



SURPASSES IITs, NITs and IIITs

After scrutinising over 27 million entries, LPU scored 181.2 points surpassing over 6,900 institutions globally, including most IITs, NITs, and IIITs.

A PROUD MOMENT FOR US

LPU conferred with "CSR Top Online and

7200+ RECORD PLACEMENTS DURING THE PANDEMIC







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the usual mode of communication

Distance Learning Institute of India Awards 2021".



Professional University proves itself to be the epitome of higher education in India. During the 2021-22 placement season, the number of offers at LPU peaked at 7200+ and counting, surpassing all the other premier institutions in the country. Placements at LPU keep getting better despite the negative effects of the Coronavirus outbreak. For starters, the pandemic forced this annual process to go completely online, eliminating any chance of face-to-face interaction and causing more anxiety among students.

This year, LPU saw over 285

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companies offering CTC of 5 to 10 lakhs per annum and over 62 companies offering a CTC of 10 lakhs and above.

Every year, Vertos of LPU getting placed at lucrative packages all around the world. Students were not present on campus, which hampered through in person interaction, however, there is no decline in opportunities at LPU.

Some of the major recruiters at LPU include giants like Amazon, Infineon Technologies, Federal Bank, PlaySimple Games, Informatica, Bosch, Larsen & Toubro, Aditya Birla Group, Lowe's, Cognizant, Capgemini, Infosys, Tata Consultancy Services, Wipro, Asian Paints, DXC Technology, Optum, Acko General Insurance, Optmyzr, Accor S.A.

More than 110 recruiters of IIMs/ IITs/NITs hire from LPU. Over 1000 virtual placement drives and events were conducted at LPU.

LPU RECEIVES GREEN CHAMPION AWARD BY GOI



LPU RECEIVES 'ONE DISTRICT, ONE GREEN CHAMPION' AWARD BY MAHATMA GANDHI NATIONAL COUNCIL OF RURAL EDUCATION (MGNCRE), UNDER GOI'S SWACHHTA ACTION PLAN 2020-2021. FUNCTIONING UNDER THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT, GOI, MGNCRE PROMOTES RESILIENT RURAL INDIA THROUGH 'HIGHER EDUCATION' INTERVENTIONS. **LOVELY**WORLD • Vol-18 • Edi-02 • 15 July 2021

SUCCESS STORIES

Congrats **Maithre Shekhar** for winning the 2nd runner up at the Vista Vision photo contest launched by Dept of Film Production, LPU



The winning photograph

WE'RE THE VERTOS

They are back to spreading positivity. We've picked some students who have done exceedingly well recently



VERTO IN CANADA

LPU BSC Airlines, Tourism & Hospitality student, Geetika begun her new academic journey at the University of the Fraser Valley, Canada, to pursue the finest global education.

VERTO IN POLAND LPU CSE student Ayush Ranjan has kickstarted his journey at Adam Mickiewicz University, Poland, under our Semester Abroad Program with 100% tution fee waiver.





FOR THE FARMERS

THE BOXING STAR

Verto Naina from B.P.Ed. has bagged the sparkling Silver at the Sr. National Wrestling Championship 2021.



Startup by LPU **Alumni featured** in INC42-30 startups to watch

After surpassing an exhaustive list of 300+ startups, BankSathi has been featured in the INC42-30 **Startups to Watch**



fter surpassing an exhaustive list of 300+ startups, BankSathi has been featured in the INC42-30 Startups to Watch Founded by Jitendra Dhaka, BTech CSE (2009-2013), BankSathi Technologies offers customers a set of options based on their preference, limitations and basic information, helping them choose the best and taking them to the financial institutions that offer what they require. Last month, after beating an exhaustive list of over 300 startups, BankSathi has been featured in the INC42- 30 Startups to Watch.

ANGEL FUNDING

New Delhi-based fintech startup BankSathi Technologies has raised a \$200,000 seed funding round from a group of angel investors including Dinesh Godara, founder of TREAD; Rajendra Lora, founder of Freshokartz; and Anuj Ahuja

and Aditya Talwar, founders of Studybase.

Founded in January 2020 by Jitendra Dhaka, Sandeep Choudhary and ex-banker Himanshu Pujari, the startup will use the funding for

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product development, team building and executing marketing and growth plans.

