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EVENT REPORT

NAME OF THE EVENT: Alumni Lecture

DATE	**DEPARTMENT**	**COMMITTEE/SOCIETY**	**COORDINATORS' NAME**
01-09-26	Sociology	Sociology Association, SVC	Dr. Padma Priyadarshini
TIME	**VENUE**	**NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS**	**NATURE: Outdoor/Indoor; online/offline/hybrid**
11:45 AM to 12:45 PM	Seminar Hall	84	Indoor;Offline
FINANCIAL SUPPO			

RT/ASSISTANCE (if any):	Rs 2,500

BRIEF INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACTIVITY

TOPIC/SUBJECT OF THE ACTIVITY	Alumni Lecture on Indigenous Knowledge and Anti-colonial Discourse
OBJECTIVES	1) To understand the significance of indigenous knowledge and traditional practices, and to promote awareness of local histories, cultures, and traditions. 2) To examine the impact of colonialism on education, culture, and knowledge systems. 3) To foster critical thinking on Eurocentric perspectives and encourage alternative viewpoints. 4) To facilitate interaction between alumni and students, linking academic discussions with real-life experiences on decolonising knowledge.
METHODOLOGY	

	1) Introduction – The session began with an overview of Indigenous Knowledge and Anti-Colonial Discourse. 2) Speaker Interaction – The alumnus shared his perspectives on indigenous knowledge, education, culture, and colonial influence. 3) Engagement and Discussion – Students participated through questions and discussions, focusing on diverse knowledge systems and indigenous perspectives. 4) Reflection and Conclusion – The session concluded with reflection and an exchange of ideas, enhancing understanding of the topic.
INVITED SPEAKERS WITH AFFLIATION DETAILS **(IF ANY)**	Mr. Martin Kamodang Assistant professor at Department of Sociology ;Jamia Milia Islamia, Associate fellow at Indian Institute of Dalit Studies
OUTCOMES	1) Enhanced Understanding – Students gained a clearer understanding of Indigenous Knowledge and Anti-Colonial Discourse. 2) Awareness and Recognition – Students recognised the impact of colonial ideologies and the importance of indigenous knowledge and practices. 3) Critical Thinking – Students were encouraged to question dominant knowledge systems and consider diverse perspectives.

	4) Interactive Learning – The session promoted active participation and connected theoretical learning with real-life experiences.

PROOFS & DOCUMENTS ATTACHED (Tick mark the proofs attached):

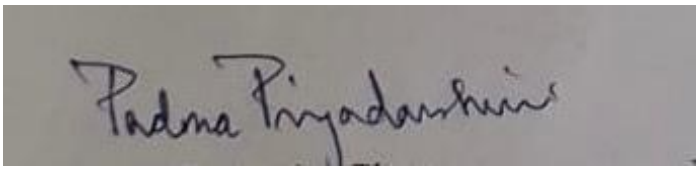
1	Notice & Letters ✔	2	Number of Participants & Name of participants ✔		3	Video clip	4	Photos ✔	5	Feedback Form & analysis ✔
6	News clip with details	7	Sample Copy of the Certificate		8	Posters/ Invites ✔	9	Event report Attested by Event Coordinator & IQAC Coordinator ✔	10	Any other document

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IQAC File No: SVC/IQAC/SOCIOLOGY/2026-27/September 2026

Criterion No: II and V

NAME OF EVENT-IN-CHARGE & SIGNATURE: Dr. Padma Priyadarshini



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For Reference

Criterion I	Curricular Aspects (planning & Implementation)		Criterion V	Student Support & Progression
Criterion II	Teaching Learning & Evaluation		Criterion VI	Governance, Leadership & Management
Criterion III	Research, Innovations & Extension		Criterion VII	Institutional Values & Best Practices
Criterion IV	Learning Resources and Infrastructure			

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REPORT

The Department of Sociology organized an informative alumni lecture session on September 1, 2026, featuring Mr. Martin Kamadong, Assistant Professor in the Department of Sociology at Jamia Millia Islamia and Associate Fellow at the Indian Institute of Dalit Studies, as the distinguished guest speaker. The event was initiated by Anish followed by a formal introduction of the speaker by Dr. Padma Priyadarshini. This was succeeded by a green welcome presented by Professor Nabanipa Bhattacharjee, symbolizing warmth and respect. Rohan, a second-year student, further extended the welcome by presenting a sample of tea bags as a gesture of appreciation.

Mr. Martin Kamadong delivered a comprehensive lecture on the significance of indigenous knowledge systems and their role in shaping alternative approaches to justice beyond dominant western frameworks. He elucidated how a “colonised mind” often compels individuals to evaluate their own culture through the prism of Western science, rather than appreciating it on its own terms. Drawing upon the example of the Tangkhul Naga community, he highlighted that their justice system is deeply embedded in unwritten customary laws and functions alongside the formal state judiciary, as recognized under Article 371C. Through illustrative examples, including land disputes and conflicts over headmanship, he demonstrated how such communities resolve issues through dialogue, consensus, and collective participation. He further emphasized the concept of restorative justice, which prioritizes healing, reconciliation, and the preservation of social harmony over punitive measures. The discussion also underscored the strengths of these systems, particularly their accessibility, affordability, efficiency, and cultural relevance. In conclusion, he argued that indigenous knowledge systems possess the potential to challenge Western dominance, foster sustainable human–environment relationships, and engage constructively with modern academic knowledge to develop a more holistic and inclusive framework of understanding.

