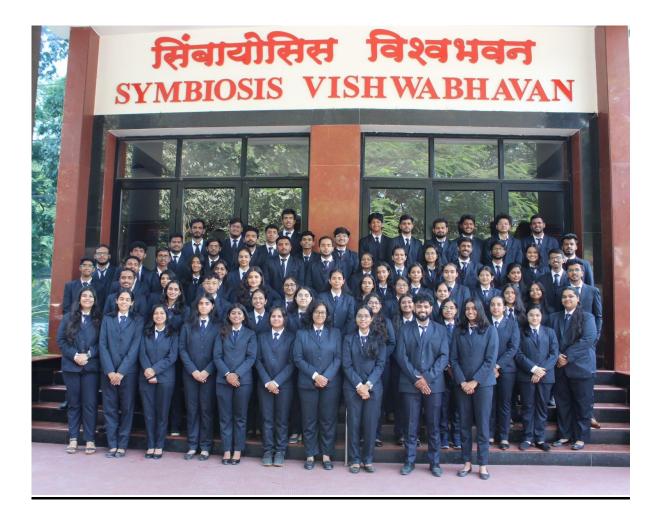
# **Symbiosis Statistical Institute**

# Student Council Annual Report A.Y. 2023-2024



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# **About SSI Student Council**

The Student Council acts as a link between the Institute authorities and the students at the Institute, eliminating any bias in the organisational structure. The primary objectives of the Student Council are to promote the Institute's interests and foster active student involvement in its affairs while simultaneously enhancing communication among students, parents, and authorities. The Council aims to cultivate an environment conducive to educational and personal development, fostering friendship and respect among pupils. Additionally, it is committed to supporting the Institute's management and staff in their efforts to enhance the overall development of the institution. Furthermore, the Student Council serves as a platform to represent the collective views of students on matters of general concern, ensuring a collaborative and inclusive approach to addressing issues within the student community.

The Student Council comprises the following committees:

- 1. Class Representative
- 2. Events Committee
- 3. Creatives Committee
- 4. Cultural Committee
- 5. Research Committee
- 6. Placement Cell
- 7. Training Cell
- 8. Sports Committee
- 9. Women's Cell
- 10. Disciplinary Committee
- 11. Library Committee
- 12. Photography Committee
- 13. Social Media Committee

Student Council Photograph:



# **Class Representatives**

## **Brief introduction about CRs:**

The CRs are the primary contact between the Institute and the students. They are responsible for assisting the organisation and coordinating the class's inputs with activities organised by various committees at SSI.

#### Batch-wise list of names of CRs of the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

a. Neha Ann Cherian

#### 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Janaki Pramod Padalkar
- b. Saurav Jadhav
- 3. B.Sc Batch 2022-2025
  - a. Garimella Samyukta

## 4. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

- a. Asmitha Gottipati
- b. Parth Kedia

# Activities held by the CRs throughout the Academic Year:

The Class Representative (CR) played a pivotal role in the smooth functioning of the institute by actively assisting the Institute and coordinating the class's inputs regarding activities organised by various committees at SSI. This involved ensuring effective communication between the class and the committees, fostering collaboration, and facilitating the participation of students in diverse events.

One of the starting activities held by the CRs was the Student Council elections for the M.Sc. and B.Sc. 2023 Batch, where the CRs of M.Sc. and B.Sc. The 2022 Batch overlooked the elections and voting process to ensure the selection of the right candidate. Another key responsibility was to ensure the timely completion and evaluation of internal assessments, contributing to the academic efficiency of the institute. The CRs coordinated with all the committees for all the events and sessions conducted to ensure the smooth execution of the event/session. Additionally, the CRs rescheduled classes in the event of cancellations, maintaining order and minimising disruptions to the academic calendar. The CRs also kept a meticulous record of all extra sessions and activities and detailed reports, compiled comprehensive event reports and attendance records at the end of each month, which were then submitted promptly to the Coordinators of M.Sc. and B.Sc. Furthermore, compiled student achievements (Management Information System) are regularly communicated to the Director. Along with this, names were submitted to the Director for the Star of the Month award for the months of September, October and November. Along with the above responsibilities, monthly Student Council meetings are conducted to monitor and ensure the smooth functioning of committees.

