



AMITY BUSINESS SCHOOL

Presents

6th DOCTORAL RESEARCH CONCLAVE

on

“Intelligence, Innovation and Impact Driven Research for a Sustainable Tomorrow”

21st November 2025

Amity Business School organized the **6th Doctoral Research Conclave** on the theme, **“Intelligence, Innovation and Impact Driven Research for a Sustainable Tomorrow”**, on Friday, 21st November 2025 at Amity University Campus, Sector 125, Noida from 10.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. at I2 Moot Court.

The Doctoral Research Conclave brought together academics, industry leaders, and young researchers to reflect on Intelligence, Innovation, and Research shaping a Sustainable future. Following were the dignitaries during the Inaugural Session of Doctoral Research Conclave: -

- Shri Deepak Agarwal, Managing Director, NAFED - Chief Guest
- Dr. Jyoti Sharma, Scientist, International Co-operation Division, Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India - Guest of Honour
- Prof. (Dr.) B C Das, Chairman, University Research Council, AUUP
- Mr. Vaibhav Singh, Portfolio Test Lead, Bank of Ireland, Dublin - Keynote Speaker
- Dr. Sunil Luthra, Director, All India Council for Technical Education New Delhi, India - Distinguished Guest Speaker (online address)
- Dr. Yeliz Karaca, Senior Researcher & Professor, University of Massachusetts, USA - Distinguished Guest Speaker (online address)



Aim of this Research Oriented Conclave was to understand and share the art of research among academicians, Scholars and PhD aspirants. Its primary objective was to provide a dynamic platform for knowledge sharing with the Research Scholars to enhance their knowledge and generate ideas for their research endeavours. During the Conclave, distinguished speakers highlighted the substantial domains of research and its application in the real world. The participants were immensely benefitted from various discussions and deliberations during the Conclave.

The Conclave comprised of series of events, Inaugural Session, followed by an enriching workshop, insightful Panel Discussion, presentations of research proposals and Valedictory Session.

Dr. Sanjeev Bansal, Addl. Pro Vice Chancellor, Dean FMS & Director ABS welcomed all the esteemed dignitaries and briefed the genesis of conducting such research-based programs so as to foster the minds towards thinking diversely & innovatively. He also reflected upon the growth of the doctoral program and reminded scholars that the value of a doctorate lies in sincerity and originality.

Prof. (Dr.) Bhudev C. Das, Chairman of AIMMSCR and Dean Faculty of Health and Allied Sciences, Chairman, University Research Council, AUUP spoke about how meaningful research begins with honest questioning and grows when ideas benefit society, stressing the importance of innovation and emerging technologies. Dr. Jaya Yadav, Convenor, revisited past conclave achievements and expressed confidence in the enriched learning expected from this edition.



Shri Deepak Agarwal, MD, NAFED) was the Chief Guest during the Inaugural Session. He shared examples from Indian agriculture, showing how digital tools and farmer knowledge strengthen modern farming. Dr. Jyoti Sharma, Scientist, Ministry of Science & Technology encouraged scholars to use national research opportunities and focus on problems that matter.

The other speakers, Mr. Vaibhav Singh, Portfolio Test Lead, Credit and Debit Cards, Bank of Ireland, Dublin, Ireland; Dr. Sunil Luthra, Director, AICTE and Dr. Yeliz Karaca, University of Massachusetts in their address highlighted adaptability, responsible use of AI, and the ability to work thoughtfully with data.

Inaugural Session was followed by Skill-building sessions which enriched the participants of conclave by turning research ideas into hands-on learning. Dr. Sumit Sakhuja, Professor, ABS guided scholars through effective literature search techniques and ways to organize their review processes. Dr. Ashutosh Gaur, Associate Professor at NIET Greater Noida, together with Dr. Nitendra Kumar, Assistant Professor, ABS introduced participants to R programming for meaningful data analysis. These sessions emphasized that well-grounded methods create the foundation for research that is reliable and ready for publication.

Speakers during Panel Discussion : Intelligence to Impact: Designing Purpose-Driven Organizations

1. Ms. Neha Singh, Associate Director, Talent Management Iris Software Inc.
2. Dr. Shalini Singh, SVD Leadership, Learning and Talent Acquisition NAB
3. Mr. Vivek Yadav, Executive Vice President, Havells India
4. Ms. Pallavi Sinha, Advocate, Supreme Court

The panel discussion explored intelligence from behavioral, legal, technological, and managerial perspectives. The Speakers during the panel discussion showed to the participants how creativity, ethics, clarity, and inclusion shape decision-making at workplace.



Following were the External Jury members during Research Paper Presentation: Ideas in Transition: From Proposal to Contribution

1. Dr Savita Mohan, Director, GNIOT Institute of Professional Studies, Greater Noida
2. Dr. Meenakshi Kaushik, Professor, Lloyd Group of Institutions, Greater Noida

The research tracks showcased early and advanced doctoral work on AI, workplace behavior, and organizational change. Jury members encouraged participants to strengthen their methods, refine their ideas, and focus on clear contributions. The sessions supported constructive dialogue and thoughtful peer learning.

Following were the guests during Valedictory Session :

- Dr. Alok Vijayant, Founder- SciRoIT Technologies
- Dr Deepak Kikan, Associate Director - Global Managed Services at E&Y

- Dr. Swati Nayak, Scientist & South Asia Lead- Seed Systems, CGIAR- International Rice Research Institute

Dr. Sanjeev Bansal, Addl. Pro Vice Chancellor, Dean FMS & Director ABS praised the enthusiasm of participants and reaffirmed the University's vision of socially responsible research. The speakers during Valedictory Session motivated scholars to stay curious and keep societal impact at the heart of their academic work. Overall, the conclave created a warm and engaging environment where scholars learned from experts, built essential research skills, and strengthened their confidence as emerging contributors to a sustainable future.

The insights and experiences gathered through the programme are expected to travel forward with the scholars as they progress in their research journey and strengthen their learning outcomes.



The event was guided by a dedicated organising committee under Dr. Sanjeev Bansal, Addl. Pro Vice Chancellor, Dean FMS & Director ABS. Dr. Lakhwinder Dhillon, Associate Professor and Dr. Vijit Chaturvedi, Professor served as Co-Chairs and Dr. Jaya Yadav, Professor and Dr. Priyanka Agarwal, Associate Professor served as Conveners for organising this Conclave.