

**Report of activities conducted for Students**  
**Department of Library and Information Science**  
**School of Mathematics, Computer and Information Science**  
**Central University of Himachal Pradesh**  
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**FOUNDATION DAY WEEK LECTURE-I (JANUARY 28, 2022)**

On the occasion of Foundation Week of CUHP Celebrations, online lecture was organized on “**Too Much Information**” by the Department of Library and Information Science (DLIS), CUHP on 28-01-2022 at 11:30 a.m.

**Dr Shashank. S. Sonwane, Associate Professor from the Department of Library and Information Science, from Dr B.R. Ambedkar Marathwada University** was the spokesperson for the lecture.

The Head of the department Dr Dimple Patel gave the welcome address and Dr Shivarama Rao introduced the resource person to the audience. Next Prof. Ambrish Kumar Mahajan (Dean Student Welfare) again welcomed the resource person and enlightened the audience with his generous words. He then emphasized the issues regarding the excessive growth in information seen these past years and how it can become troublesome for a user to find an exact information. The resource person gave a presentation where he described the topic comprehensively and explained the concept of Information, types of information, search engines, indexes and abstracts, online databases and its related aspects.

The highlights of the lecture are listed below:

1. He discussed how information explosion can be troubling?

As the amount of available data grows, the problem of managing the information becomes more difficult, which can lead to information overload.

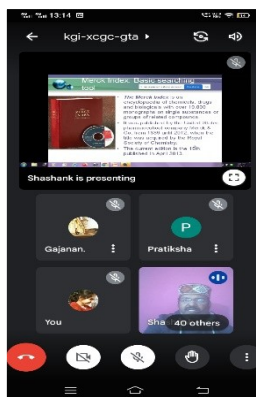
2. Then he described, how Ranganathan has categorized the documents into:

Conventional, Neo-conventional, Non-conventional, and Meta documents

3. He further also discussed Grogan classification of documents which are: primary, secondary and tertiary.

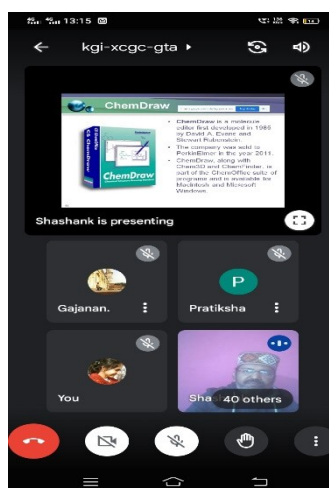
4. Then he explained basic information searching tools like:

- **Merck Index:** The Merck Index has been regarded as the most authoritative and reliable source of information on chemicals, drugs and biologicals. Now this trusted resource is available online from the Royal Society of Chemistry.

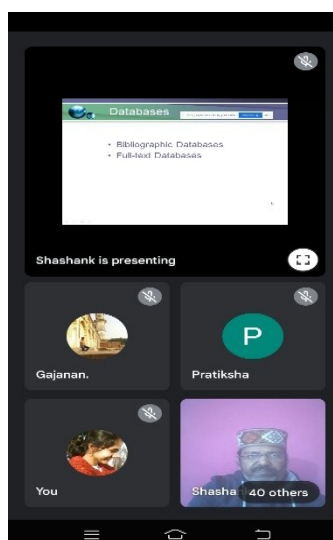


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- Chem Draw:** It is a molecule editor first developed in 1985 by David A. Evans and Stewart Rubenstein. The company was sold to PerkinElmer in the year 2011. Chem Draw, along with Chem3D and Chem Finder, is part of the Chem Office suite of programs and is available for Macintosh and Microsoft Windows.

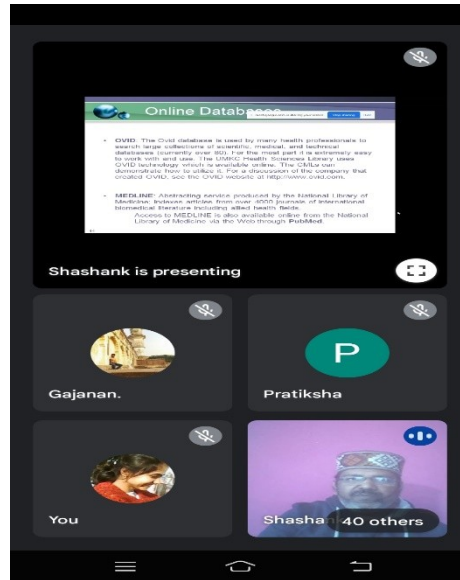


- He continued his lecture with Databases and its types. he said mainly there are two types of databases **Bibliographic database and full text database.**

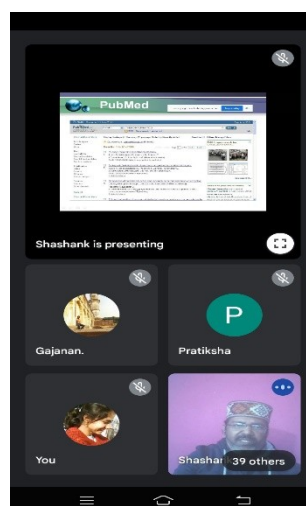


And mentioned some online databases:

- The **Ovid** interface provides access to a range of databases, e-journals and e- books. The databases are particularly useful for identifying journal articles and other publications on a particular topic within the subject areas covered by each database. It is used by health professionals.
- **Medline:** MEDLINE is a bibliographic database of life sciences and biomedical information. It includes bibliographic information for articles from academic journals covering medicine, nursing, pharmacy, dentistry, veterinary medicine, and health care.



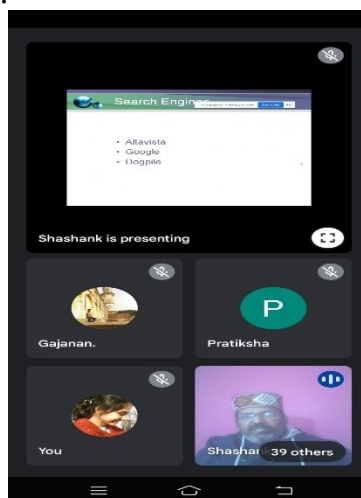
- **PubMed:** PubMed was developed and is maintained by the National Centre for Biotechnology Information (NCBI), at the U.S. National Library of Medicine (NLM), located at the National Institutes of Health (NIH). PubMed is a free resource supporting the search and retrieval of biomedical and life sciences literature with the aim of improving health—both globally and personally.



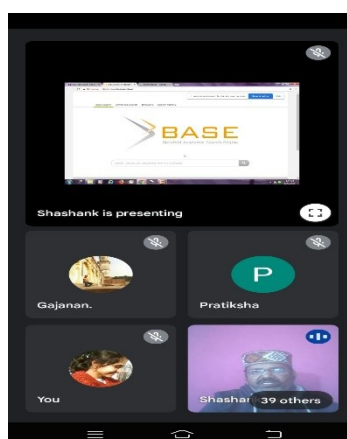
6. Next **Dr Sonwane** continued his online interaction with participants on Search Engines few of them which were discussed are mentioned below:
  - **Altavista:** AltaVista was a Web search engine established in 1995. It became one of the most-used early search engines, but lost ground to Google and was

purchased by Yahoo! in 2003, which retained the brand, but based all AltaVista searches on its own search engine.

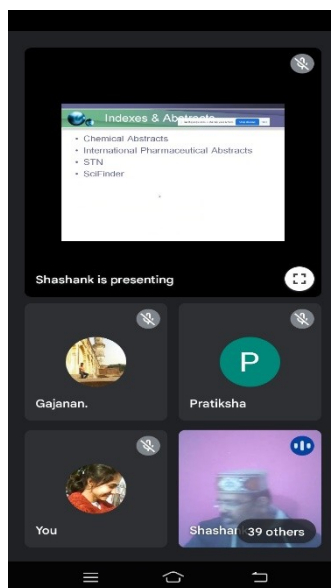
- **Google:** Google Search, is a search engine provided by Google. Handling over 3.5 billion searches per day, it has a 92% share of the global search engine market. It is also the most-visited website in the world
- **Dogpile:** Dogpile is a metasearch engine for information on the World Wide Web that fetches results from Google, Yahoo!, Yandex, Bing, and other popular search engines, including those from audio and video content providers such as Yahoo!



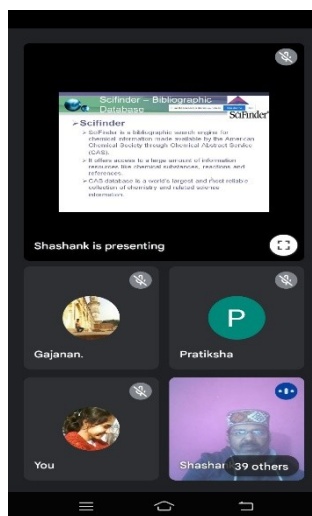
- **BASE:** It is one of the world's most voluminous search engines especially for academic web resources. BASE provides more than 240 million documents from more than 8,000 content providers. You can access the full texts of about 60% of the indexed documents for free (Open Access). BASE is operated by Bielefeld University Library. Includes indexing the metadata of all kinds of academically relevant resources – journals, institutional repositories, digital collections etc. – which provide an OAI interface and use OAI-PMH for providing their contents.



