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“

When a student graduates,
he does not depart from an institute, he leaves from a family,
and when he revisits, it's not a reunion, it's a family reunion.

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**Dream, Dream, Dream, Dreams Transform into
Thoughts and Thoughts Result in Action**

- Dr. APJ ABDUL KALAM

President's Message



Dr. Vaishali Sharma
President (Offg.)

It is my proud privilege to introduce you to the first edition of our alumni newsletter JU Alma-Connect. It is wonderful to be part of a community that so generously embraces our University and shares its values and aspirations. When you were students, you have worked hard and graduated from Jagannath University with shining colours. It is an attempt to not just recollect the memories of those student days but also enable you to connect personally and professionally with fellow alumni.

Alumni are an integral part of any institution. The Alumni Network enables us to strengthen and expand communication and partnerships both in national and international sphere. I encourage our valued alumni to engage with the University by sharing their ideas with us regarding the future direction, assisting us in realizing our Vision and Mission, and foster a meaningful and lifelong mutually beneficial relationship.

I urge you to stay connected with your Alma Mater and join us as an active member of the JU Alumni Network.



Registrar's Message



Mr. Tanmay Pattanayak
Registrar

The Alumni Association of Jagan Nath University, Jaipur has been functioning from 2011 at the University Campus. But the same has been registered under Society Act in February, 2020. It's really a proud privilege for me to connect with all the Alumni of the University through Alumni Platform integrated with University Website, Alumni Meet and Alumni E-Magazine (JU Alma Konnect) etc. The main objective of the association is to maintain the link between Institute and Alumni and share details of mutual growth, achievement and advancement in various fields. The Alumni already employed in reputed organizations in India and abroad help the final year students in their project work and also inform them about the employment opportunities in their respective organizations. The University in turn provides free access to the library and assists budding Alumni entrepreneurs like you to incubate your technology venture. Now onwards, the University is actively working to connect with all our Alumni for the mutual benefits. The Management and faculty will be delighted to have you in the department to share your valuable professional experience among the faculty and students. On behalf of the University I extend my best support for your professional growth and invite you to the University campus to feel the nostalgia of your student life when you are visiting Jaipur or near by places. Finally, I convey my best wishes for your future endeavors and urge you to be connect with us on regular interval of time.

From the Dean Alumni

Dean's Message



Dr. Jyotsana Sharma
Dean, Alumni

Greetings and warm wishes from Jagannath University family to all our alumni. It gives me immense pleasure to share that Alumni Cell of Jagannath University, is bringing out its annual alumni magazine **JU ALMA KONNECT**. I feel deeply honored as well as nostalgic on getting the privilege of sharing and celebrating the success of our Alumni through this platform. This magazine is a step towards tapping the indomitable force of our alumni and amplifying the connection between them and the university.

The alumni of this university have always been affable and supportive and this is yet another forum through which we get a chance to stay in touch with each other. I take this opportunity to express my hope that our alumni shall continue to extend their precious support to this university in times to come.

This magazine is being launched on Teachers Day, which is also the day of our first E-Alumni Meet. I congratulate all the stake holders on bringing out the inaugural issue of **JU ALMA KONNECT** and wish everyone success.

Office Bearers of Alumni Association



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Member



Mr. Abhishek Verma
Member

Interview with the Alumni



Q. Could you brief us about your work

Hi, this is Sapna Sharma, MBA (Year 2008) from Jagannath University, Jaipur. I am running a school in Bhopal, with a total strength of 1500 students. My work involves all sort of operational, managerial skills. This includes hiring and managing staff and teachers, managing budgets, determining Curriculum , set policies and standards, looking after school finances, fees, admission etc. Ensuring better result of school every year by providing the best available resources to students.

Q. Tell us how life at Jagannath University helped you become the person you are.

I enjoyed the life at Jagannath University, and now when I look back, there are lot many things, that are helping me now in becoming a better person. It helped me in managing people, I become a good people manager, which is a mandatory requirement in my role. I can manage conflicts better. I can plan things and execute them by using all the knowledge that I gained during my studies. Managing budgets and finances is a difficult task for any organisation, however, this being my favorite subjects. I am able to handle this swiftly.

Q. The transition from a student to a professional, how did it take place?

Transition from student to a professional is always difficult. It is totally different life with different challenges. We have exams every day and questions are mostly out of syllabus. You have to be self motivated, self organized person. There are no teachers. Everyday is a new learning. But certainly academic experience helps a lot in coping up with tough times.

Q. What skills, according to you, a student should posses to become a successful professional?

I believe, there is job opportunity in every field for the right candidate. You need to be energetic, motivated and passionate and adoptable to new changes, and sky is the limit and We are always open to skilled teachers, who are passionate about teaching.

Q. Any message or suggestion you would like to give to the current students.

Students must have hunger to learn and explore more. You need to think beyond the boundaries, explore, ask this will help you to grasp the concepts and make learning a fun.

Sapna Sharma
MBA, Batch : 2008-10
Director, Swami Vivekanand Public School

Interview with the Alumni



Q. Could you brief us about your work

I'm working with the Center(s) of Excellence, here I am Reaching out to colleges & industries to introduce the concept of COE then getting them onboard for association to work jointly on our MDPs & SDPs. Also I'm managing job mela's for AMHSSC conducted by NSDC at Pan India level. Coordinating with both Apparel employers & training partners to get the industry & needy people at one place to enhance the employment opportunities for the people. Along with these I'm taking care of all the events, conferences & industrial meets for the company at Center of Excellence.

Q. Tell us how life at Jagannath University helped you become the person you are .

I used to be a quiet & introverted student, But here at Jagannath University i got the opportunity to present presentations, Prepare & submit various assignments and also got the chance to anchor one national level seminar. So while studying here i build confidence in myself & transformed into an extrovert guy.

Q. The transition from a student to a professional, how did it take place?

Transition from a student to a professional, I think i still am a student as i keep learning new things in my profession. Nowadays staying updated is a must & when you start working you learn the work culture, human behaviour and adapt into professional atmosphere.

Q. What skills, according to you, a student should possess to become a successful professional?

A student should possess hard work, learning attitude, keep updating his/her professional skills & never back down from any task & responsibility.

