



## Principal's Message



**Er. Kiran K.C.**

The foundation to any development is framed through education. The world today demands change, enhancement and advancement which can only be achieved through the quality and practicality of education, enabling individuals and societies to adapt and thrive in an ever-evolving landscape. Inclusive use of technology further reflects the pace of change in every sector. This accelerates the dissemination of information, connects people globally, and opens up new avenues for learning and growth.

LA GRANDEE offers diversity of programs inclusive of Information Technology, Management and Health Science. Besides predefined curriculum, it has emphasized more on execution of endeavors that truly empower individuals with the knowledge and skills needed to drive progress and innovation. The pedagogy and the teaching learning practices of any academic institution create its value and in these genera, LA GRANDEE excels with collaborative and hands-on practice methods. Experiencing 24 years of academic excellence, it ensures the vision towards *Shaping Minds and Nurturing Future* of students. The newsletter Volume 6 ensures the quality we deliver and the standard that we maintain.

## MoU with Nanjing University of Aeronautics & Astronautics, China

LA GRANDEE has collaborated with Nanjing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics (NUAA), China. On June 18, 2023, MoU was signed between LA GRANDEE International College and Nanjing University of Aeronautics & Astronautics. NUAA is one of the top most universities in the world which was established in 1952. The collaboration aims to promote academic cooperation, research collaboration and faculty/student exchange programs. Principal, Er. Kiran K.C. and Ms. Yuan Xiaolu, Admission Officer-NUAA jointly addressed the MoU signing ceremony while the MoU was signed by the principal of the college and the Dean, Prof. Jin Quanyuan, College of International Education, NUAA. The signing ceremony was held in auditorium hall of LA GRANDEE in presence of NUAA alumni Mr. Dipesh Regmi, the Director of WiseAdmit, along with alumni Dr. Deepanjali Shrestha who coordinated for the MoU. The collaboration will provide extension to more collaborative opportunities, further facilitating higher level education and scholarships to students and faculties.



## Certificate Course in Social Entrepreneurship

LA GRANDEE has its collaboration with NABIL Bank, one of the leading banking institution of Nepal for the certificate course in Social Entrepreneurship named Nabil School of Social Entrepreneurship. It is 3 months' course aimed towards providing social entrepreneurial skills and knowledge to the youths in community, aged between 18-50 years. The collaboration is in function since 2022.



## Best Wishes Message

Nanjing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics (NUAA), China, and La Grandee International College have embarked on a collaborative journey that promises to be incredibly beneficial for both our institutions and most importantly, our students.

Our collaboration aims to “enhance academic programs, foster research initiatives, and promote cultural exchange”. By pooling our resources, knowledge, and expertise, we are confident that we can achieve remarkable results in these areas. One of the most inspiring aspects of this collaboration is the opportunity it presents for our students. They will have access to a broader range of academic opportunities, diverse perspectives, and enriching experiences that will undoubtedly prepare them for success in our increasingly interconnected world. We are committed to open communication and transparency throughout this collaboration. Our dedicated teams from both colleges have already begun working together to ensure a seamless integration of our resources and ideas.

As we move forward, we look forward to the continued support, enthusiasm, and involvement of all members of the La Grandee International College community. Together, we can make this collaboration a resounding success and create a lasting impact on higher education.

**Prof. Jin Quanyuan**

Dean, College of International Education, NUAA



## Case Study on E-Business



As a regular curriculum activity, students of BCA 7th semester completed their case study presentation on January 31, February 1 & 2, 2023 on various e-business

domains so as to understand the real business scenario and the modern business processes through digital platform. Total of 11 groups completed their studies in different e-businesses based in Nepal as well as International market space like amazon, ebay, daraz, paypal, etc. The case study started from November 22, 2022 and all activities were completed prior to the semester end. Faculty for the course e-Business and the Principal, Er. Kiran K.C, guided and supervised the Case Study.



## Mobile Photography:

For various research work and project development, students have to take photos of clients and their visiting places. However, most students do not have access to professional cameras. Fortunately, this issue can be overcome using their mobile phones. There are many features and apps available that can help turn these mobile photos into something amazing.

On June 16, 2023, Mr. Sumit Paudel, a BCA-II semester student, conducted a training session on Mobile Photography at Seminar Hall in La Grandee. He demonstrated how to manage natural light, camera angles, professional features in a camera, and different techniques for various scenarios. 20 plus students including some faculties participated in the training.



## Internship Report Presentation:



On April 13, 2023, students of the 7th semester of BCA presented their final reports of Internship activities in presence of Devlal Timilsina as the External

Examiner. According to the curriculum of Bachelor's in Computer Application, students are required to complete a mandatory internship of at least 45 days. The internship orientation was provided by Supervisor Mr. Ramesh Chalise on November 4th, 2022. This orientation aimed to familiarize students with the importance of internships and the obligations they must fulfill during this period.