7. Next, he spoke about **Indexes and Abstracts** services like Chemical Abstract services, International Pharmaceutical Abstracts, STN and Sci Finder.

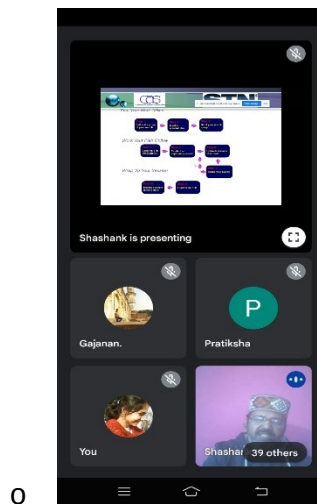


- **Sci Finder:** It is a resource from the Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS), is a curated database of chemical and bibliographic information that covers several scientific and biomedical fields, with an emphasis on chemistry.

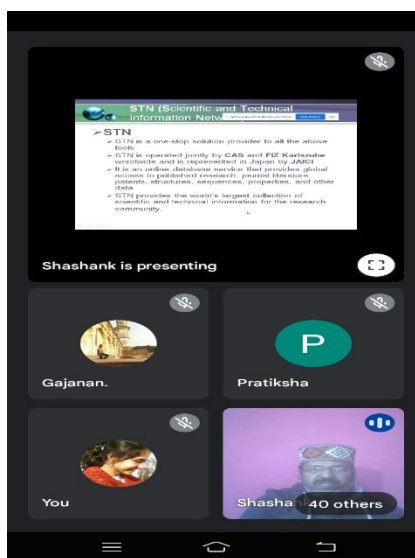


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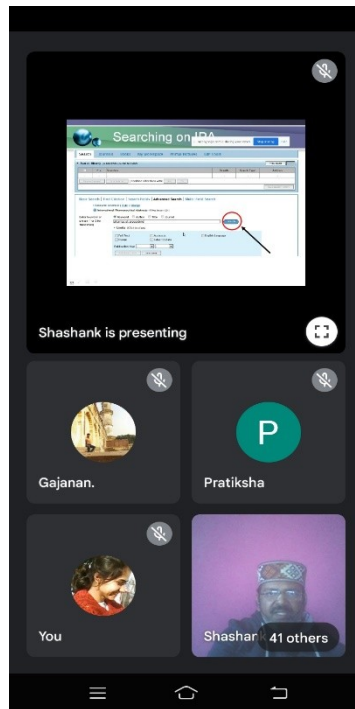
- **CAS:** Founded in 1907 as a volunteer effort to organize published chemistry research, CAS officially became a self-supporting division of the American Chemical Society in 1956.



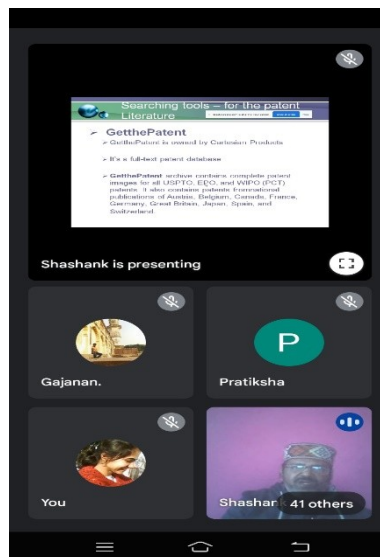
- STN:** It is the search tool that information professionals and patent experts, including the world's major patent offices, depend on for precision searching and comprehensive, timely and high-quality coverage of scientific and intellectual property information. STN provides access to key science, technology and patent databases and is the premier single source for the world's disclosed scientific and technical research. STN databases can be accessed through STN Express®, STN® on the Web SM and STN Easy®. STN is operated jointly by Chemical Abstracts Service (CAS) in North America and FIZ Karlsruhe in Europe with representation in Japan by Association for International Chemical Information (JAICI).



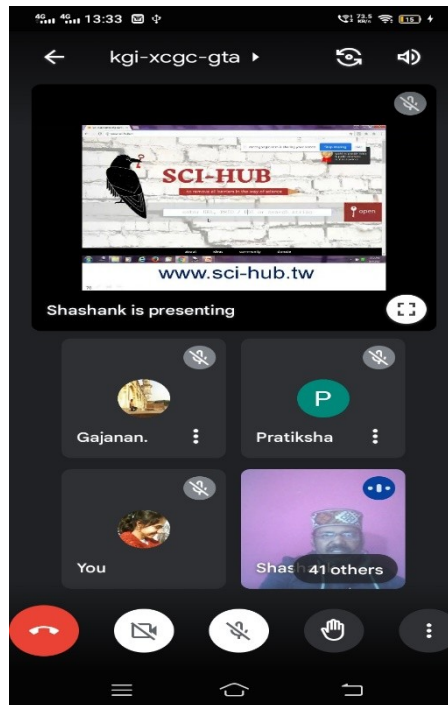
- International Pharmaceutical:** Abstracts is an index of worldwide pharmacology, pharmacy, and health-related drug literature published from 1970 to the present. Citations come from over 800 journals, including all U.S. state pharmacy journals. The resources indexed in this database cover a wide range of drug therapy and pharmaceutical topics, including biopharmaceuticals, pharmacokinetics, drug delivery systems, pharmacist liability, and legal, political, and ethical issues. Abstracts for clinical studies are a highlight of the database, and they include the study design, number of patients, dosage, dosage forms, and dosage schedule.



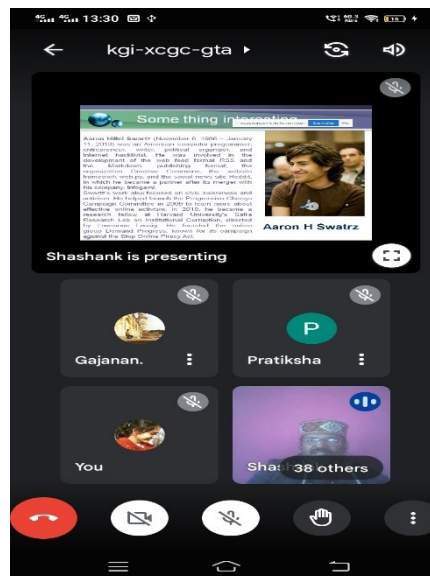
- The **GetthePatent.com** archive contains complete patent images for all USPTO, EPO, and WIPO (PCT) patents, as well as the national publications of Austria, Belgium, Canada, France, Germany, Great Britain, Japan, Spain, and Switzerland. In addition, the archive contains the full text and bibliographic information for every USPTO patent issued since 1976, as well as all published USPTO patent applications.



- **Sci-Hub** is a shadow library website that provides free access to millions of research papers and books, without regard to copyright, by bypassing publishers' paywalls in various ways. Sci-Hub was founded by Alexandra Elbakyan in 2011 in Kazakhstan in response to the high cost of research papers behind paywalls.



In the end he briefly mentioned Aaron Hillel Swartz, who was an American computer programmer, entrepreneur, writer, political organizer, and Internet hacktivist.



Then there was an interactive question and answer session following the presentation and the session came to an end with the proposal of vote of thanks by one of the students of Department of Library and Information Science (DLIS), CUHP.

**FOUNDATION DAY WEEK LECTURE-II (JANUARY 29, 2022)**



The department of Library and Information Science (DLIS), CUHP had organized Online Lecture on "**Education and Learning: A Journey from Gurukul to Google**" on the occasion of Foundation Week of CUHP on 29/01/2022 at 11:30 AM.

**Prof. KP Singh from the Department of Library and Information Science, Delhi University**, was the Speaker of the Lecture.

The online session started with the welcome address given by Dr Dimple Patel (Head, DLIS, CUHP). She briefed all the participants about the online lecture and Prof. Vishal Sood (Registrar, CUHP) enlightened the audience with the need for online education, especially in the present pandemic scenario. And Dr Shivarama Rao K (Associate Professor, DLIS, CUHP) shared the brief profile of the Speaker to the participants.

Prof. KP Singh started the session by remembering all the faculty, staff, and students who had contributed to the establishment of CUHP and DLIS. He had also paid tribute to the Late Prof. Inder Vir Malhan, who had taken the department to new heights.

Prof. KP Singh gave an eye-opening Lecture on "Education and Learning: A Journey from Gurukul to Google". He distinguished the concept of education and learning.

He discussed the **trinity of Knowledge**, also known as *Jnana*. And said it comprises of three main components which are:

- Intelligent (Dhi);
- Values (Dharma);
- Dexterity (Daksha).

And also mentioned the **core components of Value Education** which are

- Creativity,
- Collaborative and Experiential Learning,
- Diversity & Inclusion,
- Entrepreneurship and Excellence,
- Ethical Conduct,
- Global Citizenship,
- Innovation, and
- Social Responsibility.

