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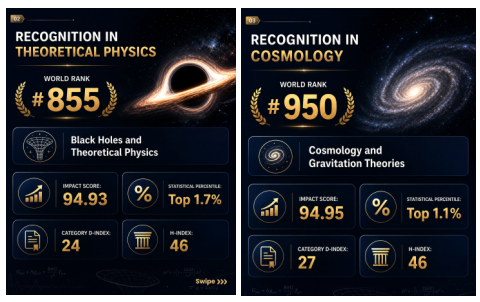
SGTU Professor recognised among global top 1,000 scholars



Gurugram: SGT University has achieved another milestone in academic research, with Dr. Sayantan Choudhury, Assistant Professor at the university, earning recognition in the Top1000 Scholar (2026 Edition) rankings published by Scholarly Index for his contributions to theoretical physics.

Dr. Choudhury has received recognition in specialised research domains of : Cosmology and Gravitation Theories, and Black Holes and Theoretical Physics. His rankings highlight his research standing at both the national and international levels. According to the ranking, Dr. Choudhury secured 950th position globally and 23rd position in India, with an impact score of 94.95, placing him among the top 1.1 per cent of scholars worldwide in this domain. In Black Holes and Theoretical Physics, he achieved 855th position globally and 24th position nationally.



The Proud Moment

Gurugram: We are proud to announce that SGT University has achieved another significant milestone.

In the latest QS World University Rankings: Asia 2027, Shree Guru Gobind Singh Tricentenary University has been ranked in the 1301–1400 Asia Ranking Band and secured the 425th rank in South Asia! This achievement is a testament to the dedication, hard work, and academic excellence of our faculty, staff, students, and alumni. A heartfelt thank you to the entire SGT University family for making this possible.

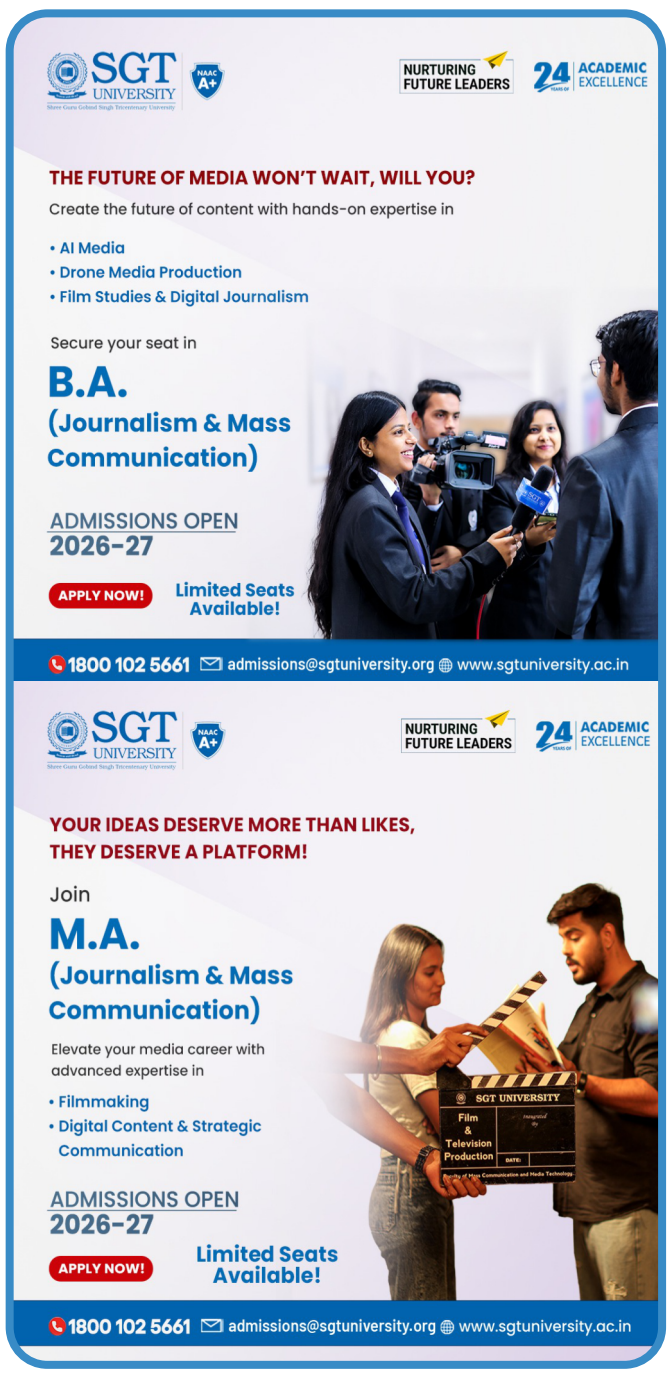
Together, we continue to set new benchmarks in higher education.



