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## संयोगो योग इत्युक्तो जीवात्मपरमात्मनोः ॥

### Samyogo yoga ityukto jivātmaparamātmanoh

*Yoga is the union of the individual self  
(jivātma) with the supreme self (paramātma).*

*(From Yoga Yajnavalkya - a dialogue between sage  
Yajnavalkya and his wife Gargi)*

When Gargi, a renowned philosopher, questioned sage Yajnavalkya, the conversation resulted in the classical yoga text, 'Yoga Yajnavalkya'. It is one of the earliest texts to systematically explain yoga philosophy and practice. The text explains the eight limbs of yoga and emphasizes self-realization and integration of the individual consciousness with universal consciousness. At the same time, the text highlights the role of women as active participants in yoga and in spiritual discourses. It also dispels the myth that yoga was an exclusively male domain till Western women started popularizing it in their countries.

In ancient India, women studied the Vedas and participated in rituals. Some of them like Gargi, Lopamudra, and Ghosha, were renowned scholars who composed hymns and contributed to Indian philosophy. Some of the hymns penned by them became a part of the Rig Veda. In the medieval period, with Shakti Upasana, women became spiritual leaders and they practiced and taught yoga.

Archaeological findings from the Indus Valley Civilization also show that women of those times were scholars, priestesses, philosophers, teachers, and yoga practitioners.

With the passage of time, the active presence of women in religious activities waned and their spiritual roles became limited. There were many reasons for this. One was the patriarchal shift where women were excluded from playing important roles in public rituals, and their dharma was that of the homemaker. Men, on the other hand, had to follow a different dharma at different stages – Brahmacharya, Grihastha, Vanaprastha, and Sanyasa. But even during that time, women in some parts of southern India and in tribal populations, continued to play an active part in religious rituals. In communities where Shakti was worshipped, women were teachers and priestesses.

With the invasion by the Turks and the Mongols, the purdah system became prevalent. Hindu women too started adopting these restrictions to protect

themselves in the changing socio-political landscape. Their access to education and spiritual pursuits took a back seat, and their roles underwent a restructuring confining them to the domestic sphere.

Under the British rule, yoga was redefined to appeal to colonial tastes, and it became a male-dominated practice. However, within closed doors, Indian women continued to practice the rituals, including yoga that had been handed down by women of the previous generations indoors. Some of them practiced and taught yoga to other women.

The popularity of yoga among women, especially among western women, grew after Indira Devi (original name Eugenie Peterson from Latvia), convinced popular yoga guru Krishnamacharya to teach her yoga. In 1937, the renowned guru accepted Indira Devi as his disciple. It was she who took yoga to the West and opened a yoga studio in the USA. As yoga spread in Western countries, it became associated with physical fitness, stress relief, and wellness, and it attracted women into its fold. Yoga thus transformed itself from a male-centric spiritual discipline to a wellness practice dominated by women.

Globally, 72% of yoga practitioners are women, while in India, the figure is 45%. A survey has shown that women participation in yoga is growing constantly. Yoga serves as a vital means for health, empowerment, and community connection among Indian women. ♦

## Fostering Global Collaboration: IFHE Faculty at Australia-India Skills Mission Networking Event



**Dr. S Vijayalakshmi**, Registrar, IFHE and **Dr. Kala Chenji**, Assistant Professor, IBS faculty, participated in the Australia-India Skills Mission's networking session, organized by CII Telangana in collaboration with Austrade, held today at Taj Krishna. The event served as a valuable platform to foster meaningful connections between the visiting Australian delegation—comprising representatives from universities and industries—and prominent leaders from Telangana's education and skill development ecosystem. The mission includes 16 delegates from Australia who are keen to understand the skill development programs and reforms currently happening in Telangana. Their focus is on how these

initiatives are meeting the state's workforce needs and helping to close the skill gaps, ultimately improving employability. ♦

## Blood Donation Camp Organized by Club Sankalp at IBS Hyderabad



On June 14, 2025, to mark World Blood Donor Day, Club Sankalp, under the leadership of Prof. Madhavi Garikaparthi, organized a blood donation camp at IBS Hyderabad, in collaboration with Niloufer Government Hospital and the Indian Development Foundation (IDF).

