

Exciting New Chapter: Dr. Moopen's AI & Robotics Centre Coming to SAFI Institute



In a landmark initiative to foster innovation and advanced research, the SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (SIAS), Malappuram, has signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) to establish Dr. Moopen's AI & Robotics Centre by SAFI. The agreement was formalised at a colourful ceremony held at Hotel Tripenta in Kozhikode, attended by eminent figures from academia, industry, and the SAFI fraternity.

The ceremony witnessed the presence of SAFI Chairman C.H. Abdul Rahim, Chairman Emeritus Dr. P. Mohamed Ali of Galfar, SAFI Social Empower Centre Advisory Board Chairman Munavar Ali Thangal, SAFI CEO Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya, project consultant Santhosh Kurup, members of the SAFI Trust, Dr. Azad Moopen's family members, and several other distinguished guests. The MoU marks a major step forward in establishing a world-class hub dedicated to artificial intelligence and robotics. SAFI Chairman Abdul Rahim stated that the project aims to equip students with future-ready skills, foster greater collaboration between academia and industry, and nurture young entrepreneurs to create technology-driven products and services. He added that the Centre would focus on industrial partnerships, technology incubation, and strengthening India's AI and robotics ecosystem while supporting central and state government initiatives in digital transformation. The facility is expected to become fully operational within two years. Expressing his enthusiasm, Dr. Azad Moopen described the initiative as one of the first of its kind in India, merging technology education with entrepreneurship. He noted that his family was proud to be part of a future-focused project that would drive technological progress and innovation.

Dr. P. Mohamed Ali highlighted SAFI's rapid growth over the past two decades, observing that the institute had become a major centre for higher education in North Kerala. He said the AI and Robotics Centre would mark another milestone in SAFI's journey toward academic and technological excellence. SAFI General Secretary M.A. Mehaboob remarked that the new Centre would emerge as a driving force in India's technology sector by promoting innovation, collaborative research, and the development of cutting-edge applications. Consultant Santhosh Kurup presented the project plan, and the event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by SAFI CEO Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya. Situated on the scenic Vazhayur campus in Malappuram, the SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies is an autonomous, NAAC A+ accredited college offering more than 20 undergraduate, postgraduate, and research programmes across disciplines such as science, technology, management, commerce, and humanities. The campus also houses the PMA Institute of Human Resource Centre, which conducts AICTE-accredited management programmes, civil service training, and various community development initiatives.

Dr. Azad Moopen Pledges 20% of Personal Wealth to Charitable Activities



Renowned philanthropist and Aster DM Healthcare Chairman Dr. Azad Moopen announced

that 20 percent of his personal wealth will be devoted to charitable activities. The contribution will support initiatives in healthcare, education, housing, and skill development.

Dr. Moopen said the decision reflects his gratitude toward society and his commitment to improving lives through sustainable community projects under the Moopen Foundation and Aster Volunteers. He encouraged others to engage in philanthropy to create a more inclusive and compassionate world.

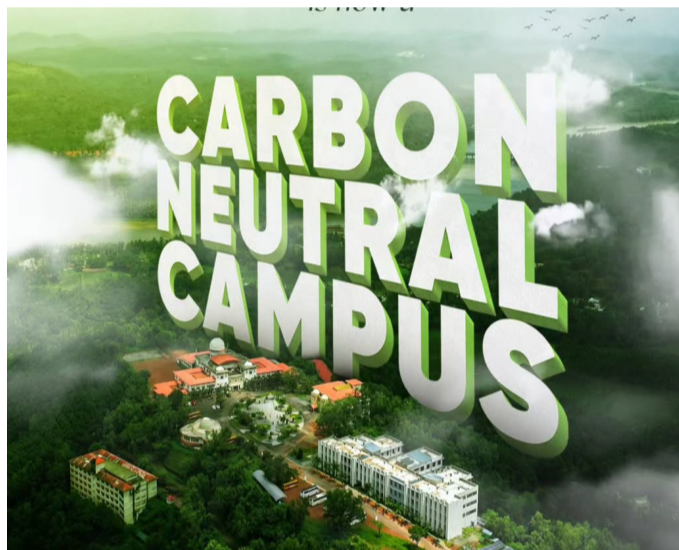
SAFI Institute Shines with Double Victory in K-DISC Young Innovators Programme 7.0



In a proud moment for higher education in Kerala, SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) in Vazhayur, Malappuram, has secured a remarkable double achievement in the Young Innovators Programme (YIP) 7.0 organised by the Kerala Development and Innovation Strategic Council (K-DISC). The institute clinched both the State-level Best Institute Award and the District-level Best Institute Award (Malappuram) in the All Kerala Young Innovators Idea Contest. Adding to this triumph, Mr. Vasil Vafeeqe, the college's YIP Facilitator and Coordinator, was honoured with the Best Facilitator Award at both state and district levels. The awards were presented by Dr. R. Bindu, Kerala's Minister for Higher Education, at a ceremony held at Thiruvananthapuram Central Polytechnic College. Congratulating SAFI, the Minister described the institute's success as "an inspiring model of how higher education can seamlessly integrate innovation, social responsibility, and entrepreneurship," while calling the honours "a proud testimony to the social commitment and creative potential of Kerala's young generation." SAFI students submitted over 684 innovative ideas across science, social development, and commerce, showcasing the institution's strong focus on creativity and societal problem-solving. Principal E.P. Imbichikoya hailed the recognitions as a testament to the collective efforts of faculty and students in blending education with real-world innovation.

Vazhayur SAFI College Declared Kerala's First Carbon-Neutral Campus under Calicut University

In a pioneering step towards environmental sustainability (SIAS) in Vazhayur, Malappuram, will ceremony on its campus. This achievement is part of the to progressively transform the en-5, 2022, at SAFI Institute, the project emphasizes tree plantation, inter-Key efforts include distributing and Cashew Development Corporation, in three years. SAFI was selected as from Vazhayur Gram Panchayat and water conservation programs and pro-Aligned with the Haritha Kerala Mis-campus under Calicut University to feature Calicut University Vice Chan-Principal. Attendees include Block Pan-President P.K. Vasudevan. This initiative sets an inspiring example for other institutions, combining environmental protection with community development.



mental sustainability, SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies be officially declared a Carbon Neutral Campus tomorrow at a

Kulirma Project initiated by Kondotty Block Panchayat tire block into a carbon-neutral area. Launched on June ect involves all seven gram panchayats in the block and grated water conservation, and sustainable practices. planting 50,000 cashew saplings in collaboration with the which have now matured to yield-producing trees with-the model campus under the project, with full cooperation the institute's management. Additional measures include viding solar-powered induction cookers to anganwadis. sion and Nava Kerala Karma Padhathi, this marks the first achieve carbon neutral status. The declaration ceremony will cellor Dr. P. Ravindran handing over the certificate to the chayat President K. Bindu and Vazhayur Gram Panchayat

Deeksharambh 25: Inspiring Kickoff to New Academic Year



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) in Vazhayur warmly welcomed its new undergraduate batch with "Deeksharambh 25", an engaging induction programme that drew over 500 enthusiastic students and their parents. Vice Principal Muhammad Kamil T.P. opened the event with a wel-

come address, underscoring SAFI's dedication to a global education ecosystem and its recent accolades in India Today national rankings. PTA Vice President Muhammad Saleem lauded the institution's superior academic standards, noting they surpass many aided and government colleges. Presiding over the function, Principal Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya emphasized SAFI's university-inspired vision, its pioneering A++ NAAC ranking in the first cycle, and strict anti-ragging measures for a safe campus. The programme was inaugurated by Vice Chairman Dr. Abdusalam Ahmad, who highlighted the role of institutions in empowering students to dream big and develop ethical leadership. Director of Administration Colonel Nisar Ahmad Seethi motivated students to face challenges boldly, reminding them of parents' foundational role. The event wrapped up with a vote of thanks by PTA Secretary Dr. Hassan Shareef K.P., alongside addresses from other dignitaries reinforcing SAFI's commitment to holistic development. This vibrant start sets a promising tone for the academic year ahead!

SAFI Institute Excels in India Today 2025 Rankings



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayur, Malappuram, has achieved outstanding recognition in the India Today College Rankings 2025, securing top positions across multiple academic streams.

SAFI has been ranked 3rd Best BBA College in Kerala, 5th Best in both Mass Communication and BCA, and 8th Best in B.Sc, reaffirming its position among Kerala's leading higher education institutions.

Principal Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya expressed pride in the collective effort behind the achievement, acknowledging the contributions of faculty, department heads, the IQAC team, and students. He also commended Document Controller Ms. Anju Baby Poulouse for her pivotal role in coordinating institutional data for the ranking process.

The India Today rankings, considered one of India's most prestigious academic benchmarks, assess institutions on parameters such as academic excellence, infrastructure, faculty quality, and innovation. SAFI's strong performance underscores its commitment to quality education, research, and value-based learning.

SAFI Institute Tops KIRF Rankings Among Self-Financing Colleges

The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayur, has achieved a remarkable milestone in the Kerala Institutional Ranking Framework (KIRF), which assesses the quality and performance of higher education institutions across the state. In the latest rankings, SAFI secured the 19th position statewide and proudly emerged as the top-ranked self-financing college in Kerala—a rare distinction for an institution of its age and origin.

This recognition adds yet another feather to SAFI's cap. Earlier, SAFI became the first arts and science college in India to earn an A++ grade in the very first round of NAAC assessment, a historic achievement that underscored its academic excellence and institutional strength. Soon after, it was granted autonomous status, cementing its reputation as one of Kerala's most progressive higher education institutions.



Expressing their pride over the accomplishment, SAFI Group of Institutions Chairman C.H. Abdul Rahim, General Secretary M.A. Mehaboob, and CEO & Principal Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya said that the new KIRF ranking marks yet another decisive step towards their long-cherished vision of transforming SAFI into a nationally recognized centre of excellence. "This result reflects the hard work, dedication, and collaborative spirit of our faculty, staff, and students," they noted, reaffirming the institution's commitment to quality education and holistic development. With this latest honour, SAFI continues to reaffirm its place among Kerala's most accomplished academic institutions, blending value-based education with a forward-looking approach to innovation and research.

SAFI Institute Celebrates Second Graduation Day in Grand Style



In a joyous celebration of academic excellence and personal growth, SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) in Vazhayur, Malappuram, is set to host its Second Graduation Day on February 17 at 3 p.m. on the picturesque college campus. The event will honor the graduating batch of the 2023–24 academic year, with graduates and their proud parents in attendance. Adding to the festivities, a captivating cultural evening performed by SAFI students will infuse the day with vibrant energy and tradition. Distinguished chief guest Former Chief Election Commissioner of India Dr. S.Y. Quraishi will grace the occasion, while Prof. Dinoj Sebastian, Registrar of the University of Calicut, delivers the graduation address. The ceremony will also feature addresses from Padma Shri Dr. Azad Moopen (former Chairman), C.H. Abdul Rahim (current Chairman of SAFI Group of Institutions),

M.A. Mehaboob (General Secretary), and Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya (Principal and CEO). This milestone underscores SAFI's rapid ascent in higher education. Established in 2005 under the Social Advancement Foundation of India (founded in 2001 to uplift backward communities), the institute has earned UGC 2(f) recognition, ISO certification, 19th rank in KIRF (first among self-financing colleges), and uniquely, the only Arts & Science college in India with NAAC A++ (3.54 CGPA) in its first cycle. As Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya aptly states, "Our goal is to empower students with knowledge and values that prepare them to excel both academically and socially." The management warmly invites alumni and parents to join this heartfelt celebration.



Honoring Brilliance – PTA Merit Day 2025 Shines at SAFI



The PTA Merit Day 2025 at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) was a day filled with celebration, pride, and heartfelt appreciation. Held on January 1, 2025, at the SAFI Library Seminar Hall, the event brought together teachers, students, and parents to honor outstanding achievers who made their mark in academics and extracurricular activities at International, National, State, and University levels. The ceremony began with the inspiring words of Chief Guest Dr. Mohamed Ali P (Galfar), Chairman Emeritus of SAFI, who applauded the efforts of the SAFI community and reminded everyone that true success is built on dedication, vision, and the spirit to aim higher.

Adding meaning to the celebration, Mr. C.H. Abdul Raheem (Chairman, SAFI) presented mementos to the deserving students and teachers, recognizing their hard work and perseverance. The event also featured a proud moment when Mr. Mehaboob M.A. (General Secretary) released books authored by the talented students of the Department of English, reflecting SAFI's commitment to nurturing creativity and scholarship. A heartfelt special address by Dr. Abdussalam Ahmad (Vice Chairman, SAFI) encouraged students to carry forward the values of discipline, sincerity, and lifelong learning. The program was warmly chaired by Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya (CEO, SAFI), whose leadership has always inspired excellence within the institution.

The event radiated a sense of togetherness, with Mr. Ayoob Moovakkan, Dr. Hassan Shareef, Abul Saleem V.C., Col. Nissar Ahmed Seethi, and Mohammed Minhaz K.T. sharing words of appreciation that echoed SAFI's spirit of unity and progress. As the celebration drew to a close, the atmosphere brimmed with joy and inspiration — a collective reminder that every milestone at SAFI is not just an achievement, but a step toward building a future rooted in knowledge, values, and hope.

Launches 'Krishipatham' Vegetable Garden



In a vibrant step towards sustainability and hands-on learning, SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) in Vazhayur has launched 'Krishipatham', a new vegetable garden initiative under its cherished Nakshathra Vanam project. Organized by the institute's NSS unit, the programme was inaugurated by Vice Principal Muhammad Kamil T.P., who personally planted vegetable saplings in the Nakshathra Vanam and led an engaging session for students on eco-friendly farming practices, the joys of vegetable cultivation, and their role in building sustainability and self-reliance. Speakers including Administrative Officer Abdulla, NSS Programme Officer Mujeeb Rahman Kattali, and gardener Chandran shared insights on the educational value and environmental benefits, emphasizing how such efforts nurture agricultural awareness among youth while greening the campus. 'Krishipatham' beautifully aligns with SAFI's commitment to holistic education, blending environmental stewardship with practical skills for a sustainable tomorrow.

Oath-Taking Ceremony : The Newly Elected Union



The official Oath-Taking Ceremony for the newly elected Student Union members was held on October 21, 2024. The ceremony took place in the AVT (Audio-Visual Theatre) and was a significant event marking the formal commencement of the Union's tenure. The proceedings were conducted in the presence of the Principal, EP Imbichikoya, who presided over the function. During the ceremony, the newly elected representatives formally took their solemn oath, publicly committing themselves to serve the entire student body with unwavering integrity, dedication, and commitment throughout their term.

The Naming of Raftha Students Union



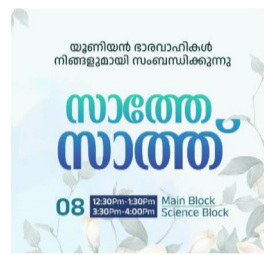
The student body officially reached a significant milestone with the formal naming of their representative organization as the Raftha Students Union on October 25, 2024. This carefully chosen name holds symbolic meaning, representing the core values of unity, strength, and progress that the union stands for. By adopting the name 'Raftha', the students have encapsulated their collective vision and aspirations, providing the union with a distinct and meaningful identity that reflects their commitment to collective advancement and effective student representation.

Inter-College Online Poetry Contest



An inter-college online poetry competition was successfully organized under the auspices of the Raftha Students Union. This contest served as a vibrant platform to showcase the literary talent and creative expression of students from various colleges. The competition saw enthusiastic participation and featured exceptional displays of poetic skill and imagination. Ultimately, Shifnamol KT from Darul Uloom was awarded the coveted first place prize, recognized for her outstanding poetic composition and remarkable talent in verse. The event successfully fostered creativity and celebrated the art of poetry among the student community.

Sath Hai Sath: Fostering Open Dialogue



To significantly enhance and streamline communication channels between the student body and the institutional administration, the college successfully launched an open dialogue platform titled "Sath Hai Sath." This proactive initiative was held on November 6, 2024, creating a dedicated, transparent space for interaction. The core purpose of the program was to provide students with a direct line of communication, allowing them to freely and formally express their concerns, suggestions, and feedback directly to the Principal. By establishing this clear pathway, "Sath Hai Sath" effectively promotes a more inclusive and responsive administrative environment.

