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Gujarat Has Given the Nation a New Direction in Unity and Leadership: Vice-Chancellor Foot March Held at Avadh University on Gujarat Foundation Day

Ayodhya, April 30, 2026. On the occasion of Gujarat Foundation Day, a *Padayatra* (foot march) was organized in the morning at Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, presided over by Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh. The march commenced at 6:30 AM from the Administrative Building located within the main campus, proceeded to Naka Hanuman Garhi, and concluded upon returning to the university campus. Teachers, officials, students, and NCC cadets participated in the event with great enthusiasm. During the march, participants carried the Tricolor in their hands and, amidst chants of "Bharat Mata Ki Jai" (Victory to Mother India), conveyed the message of national unity and "Ek Bharat-Shreshtha Bharat" (One India, Great India). Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh stated that the state of Gujarat was formed on May 1, 1960, and that Gujarat has played an immensely significant role in the integration of India. He noted that Gujarat gave the nation a

towering leader like Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, unity, he asserted that Gujarat has inspired the



Teachers, officials, students, and NCC cadets participating in a *Padayatra* (foot march) organized at Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University on Gujarat Foundation Day, carrying the Tricolor under the leadership of Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh.

whose efforts made possible the merger of 562 princely states into India. The Vice-Chancellor further remarked that Sardar Patel provided a robust foundation to the Indian administrative system—often referred to as the "Steel Frame"—which serves to uphold the country's unity. Describing the reconstruction of the Somnath Temple as a symbol of cultural

nation through its leadership, unwavering resolve, and commitment to national unity. Present on this occasion were Prof. S.S. Mishra, Prof. Neelam Pathak, Prof. Ashutosh Sinha, Prof. Shailendra Kumar Verma, Prof. Farrukh Jamal, Prof. Vinod Kumar Srivastava, Prof. Surendra, alongside a large gathering of teachers, staff members, students, and NCC cadets.

The Creation of an Empowered India is Possible Only Through Women's Self-Reliance: Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh

Society Will Develop Only Through the Active Participation of Women: Vice-Chancellor Prof. Poonam Tandon

Seminar, Foot March, and Felicitation Ceremony Organized at Avadh University Under 'Mission Shakti-5'

Ayodhya, April 17, 2026. A seminar on the theme of "Women's Self-Reliance" (*Mahila Swavalamban*) was organized under the aegis of 'Mission Shakti-5' at the Swami Vivekananda Auditorium of Avadh University, presided over by Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh. The Chief Guest for the event was Prof. Poonam Tandon, Vice-Chancellor of Deen Dayal Upadhyay University, Gorakhpur. Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh remarked that India is currently emerging on the global stage, a phenomenon in which 'Nari Shakti' (women's power) plays a pivotal role. He stated that respecting women entails honoring their dignity, choices, and decisions. Addressing the female students, he noted that young women are forging ahead in every field—including science, sports, politics, and entrepreneurship—and affirmed that the university administration is committed to helping them realize

their dreams. He also announced the imminent of opposing social evils such as the dowry system



Chief Guests—Vice-Chancellor Prof. Poonam Tandon and Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh—addressing the students at the "Women's Self-Reliance" seminar, organized at Avadh University under the aegis of Mission Shakti-5.

construction of a girls' hostel at the new campus. Chief Guest Prof. Poonam Tandon emphasized that the active participation of women is indispensable for nation-building. She underscored the necessity

and domestic violence. Distinguished Guest Prof. Tapan Kumar Gandhi from IIT Delhi also addressed the gathering. The guests were formally welcomed by Dr. Geetika Srivastava. During the event, the 11-

member team constituted under 'Mission Shakti-5' as well as students who had demonstrated outstanding performance, were felicitated. The proceedings of the program were anchored by Dr. Manisha Yadav.

The Vice-Chancellor and the Chief Guest also participated in a *Padayatra* (foot march), a 'Nari Vandan' (Homage to Women) signature campaign, and a wreath-laying ceremony at the statue of Dr. Lohia. Present on this occasion were Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh, Finance Officer Purnendu Shukla, Prof. S.S. Mishra, Prof. Neelam Pathak, Prof. Ashutosh Sinha, Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh, Prof. Shailendra Kumar Verma, Prof. Vinod Kumar Srivastava, Prof. Anuj Patel, Prof. Anoop Kumar, Prof. Farrukh Jamal, Prof. S.K. Raizada, Prof. Gangaram Mishra, Dr. Vinod Kumar Chaudhary, alongside other faculty members and students.

