



Monthly Report

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Executive Summary

MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT February 2024

Major Activities of this Month	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Two interns completed their period➤ Conference preparation going on➤ Paper presentation of IHI team in Multilevel-Universal-Integral Education Conference➤ Submission of two research papers for journal publication➤ Blog article prepared
Next Month Task (February 2024)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Further content creation for khol-khel game development.➤ Development of field study infographics.➤ Conducting thematic session by eminent speaker as part of Ekatma Manav Darshan Series.➤ Review of conference papers.

International Conference on Universal-Integral Multilevel Education

Date: 3rd and 4th February 2024

Details: The International Conference on Universal-Integral Multilevel Education, held on February 3rd and 4th at The International Centre Goa, India, marked a pivotal moment in the realm of education. Organized in collaboration with the Centre for Human Sciences, Rishihood University, and the International Scientific School of Universology, Ukraine, the event unfolded under the theme, "Universal-Integral Multilevel Education in the Spirit of the New Age."



Key Takeaways:

- 1. Innovative Approaches and Transformative Paradigms:** The conference provided a platform for diverse perspectives on universal-integral education, exploring innovative approaches and transformative paradigms. Renowned speakers, including Sampadananda Mishra, delved into topics such as the synthesis of spiritual and cultural heritage and practical strategies for transforming education at different levels.
- 2. Global Collaboration:** The collaboration between institutions from India and Ukraine showcased the rich cultural heritage and academic insights, emphasizing the universality of education. This global collaboration aims to redefine education by integrating Western and Indian philosophical traditions, fostering a holistic approach to the evolution of human consciousness.
- 3. Aims and Intention:** The primary aim of the conference was to shape the future of education by providing a space for collaboration among diverse stakeholders. The intention

was to bridge global wisdom, integrating cultural and philosophical traditions from both the East and the West, to meet the evolving needs of humanity.

Conclusion: The International Conference on Universal-Integral Multilevel Education emerged as a significant step towards reimagining education. By bringing together global perspectives, fostering collaboration, and exploring the intersection of spirituality, culture, and education, the conference set the stage for a holistic and transformative approach to education in the new era. This event will undoubtedly leave a lasting impact on the evolution of education, encouraging stakeholders to continue pushing the boundaries of traditional paradigms for the betterment of humanity.



ICSSR Short-term Empirical Research Project Submission

Date: 15/02/2024

Details:

On the 15th of the month, our team successfully submitted the ICSSR (Indian Council of Social Science Research) Short-term Empirical Research Project Report. This endeavor marks a significant milestone in our research journey within the Integral Humanism Initiative.

In-House Internship Program Report: Completion of First Month

Date: 23/02/2024

Details:

Successful completion of the inaugural month of our In-House Internship Program at the Integral Humanism Initiative (IHI).

Interns: Easwari (School of Psychology and Education) & Evarist P.K. Nayak (School of Entrepreneurship)

Activities:

- Submitted comprehensive case studies about the Application of Antyodaya in Corporate Sector.
- Research articles on Purusharthas and Integral Humanism.
- Created a small book on Purusharthas in IKS perspective to introduce k-12 students.

Outcome: Demonstrated deep understanding and commitment to Integral Humanism principles.

Next Steps: Published notification for the next month's internship program.

Submitted One Year Report about IHI Activities and Next Year Plan

Date: 28/02/2024

Details: On February 28th, the finalized report documenting the Integral Humanism Initiative's endeavors, accomplishments, and forthcoming strategies was formally submitted. This report encapsulates the initiative's journey, highlighting its strides in advocating Integral Humanism principles and cultivating philosophical inquiry.

Integral Humanism Initiative (IHI) One-Year Report

Initiated on April 3, 2023, at the Centre for Human Science in Rishihood University, with the generous support of Star Pipe Foundry, Rajkot, the Integral Humanism Initiative aimed to explore the essence of Integral Humanism through a structured approach. Led by Prof. Sampadananda Mishra, Director of CHS, RU, the project was divided into four phases:

1. Theoretical Framework:

- Dedicated one week to comprehend project's aims and objectives.
- Engaged in extensive readings and conducted in-depth book reviews on Integral Humanism.
- Facilitated interactions with subject experts, notably Mahesh Chandra Sharma ji.
- Authored blogs to disseminate evolving understanding of the project.

2. Empirical Framework:

- Leveraged theoretical foundation to plan field studies on academic and socio-economic aspects.
- Identified key locations (Pondicherry, Bengaluru, and Chitrakoot) for in-depth field studies.
- Conducted comprehensive field studies to gain empirical insights into Integral Humanism.

3. Synthesis of Knowledge:

- Synthesized theoretical insights with empirical findings.
- Compiled detailed fieldwork reports and developed informative infographics.
- Presented three research papers on Integral Humanism at the 60th All India International Political Science Conference.

- Organized a Round Table Discussion Session on "Indic Perspective in Political Science Curricula."

4. Pilot Implementation Activities:

- Implemented pilot initiatives in academic and socio-economic sectors.
- Secured a short-term project from ICSSR on community development.
- Obtained approval for celebrating World Philosophy Day through the ICPR lecturer series.
- Submitted two research articles on Integral Humanism to UGC Carelist Journal.
- Conducted monthly Expert talk based on DDU's Philosophy.
- Organized an international seminar on 12th to 14th April 2024. In that seminar selected Articles will be published as an edited book.
- Launched In-House Internship program based on IHI Perspectives.
- Formed agreements with Khol-Khel by Aman Gopal Surekha for the development of a block game aimed at K-12 students.

Next Year Plan:

1. Developing a PG Diploma Course on Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) based on the Doctrine of IHI.
2. Completing the Khol-Khel game with 200 accompanying blogs.
3. Publishing a Glossary book related to Integral Humanism.
4. Publishing small booklets introducing IKS through the lens of IHI.
5. Compiling original thoughts and ideas on IHI from foundational texts of Sanatana Dharma.
6. Creating a Teachers Training Module based on IHI perspectives.
7. Publishing in UGC Care listed Yearly Journals for research scholars and academicians.

The inaugural year of the Integral Humanism Initiative laid a strong foundation for deeper exploration and dissemination of Integral Humanism principles. With a robust plan for the upcoming year, the project is poised to make significant strides in promoting holistic development and philosophical inquiry.

Finalised draft for Website Contents

Date: 29/02/2024

Details: For Integral Humanism Initiative, we finalised the draft of website contents.

Research Article submitted

Date: 21/02/2023

Details: Based on watdha conference we prepared two research Article. Submitted to UGC Carelisted journal Social Scientist for publishing.

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