

Activities during the year 2020-21

I International PHD Seminar with Varna University of Management, Bulgaria (7th - 10th Sept 2020)
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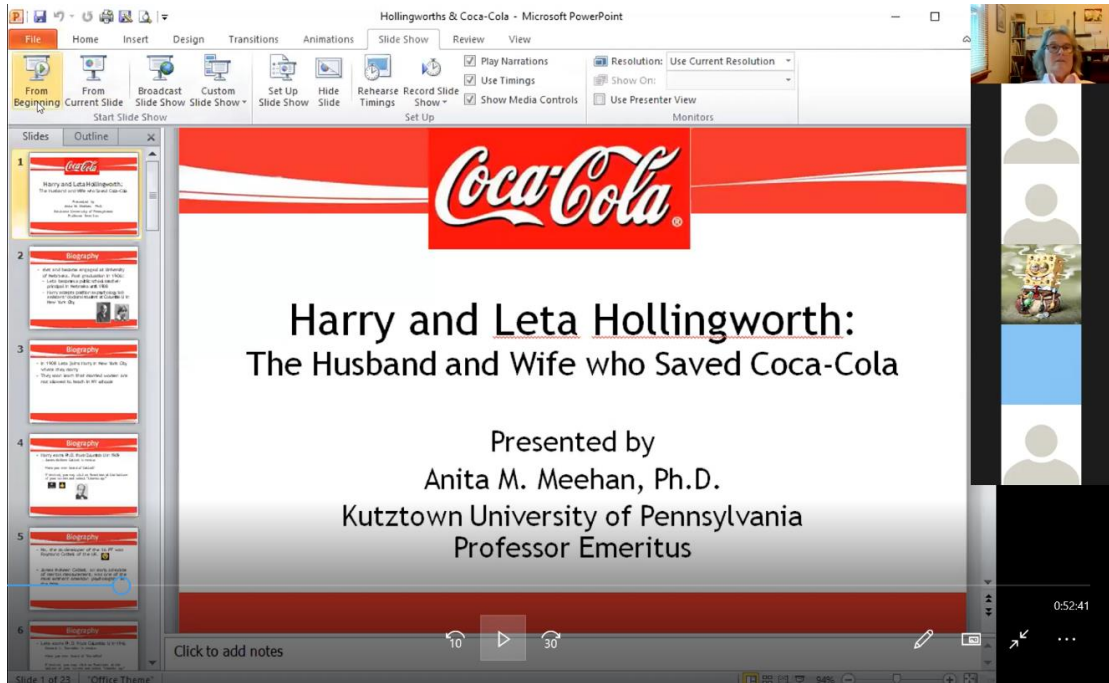
II The following students were selected for the winter session of Semester Exchange Programme under Erasmus Plus 2020-21 to Hildesheim University, Germany

- a) Sanyukta Milind Shrotri FYBA Div :G
- b) Siddharth Keshan SYBA Div :G
- c) Noopur Patil SYBCom Div :F
- d) Janhavi Rathod FYBA :G



III Department of Psychology presented a talk on 2nd December 2020, 6.30pm via zoom link by Anita Meehan, Professor Emeritus, PhD Kutztown University, Pennsylvania, USA PA Director for Penn HUB, PA-India Higher Education Initiative

The talk was titled: “ Harry & Leta Hollingworth: The husband and wife who saved Coca-Cola “ and was attended by 100 psychology students



- IV For a second time in a row a joint online learning endeavour is being carried out in the winter term of 2020-21 by Symbiosis College of Arts & Commerce Pune and the Institute of Information Science and Language Technology at the University of Hildesheim, Germany. The purpose of the learning scenario is to foster intercultural learning and information literacy and will run through the months from November to early February. The current batch consists of 14 students from Symbiosis & 8 students from Hildesheim.

Intercultural perspectives on information literacy

A transnational online course in winter term 2020/2021

Who should participate?

Graduate students who are eager to learn about topics related to information literacy in an intercultural learning scenario

Course content and schedule

November 2020: Warming up on Basics of Scientific Literacy
Building a common ground with regard to academic work

December/January 2020: Collaborative knowledge construction
Exploring specific research questions in transnational groups

1. Information behavior in Corona times
2. "What I believe is sandy soil": How to correct cognitive errors to promote an open mind (Confirmation bias)
3. What one needs for privacy literacy and how to achieve it
4. When and how to overcome convenience in web search
5. Why CRAAP should not be the focus of information literacy instruction ... and many more

End of January 2020: Knowledge sharing
Sharing the group's knowledge with the "world" on an online conference

Learning requirements

- ☐ Most important, be curious and open minded
- ☐ A substantial time commitment is expected
- ☐ Not superficial talking is desired but scientific work is demanded
- ☐ Your communication should always be authentic and respectful

Think about these four points. If you say „Yes I can check them all“, you are ready to take part. Do not miss this opportunity to work with international students online and to engage in scientific research and discussion related to information literacy.

Signing up



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A report on the execution of the first joint endeavour (2019-20) was published in the quarterly e-magazine of the Symbiosis Centre for European Studies (SCES) & Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE) called SymbiosiseXpressIntlEd (October 2020 edition)

The theme of the magazine was '*Advancing Internationalisation through Blended Learning*' and the title of the article which got published was "Learning intercultural aspects of information literacy: A Report of a joint learning endeavour of students from Hildesheim and Pune"

Batch of Indian students (2019-20)