Miss Simran Shilpakar mentioned that the internship provided a glimpse of career experience, enabling them to apply their knowledge, enhance leadership abilities, and gain a competitive advantage when seeking permanent positions. Other students who completed their internships expressed that they gained real-world experience, expanded their knowledge, and received clarity about their professional direction.

A total of 29 students successfully completed their internship in 16 different companies viz. Aramba IT, Codse Tech Pvt Ltd, Encoders Inc, Everest Technologies, Insoft Research and Developer, Jamgrin Technologies, My Computer Sathi, Nepal Telecom, RKD Holding Limited, Sozo Creation, Technonation Pvt Ltd, Urja Lab, Virtual Technology, Wow Finstack Nepal, Xdezo Technology, and Zenees Solution. LA GRANDEE always acknowledges such companies and is grateful for their valuable contributions.

## Semester Projects

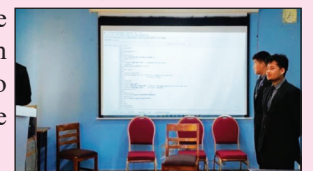
According to the curriculum of Bachelor's in Computer Application at Pokhara University, students are required to complete a total of 4 projects in the II, IV, VI, and VIII semesters. Through out the semester, students involve in different projects and platforms as per the semester courses.

**Project-I:** Students of BCA 2<sup>nd</sup> semester completed a total of 8 projects in C Programming Language. Students appeared their final presentation with demonstration on August 11, 2023 in presence of Supervisor Mr. Ramesh Chalise and External evaluator Mr. Yam Baral, Lecturer of JMC. The projects presented by the students include Image Processing, Student Record Management, Student Billing System, Quiz Game, Restaurant Food Order System, House Rental System, Typing Speed Tracker and Spa Appointment Booking.

**Project-II:** BCA 4<sup>th</sup> semester students completed a total of 12 projects in Visual Programming Language. Supervised by Er. Rishi Saran Khanal, Er. Ram Chandra Poudel Timilsina, CEO of Dynamic Tech evaluated the final presentation and demonstration of the group project on August 4, 2023. Projects demonstrated were Entrance Test System, Book Shop Management System, Flappy Box Game, Residency Management System, Library Management System, Music Class Management System, Trip Planner Application, Café Management System, Budget Management System, Grocery Store Management System, Mero School, and Clothmania.

The 6<sup>th</sup> semester and 8<sup>th</sup> semester students have completed their projects and scheduled to be demonstrated in September 2023.

Project development helps students implement their programming knowledge in real-time projects. Through this, they can learn about the development process, team collaboration, and ways to address issues that arise while working on a complete project.





## RESEARCH PROPOSAL DEFENSE

On January 30, 2023, students of BBA 6<sup>th</sup> semester presented their research proposal as part of learning activity for the course Business Research Method. Faculties Puspanjali Bhandari and Bishnu Timilsina had covered the course and assigned students to prepare proposals based on their study and field of interest. Prior to research proposal drafting, students were oriented for the proposal writing on October 14, 2022 in which students were given guidance for essential concepts and tools for preparing research proposals. Through the orientation and regular guidance from the faculties, students gained significant new insights into the logical structures and narrative pathways of persuasive arguments that are essential to effective proposal writing. During the presentation, students were found to be able to illustrate the principles for writing clear and concise research proposals.

## INTERNSHIP ORIENTATION AND DEFENSE

As per curriculum, students of BBA 7<sup>th</sup> semester completed their internship in various organizations around Pokhara inclusive of financial institutions, corporate houses and service industries for a minimum period of 45 days. After completion, students submitted their reports and presented their internship learning and experiences on February 1 and 2, 2023. Mr. Subash Malla, faculty of Pokhara University evaluated the presentation as the external. The internship orientation was conducted on October 13, 2022 and was completed by January 21, 2023. Faculty Bishnu Timilsina facilitated the orientation session. The major objective of such program is to give students the real exposure of their knowledge and understandings; making them prepared with professional skills and experiences for future. In fact, "Internship" is also the answer of a burning question BBA department organized an orientation on "Project Report Writing" for BBA VI semester day and morning shift students on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of April 2023. This orientation program was conducted by BBA program coordinator Suraj Gaudel. This program equipped them with essential skills to organize their thoughts and ideas coherently, resulting in clear and concise reports. It also enhanced their research skills as they were also taught how to gather relevant information and cite sources accurately. Moreover, orientation sessions helped students understand the importance of proper formatting, grammar, and punctuation, enabling them to create polished and professional reports. Furthermore, it fostered critical thinking, as students learn to analyze data, draw conclusions, and present logical arguments. Ultimately, orientation on report writing empowered students with a valuable skill set that will benefit them in academia and future professional endeavors.

