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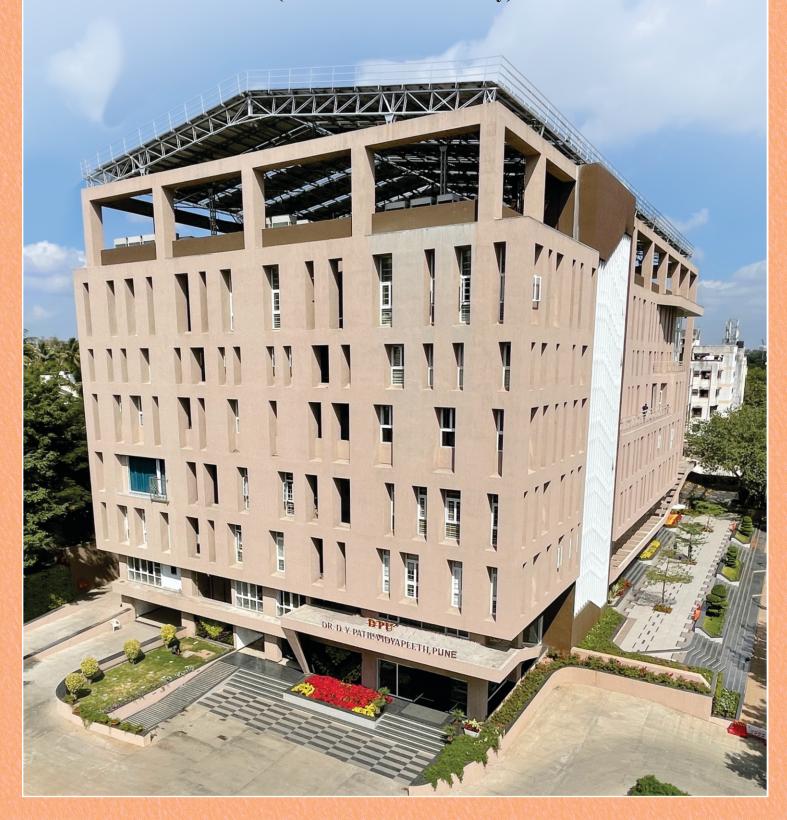
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Vice Chancellor Report



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VICE CHANCELLOR'S REPORT THIRTEENTH CONVOCATION OF Dr. D. Y. PATIL VIDYAPEETH, PUNE

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(FRIDAY, 20th MAY 2022)

Most Esteemed Chief Guest for today's Convocation Ceremony, Shri. Rajnath Singhji, Hon'ble Defence Minister (Raksha Mantri), Ministry of Defence, Government of India; Dr. Abhay Firodia, Hon'ble Chairman, Force Motors Limited, Pune; Shri. Prataprao Pawar, Hon'ble Chairman, Sakal Media Group, Pune; Dr. Vedprakash Mishra, Hon'ble Pro Chancellor and Chief Advisor, Datta Meghe Institute of Medical Sciences, (Deemed to be University), Nagpur; Dr. P. D. Patil, Hon'ble Chancellor, Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune; Dr. (Mrs.) Bhagyashree P. Patil, Hon'ble Pro-Chancellor, Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune; Members of the Board of Management and Academic Council; Deans of Faculties, Distinguished Guests; the proud Graduands of the day; Faculty members; Admin Staff of the Vidyapeeth; Students; Parents; Members of Press and Media; Ladies and Gentlemen.

I deem it a great privilege and honor to welcome each one of you on behalf of the Vidyapeeth and on my own behalf to this auspicious and solemn occasion of the 13th Convocation of the Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune.

It is a matter of great honour, that Hon'ble Raksha Mantri Shri Rajnath Singh ji, has graciously accepted our invitation to be the Chief Guest on this occasion, in spite of his, other significant commitments and priorities. He is a visionary with great ideas and with an innovative approach, an able administrator who believes in attaining results. In other words, here is a leader who has the ability to make democracy, deliver! He firmly believes that India has potential and spirt and is destined to be the Vishwa Guru - a world leader. He believes that 'Aatmanirbharta' (self-reliance) is road to attain this status. So, when Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi gave a clarion call for 'Aatma Nirbhar Bharat Abhiyaan' he whole heartedly supported it. Prompting the spirit of 'Make in India' and 'Aatma Nirbhar Bharat' Raksha Mantri Shri Rajnath Singh in August 2020 decided to ban the import of 101 Defence related items and in May 2021 it was decided that another set of 108 military weapons and systems including next-generation

corvettes, airborne early warning systems, tank engines and radars will be entirely made in India. As a Defence Minister, he has undertaken several initiatives to increase women's participation in various departments and field operations. His dream is to see India as a country that provides leadership to the world not only in the economic fields but in all the walks of life. His vision and dedication will surely take our country to the newer heights in all sectors. I am sure that your Convocation Address, will inspire everyone, especially our bright young graduates. We look forward to your guidance and blessings on this auspicious occasion.

At the outset, I wholeheartedly congratulate all the Graduands who have successfully completed their education at this temple of learning and have become eligible to receive the Degrees of the Vidyapeeth on this wonderful day. Today a total of 2191 degrees with 754 undergraduate students, 1416 postgraduate students, 9 diploma students and 12 Ph.D. fellows are being awarded for having completed their studies and passed the examinations during this period. Gold Medals are being bestowed upon 26 candidates who have secured highest marks in their respective disciplines.

We feel greatly honored to inform that Honoris Causa degrees, will be conferred upon Dr. Abhay Firodia, Shri. Prataprao Pawar and Dr. Vedprakash Mishra. DPU has recognized these three icons, for their significant contributions, towards development of vibrant India. The invaluable contributions, of these three eminent personalities have made them worthy of their reputation and in fact they have honored this Vidyapeeth and the society at large by accepting the Honoris Causa degrees today.

Let me share some of the recent achievements and persistent developments that have been crossed by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune since the last convocation held on 29th June 2021.

- The Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune has been Accredited (3rd Cycle) by NAAC with a CGPA of 3.64 on a four-point scale at 'A++' grade on 8th February 2022, valid up to 7th February 2029.
- Under National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) 2021, conducted by Ministry of Education (MoE), New Delhi, the Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune has achieved 2nd rank in Dental Category, 19th rank in Medical Category, 49th rank in University Category and 80th rank in Overall Category in India.
- All our hospitals are NABH accredited as also all laboratories are NABL accredited.

- Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune has been approved as an ICMR Clinical Trial Approved Centre for West Zone.
- Medical College has been permitted by National Medical Commission, New Delhi for starting four new Superspeciality Programmes for 2 seats each (i.e. Surgical Oncology, Paediatric Surgery, Critical Care Medicine, Medical Gastroenterology).
- Medical College has been recognized as Centre for Reporting ADRs of Medical Devices under Materiovigilance Programme of India (MvPI).
- Central Research Laboratory of DPU is being selected by ICMR, New Delhi for SARS-CoV-2 Omicron kit evaluation programme.
- Medical College has been approved as a site for the project entitled "National Clinical Registry of COVID-19" which is a ICMR funded projects for the development of the national COVID database.
- The Molecular Diagnostic Laboratory of DPU has achieved the distinction of 100% Concordance in WHO EQAS Panel during the COVID-19 Pandemic.
- Department of Cardio-Vascular and Thoracic Surgery (CVTS) carried out the **First** ever **Heart Transplant** at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune on 20th September 2021.
- Department of Critical Care Medicine converted 2 brain dead organ donors into successful cadaveric multiorgan transplant out of these 2 livers and 2 kidney transplants were done at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune. Remaining organs were donated to other hospitals. All the 4 recipients were discharged successfully by the respective team of DPU.
- Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune is recognized as "Brands of Maharashtra" for the excellent services in the field of education by Sakal Media Group.
- The Biotechnology & Bioinformatics Institute has received "Best Prize" in the "CII-SR Industrial Waste Management Competition 2021" for their "Agar waste management project".
- Global Business School and Research Centre is ranked 35th amongst the Top 100 Private B-Schools across India by TIMES Ranking in February 2022.
- Global Business School & Research Centre is featured in the list of Best B-Schools in India published by Dalal Street Investment Journal published in January 2022.
- Global Business School & Research Centre is featured as India's 10 Best MBA Institute in Hospital and Healthcare Management by The Academic Insights 2021.
- College of Physiotherapy received Appreciation Letter by Assistant Director of Health Sciences, Maharashtra for conducting Essay Competition and Awareness Lecture on leprosy under National Leprosy Awareness Campaign during 30th January to 15th February 2022.

- College of Physiotherapy received Appreciation Letter by Chief Medical Officer, Bhosari Hospital, PCMC, Pune for participating in Pulse Polio campaign during 27th February to 4th March 2022.
- DPU Centre for Online Learning has Ranked First as the Top Online and Distance Learning Institutes in India by the Competition Success Review Magazine 2022.

Ours is a young but a very vibrant university with "academic culture" that promotes merit, values and academic freedom. As a nation of 1.4 billion, today more than 2/3rds are in the age group of 15-64 years, which will gradually shift to become a much younger India in the next 30 years, creating a very important human resource asset. The challenge, therefore, is to empower this young India to enable them to contribute not only for the development of the national economy but also the entire world. Our courses and programmes have been redesigned to meet the growing needs of specializations, to facilitate mobility between programmes and courses, to update and modernize curricula and to encourage the introduction of reforms in the evaluation procedure. We envisage creating an academic environment of international standards in healthcare education, under the guidance and support of our Hon'ble Chancellor Dr. P. D. Patil. He has been very generous with his time and counsel and we are indeed very grateful to him for his dynamic leadership to our University.

Research:

University can grow successfully only when teaching and research get together symbiotically as they have no independent existence. We have created a conducive environment to undertake collaborative research projects combining teaching-learning and research, to nurture originality, creativity and novelty. I feel proud to state here that this year DPU published more than 1200 papers in International and National journals of repute, which are indexed in Scopus, Pub Med, Web of Science and UGC approved journals. There has been a significant rise in hindex from 51 to 59, indicating translational value and higher citations received by individual publication. Total number of 12,441 citations have been received in the year 2021. The highest impact factor among the publications during the year under report was 79-32 (The Lancet), 53.44 (Nature Medicine), 41.316 (Lancet Oncology). Total number of 16 papers published in more than 10 impact factor journals in 2021. Publishing papers is only one part of research, however, filing patents and writing books, chapters, editing books, forms yet another aspect. I am also

proud to state that this year DPU has filed 19 patents, 8 patents are published, and 3 patents are granted also 43 Copyrights are registered.

Research is impossible without funding. DPU has always been supporting research activities and has provided seed money of more than 91 Lakhs during the year. In addition, this year university has received a total extramural grant of more than 450 Lakhs from DBT, DST, ICMR, AYUSH, CCRH, BIRAC, Pharma Industries, and foreign agencies like National Institute of Health, USA and Harvard Medical School Centre for Global Health Delivery, Dubai.

- Medical College has received a grant of \$192415 from National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism
 (A division of NIH, USA) a study entitled HATHI (Hybrid trial for Alcohol reduction among people with TB &
 HIV in India) was formally launched on 22nd March 2022.
- Department of General Medicine has received Grant of Rs.90.90 Lakhs from WHO, ICMR, Gennova Biopharma, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare for four research projects.
- Department of Dermatology has received a grant of Rs. 68 Lakhs from ICMR for ad-hoc research study entitled "Development of a transglutaminase-1 nanocomplex as a method for topical enzyme replacement therapy for autosomal recessive congenital ichthyosis- a rare genetic disorder".
- Department of Physiology has received Grant of Rs. 60 Lakhs from Ministry of Ayush Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Science, for a research project entitled "A pilot study to assess the effect of intranasal oil instillation (Pratimarsha Nasya) on nasal barrier function among healthy individuals".
- Department of Cardiovascular and Thoracic Surgery (CVTS) has received Grant of Rs. 7.50 Lakhs from Meril Life Science Ltd. for a Dafodil research project.
- Department of Microbiology has received Grant of Rs. 1.98 Lakhs from RNTCP for a research project entitled "Efficacy of the line probe assay for rapid detection of MDR tuberculosis at tertiary acre hospital in India".
- Department of Dermatology has received Grant of Rs. 5 Lakhs from IADVL Research Grant 2021 for a research project entitled "Understanding the role of melanocytes-fibroblast crosstalk in keloid pathogenesis".
- Department of Neurology has received Grant of Rs. 4.50 Lakhs from ICMR for a research project entitled "COVID Associated Mucormycosis in India: a case control investigation".
- Department of Paediatrics has received Grant of Rs.20 Lakhs from Zydus Cedilla, NATCO Pharma Ltd.,
 Hyderabad and NIH for research projects.