Dr. Ambedkar's Ideas Remain Relevant for Nation-Building Today: Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh Special Lecture Organized at Avadh University on Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti

Ayodhya, April 14, 2026. On the occasion of Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar's birth anniversary, a special lecture titled "Dr. Ambedkar's Policy Discourse and 21st Century India" was organized at the Shri Ram Research Chair (Shri Ram Shodh Peeth) of Dr. Rammanohar Lohia Avadh University, under the chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh. The Chief Guest for the event was Prof. Manmohan Krishna, former Dean of the Faculty at Allahabad University, Prayagraj. Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh stated that Dr. Ambedkar's ideas remain highly relevant today in the context of nation-building and an inclusive economy. He noted that Babasaheb envisioned equal rights for all over resources and imagined an egalitarian India realized through water management, labor reforms, and agricultural reforms. He further remarked that amidst the challenges of the 21st century, "fraternity" serves as a vital medium for binding Indian soci-

ety together. Chief Guest Prof. Manmohan Krishna asserted that 21st-century India will only become truly empowered when Dr. Ambedkar's ideas are translated into practice. He emphasized that justice must be reflected in the individual. The program was anchored by Prof. Neelam Patnank, while the vote of thanks was delivered by Prof. Vinod Kumar Srivastava. A large number of faculty members and students were present on this occasion,



Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh and Chief Guest Prof. Manmohan Krishna addressed the gathering at a special lecture organized at Avadh University on the occasion of Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti. Teachers and students were in attendance.

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Music Cannot Be Learned Through Reels: Dr. Amrita Mishra

Ayodhya, April 14, 2026. A one-day seminar on the topic "Social Media and Music Education" was organized by the Department of Music and Performing Arts at Avadh University. During the event, speakers shared their views regarding the impact of social media and AI on music education.



Speakers expressing their views, along with students in attendance, at a seminar on the topic of "Social Media and Music Education" held at Avadh University.

Education" was organized by the Department of Music and Performing Arts at Avadh University. During the event, speakers shared their views regarding the impact of social media and AI on music education. The distinguished guest, Prof. Ashutosh Sinha, stated that social media provides

students with opportunities to advance. Prof. Priya Kumari emphasized the need for its limited and balanced usage. Dr. Alka Srivastava discussed the implications of social media and AI. The keynote speaker, Dr. Amrita Mishra, remarked, "Music cannot be learned merely through 'Reels'; rather, music is something that is imbibed." Prof. Jyoti Mishra observed that while social media can help one gain recognition, music itself can only be learned from a *Guru* (mentor). The program was moderated by Dr. Rachna Srivastava. Dr. Sarita Dwivedi, Dr. Kavita Pathak, and a number of students were present on this occasion.

Practical Skills Are Essential for Career Building

Ayodhya, April 11, 2026: A seminar on the topic of "Career Counseling" was organized by the Department of Business Management and Entrepreneurship at Avadh University. The keynote speaker was Chetan Jaiswal, Branch Head at India Post Payments Bank. He apprised the students of the emerging opportunities in the fields of banking, fintech, and digital payment systems. He stated that in the current competitive era, practical skills, communication abilities, and technical proficiency are essential alongside academic knowledge. He also emphasized the importance of preparing for competitive examinations, effective time management, and cultivating a positive mindset. During the question-and-answer session, students raised career-related queries, which were addressed with satisfactory solutions. A large number of students and faculty members attended the event.



Mental resilience provides the strength to combat challenges: Dr. Mandarshan

Ayodhya, April 13, 2026. A lecture session on the subject of mental health was organized by the Department of Entrepreneurship and Business Management at Avadh University. The program was conducted under the guidance of Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh. Professor Shailendra Kumar Verma presided over the event. The keynote speaker, counselor Dr. Alok Mandarshan, stated that mental resilience empowers an individual with the capacity to confront challenges. He emphasized that quality sleep and positive thinking are essential for mental well-being. The program was anchored by Dr. Rakesh Kumar. Faculty members and students—including Prof. Shailendra Verma, Dr. Rana Rohit Singh, and Dr. Ashutosh Pandey—were present on this occasion.



Avadh University's PhD Entrance Exam on April 24

Ayodhya, April 10, 2026. Avadh University's CET-2024 PhD entrance examination will now be held on April 24, 2026. The examination will be conducted at two centers within the university campus, with over 1,600 candidates participating. Controller of Examinations Vinay Kumar Singh stated that special arrangements are being made to ensure the integrity and transparency of the examination. Candidates will be able to download their admit cards starting April 14.



Pay Special Attention to NAAC Assessment and NIRF Rankings: Governor Anandiben Patel Governor Holds Review Meeting with Principals of Colleges Affiliated with Avadh University

Ayodhya, April 7, 2026. A review meeting was held at Jan Bhawan, presided over by the State Governor and Chancellor of State Universities, Smt. Anandiben Patel, with the Principals of government-aided and government colleges affiliated with Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University. During the meeting, a detailed review was conducted regarding the academic, administrative, and quality-related activities of the colleges.