Q. Can you tell us about the job opportunities in your field?

Job Opportunities at Apparel Made-Up's Home Furnishing Sector Skill Council are created by ministry and posted on the website of AMHSSC, Interested candidates can also follow the AMHSSC page on Facebook, LinkedIn & on Instagram. So if any requirements are there they can get to know through these mediums.

Q. Any message or suggestion you would like to give to the current students?

Real professional world is totally upside down from the knowledge you get from the books. So stay sharp & participate in all presentations, assignments & Internship (Most Importantly), This MBA is making you ready, equipped & creating a base for you all before you dive into this professional ocean.

Himanshu Veer
MBA, Batch : 2009-11
Marketing/Business Development Manager- Center of Excellence
Apparel, Made-ups & Home Furnishing Sector Skill Council (AMHSSC)

Interview with the Alumni



Q. Why did you choose this university for doing BBA?

I choose this university because always I want to be a part of big university where I can find ample of challenges & opportunities as well as diverse student bodies and I believe attending a big university will make me ready for the corporate world with immense knowledge and practicality.

Q. What did you think of the university now (After two years of passing BBA)?

University has done overall its best to stand on the expectations of their stakeholders & student by providing everything for which university has promised.

Q. What did you think of the campus and extracurricular activities?

About Campus I loved it because of its size & greenery which provide a positive surrounding to their students as well various extracurricular activities has been organized by university itself and every time university takes an initiative of introducing new activities for their students which helps them to explore their true potential.

Q. How did the university prepare you for your career?

Full support from university & faculties helped me a lot to transform in successful person because strong base is very important for any achievement and I got my strong base from this university by regular support.

Q. What advice do you have if anybody wants to take admission in this university?

Explore every opportunity & face every challenge with the help of faculties which will ultimately help student to grow and learn.

Prince Gautam
BBA, Batch : 2015-18
Operation Analyst, Better.com

Interview with the Alumni



Q. What did you learn at jagannath university?

I have learned lot of things from Jagannath University, good education, discipline and good manners, I learned how to live in society by being a better, skilled human with good humanity. I learned lot of social skills and also learned how to progress in life with lots of positivity.

Q. What aspects of your instructor's teaching style are most effective and helpful for your learning?

Teachers and their teaching style play a very important role in the professional development and growth of any student, I am also one of them, here I was in awe of the humbleness and knowledge of staff and faculty they are well qualified and experienced. They treated everyone politely without any discrimination. I never missed my home, as our department was

an extended family. The time I have spent at the university has improved as a person.

Q. The knowledge you have gained from University, how it is helpful in your life?

The knowledge I gained from University was not only education but also I learned how to move on a life with good attitude and character. Most importantly I have learnt to become independent and knowledgeable. I have become a strong and confident person. I think these points are most helpful to get on life easily anytime anywhere.

Q. How did the University prepare you for your career?

This university is so helpful for let us know about the career. The University faculty has given excellent career knowledge which helped us to fight competitive exams. They gave the ideas for career choices and cleared lot of questions about education and social life whatever in my mind. The faculty tries to clear all doubts about career. And the University provides all type of books and manuals in library for every comparative exam.

Q. What did you think of the campus and extracurricular activities?

I always feel so great and blessed to part of Jagannath university because of excellent environment it provided, I remember participating in various activities and events. The campus is totally peaceful large in area and wonderful greenery, particularly infrastructure is awesome. It is very comfortable for every student. Extracurricular activities are amazing. The environment is safe and comfortable for girls and boys. The entire staff and faculty appeared very enthusiastic to provide extracurricular activities to students. Finally the jagannath university cannot replaced with any university.

V. Ramya

B.Sc. (Hons.)-Ag., Batch : 2015-19

Trainee of organic & Hydroponic farming
NG Ranga institute

Interview with the Alumni



Q. What did you learn at jagannath university?

I have learned a lot of things from this university and my over all the experience was fantastic. The academic experience was so good with the help of provided facilities and that great facility made me to achieve great excellence in my career.

Q. What aspects of your instructor's teaching style are most effective and helpful for your learning?

The instructor showed enthusiasm for the course component. They were always well prepared for each session and made use of examples & illustration to explain topics. They encouraged each and every student and also interested in our progress as well. Faculty was always available for every individual discussion. They were very humble to us and use to give some tips to build our self strong and how to prepare for competitive exams with some studying strategies.

Q. The knowledge you have gained from University, how it is helpful in your life?

I learned a lot of things in this college not only in academics field but also life lessons. One the fundamental thing I have learned in this college is that the life is unpredictable. It might be good or it might be bad and also it might be weird as well and sometimes it might not interests you, but expect anything to happen or expect nothing. College life is a perfect blend of joy and hardship. Which help us to grow as a person.

Q. How did the University prepare you for your career?

They helped us with systematic pattern of weekly test and assignments. They also used to say that think creative and make your assignment alluring and present it in a creative manner it helped us to think differently from of the box in our career. we are also learned how to withstand in our hard times and how to resolve it permanently.

Q. What did you think of the campus and extracurricular activities?

Campus of the university is the most beautiful place. I met so many people and made friendship with them , I remember everything we did in the college, it will always be close to heart I cannot forget those days. College infrastructure was too good and having every sport field like cricket, football, badminton, basketball and a gym and every year we used to have a cultural event called SPANDAN and it will be of entire 7 days in it .We organize every sport event with lots of fun and at the last day when the event we have a programmed in our auditorium with full of music systems and ramp walk ,songs , dance and so many . And we also celebrate our “Ganesh Chaturthi” in authentic manner and we use to do Pooja every single day and we use to have bajans and at the time of visarjan we use to have DJ system to have lots of fun and dance in our college we have very good extracurricular activity to enjoy and live life over here.

A. Bhanu Prakash Rao
B.Sc. (Hons.)-Ag., Batch : 2015-19
Working as a Nutritionist & Dietitian

Interview with the Alumni



Q. Why did you choose this University?

In our country we have hundreds of colleges offering architecture educations and various other programs. I have always been very much fond of Architecture, history, archeology and many other strings related to the past. The idea to choose this university for my further education in B.Arch. programme is because of the state it is in, Rajasthan, A state full of heritage icons and structures.

Beside this, the team of expert faculty members specially respected N.K. Khare Sir has always out igniting fire to my ambitions Our faculty members helped me to understand the education and the word outside.

The campus location and the infrastructure facilities has always put boast in the mood and helped me to understand the architecture to the full.