- Department of Respiratory Medicine has received Grant of Rs.64 Lakhs from NIH, USA for a collaborative research project with Johns Hopkins University, USA entitled "TB Aftermath".
- Department of Orthodontics has received a Grant of Rs. 10 Lakhs from Nidhi-Prayas Scheme supported by
 DST for a research project for Innovation of Device for Treatment Obstructive Sleep Apnea.
- Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology has received approval for a grant of Rs. 50 Lakhs from BIRAC
 for his patent on Establishment of Automated User-Friendly Intraoral Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation Device
 for Treatment of Oral Submucous Fibrosis OSF.
- The Biotechnology & Bioinformatics Institute has three ongoing extramural projects which includes:
 - A grant of Rs. 50 Lakhs from DST-Technology Development and Transfer Division under Waste Management for a research project "Segregation and management of laboratory wastes for resource recovery and value addition".
 - A grant of Rs. 3.7 Lakhs from India-Japan Cooperative Science Program Call for Proposals-2019 for a joint research project "Preparation of Next Generation Nanovaccine using Multifunctional Glycans for Cancer Immunotherapy".
 - The **DST-FIST project** in which advanced equipments procured are being utilized for teaching and research.
- College of Ayurved received a grant of Rs. 42 Lakhs from ALAKART BIO-PHARMA Pvt. Limited, Hyderabad for a Research Project titled "A study To Assess Efficacy and Safety of Polyherbal Formulation (COVIRB-01) as an Add-on Therapy with Standard of care in Mild and Moderate Covid-19 Positive Patients" in September 2021.
- The Homoeopathic Medical College have been selected and sanctioned Student Research Scholarship of Rs.20000/- each to 8 students by the Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH), New Delhi under its Short-Term Studentship in Homoeopathy (STSH) 2021 Programme. The college has bagged the highest number of CCRH STSH 2021 student research projects in the state of Maharashtra

International Research Collaborations:

In keeping pace with our motto of 'Breaking Boundaries – Finding Frontiers' and one of our missions, namely, 'partnerships with organizations with congruent ideals', we have signed MoUs and collaborative agreements with many institutions worldwide. The International linkages of DPU have helped it in drawing upon the wisdom built up at the partner institutions of repute.

- Department of Global Health Education, Johns Hopkins University, USA has been sending their students in batches to our Medical and Nursing Institute, to provide them global health training at DPU, by fostering a collaborative learning environment under their Global Heath Leadership Programme.
- DPU & Johns Hopkins University, USA are having inter-disciplinary collaborative research project titled "Impact of diabetes on TB treatment outcomes" and "Video based directly observed treatment using new application (MiDOT Study)" which involves, the Departments of Respiratory Medicine along with the Department of Medicine & Department of Microbiology of our Medical College.
- Department of Paediatrics is involved in research with Johns Hopkins University, USA in a study entitled "Healthcare-Associated Sepsis in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit in Pune, India". In January 2018. Five faculty members from Department of Paediatrics, Johns Hopkins University visited DPU, to teach interventions to decrease infection rate in NICU.
- DPU & Harvard Medical School Centre for Global Health Delivery, Dubai is having inter-disciplinary collaborative research project titled "Assessing pathways to care among tuberculosis (TB) and drug-resistant tuberculosis (DR-TB) patients in Pune City, India: a biosocial inquiry" which will involve the Department of Respiratory Medicine of our Medical College.
- Department of General Medicine holds video conferences regularly once a month, 'Global Grand round in infections' with Johns Hopkins University.
- Department of Radio-diagnosis is in collaboration with Siemens Germany for latest imaging sequences and techniques for academic purposes.
- Department of Ophthalmology has collaboration with Public Health Queen's University, Belfast for faculty guidance in respect of refraction services in India with Superior service model Centre.
- Department of Physiology is involved in research collaborative activities in association with "Smiths Detection Australia".
- Under a bilateral agreement signed between DPU Biotechnology and Bioinformatics Institute and University
 of Skövde, Sweden, three students are pursuing their final year of M. Tech (Int.) Biotechnology at University of
 Skövde, Sweden since September 2021.
- A 10-week online course for virtual mobility in "Molecular Biotechnology-Modelling" was offered by University of Skövde, Sweden in which teachers from Institute of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics participated in the teaching of this course. Two students from Institute of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics were enrolled in this course with full tuition fee waiver.

- The exchange agreement between **DPU** and **University of Skövde**, **Sweden** was renewed for a duration of five years 2021-2026. This agreement allows the student exchange for a duration of six months or one year where the students of Institute of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics can get their M.S. degree upon successful completion of one year studies at Sweden which includes six month course work and six month research project.
- The "Study Abroad" agreement between **DPU** and **University of Skövde, Sweden** is renewed for a duration of two years. DYPBBI can nominate 10 students for M.S. degree at University of Skövde, Sweden with a 20% tuition fee waiver. These students can compete for 50% fee waiver program also.
- Global Business School & Research Centre has done a tie-up with edX. It is a venture of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Harvard University that offers thousands of online courses from top-ranking institutes of the world. Through edX, GBSRC has collaborated with Harvard University and Columbia University. GBSRC has subscribed 500 licenses to offer better skills, credentials, and to enhance student's knowledge through online certification courses of various foreign Universities. Students of GBSRC has successfully completed 442 Online Certification courses in Management education like Digital Marketing, Entrepreneurship Management, Data Analytics, Communication Skill, Finance Management Through edX platform.
- Global Business School & Research Centre, Pune and Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI), New Delhi, signed an MoU on 12th March 2022.
- Global Business School & Research Centre, Pune and HOSPACCX Healthcare Business Consulting Pvt. Ltd., signed an MoU on 28th February 2022.
- Global Business School & Research Centre, Pune and MTC Global, Bangalore, signed an MoU on 16th September 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre, Pune and AgMatrix Consultancy Pvt. Ltd. Pune, signed an MoU on 6th September 2021.
- Homoeopathy College MoU signed with Dr. Willmar Schwabe India Pvt. Ltd. for Industry academia collaboration, research and training.
- Homoeopathy College MoU also signed with Mind Technologies for research, training and homoeopathic softwares for students and teaching faculty.
- DPU Centre for Online Learning has partnered with Qollabb EduTech, Bangalore to provide company-based project work and virtual internship opportunities to learners directly under senior professionals from various industry sectors. Our learners will get to work under the guidance of senior professionals on projects and internships that are custom-designed and will ensure quality industry exposure."

Faculty / Students participating in International Conferences:

About 165 faculty members and students participated in virtual International and National Conferences (during the COVID-19 Pandemic) and presented papers and posters at various conferences last year.

- Dr. S. S. Jadhav from Department of Physiology participated as Delegate in the 6th Annual International Conference on 'Genomics and Genetic Counselling: Value in Health Care' by the Board of Genetic Counselling, India from 2nd to 4th July 2021.
- Dr. Seema Saini, Dr. Pramod J. Palekar, Dr. Soumik Basu, Dr. Khyati Patole from College of Physiotherapy presented paper at 2nd International Conference on 'Neurology 2021' by International Association of Neuroscience and Bioleagues, Dubai on 17th and 18th July 2021.
- Dr. A. L. Ghangale from Department of FMT participated as a Delegate in the 7th International E-Conference on 'Forensic Psychology' Conducted on 24th and 25th July 2021.
- Dr. Shilpa Khandare, Dr. Preeti Gazbare, Dr. Sanjivani Kamble from College of Physiotherapy presented an E-paper in 4th Asia Oceania Congress of Neuro Rehabilitation 2021 on 8th August 2021.
- Dr. Aniruddha Bhagwar from Department of Paediartric Surgery participated as a Delegate in the Signup confirmation for course: Hirschsprung Disease Course from 12th to 13th August 2021.
- Dr. Shital Rasane from Department of Samhita Siddhanta attended the International Webinar on Charak Jayanti organized by AYUSH affiliated Ayurved Colleges of Maharashtra on 13th August 2021.
- **Dr. Aniruddha Bhagwar** from Department of Paediartric Surgery participated as a Delegate in the 9th Annual Paediatric Surgery Update Course at Akron Children's Hospital from 27th to 28th August 2021.
- Dr. A. L. Ghangale from Department of FMT participated as a Delegate in the 8th International E-Conference on 'Forensic Medicine & Toxicology' Conducted on 28th and 29th August 2021.
- **Dr. Samir Gupta** from Department of Surgical Oncology participated as a Delegate in the ESSO Webinar-key challenges in Oncoplastic breast surgery online on 3rd September 2021.
- Dr. Varsha Bhatt, Dr. Bhumika Vaishanv, Dr. Harishchandra Chaudhar from Department of General Medicine participated as a Delegate in the 5th International Diabetes Expert Conclave 2021 from 3rd to 5th September 2021.
- Mr. Faiyaz Ahmed Khan from Optometry Institute attended 2nd IVI International Optometry Conference Eye health in a changing world by Essilor Luxottica from 9th to 11th September 2021.
- **Dr.** Akshat Sirdhyal from Department of Swasthavritta attended the Samsiddhi International Web Conference on 12th September 2021.

- **Dr. Parth** from Department of Orthopaedics participated as a Delegate in a Webinar on "41st SICOT Orthopaedics World Congress" on 15th to 18th September 2021.
- Dr. B. N. Pande and Dr. Sameena Khan from Department of Physiology participated as a Delegate in the International Symposium on "Chronomedicine: Relevance in COVID times by the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Rajpur, Chhattisgarh on 18th September 2021.
- Mr. Faiyaz Ahmed Khan from Optometry Institute attended International Orthoptic E-symposium organized by Vision Science academy and Dr. Shroff's charity eye hospital on 26th September 2021.
- **Dr. Siddarth** from Department of Orthopaedics participated as a Delegate in the "1st Annual Congress 2021 International Conference (EGSSA)" from 30th September to 1st October 2021.
- **Dr. A. L. Ghangale** from Department of FMT participated as a Delegate in the 17th Annual International Virtual Conference of South India Medico-Legal Association (SIMLA 2021) on 5th & 6th October 2021.
- Dr. Shital Rasane from Department of Samhita Siddhanta attended the International Webinar on Breast Cancer Awareness organized by Government Ayurved College, Osmanabad on 12th October 2021.
- **Dr. Manisha Rathi** from College of Physiotherapy presented a scientific paper at Virtual Conference on Physical Rehabilitation & Sports Medicine, Brazil on 15th & 16th October 2021.
- Dr. Sheetal Roman, Dr. Hiteshwar Lonare from Department of Kriya Sharir presented a paper in International E-Conference on "Ayurvedic Architecture for the planning of mental health during Covid-19 crisis" on 23rd October 2021.
- Dr. Akanksha Mehta, Abhijit Vhatkar, Sunita Kharate, Dr. Priyanka Bobade, Hrishikesh Kokate, Sudhir Patil, Dr. Naim Shaikh, Dhanashri Havale from GBSRC Institute participated and published research papers in 3rd International Conference on "Nurturing and Transforming Business Practices in Global Village" on 30th and 31st October 2021.
- *Dr. P M. Diggikar* from Department of General Medicine participated as a Delegate and presented a scientific paper in the VI Congress on Gerontology and Geriatrics 2021 held on 31st October 2021.
- Dr. Jibi Varghese from Department of Kayachikitsa participated in "6th World Ayurveda Day Webinar" organized by AAPNA Association, North America, USA on 2nd November 2021.
- **Dr. D Gopalakrishnan** from Department of Periodontology attended the "33rd Annual Meeting of the International Society of Periodontal Plastic Surgeons, Miami, FL, USA," organized by International Society of Periodontal Plastic Surgeons on 3rd November 2021.
- **Dr. D Gopalakrishnan** from Department of Periodontology attended the "107th American Academy of Periodontology Annual Meeting, Miami, FL, USA," organized by American Academy of Periodontology on 4th November 2021.

- Dr. Priya Pise from Institute of Biotechnology participated in IEEE-EBSCO event & ATAL- FDP for Data Science from 15th to 16th November 2021.
- Dr. Sahjid Mukhida, Dr. Sahlini Bhumik and Dr. Sriram Kannuri from Department of Microbiology participated as a Delegate in the International Virtual Conference on Combating Antimicrobial Resistance, WAAW 2021 from 18th to 23rd November 2021.
- Mr. Faiyaz Ahmed Khan, Mrs. Susmita Banerjee from Optometry Institute has attended "Eye Around the World- A Global Day of Learning" organized by The World Council of Optometry on 20th November 2021.
- **Dr. Preeti Sonje, Dr. Neelesh Kanaskar** and **Dr. Amol Shinde** from Department of Anatomy participated as Chairperson in the 2nd International E-Conference organized at AVMCH, Puducherry from 24th to 27th November 2021.
- Dr. Manashree Sankhe from Department of Plastic Surgery participated as a Speaker in the 1st International Skull Base and Head & Neck Dissection Course (Flap dissection Course), organized by the Global Healthcare Academy at Bengaluru on 28th & 29th November 2021.
- Dr. Shahzad Mirza, Dr. Sahlini Bhumik, Dr. Sahjid Mukhida and Dr. Sriram Kannuri from Department of Microbiology participated as a Delegate in the International E-Conference on Advanced Molecular Diagnostics for Infectious Diseases on 30th November 2021 at Kattankulathur.
- Dr. Shahzad Mirza, Dr. Sriram Kannuri, Dr. Sahjid Mukhida from Department of Microbiology participated as Delegate in the 3rd edition of "International Conference of Contemporary Antimicrobial Research 2021" organized by the Department of Biotechnology, Acharya Institute of Technology and Acharya & BM Reddy College of Pharmacy under the Society for Antimicrobial Research in collaboration with Biotech Hub, Assam University on 9th December 2021 & 10th December 2021.
- **Dr Aditi Mathur** from Department of Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry attended 2021 Star Global Conference held from 10th to 12th December 2021.
- Dr. Zahid Parvez Abdul Karim Shaikh from Department of Emergency Medicine participated virtually as a Delegate in the WACEM21.Com World Academic Congress of Emergency Medicine from 10th to 19th December 2021.
- Dr. Dharmendra B. Sharma from Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology; Dr. Parth Aphale, Dr. Aditya Patil from Department of Homoeopathic Pharmacy presented scientific papers at LMHI Global Colloquium 2021 from 10th to 12th December 2021.
- Dr. D. S. Bhamare, Dr. Gaurav Patil, Dr. Shivam Patel, Dr. Siddharth from Department of Orthopaedics participated as a Delegate in the "8th Trauma Conclave AAOS" on 11th December 2021.
- Dr. Alok Sharma from Department of Plastic Surgery participated as a Delegate in the International Masterclass on Use of Integra Dermal Regeneration Template at Mumbai from 11th to 12th December 2021.

