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CSJMU's School of Languages Hosts Dynamic Theatre Workshop "The Actor's Craft" **(03.09.2025 - 16.09.2025)**



In a major step towards reinforcing its cultural and educational entity, the School of Languages at Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University, Kanpur, has inaugurated a two-week theatre workshop titled "The Actor's Craft." To run from September 3rd to September 16th, 2025, this course will serve to sharpen students' creative talents and provide practical experience on the stage.

The workshop is being conducted under the visionary guidance of the Honourable Vice-Chancellor, Professor Vinay Kumar Pathak.

Expert-Led Training for Students The core of the workshop is led by the esteemed Resource Person, Prof. Asima Bhatt (Professor of Practice, CSJMU). A celebrated theatre personality and alumnus of the National School of Drama (NSD), New Delhi, Prof. Asima Bhatt is using her



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profound expertise to train students in Foundational acting techniques, The art of physical expression, Effective communication arts and Essential stage discipline

The program is organised under the leadership of Dr. Sarvesh Mani Tripathi, Director, School of Languages, and is a collaborative effort with Dr. Prabhat Gaurav Mishra, Coordinator of the Cine-Poetry: The Cine-Theatre Club.

Overwhelming Response and a Captivating Inaugural Play, The workshop received an overwhelming response as more than 157 students enrolled in it which shows a rise in the interest of students in arts at CSJMU.

The inauguration was marked by an enthralling one-act play entitled "Rang Me Kya Rakkha Hai!" written and directed by Prof. Asima Bhatt. With its exploration of identity and





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social prejudices, the play was truly appreciated by faculty and students in equal measure. It was successfully coordinated by Dr. Prabhat Gaurav Mishra and performed with finesse by a dedicated team of the School of Languages' students.

This theatre workshop marks an important step in building CSJMU as a vibrant national hub for cultural and educational excellence-a unique platform for self-expression, confidence, and creative growth among students.