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About Us

Welcome to Arthasancharika, the official newsletter of the Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur. This publication serves as a platform to showcase the intellectual vitality, academic achievements, and dynamic engagements of our department. Through thoughtful articles, research insights, student accomplishments, faculty contributions and departmental milestones, Arthasancharika reflects our commitment to excellence in learning, inquiry and innovation.

As a department dedicated to understanding and shaping the economic realities of our time, we believe in fostering dialogue, critical thinking and informed perspectives. This newsletter stands as a testament to the collective efforts of our academic community, while also strengthening the bond that unites us in pursuit of knowledge and progress.

VISION, MISSION & STRATEGIC DIRECTION

History

Established in 2011, Manipal University Jaipur (MUJ) was founded under the esteemed legacy of the Manipal Group, known for its long-standing commitment to excellence in education and innovation. Created through an Act of the Government of Rajasthan, MUJ marked the expansion of the Manipal vision into Rajasthan.

Over the years, the university has emerged as a leading multidisciplinary institution, offering quality education, advanced research opportunities, and holistic development. Today, MUJ continues to uphold the Manipal tradition of nurturing future-ready leaders and professionals.

1953: Dr Pai with PM Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri. Kasturba Medical College, India's first private medical college, was started

2011: Manipal University Jaipur launched. Dr Ramdas Pai awarded with Padma Bhushan and Malaysian title "Datuk.

VISION, MISSION & STRATEGIC DIRECTION

MUJ

Vision
Global leadership in higher education and human development.
Mission
Be the most preferred University for innovative and interdisciplinary learning.
Foster academic, research and professional excellence in all domains.
Transform young minds into competent professionals with good human values.

Department of Economics

Vision
The department aims to develop a conductive education ecosystem of global standards fulfilling three-fold objective of teaching, learning and research. It is geared towards promoting principled, positive, interactive, and experiential educational experience for an all-round personality development of students.
Mission
The department envisions to cultivate a holistic learning education ecosystem.
The department aims to foster original intellectual growth of students as well as faculty.
To create an environment that encourage critical thinking to solve problems of society through application of economics.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT

It gives me great pleasure to present Volume 3, Issue 1 of the Department of Economics Newsletter. This issue reflects the vibrant academic environment, dedication, and teamwork that define our department.

Economics plays a crucial role in understanding today's evolving world—ranging from global uncertainty and technological change to sustainability and inclusive development. Our department remains committed to fostering analytical thinking, practical insight, and a broader perspective among students.

This newsletter highlights key academic and student activities, including faculty achievements, research contributions, seminars, workshops, and student accomplishments. It is encouraging to witness the enthusiasm of our students and the commitment of our faculty in nurturing a dynamic learning environment.

I sincerely appreciate the editorial team and all contributors for their efforts in making this issue meaningful and engaging. I encourage everyone to continue striving for excellence as we strengthen the academic contributions of our department.
I hope you find this issue both insightful and inspiring.

PROF. DR. SUMAN CHAKRABORTY
HEAD - DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
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INSIDER'S INSIGHT: EDITOR'S TAKE

I am delighted to present Volume 3, Issue 1 of our departmental newsletter, Artha Sanchaarika. This edition reflects the academic achievements, research contributions, and vibrant activities of the Economics Department, showcasing our shared commitment to excellence and intellectual growth.

As Chief Editorial Head, I extend my sincere gratitude to the Head of the Department for their constant guidance and support. I also deeply appreciate the editorial team for their creativity, effort, and dedication in bringing out this issue.

I sincerely appreciate the valuable contributions of all students and faculty members, whose efforts have made this newsletter a vibrant and meaningful reflection of our department.

CHIEF EDITORIAL HEAD
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DEPARTMENTAL EVENTS

YOUTH PARLIAMENT

The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized a Youth Parliament on India's Union Budget 2026. The event provided a dynamic platform for students to engage in a structured parliamentary simulation, examining key aspects of the Union Budget, including fiscal priorities, sectoral allocations, economic reforms, and sustainability-oriented development strategies.

Prof. Yashwardhan Singh graced the occasion as Chief Guest, offering valuable academic and policy insights that enriched the deliberations. The session was conducted under the guidance of Prof. Brajesh Kumar (Dean) and Prof. Suman Chakraborty (Head, Department of Economics), whose support enhanced its intellectual depth. The programme was organized by Prof. Minali Banerjee and Prof. Namrata Bhardwaj, ensuring a well-coordinated and engaging experience.

The discussions reflected strong analytical thinking, policy awareness, and active student participation. Such initiatives play a crucial role in bridging theoretical learning with real-world policy discourse and democratic engagement.