"We currently have 5,000 plus advisors across 700 PIN codes of India. We have 45 products of 15 financial institutions in our bucket to sell and we are targeting one million advisors, and 150 products of 50 plus financial institutions ready to distribute through BankSathi App by the end of this financial year," Jitendra was quoted as saying.

LPU Engineering Alumna Nikita Rajput steps forward for all-round prosperity of farmers with her new Start-up, 'Agrohub India', which is also India's first B2B2C portal!.



Verto gets featured in leading nat'l dailies of India for incredible work

Sai Abhinay Chepuri, a 20-year-old student from Karimnagar, Telangana, is helping talented people find jobs.

A final-year B.Tech student in CSE, from Lovely Professional University, Sai Abhinay Chepuri's 2017-incorporated venture 'Make it Memorable (MIM)' has helped

over 92 photographers and videographers, among others, find gainful employment. Not surprisingly, the enterprising and empathetic youngster has won several awards for his efforts and ventures, including the Emerging Entrepreneur Award from SWI International Awards in 2019, Emerging Entrepreneur

2019 and Best Youngest Innovative Entrepreneur 2020.

Abhinay's MIM is a start-up that organises events for people with vocational skills - primarily in photography and videography but aren't well educated enough to present their works to big corporates and get hired.

PLACEMENTS



100% PLACEMENT AT FASHION DEPT

LPU's School of Fashion has a world-class infrastructure with fully equipped labs, which include textile testing, dyeing, printing etc

chool of Fashion Design, LPU, has announced 100% placement for its students. Some of the leading fashion brands that participated in the virtual placement drive include Reliance Industries Limited, Khadi India, Under Armour, ORION, US POLO ASSAN, Novica, Kabir Leathers, Hind Rubber, Samarth Lifestyle. These brands recruited students for various positions, including fashion designers & sample coordinators in garment export and manufacturing houses, fashion stylist, fashion merchandisers, production managers, graphic designers and more.

LPU's School of Fashion has a world-class infrastructure with fully equipped labs which include textile testing, dyeing, printing, advanced pattern making. There are also garment construction labs, MAC Lab,



LPU School of Fashion Design's curriculum development is guided by industry experts and acclaimed designers from all across the world

photography lab, and smart classrooms for the regular progress and career enhancement of the students.

LPU School of Fashion Design's curriculum development is guided by industry experts and acclaimed designers. And the school has curated innovative courses too.

CSE VERTO PLACED AT GLOBAL **DATA MGMT** COMPANY



erto Tanay Sharma from the Department of Computer Science & Engineering, has being selected by Commvault, a publicly-traded data protection & data management software company headquartered in Tinton Falls, New Jersey, USA, at a dream CTC.

Tanay, IBM Certified Data Science Professional, CodeForces Specialist received this opportunity via campus drives.

Lovely Professional University's Vertos from the Department of Computer Science & Engineering have a long-drawn history of achieving academic excellence and sterling placements at the most influential & ambitious multinational corporations in India & abroad.

Over 1,150 offers extended to university's yet-to-graduate 2021 batch



PU witnessed an outstanding opening to this year's placement season, as top global corporates, like

Capgemini and Cognizant, mass hired the proud Vertos. With 1150+ offerings extended to LPU's yet-tograduate 2021 batch of students in a single day, LPU has continued its unwavering tradition of unbeatable placements. What a remarkable achievement, that too during Covid!

While Capgemini, a French MNC providing consulting, technology, professional, and outsourcing services, offered jobs to 428 Vertos, another American multinational product-led digital

corporation, Cognizant, hired 739 Vertos. A student, who landed with a job offer, said the end results were encouraging since students were apprehensive about campus placement due to the Covid-19 outbreak last year. "The placement cell organised several workshops and counselling sessions, and that help me in virtual mode of interviews," said a BTech student.

Eight Vertos selected by Infineon Technologies, a German

11 Vertos grab big with American giant Amazon

semiconductor manufacturer

ight Vertos got themselves placed at Infineon Technologies in a recent placement drive conducted online. Infineon Technologies, a German semiconductor manufacturing mega-corporation, is among the top 10 largest semiconductor manufacturers across the globe.

