
Report on the Road Safety Awareness Program for Students, Faculty and Staff members held at Integral University

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As per the directive of Uttar Pradesh State Higher Education Council, Government of Uttar Pradesh, under Road Safety Pakhwara, The Road Safety Club, Integral University under the aegis of Dean Students' Welfare organized a "Road Safety Awareness & Training Program" for Students, Faculty & Staff members on 27th December 2023. More than 150 participants took part in this informative awareness program.

The training programme began with a welcome address by Prof. Monowar Alam Khalid, Dean Students' Welfare to the distinguished guests Shri Vipin Pandey, Traffic Inspector, Lucknow, Shri Pankaj Sharma, Road Safety Manager, Traffic Training Park, and Shri Syed Ehtesham (famous as Helmet man) from Maruti Suzuki, India Limited. Dr Khalid talked about the theme and purpose of the awareness campaign, as well as the World Health Organization's most recent Global Status Report on Road Safety. According to data released on December 13, 2023, road traffic deaths globally have decreased by 5% to 1.19 million yearly since 2010 but increased in India. Based on the "Road Accidents in India 2022" study, published in November 2023, the number of deaths reported in India due to road crashes in 2018 was 1,50,785, which rose to 1,53,792 in 2021.

Shri Vipin Pandey, Traffic Inspector-Lucknow, spoke about the traffic norms and regulations. He underlined contemporary issues, the causes of frequent road accidents, and the necessity of traffic lights, as every second counts at the stop signal. He explained how crucial it is for us to have laws and regulations in place to safeguard the road, or else it will be difficult to prevent misuse and chaos. The interactive sessions concluded with participants taking a "Safety pledge" to adhere to traffic signals and signs, contributing to a safer road environment.

The training programme finished with a highly interactive Question and Answer session by Mr. Pankaj Sharma, Road Safety Manager, Road Safety Training Park, Hero MotoCorp. Ltd., Lucknow. Mr. Pankaj passionately engaged the entire audience, discussing the significance of a Driving license (DL) and other important documents that must be held when driving and delivering a wealth of knowledge on the various indications, holdings, and awareness signs.

Furthermore, Mr. Syed Ehtesham, also known as the Helmet Man from Maruti Suzuki Pvt Ltd., joined everyone for the same session and spoke to the audience on the importance of wearing a helmet and how it protects the driver. He went on and on about the benefits of vehicle equipment and the technology in cars that prevent accidents and also informed about the “Good Samaritan Law” of the Traffic Department, which rewards Rs 5000.00 to a person who helps a victim at the time of an accident as a good Samaritan. Prizes were given to the winners of on-the -spot quiz competition. The program was highly interactive, which educated the participants i.e. students, faculty/staff members regarding tips for road safety. Ms. Lubna Hashmi successfully moderated the session, which ended with a vote of thanks from Ms. Mohsina Khan. There was also a display by the Maruti Suzuki Pvt Ltd of their new less emission vehicles at the campus.

Few glimpses of the event:









Warm regards,

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