DEPARTMENTAL EVENTS

BreakPoint: A Two-Day Celebration of Strategy, Competition, and Collaboration

The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur fondly reflects on BreakPoint, a two-day flagship event that stands as a proud milestone marked by dedication, teamwork, and vision. What began as an idea evolved into a dynamic platform bringing together strategy, competition, and intellectual engagement.
Featuring events such as the Trading Desk, Case Competition, General Quiz, and IPL Auction, BreakPoint witnessed enthusiastic participation and a vibrant audience across both days. Each segment showcased meticulous planning, seamless coordination, and the collective efforts of the organizing team.
As we look back and share glimpses from these memorable days, we express our gratitude for the enriching experience, valuable learning, and overwhelming response that made BreakPoint a remarkable success at Manipal University Jaipur.

RBI VISIT

Students of Manipal University Jaipur visited the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) campus in Jaipur as part of an industrial visit. The experience provided valuable insights into the functioning of India's central banking system.

During the visit, students toured the office, observed various operations, and interacted with RBI officials, gaining practical knowledge about monetary policy and banking functions. A key highlight was a conference session on how the Indian Rupee is designed, printed, and circulated, along with its security features.

Overall, the visit was an informative and enriching experience, helping students connect theoretical concepts with real-world applications in the financial sector.

RBI VISIT

INSIDE BITS FROM RBI

INDUSTRY VISIT

The Department of Economics successfully organized an enriching industrial visit for undergraduate and postgraduate students to **Bhamashah Technohub, Jaipur**—one of India's largest startup incubation hubs. The visit provided valuable exposure to the practical application of economic concepts within a dynamic entrepreneurial ecosystem, offering insights into business incubation, innovation-driven growth, and the role of economics in startup success. Students experienced a guided tour of the state-of-the-art infrastructure, including co-working spaces and labs, and engaged in interactive sessions with startup founders who shared their journeys and challenges. Discussions also highlighted the role of startups in regional development and employment generation, along with the importance of support systems that foster innovation. This initiative reflects the university's commitment to experiential learning and industry engagement. The department extends its sincere appreciation to Dr. Vijay Kumar and Dr. Garima Singh for organizing the visit, and to the team at Bhamashah Technohub for hosting an engaging and informative session.

INDUSTRY VISIT

SOME MORE BITS!!!

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Navigating Mental Pressure and Building Emotional Stability

The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized a Mental Well-being Session on "Navigating Mental Pressure and Building Emotional Stability" on 27th February 2026, in collaboration with the E.A.R.T.H. Club and HR, MUJ. The session was delivered by Dr. Evelyn Raghel Thomas, Clinical Director and mindfulness expert, who shared valuable insights on managing stress, building emotional resilience, and fostering mindfulness in academic and professional life. The session was highly engaging and interactive, providing participants with practical strategies for maintaining mental well-being. The department extends its sincere appreciation to the convenors, Dr. Shilpi Gupta and Dr. Karambir Singh Dhayal, for organizing the session, and expresses gratitude to Dr. Brajesh Kumar (Dean) and Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics) for their continued guidance and support. Such initiatives reflect the university's commitment to holistic development and student well-being.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Managing Personal Finances for Economic Empowerment

TThe Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized a Financial Well-being Session on “Managing Personal Finances for Economic Empowerment” on 26th February 2026, in collaboration with the E.A.R.T.H. Club and HR, MUJ. The session was delivered by Mr. Bhasker Kalia, Independent Financial Advisor, who shared valuable insights on personal financial planning, investment discipline, risk management, and informed decision-making for long-term economic empowerment. The session witnessed enthusiastic participation and meaningful interaction, making it an enriching learning experience for all attendees. The department extends its sincere thanks to the convenors, Dr. Shilpi Gupta and Dr. Karambir Singh Dhayal, and expresses its gratitude to Dr. Brajesh Kumar (Dean) and Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics) for their continued guidance and support.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

The Budget as an Economic Blueprint: Growth, Jobs and Inclusion

The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized an expert lecture for B.A. Economics VI Semester students as part of the course Indian Economy. Prof. Yashwardhan Singh delivered the session on “The Budget as an Economic Blueprint: Growth, Jobs and Inclusion,” offering valuable insights into the Union Budget as a strategic tool for economic growth, employment generation, and inclusive development. The lecture enriched students’ understanding of fiscal policy, development priorities, and the broader macroeconomic framework of the Indian economy. Engaging discussions and thoughtful interactions reflected students’ keen interest in contemporary public finance and policy issues. The department sincerely thanks Prof. Singh for his insightful and impactful session. Such initiatives continue to strengthen the connection between theoretical learning and real-world policy discourse.

