



## Message from the Vice Chancellor

Dear Members of the ICF AI Family,

It gives me great pleasure to present the **Second Edition of the IQAC Newsletter** of ICF AI University, Raipur. This edition reflects another phase of our continuous journey toward academic excellence, quality enhancement, and institutional development.

The recent months have been characterized by dynamic academic activities, progressive initiatives, and strengthened efforts toward outcome-based education. A series of workshops, seminars, faculty development programs, and student-oriented engagements have been successfully conducted, reinforcing our commitment to innovation, skill enhancement, and experiential learning. These initiatives are instrumental in equipping our students with the knowledge and competencies required to thrive in an ever-evolving global landscape.

In addition to academic pursuits, the university has actively participated in socially responsible initiatives, including community outreach programs and awareness campaigns. Such endeavors underline our role as a responsible institution dedicated not only to education but also to societal progress and nation-building.

I sincerely appreciate the unwavering dedication, enthusiasm, and collaborative efforts of our faculty members, students, and administrative staff. Their collective contribution continues to strengthen the quality culture of our institution. The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) remains a cornerstone in guiding and sustaining these efforts through structured planning and continuous monitoring.

As we move forward, let us continue to embrace innovation, uphold academic integrity, and foster inclusivity in all our endeavors. Together, we will continue to build a vibrant academic ecosystem that nurtures excellence, creativity, and responsible citizenship.

I extend my best wishes to all members of the ICF AI family for their continued success and growth.

**Prof. (Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey Vice Chancellor**  
**The ICF AI University, Raipur.**

## Message from the Registrar

I am delighted to extend my warm greetings and best wishes on the publication of the April, 2026 issue of the IQAC Magazine of The ICF AI University Raipur. The continuous efforts of the IQAC team in promoting quality education, academic excellence, innovation, and institutional development are truly commendable.

This magazine serves as a vibrant platform for sharing academic accomplishments, research contributions, creative ideas, and various institutional activities. It reflects the collective spirit, dedication, and intellectual growth of our faculty members, students, and staff. Such initiatives strengthen the culture of continuous learning and quality enhancement within the University.

I appreciate the sincere efforts of everyone associated with this publication and congratulate the editorial team for their commitment and creativity in bringing out another successful issue.

May this magazine continue to inspire knowledge, innovation, and excellence in all spheres of academic and professional development? I convey my heartfelt best wishes for its continued success and future editions.

With warm regards and best wishes,

**Dr. Archi Dubey**  
Registrar In-Charge  
The ICF AI University Raipur



**DR. ARCHI DUBEY**  
**REGISTRAR**  
**The ICF AI University Raipur**

## Message from IQAC Coordinator

The ICFAI University, Raipur

Dear Students, Faculty Members, and Esteemed Stakeholders,

It gives me great pleasure to present this edition of the IQAC Newsletter, reflecting our continued progress and sustained commitment to quality enhancement at The ICFAI University, Raipur. The recent period has witnessed a series of impactful academic, co-curricular, and value-based initiatives that underscore our collective efforts toward achieving institutional excellence.

Our university has actively organized and participated in seminars, workshops, faculty development programs, and student-centric activities, all aimed at strengthening outcome-based education, fostering innovation, and enhancing skill development. The enthusiastic involvement of our students and faculty in these initiatives highlights our shared vision of creating a dynamic and engaging learning environment.

We have also continued to extend our engagement beyond the campus through various community outreach programs, awareness drives, and well-being initiatives. These efforts play a crucial role in nurturing socially responsible citizens and reinforcing the values of ethics, empathy, and service.

I would like to express my sincere appreciation to our faculty members, administrative staff, and students for their dedication, collaboration, and tireless efforts. Their commitment has been pivotal in maintaining and elevating the quality standards of our institution. The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) remains steadfast in its mission to promote a culture of continuous improvement, accountability, and innovation.

As we move forward with future editions, let us continue to build on this momentum, striving for excellence in all our endeavors. Together, we can further strengthen our academic ecosystem and contribute meaningfully to society and nation-building.

Wishing you all continued success and inspiration.