By maintaining harmony among students and ensuring impartiality, CRs helped promote a positive and inclusive environment within the institute.



# **Events Committee**

# **Brief introduction:**

The Events Committee of SSI Student Council takes charge of planning and fostering engaging events at Symbiosis Statistical Institute. The committee carefully orchestrates and ideates a variety of activities such as Viplav: the national science day, Dr Huzurbazar Memorial, Samyukt, Teacher's day, seminars and various other events which have proven to be highly beneficial, informative and recreational for the students.

#### Batch-wise list of names of the Academic Year:

- 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024
  - a. Sahil Narkar
  - b. Bhavya Walecha
- 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025
  - a. Pragya Mattas
  - b. Nupur Shankhpal
- 3. B.Sc Batch 2022-2025
  - a. Tejas Gulati
- 4. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027
  - a. Ojas Desai
  - b. Fiza Khan

## Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

**National Science Day**, named **Viplav**, draws its roots from Sanskrit and means "revolution," which embodies a fervent pursuit of positive transformation, symbolising the spirit of development. The event encompasses various activities, games, and seminars designed to nurture students' interest in science and statistics, fostering their innovative, analytical, and statistical knowledge. Dedicated to promoting an Integrated Approach to Science and technology for a Sustainable Future, the fest recognises the pivotal role of statistics, science, and technology in cultivating analytical, problem-solving, and innovative thinking. It aims to raise awareness about the critical importance of sustainable development and the practical applications of science and technology in daily life.

The **Dr. Huzurbazar Memorial Lecture**, organised in memory of Prof. V.S. Huzurbazar, an Indian Statistician from Kolhapur, is a collaborative effort with the research committee. The event includes a lecture series, an E-Poster Competition, and a Presentation, providing students from various institutions a platform to showcase their projects. The top three positions are awarded

to acknowledge their exceptional efforts in promoting awareness of statistical science in the dayto-day world.

**Samyukt**, an annual cultural event coinciding with Diwali, is organised in collaboration with the cultural committee. Featuring various cultural, fun, and engaging activities such as rangoli-making competitions, open mic sessions, fashion shows, and dance and music performances, the event aims to instil a sense of joy and recreation among students, teachers, and staff members during the celebration of Diwali, the festival of lights.

**Teacher's Day**, celebrated on September 5th in honour of Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, a renowned philosopher and the second President of India, involves various games, fun activities, and cultural events engaging students, teachers, and staff members. The event is organised as a token of respect and gratitude from students to teachers.



# **Creatives Committee**

## **Brief introduction:**

The Creatives Team of the Student Council at SSI is responsible for creating posts and templates essential to managing communication and maintaining a consistent visual identity. This committee typically focuses on creating content for various platforms, such as social media, posters, flyers, and other communication channels. The committee members collaborate effectively to channel the purpose of various events conducted in the institute.

#### Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Isha Ratnaparakhi
- b. Sharanya BG
- c. Rounak Pahuja
- d. Madhu Mali
- e. Gaurav Gavali

## 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Srashti Tiwari
- b. Pranjal Amte
- c. Aman Kumar

## 3. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

- a. Arushi Dev
- b. Bhavika Bisen

## Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

The key responsibility of this committee is to develop engaging and informative posts for social media platforms, ensuring that the content resonates with the goals and values of the institute. The team collaborates closely with other committees to comprehend and incorporate their requirements into the communication materials. It designs templates for event invitations, banners, and other promotional items.

Over the last academic year (2023-2024), the team has created the following posts and invitations: Invites and social media posts for Dr. Huzurbazar Memorial Lecture, which was organised on 15th of September, 2023, in memory of Prof. V.S. Huzurbazar. The team made all the brochures, invites, posters, social media posts, and banners for "Samyukt", a cultural fest organised by SSI on November 2-3, 2023. The team is responsible for creating regular posts for remarkable days and festivals such as National Statistics Day, Independence Day, Gandhi Jayanti,

Diwali etc. We actively make posts and invites for guest lectures, workshops and other educational sessions and extracurricular activities.