The drive aimed to promote voluntary blood donation and support underprivileged women and infants. Students, faculty, and staff participated actively, with Niloufer Hospital's team ensuring safe collection. Club Sankalp and IDF managed logistics and awareness, highlighting IBS Hyderabad's strong commitment to community service and student-led social impact initiatives. ♦

## 11<sup>th</sup> International Day of Yoga Celebrated at IBS Hyderabad

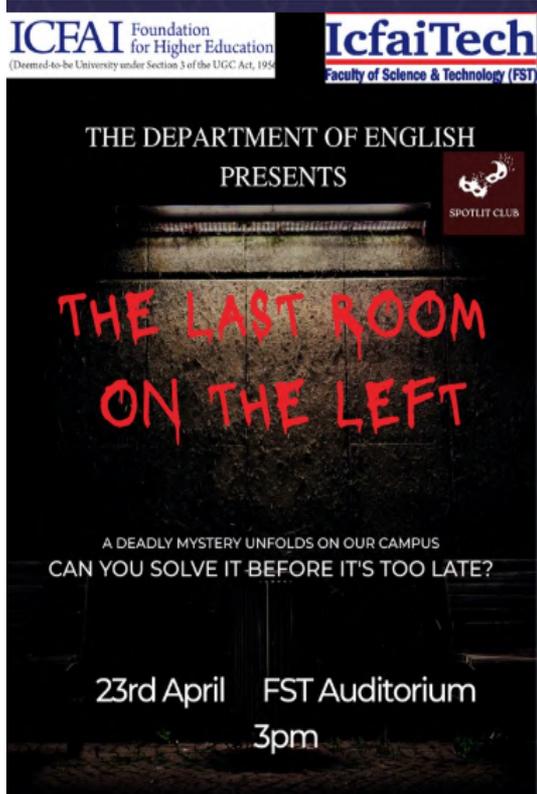


On June 21, 2025, IBS Hyderabad at IFHE Campus celebrated the 11th International Day of Yoga with great enthusiasm. Prof. Madhavi Garikaparthi Associate Professor & Coordinator-Student Activities, IBS, organized the event bringing together students, faculty, and staff for a rejuvenating yoga session promoting health, mindfulness, and well-being. The celebration reflected the institute's commitment to holistic development and wellness, aligning with the global theme of unity and inner peace through yoga. ♦

## English Language Day



**Dr. V. Madhupama**, Assistant Professor, department of Humanities and science, IcfaiTech, has organised English Language day on April 23rd 2025 at FST Auditorium. The event has been celebrated to honor the great poet and playwright of all time William Shakespeare.



The department of English hosted a drama - *The Last room on the left*, performed by Spotlit club students. ♦

## ICFAI Law School Shines at IFHE Women's Day Celebration



ICFAI Law School made a notable impact at the Women's Day celebration organized by the Centre for Women Development, IFHE Hyderabad, under the leadership of Registrar Prof. S. Vijayalakshmi. The event brought together women faculty and staff from across various schools to celebrate womanhood and promote well-being through engaging competitions like Badminton, Chess, and Rangoli. Over 100 participants showcased their enthusiasm and talent. Dr. Gowri Channal and Dr. Ithi Vyas from ICFAI Law School secured first prizes in Badminton and Rangoli, respectively, while Kalpana won the second prize in Chess. Additionally, Aruna Kammila and Thejaswini showcased their talents in classical dance, while Arpita impressed with classical singing. The event fostered a spirit of unity, empowerment, and celebration among all attendees. ♦

## Workshop on "Sustainability in Action"

On April 15, 2025, Dr. Kavita Sasidharan Kulkarni, Assistant Professor, Department of Marketing & Strategy hosted a day-long workshop titled "*Sustainability in Action: From Knowledge to Practice*," at IBS auditorium. The event was part of the Course Outcomes Delivery–Program Outcomes Fitment for the BBA Semester II course: Human Society and Natural Environment – Sustainability Issues.