Q. How Jagannath University had helped you making you a the person who you are now?

Interaction with the faculty members on a daily basis, helped us to learn how they approach every situation, every design problem.

And the interaction with batchmates, Seniors and Juniors...while we were preparing for our college fest, engaging and being involved, working collectively towards one goal. All these through the years, we keep taking several mental notes. consciously and unconsciously.. prepared us, has made us what we are today.

Q. Share your journey from a student of Jagannath University to become an Architect.

When I entered to the campus, I was a blank canvas ready to painted. I was full of energy and enthusiasm. Although I was at spare but fire was yet to build. During my entire college life I went through several up and down, sweet and sour movement during my good time everyone here celebrated like family and during my problems everyone help me to get out of it with proper solutions. It helped me to enrich my knowledge and made me stronger, tough in decision making and made me a better person, who I am today.

Q. If you could go back in time would you attend college again?

Will Definitely attend the university, would like go back to relive those days ,and if possible will try to be better student.

Ar. Aman Kumar Nirala
B.Arch. Batch : 2012-17

Interview with the Alumni



Q. Tell us about your work.

I am into construction business, we provide construction supplies, interior designing options and consultancy to our customer.

Q. Why did you choose entrepreneurship in the civil engineering field?

It's about Passion. I wanted to become a civil engineer, to design new roads, buildings and I feel pride when I use to design and make houses for people.

Q. Who guided you to choose a career in your life?

I always wanted to start something of my own and in that I was guided by my passion and zeal, but I could not do anything without support and blessings of my teachers and parents.

Q. How did the university prepare you for your career?

The practical and theoretical exposure that I receive during my 5 years in the university and the learnings that I got from faculties and friends helped me a lot.

Q. Which part of your job do you find the most challenging?

Clients, customers, and the public — these are the sources of revenue and income for my work, so I have a much more relaxed approach, dealing with bad behavior and attitude. If the customer wants what s/he wants and I have the ability to make that happen, I'll do everything I can do so. I enjoy helping people in general, so it's more forgivable. If I can't make something happen, oh well. I like to be transparent with my customers and advise them in the right direction so they can put their hard-earned money into another service that can actually help them to achieve their goals.

Q. What aspects of your instructor's teaching style are the most effective and helpful for your learning?

It's Positivity. Keep your students engaged with a positive attitude. You should know the course material. Organize it. Have a plan for what you want to teach. Clear it. Effective teachers can explain complex ideas in simple ways. Keep your students motivated to think positive.

Mahim Mathur
B.Tech-M.Tech, Batch : 2011-16
Director
Sandhut Engineers & Consultants

Interview with the Alumni



Q. Why did you opt this University?

I opted for this University because of its academics. Talking about the faculty, all of them are highly qualified and always ready to help their students. University offers various extracurricular activities for holistic personality development of students. It gives hands-on exposure through regular practicals and training programmes.

Q. What personality traits do teachers need to have?

Teachers must be lifelong enquirers. They need to develop the characteristics of honesty towards their subject and their students. They should emphasize on developing a healthy

relationship with the students. They should be ready to extend a hand whenever the student needs. A successful student is a reflection of his teacher.

Q. What do you want to tell future students?

All students must be dedicated towards their work. These days students often tend to get misguided easily. They do not understand the importance of discipline in life. Students must understand that teachers try to imbibe the best of the characteristics. Remember students make a college and later shape the way the nation looks like.

Q. What advice do you have if anybody wants to take admission in this University?

It is one of the leading universities in north India now. It is a huge university and has good strength of students studying in its campus. It has great infrastructure and a green campus, good for learning. State of art infrastructure makes it a student friendly university.

Pankaj Chadha
B.Ed. (2017-19)
Coordinator
Seedling Public School, Jaipur

Success Stories

Wingman of Roaming Routes

“A good friend listens to your adventure. A best friend makes it with you”.

If you are looking for **Memories and Moments**, rather than **trips and tour**, then **Anurag Kothari**, 31-year-old, MBA, gallivanter by heart, is your best friend.

His passion towards exploring new places flew him to every corner of the world at the early stage of his life. His journey as globetrotter soon began after his post-graduation. He is the **"Bird of Passage"** and earned his living, by being a travel escort for more than a decade.

Worked in various travel ventures and got in depth technical & descriptive knowledge, finally launched the dream to help people by making their holidays so awesome. Today Roaming Routes is a leading player in online holiday space. People earn money through hard work and want more than a holiday and we exceed their expectation by full customization and give them a value of money as we know the value and do hard work as well. A young company by name not through knowledge, Customer praise us and this is our earning and we remember every customer as they are our lucky charm and taking us on a successful way.

According to him, traveling has been his footing not only in serving his basic needs but also during the professional and personal hardship. He proudly confides his story about how he has been on the hook for the bad decision, and how with his positiveness, risk-taking ability and gumption, he managed to **Reroute** the outcome on his side.

His heart took the **clout of traveling**, and Roaming Routes started its journey. He is empowered to lay the course for international holidays in the most comfortable and heart touching closure. He believes in being a travel agent who wishes to make a difference in life rather than merely taking them to places.

Anurag Kothari, **“a connoisseur”**, on behalf of Roaming Routes plan trips and tours that are not only pocket friendly but are also customized according to individual demand and needs.

He makes sure to be available for his “friends” on foreign land in the moment of exploration, enjoyment, and engagement 24*7.

He takes deep pride in celebrating his friendship with more than **10,000 customers**, he once met as chaperone in last 5 years.



Mr. Anurag Kothari
MBA, Batch : 2008-10
Founder, Roaming Routes



Roaming Routes Awarded by
Dubai's Largest DMC
for outstanding tourism

Success Stories

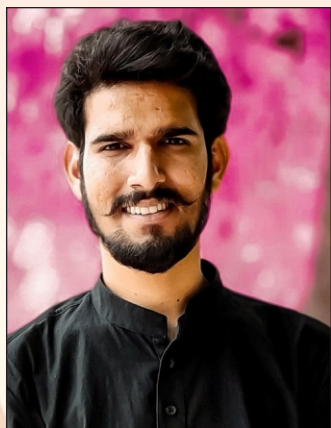


Mr. Appurav Kakani
B.Sc. (Hons.)-Agriculture
(2014-2018)
Director of
amazon sustainability routes

I was interested in agriculture since childhood and I wanted to be a successful entrepreneur in Agriculture. I started my career from jagananth university in 2014. I participated in several fests / workshops and submitted extraordinary projects. My expertise was in Organic Agriculture & Modern Agriculture techniques, by my College I Explored it more. My mantra for a successful career is, "Take up one idea. Make that one idea your life-think of it, dream of it, live on that idea. Let the brain, muscles, nerves, every part of your body, be full of that idea, and just leave every other idea alone. This is the way to success." Swami Vivekananda.

