

Introduction

The Library Committee along with IQAC of SNG College, Chembur, successfully organized a one-day awareness program on the National Digital Library of India (NDLI) and NDLI Club on 23rd July, 2024. With the aim of familiarizing the college community with the vast resources and opportunities offered by NDLI, the committee sought the expertise of NDLI, IIT Kharagpur. Despite the short notice, the NDLI team graciously accepted the invitation and contributed significantly to the program's success.

Program Overview

The awareness program commenced with a formal welcome address and introduction of the resource person by Ms. Naveena Suresh, Assistant Professor and the In Charge of Library Committee. The Resource person for the same was Ms. Manali Sengupta, Senior Outreach Manager, NDLI, IIT, Kharagpur. Madam began the session by highlighting the importance of digital resources in contemporary education. Subsequently, the NDLI team (Mrs. Manali) from IIT Kharagpur delivered an insightful presentation on the following:

- **Overview of NDLI:** A comprehensive introduction to the NDLI platform, its mission, vision, and objectives.
- **NDLI Resources:** A detailed exploration of the diverse collection of e-books, journals, videos, and other digital content available on NDLI.
- **NDLI Club:** An in-depth discussion on the concept of NDLI Clubs, their benefits, and the process of establishing one at SNG College.

The presentation was followed by an interactive Q&A session where participants had the opportunity to clarify their doubts and seek guidance on utilizing NDLI effectively.

Participation and Feedback

The program garnered significant interest among students, faculty, and staff. 122 participants actively engaged in the session, demonstrating their enthusiasm for exploring the potential of NDLI. The feedback collected during the program was overwhelmingly positive, with participants expressing appreciation for the informative and engaging presentation.

Outcomes and Next Steps

The awareness program achieved its primary objective of introducing NDLI to the SNG College community. Based on the positive response, the Library Committee plans to take the following steps:

- **Establish an NDLI Club:** Form a dedicated NDLI Club at SNG College to promote the use of NDLI among students.
- **Digital Literacy Workshops:** Conduct regular workshops to enhance digital literacy skills and facilitate effective utilization of NDLI resources.
- **Collaboration with NDLI:** Maintain a strong relationship with NDLI, IIT Kharagpur, to explore opportunities for further collaboration and support.

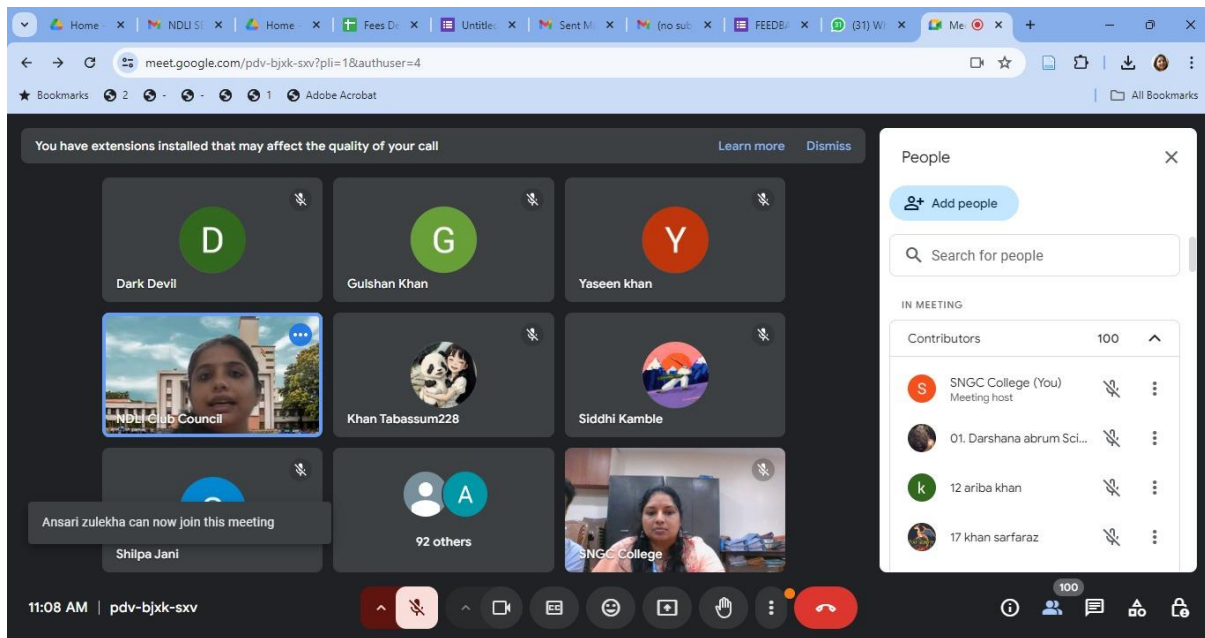
Acknowledgements

The Library Committee extends its sincere gratitude to the NDLI team from IIT Kharagpur for their invaluable contribution to the program. Mr. Priyadarshan Shede, member of the library committee delivered the vote of thanks for the session. The committee also acknowledges the support of the college authorities, IT staff and the active participation of students, faculty, and staff.

