



SOMAIYA
VIDYAVIHAR UNIVERSITY



Somaiya School of Humanities
and Social Sciences

Somaiya School of Civilisation Studies

Freedom of Possibilities to Build Your Future



Admissions 2026

<p>1st Private University of Mumbai</p>	<p>Semester Abroad US, UK, Europe No Additional Tuition Fee</p>	<p>24 Majors, Minors, Honours Programmes</p>	
<p>8 Decades of Educational Legacy</p>	<p>50 Acre Campus in Mumbai</p>	<p>20 Sport Courts</p>	
<p>UGC Approved</p>	<p>40,000 Alumni</p>	<p>₹ 8.5 lakh/yr Highest Salary</p>	<p>NAAC 'A' Accredited 2025</p>

Placements Highlights

150+
Recruiters

450+
Offers

₹ 8.5 lakh/yr
Highest Salary

200+
Corporate and Research Internships

Marquee Recruiters



Noteworthy Placements

You can
be here

Your journey to a thriving
career starts here at
Somaiya Vidyavihar
University (SVU)



Utkarsha Joshi
BCCI



Shreya Saini
Forbes Advisor



Sudhanshu Pawar
Fortress Infracon



Priya Singh
BCCI



Anushka Mishra
Jio Hotstar



Anushka Trivedi
StarsNStripes



Jinesh Chabhadia
Middy Infomedia limited



Madhura Kale
VML



Bhavya Jain
Praja Foundation



Khushi Salian
Praja Foundation



Anisha Naikwadi
Jio Hotstar

Convocation 2025



Semester Abroad Option (US, UK, and Europe)

No Additional Tuition Fee



56th Rank in Western Europe University Rankings



Nainaz Pithawala



Samyukta Rao



Vandit Gandhi



Rianika Shetty



Tanmay Raj Singh



Nayonika Sur



Leading University in Austria



Ritika Agrawal



Mahek Patel



Krish Shah



Riddhi Holkar



Helly Praful Gala



Abhishek Jain



Leading University in Germany



Ura Dwivedi



Vyakhya Tripathi



Heer



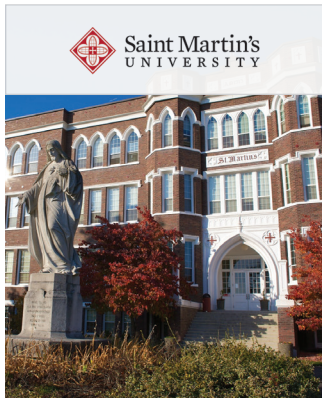
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Vaibhav Vedpathak

Semester Abroad Option (US, UK, and Europe)

No Additional Tuition Fee



11th Ranked Best Value University, West Region, USA



Yugadya Dubey



Arnav Neel



Yashvi Nagda



Kimaya Mhatre



Leading University of Belgium, Europe



Riya Patel



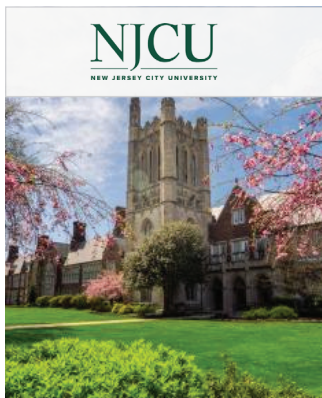
Bhakti Thamke



Dhruv Chaudhari



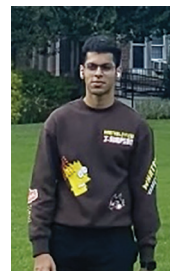
Adwita Gokhe



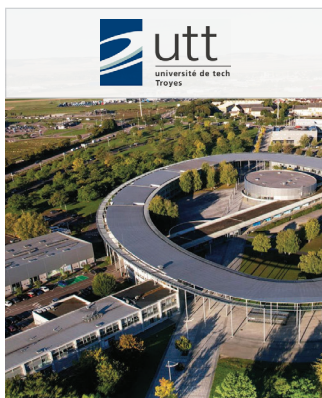
52nd Ranked Public University, North Region, USA