During the session, the speaker engaged with the audience through an interactive question-and-answer segment. Shifa Bano, Satwik Nanda, and Priyanshu actively

participated by posing questions and sharing their perspectives. Professor Nabanipa Bhattacharjee also contributed her insights, thereby enriching the discussion and enhancing the overall engagement of the session.

The session concluded with a formal vote of thanks delivered by Sheetoshna, who expressed sincere appreciation to the faculty members, the guest speaker, and the students for their invaluable support, active participation, and collective efforts in ensuring the success of the event. Overall, the alumni lecture served as a significant occasion for reconnecting former students with the Department of Sociology. It provided a platform for the exchange of experiences, the strengthening of academic and social ties, and the reaffirmation of the enduring relationship with the department. The guest speaker’s reflections and insights further offered meaningful guidance and inspiration to the students.

PERMISSION LETTER

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PERMISSION FOR ORGANIZATION OF EVENTS

NOTE: 1.Please ensure a pre booking of the venue before getting the permission letter signed.
2. A copy of this duly filled form signed by the TIC/ Convener, IQAC Coordinator and Principal shall be submitted to ICT and/or Caretaker for necessary action.
3. Please ensure that the completion certificate of the event is physically signed by the Convener of the event, IQAC Coordinator and Principal after the event report is made.

EVENT DETAILS

1. Name of the Department/Society/Association: SOCIOLOGY
2. Name of the TIC and/or Convenor: Prof./Dr./Mr./Ms. PADMA PRIYADARSHINI
3. Proposed Title of the Event: ALUMNI LECTURE
4. Nature of Event: Seminar/Conference/Symposium/Workshop/FDP/Public or Community outreach/ Skill enhancement/others (Please specify) .....
5. Participants: Student-centric /Faculty/ Other stakeholders (Please specify).....
6. Event Type: Offline/Online/Hybrid; Indoor/Outdoor
7. Collaborating Agency /Organization (If any): N/A
8. Tentative List of Speakers with affiliations: MR. MARTIN KAMODANG, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPT. OF SOCIOLOGY, JAMIA MILIA ISLAMIA ASSOCIATE FELLOW AT INDIAN ISTITUTE OF DALIT STUDIES
9. Date & Time (from – to): 1st SEPTEMBER 2026; 11:45 - 12:45
10. Financial Assistance/ Funding received (if any) (Please specify amount): —
11. Proposed Budget (please attach details in a separate enclosure): —

12. Faculty responsible for Geo Tagged Pictures ... Dr. PADMA PRIYADARSHINI

13. Faculty responsible for Event Report .... Dr. PADMA PRIYADARSHINI

14. ICT support required, if any (ICT Lab, Laptop, LCD projector)

15. Caretaker support required (tables, chairs, public addressing system, sanitation, manpower assistance)

16. Venue requirement (Seminar hall/ Ground/others) ..... SEMINAR HALL

Padma Priyadarshini

TIC/Convenor

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Comments (If any)

