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Guest Article

**शैक्षणिक यश, करिअरमधील यश आणि जीवनातील यश
प्रस्तावना**

मानवाच्या जीवनातील प्रत्येक टप्प्यावर यशाला अत्यंत महत्त्व दिले जाते. बालपणापासूनच प्रत्येक व्यक्तीला "यशस्वी व्हा", "मोठे व्हा", "नाव कमवा", "भरपूर पैसा कमवा" अशा सूचना दिल्या जातात. त्यामुळे प्रत्येक विद्यार्थी आपल्या जीवनात यश मिळविण्याचे स्वप्न पाहत असतो. परंतु एक महत्त्वाचा प्रश्न असा आहे की यश म्हणजे नेमके काय?

बहुतेक लोकांच्या दृष्टीने चांगले गुण, उच्च शिक्षण, प्रतिष्ठित नोकरी, मोठे घर, महागडी गाडी किंवा भरपूर पैसा म्हणजे यश. परंतु समाजात अशा अनेक व्यक्ती दिसतात की ज्यांच्याकडे पैसा, प्रतिष्ठा आणि उच्च पद असूनही त्या मानसिकदृष्ट्या अस्वस्थ, तणावग्रस्त आणि असमाधानी असतात. दुसरीकडे काही व्यक्ती साधे जीवन जगतात, त्यांचे उत्पन्न मध्यम असते; परंतु त्या आनंदी, समाधानी आणि समाजात आदराचे स्थान मिळवतात.

यावरून स्पष्ट होते की यश ही केवळ बाह्य गोष्ट नसून ती व्यक्तीच्या संपूर्ण जीवनाशी संबंधित असते. म्हणूनच यशाचे स्वरूप समजून घेण्यासाठी त्याचा व्यापक विचार करणे आवश्यक आहे.

१. यश म्हणजे काय? (Concept of Success)

यशाची व्याख्या प्रत्येक व्यक्तीनुसार बदलू शकते. काहींसाठी यश म्हणजे चांगले गुण, काहींसाठी प्रतिष्ठित नोकरी, तर काहींसाठी आर्थिक संपन्नता. परंतु हे सर्व यशाचे केवळ बाह्य पैलू आहेत.

उदाहरण - एका बहुराष्ट्रीय कंपनीत कार्यरत असलेला अभियंता वार्षिक ₹२५ लाख कमावतो. परंतु त्याला कुटुंबासाठी वेळ नाही, सतत कामाचा ताण आहे आणि तो मानसिकदृष्ट्या असमाधानी आहे.

दुसरा अभियंता वार्षिक ₹१० लाख कमावतो. त्याला कामाचा आनंद मिळतो, तो कुटुंबासोबत वेळ घालवतो, समाजासाठी योगदान देतो आणि मानसिकदृष्ट्या समाधानी असतो.

या दोघांपैकी अधिक यशस्वी कोण?

या प्रश्नाचे एकच उत्तर नाही. हा प्रश्न आपल्याला यशाची व्याख्या अधिक व्यापक करण्यास प्रवृत्त करतो.

यशाचे तीन प्रमुख पैलू आहेत.

- शैक्षणिक यश (Academic Success)
- करिअरमधील यश (Career Success)
- जीवनातील यश (Life Success)

ही तिन्ही यशे एकमेकांना पूरक असून संपूर्ण यशासाठी आवश्यक आहेत.

२. मध्यस्थ दर्शनाच्या दृष्टीने यश

- आचार्य ए. नागराज यांनी प्रतिपादित केलेल्या मध्यस्थ दर्शन (सह-अस्तित्ववाद) नुसार प्रत्येक मानवाचे मूलभूत ध्येय केवळ पैसा, पद किंवा प्रतिष्ठा मिळविणे नसून सुखी, समृद्ध, निर्भय आणि सह-अस्तित्वपूर्ण जीवन जगणे हे आहे. प्रत्येक मानवामध्ये सुखाची अपेक्षा नैसर्गिक आहे. मात्र सुख बाह्य वस्तूंमध्ये नसून योग्य समज (Right Understanding) आणि योग्य आचरण (Right Conduct) यामध्ये आहे. व्यक्तीला स्वतःमध्ये समाधान, कुटुंबात विश्वास, समाजात न्याय आणि निसर्गाशी सह-अस्तित्व निर्माण करता आले तर त्यालाच खऱ्या अर्थाने यश म्हणता येईल.
- मानवाचे सार्वभौम ध्येय (Human Goal)
- प्रत्येक मानवाचे सार्वभौम ध्येय चार मूल्यांमध्ये व्यक्त होते.
- समाधान (Resolution) – स्वतःमध्ये स्पष्टता आणि अंतःशांती.
- समृद्धी (Prosperity) – आवश्यकतेपेक्षा अधिक उत्पादनक्षमतेवर आधारित संपन्नता.

Guest Article

- अभय (Fearlessness) – परस्पर विश्वास आणि न्यायामुळे निर्माण होणारी निर्भयता.
- सह-अस्तित्व (Co-existence) – मानव, समाज आणि निसर्ग यांच्यातील परस्परपूरक संबंध.
- ही चार मूल्ये प्राप्त करणे म्हणजेच जीवनातील संपूर्ण यश होय.

३. शैक्षणिक यश (Academic Success)

शिक्षण हे प्रत्येक व्यक्तीच्या विकासाचे मूलभूत साधन आहे. शैक्षणिक यश म्हणजे केवळ परीक्षेत जास्त गुण मिळविणे नव्हे, तर ज्ञान मिळवणे, विचारशक्ती विकसित करणे, समस्या सोडविण्याची क्षमता निर्माण करणे आणि चांगला नागरिक बनण्यासाठी आवश्यक मूल्ये आत्मसात करणे होय.

आजच्या स्पर्धात्मक युगात विद्यार्थी अनेकदा गुणांच्या शर्यतीत अडकतात. त्यामुळे शिक्षणाचा मूळ उद्देश मार्ग पडतो.