From the very beginning, I always feel that I should do something new in agriculture which would be very valueable in such field. After completing bachelors, I started work on a herbal crop "Aloe Vera", as we know it is medicinal plant and its more demanding product ever. I started working on at very good level. I have been doing this work for 3 years and today I have reached at a good level, now I have started produce aloe vera at my own farm and meeting the requirements of different projects.

Behind all this progress my college knowledge supported me a lot. I have learned form college if you think positive, you will be able to do whatever you want to do. One day , I will set up my company, and working on my dream. But presently working online e-marketing with a website named <http://amazonsustainabilityroutes.com/#gradullay> will start exporting goods.



Hello, I am Prashant Kumar Bairwa pursuing my dream of improving quality of education in remote village of Rajasthan. I always wanted to become a teacher, I saw education system so closely as my father is a teacher, then I read about different practices and education systems throughout the world. Coming from a rural background, I always felt the inavailability of quality education in my area. I have always believe that lack of knowledge is only barrier in life, and thus wanted to work in this field. So firstly I read a lot about the field I was planning to enter into and then I developed contacts in this field.

In my second year i.e. 2016, after doing a lot of research I finally founded my NGO "AKKSS Foundation", I thought of fulfilling my dream of providing good education through this, we implemented some of the best methods here. I'm the founder and CEO of this right now.

We teach unprivileged kids for almost free and we are indulged in a process of making World's best school. We currently having 50 kids and we also started a library with 5000 books, we organize Drawing event "Rangotsav" which is held every year in which any student can participate. Also we do provide stationary, uniforms and other utility items to kids. We developed a unique hybrid model of crowd funding and self sustainability model.

I was supported by Jagannath University many a times, including guidance, donations and exposure.

As I have discussed, I want to build World's best school so we are working in that direction. We are facing funding issues due to Covid-19 but we are finding better alternative fot that. Rest all is going well I believe in God. Almighty has always shown me path and he will always. Thank you.

Prashant Kumar Bairwa
B.Tech (2015-19)
Founder, AKKSS Foundation

Success Stories



Mr. Ashok Kumar Jangir
B.Arch., (2010-2015)
Founder & Director
Ashoka Design Studio

Ashok Kumar Jangir is a Jaipur based young architect, honored with India's Most Prominent Architect & Design Awards and Brand leadership Award in “SUSTAINABLE BRAND” category by CMO ASIA origination. Having graduated with the bachelor degree in architecture from the Faculty of Architecture & Planning (JNU, Jaipur). Instead of pursuing higher studies he opted exploring other forms of visual art & design including photography, painting, sculpture, films, interior design, graphic design and product design. He has done the couple of art exhibitions of his work and He has been an organiser of the purity art festival since 2012. It is his wide-ranging artistic interests and expertise that gives ASHOKA DESIGN STUDIO its greatest edge as a provider of high-quality architecture and interior design.

As founder of Ashoka Design Studio, together with his multi-disciplinary Jaipur-based team, he brings his philosophy to life. This means creating environments where humans, as well as other living things, feel comfortable, where space planning, designing furniture and products that support and enhance human behavior and actions in everyday life.

He grew up and learned design discipline under the guidance of architect Sanjay Kothari principal architect of Kaleido, Jaipur at the beginning of his architectural career (2010-15).

His early career after graduation (2015-17) was with architect Canna Patel chairperson of HCP Interior Architecture Pvt. Ltd., Ahmedabad, where he worked on various architectural and interior projects, and has also worked extensively with the office's publications and academic activities. Working with Canna Patel gave him a wide exposure towards professional practice.

Ashok has worked throughout India and aims to create earthy and sustainable architecture. He believes that real comfort of living is within nature and it is a designer's responsibility to respect this as well. He believes in providing high-quality design services without compromising on any front.

Success Stories



People have often asked me, **"What made you choose architecture?"** Honestly, architecture happened to me and it continues to do that even today! There was a time when I was not conscious of its presence; maybe it was the time in my childhood when I used to keep myself engrossed in a variety of activities related to art and skilled construction. Maybe it was the time when I saw myself as a creator of striking pieces of art and sculpture that satisfy my imagination of spaces, materials, and color. Precisely, the time when architecture in all senses happened to me and I experienced it in each sense truly!

While pursuing my graduate studies in five years having an intense self-involvement, learning and experiences in the Faculty of Architecture & Planning, Jagannath University and a Master's experience in Bauhaus Campus in Germany, being one of the 10 individuals selected from India

amongst millions for the first-ever Bauhaus Master class 2015-2016, Anhalt University's Master program **DIA-Dessau International Architecture Graduate School / Dessau, Germany.** I attained much clarity about what could be the role of an individual being a constant part of a bigger environment - our society - to give back to the field that has offered me its best.

It is said that if your roots are strong nothing can distract or stop you. I always felt proud and glad while explaining about my roots at various platforms. I still remember, **while being interviewed for IIT Bombay I was asked about my graduation and I was the most confident while answering it.** I was blessed enough to have such faculties who were always more than a friend to me. Its been 5 years since my graduation and I am still in touch with all my faculties from JNU.