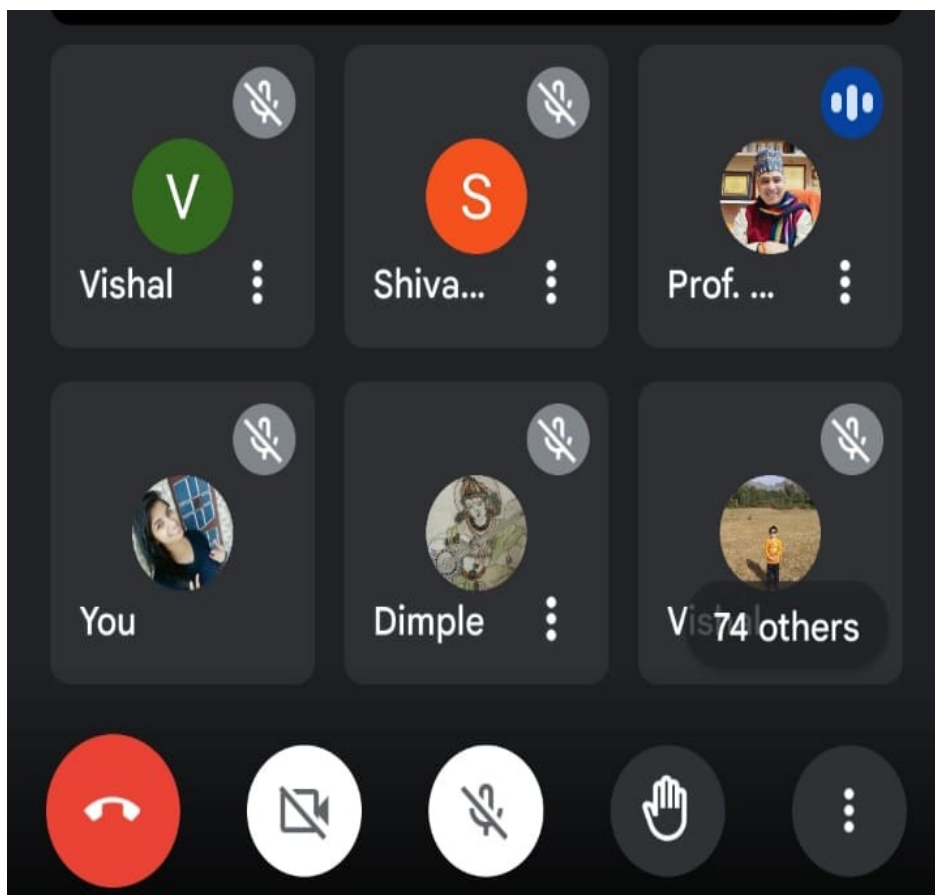
Which he later discussed briefly in his session.

He also explained **the Gurukul Training Methodology and Present Education System** and discussed various education commissions of India implemented during pre- and post-independence and emphasized especially on National Education Policy-2020.

Later, he talked about the **use of Google in education** and discussed various Google Apps useful in the education system such as Google Classroom, Google Drive, Google Meet, Google Scholar, etc.

He concluded his lecture with detailed discussion on Challenges in Higher Education and Academic Research. And also discussed various dimensions of education, ethics, employability sustainability etc. in his lecture.

Many students, research scholars, and faculties of different departments participated in this session. And the programme came to an end with the proposal of vote of thanks by Ms. Akanksha Parmar (Research Scholar, DLIS, CUHP).

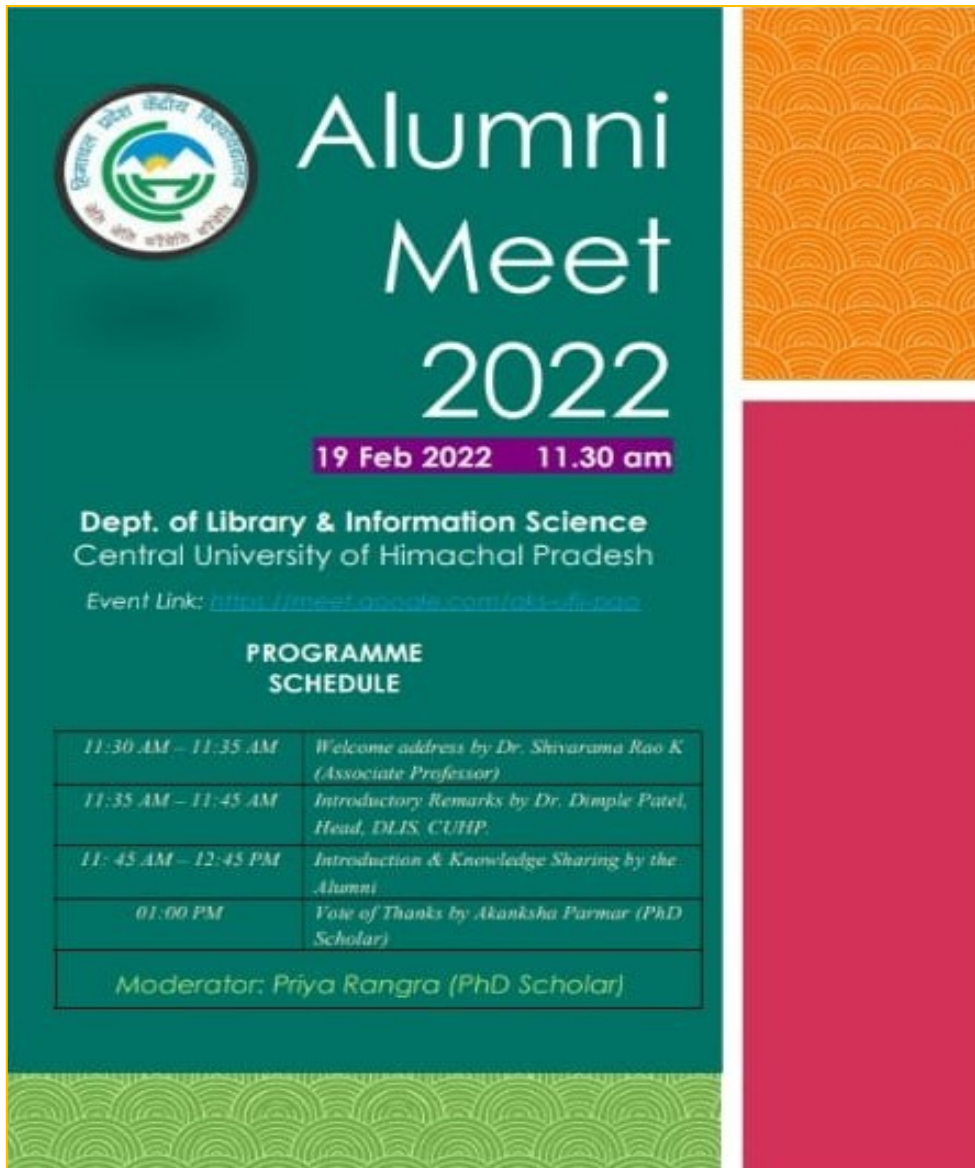





### 6th Board of Studies

The meeting of the 6<sup>th</sup> Board of Studies of the Department of Library and information Science, School of Mathematics, Computer and Information Sciences, central University of Himachal Pradesh, Temporary Academic Block, Sahapur Was held through Online mode on Google meet (<https://meet.google.com/rdy-jsud-cbh>) on the 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2021 at 10:30 AM. During the meeting, all members were available on Goole Meet.

## Alumni Meet (19 Feb 2022)

The poster for the Alumni Meet 2022 features a dark green background with a circular logo of the Central University of Himachal Pradesh (CUHP) in the top left. The text 'Alumni Meet 2022' is prominently displayed in white. Below it, the date and time '19 Feb 2022 11.30 am' are shown in a purple box. The organizing department, 'Dept. of Library & Information Science, Central University of Himachal Pradesh', and an event link are listed. A 'PROGRAMME SCHEDULE' table details the agenda, including welcome addresses, introductory remarks, and a voice of thanks. The moderator is Priya Rangra. The poster is decorated with orange and green circular patterns on the right and bottom edges.

 Alumni Meet 2022

19 Feb 2022 11.30 am

Dept. of Library & Information Science  
Central University of Himachal Pradesh

Event Link: <https://meet.google.com/fkx-ji-paa>

**PROGRAMME SCHEDULE**

11:30 AM – 11:35 AM	Welcome address by Dr. Shivarama Rao K (Associate Professor)
11:35 AM – 11:45 AM	Introductory Remarks by Dr. Dimple Patel, Head, DLIS, CUHP.
11:45 AM – 12:45 PM	Introduction & Knowledge Sharing by the Alumni.
01:00 PM	Voice of Thanks by Akanksha Parmar (PhD Scholar)
Moderator: Priya Rangra (PhD Scholar)	

The Department of Library and Information Science has organised its first Alumni meet through virtual mode on February 19, 2022 from 11:30am to 1:30pm. The objectives of the alumni meet was to celebrate the old memories, develop and maintain a long term relationship with the alumni working in different organisations.

