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### Message

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It give me immense pleasure to present to you the July-Dec 2022 edition of 'Reflections', the official newsletter of Govt. College University Hyderabad, the most historic educational institution of Hyderabad. For over a century this institute in capacity of a Degree College has produced amazing talent and contributed to community development. Now, being given university status in 2018, this institution has duly been recognized by the Government and a whole new avenue of development has been opened up for the students as well as the faculty.

It is a matter of pride for me, especially as a female, to be the maiden Vice Chancellor of the first public sector university in Hyderabad. Taking pride in the history, culture and achievements of this institute, the GC University Hyderabad will now aim for excellence on the canvas of Higher Education and lead through research, innovation, technology, collaboration and quality teaching-learning.

The GC University Hyderabad campus has all the necessary facilities and resources available to enable our students to learn, innovate, excel and compete at the highest level with the amazing team of GC University Hyderabad leaving no stones unturned to deliver their best for the development of our students. With the support of the Government and with a focus on continuous improvement and a fresh outlook, GC University Hyderabad aims to become one of the best Public Sector Higher Education Institutions of the region in times to come.

'Reflections', the GCUH newsletter will be highlighting the latest happening at the Govt. College University Hyderabad and keep the readers and interested stakeholders up-to-date with the developments at GCUH.

### Navigating the World Through Maps Session on Map Reading

Date: 26th September 2022



The captivating world of maps came to life at Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) on September 26th, 2022, as students and faculty gathered for a riveting session on Maps & Map Reading. The event was a testament to GCUH's commitment to fostering a holistic educational experience that goes beyond textbooks and classrooms.

Maps are not just diagrams on paper; they are windows into the vast landscapes of our world. The session delved into the art and science of reading maps, equipping attendees with valuable skills to navigate the intricate web of geographic information. Students from all

the departments of the university keenly participated in this session.

The session began with an introduction to the significance of maps in various fields, from geography and geology to urban planning and disaster management. Participants were immersed in the history and evolution of cartography, understanding how maps have shaped our understanding of the Earth over centuries. Diving deeper, the session transitioned into the practical aspect of map reading. Attendees learned to decipher symbols, legends, and scales, unraveling the layers of information embedded in every



map. The intricate details of topographic maps, thematic maps, and digital maps were unveiled, revealing how they serve as indispensable tools for decision-making, exploration, and analysis.

The hands-on component of the session allowed participants to put their newfound knowledge to the test. Working with a variety of maps, they honed their skills in determining directions, measuring distances, and interpreting elevation contours. The interactive exercises ignited a sense of curiosity and adventure, as attendees embarked on virtual journeys across terrains and regions. The session on Maps & Map Reading was not just about reading lines and symbols; it was about cultivating a deeper connection with the world around us. It was a reminder that every map tells a story - of cultures, ecosystems, histories, and connections. As the session concluded, participants left with a heightened appreciation for the power of maps and the insights they offer. The session's impact extended beyond the confines of the classroom, empowering attendees to see the world with a newfound perspective and navigate it with confidence.







## A Glimpse into the Exhibition by Creative Society

Date: 26th September 2022

A burst of creativity illuminated Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) as the Creative Society took center stage with their captivating exhibition September on 26th, 2022. The event was a celebration of imagination, innovation. and artistic embodying expression, the spirit of exploration that defines GCUH.

The Creative Society's dynamic exhibition was а showcase of diverse art forms, ranging from paintings and sculptures to digital creations, installations and showcasing of ideas. The walls were adorned with vibrant colors. intricate details, and thoughtprovoking themes, each piece a testament to the boundless possibilities of human creativity. Attendees were transported into a world of perspectives, as the artists' unique visions came to life. The exhibition served as a bridge between emotions and the tangible, inviting observers to engage with the stories. inspirations, narratives and woven into each masterpiece.

The Creative Society's exhibition wasn't confined to traditional art forms alone. Digital installations and multimedia presentations pushed the boundaries of creativity, merging technology



with artistic expression to create immersive experiences that left a lasting impact.