## MEDIA PRACTICUM AND DEMO PRESS RELEASE

On May 12, 2023, students of BBA VIII semester conducted an activity "Demo Press Release" of different organizations to gain hands-on experience in the field of media and journalism. This activity was led by faculty and also the journalist Dipendra Pahari. During the session, students learnt to apply the theoretical knowledge gained in the classroom to real-world scenarios. Through practical exercises and projects, students can develop their skills and gain a deeper understanding of media practices. Engaging in media practicum and demo press release activities helps students develop a range of professional skills essential for a career in media. They learn effective communication, writing, editing, and research skills. These skills are valuable not only in journalism but also in various other professions that require strong communication abilities.

## LEARNING THROUGH OBSERVATION



Movie-based learning has emerged as a powerful educational tool, offering numerous benefits to the students. In order to make familiar with this powerful

educational tool and changing learning environment, students of BBA II semester observed movies based on human psychology. Students then made presentations based on their observation which started on May 18, 2023 and continued for some series. Faculties Dipendra Pahari and Narayan Karki evaluated the activities. We have found that visual and auditory elements used in movie support our students to learn complex concepts easily and in more memorable ways. Movies expose students to diverse perspectives, promoting cultural sensitivity and empathy. The basic objective of this activity is that movies stimulate critical thinking and analysis skills and thus Students could analyze characters, plot developments, and underlying themes, encouraging deeper comprehension and interpretation. They can also compare and contrast movies with written texts, enhancing their comprehension skills.

## A CAPTIVATING GUEST LECTURE

The Art of Storytelling in Media Top of Form  
On June 21, 2023, a guest lecture on "Art of Storytelling in Media" was delivered to the students of BBA VII day and morning shift. Guest speakers, Pom Narayan Shrestha (President of Pokhara Tourism Council) and Ramesh Paudel (Executive Director of Barahi FM) explained the techniques and importance of storytelling in the field of media. They



emphasized that in an era flooded with information, a well-crafted story stands out, embedding itself in the minds of consumers.

In the context of media, storytelling plays a pivotal role. It transforms news into compelling narratives, breathes life into marketing campaigns, and shapes the perception of brands. Whether it's a news article, a documentary, or an advertisement, a strong narrative can evoke emotions, foster empathy, and drive action. In essence, the guest lecture underscored that storytelling is the heartbeat of effective communication in media. It molds raw information into relatable, memorable, and impactful content that lingers long after it's encountered.

## ORGANIZATION VISIT

On 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023, students of BBA IV semester visited different organizations within Pokhara valley to study marketing tools used in promotional activities. Some of the organizations visited were Pokhara Oxygen Gas Pvt. Ltd., Machhapuchhere Bank Ltd., Surya Nepal, Bakeland Pvt., Ltd. and the like. This activity aimed to provide real-world exposure to the various tools and strategies employed by businesses to enhance their marketing efforts.

During the visit, students witnessed firsthand implementation of diverse marketing tools such as social media platforms, data analytics software, customer relationship management systems, and innovative advertising techniques. Interactions with the industry experts provided students with valuable insights and knowledge about the rationale behind tool selection, target audience segmentation, and campaign optimization. As remarked by students, they gained profound understanding of organizational operation, marketing strategies, human resource management and various other aspects of businesses. The entire activity was conducted under the supervision of our faculty Mr. Nikesh Karmacharya.

## DEBATE COMPETITION

On July 3, 4, and 5, students of BBA VI semester participated in a debate among peer groups on the topic "Corporate Social Responsibility(CSR)". The stage was set for an exchange of viewpoints, with participants powerfully arguing for and against CSR. Advocates for CSR highlighted its role in fostering positive social change, enhancing brand reputation, and establishing sustainable business practices. On the opposing side, students emphasized the potential financial constraints and diverted focus that CSR might pose to core business objectives.

The debate not only showcased the depth of understanding among the students but also provided a platform for improving critical thinking and persuasive communication skills. Ultimately, the CSR debate served as an intellectual exercise that

## PROJECT DEFENCE

In a remarkable showcase of academic prowess, BBA VI semester students successfully defended their project reports on August 7 and 8, 2023. This significant



milestone marked the culmination of their diligent research and hard work which was a result of their field-based study conducted throughout the semester. As per requirement of curriculum, each student completed individual research study varying from financial institutions to commercial organizations. Assistant Professor Mr. Subash Malla from Pokhara University evaluated students' defense as an external evaluator. A total of 88 students took the stage to present their meticulously prepared research reports supervised by faculty Mr. Suraj Gaudel and Mr. Amrit Paudel. These presentations not only showcased their in-depth understanding of the subject matter but also their ability to articulate and defend their findings.

