

# Acumen July 23 Edition



## Life beyond class

Take a glance into NSHM's social scene



# The Mentor Speak

Dear distinguished faculty members and students,

It is with great joy and a sense of profound gratitude that I stand before you today as the Principal of NSHM Institute of Hotel & Tourism Management. I extend a warm and cordial welcome to every one of you.

Let me take this moment to extend my sincere appreciation to our extraordinary faculty members, whose dedication to education has been the backbone of our institution's triumph. Their passion for nurturing young minds and shaping them into hospitality connoisseurs is truly commendable.

To our bright and ambitious students, I congratulate you on your decision to embark on this remarkable journey with the NSHM Knowledge Campus. As your mentor, I believe that education is a powerful catalyst, igniting a fire within you to explore, innovate, and carve a niche for yourselves in the ever-evolving realm of Hotel & Tourism Management.

The NSHM Institute of Hotel & Tourism Management isn't just a place of learning; it's a haven of inspiration where we don't merely teach; we ignite curiosity. Here, we strive to craft not just exceptional hoteliers and tourism professionals but compassionate leaders who embrace every guest with open arms, leaving an indelible mark on their hearts.

As the Principal, I envision an ecosystem that nurtures holistic growth - an environment where creativity & innovation bloom freely and you are encouraged to challenge the status quo fearlessly. Beyond the classroom, we'll explore uncharted territories, sparking your intellect and honing your ability to anticipate and exceed the ever-changing expectations of the hospitality industry.

Hospitality isn't just a profession; it's an art that intertwines technical prowess with the warmth of human connection. Here at NSHM, we instil the essence of hospitality in each one of you, empowering you to be ambassadors of care, empathy, and unwavering ethics.



I feel a profound sense of pride to be a part of NSHM Institute of Hotel & Tourism Management, an institution that paves the way for remarkable talents to flourish, leaving an indelible mark on the industry, making it more vibrant.

With unwavering enthusiasm, I stand with you, our incredible students, as you embrace challenges and transform them into stepping stones to success. Together, we shall create an extraordinary legacy that will resonate in the world of hospitality for generations to come.

Thank you for placing your trust in me and our institution. I eagerly look forward to witnessing your journey unfold and celebrating the triumphs that await you.

**Warm regards!**



**Dr. Milind**

**Principal  
NSHM Institute of Hotel &  
Tourism Management**

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# A glimpse into vibrant events and evenings at NSHM

NSHM Business School, Kolkata joins hands with MUST (Malaysia University of Science & Technology) for Student Exchange Programme & International Immersion



B-School students are undergoing live classroom teaching, evaluation & assignments, and industry visits, including local tourism delivered by the International faculty team.



- A broader worldview & a heightened sense of adaptability
- An international learning environment
- A transformative journey that will shape their future endeavours

## NSHM CLC organised a one-day Faculty Development Programme on enhancing language skills for school teachers



NSHM Centre for Language & Communication took a step towards a better understanding of the English language by school teachers by conducting an interesting workshop.



Over 30 schools from Kolkata participated in the event & engaged in interesting discussions & activities conducted by eminent ELT experts like Prof. Arpita Banerjee.



Many relevant areas of teaching like non-directive teaching, analytical, modern reading, & teaching writing using eco-fiction, were discussed with the teachers.

The FDP certificates were awarded to the participants by the Chief Mentor of NSHM, Mr. Cecil Antony.



Esteemed personalities at the programme-

**Dr. J. Mangayarkarasi** (Dean of Academic Affairs & Head, Ethiraj College)

**Dr. Soujanya Pudi** (Prof. & Head, NSHM Centre for Language and Communication)

**Mr. Rajat Choudhuri** (Indian novelist & short story writer)

**Dr. Krishnendu Sarkar** (Director, NSHM Knowledge Campus)

**Prof. Dr. Mahul Brahma** (Dean, NSHM Media School)

## NSHM's Department of Dietetics & Nutrition organised a Meet & Greet session

In the session themed- Let food be thy medicine: The prospect of nutrition as a therapeutic tool in the future, esteemed guest and speaker Dr. Anindita Ray Chakravarti (HOD of the Department of Food & Nutrition, Maharani Kasiswari College) shared her insights on healthy food and its importance in life.



Many faculty members attended the session and had interesting one-on-one conversations with the speaker.