- Dr. (Col) Shashi Prabha Prasad participated virtually as a Delegate in the South Asian Academy of Ophthalmology Conference "Breaking Barriers in Ophthalmology" from 17th to 19th December 2021.
- Mrs. Susmita Banerjee, Ms. Surbhi Sharma, Mrs. Rekha Chotaliya, Mr. Uday Bajare from Optometry Institute has attended two-day International Scientific Writing Workshop organized by Indu's Academy of Biology & Medicine and DPU FIIE on 8th & 9th January 2022.
- Dr. Rashmi Singh Chauhan, Dr. Apurva Borde, Dr. Merlyn Mathias, Dr. Pranjali Gunjal, Dr. Noreen Qazi, Dr. Bhagyashree Shetty, Dr. Samiksha Shetty, Dr. Sejal Shah, Dr. Tripti Lath, Dr. Preeti Padhye, Dr. Haniya Ali Khan, Dr. Payal Kothari, Dr. Shradda Budia, Dr. Sneha Nair, Dr. Surabhi Sinnarkar, Dr. Priyanka Agrawal, Dr. Ashrita Suvarna, Dr. Atharva Babel and Dr. Nikita Kurtkort from Department of Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry attended South Asian Association of Pediatric Dentistry conference held on 18th & 19th December 2021.
- **Dr. Supriya Kheur** from Oral Pathology and Microbiology presented scientific paper at the 4th International Saliva Summit of India on 29th & 30th January 2022.
- **Dr. P. M. Diggikar** from Department of General Medicine participated as a Delegate in the 2nd World Congress on Pharmacology 2022 held on 30th January 2022.
- **Dr. Rahul Arkar** from Department of Interventional Radiology participated as a Delegate in the World Live Neurovascular Conference on 2nd February 2022.
- **Dr. Karishma Desai** from Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology participated and won 2nd prize in faculties category for paper presentation at the International Oral Cancer Congress 2022 from 5th & 6th February 2022.
- Dr. Gauri Kumbhar, Dr. Urmi Ghone from Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology participated and presented a Scientific Paper in the 1st Online International Clinico-pathological Slide Seminar 2022 at Sri. Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research, Porur, Chennai on 16th and 17th February 2022.
- Dr. Babasaheb R. Jadhav from GBSRC Institute has participated in International Conference on 'Paradigm Shift in Indian Economy: It's Alteration on Trade, Commerce, Management Engineering and Social on 25th February 2022.
- Dr. S. A. Kanitkar, Dr. P. M. Diggikar, Dr. Madhulika Mahashabde, Dr. Anu Gaikwad, Dr. Varsha Bhatt, Dr. Vikram Vikhe, Dr. Manasi Harale, Dr. Jaganath Dhadwad, Dr. Prakash Shende from Department of General Medicine participated as a Delegate / Chairperson in the 6th International Diabetes Summit 2022 organized by Chellaram Diabetes Institute, Pune from 4th to 6th March 2022.
- Dr. Sonal Shah, Dr. Lakshmi Shetty, Dr. Shilpa Bawane, Dr. Sneha Setiya, Dr. Uday Londhe from Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery participated at Indo Chinese Virtual International Conference on "Oral Submucous fibrosis-An insight into Phytomedicinal therapy and their translational application" from 5th to 7th March 2022.

- Dr. Supriya Kheur, Dr. Karishma Desai from Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology participated and delivered a guest lecture at the Indo-Chinese Virtual International Conference from 5th to 7th March 2022.
- Dr. Sunil Mishra from Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology attended the Virtual Indo-Chinese International Conference on Oral Submucous Fibrosis- An insight into Phytomedicinal Therapy from 5th to 7th March 2022.
- **Dr. Roopa Desai** from College of Physiotherapy presented research paper at 2nd International E-Conference on Physiotherapy, Physical Rehabilitation & Sports Medicine on 7th & 8th March 2022 organized by United Research Forum, UK.
- **Dr. Sarthak Walia** from Department of Orthopaedics participated as a Delegate in a Conference on "Stanford Paediatric Orthopaedics and Sport Medicine monthly lecture series" on 19th March 2022.
- Dr. Gargi Sarode, Dr. Urmi Ghone from Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology participated and won Best paper award (First runner up) in '4th International Conference of forensic Odontology and Child Abuse' held from 28th to 31st March 2022
- Dr. Supriya Kheur from Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology attended Indo-Israel Symposium for Woman in STEM from 29th to 30th March 2022.
- Dr. Simaarpreet Anand from Department of Anaesthesiology participated as Delegate in the Crises Management Conference organized by Royal College of Anaesthetists from 2nd to 3rd April 2022.
- **Dr. Dharmendra B. Sharma** from Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology presented scientific papers at Global Homoeopathy Marathon from 8th to 10th April 2022.
- Dr. Safia Farooqui from Centre for Online Learning completed A course of study offered by USMx, an online learning initiative of University System of Maryland of Harvard University on Digital Marketing Analytics: Tools and Techniques.

Conferences, Seminars, Workshops organized at DPU:

Since the last convocation, DPU has organized about 124 Conferences / Seminars / Symposia / Workshops / CMEs / Webinars / Faculty Development programmes on virtual platform due to COVID-19 Pandemic for faculty and students.

- Biotechnology & Bioinformatics Institute organized a Live Webinar on an upcoming field of technology
 "Artificial Intelligence and Data Science Applications and Opportunities" on Saturday, 5th June 2021.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Guest Lecture on "Launch of Start-Up, Marketing & Planning for Entrepreneurs" by Dr. Varun Kumar, Director of Rehab Physiotherapy and Fitness on 22nd June 2021.

- College of Physiotherapy organized a Guest Lecture on "Orthotic and Prosthetics of Upper extremity" by Dr. Sanjeev Kashyap, Consultant, Noble Hospital Pune on 26th June 2021.
- Department of Prosthodontics organized a Webinar on "3D Printing in Complete Denture" by Dr. Saurabh Chaturvedi, Asst. Professor, King Khalid University, Saudi Arabia on 30th June 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized an Orientation Programme on "Areas of copyrights, patents, innovation and start-up and the way ahead" by Dr. Swarada Peerannawar on 5th July 2021.
- Department of Emergency Medicine organized an Online Guest Lecture on "Communication and safety netting in the emergency department" by Dr. Ravindranath Sant, Pilgrim Hospital, United Lincolnshie Hospitals NHS Trust, Boston, United Kingdom on 7th July 2021.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Guest Lecture on "Entrepreneurship Believe it, Before You See it" by Dr. Khyati Merchant (PT), founder of Lotus Physical Therapy and Wellness, Dallas, USA on 13th July 2021.
- Department of Public Health Dentistry organized a Guest Lecture on "Systematic Review and Meta-analysis" by Dr. S. A. Rizwan, NIE, Chennai on 16th July 2021,6th August 2021 & 6th September 2021.
- Department of Kriya Sharir organized a National Webinar on "Surgery" (online) on 16th July 2021.
- Department of Kayachikitsa organized a Webinar on "Scope of Competency Based Curriculum in AYUSH" on 19th July 2021.
- Department of Startup & Innovation Cell organized a Webinar on "Introduction on Intellectual Property Rights" by Adv. Andreya Fernandes, Patent and Trademarks Agent & Mrs. Srividya Ravi, Head of Gnanlex Hermeneutics Pvt. Ltd., Pune on 20th July 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Opportunities for Start-up and Innovation in Homoeopathic Pharmaceutical Industry" by Dr. R. Valavan, Head, Medical & Scientific Affairs, Dr. Willmar Schwabe India, Pvt. Ltd. on 20th July 2021.
- Institute of Optometry and Visual Sciences organized a Webinar on "Motivation for Entrepreneurs" by Mr. Yeshwant Saoji, Chief Optometrist at Saoji Eye Care on 23rd July 2021.
- Department of Public Health Dentistry organized a Guest Lecture on "Perils and Pitfalls of Publication" by Dr. Santosh Kumar Tadakamadla on 27th July 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Opportunities for Start-up and Innovation in Homoeopathic Research" by Dr. Divya Taneja, Research Officer (H) / Scientist 2, Central Council of Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH), New Delhi on 29th July 2021.
- College of Nursing organized a Guest Lecture on "Future of online learners" by Dr. Rupali Salvi on 30th July 2021.

- Department of Panchakarma organized a Guest Lecture on "Physio Rehab in Covid Patients" on 6th August 2021.
- Department of Emergency Medicine organized "Basic Life Support and Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) course" in association with American Heart Association for interested UGs, PGs and faculties from 9th to 11th August 2021.
- Department of Kriya Sharir organized a National Webinar on "Naidanik sadhnani" 11th August 2021.
- Department of Panchakarma organized a Guest Lecture on "Management of Osteoporosis Patients" on 12th August 2021.
- Department of Sanskrit Samhita Sidhhant organized "Charak Chintan" event on 12th August 2021.
- Institute of Optometry and Visual Sciences organized two-day Seminar on "Optometry Education" by Dr. Ananth Sailoganathan from 13th to 14th August 2021.
- Department of Startup & Innovation Cell organized a Guest Lecture on "The Art of Star Gazing" by Aryan Mishra, Famous Amateur Astronomers on 17th August 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Seminar on "Importance of digital marketing", by Mr. Harshit Gupta, Founder and Chief Growth officer, School of Growth on 18th August 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Guest Session on "Usage of LinkedIn for Employability" by Mr. Pankaj Sharma, Assistant General manager (L&D) Emcure Pharmaceuticals on 20th August 2021.
- Department of Kriya Sharir organized a National Webinar on "Applied aspect of Kriya Sharir" on 20th August 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Seminar on "Importance of Knowledge, Skills, Attitude and Values" by Mr. Vinod Bidwaik, Vice President HR and CHRO Alfa Laval on 21st August 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Seminar on "Leadership and Ethics" by Dr. Shashi Tharoor, Former Minister of State HRD & Minister of state for External Affairs in Government of India on 24th August 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Seminar on "Cross Cultural Perspective-Similarities between India-Japan cultural lineages" by Mr. Tomio Isogai, Former MD, Sharp Corporation, Japan on 25th August 2021.
- Medical College celebrated World Bioethics Day on 27th August 2021.
- Department of Prosthodontics organized a Webinar on "Dentistry is occlusion, occlusion is dentistry" by Dr. Sandesh Mayekar on 27th August 2021.

- College of Nursing organized E-Webinar on "Eclectic Approaches in Teaching and Learning" by Dr. (Mrs.) Rupali Salvi on 27th August 2021.
- Department of Panchakarma organized a National Webinar on "Panchakarma, Ayurved and Astrology" on 27th August 2021.
- Department of Ophthalmology organized Eye Donation Awareness Programme on occasion of "36th National Eye Donation Fortnight 2021" on 30th August 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Intervention of Ayush system in the management of Covid-19" by Ministry of AYUSH on 30th August 2021.
- Department of Biochemistry organized a Guest Lecture on "Lipoprotein metabolism and disorders A biochemist's Perspective" by Dr. C. Shanmugapriya, Professor & Head, Department of Biochemistry, Government Thoothukudi Medical College and Hospital, Tamil Nadu on 3rd September 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Seminar on "Marketing and Business development in New Zealand" by Mr. Amol Walimbe, Operations Manager, Biotech Solutions Ltd., New Zealand on 4th September 2021.
- Department of General Surgery organized an IMA-PCB Webinar on "Polytrauma" from 4th to 5th September 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Hamara AYUSH, Hamara Swasthya" by Ministry of AYUSH on 5th September 2021.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Certificate Course in Orthopedic Manual Therapy (COMT) by Dr. Deepak Kumar, Director and Senior Consultant at Capri Institute of Manual Therapy, Delhi from 5th to 12th September 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Managing COVID-19 Pandemic- AYUSH perspective" by Ministry of AYUSH on 14th September 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Talk on Iconic Structure Competition 2021" by Shri Durga Shanker Mishra, Secretary, Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, Govt. of India on 14th September 2021.
- Department of General Medicine organized an Online Guest Lecture on "Polypharmacy in Geriatric Medicine" by Dr. Sandeep Tamane, Geriatrician, Deenanath Mangeshkar Hospital, Pune on 17th September 2021.
- Department of General Surgery organized Hands-on Workshop on "Suturing, knotting & Bowl Anastomosis
 on animal tissue" with the help of Johnson and Johnson Pvt. Ltd from 17th to 18th September 2021.

