

REPORT: EXPERT TALK ON “MULTIPLE GEETAS IN THE INDIAN KNOWLEDGE SYSTEM”

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The School of Natural and Applied Science, Vikrant University, Gwalior, under the aegis of the Institution’s Innovation Council (IIC), organized an insightful **Expert Talk on “Multiple Geetas in the Indian Knowledge System”** on **26th December 2024**. The event aimed to delve into the lesser-explored diversity of Indian philosophical traditions by examining various “Geetas” beyond the well-known Bhagavad Gita.

With an active participation of **55 students and faculty members**, the session was delivered in **online mode**, enabling broader accessibility and interaction.

The talk offered a **holistic view of the plurality of Geeta texts**, shedding light on their conceptual frameworks, philosophical teachings, and their embeddedness in Indian epistemology, metaphysics, literature, and cultural ethos. Through scholarly exposition and interactive dialogue, participants explored how different Geetas convey varied schools of thought and spiritual disciplines, offering rich insight into India’s civilizational wisdom.

Key Objectives Covered:

- Understanding Geetas beyond the Bhagavad Gita
- Exploring philosophical diversity across texts
- Cultural and literary relevance of Geetas
- Drawing contemporary relevance from ancient wisdom
- Fostering interdisciplinary connections within Indian Knowledge Systems

Participants gained skills in **textual interpretation, critical analysis, interdisciplinary integration, ethical decision-making, and public speaking**. The program also encouraged **cultural literacy and spiritual reflection**, emphasizing the relevance of ancient Indian knowledge in addressing modern ethical and societal challenges.

