

Yogi Vemana University has set a healthy precedent to follow advanced technology in engaging the students academically and familiarizing them about innovative ways of learning and seeking knowledge and also have been successful in implementing LMS and conducting online classes including virtual labs. The Special Chief Secretary of Higher Education during the review meeting appreciated the efforts of our University for utilizing the Microsoft teams Platform optimally for the benefit of Students. The University has launched a new website to foresight about the progress of our University.

Students and research interests have been given sufficient thrust by undertaking admissions for Ph.D under Extra Mural Research Programmes . The objective is to strengthen industry- academia interaction and thereby exploring possibilities for student employment opportunities and about twenty four candidates got admission under this scheme.

The University has entered into **17** MOU's with reputed companies such as Coromandel, Hetero, Aurobindo, Divis, Trivision, Sigma and Onesomics. The MOUS will benefit our researchers and students in terms of sharing expertise and infrastructure.

The University has taken a welcoming and constructive initiative in the form of SEED MONEY to encourage faculty research activity which in turn a benefit to students and research scholars.

Library up gradation is paid due attention and recently procured J-Gate Science and Technology (JST) and J- Gate Humanities (JSSH) along with the Indian Business Database. Further English Language Communication Skills software is made available in the library to help the students in improving their language skills.

The university has uploaded 80 dissertations for Shodganga , the National digital repository to ensure quality research.

The achievements of some of our teachers, Dr.P.S. Shavalli Khan, Professor of Botany, for his research findings published on K.P. Onion in renowned Springer Journal of Biological Sciences. Prof.M.V. Shankar, Professor of Material Sciences and Nano Technology has been nominated as Fellow of Chennai Academy of

Sciences and also for receiving A.P. Scientist award from APCOST. Dr.V. Sunita, Associate Professor , Department of Geology and Dr. N. Venkata Rami Reddy, Assistant professor , Department of Zoology also received AP Scientist award from APCOST.

Research Scholars Dr. Naga Koteswara Rao got an excellent offer in the research field with Rs.50 lakh package and Dr. Venkata Krishna Reddy has secured a job in Orizon Life Sciences Pvt.Ltd with a pay offer of 7.5 lakhs.

Eco-friendly initiatives like Red Sandal plantation, Medicinal plants, Tulasi saplings have been our strength. The Botanical garden has been awarded AP state Biodiversity Conserver Award and received a project of ₹60,00,000/- from AP Biodiversity Board.

C.P. Brown Library, a constituent body of University has received YSR life time Achievement award in the institutional category.