At the heart of the exhibition was the belief that creativity knows no bounds. It transcends disciplines, backgrounds, and perspectives, bringing individuals together through a universal language that speaks to the human experience. The event underscored GCUH's commitment to nurturing holistic education that embraces the arts as an integral part of intellectual growth.

The Creative Society's exhibition was a testament to the power of artistic expression and its ability to ignite conversations, inspire change, and leave a lasting impression on those fortunate enough to experience it. Government College University Hyderabad proudly celebrates the artists who showcased their talents, demonstrating that creativity truly knows no boundaries.

## Creative Society Elections - Election Day for Creative Minds

Date: 28th September 2022

Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) came alive with excitement on September 28th, 2022, as the Creative Society Elections unfolded, marking a pivotal moment for artistic expression and leadership within our vibrant campus community. The event was a testament to the power of creativity and the drive to shape GCUH's cultural landscape.

The Creative Society Elections were not merely a selection process; they embodied the essence of democracy and community involvement. Students who are passionate about the arts stepped forward to vie for leadership positions that would allow them to shape the future of creative endeavors on campus. The atmosphere was charged with enthusiasm and anticipation as candidates presented their visions and goals for the society. There were speeches that resonated with passion, commitment, and a deep understanding of the transformative impact of the arts. Through their words, students shared their aspirations to foster collaboration, ignite innovation, and create a platform that celebrates diversity of expression.

The elections were a platform for students to exercise their right to vote and contribute to the direction of the Creative Society. This democratic process mirrored the values of inclusion and shared decision-making that GCUH upholds, allowing everyone's voice to be heard.

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As the ballots were cast and the votes counted, the anticipation grew. The Creative Society Elections culminated in the announcement of the newly elected leadership, marking the beginning of an exciting chapter

for the society and the artistic community at GCUH. The event not only showcased the commitment of the candidates but also highlighted the enthusiasm of the students who cast their votes. It was a testament to the importance of fostering an environment that nurtures leadership, creativity, and active participation.

The Creative Society Elections captured the spirit of GCUH - a place where innovation and imagination are celebrated, and where students have the opportunity to channel their passions into meaningful initiatives. The elected leaders of the Creative Society now have the opportunity to shape an environment that nurtures artistic growth, encourages collaboration, and brings the creative community closer together.







## Two Days Conference on 'National Integration and Peace Building

Date: 29th & 30th September 2022

Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) proudly hosted a transformative Two Days Conference on National Integration and Peace Building on September 29th and 30th, 2022, shedding light on the crucial theme. The conference was a significant step towards fostering unity, harmony, and understanding among diverse communities in the nation.

With a commitment to promoting a united and peaceful Pakistan, the conference aimed to address the challenges and opportunities associated with national integration and peace building. Experts, scholars, students, and community leaders converged to engage in meaningful conversations, share insights, and explore strategies to bridge divides and promote interfaith harmony. The conference's inauguration was marked by powerful speeches that underscored the importance of embracing diversity and creating an inclusive society that celebrates all ethnicities, cultures, faiths. The two-dav featured a series of enlightening sessions, panel discussions, and interactive workshops, which provided comprehensive perspective on fostering peace in a multicultural nation.

Participants delved into various facets of national integration, including the role of education, cultural exchange, social inclusion, and interfaith dialogue. By examining case studies, sharing









success stories, and addressing challenges, the conference aimed to inspire attendees to become catalysts for positive change in their communities. The significance of student participation cannot be overlooked. GCUH's students actively engaged in the conference, highlighting their commitment to building a harmonious society and becoming agents of change. Their enthusiasm and contributions added depth and vitality to the discussions, reaffirming that the youth hold the key to a united future.

As the conference drew to a close, participants left with a renewed sense of purpose and commitment to fostering national integration and peace. The event served as a reminder that while Pakistan is a diverse nation with varying perspectives, it is through mutual respect, understanding, and empathy that we can build a stronger and more cohesive society.

The Two Days Conference on National Integration and Peace Building resonated beyond the confines of the university, leaving a lasting impact on attendees from all walks of life. It was a significant milestone in our journey towards building a stronger, more harmonious Pakistan. By fostering dialogue, encouraging collaboration, and sharing insights, we take meaningful steps towards realizing the vision of a united nation where diversity is celebrated and peace prevails.