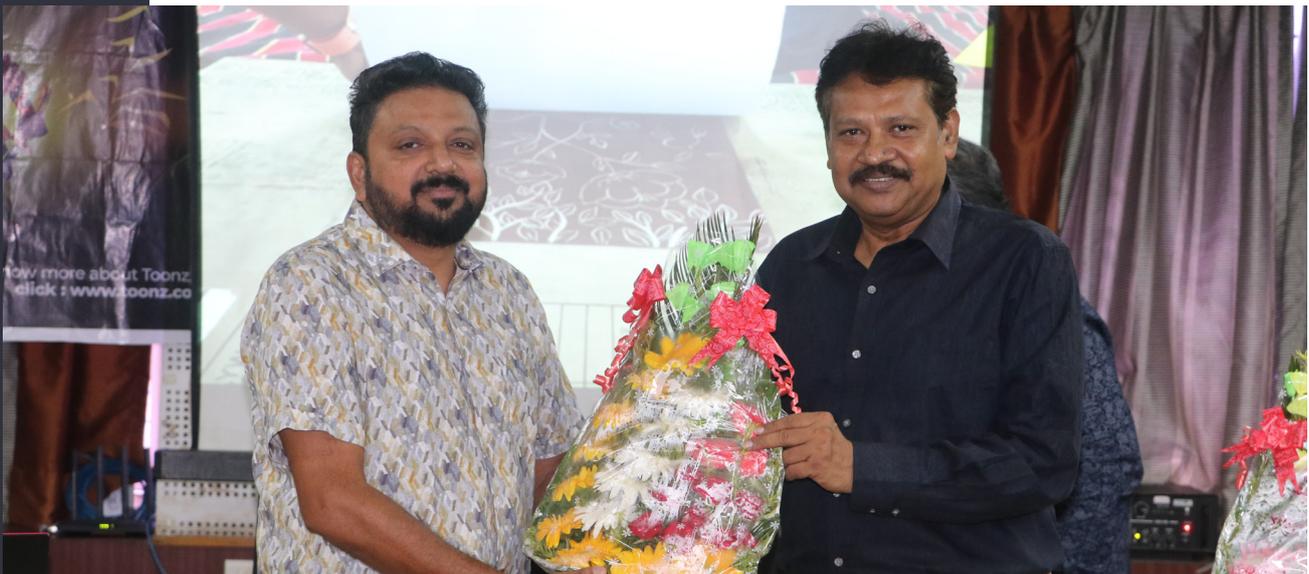


## The highly anticipated career guidance workshop by TOONZ Animation held at NSHM

The pioneering institution in Animation- TOONZ, in collaboration with NSHM Design School, successfully conducted a career guidance workshop for Animation and VFX aspirants. Participants gained valuable insights into the dynamic world of animation.



The event provided aspiring animators with guidance & knowledge from industry experts to embark on a rewarding career path.



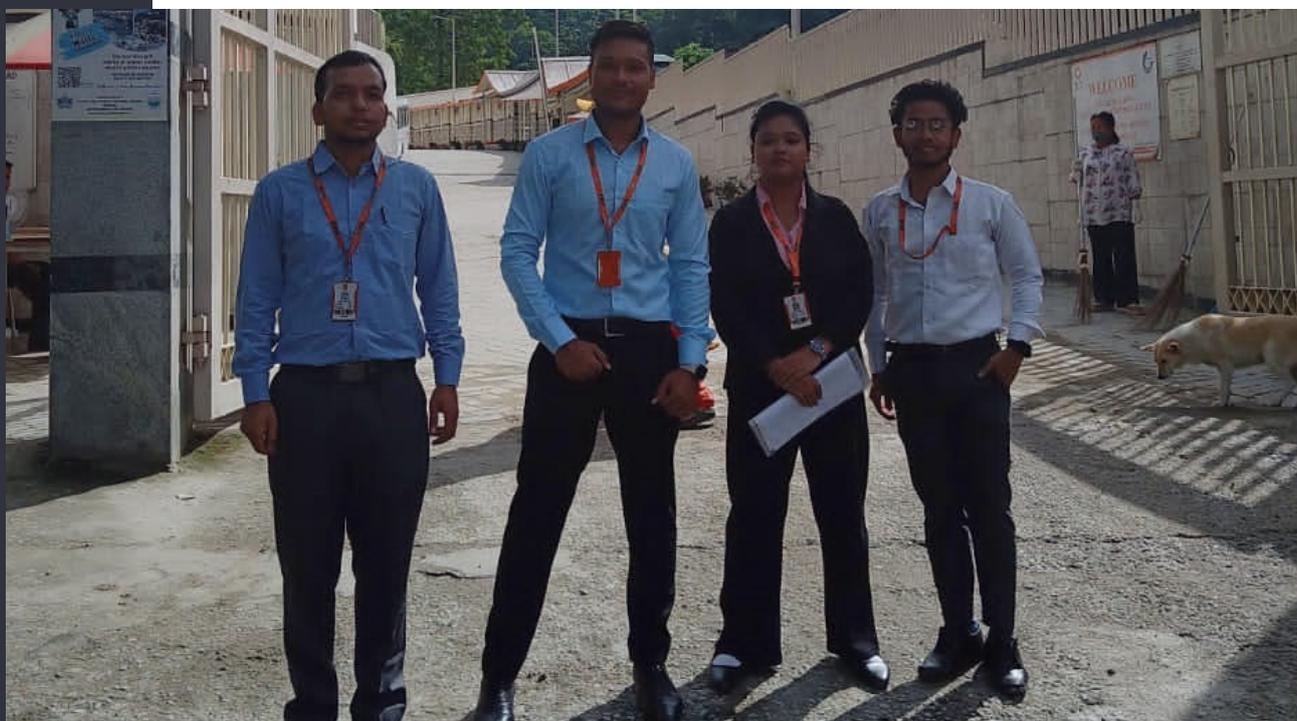
Gratitude to all the participants, speakers, & organizers for making this event a resounding success.