During the session, the Principals presented the achievements, challenges, and future plans of their respective colleges. The Governor issued directives to undertake systematic efforts to enhance the quality of higher education and to improve performance in NAAC evaluations and NIRF rankings. She stated that colleges should

foster greater dialogue with local schools and parents, and should widely publicize the unique features and achievements of their institutions to encourage a larger number of students to enroll. Emphasizing the need to improve the quality of the teaching faculty, the Chancellor directed those teachers who have not yet completed their Ph.D. to do so expeditiously. She also issued instructions to ensure the effective utilization of the e-content library and to secure the active participation of the faculty members. Specific directives were issued to prioritize the safety and security of students—particularly female students—and to ensure the prompt resolution of any issues they may face.

The Governor directed that teachers must conduct their classes punctually and that admin-

istrative officials should conduct surprise inspec-

promoting placement-related activities.



Governor and Chancellor Anandiben Patel issuing guidelines to the principals of colleges affiliated with Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University during a review meeting held at Janbhawan.

tions of the colleges. She further emphasized the importance of connecting students with initiatives such as 'Khelo India,' 'Agniveer,' and various employment-oriented schemes, as well as

Those present at the meeting included Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh, Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh, Finance Officer Purnendu Shukla, along with the Principals of the affiliated colleges.

Signature Campaign in Support of the 'Nari Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam' at Avadh University Democracy Will Be Strengthened Through Women's Empowerment: Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra

Ayodhya, April 16, 2026. A meeting regarding the "Nari Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam-2023" (Women's Reservation Act, 2023) was organized at the Kautilya Administrative Building Auditorium of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, under the directives of the Government of Uttar Pradesh and the Jan Bhawan. The meeting was presided over by the Vice-Chancellor, Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh. The objective of the program was to foster a sense of respect towards "Nari Shakti" (women's power) and to highlight the leadership potential of women in the construction of a "New India."

Following the meeting, a massive signature campaign and a human chain were organized within the university campus under the leadership of the Vice-Chancellor. Teachers, officials, and students participated enthusiastically in the Kautilya Administrative Building and IET campus areas, conveying their message of support for the Act.

Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh stated

"Nari Shakti Vandan Adhiniyam-2023" is not

emphasized that it is the collective responsibility of everyone to disseminate the far-reaching implications of this Act to every section of the populace. Through the message "If the daughter is good, the family is good," he also underscored the significance of daughters.



Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh affirmed that the university fraternity extends its full support to this initiative, noting that this campaign symbolizes the university's unwavering commitment to the dignity and participation of women.

Present on this occasion were Prof. S.S. Mishra, Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh, Prof. Shalendra Kumar Verma, Prof. Farukh Jama, Dean of Student Welfare Prof. Neelam Pathak, Prof. Anoop Kumar, Prof. S.K. Raizada, Prof. K.K. Verma, Prof. Vinod Kumar Srivastava, Prof. Siddharth Shukla, Prof. Shalendra Kumar, Dr. Awadh Narayan, Dr. P.K. Dwivedi, Dr. Diwakar Tripathi, Dr. Vinod Kumar Chaudhary, and others. A large number of teachers, including Anil Kumar, were present.

that higher educational institutions, such as universities, serve as centers for ideological transformation within society. He remarked that the

merely a legislative reform, but a historic step aimed at ensuring the empowerment of women and their political participation. He

Avadh University's Even Semester Examinations to Begin on May 5

Ayodhya, April 21, 2026. Avadh University has released the schedule for the undergraduate and postgraduate semester examinations for the 2025-26

academic session. The examinations will be conducted in three shifts from May 5 to June 5, 2026. Controller of Examinations Vinay Kumar Singh stated

that the examination schedule is available on the university's website, and necessary guidelines have been issued to ensure cheat-free examinations.

Principals have been requested to inform the students of their respective institutions about the examination schedule.

Indian Knowledge Tradition Remains Relevant for Environmental Conservation: Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra 12-Day Faculty Development Program Inaugurated at Avadh University

Ayodhya, April 26, 2026. The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University launched a 12-day Faculty Development Program (FDP) on the theme, "Sustainable Environmental Management: Integration of Indian Knowledge Systems, Policy Frameworks, and Technological Innovations." The program was presided over by the Vice-Chancellor, Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh. The keynote speaker was the renowned environmentalist, Sanjay Swami.

Citing Rajasthan's water conservation model, Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh stated that the ethos of nature conservation and ecological balance is inherently embedded within the Indian knowledge tradition. He emphasized that



Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh, along with attending experts, inaugurating the 12-day FDP program organized at Avadh University.

warning there is a pressing need to adopt technologies that minimize carbon footprints and promote this FDP represents a confluence of ancient wisdom and modern research.