Anand Majeri



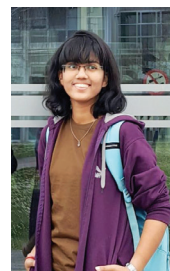
Hitendra Uniyal



145th in Western Europe University Rankings



Tejas Thakre



Sneha Lanjekar



Siddhesh Khadapkar

SVU KJSCE Alumni – Our Pride

Fly high with the Global Alumni Network

40000+
Global Alumni
Network

60+
Countries

1000+
Companies

100+
Start-ups



2013
Aviraj Ajekar
Director
Microsoft Azure



2014
Dhawal Chotani
Vice President
Morgan Stanley



2015
**Gayatri Ganesh
Dudhat**
Vice President
Goldman Sachs



2013
Jyotika Kapur
Associate Principal -
GenAI, Google



2001
Kedar Bhole
Director
Engineering
Qualcomm



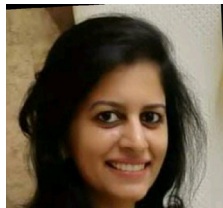
2006
Sunil Agrawal
Associate Director
PwC India



2000
Prateek Mehta
Director Cloud
Solutions Architect
Microsoft



2005
Omkar Rajadhyaksha
Director, Spotify



2004
Charlotte Pinto
Vice President,
Bank of America



2005
Alhad Palkar
Software Engineer
Manager, Apple



2007
Rachna Madapurath
Engineering
Google - Google Map



2010
Manasi Joshi
Para Athlete Badminton
Player (Worlds No 1 - SL 3
Category)



2000
Shobhit Kanaujia
Infrastructure Leadership
Meta



2018
Parth Mehta
Quality Engineer at Tesla

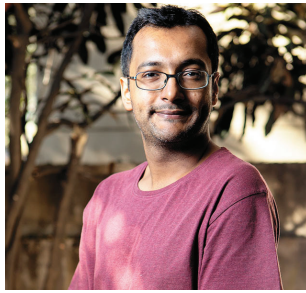


2008
Aditi Parekh
Product Lead
Google



2013
Shyam Vora
Associate Director
Novartis

Marquee Start-ups



2004
Kabeer Biswas
Co-founder



Reliance and Google backed startup, has raised a total funding of \$498Mn over 28 rounds



2010
Dharmil Sheth
Co-founder



The most promising startups in the digital health sector, valued at \$2.8Bn



2015
Bhavya Gohil
Co-founder & CEO



SQUARE OFF™

Building toys & games enabled with robotics & AI. Popular for the world's smartest chess board, eyeing \$100Mn revenue



2015
Amit Shah
Co-founder



Promising Edtech platform, has raised ₹ 5.25Cr



2015
Krupalu Mehta
Founder

PARALLAX

VR, AR & MR Content development company, 2nd Best AR start-up of India



2015
Mandar Sawant
Co-founder



2018
Chirag Shah
Co-founder and CEO



Selected amongst Top 3 start-ups for Innovative Hardware Solutions in India by Qualcomm Design