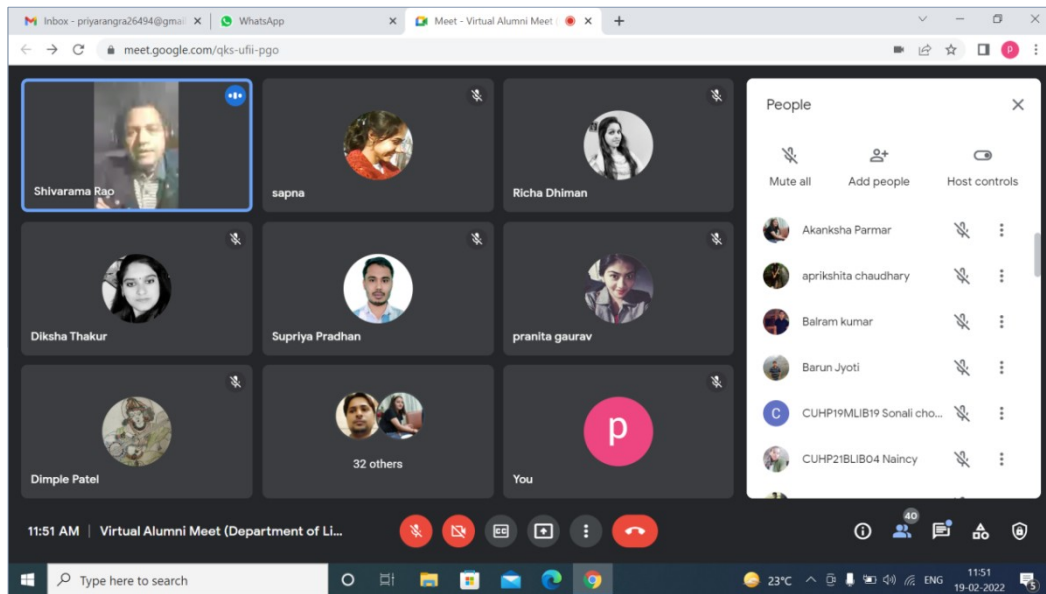
The invitation for the meet was circulated in the Alumni WhatsApp group. A good number of alumni of the department are well positioned in different Universities, Libraries (Assistant Professor, Scientist, Librarian, Assistant Librarian etc.) including reputed institutes in India like Mahatma Gandhi Central University, Bihar, INFLIBNET Gandhinagar, Sahitya Academy, New Delhi, IAS Shimla etc.

Prior to the virtual alumni meet, the event registration details were shared to the alumni through social media platform like WhatsApp, telegram, personal email, messages and phone calls.

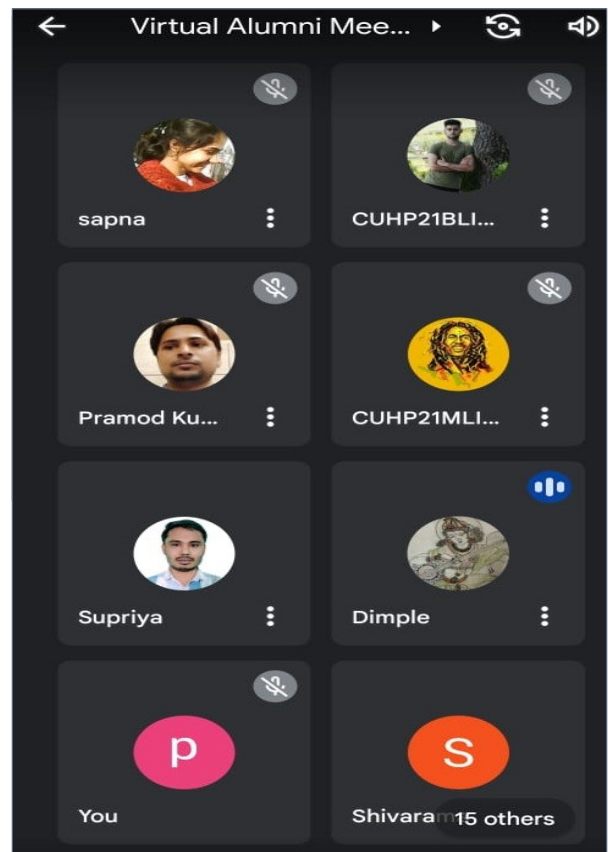
The programme was started with opening remarks by Mrs. Priya Rangra, Research Scholar and Moderator of the programme. She expressed her gratitude to all the Alumni for joining the event. She introduced herself and welcomed all the alumni, Head of the department, faculty members of the department. She thanked Dr. Dimple Patel, Dr. Shivarama Rao and Mr. Murali for organizing alumni meet and providing the opportunities to interact with current batch students and refresh our past memories, sharing experience and knowledge with each other. She also said that we could not gathered physically due to Covid pandemic so it is not easy to possible to gather physically, social distancing is much important in this time. She gave special thanks to faculty members for creating department's alumni group for posting job notifications, seminars, conferences etc. She also said the some of the alumni were not present today because of their personal reasons and some have engaged in the election duty for Punjab state elections.

Later, Dr. Shivarama Rao formally welcomed all the alumni members. He said this day is very important because it gives opportunities to everyone to share their experience, suggestions regarding academic and career related issues. He called them ***“Alumni is one of the major pillars of any academic institution”***. In his address, he said that going forward department will continue to conduct alumni meet at least once in a year.

In his speech he mentioned the initiative taken by the Late Prof. I.V. Malhan and his contribution in establishing the department and making this department one of the best in the country.



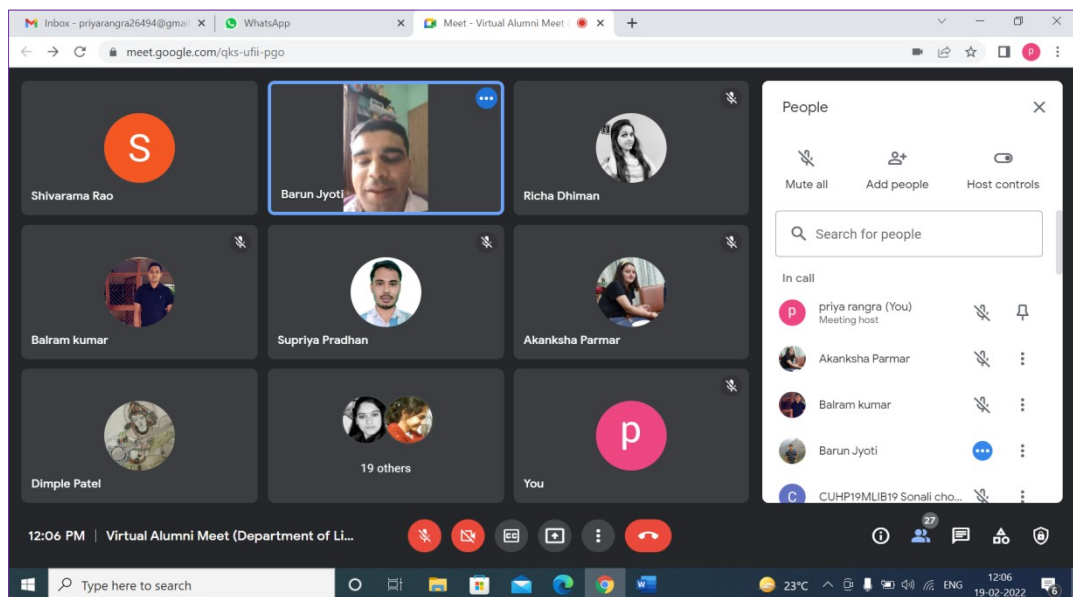
Dr. Dimple Patel, Head of Department in her introductory remarks thanked Mr. Murali and Dr. Shivarama Rao for organizing this event. She said that department was started in the year 2010 and Prof. I.V.Malhan was the founder Head and the Dean of School of Mathematics, Computer & Information Science. She also remembered Prof. I V Malhan who left for the heavenly abode in the year 2020. She updated the activities



and initiatives taken by the department ever since the alumni graduated from the university. This include establishment of departmental computer lab and she appraised the efforts of Prof. Malhan and Mr. N Karunakar.

Later, the moderator requested the Alumni members to introduce themselves and share their views, knowledge and experiences in sequence.

One of the distinguished Alumni Sh. Barun Kumar from the first batch spoke about his experiences. He said, at present he is working in Sahitya Akademy Library, New Delhi. He spoke about how he can help to get the jobs and guidance for career planning for job seekers.



Another alumna from second batch Mrs. Sapna who is working as Assistant Professor at Mahatma Gandhi Central University, Bihar gave remarks about the event. She said that she came to this position only due to the constant support from teachers and she is very much thankful to the department forever. She also said that she is presently pursuing Ph.D in Library & Information Science under the guidance of Dr. Dimple Patel. She also thanked Prof. Malhan, Mr. Karunakar, Dr. Dimple and Dr. Shivarama Rao for their valuable guidance and help.