Warm regards,

**IQAC Coordinator**

The ICFAI University, Raipur



**DR. PIYUSH KUMAR THAKUR**  
**IQAC Coordinator**  
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## Enhancing Higher Education Through NAAC

### NAAC updates (April 2026):

1. National Assessment and Accreditation Council has paused/slowed accreditation activities for many months.
2. Large backlog of colleges (400+ institutions) waiting for assessment.
3. Delay due to transition toward a technology-driven and AI-based accreditation system.
4. Proposed shift from graded system (A++, A+) to binary system (Accredited / Not Accredited).
5. Introduction of MBGL (Maturity-Based Graded Levels) within accredited institutions.
6. Increased focus on data validation using AISHE, NIRF, and digital databases.
7. Efforts to reduce human intervention and improve transparency in evaluation.
8. University Grants Commission has relaxed NAAC-related criteria for deemed university applications.
9. Some states allowing only NAAC-accredited institutions to expand courses (e.g., self-financing programs).
10. Accreditation process expected to restart soon with a reformed framework aligned to NEP 2020.

## IQAC: A Catalyst of Quality in Institution

### IQAC Latest Updates – April 2026

1. Internal Quality Assurance Cell is playing a central role during the NAAC transition phase, ensuring continuity of quality systems.
2. Many institutions did not submit AQAR (2024–25), but IQACs continued internal documentation and quality monitoring.
3. IQACs are now focusing on digital quality tracking systems in preparation for new NAAC frameworks like ONOD.
4. Increased emphasis on data readiness and evidence-based documentation for future accreditation models.
5. IQAC-led internal academic and administrative audits have become more important during the transition period.
6. On April 28, 2026, institutions like St Francis College for Women organized national seminars highlighting “Reimagining Quality Assurance” through IQAC.
7. IQAC activities in April 2026 show a shift from compliance-based to excellence- driven quality culture.
8. Integration of AI tools in teaching-learning processes is being promoted through IQAC initiatives and seminars.
9. IQACs are encouraging inclusive education practices (equity, accessibility, rural outreach) as part of quality benchmarks.
10. Collaboration of IQAC with innovation cells, IPR cells, and academic bodies (e.g., April 2026 webinars/events) is increasing for holistic quality enhancement.

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## One-Day Faculty Development Program (FDP)

**One-Day FDP on Research Proposal Writing Successfully Organized at ICFAI University, Raipur**  
Raipur | April 2, 2026 The ICFAI University, Raipur successfully conducted a **One-Day Faculty Development Program (FDP)** on *“Essential Components and Best Practices in Research Proposal Writing for Grants.”* The program was organized under the aegis of the **Department of Innovation and Incubation Division (IID)**, led by **Dr. Nagaiah Kummari**.

### Inaugural Address

The event was graced by the Honorable Vice-Chancellor, **Prof. (Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey**, who delivered an inspiring address. He emphasized the importance of **collaborative and multidisciplinary research** as a key driver for both individual academic growth and institutional excellence.

### Expert Session Highlights

The FDP featured an insightful session by distinguished resource person **Prof. Dr. Naresh Kumar Nagwani** from the Department of Computer Science and Engineering at **National Institute of Technology Raipur**.

His session covered:

- Essential **do’s and don’ts** in research proposal writing
- Key components that **funding agencies prioritize**
- Practical strategies for crafting **impactful grant proposals**

A standout segment focused on **revising and strengthening previously rejected proposals**, offering actionable guidance to improve success rates in securing research funding.

### Participant Experience

Faculty members found the session highly engaging and practical. The clarity of presentation and real-world insights were widely appreciated. Participants expressed that the knowledge gained would significantly enhance their future research and grant submissions.

**Conclusion & Recognition** The program concluded with the felicitation of participants, recognizing their active involvement and commitment to professional development.



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## Educational Tour “Angarmoot Temple & Gangrel Dam Dhamtari, Chhattisgarh

The Faculty of Education, The ICFAI University, Raipur, successfully organized an educational tour on 04 April 2026, offering students a refreshing blend of learning and recreation. A total of 80 students enthusiastically participated under the guidance of esteemed faculty members—Dr. Shiv Narayan Singh, Dr. Kavita Sharma, and Dr. Anita Pandey.

The journey began early in the morning from the university campus, filled with excitement and anticipation. The first stop was Angarmoti Temple, where students experienced spiritual enrichment through darshan. This serene beginning set a positive tone for the day.