## PERSONALITY & SELF AWARENESS TEST



It is crucial for students to explore their interests, passions, and goals through diverse experiences and interactions. None of the students can improve in life until they are aware of who they are. Thus, every student needs to be conscious of themselves and be able to test their own personalities. In order to make students able to test their own personality and self-awareness, our faculty Narayan Karki has conducted an activity named "How to Test Personality and Self-awareness" on June 6, 2023, for the students of BBA II and BBA III morning and day shift. This activity enabled our students to understand their own personality traits, strengths, weaknesses, and behavioral tendencies. This increased self-awareness allows students to have a better understanding of themselves, their motivations, and their reactions to different situations. Self-awareness test supports students to know themselves before knowing other. Personality Test was conducted using international standard questionnaire named "Who am I Test". Similarly, observational method was also used to test personality.

introduced a different domain of argument and choices in the corporate realm, further building confidence of expression. Overall activity was conducted under the instruction of our faculty Bijendra Sharma (day shift) and Dinesh Sharma (morning shift).



## CDHM



Students of BPH 7th Semester completed 1 month residential

field visit for Comprehensive District Health Management (CDHM) course from Jan.1-30, 2023 at Syangja, Parbat and Baglung. Throughout all the duration, students learnt the District Health Office operation and management in supervision of the head of all HO's respectively. Besides their study, they were engaged in several campaigns run



by HO and further executed MAP in between. Especially, students group in Syangja supported the HO in preparing the Annual report of Health Office-Syangja, while student groups in Parbat and Baglung carried out Waste Collection and Segmentation Campaign, and Tuberculosis Awareness Campaign respectively.

## Guest Lecture On HMIS & LMIS

June 26, 2023 - In a bid to enhance students' understanding of health management in Nepal, Harilal Acharya, the Child Health Focal Person of Pokhara Metropolitan City, delivered an enlightening guest lecture on Health Management Information System (HMIS) and Logical Management Information System (LMIS).

Mr. Acharya's presentation provided invaluable insights into Nepal's healthcare system, shedding light on the critical role of information systems in managing health services efficiently. His talk, attended by eager students, offered a comprehensive view of HMIS and LMIS, emphasizing their significance in tracking and improving healthcare delivery. This educational initiative not only

## Dissertation Proposal Writing

May 31, 2023 – students of BPH 8<sup>th</sup> semester participated in the dissertation proposal writing training facilitated by Dr. Nirmala Shrestha, Assoc. Professor of Gandaki Medical College organized on May 31, 2023 in LA GRANDEE auditorium hall.

Dr. Shrestha is a renowned expert in the field of healthcare who offered comprehensive guidance on crafting effective dissertation proposals.

The objectives of this endeavor include fostering a culture of robust research practices, refining research topics to align with current healthcare challenges, and ultimately improving the overall quality of health-related dissertations. Dr. Shrestha's expertise and dedication to this project promise to be a game-changer in the realm of health research.

Through the training students could anticipate a wealth of knowledge and support, paving the way for groundbreaking contributions to the field of healthcare. This training is a base for students to be prepared in the field of research, especially for their dissertation to be completed in 8<sup>th</sup> semester giving them knowledge about the research domains, selecting appropriate titles and methodology and finally the drafting procedure. This initiative aligns perfectly with the broader goal of fostering innovation and excellence in the medical and healthcare sectors as well



enriched students' knowledge but also promoted a better understanding of healthcare challenges and solutions in Nepal. Mr. Acharya's expertise and commitment to sharing knowledge left a lasting impression, fostering a sense of awareness and responsibility among the future leaders in healthcare management.

## Community Health Diagnosis



The Community Health Diagnosis, or CHD, one-month field residential practice of the sixth semester lasted from June 4th to July 3rd, 2023. It is a community-based, integrated, comprehensive field experience for building the skills and abilities expected of public health professionals. It also assists students in developing a preventive mindset and attitude to identify health problems based on the genuine requirements of the community and fix those problems via the execution of the Micro Health Project (MHP). The batch of 35 BPH students in 2019 was sorted into three groups: A, B, and C. The separated groups were sent to the Tanahun district for a one-month residential CHD in Wards 6 (Jaisehatiya), 7 (Kotdurbar), and 8 (Charghare), respectively. Students from each group conducted the cross-sectional descriptive study on a total sample of 400 houses. Each group was given the task of determining the health issues in their allocated wards and creating and implementing the Micro Health Project (MHP). Data were gathered using both qualitative and quantitative methods, and both SPSS and MS Excel were used for analysis. Additionally, students also carried out different health intervention programs at school and in the community. The BPH department coordinator, Mr. Keshab Raj Adhikari, observed the final community assembly in all three wards.