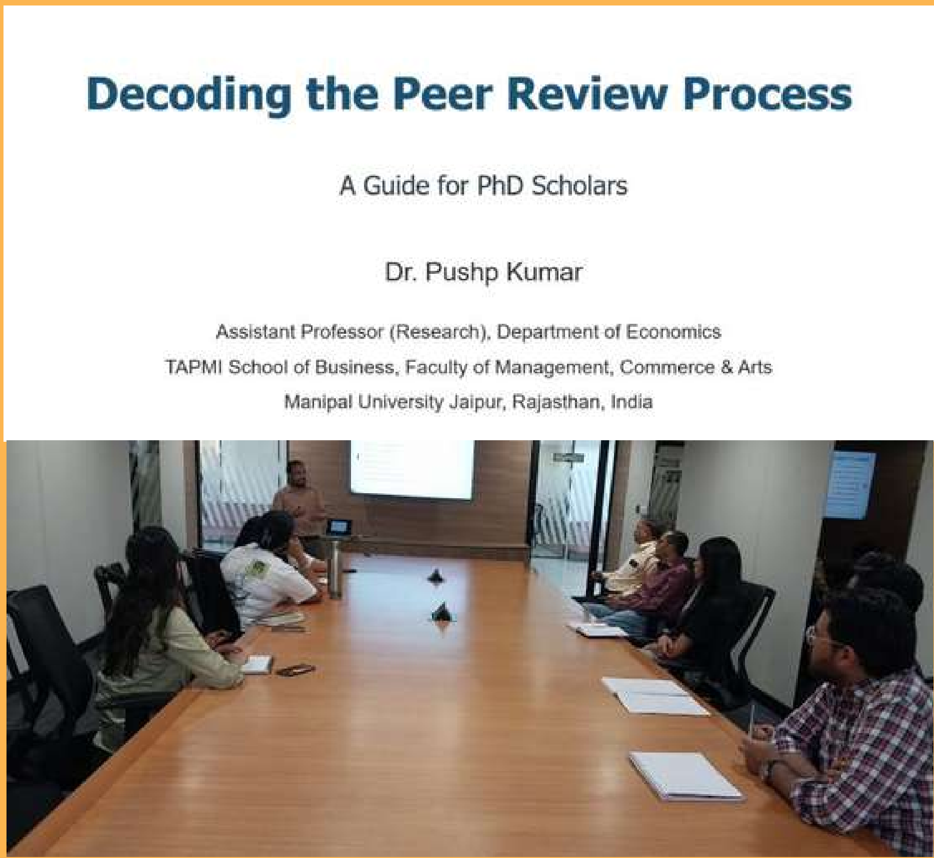
EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Sustainable Cities: Policy, Practice, and Financing Perspectives

The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized an insightful Industry Expert Lecture on "Sustainable Cities: Policy, Practice, and Financing Perspectives." The session was delivered by Dr. Rishika Raj, Consultant at the National Centre for Good Governance, who shared engaging and thought-provoking insights on the evolving landscape of sustainable urban development. The lecture covered key areas such as policy frameworks shaping sustainable cities, practical challenges in urban governance, and financing mechanisms for sustainable urban transformation. The interactive discussion and real-world perspectives enriched students' understanding of sustainable development and urban economics. The department extends its sincere gratitude to Dr. Brajesh Kumar (Dean, FoMCA), Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics), and Dr. Samar Kumar Mishra (Convener) for their guidance and support in making the event a success.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Decoding the Peer Review Process



The Department of Economics, MUJ, TAPMI School of Business, FoMCA, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized an insightful guest lecture on “Decoding the Peer Review Process: A Guide for PhD Scholars.” The session was delivered by Dr. Pushp Kumar, who shared valuable insights into the academic publishing process and offered practical guidance on navigating peer review with clarity and confidence. The lecture covered key aspects such as the purpose of peer review, major stakeholders in the publication ecosystem, manuscript evaluation criteria, common reasons for desk rejection, effective pre-submission strategies, and how to respond to reviewers. The session was highly engaging and provided participants with actionable knowledge to enhance research quality and publication success. The department extends its sincere gratitude to Dr. Brajesh Kumar (Dean, FoMCA) and Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD) for their support, and special thanks to Dr. Garima Singh and Dr. Vijay Kumar for organizing the session.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Engineering the Sustainable City: Bridging the Gap between Environmental Science and Urban Transport Economics