The Creatives Team plays a vital role in shaping the public image of SSI and ensuring that important information reaches the student body in a clear and engaging manner.



# **Cultural Committee**

# **Brief introduction:**

The Cultural Committee of the Symbiosis Statistical Institute Student Council is responsible for conducting various cultural events and programmes with an agenda to foster fun and culturally rich activities in the institute, which is considered to be of equivalent importance as that of academics in SSI. The Committee organises various events like Samyukt, the Annual Cultural Fest of SSI, celebrations of Independence Day and Republic Day and Teachers' Day, all of which enhance the spirit of celebrating the range of cultural diversity that adorns the campus.

#### **Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:**

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. R Prashanthi
- b. Abhishek Jog
- 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025
  - a. Avipsa Bakshi
  - b. Sagar Nilay

# 3. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

- a. Kavleen Kaur
- b. Shaurya Verma

# Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

Throughout the academic year, Symbiosis Statistical Institute (SSI) orchestrated a series of vibrant and meaningful events that brought together students in a spirit of celebration and camaraderie.

The Cultural Committee commemorated Independence Day with a heartfelt celebration dedicated to honouring the valiant individuals who fought for India's freedom. The festivities served as a meaningful platform for the institute's community to reflect on the significance of Independence Day and express gratitude to those who contributed to India's hard-fought liberation. The occasion also served as an unofficial introduction for new and existing batches, gathering the institute's community in one place for the first time since the admission procedure.

On September 5, 2023, a celebration for Teachers' Day was organised in collaboration with the Events Committee. The event aimed to express deep respect and love for the teachers, featuring decorations, songs, dance, and enjoyable games that strengthened the bond between students and teachers.

Samyukt, the Annual Cultural Fest of SSI, is celebrated grandly on November 2-3, 2023, coinciding with Diwali, culminating the events. The fest encapsulated the "Unity amidst Heterogeneity" theme, showcasing cultural diversity within the institute. Activities included a Flashmob, Rangoli and Henna Competition, Fifa Championship, Open Mic, music and dance performances, a game, a skit, and a captivating Ramp Walk. Samyukt provided a platform for students to showcase their talents, fostering a holistic development of co-curricular skills and encouraging a balance between academic and creative pursuits.



# **Research Committee**

# **Brief introduction:**

The Research Committee of SSI Student Council oversees and promotes research activities within the academic community. The committee evaluates the research proposals submitted by students and ensures that they adhere to ethical standards and guidelines. Also, the committee organises various research-promoting activities like SankhyaShodh, Institute Research Day, Statsbuddy and Dr Huzurbazar Memorial, which proved to be beneficial for the students.

#### Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Vishvajeet Powar
- b. Disha Bisen

## 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Ankita Purohit
- b. Kritika Khandelwal
- c. Harshal Sangawat

## 3. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

- a. Akshat Kumar
- b. Rashi Agarwal

## Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

The **Institute Research Day** (**Vastvikjagtik Sanshodhanam**) is a significant event celebrating and showcasing research achievements and contributions. It serves as an opportunity and provides a platform to showcase innovative ideas, foster intellectual discussions, and inspire academic excellence for researchers to receive valuable feedback, collaborate with peers, and foster interdisciplinary connections.

Institute Research Day, which was held on August 25, 2023, focused on remarkable endeavours undertaken by the M.Sc Batch 2022 students. Participation was made compulsory for all the students of M.Sc Batch 2022, in which they presented their Summer Internship Projects, and the best of them were rewarded. The event proved to be highly beneficial and informative for the students. It allowed new students to connect with their peers, learn about the projects their seniors undertook, and expand their horizons in various disciplines.

Dr Huzurbazar Memorial Lecture, which was organised on September 15, 2023, in memory of Prof. V.S. Huzurbazar, an Indian Statistician from Kolhapur. Prof. Snehalata

Huzurbazar, daughter of Prof. V.S. Huzurbazar, was invited as the Chief Guest for this memorial lecture. The Research Committee organised an E-Poster Competition and Presentation on this occasion. Interested students from different Institutions across Pune were open to participate, and the top three positions received awards, recognising the exceptional efforts they put into their projects.