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IQAC Coordinator

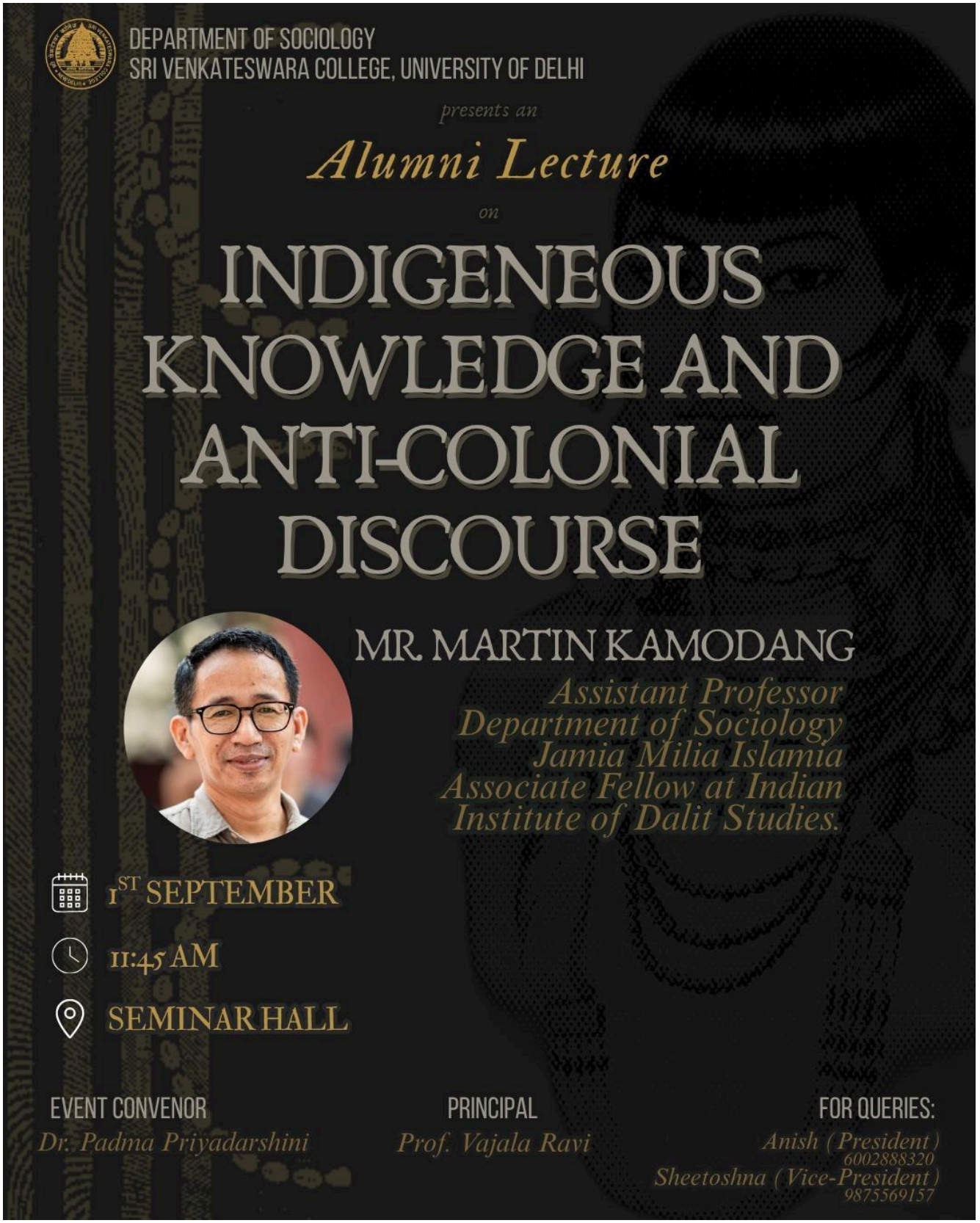
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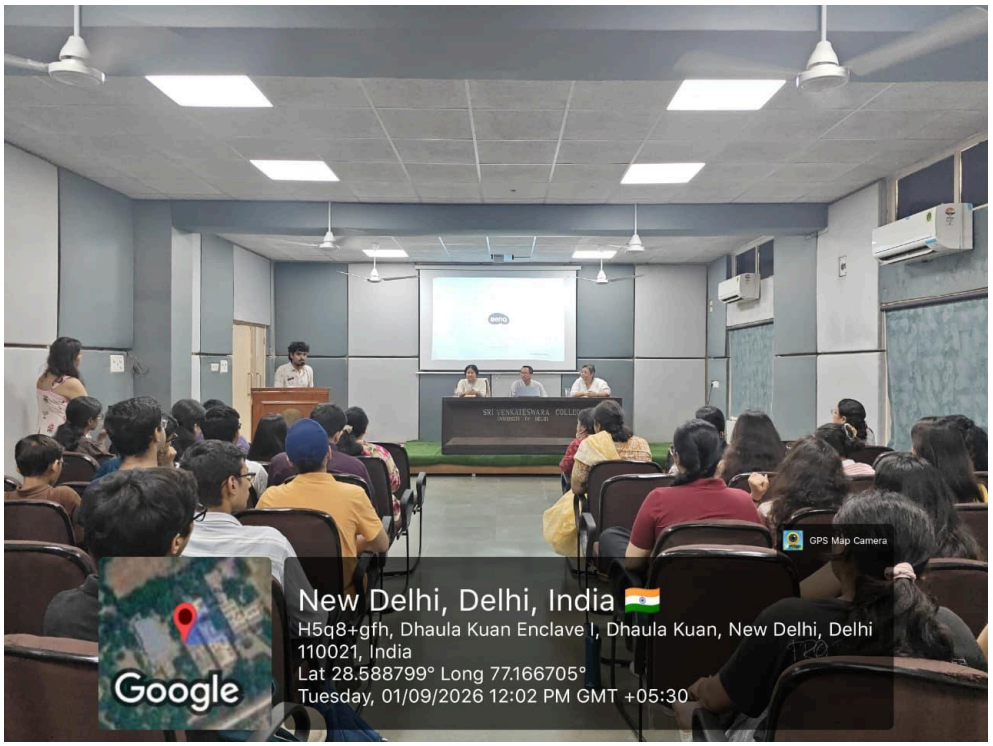
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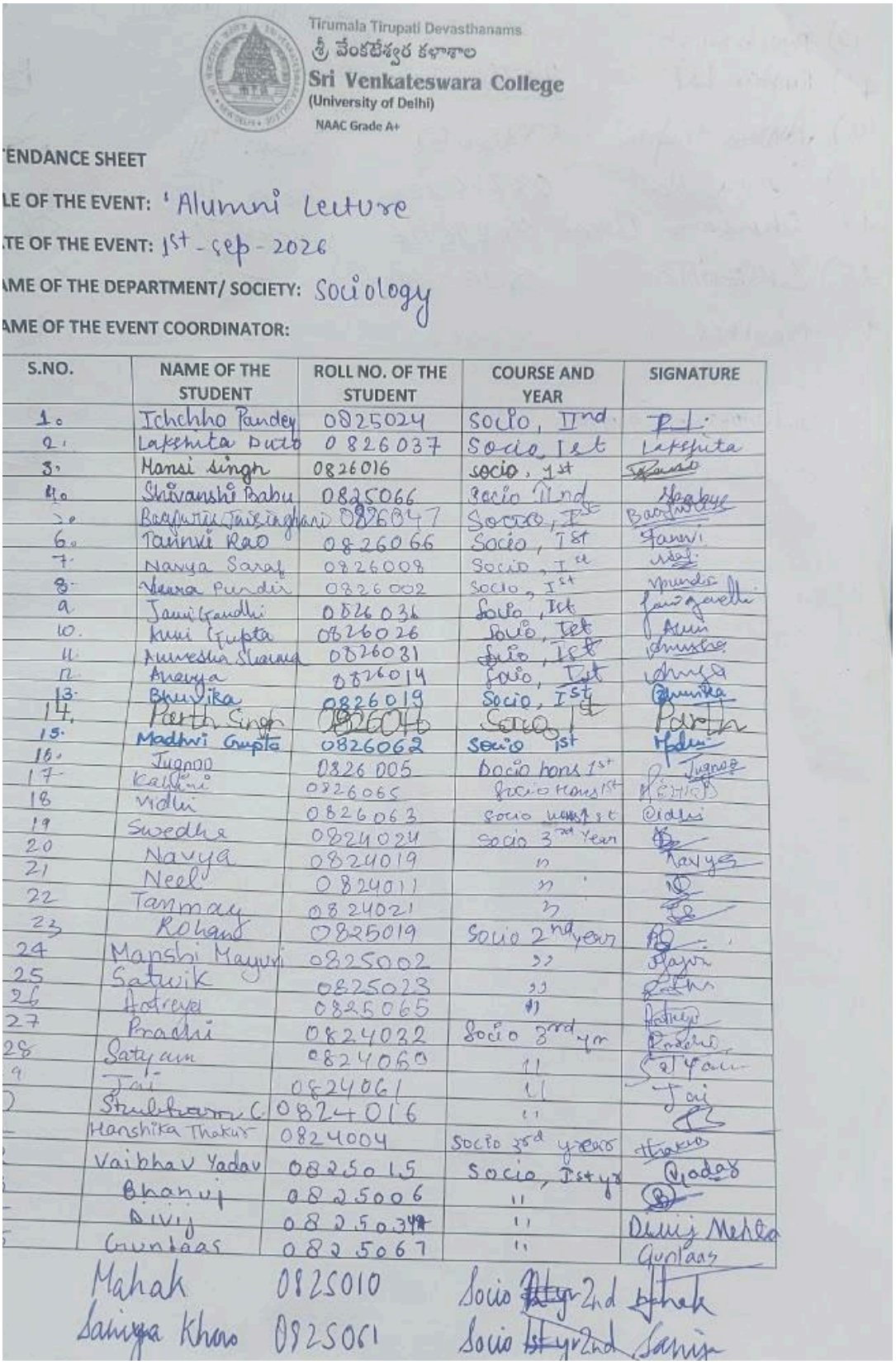