The Department of Economics, FoMCA, Manipal University Jaipur successfully organized an insightful Industry Expert Lecture on “Engineering the Sustainable City: Bridging the Gap between Environmental Science and Urban Transport Economics.” The session was delivered by Dr. Hemant Singh, who shared valuable perspectives on sustainable urban development and the integration of environmental science with transport economics. The lecture highlighted the role of sustainable practices in urban planning, the interlinkages between environment and transport economics, and practical approaches to building eco-friendly and resilient cities. It provided students with a deeper understanding of how economic principles can address real-world urban and environmental challenges. The department extends its sincere gratitude to Dr. Brajesh Kumar (Dean, FoMCA) and Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics) for their guidance and support, and special thanks to Dr. Samar Kumar Mishra for coordinating and organizing this enriching session.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Practical Data Analysis with Generative AI

The Department of Economics successfully organized an insightful Industry Expert Session at TAPMI School of Business, Faculty of Management, Commerce & Arts (FoMCA), Manipal University Jaipur, on “Practical Data Analysis with Generative AI.” The session was delivered by Mr. Aditya Singh Rathore, Senior MLOps Engineer at EXL Services, who shared valuable industry insights on Machine Learning, Data Engineering, and Generative AI. Students were introduced to tools such as Python, LangChain, OpenAI APIs, Databricks, and PySpark, along with their practical applications in analytics. The session highlighted key areas including applications of generative AI in business analytics, development of scalable AI solutions and RAG pipelines, real-world use cases like fraud detection, and emerging career opportunities in AI, ML, and data analytics. The session was highly engaging and enriched students’ understanding of the growing role of AI in economics and business analytics. The department expresses its sincere gratitude to the speaker and acknowledges the support and guidance of Dr. Brajesh Kumar (Dean, FoMCA), Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD), and Dr. Namrata Bhardwaj (Convener).

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Emerging Risks in Banking: Identifying and Managing New Threats in 2025

The Department of Economics successfully organized an insightful Industry Expert Session at MUJ, TAPMI School of Business, Manipal University Jaipur, on "Emerging Risks in Banking: Identifying and Managing New Threats in 2025." The session was delivered by Ms. Apoorva Lakhotia, Data Analyst at Standard Chartered Modeling and Analytics Center, who shared valuable perspectives on evolving financial risks, global banking challenges, and strategies to navigate uncertainties in a dynamic financial landscape. The department extends its sincere gratitude to the speaker for an engaging and enriching session, and to the faculty members for their guidance and support. The event was organized under the leadership of Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics) and convened by Dr. Minali Banerjee.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Finance as a Tool for Gender Equality and Inclusive Development

The Department of Economics, MUJ, TAPMI School of Business, Manipal University Jaipur, organized an engaging Industry Expert Session on "Finance as a Tool for Gender Equality and Inclusive Development." The session was delivered by Ms. Nidhi Tiwari, Researcher and Development Sector Consultant, who shared insightful perspectives on the role of financial systems and policies in advancing gender equality and inclusive growth. The discussion emphasized the importance of financial inclusion for marginalized groups, gender-responsive policy frameworks, and the role of finance in achieving sustainable development goals. The department extends its sincere gratitude to the speaker for an enriching and thought-provoking session. The event was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics) and convened by Dr. Siddharth Shukla and Dr. Vijay Kumar.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

