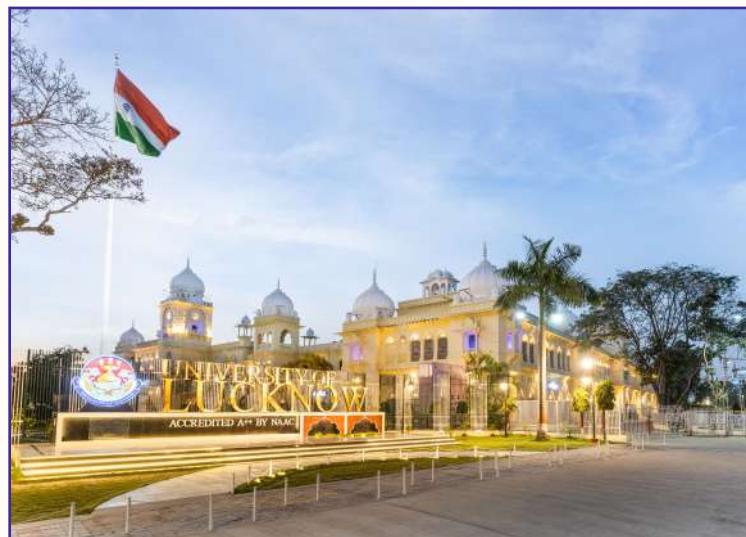




Chronicles (2024-2025)

**A Yearlong Voyage of University of Lucknow on
the Path of Excellence**

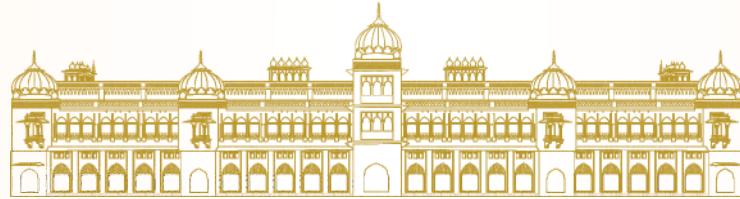


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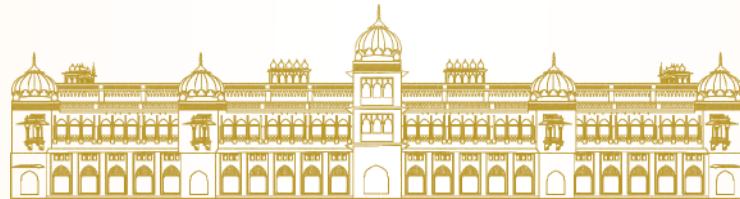






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1. Striving For Superior Educational Outcomes

Industrial growth and higher education play pivotal roles in driving a nation's economic development. With the advent of the Industrial Revolution and its subsequent waves, the nature of work has significantly transformed, shifting from manual labour to more technology-driven processes. This evolution has led to a growing demand for a workforce that is not only competent but also highly skilled in emerging technologies. **Industry 4.0**, characterized by automation, artificial intelligence, and smart systems, has further emphasized the critical need for higher education institutions to adapt by embracing **Education 5.0**. This new education model seeks to create a dynamic teaching and learning environment that equips students with the skills necessary to meet the workforce demands of the future, while also addressing broader social changes and challenges.

In response to these shifts, India's National Education Policy 2020 (NEP 2020) has been formulated with a comprehensive and multidisciplinary approach. The NEP 2020 aims to foster a more flexible, holistic learning environment, enhance employability, and improve the quality of skilled human resources. In line with this national vision, the University of Lucknow has implemented a range of initiatives aimed at enhancing the quality of education and promoting social and economic mobility, as well as fostering inclusivity and equality. By adopting these initiatives, the University of Lucknow aims to create a robust academic ecosystem that not only enhances the quality of education but also contributes to broader socio-economic development. This approach aligns with the goals of NEP 2020, preparing students to thrive in a rapidly evolving global economy while promoting inclusivity and social equity.

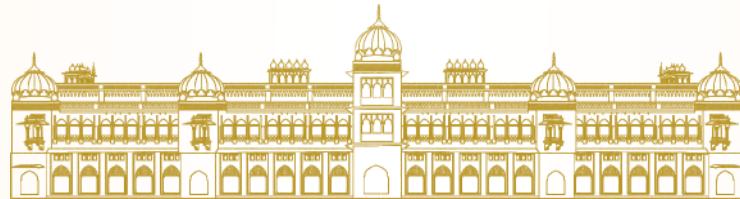
1.1. NEP implementation in Postgraduate Programs

1.1.1. Two Year Postgraduate Program Ordinance 2024

- 80 total credits over 2 years in tune with UGC guidelines
- Subject limitation removed
- Other features similar to previous ordinance
- Multiple entry and exit options

1.1.2. One Year Postgraduate Program Ordinance 2024

- For students wanting to pursue PG program after four-year UG degree
- Uniform credits across subjects
- 40 total credits over 1 year in tune with UGC guidelines
- Value added courses both inter and intradepartmental
- Freezed and open elective
- MOOCs provision