The group then proceeded to Gangrel Dam, a highlight of the tour. Surrounded by scenic beauty, students enjoyed sightseeing and boating activities. The picturesque landscape provided the perfect backdrop for photography and relaxation, allowing everyone to unwind and connect with nature.

The final destination, Onakona Temple, offered another opportunity for spiritual reflection and exploration. Students explored the surroundings and engaged in meaningful interactions with their peers and faculty members.

Throughout the journey, students actively participated in games, group activities, and photography, making the experience lively and engaging. The tour also served as an important platform for developing values such as discipline, teamwork, and coordination. Notably, students maintained exemplary discipline and shared joyful moments, especially during the bus journey.

Overall, the educational tour was a grand success. It not only provided a delightful escape from routine academic life but also strengthened the bond between students and teachers. The experience will undoubtedly remain a cherished memory for all participants.



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## Code Rush Arena 2026

**Code Rush Arena 2026** was a coding competition organized by the Faculty of Engineering & Technology at The ICFAI University, Raipur on 10th April 2026. The event aimed to enhance students' programming skills, logical thinking, and problem-solving abilities through an engaging and competitive platform. It began at 11:00 a.m. with the welcome of the Chief Guest, Mr. Abhishek Mallapareddy, Founder and CTO of AFTL, UK, who shared valuable insights on the importance of coding, innovation, and continuous learning.

The competition featured multiple rounds designed to test technical knowledge and creativity, including chatbot-based challenges, puzzle-solving with coding implementation, QR code-based tasks, and a fun teamwork activity. The top participants advanced to the final round, where they competed in an intense coding sprint. A total of 38 students participated enthusiastically.

The event was conducted in two sessions with a short lunch break and concluded at 3:00 p.m. with the announcement of results. All participants received certificates, while winners were awarded special prizes. The event successfully provided practical exposure and motivated students to actively engage in future technical competitions.



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## Educational Toue " Maa Bamleshwari Janhit Kare Samiti Rajnandgaon Chhattisgarh"

Social Outreach Activity conducted by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, The ICFAI University, Raipur

Under the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Maa Bambleshwari Janhit Kare Samiti, a meaningful Social Outreach Activity was successfully conducted by the Department of Arts and Humanities, The ICFAI University, Raipur, on 11 April 2026, with the enthusiastic participation of 30 students.

This initiative aimed to promote social awareness, community engagement, and a strong sense of responsibility among students. The visit focused on a Self-Help Group (SHG) where downtrodden women are empowered and made self-dependent through skill development and collective efforts. Our students had the opportunity to closely observe and learn the importance of self-reliance, entrepreneurship, and community support systems. The interaction proved to be an enriching experience, inspiring students to understand grassroots realities and the power of social collaboration. It also encouraged them to reflect on their own roles in contributing towards a more inclusive and empowered society.

This impactful activity was made possible due to the constant support and visionary guidance of Prof.( Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, Vice Chancellor, The ICFAI University, Raipur. We extend our sincere gratitude to our respected Head of Department, Dr.Jaya Singh, for continuous encouragement and motivation.

The program was efficiently coordinated by Dr. Ritu Benjamin, with valuable support from Co-Coordinator Mr. Sashank Sekhar Dayal and Dr. Sindhu Nair. We also acknowledge the dedicated support provided by Dr. SHUBHRA TIWARI and Dr. Prachee Sharma in making this initiative a success. The outreach activity not only strengthened the bond between the institution and the community but also instilled values of empathy, self-reliance, and social responsibility among students.



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## Prize Distribution Ceremony 2026

The ICFAI University, Raipur organized a grand Prize Distribution Ceremony on 13 April 2026 to recognize and celebrate the achievements of students in academics, sports, and cultural activities. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, faculty, and staff, along with the presence of several distinguished dignitaries.

The program began with a warm welcome of guests, followed by a soulful Saraswati Vandana and the rendition of the Rajgeet “Arpa Pairi Ke Dhar,” reflecting the rich cultural heritage of Chhattisgarh. The Hon’ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, addressed the gathering and emphasized the importance of holistic development while appreciating the hard work and dedication of the students.