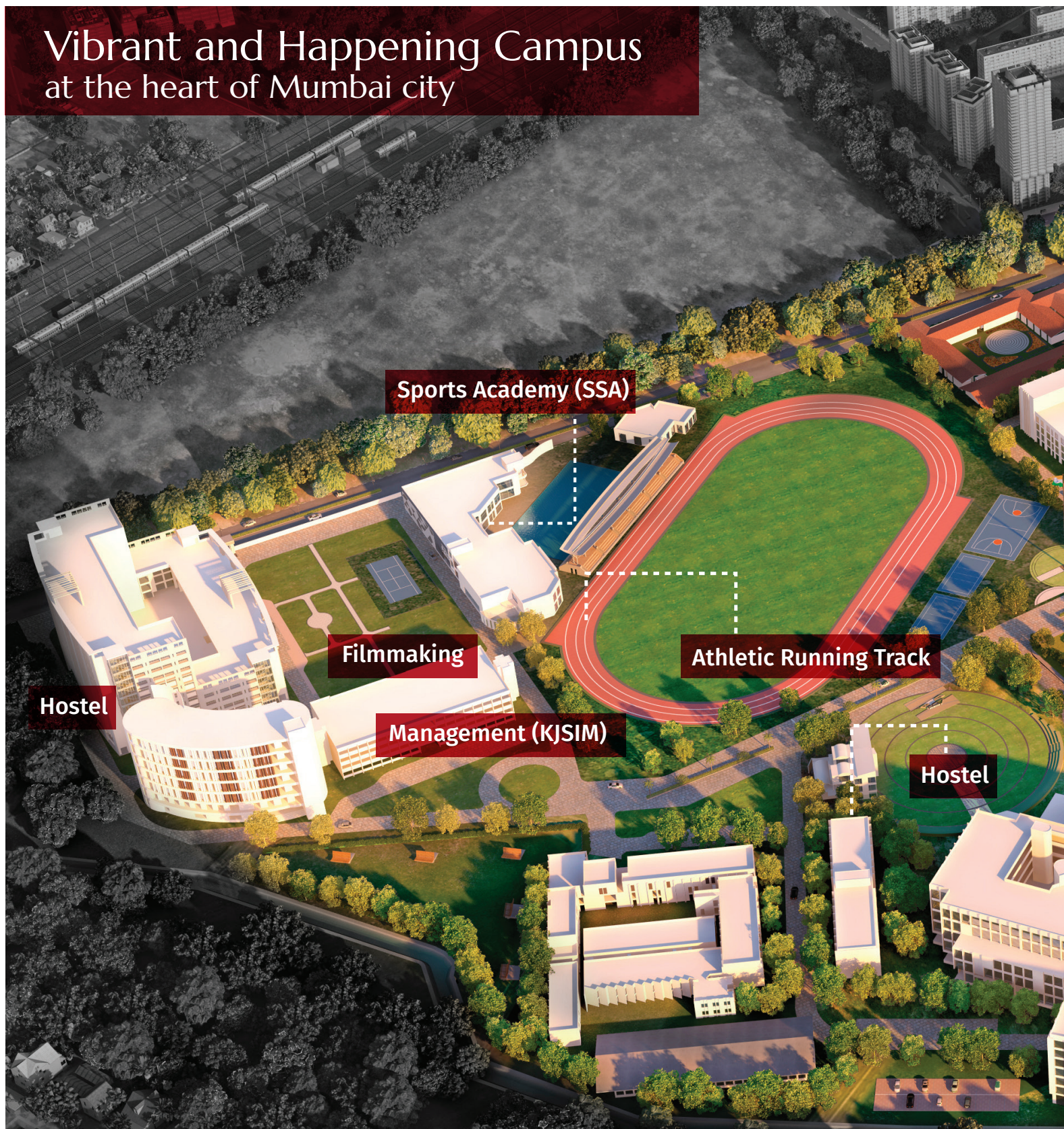


1999
Sachin Joshi
Co-founder & COO, Zerodor (Ekam Eco Solutions)



India's best plant-based drink brand

Vibrant and Happening Campus at the heart of Mumbai city



Sports Academy (SSA)

Filmaking

Athletic Running Track

Hostel

Management (KJSIM)

Hostel

Live - Learn - Thrive

Celebrate life by experiencing a diverse environment of people! At Somaiya, we make sure students from all cultural backgrounds feel at home. The diversity of the students prepares you to make the world a better place. No matter what your culture is, Somaiya is committed to give you the best environment for your studies.



4 Hostels



11 Dining
Options



20
Libraries



20
Acres Sports &
Recreational Area



6 Clubs like Journal Club,
SancharManch, Developer Cell,
Kaizen Club, Business Club, IIEC, etc

Music | Design Studies | Research

Arts & Commerce

Fine Arts

Yogshastra, Ancient History & Dharma Studies (KJSIDS)

Engineering (KJSSE)

Education (KJSSED)

riidl (Incubator Center)

Basic & Applied Sciences

Department of Library & information Science

Events by students, for students like



BioScope Annual Event



Film Workshop



Legal Journalism Workshop



Moot Court



Donation Drive



Anahat Podcast



Aura 23-24

Programme Structure



4 Programmes
with Honours option.



20+ Multidisciplinary Elective
from Design, Management,
Literature, Sports, Civilisation and
Dharma Studies.



8 weeks Industry Internship
with Leading Corporates for UG like
Asian Paints, Pidilite, etc.