The Vertos who are now interning at Infineon with packages worth up to 13.75 LPA are Ankur Singh, Ashish Kumar Singh, Ashutosh Bajpai, Pranav Singh, Swaraj Badhei, Tamanna Sharma, Vaibhav Prateek, and Yash Rajan.

While many institutions have been struggling to get their students placed, what happened The great part at LPU is that students here are not just getting placed globally but with lucrative packages too

in LPU that its students were getting not just placed but with lucrative packages too.

WHAT HELPED STUDENTS?

Strong focus on academics, intense employability skill programmes and a sound mentoring system to guide the students during virtual events resulted in a good number of offers, said a person associated with the LPU's Division of Career Services.





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Akhil Aman Deep Harsh Srivastava Krishna Barnwal





Eleven talented Vertos aced the campus

to bag packages worth

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Utkarsh Bansal Harsh Panwa Vipul Singh

Pushp Sood Shubham Kuma

Aman Deep, Dewansh Nigam, Harsh Srivastava, placements and managed Krishna Barnwal, Niranjan Pandit, Utkarsh Bansal, Harsh Panwar, Vipul Singh, Pushp Sood, and Shubham Kumar.

Thanks to LPU's robust online learning platforms, which enabled the university to provide high-quality education, conduct exams in a fair manner, and focus on comprehensive holistic development of students, while other institutions were struggling to figure out a way to complete the syllabus.

BY THE VERTOS

MILKHA SINGH: THE FLYING SIKH

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ilkha Singh, a Padma Shri Awardee, former Indian track and field sprinter who inspired generations of Indians with his feats on an international stage died last month in Chandigarh because of Covid-19 complications. A man of courage, Milkha said in his last interaction with PTI before being hospitalised. "Don't worry, I am in good

spirits...l am surprised, How could I get this infection?...l hope to get over it soon."

Nicknamed the Flying Sikh, a title was bestowed to Milkha by former Pakistan Army General Ayub Khan after he defeated Abdul Khalig in the Pakistani soil.

Born in Gobindpura – in present day Pakistan – Milkha was the first Indian track and field athlete to win gold in the then British Empire and Commonwealth Games in Cardiff in 1958. He defeated Malcolm Spence of South Africa with a timing of 46.6 seconds. He has four Asian Games gold medals in his name – 200m and 400m in 1958, and 400m and 4x400m relay in 1962. While he participated in 1960 Rome Olympics too, but he finished fourth in the 400m race.

However, the path has not been so easy for him. He saw his parents being killed during Partition, indulged in petty crimes to survive in refugee camps of Delhi, and failed three attempts at joining the Army. Who could have thought a Milkha would one day get the sobriquet of 'The Flying Sikh'? He earned it, and earned it for good.

Ayantika Mukherjee BTech CSE

VERTO Speaks



'A home away from home' Vibhor Nigam,

pursued B.Tech. + MBA

IPGA felicitates LPU Alumni



LPU alumni felicitated by

Shades of nature



The world is colourful and bright. Right from the sky above to the sea below, nature abounds in the richness of colour. Nature is one of the greatest blessings for human life; however, nowadays humans fail to recognise it as one. Nature has been an inspiration for numerous poets, writers, artists and more of yesteryears. Come monsoon the charm increases manifold.

Derived from an Arabic word, which means season, monsoons are systems of seasonal wind which blow with consistency and regularity from oceans to continents in summer and in the reverse direction in winter. Monsoon is a season of fresh air and green environment. The surroundings look attractive with dancing peacocks, squirrels and chirping birds. Monsoon redefines life and

Nonsoon redefines life and love. It starts blessing the

Monsoon is rainbow in the storms of life. The drop of water that gives hope to plant and trees to live their life

human heart and feel and we all get attracted towards its beauty. Monsoon is a rainbow in the storms of life. The drop of water that gives hope to plant and trees to live their life, the drop of water that helps farmer to grow crops and many more.

Being a nature lover, I respect those mind and hearts who can see and feel the beauty of rainbow because monsoon is totally incomplete without it.

Supriti Vats BAJM

Letters to Editor

(Integrated) at LPU Currently interning with MRF, Vibhor shares how Life at LPU changed his perspective towards life.

Your LPU journey?

Entering LPU was like entering a whole new world. LPU has all the anemeties that a student can ask for. My fiveyear journey at LPU was magnificent.