1.2. Other Guidelines related to NEP 2020

1.2.1. Lateral Entry Guidelines

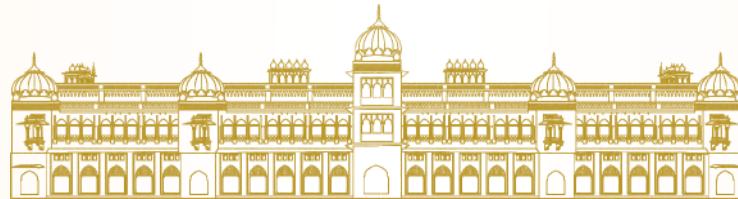
- Guidelines were approved for lateral entry into undergraduate (UG) and postgraduate (PG) programs at the University of Lucknow and affiliated colleges, in line with NEP 2020.
- Vacant seats for semesters 3, 5, and 7 (UG) and semester 3 (PG) will be published.
- Eligibility is based on prior completion of a certificate, diploma, or degree as described in NEP 2020
- **Intra-University Transfers:** Students from affiliated colleges of the University of Lucknow can seek lateral entry into other colleges within the university.
- **Inter-University Transfers:** Students from other universities with a NAAC grade of A+ or equivalent and mapped credits on the Academic Bank of Credits can apply for lateral entry into UG/PG programs at the university.

1.2.2. Professor of Practice

- To use industry and professional expertise for curriculum development, expert integration and experiential learning
- Distinguished experts with remarkable contributions in their respective fields will be employed
- Categories of Engagement
 - **Industry-Funded Professors of Practice**
 - **University-Funded Professors of Practice**
 - **Honorary Professors of Practice**

1.2.3. D.Sc./D.Litt./L.L.D.

- Ordinance governs award of D.Litt., D.Sc., L.L.D.
- Eligibility: Ph.D., ≥ 5 yrs post-Ph.D. experience, ≥ 10 high-quality papers (IF ≥ 5), annual application with bio-data, synopsis, prior research, publication list, and NOC.
- Supervision: Overseen by PDRC (Dean, Supervisor, HoD/Director, 2 Professors); supervisors must be Professors with ≥ 5 Ph.D. supervisions;
- Self-supervision allowed for senior candidates (≥ 10 yrs service, ≥ 15 impactful papers).
- Thesis: Submit after 2 yrs, within 4 yrs (extendable 1 yr); pre-submission seminar mandatory; must be original, substantial, scholarly, plagiarism & AI-checked; 5 hard + 1 digital copy.



2. Academic Growth and Diversification

In line with the vision of NEP 2020, the University of Lucknow has actively introduced a wide spectrum of courses and programs that span interdisciplinary, transdisciplinary, modern, and classical domains. This academic diversification aims to break rigid boundaries between disciplines, fostering a more integrated and holistic learning environment. Programs are now breaking the silos of academic streams with introduction of vocational and co-curricular courses. This inclusive curriculum not only honours India's rich intellectual heritage but also equips students with modern competencies, preparing them for dynamic career paths and meaningful societal contributions. To promote multidisciplinary education and inter-disciplinary research as envisioned in NEP 2020, new faculties and institutes have been introduced at University of Lucknow.

2.1. New Faculty and Departments

- **Faculty of Aesthetics and Shaiv Philosophy**
- **Faculty of Management Studies**
- **Faculty of Agriculture**
 - Department of Agronomy
 - Department of Agricultural Genetics and Plant breeding
 - Department of Seed Science
 - Department of Agricultural economics and Agricultural extension,
 - Department of Crop Physiology and Biochemistry
 - Department of Plant Pathology and Microbiology
 - Department of Horticulture and Agricultural sciences.
 - Department of Entomology

2.2. New Programs

2.2.1. Occupation-Centric Learning Programs

- In sync with clause 11.3 – 11.4 of NEP-2020, following new programs have been started during the period.
- Executive MBA program (blended mode)
- B.Sc. (Agriculture)
- Masters of Public Health in Nutritional Sciences
- BBA (Business Analytics)
- MBA (Finance and Accounting)

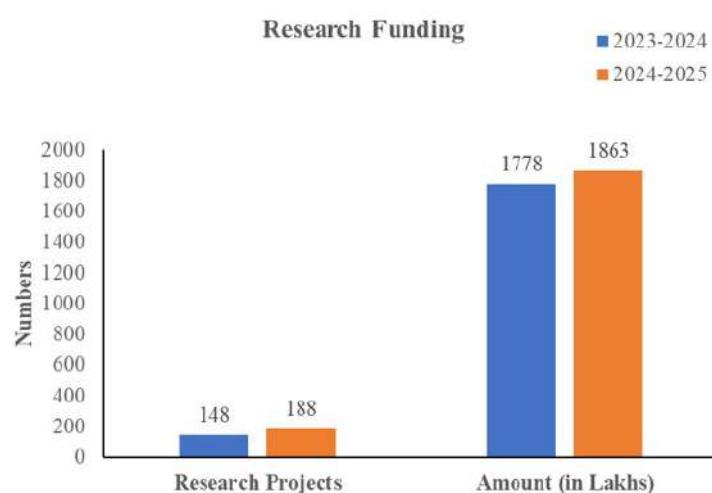


3. Reinforcing Research Resilience

Over the last five years, the University of Lucknow has made significant strides in improving its research performance, reflecting a strong commitment to academic excellence and innovation. This progress aligns with the goals of NEP 2020, which emphasizes high-quality, impactful, and multidisciplinary research. The university has introduced research-friendly policies, invested in infrastructure, and launched schemes to incentivize faculty and scholars for publishing in reputed journals. There has been a noticeable increase in research output, collaborations, and global visibility. National and international rankings have acknowledged this upward trajectory, with the university steadily improving its position. Efforts to establish centralized research facilities, promote student research at the undergraduate level, and encourage interdisciplinary projects are further strengthening its research ecosystem. Through these initiatives, the University of Lucknow is creating a vibrant and inclusive environment for knowledge creation and scholarly contribution.