शैक्षणिक यशाची वैशिष्ट्ये

- विषयाचे सखोल आकलन
- नियमित अभ्यास
- वेळेचे योग्य नियोजन
- आत्मशिस्त
- जिज्ञासू वृत्ती
- चुका स्वीकारून सुधारणा करण्याची तयारी
- शिक्षक व पालकांचा आदर

उदाहरण- अजय आणि विजय हे दोघे अभियांत्रिकीचे विद्यार्थी आहेत. अजयला ९५% गुण मिळतात; परंतु त्याच्याकडे प्रयोगशाळेतील अनुभव, संवादकौशल्य आणि संघभावना यांचा अभाव आहे. विजयला ८२% गुण मिळतात; पण तो प्रकल्प, इंटर्नशिप, संशोधन आणि तांत्रिक स्पर्धांमध्ये सक्रिय असतो. पदवी पूर्ण झाल्यावर विजय उद्योग क्षेत्रात अधिक यशस्वी ठरतो, कारण त्याच्याकडे ज्ञानाबरोबर कौशल्येही आहेत.

मध्यस्थ दर्शन आणि शैक्षणिक यश

मध्यस्थ दर्शनानुसार शिक्षणाचा उद्देश केवळ माहिती (Information) देणे नसून समज (Understanding) विकसित करणे हा आहे. आचार्य ए. नागराज यांच्या मते, "योग्य समज हीच योग्य निर्णय आणि योग्य आचरणाची पायाभरणी आहे."

म्हणूनच परीक्षेतील गुण हे अंतिम ध्येय नसून योग्य समज निर्माण होणे हेच खरे शैक्षणिक यश आहे.

४. करिअरमधील यश (Career Success)

करिअरमधील यश म्हणजे केवळ नोकरी मिळवणे किंवा मोठा पगार मिळवणे नव्हे, तर आपल्या ज्ञानाचा आणि कौशल्याचा उपयोग समाजाच्या कल्याणासाठी करणे होय.

करिअरमधील यशाची वैशिष्ट्ये

- उत्कृष्ट कामगिरी
- प्रामाणिकपणा
- नेतृत्व क्षमता
- नवकल्पना
- सामाजिक जबाबदारी
- सतत शिकण्याची तयारी

Guest Article

उदाहरण - रिया बहुराष्ट्रीय कंपनीत उच्च पगारावर काम करते; परंतु तिला कुटुंबासाठी वेळ नसतो आणि ती तणावाखाली असते.

सीमा मध्यम उद्योगात काम करते. तिचा पगार कमी असला तरी ती आनंदी आहे, समाजासाठी काम करते आणि तिचे कौटुंबिक जीवन संतुलित आहे.

मध्यस्थ दर्शन आणि करिअर - मध्यस्थ दर्शनानुसार प्रत्येक व्यवसाय हा समाजव्यवस्थेचा पूरक आहे. शिक्षक, शेतकरी, अभियंता, डॉक्टर, वैज्ञानिक, उद्योजक - हे सर्व एकमेकांचे स्पर्धक नसून परस्परपूरक आहेत. करिअरचा उद्देश केवळ आर्थिक प्रगती नसून समाजासाठी योगदान हा असला पाहिजे.

५. जीवनातील यश (Life Success)

जीवनातील यश हा सर्वात व्यापक आणि महत्त्वाचा पैलू आहे. व्यक्तीच्या जीवनात मानसिक शांतता, समाधान, चांगले आरोग्य, कौटुंबिक सौहार्द, नैतिकता आणि सामाजिक जबाबदारी असल्यास त्याला जीवनातील यश प्राप्त झाले असे म्हणता येते.

- जीवनातील यशाची वैशिष्ट्ये
- मानसिक शांतता
- शारीरिक व मानसिक आरोग्य
- आनंदी कौटुंबिक जीवन
- चांगले सामाजिक संबंध
- नैतिक मूल्यांचे पालन
- आत्मविश्वास
- समाजासाठी योगदान

उदाहरण - एका उद्योगपतीकडे भरपूर पैसा आहे; परंतु तो मानसिकदृष्ट्या अस्वस्थ आहे. दुसरीकडे एक शिक्षक मर्यादित उत्पन्न असूनही आनंदी, समाधानी आणि समाजात आदरणीय आहे. मध्यस्थ दर्शनानुसार दुसरी व्यक्ती अधिक यशस्वी आहे.

- मध्यस्थ दर्शन आणि जीवनातील यश
- मध्यस्थ दर्शनात जीवनातील यशाची सुरुवात व्यक्तीपासून होते.
- व्यक्तीमध्ये समाधान
- कुटुंबात विश्वास
- समाजात न्याय
- व्यवस्थेमध्ये सहभागिता
- निसर्गाशी सह-अस्तित्व
- यामुळे व्यक्तीचे जीवन संतुलित आणि आनंदी बनते.

६. गुण आणि ज्ञान यांतील फरक

- गुण मोजता येतात; परंतु ज्ञान, चारित्र्य, समाधान आणि नैतिकता मोजता येत नाहीत. म्हणूनच शिक्षणाचा उद्देश केवळ गुण मिळवणे नसून योग्य समज आणि योग्य आचरण विकसित करणे हा आहे.

Guest Article

७. तुलना करण्याची सवय आणि त्याचे दुष्परिणाम

- सोशल मीडियाच्या युगात तुलना करण्याची प्रवृत्ती वाढली आहे. विद्यार्थी गुण, पगार, मोबाईल, गाडी आणि प्रसिद्धी यांवरून स्वतःची तुलना करतात. यामुळे मत्सर, न्यूनगंड आणि तणाव निर्माण होतो. मध्यस्थ दर्शनानुसार तुलना करण्याऐवजी स्वतःच्या विकासाकडे लक्ष देणे अधिक आवश्यक आहे.

८. संतुलित जीवनाचे महत्त्व

- जीवनात शिक्षण, करिअर, आरोग्य, कुटुंब, समाज आणि मानसिक शांतता या सर्वांचा समतोल आवश्यक आहे. यापैकी एकाही घटकाकडे दुर्लक्ष केल्यास संपूर्ण यश प्राप्त होऊ शकत नाही.

