

**Report on the Various Activities  
Undertaken by IGNOU for  
Employees and Learners to  
Become Responsible Citizens**

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## National Voters' Day Celebration

The National Voters' Day was celebrated on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2024 at the IGNOU Headquarters and Regional Centres. The employees at the headquarters and Regional Centres undertook the following Pledge on this occasion:

### मतदाता शपथ

"हम, भारत के नागरिक लोकतंत्र में अपनी पूर्ण आस्था रखते हुए यह शपथ लेते हैं कि हम अपने देश की लोकतांत्रिक परम्पराओं की मर्यादा को बनाये रखेंगे तथा स्वतंत्र, निष्पक्ष एवं शांतिपूर्ण निर्वाचन की गरिमा को अक्षुण्ण रखते हुए निर्भीक होकर, धर्म, वर्ग, जाति, समुदाय, भाषा अथवा अन्य किसी भी प्रलोभन से प्रभावित हुए बिना सभी निर्वाचनों में अपने मताधिकार का प्रयोग करेंगे।"



### Voter's Pledge

"We, the citizens of India, having abiding faith in democracy, hereby pledge to uphold the democratic traditions of our country and the dignity of free, fair and peaceful elections, and to vote in every election fearlessly and without being influenced by considerations of religion, race, caste, community, language or any inducement".



## Women's Day celebrations

The International Women's day was celebrated by the University between 3-7 March 2024. Various activities were organized on this occasion.

**Indira Gandhi  
National Open University**

**Celebrates International Women's Day-2024**

**Schedule of Events**

Date/Time	Events	Venue
4th March ,2024 11 AM to 3 PM	Blood Donation Camp in collaboration with AIIMS, New Delhi	Convention Centre
6th March ,2024 2 30 PM to 3 30 PM	Cultural Programme in collaboration with the Cultural & Sports Committee	Convention Centre
7th March ,2024 11 AM	Silkathon	Starting point: VCO
7th March ,2024 12 Noon	Prize distribution and Launch of e books and audio books in regional languages	Radha Krishna Block
8th March ,2024 12 Noon	Special screening of a movie on women empowerment	Preview Theatre, EMPC

**Organised by: Committee Against Sexual Harassment(CASH)**

A voluntary blood donation camp was organized on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024 in collaboration with All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS). The academic and non-academic fraternity took part in this even and donated blood wholeheartedly.



**Indira Gandhi National Open University**  
**Celebrates**  
**International Women's Day-2024**



*invites you for*

**Voluntary Blood Donation Camp**

**Date: 4th March , 2024 (Monday)**

**Time: 11AM to 3 PM**

**Venue: Convention Center**

**Organised by: Committee Against Sexual Harassment (CASH)**  
**in collaboration with All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi**



A cultural programme was held on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024 at the Convention centre. The university employees together with students and children from crèche performed in various events.



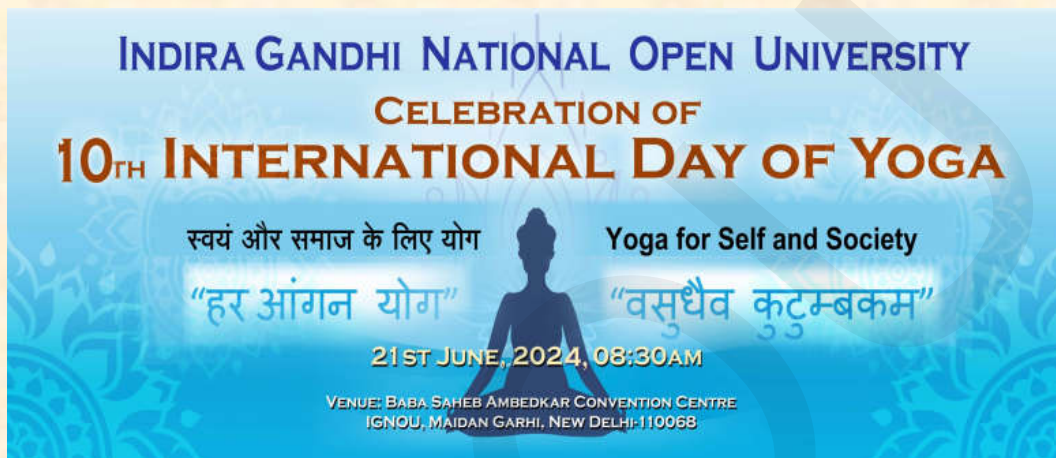


A Silkathon programme was organized under the title “Naari Shakti: Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024. All-women bike rally was part of the programme.



## International Day of Yoga

The 10<sup>th</sup> International Day of Yoga was celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2024. Employees and students of the university performed Yoga on this occasion.



On the occasion of international Yoga Day, a workshop was also organized. Prof. Prashant Acharya of Vedic Gurukul was the Chief Guest.