### **Elections of Business & Entrepreneurship Society**

Date: 30th September 2022



Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) was abuzz with the spirit of innovation and leadership on September 30th, 2022, as students gathered for the eagerly awaited Elections of the Business & Entrepreneurship Society. The event marked a significant milestone in GCUH's commitment to fostering a culture of entrepreneurship, creativity, and forward-thinking among its students.

The Business & Entrepreneurship Society elections were more than just a democratic process; they were a testament to the university's dedication to equipping students with the skills and mindset needed to thrive in today's dynamic and competitive landscape. As candidates presented their visions and ideas, they showcased their passion for business innovation, problem-solving, and societal impact.

The elections weren't solely about electing leaders; they were about empowering students to take charge of their

entrepreneurial journey. As students cast their votes, they demonstrated their active engagement in shaping the trajectory of the Business & Entrepreneurship Society, emphasizing the importance of collaboration and collective effort. The newly elected leaders of the Business & Entrepreneurship Society hold the torch to inspire, guide, and cultivate the entrepreneurial spirit within the GCUH community. Their roles extend beyond organizing events; they are catalysts for change, fostering an environment where creativity flourishes, ideas are nurtured, and innovation is celebrated.

The Business & Entrepreneurship Society elections are a stepping stone towards realizing the full potential of our students as future business leaders, problem solvers, and change makers. As the society embarks on a new chapter, we look forward to witnessing the impact of their initiatives, the growth of their ideas, and the transformative effect they bring to GCUH and beyond.

### Two Days Workshop on Peace, Tolerance & Community Engagement organized by Shaoor Foundation at Karachi

Date: 4th-5th October 2022

Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) proudly participated in the thought-provoking Two Days Workshop on Peace, Tolerance & Community Engagement organized by Shaoor Foundation. The event, held at Mehran Hotel Karachi on October 4th and 5th, 2022, brought together scholars, practitioners, and change agents to explore the vital themes of peace, tolerance, and community engagement.

Hakim Ali Junejo, Deputy Director of the Quality Enhancement Cell (QECand Dr. Abdul Razak Larik (Assistant Professor) from GCUH represented the university at this significant gathering. His presence underscored GCUH's commitment to fostering a culture of tolerance, understanding, and collaboration, not only within our campus but also within the broader community.

The workshop provided a platform to engage in meaningful discussions, share insights, and exchange best practices related to promoting peace and tolerance. By addressing topics such as conflict resolution, interfaith harmony, and social cohesion, the event aimed to equip attendees with tools and strategies to build bridges and create inclusive societies. Moreover, Mr. Junejo's representation at the workshop demonstrated GCUH's active involvement in initiatives that contribute to positive social change.





His participation not only reflected our university's values but also highlighted our role as a responsible and engaged institution in shaping a harmonious future.

GCUH appreciated Shaoor Foundation for organizing such a meaningful event, providing a platform for exchange and collaboration. GCUH remains committed to participating in initiatives that align with our values of peace, tolerance, and community engagement, and we look forward to continuing our partnership in creating a more harmonious society.

### Harnessing Solar Power for a Greener Future

Date: 15th October 2022



Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) took a significant towards sustainability innovation on October 15th, 2022, as Mr. Abdul Jabbar, a distinguished Member of the Provincial Assembly (MPA) of Sindh, inaugurated a state-ofthe-art Solar Power Unit at the Botany Department. This landmark event not only aligns with GCUH's commitment to environmental responsibility but also paves the way for a greener and more energy-efficient campus.

The inauguration ceremony marked a moment of pride and progress for GCUH, as it embraced renewable energy as a means to reduce its carbon footprint and contribute to a cleaner environment. The Solar Power Unit is a testament to GCUH's dedication to adopting sustainable practices and incorporating technological advancements for the betterment of the campus and the community. The GCUH is already one of the very few Universities in Pakistan that











have been almost completely switched to alternate energy for its campus.