Santa Saga: Spreading Joy through Christmas Celebration



The annual Christmas celebration, titled "Santa Saga," organized by the Students' Union, took place on December 20, 2024, focusing on community spirit and kindness. Demonstrating a heartwarming commitment to social engagement, the Union extended a special invitation to ten senior citizens from the Ashradha Old Age Home to join the festivities on campus. The event was a beautiful exchange, characterized by the sharing of meaningful stories and the making of new memories, allowing everyone present to fully embrace the joyous festive spirit. This thoughtful initiative successfully spread cheer and highlighted the importance of intergenerational connection during the holiday season.

Enhancing Digital Access: Free Mobile Service Camp



The Students' Union, in collaboration with Kankandi Mobile Shop, successfully organized a Free Mobile Service Camp on January 3, 2025. The event was hosted at the Science Block, providing a convenient service point for the entire student community. This initiative was designed to directly benefit the students by offering essential free repair services for both mobile phones and laptops. By addressing technical issues at no cost, the camp ensured that students could maintain the functionality of their crucial devices, thereby supporting their uninterrupted academic work and digital access throughout their studies.

Raftha Students Union & Fine Arts Inauguration



The official inauguration ceremony for the Raftha Students Union was held on January 6, 2025, marking the beginning of the academic year's student activities. The Students Union was formally inaugurated by the esteemed MP E. T. Mohammed Basheer. Following this, the Fine Arts wing was launched by popular actor Ranjith Sajeew, who simultaneously unveiled its official name, "KALAFI," symbolizing a fusion of art and student life. The inauguration was not only ceremonial but also featured vibrant cultural elements, including a special musical performance by the band Paatholic, ensuring a memorable and energetic start for the student body.



Kalafi Fine Arts Events

The institution successfully hosted a series of fine arts events under the banner of Kalafi, spanning from January 7 to January 15, 2025. These events were meticulously organized to actively encourage students to participate and showcase their diverse creative talents across various artistic disciplines. The cultural week was strategically divided into two distinct phases to accommodate a wide range of performances and contests. The off-stage events were held on the first two days, January 7th and 8th, allowing students to compete in categories like literary, visual, and written arts. This was followed by the dynamic on-stage performances held later in the week, specifically on January 14th and 15th, which featured live displays of musical, theatrical, and dance talents, ultimately providing a comprehensive platform for the students' artistic expression.



Success at the Calicut University C Zone Fine Arts Competition



Despite facing constraints due to a limited preparation window, Safi College demonstrated commendable talent and commitment at the University of Calicut C Zone Fine Arts Competition, held from January 19 to 23, 2025. The hard work and dedication of the students resulted in the college achieving a respectable 8th place in the overall standings. This strong performance across various artistic disciplines is a significant achievement for the institution.

Furthermore, the individual talents of the participants shone through, with a remarkable total of 12 students successfully qualifying for the highly competitive Inter-Zone level of the Fine Arts Competition. This exceptional qualification rate highlights the depth of artistic skill present among the students and serves as a promising prelude to their participation in the next phase of the competition.



Harmonizing Campus Life: College Band Inauguration



The College Band was officially inaugurated on February 11, 2025, marking a significant milestone for music enthusiasts and the institution's cultural landscape. This exciting new initiative is designed to serve as a vital platform, specifically aiming to bring together the most talented student musicians from across the campus. Beyond providing a creative outlet for performance, the College Band is expected to play a crucial role in enhancing and diversifying campus cultural activities, promising to deliver memorable performances and foster a vibrant artistic environment within the college community.

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Litera Literature Festival 2025



The Litera Literature Festival 2025 was successfully launched with its poster and logo unveiled by Col. Nisar Seethi, establishing its goal to promote literary excellence and intellectual discourse. The main festival was held on February 25, 2025, and formally inaugurated by Prof. K. K. N. Kurup.

The day's events included focused discussions on language and literature, interactive sessions, and book readings, where attending scholars and writers offered valuable insights into current literary trends and linguistic evolution. The comprehensive festival concluded with an artistic and memorable violin performance by Abhi.



Kalaash College Day 2025



The annual Kalaash College Day celebrations were successfully conducted on February 18, 2025. The event served as a major highlight in the academic calendar, celebrating the achievements and cultural spirit of the institution. The day officially commenced with the reading of the annual

College Union report, which provided a comprehensive overview of the union's activities, accomplishments, and initiatives throughout the preceding year. Following the official proceedings, the stage was set for cultural vibrancy, beginning with a captivating musical performance delivered by Muslih. This performance set the tone for the remainder of the day, which featured a diverse array of various cultural events showcasing the talents and creativity of the students.



KHELO

Annual Sports Meet 2025



The KHELO Annual Sports Meet for 2025 was a four-day celebration of athletic competition and sportsmanship, held across February 19, 20, 21, and 22, with an extended concluding day on February 24th. The official inauguration ceremony, marking the commencement of the spirited event,

was conducted on February 24th. The meet was graced by the presence of renowned freestyle athlete Shahid Safar, who attended as the esteemed Chief Guest. Throughout the fiercely contested events, participants showcased their dedication and skill. Ultimately, the prestigious overall trophy for the KHELO Annual Sports Meet was secured by Team Al Hilal, recognizing their exceptional performance and dominance across various disciplines.



Association Inauguration of Islamic Studies



The Islamic Studies Association of SAFI Institute of Advanced Study was officially inaugurated on February 12, 2025, at the college auditorium in Vazhayur. The ceremony commenced with a warm welcome address by Razeen, the Secretary of the Association, followed by the formal inauguration of the program by Dr. Shabib Khan.

The highlight of the event was a thought-provoking keynote address delivered by Dr. Shumais, Assistant Professor from the Department of History at Farooq College. Speaking on the theme "The Politics of Prisons during the Malabar Struggle," he provided the audience with profound historical insights and a critical perspective on the socio-political dynamics of the era. The event successfully launched the association's activities, fostering a spirit of academic inquiry and historical awareness among the students.

Scholarly Excellence



The Department of Islamic Studies conducted a specialized Research Methodology workshop titled "Crafting a Strong Research Proposal" at the Seminar Hall to provide students with a rigorous academic framework. Led by distinguished academic Dr. Sameer Babu M from Jamia Millia Islamia, the session aimed to demystify the complexities of proposal writing and ensure clarity in articulating research goals. Leveraging his vast international experience, Dr. Sameer Babu provided a comprehensive roadmap covering everything from identifying research gaps to methodology design. This expert guidance successfully equipped participants with a global perspective and the practical tools necessary to build robust foundations for their future scholarly contributions.

Book Launch



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) officially released the book "Shaping the Future Youth in Society," a significant publication exploring the vital role of young people in modern social development. Edited by Dr. Shebeeb Khan P (HOD, Islamic Studies) and Mr. Muhammed Kamil TP (Vice Principal), the work provides a strategic framework for youth empowerment. This collaborative resource offers valuable insights for educators and policymakers, highlighting the institute's dedication to addressing contemporary social challenges through academic excellence.

Global Perspectives: Bridging Horizons in Islamic Studies



The PG Department of Islamic Studies hosted a prestigious expert talk titled "Connecting the Global Academia of Islamic Studies" on July 18, 2025, at the institutional Seminar Hall. Featuring Noorudeen Mustafa, a Research Fellow from Humboldt University, Germany, the session explored international standards in research and scholarship. By emphasizing cross-cultural academic exchange and modern methodologies, the program successfully bridged the gap between local scholarship and global frameworks, providing participants with a fresh perspective on the evolving international landscape of the field.

Mapping Global Horizons: Expert Talk on GCC Opportunities



On July 25, 2025, the Department of Islamic Studies hosted an insightful expert talk in the Conference Hall regarding academic and professional prospects in the GCC region. The session featured Mr. Mohammed Bin Hussain, a distinguished educator from the UAE and research scholar, who detailed the strategic advantages of the Cambridge Curriculum framework. By sharing practical advice and international perspectives, the program successfully guided students on how to navigate Middle Eastern career pathways and bridge the gap between local studies and global opportunities.

Bridging Eras: Seminar on Gender Justice



The Department of Islamic Studies hosted a seminar titled "Connecting the Dots" to explore the evolution of gender equality from classical foundations to modern frameworks. Keynote speaker Rasheed Hudawi Elamkulam analyzed the intersection of traditional Islamic jurisprudence with contemporary equity challenges, providing students and faculty with a vital platform to discuss rights and justice. By bridging historical scholarship with today's social needs, the event successfully equipped participants with a roadmap for navigating modern gender issues while remaining rooted in traditional values.

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Panch Punkh: Elevating Communication



The Department of Islamic Studies conducted the "Panch Punkh: Sharpening Communication" workshop to boost students' linguistic and interpersonal proficiency. Led by experts Ms. Jouhara (English) and Ms. Farha Baramy (Microbiology), the session successfully integrated creative expression with structured communication techniques. This interdisciplinary training empowered participants to refine their verbal and non-verbal skills, ensuring they can convey academic and professional ideas with greater confidence and impact.

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Pride of SAFI: Celebrating Doctoral Achievements



The Department of Islamic Studies hosted the "Pride of SAFI" ceremony to honor scholars who recently attained their PhD in Islamic Studies. On September 10, 2025, Held at the AVT facility, the event featured a distinguished panel including Chairman C.H. Abdul Raheem, CEO Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya, and several prominent academicians. This prestigious gathering recognized the high-level research accomplishments of the honorees, reinforcing the institution's dedication to academic excellence and scholarly contribution.

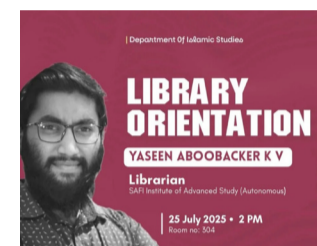
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Celebrating Success in the UGC NET Examination



The Department of Islamic Studies at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study is celebrating a significant academic milestone as two of its scholars have successfully qualified for the prestigious UGC NET examination. This achievement highlights the department's commitment to research excellence, with success coming from both Hamza C, an esteemed alumnus of the 2020 batch, and Razeen K, a current scholar of the department. Their dedication to mastering this rigorous national-level assessment brings great honor to the institution and serves as a powerful inspiration for the entire academic community.

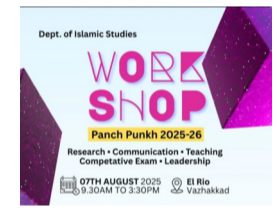
Empowering Research: Library Orientation



The Department of Islamic Studies conducted a specialized Library Orientation on July 25, 2025, led by Librarian Mr. Yaseen Aboobacker K. V. The session focused on streamlining research methodologies by introducing students to specialized theological collections and digital databases. By providing expert guidance on navigating academic resources and utilizing credible sources, the program equipped students with the essential skills needed to manage information effectively for their historical and academic inquiries.

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Holistic Growth: The "Panch Punkh" Skill Workshop



The Department of Islamic Studies conducted the "Panch Punkh 2025-26" workshop at El Rio, Vazhakkad, providing an intensive day of professional training. The program centered on a five-fold development strategy, offering specialized sessions in Research Communication, Teaching Methodologies, Competitive Exam preparation, Leadership, and overall Professional Growth. By bridging the gap between academic theory and career readiness, this initiative successfully equipped students with the multifaceted expertise and confidence required to excel as future researchers and leaders.

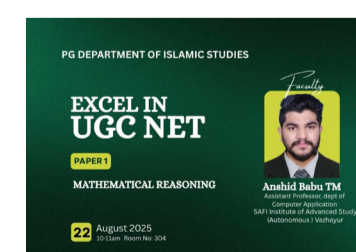
Minority at the Crossroads: The Indian Muslim Experience



As part of the "CONNECTING THE DOTS..." academic series, the Department of Islamic Studies hosted a session on August 20, 2025, exploring the contemporary socio-political and cultural identity of Indian Muslims. Resource person Mr. Muhammed Shalik, Assistant Professor of Social Work, provided a comprehensive analysis of the community's current challenges and opportunities, advocating for a multidisciplinary approach to social issues. The event successfully fostered intellectual dialogue on minority experiences, encouraging students to embrace informed citizenship and nuanced social integration.

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Excel in UGC NET: Mastering Mathematical Reasoning



The PG Department of Islamic Studies conducted a specialized "Excel in UGC NET" coaching session aimed at strengthening students' skills for Paper 1. The session featured Mr. Anshid Babu T.M. from the Department of Computer Application, who provided expert instruction on Mathematical Reasoning. By sharing logical problem-solving techniques and time-saving shortcuts, the workshop equipped post-graduate students with the practical tools and confidence needed to tackle this critical segment of the national competitive examination.

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Pathways to UGC NET Success in Islamic Studies



The PG Department of Islamic Studies hosted an intensive workshop titled “Excel in UGC NET: Paper 2” to prepare students for the national eligibility test On August 25, 2025. Led by Mr. Muhammed Shahid, a Research Scholar from Maharaja’s College, the session provided strategic insights into exam patterns, critical subject matter, and effective study methodologies. This initiative successfully equipped aspiring candidates with the expert mentorship and practical tools necessary to pursue advanced research and teaching careers.

Workshop on Innovative Teaching Skills



The Department of Islamic Studies hosted a specialized training session under the “Panch Punkh” initiative, focusing on innovative teaching skills On August 25, 2025. Led by Mr. Mujeeb Rahiman Kattali, Assistant Professor in Management Studies, the workshop introduced participants to modern pedagogical techniques and creative strategies designed to enhance classroom engagement. By bridging the gap between traditional instruction and contemporary student needs, the session successfully empowered educators with the dynamic tools necessary to foster intellectual growth in a modern academic landscape.

Academic Excellence: SAFI Faculty Represented at AMU



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study celebrated a major academic achievement as Dr. Shebeeb Khan P and Dr. Hassan Shareef KP from the Department of Islamic Studies were invited as expert speakers for a prestigious National Seminar at Aligarh Muslim University (AMU) on August 23–24, 2025. Dr. Shebeeb Khan presented on research methodologies at the University of Calicut, while Dr. Hassan Shareef highlighted innovative teaching-learning processes pioneered at SAFI. Their participation in this high-profile forum highlights SAFI’s commitment to educational leadership and showcases its modern pedagogical strategies to a national scholarly audience.

Frontier Lecture on Kerala Muslim Masculinity



The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication hosted a Frontier Lecture featuring Dr. Noorunnida M, Head of the Social Work Department On August 26, 2025. Her presentation, “Carving Kerala Muslim Masculinity & Childhood,” offered a deep sociological analysis of the cultural factors shaping gender roles and early life experiences within the community. The session successfully prompted critical thinking among students regarding how traditional and contemporary influences intersect to form individual and collective identities in the regional context of Kerala.

Scholarly Excellence: The 10th Annual Thesis Conference



The 10th Annual Thesis Conference was successfully held on November 3rd and 4th, 2025, at SAFI Institute, Vazhayoor, in collaboration with MAMO College. Formally inaugurated by Adv. Haris Beeran (Member of Rajya Sabha) and attended by Dr. P. Raveendran (Vice Chancellor, Calicut University), the event served as a prestigious platform for evaluating the research of final-year media students. The two-day conference featured a panel of distinguished experts from various universities and industry professionals, including journalists from Mathrubhumi News, to provide critical scholarly feedback. By bridging the gap between academia and the media industry, this milestone edition successfully fostered a robust research culture and highlighted emerging trends in mass communication.



The Official Logo Launch of SAFI Media School



The SAFI Media School celebrated a major milestone with the official launch of its new logo and rebranding at the SAFI Auditorium On August 27, 2025. The event, symbolizing the school’s commitment to modernization and its evolving vision in the media landscape, featured the prestigious unveiling of the new visual identity by renowned Malayalam film actor Lukman Avaran. This transformation marks a new aesthetic chapter for the institution, reaffirming its dedication to fostering creative talent and professional excellence among the next generation of media practitioners.

Read to Grow: Inspiring Young Minds



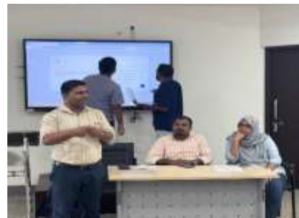
To mark National Reading Day, Third Semester MSW students organized a brief but impactful outreach programme titled “Let’s Make Reading a Habit” at Vazhakkad Higher Secondary School on June 19, 2025. The initiative aimed to spark a genuine love for books among students by highlighting reading as a source of joy, creativity, and lifelong learning. Through interactive discussions, storytelling activities, and motivational talks, the session showed how regular reading can enrich knowledge, imagination, and empathy. By the end of the programme, many students felt inspired to engage more deeply with books and to nurture reading as a daily habit, reinforcing literacy as a key to personal growth and positive social change.