- Department of Emergency Medicine organized an Online Guest Lecture on "Toxicology in Emergency Medicine" by Dr. Ashish Bhalla, Professor, Internal Medicine, PGIMER, Chandigarh on 22nd September 2021.
- Department of Kriya Sharir organized an **Online Workshop** on **Research Methodology** from 23rd to 28th September 2021.
- Department of Rasashastra evum Bhaishajyakalpana organized a Guest Lecture on "Genetics and Biotechnological Analysis" on 28th September 2021.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a **Dry Needling Workshop Basic & Advanced Module** by Dr. Rajkannan Director, APTER Institute Dry Needling Association, Bangalore from 28th September to 1st October 2021 and 4th to 7th October 2021.
- Department of Kriya Sharir organized a National Webinar on "Kriya Sharir" on 5th October 2021.
- IQAC CELL of Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Guest Session on "Every Manager has to be a leader" by Mr. Devendra Fadnavis, 18th Chief Minister of Maharashtra and Leader of Opposition in Maharashtra Legislative Assembly on 9th October 2021.
- Department of Anatomy celebrated "World Anatomy Day" on 14th October 2021.
- Department of Kriya Sharir organized a "International webinar on Breast Cancer Awareness" on 12th October 2021.
- Department of Anaesthesiology celebrated "World Anaesthesia Day" and organized Cultural event on 16th
 October 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre along with ASSOCHAM IP BOOTCAMP organized a Masterclass on 16th October 2021.
- Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology in association with Institutional IQAC organized DYP Roots
 Oral Pathology Alumni Meet with a Guest lecture (Webinar) on "Dynamics of Niche Practice: Making world your oyster" by Dr. Ketki Kalele Bhokare on 18th October 2021.
- Institute of Optometry and Visual Sciences organized a Seminar on "Entrepreneurship as a Career Option in Optometry" by Mr. Nilesh Thite, M. Optom, FIACLE, FAAO on 20th October 2021.
- Department of Periodontology in association with Indian Society of Periodontology, Pune organized "45th Indian Society of Periodontology National Conference (Virtual), 2021" from 21st to 23rd October 2021. The Conference was virtual mega event in the History of Indian Society of Periodontology which witnessed 15 International Speakers at the main conference and around 20 Preconference workshops including masterclass session attended by 2080 delegates.

- Department of Biochemistry organized "Biochemistry Quiz Competition" for first MBBS students on 22nd October 2021.
- Department of General Medicine organized a Guest Lecture on "Rational use of antibiotics in ICU" by Dr. Bharat Purandare, Consultant in Infectious Diseases on 22nd October 2021.
- Hospital Infection Control organized a Poster Competition, Skill Station Presentation on the occasion of International Infection Control Week, with the theme "Make Your Intention Infection Prevention" on 22nd October 2021.
- Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology in association with Institutional IQAC organized CDE program on "Oral Mucocutaneous lesions: A clinician's perspective" by Dr. Darshan Hiremutt on 28th October 2021.
- Startup & Innovation cell of College of Physiotherapy organized a Webinar on "Start-Up as new normal" by Mr. Arindam Ghosh, founder, and CEO of Infotech Solutions, Pune on 28th October 2021.
- Department of Critical Care Medicine and Microbiology organized a Webinar on "Community and Hospital Acquired Gram Positive Infections" on 29th October 2021.
- Department of Neurology celebrated "World Stroke Day" on 29th October 2021.
- Department of Startup & Innovation Cell organized a Webinar on "Filing procedures for patents and design" on 30th October 2021.
- Sports Medicine Division of Orthopaedics Department organized an Inter-Collegiate & Inter-Departmental Symposium on "Symposium on Hand & Wrist" by Dr. Mrudula Sangoankar, Dr Kharat, Dr. Anup Bansode, Dr. Abhijeet Wahegaonkar, Dr. Jaspreet Kaur on 30th October 2021.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized 3rd International Research Conference on 30th October 2021. It was presided by I. Dr. N. J. Pawar, Vice Chancellor, Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth he spoke on "Nurturing and Transforming Business Practices in Global Village". 2. Dr. Vijay Pereira, Professor, International and Strategic Human Capital Management, NEOMA Business School, France he spoke on "Managing sustainable business across the Globe". 3. Mr. Amol Walimbe, Operations Manager, Biotech Solutions Ltd., Auckland, New Zealand "Overview of New Zealand Market in Covid19 and importance of Research in operations management". It was held.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Seminar on "Innovations and Start-ups to Tackle the Problem of Usage of Single Use Plastic" by Dr. Anil Roy, Medical Officer, PCMC on 30th October 2021.
- Department of Startup & Innovation Cell organized a Webinar on "Filing procedures for copyright and trademarks" on 1st November 2021.
- College of Nursing organized a Seminar on "Innovative Approaches to content delivery and assessment of student learner" by Dr. Sadhana Adhyapak on 12th November 2021.

- Medical College organized a Guest Lecture on "COVID Vaccine" by Dr. Prasad S. Kulkarni, Executive Director, Serum Institute, Pune on 13th November 2021.
- Biotechnology & Bioinformatics Institute organized a Webinar on "Institute's Innovation Council" and on "Design, Thinking and Innovation" by Dr. Tanushree Banerjee and Dr. Amit Ranjan on 13th November 2021.
- Startup & Innovation cell of College of Physiotherapy organized a Webinar on "Notion of Innovation" by Mr. Satyajit Malavade from Red Hat Alliance Partner, Atos North America on 15th November 2021.
- Department of Neurology organized an Awareness Programme on "Patient education and awareness about epilepsy" on the occasion of National Epilepsy Day on 17th November 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "Innovative Idea Scouting, Critical Thinking and Mentorship Support" by Dr. Tanushree Banerjee, Innovation Ambassador on 17th November 2021.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Webinar on "How to become a successful entrepreneur in Homoeopathy - My Success Story" by Dr. Jawahar Shah, Founder, Mind Technologies, Enlightenment Education, Welcome Cure on 17th November 2021.
- Department of Urology organized a CME on "Urology Udpate" on 21st November 2021.
- Department of Paediatrics and Preventive Dentistry and IQAC organized a faculty development programme on "Child psychology in toto" on 23rd November 2021.
- Department of Radio-diagnosis organized a USG guided Interventions (NON-OBST) Workshop and Hands on Training in collaboration with Maharashtra College of Radiology, MSBIBRIA and PCMCRA on 28th November 2021.
- Department of General Medicine organized a Guest Lecture on "Surviving sepsis guidelines" by Dr. Kapil Borawake, IDCCM, Consultant on 29th November 2021.
- Department of Pathology organized a Seminar on "Transplant Pathology Liver donor organ evaluation" on 30th November 2021. This was followed by a Guest Lecture on, "Liver Transplant- a Surgeon's perspective" by Dr. Sharan Narute (MS General Surgery, DNB Surgical Gastro-enterology, Liver Transplant).
- Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted an Awareness Program related to HIV/AIDS for the Out-patients on the occasion of "Worlds AIDS Day" on 1st December 2021.
- Department of Public Health Dentistry organized level two Life First Tobacco Cessation Training Programme from 3rd and 4th December 2021 in association with Narotam Sekhsaria Foundation, Mumbai
- Startup & Innovation cell of College of Physiotherapy organized a Seminar on "Mentorship support for entrepreneurship" on 10th December 2021.
- Start-up, Innovation and Incubation Cell of College of Ayurved organized a Guest Lecture on "Innovation in Ayurveda" on 14th December 2021.

- Department of Orthodontics organized 3rd Module of UEP on 16th December 2021 in collaboration with Ormco, Nobel Biocare.
- Department of Public Health Dentistry organized Hands-on Workshop on "Literature search" by Dr. Ravi Shirahatti, Professor, SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad held on 17th and 18th December 2021.
- Alumni Association organized a Guest Lecture on "Career Guidance of Students" by alumni Dr. Himanshu Singh, MD (Sharair Rachna) on 20th December 2021.
- DPU Clinical Simulation and Skills Lab organized a Workshop on "Train the Trainer" by Dr. Amit Nagpal, Mayo Clinic Certified Simulation Instructor on 29th & 30th December 2021.
- Department of General Surgery organized a Guest Lecture on "Recent advances in Nuclear Medicine" on 12th January 2022.
- Department of Periodontology in association with Indian Society of Periodontology, Pune organized a CDE
 Programme on "Symposium on Research opportunities in Postgraduate Program in Periodontology and
 Updates in Periodontal Medicine" by Dr. Ashish Jain, Professor and Head, Periodontology, Dr. Harvansh
 Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences and Hospital & Director IQAC, Punjab University on 14th January
 2022.
- Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology along with IQAC conducted a Guest Lecture on "Potentially Malignant Disorders" by Dr. Anagha Shete on 21st January 2022.
- Department of Public Health Dentistry organized Lecture Series on Scoping Review (Online lectures) on 22nd January 2022 by Dr. S. A. Rizwan, from NIE, Chennai.
- College of Nursing organized a Guest Lecture on "Curriculum Mapping" by Dr. Sucheta Yangad on 23rd January 2022.
- Global Business School and Research Centre in association with DPU's Institution's Innovation Council organized a Guest Session on "Design Thinking, Critical Thinking and Innovation Design Workshop" by Mr. Ketan Gandhi, CEO of KgGuruji.com on 29th January 2022.
- NISM, an educational unit of SEBI, conducted a Value-Added Course of 10 hours on "Kona Kona Shiksha A Financial Literacy Programme" under the aegis of Kotak Securities Limited for BBA students of Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth's Global Business School & Research Centre from 3rd to 5th February 2022.
- Department of Public Health Dentistry organized a Guest Lecture on "Questionnaire Development" by Dr. Ravi Shirahatti, Professor, SDM College of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Dharwad on 11th and 12th February 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Guest Lecture on "Killing the Internet Addiction" by Mr. Raghvan Koli, from 16th to 17th February 2022 & 15th March 2022.

- D Institute of Optometry and Visual Sciences organized a Webinar on "Are Entrepreneurs Born or Made?" by Mrs. Kunda Ganatra (M.Optom) on 16th February 2022.
- epartment of Public Health Dentistry organized Systematic Review and Meta-analysis lecture on "Zotero software use for referencing" by Dr. S. A. Rizwan, from NIE, Chennai on 17th February, 6th March, 1st April 2022.
- Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and IVF Centre organized a Workshop on "Star Endogyn Laparoscopy" on 18th and 19th February 2022. In Six operation theatre total 45 cases were anaesthetised in two days.
- College of Nursing organized a Webinar on "Microteaching" by Mrs Jayabala Aghamkar on 18th February 2022.
- Biotechnology & Bioinformatics Institute celebrated National Science Day-2022 (NSD-2022) with the National Theme "Integrated Approach in Science & Technology for Sustainable Future" on 28th February 2022. In addition to that the department organized an open day on National Science Day for the students of Schools to visit and see our Scientific and Instrumentation Facility supported by the DST-FIST (STUTI 2021 Program under Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav) & DPU.
- Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics organized a CDE Programme on "Applications of Laser in Conservative and Endodontics" by Dr. Sucheta Sathe on 3rd and 4th March 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a **Triple Certificate Workshop with Canadian Certification** Dr. Kartik Shah, Canadian Physiotherapy Trainer, Founder Director, In2Canada Inc., Canada from 4th to 5th March 2022.
- Department of General Medicine organized Lectures on the most common diseases in women like thyroid disorders and created awareness in many women on the Carcinomas (Breast, Cervix, and Thyroid) and its early detection on the occasion of International Women's Day on 5th March 2022.
- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Session on "Opportunities for Management Graduates in Seafood / Aquaculture Industry" by Mr. Sandip Ahirrao, Vice President-Sales & Marketing (AQUA FEEDS), Growel Feeds Pvt. Ltd. & Founder General Secretary of Society of Aquaculture Professionals on 5th March 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Guest Lecture with Demonstration on "Empowerment with self-defense" by Mr. Mahesh Hore for students and all female staff on occasion of International Women's Day, on 8th March 2022.
- Department of Radio-diagnosis in association with Radiology Branch of PCMC organized "Basic course in Fetal Radiology and Genetics" from 11th to 13th March 2022.
- Institute of Optometry and Visual Sciences organized an Industry Webinar by Mr. Rupam Sinha, Alcon, IACLE on 25th March 2022.

- Global Business School & Research Centre organized a Session on "The Overview of the Indian Capital Markets and Indian Economy" by Dr. V. Aditya Srinivas, COO, Bombay Stock Exchange Brokers Forum on 26th March 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Guest Lecture on the topic "Need for Assertiveness Skills Strokes" by Mr. Prasanna Ragunathan, Learning and Developmental Facilitator and Performance Coach on 29th March 2022.
- Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology along with IQAC conducted a CDE program and Hands-on Workshop on "CBCT workshop for General Practitioners" on 4th April 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Seminar and Demonstration of Advanced Therapeutic Magnetic Induction Field Therapy Equipment of Magnetodyn and Super Inductive System by Mr. Anand from BTL on 4th April 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Seminar on "Physiotherapy career abroad: An insight into the Pros & Cons" by Dr. Abhijit Minhas, Registered Physiotherapist, Ottawa, Canada on 5th April 2022.
- College of Physiotherapy organized a Workshop on "Capability Enhancement Life Skill" conducted by Mr. Pravin Pawar & Mr. Abasaheb Shelar Trainer & Content Manager from GTT foundation from 7th to 8th April 2022.
- Centre for Online Learning organized an **Induction Ceremony** (**Diksharambh**) on 9th April 2022 for the new entrants of MBA Program by Mr. Sushil Kumar Chairman AVRO India Pvt Ltd Gurgaon.
- Department of Dermatology conducted a "A Hands-on Botoxmaster Class-II (upper face)" on 10th April 2022.
- Homoeopathic Medical College organized a Workshop on "Learning Management System and Online Learner Engagement" by Faculty of University Centre for Professional Education and Faculty Development Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune on 11th April 2022.
- Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery organized Master Surge-Orthognathic Bootcamp 2022 by Brig.
 Dr. Indraneil Deb Roy, Dr. Mukul Padhye, Dr. Jayesh Rahalkar.