Mr. Surendra Kaushik, District President, Durg, inspired students to actively contribute to society. The Chief Guest, Shri Vijay Baghel Ji, Hon’ble Member of Parliament, congratulated the awardees and highlighted the values of discipline, perseverance, and education.

The highlight of the ceremony was the distribution of prizes to meritorious students for their outstanding performances. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Archi Dubey, expressing gratitude to all dignitaries, organizers, and participants.



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## Ethnic Day -2026 Unity in Diversity

✦ Celebrating Unity in Diversity at FOMS, ICFAI University Raipur ✦

The Management Club of Faculty of Management Studies (FOMS) at ICFAI University Raipur recently organized a vibrant and memorable Ethnic Day event on 14/04/2026 based on the beautiful theme of “Unity in Diversity.”

The campus came alive as students showcased India’s rich cultural heritage by dressing in a variety of traditional attires representing different regions. The event was filled with energy, enthusiasm, and creativity as students actively participated in cultural performances such as dance, music, and an exciting ramp walk.

Adding to the fun were engaging games and activities that brought everyone together, creating a joyful and inclusive atmosphere.

A heartfelt thank you to our honorable Vice Chancellor Prof.(Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, respected HOD Dr Archi Dubey, dedicated faculty members, esteemed judges, enthusiastic students, and the hardworking technical team for their constant support and contribution in making this event a grand success. Overall, the event truly reflected the spirit of togetherness, diversity, and celebration. 🌸

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## Farewell Party 2026 Faculty of Engineering & Technology, ICFAI University, Raipur

Farewell Party 2026 Organized by FOET students at The ICFAI University, Raipur

The Faculty of Engineering and Technology at The ICFAI University, Raipur successfully organized the “Farewell Party 2026” to bid a heartfelt goodbye to the graduating students of B.Tech., BCA, and MCA final year. The event was held at the University Auditorium, Academic Block–B, starting from 12:00 noon onwards.

The program was centered around the theme, “A Journey Ends, A New Story Begins...”, reflecting the transition of students from academic life to new professional journeys. The farewell brought together faculty members, staff, and students in a vibrant and emotional gathering filled with memories, appreciation, and celebration.

On this occasion, the Honorable Vice Chancellor, Prof.( Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, addressed the gathering and extended his heartfelt congratulations to the passing-out students. In his inspiring address, he encouraged the students to uphold the values of integrity, innovation, and lifelong learning. He motivated the graduates to face future challenges with confidence and to contribute meaningfully to society and the nation.

The event was enriched with a variety of engaging and entertaining activities. Students enthusiastically participated in fun games, interactive sessions, and light-hearted competitions, creating a lively and joyful atmosphere. A special mimicry performance showcasing humorous imitations of faculty members and campus life brought laughter and cheer to the audience. The dance performances by students added energy and vibrance to the celebration, reflecting their creativity and enthusiasm.

Several motivational moments were shared during the program, where faculty members and students reflected on their academic journey, challenges, and achievements. A highlight of the event was the “Best Faculty Moments”, where students expressed their gratitude and shared memorable experiences with their mentors, making the occasion deeply emotional and meaningful.



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The event also featured speeches and moments of recognition, highlighting the achievements and contributions of the outgoing batch. Faculty members shared their best wishes and encouraged students to pursue their future endeavors with dedication and determination.

The organizing committee included Dr. Nisha Thakur (Coordinator), Dr. Pinkey Chouhan (Member), Dr. Palak Keshwani (Member), and Mr. Dilip Mishra (Member), whose dedicated efforts ensured the success of the event.

The department faculty members including Dr. Nagaiah Kummari, Mr. Hemant Kumar Dewangan, Mr. Ashish Kumbhare, Mrs. Pronita Mohapatra, and Dr. Snehal Vairagade also extended their support and blessings to the graduating students.

The farewell concluded on a joyful yet emotional note, leaving behind cherished memories and inspiring students to step forward into a promising future.



