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Initiated by: Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), TMU, Moradabad
Date: 3RD April 2026 **Venue: Administrative Block, TMU**

The Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), TMU, successfully facilitated the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between NIIT & TMU on 3 April 2026.

This collaboration has been established with the objective of strengthening industry-academia engagement and enhancing employability skills among students through structured virtual learning programs. The initiative reflects TMU's continuous commitment towards holistic education, skill development, career preparedness, and fostering meaningful exposure to evolving industry expectations and professional competencies. The MoU signing ceremony was graced by esteemed dignitaries and officials from both organizations. The agreement was formally executed by **Dr. Charu Kapoor, Country Head, NIIT Foundation**, in the presence of senior university representatives and CTLD officials.

The initiative was coordinated under the guidance of **Prof (Dr.) Pankaj Kumar Singh, Director – CTLD**, who played a significant role in facilitating the collaboration.

Under the agreement, NIIT Foundation will provide industry-oriented course content, certified trainers, online assessments, and e-certifications to enrolled students. The collaboration will also focus on improving students' professional competencies and connecting eligible learners with placement opportunities aligned with industry standards.

The partnership aims to empower students with practical knowledge, communication skills, workplace readiness, and career-oriented learning experiences through virtual training modules conducted by experienced faculty members from NIIT Foundation. This strategic collaboration marks another milestone in TMU's vision of creating meaningful educational partnerships and preparing students to meet evolving industry demands through innovative, industry-oriented, future-ready, and skill-based learning initiatives for holistic professional development.

The event concluded with a shared vision of fostering academic excellence, skill enhancement, and industry-integrated learning opportunities for students. The collaboration is expected to create a positive impact by equipping learners with practical exposure, professional competencies, and future-ready skills essential for success in the evolving global workforce.

The signing of this MoU marks a significant step towards strengthening industry-academia partnerships at Teerthanker Mahaveer University and reflects the university's continued dedication towards innovation, employability, and holistic student development through meaningful collaborations and progressive educational initiatives.



Samarthyah Bodh 4.0 – Mock Job Interview Process



The Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), TMU, successfully organized Samarthyah Bodh 2026 from **8-14 April 2026** at **TMIMT and CCSIT** under the guidance of **Prof (Dr.) Pankaj Kumar Singh**, Director – CTLD.

Conducted as an Expert Talk and Mock Placement Drive for B.Tech, MCA, and MBA students, the initiative aimed to enhance students' employability skills and prepare them for real-world recruitment processes. A total of **265** students participated enthusiastically and underwent a comprehensive placement simulation consisting of multiple recruitment rounds including a Written Assessment, Group Discussion, and Technical & HR Interviews. Students were assessed on aptitude, verbal ability, technical knowledge, communication skills, confidence, and interview performance, helping them gain practical exposure to corporate hiring procedures and professional expectations.

The event proved to be a highly impactful learning experience, strengthening students' confidence, industry awareness, and placement preparedness.

Following the Written Assessment round, 77 students qualified for the Group Discussion stage, out of which 50 students advanced to the Technical & HR Interview round. Based on their overall performance throughout the recruitment process, 25 students were awarded Mock Offer Letters with simulated packages of 10 LPA, 6 LPA, and 4 LPA, creating a realistic corporate recruitment environment.

The initiative successfully bridged the gap between academic learning and industry requirements while motivating students to enhance their professional and interpersonal skills, career readiness, confidence, adaptability, and overall understanding of workplace expectations and professional ethics.



Vocabaddicts 6.0 : Inter-University Vocabulary Quiz Competition



Organized by: Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), TMU, Moradabad

Date: 18th April 2026

Venue: TMU Auditorium

The Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), TMU, successfully organized Vocabaddicts 6.0 on 20 April 2026 under the guidance of **Prof. (Dr.) Pankaj Kumar Singh**, Director – CTLD, with the blessings of **Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) V. K. Jain** and **Dean Academics Prof. (Dr.) Manjula Jain**. The event was **coordinated** by **Ms. Anvesha Sisodia** and **co-coordinated** by **Quiz Master Mr. Jatin Dua**.

A total of 800 students registered for the competition, beginning with the Screening Round on 10 April 2026, followed by the Quarterfinal Round on 15 April 2026, where 36 students advanced to the Semifinal and Final Rounds held on 20 April 2026. The competition focused on enhancing vocabulary, communication, teamwork, and logical thinking skills among students.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation and remarkable performances throughout the competition. **Team TrioVision** comprising Keshav Chaudhary, Manya Sharma, and Rimjhim Gupta emerged as the winners, while **Team Logophiles** secured the position of First Runner-Up and **Team V Rangers** achieved the title of Second Runner-Up.

