

THE ENGLISH CLUB

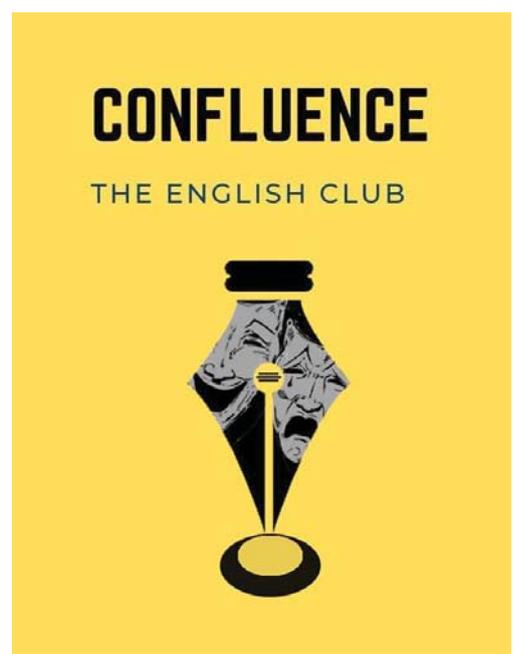


ABOUT.

Confluence is an English club within the college that aims to create non-competitive safe spaces for CMS students to sharpen their linguistic prowess and be better than they were yesterday at the English language.

This club aims to be the pivot of refinement in terms Ergo is JU-CMS' Annual English magazine. It is a creatively documented representation of each year at CMS, showcasing the activities of the college teams, events at CMS, and even includes literary submissions contributed by the CMS fraternity.

The team is led by its faculty coordinator - Ms Shilpi Agarwal, and comprises of a blend of organisers, graphic designers, photographers, and editors who regularly organize events to promote the literary arts, and who release the yearly publication - Ergo.



INAUGURAL - THE FIRST STEP.

The Inaugural event for "Confluence", the English club was a great kick-start to the year ahead, with a large turnout and participation.

The Chief Guest was an alumnus of CMS, Mr Soumyajit Pal.

The Inaugural comprised of a visual showcase of all the diverse activities and arts that the club aspires to give a platform to. It was a blend of spoken pieces, photography showcases, and an exhibition of diverse visual art forms such as painting, sketching, and resin art.

ERGO - THE ENGLISH MAGAZINE.

Team Confluence has within it an Editorial Board of graphic designers and editors that work together to compile the annual English publication - 'Ergo'.

It is a reflection of the complete college life experience at CMS. Every event, activity, team, and programme is documented in the magazine.

Ergo also includes a special literary section comprised of submissions made by members of the CMS fraternity including articles, poetry, short reads, and more.

The magazine is accessible digitally through the college website and in the college library.

Ergo 2018 - 2019 is available for free reading at this link:

<https://www.cms.ac.in/pdf/ergo-magazine-2019.pdf>



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Team Ergo 2018-2019.

CONFLUENCE OF PEOPLE



confluence.cms I used to live in Hospet, with my family but work as well as the search for a better lifestyle brought us all to Bangalore. I have been working for around forty years now; thirty four years in Bangalore, four of them in CMS. The better part of my life has seen me as a security guard. I was employed by V-Guard Security followed by Line Security, Chamrajpet and now, by Ganesh Security. Prior to CMS, I was posted at the Service Tax Building, Gurudakshina Road. It was a friend of mine who helped me shift to CMS. What worries me is job security, which Ganesh Security - my current employer- fails to provide, this worries me because my health is deteriorating and my body aches constantly. My journey in CMS has been smooth and you kids have been very sweet to me. Thank You. .

Thank You Uncle for sharing your story with us. We hope you keep smiling and get better soon. Keep that smile glowing as always! :) #confluenceofpeople
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Team Confluence has begun a social media initiative called #Confluenceofpeople which shines a light on the stories of the individuals that make up the CMS fraternity



confluence.cms "Around 6 years ago, my wife and I entered this college, turning a new leaf in our lives. I initially worked at Chin Lung, the resto bar on Residency Road and my wife, in a garment store. Our journey in Center for Management Studies and the canteen (chat) sector started with the Atria Hotel in the old campus and thanks to my brother Ravi Kumar -a security guard in this very campus- we were able to shift with the college to the Lalbagh campus for which we are very grateful to him. We both have been diagnosed with diabetes, which takes a toll on our income as we cannot work for hours together and medical bills aren't very easy on the pocket, working in the canteen business helps, but with so much competition around and majority of you kids being hostelites, business is slow and earnings, little. Well! Life is difficult but your smiles keep us going :) All I want to tell you kids is to study well and keep smiling and eating." .

THE OPEN MIC

The Open Mic hosted by Confluence took place at the JU-CMS campus.

The Open Mic was one of the most memorable events for the club. It provided a non-competitive safe space to the students to showcase their talents in a welcoming environment. Categories in the Open Mic included Poetry, Storytelling, Music, Stand-up and Short Reads.

The event was graced by our Director - Dr. Dinesh Nilkant, our college students, and even a few of our teachers and staff members.

Pulling in several diverse participants, the event has marked a momentous milestone for Team Confluence.



The following students participated in the Open Mic :

- Maitry Kothari
- Abhishek Bachhawat
- Anikesh Jain
- Tanay Kedia
- Abhinav Warad
- Sourabh Kumar
- Tina Agarwal
- Mallica Mishra
- Pavana J
- Aawez Hashmi
- Hemesh
- Parth Arora
- Nishita
- Manvith Reddy
- Sandeep
- Pooja Dokania
- Muskan Chawla
- Nitika Krishna
- Nasir Yaqoob
- Shravani
- Vishal S Jain
- Nikitha Raysoni
- Salim
- Rafiullah
- Mohammadsaber A
- Shreshth Poddar
- Aditya Kumar
- Kanishk Munoth
- Sachin Kumar
- Raghav Kinger
- Ashay Gupta
- Bhavikaa T Dhariwall
- Tushar Chopda
- Mansi K Panani
- Amatullah Vahanwala
- Md. Arsalan - photographer

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

A competitive intra-college literary fest named 'Colosseum' has been scheduled. It will involve several unique events such as Modern Shakespeare and Fandom Crossover.

A Visual Art Exhibition has been scheduled to take place at the college campus and will include several diverse art forms from the artists within the CMS fraternity.

- Team Confluence