3.1. Research Grants

The last academic year saw a 27.02% increase in research funding, which represents a substantial boost to support academic and scientific endeavors. This increase enables us to expand our research capacities, pursue innovative projects, and enhance infrastructure. It also opens opportunities for interdisciplinary collaborations, and access to advanced technology. The additional funds can drive impactful research across various fields, promoting breakthroughs that contribute to societal, technological, and economic advancements. Ultimately, this significant funding increase is a catalyst for accelerating scientific discovery and innovation.

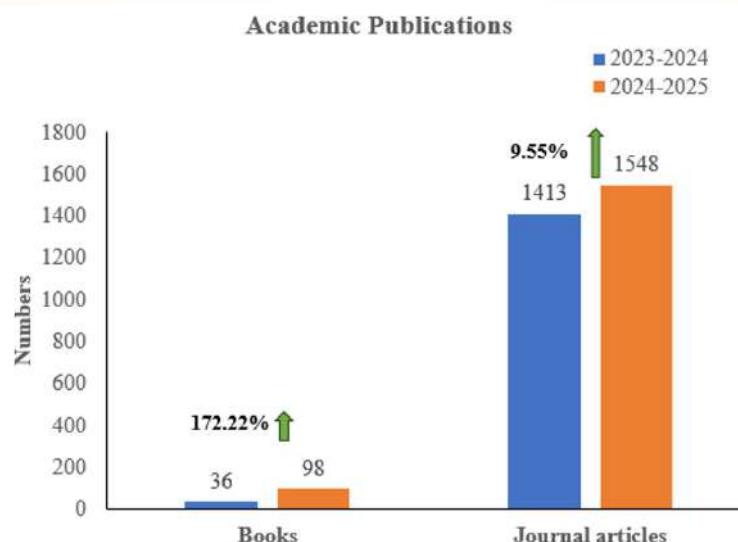




3.2. Publications

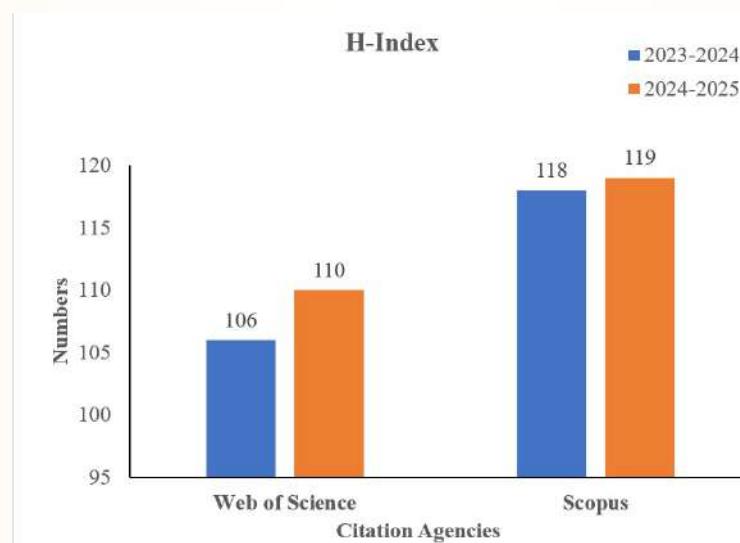
The University of Lucknow has seen remarkable progress in its research output, a testament to the dedication and continuous efforts of its esteemed faculty. Over the years, the university has placed increasing emphasis on research as a cornerstone of academic excellence and intellectual growth. This focus has led to significant advancements in the volume and quality of research contributions across various disciplines.

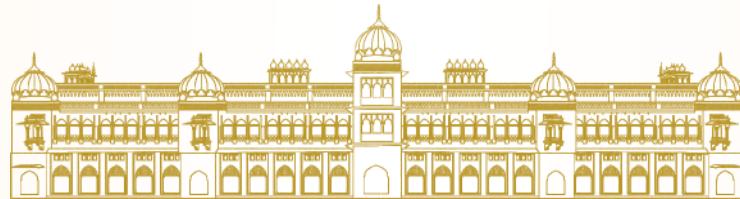
The faculty members, who are at the forefront of this research drive, have consistently strived to push the boundaries of knowledge, resulting in notable increases in scholarly publications. There has been an increase in the publication of research papers (9.55%), and books (172%).



3.3. H-Index & Citations

The University of Lucknow's research quality has been significantly bolstered by





improvements in both its H-index and the number of citations its publications receive. These metrics are vital indicators of the impact and influence of the university's research on the academic and scientific community. Together, the rising H-index and citation numbers are strong indicators of the university's improving research quality and global academic standing. They reflect the institution's success in producing impactful research that resonates well beyond its own academic environment.

3.4. Academic Interactions

The university is dedicated to providing its students with an unparalleled academic experience. This is attained by providing students with opportunities to meet distinguished persons with enviable reputations in academics, extension activities, technology, translations, *etc.* The university hosted international as well as national conferences in Zoology, Pharmacy, Engineering, Sociology and many other disciplines. A total of 412 academic events in the form of conferences, seminars, lectures, *etc.* were conducted. Amongst the notable events were Lucknow University Model United Nations program by Faculty of Law, for which they received appreciation certificated from United Nations. An International Conference on Recent Advances in Applied Science and Humanities in Evolution of Engineering was organized by Faculty of Engineering and Technology. The 36th All India Congress of Zoology and International Conference on Innovations in Life Sciences and Sustainable Development was organized by the Department of Zoology, which saw participation from across the country and the globe.