## Empowering Academic Branding through the 3B Model

"Empowering Academic Branding through the 3B Model" - An Expert Session Organized by [The ICFAI University, Raipur](#) The ICFAI University, Raipur, successfully organized an expert session on "3B Model of Branding: Harnessing Social Media for Building Academic Reputation" on 20th April 2026 at the Seminar Hall, Academic Block B. The session was graced by Mr. [Sudhakar Rao](#), Director – Branding, [ICFAI Group](#), who served as the key expert and delivered insightful perspectives on strategic branding in the academic ecosystem. The program commenced with a floral welcome to the distinguished guest and [Dr Archi Dubey](#), Registrar (Officiating), followed by the lighting of the lamp and Saraswati Vandana, creating an auspicious beginning. During his address, Mr. Rao elaborated on the 3B Model of Branding—Being, Behaving, and Broadcasting—emphasizing its practical relevance for institutions and professionals alike. He explained that "Being" focuses on establishing authenticity, clarity of purpose, and core values, which form the foundation of any credible brand. "Behaving" highlights the importance of consistent actions, ethical conduct, and stakeholder engagement that reinforce trust and reputation over time. "Broadcasting," the final pillar, underscores the strategic use of digital platforms and social



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media to communicate achievements, thought leadership, and institutional strengths effectively to a wider audience. [Prof. \(Dr.\) Shiv Dayal Pandey](#), honorable Vice Chancellor, extended his best wishes to the distinguished guest and urged all the participants to inculcate the key insights for maximum benefits. The post-lunch session further explored how academic institutions can leverage social media tools to build visibility, credibility, and long-term reputation in a competitive environment. The interactive Q&A session allowed participants to engage directly with the expert, gaining practical insights and clarifications. The session concluded with a vote of thanks, marking a highly enriching and impactful learning experience for all faculty members and a wonderful moderation by [Dr. SHUBHRA TIWARI](#).

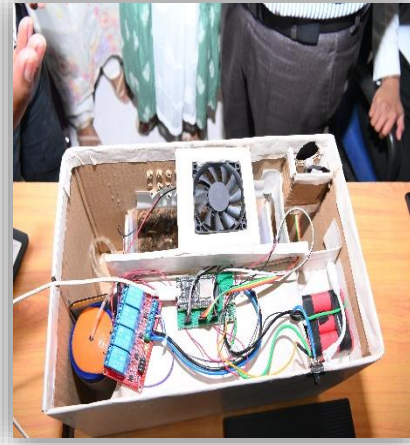


## World Creativity Innovation Day 2026

The Faculty of Engineering & Technology (FOET), The ICFAI University, Raipur, successfully organized World Creativity & Innovation Day 2026 on 22 April at Block B, IT Lab. The event aimed to encourage innovation, creativity, and problem-solving skills among students by providing a platform to showcase their ideas and projects. It was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Ramesh Kumar Yadav and coordinated by Dr. Pinkey Chouhan, Dr. Nisha Bais, and Prof. Dilip Mishra.

Students actively participated and presented innovative projects in areas such as Artificial Intelligence, Internet of Things, Machine Learning, automation, agriculture, and finance. Major highlights included the Face Recognition Alert System for automated communication, ChefAI Smart Kitchen Assistant for AI-based recipe generation, a custom-built Drone project, Foldocx Version 2 for automated documentation, Smart Moss Air Purifier using natural filtration, AgriScan for plant disease detection, Finance Tracker for expense management, and ML Firewall for cybersecurity.

The event was highly appreciated by Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, who highlighted the role of emerging technologies in sustainable development. Distinguished jury members, including Dr. Archi Dubey and others, attended and evaluated the projects.



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## Farewell Celebration at ICFAI-2026

Farewell Celebration at [ICFAI University Raipur](#): A Memorable Send-off for Graduating Students!! The ICFAI University, Raipur, organized a grand farewell ceremony for the outgoing students of Arts, Commerce, Management, Law, and Science streams. The event was filled with joy, nostalgia, and vibrant celebrations, creating unforgettable memories for all attendees. The program began with the inaugural address by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor [Prof.\( Dr.\) Shiv Daval Pandey](#), who blessed the students and encouraged them to move ahead with confidence, integrity, and dedication in their future endeavors. Registrar [Dr Archi Dubey](#) also extended her heartfelt wishes and motivated the students to achieve excellence in their professional and personal lives. Students from all streams actively participated in the celebration and shared cherished memories of their academic journey. The event included various fun-filled games and engaging activities that added excitement and enthusiasm to the atmosphere.

