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Principal Director's Message



Dr. Swati S. Mujumdar
Principal Director,
Symbiosis Open Education Society

Dear Readers.

As we celebrated Navaratri and Saraswati Poojan at SCDL this month, the campus was filled with devotion, learning, and gratitude. These celebrations remind us of the divine connection between wisdom and progress - the very essence of Goddess Saraswati's blessings. At Symbiosis, we have always believed that true education goes beyond knowledge; it nurtures values, creativity, and character.

Our journey over the past 25 years has been guided by this vision - to create a world where learning is accessible, transformative, and lifelong.

As we invoke the Goddess of Learning, may her blessings continue to inspire us to empower minds, ignite curiosity, and lead with compassion and purpose.

Director's Message



Maj. Sonali Kadam (Retd.)
Director, Symbiosis Centre for
Distance Learning (SCDL)

Dear Readers,

This month, we had the privilege of hosting the Convocation Ceremony for Shriram Finance Limited students at the SSPU campus - a proud milestone for SCDL's corporate learning initiatives. Seeing our learners walk the stage with confidence and accomplishment reaffirmed our commitment to delivering quality, skill-based education that drives professional growth.

As we look ahead, SCDL remains dedicated to strengthening its partnerships with leading organizations and developing industry-relevant programs that empower working professionals. Together, we aim to continue our mission of transforming careers through innovation, excellence, and lifelong learning.

Alumni Spotlight

Testimonials

Choosing SCDL was an easy decision—the institute's reputation and strong brand in distance learning stood out. As a working professional, I needed flexibility without compromising on quality, and SCDL offered exactly that. The program was well-structured, transparent, and supported with timely guidance from expert faculty who patiently cleared every doubt, making the learning experience seamless.



Program: PGDSCM

The knowledge I gained has already enabled me to contribute more effectively to my organisation, applying concepts to real-world workplace challenges. While I recently completed my course in December 2021, I am confident this qualification will strengthen my career growth. I would also love to see more opportunities where alumni are connected with recruitment prospects through SCDL.

Being a part of SCDL has truly been a privilege in my professional journey. As Head of Logistics & SCM in a leading manufacturing MNC, I needed a program that could complement my demanding work schedule. SCDL stood out for the flexibility it offers to working professionals, allowing me to balance learning with responsibilities. The course content was comprehensive, well-structured, and self-explanatory, which made the concepts easy to grasp and apply.



Most importantly, the program helped me sharpen my expertise in supply chain management and broaden my perspective on industry practices. This enhanced knowledge continues to add value to my role & career growth.

Events at SCDL

Saraswati Poojan Celebration at Symbiosis Centre for Distance Learning

With divine grace and heartfelt devotion, SCDL celebrated Saraswati Poojan with great enthusiasm and reverence. The ceremony was graced by the esteemed presence of our Founder President, Dr. S. B. Mujumdar, and Dr Swati Mujumdar, Principal Director, SCDL, who led the rituals with deep spirituality and blessings.

The event witnessed active participation from our faculty, academic, and non-academic staff

— all coming together in unity and gratitude. As we worshipped Goddess Saraswati, the symbol of wisdom, learning, and creativity, we reaffirmed our commitment to the pursuit of knowledge and excellence.

May Goddess Saraswati's blessings continue to guide us toward enlightenment, innovation, and lifelong learning







Webinars and Seminars

Webinar

Career Opportunities in Guidance and Counselling

Date: 3rd September 2025

The session provided participants with valuable insights into the expanding field of guidance and counselling. Dr. Deolankar discussed essential skills, diverse career paths, and the growing need for certified counsellors in education, healthcare, and corporate sectors.



Dr. Uttara Deolankar Associate Professor, SCDL

Seminar at SCDL Campus

Analytics with Tableau

19th September 2025

Speaker: Mr. Kushal Sharma, MD, Prushal Technology Private Limited

This seminar offered hands-on learning about Data Visualization using Tableau. Participants explored transforming complex data into meaningful insights and apply analytics for effective decision-making in real-world business contexts.



Workshop at SCDL Campus

Counselling in Action – The Power of Role Play

26th September 2025

Speaker: Mr. Shounak Gokhale, Counselling Psychologist

Through interactive role plays and case discussions, the workshop demonstrated how experiential learning enhances counselling effectiveness. Participants gained practical exposure to empathybuilding, active listening, and real-time problem-solving techniques.



Corporate Events

Masterclass on Instructional Design: Empowering Modern Learning

13th September 2025

SCDL conducted a transformative Masterclass on Instructional Design that brought together experts and learners to explore the art of creating engaging and impactful learning experiences for today's workforce. Participants gained practical insights into applying proven instructional

design models, integrating Alpowered tools, and designing
learner-centric solutions that drive
motivation and productivity. The
session emphasised innovation,
personalisation, and the use of
emerging technologies to elevate
the quality of modern learning
experiences.



Corporate Events

Convocation Ceremony for Shriram Finance Limited Students

25th September 2025 | Venue: SSPU Campus, Kiwale

A proud moment for SCDL and Symbiosis Corporate Learning Solutions as we hosted the Convocation Ceremony for the graduating batch of Shriram Finance Limited students. The event began with a campus tour and felicitation of the SFL leadership team, followed by the traditional lamp-lighting ceremony.

Dr. Swati Mujumdar, Principal Director, SOES & Pro-Chancellor, SSPU, delivered the welcome address, and Mr. Hardeep Singh Tur, Executive Director, Shriram Finance Limited, inspired graduates with his words of wisdom. Certificates were conferred in an atmosphere of pride and accomplishment, concluding with a vote of thanks, a memorable group photo, and a celebratory lunch.







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