Keynote speaker Sanjay Swami underscored the necessity of water conservation and water auditing, noting that significant water savings can be achieved through small changes in daily habits. During the technical session, Dr. Nimish Kapoor—a scientist with the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India—linked environmental conservation to individual behavior and issued a call to "return to nature."

The introductory address was delivered by Dr. Kirti Vikram Singh, while IQAC Director Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh extended a welcome to the guests. The proceedings of the program were anchored by Dr. Manisha Yadav and Dr. Rakesh Singh. Educators and researchers from across the country participated in the program online.

Sound Investment is the Foundation of Future Financial Security: Ashish Singh Special Lecture on Capital Markets Organized at Avadh University

Ayodhya, April 26, 2026. A special lecture on the topic "Investment Opportunities in the Capital Market"

was organized by the Department of Business Management and Entrepreneurship at Avadh University. Students and faculty members participated enthusiastically in the program. The keynote speaker was Ashish Singh, Branch Head of Indusland Securities Limited, Lucknow. While providing insights into various investment options—such as shares, mutual funds,

accessible. At the commencement of the program, the Head of the Department, Prof. Shailendra Kumar Verma, welcomed the keynote speaker, Ashish Singh, along with his accompanying team members—Pratibha Sachan, Neeraj Kumar, Sharad Ranjan, Himanshu Mohan, and Nikita—by presenting them with bouquets and traditional stoles.

Finally, Dr. Rakesh Kumar proposed the vote of thanks, expressing his gratitude to all the guests, faculty members, and students. Faculty members of the department and a large number of students were present on this occasion.



SIPs, IPOs, bonds, and ETFs—he stated that with the right strategy, risk management, and financial discipline, even a common individual can successfully invest in the stock market. He highlighted how digital platforms and online trading apps have made investing both easy and

Students Learned Advanced Photoshop Techniques at the DTP Workshop.

Ayodhya, April 23, 2026. The fourth day of the Desktop Publishing (DTP) workshop, organized by the Department of Business Management and Entrepreneurship at Avadh University, proved to be highly enlightening. BCA students participated enthusiastically in the training session. Expert trainer Yash Sahu provided hands-on training on advanced Photoshop features, image editing, layer management, color correction,

and design tools. Techniques for creating poster and banner designs were also demonstrated through live demos. Throughout the program, the students actively participated and showcased their creative potential. Faculty members of the department were also present.



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Mridula Named Miss Farewell, Shivansh Named Mr. Farewell

Ayodhya, April 17, 2026. A farewell ceremony was held for the final-year students of the Department of History, Culture, and Archaeology at Avadh University. The program was inaugurated by Dr. Sanjay Chaudhary. Sharing their experiences, the senior students expressed their gratitude to their teachers and juniors. During the ceremony, first-year students also extended their thanks to their seniors for their support and guidance. At the

event, Mridula was named "Miss Farewell" and Shivansh was named



"Mr. Farewell." A large number of students were present on this occasion.

Placement Drive at Avadh University IET; 56 Students Participate in Selection Process

Ayodhya, April 22, 2026. A placement drive was organized by "Mass Engineers" at the Institute of Engineering and Technology (IET), Avadh University. Held under the guidance of Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh, the drive saw the participation of students from the Electrical, Mechanical, and Electronics & Communication Engineering disciplines. Director Prof. S.S. Mishra informed that 56 students

appeared for the company's written examination and interview process. The final selection results will be announced shortly. On this

occasion, Dr. Vandita Pandey, Dr. Chandan Arora, Dr. Mayank Agarwal, and other faculty members were present.



Indian Knowledge Tradition: A Strong Foundation for Sustainable Development – Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh Two-Day National Seminar Inaugurated at TRC Law College

Barabanki, March 13, 2026. A two-day national seminar titled "Traditional Knowledge and the Role of the Indian Knowledge System in Achieving Sustainable Development Goals" commenced at TRC Law College, located in Satrikh. The program was inaugurated by Dr. Bijendra Singh, Vice-Chancellor of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University; Dr. B.P. Singh; Dr. Jaishankar Prasad Pandey; Dr. Manjul Trivedi; Dr. Sujit Chaturvedi, Chairman of the Governing Body; and Principal Dr. Ashwani Kumar Gupta, who lit the ceremonial lamp before Goddess Saraswati. The Chief Guest, Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh, stated that education and society are complementary to one another and that collec-

tive efforts are essential for the realization of Dr. Manjul Trivedi, shared her insights regarding



Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh and other guests inaugurating the national seminar organized at TRC Law College, Satrikh.

Prasad Pandey highlighted the contributions of the Gurukul tradition as well as the universities of Takshashila and Nalanda. Prof. B.P. Singh observed that education fosters the development of morality and integrity within an individual. Prior to the addresses, Principal Dr. Ashwani Kumar Gupta presented the introductory remarks, shedding light on the significance of the Indian knowledge tradition.