I worked as a Project Architect & Building Design Head in 'Team Shunya' at IIT Bombay. Which is the only team represented India in Solar Decathlon China. Solar Decathlon is an international competition in which students design and construct a solar-powered energy-efficient house within 15 days at the competition venue. During this tenure, I served as a Research Technical assistant under Prof. Rangan Banerjee (Forbes Marshall Chair Professor & Head of the Department of Energy Science and Engineering at IIT Bombay) and Dr. Ronita Bardhaan (Currently: University Lecturer of Sustainability in the Built Environment, Director, MPhil in Architecture and Urban Studies). This was a great learning experience for me as I was involved in Architectural design, materials selection, construction assembly, and site operations work. **It allowed me to apply the knowledge gained through courses and internship experiences during my undergraduate years.**

The environment **during submissions, late-night hard works, and juries have made me more stronger and passionate about Architecture.** I have gained excellent achievements in my academic curriculum, topped my graduate thesis for redesigning the Navi- Mumbai International Airport. **Throughout the 5 years of the Under graduation course, I remained on the top in Architectural Design in each semester and got awarded All-rounder of the year and Academic Medallist in 2015.**

Apart from this, I have also participated in some of the competitions. I grabbed a runner up trophy in 'Reinventing Gwalior' which was to design an Art & Cultural Academy and Exhibition Centre amongst 2000 entries. Team Shunya's excellent research and practical approaches secured the second position under judges' choice for 'TRANSFORM MAHARASTRA' under the theme - Smart & Smarter development of sustainable & Livable cities. **The continuous hard work and dedication made me the A3 Foundation's Young Achiever Award India 2017 winner for being the youngest architect in India with maximum achievements in 2017.**

I am currently having my own creative practice 'Opame Architects' in Jaipur since 2018. From the year 2010 to the year, 2020 everything has changed, from being a student to a professional architect with a lot of responsibilities, one thing I still miss is my college, friends, faculties and the memories.

Cheers to all the friends, Juniors, Seniors, Faculties, helpers! Cheers to all the memories, laughter, and knowledge !! Cheers to FOAP JNU!

**Ar. Manish Sharma
B.Arch., (2010-2015)
Founder & Principal Architect
Opame Architects, Jaipur**

Success Stories



Mr. Anil Dangi

**B.Sc. (Hons.)-Agriculture
(2015-2019)**

Director of

**(Nursery Dekho Services Pvt. Ltd)
(CEO of Plantdekho.com)**

I Anil Kumar, started my college life in 2015 with a dream of working in a reputed company with a good package. I was running with a dream. Gradually I found out that the idea of starting something new and of my own attract me more, whenever I used to read news paper in the library, Saturday startup stories always gathered my attention. On one fine day this story of a startup caught my attention, the story was about a venture that was started by college students after completing their degree program and they were making good money, I got really inspired and thought why I can't start my business. I thought that instead of taking job, I could be an employment generator.

All these thoughts were running in my mind and I was unable to concentrate on my study. I shared these thoughts with one of my faculty and on his suggestion I started to look out for ideas, I observed market to get an idea of what business I can get into. After spending one month, I observed that there is a great scope of nursery management and gardening service in the market. I planned to go with this observation and discussed the whole idea with my teacher, he suggest me to make the market base, choose any five customer wants service in the desired field and try to render service to them. I then formed my company with the amount i.e. 5000-10,000 and tied up with some nurseries. Eventually I realized that for a better growth of the business more fund is needed. One day one of my friend told me about the startup Fest “Rajasthan Start-up Fest”, which was going to be held in Jaipur on 05/06/2016, and I participated in that fest and presented my ideas; I qualified two rounds but got disqualified in third. After the fest I observed my weakness and tried to improve them. Then, one day I heard about one more fest event which was organized by the Harwards 5000 in jaipur at hotel Rambhag palace. Again I participated in that fest and got selected in top 5 candidates. Where I got the funding of 50,000, which was cherry on cake for my company's growth.

I am Happy to share that my company is working from last 4 years in Jaipur. Very proudly I can say that after facing a tough time and with a lot hard work and blessings of parents and teachers, today instead of a Job Seeker, I have become a Job Creator.

Experience with the University



'Jagannath University Jaipur'- For some of us it is a place of fun, for some others it could be a place of learning but for me, this place is "Roots".

How much a 18-19 year old guy could think while selecting a good college to study? How much a person who has just passed their 12th exams know?

How tough it is to adjust with new people, being away from home missing family and close friends.

But somehow we all need to adjust & then adapt.

For me, coming to Jagannath University Jaipur for BBA was really exciting. New friends, teachers, hostel, new books, a laptop and whatnot.

But I had some fears too, fear of not being accepted, fear of being a victim of ragging, fear of being treated as a small-town guy.

".....& to overcome fear we need to have faith in God & dedication towards our goal." - said Dr Vaishali Sharma (former HOD of Management Department).

These words from her were not just words, they were treatment therapy for me.

"It's not the problems which disturb us and break us, It's our mindset which made us paralyzed with the situation, we need to change our mindsets to move forward & achieve something extraordinary" - by Dr Kapil Khattar (Former Dean of Management Department), these words still rings in my head and give me the strength to overcome hurdles of my life.

All the Faculty there were not just teachers, but mentors, friends, and sometimes parents as well. What more you expect from college. Miss Smita Kaushik was our BBA coordinator at that time, For me, She was really a person who has always been there to save us, to make our studies uninterrupted, to support us, to guide us her own fearless ways.

I remember those really long and diverse discussions and arguments with my faculty, Miss Swati Chaturvedi, that time. She is the teacher who has punished me a lot, but of course, she is the one who has improved me a lot.

Have you ever found yourself in disguise? Or wondered who you really are from inside? I had a lot more questions like this for me in 2015 when I've joined the course. But there was a faculty, Dr Jyotsna Sharma who had made me self-aware, By giving me personality test exercises. I really admire her for showing me a mirror, it really helped me in improving myself. This is the crucial reason I am now helping others in improving themselves. I really appreciate her contribution in building my character.

Every other college out there highlights academic excellence they have. But Jagannath is having some teachers who are really working very hard to help students gain some extra skills of leaderships, I still remember one of an Industrial visit to Priyagold, Gurgaon those days, not because I have done so many mistakes, but because I have learnt a lot through those mistakes & I really felt lucky to have faculties like Dr Shilpi Khandelwal & Mr Tarun Batra Sir who have helped to learn from my mistakes every time.

Do you know what helps a lot in a career life? It's not always the knowledge or skills. But its Honesty, patience, and behaviour. Ask yourself, how can you learn this? Can it be taught by books or lectures?

No, one needs to practice it and learn. The same goes for our ability to tackle pressure situations & this is what I have learnt from Dr Shweta Bhatia in my graduation days. I believe that she really goes extra miles every time to teach us important lessons of life.

At last, I need to conclude my journey of Jagannath by stating that-

"No college can make you a successful professional unless you desire to be.."

We must always respect our teachers, admire them for the work they have done on us and the most important thing- Remember your Teacher They are the ones who have made us what we are today.