Conclusion

The NDLI awareness program proved to be a valuable initiative that has significantly enhanced the college's digital resources landscape. By leveraging the potential of NDLI, SNG College aims to create a vibrant learning environment that fosters academic excellence and research.

Photographs of the session




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NDLI Club : Benefit to Institutes

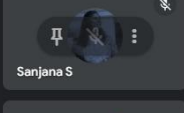
- Create a vibrant environment where students can achieve academic excellence as well as shape up their personal interests and hobbies
- Promote culture of reading and learning
- Students benefit immensely from vast online free resources in NDU
- Activity based learning is recommended in NEP 2020
- Club registration and promotion of NDU is mandated by AICTE and helps in improving NIRF ranking



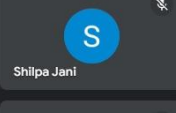
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NMEICT Projects and its Objectives

ICT Initiatives


1. SWAYAM
2. SWAYAM PRABHA
3. NDLI
4. e-PG Pathshala
5. Shodhganga
6. e-ShodhSindhu
7. e-Yantra
8. FOSSE
9. Spoken Tutorial
10. Virtual Labs
11. National Internship Portal
12. National Educational Alliance for Technology
13. SAMARTH
14. VIDWAN
15. Shodh Shuddhi (PDS)
16. Academic Bank of Credits (ABC)

What is NMEICT


The National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NMEICT) has been envisaged as a Centrally Sponsored Scheme to leverage the potential of ICT, in teaching and learning process for the benefit of all the learners in Higher Education institutions, in any time any where mode.

Three Cardinal Principles

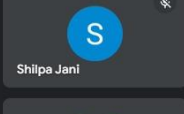
- Access - providing connectivity to all colleges and universities
- Equity - providing low cost and affordable access-cum-computing devices to students and teachers
- Quality - providing high quality e-content free of cost to all learners in the country.



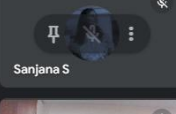
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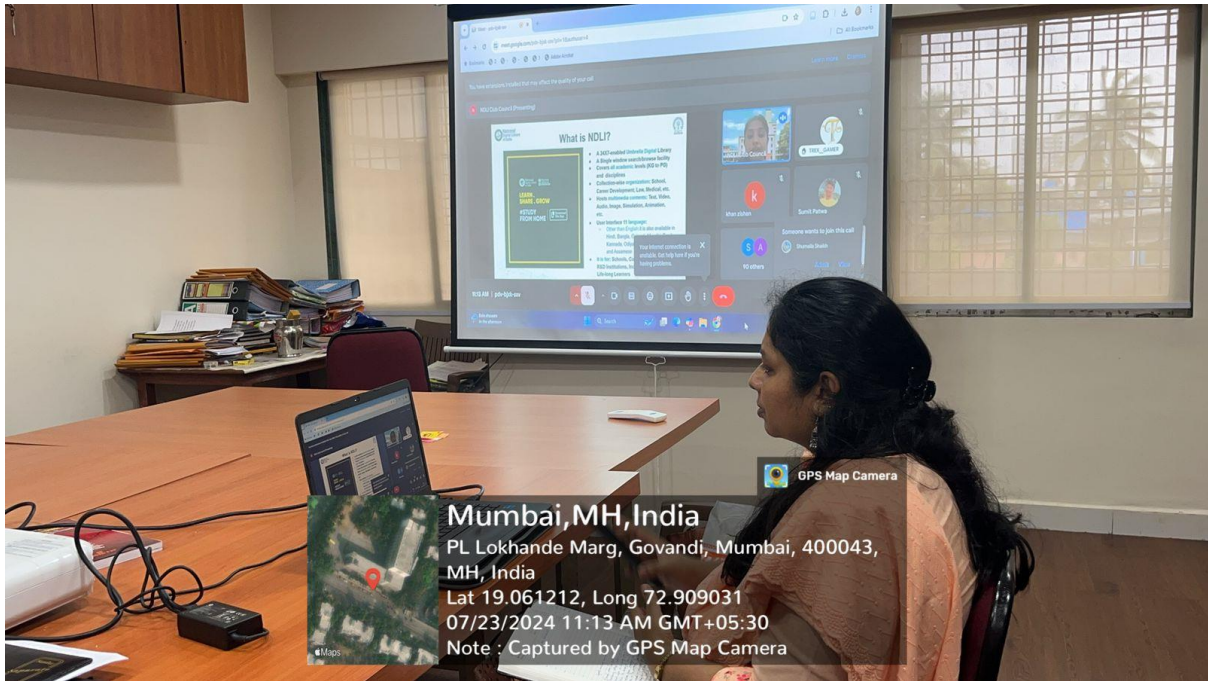


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Analysis of feedback

The session on NDLI and NDLI club awareness was extremely helpful and opened a new arena of knowledge digging for the participants. This session stood apart for the selection of the topic which indeed is the need of the day. The session has enlightened the audience regarding the vast digital reading opportunities rendered by the portal. The session was organised without any technical

glitches. The resource person Ms.Manali Sengupta deserves an applaud for the session for her in depth knowledge on the topic. Over all the conduct of the session was successful.

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