One of the main attractions of the evening was the distribution of special titles, including Mr. Fresher and Miss Fresher for each stream—Arts, Commerce, Management, Law, and Science—recognizing the charm and talent of the students. The prestigious titles of Mr. ICFAI and Miss ICFAI were also awarded, making the celebration even more special. The venue was beautifully decorated with a vibrant selfie zone where students captured joyful moments with their friends and faculty members. Delicious food and lively music further enhanced the celebration, allowing students to relax and enjoy their final moments on campus. The farewell event was meticulously planned and successfully organized by the event team, ensuring a seamless and memorable experience for everyone.



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The program concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks proposed by **Dr. SHUBHRA TIWARI**, who appreciated the efforts of all contributors and wished the students success in their future journeys. The evening stood as a perfect blend of celebration, gratitude, and emotional bonding, leaving lasting impressions in the hearts of all.



## International Conference ICFAI-2026

**Day 1 Highlights | International Conference ICFAI-2026**

**The ICFAI University, Raipur | 24 April 2026**

The two-day International Conference on “Future Ready AI, Law for Sustainability and Inclusive Economy: Mapping the Path to Viksit Bharat 2047” commenced on 24 April 2026 at The ICFAI University, Raipur.

Shri Shashank Sharma, Chief Guest, emphasized the need to balance technological advancement with cultural and ethical



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values. He stated that Artificial Intelligence must serve society in a way that strengthens inclusivity, preserves human values, and supports sustainable development.

Er. Saroj Kumar Sahoo, Regional Vice President-East, AIMS, highlighted that strong collaboration between academia and industry is essential to prepare future-ready professionals. He stressed that institutions must nurture innovation, research, and leadership aligned with national priorities.

Prof.( Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, The ICFAI University, Raipur, underlined the importance of interdisciplinary learning. He noted that AI, law, and sustainability are interconnected pillars for achieving the vision of Viksit Bharat 2047, and institutions must adopt outcome-based, research-driven education models.

On this occasion, Registrar Dr Archi Dubey, Organising Secretary DR. ISAAC Jayant, Executive Member AIMS Dr. Anshu Shukla , HOD FOET Dr. Ramesh Yadav, HOD Law Gandham V V Jagannadha Rao, Dr W Ramana Rao, HOD FOS Dr. Animesh Kumar Sharma, Dr. Ambarish Ghosh, Dr. Rohit Jaiswal, Dr.Jaya Singh, Dr. Riya Goel, Dr. Pratibha Barik, Dr. R. VIJAYA LAKSHMI, along with faculty members, researchers, and students, including members of the Faculty of Law, were present.



## One-Day Workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and Patent & Design Filing”

One-Day Workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and Patent & Design Filing” Successfully Organized at the ICFAI University, Raipur

The ICFAI University, Raipur, through its Faculty of Engineering and Technology and Research and Development Cell, in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), organized a one-day workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and Patent & Design Filing” in collaboration with GRNIIPM under the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India.

The keynote speaker for the program was Dr. Bharat N. Suryavanshi, Assistant Controller of Patents and Designs, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India.

The session was graced by the presence of our esteemed Vice Chancellor, Prof. (Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey and Registrar Dr. Archi Dube, whose addresses added depth to the occasion. He expressed gratitude to the keynote speaker and all the organizers, while highlighting the importance of IPR. He emphasized that every individual should be aware of IPR, as it is one of the key pillars of nation-building.

The workshop was conducted in two sessions by the keynote speaker, which included Fundamentals of Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), Overview of various forms of IPR such as patents, trademarks, copyrights, and designs, and their significance in academia and industry, Legal Aspects and IPR Enforcement, Overview of infringement issues, legal remedies, licensing, and monetization of intellectual property, Practical Session / Case Studies and Hands-on exposure to patent search tools, basic drafting concepts, and discussion of real-life case studies.

Through these sessions, the workshop highlighted that IPR provides safe and sustainable growth opportunities for innovators and producers.

In the concluding session, Dr. Ramesh Kumar Yadav, Head of the Department, Faculty of Engineering and Technology, congratulated all the organizers and expressed his gratitude to the keynote speaker and participants. He noted that such workshops play a crucial role in helping students and researchers protect their intellectual property.

The event was successfully coordinated by Mr. Dilip Mishra, Dr. Nisha Thakur, Dr. Snehal Vairagade, Dr. Pinkey Chouhan, and other distinguished faculty members of the department.