Build Your Start-up
riidl - SVU Incubator.



Media Room and Dubbing Room.



Vibrant and Happening Campus:
Immersive Campus Life
to develop life skills.



**Upto 100% Merit Scholarships &
Financial Aid:** ₹ 25 cr corpus.



Library & E-Resources:
Access to 2 lakh books and
digital publications.



Full Semester Internship
with leading corporates for
PG Programmes.



**15 Computer, Life Sciences,
Polymer Science Labs.**



Semester Abroad Option
No Additional Tuition Fees
US / UK / Europe



**International Level Coaching
in 12 Sports.**



Inclusive Education with attention
to specially abled students.



Softwares Taught:
NSMART - Simulated Market
Trading Application,
IBM SPSS - Data Analytics,
Adobe - Design Training,
ChemDraw - Draw Molecule Structure,
OriginLab - Data Analysis & Graphing

Say No to Ragging – A Criminal Offense

Ragging does not break the ice; it breaks careers, lives, and families. To prevent this menace, UGC has strict regulations against ragging in all forms - physical, mental or emotional. Any act of teasing, harassment, bullying, or exclusion based on identity, appearance, or background is punishable.

If you face or witness ragging, seek help:

- National Anti-ragging Helpline: 1800-180-5522 (24x7, Toll-Free)
- Email: helpline@antiragging.in
- Websites: www.ugc.ac.in | www.antiragging.in
- UGC Monitoring Agency: 098711 70303 / 098184 00116 (For Emergencies Only)

Somaiya Vidyavihar University Anti-ragging Committee is committed to a safe and inclusive campus. For any concerns email: antiragging.svu@somaiya.edu

Student can opt for

3 year UG Degree

4 choices from
Humanities & Social Sciences

OR

4 years UG Degree with Honours

4 choices from
Humanities & Social Sciences

Minor Courses Available

- Banking
- Financial Markets
- Marketing
- Finance
- Taxation
- Accounting
- Management
- Mass Communication
- Data Science and Analytics
- Economics
- Psychology

UG Programmes

Selection Through Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test (SVUET)

Humanities and Social Sciences Programme	Fee Structure per annum
BA Mass Communication & Journalism / Honours	₹ 1,65,000
BSc Psychology / Honours	₹ 2,50,000

Eligibility:

Passed Std XII or equivalent examination in Arts / Commerce / Science from a recognised board with a minimum aggregate score of 55%, with English as a compulsory subject.

Selection Process:

Basis the merit of std XII aggregate score OR Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test (SVUET) OR CUET UG 2026. Appearing for SVUET Entrance exam is optional.

Selection on the Basis of Std XII Aggregate Score or CUET

Humanities and Social Sciences Programme	Fee Structure per annum
BSc Economics / Honours	₹ 2,20,000

Eligibility:

Passed Std XII or equivalent examination in Arts / Commerce / Science from a recognised board with a minimum aggregate score of 50%, with English as a compulsory subject.

Selection Process:

Basis the merit of std XII aggregate score OR Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test (SVUET) OR CUET UG 2026. Appearing for SVUET Entrance exam is optional.

Humanities and Social Sciences Programme	Fee Structure per annum
BA Liberal Arts (Specialisation in Anthropology, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Area Studies, and Literature)	₹ 3,25,000

Eligibility:

Passed Std XII or equivalent examination in Arts / Commerce / Science from a recognised board with a minimum aggregate score of 50%, with English as a compulsory subject.

Selection Process:

Basis the merit of std XII aggregate score OR Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test (SVUET) and Personal Interview. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for a personal interview.

Note: Please refer to the website for detailed information on eligibility criteria.

PG Programmes

Humanities and Social Sciences Programmes	Fee Structure per annum
MA Entertainment, Media & Advertising	₹ 1,30,000
MA Communication & Journalism	₹ 1,10,000
MA Economics	₹ 55,000

Eligibility:

Graduation from a recognised University with minimum aggregate score of 55%.

Humanities and Social Sciences Programmes	Fee Structure per annum
MA International Studies	₹ 55,000
MA China Studies	₹ 45,200
MA Liberal Arts (Specialisation in Anthropology, History, Area Studies (Asian Studies), Indian Literature, and World Literature)	₹ 1,65,000

MA International Studies - Eligibility:

Graduation from a recognised University with minimum aggregate score of 50%.