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MR. MARTIN KAMODANG
Assistant Professor
Department of Sociology
Jamia Milia Islamia
Associate Fellow at Indian Institute of Dalit Studies.
1ST SEPTEMBER
11:45 AM
SEMINAR HALL
EVENT CONVENOR
Dr. Padma Priyadarshini
PRINCIPAL
Prof. Vajala Ravi
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Sheetoshna (Vice-President)
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ATTENDANCE SHEET



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AME OF THE DEPARTMENT/ SOCIETY: Sociology

AME OF THE EVENT COORDINATOR:

S.NO.	NAME OF THE STUDENT	ROLL NO. OF THE STUDENT	COURSE AND YEAR	SIGNATURE
1.	Ichchha Pandey	0825024	Socio, IInd	
2.	Lakshita Dutt	0826037	Socio Ist	Lakshita
3.	Hansi singh	0826016	socio, 1st	
4.	Shivanshi Babu	0825066	Socio IInd	
5.	Baafuriu Jaisinghani	0826047	Socio, Ist	
6.	Tanvi Rao	0826066	Socio, Ist	Tanvi
7.	Navya Saraf	0826008	Socio, Ist	
8.	Veera Pundir	0826002	Socio, Ist	
9.	Jamil Gandhi	0826036	Socio, Ist	
10.	Kuni Gupta	0826026	Socio, Ist	
11.	Anvesha Sharma	0826031	Socio, Ist	
12.	Anavya	0826014	Socio, Ist	
13.	Bhavika	0826019	Socio, Ist	
14.	Partk Singh	0826046	Socio, Ist	
15.	Madhvi Gupta	0826062	Socio Ist	
16.	Jugnoo	0826005	Socio hons 1st	
17.	Kaffini	0826065	Socio Hons 1st	
18	Vidhi	0826063	Socio Hons 1st	
19	Swedha	0824024	Socio 3rd Year	
20	Navya	0824019	"	
21	Neel	0824011	"	
22	Tanmay	0824021	"	
23	Rohan	0825019	Socio 2nd year	
24	Manshi Mayuri	0825002	"	
25	Satwik	0825023	"	
26	Hotreya	0825065	"	
27	Prachi	0824032	Socio 3rd yr	
28	Satyam	0824060	"	
9	Jai	0824061	"	
)	Shubharam C	0824016	"	
	Hanshika Thakur	0824004	Socio 3rd years	
	Vaibhav Yadav	0825015	Socio, Ist yr	
	Bhanuj	0825006	"	
	Divij	0825034	"	Divij Mehta
	Gunbaas	0825067	"	Gunbaas
	Mahak	0825010	Socio 2nd	Mahak
	Saniya Khan	0825061	Socio 2nd yr	Saniya

