

Brief Report on Anti Ragging Day 2024 Program observed at Integral University

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In compliance with UGC's recommendations and regulations to mitigate the issue of ragging in higher education institutions. Integral University under the aegis of Dean, Students' Welfare observed "**Anti Ragging Day**" on **August 12, 2024**, which was followed by celebrating "**Anti Ragging Week**" from **August 12 to August 18, 2024** by various departments at its campus. The program started with the welcome address delivered by Prof. Monowar Alam Khalid, Dean, Students' Welfare, in which he informed the participants about UGC Regulations on 'Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009' as mandatory for all higher education institutions and various steps required for its implementation including the monitoring mechanism. He also informed the audience that Integral University has Zero Tolerance towards Ragging. This was followed by an address by Prof. T. Usmani, Chief Proctor of Integral University, who spoke about the Proctorial Committee's functioning and university policies on ragging. He emphasized that there is No Ragging at the Campus, and further added that individuals found guilty of ragging at the university may face various penalties, such as having their admissions revoked, being suspended from attending classes, being banned from taking any exams or examinations, etc., depending on the type and seriousness of the offence as determined by the Anti-Ragging committee.

The esteemed guest and the key speaker Prof. (Dr.) S. M. K. Rizvi, Dean, Students' Welfare and Chief Proctor of BBD University, Lucknow, delivered an informative speech, in which he stated that it is important to educate students about the adverse psychological effects of ragging on mental and emotional health and how such awareness programs can foster an environment of acceptance, inclusivity, and understanding among them. He also discussed the negative effects of ragging, including the psychological harm and potential legal consequences, and urged students to develop empathy and promote a supportive environment. Overall, this awareness campaign made a substantial contribution to increasing knowledge about anti-ragging legislation and providing students with the tools they need to oppose it, strengthening the atmosphere of safety and decency on the campus. More than 50 students enthusiastically participated in this informative awareness program, which was successfully moderated and concluded by Ms. Mohsina Khan from the Department of Environmental Science, Integral University, Lucknow.

Some glimpses of the event:





Warm regards,
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