**SankhyaShodh** is an event organised by the committee wherein students come together and discuss research papers and ideas. As planned, it happens twice a month wherein any student picks up any research paper, goes through it and presents it before class. It is a great initiative and idea for students to go through research papers and develop their interest in reading research papers and thinking of new ideas, which will eventually help them write and publish their own research papers.

The main aim of **Statsbuddy** is to provide industrial people and researchers help in Statistics through our college students who are interested in their research topic or Industrial Project. Collaborating with people who need help in analysing their data with students who have hands-on learning experiences at the Institute is a unique idea. The Statsbuddy session, held on the 30th of October, 2023, and led by Ms Archana Gaikwad, centred its discussion on the theme of "Social Life in the Urban Environment," with a primary emphasis on the significance and function of community and public open spaces. This session was essential in supporting Ms Gaikwad's ongoing research project. This session taught students about her ongoing research and how they could help the researcher analyse different datasets and find correlations. So, the interested students came forward, and out of them, two students were chosen to help Ms. Gaikwad in her research project.



# **Placement Committee**

## **Brief introduction:**

The Placement Committee at Symbiosis Statistical Institute operates as a crucial student body functioning under the guidance of the Director. This committee assumes responsibility for managing all placements-related facets, ensuring a seamless transition from academic learning to professional careers.

The committee's composition is divided into two pivotal components: the Director, who oversees the overall functioning, and the Student Placement Coordinators, who actively engage with the student body.

Dedicated to fostering the professional growth of every student, the Placement Committee takes on the role of an advisory and mentoring body. It is committed to offering guidance and support to students as they navigate the complex landscape of career opportunities.

One of the primary objectives of the Placement Committee is to aid students in exploring employment opportunities aligned with their individual interests and career goals. By facilitating interactions with potential employers, the committee strives to create an environment where students can make informed decisions about their professional trajectories.

Furthermore, the committee is steadfast in establishing collaborative partnerships with leading companies. This strategic alliance aims to secure the best possible career opportunities for the students, leveraging the institute's reputation and the calibre of its students.

In collaboration with the Training Cell, the Placement Committee plays a pivotal role in ensuring that students are well-prepared for the challenges of the professional world. Rigorous training programs and exposure initiatives are designed to equip students with the skills and knowledge necessary for securing fitting placements.

In essence, the Placement Committee at Symbiosis Statistical Institute bridges students with prospective employers, facilitating a seamless transition from academia to the professional realm. Through mentorship, collaboration with industry leaders, and rigorous training, the committee strives to enhance the employability and success of every student at the institute.

#### Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Advay Chandratre
- b. Ankita Verma
- c. Rajdeep Datta
- d. Sahil Narkar

e. Shriraksha Kalluraya

# 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-25

- a. Swarnava Majumder
- b. Ankita Purohit
- c. Tanusree Roy
- d. Ankita Prakash
- e. Arpan Dey
- f. Dipti Vaidya



# **Training Cell**

# **Brief introduction:**

The Training Cell is responsible for organising and conducting various workshops and sessions throughout the academic year by inviting guest speakers to give sessions/ lectures on niche topics, training the students with the required skills for industry, and collaborating with the placement cell whenever necessary and required

#### Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Vaibhav Puranik
- b. Sanika Bora
- c. Bhavya Walecha
- d. Shrutika Narvekar

# Activities held by the committee throughout the academic year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

**Session on Web Scraping** - On December 8th, 2023, our esteemed alumni, Abhishek Tiwari and Aparna Biswas, conducted a comprehensive session on web scraping.

The session aimed to provide participants with valuable insights into the world of web scraping, its applications, and practical tips for effective implementation.

The session was filled with informative content, practical demonstrations, and thoughtful discussions, which contributed to a well-rounded learning experience.

**AWS and Cloud Computing** - On December 1st, 2023, Our Star Alumni, Arjun Ghose, conducted a well-rounded session on AWS and cloud Computing

The session aimed to provide participants with an understanding of cloud computing and AWS, which has a major market in cloud computing.

