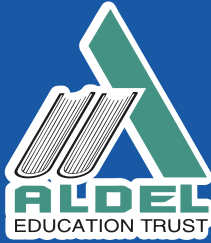
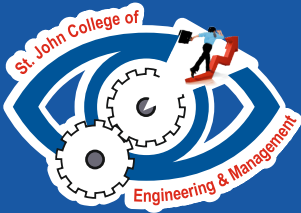


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Message from the Principal's Desk



Dr. Kamal Shah
Principal, SJCEM

Dear Readers,
Warm greetings to all!

It gives me immense pleasure to present to you the Third Edition of our Bi-monthly newsletter, a vibrant reflection of the dynamic academic and co-curricular life at SJCEM.

As an autonomous institution, we take pride in our ability to innovate, adapt, and lead with a student-centric approach. The past two months have been a testament to our collective efforts in nurturing a culture of excellence, discipline, and creativity.

This newsletter captures the spirit of SJCEM – a place where knowledge meets purpose, and education is enriched by values. I would like to extend my heartfelt appreciation to the editorial and design team for their dedicated efforts in bringing this publication to life. Your creativity and attention to detail make this newsletter not just informative, but truly inspiring.

Thank you for being an integral part of the SJCEM family. Your support, enthusiasm, and participation fuel our mission to shape responsible and capable professionals of tomorrow.

Wish you a very happy reading to all avid readers!

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ICRAMEN-2025 (5th International Conference)

A Global Platform for Innovation in Mechanical Engineering and Nanomaterials

The Department of Mechanical Engineering at St. John College of Engineering and Management (SJCEM) successfully organized the 5th International Conference on Recent Advances in Mechanical Engineering and Nano-materials (ICRAMEN-2025) on 16th–17th May 2025 at the MMS Hall, in hybrid mode. The conference witnessed enthusiastic participation, with 82 quality research papers presented by academicians, researchers, industry professionals and students from across the country and abroad.

The inaugural ceremony was graced by Dr. Santosh Rane, SPCE, Mumbai as the Chief Guest. The conference was convened by Dr. Kishor Rambhad and co-convened by Mr. Kiran Beldar who played pivotal roles in the successful execution of the event.

A major highlight of ICRAMEN-2025 was the keynote address delivered by Dr. S. A. Khan, Professor, International Islamic University Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur. His insightful session offered a global perspective on advancements in mechanical engineering and nano-technology.

The conference featured thought-provoking sessions chaired by distinguished experts:

- **Dr. Ajay Kambekar, SPCE, Mumbai**
- **Dr. Laukik Raut, GHRCE, Nagpur**
- **Dr. Srinath Gudur, VJTI, Mumbai**
- **Dr. B. B. Kori, GNDEC, Bidar**
- **Dr. R. S. Shelke, GHRCE, Nagpur**

The objective of ICRAMEN-2025 was to promote knowledge exchange, research innovation and interdisciplinary collaboration. The meticulous planning and execution of the event from call for papers and peer review to hybrid sessions and post-event dissemination exemplified academic excellence and organizational efficiency.

The conference provided a robust platform for networking, academic dialogue and professional growth. Participants expressed appreciation for the quality of discussions and the opportunity to interact with experts in the field. The peer-reviewed papers will be published in the official proceedings, further contributing to the scholarly reputation of SJCEM.

ICRAMEN-2025 concluded with a vision to continue fostering innovation and collaboration in future editions. The organizing team expressed heartfelt gratitude to all speakers, reviewers, sponsors, and volunteers whose efforts made the event a resounding success.



World Food Safety Day 2025

Spreads Awareness Through Action

In observance of World Food Safety Day 2025, the Cultural Committee of St. John College of Engineering and Management (SJCEM) organized an Awareness Program on Food Safety on 6th June 2025 at the college canteen. The initiative, conducted from 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m., saw active participation from canteen staff, faculty members, and students, all committed to promoting safer food practices on campus and beyond.