Later on, Mr. Supriya Pradhan, Scientific Technical Assistant working at INFLIBNET Gandhinagar who completed his PG in the year 2017-2019 shared his experience. He told “he gave several interviews and served in various institutions before joining INFLIBNET. He worked as Library internship at IIM, Ahmadabad and said that IIM Library provides best in class information services like special software for visually challenged person, Digital Display Board, Bulletin Board etc. Later, he got selected as Library Assistant in Indian Maritime University, Mumbai. He thanked all the faculty members for their support, love and motivation.

Ms. Shivali, Assistant Librarian from CT Group of Institute, Jalandhar spoke about her experience with the department. Vanshika Guleria from 2016-2018 batch expressed her gratitude to the department and teachers. She wrote several research articles and recently wrote a book chapter on OJAS. She is presently working at IIAS, Shimla.

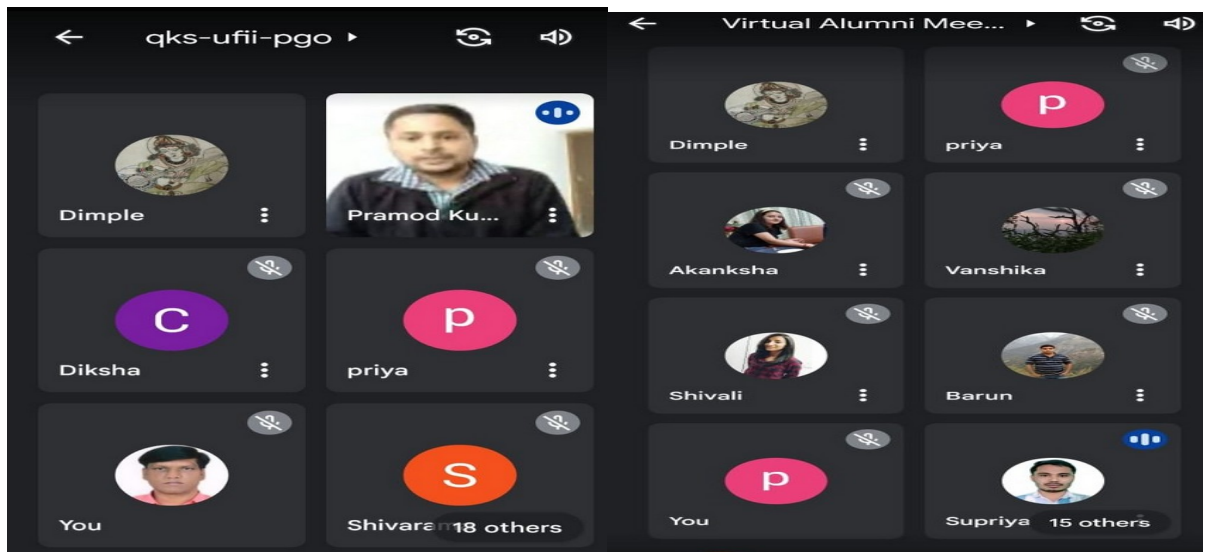
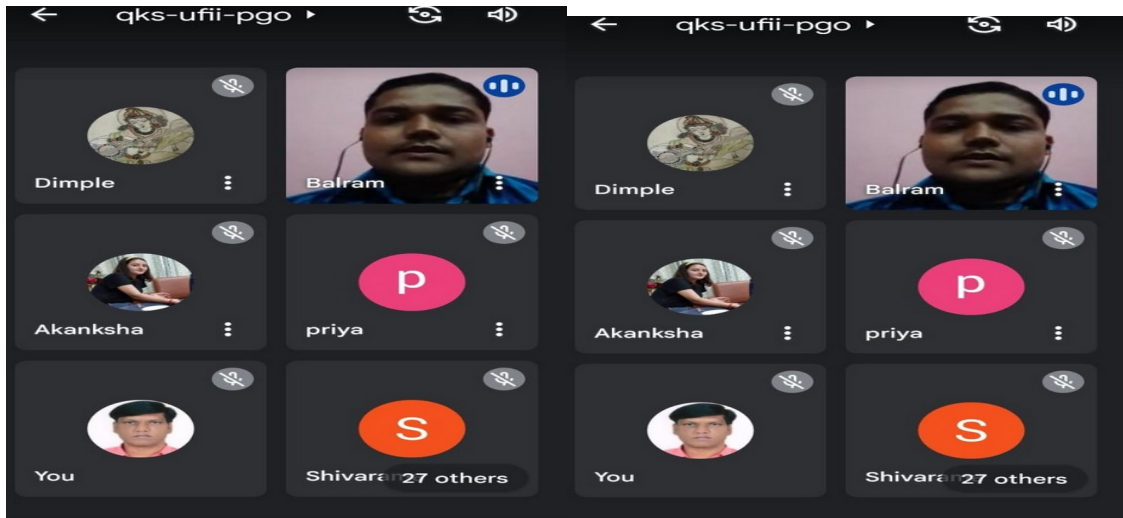
Ms. Akansha Parmar, Mr. Vikramjeet, Mr. Balram, Mr. Pramod Kumar, Ms. Sakshi, Ms. Yamini Sharma and Vishal gave their introduction and narrated their journey at CUHP that eventually led them to settle down in their respective fields. Total 40 alumni have participated in the online event.

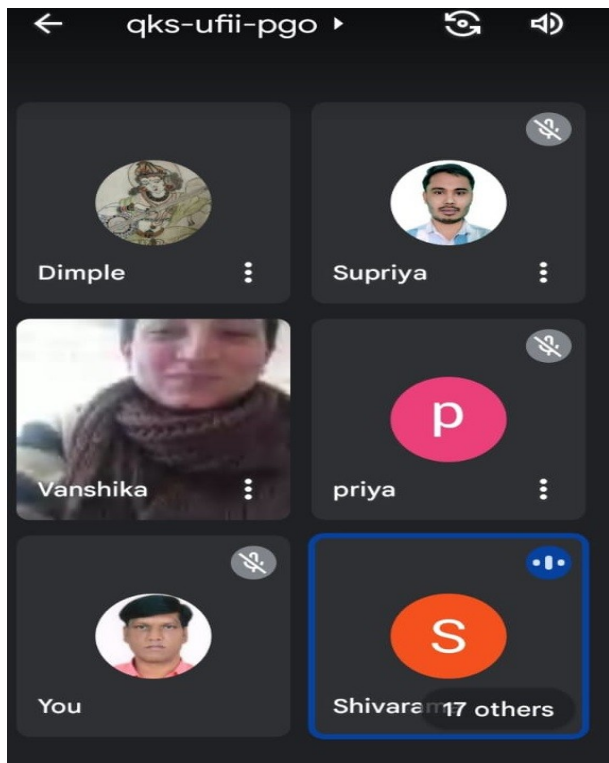
In real sense, this event has brought all the Alumni, Department and the university further closer. A decision was taken during the event that some of the well placed Alumni will connect with the students and will conduct career counselling sessions for career aspiring students.

On this positive note, Ms. Akansha Parmar, Research Scholar of the department extended vote of thanks to all the Alumni and faculty members present in the meet.

### ***Snap Shots of the event***







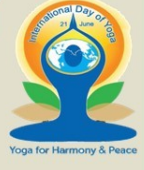
### Yoga Fest 2022

The Department of Library and Information Science has Participated in Yoga Fest and conducted a season of Yoga on 26 May 2022 by Yoga Teacher Srimati Devaki Sharma Ji.





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## योग-उत्सव



दिनांक: 26 मई 2022

पुस्तकालय एवं सूचना विज्ञान: 11:30 - 12:30

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कार्यक्रम स्थल: सभागार, शाहपुर परिसर

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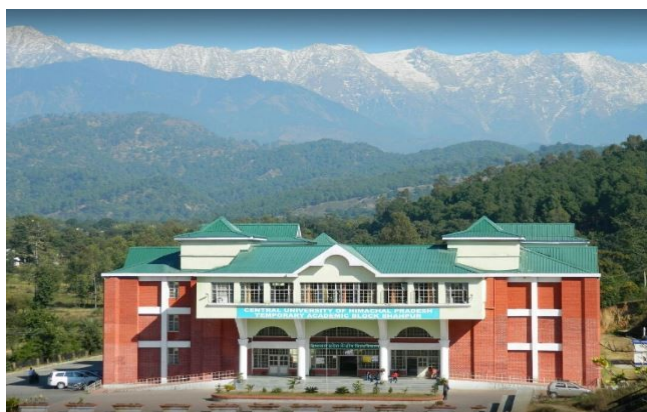
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**Foundation week of CUHP Celebrations**

**ONLINE LECTURE**

**Topic – Enhancing Research Visibility: Trends,  
Techniques and Strategies**

**22 January 2023 6.00 PM – 7.00 PM**



Link - <https://meet.google.com/fvc-vaao-mfb>

**Organised by**

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**Central University of Himachal Pradesh**

On the occasion of Foundation week of CUHP celebrations, the Department of Library and Information Science organised two day online lecture. Topic of the first day lecture **Enhancing Research Visibility: Trends, Techniques and Strategies** is the topic of the first day lecture. The online lecture was started at 6.00 pm by Dr. Dimple Patel, Associate Professor, Head DLIS and Dean School of Mathematics, Computer and Information Science. She addressed honorable Vice Chancellor of CUHP Dr. Sat Prakash Bansal and the resource person of the day Dr. Santosh C. H. She introduced the topic and



responsibly coordinated the lecture. The objectives of the lecture through virtual platform is to make students and research scholars aware of the importance of research visibility and different techniques and platforms available for the same.