The winning teams were awarded prizes and certificates for their outstanding performance, confidence, teamwork, and presentation skills, reflecting their creativity, effective communication abilities, critical thinking, and exceptional stage presence throughout the event.



Hospital Staff Training Programme 4.0 AT TMU Hospital



Date: 4th April - 25th April 2026

Venue: TMU Hospital

The Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD) successfully organized the fourth series of Hospital Training Sessions in April, focusing on enhancing professional competencies, communication skills, patient interaction, and service excellence among hospital staff members. These sessions were conducted under the category of Process Improvement Training and witnessed enthusiastic participation from employees across various hospital departments.

The initiative aimed to strengthen workplace efficiency, interpersonal communication, patient satisfaction, and professional conduct within the healthcare environment. The sessions provided practical insights into handling real-life workplace situations, improving coordination among healthcare professionals, and promoting a culture of empathy, professionalism, and effective patient care.

The schedule and highlights of the sessions were as follows: on 04 April (Saturday), a session on **Telephone Etiquette** was conducted by **Mr. Jatin Dua**; on 11 April (Saturday), **Dr. Jasmine Stephen** conducted a session on **Complaint Handling and Grievance Communication**; on 17 April (Friday), **Prof. (Dr.) Pankaj Kumar Singh** conducted a session on **Effective Communication and Bedside Manner**; on 18 April (Saturday), the training sessions further emphasized the importance of teamwork, behavioural excellence, patient-centric services, and maintaining positive communication practices in healthcare settings.

Ms. Nidhi Gupta conducted a session on **Compassionate Care and Empathy**, while on 25 April (Saturday), **Dr. Dilip Dutt Varshney** conducted a session on **Professional Communication**. The sessions focused on strengthening communication skills, empathy, patient handling, teamwork, and professional behaviour among hospital staff through practical and interactive learning approaches.

These training sessions played an important role in improving patient experience, workplace coordination, and service quality by addressing real-time challenges related to grievance handling, bedside manners, front-office communication, and professional interaction within healthcare settings. The participants gained valuable insights into maintaining positive patient relationships, effective communication practices, and service excellence in day-to-day hospital operations.

The initiative reflects CTLD's continued commitment towards **skill enhancement, capacity building, and promoting a patient-centric healthcare environment at Teerthanker Mahaveer University** through structured and impactful professional development programs.

TMU Student Club (Culture & Heritage – SPIC MACAY) Successfully Organizes “RANGSAAZ”



Theme: “Celebrating Creativity, Culture & Classical Heritage”
Organized by: TMU Student Club, TMU, Moradabad

Date: 24th April 2026

Venue: Medical, LT -2, TMU

The TMU Students’ Club – Culture & Heritage (SPIC MACAY) successfully organized a series of cultural activities during April 2026 to promote creativity, artistic expression, and appreciation for India’s rich cultural heritage among students. On 13 April 2026, the club organized “RANGSAAZ – Open Stage Event” at TMU, Moradabad, providing students with a vibrant platform to showcase their talents in music, poetry, dance, and various performing arts. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from students and faculty members, creating an engaging and interactive cultural atmosphere on campus. It encouraged students to express themselves confidently, celebrate diversity through art and culture, and strengthen the spirit of creativity, collaboration, and cultural bonding within the university community.

Further extending its cultural initiatives, the club in collaboration with the SPIC MACAY Moradabad Chapter organized a Flute Recital on **24 April 2026** at **Medical LT-2, TMU**. The recital featured renowned classical maestro **Pt. Rajendra Prasanna** on **Bansuri & Shehnai**, accompanied by **Pt. Devjyoti Das Gupta on Tabla** and **Mr. Samyak Parashari on Flute**. The event commenced with Lamp Lighting and Saraswati Vandana, creating a serene atmosphere and offering students a valuable exposure to Indian classical music. The program was graced by **Dr. M. P. Singh (DSW)** and **Dr. Ratnesh Jain (ADSW)** along with faculty members and students, reflecting TMU’s commitment towards nurturing talent, encouraging student engagement, and preserving India’s cultural heritage through meaningful student club initiatives.



Team Members' Highlights

* Research Paper Presentation

* Date: March 19th 2026

Title: **"Determinants of Digital Payment Adoption among University Students: Evidence from an Extended Technology Acceptance Model Using Secondary Data"**

Mr. Pradeep Panwar, Senior Trainer, CTLD presented his research paper titled "Determinants of Digital Payment Adoption among University Students: Evidence from an Extended Technology Acceptance Model Using Secondary Data" during the **International Conference on Sustainable Development Goals: Challenges, Issues & Practices, organized by at TMU**. His presentation focused on understanding the factors influencing digital payment adoption among university students and contributed valuable insights into technology acceptance, digital transformation, and sustainable financial practices among youth. This achievement reflects his dedication towards academic research, innovation, and scholarly excellence.