The theme of the year, "Science in Action," inspired a dynamic campaign aimed at preventing, detecting, and managing foodborne risks through education and engagement. The program was led by Mrs. Meenal Kate (In-charge), and coordinated by Mrs. Uttara Raut and Mr. Sagar Patil, with valuable support from student volunteers.

As part of the campaign, participants engaged in live demonstrations on proper food handling, storage, and hygiene methods. Informative pamphlets, infographics, and safety checklists were distributed to raise awareness not only within the campus but also in the local food ecosystem.

The initiative was amplified through social media outreach, where reels, posts, and flyers with hashtags such as #FoodSafety2025 helped spread key messages to a wider audience.

The program concluded with a post-event review and documentation of feedback for continuous improvement. The event significantly contributed to:

- Improved hygiene practices among canteen staff and students
- Awareness of global food safety protocols
- Formation of a campus-driven task force for sustained efforts

Through this initiative, SJCEM once again demonstrated its commitment to public health, participatory learning, and community responsibility, turning knowledge into action for a safer tomorrow.



A Three-Day Faculty Development Program (FDP) Empowering Educators

The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of St. John College of Engineering and Management (SJCEM) successfully conducted a Three-Day Faculty Development Program (FDP) titled "Smart Assessments with OBE Approach, Project-Based Learning and IPR" from 12th to 14th June 2025, at Lab 1, A Wing, Fourth Floor. The offline workshop saw the participation of over 70 faculty members, with enriching sessions by national-level resource persons.

The FDP was coordinated by Ms. Janhvi Sangoi and Ms. Rosy Pradhan, who ensured smooth execution of all sessions and hands-on activities. The prime focus of the program was to:

- Enhance assessment quality using Outcome-Based Education (OBE) principles
- Build familiarity with QnSmart examination software
- Introduce TRIZ tools for problem-solving through Project-Based Learning (PBL)
- Foster research culture via literature review and patent filing processes

Distinguished speakers who led the sessions included:

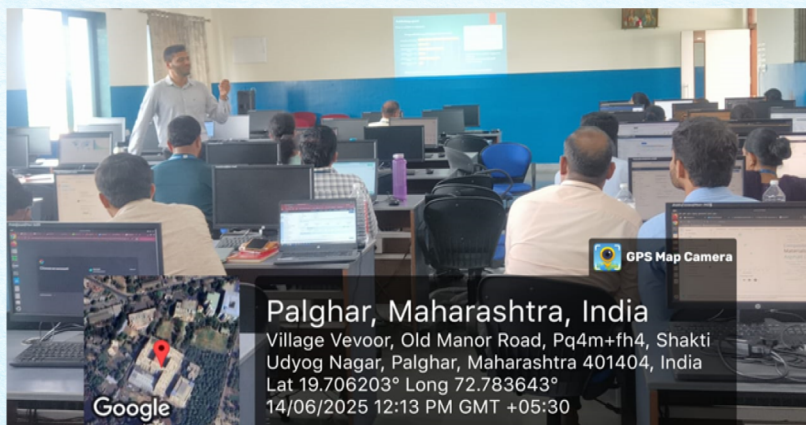
Dr. Mendus Jacob – MD & CEO, ipsr solutions ltd.; Director, Valin Technologies

Dr. Evans Cutinho – Dean R&D, SJTC

Dr. Purushothama Chippar – Professor, Vice Principal, and Dean R&D, SJEC Mangaluru

The program featured expert talks, interactive presentations, and hands-on training, allowing participants to engage in real-time practice and reflection. Faculty members gained practical insights into RBT-based question framing, innovation in project-based assessments, and IPR awareness.

The FDP concluded with the feedback by Dr. Eknath Patil and Mrs. Shilpa Katre gave a highly positive note with participants expressing satisfaction and readiness to incorporate modern assessment and research practices into their academic roles. The initiative reflects SJCEM's commitment to continuous faculty development, academic excellence, and innovation-driven pedagogy.