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On the Occasion of  
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Online Lecture On

**Topic:- "Enhancing Research Visibility: Trends, Techniques and Strategies"**

**Date: 22 January 2023**

**Time: 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM**

**ORGANISED BY:**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCES**  
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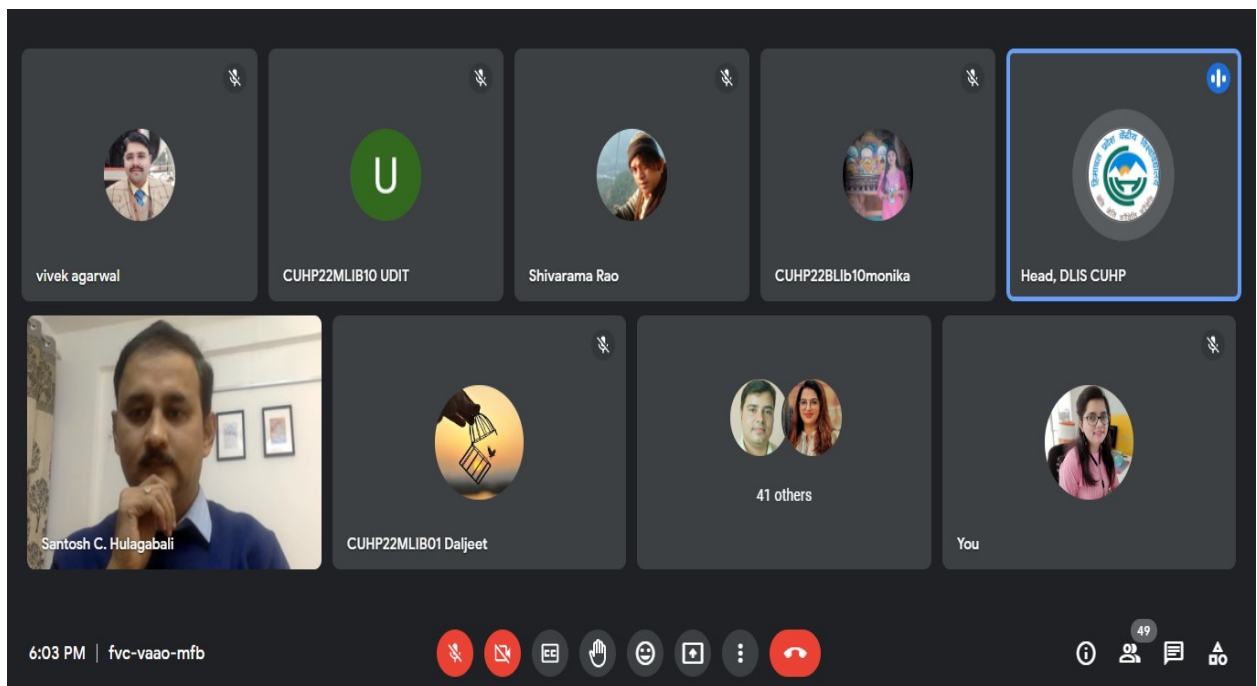
**Speaker: Dr. SANTOSH C. H.,**  
University Librarian  
Central University of Haryana

**Patron:**  
Prof. Pardeep Kumar  
Dean-Academics, CUHP

**Convenor:**  
Prof. Ambrish Kumar Mahajan  
Director IQAC, CUHP

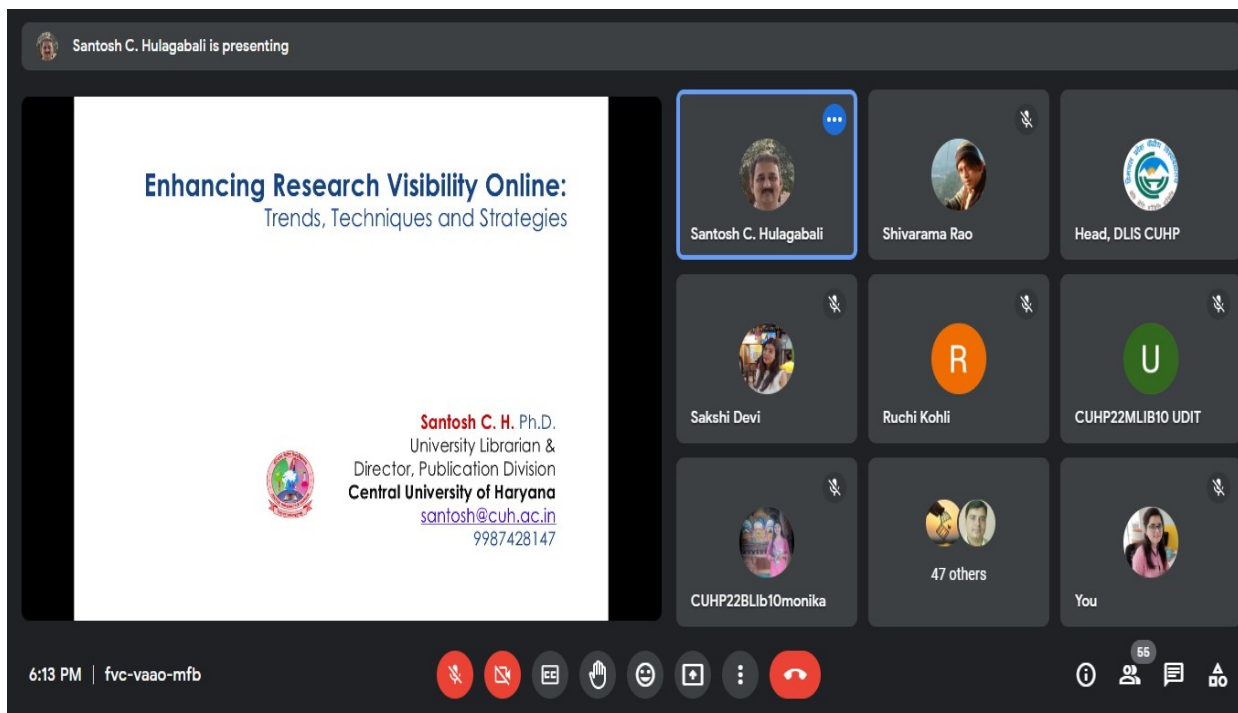
It was followed by a brief introduction of the topic by Dr. Shivarama Rao, Associate Professor, DLIS. He spoke about research visibility being important for researchers and students and shared mechanism to enhance the visibility of research. He thanked Dr.Santosh C. H. for accepting to be the speaker of the day.

It was then followed by a formal introduction of the speaker by Sakshi Devi, research scholar at DLIS, CUHP. She welcomed Dr. Santosh C. H., University Librarian, Central University of Haryana.



After this Dr. Santosh C. H. started his session by congratulating CUHP for completing 13 years and celebrating foundation week. He welcomed all students, teachers and stakeholders of CUHP.

He started his presentation with the importance of understanding research visibility and also stressed on why this enhancement is required.



- He discussed what research can mean to different persons and why visibility/enhancement is required. He discussed the value of researchers using social media platforms like Facebook, YouTube and Whatsapp to showcase their accomplishments.
- He also explained what as a student/researcher should be done to make research visible to a wider audience. He advised students/researchers to create ORCID ID, account on Research Gate and Google Scholar. He also stressed on creating good content through blogging and also shared his experience of delivering lectures/talk on All India Radio.
- It was suggested by him to the students to improve reading and writing skills and join different discussion forums. He suggested to write in open access journals and also expand professional networks. He directed students to create their personal websites and also explained the concept of third party website visibility.



- He went on to explain to the researchers that 50% of articles are never read or cited, thus they should work to increase their exposure so that they might reach a wider audience.



- He explained how recruiters search people online before offering job to anyone. Online presence builds perceptions of your personality, exposes your work, encourages feedback and highlight activities you were involved in.
- Dr. Santosh shared his observations like renowned people putting links of their recently published article in email. Additionally, he saw that longer papers received more citations.
- It was strongly recommended by the speaker to not to ignore the copyright aspect and to write in open access journals. It was suggested by him to find the right mentor and writing with renowned people. He then ended his presentation with a few references.

It was followed by question/answer session coordinated by Sudam Sahu, Assistant Professor, DLIS, CUHP. The event came to an end with a vote of thanks proposed by Monika, B.Lib.I.Sc student of DLIS, CUHP thanking all the dignitaries, faculties, speaker and students for being a part of the lecture.