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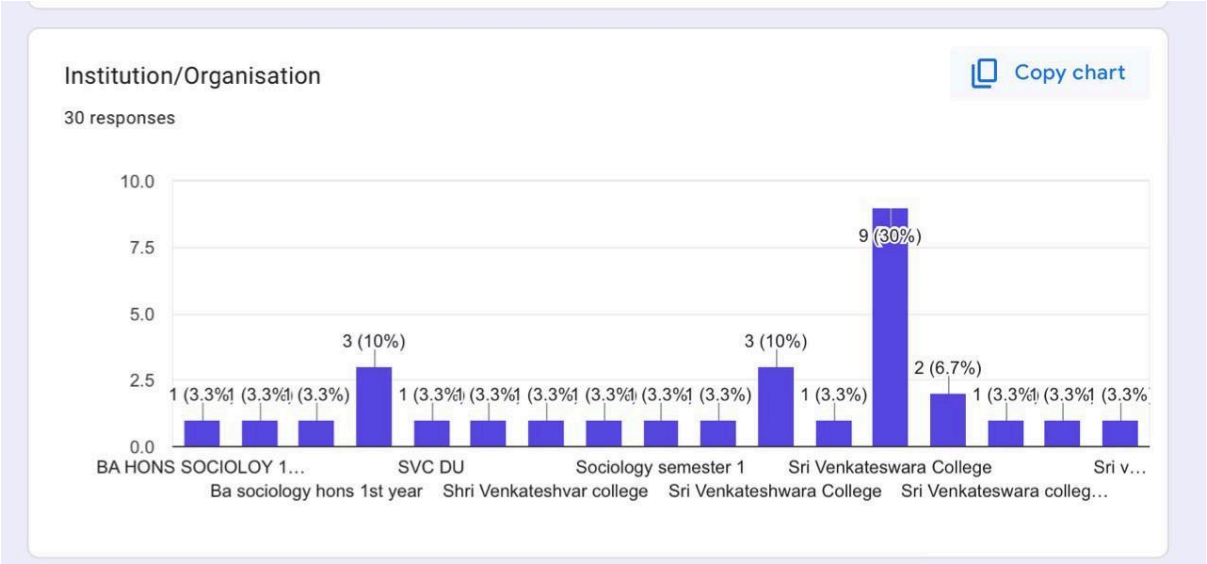
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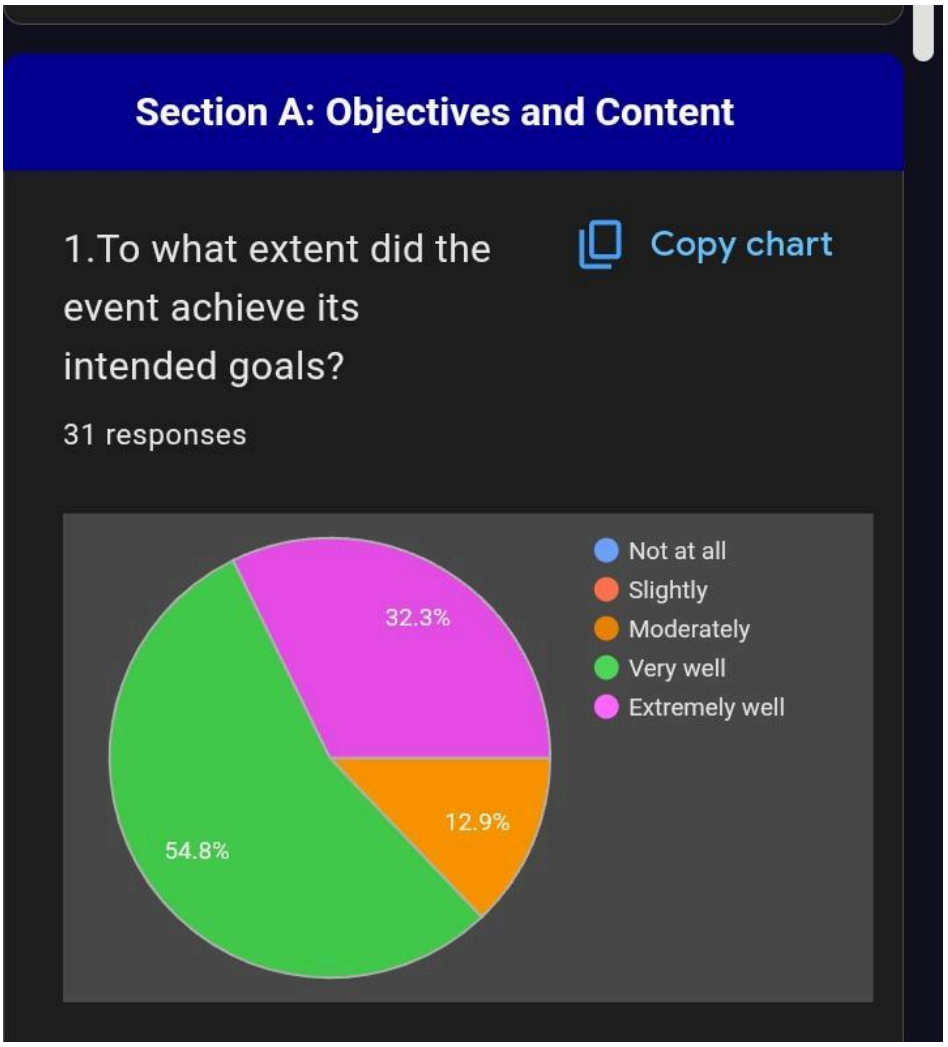
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1.	Mayank Kumar	0826022	B.A Hons - Sociology	Mayank
2.	Akshay singh	082604	B A Hons sociology	Akshay
3.	Bhanu Kr. Gupta	0826012	BA Hons Sociology	Bhanu
4.	Tiya Bajaj	0826021	" " "	Tiya
5	Deepa	0825005	" " "	Deepa
6	Riya	08250040	" " "	Riya.
7	Shifa Banu	0825004	" "	Shifa Banu
8	KARAN KALITA	0826011	BA HONS SOCIOLOGY 1st yr	Karan
9	Jaskirat Singh	0826020	BA Hons " 1st year	Jaskirat
10	UTKARSH MINA	0826056	BA Hons Sociology 1st yr	Utkarsh
11	Sushil Vikram	0826007	BA (Hons) Sociology 1st yr	Sushil
12	Yuvraj	0826023	BA (Hon) Sociology 1st	Yuvraj
13	Bhoomika Nimarwal	08260013	B A (Hons) Sociology	Bhumika
14	Rohit	0826015	BA (Hon) Socio 1st	Rohit
15	Komal	08260042	BA [Hons] Socio 1st	Komal
16	Ridhima	0826039	BA Hons Socio 1st	Ridhima
17	Vanisha	0824013	BA Hons Socio 3rd	Vanisha
18	Tiyasha	0824023	BA (Hons.) Socio 3rd	Tiyasha
19.	Yaiphallima	0825022	B.A (H) Socio. 2nd	Yaiphallima
20.	Harsh Mainam	0825001	B.A. (H) Socio. 2nd	Harsh M.
21.	Jaruba KH	0825045	"	
22.	Ashik Chakma	0824069	B.A (H) Sociology 2nd	Ashik
23.	Priyanshu kumar	0826028	Sociology Hons 1st yr	Priyanshu kr.
24.	Sahastranshu	0826041	Sociology Hons 1st year	Sahastranshu
25	Sejal Chand	0826069	" " " "	Sejal Chand
26	Madhwan	0826068	Sociology (H) 1st yr	
27	Sumeet	0824035	Sociology 3rd yr	
28	Nitin Kumar	0824005	Sociology 3rd	
29.	JATIN BARUA	0824039	Sociology 3rd	
30.	RIYA	0824028	Sociology 3rd	Riya
31.	Ajay	0824020	Socio	
32.	Kartik	0824056		Kartik
33.	Udit	0624010	B.A. (H) History	