Mechanical Engineering Department Conducts Induction Program for 5th Semester Students

The Department of Mechanical Engineering at St. John College of Engineering and Management (SJCEM) organized a focused Induction Program for its 3rd Year (5th Semester) students on Tuesday, 17th June 2025, in Classroom B-10. The session was conducted offline, with the enthusiastic participation of 32 students.

The program was led by Mr. Swapnil Chitnis, the Activity In-charge and Coordinator, under the guidance of Dr. Kishor Rambhad, Head of the Department, who also served as the resource person for the session.

In his address, Dr. Rambhad conducted an interactive orientation session using a PowerPoint presentation to walk students through essential academic components such as:

- Semester syllabus and scheme
- Examination and internal assessment patterns
- Attendance policies and academic calendar
- Institutional code of conduct and disciplinary norms

Students were encouraged to ask questions in a discussion-based format, promoting clarity and confidence. The program not only helped students grasp academic guidelines and expectations but also supported their emotional and psychological transition into higher semesters.

By the end of the session, students expressed a deeper understanding of their responsibilities and a stronger sense of belonging to the department. The event effectively laid the groundwork for student engagement, academic preparedness, and a positive start to the new academic phase.



International Yoga Day Celebrated with Enthusiasm

The NSS Cell of St. John College of Engineering and Management (SJCEM) marked the International Day of Yoga on 21st June 2025, with a vibrant offline celebration under the global theme "Yoga for One Earth, One Health". Held in the Main Auditorium, the event witnessed active participation from 98 attendees, including 81 students and 17 Senior faculty members.

The celebration aimed to promote holistic health and raise awareness about the physical, mental, and environmental benefits of yoga. The session began with a warm welcome and introductory remarks by the NSS Programme Officer, followed by a theme address highlighting the connection between yoga, health, and sustainable living.

The highlight of the event was a practical demonstration by the experienced team from Shri Ambika Yogashram – Mr. Kamlakar Gharat, Mrs. Sangam Bhoir, and Mr. Ramakant Bhoir. They guided participants through key asanas, pranayama techniques, and mindful breathing exercises. Participants engaged enthusiastically in the guided practice session, making the event not only educational but also energizing.