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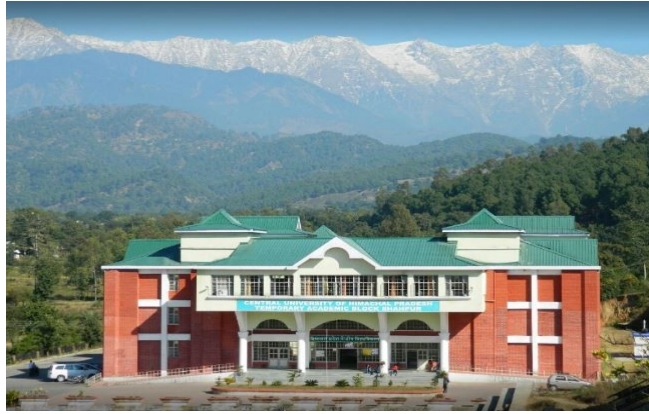
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**Topic – Emerging Trends & Technologies in Library and  
Information Services**

**23 January, 2023 6.00 PM – 7.00 PM**





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**Organised by**  
**Department of Library and Information Science**  
**Central University of Himachal Pradesh**

In honour of CUHP Foundation Week, the Department of Library and Information Science (DLIS), CUHP, organised a two-day lecture series from 22–23, January 2023. This report reveals the second day's session details on "Emerging Trends & Technologies in Library and Information Services," which was held on 23 January, 2023.

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**Speaker: Dr. NABI HASAN,**  
Head Librarian  
IIT Delhi

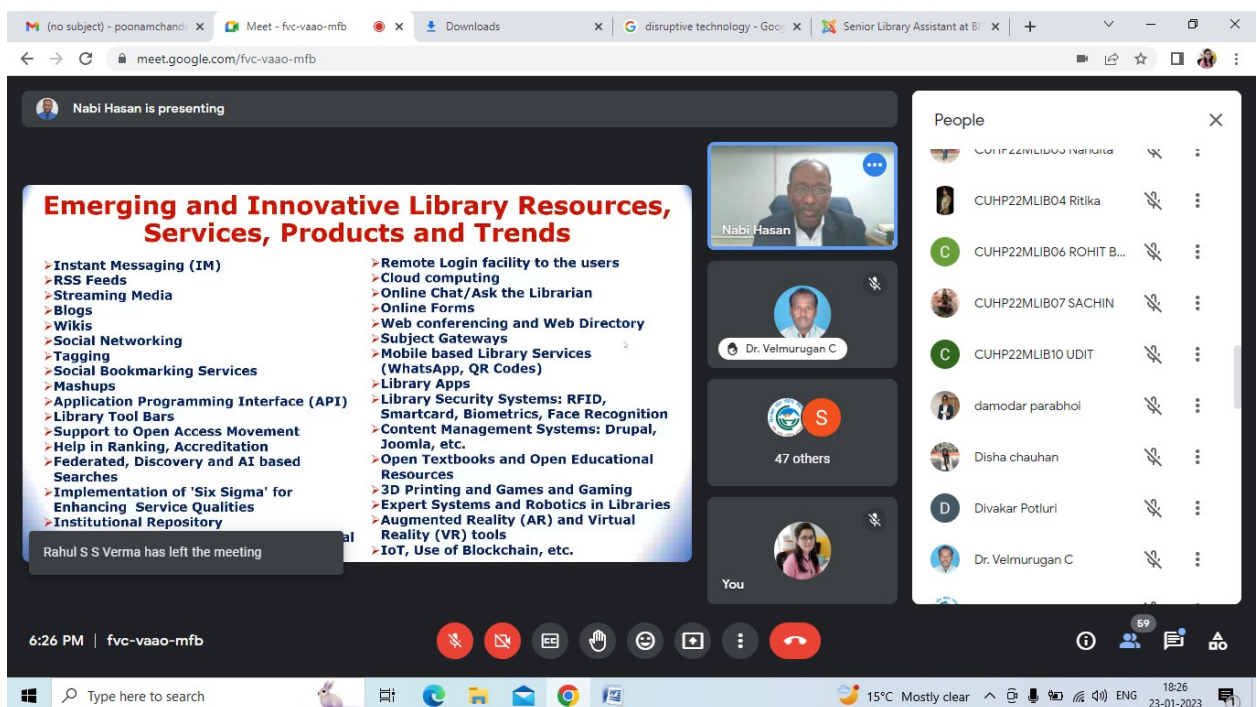
**Convenor:**  
Prof. A. K. Mahajan  
Director IQAC, CUHP

The session started at 6:00 p.m., Dr. Shivarama Rao. K., Associate Professor, DLIS, welcomed the Vice Chancellor Prof. S.P. Bansal, Director IQAC Prof. A.K. Mahajan, Dean Academics Prof. Pardeep Kumar, speaker Dr. Nabi Hasan, Head Librarian, IIT Delhi; Dr. Dimple Patel, Dean of School of Mathematics, Computer and Information Sciences; and Mr. Sudam Charan Saho, other faculties, students and all the participants. And gave a brief introduction about the session.

At 6:10 p.m., Poonam Chandel, a research scholar at the DLIS, introduced the session's speaker to the participants. Dr. Nabi Hasan began his session at 6:12 p.m. with a quote from ALA President Jullius C. Jefferson, Jr.: "Libraries kept Americans connected in ways that brought our communities closer. Buildings may not have been open, but libraries were never closed." explaining the importance and need of library and library professionals with this quote.

He said that if we don't use technologies in useful ways, they will turn into disruptive technologies. He then shared his thoughts, in which he said that libraries are changing and so are the needs of their users. So, libraries and librarians are also taking on new roles.

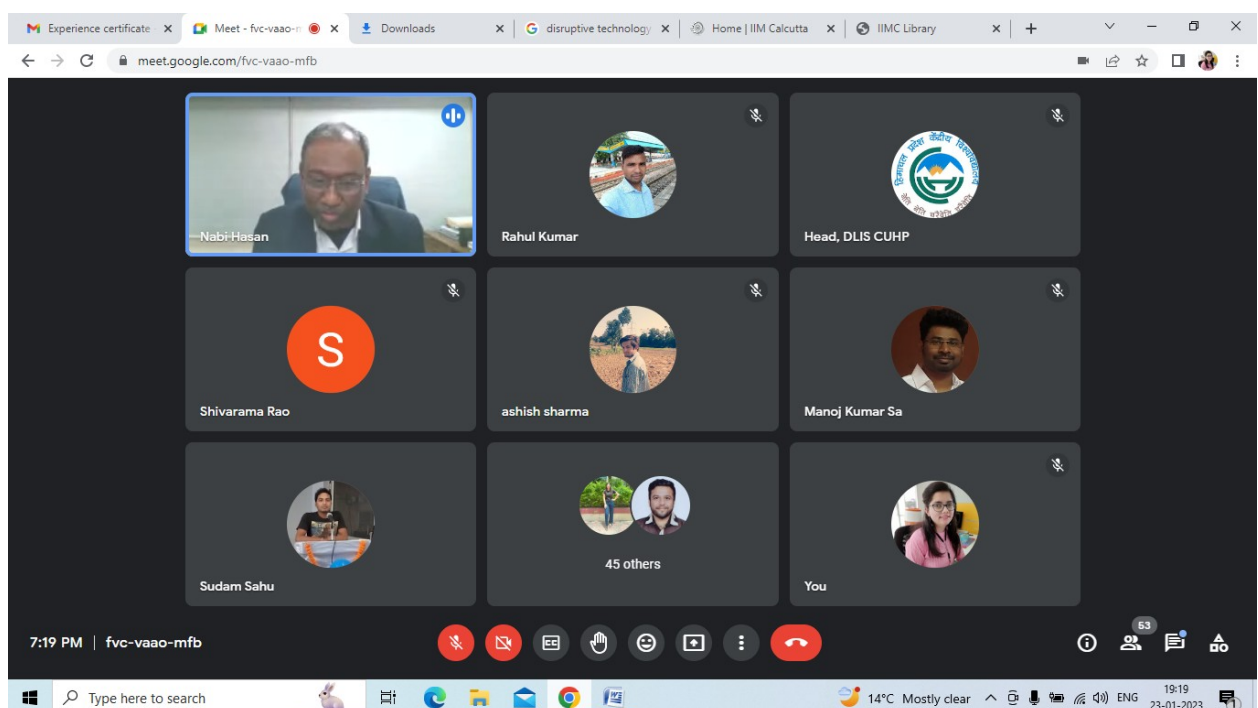
The reason libraries and user needs are evolving was the next topic he discussed. The challenges of the digital age for libraries and library professionals were then listed by Dr. Nabi. These challenges included user digital mindsets, financial limits, integrated LMS to cloud-based LMS, etc.



Next, he discussed new library tools, resources, and trends across the world. A few of them include RSS feeds, cloud computing, APIs, mashups, online forms, mobile-based library services, library security systems, and more. Then he added that a transformed librarian should be familiar with tools for mapping, bibliometric analysis, and scientific evaluation, including SCOPUS, WOS, SciVal, Scite.al, Dimensions, publish or perish, ORCID, the UGC-CARE list of journals, etc. The next topic covered by Dr. Hasan was

the changing roles, competencies, and abilities for librarians and libraries. And said librarians are playing important role for ETD program as an ETD life cycle manager, plagiarism detector, as an ETD repository administrator.