Vipul Sharma secures placement at Simplex Profilo Systems

Gurugram: Adding another achievement to SGTU growing list of student success stories, Vipul Sharma, a BCA student (2024 - 2027) has secured a placement at Simplex Profilo Systems as a Web Developer. His achievement marks an important milestone in academic journey & reflects his dedication towards developing technical skills for professional opportunities.





Diwali celebrated with festive enthusiasm, cultural spirit and togetherness

Shivam Tiwari

Gurugram: SGT University celebrated the festival of lights with a vibrant two-day Diwali Mela, bringing together students, faculty members, non-teaching staff and employees in an atmosphere filled with festive enthusiasm, cultural spirit and togetherness.

The first day of the celebration was dedicated to students, who participated in the Diwali Mela with great excitement.

The university campus witnessed a lively festive atmosphere as students came together to celebrate through various activities for entertainment and social interaction.

The mela provided a welcome break from academic routines and allowed students from different schools and departments to connect beyond their classrooms.The second day, was dedicated to faculty members, non-teaching staff and other university employees. The celebration offered an opportunity for the people working behind the university's academic and administrative activities to come together and enjoy the festive spirit.



It also served as a reminder to recognized the combined efforts of everyone in the university community.

The festive celebration reflected the true essence of Diwali, a festival associated with the triumph of light over darkness and the beginning of new possibilities. Beyond the festive activities, the event provided a platform for strengthening relationships and creating shared memories among members of the SGT University family.Such celebrations play an important role in campus life, as they encourage cultural participation, promote inclusivity and bring people from different backgrounds together. For students, the mela offered an opportunity to experience university life beyond academics, while the second day's gathering allowed faculty and staff members to celebrate their shared association with the institution. The Diwali Mela concluded on a cheerful note, spreading the message of unity, happiness and togetherness across the campus.





Taking India's Sports Wellness Vision Global



Gurugram: Prof. Dr. Pooja Anand, Dean, School of Physiotherapy, SGT University, will deliver a keynote address at the 4th BRICSCESS Conference 2026 in Moscow, Russia, highlighting India's journey from traditional wisdom to modern physiotherapy innovations in sports wellness.

We are wishing her great success on the global stage.

SGTU and CCRH join hands for ₹66.58 lakh clinical trial



Gurugram: SGT University has collaborated with the Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH), under the Ministry of Ayush, Government of India, for a clinical research project funded at ₹66.58 lakh.

The study aims to assess the role of individualised homoeopathy as an adjunct to nonsurgical periodontal treatment for patients with Stage I and Stage II periodontitis.

The research initiative seeks to examine whether individualised homoeopathic treatment, when used alongside standard nonsurgical periodontal care, offers any additional benefits for patients with early-stage gum disease.

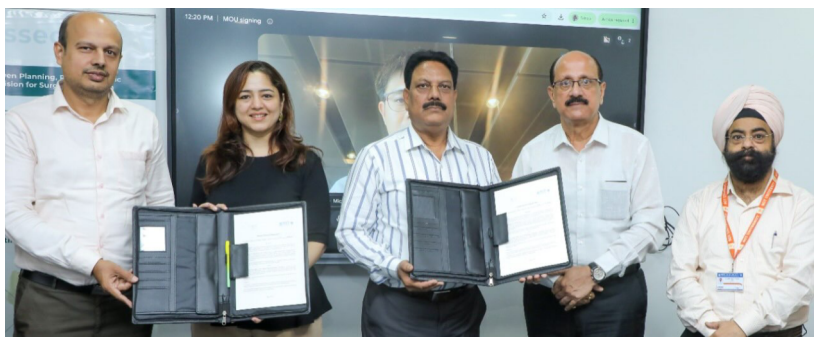
Periodontitis is a chronic inflammatory condition affecting the tissues supporting the teeth and can lead to gum damage and tooth loss if left untreated.

