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The official Information Technology Services Newsletter for Forman Christian College (A Chartered University)

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Dr. Gloria Calib

Dear Colleagues,

In today's world, technology has become an integral part of Higher Education. The traditional landscape of higher education and learning processes are consistently challenged to adopt the modern and rapidly improving technologies. At FCCU the American model of Liberal Arts Education is fully embraced. Our processes and program offerings are consistent with those offered in U.S institutions of Higher Education. As a university we have made this remarkable journey in a short span of time i.e. since denationalization in 2003. In our success story, ITS has played a key role by proactively maintaining the technological infrastructure.Under the able leadership of Mr. Anthony Richards, as one of the biggest teams on the campus, ITS is working successfully in collaboration with several of the Academic and Administrative Units. ITS team is providing robust academic and student support services to ensure student success. Through Moodle learning management system, smart class rooms, maintaining software applications & databases the academic vision of FCCU is fully supported. Please join me in thanking CIO and his dedicated team for all that they have done for our University.

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FCCU Commencement Ceremony 2019

The FCCU commencement is held in November each year, to honor the graduating class. This is a very prestigious event, commemorating an important milestone in our students' academic journey.

To make the event even more memorable for students, Information Technology Services Office organized Marching Orders and live view of the event on large LEDs. The Marching Orders system displayed names along with a picture and a memorable quote from students on LEDs as they were called on stage to receive the degrees.

In addition, the Information Technology Services Office also organized a live streaming session for:
1. Ensuring a better view of the stage while students received their awards and degrees
2. Making long distance participation easy. To access the recorded commencement session please CLICK HERE

FCCU Commencement 2019 was held on 30th November, 2019 and was organized to honor our graduates for achieving a vital milestone in their lives. We wish them best of luck for their future endeavours

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▶ Recent Happennings in ITS

Moodle Training Sessions

Training Session for Faculty

The training was conducted for the faculty on usage of Moodle and its activities and resources. The session was conducted by Shakir Gill, Senior Manager IT Business Analyst, ITS, in collaboration with CLT. The training sessions were held on 14th October, 2019 and 18th November, 2019.

Using Turnitin on Moodle for Faculty

The training was conducted for the FCCU faculty on utlizing the feature of Turnitin assignments on FCCU Moodle. The session was conducted by Raheel Robson, Software Developer, ITS, in collaboration with CLT. The training session was held on 27th November, 2019 at the Centre of Learning and Teaching.

FCCU Badminton Tournament 2019

Every year, a Badminton Tournament is organized for FCCU administrative staff. We are glad that this year Shahid Gill, IT Support Engineer, from ITS Office has attained 3rd position in the tournament. It is the fourth year that Shahid Gill has attained a position in top three spots in the annual Badminton Tournament.

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Living Legends and Unsung Heroes of FCCU

This year, Forman Education Society, honored people from FCCU community that have made major contributions in the University. These people have worked according to the core values of FCCU and served and live by the FCCU motto, "By Love Serve One Another".

They were acknowledged for their devotion to excellence in education and creating an exemplary environment for students, staff and faculty.

It is our proud privilege that Mr. Anthony Richards, CIO, ITS Office was also honored with this worthy award.

The event was organized by Forman Education Society on 20th November, 2019. This was a great time for students to honor their mentors and unsung heroes on one platform

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SAARC CCI's Boot Camp For Startups

SAARC Chamber of Commerce and Industry Startup Boot Camp in collaboration with Plan9 was held on 26th and 27th October, 2019. The focus of the bootcamp was strengthening startup ecosystems in South Asia. The event was organized for innovative entrepreneurs of Pakistan who have been in the industry for at least a year. Shakir Khurshid Gill, Senior Manager IT Business Analyst, ITS Office, was invited as a mentor and guest speaker on the event. His topic for the workshop was "Business Analytics and Decision Making" At the end of his session he was presented by a memento by Salman Amin, Director Entrepreneurship, PITB.

Outstanding Customer Services Award 2019

ITS Office congratulates Shahid Gill, IT Support Engineer, for being awarded with the "Outstanding Customer Services Award 2019". Shahid Gill's dedicated services have always been appreciated by the FCCU community. Plus Shahid Gill has been instrumental for the ITS Office in performing excellent customer service and working beyond expectations. Shahid Gill has worked with the ITS Office for the past 8 years and has been consistently demonstrating the core values of FCCU. Shahid Gill has always been dedicated, commited, and eager to help out alumni, faculty, staff, and students, depicting true example of the FCCU motto "By Love Serve One Another".

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IT Services

Wifi on the Go!

ITS WILL HELP YOU STAY CONNECTED
when away from FCCU campus

The ITS Office issues hot-spot devices that allow you to stay connected while you are away from campus.

Loanable Laptops!

Require a laptop urgently!
ITS will assist you

The ITS issues loanable laptops in case you require to use it on campus.

Live Streaming Services

Propogate your event by utilizing the live streaming facility offered by the ITS Office

WANT YOUR EVENT LIVE STREAMED TO INCLUDE AUDIENCES OFF CAMPUS AND AROUND THE WORLD? CONTACT ITS!

For more information in regard to availing the above mentioned services please contact on EXT: 250 or send us an email at samrashahid@fccollege.edu.pk or morasundus@fccollege.edu.pk
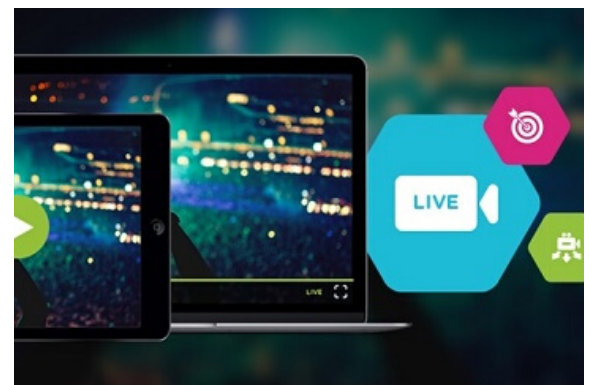
"The ITS Office is always passionate to support FCCU's stakeholders. We believe and follow the motto, "BY LOVE SERVE ONE ANOTHER" Please let us know how can we support you".

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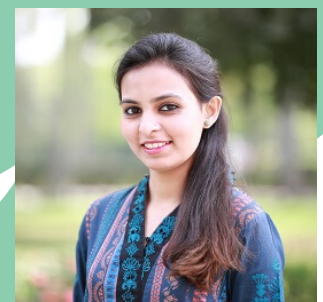**Chief Information Officer**

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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

John 3:16

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life."