He continued by stating that Google has limitations because it can only provide 20% of the information for its users and cannot produce the remaining 80%. He used an example to illustrate this point. While a library and its librarians provide the solution and do not place any restrictions on their patrons, using search engines like Bing, Yahoo, Ask, meta and semantic search engines like Dogpile, Exalead, Swoogle, scholarly search engines like BASE, Google Scholar, Semantic Scholar, and subject gateways (INFOPORT, dmoz, etc), librarians can assist users in finding the information they are looking for.



He continued by saying that librarians could help their universities' rankings by having a basic understanding of organisations like NIRF, NAAC, NBA, and ARIIIA. He then discussed another recent development, the Research Information Management System (RIMS), which enables universities or libraries to handle the data of their faculty and researchers at single point. Pure, Converis, Symplectic, euroCRIS, IRINS, InCites, and other key RIMS tools are only a few examples. Next, he discussed language-correction programmes like Grammarly, Quillbot, and GINGER. Additionally, he mentioned pre-print and electronic-print databases including arXiv, Organic eprints, medRxiv, and AgAcon.

He advised LIS professionals to approach emerging technologies and services critically. The use of digital signage for shelf guides, the addition of a FAQ section to the library website for patrons, the use of QR codes for issue and return, the addition of data and

statistical services, the creation of makerspaces, and the provision of a high-quality lab environment were all suggested.

In order to effectively demonstrate the work that libraries and librarians are doing for the community, Dr. Hasan advised LIS professionals to actively participate in promoting the library and its services. Additionally, it can be done through public relations, social media, advertising, etc. As a result, it becomes a means of communicating your message.

He then goes on to highlight various new trends and technology in libraries, with a focus on IIT Delhi library, where he used images to exhibit the most up-to-date equipment used in the library there. He displays images of various prestigious universities' libraries along with IITD, IITD's library website, library app, cloud service, remote access to e-resources (INFED), self-service RFID system, institutional repository, visual display of recently arrived books, MOOCs in LIS-ETTLIS contents, faculty profiling system (IRINS), faculty profiling system-H index of a department, interactive institute websites, institute publications, news and press releases, institute websites, institute publications, news and press releases, college apps and smart library services, research support services and outreach program, online book recommendation system, they also developed a KOHA based book recommendation system and more.

Later, he covered AI-based technologies such as AI & big data, blockchain technology, and IOT applications. Furthermore, he emphasised the role of librarians in identifying and maximising the impact of research and individuals. He also suggested certain websites for improving visibility and public perception, like ORCID, vidwan, academia, IRINS, kudos, etc. And, highlighted tools for data visualisation including Sci2, VOSviewer, D3, Qilkview, and Plotly. He then explained the Five Laws of Library Science in the context of electronic resources and showed a few images of the many libraries', librarians', or individuals' efforts made during the epidemic to meet users' fundamental information needs.



The screenshot shows a Google Meet session with a presentation slide. The slide is titled "Public Library Services during COVID" and features a collage of images illustrating various mobile library services. The images include a bicycle library, a van library, and people reading. The text on the slide includes "MOBILE LIBRARY" and "Public Library Services during COVID". The meeting interface shows participants like Nabi Hasan, Dr. Velmur..., and Head, DLIS C... The bottom of the screen shows the Windows taskbar with the time 7:10 PM and the meeting ID fvc-vaao-mfb.

He discussed reading habits, its advantages, and its significance. Finally, he addressed a very common question asked to library professionals everywhere: Why are libraries and librarians still important in the age of the internet? In his response, he provided a few arguments, including the fact that not everything is available online, that the internet is chaotic and open to manipulation, that libraries are more reliable than the web and that not everyone can afford to purchase books and other library resources. He said that arguing that "librarians are no longer necessary because of the Internet" is similar to claiming that "doctors are no longer necessary because of telemedicine" or "teachers are no longer necessary because of online lectures or online colleges." If we are willing to think outside the box, he said, our scope is expanding rather than shrinking. He stated, "Smart Librarians are going to survive with Smart Services."

The Q/A session was conducted in the end where participants asked their queries to Dr. Nabi Hasan. Nandita, an M.Lib.I.Sc. student proposed the vote of thanks.

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## “Plagiarism and Software Tools”

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

Time: 11 AM – 12 NOON

Seminar link: <https://meet.google.com/aue-qvfi-hue>

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## **One-day National Seminar on “Plagiarism and Software Tools” - Report**

One-day National Seminar on “Plagiarism and Software Tools” was organized at Central University of Himachal Pradesh on 2nd June 2022. Mr. Akshay, Senior PES Member, Turnitin was the keynote speaker at the event who provided detailed information about use software tools in finding similarity checks. End to end operations of Turnitin and its use was discussed in details. He also solved various doubts of the participants with regard to Turnitin.

The event was organized in collaboration with the Center for S.R.Ranganathan Library Studies (School of Mathematics, Computer and Information Science), Acharya Raghuveer Library and Department of Library and Information Science, Central University of Himachal Pradesh.



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**“E-Resources and its Utilization”**

**Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022**

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यह कार्यक्रम सेंटर फॉर एस.आर.रंगनाथन लाइब्रेरी स्टडीज (गणित, कंप्यूटर एवं सूचना विज्ञान स्कूल), आचार्य रघुवीर पुस्तकालय एवं पुस्तकालय और सूचना विज्ञान विभाग के सहयोग से आयोजित किया गया।

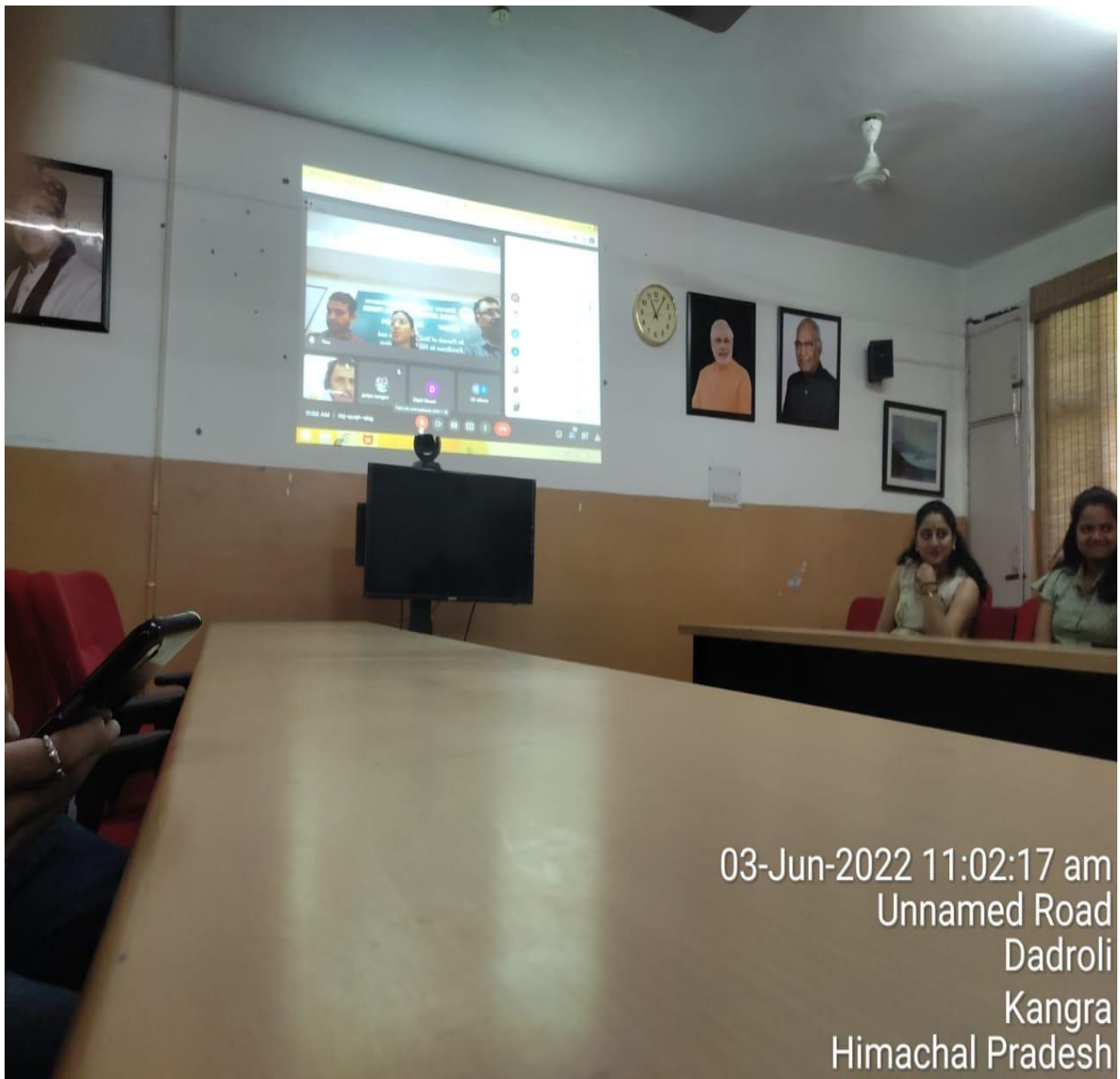
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