



# Siva Sivani Degree College Hyderabad

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## Report

on

### Two Day Orientation Program - SHIKAR 2025 - Where ambitions rise

**Date:** 10th & 11th July, 2025

**Timings:** 9.30 am – 1.30 pm

**Venue:** Seminar Hall, SSDCH

**No. of Participants:** Day 1 - 55 Day 2 - 45

**Objective of the Event/Programme:** The primary objective of the **Orientation Programme** at *Siva Sivani Degree College, Somajiguda* was to **welcome and integrate newly admitted students** into the academic and cultural fabric of the institution.

**Name of the Resource persons:**

**Day 1:** Major. Dr. Shiva Kiran. Retired Army Officer & Dr. Arif Shaik, Project Manager

**Day 2:** Prof. Indrakanti Sekhar, O.U., & Prof. A. Patrick, O.U.,

#### About the Resource persons :

##### DAY 1

1. **Major Dr. Shiva Kiran** is a distinguished retired Army officer known for his exemplary service and unwavering commitment to the nation. Post-retirement, Dr. Shiva Kiran continues to inspire young minds as a motivational speaker, educator, and mentor, embodying the values of integrity, resilience, and service.
2. **Dr. Arif Shaik** is a seasoned Project Manager at Wipro Technologies, with deep expertise in IT project execution and strategic planning. With a strong academic background and industry experience, he bridges innovation and leadership in the tech domain. His commitment to excellence and continuous learning makes him a valued mentor and thought leader in the corporate sphere.

##### DAY 2

1. **Prof. Indrakanti Sekhar**, Principal of the University College of Commerce and Management, Osmania University is a distinguished academician with extensive experience in business education and leadership.
2. **Prof. A. Patrick** serves as the Public Relations Officer and Chairman of the Board of Studies, bringing a wealth of academic insight and strategic leadership to the institution.

## About the programme with photographs:

### DAY 1 - 10th July, 2025

The Orientation Programme aimed to formally welcome the newly admitted students to the vibrant academic community of **Siva Sivani Degree College**, Somajiguda. The objective was to familiarize students with institutional ethos, academic structure, rules and regulations, and the holistic learning environment. It aimed to align the students with the college's motto—“*Where ambitions rise...*”—and equip them with clarity, confidence, and motivation to begin their academic journey.

The first day commenced with a **formal inauguration ceremony** attended by the college management, principal, senior faculty, and distinguished guests. The occasion was honored by the presence of **Dr. Major Shiva Kiran**, the Chief Guest for the session, along with **Mrs. Aarathy Sampathy**, President of Siva Sivani Degree College and wife of the Founder, **Dr. Sailesh Sampathy**, Deputy Vice President and **Mrs. Deepika Sampathy**, Associate Vice President. The program began with the **garlanding of the Founder's portrait**, followed by the **lighting of the ceremonial lamp** and a **devotional prayer session**, creating a dignified and auspicious atmosphere to mark the beginning of the academic journey.

**Dr. Sailesh Sampathy** addressed the students with an inspiring message, sharing a thought-provoking moral story that emphasized the importance of **staying true to oneself**. He encouraged students to focus on **doing the right thing**, irrespective of external influences or opinions. Through the story, he highlighted that **dedicated effort, sincerity, and a positive mindset** are key to success. He concluded by reminding students that when one performs their duties with integrity and faith, the **rest will be taken care of by the supreme power called God**. **Mrs. Deepika Sampathy**, Associate Vice President, captivated the audience as she eloquently shared the **legacy of Siva Sivani Degree College**. She highlighted the institution's journey from its inception, reflecting on its growth, core values, and the **significant milestones** it has achieved over the years.

**Major Dr. Shiva Kiran**, Chief Guest for session 1 was **introduced** to the audience by **Ms. Latha Salome, Assistant Professor**. The session opened with a powerful talk by **Major Dr. Shiva Kiran**, a retired Army officer, who emphasized the importance of **discipline, hard work, and clarity in goal-setting** for students. He captivated the audience with a thought-provoking short story that highlighted the need to **keep our minds clean**, likening a clear mind to fertile ground where meaningful thoughts and a fulfilling life can flourish. His words resonated deeply with the students, leaving a lasting impact.

Followed by the address of **Ms. Sarika Raj, Principal, SSDCH**. She delivered a powerful and inspiring speech, setting the tone for the year. She emphasized the importance of discipline, academic commitment, and character-building, encouraging students to rise with ambition and integrity.