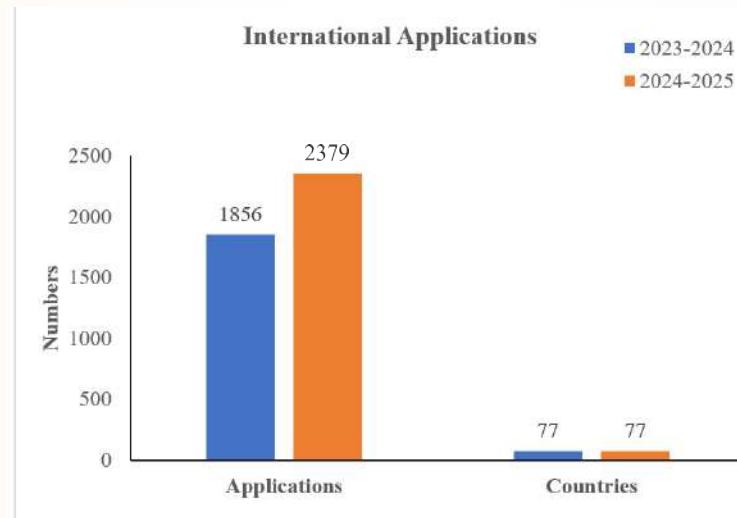
4. Elevated Global Engagement

The elevated global engagement of the University of Lucknow marks a significant step in the institution's journey toward internationalization and global recognition. Over recent years, the university has actively sought to expand its global footprint by fostering international collaborations, promoting academic exchange programs, and participating in cross-border research initiatives.

4.1. International Students for full time degree programs

The increased arrival of international students at the University of Lucknow is a clear reflection of the university's growing global appeal and its commitment to internationalization. This influx of international students not only enriches the academic and cultural diversity of the campus but also elevates the institution's global reputation. Last academic year saw:

- 2379+ applications from 77 countries
- Students from 45 new countries currently studying





4.2. International Collaborations

- A total of 25 MoUs were signed in the last academic year.
- 15 international & 10 National MoUs were signed in the last academic year.





5. Fortifying Human Capital

University of Lucknow has laid enormous emphasis on strengthening its teaching and non-teaching staff to be effective and efficient, hence the issue of selection and promotion has been duly addressed.

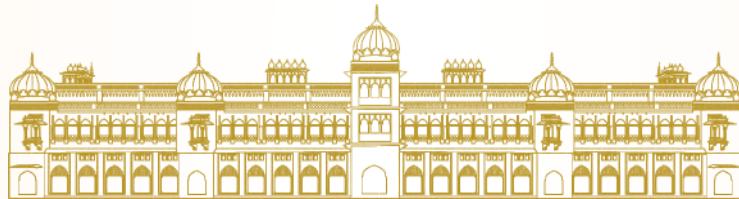
5.1. Teaching

- 25 appointments of full-time faculty have been done through IT based transparent process of recruitment since June 2024, which brings the total of new appointments up to 253 over the last five years.
- Teacher-Student Ratio is now at 1:27, up from 1: 35

5.2. Employee welfare

- The university through its own resources launched a medical insurance scheme for all its teaching and non-teaching employees.





6. Engaging Prospective Students

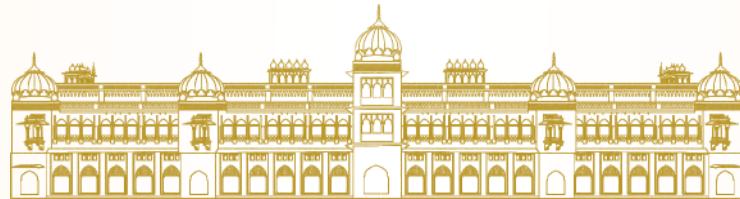
The University of Lucknow has experienced a significant surge in applications for admissions, reflecting its growing popularity and academic reputation. This rise can be attributed to various factors, including the university's commitment to enhancing its academic programs, expanding research opportunities, and fostering industry collaborations.

Year	Number of seats	Number of Applications
2024-2025	8750	93783
2025-2026	8750	95823
% Increase	0	1.5%



7. Nurturing Student Potential

The student centric learning approach is characterized by providing them an opportunity to voice, choice, progression, and monitoring of student needs. An augmented five build-up model, *via* Student Communication, Financial Support, Student Participation, Placement & Entrepreneurship, and Mentoring initiatives contributes to the holistic development of students. University of Lucknow has launched different schemes and innovative practices envisioned, planned, and implemented to build a student-centric system to provide students with the opportunity to grow and excel in the best of their interests and encourage them for continuous learning. These initiatives are in tune with the directions of NEP-2020 of the government to uphold holistic education, employable graduates, and sustainable higher education system. The following activities showcase the initiatives undertaken by the University in this direction



7.1. Student Communication

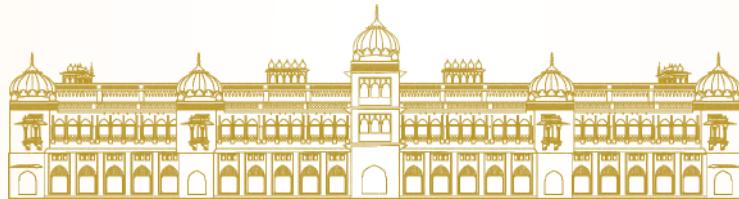
To channelize the student's valuable voice in the institutional decision making, feedback loop propelling virtuous cycle to encourage awareness, idea generation, sharing of thoughts, and feedback essential for institution building and creating learning environment, the University initiated ways to increase connectivity with students encouraging two way 24x7 and transparent communication to expedite response on various issues pertaining to student interest.