The session started with an introduction to cloud computing and a deep dive into AWS and its services. The session was enriching and informative and consisted of discussion on a variety of topics in the domain of cloud computing, which made it a great learning experience.

**National Sample Survey** - On October 30, 2023, Mr. Jayaprakash Sudhir Honrao, who holds the position of joint director at NSSO, led the ISS Career Counseling session focused on the National Sample Survey.

Mr. Honrao highlighted both the recently completed and ongoing surveys conducted by the National Sample Survey Office (NSSO) and underscored the accessibility and relevance of government-provided data, especially for the benefit of students.

The session concluded with an engaging question and answer round, fostering collaborative learning for the students.

Genesis of Idea to IP - Genesis of idea to IP was organised on September 4th, 2023, by Mr. Satish Ranade.

He started by explaining the difference between entrepreneurship and start-ups. He explained the legalities for the same. He talked about patents and how you can protect your ideas by making patents on them. He also elaborated on the organisations, contacts, and compliances used for legal help.

Students got a brief idea about the steps or process required to start with IP. It was a great opportunity to learn about the process of entrepreneurship and how to implement your ideas.

Indian Statistical System and Career Opportunities - A Career Guidance Session was conducted on September 2, 2023. The guest speaker was Dr. Ruhi Kulkarni, Senior Research Officer, Central Water and Power Research Station.

Dr. Ruhi Kulkarni detailed her journey in preparing for the UPSC examination for the Indian Statistical Service; she explained the various rounds in the ISS examination, including the preliminary, main, and interview rounds. She highlighted the importance of a well-rounded preparation strategy to excel in each stage. Dr. Ruhi Kulkarni provided practical tips for preparing for the ISS examination. She stressed the importance of time management, self-discipline, and consistent effort.



# **Sports Committee**

#### **Brief introduction:**

The Sports committee is responsible for promoting sports at the Symbiosis Statistical Institute. The sports committee works as a bridge between the SIU and SSI by helping them coordinate with the students who wish to participate in the sports events and guiding them with the overall procedure. Also, the committee coordinates trials and practices and helps with the equipment and facilities.

#### **Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:**

- 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024
  - a. Urvi Patil
  - b. Sujeet Gupta

#### 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Anushka Jagtap
- b. Shaktikalp Mohanty

#### 3. B.Sc Batch 2022-2025

- a. Harita Sankararaman
- b. Saarthak Jain
- 4. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027
  - a. Bhumi Mahajan
  - a. Kashinath J Nair

#### Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

The primary objective of the sports committee was to ensure the active participation of institute students in diverse sporting events, fostering a sense of excitement and enthusiasm for sports activities. Throughout the academic year 2023-24, the Department of Sports and Recreational Wellness (DSRW) organised various sports events, with the Symbiosis Statistical Institute (SSI) actively participating in all competitions.

Commencing in August, SSI engaged in a series of events encompassing Table Tennis, Squash, Yoga, Swimming, Chess, and Badminton. September saw SSI students participating in a multitude of sports competitions, including Tennis, Volleyball, Karate/Taekwondo, Handball, Basketball, Cheerleading, and Powerlifting. Notably, October witnessed a pause in sporting events, while November featured competitions in Athletics, Football, Cricket, and Best Physique competitions.

Plans are underway to create a jersey reveal video in the upcoming weeks. Additionally, the month of February marked the organisation of the initial round of Mr. and Mrs. SYMBIFIT at Lavale HillTop, with active participation from SSI students. The institute also provides access to sports equipment to benefit its students.

Despite commendable efforts, SSI faced early exits in Table Tennis, Badminton, and Volleyball, with all matches being closely contested. In Yoga, SSI successfully progressed through the initial rounds but fell short of securing medals. Although a participant reached the finals in Swimming, a medal eluded the institute. Chess standings placed SSI at the 13th position out of 22 participating institutes. In Football, the team secured victory in the first match but narrowly lost the second by a single point. Similarly, in Cricket, SSI won the first round but faced defeat in the subsequent one. Several SSI students have also qualified for the finals in the SYMBIFIT competition.

# **Photograph:**



# Women's Cell

# **Brief introduction:**

The primary focus of the Women's Cell at SSI is to cultivate a supportive and inclusive environment for female students. The cell's rules and responsibilities encompass organising events, promoting women's empowerment, and ensuring a safe and respectful campus for everyone.

