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From the Desk



This year's HR Vista highlighted the power of experiential learning in connecting academic knowledge with real world expectations. The insights shared by industry leaders, along with the professionalism of our students and team, reflected the strength of our placement ecosystem.

The Centre for Placement and Career Guidance (CPCG) continues to play a crucial role in strengthening the professional readiness of our students through industry

exposure and collaborations. Its structured industry engagement has positioned CHRIST University as a reliable source of competent and value driven talents for the 21st century competencies.

As we move forward, our focus remains on deepening industry partnerships, expanding global avenues and preparing Christites to excel in a rapidly evolving professional landscape. I encourage every student to fully utilise the platforms CPCG offers, uphold the culture of excellence and professionalism that defines our university and step into your careers with clarity and confidence.

Dr Fr Lijo Thomas
Director and Dean

The CPCG Newsletter holds a special place in my heart because it represents far more than a publication it embodies a vision I deeply believe in empowering our students to grow into informed, industry ready professionals with voices of their own. When this idea first took shape, I imagined a space where students could freely explore, analyse, and express the world as they see it. Seeing that vision come alive through this inaugural edition is both humbling and immensely fulfilling.



This first edition is more than a communication platform it is a reflection of the intellectual curiosity, analytical precision and initiative that I witness in our cohort every day. Personally, it fills me with pride to see our students take ownership, challenge themselves, and bring this vision to life with such sincerity and depth.

As we put forth this beginning, I see it as the start of a growing conversation one that will evolve with each new contributor who chooses to think critically, question boldly and share fearlessly. And I look forward, not just as faculty but as a fellow learner, to watching this dialogue flourish.

Prof. Shankar Iyer

Head, Centre for Placement & Career Guidance

Leadership in this space is not about grand declarations; it's about holding the centre while everything around you accelerates. It's about knowing when to push, when to pause and when to get out of the team's way. If this edition marks anything, it is the proof that we are not merely learning to lead we are learning to build something that lasts.

In inaugurating the Jobbernaut Chronicle, I'm reminded of a simple truth: some years unfold quietly and some arrive with the subtlety of a meteor. For the CPCG, our first year was unmistakably the latter. We staged not one but two HR Conclaves events that demanded precision, persistence and a team willing to build its own runway while already mid takeoff.

What makes this initiative truly meaningful to me is that it isn't faculty led; it is student driven in every possible sense. My role as with the rest of the faculty is simply to guide when needed, not to shape or steer the narrative. The heart of this newsletter beats with student thought, effort, and creativity. Each article reflects a unique lens shaped by individual experiences, questions, and aspirations. Together, they form a vibrant tapestry of ideas that is far richer than anything a single voice could have created.



Forming this committee from scratch was equal parts experiment and adventure. We were a group of strangers handed a blank page dangerous, in the best possible way. What emerged was a team that thinks fast, debates harder and takes ownership like it's a competitive sport.

None of this would have cohered without the steady, incisive guidance of Sankar Sir and Akhil Sir, whose mentorship had the uncanny ability to be both grounding and catalytic.

Rushda Siddiqui

President, CPCG Student Wing

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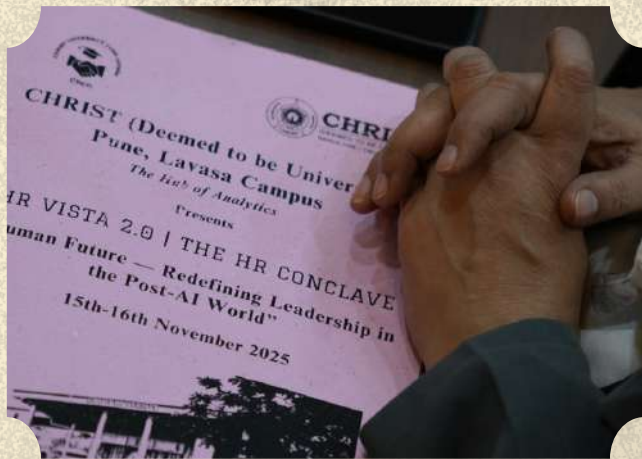
Practical interview advice distilled for early careers.

The Crew

The team behind execution, coordination, and shared ownership at the CPCG.

Vista Unpacked

HR VISTA 2.0 stood as a distinguished and thoughtfully curated conclave, delivered through the strategic collaboration between CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Pune Lavasa Campus and Being HR. Over two days of rigorous dialogue and meaningful engagement, the event convened leading HR practitioners, and industry influencers to examine the evolving architecture of work in a rapidly transforming world.