## Waste Incinerator Model as MHP

A Micro-Health Project (MHP) refers to a small-scale, focused, and targeted health intervention or initiative designed to address specific health issues or challenges within a community or a particular population group. These projects typically aim to identify, address, or prevent specific health problems, promote health education and awareness, or enhance healthcare services within a limited scope. MHPs are characterized by their feasibility, efficiency, and potential for creating tangible positive impacts within a relatively short time frame. It involves using local resources resourcefully. The students of BPH 6th semester (batch 2019) during the CHD activities built this non-degradable waste incinerator as a MHP. It was put in place to control improper rubbish disposal in Kotdurbar Ward No. 7 of the Rishing municipality. This incinerator for non-biodegradable waste aids in turning more trash into ash. The locals in Kotdurbar were glad and happy to use this incinerator as a proper location to dispose of non-biodegradable waste. The 3R (reduce, reuse, and recycle) Principle for proper trash management was also taught to the community members, who were instructed to separate the non-degradable waste from the recyclable waste.



## Intervention on Source of Water

Students of LA GRANDEE International college conducted drinking water source cleaning program at Rishing Rural Municipality ward-6, Jaisihatiya with the participation of 20 members on 26th July 2023. The main objective was to clean drinking water source which have been used by all the community people. Cleaning the drinking water source helps to provide pure and safe drinking water to community and thus prevents from communicable diseases and promote health. Community members actively participated and showed their great interest.



## School Health Program on Menstrual Hygiene

Menstrual hygiene refers to the practices and care taken by individuals during their health, comfort and well-being. Analyzing the current situation of young people in our country and Rishing rural municipality ward 7- Kot Durbar, Ideas for LA GRANDEE conducted School Health Program on Menstrual Hygiene on 20th June 2023 at Shree Amar Basic School, Rishing-7, Arkhalchhap, Tanahun. The main objective of the program was to promote a healthy, comfortable and empowered experiences for individuals during their menstrual cycle. More than 35 students from classes 6, 7 and 8 participated in the program. The program was facilitated by Anju Lamichhane, Anushk Ranjit, Aayusha Ghale, Deepika Baral, Jyoti Chhetri, Prajwal Baral, Prashant Pahari, Rabina Baral, Santosh Adhikari, Susan Neupane and Yamuna Patani.

# IDEAS for LA GRANDEE

## Roadside Plantation

We are proud of our students. Students from IDEAS for LA GRANDEE in coordination with IDEAS for Nepal initiated a very effective project "Roadside Plantation" proposed from 0KM to Hari Chowk, Pokhara. The project will be a unique model in the city for the roadside greenery. It is a project that will be accomplished in coordination with Ward 1, 2, 4 & 5.

The formal announcement and inauguration was done on the occasion of World Environment Day, June 5, 2023. The formal program was organized in LA GRANDEE Auditorium Hall in presence of Chief Guest Mr. Bishnu Baral-Ward

President, PMC-5, Guests Er. Kiran K.C.-Principal, LA GRANDEE, Mr. Nirmal Man Singh Bhandari, Environment Division Head-PMC, Dr. Pradish Poudel, Asia Pacific Director-IDEAS for US, Mr. Anup K.C. , Business & HR Head-Green Development Bank, and other distinguished guests, faculties and students.

The program was chaired by Ms. Sweta Silwal, President-IDEAS for LA Grandee. Project Coordinator Mr. Subin Shrestha who is also the program coordinator for IDEAS for LA GRANDEE highlighted the project concept and implementation plan while student Nisha Bharati hosted the program.





## Formation of New Tech Talk Committee

The New TechTalk Committee for 2023/24 has been formed under the chairmanship of Dammar Kadayat, the former TechTalk Coordinator. The committee was organized on April 23, 2023.

The New TechTalk Committee, consisting of 14 members, was formed and the newly selected coordinator is Ankit Poudyal from BCA 6<sup>th</sup> semester. The committee was structured in a way that ensures at least 2 members from each semester from BCA.

The TechTalk committee is responsible for organizing technical training and knowledge-sharing events both within and outside LA GRANDEE.

## Training on Version Control System (GitHub)

On April 28, 2023, the TechTalk committee organized a Version Control Training session for students of BCA II, III, IV, and VI semesters.

Ankit Poudyal from BCA VI demonstrated various aspects of version control systems and their applications. He explained the differences between Git and GitHub, demonstrated how to create a repository and push it to GitHub, outlined the steps for pushing, pulling, merging, and branching, and

addressed common issues that may arise when using GitHub in their projects.

Mr. Gaurav Ghimire from BCA – III mentioned that the training proved to be useful for their upcoming projects, as it provides valuable insights into tracking and managing changes within their software code.

## Game Development Using Js

In collaboration with Code for Change, La Grandee Tech Talk organized a program about game development using JavaScript for all interested students.

Twenty-two students from different colleges participated in a two-day workshop on the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> of May 2023 while the orientation and orientation session was conducted on 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2023

Arjun Adhikari was the presenter and gave a demonstration about game development using JavaScript on the first day, along with an application of Node.js as a server-side scripting language. He demonstrated the creation of a Flappy Bird game using JavaScript and a simple CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) application using Node.js and MongoDB.