Participants presented research papers during the various sessions held throughout the program. A large number of teachers and students were present on this occasion, including Dr. Avinash Mishra, Dr. Deepmala Srivastava, and Dr. Veer Vikram Singh.

Sustainable Development Goals. He remarked the relevance of the Indian knowledge tradition in the context of the National Education Policy-2020. Drawing a comparison between Indian and Western knowledge systems, Dr. Jaishankar

Avadh University's PhD entrance exam on April 24; 1,650 candidates to appear

Ayodhya, April 21, 2026. A meeting regarding Avadh University's CET-2024 Ph.D. entrance examination



was held in the Registrar's Office auditorium. The Entrance Examination Coordinator, Prof. Farrukh Jamal, announced that the examination will be conducted on April 24 at two centers within the university, involving 1,650 candidates across 37 subjects. Examinations for 735 candidates across 14

subjects will be held at the university's Pracheta Bhawan, while 915 candidates across 22 subjects will take their exams at Tusi Bhawan. The Controller of Examinations, Vinay Kumar Singh, stated that special surveillance arrangements and flying squads have been constituted to ensure the integrity and transparency of the examination.

Candidates will be able to download their admit cards from the university's website. Present at the meeting were Prof. Anoop Kumar, Dr. Vinod Kumar Chaudhary, Dr. Anil Kumar Yadav, Dr. Vijayendu Chaturvedi, Dr. Mohan Tiwari, Dr. Pratibha Mishra, and Dr. Pratibha Devi.

Awareness Rally at Avadh University under the "A War Against Drugs" Campaign

Ayodhya, April 09, 2026. A public awareness rally was organized by the Department of Adult and Continuing Extension Education at Avadh University, under the aegis of the Uttar Pradesh Government's campaign, "Ek Yuddh Nashe Ke Viruddh" (A War Against Drugs). Held under the guidance of Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh, the objective of this rally was to sensitize the youth regarding the adverse effects of drug abuse. Presiding over the event, Nodal Officer Prof. Anoop Kumar stated that it is imperative to propel this campaign forward as a mass movement in order to build a drug-free society. The rally commenced at the department, proceeded via the Administrative Building and concluded back at the department. Students from the Departments of Mass Communication and Journalism, M.Ed., Adult and Continuing Extension Education, Applied Psychology, Sindhi, Sociology, and Fashion Designing and Technology participated in the event.

Through slogans such as "Give up drugs, strengthen relationships," "Choose life, not drugs," and "When the nation's youth awakens, drugs will flee," the students effectively



conveyed a message of awareness. Dr. Shashi Singh remarked that drug abuse causes harm to both an individual's health and their dignity. Dr. Neelam Singh emphasized that addiction is a disease that can be overcome through willpower and proper guidance.

A large number of students were present at the rally, alongside faculty members including Dr. Mahendra Singh, Dr. Vijayendu Chaturvedi, Kshiti Dwivedi, Dr. Shivansh Kumar, Vinita Motwani Patel, Dr. Pratibha Tripathi, Shalini Pandey, Dr. Pratibha Singh, Dr. Savita Pathak, Dr. Prateek Ranjan Tripathi, Vinay Kumar Sharma, Ratnesh Kumar Yadav, Kapil Kumar, and Aman Vikram Singh.

Students Received Technical Training at the DTP Workshop.

Ayodhya, April 22, 2026. A professional workshop on the subject of "Desktop Publishing (DTP)" was organized under the joint auspices of the Department of Business Management and Entrepreneurship at Avadh University and the Dr. Lohia Incubation Foundation. The Chief Guest, Dr. Geetika Srivastava, stated that in the digital era, DTP skills offer new employment opportunities. The expert speaker, Dr. Narendra Kumar, shed light on career prospects



in design software and digital media. Faculty members and students of the department, including Prof. Shailendra Kumar Verma and Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh, were present at the event.

95 Percent of Avadh University Students Receive Scholarships Scholarships and Fee Reimbursements Exceeding ₹15 Crore Credited to Students' Accounts

Ayodhya, April 10, 2026. Relief has arrived for students studying at the accounts of 4,787 students. Describing this as a historic achieve-



Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh and Dean of Student Welfare Prof. Neelam Pathak providing information regarding the Scholarship and Fee Reimbursement Scheme at Avadh University.

residential campus of Dr. Ram-manohar Lohia Avadh University. A staggering 95 percent of the university's students have benefited from the Uttar Pradesh government's Scholarship and Fee Reimbursement Scheme. Out of a total of 5,043 students, a sum of approximately ₹15.14 crore (₹15,146,700) has been deposited into the bank

noted that these initiatives would greatly assist economically weaker students in pursuing higher education. Dean of Student Welfare, Prof. Neelam Pathak, informed that the applications of all eligible students were verified in a time-bound manner and subsequently forwarded for processing. She further detailed that the beneficiaries include 2,135 students from the General category, 1,934 from the OBC category, 429 from the Scheduled Castes, and 289 from minority communities. Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh, Finance Officer Purnendu Shukla, Prof. S.S. Mishra, along with other faculty members and officials, expressed their delight at this achievement.