९. विद्यार्थ्यांसाठी मार्गदर्शक तत्त्वे

- ज्ञानासाठी शिक्षण घ्या; केवळ गुणांसाठी नाही.
- वेळेचे योग्य नियोजन करा.
- योग्य समज विकसित करा.
- प्रामाणिकपणा जपा.
- अपयशातून शिकण्याची तयारी ठेवा.
- आरोग्याची काळजी घ्या.
- समाजासाठी योगदान द्या.
- तुलना टाळा.

१०. संपूर्ण यश (Complete Success)

मध्यस्थ दर्शनानुसार संपूर्ण यश म्हणजे व्यक्तीमध्ये समाधान, कुटुंबात विश्वास, समाजात न्याय, व्यवस्थेमध्ये सहभागिता आणि निसर्गाशी सह-अस्तित्व निर्माण होणे. शैक्षणिक यश योग्य समज विकसित करते. करिअरमधील यश समाजासाठी योगदान देण्याची संधी देते. जीवनातील यश व्यक्तीला आनंद, समृद्धी आणि निर्भयता प्रदान करते. ही तिन्ही यशे एकत्र आली की संपूर्ण यश (Complete Success) प्राप्त होते.

निष्कर्ष

यशाचा विचार करताना केवळ गुण, पैसा किंवा पद यांच्यावर लक्ष केंद्रित करणे अपुरे आहे. शैक्षणिक यशामुळे योग्य समज आणि कौशल्य विकसित होते. करिअरमधील यशामुळे समाजासाठी जबाबदार योगदान देता येते. जीवनातील यशामुळे समाधान, आनंद, मानसिक शांतता आणि सुसंवादी मानवी संबंध निर्माण होतात.

आचार्य ए. नागराज यांच्या मध्यस्थ दर्शनानुसार शैक्षणिक यश हे योग्य समज विकसित करण्यासाठी, करिअरमधील यश हे समाजासाठी उपयुक्त योगदान देण्यासाठी आणि जीवनातील यश हे समाधान, समृद्धी, अभय आणि सह-अस्तित्व साध्य करण्यासाठी असते. म्हणूनच संपूर्ण यश हे केवळ गुण, पैसा किंवा पद मिळविण्यात नसून योग्य समज, योग्य आचरण आणि सर्वांशी सुसंवादी जीवन जगण्यात आहे.

Dr. Mahesh Kolte

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जया आणि सुप्रभा, कृशाश्व प्रजापतीच्या कन्या. हिमालयाच्या पायथ्याशी असलेला पित्याचा आश्रम यांच्या बाललिलांनी आनंदात न्हाऊन निघाला होता. पण विधात्याच्या मनात मात्र काही निराळेच होते. शांत, सुरम्य आश्रमीय वातावरणात मारीच आणि सुबाहु यांच्या रूपाने एक काळेकुट्ट सावट आले. या क्रूर राक्षसांनी दोघींच्या मातेचे बलपूर्वक अपहरण केले. पत्नीचा जीव वाचवण्यासाठी जीवाचे रान करणाऱ्या पित्याची त्या क्रूर राक्षसांनी निर्घृण हत्या केली आणि जया-सुप्रभाचे आनंदी भावविश्व एका क्षणात उद्ध्वस्त झाले. दुःखावेगाने सैरभैर झालेल्या त्या बालजीवांच्यात हे सगळे थोपवण्याची ताकद नव्हती पण निर्धार होता. पित्याचा जीव तर आपण वाचवू शकलो नाही पण मातेला मात्र परत आणायचे या निश्चयाने त्या दोघींनी आश्रम सोडला.

ऊन, वारा, थंडी, पाऊस कशाचीही तमा न बाळगता, काट्याकुट्यांच्या मार्गावरून पर्वत-अरण्यमार्ग तुडवत एकमेकींना सावरत या बालिकांचा प्रवास सुरु झाला. आपल्या मातेला पळवून नेणारे क्रूरकर्म दक्षिण दिशेला राहतात म्हणून त्यांनी दक्षिणेचा मार्ग पत्करला. कधी खायला मिळे तर कधी नुसतेच पाणी, कुठे आसरा नाही, कोणाचा आधार नाही. एके दिवशी निबीड अरण्यातून मार्ग काढताना दूरवर एका पर्णकुटीत एक क्षीण प्रकाशशलाका दिसली. आज रात्रीपुरती निवाऱ्याची सोय झाली. पर्णकुटीपाशी पोहोचल्यावर तिथे वास करणाऱ्या साधुमहाराजांनी मायेने विचारपूस केली तसा दोघी भगिनींच्या दुःखाचा बांध फुटला.

खलनिग्रहणासाठी सद्भावना आणि सत्य यांच्या जोडीला सामर्थ्य महत्त्वाचे या साधुमहाराजांच्या लाखमोलाचा सल्ल्याने त्या दोघींच्या आयुष्याला योग्य दिशा प्राप्त झाली. दक्षिणपथावरून परत उत्तरागमन सुरु झाले. हिमालयाच्या कुशीत आश्रमामध्ये एका कठोर तपश्चर्येचा प्रारंभ झाला. श्रद्धेने दुःख, दुर्बलता, भीती नाहीशी केली. सूर्योपासनेने बल प्रदान केले. सामर्थ्यसंपन्नतेसाठी शस्त्रसज्ज असणे महत्त्वाचे आहे याची जाणीव झाल्यावर अभ्यासाने असाध्य गोष्टी साध्य झाल्या, सरावाने नैपुण्य प्राप्त झाले. धनुर्विद्येसह अन्य शस्त्रास्त्र चालवण्यातही या दोघी भगिनी पारंगत झाल्या. शत्रूचे संख्याबळ अधिक आणि त्यांच्याशी लढू इच्छिणाऱ्या आपण दोघीच ही असमानता लक्षात आल्यावर नव्या तंत्राच्या संशोधनाची मुहूर्तमेढ रचली गेली. एका शस्त्राद्वारे अनेक लक्ष्य एकाच वेळी साधता येतील अशी शस्त्रशृंखला तयार झाली, संहारशक्ती वाढली.

