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#### Vaishno Devi Trip 7<sup>th</sup> March

Eleven students from various departments of Indus International University, along with three assistant professors and male staff members, recently took a spiritual journey to the holy temple of Vaishno Devi. The trip was organized as part of the university's initiative to expose students to cultural and religious experiences beyond the confines of the classroom. The students, led by Ms. Nisha, Ms. Sakshi and Ms. Vishali, were bid farewell by Vice Chancellor, Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl and Registrar, Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana, who wished them all the best for their pilgrimage. University-led tours provide invaluable opportunities for students to broaden their horizons and gain practical knowledge outside the academic field. Such excursions provide a platform for students to immerse themselves in diverse cultures, traditions and landscapes, fostering a deeper understanding and appreciation of the world around them. Beyond academic learning, these tours contribute to the holistic development of students by promoting personal growth, selfdiscovery and cultural sensitivity. Vaishno Devi's visit serves as a testament to the university's commitment towards holistic education and student welfare. By facilitating visits to iconic religious sites like Vaishno Devi, the institute not only encourages spiritual exploration but also inculcates the values of compassion, humility and tolerance among its students. Additionally, these experiences create lasting memories and bonds between students and faculty, increasing the sense of community and camaraderie within the university. As students return from their pilgrimage, they bring with them not only blessings, but also a new sense of purpose and belonging, enriching their educational journey at Indus International University.



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### English Oration Competition 14th March

Indus International University recently organized an English Oration Competition, which focused on important issues of present times. In this competition, students presented their views on topics such as cash economy, waste management, cyber security, science: a boon or a curse, and global warming. The coordination of this program was ensured by Dr. Ram Krishna and Mrs. Poonam Devi. In this competition,



experts like Dr. SK Jha, Mr. Sandeep Kalsi, and Dr. Sumit Kumar evaluated the presentations of the participants. In the popular competition, Khushi, a student of B.Tech CSE department, won the first position with her best presentation. Her thoughtful approach and clarity impressed everyone. Amidst the rapidly increasing competition, BBA student Simran Saini came second with her inspirational talk. As epitome of uniqueness and academic excellence, Kritika and Anjali from the Department of Pharmacy shared their place at the third position with their inspiring presentation. The competition concluded with a valedictory function presided over by respected Vice Chancellor Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl and Registrar Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana, who appreciated the participants for their practical contributions and encouraged them to remain engaged with such important topics.

### Selling Strategy Competition 15<sup>th</sup> March

Students in the management department of Indus International University organized an exciting sales strategy competition organized by Mr. Raj Kumar and Ms. Saruchi Thakur. It showcased the innovative capabilities of business minds, with participants setting up a series of attractive food stalls. In the competition, Anmol and Nitin, B.Com. second semester students, secured the top position with their strategic skills and impeccable selling techniques. Isha, Anu and Dolly, students of fourth semester, stood second with their innovative stall concept. Raman, Vishal and Harsh secured the third position with their dynamic sales strategies. University Vice Chancellor, Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl and Registrar, Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana highlighted the importance



of such competitions in shaping future business leaders. Such events play an important role in the overall development of management students.





### Jaipur Educational Tour 16<sup>th</sup> March

Students of Indus International University, along with faculty members Dr. Sumit Kumar and Mr. Sachin Pathania, embarked on a captivating educational trip to Jaipur. This trip was not just a sightseeing trip; it was an in-depth exploration of history, culture and architecture. In the company of their peers and mentors, twelve students traversed the vibrant streets of Jaipur, immersing them in the city's rich heritage. The group's trip began with a visit to majestic forts like Jaigarh Fort and Amer Fort, where they witnessed the grandeur of Rajput architecture and learned about the military history of the region. As they roamed the halls of the City Palace and admired the intricate designs of the Hawa Mahal, they got an insight into the opulent lifestyle of the then rulers of Jaipur. Guided tours of Jantar Mantar and Albert Hall Museum provided students with a deep understanding of astronomy, science and art. The trip concluded with a visit to Nahargarh Fort, from where the panoramic views of the city served as a fitting finale to their exploration. Dr. Sanjay Kumar Behl lauded the students for their proactive approach towards holistic education and actively seeking opportunities to expand their horizons beyond the classroom. Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana echoed these sentiments while expressing his appreciation for the enthusiasm and organizational skills of the students in planning the educational trip.





## Holi Celebration 22<sup>nd</sup> March

Indus International University recently turned into a vibrant canvas of colors and happiness when students from various departments came together to celebrate the auspicious festival of Holi. It symbolizes the victory of good over evil, unity and renewal of relations between communities. This year's celebration was particularly special, including a Rangoli competition that showcased the creative talents of students from all departments. The function started with Rangoli



competition in which teams from different departments displayed their artistic talent. In a display of teamwork and creativity, the team of Manisha, Deeksha, Binny and Monica won first place in the Rangoli competition, impressing the judges with their intricate designs. The team of Anasuiya, Shakshi, Savita and Payal secured the second position, while the team of Khushi, Vishakha, Simran and Diksha secured the third position. Holi celebrations began with a heartfelt speech on the significance of the festival by Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bahl, Vice-Chancellor of Indus International University, with Secretary Mr. John Neelankavil gracing the occasion and enhancing the cordial and community spirit. Dr. Jagdev Singh Rana, Registrar, Indus International University, also extended special greetings to the students and staff, emphasizing the importance of embracing diversity and cultural heritage.