Mr. Abdul Jabbar's presence added significance to the event, underscoring the ownership of political parties for the initiative of educational institutions to drive positive change. His support and endorsement of the Solar Power Unit initiative reflect a shared commitment to fostering a more sustainable future for Sindh and beyond. Mr. Abdul Jabbar is already a very active support of the GCUH and has been participating in statutory forums of the University as well.

The Solar Power Unit at the Botany Department is more than just an infrastructure upgrade; it is a symbol of GCUH's role in leading by example and promoting awareness about the importance of renewable energy. As we harness the power of the sun to illuminate our academic endeavors, we inspire our students, faculty, and community to embrace responsible energy consumption and environmental stewardship.

## GCU Hyderabad Unveils First Smart Classroom with Remote Inauguration

Date: 16th October 2022



The Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) marked a historic milestone on October 16th by unveiling its first technology-based smart classroom.

In an innovative approach, the distinguished Honourable Raja Pervaiz Ashraf, Speaker of the National Assembly, remotely inaugurated the classroom from his office in Islamabad.

The virtual opening underscored technology the power of in bridging distances and fostering connections. It aligned with GCUH's commitment to embracing technology for enhanced learning.

Equipped with state-of-the-art tools and collaborative platforms,

the smart classroom transforms traditional spaces into dynamic hubs of engagement and creativity.

As a GCUH alumnus, Honourable Ashraf's involvement resonated with the university's aspirations to provide the best educational resources. His support reflects the growing significance of technology in education.

The inauguration marks a step toward redefining the learning experience and equipping students with digital-age skills to excel. It embodies GCUH's commitment to innovation in teaching approaches.

GCUH extends appreciation to Honourable Ashraf for supporting its efforts to stay at the forefront of educational advancement.

The remote unveiling exemplified the synergy between academia and leadership in shaping a future powered by technology and knowledge. It ushered in a new chapter for the university.

### Rehmatul-lil-alameen Celebration -Embracing the Teachings of Mercy

Date: 20th October 2022



The Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) resonated with reverence and unity on October 20th, 2022, as students, faculty, and staff gathered for the heartfelt Celebration of Rehmat-ul-lil-Alameen. Organized by the General Department in collaboration student with all societies and departments, the event commemorated the life and teachings of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W-<sup>®</sup>) - a beacon of mercy, compassion, and guidance for humanity.

The celebration was a powerful testament to the diverse and harmonious community that thrives within GCUH's campus. Students from various backgrounds came together to honor the Prophet's legacy and learn from his teachings of empathy, tolerance, and kindness. The event featured a series of enlightening talks, Milad, Naat Competition, debates and presentations that shed light on the profound impact of the Prophet's teachings on contemporary society.

Through heartfelt poetry & Milad, inspiring speeches, and interactive sessions, participants delved into the essence of the Holy Prophet's (\*\*) message of love and compassion. The event encouraged attendees to reflect on their own actions and contributions towards building a world that upholds the values of mercy, humility, and justice.

Celebration of Rehmat-ul-lil-The Alameen was a collaborative effort that showcased GCUH's commitment nurturing an environment of inclusivity and understanding. The unity displayed among various student societies and departments underlined the power of shared values and the capacity of diversity to strengthen the community. This celebration was not just a one-time event, in fact this is an annual feature of the GCUH activities and serves as a reminder of the enduring impact of the Prophet's (#) teachings and the collective responsibility we all share in carrying forward his teachings and kindness.

## 2nd Talent Festival at GCUH - Badminton Championship 2022 (Boys & Girls) held at GCUH

Date: 22nd November 2022



Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) transformed into a hub of talent, sportsmanship, and unity on November 22nd, 2022, as the campus buzzed with excitement for the 2nd Talent Festival and Inter-department Badminton Championship. The event, organized by the Directorate of Sports, Peace & Community Service Society of GCUH, and Shaoor Foundation for Education & Awareness under the PACT Project, was a celebration of camaraderie and the pursuit of excellence.