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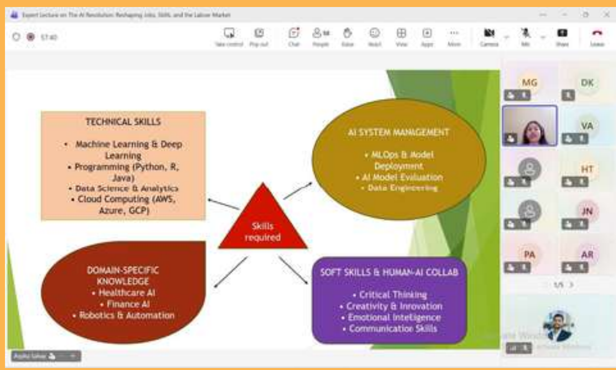
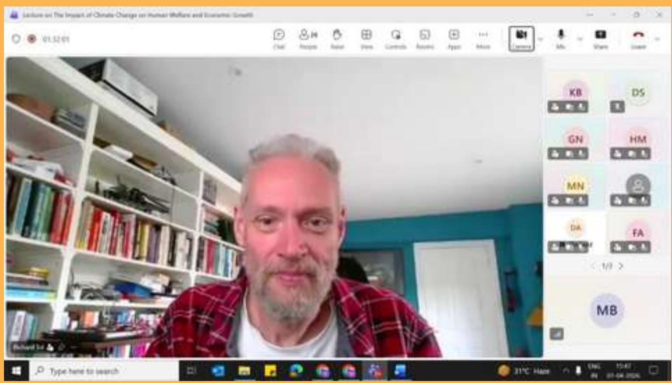
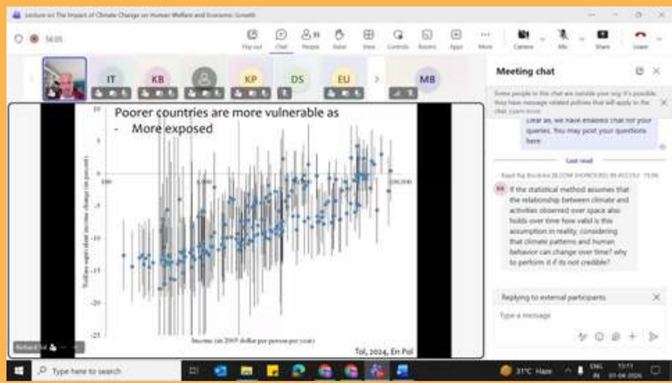


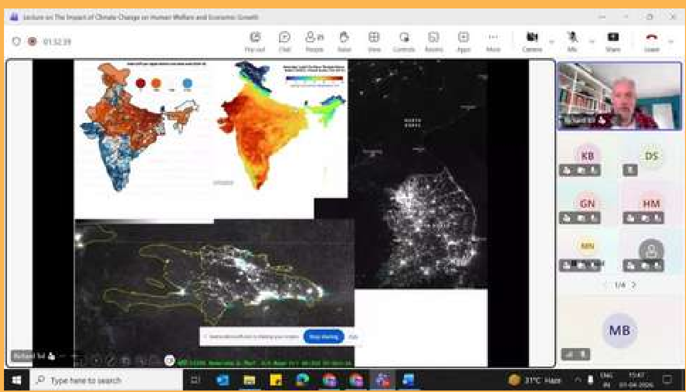
TThe Department of Economics, TAPMI School of Business, Manipal University Jaipur, successfully organized an insightful Industry Expert Session on “The AI Revolution: Reshaping Jobs, Skills, and the Labour Market” on campus. The session was delivered by Ms. Arpita Sahay, Associate IT Consultant at ITC Infotech, who provided valuable insights into how artificial intelligence is transforming employment patterns, redefining skill requirements, and reshaping the future of the labour market. The discussion emphasized the need to adapt to AI-driven skills, understand evolving labour market dynamics, and leverage technology for inclusive and future-ready growth. The department extends its sincere gratitude to the speaker for an engaging and thought-provoking session. The event was organized under the guidance of Dr. Suman Chakraborty (HoD, Economics) and convened by Dr. Siddharth Shukla, Dr. Vijay Kumar, and Mr. Nitish Kumar.

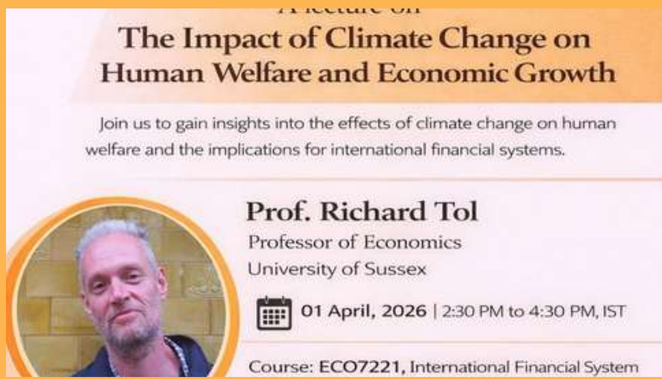
EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