- **24*7 Communication through social media:** University and all office bearers of the university are on X to attend to the student's queries and complaints. Besides, University has adopted several other channels of communication with the students through website, Instagram, Facebook, YouTube channels, mobile App etc. to ensure 24*7 communication.

7.2. Financial Support

The university has made efforts to assist students in completing their education unhindered.

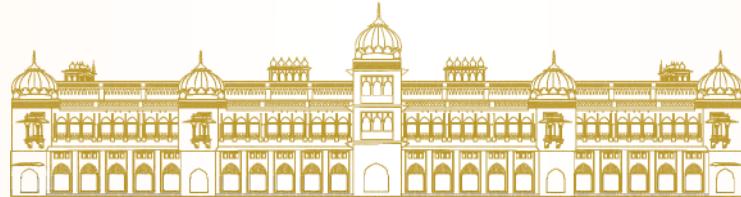
- **Karmyogi Scheme**
 - o Provides part-time job to eligible students of the University.
- **Chhatra Kalyan Scholarships**
 - o Provides hand holding through financial assistance.
- **Shodh Medha Scholarship**
 - o Provides financial assistance to bright female research scholars who have qualified NET / NET – LS / GATE.
- **Karmodaya Scheme**
 - o Allows students to volunteer to work in unpaid in-house internship allowing development of their management skills in multiple challenging positions.
- **Arpan – Adopt a Brain scheme**
 - o Initiated in wake of COVID break; teachers and alumni undertook full or partial responsibility of educational expenditure of the university students who lost their parents
- **VC Care Fund**
 - o Provides financial support to students of the university.
 - o This unique scheme demonstrated volunteerism and facilitated community involvement and mobilization in contributing to higher education



7.3. Students Participation in Institutional Functioning

To encourage student participation in the academic and administrative decision making of the university at different levels as envisaged by NEP 2020 under clause 12.9, the University has created several forums:

- Meritorious Student Council
- Student Grievance Redressal Committees in all departments
- Departmental Student Grievance Redressal Committee
- Hostel Management Committee
- Central Placement Cell
- Each Head/ Dean, is supposed to attend all student issues personally between 4-5 pm daily



7.4. Student's Holistic well-being

- Happy Thinking Laboratory: Established in 2020, this lab provides a platform for students to reflect their thoughts about happiness, meditation, and spirituality and objectively and scientifically assess the stress and happiness of the students.
- Yoga Center: Provides Yoga OPD to students and also organizes therapeutic health camps, yoga and meditation sessions for students
- Rickshaw Services: Free e-rickshaw facility on main campus and second campus has been initiated to facilitate student movement within campus.

7.5. Dedicated Facilities for Females

- Sanitary napkin vending machines & Incinerators in all girl's toilets
- Dedicated well equipped Common Room Facility for recreation and relaxation of girl students.
- Day Care Centre at the University to support faculty and research scholars.

7.6. Placement and Entrepreneurship Development: Central Placement Cell (CPC)

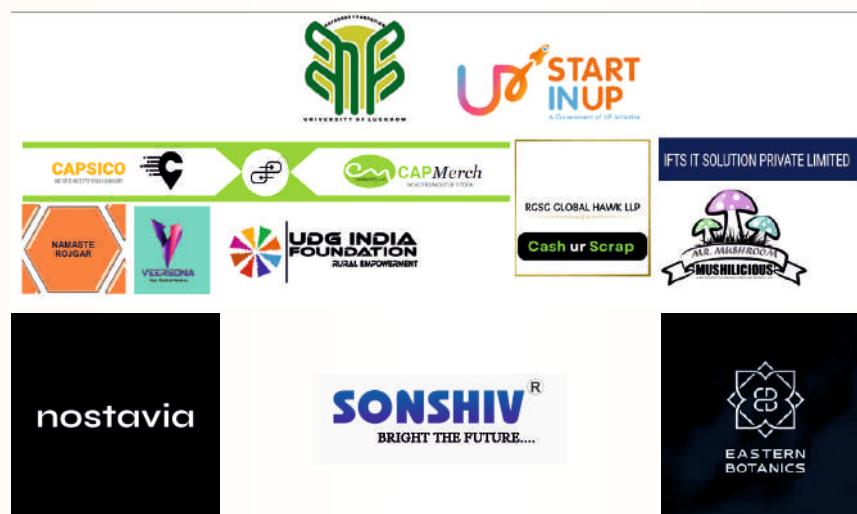
- Conducts workshops for skill enhancement and career counselling
- Significant increase in placements with almost 81% of applicants seeking placements being placed.
- The highest package is Rs. 24.61 lac and average package is Rs. 7.86 lac per annum.





7.7. Incubation Cell, Navankur Foundation

- Innovation and technology transfer enterprise, "Navankur Foundation", Section-8 company, to promote innovation, incubation, entrepreneurship, and a start-up ecosystem.
- Sanctioned a grant for operational expenses (Rs. 1.5 Crore).
- 18 startups registered with Incubation Cell
- One of our startups Bagwalikhet Organics Pvt. Ltd." Showcased their products in the exhibition held on July 31, 2024 at Rajbhavan and was appreciated by everyone.
- Launched two new internship and ideation schemes named 'AARAMBH' and "UDAAN".
- AARAMBH offers opportunity for hands-on learning through internship streams like business development, technology support, event management, legal and compliance, finance and research and content creation. A maximum of 5 students will be selected per stream.
- UDAAN, a flagship initiative and an exciting idea-pitching idea-pitching platform, has also been initiated to invite would-be entrepreneurs to showcase their innovative ideas to industry experts and investors, offering mentorship and funding opportunities.