The workshop successfully bridged academic learning with practical action, enriching students' understanding of sustainability. Dr. Kavita single-handedly coordinated the entire event, from inviting speakers to managing logistics, ensuring its smooth execution and impactful delivery. ♦

## SUSTAINABILITY IN ACTION

FROM KNOWLEDGE TO PRACTICE

### A WORKSHOP ON SUSTAINABLE SOLUTIONS

15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2025 10:20 AM - 04:00 PM IBS AUDITORIUM



**G Prithvi Teja**  
MSTC,  
Sustainability Champion



**Satish Kumar Guntur**  
COO of Srichakra Polyplast



**Shantanu Sharma**  
Co-Founder & CMO  
wubox head of orboations.



**Dr. Amir Ullah Khan**  
Co-Founder & CMO  
wubox head of orboations.



**Mounmita Barman**  
Research Associate at CDDP



**Rashad Ullah Khan**  
Senior Researcher at CDDP

## Faculty Achievements



**Dr. V D M V Lakshmi** has won the First Prize in the Ivey Publishing Sustainability Case Writing Awards, in collaboration with PRME (Principles for Responsible Management Education). Ivey Publishing is committed to educating future business leaders on critical issues around sustainability, empowering them to create and lead change. The competition celebrates excellence in case writing that advances sustainability in business education. Her winning entry, “*ECOEX: Plastic Waste Management Marketplace Revolutionizing Circular Economy*,” co-authored with Prof. D. Satish (Dean, PG Programs, IBS Hyderabad) and Prof. Avadhanam Ramesh (Vignana Jyothi Institute of Management, Hyderabad), was honored on June 9, 2025, at the Cornell SC Johnson School of Business in New York City. DM V Lakshmi published a paper on “*Front running activity in Indian mutual fund sector and regulatory action by Securities and Exchange Board of India*”. It was published in the Q1 journal Journal of Financial Crimes (Emerald Publishing) on 15 April 2025. ♦

**Kavita Sasidharan Kulkarni**, Assist. Prof. in the Department of Marketing & Strategy at IBS, was nominated as a resource person for the week-long IBS Marketing Faculty Development Program (FDP) organized by the Department of Strategy and Marketing. As an internal speaker, she delivered an engaging session on April 22, 2025, focusing on learner-centred pedagogy. During the session, she also facilitated an in-depth discussion on a selected Harvard Business Review Sloan article, offering valuable insights to faculty participants and promoting innovative teaching strategies in marketing and strategic education. ♦



## Ph.D. Viva Voce External Examiner

**P.K.R. ARTS COLLEGE FOR WOMEN**  
(Re-Accredited With 'A' Grade By NAAC)  
Autonomous Institution - Affiliated to Bharathiar University  
Gobichettipalayam - 638 476.

**DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE**

### Ph.D Public Viva-Voce Examination

Name of the Scholar: Ms.A.Faritha Banu

Title : ENHANCING THE PERFORMANCE OF FEATURE SELECTION AND CLASSIFICATION ACCURACY USING MACHINE LEARNING TECHNIQUES FOR MANAGING IMBALANCED DATASETS

Research Supervisor: Dr.M.S.Laxmipati  
Research Guide and Supervisor: Associate Professor  
Department of Computer Science  
P.K.R. Arts College For Women (Autonomous)  
Gobichettipalayam-638 476.

External Examiner: Dr.M.Priyadharshini  
Associate Professor  
Department of Computer Science and Engineering  
The ICFAI Foundation for Higher Education  
Hyderabad-501 203.

Head of the Department: Dr.P.M.Gowthami  
Associate Professor & Dean  
Department of Computer Science,  
P.K.R. Arts College for Women (Autonomous),  
Gobichettipalayam - 638 476.

