

Faculty of Pharmacy Celebrated World Pharmacists Day 2024: A Celebration of Pharmacists' Role in Global Health

Faculty of Pharmacy, Integral University celebrated **World Pharmacists Day 2024**. The event celebrated the invaluable contributions of pharmacists in meeting global health needs, aligning with this year's theme, "**Pharmacists: Meeting Global Health Needs.**" Held on Wednesday, September 25, at the Seminar Hall, the event brought together students, faculty members, healthcare professionals, and our guest speaker **Mr. Awadhesh Kumar** to address critical topics in the field of pharmaceutical sciences.



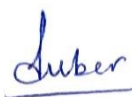
Welcome address by Prof. (Dr.) Syed Misbahul Hasan, Dean, Faculty of Pharmacy

The welcome address was delivered by the **Prof. (Dr.) Syed Misbahul Hasan**, Dean, Faculty of Pharmacy, Integral University who emphasized the vital role of pharmacists in healthcare systems worldwide and the increasing need for public awareness of their contributions.



Mr. Awadhesh Kumar, Therapy Business Manager at the Metabolics and Urology Division, Abott India Limited, spoke on 'Patient Counselling Regarding Vaccination', underscoring the critical role of pharmacists in educating patients about vaccination. He emphasized the importance of building trust and increasing vaccine acceptance through effective counselling. His session concluded with an interactive Q&A, where students engaged in discussions about vaccine safety and the role of pharmacists in immunization.

The event reflected PO1 (Pharmacy Knowledge), PO7 (Pharmaceutical Ethics), and PO8 (Communication) by enhancing professional understanding, encouraging ethical patient counselling, and promoting effective dialogue. It also aligned with SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being), SDG 4 (Quality Education), and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals) by advancing vaccination awareness, supporting expert-driven education, and strengthening collaboration between academia and industry.



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