The Impact of Climate Change on Human Welfare and Economic Growth





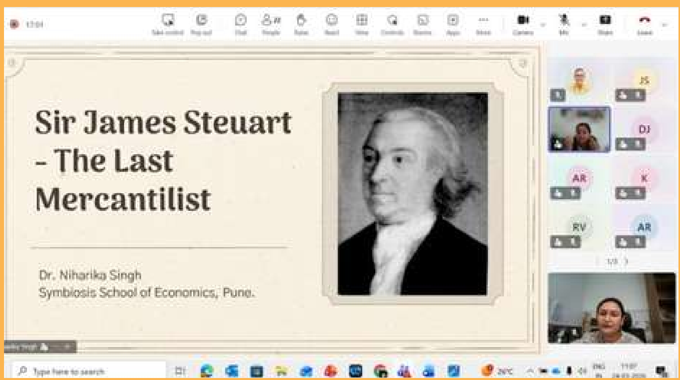


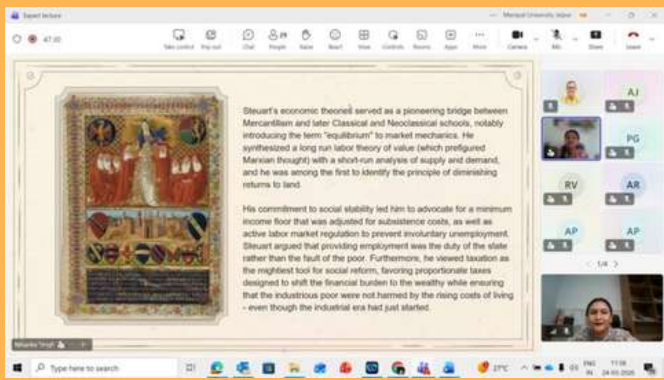


The Department of Economics successfully organized an insightful lecture on "The Impact of Climate Change on Human Welfare and Economic Growth." The session was delivered by Prof. Richard Tol, Professor of Economics at the University of Sussex, whose contributions to climate economics are widely recognized. He shared valuable perspectives on the economic impacts of climate change, with a focus on long-term growth, welfare implications, and global inequalities. The lecture effectively connected theoretical insights with real-world policy relevance, making it highly engaging for students. The department extends its sincere gratitude to Prof. Tol for his enriching session, and special appreciation to Dr. Minali Banerjee (Convenor) for her efforts in organizing and facilitating the event.

EXPERT LECTURE SERIES

Eighteenth-Century Economics: From Division of Labour to Laissez-Faire





The Department of Economics successfully organized an Academic Expert Lecture on the theme “Eighteenth-Century Economics: From Division of Labour to Laissez-Faire.” The session was delivered by Dr. Niharika Singh, Assistant Professor at Symbiosis School of Economics, Pune, who presented an insightful and thought-provoking discussion on the evolution of economic thought. The lecture traced key ideas from the concept of division of labour to the principles of laissez-faire, enhancing students’ conceptual clarity and critical thinking. Its interactive nature fostered a vibrant academic environment, effectively linking classical economic theory with contemporary perspectives. Such initiatives reflect the department’s commitment to holistic learning and its focus on developing analytical and intellectually engaged students.

NISM–SEBI FINANCIAL LITERACY QUIZ 2026

The Department of Economics at Manipal University Jaipur, in association with the E.A.R.T.H Club, successfully organised the College Round of the NISM–SEBI National Financial Literacy Quiz (NFLQ) 2026 on 24th March 2026. The initiative, led by the National Institute of Securities Markets under the aegis of SEBI, aimed to promote financial awareness among students.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation, with 121 registrations and 84 students actively competing in the quiz. The competition provided students with an opportunity to test their knowledge of financial markets, investments, and economic concepts, with qualifying participants advancing to the Regional Round.

The event was coordinated by Dr. Garima Singh and Dr. Shilpi Gupta with active support from student coordinators and faculty members, making the session highly engaging and insightful for all participants.

INSPIRATIONAL TALK ON WATER CONSERVATION

Inspiring Change Through Water Conservation!

The Department of Economics at TAPMI School of Business, Faculty of Management, Commerce and Arts, Manipal University Jaipur, in collaboration with the EARTH Club, organised a special session on Water Conservation on 23rd March 2026. The keynote speaker, Lakshman Singh, shared inspiring insights on the "Chauka System" implemented in Lapodiya village, highlighting the role of community participation in rainwater conservation, groundwater revival, and sustainable agriculture. The session was attended by the Head of Department, Prof. (Dr.) Suman Chakraborty, faculty members, and students, and left participants motivated towards sustainable water conservation practices.

SESSION ON EQUALITY AND INCLUSION

Voices Beyond Identity: Stories of Courage, Equality and Inclusion

Manipal University Jaipur organised a session titled “Voices Beyond Identity: Stories of Courage, Equality and Inclusion” on International Transgender Day in collaboration with the EARTH Club, Department of Economics, FoMCA, and the Gender Champion Cell. The session promoted awareness and dialogue on identity, dignity, and inclusion among students.

The keynote speaker, Pushpa Maai, shared inspiring experiences and insights from her work toward transgender rights through Nai Bhor Sanstha. The event was organised under the guidance of Prof. Suman Chakraborty, Prof. Vijay Laxmi Sharma, and Prof. Brajesh Kumar, and coordinated by Dr. Shilpi Gupta and Dr. Karambir Singh Dhayal.