Choose Your Path: CD & MP Orientation



The Department conducted a virtual specialization orientation session titled “Chart Your Journey” on 5 June 2025 via Google Meet, led by Dr. Aneesh Kurian, Head of the Department of Social Work at St. Joseph’s College, Devagiri. The session introduced students to the two key specialization tracks—Community Development (CD) and Medical & Psychiatric Social Work (MP)—explaining their core objectives, social relevance, and diverse career prospects. Presented in a clear and student-friendly manner, it helped participants align their interests with future opportunities and make confident, informed choices about their academic path. The programme concluded with interactive discussions, where Dr. Kurian urged students to see specialization as the starting point of a meaningful social work career built on passion, purpose, and real-world engagement.

Residential Journey into Social Work



The Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) organized a two-day residential workshop titled Deeksharambh from July 11 to 12, 2025, as a key component of the induction program for first-year MSW students. Designed as an immersive orientation, the workshop aimed to ground students in the core values, ethics, and professional perspectives essential to social work practice. Led by Mr. K.A. James, Director of Vibgyor Educational and Charitable Trust, Kottiyoor, the sessions focused on professional identity formation, attitude development, and the central roles of empathy and reflective learning in the field. Through interactive discussions and group activities, students were encouraged to think critically about their responsibilities as future social change agents. The workshop concluded with reflective exercises that helped participants consolidate their learning, and feedback from students highlighted increased clarity, motivation, and a stronger sense of purpose as they began their MSW journey.

Field Exposure for Future Social Workers



The Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) organized an Observation Visit in August 2025 for the first-year MSW students of the 2025–2027 batch, giving them structured exposure to real-world social work settings. Students visited 12 different organizations, including child care institutions, medical and psychiatric facilities, community development organizations, old age homes, and rehabilitation centers, where they observed professional interventions and the roles of practitioners in diverse contexts. The

visit effectively bridged classroom theory with field practice, helping students clarify their areas of interest, prepare for future field placements, and lay a strong foundation for their growth as empathetic and skilled social work professionals.

Exploring the Social Sector



The Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) conducted an orientation session titled “Social Sector Expedition (Deeksharambh)” on July 17, 2025, under the guidance of Dr. A. B. Moideenkutty, Assistant Director of the SAFI Centre for Social Excellence. The programme intro-

duced students to the diverse dimensions of the social sector, including roles in government agencies, NGOs, welfare programmes, and developmental interventions, while highlighting emerging professional opportunities and contemporary challenges. Through an engaging lecture and interactive discussion, students were encouraged to connect classroom learning with real-world social change, strengthening their commitment to social development and the values of professional social work in building a more just and equitable society.

Beyond the Classroom: Visit to NIMHANS and UoH



The Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) organized a six-day exposure visit for first-year MSW students from August 4 to 9, 2025, to connect classroom learning with real-world practice. The programme focused on two premier institutions: NIMHANS in Bengaluru and the University of Hyderabad, giving

students a clear view of both clinical and academic dimensions of social work.

At NIMHANS, students observed key departments such as psychiatric social work, medical social work, and rehabilitation services, gaining first-hand insight into psychosocial interventions, multidisciplinary teamwork, and community mental health initiatives. The subsequent visit to the University of Hyderabad enabled them to interact with faculty and research scholars, engage in discussions on emerging trends in social work education, and explore contemporary research and policy-focused interventions. Together, these experiences broadened their professional horizons and better equipped them for future roles as social work practitioners and scholars.

Field Practicum with Sense India



Second-year MSW students of SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayur, completed an intensive field work practicum with Sense India International, Mumbai, from September 15 to October 8, 2025, focusing on inclusion and rehabilitation of persons with disabilities, especially those who are deaf-blind.

They conducted surveys, home visits, and experiential activities such as assisting deaf-blind students with daily tasks, gaining practical insight into tactile communication, adaptive teaching, and inclusive social work practice. The students also supported home-based interventions for children with Cerebral Palsy, strengthening their understanding of multidisciplinary rehabilitation and reinforcing their professional skills, empathy, and social responsibility as emerging social workers.

Film Screening & Open Forum



The Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) observed World Nature Conservation Day on July 28, 2025, with a meaningful film screening and open forum centred on the

animated movie WALL-E. The programme used cinema as a creative medium to highlight the importance of environmental protection, sustainable living, and responsible use of natural resources. Following the screening, students engaged in an open discussion on themes such as environmental degradation, human responsibility, and the vital role of youth in building a sustainable future. The session concluded with a collective call for conscious, everyday action toward conservation, reinforcing the department's commitment to nurturing ecological awareness and social responsibility among students.

Inclusive Care in Action: MSW Practicum at The Banyan



Second-year MSW students from the Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) completed an intensive field work practicum at The Banyan BALM – ECRC in Kovalam, Chennai, from September 15 to October 8, 2025. The placement offered rich hands-on experience in supporting individuals with mental health conditions and special needs, helping students connect their academic learning with real-world clinical and community-based practice.

During the practicum, students helped facilitate music, art and craft sessions, movie screenings, group activities, and physical exercises, all aimed at enhancing social interaction, creativity, and emotional well-being in an inclusive setting. Working closely with a multidisciplinary team, they gained valuable insight into individualized care planning, community interventions, and core social work values such as empathy, patient empowerment, and advocacy—strengthening their preparation to become skilled and socially responsible mental health professionals.

MSW Students Discover Hudai's Heartbeat



The Master of Social Work (MSW) students of SAFI Institute embarked on a transformative journey through a week-long rural camp at Hudai Village in Hangal, Karnataka, from September 27 to October 4, 2025. Immersed in the rhythms of rural life, the students explored the socio-economic fabric of Hudai, uncovering stories of resilience amid poverty, educa-

tional disparities, and limited access to essential services. Through detailed household surveys, focus group discussions, and lively interactions with community leaders, they pieced together the realities shaping the village. Beyond research, the camp became a platform for meaningful engagement—students led welfare drives, awareness sessions on health and hygiene, and initiatives promoting education and self-reliance. The experience enriched their professional insight while sowing seeds of empathy, social responsibility, and lasting dedication to the cause of rural development.

Finding Balance:

INSIRI Well-being Session



As part of the INSIRI Rural Camp, the Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) held an academic session titled “Balancing Everyday Life: Finding Equilibrium” on October 1, 2025, at Right Guidance English Medium School, Hangal.

Led by psychiatric social work expert Mr. Mohamed Rafeek T, the session stressed the importance of mental well-being, self-awareness, stress management, and healthy coping strategies in navigating daily pressures. Through interactive discussions and reflections, students learned practical ways to maintain emotional balance and were reminded that caring for their own holistic well-being is essential to sustaining effective and compassionate social work practice.

UDID Drive: Inclusion in Action at Huda Village



As part of their rural camp INSIRI, the first-year MSW students of the Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) organized a Unique Disability Identification (UDID) Card Registration Campaign on September 30, 2025, in Huda Village, Hangal, Karnataka. The initiative aimed to help persons with disabilities secure official certification, enabling access to vital government welfare schemes and support services. Grounded in a socio-demographic survey of 608 residents, the campaign identified nine underserved individuals with disabilities and provided them with focused assistance, making the registration process both efficient and inclusive. Working in collaboration with Al Hidaya Trust, the Hadia Karnataka Chapter, and local Panchayat representatives such as Mr. Magbul Badagi, Ms. Sneha Vinod, Mr. Muhammad Shaliqh, and Mr. Muin Hudavi, the students combined registration support with awareness sessions and hands-on training on the online application process. The effort not only empowered villagers to claim their rights more independently but also strengthened the students' professional skills and social commitment as emerging social work practitioners.

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Mental Health at the Grassroots



As part of the Rural Camp INSIRI organized by the Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), a focused academic session titled "Mental Health: Community-Based Approaches" was held on September 30, 2025, at Right Guidance English Medium School, Hangal. Led by Mr. Shafeeque T.K., Operation Head at the Padashala Centre for Special Needs, Kochi, the session highlighted how community-based interventions, early identification, and strong local support systems are crucial for promoting mental health and overall well-being. Using real-life case experiences and practical strategies, he emphasized the key role social workers play in building empathetic, responsive community ecosystems, inspiring students to work towards creating sustainable, positive change in the communities they serve.

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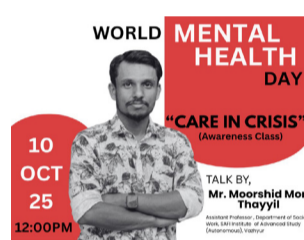
Resilient Communities: Ready for Any Crisis



As part of the Rural Camp "INSIRI" organized by the Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), an insightful academic session titled "Disaster Management: Community-Centered Planning" was held on

29 September 2025 at Right Guidance English Medium School, Hangal. Led by Ms. Asha V.K. Menon, District Disaster Management Plan Coordinator for Palakkad, the session highlighted the crucial role of local communities in disaster preparedness, mitigation, and coordinated crisis response. Emphasising that effective disaster management begins at the grassroots, she introduced students to contemporary disaster response frameworks, risk assessment methods, and practical, community-based strategies. The session inspired the budding social workers to integrate disaster management perspectives into their future interventions, nurturing a proactive, resilience-oriented approach to community welfare.

Hearts in Action: on World Mental Health Day



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Inclusion in Focus: Rethinking Disability



As part of the INSIRI Rural Camp, the Department of Social Work at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) held a session titled "Understanding Differently: Disability Perspective in Social Work" on October 2, 2025, at Right Guidance English Medium School, Hangal. Led by Senior Specialist Mr. Jobin C. Valsan from Sense International India, the session highlighted a rights-based approach to disability, urging students to move beyond charity models and address systemic barriers to inclusion. Participants were encouraged to embed empathy, dignity, and proactive advocacy into their future social work practice, keeping the needs and rights of persons with disabilities at the centre of their interventions.

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Dialogue for Change: Communication in Action



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Boundless Horizons: Alumni Sparks in Biotechnology



The Department of Biotechnology at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), in association with OSAA CSA (Biotechnology Students' Association SIAS), hosted a vibrant alumni session, "Alumni Stories: Scope and Importance of Biotechnology," on July 7, 2025, from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM. The session featured dynamic alumnus Mr. Hirul Bihijas VT (Batch 2020–2023), who traced his journey from SAFI to an MSc in Biomedical Science at Delhi University and his current role as Project Fellow at IIT Delhi, showcasing the powerful academic and career pathways biotechnology can offer. With energetic storytelling, he highlighted the expanding role of biotechnology in healthcare, research, and innovation, inspiring students to dream bigger and aim higher in this transformative field. Set against the serene Vazhayur campus backdrop, the event radiated enthusiasm, leaving students motivated, better informed, and proud to see how a SAFI graduate is making an impact in the scientific world.

Unlearning to Grow — A Journey Beyond Boundaries



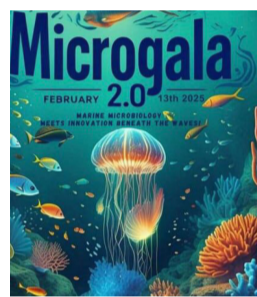
The Department of Biotechnology at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, hosted an inspiring session titled "Learn to Unlearn: Breaking Barriers to Real Learning" on Friday, July 4, 2025, from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM. Led by the dynamic Mr. Jamsheel Aboobacker, Head of the Department of Journalism & Mass Communication, the program offered biotechnology students a refreshing interdisciplinary perspective that encouraged them to shed outdated beliefs and embrace authentic, lifelong learning. Through engaging stories, thought-provoking discussions, and practical insights, Mr. Jamsheel illustrated how the ability to unlearn opens doors to innovation, adaptability, and deeper understanding—qualities vital for emerging scientists in today's fast-changing world. The session left students reflective, motivated, and ready to challenge conventions with renewed enthusiasm and critical thinking. Embodying SAFI's commitment to holistic education, the event was a powerful reminder that real learning often begins with unlearning.

Gentle Voices, Strong Hearts



The Department of Biotechnology at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, On 15th July 2025, from 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM. Hosted a heartfelt workshop titled "Compassionate Conversations." Led by Mr. Muhammed Shalik N., Assistant Professor in the Department of Social Work, the session blended warmth, clarity, and practical wisdom as students explored empathetic listening, kind communication, emotional intelligence, and the power of genuine human connection. In a safe, supportive space, participants practiced active listening, embraced vulnerability, and discovered the gentle strength needed for truly compassionate dialogue. This one-hour journey beautifully complemented the scientific training of Biotechnology students with essential life skills, reminding everyone that compassion is a powerful tool for healing, understanding, and growth. A sincere note of gratitude goes to Mr. Muhammed Shalik N. for guiding the session with such grace and authenticity, making the learning experience deeply meaningful and truly transformative.

Waves of Discovery: MicroGala 2.0 at SAFI



The Department of Microbiology at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) proudly organized MicroGala 2.0 on February 13, 2025 — a remarkable celebration of innovation and research in the realm of Marine Microbiology. The event, themed "Innovation Beneath the Waves," served as a dynamic platform that united students, researchers, and industry professionals in a shared pursuit of exploring the hidden wonders of the ocean. The gala buzzed with intellectual energy, featuring expert-led sessions, engaging exhibitions, and scholarly discussions that delved into the depth of marine biotechnology. Adding to the vibrancy were exceptional student presentations and creative displays that reflected the institute's dedication to academic excellence and research innovation. By the end of the day, MicroGala 2.0 had not only highlighted the significance of marine science in sustainable development but also reaffirmed SAFI's unwavering commitment to fostering scientific curiosity and pioneering discovery beneath the waves.

Triumph Beyond the Lab



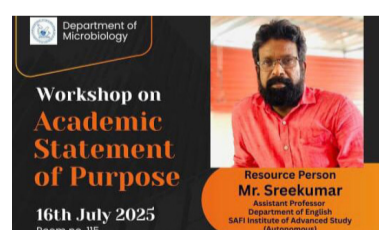
The Department of Microbiology at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study proudly celebrates a remarkable achievement as three talented students from the 2025 batch — Ansira K, Shifana K, and Safa Thasneem M.A. — have secured prestigious placements at ESAF Small Finance Bank through the initiatives of the SAFI Industry Connect Centre. This milestone stands as a testament to their dedication, perseverance, and the academic excellence fostered within the department. Throughout their journey, the trio exhibited outstanding technical expertise, professionalism, and an unwavering commitment to their goals. Their transition from academic pursuits in microbiology to the corporate arena highlights their adaptability and drive, marking them as exemplary representatives of the institution. Their success not only celebrates personal accomplishment but also inspires their peers to aim higher and pursue their ambitions with renewed enthusiasm. The department extends heartfelt congratulations to Ansira, Shifana, and Safa, wishing them continued success and fulfillment as they embark on this promising new chapter of their professional lives.

Pathways to Success: Empowering Future Microbiologists



The Department of Microbiology, under the esteemed banner of the SAFI Industry Connect Centre, organized an enlightening career guidance session exclusively for final-year students. The initiative aimed to bridge the gap between academic learning and professional readiness, helping students transition confidently into the global workforce. Leveraging the expertise and resources of the Industry Connect Centre, the program offered a well-structured roadmap to guide students as they approach the completion of their undergraduate studies. The session provided an in-depth exploration of diverse career prospects in both scientific and non-scientific arenas while highlighting the crucial role of soft skills such as effective communication, interview techniques, and workplace ethics. Through engaging discussions and direct interaction with industry professionals, students gained valuable insights into emerging career pathways, leaving the session inspired, better prepared, and more confident about shaping their future careers.

Mastering the Microscopic World



The Department of Microbiology hosted an engaging hands-on workshop titled "Precision and Practice: A Hands-on Workshop on Essential Microbiological Techniques", designed to help students gain confidence and mastery in essential lab skills. The session brought theory to life, guiding participants through the fascinating world of microbiology with practical activities focused on culture handling, detailed staining methods, and the importance of maintaining aseptic conditions. Under the expert supervision of faculty members, students not only learned the technical precision behind these techniques but also discovered the thrill of real laboratory work. The workshop served as a valuable stepping stone, bridging classroom learning with professional laboratory practice, and inspiring future microbiologists to approach their discipline with both skill and curiosity.