## Guest Lecture on AI For Educators: Empowering Educators, Enhancing Learning

A guest lecture on “AI for Educators: Empowering Educators, Enhancing Learning” was organized by faculty of education The ICFAI University Raipur to introduce educators to the transformative potential of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in modern education. Guest Speaker Mr. Ashish Kumhare Assistant professor Faculty of Engineering & Technology. The session aimed to enhance teachers’ understanding of AI tools and their practical applications in teaching and learning processes. Overall, the tour was highly successful and memorable. It provided a perfect blend of learning and enjoyment, strengthening the bond between students and teachers.

### Objectives of the Lecture

To familiarize educators with the concept of Artificial Intelligence, highlight the role of AI in modern education, introduce AI-powered tools for teaching, assessment, and content creation, encourage educators to integrate AI into their teaching practices, discuss ethical considerations and challenges in using AI

The event witnessed active participation from faculty members, educators, and students. Participants engaged in discussions and raised queries regarding the implementation of AI in classrooms.

The guest lecture proved to be highly beneficial and enlightening for all participants. It successfully achieved its objective of empowering educators with knowledge and tools related to AI. The session concluded with a vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the resource person and organizers.




## ‘एजुकेशन इनोवेटिव टूल्स फेयर’

रायपुर, 30 अप्रैल 2026 द आईसीएफएआई यूनिवर्सिटी, रायपुर के शिक्षा संकाय द्वारा आज विश्वविद्यालय परिसर में ‘एजुकेशन इनोवेटिव टूल्स फेयर’ का आयोजन किया गया। राष्ट्रीय शिक्षा नीति 2020 व NCTE के दिशा-निर्देशों के अंतर्गत आयोजित इस मेले का मुख्य उद्देश्य भावी शिक्षकों को अनुभवात्मक आधारित शिक्षण के लिए प्रेरित करना था। कार्यक्रम का उद्घाटन कुलपति प्रो. डॉ. शिव दयाल पाण्डेय द्वारा दीप प्रज्वलन व फीता काटकर किया गया।

इस अवसर पर कुलपति महोदय ने कहा, “NEP 2020 शिक्षक से नवाचार की अपेक्षा रखती है। यह

‘एजुकेशन इनोवेटिव टूल्स फेयर’ हमारे प्रशिक्षुओं को कक्षा को प्रयोगशाला बनाने की दिशा में पहला कदम है।”

‘एजुकेशन इनोवेटिव टूल्स फेयर’ की प्रमुख विशेषताएँ ,भागीदारी: बी.एड. द्वितीय सेमेस्टर के 70 प्रशिक्षुओं ने 40 से अधिक स्टॉल लगाकर विभिन्न विषयों के शिक्षण अधिगम सामग्री TLM का प्रदर्शन किया। जिसमें ‘वर्किंग मॉडल ऑफ वाटर साइकिल ,विंडमिल, ‘हिंदी वर्णमाला, वोल्कानो तथा ह्यूमन फिजियोलॉजी’ मुख्य आकर्षण रहे। नवाचारआधारित शिक्षण अधिगम सामग्री का मुख्य उद्देश्य छात्रों में सृजनात्मकता एवं मौलिकता को बढ़ावा देना है। शिक्षा संकाय के विभागाध्यक्ष डॉ. शिव नारायण ने बताया कि यह गतिविधि एजुकेशन इनोवेटिव टूल्स फेयर Critical Understanding of ICT का प्रायोगिक हिस्सा है, जिससे प्रशिक्षुओं में 21वीं सदी के कौशल विकसित होते हैं। इस अवसर पर विश्वविद्यालय के रजिस्ट्रार महोदय डॉ. अर्ची दुबे , समस्त प्राध्यापकगण व शिक्षा संकाय के समस्त विद्यार्थी उपस्थित रहे।



## Institution Collaboration between Swami Atmanand Govt. English Medium Model College, Raipur C.G.

We are delighted to announce the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between The ICFAI University, Raipur and Swami Atmanand Govt. English Medium Model College, Raipur on 9th April 2026.

This strategic collaboration is aimed at fostering a dynamic academic ecosystem that promotes excellence in teaching, research, and innovation.