Mr. Gaurav Kumawat

BBA, Batch : 2015-18

Product Growth Manager

BPK Software Private Ltd., Jaipur

Experience with the University



Pursuing MBA at Jagan Nath University is a top-notch option for any student seeking individual attention from a league of knowledgeable and experienced faculty, and a more personal MBA experience than a larger program could offer.

In my two years, I gained tremendous knowledge of many facets of business. Course offerings were diverse and covered subject areas including accounting, business strategy, business analysis, human resources, MIS/software, and supply chain. The classes were challenging, promoted critical thinking, and gave me every chance to build a robust skill set applicable to many business career paths.

Professors taught me the critical skills of being precise and concise. I transformed from an individual who spoke and wrote a great deal but said very little to a job prospect and employee who communicates powerfully with fewer words. This skill is critical when communicating with C-level or VP-level executives,

whether internally at my employer or when communicating with a current or potential client. I had adequate skills to impress an employer before completing my MBA, but this institution gave me a great deal of confidence and a refined set of skills that make me a proactive decision-maker and valued employee.

I utilize many of the skills I learned from in the MBA in my profession. I am well-respected by my colleagues and employer and I am considered an employee who adds value by director, VP-level, and C-level decision makers. I simply couldn't ask for more than what I gained from the MBA program over here, and I can't say enough about the ongoing support I still receive from my former professors when I reach out for advice or an opinion five years after graduating from the program.

The greatest benefit of the program was much more than the certificate that I received at the end. It was the confidence it gave me to pursue, win and accept my current position. Thanks to the Faculty of Management, Jagan Nath University, I know that I have all of the skills to be a successful and ethical professional.

Mr. Shubham Mukherjee

MBA, Batch : 2015-17

Content Specialist Quantiphy Analytics



While at Jagannath University I have been pleasantly blessed with some great experience inside and outside the class with some outstanding professors and some really great students that would move on to become great friends. My university experiences, thus far have been amazing. I have learned and experienced so many new things in such a short period of time, and it has gone by so fast.

Jagannath University is a very welcoming place, and for the first day, I felt at home. Being from a different Country (Republic of Congo) with different culture and environment, all I could think about was, I might not be liked or considered, I guess I was wrong, because I was treated with so much love and care more than

expected during my 3 years (BBA) of studies. It was a great place to learn, people were friendly, the depth and details of what I have learned was far beyond other universities, classes were great and I enjoyed every one of them. Jagannath University is a family, a network that students can tap into to develop their skills, expand their minds, gain new global perspectives, it also has abundance of social opportunities, and provides students with a great platform to enter the job market.

I would have to say my time at Jagannath University, has been a very positive experience in my life from a social aspect and an educational aspect, I came to know more than what I could imagine, I have grown leaps and bounds a major reason for being the experience I have had with my teachers and by fellow mates.

Falicia Dallia Gaekou Galouoli
BBA, Batch : 2013-16

Experience with the University



Hi! my name is Neelesh Rai, I was a student of Jagannath University's batch of Bachelor of Business Administration's batch of 2015.

It is great feeling to write & express about the place and the institution which has given you so many things in your life, from important lessons to great laughs with the friends and good time with some great professors. I would say, keep those friends of your very close to you who have showed you a right path or I would say showed you a perfect sight of a great journey to remember, some awesome friends for life, and yes the world's best and support professors I must say. Yes! one of my friends told me about this university and so he is a close one now, as his college campus was near to the Sitapura campus of this University.

I chose this university because when I first met the counsellor who explained me all the parts of it, were very promising which grabbed my attention like this university faculty of management is having good & experienced professors, with timely assessments and so many extra curricular, co-curricular activities like Business Plan competitions, Business Quiz, Xpression, SPANDAN college fest. In the Faculty of Management there are many guest lectures planned apart from a daily routine of studies which actually enhances the students to see the life and know other scenarios at different levels.

Jagannath University's course had me prepared with enhancing my managerial skills and understanding businesses and industries from up close and personal while visiting them at the time of Industrial Visits to Hero Motor Corp, Anand Steel Plant. And also with many seminars on personality development, presentations which had made us all stand our grounds firmly in the corporate worlds today.

I started my career with Ford Motor Company's dealer outlet in Jaipur as a relationship manager, where I did present my ethics and etiquettes of what I have learnt in my Grad time from what all the professors have made me to carry on that good attitude forward in my future. Because of that as being a fine person I am has made to take my career to good growth and working for the automobile OEM MG Motor India in their headquarters at Gurugram and handling over the training support process of whole India.

To the new aspirants I would like to say that if you are looking choose a good career with a balanced college life of studies and extra activities, which will provide you a perfect curriculum to learn and a great future with great placements with the placement cell from the University itself.

Neelesh Rai

BBA, Batch : 2012-15

Training Admin, MG Motors, Gurgaon



I learnt from university in the whole degree program I not only earned theoretical knowledge but also practical knowledge. There were hundreds of practical sessions during my B.Sc curriculum. The faculty was cooperative nature and mode of teaching was both English and Hindi language as per student requirements. Faculty members were very humble with students and stand besides at each and every moment of student during study. There are different types of inter college competition and annual functions which were very effective to brush our extra curriculum and provide a stage to pursue the passion.

We visited various KVK and other agricultural institutions during semester.

There were different campaigns of NSS and other social gatherings. We played games after college and for entertainment purpose we went to outings on weekends these all aspects help me to interact with others and I learnt how to communicate socially.

Aakanksha Sharma

B.Sc.(Hons.)-Ag.

Batch : 2015-19

Experience with the University



College is one of the memorable parts of a student's life whether it was about friends, professors or growth of life. We have to make so many decisions as it will make an impact on the career and future of one's life. I have been introvert and no knowledge about the business studies before entering the college as I was from a small town it was a whole new experience for me. My growth started from my college life and it would not be possible without such enthusiastic and professors who are masters of their field. I think I was the student with so many questions in every lecture but my professors were so supportive that they were ready to solve my queries even if I ask them 10th time. I have so many memories with every professor and those days I count as best days of my life. I may not remember the content written in books but beyond them, they taught about how to fight in life

and grow on different stages. DR KALLA SIR, HOD of our department, master of his subjects, a person full of values and audacity but I still remember his motivation speech on teacher's day he never failed to be part of us and cheering us. We always feel scared from her if we have not completed the task given by her but still, he forgave us so many times, I still remember one lecture when he motivated us to do something beyond these books in life, Learn something new which can help your career, start some courses and that day changed my whole thinking. I just started a new course after one month of that day and I am blessed that I was present in that lecture which drove my whole career.