The collaboration brings together academic expertise and institutional research support to investigate an important question in dental healthcare. By combining clinical research with established periodontal treatment, the study will evaluate the outcomes of the proposed approach using a systematic research framework. The project is being led by Prof. (Dr.) Shalini Kapoor from SGT University and Dr. Deepti Singh from CCRH.

Their leadership reflects the importance of collaboration between universities and national research bodies in advancing scientific inquiry and strengthening evidence-based healthcare practices.

The funding of ₹66.58 lakh marks a significant institutional research initiative, providing support for the planned clinical investigation.

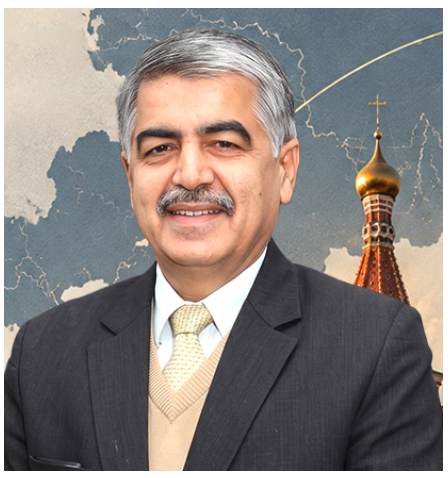
SGTU signs MoU with OsseoLabs to strengthen research, collaboration



Gurugram: The Faculty of Dental Sciences at SGT University has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Osseo Labs Inc. to strengthen collaboration in research, skill development and industry-integrated learning, creating new opportunities for students to gain practical exposure to emerging developments in dental technology. The partnership aims to bridge the gap between academic learning and industry requirements by encouraging knowledge exchange, research collaboration and the development of professional skills relevant to the evolving dental sector.

The university welcomed Mr. Patcharapit (Joe) Promoppatum, Co-founder and Chief Technology Officer of OsseoLabs Inc., and Dr. Tanvi Chawla, Country Head and Executive Director of OsseoLabs India Inc., on the occasion of the MoU signing.

Shaping India's roadmap to Olympic Excellence 2036



Gurugram: Prof. Dr. G. L. Khanna, Advisor, SGT University, will share strategic insights at the 4th BRICSCESS Conference 2026 in Moscow, Russia, focusing on academic, industry and scientific collaboration to advance India's Olympic vision for 2036.

We are wishing him success on representing India on the international platform.

Workshop organised on Intellectual Property Rights to bring awareness



Gurugram: SGT University organised a workshop on Intellectual Property Rights: Awareness, Protection & Commercialization to promote awareness about protecting innovations and transforming research outcomes into practical and commercial applications.

The workshop was jointly organised by the university's Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) Cell under the aegis of the Research and Development Cell, in collaboration with the Haryana State Council for Science, Innovation & Technology.

The programme featured expert sessions by Shri Rajneesh Pratap Singh, Assistant Controller of Patents and Designs at the Office of the Controller General of Patents, Designs and Trade Marks, Government of India, and Dr. Rahul Taneja, Scientist at the Directorate of Science and Technology, Government of Haryana, and a registered patent and trademark agent.

Cell for Holistic Sustainable Development drives environmental awareness and resilience

Gurugram: At SGT University, Gurugram, the Cell for Holistic Sustainable Development is translating the vision of a greener safer and cleaner future into practice through student engagement, community outreach, waste management and disaster preparedness initiatives. The Cell for Holistic Sustainable Development (CHSD) enthusiastically hosted the National Student Paryavaran Competition (NSPC) 2026 on the inspiring theme "Sowing to Growing," promoting environmental awareness and a culture of sustainability across the University. Students, research scholars, and faculty members from various schools and departments were encouraged to participate through a promotional poster. The initiative received an encouraging response, with 235 participants registering for the online quiz and tree-plantation activity. All the participants received e-certificates bearing the University's name. Organised in association with PSG, the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, and the Ministry of Education, NSPC 2026 inspired participants to deepen their understanding of environmental challenges and embrace responsible, eco-conscious practices. Through this initiative, CHSD reaffirmed its commitment to nurturing environmental stewardship and empowering the University community to contribute towards a greener and more sustainable future.