Outstanding Faculty:

We are extremely proud of our excellent faculty. They are truely an asset to this institution and always update their knowledge and skills to help shape our students as an infinite reservoir of potential talent. I am sure that these students, faculty, staff and the alumni would work collectively towards building this educational institution as a 'World Class University'. These reputed faculty members were invited to deliver keynote lectures or to chair the technical

sessions at various conferences/ workshops and received national / international awards and also to participate as chairpersons / members of various national committees. About 211 faculty members received the national / international awards and recognitions and also were invited as Resource Persons / Panelists / Judges for various International and National conferences.

- Dr. Shilpa Khandare, Dr. Pramod J. Palekar & Dr. Mayura Deshmukh were awarded Certificate for Excellence Outstanding achievement, Remarkable Contribution in the field of Physiotherapist & Bharat Gaurav Puraskar, respectively for outstanding achievement and remarkable contribution in the field of Physiotherapist on 27th June 2021 at KTK Outstanding Achievers and Education foundation New Delhi.
- Dr. Amita Aggarwal was invited as a **Resource Person** for Webinar on Yoga Practice by Sanjeevani Institute of Paramedical Sciences, Chandigarh in June 2021.
- Dr. Amita Aggarwal was invited as a **Resource Person** for Webinar on Yoga Practice by Molex Womens Business Council, Bangalore in June 2021.
- Dr. Babasaheb Jadhav has completed AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy Online Elementary FDP on Fin Tech: Innovation and Transformation in Financial Market and Investment Strategies" from 5th to 9th July 2021.
- Dr. Manisha Rathi was invited as a **Resource Person** for webinar on Geriatric Assessment-A Key to successful Geriatric Rehabilitation on 9th July 2021.
- Dr. Megha Kotecha was awarded the Membership of The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh (MRCSEd) by virtue of her success in International Council of Ophthalmology (ICO) on 15th July 2021.
- Dr. Ishan Lamba was granted the Membership of Royal College of Emergency Medicine (United Kingdom) by examination. We received their results on 16th July 2021.
- Dr. Snehal Maheshkar has Completed AICTE Training and learning (ATAL) Academy Online Elementary FDP on "Capacity Building of Women Leaders in Higher Education" from 12th to 16th July 2021.
- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar received 1st Prize in Oral Paper Presentation at 2nd International Conference on Neuroscience and Neurology by International Association of Neuroscience and Bio Leagues, Dubai held on 17th & 18th July 2021.
- Dr. Snehal Maheshkar has Completed AICTE Training and learning (ATAL) Academy Online Elementary FDP on "Quantification of Human Resource with HR Analytics'" from 19th to 23rd July 2021.
- Dr. Priyanka Bobade has completed a Swayam Course on Banking & Financial Risk Markets on 27th July 2021.
- Dr. Reema Joshi received Bharatjyoti Guru Gaurav Vidhya Ratan Award 2021 by MVLA Guru Sanman Conference on 23rd July 2021.

- Dr. Sandip Baheti was felicitated with "Vrukshmitra Purskar" by Mr. Sanjay Raut, Member of Parliament for his outstanding work to save nature on July 2021.
- Dr. Neha Kulkarni was awarded with **The Real Super Women Award 2021** by Forever Star India Awards on 30th July 2021
- Dr. Abha Khisty was awarded Young Researcher in Physiotherapy at 4th Venus International Healthcare Awards VIHA 2021, Chennai on 30th June 2021.
- Dr. Sneha Setiya & Dr. Monica Chimote were **Chairperson** at 24th Mid-Term Conference & 10th PG Convention on 30th July to 1st August 2022.
- Dr. D Gopalakrishnan delivered a Keynote Lecture on "Oral Health and Diabetes" at Oral Health Diabetes Conclave organized by Indian Dental Association on 31st July 2021.
- Dr. Sanjyot Mulay was awarded **Best Scientific Presentation Award** at IFEA World Congress from 31st July to 1st August 2021.
- Dr. Shalini Aggarwal was invited as a **Moderator** at IFEA World Congress from 31st July to 1st August 2021.
- Dr. Arya Varur received 1st prize in Public Voting of IAP Women for Singing Competition of West Zone on 1st August 2021.
- Dr. Mayura Deshmukh received 1st prize for Poster Presentation at QUESTCON-International E Conference on 1st August 2021.
- Dr. Snehal Maheshkar has Completed AICTE Training and learning (ATAL) Academy Online Elementary FDP on "Faculty Development Programme on Teaching and Research Methods" from 2nd to 6th August 2021.
- Prof. Sonali Meshram has completed AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy on "Innovation Management: Idea to Prototype" from 2nd to 6th August 2021.
- Dr. D. G. Dipankar was invited as a **Resource Person** at "National Webinar on Kayachikitsa" organized by Dr. Vandanatai Jagannathrao Dhone Gramin Ayurved Mahavidyalaya, Patur, Akola on 3rd August 2021.
- Dr. Reema Joshi was invited as a **Resource Person** to deliver a guest lecture on the topic "**Physio-Rehabilitation in Post COVID-19 Patients**" at Dr. D. Y. Patil College of Ayurved & Research Centre Pimpri, Pune on 6th August 2021.
- Dr. Sanjivani Kamble was a Moderator for 4th Asia Oceanian Congress of Neuro Rehabilitation 2021 from 6th to 8th August 2021.
- Dr. Mayura Deshmukh won 1st Prize in Paper Presentation in "Physiotherapy Panchatatva", 1st International conference of IAP Women Cell on 8th August 2021.
- Dr. Viroj Wiwanitkit, Honorary Professor, Department of Community Medicine was awarded Membership of Royal Society of Research London, England on 15th August 2021.

- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar, Dr. Gaurang Baxi, Dr. Pramod J. Palekar received INDIAN WORLD RECORD for the Most Number of People Waving Indian National Flag Simultaneously while Indian National Anthem is played, by the Indian Book of Records on 15th August 2021
- Dr. Mayur Shiralkar was invited as a Guest Speaker at Third National Conference on "Update in Ayurveda" on 15th August 2021.
- Prof. Dr. G. H. Yeola & Dr. Sheetal Roman received "National Best Teacher Award" by Ayurved Teachers'
 Association on 16th August 2021.
- Dr. Priyanka Bobade has Completed AICTE Training and learning (ATAL) Academy on the topic of "Life Skill Development of Educators Through Inner Transformation by "Art of Living" from 16th to 20th August 2021.
- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar and Dr. Seema Saini received Fellowship in Psychology Counseling by National Health Care Academy (NHCA), Singapore on 17th August 2021
- Dr. Divya Gohil awarded as **Best Clinical Expert (Physiotherapy)** in recognition of outstanding commitment and dedication dated 18th August 2021.
- Dr. Preeti Sonje was awarded "India Inspirational Women Award 2021" on 21st August 2021.
- Dr. Sonal Khatavkar was awarded "Samarpan Seva Puraskar 2021" from Akshar Aanand Sanskrutik Chaturmas 2021 on 22nd August 2021.
- Dr. Mayur Shiralkar was invited as **Guest Speaker** at CME program for Teachers of Shalakyatantra at J. S. Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya and P. D. Patel Ayurveda Hospital, Nadiad, Gujrat on 26th August 2021.
- Dr. D Gopalakrishnan delivered a Lecture on "Pain management in Periodontics" at JBCPL Conclave on 27th August 2021.
- Dr. Babasaheb Jadhav has received "Research Excellence Award 2021" in August 2021
- Dr. Amol Shinde was awarded "Young Achiever Award 2021" by INSC Award at Bangalore in August 2021.
- Dr. Babasaheb R. Jadhav has been appointed as a reviewer for the Journal of Institute of Scholars (InSc) in August 2021.
- Dr. Mamta Nakade received Covid-Warrior Certificate of Honour by Sanative Remedies Pvt. Ltd. in August 2021.
- Dr. Mayura Deshmukh & Dr. Sanjeevani Kamble were invited as **resource person** for fellowship in Diabetic educator organized by EXRX India from August 2021 to November 2021 for 12 weeks program.
- Prof. Dr. G.H. Yeola was invited as the **Guest Speaker** at the Bharat Nutrition Week by Integrated Health and Well-being Council, New Delhi on 4th September 2021.

- Dr. Priyanka Bobade has received "Best Faculty" Award from State of Maharashtra by Shabddhan Social Foundation on 5th September 2021.
- Dr. Shailendrakumar Kale received Best Faculty Award at Global Quality Excellence Award 2021 on 5th September 2021.
- Dr. Sanjivani Kamble, Dr. Soumik Basu, Dr. Pramod J. Palekar were the **Resource Person** in Radio Puneri Awaz 107.8 FM on the day of World Physiotherapy Day 8th September 2021.
- Dr. Abha Khisty received Vocational Excellence Award as "Covid-Warrior" by Saishree Hospital, Aundh, Pune on 12th September 2021.
- Prof. Dr. G. H. Yeola received Letter of Appreciation by Aki Sinta Saude for taking Online lectures on Digestive disorders for Portuguese Association of Ayurved Medcine on 15th September 2021.
- Dr. Sanjivani Kamble was invited as a **Resource Person** on occasion of World Physiotherapy Day at CMF College of Physiotherapy, Pune for Webinar on 'Women Health & Polycystic Ovarian Disorder' on 17th September 2021.
- Dr. Trupti Siddapur won 1st Prize in Paper Presentation titled "Correlation between BMI & Cognitive function in Young Adults" at Neuraxis Interconnect 2021, Virtual Conference, Ghaziabad from 22nd to 29th September 2021.
- Dr. Sonali Deshmukh delivered a Guest Lecture at 55th IOC Amritsar on 25th September 2021.
- Dr. Sahana Hegde-Shetiya was invited as a **Panelist & Resource Person** at 5th National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Virtual, by the Medicine & School of Public Health, PGIMER, Chandigarh from 25th to 27th September 2021.
- Dr. Anmol Mathur received 2nd Prize Rapid fire Oral Presentation at 5th National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Virtual, hosted by the Medicine & School of Public Health, PGIMER, Chandigarh from 25th to 27th September 2021.
- Dr. Nilima Dharkar was invited as a **Resource Person** at the Ministry of AYUSH sponsored "CME on Rasashastra and Bhaishajyakalpana" organized by Government Ayurved College, Raipur, Chhattisgarh on 29th September 2021.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty was awarded runner up in Innovative Ideas Contest organized by Start-up and Innovation Cell, Dr. D. Y. Patil Dental College and Hospital, Pimpri, Pune on 30th September 2021.
- Dr. Babasaheb Jadhav has completed NPTEL Certification Program on "Corporate Finance" during in September 2021.
- Dr. D. Saldanha, won the **Best Net Winner Overall** in the Friendship Cup 2021 on 2nd October 2021.

- Dr. Priyanka Bobade has Completed AICTE Training and learning (ATAL) Academy on the topic of "Application of Econometric for Management Research" from 8th to 12th October 2021.
- Dr. Snehal Maheshkar has completed Swayam Certification Courses on Accreditation and Outcome based Learning 9th October 2021
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Resource Faculty** for Session on "Group Dynamics and Team Building" by Indian Prosthodontic Society on 12th October 2021.
- Dr. Soumik Basu was invited as a **Judge** for National conference Arthritis at Dr. Vithlrao Vikhe Patil Foundation, College of Physiotherapy Ahmednagar on 12th October 2021.
- Dr. Manisha Rathi & Dr. Preeti Gazbare invited as a Resource Faculty to Mentor for NAAC Training Workshop under the UGC Mandate Scheme-PARAMARSH on 13th August & 23rd October 2021 by Sancheti College of Physiotherapy.
- Dr Sunny Priyatham was Runner-up in Innovative Ideas (Innovative Ideas in Dental) organized by DPU held on 20th October 2021.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Resource Faculty** for "Workshop on Curriculum Outcome Analysis" organized on 22nd October 2021 by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune.
- Dr. (Mrs.) P. Vatsalaswamy was a Panelist for International Workshop of Anatomy "IWA-2021" held by Department of Anatomy, Teerthanker Mahaveer Medical College, under aegis of ASI from 22nd to 23rd October 2021.
- Dr. Chhaya Suryawanshi was awarded "Certificate of Appreciation" for her valuable contribution towards Society of Anesthesiologists on 24th October 2021.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Resource Faculty** for "Workshop on Health Sciences Education Technology" organized from 27th to 29th October 2021 by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune.
- Dr. Shailendrakumar Kale has been appointed as a **Reviewer** for Research Papers at 3rd International Conference "Nurturing and Transforming Business Practices in Global Village" on 30th & 31st October 2021.
- Dr. Jayashree Patole has successfully completed AICTE approved Swayam Annual Refresher Programme in Teaching (ARPIT) of 16 weeks duration in October 2021.
- Dr. Jayashree Patole has successfully completed 8 weeks FDP organized by NPTEL & AICTE on the topic, "Introduction to Basic cognitive Processes" in October 2021.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a Resource Faculty for "Advanced Workshop in Newer Methods of Assessment" organized on 1st November 2021 by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune.