S. No.	Startup Name	Primary Sector
1	Namaste Roigar Services LLP	Business Services / EdTech / Social Impact
2	Capsico E-Commerce Private Limited	Food-Tech / Hyperlocal Food & Grocery Delivery
3	RSGS Global Hawk LLP	Wholesale Trade & Business Services
4	Veer Sona (OPC) Private Limited	HR Staffing / Recruitment & Investigation Services
5	Mushiliosis Private Limited	Renewable Energy
6	Tapri Tech Private Limited	Software Development / IT-enabled Startups
7	Vishwakarma Manufacturing Pvt Ltd	Manufacturing (Structured Metal Fabrication)
8	Suniyan Power OPC Private Limited	Environmental Technologies
9	Bagwalikhet Organics Pvt Ltd (Kalfree)	AgriTech / Organic Food & Beverage
10	Digway Emedia Solutions Pvt Ltd	IT/IITES, FinTech
11	Sonshiv Industries Pvt Ltd	Industrial / Electrical Infrastructure Manufacturing
12	Technorant Healthcare LLP	Healthcare Technology
13	Eastern Botanics Pvt Ltd	Botanical / Organic Farming
14	Bodh Organic Ecoculture	Organic Farming / AgriTech
15	Ram Shree Health Tech Pvt Ltd	HealthTech / Pharmaceutical
16	Nostalvia Technologies Pvt Ltd	HealthTech
17	Unaad Deep Technologies Pvt Ltd	Deep Tech / Emerging Tech
18	Goer Techno Infra Pvt Ltd	Tech-based Infrastructure



8. Student Enrichment Initiatives

8.1. Student Excursions

The University of Lucknow encourages its students to receive real time education via visits to places of interest, such as other universities, higher education institutions, national parks, tribal villages, geological formations, villages, communities, etc.

Some of the notable visits were to Kolkata, Shanktiniketan and Sunderbans by students of Zoology, and to Uttarakhand, Bundelkhand and Gangetic Plains by students of Geology. Students also went out in the city and neighbouring areas for cleanliness drive as well as creating awareness about health concerns such as TB, AIDS, Cancer, Polio, Leprosy, etc.

Noteworthy was the a 3-day cycle excursion on the theme, "एक देश—श्रेष्ठ देश, प्रगति पथ पर हमारा देश" led by students who visited nearby towns of Lucknow with historical and cultural significance. Organized to promote unity, fitness, and sustainable development, the event saw enthusiastic participation from students, faculty, and community members. Cyclists, adorned with national flags and banners displaying messages of progress and harmony, embarked on a well-planned route covering key locations. The rally symbolized the collective effort towards a stronger and more developed nation. Participants emphasized the importance of health, environmental sustainability, and national unity through their spirited ride. Along the route, volunteers engaged with the local community, spreading awareness about sustainable development and the role of active participation in nation-building. Refreshment stalls and medical assistance stations were set up to ensure a smooth experience for all riders. The event concluded with an address by the organizers, appreciating the dedication and enthusiasm of the participants. Awards were distributed to outstanding cyclists, and the rally left an indelible mark on the attendees, reinforcing the spirit of progress and unity. This was inspired by the vision of the Honourable Governor, Smt. Anandiben Patel.





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8.2. Cultural Events

The university organized over 32 intercollege and interuniversity events. More than 2200 students have participated in multiple competitions such as Group modeling, Cosplay, Extempore, Literary Quiz, Debate, Cartooning, Singing, Classical Dance Painting, Poster Making, Rangoli Making, Event management, *etc.* in inter college, inter and intra university competitions. Our students have won accolades and awards at almost all events, of which 48 medals/ trophies have been won in multiple national and inter university competitions held at IIT Roorkee, IIT Kanpur, Mahatma Gandhi, Kashi Vidyapeeth, Kannonwise Academy and Aadi foundation, etc. Students from Faculty of Law also participated at the 32nd Willem C. Vis. International Commercial Arbitration Moot Court held in Vienna. 5th National Moot Court competition was also organized.



Major events that were organized during the year were Asian Parliamentary Debate, Birth Anniversary of Kakori Train Action, Birth Anniversary Week of Padma Bhushan Amritlal Nagar, Looms and Weaves of India, NCC Foundation Day, 104th Foundation Day and International Alumni Meet, Centenary Celebration of Bharat Ratna Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee, National Youth Day on Swami Vivekananda Jayanti, Makar Sankranti Celebration, Unity Message at LU on International Women's Day, Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti Celebration, Basant Panchami, Balidaan Diwas, Nav Samskar, and many more.

International Yoga Day was organized on a large scale with 86085 participants across colleges. Also 11 surya namaskars were done in 15 minutes as participation in a world record attempt, initiated by the Honourable Governor of UP,







8.3. Sports Events

In the academic year 2024-25, LUAA organized 80 trial events that produced 80 University sports teams for both North Zone and All India events.