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अग्न्यास्त्र, वायवास्त्र, पर्जन्यास्त्रासहित शत्रूला हर्षवायूद्वारे हसवणारे 'नन्दनम्', तर रडवणारे 'विलापनम्' हे अस्त्र प्रत्ययकारी ठरू लागले. 'मोहनम्' या अस्त्राने शत्रूपक्षास गुंगी येऊ लागली तर 'प्रस्वापनम्' अस्त्राने गाढ निद्रा, 'संतापनम्' अस्त्राने शत्रूच्या अंगाची लाहीलाही सुरू व्हायची तर 'शिशिरम्' या अस्त्राने ते गोठून जायचे. तब्बल बारा वर्षे कठोर साधनेद्वारे जया आणि सुप्रभा यांनी असंख्य प्रभावी अस्त्रे बनवली. आता वेळ होती मातेला परत आणण्याची... पुनश्च एकदा दक्षिणापथ प्रवास सुरू झाला. मार्गात एका पर्णकुटीसमोर एक चिता जळताना दिसली. मृतात्म्याला वंदन करून जया-सुप्रभा वळल्या तशी त्यांच्या चेहरेपट्टीतील विलक्षण साधर्म्य पाहून साधुमहाराजांनी त्यांना थांबवले. पर्णकुटीसमोर जी चिता जळत होती ती दुसऱ्या कुणाची नव्हती तर त्यांच्या अभागी मातेची होती. मारीच आणि सुबाहूने बलपूर्वक अपहरण केलेल्या त्यांच्या मातेचा अतोनात छळ केला होता. आयुष्यभर पती आणि लेकींच्या विरहात झुरणाऱ्या मातेची अखेर मृत्यूनेच सुटका केली होती.

हताश झालेल्या जया-सुप्रभा राजर्षि विश्वामित्रांकडे गेल्या आणि त्यांना आपली शस्त्रास्त्रे देऊ करून प्रजापालक म्हणून आपल्यावर झालेल्या अन्यायाचे परिमार्जन करण्याची विनंती केली. ब्रह्मर्षिपदाची आस असलेल्या विश्वामित्रांनी आपल्या राजधर्माचे पालन करण्यात असमर्थता प्रकट केली, त्यावेळी जया आणि सुप्रभा यांनी अतिशय निर्भीडपणे विश्वामित्रांची निर्भत्सना केली. आश्चर्यचकित झालेल्या विश्वामित्रांनी त्यांना ही शस्त्रे योग्य व्यक्तीच्या हातात जातील आणि मारीच आणि सुबाहूचा नित्यात करतील असे आश्वासन दिले. दशरथनंदन रामलक्ष्मणाच्या हातात पडलेली जया-सुप्रभानिर्मित अस्त्रे मारीच आणि सुबाहूचा कर्दनकाळ ठरली. आर्षकाळातील शस्त्रास्त्रांच्या आद्यनिर्मात्या जया-सुप्रभा यांच्या दृढनिश्चयास आणि शस्त्रसंशोधनातील अतुलनीय कार्यास त्रिवार वंदन !!

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Department of Civil Engineering

Events Attended and Organized

- Dr. Ajay K. Gaikwad completed the programme on "Teaching Smart: Soft Skills, Life Skills, AI " at Maharashtra State Faculty Development Academy, Pune, from 15th -19th June 2026.
- Dr. Ajay K. Gaikwad, Dr. Sandip T. Mali, and Ms. Anushree A. Chandragade participated in the NGOs and Colleges Dialogue organized at the Pune International Centre (PIC) on the occasion of World Environment Day 2026 (05/06/2026) by Ecological Society, Pune.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali attended the Net Zero Seminar, organized by Rotary District, in Pune. The seminar, held on 6th June 2026, brought together nationally and internationally acclaimed experts who shared valuable insights into achieving Net Zero through sustainable practices, innovation, and climate action.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali was invited as a subject expert for the BOS meeting (Online) at the Department of Civil Engineering, Fabtech Technical Campus College of Engineering and Research, Solapur on 16th June 2026.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali was invited as subject expert for the BOS meeting (Online) at the Department of Civil Engineering, MVPS KBT College of Engineering, Nashik on 20 June 2026.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali and Dr. Tanmay S. Khambekar conducted Water Quality Testing in June 2026, generating a revenue of ₹1,000/-.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali delivered an expert session on "Sustainability Concepts and their Importance in Civil Engineering: A Pathway to Achieving Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)" in a one-week Faculty Development Program on "Sustainability in Civil Engineering: Emerging Trends and Practical Application" organized by the Department of Civil Engineering, RSCOE, Pune in collaboration with Five on 23rd June 2026.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali was invited as a Session Chair at the International Conference on Sustainable Developments in Civil Engineering (ICSDC 2026) scheduled on 24th -25th June 2026 at Walchand College of Engineering, Sangli, Maharashtra, India. He was also invited as a resource person for a session on the topic "Anaerobic Bioreactor Landfill for Biostabilisation and Green Renewable Energy Generation from Municipal Solid Waste: A Case Study"
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali was invited as a subject expert for a Ph.D. Progress presentation at Ph.D. Research Centre of Rajarambapu Institute of Technology (RIT), Rajaramnagar, Sangli on 27th June 2026.
- Dr. Sandip T. Mali was invited as an Academic and Administrative Auditor (AAA) at the Department of Civil Engineering, PCCOER, Ravet, on 29th June 2026.
- Dr. S. S. Motegaonkar has participated in a One-Week National Faculty Development Program on "Sustainability in Civil Engineering: Emerging Trends and Practical Applications", conducted from 22nd to 26th June 2026 by JSPM Rajarshi Shahu College of Engineering, Tathawade, Pune

