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Date	Day	Time	Event	Speakers	Venue	
03-09-26	Thursday	8:45 AM	Student Reporting at Campus		PU Campus	
		08:45 AM – 09:45 AM	Registration / Seating of		E Block Seminar Hall 4	
		09:45 AM - 09:50 AM	Welcome Speech	Dr. Pritha Sanyal, HoD, SoLAS		
		09:50 AM -10:00 AM	University Video & Brief about University Leadership	SOMS-Studio Team&IT Support		
		10:00 AM - 10:10 AM	Vice- Chancellor-Address	Dr. S. J. Thiruvengadam		
		10: 10 AM - 10:20 AM	Pro Vost Address	Dr. Dinesh Nilkant		
		10: 20AM - 10:30 AM	Pro Vice Chancellor - Address	Dr. Vidya Shankar Shetty		
		10:30 AM- 10:45 AM	Address by Chief Guest	Mr Yasir Mushtaq Sr. journalist		
		10:45 AM- 10:50 AM	Vote of Thanks	Dr. Ashish Sharma		
		10:50 AM -11:05AM	Registrar	Dr. Venkateswaran S		
		11:05 AM - 11:15 AM	Tea Break			
		11:15 AM -11:30 AM	Understanding Assessments	Mr. Chandrasekhar Devid	RF04/UB05	
		11:30 AM -11:45 AM	ERP & IT	Mr. Shivakumara - ERP Manager Mr. Pavan- IT Head		
		11:45 AM -12:00 PM	Library	Dr. Sheshadri K N - Chief Librarian		
		12:00 PM - 12:45 PM	University Visit to Media Lab, Psychology Lab, Language Lab & other places	Lab Coordinators Rahul Dadich		
		12:45 PM - 02:00 PM	Lunch [Students / Parents / Faculties]			
		02:00 PM - 04:00 PM	Documentation - Registrar Office	Mr Rahul Dadhich Dr. Azeem Dana		
04-09-26	Friday	09:30 AM - 10:00 AM	Academics Regulations	Dr. Ashish Sharma, HoD, SoMS	RF04/UB05	
		10:00 AM - 10:15 AM	Discover Campus Life – Student Clubs, Facilities & Support Services	Dr. Anu Sukhdev, Director, DSA		
		10:15 AM - 10 :30 AM	University Discipline, Sports & Anti-Ragging	Col. Jayaram - Director Student Discipline & Sports		
		10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Session on ISR + NSS+NCC	Ms. Vanitha R (ISR Manager) & Ms. RenukaBhagwat (NSS) / Mr. Nandeesh (NCC)		
		10:45 AM - 11:00 AM	Gender Sensitization & POSH Session	Mr. Vahibya Khali [SOL]		
		11:00 AM - 11:15 AM	Tea Break			
		11:15 AM - 11:30 AM	English Language Proficiency Certification Orientation	Dr. Ajith K	RF04/UB05	
		11:30 AM - 01: 00 PM	Master Class by Mr Sudipto Mondal, Sr Journalist - The NewsMinute (M A Students)	Mr Sudipto Mondal - Sr Journalist - The NewsMinute	Media Lab [LGL-07]	
		01:00 PM - 02:00 PM	Lunch			
		02:00 PM - 04:00 PM	Photography Workshop (MA students)	Mr. Rahul Dadhich / Mr Arun Choudhary	Media Lab [LGL-07] & PU Campus	

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07-09-26	Monday	09:15 AM -09:30 AM	Career Progression	Ms. Kavitha V, Associate Director, Career Services & Industry Connect	UB05
		09:30 AM - 09:45 AM	Counselling, Wellness & Life	Ms. N Namratha Jessica & Ms. Maitraiye Konar [DSA]	
		09:45 AM -10:00 AM	Looking out for Mentors	Dr. Anni Arnav Head Mentor	
		10:00 AM - 10:15 AM	Website	Ms. Rajitha Rajan, Head, Website & Social Media Branding	
		10:15 AM - 10:30 AM	Tea Break		
		10:30 AM -11:00 AM	SOMS- HOD Interaction & About The School (MA Journalism & Mass Communication)	Dr. Ashish Sharma	Media Lab [LGL-07]
		11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Master Class By Ms. (MA Journalism & Mass Communication)	Ms Ayesha Khanum - President Karnataka Media Academy	
		12:00 PM -01:00 PM	Submission of Pending Documentation (wherever applicable)	Registrar's Office	
		01:00 PM - 02:00 PM	Lunch		
		02:00 PM - 04:00 PM	Podcasting Workshop	Dr Musheera & Mr Arun	
Film Workshop - 8-10 September 2026					
08-09-2026 - 10-09-2026	Tuesday TO Thursday	Full Day	Film Workshop by Mr Anson Thomas - Independent Film Director & IFFK - Media head	Faculty Coordinator - Mr Sherin P Shaji	Media Lab [LGL-07]

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