#### **Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:**

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Mathew Oomen
- b. Sanika Hande

# 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Alen Joseph
- b. Aishwarya Shitole
- 3. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027
  - a. Khushi Vats

# Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

## **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

#### Navratri Celebration:

On the 20th of October 2023, the Women's Cell at SSI organised the Shardiya Navratri celebration. The essence of this event was to empower women and highlight the strength inherent in different phases of their lives. Dr Priya Deshpande Ma'am delivered an eloquent speech, providing insights into the significance of each day of Navaratri and the diverse ways people across regions celebrate the festival. A student presented a poignant poem dedicated to the nine goddesses, symbolising the Navarasa or nine emotions.

A Drawing competition centred around Navratri's theme showcased numerous participants' artistic talents. Each drawing conveyed a unique story of Navratri or depicted a form of Durga Maa. Following the event, winners were announced based on creativity. The program concluded with reflections on how the festival signifies the triumph of good over evil and the strength of the divine feminine.

#### **International Men's Day Celebration:**

On November 20, 2023, in observance of International Men's Day, the Women's Cell at SSI orchestrated a series of events and activities. The first activity involved female students writing

short messages expressing appreciation and gratitude to each batch's male staff, non-teaching staff, and students. The second activity invited male students to articulate a one-line quote commencing with "I am a man who...". Active participation ensued, and the students inscribed their quotes on a whiteboard.

To culminate the celebration, envelopes containing these notes were distributed to each male student, accompanied by tokens of appreciation. The Women's Cell also distributed chocolates to fellow batchmates and office faculty. Representatives from the Women's Cell extended their gratitude to all participants for contributing to the event's success.



# **Disciplinary Committee**

# **Brief introduction:**

The members of the Disciplinary Committee are responsible for upholding order and adherence to rules within the college. The primary responsibility is to monitor attendance during regular classes and ensure discipline. Additionally, committee members ensure that students are well-informed about various disciplinary rules governing behaviour and ethical standards within the college. Moreover, during events and other extracurricular activities, the disciplinary committee ensures that students adhere to established codes of conduct.

#### Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Himanshu Pawar
- b. Shriraksha Kalluraya
- 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025
  - a. Aditi Sharma
  - b. Eeshan Deodas

# 3. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

- a. Yoshant Somanthe
- b. Shree Chatterjee

# Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

Throughout the academic year 2023-2024, the Disciplinary Committee diligently pursued its primary objective of cultivating a conducive learning environment by upholding students' adherence to established rules and regulations.

Committee members consistently fulfilled their responsibilities, meticulously tracking attendance in regular classes and maintaining discipline. Their active involvement extended to various events organised from August to December, including Institute Research Day, Huzurbazar Memorial Lecture, Vachan Prerna Diwas, etc. During these events, the committee was pivotal in ensuring discipline and decorum, from overseeing seating arrangements to enforcing established rules.

Collaborating seamlessly with other committee members, the team contributed to the smooth execution of events. Addressing the unauthorised use of lifts by some students, the committee initiated effective communication with faculty and administration, resulting in the imposition of strict rules to prevent such instances in the future.

The committee's efforts yielded positive outcomes, ensuring the seamless execution of events and activities throughout the academic calendar while maintaining classroom discipline. By addressing student grievances related to college infrastructure, the committee facilitated communication with the Faculty in charge, leading to effective solutions. During major Council events like the Huzurbazar Memorial Lecture and Samyukt, the committee efficiently organised volunteers to assist dignitaries and other students, ensuring the smooth functioning of activities. Additionally, the committee successfully monitored student attendance at online extracurricular activities and sessions through timely reminders and student-to-student communication.



# **Library Committee**

# **Brief introduction:**

The library committee is responsible for all the library-related activities at the SSI. The committee acts as a bridge between the library and the students by helping them with the books, the library portals and various other sources of information. Also, the committee organises events celebrating days like World Book and Copyright Day, National Librarian's Day, Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Sir's Birth Anniversary as Vachan Prerna Divas, National Library Week, National Constitution Day, etc. The knowledge gained through these events has proven to be beneficial for the students in their future endeavours. Moreover, the committee has meetings with the SIU library focusing on the library's progress.

## Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Sakshi Nair
- b. Kaipilyawar Rahi
- c. Gaurav Gavali
- d. Pravin Chandora

## 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Aditi Nimbarte
- b. Sanskruti Sonawane
- 3. B.Sc Batch 2022-2025
  - a. Mesam Marbiang Laloo

#### 4. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

a. Harshal Ramani

## Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

The NDLI (National Digital Library of India) Awareness Program was conducted on March 23, 2023 by QIC, Library and the Training Cell, Symbiosis Statistical Institute, Pune, for the students of B.Sc. Batch 2022-2025 and M.Sc. Batch 2022-24. It familiarised the students with the registration process and further elaborated upon the types of memberships and different events organised by NDLI. Hence, the main objective of the event was to convey the importance of the NDLI portal for students in various fields of research, journals, reports, and other resources.

On April 25th 2023, an event named "Indigenous Languages" was organised on the occasion of World Book and Copyright Day. This program was lined up with three events, namely,

Reading Hall, Book Exchange and Review, and Statistics event's main objective Hall provided students with a platform to reach out to more books and the librarian where they could ask her questions regarding books. Book Exchange and Review was an overview to the students about finding new books in the "Indigenous Languages". Lastly, the Statistical Spark activity was about how students found their interest in statistics and which book or event inspired them the most to pursue statistics. Overall, the motive behind the event was to promote reading and advocate for students' protection of intellectual property rights.

On July 1, 2023, Symbiosis Statistical Institute, Pune, in association with the Institute for the Advancement of Vedic Mathematics, held a workshop on Vedic Mathematics for all ages. The Vedic Mathematics Workshop aimed to introduce participants to the ancient system of Vedic mathematics, providing insights into its fundamental principles and tracing its historical origins. The workshop not only shed light on an ancient intellectual heritage but also highlighted the timeless relevance of Vedic mathematics in today's world.

On 12th August 2023, a captivating event was held that celebrated the legacy of S. R. Ranganathan (National Librarian's Day), and it explored the timeless importance of libraries in the digital landscape. The event also focused on how librarians collect, verify, and make reliable material available so students and researchers can easily navigate the data.

On August 18, 2023, a comprehensive library orientation session was conducted for the new students joining our esteemed institution. The primary aim of this session was to acquaint them with the rules and regulations governing library usage and provide an overview of the various facilities available on the SIU Library portal. Emphasis was laid on the importance of respecting quiet zones, handling library resources with care, and adhering to borrowing guidelines.

On October 18th 2023, a book exhibition was organised in the institute on the occasion of Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Sir's Birth anniversary, wherein several book vendors were invited. There were different genres at each stall like motivational, statistical, self-help, health-related, etc books. Feedback was taken from the students and the staff members on which books to include in the library from a particular vendor.

On National Library Week, a quiz competition and a book summary event were held at SSI. The quiz competition was based on all the topics related to the book world. The book summaries provided the outline of the whole piece of writing of the particular books. It helped the students to comprehend what they read by focusing on and connecting the important ideas.

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# **Photography Committee**

#### **Brief introduction:**

The Photography Committee within the Student Council at SSI is tasked with producing essential visuals and templates crucial for effective communication and upholding a cohesive visual representation. This committee primarily concentrates on generating imagery for diverse platforms like social media, posters, flyers, and other communication mediums. Through collaborative efforts, committee members ensure the effective portrayal of the objectives behind different events organised within the institute.

#### **Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:**

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Arushi Sharma
- b. Devanshu Gohil
- c. Gaurav Gavali

#### 2. M.Sc Batch 2023-2025

- a. Tanvi Limaye
- b. Aravind R S

#### 3. B.Sc Batch 2023-2027

- a. Bhoomi
- b. Anubhav Jain

#### Activities held by the committee throughout the Academic Year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

The College Photography Committee, aligned with various college committees, plays a pivotal role in preserving the memories that shape our college experience. Through the lens, we transform fleeting moments into indelible memories through the lens, weaving together a visual tapestry reflecting our academic journey's essence. In collaboration with cultural, academic, sports, and community service committees, we witness the multifaceted nature of college life, capturing the spirit of passion, diversity, and achievement that defines our vibrant community.