Strengthening Disaster Preparedness

The Cell for Holistic Sustainable Development extended its outreach to rural communities through an awareness activity on disaster management and resilience.



AIU North Zone Conference organised on AI in Higher Education



Gurugram: SGT University, Gurugram, in collaboration with the Association of Indian Universities (AIU), New Delhi, hosted the AIU North Zone Conference 2026 on October 16, bringing together academic leaders, researchers, industry experts and students to discuss the growing role of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in higher education. The conference focused on how AI can transform teaching, learning, research and university administration while ensuring that technology is used responsibly and ethically. The discussions highlighted the need for educational institutions to adapt to emerging technologies and prepare students with skills relevant to a rapidly changing professional landscape. The inaugural session featured Prof. (Dr.) Shashikala Wanjari, Vice-Chancellor of the National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration (NIEPA); Dr. (Mrs.) Pankaj Mittal, Secretary General of AIU; Shri Paras A. Palsatkar of Mastersoft ERP Solution; and Prof. (Dr.) B. J. Rao, Vice-Chancellor of SGT University.

The speakers emphasised responsible AI adoption and its strategic integration into higher education. The technical programme comprised three sessions. The first explored AI-driven teaching, learning and future skills, highlighting evolving educational practices and student participation. The second examined AI applications in research innovation and institutional transformation, including scientific research and digital campus governance. The third was focused on responsible AI, governance and industry-academia collaboration.



SGTU students win National Championship at HacXLerate



Gurugram: Students from the School of Engineering & Technology (SOET), SGT University, have brought laurels to the institution by securing the first position at HacXLerate 2026, emerging as national winners among nearly 900 participating teams. The winning team, PARIKSHAN, received a cash prize of ₹1 lakh for its outstanding performance in the competition organised by byteXL TechED Pvt. Ltd.

The achievement highlights the technical abilities, creativity and problem-solving skills of the university's young innovators, who competed against teams from across the country.

The competition provided a platform for students to demonstrate their technical knowledge, develop innovative solutions and apply classroom learning to practical challenges.Team PARIKSHAN comprises Krishant, Laxmi, Kanishka, Mohit and Mamant, students of B.Tech Computer Science and Engineering (2025–2029), specialising in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (AI & ML).

Their performance at the national level reflects their dedication, teamwork and ability to approach technical challenges with innovative thinking. Adding to the university's achievement, another student team, CODE XERO, also qualified for the Buildathon, earning an opportunity to participate in the next stage of the competition. Meanwhile, CODE PULSE secured third position at the university level.

MDS batch welcomed through Deeksharambh Orientation Programme



Gurugram: The Faculty of Dental Sciences, SGT University, organised the Deeksharambh, an orientation programme for newly admitted Master of Dental Surgery (MDS) students, on October 27.

The programme marked the beginning of a new academic journey for aspiring dental specialists, providing them with valuable guidance and insights into the responsibilities of advanced dental education and clinical practice.The occasion was graced by Dr. Mahesh Verma, Vice-Chancellor, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, New Delhi, who attended the programme as the distinguished guest.

His presence added significance to the event, which aimed to familiarise newly admitted students with the academic expectations, professional responsibilities and values associated with postgraduate dental education.Addressing the students, Dr. Verma shared insightful thoughts on the importance of academic rigour, clinical excellence and ethical professional practice during the MDS journey.

He emphasised that becoming a successful dental specialist requires more than academic qualifications. It demands dedication, discipline, practical competence and a continuous willingness to learn and adapt to developments in the field of dentistry.He also encouraged students to approach the challenges of postgraduate education with confidence, integrity and commitment.



Storytelling and creative writing competitions organised



Gurugram: The Diplomacy and Dialogue Club (DDC) of SGT University organized Storytelling and Creative Writing competitions as part of YUGAM 2026, bringing students together to share their ideas, imagination and creative expression under the guidance of Prof Dr. Vijay Sharma, Dean of Students' Welfare.