One best experience?

My hostel life at LPU taught me a lot of things. It's my home far away from home. What you miss most about LPU? The diversity of LPU.

Indian Pharmacy Graduates Association for their work during COVID-19 pandemic

Anupama Kalia-Drug Inspector, Jalandhar (B. Pharm-2006), Mr. Amarjit Singh-Drug Inspector, Jalandhar (M. Pharm-2006), Mr. Jaswinder-Entrepreneur, Satnam Surgical, Jalandhar (B. Pharm-2006), and Mr. Ashish Manocha C/O Manocha Medical Hall (B. Pharm/M. Pharm-2020).

The ceremony took place in the gracious presence of Dr. Monica Gulati (Sr. Dean, LFAMS, LPU), Gaurav Gupta (Head, Alumni Relations), and Deepshika Sharma (Asst. We salute these graduated classes and the untold ones who are still helping the needy

Professor, LSPS, LPU). Even in the past, LPU alumni have devoted themselves to society amid the Coronavirus pandemic, keeping the flag of LPU high. We salute these graduated classes and the untold ones who are still helping the needy.

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> *Raisa Pahwa Bachelor of Journalism and Mass Communication*

'A great guide'

Lovely World is a great journal...I must say.. a great guide for students and a perfect overview of all the events taking place at the university

Ayantika Mukherjee BTech CSE, 2nd year

'It's very unique'

I like the overall layout and design of Lovely World. It's very unique. It makes us feel connected to every department.

Sakshi BSC Multimedia

'Verto part is best'

I love the way how Lovely World talks about student achievements. It helps us gain confidence.

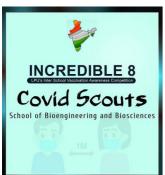
> Ayushi Singh BBA

ONLINE SESSIONS

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COMPETITION ON INTER SCHOOL VACCINATION AWARENESS HELD



n this pandemic time, doctors and nurses have emerged as the frontline soldiers who risked their lives to save every life possible. Each one of us can contribute and become a silent soldier, who is capable of saving lives just by getting vaccinated.

It is an irony that a lot of people are running away from these lifesaving vaccines due to unreasonable fears. Rumours is ruining the government policy and making people scared from





Incredible 8 is a step to make people understand the importance of being vaccinated. It is a competition within schools of LPU, where more than 10 different teams participating in it and leading their ideas to reflect through social media

getting vaccinated. So it's of prime importance that we educate others of the benefits of being vaccinated. We the vertos, with our mentors, are united to make people aware of being vaccinated. INCREDIBLE 8 is a step in the same direction. It is a competition within schools of LPU, where more than 10 different teams participating in it and leading their ideas to reflect through social media. The entire event is being



conducted online. There are four rounds: 1) Social media campaigning, 2) Get to know, 3) Community service, 4) Corona prevention campaign.

The participating teams have to inculcate that vaccination not just protects us but helps in containing the spread of virus too. Let's not focus on rumours and understand that nothing is more important to us than you. Let's get vaccinated.

> Supriti Vats BJMC

A PROGRAM For the youth Influencers Organised

Student organisation PentaOmnia in collaboration with Edoofa Pvt Ltd. conducted an Influential event known as "Youth Influencers Forum 2021" from 1st Apr 2021 to 10th May 2021 on Lehar application. During the event, more than 120 influencers from different fields shared their experiences and struggle stories with more than 1500 youth participants. The event lasted around a month and was warmly appreciated.

Ishan Kulkarni, a speaker, shared, "The event helped me to share my journey and experiences being a speaker on the topic of Investing and financial freedom. I found the event memorable and delightful."

Yoga For You: A 7-day free holistic health workshop

Celebrating International Yoga Day, Division of Student Welfare, LPU, came up with a fascinating online event "Yoga for You". The seven-day workshop, which started on June 15th, 2021, introduced students the shining pathway of yoga and mental upliftment.

Day 1 focused on Sukshma-Vyayam & Pranayam and it continued with the practice of some yogic postures and breathing exercises, viz. Padmasana, Bhastrika, Kapalbhati, Ujjayi.