The festival was a dynamic platform that showcased the diverse talents of GCUH's students while promoting physical activity and fostering a sense of community. The Championship brought the spirit of healthy competition to the forefront where the students from various departments engaged in friendly matches, displaying their dedication, agility, and sportsmanship on the badminton court. The championship not only provided a thrilling sports experience but also highlighted the importance of teamwork and determination.

The collaboration between the Directorate of Sports, Peace & Community Service Society, and Shaoor Foundation exemplified the power of collective efforts in creating meaningful events that engage, inspire, and unite the GCUH community.

## 2nd Talent Festival at GCUH - Science Exhibition and Research Projects

Date: 25th November 2022

Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) transformed into a hub of curiosity and innovation on November 25th, 2022, as it hosted the highly anticipated 2nd Talent Festival Science Exhibition and Research Projects. The event was a celebration of intellectual curiosity, scientific inquiry, and the boundless possibilities of knowledge exploration. The science exhibition showcased the remarkable achievements of GCUH's students and faculty members in various fields of research. From cutting-edge scientific discoveries to innovative ideas & technological advancements, the projects displayed the university's commitment to pushing the boundaries of knowledge and contributing to the advancement of society. Visitors to the exhibition were treated to an array of thought-provoking displays, interactive demonstrations, and engaging discussions. The projects on display ranged from groundbreaking scientific experiments to ingenious engineering solutions, highlighting the diversity of expertise present within the GCUH community. The exhibition wasn't just a showcase of individual achievements: it was a testament to the collaborative spirit that thrives within GCUH. The exchange of ideas and the interdisciplinary nature of the event highlighted the power of cross-disciplinary collaboration in addressing complex challenges and driving innovation. The 2nd Talent Festival Science Exhibition and Research Projects was a platform for students, faculty, and researchers to share their passion, dedication, and innovative ideas with a wider audience. The event encouraged attendees to question, explore, and engage with the fascinating world of scientific discovery.









### Multicultural Day Celebrations at GCUH

Date: 2nd December 2022

Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) transformed into a vibrant tapestry of cultures, colors, and traditions on December 2nd, 2022, as it celebrated Multicultural Day with zeal and enthusiasm. The event was a joyful celebration of the rich diversity that thrives within the GCUH community, bringing together students from various backgrounds to share and learn from each other's cultures.

The Multicultural Day celebrations showcased the kaleidoscope of cultures that make up the GCUH family. Students proudly displayed artifacts, attire, cuisines, and performances that represented the rich heritage of their cultures, contributing to an atmosphere of unity, understanding, and respect. The event was a melting pot





of cultural exchanges, with participants taking the opportunity to engage conversations about traditions. in languages, customs, and values. The celebrations served as a reminder that despite our differences, we share a common humanity that binds us together. The performances, exhibitions, presentations highlighted the importance of multiculturalism in fostering a sense of cultural values. The event not only enriched the campus experience for students but also reinforced GCUH's commitment to nurturing an environment that values inclusivity, empathy, and intercultural dialogue.



### Seminar on Islamic Banking and Finance

Date: 5th December 2022



Government College Hyderabad University (GCUH) hosted a thoughtprovoking One Day Seminar on Islamic Banking and December Finance on 5th, 2022. Organized by the Peace and Community Service Society, the seminar provided attendees with insights into the principles, ethical practices. and foundations of Islamic Banking and Finance.

The seminar aimed to create a space for students, faculty, and community members to learn about the core tenets of Islamic banking and finance, which align

with principles of fairness, social responsibility, and ethical conduct. Experts and scholars in the field shared their knowledge, shedding light on the intricate workings of financial systems that prioritize economic wellbeing while upholding moral values. Attendees had the opportunity to engage in discussions, presentations, and interactive sessions that explored the fundamental concepts of Islamic finance, role in promoting its economic stability, and its potential to contribute to a more equitable society. The event provided a platform for intellectual exploration and

meaningful dialogues about the intersection of finance and ethics.

The seminar's relevance extended beyond academic realm, resonating with the broader community's interest in financial systems that are just, transparent, and focused on societal well-being. GCUH remains dedicated to facilitating conversations that enrich our understanding of various topics and contribute to the development of responsible and informed individuals who are prepared to tackle the challenges of the modern world.