Eminent speakers at the workshop-

**Vinod A.S.** (VP of Academics & Training at TOONZ Animation)

**Sasikumar** (Executive Director of Education Services at TOONZ Animation)

Bachelor of Pharmacy students are currently attending industrial training in various pharma companies in Sikkim



This month has come with exciting and engaging industry training and visits for the students of Bachelor of Pharmacy. They are visiting many well-known organisations like Cipla, Sun Pharma, Glenmark, and Zydus Healthcare to gain industry-relevant knowledge.

# NSHM Alumni Spotlight - Scaling mountains of success

## NSHM Business School



**Ankita  
Sen**

Delivery Hero  
Germany



**Dr. Abhijeet  
Mallick**

AIRSEP  
USA



**Priyanka  
Kumari**

HDFC  
Sri Lanka



**Sanket  
Chakraborty**

Langham Hall  
Luxembourg



**Dr. Surajit  
Bag**

University of  
Johannesburg  
South Africa

## NSHM Institute of Computing & Analytics



**Sucheta Sukla  
Sarkar**

Snowflake  
Germany



**Utsav  
Dutta**

Amazon Web  
Services  
Germany



**Suprabhat  
Ganguly**

Accenture  
Kolkata



**Arindam  
Karmakar**

Accenture  
Bengaluru



**Suman  
De**

SAP  
Bengaluru

## NSHM Institute of Hotel & Tourism Management



**Sudipta  
Mazumder**

The Broadmoor  
Colorado, USA



**Tiyaasha  
Chakraborty**

Palm Jumeirah  
by Hilton  
Dubai



**Lal Krishna**

Hotel Sedra  
Arjaan  
Qatar



**Md. Afroz Alam**

Four Season  
Dubai



**Bikki Kumar**

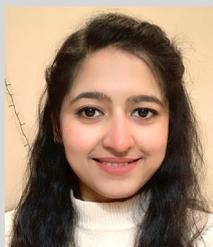
Hotel Chicago  
Downtown  
Chicago, USA



**Aasish Jha**

Hilton  
New Zealand

## NSHM Institute of Health Sciences



**Sucheta Mitra**

Cardiff Metropolitan  
University  
UK



**Brajesh Kumar**

Retina  
Diagnostics  
New Delhi



**Rupam Mukherjee**

Titan  
Eye Plus  
Bangalore



**Konisha Chattaraj**

Trilochan Netralaya  
City Eye Clinic  
Jharsuguda



**Anwasha Paul**

University of  
East London  
UK



**Narita Majumdar**

West Virginia  
University  
USA



**Torsha Ghosh**

School of  
Chemical Engineering,  
Sungkyunkwan University  
South Korea

# NSHM Faculty Spotlight - Transforming education for a better tomorrow



**Dr. Swarupnanda  
Mukherjee**

Was awarded a Life Member by the  
American Nano Society, USA



**Prof. Shilpi  
Chakraborty**

Elected as the first President of the newly  
opened Kolkata Chapter of the Association  
of Designers of India (ADI)



**Dr. Sudipta Roy  
Chowdhury**

Jury & Advisor of Cinema4screen Film Festival,  
Mumbai) wrote a book titled -  
Understanding Cinema, for Media  
Students at the University of Mumbai



**Dr. Srabani  
Guria Das**

Successfully completed the Cloud  
Technology-Foundation Level online course  
Titled- Journey to Cloud: Envisioning  
your Solution by IBM SkillsBuild



**Dr. Manojit  
Mitra**

Published a research paper titled- 'Exploring the  
Relationship between Employee Engagement and  
Organisational Performance of IT Sectors in  
Eastern India'



**Dr. Anuradha  
Mukherjee**

Presented a paper at the 11th JPEF Annual Global  
Diabetes Convention 2023, an Annual Global Diabe-  
tes Meet for doctors. Her paper was selected and  
received the 3rd prize in Diabetes Competition  
"DRAWBETES"

# NSHM Student Spotlight - Reaching new heights

## Sudipa Dalui

A student of B.Sc. - Dietetics & Nutrition secured the first position in the Paper painting competition on the occasion of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav



## Arpita Patra

A student of B.Sc.- Dietetics & Nutrition secured second position in the Paper painting competition on the occasion of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav



## Erum Nisha

A student of Bachelor of Optometry was the 1st Runner up in a Blog Writing Competition at NATCONPH 2022, Kolkata



## Sudeshna Banerjee

A Student of B.Sc- Yoga won a Gold Medal at the "West Bengal State Yogasana Championship" By Yoga Association of West Bengal

## Shaina Maryam

A Student of BBA secured 3rd position in the creative writing workshop hosted by the CLC club. The winners were selected by Indian novelist, Rajat Chaudhuri



## Namrata Saha

Awarded the Inspiring Influencer & Entrepreneur Award by NIFS FITMEET 2019