- Dr. D Gopalakrishnan delivered a Lecture at "33rd Annual Meeting of the International Society of Periodontal Plastic Surgeons, Miami, FL, USA, organized by International Society of Periodontal Plastic Surgeons on 3rd November 2021.
- Dr. D Gopalakrishnan delivered a Lecture at "Innovations in Periodontics Forum at the 107th American Academy of Periodontology Annual Meeting, Miami, FL, USA, organized by American Academy of Periodontology on 4th November 2021.
- Dr. Abha Khisty received **Young Researcher Award** for the contribution and achievement in the field of Physiotherapy by Venus International Foundation on 6th November 2021.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty was the Chairperson at 9th Live Surgical Workshop & Student Convention (HYBRID)

 Tagore Dental College & Hospital, Rathinamangalam, Chennai on 10th &11th November 2021
- Mrs. Ratna Mahajan was awarded "Maa Yashoda Award" as a token of appreciation at JW Marriot, Hyderabad from 12th to 14th November 2021.
- Dr. Aditee Rane was invited as a **Speaker** at the Virtual Conference Hunting SUSY @ HL-LHC by International Centre for Theoretical Sciences (ICTS), Bangalore from 22nd to 26th November 2021.
- Dr. Mamta Nakade received "Award for Appreciation" by Cabinet Minister of Food and Drug Administration at Shree Gurudev Ayurevd Mahavidyalaya Gurukunj, Mojhari, Shegaon on 27th November 2021.
- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar successfully completed NPTEL Online Certification on health Research fundamental by Swayam Education in month of November 2021.
- Dr. Pushkar Waknis was invited a Guest Panelist at 45th AOMSI Annual Conference, Mangalore from 2nd to 4th December 2021.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty was invited a Guest Speaker & Chairperson at 45th AOMSI Annual Conference, Mangalore from 2nd to 4th December 2021.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty was awarded Dr. M. S. N. Ginwalla Trophy for the first prize best paper at the 45th
 Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India Annual National Conference 2021, Mangalore on 4th
 December 2021.
- Dr. Sahana Hegde-Shetiya invited as a **Distinguished Panelist** at the panel, Tobacco Control in Pakistan Challenges and Opportunities Going Beyond the Pandemic" at Twenty-fourth Sustainable Development Conference PKT, Islamabad, Pakistan on 8th December 2021
- Dr. Neelu Nawani and Mr. Tejas Vannalwar, a research student received first prize in the "India International Science Festival 2021" held at Goa from 11th to 13th December 2021 for their innovation.
- Dr. Chhaya Suryawanshi was awarded "President Appreciation Award" for her valuable contribution towards Society of Anesthesiologists on 12th December 2021.

- Dr. Amita Aggarwal was awarded Microsoft in Education Certificate on 12th December 2021 by Certified Microsoft Innovative Educator.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty was awarded the prestigious AOCMF International Fellow in Cleft and craniomaxillofacial Surgery at AOCMF Center, GSR Institute of craniofacial surgery and plastic surgery, Hyderabad with AOCMF grant fellowship scholarship of 1184 Swiss francs from AO Foundation, Davos, Switzerland on 17th December 2021.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a Resource Faculty for Session on "Learning Objectives" by Indian Prosthodontic Society on 17th December 2021.
- Dr. Roopa Desai was invited as a **Resource Person** for a webinar on "Love Your Bones-Protect your future" was organized in collaboration with Inner Wheel Club along with 8 other IWC clubs of Maharashtra on 17th December 2021.
- Dr Rashmi Singh Chauhan received First prize -Best Scientific Paper Presentation at South Asian Association of Pediatric Dentistry held on 18th & 19th December 2021.
- Dr. Jibi Varghese was invited as a Guest Speaker at 2 Webinars organized by Parul University, Vadodara, Gujarat for UG and Ph.D. students on 22nd December 2021 and 7th January 2022.
- Dr. D. S. Bhamare was awarded "Exemplary Achievement in the field of Innovation, Academics, Publications, Research, International Patents, Teaching and Expertise in the field of Orthopaedics" on 25th December 2021.
- Dr. (Mrs.) P. Vatsalaswamy received "Best Director of Academics Award" for the year 2021 on the eve of 'Teachers' Day' by Manamuna Foundation.
- Dr. Kavita Thakur was awarded 1st prize in the Writing Competition conducted by the Department of Community Medicine, Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences on the occasion of World Population Day, 2021.
- Dr. Amitav Banerjee was awarded for his outstanding contribution to Medical Journal Armed Forces India as a reviewer the reviewer has reviewed 13 manuscripts for the year 2021.
- Dr. Gargi Sarode was awarded 'Outstanding Dentist of the Year 2020' by Famdent Excellence in Dentistry Award 2021.
- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar received Fellowship in Radiology course for Physical Therapists by the International Institute of Digital Teachings, Bangalore in 2021
- Dr. Seema Saini was invited as a **Judge** for Rehab Con 2021 organized by LSFPEF, Nigdi Pune.
- Dr. Sanjivani Kamble & Dr. Mayura Deshmukh were awarded as a Young Researcher Award on October 2020-21 by Institute of Scholars, unit of SDPL.

- Dr. Preeti Gazbare, Dr.Amita Aggarwal, Dr. Reema Joshi were awarded as a Research Excellence Award 2020-21 by Institute of Scholars, unit of SDPL.
- Dr. Abhijit Shekhar received the "International Award AD Scientific Index World Scientist" and University Ranking 2021.
- Dr. Safia Farooqui received Global Faculty Award 2021 at Global Faculty Conclave & Awards from AKS Education on 15th January 2022.
- Dr. Archana Kukade received the "Nari Shakti Award 2021" for contribution in health services during COVID on 7th February 2022.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Judge** for the Topic Presentation Competition held on 8th February 2022 in Tilak Ayurved Mahavidyalaya, Pune.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Resource Person** for webinar on "Curriculum Mapping in Physiotherapy Curriculum" on 18th February 2022 in Dr. D. Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **BOS Member** to KLE Institute of Physiotherapy on 23rd February 2022.
- Dr. Priyanka Bacchav invited as a **Resource Person** on the occasion of Golden Jubilee Lecture Series on "Emerging Trends in English" organized by B.K. Birla College, Kalyan on 25th February 2022
- Dr. Aayush Gupta was awarded '**DPU Research Award**' by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune on 28th February 2022.
- Dr. Yogesh Shinde was awarded "Innovative Teaching Award" by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune on 28th February 2022.
- Dr. D. G. Dipankar was invited as a **Judge** for Nanal Competition at Tilak Ayurved Mahavidyalaya in February 2022.
- Prof. J. K. Pal, Dr. Minal Wani and Dr. Tanushree Banerjee participated as **judges and event coordinators** in "UNMESH 2022" organized by DPU during 2nd to 3rd March 2022.
- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar was invited as a **Judge** for 3 mins talk on diet & exercise during UNMESH 2022-Science festival organized by DPU on 2nd & 3rd March 2022.
- Dr. Parth Aphale received Appreciation Award as Scientific Co-ordinator at UNMESH 2022 Organizing Committee on 3rd March 2022.
- Dr. Tushar J. Palekar was invited as a BOS Member to MGM University of Health Science on 4th March 2022.
- Dr. (Mrs) Bhagyashree P. Patil, Hon'ble Pro Chancellor received "Salam 2022 Award" on the occasion of "International Women's Day" on 5th March 2022.

- Dr. Supriya Kheur & Dr. Karishma Desai delivered a **Guest Lecture** at the Indo-Chinese Virtual International conference from 5th to 7th March 2022.
- Dr. Supriya Kheur won Consolation Prize in faculties category for paper presentation at the International Oral Cancer Congress 2022 from 5th to 7th March 2022.
- Dr. Karishma Desai won 2nd prize in faculties category for paper presentation at the International Oral Cancer Congress 2022 from 5th to 7th March 2022.
- Dr. Neelu Nawani was felicitated on the International Women's Day 2022 for her inspiring journey as a researcher. **The Women Achiever award** was given by Rotary Club of Pune on 8th March 2022.
- Dr. Snehal Maheshkar & Dr. Deepali Garge has received Service Excellence Rotary Award by Rotary Club Pune Fortune on Women's Day on 8th March 2022
- Dr. Ankita Ingole received "Sahityasampada Bhushan Award" at Kalyan, Mumbai on 8th March 2022.
- Dr. Trupti Siddapur was invited as a **Resource Person** for CME on "Mime Therapy" in PES Modern College of Physiotherapy, Shivajinagar, Pune on 11th March 2022.
- Dr. Preeti Gazbare was invited as a **Judge** for mad-ad, Student forum during Virtual National conference "SCIENTICA- 2022" on 12th March 2022.
- Dr. Manisha Rathi was invited as a **Chairperson** for scientific paper presentation for community rehabilitation during Virtual National conference "SCIENTICA- 2022" on 12th March 2022.
- Dr. Abha Khisty won 2nd prize for scientific paper presentation in senior category at National conference "Scientifica 2022" for Neurophysiotherapy on 12th & 13th March 2022.
- Dr. Nilima Dharkar was invited as a **Resource Person** at the International Conference on "Pursuing Innovations Technology & Health: Community Perspective" organized by Orange City college of Social Work, Maharashtra on 15th March 2022.
- Dr. Jibi Varghese was awarded Ph.D. Degree in Kayachikitsa from Parul University, Vadodara, Gujarat on 17th March 2022.
- Dr. Aboli Patil was awarded Ph.D. Degree in Kaumarbhritya from Parul University, Vadodara, Gujarat on 17th March 2022.
- Dr. D. G. Dipankar was invited as a Guest Lecturer at J. Magdum College of Ayurved, Jaisingpur on 17th March 2022.
- Dr. Manisha Rathi was invited as a Referee for Ph.D. defense viva to PIMS, Loni on 17th March 2022.
- Dr. Supriya Kheur delivered a Guest Lecture titled "Histopathological insights into oral lesions" at the CDE Program Pathoexcellence 2022 organized by Dr. GD Pol's YMT Dental College, Navi Mumbai on 22nd March 2022.

- Dr. Shraddha Jugade & Dr. Vaibhavi Raut successfully completed the 'Basic Life Support Course' by American Heart Association conducted at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College on 23rd March 2022.
- Dr. Gargi Sarode won **Best paper award (First runner up)** in '4th International Conference of Forensic Odontology and Child Abuse' held from 28th to 31st March 2022.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty participated as Vivavoce Examiner for AOMSI Virtual Masterclass 2022 Vivavoce on 31st March 2022.
- Mr. Faiyaz Ahmed Khan has received Best Faculty Award in Association of Schools & College of Optometry in March 2022.
- Dr. Sunil Mishra, Dr. Mahesh Chavan & Dr. Shraddha Jugade were invited as a Guest Speaker at a CDE program and Hands-on workshop titled as 'CBCT workshop for General Practitioners' (6 CDE credit points) on 4th April 2022.
- Prof. Dr. G. H. Yeola received Appreciation Letter by Maharishi College of Perfect Health International, Netherland, by Alma Mater ECM University, Maribor, Slovenia for taking online lectures on 4th and 5th April 2022.
- Dr. Sharath Shetty **presented a Lecture** as a part of Rapid Revision program for Postgraduate students at PerioVista organized by Terna Dental College, Navi Mumbai on 7th April 2022.
- Dr. Hridaynath Lad delivered a Guest Lecture in Ashok Hall Shivajinagar Court, Pune, for advocates and Judges on 7th April 2022.
- Dr. D. B. Sharma received Exceptional Professional Achievement Award towards Homoeopathy and Homoeopathic Education in the State of Maharashtra by D. S. Homoeopathic Medical College, Pune on 7th April 2022.
- Dr. Vanisha Steven & Dr. Abha Khisty won 1st & 2nd prize for best Scientific paper presentation at 3rd Annual Kinesio Con 2022, National e-Conference organized by MAEER's Physiotherapy College, Talegaon Dabhade, on 7th & 8th April 2022, respectively.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Moderator** for the e conference at 3rd Annual Conference KINESIOCON 2022 on 7th & 8th April 2022.
- Dr. D Gopalakrishnan was a **Panelist at Panel Discussion** at PerioVista organized by Terna Dental College, Navi Mumbai on 8th April 2022.
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty & Dr. B. M. Rudagi were **Guest Panelist** at 8th MSC AOMSI State Conference held at Ahmednagar on 8th April 2022.
- Dr. Shital Rasne delivered a **Guest Lecture** on "Insomnia and Migraine" in the online series organized by CASH Canada and IAA on 8th April 2022.