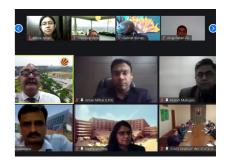
Day 2 saw Dr. Mahesh Dogra, a Ph.D. in Vedic Science and Psycho-Neurobic, talking about Chakra healing. He stated, "Yoga doesn't only cover body, there are mental exercises also." Day 3 focused on 'Strengthening

The 7-day workshop on International Yoga Day introduced students the shining pathway of Yoga and mental upliftment

'Holistic Health in Covid times.' Dr. Poonam Singh, General Secretary at Yog Manthan, confabulated 'Yoga for Stress Management' on the fifth day. On the next day, she instructed some yogic postures that can help boost immunity and maintain physical well-being.

On the final day, Dr. Sorabh Lakhanpal, Professor and Dean, DSW, spoke about Health and Lifestyle' with yoga in mind. "Good health is the side benefit of yoga; its main goal is to make one an excellent human being," said Dr Lakhanpal.

GOI & LPU Join Hands For New Era Education Course



n collaboration with Indian Technical and Economic Cooperation (ITEC)-the Division of Ministry of External Affairs (Government of India); LPU organized a five-day long 'New-Era Education' Course for 100+ participants from 27 countries. These participants were education officers, senior administrators and teachers from Ministries of Education. universities, institutions and schools of SAARC, Latin-American, African and Central Asian countries including Turkmenistan, Kazakhstan. Relevant to existing times, the topic covered was for a certificate programme in "adapting to a new era of blended teaching and learning".

ITEC Programme is a bilateral programme of assistance by the GOI. Under ITEC and related programmes, 160+ countries in Asia, Africa, East Europe, Latin America, the Caribbean, Pacific and Small Island countries are invited to share in the Indian developmental experience acquired over seven decades as a free nation.

Raisa Pahwa BIMC

ITEC Programme is a bilateral programme

of Emotional Immunity.'

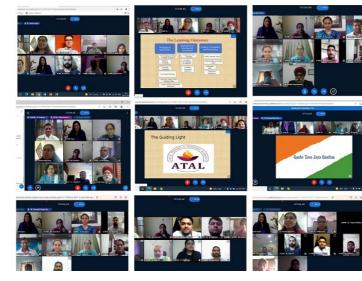
Day 4 introduced Dr. Shaveta Bhardwaj, a clinical psychologist & counsellor, who conversed about

of assistance by the Government of India

Online session on Innovative Pedagogical Practices

uman Resource Development Centre organised a Short Term Course on Innovative Pedagogical Practices in Higher Education in the virtual learning mode as approved by AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy.

In her inaugural address, Mrs. Rashmi Mittal, Pro-Chancellor, LPU, congratulated AICTE for patronizing Faculty Development Programs that would empower the academic fraternity to conduct teaching and research that



meets globally benchmarked standards. She applauded this initiative of public-private partnership to disseminate innovative pedagogical strategies to faculty members and research scholars across India through LPU-HRDC.

The program was conducted by seasoned Subject Matter Experts of LPU. They deliberated upon – Pedagogical innovations in the changing paradigm of higher education, Digitization of Learning and Assessment, Individual differences in learners' personality, learning styles and cultivating emotional intelligence.

The Resource Panel from LPU includes Dr. Sanjay Modi, Professor and Executive Dean, Faculty of Business and Arts, Dr. Lovi Raj Gupta, Professor and Executive Dean, Faculty of Technology and Sciences, Dr. Sunaina Ahuja, Professor and Associate Dean-HRDC, Dr. Rajesh Verma, Professor & Dean, Mittal School of Business, Dr. Savita Gupta, Professor and Head Dept. of Faculty Development, HRDC.



HAPPENINGS

Dr Nishank at Global Conference in LPU

The education fraternity came with innovative solutions to continue the process of imparting knowledge



he global pandemic, COVID-19, came up with many challenges, which includes transition in education. The classes ran to zoom from the room, and the assignments shifted from class to glass, significantly bringing in the screen supremacy as a new normal. But the entire education fraternity never stopped and came with innovative solutions together on a global platform to continue the process of imparting knowledge.

To reminisce the struggle and consider the challenges, opportunities in higher education ahead, LPU organised a "Conference on International Higher Education Opportunities in the Post COVID World," where world education leaders came together to talk about higher education!