His mentorship was instrumental in receiving multiple student registration and making the event a success. Storytelling competition individually received registrations from 20+ colleges and universities across the nation reflecting the team's efforts to reach out to prospective participants and encourage participation.

The events were organized and managed by diligent student members of the club. The event was led by Daksh Singh, the President of DDC and the organizing team comprising Shahin, Anup, Manas, Khushi, and Shubham Singh.

Their collective contribution spanned participant outreach, registration coordination, event preparations and on-ground management. From contacting students across universities to coordinating arrangements, the core team along with other students worked collaboratively to bring the competitions together.

Khushboo, Erya, Avika, Manya, Diya, Diya Dwivedi, Shivani, Knishq and Shubham Mundepi work with dedication to enhance the ambiance of the venue. Moving ahead, the smart coordination team of DDC which coordinated and managed everything very well, and the competitions went smoothly.

They had their founding pillars, Daksh Singh and Anup Shah along with the active members including Shahin, Manas, Khushi, Swati, Meenakshi, Shubham Singh, Bhoomi, Agam, Knishq and Shubham Mundepi. Also, counting to social media team Bhavya, Sugandha, Samridhi and Charvi contributed nicely.

The panel was honored by Dr. Shammi Nagpal, Dean of School of Humanities, Social Sciences and Liberal arts along with Dr. Tejee Isha mam.



SGTU uses theatre to promote mental health awareness through 'Ramsajivan Ki Prem Katha'



Gurugram: Using the power of theatre to address an issue often discussed in whispers, SGT University presented 'Ramsajivan Ki Prem Katha', a thought-provoking theatrical performance aimed at encouraging conversations around mental health and challenging the stigma associated with psychological well-being.The performance was organised by the School of Behavioural Sciences in collaboration with Meera Culture Society.

Through storytelling and dramatic expression, the production sought to bring mental health concerns closer to the audience, highlighting the importance of empathy, understanding and emotional support.

Theatre served as a powerful medium to explore human emotions and experiences, creating space for audiences to reflect on the challenges individuals may face in their personal lives.

By presenting sensitive themes through relatable storytelling, the performance encouraged viewers to look beyond outward appearances and recognise the importance of listening without judgement.

A key message of the production was that experiencing emotional difficulties is a part of being human and that seeking help should never be a source of shame.

The performance also highlighted the need to create supportive environments where people feel comfortable expressing their feelings and discussing their mental health concerns.

Dental college organises CDE workshop on AI in dentistry



Gurugram: SGT Dental College organised a Continuing Dental Education (CDE) workshop on Artificial Intelligence, basic concepts and its applications in dentistry" to familiarise dental professionals and students with the growing role of AI in modern dental practice.

The workshop was organised by the Department of Prosthodontics under the aegis of 32 Pearls Academy. It aimed to bridge the gap between emerging technological developments and their practical applications in dentistry, offering participants an opportunity to understand how AI can support clinical practice, education and research.

The session was led by Dr. Neeraj Gugnani, Professor in the Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry at DAV Dental College.

Through an engaging combination of theoretical discussions and hands-on activities, he introduced participants to the basic concepts of artificial intelligence and its potential applications in the dental field. A key highlight of the workshop was the hands-on app development activity.



SMCF Students Secure Second Prize at Mediaverse 2026

Gurugram: Students of the School of Emerging Media, Communication and Film Studies (SMCF), SGT University, brought laurels to the institution by securing the second prize in the competition "Beyond the Campaign" at Mediaverse 2026, organised by Manav Rachna University, Faridabad.



The winning team comprised Harshit Tyagi, Hariom Kumar and Shaurya Verma, students of the Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communication (BAJMC), third semester.

Their creative approach and impressive performance earned them the second position along with a cash prize of ₹2,500.

The competition provided a platform for students to showcase their creativity, communication skills and understanding of campaign-based media concepts.

The achievement reflects the students' ability to apply classroom learning in a competitive environment while exploring innovative ways to communicate ideas effectivel.

The accomplishment was welcomed with pride by the SMCF fraternity. Prof. Shammi Nagpal, Dean, SMCF; Dr. Abhishek Dubey, Associate Dean, SMCF; and Dr. Ritwik Ghosh congratulated the students on their success.



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