It would never end if I pen down about my college life and friends. My class was the best in terms of study and drama always. I had so many memories with these people Akash, Apurv, Lovesh, Akshyt, Mohit, Ankit, Lakshya, Tanvi, Yasmin, Ishaan. The list will go on and on of names and memories and I still miss those laughter moments in every lecture. I am blessed to be part of Jagannath university and how it changes my life in every term. Wherever I am today is just because of the guidance of my professors and I will never forget their lessons in my life. Lectures, canteen moments to events in the college I found them all as part of memories which I will cherish always.

“Thank you Jagannath university and agriculture department for those 4 best years of my life.”

**Kaushal Garg
B.Sc.(Hons.)-Ag.
Batch : 2015-19**

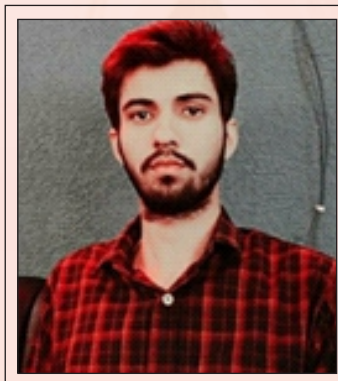


In Jagannath university I got a great opportunity to broaden my knowledge beyond my field of study. The university encouraged me for sports and cultural activity. University provided me proper environment and equipments for enhancing my performance. The best thing about this university is that campus is so beautiful and it connects you to the nature. The friendly attitude of the professors and their willingness to always offer a helping hand has made me feel a part of the Jagannath family. And along with all these things, I participated in a lot of different cultural activities, and I also won so many prizes in sports activities such as cricket, kabaddi etc. I made so many friends here, which made my entire

journey wonderful, I can't even express my love for University in words as this is far beyond words.

**Harendra Vishnoi
B.Sc.(Hons.)-Ag.
Batch : 2015-19**

Experience with the University



I would like to take this opportunity to pen down what Jagannath University has given me. We as young timid sophomores found ourselves lost between the corridors and wooden desks of lecture halls. The cooperative efforts of assignments, RAWES, unfathomable knowledge of our professors transformed me into an individual which I am today. From football matches to the impeccable mischievous of the practical classes and dancing in Punjabi songs with full swag are memories etched in the back of my mind forever to lament and smile at the same time.

In the age of Instagram, FB and other social media, the long boring bus rides from college to home were more of indulging in imperialistic fantasies of how we want to take outside the world for-" Pandavas gang ". We survived one night Jagannath fight. We are overwhelmed and afflicted at the same time with-" Sir/ Ma'am of seniority. From the last minute preparation to after college hangouts we survived it all As Kalam Sir quotes -" *There is no such thing as past friends, because friends are forever*" I truly believe in this, as memories of Jagannath University shall remain with me forever. It has helped me to transform into an individual, which I am today. The sheer support and constant motivation of faculty to manifest my affirmations into reality, has landed me where I am today. I am indebted to this institution for giving me so much to conquer the world outside full of opportunities.

Lakshya Choudhary
B.Sc.(Hons.)-Ag.
Batch : 2014-18



Hello everyone!

My name is Mahima Kaushik, I completed my LLM in criminal laws from 2018-19 batch from Jagannath University.

Finding the right path to success at the right time is really very important and for that I would like to express my heartiest thanks to the JNU family. The friendly environment, the systematic approach towards imparting education, made me a competent individual. The faculties are really very kind and approachable when any need arises. Because of their true support and guidance, I cleared my UGC NET 2019. It was a great time spent in JNU with wonderful opportunity to learn

and grow myself academically as well as in professional front.

I have so much to convey for the coming batches, Even when times are tough remember that JNU always has your back..from networks of alumni that will go extra mile for you, to professors that give you as much wisdom as they do knowledge, to the humanics philosophy that lives in your heart.

Mahima Kaushik
LLM
Batch : 2018-19

Experience with the University



**“A College should not be a preparation for life, A college should be life”
Elbert Hubbard**

College is a new beginning in the life of a student. After the much disciplined life of a school, we come college but for most of the students' going to a college is very terrifying and sometimes overwhelming. It's a case of fear of unknown. We interact with the new classmates, teachers, infrastructure and culture too. But if I would have to say about myself nothing happened from the above.

I joined Jagannath University in August 2016 and the feeling on the day one was like **“Yes! That's where I wanted to be”**. Everything is very friendly. At

Jagannath University I felt that **“College is not about finding yourself, it is about finding a person within you that you want to be.”**

The faculty members, office staff and the supporting staff never made me realise that I was new to this college and the result of that cooperation was that I was able to complete my post- graduation with good academic record and secured a gold medal too.

That's about my first day of college life, Sweet, Happy and Satisfying. The classmates whom I befriended on the first day became my such good friends later. My two years in college passed very soon. Even now I miss those days like nothing else. But the days will be always with me in my memories and now when I am a teacher and I see all these new students starting their college life .I feel nostalgic and I cherish my college memories....!!!

**Anshul Mathur
M.Tech (P.E.).
Batch : 2016-18**



It is said that **“What we Learn Become a Part of Who We Are”** and I can proudly say that I consider myself a live example of it. Whatever little I have achieved in my life and career so far, my education from **“Jagannath University”** has been a major catalyst to it. Education is one of the most interesting stages in one's life which gives you an opportunity to learn, explore, experience, and apply. And the institution truly lives up to all of these characteristics. The friendly environment, the systematic approach towards imparting education, the faculties, the campus and exposure to the latest technologies helped me imbibe, embrace and grow as an individual and professional. I would always be grateful to the institute to give me a jump to start my career and will always look back with fond memories. A lot

of Thanks !!!

In my career, at present I am associated with **“HCL Technologies, Noida”** as **QA Lead** and working on a project of **“Adobe”**. Here we are working on various technologies and platforms. Some of them are like AEM 6.4, JIRA, ALM, Selenium, Cucumber, JMeter.

We are also working on various Web services and APIs. That can be useful for many automation works and for making project smooth and bug free.