FAREWELL TO BATCH 2023-26

The Department of Economics bid a warm and memorable farewell to the BA Economics batch of 2023–26 on 13 April 2026. The event was a heartfelt celebration of the students' academic journey, achievements, and the strong bonds formed over the years.

The programme featured reflections by faculty members, who appreciated the batch for their dedication, curiosity, and active participation in both academic and co-curricular activities. Students also shared their experiences, expressing gratitude for the guidance and support they received throughout their time in the department.

The event was filled with engaging activities, including speeches, informal interactions, and moments of nostalgia that highlighted the vibrant spirit of the batch. It provided an opportunity for juniors and faculty to connect with the graduating students and wish them success in their future endeavors.

As the students step into new phases of their lives, the department takes pride in their accomplishments and remains confident in their potential to contribute meaningfully to society. The farewell concluded on an emotional yet hopeful note, marking both an end and a new beginning.

FAREWELL TO BATCH 2023-26

Bidding heartfelt GOODBYE!

CELEBRATING BRILLIANCE

On 9th April, we celebrated our students who completed the Bloomberg certificate courses- and guess what?
27 out of 30 stidents aced it!

From learning global market tools to mastering financial analytics, our students levelled up their skills and confidence!
A big thanks to Dr. Brajesh Kumar, Dean FOMCA, for making this opportunity possible and supporting our students with world-class resources.
Huge gratitude to our HoD, Dr. Suman Chakraborty Sir , for always inspiring, guiding, and motivating the department forward.
Proud of our achievers, keep shining and keep learning!

SWIPE TO SEE SOME OF THEM!

CELEBRATING BRILLIANCE

DEPARTMENTAL EVENTS

Alumni Guest Lecture: A Full-Circle Moment

The Department of Economics, MUJ, had the privilege of hosting an inspiring alumni guest session on “Global Financial Crisis of 2008: A Risk Management Perspective.” The session beautifully reflected a full-circle journey—from once attending lectures in the same classrooms to now delivering one as a distinguished alumna.

The speaker shared valuable insights into the origins of the 2008 financial crisis, interconnected global risks, regulatory shortcomings, and the evolution of risk management practices in the years that followed. The discussion also highlighted the growing relevance of risk management as a discipline in today’s dynamic economic environment.

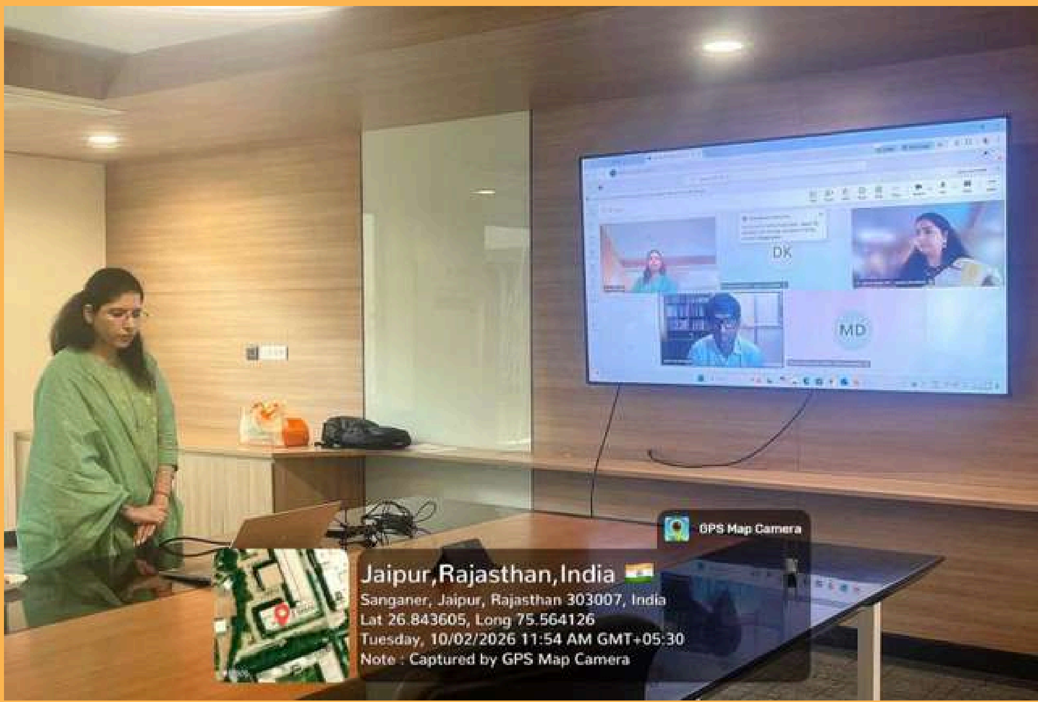
Adding a contemporary perspective, the session explored how Artificial Intelligence is transforming economics and finance, emphasizing how technology can strengthen analytical thinking rather than replace it. Students actively engaged with thoughtful questions, making the interaction both enriching and memorable.