Date : 11.04.2025 Time : 10.30 A.M. Venue: MBA Seminar Hall

**Dr. M. Priyadharshini**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, served as the External Examiner for the Ph.D. Defense Viva Voce held on April 11, 2025, at P.K.R. Arts nCollege for Women, affiliated with Bharathiar University, Coimbatore – 641046, Tamil Nadu. The defense was conducted for Mrs. A. Faritha Banu, a Ph.D. candidate from the Department of Computer Science. ♦



**Dr. Aruna Kammila**, Associate Professor, served as a Judge for paper presentations at the 1st School of Law International Virtual Conference on Air and Space Law 2025, held on March 17, 2025. The event was organized

by the Air and Space Law Committee and the Centre of Excellence in Astronomy and Astrophysics, School of Law, CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru. ♦

**Dr. Aruna Kammila** also chaired a session at the International Conference on “Artificial Intelligence and International Humanitarian Law: Navigating the Nexus of Technology, Warfare, and Global Norms,” organized by the Department of International Law and Organisation, School of Excellence in Law, Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University, Chennai, from March 5 to 7, 2025. Additionally, Dr. Kammila delivered a guest lecture on “Law of the Sea and India” at Tamil Nadu Dr. Ambedkar Law University on March 4, 2025. ♦

**Dr. Tamma Koti Reddy**, Professor of Economics and Dean of the School of Social Sciences at IFHE Hyderabad, delivered an insightful presentation on the rise and “**Impact of Women-led Cooperatives**”.



Her talk emphasized how these cooperative models empower women, promote economic inclusion, and strengthen community development. ♦

**Dr. Tamma Koti Reddy**, participated in a panel discussion on “**Women Empowerment in India**” hosted by Sakshi Media. His insights emphasized the critical role of education, economic participation, and community-led initiatives in advancing gender equality and empowering women across India. ♦



**Dr. Laila Memdani**, Associate Professor at the School of Social Sciences, IFHE Hyderabad, has been selected for the ICSSR-funded “Vikshit Bharat @2047” initiative. She is the principal investigator of the project titled “Demographic Transition, Changing Family System and

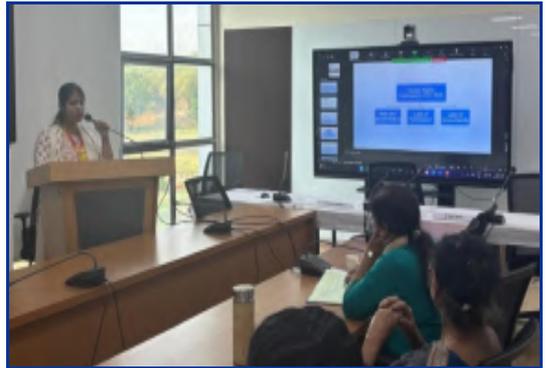
Quality of Life.” Co Investigators for the project are Dr. Sushant Mahapatra, Dr T Koti Reddy and Dr. Debajani Sahoo. ♦

## Departmental Faculty Seminars

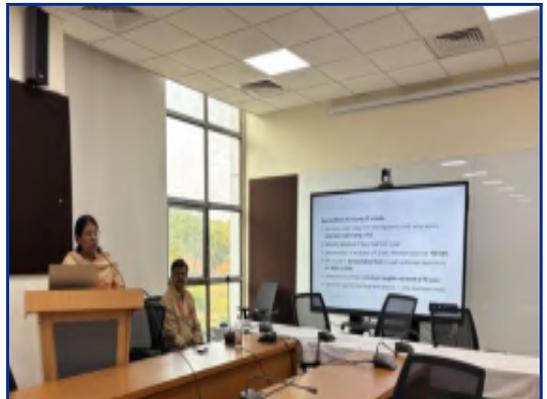
**Ar. Asha Devadas** had delivered a faculty seminar Learning Theories & Instructional Design in Architecture Education: A Brief Overview on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025. This seminar explored how learning theories and instructional design methods can enhance teaching effectiveness in architecture education. Key learning theories—Constructivism, Cognitivism, Connectivism,



and Experiential Learning—were examined for their relevance across studio, theory, and lab-based subjects. ♦



**Ms. Astha Srivastava**, Assistant Professor - Ms Astha Srivastava, Assistant Professor, provided valuable insights into “Human Rights Education for Responsible AI” at the Faculty Seminar, ICFAI Law School. ♦