MA China Studies - Eligibility:

Graduation minimum 40% and minimum Chinese Language Proficiency of HSK 3 Level.

MA Liberal Arts - Eligibility:

Graduation from a recognised University with minimum aggregate score of 50%.

Accommodation

Room Type	Triple Sharing (Non-Ac)	Double Sharing (Non-Ac)
Hostel Fees / Annum	₹ 2,85,651	₹ 4,12,499
Mess charges	₹ 60,000/- for 10 Months	

Note: The Programme Fees and Residential Fees are subject to an annual increase of up to 8%.

For details about eligibility, selection criteria, application form fee, and programme fees, please visit our website: www.somaiya.edu

Note: This accommodation charge is for 10 months including 4 meals a day. Please refer to the website for more information.

Details of Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test - SVUET 2026

Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test Sessions 2026

Session 1 - 18th April 2026

Session 2 - 3rd & 16th May 2026

Session 3 - 6th June 2026

Important SVUET Instructions:

1. SVUET will be conducted in English.
2. Candidate has to choose any one session / date for the SVUET Exam.
3. SVUET is an internet-proctored test. Students can appear for the exam from home.

Somaiya Vidyavihar University Entrance Test Pattern 2026

Section	MCQs	Marks	Mode of Examination	Duration	Timings
Verbal Reasoning	25	25	Internet Proctored Test	1 hr	10:00 am to 11:00 am
Logical Reasoning	25	25			

Note: Please refer to the website for detailed information on eligibility criteria.

Admission Process

Step 1

Check Eligibility and Selection Process:

UG Programmes

Name of Programmes

- BA Mass Communication & Journalism
- BSc Economics
- BSc Psychology
- BA Liberal Arts

Selection Process:

Admission will be based on the Std XII examination with a valid score of SVUET 2026.

PG Programmes

Name of Programmes

- MA Entertainment, Media & Advertising
- MA International Studies
- MA Communication & Journalism
- MA China Studies
- MA Economics
- MA Liberal Arts

Selection Process:

Based on Graduation Aggregate score or CUET 2026 Score.

Step 2

Apply Online:

Application Fee for
UG ₹ 900/-
PG ₹ 1,000/-
BA Liberal Arts UG ₹ 1000/-
non-refundable and non-transferable
under any circumstances

Scan to apply:



<https://admission.somaiya.edu/>

Step 3

Admissions Rounds and Important Dates:

Round 1 (SVUET First Session)

Application Dates:
20th January to 30th April 2026
Result Declaration:
May First Week

Round 2 (SVUET Second Session)

Application Dates:
1st May to 31st May 2026
Result Declaration:
June First Week

Round 3 (SVUET Third Session)

Application Dates:
1st June to 30th June 2026
Result Declaration:
July First Week

Round 4 Admissions Against Vacancy Round

Application Dates:
1st July to 31st July 2026
Result Declaration:
August First Week

Note: Merit list and waitlist will be published in each round.

Step 4



Provisional Admission Letter -
Selected candidates receive an
offer letter.

Step 5



Document
Verification.

Step 6



Confirm Admission - Provisional
admission is confirmed on the basis
of payment of the seat acceptance
fee, subject to document verification.



Semester Abroad Option

No Additional Tuition Fee

Somaiya Vidyavihar has partnered with multiple colleges across the globe for exclusive Student Exchange Programmes. This helps in creating a global outlook and exchange of cultures for the students.

Technology Training



NSE NSMART Simulated Market Trading application reproduces features of a live equity / derivative / currency derivative market on trading terminals for students to practice and learn trading securities without financial risk.



IBM SPSS Statistics - Data Analytics Training - Training of advanced analytics lifecycle from data preparation and management to analysis and reporting.



Adobe Creative Cloud - Learn photography, graphic design, video editing, UX design, drawing and painting, social media and more.



ChemDraw - Training in software to draw chemical structures and reactions as well as biological objects and pathways.



OriginLab - Training of interactive scientific graphing and data analysis.



Semester Long Internship

Option of Corporate or Research Internship

Internships are educational and career development opportunities, providing practical experience in a field or discipline. They are structured, short-term, and supervised placements often focused around particular tasks or projects with defined timescales.