Department of Civil Engineering

Events Attended and Organized

- Ms. Anushree A. Chandragade presented a paper on 'A Sustainable Approach to Low-Carbon 3D printed Concrete using Industrial Waste Materials' at ICSUD 2026, held during 07 – 09 July 2026 at National Institute of Technology Rourkela, Odisha, India.
- Ms. Anushree A. Chandragade completed a one-week online Faculty & Student Development Program on “Next-Generation Construction Practices: Exploring 3D Concrete Printing Technology” organized by the Department of Civil Engineering, Shri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj College of Engineering, Maharashtra, held on 23rd – 27th June 2026.
- Ms. Anushree A. Chandragade completed a one-week National Level Faculty Development Program (FDP) on “Sustainability in Civil Engineering: Emerging Trends and Practical Applications” organized by the Department of Civil Engineering, Rajarshi Shahu College of Engineering, Pune, in association with Five Elements Consulting Engineers, from 22nd -26th June 2026.
- Dr. Tanmay Khambekar and Mr. Swapnil Gorade attended AICTE's 8-day FDP on Universal Human Values-II organized by AS&H from 22nd to 29th June 2026.
- Dr. Shilpa S. Motegaonkar, Higher Studies Cell coordinator, Civil Department, has coordinated the Behavioral Event Interview (BEI) Training Programme conducted by Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited (HPCL) at the Hindustan Petroleum Management Development Institute (HPMDI), Nigdi, Pune. Students from various engineering disciplines have participated in this training programme. Three students from Civil Engineering, Mr. Parthesh Sevalkar (TY), Miss. Shrutika Nanotkar (TY) and Omkar Gaikwad (SY) have actively participated in the training programme on 09th and 16th June 2026.



NGO-college partnerships for Sustainability & Civic Learning at PIC, Pashan, 5th June 2026

Department of Civil Engineering

Events Attended and Organized



All Hon. Trustees inaugurated the Road Junction Model near Boys Hostel on 29th June 2026. The road Junction is developed under an MoU with NGO TRAX working on Road Safety Aspects in association with Bridgestone.

Department of Civil Engineering

Events Attended and Organized



Dr. Sandip T. Mali attended the Net Zero Seminar, organized by Rotary District, in Pune on 6th June 2026.



The collection and responsible handover of 85.85 kg of E-waste to M/s. Electrofine Recyclers Pvt. Ltd., Pune, on 4th June 2026, highlights the institute's commitment to environmental sustainability and aligns with the theme of World Environment Day 2026 (5th June), emphasizing responsible waste management and resource conservation.

Department of Civil Engineering

Events Attended and Organized



Mr. Devesh Yadav and team from Ecozen Pvt. Ltd. visited the Civil Engineering Department-Testing of Material Lab and Geotechnical Engineering Lab on 6th June 2026. Two projects (Related to the design of the foundation of a cold storage room on Black cotton soil and alluvial soil) in association with Ecozen Pvt. Ltd. have also been carried out under consultancy work.

Department of Computer Engineering (Regional Language)

Student Achievements



We are proud to announce that Mr. Visesh Chauhan, a B.Tech student of Computer Engineering (Regional Language), has secured admission to the M. Tech Program at IIT Jodhpur. This achievement reflects his dedication, academic excellence, and commitment to higher education. The Department of Computer Engineering (Regional Language) congratulates him on this remarkable accomplishment and wishes him success in his future academic and professional endeavors.

Faculty Research Publication

- The Department of Computer Engineering (Regional Language), Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering (PCCOE), Pune, proudly congratulates Dr. Rachana Patil on the publication of her research paper titled "Revolutionising Organ Donation and Transplantation for a Better Future: A Blockchain Based Approach."
- The paper has been published in the International Journal of Medical Engineering and Informatics (June 2026), a Scopus-indexed international journal. The research explores the application of blockchain technology to enhance the organ donation and transplantation process by improving transparency, security, traceability, and trust among stakeholders. The proposed approach aims to address challenges such as data integrity, donor-recipient matching, and secure medical record management, thereby contributing to more efficient and reliable healthcare systems.

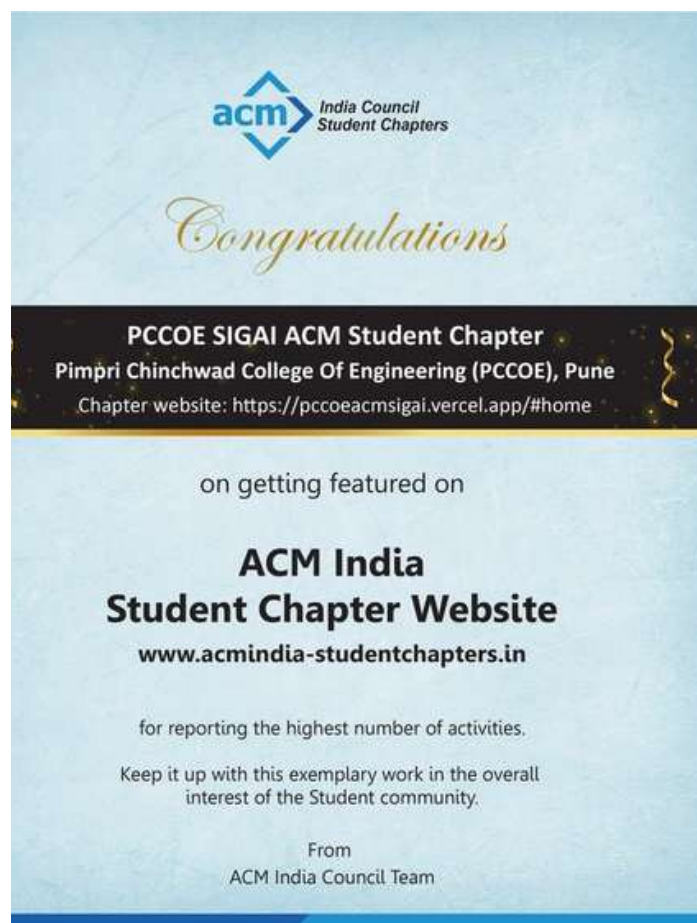
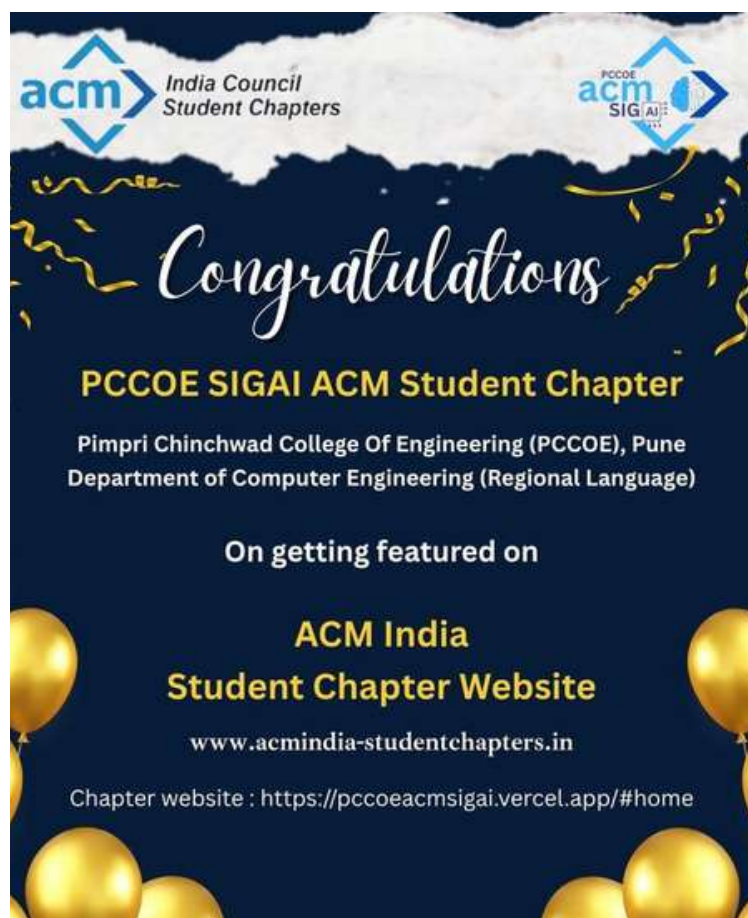


Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust's Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering



Department of Computer Engineering (Regional Language)

Department Achievements



The Department of Computer Engineering (Regional Language), Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering (PCCOE) is proud to announce that the PCCOE SIGAI ACM Student Chapter has been recognized on the ACM India Student Chapter Website for reporting the highest number of student chapter activities.

This prestigious recognition reflects the unwavering dedication, enthusiasm, and collaborative efforts of our faculty coordinators, student office bearers, and members. Throughout the year, the chapter successfully organized a wide range of activities, including technical workshops, expert talks, hackathons, coding competitions, industrial sessions, research initiatives, and community engagement programs, significantly contributing to the professional and technical development of students.

This achievement is a testament to the chapter's commitment to fostering innovation, encouraging research, promoting technical excellence, and creating meaningful learning opportunities for the student community.

The Department congratulates the entire PCCOE SIGAI ACM Student Chapter on this remarkable accomplishment and looks forward to reaching even greater milestones in the future



Student Achievements

- Congratulations Mr. Ruturaj Pandharkar on being awarded the prestigious IEEE Computer Society Richard E. Merwin Scholarship of US\$1,000. As part of this esteemed recognition, he has also been selected to serve as an IEEE Computer Society Ambassador. This remarkable achievement reflects his dedication, academic excellence, and leadership. Heartiest congratulations to Ruturaj on this well-deserved accomplishment. We wish him continued success and many more achievements in the future.
- Department is delighted to share that the TIGC project team from the Department of CSE (AI & ML) has successfully cleared the initial round of the Technology Infusion Grand Challenge, an international competition organized by La Trobe University. The team has received approval for prototype development along with a US\$400 grant, recognizing the potential of their innovative project. Heartiest congratulations to Abhiraj Hiwale, Ojas Saini, Himanshu Dhakad, and Harshal Raut on this outstanding achievement. We wish them the very best for the upcoming stages of the competition.
- Department is delighted to share that Mr. Harsh Lal and Mr. Saish Walavalkar have been selected as GeeksforGeeks (GFG) Campus Mantrix for our college. Their selection reflects their dedication, technical enthusiasm, and active contribution to fostering a strong learning culture among students. We are confident they will inspire their peers and play a significant role in promoting technical learning, innovation, and collaborative growth on campus. Heartiest congratulations to Harsh and Saish on this well-deserved achievement. We wish them a successful and impactful tenure ahead.
- The Department is delighted to announce that our CEP student team—Meet Ramjivani, Saish Wavalkar, Soham Mulik, and Rudra Tere—has successfully secured Copyright Registration for their innovative work. The team was guided by their mentors, Ms. Isha Vyas and Dr. Madhuri Pagale, whose valuable support and encouragement played a key role in this achievement. We congratulate the students and their mentors on this significant milestone and wish them continued success in their future endeavors.



Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust's Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering



Department of Computer Science & Engineering (Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning)

Student Achievements

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We are delighted to share that the project team comprising Aayush Bodhke, Sushant Bhat, Abhishek Bichare, and Varun Bhilare (Batch of 2026) has successfully registered and published an Industrial Design Patent for their innovative project titled "AI-Based Virtual Reality Device Set."

The project was carried out under the guidance of Mrs. Pranita Chaudhary. This achievement reflects the team's creativity, innovation, and dedication to research and development

Department of Electronics and Telecommunication

Faculty Participation and Achievement

Dr. Swati Prakash Jagtap and Mrs. Archana Bhamre, Assistant Professor in the Department of Electronics & Telecommunication Engineering, participated in the National-Level NITTTR Training Programme titled "Cutting Edge AI and Data Analytics: An Industry-Focused Skill Build Approach" organized by COEP Technological University, Pune, from 15 June 2026 to 19 June 2026. The five-day programme provided comprehensive exposure to the latest advancements in Artificial Intelligence (AI), Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Data Analytics, Generative AI, and their industry-oriented applications through expert lectures, hands-on sessions, live demonstrations, and interactive discussions. A major highlight of the programme was the extensive interaction with industry experts, technology leaders, and experienced practitioners, who shared real-world case studies, current industrial practices, AI implementation strategies, emerging technology trends, and the skills expected from engineering graduates. These interactions offered valuable insights into bridging the gap between academia and industry, understanding practical challenges in AI deployment, and identifying opportunities for collaborative research, consultancy, and innovation.



- Dr. Rajani P. K., Associate Professor, Department of E&TC and Dean – Innovation & Entrepreneurship (IEN), successfully completed the AICTE QIP-PG Certificate Programme in Artificial Intelligence and Data Science conducted by IIIT Kottayam with an outstanding CGPA of 9.17.