**Dr. Renu Bala**, Assistant Professor, delivered a thought-provoking lecture on “Factors Determining Issuance of CP in the Manufacturing Sector” at the Faculty Seminar, ICFAI Law School, on April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025. ♦



**Dr Sowjanya Ramisetty**, has delivered a faculty seminar Security Vulnerabilities and Recommendations for one to the Computer Science and Engineering faculty members on April 17, 2025. ♦

**Aruna Raju**, Research Scholar at the School of Social Sciences, IFHE Hyderabad, presented her paper titled “*Inclusive Waste Management in India: A Socio-Economic Analysis of Informal Waste Workers in Telangana and Odisha*” at the 17<sup>th</sup> Doctoral Thesis Conference, organized by ICFAI School of Social Sciences in collaboration with IGDR Mumbai, held on 22–23 May 2025. ♦

## One-Day Workshop



**Dr. M. Geetha Priyadarsani**, Assistant Professor, delivered a lecture on “SDGs & the Kunming- Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework” at a One-Day Workshop jointly organized by the Centre of Excellence for Environment and Forest Laws, ICFAI Law School, and the ICFRE–Institute of Forest Biodiversity (IFB), Hyderabad, on May 22, 2025, in observance of International Day for Biological Diversity. ♦

## Paper Presentations



**Dr. V. Madhupama**, Assistant Professor, department of Humanities and science, IcfaiTech, presented a paper on “**Investigating Teaching Methodologies in Programming Languages: A Survey on Engineering Teaching Practices**” at the 2-day International Conference “Changemakers in Action” (ICCA-2025), held on July 4–5, 2025, at the Department of Humanities & Social Sciences, NIT Warangal, in collaboration with Mozilla’s Responsible Computing Challenge. ♦

## Paper Publications



**Dr. M. Priyadharshini**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, published two scopus indexed articles for a conference proceedings “*Adherent-Net: An Adaptive Health Risk Estimation Network for Real-Time Environmental Tracking*” International Conference on

Pervasive Computational Technologies (ICPCT), Greater Noida, India, April, 2025. The second paper titled- “*FedEnv-Net: Federated Neural Network for Decentralized Health Risk Prediction in Dynamic Urban Environments*,” International Conference on Pervasive Computational Technologies (ICPCT), Greater Noida, India, April 2025. ♦

**Dr. M. Priyadharshini**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, published two WoS & Scopus Indexed papers in an international journal namely- Scientific reports, the title of the article is - A population based optimization of convolutional neural networks for chronic kidney disease prediction. *Sci Rep* 15, 14500 April, 2025. Another article titled - A thermodynamic inspired AI based search algorithm for solving ordinary differential equations. *Sci Rep* 15, 18141 May, 2025. ♦

**Dr. K Sridevi**, Assistant Professor, Department of CSE, IcfaiTech, has published a paper on “*Deep Learning Framework with Optimisation for Automatic Detection of Arrhythmia from ECG Data*” in the journal namely-Journal of Theoretical and Applied Information Technology, 15<sup>th</sup> April 2025. ♦



**Dr. Kavita Sasidharan Kulkarni**, Assistant Professor, Department of Marketing & Strategy published 3 papers on various national and international journals. The details of the articles as follows, paper titled “*Implications and Applications of Human Centric Marketing in the Era of Industry 5.0*” .It has been published in the Advances in Consumer Research ,May 2025 Issue Vol. 2, Issue 4 (2025), ISSN 0098-9258, ABDC-B; Another article titled - “*Transforming Tourism Through AI: A Kerala Case Study using Smart Model*” which was published with the -Academy of Marketing Studies Journal ( ABDC-B),Volume 29, Issue 4, April 2025.

The last paper namely- “*The Changing Landscape of Marketing Communication in the Digital Age and Space: A Study on the surge of Meme’s as a Communication Medium in India*”—in the journal Empirical Economic Letters (ABDC- C),Volume 24, Special Issue 1, Feb 2025. ♦

## Faculty Certifications

**Dr. A Sree Lakshmi**, Associate Professor in the Department of AI & Data Science at IFHE, Hyderabad, successfully participated in a 40-hour Faculty development program on “*AI and generative AI in computer vision image processing from concepts to Applications*”.