Code for Change Pokhara is a dynamic organization of IT students dedicated to fostering a strong connection between IT students and industry professionals.

## Quality Assurance (QA) Workshop

On 24th July, 2023, Code for Change in coordination with LA GRANDEE Tech Talk and Janakari Tech organized the orientation followed by the workshop on Quality Assurance Testing on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> of July.

Sagar Gurung presented the importance of automated testing in the modern web development testing process, along with a demonstration of the different tools required and the syntax used for automated testing. More than 25 students from various colleges including LA GRANDEE participated and practically learnt the QA skills.

It was a novel and new learning experience that will be helpful in our future projects and even in fully-fledged market projects.



## Open Street Map Training



In partnership with GEO Society WRC Pokhara, the La Grandee TechTalk team successfully completed a two-days workshop on 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of May 2023 on the OSM platform for BCA IV, VI, and VIII students.

OSM is a collaborative platform free from commercial restrictions, widely used to create digital maps, increase the availability of geographical information, support disaster relief efforts, and provide a platform for innovation and development.

Students received information on how to contribute data and make edits to the map in OSM, as well as how to integrate OSM into their projects.

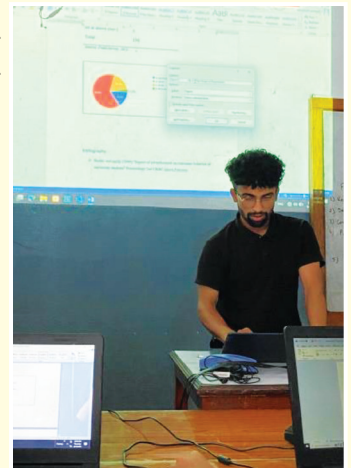


## IDEA PITCHING FOR BUSINESS STARTUP

Students at LA GRANDEE are engaged in various activities besides curriculum and one such effective activity is the Idea Pitching for Business Startup. To encourage students to start their own businesses, the BBA department in coordination with BBA students' club LA GRANDEE Biz Center conducted an orientation and workshop on "Idea Pitching for Business" with the aim of developing a business plan that students wished to pursue upon their university graduation. Students from the BBA VII semester, both morning and day shifts, participated in the event. Initially, they were provided with orientations and guidelines by the faculty members of Entrepreneurship, Bishnu Timilsina and Sudip Gurung. After a series of discussions, the students eventually formulated their own proposals and submitted them to the department. Later on January 19 and 20, 2023, BBA VII semester students pitched their Idea on different businesses.

## TECHNICAL TRAINING FOR DOCUMENTATION

Report Writing is a complex and creative process that is an essential skill logging of events, activities and for effective communication as well. It involves the refining of ideas and expression, coupled with presentation and editing. Any writing, particularly report writing, can be modeled as a recursive problem-solving process and it would remain incomplete without being proficient to computer application tools. To fulfill such aspiring needs of management students of BBA VI semester, Technical Training for Documentation was organized in coordination with LA GRANDEE Biz Center. This training was facilitated by Subin Bhandari who is one of our ex disciples from Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA) program. In the training, students were trained on the Microsoft office tools for composing, revising and editing text during report writing. Furthermore, it is also an unique example of how students in LA GRANDEE share and transfer their knowledge and skill among themselves. The program was held on 15 June 2023.



## INVESTMENT AWARENESS PROGRAM

An investment awareness program was conducted on July 6, 2023 in LA GRANDEE International College facilitated by Premier Securities Pvt. (Ltd) and Beta Analytics Pvt. Ltd. Nepal. Sanjiv Ghimire (Operation Head, Beta Analytics) and Bikram Chitrakar (Co-Founder/Research Analyst at Beta Analytics P. Ltd.) discussed on various aspects of investment and the opportunities. This program was very informative and knowledgeable to the participants that elaborated the necessity to make sensible financial decisions and create sound financial habits at a young age. Moreover, this program also supported to develop a mindset of rigorous decision-making and risk management as they learn to evaluate various investment possibilities, evaluate risks, and study market patterns. The facilitators also demonstrated the real-world financial situations, which helped students to understand the current situation of the stock market, the economy, and other investment vehicles. Nearly 80 students from different semester had participated in the program. Team of Biz Center volunteered for the program.





## EXAM DIVISION

According to the calendar of Fall 2022 and Spring 2023, Exam Department has conducted all the exam related activities with the coordination of all the departments. As per the Academic calendar of Fall 2022 the Final Assessment of BBA III to VII, BCA III to VII and BPH all was conducted from February 5 to February 15, 2023 whereas the Final Assessment of BBA I and BCA I was conducted from Feb 19, to Feb 28 and semester End Exam of Elective and Concentration Subject from February 17 to February 19, 2023. Furthermore the First Assessment of Spring 2022(23) was conducted form May 28 to June 2, 2023 whereas the Final Assessment was conducted from July 16 to July 26, 2023 and Semester End Exam was conducted from July 30 to August 1, 2023. Besides the above activities, the Exam Department has been regularly assisting the graduate students with the issuance of Transcript and Character Certificates.