The conference comprising management of top global universities was chaired by Dr. Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank, our Hon'ble Union Minister of Education



The conference started with Mr Ashok Mittal warmly welcoming and embracing the esteemed presence of the Education Minister

Chief Guest. The global conference kick-started with Mr Ashok Mittal, Hon'ble Chancellor, Lovely Professional University, warmly welcoming and embracing the esteemed presence of Dr Nishank, and greeting the other dignitaries and education legends from topAppreciating all endeavours at LPU, the Education Minister welcomed the initiative taken to highlight the ongoing challenges in higher education and to guide & enlighten the people about the opportunities in higher education in the post COVID world.

"When the whole world is combating the epidemic, LPU has kept a focus on education & society, and has contributed significantly in such an unprecedented pandemic time," he said.

The experts in the two panels discussed and analysed the challenges and opportunities for

VACCINATION DRIVE AT LPU CAMPUS FOR 18-45 YEARS



With the second wave of COVID-19 causing a devastating effect on the people of India, vaccination is the most effective shield against the virus. Prioritizing COVID vaccination for its employees aged between 18-45 years, LPU conducted a massive COVID-19 Vaccination Drive at Uni-Hospital situated within the campus. LPU has earlier conducted a vaccination drive for the ones above 45 years of age.

Intending to make LPU one of the safest campuses in the country, the Human Resource Department at the university took initiative and announced a hasslefree online registration link for staff members. Maximum of the staff members volunteered and got registered. A sufficient workforce was allotted to make sure no one faces any issue anywhere throughout the process.

The drive went smoothly under the supervision of the authorities. Faculty members from LPU itself were seen proactively participating in the vaccination.

> Most of the staff members volunteered and registered. A sufficient workforce was allotted to make sure the drive was conducted smoothly

LPU to help CRPF meet their health & immunity needs

A landmark program kicked-off at the Institute of Immunity & Nutrition Management, Group Center CRPF Jalandhar, where LPU in association with CRPF initiated a course to promote Immunity & Nutrition among CRPF personnel.

The faculty of LPU have meticulously designed a special course to meet the health & immunity needs of CRPF personnel. It is hoped that the course will enable CRPF front line warriors to plan healthy meals



and address their lifestyle disorders thereby improving their health & meeting nutritional requirements. Hon'ble DG CRPF - Dr A.P. Maheshwari inaugurated

the Institute of Immunity & Nutrition Management at the Group Center CRPF Jalandhar in the esteemed presence of Chancellor, LPU, Mr Ashok Mittal and Pro Chancellor Mrs Rashmi Mittal. Mr Ashok Mittal shared his vision on the Institute of Immunity & Nutrition Management. Mr. Mittal expressed his gratitude towards CRPF for providing LPU with an opportunity to be a part of this brief yet valuable educational journey. Hon'ble DG CRPF - Dr A.P. Maheshwari presented memento to LPU Chancellor.

FEATURES



ATHLETE BAGS GOLD AT 60TH NATIONAL INTER-STATE ATHLETICS C'SHIPS



PU student, Sonu Kumari has done us proud by bagging Gold Medal at the "60th National Inter-State Athletics Championships in the sport Heptathlon in Patiala, Punjab. "Gold Medal is every sportsperson's dream, and today I am super proud to share that I have won it on

> "Gold Medal is everyone's dream, I'm super proud to won it at the national level

the national level! I am really grateful to my coaches for training me tough and helping me achieve big," shared the young heptathlete.

The 60th National Inter-State Athletics Championships was held from June 25th to June 29th at Patiala. To be held just before the Olympic qualification period ends on 29th June 2021, the Inter-State Championships holds a lot of significance for Indian athletes.

While for many qualified athletes, this is a chance to get into the groove before the 2020 Tokyo Olympics.



Verto wins silver in shot-put throw

Soyal Won Silver Medal in Senior National Inter State Athletics Championship, being held at NSNIS, Patiala, Punjab.

Sonal has been an outstanding performer all along. Earlier this year, she won gold medal with a throw of 14.69m at Indian Grand Prix-3.

Athletes from all across the country, and even abroad, were seen in action in a total of 42 different Athletes were seen in action in a total of 42 different events in Patiala, Punjab

events in Patiala during the course of this meet.