40) Ayush Singh	0825043	Sociology (Hons) II	Ayush Singh
41) Roshan Lal	0825009	Socio II	Rosha
42) Avisal Gupta	0825062	Socio II	Avisal
43) Sonya Rai	0825013	Socio II	Sonya Rai
44) Shivam Braj	0825026	Socio II	Shivam
45) Lakshika	0825064	Socio II	Lakshika
46) Prarthana N.	0825025	"	Prarthana
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48) Senjuwapang Longchar	0824012	Socio III	
49) Harshit	1326041	BSc Bioscience - I	
50) Gargi Pragya	1326013	Bsc Bioscience - Ism	Gargi
51) Anqutha	1326030	BSc - Bioscience - I	Anqutha
52) Srishti	1326046	BSc. Biosci - I	
53 Ayush	0826052	Socio I	

FEEDBACK FORM & ANALYSIS

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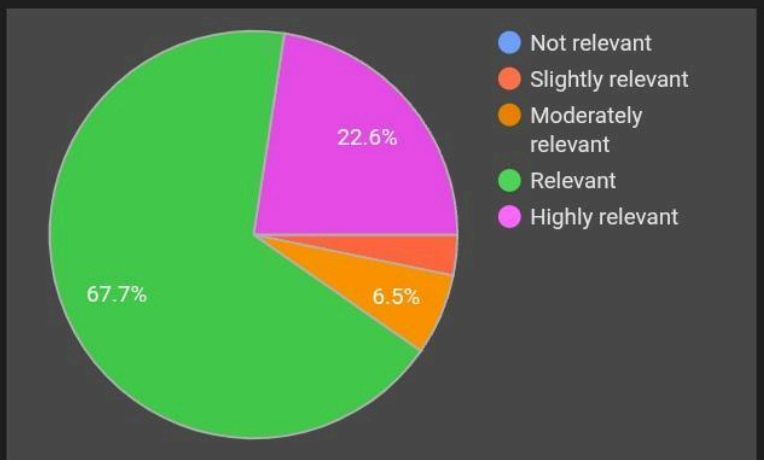




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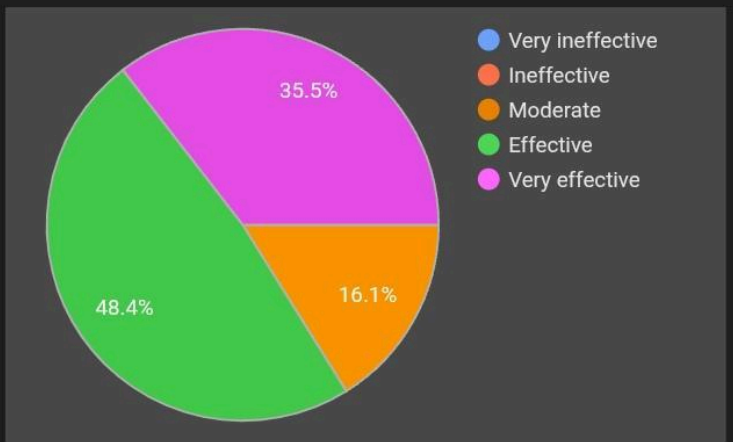
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3. How effectively were theoretical concepts connected to practical examples?