- Dr. Sneha Setiya completed **Post Graduate Diploma in Clinical Cosmetology** by Indian Institute of cosmetology, Aesthetics and Nutrition on 9th April 2022
- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty was awarded Dr. Milind D. Shringapure Award for best delegate prize paper at 8th
 Maharashtra State chapter Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India at Ahmednagar on 9th April
 2022
- Dr. Amita Aggarwal was invited as a **Speaker** for Session on Peripheral nerve injury of upper limb on 10th April 2022.
- Dr. Gaurang Baxi was invited as a **Judge** for Scientific Paper presentation at 3rd Annual Conference E-BCIPCON 2022 on 14th April 2022.
- Dr. Smritika Taware delivered a Guest Lecture on "Menstrual hygiene and feminine health" at Yerawda Jail for female inmates in April 2022.
- Dr. J. S. Bhawalkar was nominated as a **Member** on "Selection Committee for Dean Post" at Govt. Medical College, Nagpur.
- Dr. Megha Kotecha has passed the International Council of Ophthalmology Advanced Examination. She has completed all 3 parts of the ICO exam and is now eligible to receive the FICO designation.
- Dr. Abhijeet Tilak was awarded with Fellowship (FIMSA) of International Medical Sciences Academy.
- Dr. Mona Tilak was awarded with Fellowship (FIMSA) of International Medical Sciences Academy.
- Dr. Amitav Banerjee was awarded with "Health care changes makers memento" by Consortium of Media Houses for contribution in spreading health awareness among the masses.
- Dr. Megha Kotecha has passed all 3 parts of the ICO exam and is now recognized as a Fellow of the International Council of Ophthalmology (FICO).
- Dr. S. R. Agarkhedkar and Dr. Shalaka Agarkhedkar successfully completed nCOv Zydus Vaccine Study sponsored by Zydus Cedilla.
- Dr. Pramod Jog selected as an Editorial Board Member of Indian Journal of Maternal Fetal and Neonatal Medicine.
- Dr. Pramila Menon selected as a Life Member on the IAP Medical Education Chapter.
- Dr. Mahavir Bagrecha won "Aaryogya Bhushan Puraskar" from Newsline Media, Ahmednagar.
- Dr. Asir Tamboli received "Anand Memorial Award" from ISCCM, Ahmedabad.
- Dr. Sonali Deshmukh received Professional Award by Lokmat, Pune.
- Dr Chaitra Mastud received Health Care Professional Icon Award by Lokmat, PCMC.

- Dr. Lakshmi Shetty secured 82 % marks at Clarivate analytics journal citation reports series 2021
- Dr. Gargi Sarode was awarded DPU Research Award by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune.
- Dr. Sahana Hedge received Institute for Global Tobacco Control (IGTC) Scholarship 2021-2022 for admission to Global Tobacco Control Certificate (fully online), Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Baltimore.
- Prof. J. K. Pal is nominated as an expert at various National Committees viz., UGC STRIDE, CSIR FIRST,
 DBT BIRAC, DBT JRF and DBT BITP.
- Prof. J. K. Pal is nominated as a Member of BoS in Biotechnology, Abasaheb Garware College, Pune.
- Dr. Neelu Nawani was invited to be Co-guide for Ph.D. Studies at autonomous Modern College, Pune.
- Priyanka Wagh, Viniti Vaidya, Neelu Nawani and J. K. Pal won the **Best Prize** in CII-SR Industrial Waste Management Competition for the "On campus Agar waste management project"
- Dr. Neelu Nawani was invited as a BOS Member in Microbiology at Abasaheb Garware College, Pune and Modern College, Pune.
- Dr. Chetan Chaudhari was appointed as a **Reviewer** for SIMS 12th Annual International Research Conference at Symbiosis Institute of Management Studies.
- Dr. Babasaheb R. Jadhav was appointed as a **Reviewer** for Sage Journals 'Global Business Review', Peered Reviewed Refereed ABDC and UGC Care Group I & II Journal, eISSN: 09730664, ISSN: 09721509, March 2022.
- Dr. Deepali Garge has been nominated as Innovation Ambassador training (Foundation Level) conducted by MoE's Innovation Cell & AICTE.
- Dr. Priyanka Bobade Invited as a Resource Person for the (Entrepreneur Development Program) Workshop on 'Innovation in Technology Leading to Entrepreneurship' in association with WeGrow Private Ltd.
- Dr. Kasturi Shukla was appointed as a Reviewer for Journal of Academy of Hospital Administration (JAHA) ISSN 0970-9452.
- Dr (Mrs.) Nisha Naik was selected as a resource person in the team of Indian Nursing Council, New Delhi for the period of one year in Capacity Building in nursing. (2021-2022)
- Dr. Mrudula Sangaonkar was a Winner for Mrs. Physio 2022 for Pimpri-Chinchwad organized by IAP Women Cell Pimpri-Chinchwad in collaboration with Dr. D. Y. Patil College of Physiotherapy, Pune.

Students' Achievements:

The innovative concept of making learning as a more fun- oriented and interactive activity, boosts up the insight of students as they learn faster and open up to more ideas, making it easier for teachers to identify and distinguish the overall understanding of the subject of the students. I cannot exhaustively list all the laurels earned by you, my dear DPU students, but it is my hope and dream that these are various steps, to bigger achievements that await you in your life. We have implemented innovative concept of making learning more effective and interactive by introducing concepts like experimental, integrated / interdisciplinary, participatory, problemsolving, self-directed, patient centric, evidence based, project-based and role play methods, to the students to enable them to acquire overall understanding of the subject. DPU students have actively participated in the various national / international conferences and presented papers and posters and also participated in inter-collegiate sports competitions as the result of which 104 students have won the prizes since the last convocation.

- Dr. Manisha Srikurmam and Dr. Noopur Mane from Dental College were awarded for **Best Poster**Presentation at SRM Dental College Chennai on 6th July 2021
- Dr. Sanket Aras and Dr. Sourabh Bharbhai from Dental College were awarded 2nd Prize for Poster Presentation at SRM Dental College Chennai on 6th July 2021.
- Dr. Payal Kothari, Dr. Preeti Padhy, Dr. Tripti Lath from Dental College won 1st Prize in Best Scientific Paper Presentation at Kids Webcon 2021 KIIT University on 21st July 2021.
- Ms. Savani Nagarkar from Biotechnology Institute, her poster was featured issue of the BioTalk Magazine in July 2021.
- Ms. Sucheta Mane from College of Nursing got 1st Prize in e-poster Competition in Breast Feeding Week organized by Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, on 3rd August 2021.
- Mrs. Leena Nadar and Mrs. Manisha Padekar from College of Nursing got 1st Prize in Quiz Competition at Breast Feeding Week organized by Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College on 4th August 2021.
- Dr. Shwetali Sandbhor from Ayurved College was awarded 1st Prize for E-Poster in WABA World Breastfeeding Week from 1st to 7th August 2021.
- Dr. Prachi Sali from Ayurved College received Certificate for Paper Presentation at Third National Conference on Update in Ayurveda MHD, Nashik. on 15th August 2021.

- Dr. Dhruv Chavan from Medical College won 1st Place in Quiz on Hand Surgery at B. J. Medical College, Pune on 23rd August 2021.
- Ms. Chetna Arora, Mr. Jay Patil, Ms. Kavita Kashwan and Ms. Sakshi Gite from College of Physiotherapy were declared as Winners in the Inter-Collegiate National Level Physio Quiz Competition organized virtually by Sancheti College of Physiotherapy, Pune on 7th September 2021.
- Ms. Neha Binod Singh from Institute of Optometry & Visual won the 1st Prize in Poster Competition Category
 of Eye Donation Day on 8th September 2021.
- Dr. Shreya Deoghare from Medical College was awarded Scholarship by Skin of Color Society (waiver of \$100 fees complimentary registration) to attend SOCS Update virtual Conference from 10th to 12th September 2021.
- Dr. Alisha and Dr. Pincy Panthoi KH from Medical College won 3rd prize in Debate Competition organized by Medha FOGSI PG Training Programme on 15th September 2021.
- Dr. Chetan Gulati from Medical College won **Best Presenter Award** at POGS on 21st September 2021.
- Dr. Urmi Ghone & Dr. Namrata Sengupta from Dental College won first prize in 'Innovative Ideas Contest (Dental Device)' organized by The Startup & Innovative Cell from 25th to 30th September 2021.
- Dr. Vivek Manade from Medical College won Gold Medal in DM (Cardiology) Examination in September 2021.
- Dr. Janamapala V S Kishore from Medical was awarded "International Virtual Online Fellowship in management of Osteoarticular Infections (MOI)" by Indian Orthopaedic Research Group in Association with Ortho TV from 15th August to 15th October 2021.
- Dr. Kabir Suman Dash from Dental College won 2nd Prize in Paper Presentation at 3rd National Conference of Indian Society of Dental Traumatology organized by Goa Dental College from 13th to 17th October 2021.
- Ms. Aabha Agarwal, Ms. Afrien, Ms. Tanvi, Ms. Ananya, Ms. Swarna from Medical College won 1st prize for the event "Lets Inject Some Color in Your Lives: Paint Anatomy" in the World Anatomy Day on 15th October 2021.
- Ms. Priya Raturi, Ms. Prishita Sangwan, Ms. Priyanka Singh, Ms. Nandini Patel from Medical College won 1st prize for the event "ANATOMY IN CLINICS: ACT ANATOMY" in the World Anatomy Day on 15th October 2021.
- Ms. Renuka Deore, Ms. Mrunmayee, Ms. Dhakane, Ms. Eshita Durve, Ms. Diya Patel from Medical College won 1st prize for the event "TELL A TALE: SING ANATOMY" in the World Anatomy Day on 15th October 2021.

- Ms. Shubhavi Sharma, Ms. Swanjali Singh, Ms. Zende Akshata, Mr. Arvind, Ms. Swati Singh, Evia from Medical College won 1st prize for the event "CREATE ANATOMY: MODEL MAKING" in the World Anatomy Day on 15th October 2021
- Ms. Savya Vaid, Ms. Shiveka Anand, Ms. Afrin Sayyed, Ms. Sakshi Gautam, Mr. Shrish Goyal, Ms. Nisma Shabir from Medical College won 1st prize for the event "SOLVE RIDDLES & BECOME ZUMANJI: TREASURE HUNT!!!" in the World Anatomy Day on 15th October 2021.
- Dr. Mariam Poulose from Dental College received Consolation Prize for Poster Presentation at the "45th Indian Society of Periodontology National Conference (Virtual), 2021" from 21st to 23rd October 2021.
- Dr. Kiran Balani from Medical College won **Best E-poster Award** by the Maharashtra Association of Physicians, MAPCON 2021 on 22nd October 2021.
- Following students from College of Physiotherapy were declared as winners in the World Bioethics Day, 2021
 Competitions organized by DPU Unit International Chair in Bioethics on 23rd October 2021:
 - Ms. Priyal Baghel received 1st Prize in the Photography Competition
 - Ms. Purva Narkhede won 1st Position in Slam Poetry and 2nd Prize in Photography
 - Ms. Smriti Jha received 2nd Position in Elocution Competition
 - Ms. Nikki Mathew won 3rd Position in Scientific Poster Presentation Competition
 - Ms. Akansha Asrani and Charchika Mohanty won 1st Position in Artistic Poster Competition
- Dr. Khalki, Dr. Sonalika, Dr. Tavleen, Dr. Thomas, Dr. Dheeraj and Dr. Arpit from Medical College were felicitated for COLs Activity during the World Anaesthesia Day on 24th October 2021.
- Ms. Atri Ghosh from Ayurved College received 1st Prize and Ms. Kiran received 2nd Prize in Yog Pravesh on 27th October 2021.
- Dr. Atharv Kadam from Ayurved College received 1st Prize & Dr. Madhav Gaikwad received 3rd Prize in Scientific Photography Competition on the occasion of "World Thrift Day" on 31st October 2021.
- Dr. Jyoti Mohite from Ayurved College received 3rd Prize in Poster Presentation Competition on the occasion of "World Thrift Day" on 31st October 2021.
- Dr. Vidula Patil from Ayurved College was awarded 2nd Prize and Dr. Sampada Bende won 3rd Price in the E-Poster Competition on the occasion of "World Thrift Day" on 31st October 2021.
- Adwitiy Choudhary, Harshit Shrivastava, Aniket Khude, Idris C., Pururaj Soni, Tushar Singh, Sunny Bagul from GBSRC Institute have completed 15 days live project in Kantar Organization at Pune in the month of October 2021.

- Dr. Shriya Temgire from Dental College received 3rd Prize in the Poster Competition at 13th National Sciences Update held at AFMC on 9th November 2021.
- Dr. Poonam Joshi from Dental College was awarded 1st Prize of Paper Presentation at PG Convention held in KLE Dental College Belgaum on 17th November 2021.
- Dr. Harshwardhan Sawane from Dental College won Best Scientific Poster Competition Presentation Award at 25th National Conference Virtual Indian Association Public Health Dentistry Redefining Dental Public Health Competencies in India from 19th to 21st November 2021.
- Dr. Sahjid Mukhida from Medical College won 2nd prize in 'National PG Seminar Competition' organized by Vinayak Missions Kirupanada Variyar Medical College & Hospital, Salem from 22nd to 23rd November 2021.
- Ms. Pranita Sonawane & Shreya Shahane from GBSRC Institute achieved 1st rank in a Poster Making Competition on 22nd November 2021.
- Ms. Jigisha Salunkhe from GBSRC Institute won a Speech Competition in 'Vocal for Local' speech competition on 23rd November 2021.
- Dr Pranjali Gunjal from Dental College won 1st Prize in Best Scientific Paper Presentation at National conference by Indian Society of Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry from 25th to 27th November 2021.
- Mr. Tejas Vannalwar from Biotechnology Institute received Best Poster and Presentation Award at the "International Conference on Biotechnology for resource efficiency, energy, environment, chemicals and health" organized by CSIR-Indian Institute of Petroleum and BRSI, held at Dehradun from 1st to 4th December 2021 for their innovation.
- Mr. Tejas Vannalwar & Dr. Neelu Nawani from Biotechnology Institute received 1st prize in the "India International Science Festival 2021" held at Goa from 11th to 13th December 2021 for their innovation.
- Dr. Kavya Koneru, Dr. Bharath Gowda and Dr. Prashant Gopal from Medical College won 2nd Runner-up in API Quest VII, API, Pune on 19th December 2021.
- Ms. Gargi Panicker from Biotechnology Institute won the "Young Scientist Award" at the "12th International Conference on Agriculture, Horticulture and Food Sciences organized by Society of Tropical Agriculture" at Shimla on 29th & 30th December 2021.
- Dr. Astha, Dr. Anand, Dr. Kabir and Dr. Sanika from Medical College cleared NRP Examination in December 2021.
- Dr. Shriya Temgire from Dental College received Dr. A. K. Bhoweer JIAOMR Annual Best Article Award at JIAOMR National Conference in December 2021.
- Ms. Pankhuri Sinha from Biotechnology Institute was selected for the prestigious EuReCa International
 Fellowship (2021) for PhD at Curie Institute, Paris" (being a part of a group of 11 students selected
 worldwide).