One of our most thrilling ventures is capturing the kaleidoscope of cultural events such as Forts of India - A Different Perspective, Independence Day, and Navratri that grace our college calendar. Each frame tells a story of passion, dedication, and the celebration of diversity that defines our college culture. Day of Reading, National Statistics Day, Akhil Bharatiya Shiksha Samagam, Teacher's Day, Kolam, Samyukt 2023, National Librarian's Day, Library orientation for M.Sc as well as B.Sc, Institute Research Day were the wonderful activities arranged by the different college committees. From the effervescent colours of traditional dance performances during Samyunkt 2023 to the poignant moments of theatrical brilliance in drama competitions, our photographers are the silent observers who transform fleeting seconds into timeless images.

Dr. Huzurbazar Memorial Lecture, which was organized on 15th of September, 2023 ,in the memory of Prof. V.S. Huzurbazar, an Indian Statistician from Kolhapur.Photography was done with the same event to live in the moment forever.

Apart from the events, various seminars and workshops were organised, such as the Day of Reading, Vedic Mathematic workshop, Scopus and Mendeley Webinar, Chandrayan 3 soft Landing Stream, Walk the TOP, Turnitin Training Webinar, Statcraft Demonstration Webinar, Indian statistical system and career opportunities, Statsbuddy, seven days of central library webinar, LinkedIn session, Constitution Day, National sampling survey, College health education programme were arranged by different committees supporting the growth of the students. The photography committee successfully completed the responsibility of illustrating the dynamic nature of academic discourse in our college through the lenses. The Photography Committee also does photography for each student council meeting. Committee members did Committee Photographs, Student council photographs and class photography to cherish the moments.

In the vibrant tapestry of college life, the Photography Committee stands as a silent but powerful guardian of memories. Aligned with various college committees, our team is on a perpetual quest to freeze moments in time, creating a visual narrative of the multitude of events that paint the canvas of our academic journey. Through the lens, we weave together a tale beyond textbooks and classrooms, capturing the essence of camaraderie, passion, and achievement that define our community.



# Social Media Committee

### **Brief introduction:**

The Social Media Team at Symbiosis Statistical Institute is a dynamic and innovative group responsible for shaping the institute's online presence across diverse social media platforms. Comprising talented individuals with a passion for design, content creation, and strategic communication, this team plays a pivotal role in engaging with the institute's digital audience.

#### **Batch-wise list of names for the Academic Year:**

#### 1. M.Sc Batch 2022-2024

- a. Sahil Narkar
- b. Bhavya Walecha
- c. Isha Ratnaparkhi
- d. Mrudula Patil

#### Activities held by the committee throughout the academic year:

#### **Objective:**

#### **Short Note:**

Throughout the academic year, the Social Media Committee diligently executed various activities to enhance the institute's online presence across diverse platforms, including LinkedIn, Instagram, Facebook, and Twitter.

Ensuring the confidentiality of official social media account credentials remained a top priority for the committee. Strict adherence to deadlines set by the Events Committee and Placement Committee was observed, guaranteeing timely and synchronised postings across all platforms.

The committee orchestrated the simultaneous release of creatives on LinkedIn, Instagram, Facebook, and Twitter, aligning with the institute's guidelines for content and captions. This strategic approach aimed to present a cohesive and professional image across all social media channels.

In the handling of official accounts, the Social Media Committee exercised utmost care to prevent any misuse for personal benefits. The committee members approached their responsibilities with diligence, recognising the significance of maintaining the integrity and reputation of the institute's online presence. As a result of these activities, the Social Media Committee successfully enhanced the institute's visibility, engagement, and positive interactions across social media platforms. The synchronised posting strategy contributed to increased audience reach and participation in various institute events. The committee's dedication to confidentiality, adherence to guidelines, and responsible account management collectively strengthened the online reputation of the institute, fostering a vibrant and connected virtual community.

# **Photograph:**