**इंदिरा गांधी राष्ट्रीय मुक्त विश्वविद्यालय**

**मानविकी विद्यापीठ**

**संस्कृत संकाय**

**अन्तर्राष्ट्रीय योग दिवस कार्यशाला**



**11:00 – 11:05** इष्ट कुलगीत

**11:05 – 11:15** स्वागत एवं परिचय:  
प्रो. कोशल पंवार, निदेशक,  
मानविकी विद्यापीठ, इष्ट

**11:15 – 12:30** कार्यशाला  
मुख्य अतिथि:  
डॉ. प्रशान्त आचार्य,  
आचार्य, वैदिक गुरुकुल

**12:30 – 12:40** अध्वसीय उद्घोषण:  
प्रो. कोशल पंवार, निदेशक,  
मानविकी विद्यापीठ, इष्ट

**12:40 – 12:45** धन्यवाद ज्ञापन  
डॉ. देवेश कुमार मिश्र  
सह-आचार्य,  
मानविकी विद्यापीठ, इष्ट

**विषय -**  
**पतञ्जलि योगसूत्र के अनुसार**  
**तनाव प्रबन्धन**

**21 जून, 2024**  
**पूर्वाह्न 11:00**

**कार्यक्रम स्थल :**  
**समिति कक्ष, मानविकी विद्यापीठ,**  
**इष्ट, मैदान गल्ली, नई दिल्ली -**  
**110068**

**कार्यक्रम संयोजक एवं**  
**संयोजक**  
डॉ. रीता गुप्ता  
सहायक आचार्य,  
मानविकी विद्यापीठ, इष्ट





## World Tourism Day

A Webinar was organised on the topic “Investing in Education” on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2023 on the occasion of World Tourism Day. Dr G G Saxena, IAS retd. Member, National Tourism Advisory Council, Government of India and Mr Anees Kadiyan, Senior Executive Director, Property Management India, CBRE were the speakers among others. The collaborative tourism companies which participated in the programme were: Rising Dust Adventures, Toujunket, IBT Holidays, Skylkine India Travels P Ltd, and Trip String.



## Ek Tarikh Ek Ghanta

The “Ek Tarikh Ek Ghanta” programme was organized at the headquarters as a part of “Shramdan for Swachhata” Programme on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023. All the employees of the University participated in the programme.



The employees gathered at the Main Gate of the University at 9:30 to initiate the cleaning activity.



### “Swachhta Pakhwada”

‘Swachhta Pledge’ was taken during “Swachhta Pakhwada” on October 1, 2023 by the employees.



## Rashtriya Ekta Divas

Rashtriya Ekta Divas was celebrated at the headquarters and Regional Centres across the country on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023. On this occasion pledge was taken by the employees followed by “Run for Unity” in which the faculty members and employees participated enthusiastically.

सत्यनिष्ठा प्रतिज्ञा

मेरा विश्वास है कि हमारे देश की आर्थिक, राजनीतिक तथा सामाजिक प्रगति में भ्रष्टाचार एक बड़ी बाधा है। मेरा विश्वास है कि भ्रष्टाचार का उन्मूलन करने के लिए सभी संबंधित पक्षों जैसे सरकार, नागरिकों तथा निजी क्षेत्र को एक साथ मिल कर कार्य करने की आवश्यकता है।

मेरा मानना है कि प्रत्येक नागरिक को सतर्क होना चाहिए तथा उसे सदैव ईमानदारी तथा सत्यनिष्ठा के उच्चतम मानकों के प्रति वचनबद्ध होना चाहिए तथा भ्रष्टाचार के विरुद्ध संघर्ष में साथ देना चाहिए।

अतः, मैं प्रतिज्ञा करता हूँ कि -

- जीवन के सभी क्षेत्रों में ईमानदारी तथा कानून के नियमों का पालन करूँगा।
- ना तो रिश्वत लूँगा और ना ही रिश्वत दूँगा।
- सभी कार्य ईमानदारी तथा पारदर्शी रीति से करूँगा।
- जनहित में कार्य करूँगा।
- अपने निजी आचरण में ईमानदारी दिखाकर उदाहरण प्रस्तुत करूँगा।
- भ्रष्टाचार की किसी भी घटना की रिपोर्ट उचित एजेंसी को दूँगा।

Integrity Pledge for Citizens

I believe that corruption has been one of the major obstacles to economic, political and social progress of our country. I believe that all stakeholders such as Government, citizens and private sector need to work together to eradicate corruption.

I realize that every citizen should be vigilant and commit to highest standards of honesty and integrity at all times and support the fight against corruption.

I, therefore, pledge:

- To follow probity and rule of law in all walks of life;
- To neither take nor offer bribe;
- To perform all tasks in an honest and transparent manner;
- To act in public interest;
- To lead by example exhibiting integrity in personal behavior;
- To report any incident of corruption to the appropriate agency.