Discovering the Future of Microbiology



The Department of Microbiology recently organized an inspiring expert session titled “Exploring New Horizons: Expert Session on Industrial and Research Microbiology”, which offered students a glimpse into the dynamic world of modern microbiology beyond the classroom. The session featured a distinguished professional from the biotechnology sector who shared valuable insights into the expanding roles of microbiologists in industrial innovation and scientific research. With engaging discussions and real-world examples, the event created a lively exchange of ideas, motivating students to think beyond textbooks and explore emerging global trends in microbiology and biotechnology. This interactive experience not only expanded their academic perspective but also ignited a passion for research, encouraging them to pursue meaningful contributions to the ever-evolving scientific community.

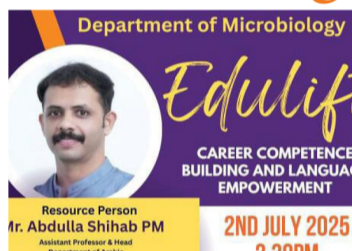
Charting New Horizons



The institution recently organized an inspiring session titled “Steering the Future: A Motivational Transition Session for Outgoing Students”, aimed at empowering the final-year batch as they prepare to take their next big step beyond campus life. This thoughtfully planned event guided students through the challenges of transitioning from academia to the professional world, motivating them to approach new opportunities with confidence and resilience.

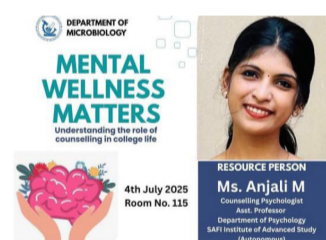
Through heartfelt addresses and insightful reflections, faculty members encouraged students to build strong leadership qualities, uphold ethical values, and remain adaptable in their career journeys. The session also became a moment of celebration, honoring the outgoing class for their academic achievements and vibrant participation in campus life. Concluding on an uplifting note, the program left students feeling inspired, ready to steer their future with purpose and passion.

Language as a Career Catalyst



The Department organized an inspiring session titled “Edulift – Career Competence Building and Language Empowerment” on July 2, 2025, led by Mr. Abdulla Shihab P.M., Assistant Professor and Head of the Department of Arabic at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study. The session highlighted the vital role of language proficiency and confidence in achieving career success. Through interactive discussions and confidence-building activities, students learned how effective communication and self-assurance can enhance professional growth. The program left participants motivated to apply these skills in both academic and professional spheres, turning language into a true catalyst for career excellence.

Nurturing Minds: The Power of Counselling



The Department organized an insightful session titled “Mental Wellness Matters: Understanding the Role of Counselling in College Life” on July 4, 2025, to promote mental well-being among students. Led by Ms. Anjali M, Counseling Psychologist, the session focused on managing stress, maintaining emotional balance, and understanding the value of professional counselling in academic life. Through open discussions and interactive reflections, students discovered how prioritizing mental health can enhance both personal and academic growth. The program created a supportive space that encouraged awareness, resilience, and a healthier approach to student life.

Eating Right for a Healthier Tomorrow



On July 7, 2025, the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study hosted an enlightening session on “FSSAI and the Eat Right India Movement,” highlighting the importance of food safety and healthy dietary habits. Led by Mr. Fairouz Jazack, Technical Officer at FSSAI Cochin, the session offered valuable insights into national initiatives promoting safe, nutritious, and sustainable food practices. Through engaging discussions, participants learned about the principles of food hygiene, the significance of balanced nutrition, and the role of individuals in fostering public health. The event proved both informative and inspiring, empowering students and faculty to become conscious consumers and advocates of mindful eating.

Crafting Communication with Confidence



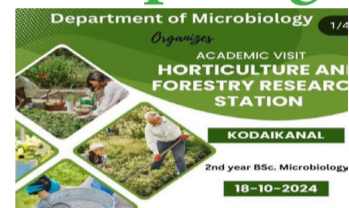
The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study organized a vibrant workshop titled “Crafting Communication: Honing Your English” on July 18, 2025, aimed at enhancing students’ English proficiency and communication skills. Led by Ms. Aneesunneesa P, Assistant Professor of English, the session offered a refreshing, hands-on approach to mastering language through interactive exercises rather than conventional lectures. Focusing on clarity, articulation, and confidence, the workshop guided students to express themselves more effectively in both academic and professional settings. By the end of the program, participants gained not only improved linguistic skills but also the self-assurance to communicate with purpose and precision in the modern world.

Tiny Heroes of the Earth



To mark World Environment Day, the Department of Microbiology organized an inspiring scientific awareness program titled “Microbes for a Greener Future.” The event spotlighted the often-overlooked yet crucial role of microorganisms in preserving our planet’s health. Through interactive sessions, engaging discussions, and creative poster presentations, students and faculty explored how microbes contribute to waste management, sustainability, and overall ecosystem balance. The program not only deepened scientific understanding but also nurtured a sense of environmental responsibility, reminding everyone that even the tiniest life forms can have the greatest impact in building a greener, more sustainable world.

Spreading Science, Inspiring Awareness



The Department of Microbiology organized an enriching community outreach program titled “Beyond the Classroom: Community Outreach Initiative on Health and Hygiene”, aimed at promoting awareness about hygiene, health, and microbial safety among local school students. The event beautifully blended science with service, bringing complex microbiological concepts to life through simple, hands-on demonstrations. Undergraduate students actively participated, guiding schoolchildren through interactive sessions that highlighted the importance of cleanliness and safe health practices. This initiative not only nurtured scientific curiosity among young learners but also encouraged undergraduates to embrace their role as responsible ambassadors of knowledge. The program received heartfelt appreciation from both students and teachers, who praised its engaging approach and its meaningful contribution to community well-being.

Mastering Presence: The Silent Language of Success



The Department organized a dynamic soft skills session titled “The Silent Language of Success – Command Attention through Body Language and Etiquettes” on July 15, 2025, aimed at helping students harness the power of non-verbal communication for professional and personal success. Led by Ms. Farha Baramy, Head of the Department of Microbiology at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, the session focused on the art of presence, confidence, and etiquette in effective communication. Through interactive activities and real-time demonstrations, students learned how posture, gestures, and subtle expressions shape perception and influence interactions. The session left participants more self-aware and equipped to project confidence and poise, preparing them to make a lasting impression in any professional environment.

Ignite Your Future: Shaping Mindset and Purpose



The Department of Microbiology conducted an inspiring session titled “Ignite Your Future: Motivation, Mindset, and FYUGP Orientation” on July 3, 2025, to welcome students into the Four-Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUGP). Led by Dr. Shainy N.K., Assistant Professor at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study,

the session combined academic guidance with motivational insights, helping students understand the structure and opportunities within the Microbiology curriculum. Dr. Shainy emphasized the importance of discipline, curiosity, and perseverance as foundations for success, encouraging students to approach their studies with confidence and purpose. The orientation not only clarified academic pathways but also inspired participants to embrace their journey with a positive and growth-oriented mindset.

BioVision: Guiding Futures in Life Sciences



The Department of Life Sciences organized an insightful career guidance session titled “BioVision: Shaping Careers and Advancing Education in Life Sciences” on July 3, 2025. Led by Dr. Shabanamol S, Assistant Professor and Research Director at the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, the session opened students’ eyes to the vast opportunities within

the ever-evolving field of biological sciences. Dr. Shabanamol highlighted the growing link between life sciences, technology, and innovation while encouraging students to explore advanced studies and emerging research pathways. The program inspired participants to think beyond conventional roles, envisioning careers that contribute meaningfully to global scientific progress and prepare them to excel in the dynamic world of modern science.

Digital Learning Unlocked



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study hosted an enlightening session titled “Empowering Learners: Getting Started with SWAYAM–NPTEL” on July 16, 2025. Presented by Ms. Divya M.C, the institute’s Single Point of Contact (SPOC) for SWAYAM–NPTEL, the program introduced students to the expanding world of digital education and online learning opportunities. The session offered practical

guidance on navigating Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs) and enrolling in top academic programs through trusted government platforms. By showcasing the power of accessible, high-quality online learning, Ms. Divya inspired students to harness digital tools to deepen their knowledge, strengthen employability skills, and stay future-ready in a rapidly evolving professional landscape.

Igniting Ideas: Spark to Startup



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study organized an inspiring session titled “Spark to Startup: Wake Up the Entrepreneur in You” on July 16, 2025, aimed at awakening the entrepreneurial spirit among students. Led by Mr. Vasil Vafeque, Assistant Professor from the Department of Commerce, the program encouraged partic-

ipants to turn innovative ideas into practical business ventures. Through lively discussions on startup culture, financial literacy, and the link between academia and industry, students gained valuable insights into applying knowledge creatively in the business world. The session concluded with renewed enthusiasm, motivating attendees to embrace innovation, self-reliance, and the confidence to step boldly into the world of entrepreneurship.

Campus2Career: Shaping Job-Ready Graduates



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, in collaboration with the SAFI Industry Connect Centre, conducted an intensive two-day Campus Recruitment Training Programme on October 14 and 15, 2024. Designed to bridge the gap between academics and professional

life, the program equipped final-year students with essential job market skills and confidence. Expert trainers, Mr. Bijoy S. S., English Master Trainer, and Mr. Uwais A. A., International Talent Curator, led interactive sessions focusing on communication skills, logical aptitude, and interview excellence. The program’s dynamic approach provided students with valuable real-world insights, empowering them to face recruitment challenges with professionalism and self-assurance.

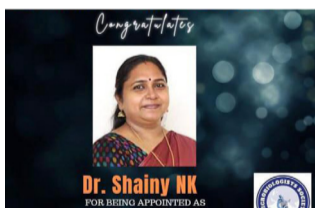
Cracking the Code to Research Success



The Department of Computer Application at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study organized an insightful session titled “Cracking the Code – CSIR NET, ICAR NET & GATE Opportunities” on July 18, 2025. Designed to guide students through the challenges of national-level competitive exams, the program shed light on the wide range of

research and academic opportunities available in India. Led by Mr. Anshid Babu, Assistant Professor in the Department of Computer Application, the session offered practical strategies for exam preparation, resource management, and goal setting. Beyond technical guidance, it inspired students to pursue higher studies and research with renewed confidence and motivation, paving their way toward academic excellence and professional growth.

A Proud Moment of Leadership



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study proudly celebrates the remarkable achievement of Dr. Shainy N.K. on her appointment as the State President of the Microbiologists Society, India (MBSI). This esteemed recognition reflects her exceptional expertise, dedication, and visionary leadership in the field of microbiology. Dr.

Shainy’s appointment not only honors her individual accomplishments but also brings immense pride to the institution, inspiring faculty and students alike. Her continued commitment to advancing scientific research and education marks a significant milestone in promoting academic excellence and fostering a culture of innovation within the scientific community.

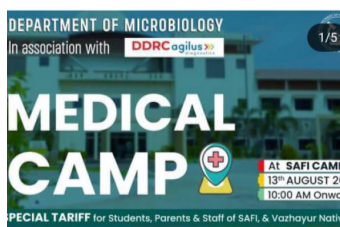
Charting Paths in Biotechnology



The Department organized an insightful career guidance programme titled “Study Opportunities and Career Choices” on November 13, 2024, in collaboration with VETA Genomics. Designed to connect academic learning with the dynamic world of biotechnology, the session offered students a clearer vision for their future studies and career options.

Expert speakers from VETA Genomics — Mr. Aphraim S. Pannikkal, Mr. Jimson Thomas, and Mr. Sajeesh Sabu — shared valuable insights into evolving trends, essential skills, and diverse opportunities in the research and biotech industries. The interactive session inspired participants to explore emerging career avenues with confidence and make informed choices for their professional growth.

Health for All: Medical Camp at SAFI



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, in collaboration with DDRC Agilus Diagnostics, organized a comprehensive Medical Camp on August 13, 2024, to promote health awareness and preventive care within the campus community. The initiative brought professional healthcare services right to the SAFI campus, offering affordable health check-up packages for students, parents, and staff. A special highlight of the event was free blood sugar testing for the first 50 participants, encouraging early diagnosis and proactive health management. The camp not only made quality healthcare accessible but also reflected the institute’s strong commitment to community well-being and holistic development.

Shaping the Future of Business Knowledge



The Department of Commerce proudly announces a remarkable academic achievement—the publication of the edited volume following the successful SAFCOM International Conference 2025. The book, titled “Emerging Paradigms in Business: Artificial Intelligence, Sustainability and Transformative Technologies,” compiles a distinguished selection of research papers presented during the event. This comprehensive volume embodies innovative thinking and scholarly excellence, offering valuable perspectives on the convergence of AI, environmental sustainability, and transformative technologies in modern commerce. Serving as both a testament to the department’s dedication to research and a vital resource for academics and professionals, the publication strengthens the global dialogue on the future of business and technology.

FinSias 2025: Nurturing Tomorrow’s Visionaries



The Department of Commerce proudly organized FinSias 2025, an electrifying inter-school management fest held on September 24, 2025. Designed to ignite young minds, the event offered an inspiring platform for students to display their managerial skills, strategic thinking, and creativity. A total of 158 students from 15 schools enthusiastically participated in three major contests—the dynamic Business Quiz, the intense Best Management Team challenge, and the exciting Treasure Hunt. Each competition tested teamwork, leadership, and problem-solving prowess, creating a vibrant atmosphere of learning and healthy rivalry. The grand finale concluded with a spirited prize distribution ceremony, where Seva Mandir School triumphed, clinching the coveted Overall Trophy for their remarkable all-round performance.

Azure 2025: the Spirit of Leadership



The Department of Commerce successfully organized Azure 2025: Fostering Leadership and Business Excellence on August 14, 2025, marking a remarkable celebration of talent and innovation. Designed to nurture leadership, teamwork, and business insight, the inter-departmental management fest brought together students from diverse academic streams, promoting experiential learning beyond the classroom. With 162 enthusiastic participants competing across three thought-provoking events, the fest showcased creativity, coordination, and strategic thinking at its best. Spearheaded by the final-year B.Com students, the event reflected their exceptional organizational acumen and professionalism. With high energy, collaboration, and a touch of competitive spirit, Azure 2025 stood out as a vibrant success, inspiring students to embrace excellence in leadership and management.

Residential Camp at Kakadampoyil



The Department of Commerce hosted a remarkable Residential Camp for final-year B.Com students on October 17, 2025, at the serene hill station of Kakadampoyil. Designed to bridge academia and the professional world, the camp emphasized the importance of soft skills such as team building, communication, and presentation finesse. Guided by renowned Corporate Trainer and Life Coach, Mr. Sulfeeker Aly P.K, participants engaged in interactive sessions and motivational exercises that inspired them to break barriers and embrace growth. Amidst nature’s calm, students discovered their strengths, built lasting teamwork, and refined their leadership potential—turning this camp into a transformative chapter of their academic journey.

A Transformative Visit to IIM Kozhikode



Students from the Department of Commerce embarked on an enriching academic journey to the Indian Institute of Management Kozhikode, On September 8, 2025. Where they attended an expert discussion on the theme “India in the New World Trade Order.” The session offered a deep dive into the evolving global economic landscape, allowing students to explore India’s emerging role in shaping international trade and market opportunities. Immersed in thought-provoking dialogue, they gained valuable insights into how policy shifts and innovation are redefining India’s global economic influence. The visit also included an extensive tour of IIM Kozhikode’s picturesque campus—an inspiring experience that showcased its world-class academic environment and state-of-the-art facilities. The day concluded with renewed motivation among the students to pursue academic excellence and global competence, widening their aspirations for success on the international stage.

Workshop Inspires Young Fil Makers



A two-day film appreciation workshop titled “Screenplay to Spotlight: Discovering Film Mastery” brought cinema to life at AVT on December 10–11, 2024. Organized by the Department of Multimedia, the programme offered participants a rare opportunity to explore filmmaking in depth, from the nuances of scriptwriting to the dynamics of screen presentation.

The workshop was led by Nazarullah P, an accomplished Assistant Professor, author, and actor from the Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, whose sessions blended theory with lived creative experience. His insightful engagement with the participants illuminated the art and craft of cinema, emphasizing how powerful storytelling and technical precision come together to create compelling films.

Principal Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya inaugurated the function, setting a thoughtful tone for the event and underlining the institution’s commitment to nurturing creative and critical understanding of media. By the conclusion of the two days, participants left inspired, more knowledgeable about the cinematic process, and better equipped to appreciate and analyse films with a discerning eye.

