AMITY UNIVERSITY
HARYANA

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Report on

Sustainable Development Goal

SDG 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions

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Amity University Haryana is committed to the United Nations Sustainability Development Goal (SDG) 16 to aim for peace, justice, and a strong institution. SDG 16 aims at promoting peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development in conjunction with providing access to justice for all while building effective, accountable and inclusive institutions. Keeping the basic tenets of SDG 16 in perspective Amity University Haryana recognizes and promotes accountability across and within institutions and implemented a number of policy measures and guidelines to ensure justice, fairness and ethical behavior along with creating an environment of inclusive and sustainable development.

COURSES:

The University is committed to promoting Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions through various programmes and several modules contained within courses delivered.

B.A – LLB	https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/ba-llb-hons
BBA – LLB	https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/bba-llb-hons
B.Com- LLB	https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/bcom-llb-hons
LLM	https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/llm
PhD (Law)	https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/phd-law

GRIEVANCE AND DISCIPLINAY MECHANISM

A Grievance and Disciplinary mechanism is in order at the University to redress any complaints arising during the course of employment. Any act of 'Misconduct' is deliberated upon by the relevant committee to recommend appropriate action. The University's e-Governance is effectively functioning in the areas of planning, administration, finance and examination. All such committees maintain records through Minutes of Meeting and ensure their effective implementation.
https://assessmentonline.naac.gov.in/storage/app/hei/SSR/105499/5.1.6_1578419459_3926.pdf (Grievance redressal committee)

UNIVERSITY GOVERNANCE MEASURES

The organizational structure lends itself to sustaining institutional capacity and education effectiveness through involvement of stakeholders in various Committees/ Boards. The following committees have different roles and responsibilities:

1) Planning, Development & Review: Governing Board (GB), Board of Management (BoM), Planning Board (PB), Outcome Committee (OC), IQAC, Domain-specific Internal Audit & Finance Committee
2) Admissions: Academic Council (AC), Admission Committee, University Research Council (URC), Departmental Research Committee (DRC) & Research Advisory Committee
3) Course & Curriculum Development: AC, BoS & Course & Program Review Committees
4) Fee : Fee Committee
5) Examinations: Examination Committee, Moderation Board, UFM & Results Moderation Committee
6) Research: AC, URC, DRC, PAC & Dissertation Committee
7) Fellowship and Scholarship: Scholarship Committee
8) Finance: FC, Purchase Committee & BoM
9) Placements: Central Placement Committee (CRC)
10) Discipline: Proctorial Board, Student Discipline Committee, Anti-Ragging Committee, Sexual Harassment Committee
11) Grievance : Grievance Committee

12) Administration: Academics Affairs (with Deans/ HoIs)
13) Culture: 24 x 7 Committee
14) Accommodation: Housing & Allotment Committee

PUBLISH FINANCIAL DATA

The University has a mechanism for internal and external audit. The University has a full-time CF&AO since the inception (ie., 2010 onward to ensure maintenance of annual accounts and balance sheets of the university and thereof.

All financial data of AUH are audited as per government rules and regulations this data is freely available in the public domain on:
https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/naac/important_documents_naac/7.1.8/audited%20annual%20report%202018-2019.pdf

PARTICIPATORY BODIES FOR STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

AUH has bodies to recognize and engage local stakeholders, including local residents, local government, local private and local civil society representatives whose duties include to Identify and engage with local stakeholders:

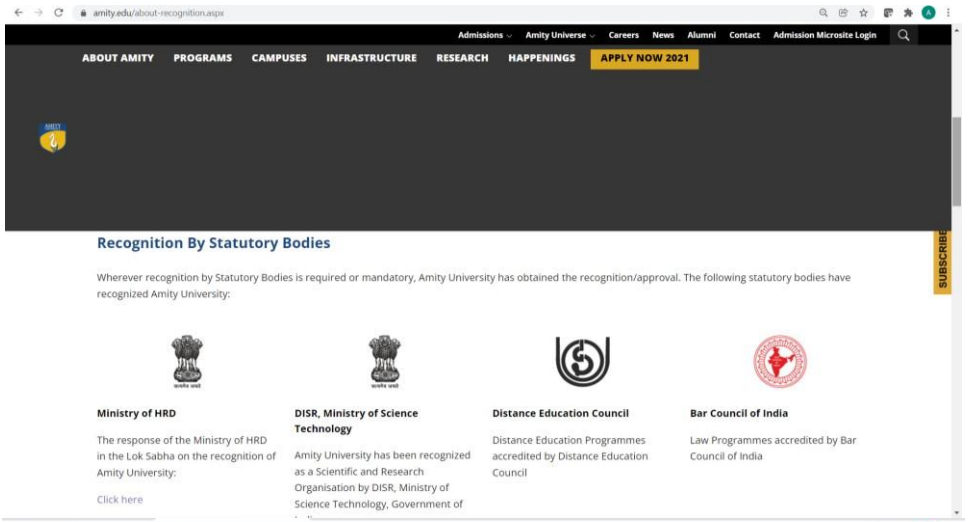
- AUH promotes regular engagement of faculty, staff and students with the neighbourhood community for their holistic development and sustained community development through various activities.
- Six blood donation camps have been organized, with an average of 450 students, faculty and staff donating blood. Legal aid cell which provides legal aid to the underprivileged people.
- Health check camps for the villagers located in the close proximity of the Campus. Optometry Consultation and providing free eye glasses to villagers. Spreading the "Swach Bharat" awareness amongst rural youth.

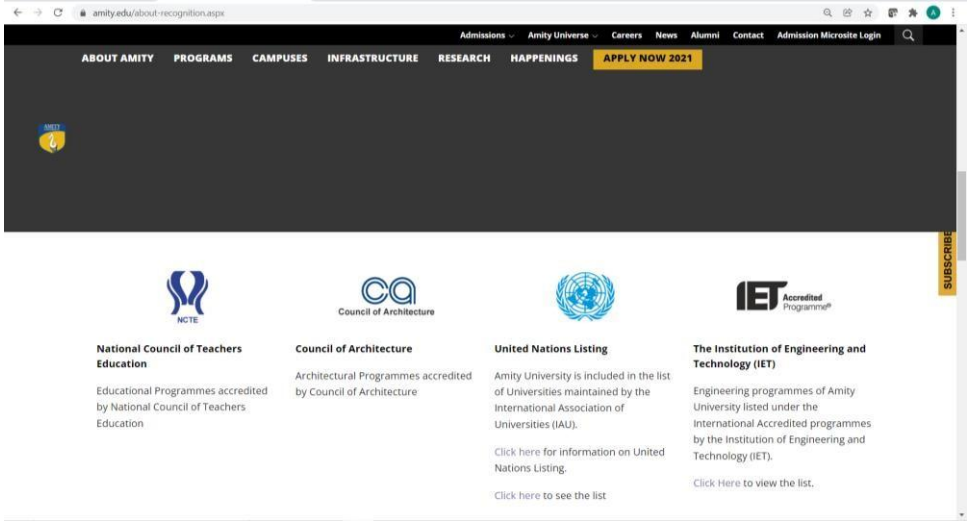
- Collecting relief material during national calamities. Amity Marathon is held each year to promote the importance of running and maintaining a healthy life style, and also carry out fund raising for social causes for NGOs such as "Save the Children", Akshaya Patra, Oxfam India and CARE. Details may be found at :-
- http://www.amitygurugrammarathon.com/savethechildren/
- Teaching underprivileged children of laborers and village school, distributing blankets to the poor, activities are undertaken by student led clubs SAAKAR and UDAAN. Creating social awareness in public by street plays, with themes such as safety of women & girl child.