#### **Celebrating World Soil Day**

Date: 5th December 2022



Government College Hyderabad's University (GCUH) Botany Department took a meaningful stride towards raising awareness about the importance of soil health and conservation on December 5th, 2022. Students organized 15-minute walk that emphasized the significance of World Soil Day. The event culminated in the planting of a flowering plant on the GCUH symbolizing grounds, commitment to nurturing our planet's precious resources.

The walk was more than just a physical activity; it was a symbolic gesture that highlighted the crucial role soil

plays in sustaining life on Earth. Participants, led by students of the Botany Department, demonstrated dedication to promoting environmental consciousness and addressing the challenges posed by soil degradation and erosion as well as the global climatic challenges and dangers. As the participants walked together, they engaged in conversations about the importance of soil health, its impact on agriculture, and the need for responsible land management practices. The event fostered a sense of unity and shared responsibility among students, faculty, and staff, underscoring the collective effort required to preserve our planet's natural resources.

The walk culminated in the planting of a flowering plant on the GCUH campus - a living testament to the university's commitment to environmental sustainability and the nurturing of life. This act not only beautified the campus but also served as a constant reminder of the importance of safeguarding our environment for future generations.

## **Exploring Biodiversity - Botany Students' Expedition**

Date: 7th December 2022

On December 7th, 2022, the spirit of curiosity and exploration led students of the Botany Department at Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) to embark on an educational journey to Pai Forest Sakrand in Shaheed Benazirabad. This enriching visit was an opportunity for students to engage with nature, deepen their understanding of plant species, collection of samples and connecting it with classroom learning in the real world.

The visit to Pai Forest Sakrand was a unique experience that allowed students to witness the beauty and diversity of wild plant species up close. Guided by experts and faculty members, the students delved into the ecosystem, observing and documenting various plants and their habitats. The hands-on encounter with nature's wonders added a tangible dimension to their academic pursuits.

The excursion not only expanded the students' knowledge of botany but also instilled in them a sense of appreciation for the intricate balance of nature. It provided a platform for students to learn about plant identification, ecological interactions, and the importance of preserving biodiversity for future generations.

The visit to Pai Forest Sakrand underscored GCUH's commitment to providing holistic educational experiences that go beyond classroom lectures. It highlighted the university's dedication to nurturing well-rounded individuals who are equipped to contribute meaningfully to society and the environment.









### Visit of the Chief Secretary Sindh, Dr. Muhammad Sohail Rajput

Date: 13th December 2022



Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) welcomed back a distinguished alumnus on December 13th, 2022, as Chief Secretary Sindh, Dr. Muhammad Sohail Rajput, visited his alma mater. The occasion was not only a moment of pride for GCUH but also a testament to the achievements and leadership of its former students.

Dr. Muhammad Sohail Rajput's visit was a homecoming that resonated with nostalgia and fond memories. Walking the halls that once nurtured his academic journey, he symbolized this historic institution's enduring commitment to nurturing individuals who go on to excel in various fields and contribute to society.



During his visit, Chief Secretary Sindh engaged with students, faculty, and administrative staff, sharing insights from his own educational experiences and professional journey. His presence served as an inspiration to current students, demonstrating that GCUH's legacy continues to thrive through the accomplishments of its alumni.

The visit provided an opportunity for students to interact with a leader who has played a pivotal role in shaping policies and initiatives that impact the province of Sindh. Dr. Muhammad Sohail Rajput's journey from being a student at the historic Kali Mori College (now the GCUH) to serving in esteemed government positions highlighted the university's role in producing leaders who contribute to the betterment of society.

#### Remembering APS Attack Martyrs

Date: 16th December 2022



On December 16th, 2022, Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) gathered as a united community to commemorate the solemn anniversary of the tragic APS attack. The event, organized as a gesture of solidarity with the families of the victims, served as a poignant reminder of the resilience and strength that emerge from even the darkest of times. The commemoration was more than a remembrance; it was a tribute to the lives lost and a commitment to standing strong against the forces of hatred and violence. Students, faculty, and staff came together to reflect, honor, and pay their respects to the innocent lives that were taken on that fateful day.