## LA GRANDEE Dean's List (Batch 2017)

Pokhara University recognizes the outstanding performance of Students by felicitating them as Dean's List Students. For Dean's list, a student must attain a CGPA of 3.7 or above. Total of 11 students of 2017 batch were recognized in Dean's List in the 18<sup>th</sup> Convocation organized by Pokhara University on Feb. 20, 2023.



**Arsha Gurung (3.94)**  
BBA



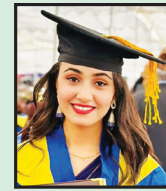
**Binita Adhikari (3.93)**  
BPH



**Kopila Manandhar (3.89)**  
BBA



**Soniya Parajuli (3.89)**  
BPH



**Sonam Jaishi (3.87)**  
BBA



**Bishow Adhikari (3.82)**  
BBA



**Mohammad Azim (3.82)**  
BBA



**Bibek Baral (3.78)**  
BPH



**Parbati K.C. (3.73)**  
BBA



**Amita Lama (3.71)**  
BBA



**Sangita Gurung (3.71)**  
BCA

## LA GRANDEE Excellence Awardees (2017 Batch)

Since 2013, student securing CGPA 3.9 or above are felicitated with the LA GRANDEE Excellence Award. Awardees of Batch 2017 are as follows

SN	Program	Name	CGPA
1	BBA	Arsha Gurung	3.94
2	BPH	Binita Adhikari	3.93

## Janak Tara Scholarship

Based on the result of previous semester, class toppers are offered Janak Tara Scholarship in each semester. On the basis of the result of Fall 2022 published by Pokhara University, the following students were offered the scholarship.

Program	S.N.	Name of the Student	Topped Semester	SGPA	
BBA	1	Samikshya Sharma	I	3.74	
	2	Jasmita Gurung	II	3.94	
	3	Samiksha Gurung	III	3.94	
	4	Yamuna Purja Magar		3.94	
	5	Pramisha Sapkota	V	4.00	
	6	Prashamsa Poudel		4.00	
	7	Swarupa Aryal (PU)		4.00	
	BBA	8	Kashish Gurung	VII	3.94
		9	Sanjeela Dharel		3.94

Program	S.N.	Name of the Student	Topped Semester	SGPA	
BCA	10	R.A.Mohan Tiwari	I	3.96	
	11	Manisha Sharma (PU)	II	3.94	
	12	Priyanka Ghimire		3.87	
	13	Bishwash Paudel (PU)	III	3.94	
	14	Sanjay Nepali		3.88	
	15	Ankit Poudyal	V	4.00	
	BBA	16	Astha Shrestha	VII	4.00
		17	Sapana Baniya		4.00
		18	Shiva Kumar Gurung		4.00
		19	Simran Shilpakar		4.00
BPH	20	Ayusha Ghale	V	3.90	
	21	Binita Lamichhane	VII	3.82	
	22	Kamana K.C.		3.82	

## Farewell Program to 2017 Batch

Farewell program to Batch 2017 students of LA GRANDEE was held in Rabi Mahal Banquet, Srijanachowk, Pokhara on December 29, 2022 in presence of college chairman, Devraj Chalise, as the chief guest. The program was organized in coordination with the 2018 batch students.

The farewell program was a nostalgic journey down memory lane, celebrating the achievements and growth of the outgoing batch. The chief guest shared inspirational words and encouraged the graduates to embark on their new journeys with confidence. All the outgoing students were felicitated with college token of memento.

The event, marked by speeches, music, and heartfelt moments, left a lasting impression, reinforcing the strong bonds within the LA GRANDEE International College family. The program was chaired by college Principal, Er. Kiran K.C. who further motivated students to become more responsible, more dedicated and be more dynamic so as to prove competency in the global market.



## Welcome Program to Batch 2022

On January 6, 2023, welcome program for the new batch students of 2022 was organized by college in coordination with the batch 2021 spring semester students. The program was held in Hotel Jal Mahal, Gharipatan, Pokhara in the chairmanship of the principal of the college. Dr. Mahananda Chalise, senator of Pokhara University, addressed the program as the Chief Guest, who delivered his inspirational speech motivating all the new comers to groom themselves to cope with the changing needs in the current era.

The welcome program was a lively affair, filled with music, fellowship, and motivational speeches. It served as an opportunity for the incoming students to become familiar with the college's vibrant community and resources. The program left a memorable imprint, setting the tone for a successful academic journey for Batch 2022.