Complemented by structured networking, cultural showcases and immersive experiential activities, HR VISTA 2.0 fostered both intellectual depth and community building. The conclave concluded with a renewed sense of commitment to advancing progressive, equitable and resilient people practices for the future of work.

The proceedings commenced with an insightful address by Unmesh Pawar, whose remarks set an aspirational and future oriented foundation for the conclave. Contributions from eminent speakers and the Guest of Honor, Arshad Fakhri, enriched the discussions with nuanced perspectives on human centric leadership, capability development, decision intelligence and the ethical integration of emerging technologies. Their interventions encouraged participants to reimagine HR as a strategic, empathetic, and innovation-driven function.

Vista Voice

It has been a wonderful Sunday and the 1st day event was truly impressive. It was my first time visiting the campus and I was struck by both the beautiful property and the incredible energy of the student team. Despite working tirelessly from Friday night through the entire event, they remained enthusiastic, welcoming and highly professional.

The event was well organised, allowed meaningful interactions with thought leaders, and reflected the hard work and dedication of the students.

My best wishes to all of them they have done a fantastic job and I'm sure they will continue to excel.



A special appreciation to BEINGHR and Christ University Management for putting together such an excellent event. I look forward to supporting their future initiatives.

Balasubramanian Sethuraman

Head HR, Parekh Integrated Services Pvt. Ltd

Vista Frames



The Placement Print

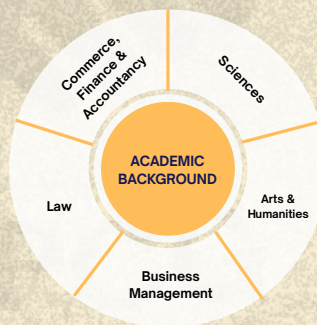
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HIGHEST CTC

30
LPA

MEDIAN CTC

7.5
LPA



Auditing & Consulting



Stock & Real Estate



Retail & E-commerce



FMCG, Banking & Finance



Communication & Hospitality



Ranked at 101



Ranked at 212



Ranked at 1501+



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Ranked 63+



United Nations Academic Impact

Ranked 101 Equality 2025-2027 cohort



Ranked 63+

90,000+

Alumni Network

40+

Academic Departments

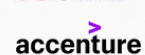
520+

International Students

ACHIEVEMENTS

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Our Recruiter Landscape



Intern Insider

My internship with AIESEC in Egypt's Global Classroom programme was the kind of experience that quietly rewrites how you think about education and impact. Working on projects tied to SDG 4.2 and 4.8, I helped craft learning environments that pushed students to question, connect, and think with intention rather than routine.



Living in Egypt added its own intellectual charge. There's something grounding about discussing global development in a country where history isn't stored in museums—it rises around you in limestone and lived tradition. That backdrop sharpened my sense of purpose and made the work feel larger than the day-to-day tasks. It was an internship that challenged me, and left me with a deeper respect for what meaningful education can spark.

It's the kind of experience that reminds you: stepping beyond your familiar world is not a detour, but one of the most strategic investments you can make in a lifetime.

Rushda Siddiqui
MA in English with Digital Humanities

Then & Now

Hi, I'm Sujal. Joining Christ University Lavasa has been the biggest stepping stone in my career. The environment here pushed me to grow every single day whether through academic rigor, active participation in various centres, or the countless opportunities to interact, present and collaborate. I gained immense confidence, sharpened my communication skills and discovered new interests that shaped my professional journey.



What truly set Christ apart for me was the exposure it provided. Every day felt like a new learning experience, helping me evolve not just as a student, but as an individual ready to take on the corporate world. The support, guidance, and encouragement from the Placement Cell played a huge role in preparing me for real-world challenges.

All these learnings and experiences helped me secure a job at Deloitte USI at the age of 20—an achievement that strengthened my self-belief and motivated me to aim even higher.

Sujal Rajpurohit
BCom, Class of 2025



Jobbernaut Says

The underrated fresher interview cheatsheet;

- Know the company beyond the logo.

If your only prep is memorising the founder's name, you're halfway to awkward silence. Check what they build, recent work, client type. Looks basic, yet most skip it.

- Have questions ready, not just answers.

When they ask "Any questions?", don't stare like the Wi-Fi dropped. Ask about the role, team, tools. Shows you think.

- Send a thank-you mail.

Two lines. No essay. Hardly anyone bothers, which is exactly why it stands out.

- Practice answering out loud.

Thinking answers in your head feels easy until words come out like alphabet soup. Say them to a mirror or a friend. Keeps you from rambling into the void.

- Don't fake what you don't know.


Interviewers have a radar for bluffing. Better to say "I haven't worked with that yet, but I'm learning" instead of inventing a skill mid-sentence.


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Merry Christmas!



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