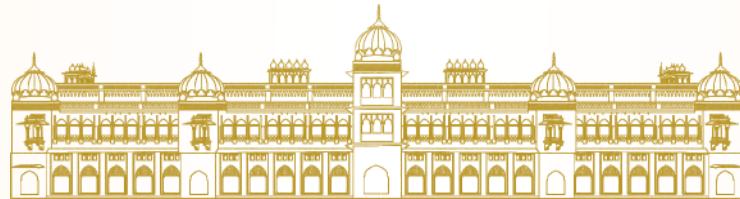
Our teams won 26 silver medals in Karate, Judo, Yoga, Weightlifting, Penchak Silat and Cricket. For the first time, our Cricket team participated in a tri-nation T-20 International Cricket Tournament in Kathmandu, Nepal and produced a Runner-up trophy in the ‘Jai Nepal T-20 Cup Cricket Tournament (Men)’ bagging a cash prize of Ten Lakh Nepali Currency in addition to 3 Man of the Match awards in the event.

Our students brought home 14 Bronze medals in Karate, Wood ball and Ice Stock.

In a major achievement our teams in Yoga, Wrestling and Rugby thereby qualifying for Khelo India – 2025-26 to be played in November 2025. 40 of our students will participate in this event in the coming months.

LUAA in conjunction with University of Lucknow organized 6 major sports events during the year including Sansad Khel Mahakumbh, Pre-Convocation sports event, State Level Tournament, Sports Day, Cycle Yatra, VC vs. Media XI Cricket, etc.





9. ICT Initiatives

University of Lucknow has taken initiatives to use technological interventions for the purpose of improving teaching - learning and evaluation processes. As envisaged under clause 23 and 24 of NEP 2020.

9.1. ICT initiatives in University Administration

9.1.1. Examination

- EASE (Electronic Access to Services of Examination) Portal started in November 2020 to facilitate issues related to examination started in Nov. 2020

9.1.2. Academic Bank of Credits

- Over, 3,82,003 students have been registered on the Academic Bank of Credits, with their credits successfully uploaded

9.1.3. Upload of Marksheets on DigiLocker

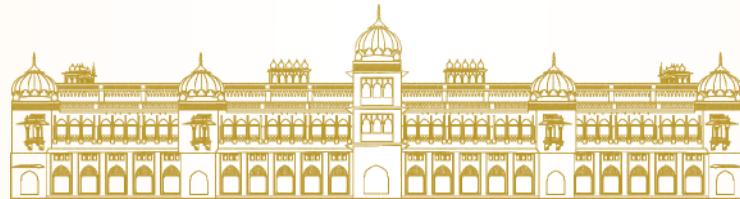
- Marksheets and degrees of more than 8.15 lac students have been uploaded on Digilocker.
- Last 10-year data has been uploaded on Digilocker.

9.1.4. SAMARTH

- In the academic session 2024-2025, the university has transitioned to SAMARTH, an initiative by the Ministry of Education.
- SAMARTH is a fully managed, cloud-based ERP system tailored to meet the university's specific needs A fully managed, cloud based, comprehensive ERP customized to its needs.

9.2. ICT enabled Communication initiatives:

- The University and all departments and institutes have a strong social media presence through their official X, YouTube, Instagram and Facebook handles.
- **Mobile App :** University has developed its own mobile app and has over 60,000 downloads
- **University's X handle @lkouniv:** The highly active university handle on Twitter as 48500+ followers, up from 1600 in 2019.
- **Youtube Channel:** University of Lucknow's own YouTube channel was launched on November 30, 2020 and currently has 25,600 Subscribers and 950,000+ views of over 347 videos.



- **Website:** University website has been refurbished and relaunched in April 2020. It has since then 15.85 crore visitors

10. Firming Financial Footing

- The Rs. 100 crore grant from the Pradhan Mantri- Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (PM-USHA) is the largest grant ever received by the university.
- This significant funding under PM-USHA, a scheme designed to improve the quality of higher education in India, will be used to enhance infrastructure, support research and development, and bolster academic programs.

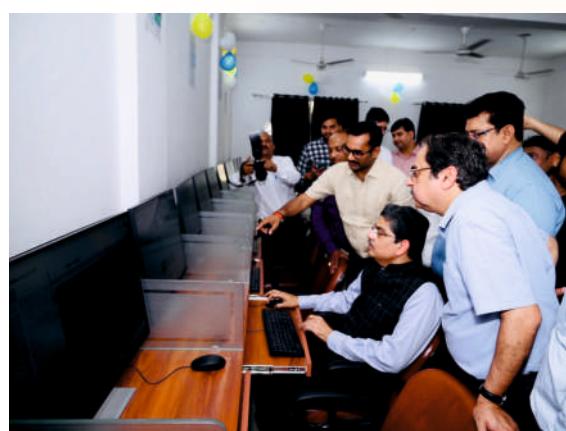
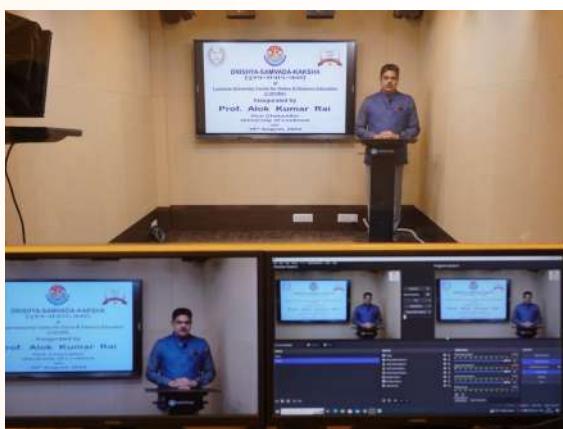
11. Strengthening Infrastructure