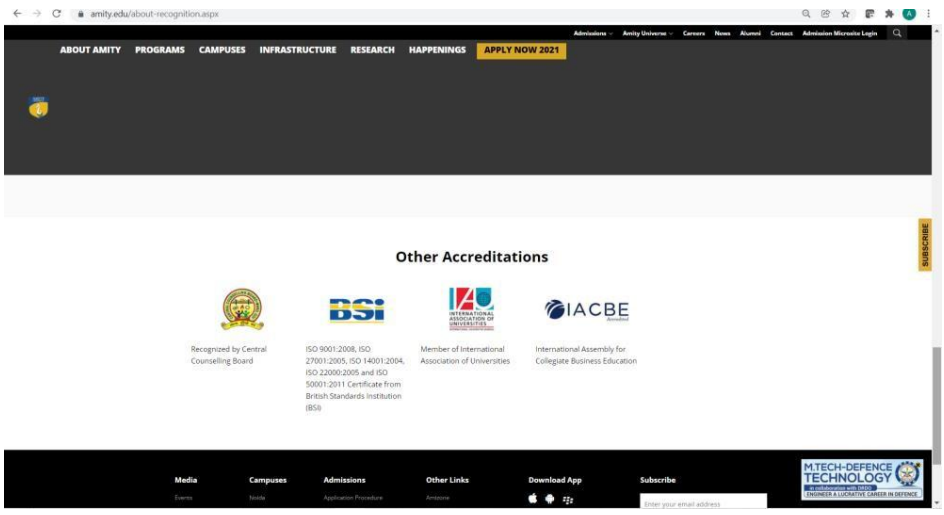
PARTICIPATION IN GOVERNMENT RESEARCH

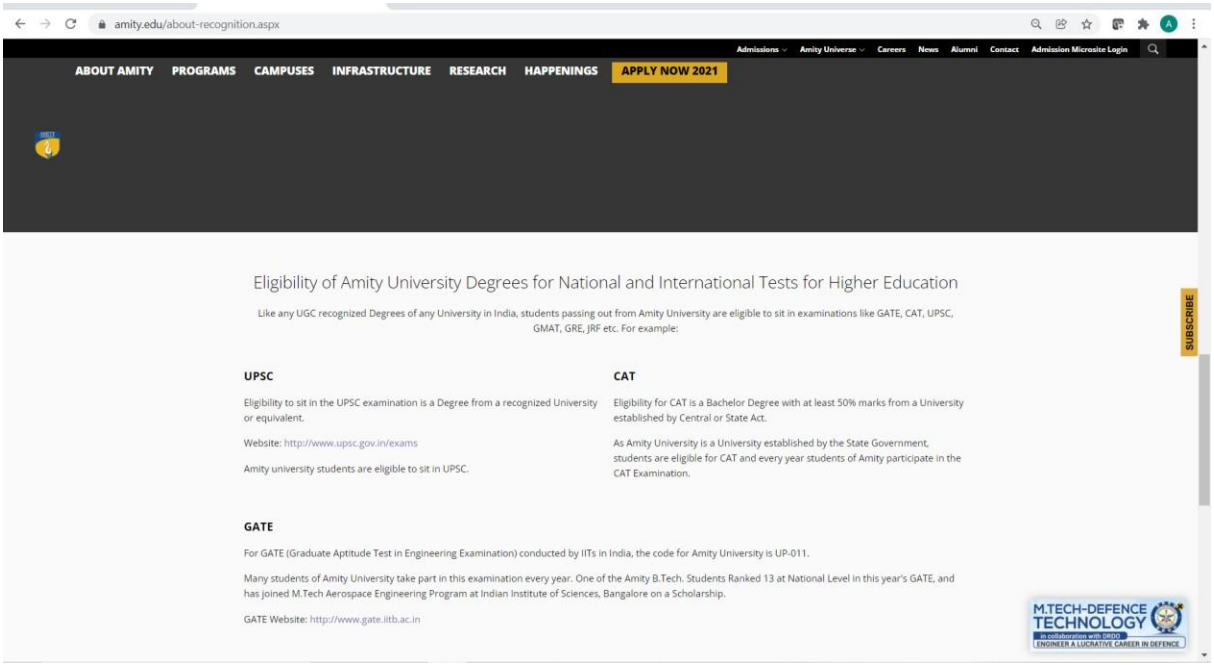
Amity University Haryana actively participates in various research schemes of government of Indiaas well as of

different countries through collaborative efforts and MOUs. AUH is recognized by various government bodies including University Grants Commission (UGC), Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Bar council of India etc. The AUH research policies may be found online at https://www.amity.edu/gurugram/pdf/university_research_policy.pdf. Total Grants for research projects sponsored by the government sources year-wise during the last fiveyears is approximately INR 702 lakhs.