The Department extends its heartfelt gratitude to our alumna for returning to share her academic and professional journey with current students. We also sincerely thank Dr. Varuni Sharma, Dr. Namrata Bhardwaj, and Dr. Samar Kumar Mishra for their support and seamless coordination of the event.

Such sessions continue to inspire our students by connecting classroom learning with real-world experiences and lifelong learning.

SCHOLAR ACHEIVEMENTS

Congratulations on a Remarkable Academic Achievement



The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur, extends its heartfelt congratulations to Dr. Gazal Sharma on the successful defense of her Ph.D. thesis. Her research, titled "A Study of Consumers' Behavioural Intention Towards M-Banking in India with Specific Reference to Rajasthan," reflects her dedication, academic rigor, and valuable contribution to the field. The department takes pride in her achievement and wishes her continued success and excellence in her academic and research journey ahead.

SCHOLAR ACHEIVEMENT

Congratulations on a Remarkable Academic Achievement

The Department of Economics, Manipal University Jaipur, proudly congratulates Medini Choudhary on qualifying the **UGC–NET JRF 2025**.

This outstanding accomplishment reflects her dedication, academic discipline, and strong commitment to excellence. Securing the Junior Research Fellowship is a prestigious milestone that signifies not only subject expertise but also perseverance, analytical ability, and a promising aptitude for research.

The department takes immense pride in her success and is confident that she will continue to achieve greater heights while making valuable contributions to the field of economics and academia.

We extend our heartfelt wishes to Medini Choudhary for continued success and many more achievements in the future.

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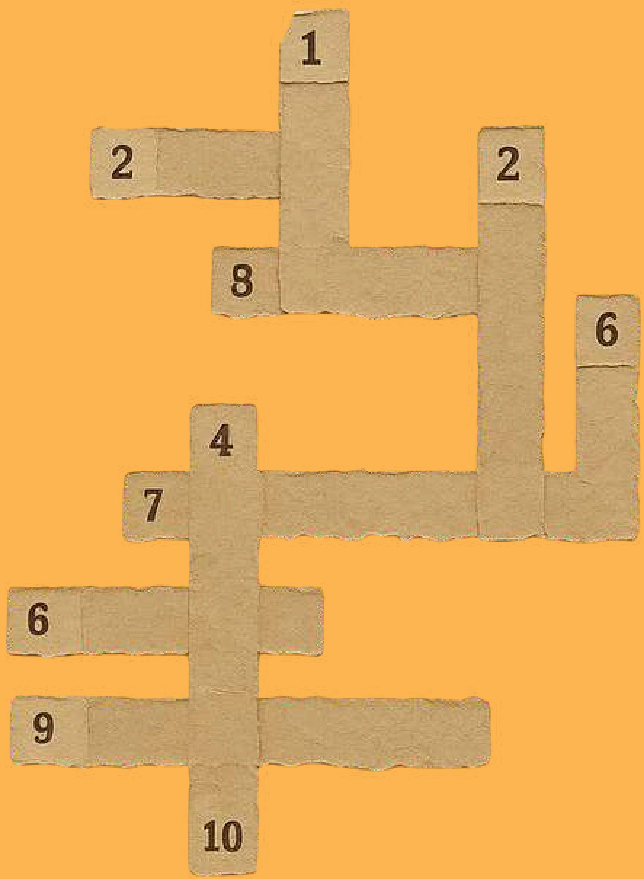

ACROSS
2. Total value of goods and services produced in a country.
5. Rise in the general price level over time.
7. Government income from taxes and other sources.
8. When demand exceeds supply.
9. Study of how society manages its limited resources.

DOWN
1. Opposite of export.
3. Central bank of India.
4. The cost of giving up the next best alternative.
6. Money paid by the government to households.
10. Persistent fall in the general price level.

WORLD BANK

EXPORT GDP INFLATION REVENUE SCARCITY RBI SUBSIDY DEFLATION SHORTAGE ECONOMICS

MOMENTS IN TIME