Avadh University's PhD Entrance Exam Concludes Peacefully Under Strict Surveillance

Ayodhya, April 24, 2026. The Ph.D. entrance examination of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University was successfully conducted at both of the university's centers, under the supervision of invigilators and a mobile squad. A total of 811 candidates appeared for the examination across 37 subjects, and an overall attendance of 85 percent was recorded. Among the remaining candidates, some chose not to appear for the exam, while those holding NET and JRF qualifications were granted exemptions in accordance with the rules. During the examination, Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh conducted surprise inspections of the Tusi Bhawan and Pracheta-Diksha Bhawan, taking stock

of the seating arrangements and overall logistics. Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh remained in constant communication with the Center Superintendents to ensure the transparency and integrity of the examination process. Ph.D. Entrance Examination Coordinator Prof. Farukh Jamal stated that the examination was conducted in a peaceful and orderly manner. Present on the occasion were several faculty members—including Prof. Rajiv Gaur, Prof. Anoop Kumar, Prof. Sangram Singh, Dr. Sanjay Chaudhary, Dr. Vinod Chaudhary, Dr. Rajesh Singh, and Divakar Tripathi—along with members of the mobile squad.



The Sindhi Language: The Identity of Our Cultural Roots and Civilization — Prof. Anoop Kumar The Sindhi Language: The Vehicle of Our Cultural Identity and Heritage — Prof. Neelam Pathak

Ayodhya, April 16, 2026. A lecture was organized at the Sant Kanwarram Sahib Sindhi Study Centre, located within



A guest delivering a lecture, along with attending teachers and students, during the Sindhi Language Day program at Avadh University.

not merely as a medium of communication, but acts as a vehicle for conveying a society's history, values, and tolerance constitute the core identity of Sindhi culture. The Guest of Honour, Prof. Siddharth Shukla, observed that following the Partition, the Sindhi community dispersed across the globe; however, the Sindhi language served to keep them firmly connected to their roots. Today, the Sindhi community has carved out a distinct identity for itself, powered by its professional prowess and cultural values. The proceedings of the event were anchored by Kapil Kumar. Distinguished members present on this occasion included Prof. Surendra Mishra, Ratnesh Yadav, Vinay Kumar Sharma, Dr. Sarita Pathak, Shalini Pandey, and Dr. Vinita Patel.

Negligence in Administrative Duties Will Not Be Tolerated: Vice-Chancellor Vice-Chancellor Conducts Surprise Inspection of Various Sections at Avadh University

Ayodhya, April 8, 2026. Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh, Vice-Chancellor of Avadh University, conducted a surprise inspection of various



Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh and other officials inspecting the administrative sections at Avadh University.

sections within the Administrative Building to review their functioning. He directed officials and staff members to ensure that all tasks are completed in a time-bound and transparent manner. The Vice-Chancellor inspected the Accounts Section, Stores, Examination Section, and Enrollment Department, and reviewed the relevant files. He explicitly stated that any unnecessary delay in work would not be tolerated and emphasized that the expeditious disposal of files must be ensured. Furthermore, inspections were also conducted sections. During the inspection, the Vice-Chancellor emphasized the need to enhance administrative efficiency and maintain transparency. He issued a stern warning that if negligence is detected at any level, disciplinary action will be initiated against the concerned employees. Present on this occasion were Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh, Finance Officer Purnendu Shukla, Deputy Registrars A.K. Gautam and Rajesh Pandey, along with other officials.

Prioritize Educational Quality and Research Activities: Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Online Review Meeting Held at Avadh University, Joined by Jan Bhawan

Ayodhya, April 24, 2026. An online review meeting with state universities was held at the Kautilya Administrative Building Auditorium of Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, presided over by the Officer on Special Duty to the Chancellor/Governor. Conducted in coordination with "Jan Bhawan," this meeting involved a detailed review of the Convocation ceremony, the admission process for the new academic session, the Ph.D. admission process, the implementation of the Samarth Portal, NAAC evaluation submissions, NIRF rankings, and the progress of various construction projects. During the meeting, Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh directed university

officials and faculty members to complete all academic and administrative



Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh and other officials present at the online review meeting held in conjunction with the Jan Bhawan at Avadh University.

preparations required by the Raj Bhawan in a time-bound manner. He emphasized that prioritizing high-quality research is

essential to further enhance the academic standards of the university. Fur-

thermore, he stressed the effective implementation of schemes and digital systems aimed at safeguarding the inter-

ests of the students.