For a number of athletes participating in the event, it is the one final opportunity to book a direct flight to Tokyo for themselves.

Lovepreet shines at 200m event in Patiala



A thlete Lovepreet Singh has brought laurels to the university by bagging Gold Medal in 200m race in Senior National Inter State Athletics Championship being organised at NSNIS Patiala, Punjab. Earlier he bagged Silver Medal in 100m race with the timings of 10.47seconds.

Lovepreet has been an outstanding sportsmen since his childhood. Hailing from Jalandhar, Punjab, he brought laurels to the city by bagging numerous medals at various district, state and national-level athletic championships.

SUMMER CAMP 2021

Department of Cultural Affairs organise a camp for the little ones



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'LPU has a very safe & secure environment for learning'



Class - B Design Fashion **Achievement** - LPU provided me with a plethora of opportunities to hone and showcase my skills in innumerable in-campus as well as off campus events and competitions.

Why fashion?

Pursuing a course on Fashion Design has been a dream as I was always interested in fashion and art.

What influenced you to get into fashion?

I grew up mostly watching Fashion TV and I think it was one of the reasons for my fascination towards fashion. Seeing the designers transforming their stories into beautiful collections always charmed me. Fashion has no limitations, and I knew that I would like to tell my stories in these forms. So I was determined to go for it.

Was LPU the right choice?

Choosing LPU was one of the best decisions I have ever made. I had so much fun there being in the hostels. It is very safe and secure environment for learning.

One memorable experience.

Obviously my International Summer Internship Program at Milan and Paris. It pushed me beyond my own excellence.



ENTERTAINMENT

ALUMNI RELEASES MUSIC ALBUM, FILM INDUSTRY IS HIS GOAL NOW





hough he has persuaded BTech from Lovely Professional University, Sumanth Borra always wanted to be a professional singer. "I started singing from a very early age however, my parents wanted me to first complete his studies and then get into professional singing," says the Hyderabadbased singer, adding that "he took a break from music after his Intermediate to focus on his studies.

But as the proverb goes, "You can't run away from your destiny", Sumanth too could not stay away from music. Soon after completion of his course in LPU in 2018, he started trying his luck with private albums. And now, he has been proving himself in the field of music by composing new songs to make his path to the film industry easier. Today, the young singer-composer has

Nishad is pursuing his graduation in physical education at LPU on 100% sports scholarship

just released teaser of his new song Elaa Mari Ika Raava under South India's biggest music label Aditya Music.

THE JOURNEY

While today Sumanth is made sure he participated in Stateand District-level competitions which would give him a better opportunity to prove himself. "I have participated in over a hundred competitions and won many awards and prizes too. The satisfaction while receiving an award makes us forget all the struggle that we go through while singing," says Sumanth, a software engineer by profession.



HOW TO **ENJOY YOUR SUMMER HOLIDAYS?**



Summer is here and if you plan to enjoy indoors, here are few things that you can actually do.

HOST A MOVIE NIGHT Meeting with friends can be a great stressbuster. Plan a movie night at any of your friends place, have all the snacks prepared, and enjoy the movie night together.

HAVE A HOME SPA DAY If a 5-star resort isn't on the cards this summer, you can still take some time out to pamper yourself. Buy some relaxing face masks, put on some music, and take a nice relaxing soak.

REVAMP YOUR HOME

If going out is not in your cards, it could be the best time to redecorate your home. Add some design changes, fix the niggling issues, or revamp your whole home, it's your choice.

A DAY FOR YOURSELF Sometimes it's nice to just have a day that's all about yourself. So, draw up a list of all the things you like and tick off as many as possible.

Ayushi Singh BBA

DSW launches infotainment show 'Dil Se Wah'

While we know that you might be busy at your homes, doing various kinds of work, Division of Student Welfare, LPU, brings to you a brand new show Dil Se Wah! A combination of information and entertainment, Dil Se Wah! focuses on real-life lessons and helps the viewer take the right approach in life.

In conversation with Lovely World, Dr Sorabh Lakhanpal, Professor and Dean, Head, Division of Student Welfare, also the host for the show, said, "The objective of DSW has always been to work on concepts that are relevant to students. We believe Dil Se Wah! is a perfect way to help them understand, most importantly, what not to do in lives."