Multimedia Department Launches Association and Logo



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) inaugurated its official departmental association and launched its digital identity at the AVT Auditorium. The ceremony, which began at 10 a.m., marked a significant milestone in fostering creativity, industry connection, and student collaboration.

Prof. E.P. Imbichikoya, CEO of SAFI Groups, formally inaugurated the association and unveiled the department’s dynamic animated logo, a modern visual symbol reflecting the energy of multimedia arts. Col. Nisar Ahmed Seethi, Director (Administration), then launched the department’s official social media platforms to enhance student engagement and industry outreach.

The event was graced by acclaimed filmmaker Shri Musthafa, director of the National Award-winning films “MURA” and “Kapela”. He unveiled the department’s static logo and later engaged students in an inspiring interactive session following a special screening of “MURA”. Through candid discussions on filmmaking, storytelling, and industry challenges, students gained valuable insights into creative direction and professional perseverance, leaving them motivated for their future journeys.



Strengthening Democracy Through RTI Awareness



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) organised a meaningful workshop titled “Empowering Citizens & Strengthening Democracy” at the AVT hall, highlighting the transformative potential of the Right to Information (RTI) Act. Led by Abdulla Shihab P.M., Head of the Arabic Department, the session explored the RTI’s legal framework, practical application procedures, and its crucial role in promoting transparency and accountability in governance.

Through interactive discussions and real-life examples, students deepened their understanding of civic rights and developed a stronger sense of social responsibility. The workshop reinforced SAFI’s commitment to holistic education that nurtures informed, responsible, and proactive citizens capable of contributing meaningfully to a vibrant democracy.

“Click to Success” Soft Skill Training Program



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute conducted a Soft Skill Training Program on digital marketing led by industry expert Mr. Shaji Abraham from Futura Labs Technologies LLP. The workshop covered SEO, social media strategy, content creation, and data analytics through interactive sessions and real-world case studies.

The programme emphasized professional skills including communication, problem-solving, resume building, and interview techniques. Students gained both technical knowledge and professional confidence to pursue careers in digital marketing and related fields.

Design Horizons: Graphic Design Workshop



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute organized a one-day workshop titled “Design Horizons: Exploring Endless Possibilities in Graphic Design” on December 18, 2024, at the AVT venue. Led by Mr. Subhash Chandran, Creative Director of “White Dreams,” the session introduced students to graphic design applications in advertising, branding, digital media, and UX design.

Through interactive sessions and live demonstrations, participants explored contemporary design trends, industry tools, and real-world challenges. The workshop enhanced technical skills, creative thinking, and provided insights into freelancing opportunities in graphic design.

Canon Photograph Workshop

The Department of Multimedia and Photography Club of SAFI Institute, in collaboration with Canon India, organized a hands-on photography workshop on February 13, 2025. Led by Canon India’s technical trainer Mr. Vinodlal R. V., the session covered camera settings, lighting, composition, and post-processing.



Students gained hands-on experience, received personalized feedback, and boosted confidence with professional equipment. The workshop fostered peer networking and inspired participants to pursue photography more seriously.

Capturing Magic: Two-Day Residential Photography Workshop



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) organized an unforgettable two-day residential photography workshop camp on January 30–31, 2025, at the serene Wood Monk Resort in Vellarimala, Wayanad. Led by acclaimed professional photographer Praveen Mohan, the camp immersed students in advanced techniques such as composition, lighting, visual storytelling, and post-processing. Nestled amidst Wayanad’s breathtaking misty hills and lush forests, participants explored landscape, portrait, and candid photography, benefiting from one-on-one mentoring, real-time feedback, and collaborative peer sessions.

The hands-on experience sharpened technical skills, boosted confidence with professional equipment, and fostered critical thinking in crafting compelling narratives through the lens. The camp culminated in participants creating impressive personal portfolios, showcasing remarkable growth and creativity. The department eagerly anticipates more such transformative experiences to nurture visual artists.



Certificate Course in Digital & Social Media Marketing



The Department of Multimedia, in collaboration with Futura Lab and the SAFI Industry Connect Centre (S-ICC), conducted a six-day Certificate Course in Digital & Social Media Marketing from February 6–11. The course bridged academic learning with industry requirements through practical, hands-on training.

The programme covered social media strategy, SEO, paid advertising, analytics, and branding through expert-led sessions emphasizing real-world scenarios. Students gained in-demand skills and certifications to enhance employability in digital marketing fields.



Women in Media: Challenging Stereotypes

The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute hosted a session on gender stereotypes in advertising led by Dr. Noorunnida M., Head of the Department of Social Work. The session examined how advertising reinforces traditional gender roles and marginalizes women’s identities.

Students analyzed advertisements, discussed ethical media practices, and reflected on their role as future media professionals. The event equipped participants with critical thinking tools and commitment to promoting gender equity in media.



Empowering Academia: Guiding Students Toward Success



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) organized an inspiring session titled "Empowering Academia" on July 10, 2025, as part of the academic orientation for first-year students. Led by Col. Nisar Ahmed Seethi, Director (Administration), SAFI Group of Institutions, the session focused on discipline, personal growth, and the core values needed for success in academic and professional life.

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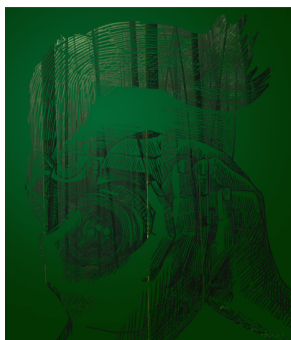
Listen to Succeed: Understanding the Power of Active Listening



The Department of Social Work at the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) organised a session titled "Listen to Succeed" on 2 July 2025, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., in the First Year BA Multimedia classroom as part of the induction programme for new students.

Led by Mr. Muhammed Shalikh N., Assistant Professor, the session highlighted the importance of active listening as a key skill for academic success, personal growth, and professional development. Through an engaging interaction, students were encouraged to reflect on their listening habits and understand its role in effective communication. The programme offered a meaningful start to the academic journey of first-year BA Multimedia students.

Photography Competition on World Environment Day



The Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute, in collaboration with the Nature Club and Photographic Club, organized a World Environment Day Photography Competition on June 5, 2025. Themed "1mkvānlv bpK`nse a`pw a\pjy\pw" (Soil and Humanity in the Age of Plastic), the event aimed to raise awareness about plastic pollution's impact on soil, nature, and human life.

The competition provided a creative platform for students and photography enthusiasts to convey environmental messages through visual storytelling. Participants highlighted the urgent need for sustainable living and environmental responsibility, transforming photography into a powerful tool for advocacy and change.

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Industrial Visit to Madhyamam Daily



The purpose of the industrial visit to Madhyamam Daily on July 31, 2025, was to provide first-semester BA Multimedia students with essential hands-on exposure to the professional environment of a major news press. This practical experience aimed to solidify their understanding of two critical processes in media production: layout designing and printing.

The core educational element was a session conducted by Mr. Rasheed Ali, the Deputy General Manager of Production and Maintenance. His lecture went beyond the physical machinery, emphasizing the sophisticated technological foundation of modern media. Specifically, he discussed the vital role of semiconductor technology in driving both Information Technology and the multimedia industry.

In summary, the visit successfully connected academic theory with industrial reality, giving the 43 student participants practical insights into real-world press operations and showcasing how cutting-edge technological advancements are seamlessly integrated into the daily running of a major media house.

Lens and Life: Photo Walk to Chaliyar



The Department of Multimedia successfully organized the Lens and Life: Photo Walk to Chaliyar, running from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. On July 29, 2025. This hands-on program immersed participants in the stunning natural landscapes of the Chaliyar River, blending practical photography with creative storytelling.

Led by Mr. Nazarullah P, Assistant Professor, Author, and Actor from the Department of Journalism, the session offered deep insights into photography as a tool for expression and visual communication. Students enhanced their multimedia skills through real-world application, capturing the beauty of Chaliyar while learning composition and framing techniques. The event effectively integrated academic knowledge with experiential learning, proving highly enriching for all involved.

Gen AI for Creatives: Beyond the Prompt



The Department of Multimedia successfully organized an enlightening session titled "Gen AI for Creatives: Beyond the Prompt" for its B.A. Multimedia students. The program took place on August 1, 2025, running from 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the AVT facility. The initiative aimed to equip students with knowledge regarding the swiftly evolving technological landscape in the creative industry.

The resource person for this crucial session was Mr. Mohamed Jabir P. K., an Assistant Professor from the Department of Computer Science at Majlis Arts and Science College (Autonomous). The session was specifically designed to introduce students to the transformative role of generative AI tools in significantly enhancing both creativity and multimedia production workflows. Ultimately, the program provided valuable insights into how these emerging technologies are actively shaping the future of creative practices, encouraging students to look past simple prompts and embrace AI as a powerful collaborative tool.

Inauguration of New Multimedia Lab



The new Multimedia Lab at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous) in Vazhayoor was officially inaugurated by Mr. C.H. Abdurahim, Chairman of the Social Advancement Foundation of India (SAFI). Designed exclusively for undergraduate students, the state-of-the-art facility marks a major boost to hands-on multimedia education. In his address, Mr. Abdurahim announced plans to introduce more innovative, technology-driven courses tailored to current job market needs, ensuring students gain relevant skills for the digital era. The event featured speeches by key officials, including General Secretary Mr. M.A. Mehboob, Vice Chairman Mr. Aamir Ahmed, CEO and Principal Prof. E.P. Imbichikkoya, Director Colonel Nisar Ahmed Seethi, Vice Principal T.P. Muhammad Kamil, Kanees Aamir, Ibrahim Babu, Head of Multimedia Department Muhammad Abdul Raouf, and Assistant Professor Abdul Rahiman. The new lab equips students with cutting-edge tools for visual communication and digital media, reinforcing SAFI's commitment to excellence and industry-ready education.



LUCIDO: Vintage Camera and Photography Exhibition



In a captivating tribute to the art of photography, the Department of Multimedia at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies celebrated World Photography Day with "LUCIDO," a captivating Vintage Camera and Photography Exhibition. The event was inaugurated by Principal Prof. E.P. Imbichikkoya and graced by key dignitaries, including Administration Director Col. (Retd.) Nisar Ahmed Seethi, Vice Principal T.P. Muhammed Kamil, Head of Multimedia Department Muhammed Abdul Raouf, and Assistant Professor Abdurahman, who addressed the audience. Curated under the guidance of cameraman P.V. Sharafudheen, the exhibition featured rare cameras spanning nearly 200 years alongside impressive photographs taken by faculty and students. School students from Kondotty and Beypore constituencies visited, gaining meaningful exposure to photography's rich heritage. The celebration also included vibrant inter-college competitions—a Photography Contest, Spot Photography Contest, Photography Quiz, and Puzzle Competition—attracting enthusiastic participation from students across institutions. "LUCIDO" successfully blended history, creativity, and competition, inspiring attendees and reinforcing the timeless allure of photography.

Industrial Visit to Media One News Channel



The second-year B.A. Multimedia students of the college recently undertook a highly beneficial industrial visit to the Media One News Channel. The visit took place on August 12, 2025, running from 10:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. A total of 27 students participated in this program, accompanied by one faculty member.

The primary objective of this organized visit was to significantly enhance the students' knowledge and practical understanding of media production techniques. By observing the live operations of a professional media institution like Media One, the program successfully provided students with a crucial opportunity to see theory put into practice. This valuable experience served to effectively bridge the gap between their academic learning and the complex, fast-paced realities of real-world industry practices.

Read, Research, Rise: Library Orientation



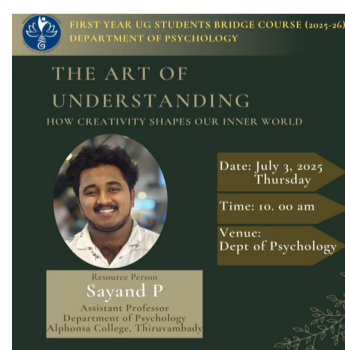
The Department of Multimedia conducted the library orientation program Read Research Rise for first-year B.A. Multimedia students in the Multimedia Classroom at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous). The session was led by Mr. Yaseen Aboobacker, the institute's Librarian, who guided students on effectively utilizing library resources, accessing information, and managing research tools to support academic growth. The program successfully equipped newcomers with foundational research practices, fostering strong habits essential for success in multimedia studies and beyond.

Nurturing Young Minds: A Bridge to Professionalism



The Department of Psychology organized an inspiring Bridge Course titled "From Student to Psychologist: Key Competencies" for the first-year undergraduate students of the 2025–26 batch on July 4, 2025, at 10:00 A.M. The session, led by Ms. Saranya M, a distinguished Consultant Psychologist, aimed to guide freshers through their evolving journey from academic learners to future mental health professionals. Through her insightful presentation, Ms. Saranya highlighted the essential skills, ethical responsibilities, and professional mindset required in the field of psychology. The program offered students a clear roadmap to develop core competencies while instilling a sense of purpose and direction in their academic pursuit. Serving as both a warm welcome and a meaningful orientation, the event truly bridged the gap between classroom learning and real-world psychological practice.

The Art of Understanding: Bridging Minds and Creativity



The Department of Psychology warmly inaugurated its Bridge Course for the First-Year UG students (2025–26) with an inspiring session titled "The Art of Understanding: How Creativity Shapes Our Inner World." Held on July 3, 2025, the session opened at 10:00 AM in the Department of Psychology and welcomed the new batch into the fascinating world of human understanding. The event featured Mr. Sayand P, Assistant Professor at Alphonsa College, Thiruvambady, as the resource person. With his engaging insights, he guided students through the intricate relationship between creativity and the mind—revealing how imaginative expression can serve as a window into our inner thoughts and emotions. The session not only introduced students to the essence of psychology but also encouraged them to perceive it as an art that harmonizes science and self-discovery.

Breaking the Silence: Inspires a Healthier Mindset



The Department of Psychology at the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, in collaboration with the Mental Health Club, hosted an inspiring awareness session titled “ME TALK” on August 13, 2025, at the college Seminar Hall. Held from 1:15 PM to 3:30 PM, the event created a warm and open atmosphere where students and faculty came together to explore the importance of emotional well-being. The

session featured Mr. Bineesh Vaidyarangadi as the keynote speaker, whose thought-provoking insights shed light on the strength found in self-expression and the healing power of communication. Through engaging discussions and shared reflections, participants were encouraged to speak openly about their experiences, embrace vulnerability, and support one another in their mental health journeys. The event stood as a powerful reminder of the department’s unwavering commitment to nurturing a compassionate campus culture—one that listens, understands, and grows together.

Seminar on Building Healthy Relationships



In celebration of International Youth Day 2025, the Mental Health Club under the Department of Psychology at the Institute of Advanced Study hosted an inspiring seminar titled “Building and Navigating Healthy Relationships: A Youth-Centric Approach” on August 12, 2025. Held in the Seminar Hall, the session was designed to help young minds understand and strengthen their social and emotional well-being. The keynote speaker, Ms. Aparna V. V.—a renowned Consultant Psychologist, Assistant Professor, and Research Scholar—delivered an engaging and thought-provoking talk that explored the intricacies of modern relationships. Through her dynamic presentation, she emphasized the value of empathy, communication, and healthy boundaries in nurturing meaningful connections. The event fostered open dialogue and self-reflection, leaving participants empowered with practical insights to build balanced and emotionally fulfilling relationships in their personal and academic lives.

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Charting the Path to IT Success

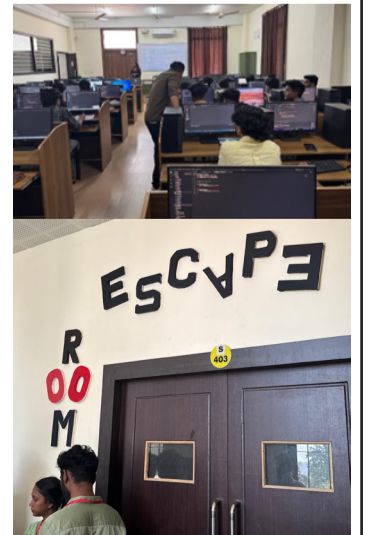


The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence hosted an inspiring expert talk titled “Kick Start Your IT Career” on November 13, 2024, aiming to guide second- and final-year Computer Science students toward a successful future in technology. The session featured seasoned professionals from Bridgeon Pvt Ltd—Jabir Ismail, Nasheed P.E., and Muhammed Shamil—who

shared real-world experiences and valuable insights into the evolving IT landscape. Focusing on both technical proficiency and essential soft skills, the experts helped students navigate career opportunities in fields like software development, networking, cybersecurity, cloud computing, and data science. The event’s interactive discussions sparked curiosity and motivation among participants, making it a dynamic platform that bridged classroom learning with the fast-paced demands of the global digital industry.