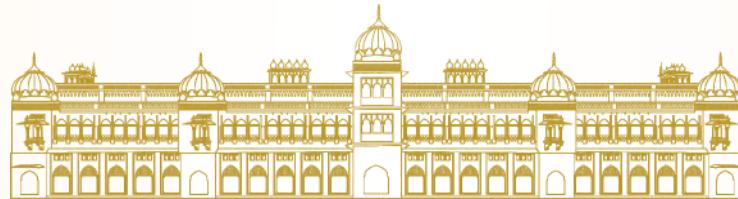
Infrastructure of HEI strengthens quality of education by providing an environment to practice the teaching-learning to an optimal level through well-designed class-rooms, labs, auditoriums, conference halls, and other facilities for holistic development of students in the campus.

11.1. Infrastructural Augmentation

Following facilities have been constructed or renovated to make them modern, contemporary and contextual.

- Construction of New Boundary at second campus
- Construction of Gates 1 and 2 at Second campus
- Construction of Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Construction of Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences auditorium
- Construction of Evaluation building "Kautilya Bhawan"
- Installation of flagpole at Second Campus.
- Gurudev Ravindra Nath Tagore installation in Tagore Library
- Establishment of Apple iMac laboratory
- Establishment of Artificial Intelligence Laboratory
- Renovation of Tagore Library
- Upgradation of class rooms
- Establishment of Central Instrumentation laboratory at ONGC
- Renovation of A.K.Saran Auditorium at Dept. of Sociology
- Upgradation of Jurist Hall to AS Moot Court Room, Faculty of Law
- Deep bore tube well installation in second campus and Kailash Hall
- 1250kva electric sub-station installation



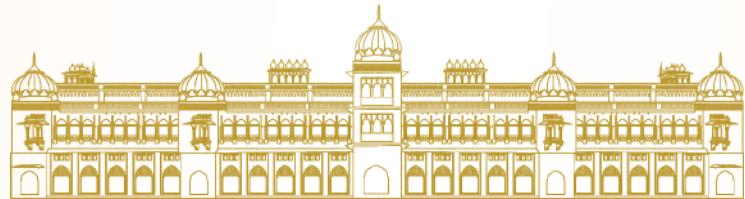


12. Strengthening Community Connect

With a mission towards building an egalitarian society by promoting economic, social, and spiritual advancement, the University of Lucknow has taken diverse initiatives to connect with the community. Students in the University come with a purpose to learn through holistic development. Building connect with the community helps the students in a mutually supportive way, by developing their sensitiveness towards the real-world issues and engaging them in activities related to community development and well-being.

12.1. Societal outreach initiatives

- Raised awareness to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse & Championing the POCSO Act with school students
- Raised voter awareness
- Raised awareness among villagers to promote government development initiatives and support their implementation, fostering inclusivity.
- Promoted solar energy adoption and provide guidance to farmers on solar energy utilization.
- Engaged with villages, particularly by enhancing collaboration with Gram Pradhans and Anganwadi workers.
- Offered legal support through initiatives like the Pro Bono Club to inmates at the District Jail, Gosainganj, villagers at village Kathwara, Gohana Kala village, and others
- Consumer sensitization programmes
- Supported children involved in Beggary
- Happiness week and Happiness Van initiated. Under this, old clothes were collected and distributed in slums
- A campaign “Unnat Bachpan-Unnat Gram, has been launched
- Children from schools in villages adopted by the University were administered oath to stay free from addiction and say no to dowry
- Padhe Vishwavidyalay Badhe Vishwavidyalay was organized among students of schools of adopted villages of Shodh Peeth
- Pro bono conclave organized by the Pro bono club
- Awareness about POSCO act amongst school students.





12.2. Public and Community Health initiatives

- A total of 04 blood donation, and lecture series on lifestyle-based diseases were organized.
- Monthly Posan Kit distribution to adopted TB patients was conducted
- Awareness campaign about PCOD and PCOS, via a series of workshops was conducted
- Under the Prime Minister's TB Free India Campaign, 12 teachers were made Niksha Mitras and 12 TB patients were adopted for nutrition.
- A hygiene camp was organized during world toilet day
- One 25 September, “Swachhta sewa sankalp Abhiyan” was initiated. Students from various departments were made “Swachhata ambassadors” who will take the cleanliness service forward.
- Oral and hand hygiene camp was organized in Kutub Pur Slum area.
- On World Asthma Day, an awareness program was organized.
- On World Social Work Day, children living in slums were honoured as Balguru, change agents of health and hygiene
- Health care camp offering free medical check ups and consultation was organized at second campus
- Distribution of ORS kits to about 1000 houses on World ORS Day





13. Rankings and accreditation

The drive for improving and attaining higher heights is with the aim of accomplishing recognition at the national and global stage for our commitment. All our above accomplishments have led to achieving and improving rankings.

Ranking	2024-2025
QS Asia University Ranking	751-800
QS South Asia University Ranking	240
QS Sustainability Rankings	69*
Times Higher Education (World)	1501+
Uni Rank (HEIs)	41*
UniRank (Universities)	16*
Scimago Institutions Rankings	104*
Webometrics Ranking of World Universities	97*
IIRF (Law)	25*
IIRF (MBA)	38*
IIRF (BBA)	22*
India Today	11*
NIRF (Universities)	98*
NIRF (Public Funded)	27*
NIRF (Law)	29*
NIRF (Management)	100*

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