* Date: March 19th 2026

Title: **"Competency Mapping for Employability Readiness of Engineering Students in the Selected Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) of North India"**

Mr. Anant Bhardwaj, Master Trainer, CTLD, achieved notable academic and professional milestones through his active involvement in research and emerging technology learning initiatives. On 23 April 2026, he presented a research paper titled "Competency Mapping for Employability Readiness of Engineering Students in the Selected Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) of North India" at the **International Conference on Sustainable Development Goals: Challenges, Issues and Practices (SDG 2026) organized by TMU**. His presentation highlighted the critical skill gaps affecting the employability readiness of engineering students and emphasized the role of competency mapping in enhancing job preparedness and professional growth. The study also recommended aligning academic curricula with industry requirements to achieve better educational and career outcomes, reflecting his commitment towards research excellence and academic innovation.

* Date: March 19th 2026

Title: **"Essential Employability Skills of Management Students in the Indian Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)"**

Ms. Mani Saraswat, Senior Trainer, CTLD, actively contributed to academic and professional development initiatives through her participation in international research and leadership-oriented learning programs. On 23 April 2026, she presented a research paper titled "Essential Employability Skills of Management Students in the Indian Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)" at the **International Conference on Sustainable Development Goals: Challenges, Issues and Practices (SDG 2026) organized by TMU**. Her presentation contributed significantly to academic discussions on competency development, employability readiness, and professional advancement in the context of emerging global business paradigms and evolving higher education requirements, reflecting her commitment towards research excellence and academic growth.

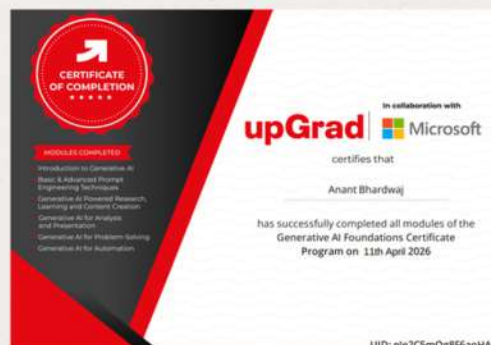
* Certifications

Title: **"Strategic Leadership and Decision Making"**

Mr. Pradeep Panwar, Senior Trainer, at CTLD has participated in the National Webinar on "Strategic Leadership and Decision Making" organized by Teerthanker Mahaveer University and ISTD Moradabad Chapter. The webinar focused on strengthening leadership capabilities, strategic thinking, and decision-making competencies essential for academic and professional excellence. His participation reflects continuous engagement in professional learning and leadership development.

Title: **"Generative AI Foundations Certificate"**

Mr. Anant Bhardwaj, Master Trainer, CTLD also successfully completed the program on 11 April 2026, offered by upGrad in collaboration with Microsoft. The certification provided comprehensive exposure to Generative AI concepts, prompt engineering, AI-driven research and content creation, data analysis, presentation techniques, problem-solving, and automation tools. This accomplishment reflects his commitment to continuous professional development, technological advancement, and the effective integration of innovative AI practices into teaching, training, and academic development initiatives **at, Moradabad**.



Certifications

✳️ **“Mastering Supervision: Skills and Strategies for Effective Leadership”**

Dr. Jasmine Stephen, Chief Trainer, Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), successfully completed the certification course “Mastering Supervision: Skills and Strategies for Effective Leadership” through Alison in April 2026. The programme focused on enhancing essential leadership and supervisory competencies, including effective communication, team management, workplace coordination, conflict resolution, strategic planning, and decision-making skills required for professional excellence. This achievement reflects her strong commitment to continuous professional development, academic leadership, and the promotion of effective training and educational practices. It also highlights her dedication towards fostering a productive learning environment and strengthening institutional excellence through continuous learning and skill enhancement.



✳️ **“Mastering Supervision: Skills and Strategies for Effective Leadership”**

Dr. Dilip Dutt Varshney, Deputy Director, Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), successfully completed the certification course “Mastering Supervision: Skills and Strategies for Effective Leadership” through Alison in April 2026. The programme was designed to strengthen essential leadership and supervisory competencies, with a focus on effective communication, team management, workplace coordination, conflict resolution, strategic planning, and decision-making skills required for professional and organizational excellence. This accomplishment reflects his dedication towards continuous professional development, leadership enhancement, and lifelong learning in the field of education and training. It also highlights his commitment to fostering an efficient academic and professional environment through effective supervision, collaborative practices, and innovative leadership approaches that contribute to institutional growth and excellence.