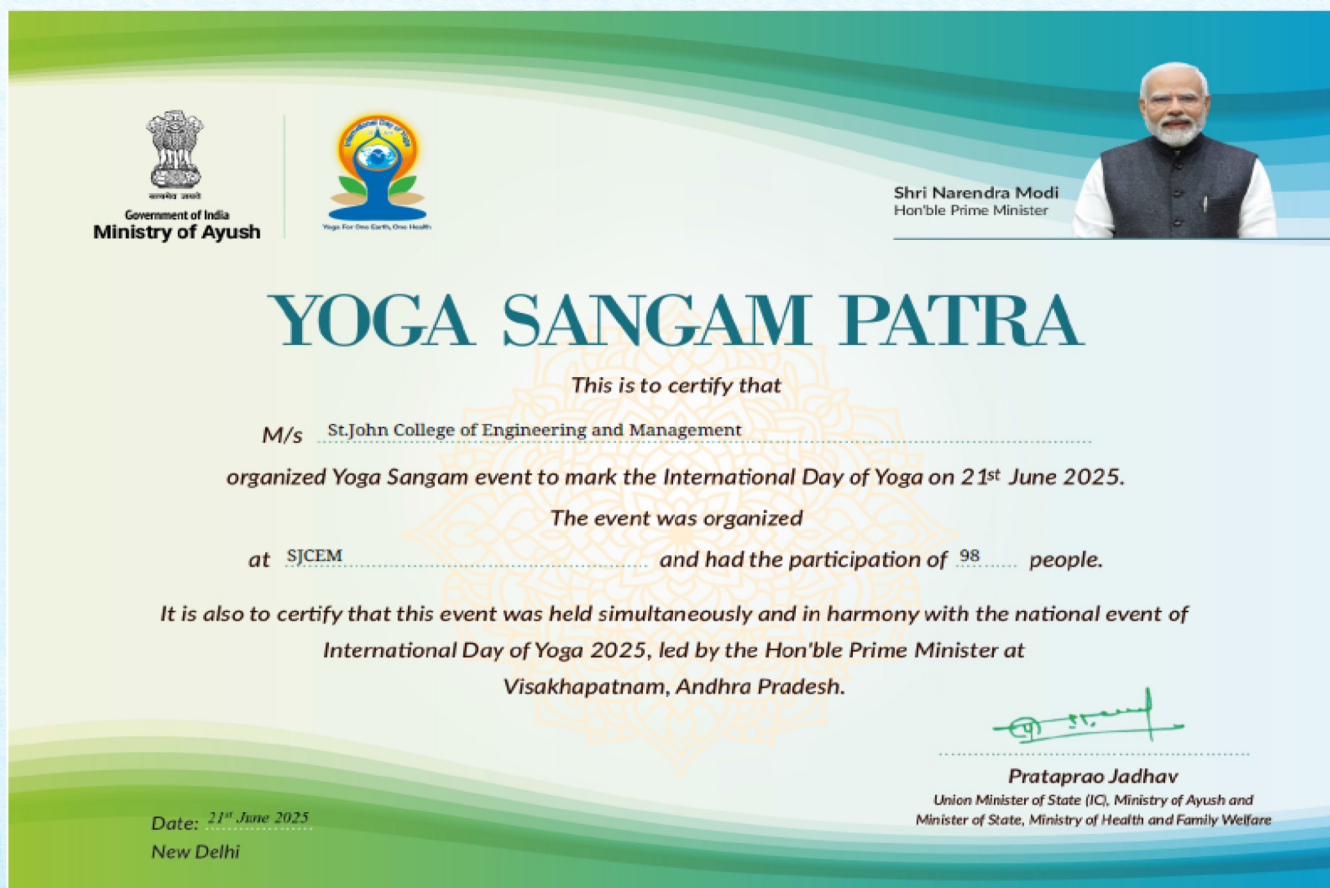
An interactive Q&A session allowed students and faculty to deepen their understanding of yoga's relevance in today's fast-paced world, particularly in aligning personal well-being with environmental harmony.

The event concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by the student coordinator, appreciating the efforts of the organizers and the resource team.

Key Outcomes:

- Enhanced understanding of yoga's role in promoting personal and planetary health.
- Active engagement of the audience in all segments of the session.
- Overwhelmingly positive feedback from attendees on the clarity, effectiveness, and relevance of the session.

The event was successfully coordinated and managed by Mr. Shubham Nanal and Mrs. Juily Tarade, who served as both the Activity In-Charge and Coordinators.





Observes World Social Media Awareness Day with Engaging Campaign

To mark World Social Media Awareness Day, the Cultural Committee of St. John College of Engineering and Management (SJCEM) organized a compelling Awareness Program on 25th June 2025, from 1:15 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. at the A Wing Quadrangle. The offline session witnessed the active participation of Second, Third, and Final Year students from all engineering branches.

The program was led by Mrs. Meenal Kate (In-charge), and coordinated by Mrs. Subhasini Shukla and Mr. Sagar Patil, with strong support from faculty and student volunteers.

The campaign revolved around the thought-provoking theme: "Your Digital Footprint is Forever – Walk Wisely", aiming to sensitize students to the responsible and secure use of social media platforms.

Key highlights of the event included:

- Live demonstrations on managing privacy settings and identifying misinformation
- Street plays/skits addressing issues like cyberbullying, honey traps, fraud scams, and digital addiction
- Posters, infographics, and checklists promoting cyber hygiene, mental wellness, and data privacy

The campaign also extended to digital platforms, with students creating YouTube Shorts and circulating WhatsApp flyers under hashtags like #SafeSocial2025 and #DigitalHygiene, increasing reach and engagement.