- Dr. Mayur Patil from Medical won the 2nd Prize in Paper Presentation and Poster Presentation at ACOIN-2021.
- Ms. Ketki Barve and Shravani Kedar from Biotechnology Institute received International Recognition as their artwork was featured in the UN Magazine 2021.
- Dr. Amey Sable and Dr. Saurabh Kapoor from Medical College were awarded Fellowship in Critical Care Medicine from Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune.
- Dr. Sanket Aras and Dr. Neil Lewis from Dental College were awarded **Best Scientific Paper Presentation** at IFEA World Congress 2021.
- Following students from College of Physiotherapy were declared as the Winners in the VEDANT 2021 Fest
 Organized by B J Government Medical College and Sassoon General Hospitals, Pune Under Cultural
 Activities:
 - Ms. Tanvi Acharya won 1st Prize in the Kalpak Rangoli Competition
 - Ms. Akshada Aher won 2nd Position in Pixcellence: Photography Competition
 - Ms. Mallika Kulkarni & Ms. Kimberley Karanjia won 2nd Prize in "Triviaosah" Harry Potter Quiz Competition
 - Ms. Sawani Sawaikar won 1st Position in Table tennis (Women's Singles) competition
- Dr. Debaleena Acharya from Ayurved College was awarded 1st Prize in Paper Presentation PG Category and Dr. Aishwarya Masal & Dr. Debaleena Acharya secured 2nd Rank in Poster Presentation at NIRJARA-2021.
- Dr. Urmi Ghone from Dental College won **Best Paper Presentation Award** in '1st Online International Clinicopathological Slide Seminar 2022' conducted on 16th and 17th February 2022.
- Dr. Urmi Ghone from Dental College was Runner up in 'Innovative Ideas in Waste Management' organized by The Startup & Innovative Cell on 17th February 2022
- Dr. Trupti Gaikwad from Dental College received 1st Prize in the E-poster Competition at Innovative Ideas in Dental Waste Management held on 17th February 2022.
- Dr. Shwetali Sandbhor from Ayurved College received 2nd Prize in Nanal Trophy 2022 and 3rd Prize in Poster
 Competition held at Nanal Competition organized by Tilak Ayurved Mahavidyalaya, Pune in February 2022
- Mr. Angad Baruah, Ms. Drushti Naik, Ms. Pratiksha Pawar and Ms. Jaladi from Biotechnology Institute won Prizes in Several Competitive Events at UNMESH 2022 during 2nd to 3rd March 2022.
- Ms. Sakshi Singh from GBSRC Institute won a 1st Prize in 'Painting with a Scientific Message' competition in UNMESH 2022 during 2nd to 3rd March 2022.

- Following students from College of Physiotherapy won prizes in UNMESH 2022 Science festival, organized by Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth during 2nd to 3rd March, 2022.
 - Binaifer Chettiar won 1st Prize in Scientific Photography
 - Janhvi Vishwakarma & Bhagyashri Zope won 2nd Prize in Painting with Scientific Message
 - Fiza Giachandani won 2nd Prize in Scientific Emoji with Health Message
 - Rutuja Wable won 1st Prize in Comic Strip on health and diseases
- Ms. Prachi Bansal from College of Physiotherapy was declared as the "Winner" of "Ms. Physio" Competition, organized by the IAPWC, Pimpri-Chinchwad Branch on 10th March 2022.
- Dr. Noopur Mane from Dental College was awarded 1st Prize of Paper Presentation at Isthmus Conference held on 12th March 2022.
- Dr. Renuka Jadhao from Dental College was awarded 3rd Prize of Paper Presentation at Isthmus Conference held on 12th March 2022.
- Ms. Sharvari Samant from College of Physiotherapy won 3rd Prize in Junior Category Paper Presentation in Scientifica 2022 organized by Sancheti College of Physiotherapy, Pune held on 12th & 13th March 2022.
- Dr Jugal Singh from Ayurved College received the "Covid Warrior Award" from Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation on 17th March 2022.
- Mr. Manav Shah from GBSRC Institute won an 'Adzap Competition' conducted by GBSRC on 25th March 2021.
- Dr. Purva Doshi and Dr. Shreya Shirsath from Dental College were awarded 1st Prize in Scientific Poster at 22nd National PG Convention held at GSL Dental College and Hospital, Andhra Pradesh from 25th to 27th March 2022.
- Dr. Komal Gupta and Dr. Divyanshi Agarwal from Dental College were awarded 2nd Prize in Scientific Poster at 22nd National PG Convention held at GSL Dental College and Hospital, Andhra Pradesh from 25th to 27th March 2022.
- Dr. Apeksha Gambhir and Dr. Ridhi Dube from Dental College were awarded 3rd Prize in Scientific Poster at 22nd National PG Convention held at GSL Dental College and Hospital, Andhra Pradesh from 25th to 27th March 2022.
- Dr. Riya Parwani from Dental College was awarded **2nd Prize** at Endovista held at Terna Dental College, Navi Mumbai on 27th February 2022.
- Dr. Trupti Gaikwad and Dr. Sayali Lokhande from Dental College received 2nd Prize in the Poster Competition for the event of Brain Storming Research Question at the Science Festival Unmesh 2022 on 2nd & 3rd March, 2022.

- Mr. Anand Mankar from GBSRC Institute won a 2nd Prize in 'Vista 2K22' organized by Sai Balaji Society Pune on 26th March 2022.
- Dr. Urmi Ghone from Dental College won 2nd Best Paper Award in '4th International Conference of forensic Odontology and Child Abuse' held from 28th to 31st March 2022.
- Ms. Sayani Adak from GBSRC Institute achieved 1st Rank in a T-Shirt Painting Competition on 29th March 2022.
- Dr. Tejalben Ahir and Dr. Pooja Zore from Homoeopathic Medical College won 2nd Prize in State level e-poster competition on 31st March 2022.
- Dr. Eena Kotwani and Dr. Rajal Kubawat from Homoeopathic Medical College won 3rd Prize in State level e-poster competition on 31st March 2022.
- Dr Shradda Budia from Dental College won 1st Prize in Best Scientific Paper Presentation at National conference by Indian Society of Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry from 7th to 9th April 2022.
- Dr. Shrutika Sonawane and Dr. Lavanya Pasalkar from Dental College received 2nd Prize in the Paper Competition at 2nd International World Dental Sciences and Oral Health Conference.
- Dr. Shriya Temgire from Dental College received 2nd Prize in the Poster Competition at 2nd International World Dental Sciences and Oral Health Conference.
- Dr. Tanisha Agarwal, Dr. Shreya Kabadi, Dr. Krishna Lahoti from Dental College won 2nd Prize in Poster Presentation at 24th IPS PG Convention Dharwad 2022.
- Dr. Krishna Lahoti, Dr. Salloni Maniyar from Dental College won 2nd Prize in Poster Presentation at Prosthovista 2022, Terna Dental College, Navi Mumbai.
- Ms. Priyanka Behara from Biotechnology Institute was awarded a Max Arthur Macauliffe Scholarship by National University of Ireland, Galway to pursue her Master program.
- Ms. Pratiksha Pawar from Biotechnology Institute was selected as the Summer Research Fellow at Centre of Excellence for Eating Disorders at department of Psychiatry University of North Carolina School of medicine at Chapel Hill.
- Ms. Dhanvi Patel from Biotechnology Institute was selected for Mitacs GLobalink Research Internship, University of Regina and Mitacs Globalink.
- Mr. Angad Baruah, Ms. Drushti Naik, Ms. Anukrati Gupta and Ms. Muskaan Sharma from Biotechnology
 Institute were selected for MITACS Fellowship at Canada for duration of 12 weeks for research internship.
- GBSRC students won the **Overall Trophy of PARAKRAM- 2022**, the inter-collegiate sports and Cultural Festival.
- Mr. Janak Parve from GBSRC Institute was selected in State Level Powerlifting Championship at Navi Mumbai.

Social Outreach:

The hospital is declared as "Baby Friendly Hospital" by Breastfeeding Promotion Network of India. Diet and medicines are provided free of cost for IPD patients. The facilities for angiography, angioplasty and cardiovascular surgery, 4th Generation Da Vinci xi Robotic surgery, two CT Scan machines, two MRI scanners (including 3Tesla), Digital X-ray Machines, digital Mammography, Colour Doppler, USG, 24X7 Clinical Laboratory with latest analyzers, Pharmacy, Blood Bank and Human Milk Bank are in place. Eighteen modular OT's of global standard, twenty-five dialysis units and two Cath-Labs are available. Medical tourism has been started and super-speciality services are available with latest global standards. The Hospital has performed 124 Renal Transplants, 34 Liver Transplants and 39 Corneal Transplants.

Since June 2021, Dental College has catered to 3,184 patients through the Mobile Dental Services, 2,736 through the Alandi Satellite Center and 91 male inmates of the Yerawada Jail, 497 patients at Kamsheth Satellite Center, 548 patients at Ayurveda College, 7,552 through Public Health Dentistry Department and 1573 at SPPU Satellite Center. In all, a Total of 16,181 patients have been catered from June 2021 to March 2022.

Nursing students participated in National Pulse Polio Immunization Programme, under which students gave Polio Doses and visited homes in PCMC.

Students of all Constituent Units (i.e. Medical, Dental, Ayurved, Homoeopathic, Nursing, Physiotherapy, Optometry, Biotechnology & GBSRC) of Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune celebrated National Days and conducted various activities like health check-up camps, awareness programmes, exhibitions, role plays, essay competitions, rallies, blood donation drives and organ donation awareness drives in rural areas.

Infrastructure:

DPU has always endeavored to deliver quality education in a globally benchmarked learning environment through modern amphitheatre-styled air-conditioned classrooms, hi-tech labs and libraries. Not only has the physical infrastructure been extensively modernized, but the facilities and equipments have also been improved at a faster pace. All constituent units have spacious college buildings, state-of-the-art infrastructure, well-equipped laboratories, well-planned lecture halls with audio-visual facilities, auditoriums and well-designed administrative offices which are over and above in compliance with the norms set by concerned statutory councils.

We have installed **3 Tesla MRI system: MAGNETOM Vida** with biomatrix technology, which is the first installation of its kind in any Asian country and will provide data quality comprehensive image as a robust, standardized reproducible image data of patients. We have also installed **Robotic Surgery System of Da Vinci Xi**, which is the 4th generation frontier for the minimally invasive surgeries of the modern century. The College has **Advanced State-of-the-Art IVF and Endoscopy Centre.**

The Institute of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics has added four more levels in the vertical extension of the existing building. The addition of space is mainly to cater to the requirement of advanced labs and the new courses started at the institute.

Physiotherapy OPD was installed with Aquaciser- Hydrotherapy Unit, Lymphostim, Matrix Rhythm Therapy ultra-model equipment's for community benefit & research.

Institute of Optometry & Visual Sciences has recently upgraded to the state-of-the-art infrastructure in Optometry Field. The Institute has 5 specialty Clinics, 2 Contact Lens Clinics, Low Vision Clinic, Pediatric Clinic and Binocular vision clinic. Each Clinic is equipped with latest chair units. Both the Contact Lens Clinics are equipped with contact lens trial set and slit-lamp chair unit. All are latest and cut to edge technology.

College of Ayurved, Hospital & Research Centre has been equipped with a C-arm machine for surgical procedures from September 2021. The Central Clinical Laboratory has been equipped with Portable X-ray Machine, Biochemistry auto-analyzer and Urine sample analyzer.

Recently, Homoeopathic Medical College has established a chick embryo model for research which is the first of its kind amongst all Homoeopathic Medical College in India.

Before I close, I would like my faculty and staff to join me in congratulating all our students, who will be graduating today from DPU. To all those graduating today, I hope you were able to get the most of what DPU had to offer, and that you will use your knowledge and experience fruitfully to serve the people of this country and those elsewhere. Set your goals higher and the glory will belong to you. Success has only one amazing formula, stop thinking in terms of limitations and start thinking in terms of possibilities.

I wish you all the very best in your lives, both professional and personal and as you move forward in your life, do reflect upon the many contributions that your family, your teachers, and your communities have made to your lives. Do remain connected with your Alma Mater and visit us whenever you yearn to revive some of your fine moments. I urge you to remain worthy ambassadors and great Alumni of this distinguished Vidyapeeth by upholding the virtues of honor and excellence in service to the society around you and beyond.

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