- **Internships with leading corporate houses** like JioHotstar, The Time of India, Zee Media, Economic Times, eClerx, Diverse Media etc.

20+ Multidisciplinary Minors

Students enrich and widen their horizons by acquiring additional credits with multidisciplinary minors in Banking & Finance, Marketing, Languages, Industrial Psychology, Design, Management, Literature, Civilisation & Cultural Studies, Sports, and many others.



Build Your Start-Up

A place to build your startup

Somaiya Vidyavihar encourages start-ups owing to an innovative India. We have a set of industry's finest business experts who mentor the start-ups proposed by the students at Somaiya. riidl, SVU Technology Business Incubator helps startups to grow and facilitate their need during their early growth stage.

- **FabLab - Digital fabrication studio** where you can learn how to use 3D printers, laser cutters, CNC routers, design software and electronics to make (almost) anything you want.
- **SmaLab - SMAC (Social Mobile Analytics Cloud)** Lab is a place to Design, Develop, Deploy, and Test software applications. It's an ideal place for Web, Mobile, and AR-VR developers.
- **BioLab** – Lab for bio enthusiasts to develop their ideas into the prototype.



160+ Total Startups



54+ Investments Done



20 Currently Incubated

In collaboration with



Computer, Science Labs, Media & Dubbing Room

Hands-on Practical training is provided for all the programmes

Computer Labs	7
Media Lab	1
Dubbing Room	1
ICT - Enabled AC Classrooms	35



Upto 100% Merit Scholarships & Financial Aid – ₹ 25 cr corpus

Quality Education. Accessible & Affordable.

At Somaiya we are committed to offering a world-class education that is accessible and affordable to students from all walks of life.

- ₹ 25 Cr Corpus
- 400 Scholarships
- Upto 100% merit-based and need-based Scholarship
- 8 Scholarships
 - **EWS Scholarship** for candidates with a family income less than ₹ 8 lakh/yr
 - **Girl Scholarship** merit cum need-based scholarship for girl candidates
 - **Sports Scholarship** for National / International players
 - SVU Need-based Scholarship
 - SVU Benevolent Scholarship
 - Industry Sponsored Scholarships

Inclusive Education

Quality Education. Accessible To All

Focus of Somaiya Vidyavihar is on inculcating the culture of Inclusive Education by providing equal opportunity to all students, including differently abled students (PwD students / Divyangjans).



Accessible infrastructure



Smart Boards



Screen Magnifier and Screen Reader software (JAWS and NVDA) loped in house



Voice Recorders



Live voice captioning and transcribing application (Text-it-Loud developed in house)

- Accessible course content (screen reader software)
- Individualised Teaching-Learning: Classroom teaching-learning to Special Education Needs (SENs) of students Inclusive Examination



Specially abled - Star Alumni

Sis Maitri Shah

Completed MS from US,
Founder Mind Assets

Sis Pallavi Bhoite

Works at SVU-KJSIM,
Admin Assistant

Bro Shubham Singh

Product Manager,
HDFC Bank

Bro Aditya Mankar

Social Media Marketing
Executive, Podvisory

Sis Sanjana Joshi

Developer at Wipro

Aditya Iyer

Masters in Railway
Engineering,
University of
Birmingham

International Level Coaching in 12 Sports

A Fit Mind Is A Home To Great Ideas

Who doesn't like sports? Sports form the basis of our health. Apart from the physical advantages, playing any kind of sport also uplifts a person mentally and emotionally. It's a complete energy booster! Participating in sports and other recreational activities in the campus is an amazing way to uplift your mood and destress.