The Vice-Chancellor urged all Heads of Departments and officials to coordinate with one another to expedite the completion of their tasks. Present on this occasion were Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh, Finance Officer Purnendu Shukla, Prof. S.S. Mishra, Prof. Mridula Mishra, Prof. Ashutosh Sinha, Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh, Prof. C.K. Mishra, Prof. Neelam Pathak, Prof. Siddharth Shukla, Prof. S.K. Raizada, Prof. Shailendra Kumar, Dr. Vinod Kumar Chaudhary, Prof. Shailendra Verma, Programmer Ravi Malviya, and Engineer Shivendra Tripathi, along with numerous other officials and faculty members.

Academic-Industrial Visit of Computer Science Students to HCL Tech

Ayodhya, April 25, 2026. Students from the Department of Computer Science and Engineer-



ing at the Institute of Engineering and Technology (IET), Avadh University, undertook an industrial visit to HCL Technologies in Lucknow. Organized under the

guidance of Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh, the objective of this educational excursion was

to familiarize the students with the operational dynamics of the IT industry.

At the HCL Tech campus, students received insights into

various domains, including software development, cloud computing, cybersecurity, and artificial intelligence. During interactive sessions, the students engaged with experts to get their queries answered and also received certificates for industrial training. A total of 60 B.Tech Computer Science students participated in this visit. The program was coordinated by Dr. Ashish Kumar Pandey, Dr. Chandan Kumar, Dr. Avdhesh Dixit, and Nidhi Prasad.

Students from Avadh University conducted an educational study tour in Prayagraj.

Ayodhya, April 6, 2026. Under the guidance of Vice-Chancellor Dr. Bijendra Singh, students from the Department of History, Culture, and Archaeology at Avadh University undertook an educational tour of historical sites in Prayagraj. The itinerary included the Allahabad Fort, the Ashoka Pillar, the Prayag Prashasti, the Akshayavat Vatika, the Saraswati Koop, Azad Park, the Allahabad Museum, and Anand Bhawan.

from the Mauryan era through to the Mughal period. At the museum, students were shown a replica of



Chandrashekhar Azad's pistol, an experience that further deepened their sense of patriotism. Dr. Neha Srivastava and research scholars addressed the students' queries. This tour proved to be highly enriching and historically significant for the students.

Avadh University's Outstanding Performance in Nature Index Rankings

Ayodhya, April 02, 2026. Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University has achieved a remarkable feat in the prestigious, internationally recognized Nature Index Rankings-2026. This year, the university secured the 123rd position among 519 higher education institutions across India, while ranking 71st among 252 institutions in the Physical Sciences

category. Among the state universities of Uttar Pradesh, Avadh University has secured the first position, and among all state and central universities combined, it has attained the second position. This achievement is attributed to a research paper authored by Prof.



C.K. Mishra and Dr. P.K. Dwivedi from the Department of Mathematics and Statistics, along with research scholar Sachin Kumar; the paper was published in the *European Physical Journal*. Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh, along with the Registrar, Finance Officer, and faculty members, expressed their delight over this accomplishment.

PCS Selectee Aditya Prakash Felicitated at the Centre

Ayodhya, April 6, 2026. A felicitation and interaction program was organized for Aditya Prakash—a student selected for the PCS—at the Sardar Patel National Integration Centre of Avadh University. He stated that success is achieved through determination, perseverance, and self-confidence. He also highlighted the utility of the subject of International

Relations. On this occasion, Prof.



Surendra Mishra, Dr. Shivansh Kumar, and Dr. Ankit Mishra were present, along with a gathering of students.

Campus Bulletin

Nine players from the Avadh University Karate Team have qualified for the All India Inter-University tournament.

- **Ayodhya, April 3, 2026.** Under the aegis of Mission Shakti-05, an awareness lecture on PCOD and menstrual health was organized at the hostel, during which Dr. Deepshikha Chaudhary emphasized the importance of lifestyle modifications.
- **Ayodhya, April 4, 2026.** As part of Mission Shakti 5.0, a lecture was held at the Ahilyabai Holkar Girls' Hostel, wherein Dr. Swati Singh shed light on the cultural contributions of Ahilyabai Holkar and the preservation of Indian heritage.
- **Ayodhya, April 7, 2026.** Under the banner of the "Ek Yuddh Nashe Ke Viruddh" (A War Against Drugs) campaign, a lecture and a poster competition were organized at Avadh University, conveying a message of awareness regarding the creation of a drug-free society.
- **Ayodhya, April 30, 2026.** On the fifth day of the Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Sustainable Environmental Management at Avadh University, Dr. Ashutosh Kumar Pandey delivered a lecture focusing on policy frameworks and eco-friendly traditional practices.