**Ms. Renuka Dewangan**, Research Scholar at IBS Hyderabad, secured a top 5% rank in the NPTEL course on AI in Human Resource Management. This achievement underscores her commitment to advancing knowledge in HR and technology. ♦



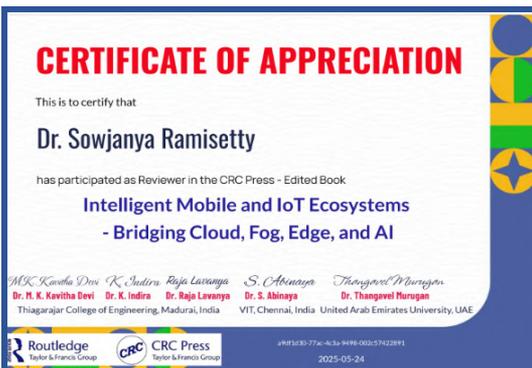
## Faculty Participations in National Level FDP/Workshops

The FDP was sponsored by the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India. It was organized by E& ICR academy, NIT Warangal, in association with Vasavi College of Engineering, Hyderabad from 2<sup>nd</sup> June to 12<sup>th</sup> June 2025. ♦



**Dr. M. Priyadharshini**, Assistant Professor, Department of CSE, IcfaiTech, participated in a workshop on “Deep Learning” organized by SkillDzire in collaboration with AICTE. The workshop was held from March 17 to March 31, 2025, and focused on advanced concepts and applications in deep learning, aiming to enhance faculty expertise in cutting-edge AI technologies. ♦

**Dr. Sowjanya Ramisetty**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, received a Certificate of Achievement awarded by Infosys for successfully completing the Artificial Intelligence Foundation Certification on June 14, 2025. ♦



**Dr. Sowjanya Ramisetty**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, received a Certificate of Appreciation for participating as a reviewer in the CRC Press–edited book titled “Intelligent Mobile and IoT Ecosystems – Bridging Cloud, Fog, Edge, and AI.” ♦

**Dr Sowjanya Ramisetty**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, presented a research paper on “Mitigating Physical Layer Security Vulnerabilities” in 12 th International Conference on Computing for Sustainable Global Development, INDIACom-2025 which was held on 02nd - 04th April, 2025 at BVICAM, New Delhi. ♦

# Faculty Development Programme



**Dr Sowjanya Ramisetty**, Assistant Professor, CSE, IcfaiTech, has attended a Two Week Faculty Training Programme on “*NEP Orientation and Sensitization Programme-25*” Organized by UGC-Malaviya Teacher Training Centre, JNTUH, Hyderabad from 22nd April-30th April,2025. ♦

**Dr. Meena Kumari Parigi**, Senior Assistant Professor in the Department of AI & Data Science at IFHE, Hyderabad, successfully participated in a Short-Term Training Programme (STTP) on Deep Learning.



Organized by SkillDzire in collaboration with AICTE, the STTP ran from March 17 to March 31, 2025, and focused on advanced techniques in artificial intelligence. ♦



**Dr. Ch. Leela**, Assistant Professor, Department of Humanities and Sciences, IcfaiTech has successfully completed one month course On “*Quantum Computing*” organized by Centre for Development and Advanced Computing, Hyderabad & IIT, Roorkee with support of Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India. ♦



**Dr. Barla Madhavi and Ms. Priya S. Natesh** have been selected under the sponsored category for the prestigious AICTE-QIP PG Certificate Program in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning, hosted by IIIT Nagpur. This rigorous six-month hybrid programme, spanning 200 hours of theory and hands-on sessions, is jointly certified by AICTE and IIIT Nagpur. ♦

**Prof. Dr. Joyce Supriya** attended a 5-day (16th JUNE - 20th JUNE, 2025) Online Training Program titled “*Design Thinking in Architectural Education: Studio Pedagogy Reimagined*” organized by COA-TRC (Council of Architecture Training and Research Centre) in collaboration with Amity University, Lucknow Campus.



