
CIVIL	3	3	1	33
MD	1	1	--	--
FM	2	2	--	--
FT	5	5	--	--
CSE	14	14	--	--
TOTAL	25	25	1	4

PG Dept. wise consoldt. attend. (1st hour) (Excluding Blocked Students)

Branch	Strength	Absent	Present	%
MCA	63	63	36	57
CHEMISTRY	20	20	7	35
OC	46	46	9	19
TOTAL	129	129	52	40

Power Consumption on the campus

(A, H, U & N -Block, Boys hostel, Guest house, etc.)	9140
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Lunch Availed by Staff 21.02.2024

'A', 'H', 'U' & 'N' Block	510
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Girls Hostel Students Information Date : 20-02-2024

Total No. of students in hostel	Presen-tees	Students went to outing	
1727	1637	90	
Total no. of students attending for study hours	Attended	Not Attended	
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Total no. of students engaging in sports/NCC	Participated	Not participated	
Sports -100 NCC-50	0	150	
No. of sick students in the hostel UG			
1 st year	2 nd year	3 rd year	4 th year
6	1	2	0

B.Tech. Dept. wise consoldt. attend. (1st hour) (Excluding Blocked Students)

Branch	Strength	Absent	Present	%
TT	17	17	16	94
CHEM	34	34	31	91
AIANDML	289	288	226	78
BI	198	198	151	76
CSECS	143	143	98	68
BIOTECH	329	329	222	67
EEE	138	138	92	66
RA	28	28	18	64
CSE	1497	1497	942	62
DS	55	55	34	61
MECH	84	83	51	60
S&H	2770	2770	1661	59
IT	319	319	185	57
ECE	609	608	337	55
FT	82	82	45	54
BM	103	103	56	54
CIVIL	53	53	24	45
CSBS	71	71	31	43
AG	84	81	27	32
AME	12	12	0	0
PE	2	2	0	0
TOTAL	6917	6911	4247	61

UG Dept. wise consoldt. attend. (1st hour) (Excluding Blocked Students)

Branch	Strength	Absent	Present	%
BBA	119	119	97	81
BCA	187	187	106	56
BSC	78	78	40	51
B.PHARM	161	161	68	42
BSC HONS	143	73	19	13
Total	688	618	330	47

LAW Dept. wise consoldt. attend. (1st hour) (Excluding Blocked Students)

Branch	Strength	Absent	Present	%
B.B.A(LLB)	36	36	29	80
B.A (LLB)	46	46	31	67
TOTAL	82	82	60	73

Branch Wise Attendance Entry Status Report 21-02-2024

Branch Name	Total No of Periods	No of Periods Posted Attendance In-Time	No of Periods Posted Attendance Late
CSE	355	67	288
BIOTECH	264	68	196
S&H	276	96	180
BI	134	36	98
ECE	142	56	86
AIANDML	96	19	77
IT	105	37	68
MECH	74	28	46
FT	62	23	39
CSECS	45	9	36
BM	54	19	35
EEE	44	13	31
CSBS	35	5	30
RA	40	11	29
CIVIL	39	12	27
DS	29	5	24
TT	29	7	22
CHEM	30	9	21
AG	14	5	9
PE	7	5	2
TOTAL	1874	530	1344

Did you ever stop to think, and forget to start again?