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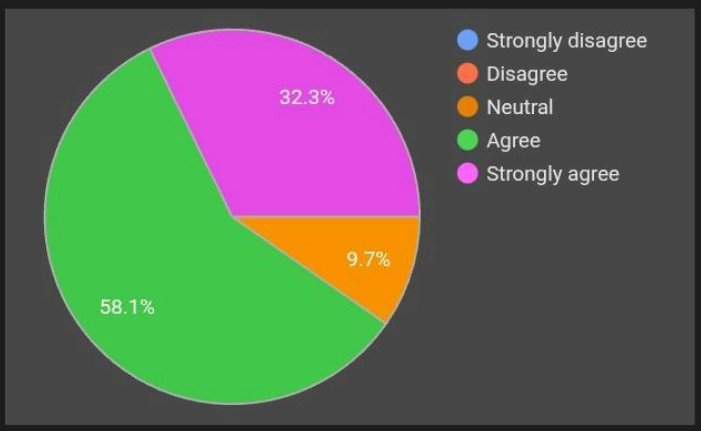


Section B: Engagement and Delivery

4. Did the presenters encourage critical thinking and discussion?

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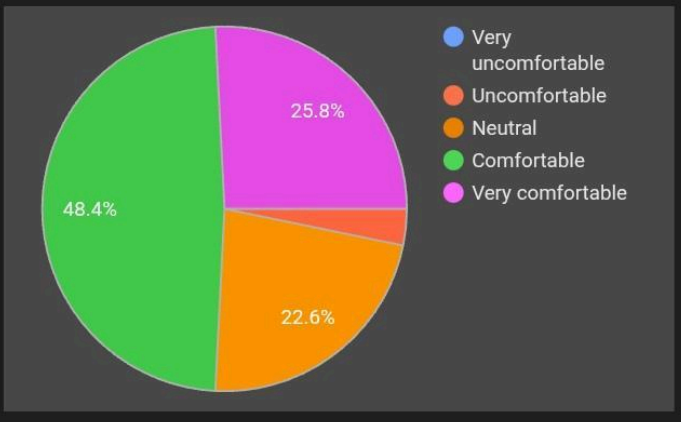
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5. How comfortable did you feel sharing your views or asking questions?

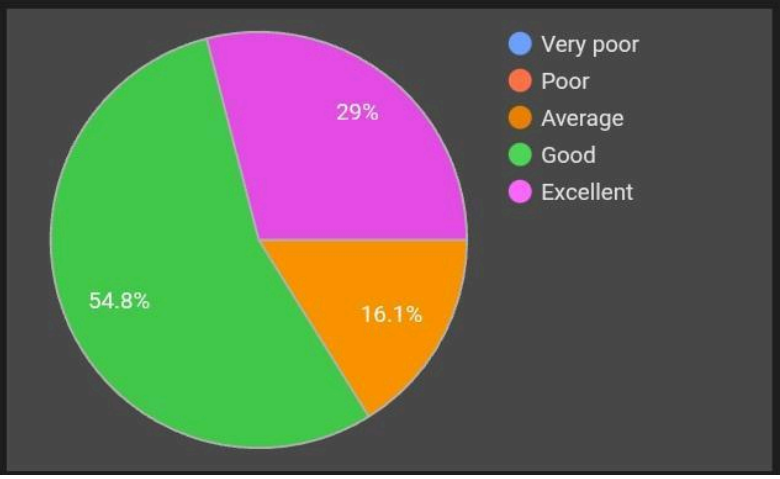
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6. Did the timing and pacing of the event support meaningful engagement?

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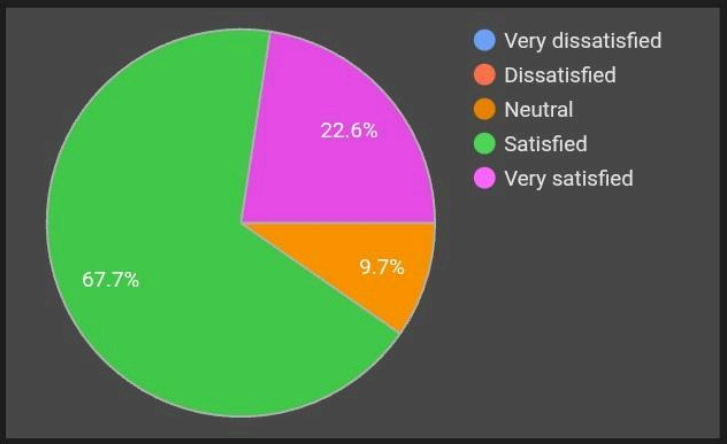


Section C: Overall Experience

7. How satisfied were you with the number and structure of sessions/activities?

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26 responses

The Guest and his wisdom

Loved how it went beyond just delivering the speech about the topic and actually brought the realistic examples via video screening which made the ideas and expriences of the speaker much more connective and real

1. Session was impactful. It compelled me to think critically about Indigenous knowledge system.

2.session explore how we conlonised not physically but mentally.