The MoU envisions a wide range of collaborative activities, including:

- Joint research projects and publications
- Faculty exchange programs and expert lectures
- Student internships, training, and skill development initiatives
- Organization of seminars, workshops, conferences, and FDPs

The MoU aims to foster innovation, skill enhancement, and knowledge sharing between the two institutions.

The MoU was formalized in the esteemed presence of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof.(Dr.) Shiv Dayal Pandey, Registrar (I/C) Dr Archi Dubey, Chairperson of the Research Cell Dr. Pratik Kumar Jagtap, Principal, Swami Atmanand Govt. English Medium Model College, Raipur, Prof. Dr. Rajlaxmi Selot, and the staff members of both the institutes. Whose guidance and vision played a pivotal role in shaping this collaboration. We look forward to a fruitful partnership that will create new avenues for learning, research, and holistic development of students and faculty alike.



## Media Coverage

## बौद्धिक संपदा अधिकार (आईपीआर) एवं पेटेंट तथा डिज़ाइन फाइलिंग पर एक दिवसीय कार्यशाला का आयोजन द आईसीएफएआई विश्वविद्यालय, रायपुर में संपन्न

कुम्हारी। आई सी एफ ए आई विश्वविद्यालय रायपुर के अभियांत्रिकी एवं प्रौद्योगिकी संकाय तथा अनुसंधान एवं विकास प्रकोष्ठ द्वारा, आंतरिक गुणवत्ता आश्वासन प्रकोष्ठ के सहयोग से, जीआरएनआईआईपीएम (वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार) के साथ संयुक्त रूप से -बौद्धिक संपदा अधिकार (आईपीआर) एवं पेटेंट तथा डिज़ाइन फाइलिंग-विषय पर एक दिवसीय कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया। कार्यक्रम के मुख्य अतिथि वक्ता डॉ. भारत एन. सूर्यवंशी, सहायक नियंत्रक, पेटेंट एवं डिज़ाइन, वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार ने बौद्धिक संपदा अधिकार (आईपीआर) एवं पेटेंट तथा डिज़ाइन फाइलिंग के संबंध में अपने विचार, विभिन्न विभागों के विभागाध्यक्ष, प्रख्यात प्राध्यापकगण, शोधार्थी, स्नातक एवं स्नातकोत्तर विद्यार्थियों के सम्मुख रखते हुए मूलभूत सिद्धांत, पेटेंट, ट्रेडमार्क, कॉपीराइट एवं डिज़ाइन जैसे आईपीआर के विभिन्न प्रकारों का परिचय तथा शैक्षणिक एवं औद्योगिक क्षेत्रों में उनकी उपयोगिता। पेटेंट जागरूकता एवं फाइलिंग प्रक्रिया, पेटेंट योग्यताओं की समझ, पूर्व कला खोज तथा भारत एवं अंतरराष्ट्रीय स्तर पर पेटेंट फाइलिंग की चरणबद्ध प्रक्रिया, ट्रेडमार्क एवं ब्रांड संरक्षण तथा स्टार्टअप एवं



संस्थानों के लिए ट्रेडमार्क का महत्व, पंजीकरण प्रक्रिया एवं ब्रांड संरक्षण की रणनीतियों पर विस्तार पूर्वक जानकारी प्रदान किया। इस प्रकार दो सत्र में आयोजित कार्यक्रम के दूसरे सत्र में आईपीआर के कानूनी पहलू एवं प्रवर्तन उल्लंघन, कानूनी उपचार, लाइसेंसिंग एवं बौद्धिक संपदा के मौद्रिककरण का अवलोकन। प्रायोगिक सत्र / अध्ययन प्रकरण, पेटेंट खोज उपकरणों का व्यावहारिक परिचय, प्रारंभिक ड्राफ्टिंग अवधारणाएँ एवं वास्तविक अध्ययन प्रकरणों पर चर्चा की गई। हैंड्स-ऑन / गतिविधि सत्र, पेटेंट खोज का व्यावहारिक अभ्यास, विचार से पेटेंट ड्राफ्ट तक अभ्यास, ट्रेडमार्क खोज गतिविधि, समूह आधारित अध्ययन प्रकरण चर्चा की गई तथा छात्रों के लघु प्रोजेक्ट का अवलोकन किया गया।