The program had a meaningful impact by:

- Raising awareness about safe social media practices
- Enhancing understanding of digital threats such as phishing and fake news
- Promoting privacy-conscious and mentally healthy online behavior

Through this initiative, SJCEM reaffirms its commitment to shaping digitally aware, responsible, and resilient citizens of the digital age.




St. John Polytechnic Earns Prestigious Remark from MSBTE

We are delighted to announce that St. John College of Engineering and Management – Polytechnic has received a “Very Good / Good” rating in the External Academic Monitoring conducted by MSBTE for the academic year 2024–25.

This commendable recognition is a reflection of our institute's unwavering commitment to academic excellence, quality technical education, and continuous improvement. Congratulations to the entire Polytechnic team—faculty, staff, and students—for this proud achievement!

Department-Wise Highlights are as follows:



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2	CO	Computer Engineering	Very Good
3	IT	Information Technology	Very Good
4	CE	Civill Engineering	Good

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St. John Polytechnic Students Shine in MSBTE Summer Exam -2025

We are pleased to announce the outstanding performance of St. John Polytechnic students in the MSBTE Summer Examination 2025. Our students have achieved excellent results across various disciplines, reflecting their hard work, dedication, and the unwavering support of our faculty.




This academic success is a testament to the quality of education and the student-centric learning environment at St. John Polytechnic. Congratulations to all the achievers—your success makes us proud!

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DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING
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Rank 1	Rank 2	Rank 3
		
Ms. KUNJAL PRAJAPATI Percentage: 90.78 %	Mr. ADI SHAPARIA Percentage: 82.56%	Mr. KUMAR MANE Percentage: 80.78 %

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Ms. Shubhra Gharat Percentage: 88.94 %	Ms. Khushi Pawar Percentage: 88.12 %	Mr. Nachiket Thakor Percentage: 86.35 %

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DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
TOPPERS FOR FIRST YEAR (A.Y. 2024-25)

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Mr. Suchit Gandhe Percentage: 85.53 %	Ms. Krisha Patel Percentage: 83.65 %	Mr. Rajesh Das Percentage: 83.41 %

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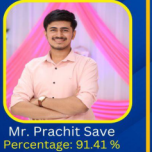
DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
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Mr. Sarvesh Namdeo Percentage: 83.44 %	Mr. Shivam Chavhan Percentage: 78.89 %	Mr. Mithil Kurle Percentage: 69.11 %

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Rank 1	Rank 2	Rank 3	Rank 4
			
Mr. Pranjal Y. Save Percentage: 94.12 %	Ms. Kadambari R. Ganore Percentage: 92.47 %	Mr. Sarvesh S. Dixit Percentage: 91.41 %	Mr. Prachit Save Percentage: 91.41 %

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Mr. Gopinath Muthukaruppan Percentage: 84.44 %	Mr. Luvkush Gupta Percentage: 81.33 %	Mr. Harsh Khedekar Percentage: 80.11 %

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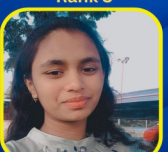
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Mr. SAISH KOYANDE Percentage: 79.11 %	Mr. YASH MORE Percentage: 75 %	Ms. SARA SANKHE Percentage: 73.89 %

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Ms. Diya Patil Percentage: 88.24 %	Ms. Tanvi Turwatkar Percentage: 84.59 %	Ms. Swara Gandhe Percentage: 84.12 %

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Mr. Vedant Marathe Percentage: 85.87 %	Mr. Smit Kadu Percentage: 85.33 %	Mr. Aryan Patil Percentage: 77.78 %