It focused on fostering creativity, collaboration, and critical thinking in design studios. It introduced innovative teaching approaches emphasizing empathy, ideation, and prototyping in structuring studio assignments. Faculty explored contemporary tools like user research, brainstorming, and rapid prototyping to address real-world challenges. The sessions encouraged interdisciplinary learning and a shift towards a student-centered, inquiry-driven studio culture. Reflective exercises helped participants evaluate and reorient their own pedagogical practices, promoting a more dynamic and engaging learning environment aligned with industry needs and societal relevance. ♦

## Student Achievements

### Fostering Innovation and Entrepreneurship



Bizlex- The Entrepreneurship and Innovation Club of the Centre for Excellence in Innovation and Start-Ups, in collaboration with IIC, IFHE, organized its annual competitions in February 2025. The event aimed to inspire law students to embrace creativity, innovation, and entrepreneurial thinking, equipping them with the skills needed to develop and launch start-ups. ♦

### A Visit to T-Works



Bizlex -The Entrepreneurship and Innovation Club of the Centre for Excellence in Innovation and Start-Ups organized a visit to T-Works to deepen students' understanding of the product development cycle and the significance of prototyping. Over four days, 220 students actively participated, gaining practical insights and firsthand experience in innovation and prototyping. ♦

### A Visit to Criminal Court



As part of the Moot Court course, first-year (II Semester) students visited the Criminal Court of Telangana on February 5 & 6, where they observed live proceedings and gained valuable insights into case arguments, judicial reasoning, and procedural formalities. Witnessing advocacy in action and

engaging with legal professionals deepened their understanding of criminal proceedings and courtroom etiquette. This immersive experience emphasized the importance of critical thinking, legal research, and effective argumentation in legal practice. ♦

### Winners at Silver Jubilee Moot Court Competition



Kunjal Bhatnagar (BALLB), Eesha Narla Gouri (BBALLB), and Radhika Sharma (BBALLB) from ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, delivered an exceptional performance at the Silver Jubilee Moot Court Competition organized by Manikchand Pahade Law College, Aurangabad, from February 21-23, 2025. The team secured top honors, with Kunjal Bhatnagar winning Best Mooter, Eesha Narla Gouri receiving Best Respondent Final Round, and Radhika Sharma earning Best Memorial Final Round. ♦

### Semi-Finalists Acumen at the SMVEC Silver Jubilee Moot Court Competition



Vunguturi Naga Pavani Pranathi, S. Pranathi Nagasri, and Sloka Etike, 3rd-year BBA LLB (Hons) students from ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad, showcased their legal acumen at the SMVEC Silver Jubilee Moot Court Competition 2025, held from February 21-23, 2025. Their impressive performance secured them a place in the semi-finals, reflecting the institution's dedication to excellence in legal advocacy and mooting. ♦

## Quarterfinalists in the Trial Advocacy Competition



A team comprising Vaishnavi D., Vaishnavi G., and Sanjana K. from ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, showcased their exceptional advocacy skills by reaching the quarterfinals in a prestigious Trial Advocacy Competition. Their dedication, legal acumen, and courtroom expertise were commendable, reflecting the school's commitment to excellence in legal education. ♦

## Quarterfinalists at 4<sup>th</sup> AIU National Moot Court Competition 2025



Students of ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, showcased their exceptional advocacy skills at the 4th AIU National Moot Court Competition 2025, held at Atal Bihari Vajpayee School of Legal Studies, Kanpur, from 21st to 23rd February 2025. The team, comprising Kaza Mounika Lakshmi Sruti (3rd Year, BBA LLB Hons), Sri Sahasra Puli (3rd Year, BBA LLB Hons), Roshini Arige (3rd Year, BBA LLB Hons), secured a Quarterfinalist position, ranking among the top 8 teams out of 26 participating teams.