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence, in collaboration with the Department of Computer Applications, proudly hosted Technora 3.0, a spectacular National-Level IT Fest that pulsed with creativity and innovation on the 4th and 5th of February 2025. Drawing nearly a thousand participants from institutions across India, the event transformed the campus into a vibrant hub of technology and talent. Over two electrifying days, participants dove into 20 diverse events—from the adrenaline-fueled 24-Hour National Hackathon to engaging Paper Presentation contests, Technical Quizzes, and a cutting-edge Expo on the latest trends in Computer Science. The fest’s expert-led workshops on Artificial Intelligence, Stock Marketing, Digital Marketing, and 3D Animation offered invaluable insights into the ever-evolving tech world. Adding color and creativity, participants tested their wits in the Escape Room Challenge, explored digital thrills in the VR Horror Room, and expressed their artistic vision through Poster Making, UI/UX Design, and Reel Making contests. With its perfect blend of learning, innovation, and fun, Technora 3.0 not only celebrated technical excellence but also built bridges between students, alumni, and industry experts—igniting inspiration for the next wave of tech visionaries.



Beyond Words: The Art of Knowing Your Client



The Department of Psychology, in a notable collaboration with PsyBridge–Aifer, hosted an enlightening workshop titled “The Art of Knowing Your Client: Story, Self, and Subtleties” on August 19, 2025. Held from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., the session invited participants to journey into the deeper dimensions of therapeutic connection. Led by the distinguished Consultant Psychologist and

COO & Co-Founder of Aifer Education, Mr. Jaseed P. Beeran, the workshop explored how a client’s life story intertwines with the therapist’s self-awareness to shape the healing process. With an emphasis on storytelling as both a diagnostic and therapeutic tool, Mr. Beeran’s insightful guidance helped participants uncover the subtle art of building trust and understanding within therapy. The event offered budding psychologists an enriching blend of theory and practice, ultimately strengthening their grasp of the profound human narratives at the heart of effective counseling.

Blooming Within: A Session on Self-Love and Empowerment



The Department of Psychology hosted a heartfelt and inspiring session titled “From Words to Impact: The Power of Self-Love and Empowerment” on July 18, 2025, at 11:30 a.m. The event delved into the transformative power of self-talk and the role of positive perception in shaping personal growth. Led by the insightful keynote speaker, Ms. Farha Baramy, Head of the Department and Assistant

Professor of Microbiology at SIAS, the session carried a powerful message about turning empowering words into meaningful actions. With her engaging discourse, Ms. Baramy guided students to recognize self-love not as a luxury but as a vital component of their emotional and academic well-being. The program left participants inspired to nurture resilience, embrace self-care, and channel inner strength into purposeful living—making “From Words to Impact” a truly transformative experience.

Bridging Dreams with Digital Futures



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence organized an enlightening expert talk titled “Kick Start Your IT Career” on November 13, 2024, aimed at empowering second- and final-year Computer Science students to shape their futures in technology. Industry veterans

from Bridgeon Pvt Ltd—Jabir Ismail, Nasheed P.E., and Muhammed Shamil—shared their journeys and insights into the ever-evolving world of IT. From software development and cybersecurity to cloud computing and data science, the speakers emphasized both technical expertise and vital soft skills essential for thriving in today’s competitive tech arena. The interactive session not only broadened students’ perspectives but also ignited fresh enthusiasm, creating a vibrant bridge between academic learning and the dynamic realities of the digital industry.

Technora 3.0: Where Innovation Met Imagination

Shaping Dreams in Tech: Passion to Profession



The Department hosted an inspiring career talk titled “Building a Future in Tech: Turning Passion into Profession” on January 3, 2025, exclusively for first-year Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence students. Led by Mr. Rajeesh P, a seasoned Technical Architect from Quest Global, Technopark, Trivandrum, the session opened a window into the dynamic world of modern technology. Drawing from his decade-long experience in the IT industry, Mr. Rajeesh guided students through promising domains like Data Science, Web Development, Cloud Computing, Cybersecurity, UX/UI Design, and IoT. His engaging narrative emphasized how curiosity and enthusiasm, when coupled with skill and perseverance, can shape a rewarding career in tech. The session left students motivated and better equipped to align their academic journey with real-world industry trends, igniting a renewed sense of purpose in building their future careers.

AI Launchpad: Shaping Innovators of Tomorrow



The Department proudly introduced a 40-hour add-on course, Building Applications in Artificial Intelligence, tailored for final-year students eager to dive into the world of emerging technologies. Running from November to March, this hands-on program focuses on transforming theoretical knowledge into real-world AI solutions, empowering students to design intelligent applications with confidence. Conducted in collaboration with Maitexa, a renowned IT company in Calicut, the course offers invaluable exposure to industry practices and cutting-edge tools. With thirty-two enthusiastic participants, this initiative reflects a vital leap toward nurturing innovation and bridging the gap between academia and the dynamic tech industry.



AI Orientation Inspires Future Innovators



The Department of Computer Science hosted an insightful orientation session titled “Navigating the Future: An Orientation on Artificial Intelligence” on December 12, 2024, exclusively for its final-year students. The event featured Mr. Subin PS, a seasoned developer from Scantek Pvt. Ltd., Kochi, who captivated the audience with his practical insights into the rapidly evolving world of Artificial Intelligence. Designed to guide students as they step into their professional journeys, the session shed light on the intricate differences between Artificial Intelligence (AI), Machine Learning (ML), and Deep Learning (DL). Mr. Subin also explored the fascinating spectrum of AI—from the specialized applications of Narrow AI to the futuristic concepts of General and Super Intelligent AI. The orientation not only clarified complex concepts but also inspired students to envision their roles in shaping the intelligent technologies of tomorrow.

Bridging Minds: Where Learning Meets Industry



The BSc Computer Science program at SAFI Institute continues to strengthen its vision of practical learning by fostering vital connections between academia and the tech industry. This year, 31 students from the department completed prestigious internships, gaining hands-on experience that turned classroom concepts into real-world innovation. A major highlight was the five-day internship at IIT Palakkad in October 2024, where thirteen third-year students immersed themselves in advanced Coding Frameworks and Artificial Intelligence. Through this experience, they explored the cutting edge of AI problem-solving and understood how research shapes the evolving field of computer science. Meanwhile, eighteen final-year students successfully completed an intensive program at Nest Technologies, Kochi, specializing in Full Stack Development and the Angular Framework. Their training spanned every layer of modern software creation — from UI/UX design to backend integration — empowering them with essential skills for today’s competitive tech environment. These internships mark a proud step forward in SAFI’s commitment to producing industry-ready professionals and bridging the ever-important gap between theory and practice.

Inside the Circuits: A Journey Through Kaynes Technology



On January 25, 2025, first-year Computer Science students embarked on an inspiring industrial visit to Kaynes Technology, Mysore—a renowned name in motherboard manufacturing. The visit offered a fascinating window into how hardware and software converge to drive modern innovation. Students witnessed every stage of the motherboard’s creation, from conceptual design and precise assembly to final testing, bridging their theoretical studies with real-world applications. This hands-on experience beautifully complemented their first-semester subject, Fundamentals of Computers and Computational Thinking, turning textbook concepts into tangible understanding. Observing the “brain” of a computer come to life not only deepened their knowledge of computer architecture but also sparked curiosity about the precision and creativity behind the global IT industry.

Innovating Beyond Boundaries



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence has marked a proud chapter of global achievement, standing out at the ICSET 2024 International Conclave organized by Microsoft and the ICT Academy of Kerala. Three brilliant students—Fathima Sana, Shibily Munna, and Amritha—earned three of the top ten ranks in the ICT Techathlon, distinguishing themselves from 500 participants and reflecting the department’s strong culture of excellence. Adding to this momentum, twenty-nine students and three faculty members actively participated in the ICT Academy International AI Conclave, deepening their exposure to emerging technologies and global best practices. The department also celebrated major research milestones, with Head of Department Mr. Arshad PT receiving a patent on February 14, 2025, for his work on a secure and scalable big data file system, and Ms. Divya MC earning a patent on January 3, 2025, for an IoT-powered soil health identification system that promotes sustainable agriculture. Together, these achievements highlight a vibrant ecosystem where young innovators and visionary faculty collaborate to drive meaningful, real-world impact.

Charting Your AI Journey



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence hosted an expert session, “Step-by-Step Guide to AI and ML Career Opportunities,” on July 4, 2025, for second-year students, led by industry expert Mr. Dileep G, CTO of One Team Solutions EdTech Pvt Ltd, Kochi. He introduced the foundations and real-world impact of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning across sectors like healthcare, finance, robotics, and education, while highlighting the rising demand for skilled professionals in these domains. The talk offered a clear roadmap from classroom learning to career readiness, stressing core skills, strong portfolios, and hands-on familiarity with tools such as Python and frameworks like TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, and Keras, inspiring students to confidently shape their future in AI.

Building Smarter Machines



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence conducted a technical talk, “Planning and Building Projects in AI,” on August 8, 2025, for final-year students, led by expert project trainer Mr. Subin from One Team Solutions EdTech Pvt Ltd, Kochi. He outlined the complete AI project journey—from problem definition and goal setting, through data collection, model training, and evaluation, to deployment and monitoring—giving students a clear, practical framework to design and execute impactful AI projects.

Crafting the Future with AI



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence hosted an inspiring one-day workshop, “Mastering the Art of Prompt Engineering,” on August 8, 2025, exclusively designed for final-year Computer Science students to sharpen their AI-era skill set. Led by distinguished industry expert Mr. Fahal Salam, CTO of Scantek IT Solution, Dubai, the session blended global industry insights with classroom learning, making advanced AI concepts both accessible and actionable. Throughout the workshop, students engaged in practical, hands-on activities that revealed how well-crafted prompts can dramatically enhance the effectiveness of AI tools, reinforcing the importance of prompt literacy in today’s digital world. By the end of the day, participants were not only more confident in communicating with AI systems but also motivated to continue exploring AI-assisted creativity and problem-solving as a powerful asset in their future professional journeys.

From Classroom to AI Careers



The Department of Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence hosted an inspiring session titled “Software Engineering: Campus Learning to AI Leading Industry” on July 4, 2025, at the Library Hall, exclusively for first-year Computer Science and AI students. Led by Mr. Sadique LA, CEO of Buffer-Bytes Technologies, the program offered a rare glimpse into how core software engineering concepts evolve within today’s rapidly changing, AI-driven industry. Through engaging real-world examples and practical insights, Mr. Sadique highlighted how classroom learning can be strategically aligned with professional expectations, helping students understand how their current studies connect to future roles in software and AI. By the end of the session, the young learners were not only better informed about industry standards but also more confident and motivated, with a clearer vision of how to navigate their career journeys in an era defined by Artificial Intelligence.

A Dialogue with Dr. Amal Abdulrahman



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayoor, came alive on October 3, 2024, with the thought-provoking event “Grad + Doc Chat,” featuring the distinguished Lindau Alumna, Dr. Amal Abdulrahman. The interactive session centered on women empowerment and created a vibrant space for students to connect with Dr. Amal’s inspiring journey through academia and research.

Drawing from her rich professional experiences, Dr. Amal spoke candidly about the challenges of carving a path in science and the perseverance it demands. She passionately underscored the importance of nurturing leadership among women in STEM and shared practical insights into thriving within the evolving world of research. The session fostered genuine dialogue between Dr. Amal and the participants, leaving the audience motivated to pursue excellence and dream beyond conventional boundaries.

A Journey Through Everyday Physics



The Department of Physics at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayoor, hosted an inspiring interactive session titled “Physics in Everyday Life” on January 24, 2025. Designed to bridge the gap between theory and reality, the event invited students to see the invisible forces shaping the world around them. Led by Dr. Mohamed Shahin Thayyil, Head of the Department of Physics at the University of Calicut, the session came alive through captivating demonstrations, engaging discussions, and relatable examples drawn from daily experiences.

Dr. Shahin’s dynamic presentation transformed complex physics concepts into fascinating stories of motion, energy, and matter at work in everyday life. The program not only deepened students’ understanding but also sparked a renewed curiosity—reminding everyone that physics is not confined to textbooks, but is woven seamlessly into the rhythms of our daily existence.

Shedding Light on the Ocean’s Secrets



The Department of Physics at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayoor, hosted an enlightening expert talk titled “Probing the Ocean with Light” on February 14, 2025. The session featured esteemed researcher Dr. Sayoob Vadake Chanthath, an expert in Ocean Optics and Remote Sensing from France. Blending the worlds of physics and marine science, Dr. Sayoob captivated the audience

with insights into how light and remote sensing technologies unravel the mysteries of our oceans. He highlighted their crucial role in understanding climate patterns, monitoring marine ecosystems, and advancing environmental preservation. The interactive session sparked vibrant discussions and deep curiosity among students and researchers alike, marking the event as a memorable and inspiring exploration of how light continues to illuminate the hidden depths of our planet.

Shaping Tomorrow Sustainably



The Department of Physics at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayoor, hosted an inspiring invited talk titled “Transitioning from Conventional to Green and Clean Energy Technologies” on February 27, 2025. The session spotlighted the pressing global

demand for sustainable energy solutions and the shift away from traditional sources. Dr. P. Muhammed Shafi, INSPIRE Faculty member from the Department of Physics at NIT Calicut, captivated the audience with his deep insights into renewable energy innovations, energy storage technologies, and the scientific breakthroughs driving the green energy revolution. His address not only illuminated the challenges of transforming the energy landscape but also encouraged students and researchers to innovate for a cleaner, greener world. The event served as a powerful call to embrace sustainability through science and technology.

Unfolding the Layers of Innovation



The Department of Physics at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), Vazhayoor, in collaboration with the SIAS Research Center, Kohinoor, Malappuram, recently organized a dynamic two-week online workshop titled “Introduction to Graphene and Other 2D Materials.” Held from December 18 to 27, 2024, the program offered participants an immersive journey into the fascinating world of advanced materials science.

With sessions led by eminent experts from reputed academic and research institutions, the workshop explored the fundamentals, synthesis methods, and revolutionary applications of graphene and other two-dimensional materials. Rich with interactive discussions and real-world insights, the event served as an inspiring platform for students, researchers, and professionals eager to expand their knowledge and engage with the future of nanotechnology and advanced electronics.

Treasuring the Library of Life



In celebration of NSS Day, the dedicated volunteers of NSS Unit 202 from the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study visited the Ayikkarappadi Old Age Home on September 24, 2025. Beginning at 9:30 AM, the heartfelt initiative aimed to honor the senior residents by sharing time, warmth, and compassion under the meaningful

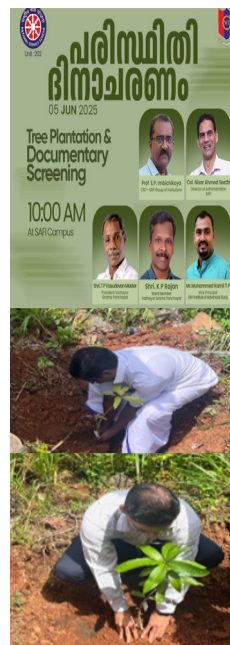
theme, “Seniors are the library of life, treasure them.” The morning was filled with joyful interactions, laughter, and stories that bridged generations. As the volunteers listened to the residents’ life experiences, they discovered invaluable lessons in resilience and wisdom, deepening their sense of empathy and social responsibility. True to the NSS motto, “Not Me But You,” the visit became more than just an event—it was a powerful reminder of the beauty of service, leaving both the students and the residents with hearts full of gratitude and connection.

Harvesting Harmony: NSS Root Crop Initiative



The NSS Unit of SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (SIAS) brought learning to life through a Root Crop Harvesting Program held on December 2, 2024, at the lush Nakshathra Vanam. Guided by NSS Program Officer Mr. Mujeeb Rahiman, the event began at 3:00 PM, blending agricultural awareness with experiential learning. What made the day special was the spirit of collaboration as Vice Principal Mr. Mohammed Kamil and Administrative Officer Mr. Abdulla joined volunteers and faculty members in a shared mission to promote sustainable farming. The green surroundings of Nakshathra Vanam created the perfect classroom, where students learned the value of responsible cultivation and teamwork. As the final crops were gathered, the participants walked away not just with a harvest from the soil but with a deeper appreciation for nature's cycles and the essence of community service and environmental stewardship. The initiative beautifully reflected the NSS vision—cultivating compassion, sustainability, and collective effort in every endeavor.