Through reflective talks, candlelight

vigils, and artistic expressions, the GCUH community conveyed a message of unity, compassion, and the unwavering belief in the power of education to overcome adversity. The event served as an opportunity to reiterate the importance of fostering an environment of tolerance, understanding, and peace.

The commemoration was a solemn reminder of the responsibility we all share in creating a world where such tragedies never repeat. GCUH's commitment to promoting a culture of respect, empathy, and inclusivity was palpable as attendees joined hands in solidarity, supporting one another through shared grief and a collective determination to build a brighter future.

# Warm Clothes Distribution Drive - Winter Relief Camp organized at GCUH

Date: 20th December 2022









On December 20th, 2022, Government College University Hyderabad's (GCUH) Peace & Community Service Society of GCUH took a heartwarming initiative to alleviate the winter chill for those in need. The society organized a Winter Relief Camp that exemplified the spirit of compassion, empathy, and community service that defines GCUH's values.

As temperatures dropped and the cold season set in, the Winter Relief Camp aimed to provide warmth and comfort to deserving communities in Hyderabad and its adjoining areas. Members of the Peace & Community Service Society, along with volunteers, gathered to distribute warm clothes to individuals who might be struggling to stay warm during the winter months.

The event was more than a collection and distribution drive; it was a demonstration of GCUH's commitment to making a positive impact in the lives of those less fortunate. The Winter Relief Camp showcased the university's dedication to nurturing socially responsible individuals who actively contribute to the well-being of their communities.

Through this initiative, the Peace & Community Service Society aimed to create a sense of togetherness and solidarity. By reaching out to deserving individuals and families, the society spread not only warmth but also a message of hope and care, emphasizing the importance of supporting one another in times of need.

### **Orientation Session for new faculty**

Date: 29th December 2022



Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) has embarked on a journey of academic excellence and growth. In this pursuit, the GCUH warmly welcomed new faculty members from its various academic programs on December 29th, 2022. The orientation session was a pivotal step in integrating the newcomers into the GCUH family and equipping them with the tools and knowledge needed to excel in their roles.

The orientation session was a dynamic platform where the university's leadership, experienced faculty, and administrative staff came together to provide a comprehensive introduction to GCUH's ethos, values, and academic culture. The event was not only a means of orientation but also an opportunity for the new faculty members to engage in meaningful conversations, ask questions, and build connections with their colleagues. During the session, the new faculty members were introduced to GCUH's history, mission, and vision, highlighting the university's

commitment to fostering an environment of excellence, innovation, and holistic education. They gained insights into the academic programs & policies, and support systems that form the foundation of GCUH's educational philosophy.

The orientation session also emphasized the significance of the faculty members' role in shaping the academic journey of students and contributing to the university's continued growth and development. Attendees were encouraged to embrace innovative teaching practices, research endeavors, and active engagement with the GCUH community.

### Visit of HEC's Delegation at GCUH

Date: 31st December 2022

Government College University Hyderabad (GCUH) remains committed to its values of self-improvement and academic excellence and in this pursuit. welcomed a delegation from the Higher Education Pakistan Commission (HEC) December on 31st, 2022. The visit of the delegation marked a significant step towards institutional evaluation and compliance assessment. accentuating GCUH's dedication to meeting the highest standards in higher education.

The delegation from HEC arrived at GCUH to undertake an evaluation of the university's compliance systems with the parameters set by HEC. This process aimed



to ensure that GCUH continues to deliver education of the utmost quality, adhering to national and international benchmarks in higher education. During the visit, the delegation engaged with faculty members, administrative staff, and students, gathering insights into various aspects of GCUH's academic, research, and administrative functions. The discussions provided an opportunity for the university to showcase its accomplishments, share its plans for the future, and receive valuable feedback from the experts.

GCUH's commitment to transparency and continuous improvement was evident as the delegation conducted a comprehensive review of the university's facilities, academic programs, research initiatives, and governance practices. The visit aligned with GCUH's vision to create a learning environment that fosters innovation, critical thinking, and academic rigor.

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