**Gunjan Tiwari
B.Tech. (CSE)
Batch : 2008-12**

Experience with the University



Being spent 4 years at Jagannath University, has given me much more than the knowledge of Mechanical teachings as it was also taught me how to improve oneself as a person, with the daily hardwork bestowed upon us by the kind faculties and professors over there, whose presence has always been more than adequate as one can always tell how well equipped and thorough they have always been with their erudition of their respective subjects as well as the hard work that they taught us by every lecture with consistency and determination, which has always made my respect for them grew bigger, year after year.

From the H.O.D. to respected teachers to the laboratory/workshop assistants of the Mechanical Engineering department, I could not have asked for a better 4 years of my life as a student."

Alpesh Srivastava
B.Tech (ME)
Batch : 2014-18



Jagannath University is a great contributor to the development of my personality. I have established my leadership, time management and team skills and have also been able to advance these skills to the whole new augment level.

The infrastructure of Jagannath University is one of the finest in Jaipur ,what stands out the most.

The best thing about this University is the cross-culture interaction between students from various parts of the world.

The professors are here, make the university what it is today.

With an attitude of being ever ready to help, and not only delivering classroom teachings, but they are also the pillars of the learning gained from this esteemed university and this is a treasure for life.

Ashish Sharma
MCA, Batch : 2013-16
Android Developer
EAGLE TECHNOSYS

Alumni Speak



Challenges, Acceptance and Positivity during Pandemic

Since this Covid -19 has strikes on all of us, it has taken away many happiness, delightful moments, joy and Gratifications of our life. We get surrounded every day by the news channels talking pandemic updates, death counts, and overall gloom and doom. Our social life is gravely cramped, and we have to make sure we have the required number of masks before moving out.

All this cynicism is coming up with a whole new set of socially accepted excuses and solace for working professionals:

- "I would have been successful if this Coronavirus situation weren't in existence."
- "No one is buying or selling due to Covid-19."
- "I was doing great before Covid-19."
- "This Zoom/Skype stuff is horrible! I can't build relationships unless I can get face to face!"

How do we fight with all this negativity and globally accepted excuses?

First, we have to understand nothing is forever, this too shall pass,

During this extremely challenging situation, we must work to increasing our "emotional" stamina. We must stay away from the news channel and negative thoughts and we must remember, while the virus may pass, our new way of doing pursuit virtually may never be same again. Then, we must aspire to make the New challenges of this changed world in to the Normal and better accepted challenges. What you can control is your attitude and the development of your skills. I think Tom Peters said it best:

"It's real simple: if you are not able to do more, better and faster than THEY are able to do more, better and faster, then you are getting LESS BETTER or MORE WORSE."

Choose to be positive: -

My motto of this article is not just to make you understand to accept the new changes and challenges due to Covid - 19, but also to develop a positive mind set to deal with it in our normal routine!" To lay the groundwork for such disposition one must Choose to be positive.

Being positive is choice and decision. Make the decision to live your life with a positive approach, Positivity offers many benefits and dividends to be reaped over the years of your life and makes you a bright light that shines in the midst of the darkness of negativity.

To be positive means to be:

- Constructive in intention or attitude
- Showing optimism and confidence
- Showing pleasing progress, gain, or improvement, with no possibility of doubt
- Clear and definite approach

Attitude, along with aptitude, determines altitude – how high one will fly in life. Having a positive attitude can help you overcome this fear and anxiety of what will happen next during this covid-19.

Just like positivity, optimism creates magnetism. Pessimism repels people. Become clear and definite about your purpose during this pandemic. Become faithful and trustful in your abilities to live out and perform your life's higher purpose.

Defeat negativity: -

Positivity neutralizes negativity.

If person says something negative or if you witness anything negative, try to say something positive or do something which will make you more certain about your purpose to be positive in response to what was is been said or seen, and after a couple of rounds of going back and forth and matching negativity with positivity, the negative situation would retreat and your mind will stay calm. You can defeat negativity around you by remaining positive.

One must visualize, you are either part of the solution or part of the problem. Let's face it there is no middle ground. You are either accepting the socially accepted excuses associated with Covid-19 or you are seeing it as a unique opportunity to raise your skillset and do SWOT analysis of yourself.

And yes, this phase of anxiety, sorrow and uncertainty will pass, we will win and when this will happen, we all will have one common thing with us it's the most pleasant 5 letter word in the world "Smile".

Sourabh Sandeep

MBA, Batch : 2015-17

Sr. Recruiter & Certified Life Coach

Alumni Speak



Ritesh Kumar Sharma

BBA, Batch : 2012-17

Manager (Financial Helpdesk Services)
General Electric

Reloaded: III years

5 years have passed away,

after, my college days,

Still it feels like,

it's just a matter of yesterday.

From, every morning sleepy sessions,

to difficult accounting situations.

From those, talented leader and their inspirations,

Boosts us, to move towards our aspiration.

Wow! innovations,

Leading us to create our own creations.

And, oh god! bunking those last lectures

needs a lot of justifications.

Miss that yummy delicious hostel Maggie,

Late night enjoyment and all were happy.

Every short break, outside the college campus # tea stalls,

is a better place than a branded lavish malls.

Late night hostel parties,

Birthday bashes, senses crashes

All play courts and playgrounds,

library: only for boyfriend and their cherry,

Trips, debates, events, fests

Enjoyment @ best.....

Our Recruiters

Whether working with some corporate organizations or doing their business, our alumni has always made us proud. Here is the glimpse of few organizations our alumni is working with :



Blast from the Past



Happenings @ JUA



Happenings @ JUA



Awards & Achievements





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Sector-5, Rohini, New Delhi



JaganNath International Management School
Kalkaji, New Delhi



JaganNath International Management School
Vasant Kunj, New Delhi



JaganNath Gupta Institute of Engineering
and Technology Jaipur, Rajasthan



Jagan Institute of Management Studies
Jaipur, Rajasthan



JIMS Engineering Management Technical Campus
Greater Noida, U.P



Chaksu Campus : NH-12, Chaksu Bypass, Tonk Road, Jaipur-303901 (Rajasthan)

Sitapura Campus : IP-2& 3, Phase IV, Sitapura Ind. Area, Opp. Chokhi Dhani, Jaipur, Pin 302022 (Rajasthan)