**Dr. Arif Shaik**, *Project Manager at Wipro Technologies* and Guest of Honor, was introduced to the gathering by **Ms. Kavya, Assistant Professor**. Sir addressed the gathering and inspired the students to stay updated with the latest advancements in **Information Technology**, particularly emphasizing the growing importance of **Artificial Intelligence (AI)** and **Machine Learning (ML)** in shaping the future. His address served as a powerful reminder for students to continuously learn, adapt, and innovate in today's tech-driven world.

**Session 1 concluded with a heartfelt felicitation ceremony**, where the esteemed guests were honored for their valuable presence and for sharing **motivational and inspiring insights** with the students and the

ceremony was followed by a **short break**, allowing participants to refresh before proceeding to the next session.

The **second session of Day 1** commenced with a detailed orientation focusing on essential academic and institutional guidelines. The session was led by **Ms. Ch. Kavya** and **Ms. C. Swathi**, Assistant Professors who introduced the students to the **faculty profiles**, providing them with an overview of the experienced educators who will be guiding their academic journey. **Ms. Parimala Diana Sudhir**, Assistant Professor, provided a detailed explanation of key academic components including the **examination pattern**, the **Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)**, and the **college's rules and regulations**.

Following this, a clear outline of the **Do's and Don'ts** was presented to instill a sense of discipline and responsibility among the students as they begin their life on campus.

Following this, students were given an insightful orientation on the various **clubs, committees, and cells** of the college—highlighting opportunities to explore leadership, creativity, community service, and personality development beyond academics.

**Mrs. Ritika Waghray**, Assistant Professor, proposed a **formal word of thanks**, expressing heartfelt gratitude to all the dignitaries, parents, faculty members, and non-teaching staff for their dedication and efforts in making the orientation programme a **grand success**.

The session maintained a completely formal tone throughout and concluded with the rendering of the **National Anthem**, marking a respectful and patriotic end to the day's proceedings.

## **DAY 2 - 11th July, 2025**

The **Day 2 of Shikar 2025** began with a warm and formal welcome note by **Ms. Aafrien Afshan**, Assistant Professor. She opened the session by presenting a concise and comprehensive gist of Day 1 highlights, setting the tone for another enriching day. The event is followed by **Ms. Sarika Raj- Principal, SSDCH** who extended a heartfelt welcome to the esteemed **Chief Guest Prof. Indrakanti Sekhar** and **Prof. A. Patrick**, from Osmania University. She emphasized the strong academic relationship and long-standing association between **Siva Sivani Group of Institutions and Osmania University**, acknowledging their continued support and guidance.

**Prof. Indrakanti Sekhar** was formally introduced to the audience by **Mr. Sundeep**, Assistant Professor and sir addressed the gathering with a thoughtful speech on the importance of graduation in shaping one's identity and career. His words laid a strong academic foundation for the day.

After his **felicitation**, **Prof. A. Patrick** was introduced to the gathering by **Ms. Kavya**, Assistant Professor and sir captivated the audience with his motivational and thought-provoking address. His session revolved around the key themes of: 4P's, 6Up's & 4C's. His interactive approach and student-centered activities added energy and engagement, leaving a lasting impression on the audience. The session concluded with his felicitation, marking the end of a powerful and inspiring morning.

**Post-break, Session 2** was designed to help students ease into their new environment through a fun-filled and interactive ice-breaking session. Coordinated by **Ms. Swathi, Ms. Kavya, Mr. Parth Shah & Mrs. Sharon Ann**, the session included:

- Interesting management games
- Team-building activities
- Fun interactions

These activities created a lively atmosphere, encouraging students to open up, connect with peers, and feel more comfortable within the college ecosystem.

The day concluded with a brief yet important reminder on college decorum, rules, and regulations, ensuring students are aligned with the institution's expectations. A formal word of thanks was proposed by **Mrs. Ritika Waghray, Faculty of Commerce**. The proceedings ended with the **National Anthem**, bringing the day to a dignified close.

Here are the few glimpses of the event:

**DAY 1:**





**DAY 2:**



**Prepared by : Ms. Kavya & Ms. Swathi C**

**Principal**



Day - 1



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Day - 2



**Major Dr. G. Shiva Kiran**  
Retd. Army Major



**Dr. Arif Shaik**  
Project Manager, Wipro

**WELCOME**  
to

Student Orientation Program

**Shikar-2025**

Where ambitions rise....



**Prof Indrakanti Sekhar**  
Principal, UCC & BM  
Osmania University



**Prof A. Patrick**  
PRO & Chairman Board of  
Studies, OU



July 10 & 11, 2025

09:30 AM to 01:00 PM



Seminar Hall, III Floor