✳️ **“AI Tools and ChatGPT Workshop”**

Mr. Ritu Rajan Saxena, Senior Trainer, Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), successfully completed the AI Tools and ChatGPT Workshop conducted by be10x on 26 April 2026. The workshop provided hands-on exposure to various AI-powered tools and applications, focusing on AI-assisted presentations, data analysis, coding, debugging, automation techniques, and productivity enhancement methods for academic and professional use. The programme enhanced his understanding of emerging artificial intelligence technologies and their practical applications in teaching, training, communication, and workplace efficiency. It also provided valuable insights into the integration of AI-driven tools for improving creativity, task management, and digital collaboration in modern educational and professional environments. This accomplishment reflects his commitment towards continuous learning, digital skill enhancement, and the adoption of innovative technological practices in education and training. Furthermore, it highlights his proactive approach towards exploring technology-enabled learning methodologies and adapting to the rapidly evolving digital landscape in higher education and professional development.



✳️ **Title: “Strategic Leadership and Decision Making”**

Ms. Mani Saraswat, Senior Trainer, Centre for Teaching, Learning and Development (CTLD), also participated in the National Webinar on “Strategic Leadership and Decision Making” organized jointly by Teerthanker Mahaveer University and ISTD Moradabad Chapter on 10 April 2026. The webinar focused on strengthening leadership perspectives, strategic thinking, organizational effectiveness, and decision-making practices in academic and professional environments. The session provided valuable insights into modern leadership approaches, institutional management, and strategies for addressing emerging professional challenges effectively. These accomplishments reflect her continuous commitment towards academic excellence, professional growth, lifelong learning, and active engagement in faculty development and institutional initiatives at TMU.

✳️ **Title: “Strategic Leadership and Decision Making”**

Mr. Gopal Krishna Mishra, Aptitude Trainer, CTLD actively participated in the National Webinar on “Strategic Leadership and Decision Making,” which focused on enhancing leadership effectiveness, strategic thinking, and decision-making competencies essential for professional growth and institutional excellence. The webinar provided valuable insights into modern leadership practices, organizational management, and effective decision-making strategies required to address emerging academic and workplace challenges.



✳️ **Title: “Strategic Leadership and Decision Making”**

Mr. Vijay Kumar, Aptitude Trainer, CTLD actively participated in the National Webinar on “Strategic Leadership and Decision Making,” which focused on enhancing leadership effectiveness, strategic thinking, and decision-making competencies essential for professional growth and institutional excellence. The webinar provided valuable insights into modern leadership practices, organizational management, and effective decision-making strategies required to address emerging academic and workplace challenges. Through his participation, he gained a deeper understanding of contemporary leadership approaches and their practical applications in professional environments. His involvement in the webinar reflects his commitment towards continuous learning, professional development, and academic excellence.

Faculty Development Programme / Workshop

Prof. (Dr.) Pankaj Kumar Singh, Director – CTLD, participated in the Six-Day International Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on **“AI in Healthcare: Data, Analytics, Ethics & Real-World Applications”** conducted from 20 to 25 April 2026. The FDP was organized by the Department of Artificial Intelligence & Data Science, and focused on emerging applications of Artificial Intelligence in the healthcare sector, including healthcare data analytics, ethical AI practices, real-world implementation strategies, and recent technological advancements in medical and healthcare systems. The sessions were delivered by distinguished experts from leading institutions in the USA and premier institutes across India, offering valuable academic and industry-oriented perspectives on AI-driven healthcare transformation. His participation reflects CTLD’s continued commitment towards academic excellence, technological innovation, interdisciplinary learning, and the promotion of advanced practices in higher education and professional development.

Date: 17th April 2026

Topic: Unlocking Mind through Graphoanalysis and Graphotherapy

Mr. Gopal Krishna Mishra, Aptitude Trainer, CTLD attended a One-Day Faculty Development Programme/ Workshop on **“Write to Reveal: Unlocking Mind through Graphoanalysis and Graphotherapy”** on 17 April 2026. The programme explored the connection between handwriting, personality assessment, and therapeutic writing practices aimed at promoting self-awareness, emotional understanding, and personal growth. The workshop provided valuable exposure to innovative psychological tools and reflective learning practices, reflecting his interest in interdisciplinary learning, personal development, and professional enrichment.

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