Their exceptional legal acumen and advocacy skills reflect the commitment and excellence fostered at ICFAI Law School. ♦

## Quarter Finalists at Peoples Education Society University



Kavya Vedula, Areej Mehdi, and Hari Sanker, 2nd-year BBA LLB students, represented ICFAI Law School at the 1st National Moot Court Competition 2025, held at Peoples Education Society University, Bengaluru, from February 21-23, 2025. Their outstanding performance secured them a place in the quarterfinals, reflecting their strong advocacy skills and commitment to excellence in mooting. ♦

## Consolation Prize & Cash Award



Nishnitha and Navya of VI sem ,3rd year participated in the prestigious Dayanand National Moot Court Competition, where they demonstrated commendable legal research, advocacy, and oratory skills. Their performance was recognized with a Consolation Prize, accompanied by a cash award of Rs. 2,000, acknowledging their efforts and potential in the field of mooting and legal argumentation. ♦

## NALSA the Child-Friendly Legal Services for Children



The Legal Aid Society of ICFAI Law School, IFHE, Hyderabad, actively participated in the NALSA (Child-Friendly Legal Services for Children) Scheme 2024, with a focus on promoting child rights and combating drug abuse. The event was organized by the District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), Ranga Reddy District, Telangana, and was held at the Saroornagar Indoor Stadium, LB Nagar, on March 25, 2025. The program brought together a diverse group of participants, including the District Judge of Ranga Reddy District, officials from the Telangana Anti-Narcotics Bureau, members of the Lions and Leo International Clubs, law college students, and schoolchildren from across the district. The program featured a powerful drama performance, motivational speeches, and an oath taking ceremony as part of the Say No to Drugs campaign. Paralegal volunteers from the Legal Aid Society supported the DLSA in organizing the event, contributing to its success. ♦

### 3<sup>rd</sup> LexPacto's Virtual Moot Court Competition



A team from ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, comprising Soyam Shipra (Speaker 1), P.V. Mohana (Speaker 2), and B. Shreya (Researcher), all third-year BBA LL.B. students, showcased exceptional advocacy skills at the 3<sup>rd</sup> LexPacto's Virtual Moot Court Competition 2025, held online on April 26–27, 2025. The competition revolved around legal issues concerning The Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956, the Anti-Trafficking Act, 2023, and constitutional protections under Article 21. Competing against 24 teams from across the country, the ICFAI team advanced to the semi-finals and secured the position of 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-Up. In recognition of their

commendable performance, the team was awarded a cash prize of Rs.5,000, along with certifications and discount vouchers from Manupatra Academy and LexPacto. ♦

### Honourary Special Mention at 2<sup>nd</sup> IILM National Moot Court Competition, 2025



A team comprising M. Sri Bhuvana (Speaker 1, 4<sup>th</sup> Year, B.A. LL.B.), G. Sai Manasa (Speaker 2, 4<sup>th</sup> Year, B.A. LL.B.), and Sarvana Shriya (Researcher, 4<sup>th</sup> Year, BBA LL.B.), from ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, participated in the 2<sup>nd</sup> IILM National Moot Court Competition from April 17 to 19, 2025, hosted by IILM School of Law, Greater Noida. Competing against 85 teams from across the country, including National Law Universities and other premier law institutions, the ICFAI team earned an Honourary Special Mention, securing a position among the Top 32 teams nationwide. ♦

### Farewell to the Class of 2020–2025



ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad, hosted a vibrant and emotional farewell for the outgoing Batch of 2020–2025 on May 2, 2025, at the IFHE Seminar Hall. Organized by the Cultural Club and hosted by 8<sup>th</sup> semester students, the event featured pre-farewell games such as the lemon and spoon race, tug of war, and musical chairs, followed by a lively celebration. The formal program included an inspiring address by Dr. P. Ravisekhara Raju, Director of ICFAI Law School, along with messages from other esteemed faculty members. A special felicitation ceremony for Prof. Hemalatha, cultural performances including group dances, solo singing, a solo act, a music band, and a cheerful Ramp Walk by the final-year students added vibrance to the day. The celebration concluded with a cake-cutting ceremony, a nostalgic video presentation titled “Memories of the 5<sup>th</sup> Year Students,” gift distribution, and a warm vote of thanks, creating a memorable send-off for the graduating batch. ♦