Lush green football field



Volleyball court



Synthetic athletic track



First-class Cricket ground with floodlights



Wooden Squash courts



Synthetic Badminton and Tennis courts



Taekwondo hall



Yoga Hall



Nirupama Dubey

Wins Women's Title at CSK I Squash Open 2025



Mansi Joshi Para Athlete

Indian Para Badminton Team, World's No 1 in Women's SL3 Category



Ishan Sathe

National Karate Champion



Navin Kadam

Secured Gold in All India Powerlifting Championship and National Record



Alumni Network
















267 Alumni

at Leadership Positions
at Fortune 500 companies

98 Women Alumni

at Leadership Positions
at Fortune 500 companies

57 MNCs Led by SVU - KJSCE Alumni

 <p>3 Alumni 1 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>11 Alumni 2 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>45 Alumni 4 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>19 Alumni 8 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>24 Alumni 13 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>5 Alumni 23 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>1 Alumni 31 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>2 Alumni 34 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>1 Alumni 40 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>5 Alumni 50 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>2 Alumni 51 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>5 Alumni 55 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>2 Alumni 61 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>4 Alumni 62 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>2 Alumni 82 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>4 Alumni 98 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>1 Alumni 101 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>3 Alumni 106 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>1 Alumni 121 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>3 Alumni 127 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>3 Alumni 143 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>2 Alumni 146 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>1 Alumni 152 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>5 Alumni 167 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>
 <p>1 Alumni 233 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>1 Alumni 313 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>	 <p>1 Alumni 65 2023 Fortune Global 500 Rank</p>

Events

Media Manthan - Stories that Connect

Media Manthan is a two-day annual conclave by the Mass Communication Department, where industry experts interact with students through keynotes, panel discussions, workshops, and seminars. This year's theme is Screens to Brands: Stories that Connect.



Arthamaan Event

On 27th February 2026, the Department of Economics organized Arthamaan, celebrating India's vision for growth, innovation, sustainability, and social welfare. Students from various colleges participated in essay writing, PPT, poster making, and case study competitions, with winners receiving prizes from esteemed judges.

Anahat Podcast

Anahat is a student-led podcast initiative by Mass Communication students that provides hands-on training in podcast creation and equips students with essential digital media skills for the evolving media industry.



Freedom at Midnight webseries

The Freedom at Midnight web series session explored how history is transformed into cinematic narratives and shapes the collective understanding of India's past, featuring panelists Nikhil Advani, Sidhant Gupta, Chirag Vohra, Rajendra Chawla, Arif Zakaria, Ira Dubey, and RJ Malishka.

Faculty Profile

Somaiya School of Humanities and Social Sciences



Richa Chaudhary

HOD of Mass Communication,
Faculty of Humanities & Social
Science,
Master's of Journalism & Mass
Communication (Specialisation
in Advertising & PR)



Dr Sanjay Rode

HOD, PhD Economics,
University of Mumbai



Fizza Khan

HOD, Master's degree in
Clinical Psychology



Dr Dinoj Upadhyay

HOD, PhD International
Relations



Saheli Chattaraj

BA (Hons.) Chinese,
MA Chinese,
MPhil - China Studies



Faculty Profile

Somaiya School of Civilisation



Dr Gaurav Gadgil
Centre for Asian &
Area Studies
MA, PhD History,
MA Sociology



Dr Yamini Shah
Centre for Kachchh &
Desert Studies
MA, PhD English Literature



Dr Chhaya Goswami
Centre for Transoceanic
Studies,
MA, PhD History



Prof Hemangi Bhagwat
Professor of Languages &
Literature,
MA, PhD English Literature



Dr Monalisa Behera
Assistant Professor,
South Asian Visual Culture
and Art History
MPhil, PhD in Visual Studies

Seminar - "The Production of a Nation State: A spatial investigation on Sri Lanka"



SVU Faculty Research Excellence

320

Research
Scholars

130

PhD
Guides

42

Sponsored Research
Projects

₹10.53 Cr

Research
Grants

66

Patents
Filed

21

Copyright

1449

Total Number
of Research
Papers

125

Total Number of
Books / Chapters
Published



Prof Dr Hemangi Bhagwat

Incharge Dean of the the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences at Somaiya Vidyavihar University and Professor of Languages & Literature at the Somaiya School of Civilisation Studies.

8 Thrust Research Areas



Media and Culture
(Intercultural
Communication)



Cyber Activism



Development
Communication



Architecture and
Landscape
Communication
(Global and National)



Media Policy and
Governance



Translation Studies



Urban History



Area Studies:
Deserts, Mountains,
Oceans, Asian
Studies

Success stories
begin at
**Somaiya Vidyavihar
University**

Happy to Guide

Scan
to apply



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