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## Two Day Workshop on “India 2030: Innovate, Integrate, Inspire – The Path to Achieving SDGs”

**26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2025**

**Organized by**

**Department of Commerce  
Corporate Secretaryship  
Accounting & Finance  
Faculty of Science and Humanities  
SRM Institute of Science and Technology  
Kattankulathur - 603203.**

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**VENUE OF THE WORKSHOP  
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**SRM Nagar, Potheri, Kattankulathur -603203. Chengalpattu, Chennai- Tamil Nadu**



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Ranked 10<sup>th</sup> University



(2024) World Ranking  
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(2024) World Ranking  
one among 54 Indian Universities



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(2023) World Ranking  
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one among 38 Indian Universities



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one among 4 Indian Universities

## SRM Institute of Science and Technology

**A**bout the Institution: SRM IST is one of the top ranking universities in India with over 50,000 students and 3,200 faculty members, offering a wide range of undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral programs in Engineering, Management, Medicine and Health sciences and Science and Humanities. It has established itself as a premier centre for teaching, research and industrial, consultancy in the country. It has world class infrastructure including smart classrooms, hi-tech labs, advanced instruments and equipments, research laboratories, modern library and Wi-Fi facility. SRM IST is Accredited by NAAC with A + + grade in 2024.

## Faculty of Science and Humanities

The Faculty of Science and Humanities at SRM Institute of Science and Technology (SRMIST), established in 2004, has seen remarkable growth, establishing itself as a center for holistic and well-rounded education. With nearly 7500+ students and 200+ faculty members, the college offers a nurturing academic environment designed to foster both intellectual and personal growth.

The college houses 24 departments, offering a total of 53 programs: 31 undergraduate, 20 postgraduate, 2 diploma programs, and several PhD programs. These programs cover a wide array of disciplines, providing students with diverse opportunities for academic exploration and professional development.

### **Multicultural Environment**

The Faculty of Science and Humanities attracts students from all over India as well as international students from regions like South Asia, East Asia, and Africa. This diverse student body creates a rich, multicultural learning environment, offering exposure to various perspectives and cultures. The global atmosphere helps prepare students for international careers and collaborations.

SRMIST provides semester-abroad programs for students to study at partner universities around the world. Additionally, faculty exchange programs allow teachers to gain international experience, bringing back valuable insights that enhance the quality of education.

### **Focus on Research and Innovation**

Research is a key priority at the College of Science and Humanities. Students and faculty alike are encouraged to engage in innovative research across disciplines. The college's PhD programs emphasize high-quality research in a range of fields, while faculty-led research projects further contribute to the academic community.

Regular seminars, conferences, and workshops offer platforms for students and faculty to showcase their work and collaborate with industry and academic partners.

## Department of Commerce, CS & AF

The Department of Commerce at SRM Institute of Science and Technology (SRMIST) has played a significant role in the growth and success of the Faculty of Science and Humanities. Established over a decade ago with just 21 students in 2005, the department has witnessed tremendous growth, now accommodating over 1815 students enrolled in various commerce programs. These programs include B.Com (General, AF, CS, CA, FT, ISM, IAF, & PA), M.Com General, Accounting & Finance and PhD Programmes.

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## **Distinctive Learning Approach**

A unique aspect of the department's educational philosophy is its emphasis on all-inclusive development. Students are encouraged to engage in co-curricular activities alongside academics to develop their personal and professional skills. The department organizes industrial visits to various institutions, allowing students to gain firsthand experience of industry operations and practical applications of their coursework.

In addition, the Merx-Mercis student association plays a central role in creating a vibrant learning environment. This association hosts a wide range of clubs and events aimed at showcasing the talents and skills of students. Beyond the classroom, Key events include: "Firmen Finanza" – A symposium that brings together industry experts, academicians, and students to discuss emerging trends in finance and corporate governance. "Merchant Matrix Club" – A platform for students to engage in business management events, helping them develop practical skills like decision-making, teamwork, and leadership. "Talentina" – An annual event that provides a stage for students to showcase their talents and skills in various business-related competitions, fostering creativity and innovation.

## **About the Workshop**

India's commitment to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) reflects its determination to achieve inclusive and sustainable development by 2030. The SDGs encompass a wide range of objectives, including eradicating poverty, ensuring quality education, promoting gender equality, combating climate change, and fostering innovation. In the Indian context, achieving these goals requires a collaborative effort that integrates technological advancements, policy reforms, and grassroots initiatives. This two-day workshop, titled "Innovate, Integrate, and Inspire: Achieving SDGs in India by 2030," aims to bring together experts, policymakers, academicians, and community leaders to deliberate on innovative solutions and integrated approaches for addressing the country's unique socio-economic challenges. Through knowledge-sharing and interdisciplinary dialogues, the workshop seeks to inspire actionable strategies that accelerate progress toward a sustainable and equitable future for all.

### **Objectives of the Workshop**

1. To Investigate Innovative Solutions: Promote dialogues on advanced technology, optimal practices, and transdisciplinary strategies for tackling India's obstacles in attaining Sustainable Development Goals(SDGs).
2. To Promote Collaborative Action: Establish a platform for stakeholders from all sectors to exchange insights, cooperate, and formulate practical plans for sustainable development by 2030.

### **Theme of the Workshop**

1. Innovation for Sustainable Development
2. Collaborative Partnerships for Achieving SDGs
3. Financing Sustainable Development
4. Empowering Communities for Localized Solutions
5. Climate Action and Resilience
6. Education and Capacity Building for SDGs
7. Policy and Governance for SDGs

### **Contribution of the Workshop Outcome to the Existing Body of Social Science Research/Policy Relevance**

The results of this workshop will substantially enhance the current literature of social science research by offering unique interdisciplinary frameworks to tackle India's SDG concerns. It will connect theory and practice, providing essential insights into how creativity, cooperation, and community-driven solutions may promote sustainable development. The workshop will provide evidence-based methodologies and contextually relevant ways to support policy formation, assisting investigations. The conference will enhance an inclusive and sustainable policy framework while bolstering community involvement in India's SDG initiative. policymakers at national, state, and local levels. Additionally, it will emphasize nascent research domains and advocate for the incorporation of technology, financial frameworks, and local government within social science

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### Registration Fees

- **Industry Professionals** Rs. 750
- **Academicians** Rs. 500
- **Research Scholars** Rs. 300
- **UG & PG Students** Rs. 200
- **Participation Certificate and kit will be provided to registered participants.**
- **Accommodation will be provided to the participants on payment basis.**

### PAYMENT DETAILS

Bank Name	City Union Bank (SRM Extension counter)
Branch Code	117
A/C Type	CUB Savings Account
Account No.	500101013732378
A/C Name	SRMIST-FSHKTR EVENTS
IFSC Code	CIUB0000117

Payment to be made through online or through demand draft in favour of 'SRMIST' payable at Chennai.

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