ACADEMIC FREEDOM AND ACADEMIC FLEXIBILITY

The choice based credit system focuses on leveraging the talent and innovative capabilities of the budding professionals to meet the needs of the contemporary dynamic business environment thus making the students more industry ready. The students have a wide array of courses available to them to choose from. They are then able to develop on their areas of strength by choosing courses from subjects which are of interest to them. In the year 2020-21, 282 open elective courses were offered, including a Military Training course for leadership and decision making. In addition 149 value added courses were being offered to the students, inlcuding Behavioural Science, Communication Skills and Foreign Languages (French, German, Spanish, Russian, Chinese, Korean and Japanese).

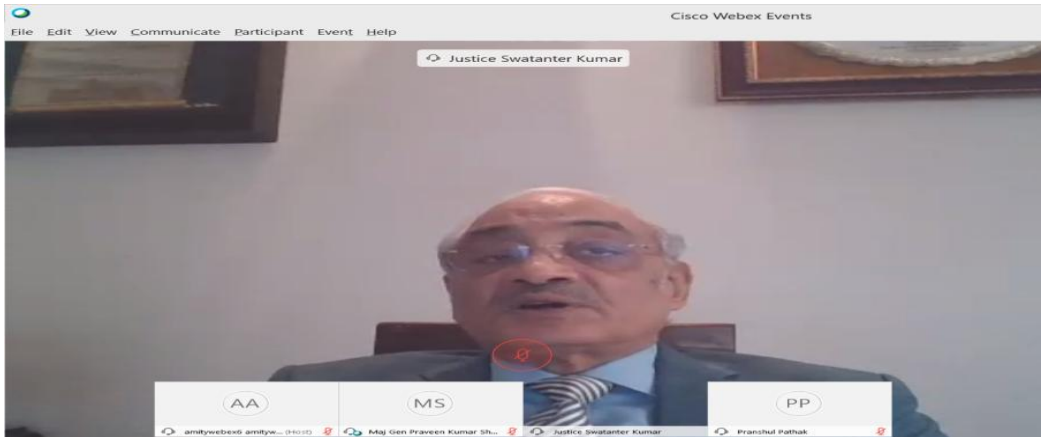
EVENTS ON SDG 16

Guest Lecture on White Collar Crimes

Amity Law School organized a Guest Lecture on White Collar Crimes on 28th January 2020. The Lecture was delivered by Mr. Bharat Chugh, Partner Designate, Luthra & Luthra Partners. It was attended by around 100 students and all Faculty Members. The aim of organizing this Lecture was to raise a better understanding of White-Collar Crimes amongst the students with a view to promoting peace, justice, and accountability of institutions so that inclusive economic growth can take place in a sustainable manner in conformity to SDG 16. Social factors such as greed, urge for incentives, and unequal distribution of wealth that tempts a person to commit a White-Collar Crime were also discussed as part of mitigation strategy and appropriate policy formulation to make sure that SDG 16 mission is complied with in a sustainable manner**.**

Webinar on "Future of Litigation in India and e-Courts"

Amity Law School organized a Webinar on "Future of Litigation in India and e-Courts" on May 08, 2020. The idea behind this Webinar was to enlighten the participants and provide them with deep insight of Future of Litigation in our Country and scope of e-Courts keeping in perspective recent pandemic situation. The Guest Speaker for said Webinar was Hon'ble Mr. Justice Swatanter Kumar, Former Judge Supreme Court of India and Former Chairperson, National Green Tribunal. The Speaker said that considering the vastness of India, the hierarchy of Courts, the procedures to be adopted for Trials and non-availability of proper Internet Infrastructure, we cannot put the entire Judicial System to operate through e-Mode. He also explained the traditional modus operandi of strong institutional legal system in India, the profoundness of India's system for Administration of Justice, and how it has been successful in making justice prevail in an inclusive and sustainable manner that comply with the basic tenets of SDG 16 – Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions.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