## Graduation and Award Ceremony

On February 22, 2023 - LA GRANDEE International College organized a Graduation and Award Ceremony (Dean's & Excellence Award), honoring the remarkable achievements of the 2017 batch students. The event was conducted under the chairmanship of Principal Er. Kiran K.C.

Total of 11 Students securing CGPA 3.70 and above were recognized with the LA GRANDEE Dean's List Award while 2 students Arsha Gurung(BBA) and Binita Adhikari(BPH) securing CGPA 3.94 and 3.93 respectively were recognized with the LA GRANDEE Excellence Award. All the award winners were felicitated with certificates, trophy and appreciation cash prizes, while all other graduates were also felicitated on the occasion. The ceremony was a testament to the commitment and dedication of these high-achieving students, inspiring their peers to strive for academic greatness.

The team effort of LA GRANDEE and the leadership of principal Er. Kiran K.C. underscored the college's commitment to fostering a culture of excellence and academic accomplishment.





## Celebration on Basanta Panchami

On the occasion of Basanta Panchami on January 26, 2023 (Magh 12, 2079), Saraswati Puja was organized at LA GRANDEE. It is a festival dedicated to the Hindu goddess of knowledge, wisdom, and arts. It was celebrated with great fervor and devotion. Students, Teachers and college staff gathered to honor Saraswati Devi and seek her blessings for success and enlightenment.



## JAPANESE LANGUAGE NAT TEST

As continuation of the collaboration with Senmon Kyouiku Publishing Company Limited, Tokyo, Japan, LA GRANDEE has been hosting the Japanese Language NAT TEST since 2013. It is one of the most trusted test centers for Japanese Language in Nepal. Each year, total of 6 tests are conducted respectively in the month of February, April, June, August, October and December.



## Semester Planning & New Year Greetings Program



On April 18, 2023 (Baisakh 5, 2080), LA GRANDEE organized an interaction program among the Faculties and staff regarding the new semester planning for academic and co-curricular activities. The program was chaired by college Principal, Er. Kiran K.C., who presented the vision and planning of the college for the upcoming semester. Many faculties participated in the interaction and put forward various suggestions and shared ideas to enhance teaching learning activities. On the same occasion, all members shared new year greetings to each other as the Nepali New Year 2080 was just started.



## Nabil Center for Social Entrepreneurship

Since 2022, LA GRANDEE has collaborated with Nabil Bank Limited as Gandaki Province Center for the



NSSE (Nabil School of Social Entrepreneurship) program, which is a 3 months' certification course to develop social entrepreneurs. LA GRANDEE, as the NSSE Center for Gandaki Province, has been coordinating and designing the course activities which includes through orientation on the social entrepreneurship concept to several workshops and field visits. Experts from diverse sectors of business share and train the participants on building their own startups. The 2<sup>nd</sup> cohort has started from June 3, 2023 and shall complete by September, 2023 while the 1<sup>st</sup> cohort was conducted from June 25 to September 24, 2022. The program is run as a CSR activity of both the organizations in which any individual in the community can join the program.

All activities of NSSE can be observed through its social page <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100083253554756>







## My Experience with LA GRANDEE

Setting foot into the bustling environment of my former college, LA GRANDEE International College, marked the commencement of an enriching voyage that guided my academic trajectory and sculpted my personal development. I would never have imagined that I would be here today studying for an MBA in Canada at the University of Canada West without the help of my degree gained at LA GRANDEE. I believe that my college is a significant part of my academic success. Reminiscing about my college days, I realize that various experiences profoundly impacted my higher learning. The extra-curricular activities were more than resume boosters; they were opportunities for personal growth and development. LA GRANDEE has provided me with a quality education to achieve the position of dean list holder and college topper, along with an **Excellence Award** for my proficiency. All the teachings have positively impacted my personality development, but one thing that stands out to me is my ability to speak publicly. I will never forget

what I learned about the presentation and communication skills of the professors at LA GRANDEE International College. The internship opportunity provided me with insight into real-life work environments and the practical implications of the theories.

Looking back on my time at the college, I am grateful for the lessons I learned and the friendships I forged. They have left an indelible mark on my journey towards becoming more compassionate and conscientious. I want to thank LA GRANDEE International College for providing me with this unforgettable experience and knowledge.

As an ex-student who has walked the halls you're about to step into, I want to extend a heartfelt welcome to each and every one of you. You are about to embark on a journey that will challenge you, inspire you, and shape you in ways you can't yet imagine.

**Arsha Gurung**  
MBA, University Canada West  
(Ex-Student, BBA-Batch 2017)



Every individual and organization has social responsibilities. With the same motive, college has its CSR campaign **"LA GRANDEE for Community"** through which college has been contributing to community as social services. College in coordination with the students and clubs has been frequently organizing community based programs weather health awareness, IT and management trainings or charity programs. This is a novel initiation of college to be part of social services. Throughout this period, the entire field related and other community activities conducted by the students and college are recognized within its scope.

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