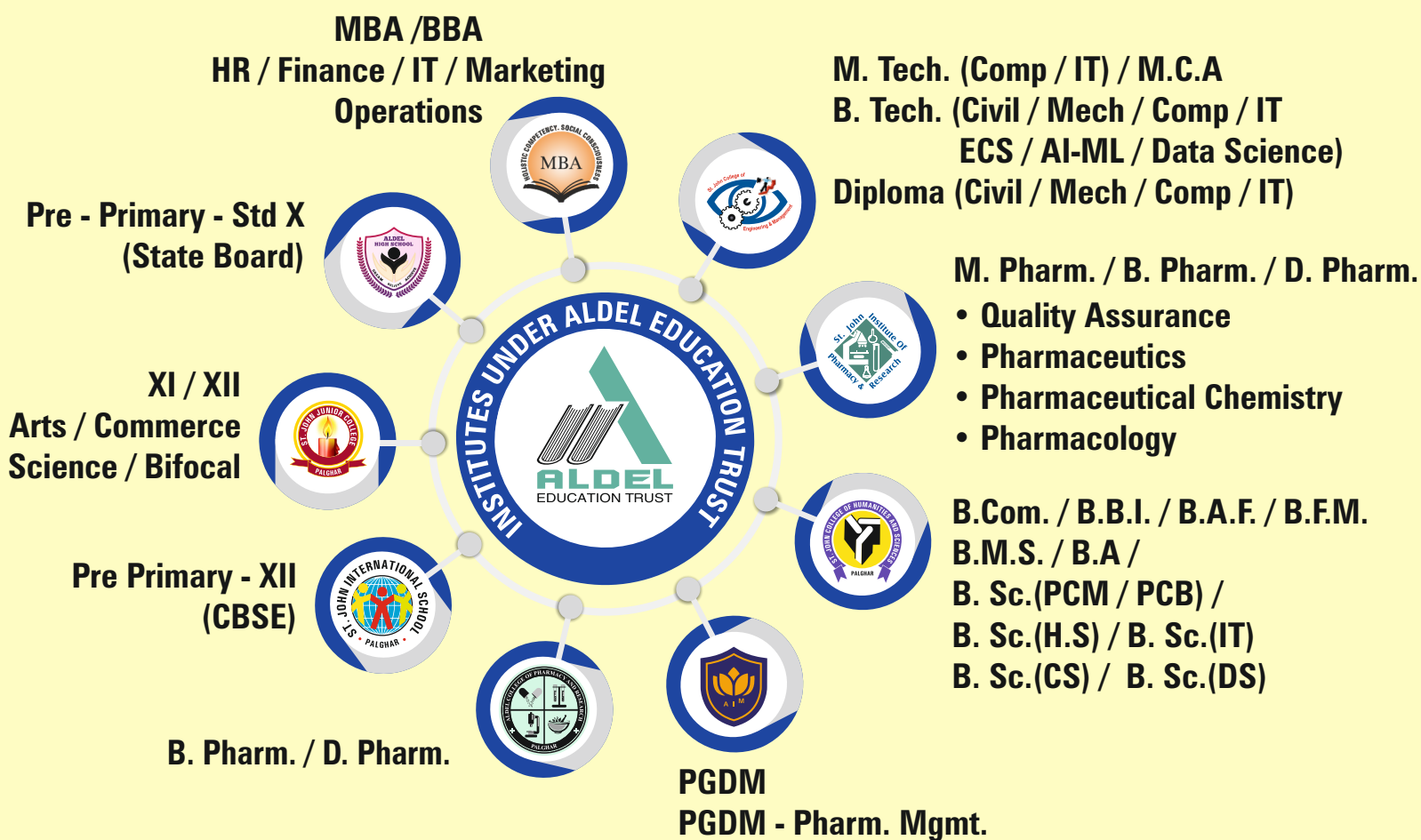
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Mr. ASHUTOSH SATVI Percentage: 85.37 %	Ms. NANDINI BHANUSHALI Percentage: 79.79 %	Mr. UTKARSH PATIL Percentage: 79.21 %



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