**Prof. Nageshwar Rao, VC IGNOU flagging off the "Run for Unity" at  
IGNOU HQ**

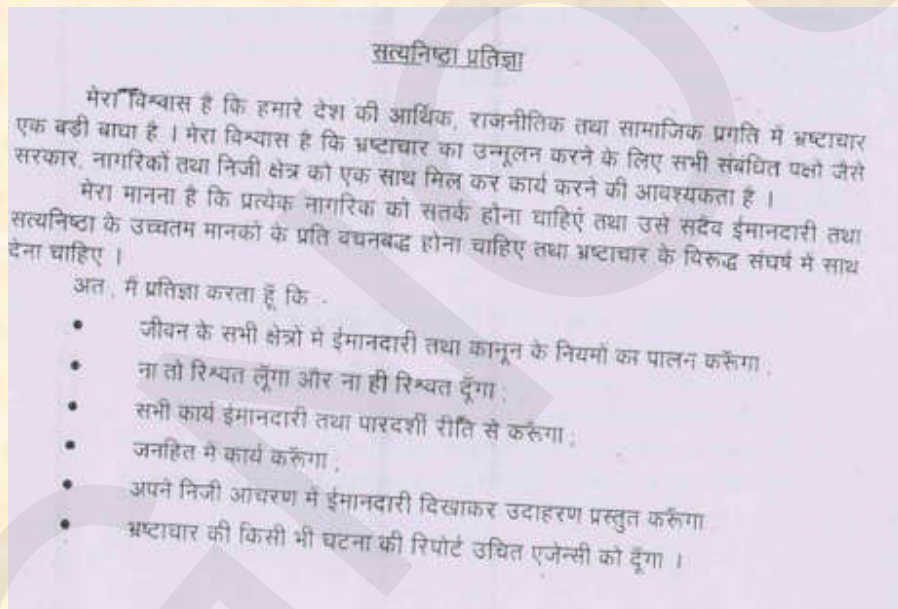


## Vigilance Awareness Week

Vigilance Week was celebrated at the Headquarters and Regional Centres from 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023 to 5<sup>th</sup> November 2023.



Integrity pledge was taken by the employees of the university in a virtual mode.





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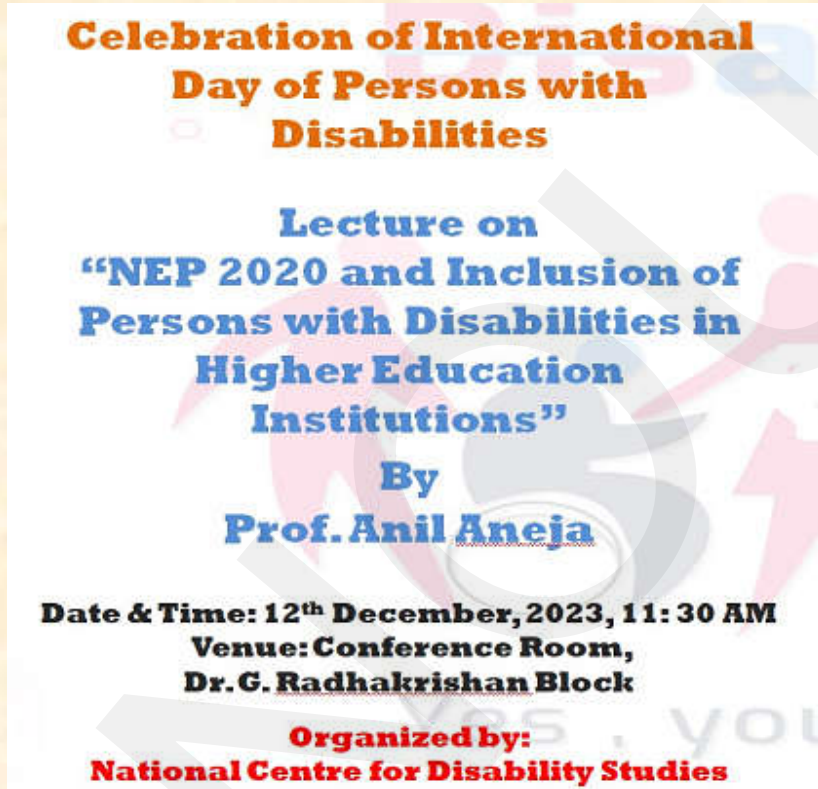
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## **International Day of Disabilities**

International Day of Disabilities was observed at the University on 12<sup>th</sup> December 2023. Prof. Anil Aneja, University of Delhi delivered a lecture on “NEP 2020 and Inclusion of persons with disabilities in higher education institutions” on this occasion.



**Celebration of International  
Day of Persons with  
Disabilities**

**Lecture on  
“NEP 2020 and Inclusion of  
Persons with Disabilities in  
Higher Education  
Institutions”**

**By  
Prof. Anil Aneja**

**Date & Time: 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2023, 11: 30 AM**  
**Venue: Conference Room,  
Dr. G. Radhakrishnan Block**

**Organized by:  
National Centre for Disability Studies**