Ayodhya, April 7, 2026. Nine players from Avadh University's men's karate team delivered a stellar performance at the North East Zone Inter-University Karate Championship, held at Dibrugarh University in Assam, thereby qualifying for the All India Inter-University Karate Championship.

In the individual events, Aditya Rawat (50 kg), Chandan Kumar (55 kg), Vipul Sharma (67 kg), and Nityanand Paswan (84 kg) demonstrated outstanding skills, while Kamlesh excelled in the Kata event. In the Team Kumite category, Chandan Kumar, Ashish Kumar, Vipul Sharma, Vivek, Abhay Singh, and Mohammad Ayan Khan also displayed excellent sportsmanship.

Congratulating all the players, Vice-Chancellor Col. Dr. Bijendra Singh remarked that this achievement stands as a

testament to the university's sporting talent. The team achieved this success under the guidance of Coach Ravi Shankar

Prof. Neelam Pathak, Prof. S.S. Mishra, Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh, Prof. Ashish Pratap Singh, Prof. Shailendra Kumar



The Avadh University Karate Team, expressing their joy alongside team members after qualifying for the All India Inter-University Championship following an outstanding performance at the North East Zone Championship.

and Manager Kirti Dwivedi.

Verma, Prof. Sangram Singh, Rana Rohit

On this occasion, a large number of faculty members, officials, and sports enthusiasts extended their congratulations, including Finance Officer Purnendu Shukla, Registrar Vinay Kumar Singh, Dean of Student Wel-

Singh, Prof. Vinay Kumar Singh, Dr. Poonam Joshi, Dr. Seema Pandey, Dr. Anil Kumar Mishra, Dr. Ved Prakash VEDI, Dr. Triloki Yadav, Dr. Manish Singh, and Dr. Kapil Kumar Rana.

Organization of a Lecture on the Vishakha Guidelines under Mission Shakti 5.0

Ayodhya, April 8, 2026. A lecture on the topic of "Awareness regarding Sexual Har-



assment and Undesirable Behaviors" was organized by the M.Ed. Department at Dr.

Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University, under the aegis of "Mission Shakti – Phase 5." The Chief Guest and distinguished speaker, Dr. Mridula Rai, highlighted the Vishakha Guidelines (Vishakha vs. State of Rajasthan, 1997), the POSH Act of 2013, and relevant sections of the IPC, explaining that these laws serve to provide protection to women in the workplace. She also outlined methods for identifying undesirable behaviors and measures to safeguard against them.

"Mission Shakti 5.0: Awareness on Cybersecurity" at Avadh University

Ayodhya, April 8, 2026. A lecture on the topic "Cyber Crime and Women's Safety" was organized under the aegis of Mission Shakti 5.0 at Tulsī Bhawan, the new campus of Avadh University. The Chief Guest, cyber crime expert Md. Arshad, advised students to remain vigilant while outlining preventive measures against cyber scams, blackmailing, and online fraud. He stated that greed is a primary cause of cyber crime. The

program was presided over by Dr. Vandita Pandey, while Dr. Swati Singh anchored



the proceedings, and Dr. Manisha Yadav delivered the vote of thanks. Numerous faculty members and students were present on this occasion.

Avadh University Resounds with a 'Green Pledge': The Message of 'Our Power, Our Planet' on Earth Day 2026

Ayodhya, April 22, 2026. Earth Day 2026 was celebrated with great enthusiasm at Avadh University under the guidance of Vice-Chancellor Colonel Dr. Bijendra Singh. Organized by the Department of Environmental Science in collaboration with the Indian Geophysical Union, the event was themed "Our Power, Our Planet." Coordinated by Dr.



Vinod Kumar Chaudhary and Dr. Shashi Kant Sah, the program featured a human chain formation, an awareness rally, a tree-plantation drive, and painting and poetry competi-

tions. Present on the occasion were Prof. Siddharth Shukla, Dr. Mahima Chaurasia, Dr. Shazia, Dr. Arvind, Dr. Praveen Chandra Singh, Dr. Sanjeev Srivastava, Dr. Rudra Pratap Singh, Dr. Amit Singh, Dr. Jainendra, Er. Vipin Patel, and Brijesh. Students and research scholars also participated in the event.

Heritage Conservation is Our Cultural Identity: Prof. R.N. Rai

Ayodhya, April 18, 2026. A seminar was organized by the Department of Business Management and Entrepreneurship at Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia



Avadh University on the occasion of World Heritage Day. The keynote speaker, Prof. R.N. Rai, stated that world heritage constitutes an invaluable part of our identity and history, and its preservation is the responsibility of everyone. He raised awareness among the students by shedding light on the

distinguished speaker, Prof. Himanshu Shekhar Singh, discussed the economic and tourism significance of heritage sites. The event was presided over by Prof. Shailendra Kumar Verma. Many faculty members and students were present, including the convener, Dr. Mahendra Pal Singh.