Roots for the Future



The NSS Unit No. 202, in collaboration with the NCC Unit of the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, celebrated World Environment Day on June 5, 2025, with a focus on conservation and awareness. Led by NSS Program Officer Mr. Mujeeb Rahiman, the event opened with inspiring messages from dignitaries who emphasized sustainability and community action. A lively tree plantation drive followed, with students and faculty planting native saplings to enrich campus biodiversity. The celebration concluded with a documentary screening on environmental challenges, inspiring participants to embrace a greener, more responsible future.

A Day of Gratitude and Smiles



The NSS volunteers of SAFI Institute of Advanced Study made September 5, 2024, truly special by celebrating Teachers' Day with heartfelt warmth and creativity. The campus came alive with gratitude as students poured their admiration into heartfelt letters, dropped lovingly into decorated letter boxes

for their mentors. NSS volunteers added a personal touch by gifting handcrafted greeting cards, pens, and chocolates, spreading smiles across the faculty. The highlight of the celebration was a lively "Mind Game" competition that saw teachers showcasing their quick thinking in a cheerful, friendly spirit. The day resonated with laughter, appreciation, and joy—leaving everyone reminded of the beautiful bond between teachers and students.



Stretching Towards Serenity



The NSS Unit No. 202, in collaboration with the NCC Unit of the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, joyfully marked International Yoga Day on June 21, 2025, with an inspiring blend of energy and mindfulness.

Held in the Seminar Hall at 9:30 AM, the event brought together NSS volunteers, NCC cadets, and faculty members in a vibrant celebration of well-being. Under the expert guidance of Col. Nisar Ahmed Seethi, participants immersed themselves in rejuvenating yoga postures and soothing breathing exercises that harmonized body and mind. Col. Seethi's motivational address highlighted yoga's timeless benefits, inspiring everyone to make it a part of daily life. The morning closed with smiles, calm hearts, and a collective sense of renewal—truly reflecting SAFI's enduring commitment to fostering healthy, balanced, and mindful lives.

Kaniv: Spreading Kindness, One Drop at a Time



The NSS Unit of SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, in collaboration with Iqra Hospital, organized a heartwarming blood donation camp titled "Kaniv" on June 10, 2024, in the college seminar hall. The event, held in honor of World Blood Donor Day, celebrated the spirit of compassion and community service. From 9:00 AM onward, the hall buzzed with enthusiasm as 63 generous participants—including students, faculty, and staff—came together to donate blood, each contribution symbolizing hope and solidarity.

The NSS volunteers, joined by the skilled medical team from Iqra Hospital, ensured a smooth and safe donation process, conducting health checks and offering refreshments for every donor's well-being. The day stood as a proud moment for the SAFI community, proving that small acts of kindness, when united, can truly make a life-saving difference.

A New Chapter of Service Unfolds



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study reached a proud milestone with the selection and orientation of NSS Unit No. 202, held on August 23, 2025, at the Science Block Auditorium. The vibrant event sought to find socially committed students embodying the true essence of the National Service Scheme—selfless service

and community spirit. Through creative and thought-provoking stages such as the Scrap Challenge, which turned waste into art, and expressive Self-Introduction Videos showcasing passion and purpose, participants reflected genuine enthusiasm for change. Posters and reports highlighting themes of cleanliness, sustainability, and social welfare added a thoughtful dimension, while a spirited Cleaning Drive translated the NSS motto "Not Me But You" into real-world action. The final interviews, led by programme officers and senior volunteers, crowned a new team of dedicated changemakers—youth ready to lead with empathy, unity, and leadership to make a lasting difference.

Breaking the Chains: SAFI Unites Against Drug Abuse



The NSS Unit No. 202 of SAFI Institute of Advanced Study, in collaboration with the Substance Abuse and Prevention Cell, came together to mark the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking with an impactful awareness program On June 26, 2025. Held at 12:45 p.m. in the Main Block, the event turned the venue into a vibrant space of learning and reflection, adorned with posters and infographics carrying the powerful message "Say No to Drugs." Students and community members gathered not only to understand the grim realities of drug abuse but also to embrace the collective responsibility of fostering a healthier society. The day's most memorable moment came through a stirring drama performed by the talented students of Horizon School, depicting the painful journey of addiction and the redemptive strength of community support. Their heartfelt performance deeply touched the audience, leaving a lasting impression of hope and determination. The event culminated in a unified pledge-taking ceremony, where everyone vowed to remain drug-free and inspire others to do the same—an inspiring step by the NSS Unit toward nurturing a drug-free future.

Embodying the Spirit of the Constitution



In a spirited tribute to National Law Day, the Department of Public Administration, in collaboration with the National Service Scheme (NSS), hosted an intellectually vibrant quiz competition on the Indian Constitution on November 26, 2024. The event celebrated the wisdom enshrined in our nation's foundational document while inspiring students to embrace their civic responsibilities with renewed enthusiasm. Through engaging rounds that delved into historical milestones, core principles, and landmark amendments, participants showcased both knowledge and passion for the Constitution. The quiz fostered dynamic discussions on the democratic ideals that shape our nation, making the atmosphere both competitive and enlightening. Adding to the celebratory mood, the winners received cash prizes for their exemplary performance. The event beautifully blended learning with a sense of national pride, empowering young minds to uphold and cherish the values that define India's democracy.

Charting New Horizons in Public Service



The Department of Public Administration hosted an inspiring orientation and expert talk titled “Diverse Career Paths in Public Administration” on December 7, 2024, drawing students eager to explore the dynamic world of governance and public service. The event served as a guiding light for young aspirants, blending academic insight with real-world professional perspectives. Renowned career columnist Sulaiman Oorakam captivated the audience with his keynote address, unraveling the crucial role of public administration in shaping effective governance. Through his engaging talk, he illuminated the wide spectrum of career opportunities available across public and private sectors while emphasizing the importance of essential skill sets to thrive in this evolving field. The session left students inspired, informed, and ready to navigate their own promising futures in public administration.

Voices for Justice: A New Chapter Begins



The inauguration of the student association on February 21, 2025, unfolded as an inspiring celebration of leadership, learning, and social commitment. The event blended the excitement of new beginnings with an intellectually rich invited talk that bridged academic dialogue and real-world public service. The highlight of the day was an evocative keynote address by Mr. Ashraf Kavil, acclaimed writer and former Assistant Director of the Department of Social Justice, Government of Kerala. Through compelling stories drawn from his distinguished administrative career, he illuminated the practical power of empathy, equality, and human rights. His thought-provoking reflections encouraged students to envision their academic pursuits as pathways to social impact. The program concluded with a renewed sense of purpose, as participants left inspired to foster justice, compassion, and civic responsibility in every sphere of life.

Insights into Management Education



The Department of Management Studies hosted an inspiring session of its Talk Series on July 7, 2025, at the AVT facility, captivating audiences from the very start at 9:30 AM. Centered on the theme “Management Education: Prospects and Challenges,” the event explored the evolving dynamics of business education in today’s fast-changing global landscape. The highlight of

the session was the engaging address by Dr. Ahamed Riaz K, Director of Farook Institute of Management Studies (FIMS), whose expertise offered profound clarity to aspiring managers. Blending theory with real-world insights, Dr. Riaz illuminated both the vast opportunities and pressing challenges shaping the future of management education. As the discussion unfolded, students were encouraged to adapt, innovate, and align their skills with market realities. The session concluded on an uplifting note, marking it as a highly successful and thought-provoking event that inspired participants to navigate their professional journeys with confidence and purpose.

SAMVIDHAN 2024 Inspires Constitutional Pride



Echoing the enduring spirit of India’s democracy, SAMVIDHAN 2024 unfolded on November 26, 2024, as a vibrant celebration of the nation’s constitutional legacy. Hosted by the Department, the interdepartmental fest marked National Constitution Day with a blend of intellect, insight, and inspiration. The highlight was a thought-provoking panel discussion on “Redefining Governance: India’s Path to Administrative Reforms,” featuring distinguished speakers—Dr. Law Well Man (Law College Calicut), Dr. Binoj (Prajyoti Niketan College, Pudukad), and Mr. Jamsheel Aboobacker (SAFI Institute of Advanced Study). Their engaging dialogue traced India’s administrative evolution and envisioned new horizons for reform. Complementing the dynamic exchange was an Exhibition on the Historical Background of the Indian Constitution, which enthralled attendees with rare photographs and archival glimpses into the making of the world’s longest written constitution. Through its blend of scholarship and patriotic fervor, SAMVIDHAN 2024 rekindled admiration for the ideals that continue to shape India’s democratic journey.

A Field Visit to KILA



The first-year undergraduate students of Public Administration embarked on an enlightening field visit to the Kerala Institute of Local Administration (KILA) On October 19, 2024. The visit served as a vital step beyond the classroom, offering students a firsthand glimpse into the dynamic workings of local governance in Kerala. Guided by the expertise of Dr. Amrutha, Assistant Director of KILA, the students engaged in an interactive session that shed light on the institute’s remarkable contributions to strengthening and empowering local bodies. Exploring KILA’s museum and library further broadened their understanding, revealing the rich history and innovation behind Kerala’s decentralized governance model. The visit not only deepened academic learning but also inspired future administrators to appreciate the real-world impact of effective public service.

DESAFIO '25: Where Perception Transforms into Power



The Department of Commerce and the Department of Management Studies joined forces to present “DESAFIO ’25”, a grand two-day Inter-College Management Fest held on February 19 and 20, 2025. With the inspiring theme “Changing Perception into Reality,” the event became a vibrant arena where budding business leaders showcased their strategic brilliance, creativity, and professional finesse.

With a ₹50,000 prize pool fueling competition, the fest drew top talent from various institutions, each eager to claim glory. Three flagship contests formed the festival’s core—“Keepers of the Code” for the Best HR Team, “The Siren’s Call” for the Best Marketing Team, and the prestigious “Master of the High Seas” title honoring the Best Manager. Each challenge was uniquely crafted to mirror real-world management dynamics, turning theory into action. Through its immersive and competitive spirit, DESAFIO ’25 truly translated vision into reality, inspiring participants to navigate their managerial journeys with renewed passion and purpose.

Esprit de Corps 7.0: Where Leadership Meets Passion



The Department of Management Studies set the stage ablaze with Esprit de Corps 7.0, the seventh edition of its renowned inter-departmental management fest, held on September 23, 2025. True to its name, the event radiated unity and collective enthusiasm, bringing together students from diverse disciplines to celebrate teamwork, strategy, and innovation. The fest featured three dynamic events—Eminence, the quest for the Best Manager; Think Tank, an arena for impactful presentations; and Equinox, the test for the Best HRM Team. Each event mirrored real-world business challenges, pushing participants to think on their feet and showcase their managerial brilliance. Spearheaded by coordinators Nadha and Ajna Shifa, the organizing team delivered a day of seamless execution, spirited competition, and memorable moments. With attractive prizes and unmatched energy, Esprit de Corps 7.0 stood as a shining testament to the department’s commitment to nurturing leadership, creativity, and excellence.

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Alumni Connect with Deloitte Analyst



The Department of Management Studies hosted an inspiring Alumni Connect session on August 4, 2025, bringing together the department's vibrant community of current students and distinguished alumni. Held at 1:30 p.m. in Classroom No. 311, the event featured Ms. Fathima Shahanaz, an accomplished alumna and Business Analyst at Deloitte, Dubai. Drawing from her global corporate experience, Ms. Shahanaz shared heartfelt insights into career growth, professional adaptability, and the evolving landscape of business analytics. Her engaging address not only illuminated the path from classroom learning to corporate success but also motivated students to dream big and strive for excellence in the international professional arena.

Game of Grit: Ayishathul Shines at ASCENSIO'25



The Department of Management Studies at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study proudly celebrates the outstanding achievement of Ayishathul Huda P., a first-year BBA student, who secured the Third Prize in the thrilling "Entrepreneurship Game" at ASCENSIO'25. Hosted by the Government Law College, Calicut, this prestigious inter-collegiate event drew brilliant young minds from various institutions, all competing to showcase their entrepreneurial flair. With her sharp business insight and strategic thinking, Ayishathul's performance stood out, reflecting the vibrant spirit of innovation cultivated within the department. Her success not only brings immense pride to the institute but also inspires her peers to embrace challenges, pursue excellence, and explore new horizons in the world of business and leadership.

Breaking Barriers, Building Motivation :An International Conference



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, Malappuram, hosted an inspiring International Conference on "Motivation Theories and Narratives," centered on the theme "Breaking Stereotypes: Motivation Beyond Gender Roles." Held from December 31, 2024, to January 1, 2025, the two-day event gathered an enthusiastic blend of scholars, students, and thought leaders who explored how motivation transcends gender-defined boundaries to foster equality and empowerment. The highlight of the conference was the presence of the distinguished resource person, Ms. Angella Beatrice Nalwanga—PhD Fellow at the University of Kisubi, Uganda, and Deputy Secretary General of the National Association of Social Workers in Uganda (NASWU). Her insightful keynote and thought-provoking sessions inspired participants with narratives of resilience, equality, and self-realization. The conference not only deepened global academic dialogue but also reaffirmed SAFI Institute's enduring commitment to nurturing value-based education, critical inquiry, and transformative thinking.

Where Words Dare: A Journey Through "Correct and Incorrect"



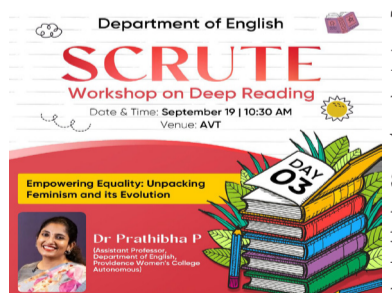
The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, sparked vibrant conversations and literary curiosity through the Art-Wise Talk Series 2025 on January 22, 2025. Held at the serene AVT Auditorium, the event featured the acclaimed poet, writer, activist, and translator Dr. Meena Kandasamy, who delivered a thought-provoking talk titled "Correct and Incorrect." With her signature blend of intellect and poetic intensity, Dr. Kandasamy delved deep into the intersections of language, power, and morality—questioning how words shape and challenge truth in society. Her passionate insights resonated with an audience of students, faculty, and literature lovers, inspiring reflection on identity, art, and resistance. Set amidst the tranquil charm of the SAFI campus, the evening became a celebration of thought, dialogue, and the transformative power of language.

Alumnus Aglow: A Radiant Reunion of Wisdom and Inspiration



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, came alive with warmth and reflection on July 10, 2025, during Alumnus Aglow, an inspiring interactive session featuring the distinguished psychologist and proud alumna, Ms. Fathima Rasla K. A postgraduate from Dr. Hari Singh Gour University, Madhya Pradesh, Ms. Fathima shared her transformative journey from a spirited SAFI student to an accomplished professional, weaving stories of perseverance, mental well-being, and personal growth. Her thought-provoking words captivated the audience, nurturing both curiosity and hope among students eager to shape their own futures. As laughter and meaningful dialogue filled the hall, the event shone as a heartwarming reminder of the lasting bond between alumni and their alma mater. The Department of English expresses heartfelt gratitude to Ms. Fathima Rasla K for illuminating the gathering with her wisdom, sincerity, and vibrant spirit.

Echoes of Empowerment



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, resonated with voices of change during its SCRUTE session, "Empowering Equality: Unpacking Feminism and its Evolution," held on September 19 at 10:30 AM in the AVT Auditorium. The session, led by the insightful Dr. Prathibha P, Assistant Professor of English at Providence Women's College (Autonomous), Calicut, traced the inspiring journey of feminism—from its foundational struggles to its vibrant presence in today's global discourse. With eloquence and empathy, Dr. Prathibha engaged the audience in thought-provoking reflections on intersectionality, empowerment, and gender justice. The enthusiastic participation of students turned the session into a lively exchange of ideas, echoing SCRUTE's vision of fostering critical awareness and compassion. By its close, the event had not only enlightened minds but also ignited a renewed commitment to equality and inclusivity.