The lecturer

The topic was interesting and the speaker made it interesting as well.

The way practical videos were shown by the chief guest along with how calmy he answered the doubts

The presentation have videos that show the tribal performing the mentioned ritual.

10. What aspects of the event could be improved?

25 responses

No suggestions

Communication can be improved by using Bi lingual communication. Like Hindi with english blend to make a difficult concept easy.

I think the QnA round could've been extended a lil more (ofcourse time constraints were understable) but a topic like this had a lot of scope for engagement and discussion Apart from this : THE EVENNNT WAS A BLISS and WELL ORGANISED🤍

In session everything was outstanding.

More clarity

Cannot think of anything right now.

Asking of the questions in the end could have been extended

11. Which topic or theme would you like to explore further in future events?

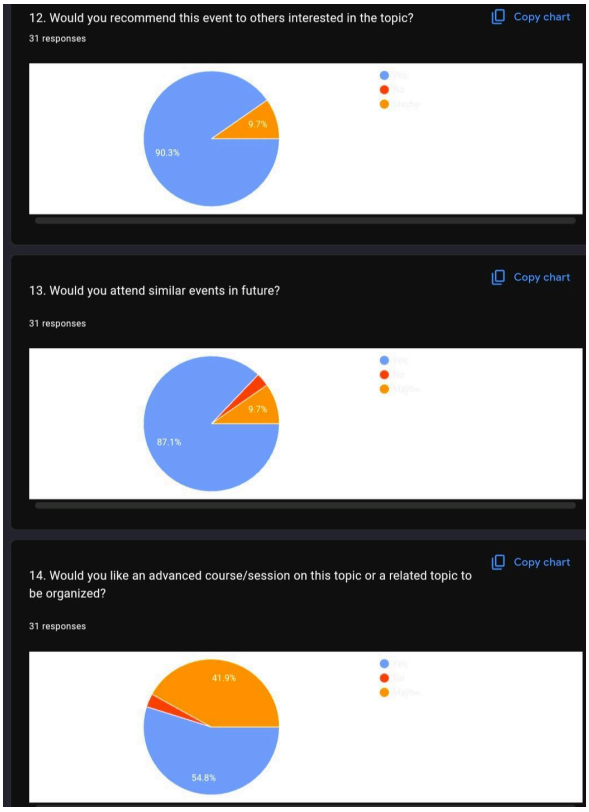
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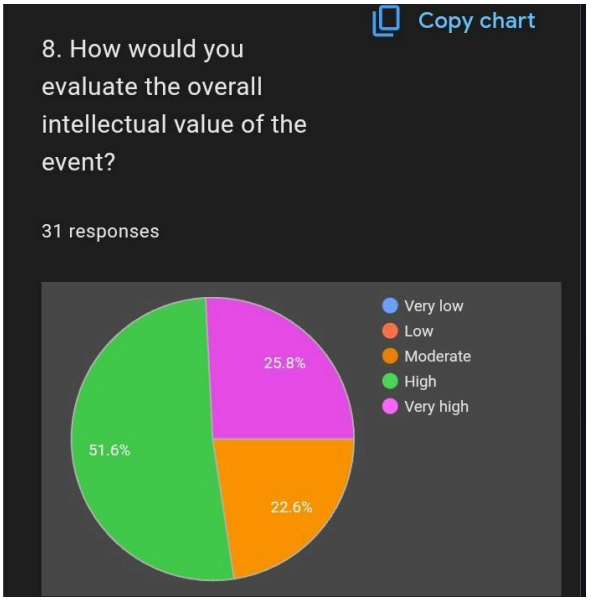
Development, Artificial intelligence and its impact, Sociological theories in application, How india needs sociologists

Probably - Gig economy & the new corporate slavery, caste in the "post caste" generation,or why people often accept unfair rules w/o fighting back (related to how hegemony is at times seen as a general sense of how tthings work in a particular sphere)

The topic or theme which I like to explore in future events is SPIRITUALITY.

Reservation


12. Would you recommend this event to others interested in the topic?
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31 responses
9.7%
90.3%
13. Would you attend similar events in future?
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31 responses
9.7%
87.1%
14. Would you like an advanced course/session on this topic or a related topic to be organized?
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31 responses
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54.8%


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8. How would you evaluate the overall intellectual value of the event?
31 responses
Very low
Low
Moderate
High
Very high
25.8%
51.6%
22.6%

COMPLETION CERTIFICATE

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यह प्रमाणित किया जाता है कि पूर्व छात्र व्याख्यान को 01 सितंबर 2026 को 11:45 पूर्वाह्न से 12:45 अपराह्न तक समाजशास्त्र विभाग द्वारा ऑफ़लाइन माध्यम में सफलतापूर्वक आयोजित किया गया और इस कार्यक्रम की रिपोर्ट अभिलेख के लिए आंतरिक गुणवत्ता आश्वासन प्रकोष्ठ (IQAC) को जमा कर दी गई है।

This is to certify that the Alumni Lecture was successfully conducted on 01 September, 2026 from 11:45 AM to 12:45 PM by the Department of Sociology in the Offline mode, and its event report has been submitted to IQAC for records.

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Padma Priyadarshini
- Event-in-Charge

IQAC Coordinator

Principal

Date: 01 September 2026