Department of Information Technology

Research

- Dr. Rajesh Phursule, Sphurti Deshmukh, Sumit Solanke, Sahil Shendkar and Nikhil Shinde, Aniket Polkar have published a paper titled “A Decentralized Collaborative Code Editor with Automated Distributed Version Control” at 2nd International Conference on Computing, Communication and Green Engineering (CCGE) 2026, Pune, India.
- Dr. Rajesh Phursule, Sphurti Deshmukh, Kedar Dhane, Sagar Ganeshkar, Pratik Gadekar have published a paper titled “Next-Gen Expense Manager: ML-Based Forecasting and Analytics” at 2nd International Conference on Computing, Communication and Green Engineering (CCGE) 2026, Pune, India.
- Mrs. Tanuja Patankar and Mr. Rushikesh Gund (PG Scholar) M.Tech AI/DS, have presented research and published a paper titled,” Development of a Low-Cost Portable Device for Detecting Synthetic Dyes in Spices”, in 1st IEEE International Conference on Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning in Communication and Power Systems 2026, (AIMLCPS) India.
- Dr. Sapana Kolambe, Uma Patil, Bhausahab R. Varpe, Pravin Prakash Adivarekar, Dewanand Meshram, & Chandrakant D. Kokane (2026) have published a research paper titled as “Explainable Artificial Intelligence for Sustainable Urban Development Decision Support Systems” in International Journal of Computer Information Systems and Industrial Management Applications, 18(3s), 341–351.

Books Published by Faculty :

- Dr.Sandhya S Waghere, Dr.Avinash Golande and Dr.Rajesh Phursule have authored a book “Quantum Algorithms and Computational Models” under CiiT Publication, ISBN Number 9789361260032.



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Department of Information Technology

Faculty achievements:

- Mrs. Sapana Kolambe successfully defended her Ph.D. thesis at Jawaharlal Nehru College of Engineering College, MGM University, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar.

Research Outcomes:

- Topic of the Thesis: Insurance Claim Interpretation using NLP and Machine Learning.
- Research Paper Published in Scopus Indexed Journal : 04 Journal and 2 Conference papers
- Patent Published : 01



Dr. Sapana Kolambe

Student & Faculty Achievement:

- The Department of IT is very proud of International-level Student and Faculty Achievement. They have received a grant from La Trobe University, Australia. Altogether 4050 Australian dollars has been received for prototype development in the Technology Infusion Grand Innovation Challenge by a total of 6 teams (four- six students in each team), including SY, TY, and final-year students. The projects selected are mapped with SDG Energy, Food, and Healthcare etc.
- **Total Grants Received for Prototype Development: Australian Dollar AUS \$ 4050.**
- Proud Mentors: Dr. Jayashree V. Katti, Dr. Harsha Bhute, Mrs. Tanuja Patankar, Dr. Mukta Jamage and Dr. Sapana Kolambe.
- Research Domain Highlighted are- IoT , Healthcare, Machine Learning, Energy etc.



**Heartiest Congratulations to IT dept!!!!!!
International Level Prototype Development Grant Received
AUS \$4050**



**Mentor Dr. J. V. Katti
& Student Team**

Received AUS\$ 400 grant



**Mentor Dr. Sapana
Kolmabe & Student Team**

Received AUS\$ 1000 grant



**Mentor Dr. Harsha Bhute
& Student Team**

Received AUS\$ 750 grant



**Mentor Mrs. Tanuja
Patankar & Student Team**

Received AUS\$ 750 grant



**Mentor Dr. Mukta Jamage
& Student Team**

Received AUS\$ 750 grant



**Mentor Dr. Harsha Bhute
& Student Team**

Received AUS\$ 400 grant



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Department of Information Technology

Student & Faculty Achievement:

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International Relations Cell

We congratulate our students for being selected for
Phase II of Technology Infusion Grand Challenge
Latrobe University, Australia

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS!






Mr. Varad Rane Mrs. Arshia Joshi Soham Raddi Snehal Bandgar

Awarded an Innovation Funding of AUD 750 for their
TerrainSense: Wearable Aware Mobility Assistant

Team Members
Mr. Varad Rane
Ms. Arshia Joshi
Ms. Snehal Bandgar
Mr. Soham Raddi

(Final Year- Information Technology)

Team Mentor
Dr. Harsha Bhute

RESEARCH FUNDING AUD \$ 750

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HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS!






Ms Rouchi Mahajan Mr Rushikesh Nakhale Mr Ayush Jayatkar Mr Nandkishor Vasi

Awarded an Innovation Funding of AUD 1,000
for their innovation Smart City Solution prototype.

Team Members
Ms Rouchi Mahajan
Mr Rushikesh Nakhale
Mr Ayush Jayatkar
Mr Nandkishor Vasi

(Final Year- Information Technology)

Team Mentor
Dr Sapana Kolambe

RESEARCH FUNDING AUD \$ 1,000

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HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS!







Kinjal Heda Shreyash Desai Rachana Dixit Sohan Patil Mehul Chaudhari

Awarded an Innovation Funding of AUD 400 for their
IoT Based Smart Renewable Energy Management System

Team Members
Ms. Kinjal Amit Heda
Mr. Shreyash Desai
Ms. Rachana Dixit
Mr. Mehul Chaudhari
Mr. Sohan Patil

(Final Year- Information Technology)

Team Mentor
Dr. Jayashree Katti

RESEARCH FUNDING AUD \$ 400

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Chaitanya Deore Vedant Sarode Shivanjali Bhosale Rutuja Bobade

Awarded an Innovation Funding of AUD 750 for
their Ecosafe .

Team Members
Mr. Chaitanya Deore
Mr. Vedant Sarode
Ms. Shivanjali Bhosale
Ms. Rutuja Bobade

(Final Year- Information Technology)

Team Mentor
Dr. Mukta Jamage

RESEARCH FUNDING AUD \$ 750



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HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS!



Aniket
Gawande



Ashutosh
More



Atharv
Shinde



Nishtha
Parve

Awarded an Innovation Funding of AUD 400 for their
MahaFort Smart City – Digital Heritage Tourism Planning Platform.