Between Words and Frames



Blending the timeless charm of literature with the captivating allure of cinema, the Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, organized an inspiring session under its acclaimed Art-Wise Talk Series 2025 titled "Between Frames and Films." Held on February 7, 2025, at 10:30 AM in the AVT Auditorium, the session featured Dr. Mohammed Shafeeq, Assistant Professor of English at Government College for Women, Malappuram, as the distinguished Resource Person. With his deep insights into storytelling and visual art, Dr. Shafeeq guided the audience through a fascinating dialogue between words and frames—where stories leap from pages to screens and frames breathe life into imagination. His reflections on adaptation, narrative techniques, and cultural significance captivated students and faculty alike, inspiring them to explore storytelling beyond conventional forms. The Department extended heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Shafeeq for his enriching presentation, which added another remarkable chapter to the Art-Wise Talk Series, celebrating creativity, criticism, and the art of dynamic expression.

Quiz Sparks Patriotism at SAFI Institute



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), in collaboration with the MGNREGA Rural Development Cell, celebrated Republic Day 2025 with a spirited event—the “Knowing India” Quiz Competition. The lively SAFI campus at Vazhayur buzzed with excitement as young minds from local schools competed to test their knowledge of India’s history, culture, and achievements. Brimming with enthusiasm and patriotic energy, the competition saw Daksha Vishnu and Ashmi M P from ALPS Vazhayur emerge champions, while Ayan Naufal P and Anika E P from GLPS Karad secured the second position, followed closely by Ayisha Izza and Thwaiba Fathima from AMLP School Kakkov in third. More than just a contest, the event was a heartfelt tribute to the nation, igniting curiosity and pride among participants—truly making this Republic Day celebration both educational and inspiring.

Voices Unmuted: A Digital Literary Journey



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, illuminated the AVT Auditorium on August 13, 2025, with a vibrant edition of its UNMUTE International Student Talk Series. Centered on the theme “Literature in the Digital Age,” the session featured the remarkable Ms. Laiba Abdul Basith from Qatar Academy Sidra — a Guinness World Record holder (2022) as the youngest female author to publish a complete English book series. With captivating warmth and eloquence, Laiba took the audience through her imaginative universe built in the fantasy trilogy Order of the Galaxy, comprising The War for the Stolen Boy, The Snowflake of Life, and The Book of Legends: Apart, But Together. Her talk beautifully highlighted how digital platforms, e-publishing, and social media are rewriting the landscapes of storytelling and authorship. The event became a celebration of youthful brilliance, creative freedom, and the timeless power of words — inspiring every listener to dream boldly and unmute their own voice to the world.

Irshad Shines on the International Stage



SAFI Institute of Advanced Study proudly celebrates Muhammed Irshad, a first-year MSW student, for representing India at the East Asian Games held in Hong Kong, a milestone that marks both an extraordinary personal triumph and a proud moment for the institution. By showcasing his talent and unwavering dedication on an international sporting platform, Irshad embodied discipline, perseverance, and a deep sense of national spirit, inspiring admiration across the SAFI community. His remarkable achievement reflects not only his individual commitment but also the institution’s steadfast support in nurturing excellence beyond academics, encouraging students to dream bigger and reach higher. The entire SAFI family extends warm congratulations to Muhammed Irshad and wishes him continued success in both his sporting and academic journey, motivating fellow students to pursue their goals with confidence and determination.

Pride in Performance at SQAY 2024–25



The SQAY Martial Arts Championship 2024–25 at Calicut University witnessed inspiring performances by two dedicated athletes. In the 62 kg category, Abhinav AV earned the Silver Medal with impressive focus and technique, while Anandha Krishna claimed the Gold Medal in the 80 kg category through exceptional skill and determination. Their achievements reflect strong training and guidance from SAST, ITUTLOF, SAL, and the Institute of Pro MMA Arts. Adding to the pride, both athletes have been selected for the state-level SQAY Martial Arts Championship in Kollam on November 10, motivating others to pursue excellence through discipline and perseverance.

Reframing Motivation: A Spark of Global Insight



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, brought together scholars and thinkers from around the world for a two-day International Conference on “Motivation Theories and Narratives,” held on December 31, 2024, and January 1, 2025. The conference reached its pinnacle with the flagship session, “The Invisible Force: Reframing Motivation in a Rapidly Changing World,” led by renowned educator and football journalist Ms. Jushna Shahin, an alumna of the Real Madrid Graduate School, Spain. Drawing from her vibrant experiences covering UEFA, LaLiga, and the FIFA World Cup 2022, and her role as a presenter of For My Football and Spanish Instructor at The Choice School, Kochi, Ms. Shahin seamlessly connected classical motivation theories with contemporary life lessons from football. Her reflections on resilience, adaptability, and purpose not only captivated the audience but also sparked renewed perspectives on what drives human effort. The conference stood as a celebration of intellect and inspiration—reaffirming SAFI’s commitment to nurturing minds that think, feel, and aspire beyond boundaries.

Rhythms of Revolution: Tracing Hip-Hop’s Journey



The Department of English at SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur, struck a vibrant chord on July 17, 2025, with an ART-WISE Talk titled “Evolution of Hip-Hop Music.” The Seminar Hall pulsed with excitement as Dr. Haris Saleem—renowned radiologist at Nizar Hospital, musician from Street Academics, actor, and model—led the audience on a rhythmic voyage through hip-hop’s roots in 1970s Bronx to its global digital dominance today. With captivating visuals, soundscapes, and personal stories, Dr. Haris unfolded the art forms of rap, DJing, breakdance, and graffiti, illuminating hip-hop as both creative expression and social commentary. The session’s spirited discussions on identity, rhythm, and resistance revealed hip-hop not just as music, but as a movement—alive with voices that continue to inspire, challenge, and redefine culture.

Bronze Glory on the Fast Track



Heartfelt congratulations to Muhammed Nihal, first-year B.Sc. Artificial Intelligence student, for his outstanding performance at the FESTAIP Track Cycling Championships. Demonstrating determination, discipline, and a true competitive spirit, he powered his way to a Bronze Medal in the Points Race, impressing with both tactical skill and physical endurance. He further showcased his consistency by securing an admirable 6th place in the Time Trial, standing strong against tough competitors and proving his resilience on the track. His achievements mark a proud moment for the institution, underlining the value of balancing academic pursuits with sporting excellence, and serve as an inspiring reminder to fellow students to chase greatness both inside and outside the classroom. We extend our best wishes to Muhammed Nihal for continued success in his future academic and sporting endeavours.

Silver Strikes and Kata Glory



The SAFI Institute of Advanced Study proudly celebrates Abhishek M.M, a second-year B.Sc Food Technology student, for his outstanding performance at the 27th Kozhikode District Karate Championship in the Under-21 category. With discipline and fighting spirit, he secured a silver medal in U-21 Men's Kumite (55 kg) and a bronze medal in U-21 Men's Kata, showcasing strength, precision, and refined technique in every bout. His dual victory marks a proud moment for the institution and stands as an inspiring example of perseverance, balance, and holistic development for his peers.

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Power and Pride on the Podium



Heartfelt congratulations to Mohammed Mishal, a second-year BBA student, for his outstanding First Place victory in the Men's 66 kg category at the 17th Malappuram District Powerlifting Championship 2025, organized by the Malappuram District Powerlifting Association under the Kerala State Powerlifting Federation. His exceptional performance, built on disciplined training, endurance, and unwavering focus, has brought great pride and recognition to the institution and stands as an inspiring example of true sportsmanship and student excellence.

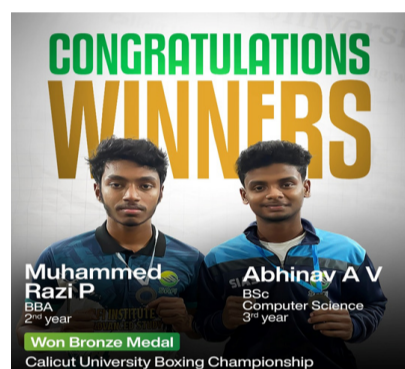
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Bronze Glory at Interzone

The Department proudly celebrates first-year BCA student Muhammed Rabeeh for securing a Bronze Medal at the Calicut University Interzone Wrestling Championship, showcasing impressive strength, technique, and sportsmanship on a highly competitive stage. His achievement reflects personal dedication and the spirit of excellence nurtured on campus, inspiring peers to balance academics with sports and co-curricular pursuits. The institution extends heartfelt congratulations to him on this proud milestone and wishes him continued success in the years ahead.

Champions in the Ring, Pride on Campus



The institution proudly celebrates the remarkable achievement of its young boxing talents at the Calicut University Boxing Championship, where dedication and sporting excellence shone through their spirited performances. Muhammed Razi P of BBA Second Year and Abhinav A V of BSc Computer Science Third Year stepped into the ring with determination and discipline, with Abhinav securing a hard-earned Bronze Medal that reflected his exceptional skill, perseverance, and sportsmanship. Their success highlights not only their personal commitment but also the institution's strong focus on holistic development, nurturing students to excel in both academics and sports. This proud moment inspires the entire student community to pursue their passions with confidence, as the campus extends heartfelt congratulations to the achievers and wishes them continued success in their future sporting and academic journeys.

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Golden Glory in the State Arena



The SAFI academic community proudly celebrates Senior E. Nior Muhammed Afnan CK, a B. Com Islamic Finance student, for clinching the Gold Medal at the 34th Senior State Wushu Championship held in Thrissur, a shining milestone that reflects his dedication, discipline, and passion for sporting excellence. Competing at the senior state level, he showcased remarkable skill, strength, and composure, rising above intense competition to secure top honours and embodying the spirit of perseverance and resilience nurtured within the institution. His outstanding feat not only brings immense pride to the department but also inspires his peers to aim high and pursue excellence beyond the classroom, as the institution extends its heartfelt congratulations and wishes him continued success in future national and international arenas.

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Where Leadership Takes Flight



The Orientation of the Join SAFI Leaders Academy at SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous) soared high under the inspiring banner "Where Leadership Begins." The event opened a dynamic chapter for aspiring changemakers, inviting them into a space where potential is nurtured, critical thinking flourishes, and leadership is shaped with purpose. As one of SAFI's most visionary initiatives, the Leaders Academy stands as a beacon of empowerment—discovering talent, fostering integrity, and guiding individuals toward impactful leadership. The orientation went beyond mere introductions; it became a journey of inspiration filled with interactive sessions, thoughtful reflections, and moments of discovery. Participants left encouraged to lead with courage, clarity, and compassion, embodying the true spirit of transformation. The day beautifully captured SAFI's unwavering mission to mold leaders who dream boldly, act wisely, and make a difference that lasts.

Bridging Dreams and Leadership



The halls of SAFI Leaders Academy buzzed with inspiration on 10th November 2025, as the much-awaited interactive session "Meet the Leader" unfolded at 10:30 AM in the graceful AVT Auditorium. The distinguished guest, CS Mehaboob M.A., Managing Director of Secura Developers Pvt. Ltd., Vice President (South) of CREDAI National, and General Secretary of SAFI, captivated the audience with his remarkable journey through entrepreneurship, ethical leadership, and purposeful living.

His words, infused with real-life experiences and heartfelt wisdom, struck a deep chord with young minds eager to make their mark. The lively interactions and thought-provoking discussions transformed the session into a dynamic exchange of ideas, inspiring every participant to view leadership not merely as a position, but as a journey of service, integrity, and growth. SAFI Leaders Academy extends its heartfelt gratitude to CS Mehaboob M.A. for igniting minds and nurturing the spirit of future changemakers.

Leaders Academy Orientation Programme



The SAFI Leaders Academy Orientation Programme, hosted by the SAFI Institute of Advanced Study (Autonomous), unfolded as an inspiring gateway into the world of purposeful leadership. Guided by the theme "Where Leadership Begins," the event set the stage for shaping young minds into confident, visionary leaders of tomorrow. Designed as one of SAFI's most prestigious initiatives, the Leaders Academy aims to go beyond textbooks—instilling values of integrity, clarity, and social responsibility in every participant. The orientation encouraged students to see leadership not as a title, but as a continuous journey of growth, discipline, and learning. With engaging sessions and thought-provoking discussions, the programme ignited a spirit of ambition and reflection, motivating students to embrace their potential as future change-makers in an ever-evolving world.

“Meet the Leader” Empowers Young Minds



The SAFI LEADERS ACADEMY set an inspiring tone on the morning of January 20, 2025, with its dynamic “MEET THE LEADER” – Early Goal Setting Programme at the graceful Conference Hall of SAFI Institute of Advanced Studies (Autonomous), Vazhayur. The event gathered enthusiastic young aspirants for a transformative session led by Mr. K. A.

Mohammed Noushad, IFS, Former Principal Chief Conservator of Forests. Drawing from his illustrious journey in forest conservation and public service, Mr. Noushad captivated the audience with profound insights on goal setting, discipline, and integrity. Through engaging anecdotes and practical wisdom, he inspired students to dream big, stay determined, and lead with purpose. The interactive session radiated motivation and clarity, leaving participants with renewed confidence and direction. By hosting such enriching programmes, SAFI LEADERS ACADEMY continues to nurture visionary thinkers and responsible leaders poised to create meaningful change in society.

Glowing Triumphs at Nirvana 2025



Brilliance sparked at Nirvana 2025, hosted by St. Joseph's College, Devagiri, as talents from Leaders Academy and SAFI Institute of Advanced Study made their mark with confidence, creativity, and determination. The dynamic team from Leaders Academy—Hazwa Sabjan and Raneen (BCA), Naja Rasheed (B.A. Economics), and Fathima Shifa (B.Sc. Psychology)—secured the Second Prize in the Marketing Game, dazzling judges with their sharp strategies and inventive flair. Their outstanding performance brought home a cash prize of ₹10,000, adding yet another proud achievement to the academy's growing list of honors.

Matching this spirit of excellence, Insaf Shamsudheen (4th Semester Biotechnology) and Afleh Anwer (6th Semester Computer Science) from SAFI Institute claimed the Second Prize in the Entrepreneurship Game, impressing with their vision and innovative business ideas. Together, these victories echo the shared passion, teamwork, and brilliance that continue to define both institutions as beacons of talent and inspiration on the academic stage.



Leading the Change: Leaders Summit 2K25



SAFI Leaders Academy proudly hosted the Leaders Summit 2K25 on August 20, 2025, marking a dynamic celebration of intellect, strategy, and leadership. The event brought together bright young minds who showcased their talents through three electrifying contests inspired by real-world scenarios. From the fast-paced Quiz – Dynamic Duo that tested teamwork and wit, to the MUN – Diplomacy Desk that refined communication and negotiation skills, and the intense Crisis Management – Boardroom Battle, which

challenged participants to make bold decisions under pressure, every moment brimmed with energy and ambition. With total prizes worth ₹12,000, the summit stood as more than a competition—it was a journey of self-growth, collaboration, and leadership excellence, reaffirming SAFI Leaders Academy's vision to nurture future-ready changemakers.

“Young Minds Lead Through Words”



The SAFI Leaders Academy proudly brought learning to life with the LDG Vacation Project, a creative venture that transformed the holiday break into a journey of leadership and imagination. Under the inspiring theme of Leadership, students dove deep into values, vision, and social impact through their own stories, poems, and essays—each a reflection of thoughtful insight and youthful creativity. Guided by editors within each group, participants cultivated teamwork and accountability while ensuring every piece aligned with the magazine's purpose.

Using digital tools, they crafted compact online magazines that not only highlighted their artistic flair but also showcased growing digital and editorial expertise. Submitted by May 25, these vibrant works stood as a testament to SAFI Leaders Academy's commitment to nurturing confident, responsible, and visionary leaders ready to shape the future.

Discovering Delhi: An Enlightening Journey for Leaders Academy



An enlightening interaction on Indian politics with Mr Hasanul Banna. The vigour of the mentees impressed him that he said he would definitely visit SAFI for a full day interaction with the students.



The team visited Rashtrapati Bhavan amidst the preparation for swearing in ceremony of new Chief justice of India Justice Surya Kant.



Meet the Leader session with Prof. Iqtidar Mohammed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Humanities and Languages, Jamia Millia Islamia New Delhi



The insightful interaction with Prof Mazhar Asif, Vice Chancellor of Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi.



Leaders Academy members visited the library of Jamia Millia Islamia



Leaders Academy members with Dr Haniyya, Assistant Commissioner, Ministry of Animal Husbandry & Dairying and Fisheries



The interaction with Dr. Anees IRS, who shared his experiences tackling drug trafficking at the Narcotics Bureau, deeply inspired the mentees with his integrity and strong values.