

University GLOBAL CONNECT

Vice Chancellor Sushant University



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As the Vice Chancellor of Sushant University, it gives me immense pride to have been instrumental in establishing the International Relations Department in our University last year. It brings me even greater joy to witness the flourishing endeavours of our international outreach in all areas. The collaborative spirit embedded in our institution is evident through various initiatives such as the unique Platform Lecture Series (PLS) with serving foreign Ambassadors and diplomats, hosting learned international guest faculty, forging meaningful Memorandums of Understanding (MoU) with Universities across the globe, implementing enriching Global Immersion Programmes, and organising students and faculty exchanges with our international partners. These milestones mark our commitment to fostering a broader mindset and global perspective within our academic community, reflected in our international conferences, foreign collaborations, etc. At the same time, we see a steadily expanding cohort of foreign students on the Campus, both in numbers and the diversity of their countries. As we reflect on our achievements of 2023, I extend my best wishes for the continued expansion of our Global Connect during 2024 and beyond. May this network of global collaborations thrive, bringing diverse opportunities for knowledge sharing, increased exchanges and creating a vibrant international learning environment at Sushant University.



Director International Relations



Professor Emeritus J.S.Mukul

Sushant University (SU) has always had a strong international focus. In order to reinforce this global connect in all its dimensions, SU established a new vertical of International Relations in January 2023. This was in keeping with the letter and spirit of the new National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, which inter alia focuses on 'internationalization' of higher education in various aspects. Briefly, the NEP points in the direction of comprehensive and mutually beneficial collaborations between Indian Universities and reputed foreign institutions with the objective of restoring India as a Vishwa Guru.

At Sushant University and its seven Schools - Art & Architecture, Design, Engineering & Technology, Business, Law, Hospitality and Health Sciences - importance is attached to this aspect of 'internationalization' and foreign partnerships for our highly acclaimed programmes covering student and faculty exchanges, dual degree programmes, joint teaching, research and international conferences. For example, the School of Art & Architecture' latest MoU with the leading American institution Southern California Institute of Architecture (SCI-Arc), the School of Business' recent academic collaboration with the University of Essex in UK for a '2+1' programme. The Vatel Hotel and Tourism Business School's tie up for 'dual degree' with the renowned Vatel hospitality group of France. School of Engineering & Technology's association with University of the West of England (UWE). The School of Design's agreement with the reputed Domus Academy in Milan, Italy. Similarly, SU also partners with Arizona State University (ASU) and University of Northern Iowa (UNI) in USA. Other foreign collaborations include the King Mongkut's University of Technology, Thonburi (KMUTT), Thailand, the Dhaka International University and the United International University (UIU), Dhaka, both in Bangladesh. Moreover, all Schools have close collaborations and partnerships with reputed foreign Universities for academics, exchanges, research, etc. in their respective domain.

SU endeavors to organize interactive, experiential sessions, including with foreign dignitaries and guests to enlarge the horizons of our

young students. These include the prestigious Platform Lecture Series (PLS) with dignitaries like Ambassadors and High Commissioners from different countries and continents. Parallely, interactive technical sessions with foreign experts and guest faculty are conducted in different Schools.

Sushant University's focus on Global Immersion Programme (GIP) to foreign destinations, like Dubai and Malaysia, in association with professional partners, have been extremely popular. SU regularly conducts industry visits to multinational business corporates for practical, hands-on learning, including to provide exposure to the global dimension of business and industry. In today's highly globalised world where corporates prefer executives with international exposure, these GIPs and engagement with foreign companies contribute directly to their enhanced placement prospects.

There is a steadily growing cohort of foreign students in SU schools from different nationalities. Value-added courses on International Relations are yet another win-win option for SU students. SU attaches importance to research and innovation with faculty regularly participating in international conferences, seminars, workshops, etc.

Thus, the SU International Relations vertical focuses on internationalization and multi-disciplinary approach to higher education. We invite you to join us in this global journey through exposure, interaction and immersion.



LECTURE SERIES









DNATA

The highlight of our visit was an interactive session with industry experts who generously shared insights into the evolving landscape of aviation services. Discussions ranged from the challenges of handling diverse aircraft types to the innovations shaping the future of ground services in the aviation industry.

DAMAC

Glimpse of Engaging discussions with industry experts provided valuable insights into the challenges and triumphs of real estate development in Dubai. The fusion of cultural influences, attention to detail, and a commitment to quality were recurring themes that defined DAMAC's success story.





FLY DUBAI

The highlight of the visit was a behind-thescenes exploration of the airline's operational nerve center. Witnessing the coordination involved in flight scheduling, crew management, and ground operations offered a profound appreciation for the precision required to keep an airline of such magnitude soaring smoothly.

BIN YABER DRIVING SCHOOL

Industrial visit to Bin Yaber Driving School offered more than a glimpse into the mechanics of driving education; it provided a profound understanding of the institution's role in shaping responsible and skilled drivers in Dubai. Bin Yaber's commitment to excellence, innovation, and road safety left an enduring impact, making our visit an educational and enriching experience for all.

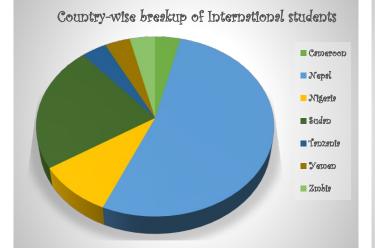




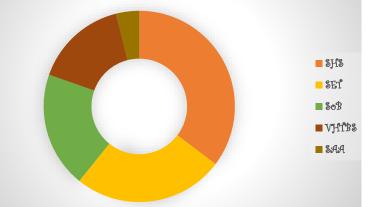


Glimpses of a Captivating Journey Through the Vibrant Views of Dubai

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AT SUSHANT UNIVERSITY



SU School-wise breakup of International students









SUSHANT UNIVERSITY, INDIA

King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi (KMUTT) Thailand

Arizona State University (ASU) USA

University of Northern Iowa (UNI), USA

IDP International Education Specialists

AECC Study Abroad Consultants

UAS International holidays Pvt. Ltd

United International University (UIU), Dhaka Bangladesh

SCHOOL OF ART & ARCHITECTURE

Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, North –South University, Dhaka Bangladesh

International Council on Monuments & Sites (ICOMOS) France

International Finance Corporation (IFC), USA

Southern California Institute of Architecture (SCI_ARC), USA

SCHOOL OF DESIGN

Domus Academy Milano, Italy

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

Western University of Health Sciences (California), USA

SCHOOL OF LAW

Dhaka International University, Bangladesh

VATEL HOTEL & TOURISM BUSINESS SCHOOL

Vatel Development, France

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Essex University, UK

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY

University of the West of England (UWE), UK



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