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## Educational events hosted at the university and open to external participation

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**Public educational events and participation**

Amity University Maharashtra, Mumbai hosted educational events during 2025 that were open to external participation. Public-facing lectures, cultural learning events and exhibitions created opportunities to learn about cinema, animation, international education, scientific inquiry and tourism.

The six events presented here took place within the university campus. They combined subject presentations, discussions with specialists, educational displays and opportunities for interaction. The activities extended learning beyond formal degree teaching and enabled external members of the public to enquire about participation.

**Educational purpose**

The film festival and animation celebration brought cultural expression and visual storytelling into a shared learning setting. The language-school seminars explained higher education pathways and cultural preparation for studying overseas. The inaugural colloquium encouraged scientific curiosity, while the tourism conclave examined changes in tourism practice and the relationship between education and industry.

Each event section presents the date, campus venue, organiser, educational content and original photographs.

**Culture Cinema Film Festival C2F2**

29-31 October 2025
University Auditorium | Amity Film School and Amity School of Communication.

Freely accessible.

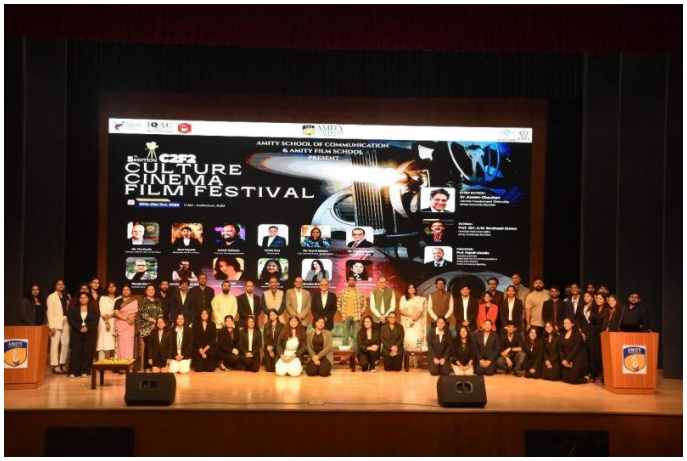
Amity Film School hosted the Culture Cinema Film Festival as a campus-based educational programme exploring global cultures through cinema. The event records 450 undergraduate and postgraduate students and research scholars. The event was also open to external participation.

Film screenings, interactions with filmmakers, masterclasses and discussions introduced audiences to cultural narratives, folklore, artistic expression and the role of cinema in preserving cultural heritage. The programme connected the viewing of films with conversations about storytelling and filmmaking.

The report names participating experts including Mr. Praveen Nagda, Mr. Akul Tripathi, Major (Retired) Ashok Kaul, Mr. Munjal B. Shroff and Ms. Rupali Saxena. Their involvement provided opportunities to discuss creative work with practitioners. As an educational cultural event held in the university auditorium, the festival supported learning through screenings and dialogue.




*Photograph 1. On-stage conversation during the Culture Cinema Film Festival.*




*Photograph 2. Participants and guests at the university-hosted C2F2 festival.*

**World Animation Day**

19-20 November 2025
University Atrium | Amity School of Communication and Amity Film School.

Freely accessible.

The World Animation Day celebration provided a campus setting for learning about animation as a cultural and creative medium. The event records approximately 450 undergraduate and postgraduate students and 18 faculty members. External participation was permitted.

The event introduced contemporary animation practices and the relationship between technical knowledge and artistic expression. Mr. Sathish Narayanan, Senior Advisor, IICT, Government of India, was the featured expert. Reported learning themes included global trends in 3D character creation and workflows used in international projects.

The accompanying photographs document an exhibition of creative work, interaction around the displays and an expert presentation. These activities enabled audiences to encounter animation through both explanation and visual examples. The educational exhibition and discussion form the focus of this entry.



*Photograph 3. Interaction around the animation displays during the campus exhibition.*




*Photograph 4. Expert presentation during the World Animation Day programme.*

**Bonjour France Step into Your Future**

19 September 2025
Seminar Hall | Amity School of Languages.

Freely accessible.