The cast of Dil Se Wah! during one of their promo shoots.

Currently, this show is being telecasted live every Saturday at 8PM only on the YouTube channel LPU Entertainments

Dil Se Wah! went on air towards the end of May 2021 and has already received a lot of positive response from the audience. During this show, the actors play real-life characters while trying to match the mood of the audience. Currently, this show telecasts live every Saturday at 8PM only on the YouTube channel LPU Entertainments.

SPECIAL

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Bajrang, go for Gold at Tokyo



Star Indian wrestler, Bajrang Punia, student of MA in Public Administration at LPU, is one of India's biggest medal hopes at the upcoming Tokyo Olympics. Hailing from Jhajjar, Haryana, Punia has many



medals to his name, including Gold in 2018 Jakarta Asian Games and Gold in 2018 Gold Coast Commonwealth Games.

Punia regained the No. 1 ranking in the 65kg category by defeating Mongolia's Tulga Tumur at the Matteo Pellicone Ranking Series tournament in Rome in March. The 27 year old booked a Tokyo Olympics quota in September 2019 after winning a bronze medal at the World Championships.

CAN NEERAJ SPRING A SURPRISE IN OLYMPICS?



erto and Javelin thrower Neeraj Chopra opened his international season with a promising 83.18m effort that fetched him a gold medal in the City of Lisbon athletics meet at the Lisbon University Stadium in Portugal last month.

The conditions were windy and Chopra - the Asian Games champion, who set a national record with an 88.07m throw in the Indian Grand Prix in Patiala in March - had a foul-ridden series messing up three of his six rounds. His best came in the last Neeraj Chopra is one of the probables of winning Gold for India at 2021 Tokyo Olympics

round. He opened with an 80.71 and his other legal throw was 78.50 in the fourth.

Chopra has a season's best of 88.07m recorded in March in Patiala, Punjab. Lisbon competition marked Chopra's return to foreign soil after 18



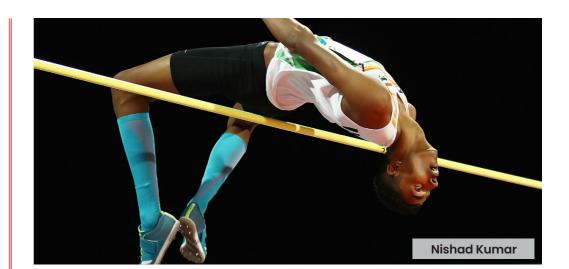
months. In January 2020, he competed at the South African domestic meet in Potchefstroom. "I am now working on getting my release angle right and ensuring I get the proper height," he was quoted as saying by Sportstar.

Verto and athlete Amoj Jacob qualifies for 2021 Tokyo Olympics





best is 45.68 sec in 2021. The



A moment of pride and honour for LPU as its Verto and athlete Amoj Jacob, studying BPEd, has qualified for 2021 Tokyo Olympics. Amoj will represent India in 4X400m Relay men team. His 400m personal Indian men's 4x400m team is currently ranked No 14 in the Road to Tokyo list, where the top 16 will qualify for the Olympics. However, Jacob believes that they can finish in the top five.

"If you look at the personal bests of Muhammed Anas, Arokia Rajiv, Noah Nirmal Tom and me, all of us have gone below 46s," Jacob was quoted as saying by a national daily.

Verto Nishad eyes Gold at Tokyo Paralympics

N ishad Kumar clinched gold medal in high jump (T46) by clearing 2.06m at the 12th Fazza Championships World Para Athletics Grand Prix 2021 in Dubai.

The impressive performance also helped him vault to World Number 2 ranking. He trains at the Sports Authority of India facilities in Bengaluru. In November 2019, he secured a berth in the Tokyo Paralympics by claiming bronze at the World Para Athletics Championships at the same venue.





Rupinder, the star of hockey

Seasoned drag-flicker, Rupinder Pal Singh, student of MBA at LPU, believes that "correct strategy" will be the key at Tokyo Olympics. A key player in Indian men's hockey team going for Tokyo Olympics, we are hopeful



that Rupinder will make it big for himself and the country. The 30-year-old, who was a part of the Indian squad at the 2016 Rio Olympics, is of the view that players should work on the whole

game rather than just winning.