Team Members
Mr. Aniket Gawande
Mr. Ashutosh Sanjay More
Mr. Athrav Sampat Shinde
Mr. Nishtha Pramod Parve

(Final Year- Information Technology)

Team Mentor
Dr. Harsha Bhute





Department of Information Technology

Student Achievements

International Internships Student Achievements

Nishaad Makarand Gangal (PRN: 123B1F068, BTech IT, Div B) has secured a prestigious internship with fintech giant PayPal. This achievement stands as a testament to his dedication and brings great pride to our department.

Stipend: ₹1,00,000 per month



Nishaad Gangal (Final Year B. Tech IT)

Atharva Padmakar Deshmukh (PRN: 124B1F150, T.Y. BTech IT, Div A) has received a remarkable international internship with Kowl Inc. in Paris, France. Atharva's success highlights our students' capability to thrive on a global stage and inspires his peers to aim high and gives proud to the department.

Stipend: Monthly USD 1367



Atharva Padmakar Deshmukh (TY B.Tech IT)

Department of Information Technology

Student & Faculty Achievement:

- One of the group from SY B.Tech IT have won first Prize at Hackathon with a cash prize of INR 7000 held during TECH 2026 organized by Google Developer Group (GDG) on campus at Akeenkyu DY Patil University (ADYPU). Winning team members are Samarth Waghrukhar, Ashish Thakur, Badal Dadwani, and Mayank Pawar.

Mr. Nikhil Throve (Lab assistant from IT department) has got an opportunity to share his experience on “Vari” at News 18 Lokmat during Vari.



Mr. Nikhil Throve interviewed by NEWS 18 Lokmat Reporter

कैवल्य साम्राज्य चक्रवर्ती संतश्रेष्ठ ज्ञानेश्वर महाराज यांच्या पालखीचे पुण्याहून सासवडकडे दिवे घाटातून प्रस्थान होत असताना न्यूज18 मराठी वृत्तवाहिनीला दिलेल्या विशेष मुलाखतीत निखिल सुभाष थोरवे यांनी वारी परंपरेचा समृद्ध इतिहास, संत ज्ञानेश्वर महाराजांपासून आजपर्यंत अखंड सुरू असलेल्या वारकरी संप्रदायाची आध्यात्मिक परंपरा, वारीतील शिस्त, समता, सेवा, भक्ती आणि सामाजिक ऐक्याची मूल्ये यांचा सविस्तर उहापोह केला. यासोबतच आजच्या युवा पिढीने वारीकडून संस्कार, संयम, सामूहिकता आणि समाजहिताची प्रेरणा घ्यावी, तसेच वारी ही केवळ धार्मिक यात्रा नसून महाराष्ट्राच्या सांस्कृतिक अस्मितेचे जिवंत प्रतीक आहे, असा संदेशही त्यांनी या मुलाखतीतून दिला.

Department of Mechanical Engineering

Student Achievements

- Team Maverick India, represented by Mr. Chandan R. Ingole from the Department of Mechanical Engineering and Dr. Ajay Gadhe from the Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, was felicitated on 13 July 2026 by Mr. S. Krishnan, Secretary, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India, at Electronics Niketan, New Delhi. The felicitation recognized Team Maverick India's outstanding achievements and contributions in the field of innovation and technology.

Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Rita Shrikant Pimpalkar, Dr. Raju Bhosale and Dr. Ajay Pingle successfully completed the AICTE QIP PG certificate programme in “Robotics & Automation” with CGPA 9.83, 9.44 and 9.78 at IIIT Nagpur from Feb 2026 to June 2026.



- Dr. Rita Shrikant Pimpalkar from Mechanical Department successfully completed online course in “Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning” conducted by Indian council for technical research & development India.

Department of Mechanical Engineering

Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Sagar Wanhede Successfully completed the AICTE Quality Improvement Programme (QIP) Postgraduate Certificate Programme on "Emerging Technologies in Advanced Composite Materials: Modelling, Manufacturing, and Testing," organized jointly by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) and the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Indore, from 23 March 2026 to 14 July 2026, and was awarded the Certificate of Completion in recognition of successfully fulfilling all the academic and programme requirements.



- Mr. Nilesh Gaikwad and Dr. Abhay Lingayat, along with their students Mr. Anil Choudhari and Mr. Aniruddha Datir, were felicitated by the ISHRAE Pune Chapter for securing the Student Research Promotion Grant (SRPG) for the academic year 2025-26 during the VRF TechnoMeet 2026, held at Hotel Tip Top International, Wakad, on 20 June 2026.



Department of MCA

Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Anjana Arakerimath successfully defended her PhD thesis titled “Cultivating and Analysing Innopreneurship among Private Universities in India” under the guidance of Dr. Chhabhi Chavan (Professor and Dean). She was awarded the doctoral degree by MIT Art, Design and Technology University (MIT ADT), Loni, Pune, on 9 June 2026.
- Dr. Rajkamal Sangole successfully defended his PhD thesis titled “An Empirical Study of Hiring Trends in the IT Industry and the Design of a Model Using Machine Learning Techniques” under the guidance of Dr. Darshana Desai at the research center of Indira College of Engineering and Management, Parandwadi. He was awarded the doctoral degree by Savitribai Phule Pune University on 20 June 2026.



Department of Applied Science & Humanities

Event

Life Skills - Training of Trainers, July - 2026.

The Department of Applied Sciences & Humanities, PCCOE, in collaboration with IALSE (Indian Association of Life Skills Education), successfully organized a 5-Day Training of Trainers (ToT) on Life Skills from 6–10 July 2026. The programme brought together 28 faculty members from Maharashtra, Assam, Gujarat, and Hyderabad, offering an engaging learning experience through experiential activities, reflective practices, and expert-led sessions by Dr. Gauri Hardikar (Vice President, IALSE), Dr. A. Radhakrishnan (President, IALSE), Dr. Archana Patki (Principal, MMP Shah Women's College of Arts and Commerce, Mumbai) and Dr. Sandeep Patil (Associate Dean, International Relations). Participants explored key aspects of life skills, including self-awareness, emotional intelligence, resilience, decision-making, life skills in the era of AI, and innovative assessment strategies.