Amity School of Languages organised a seminar to explain higher education opportunities in France, scholarships, internships, exchange programmes and Indo-French academic collaboration. The event records 120 foreign-language students from across Amity University Maharashtra. The seminar was also open to external participation.

Ms. Urjita Jaisinghani, Campus France Manager, Mumbai, delivered the session. Ms. Sophie Henquinet, Attaché for Cooperation in French Language (West India), Embassy of France/French Institute in India, also visited and interacted with the faculty.

The educational content addressed study options, fees at French public and private universities, accommodation support, social security and navigation of the Campus France website. The session gave attendees a setting to learn about international study pathways and seek clarification from representatives familiar with the French higher education system.




*Photograph 5. Campus France representatives address the seminar audience.*



*Photograph 6. Audience participation in the Bonjour France seminar.*

**National Education Day**

Der Deutsche Weg Campus und Karriere | 18 November 2025
Seminar Hall | Amity School of Languages.

Freely accessible.

Amity School of Languages marked National Education Day with a seminar on education and career pathways in Germany. The programme was open to external participation. The source report records approximately 120 foreign-language students, with undergraduate and postgraduate learners among the audience.

Mr. Gaurav Shinde and Ms. Sayali Yadav, co-founders of Edulx Overseas, shared perspectives informed by their study and professional experience in Germany. The seminar covered the higher education system, university applications, academic documents, language requirements, visa-related financial documentation, scholarship opportunities and student life.

Cultural performances and skits accompanied the academic discussion. The programme connected practical education guidance with cultural awareness, helping attendees understand both application preparation and adjustment to a different learning environment.




*Photograph 7. Speaker presentation on education and career pathways in Germany.*



*Photograph 8. Audience at the National Education Day seminar.*

**The Origin of Origins**

8 September 2025
Auditorium, A1 Block | Amity Institute of Pharmacy

Freely accessible.

Amity Institute of Pharmacy inaugurated its Faculty Colloquium with a keynote lecture titled The Origin of Origins. The event took place in the university auditorium and recorded 400 attendees overall. There was participation by faculty and students from the Science and Technology domain as well. The event was open to external participation.

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) A. W. Santhosh Kumar delivered the inaugural lecture. The talk explored the foundations of knowledge and academic inquiry, the origins of ideas and discoveries, and connections between disciplines. It encouraged curiosity-driven research and reflection on how knowledge develops.

An interactive Q&A session gave participants the opportunity to engage with the speaker. The lecture provided an educational forum for scientific reflection and interdisciplinary discussion beyond routine classroom teaching.




*Photograph 9. The keynote lecture on The Origin of Origins.*



*Photograph 10. Audience in the university auditorium during the colloquium.*

**Tourism Industry Academia Conclave**

Transforming Tourism Industry and Academic Perspectives
9 October 2025 | Multipurpose Hall | Amity Institute of Travel and Tourism

Freely accessible.

Amity Institute of Travel and Tourism organised a conclave to examine changes in tourism and strengthen dialogue between academia and industry. The event was held in the campus Multipurpose Hall and was open to external participation. The event records approximately 50 attendees, including students and faculty from AITT and the CII School of Logistics.

The invited speakers included Mr. Sundesh Nayak, Director, Rainbow World Tours, Mumbai, and Mr. Saurabh Jhureley, Chief Engineer, Anglo Eastern Ship Management. Dr. Bivek Datta, Head of AITT, and Mr. Mohamed Adil Dalvi, Head of the CII School of Logistics, were also part of the programme.

The discussion addressed technology-enabled tourism, digital bookings, smart destinations, sustainable and regenerative tourism, and changing skills in the sector. Its educational purpose was to connect academic understanding with practitioner perspectives on tourism transformation. The conclave offered a forum for learning and discussion rather than a degree course.



*Photograph 11. The Tourism Industry Academia Conclave in the campus Multipurpose Hall.*