



# Department of Commerce

## Savitribai Phule Pune University

Organizes Two Days

### National Conference

# COMMSEARCH

ON

**“EMERGING FUTURE:  
AI SOLUTIONS FOR  
SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT”**

#### Date

13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2026

#### Venue

Seminar Hall,  
Department of Commerce  
(Savitribai Phule Pune University,  
Ganeshkhind Road, Pune - 411 007)

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## About Savitribai Phule Pune University

Pune is the main educational center of Maharashtra. Numerous students from every corner of India and the world come to Pune. It is quite safe and peaceful city as compared to other educational centers in India. The climate of Pune is pleasant and good for health. The city of Pune houses many well-known, established institutes and colleges. Savitribai Phule Pune University is one of the finest and most popular educational centers in the city. It offers excellent programs in various areas including Science, Commerce, Arts, Languages and Management Studies.

Savitribai Phule Pune University, one of the premier universities in India, is positioned in the North-western part of Pune city. It occupies an area of about 411 acres. It was established on 10th February, 1949 under the Poona University Act. The university houses 46 academic departments. It is popularly known as the 'Oxford of the East'. It has about 307 recognized research institutes and 612 affiliated colleges offering graduate and under-graduate courses.

The university attracts many foreign students due to its excellent facilities. It offers good accommodation facility. There is a provision of hostel for the students. There is a well-stocked library containing plenty of books regarding various subjects. The university offers different scholarships to the students. The university conducts seminars and conferences for the students.

## About Department of Commerce

The Department of Commerce is established in the Year 2006. It is one of the Departments on the University campus offering two years full-time Post Graduate M.Com programme with 4 different specializations which provides a dynamic curriculum that suits the needs of the industry and keeps abreast with the changing times. Also, it is the recognized research centre offering Ph.D. (Commerce). The department is supported by the visiting faculty who are academicians, bankers and professionals. It has a strong alumni base holding positions in reputed government organizations, banks, colleges and corporates.

## About CommSearch

The Annual convention of the Department of Commerce named CommSearch was started in 2007. The first CommSearch was organized in the year 2007. Normally it a two-day event where in eminent personalities from the field of Commerce, Banking, Economic and Management are invited as Guests who share their ideas, views and expertise.

Comm Search gives immense opportunities for Researchers, Scholars, Teachers and Students to share their research work and gain experience in the field of research, they also get hands on information to pursue their research work and get exposed to other research work which adds to their existing knowledge. This Annual event of the Department is organized with a view to raise deliberations based on a theme. The theme of this year's CommSearch is "Emerging Future: AI Solution for Sustainable Development".

This event has successfully generated lot of enthusiasm and response from teachers and students of various colleges and institutions. Along with this, it has helped to foster a competitive, creative and entrepreneurial spirit by bringing a sense of togetherness and symbiosis among the future administrators, researchers and entrepreneurs.

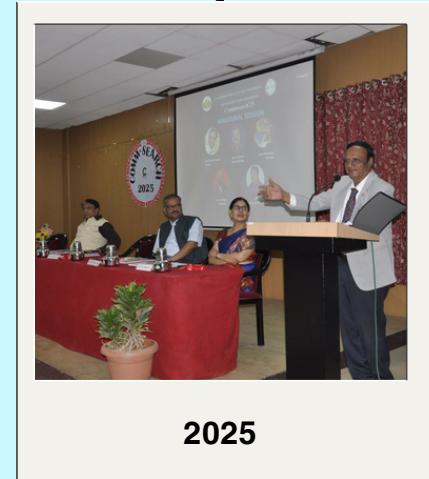
## Some Glimpses of CommSearch



2023



2024



2025

## About Conference Theme

**Emerging Future: AI Solutions for Sustainable Development** from Commerce perspective highlights how technology is transforming business, markets and society in a responsible way. AI enables sustainable economic growth by improving decision-making, enhancing customer experience, optimizing supply chains, reducing operational waste and supporting ethical business practices. It helps industries forecast demand, manage risks, develop green products and create inclusive financial services that reach wider communities. This theme emphasizes a future where Commerce and Technology work together to build profitable, transparent and socially responsible enterprises that contribute to long-term sustainable development.

- AI and Sustainable Business Practices
- AI in Green Technologies and Climate Analytics
- AI for Smart Cities and Resource Management
  - Ethical AI and Governance
  - AI in Sustainable Supply Chain and Logistics
  - AI for Social Inclusion and Development
- ESG (Environmental, Social & Governance) with AI Tools
  - AI-driven Policy and Decision-Making

## Guidelines for Paper Publication

- The delegates are invited to submit original research papers on the theme and sub- themes of the Conference. Soft copies of the papers should be mailed to **commsearch2026@gmail.com**.
- The paper should include the Title, Author's Name, Institute/Organization, Contact Details, Abstract, Keywords, Objectives, Research Methodology and References.
- The abstract should not be more than 250 words and full paper should not be more than 3000 to 3500 words.
- Font: Times New Roman, 12 size, 1.5 line spacing, fully justified.
- The paper should be submitted in Word format.
- APA citation style should be used for references.
- All papers will go through peer review process before final acceptance .
- Final decision of the same shall be communicated via email.
- Authors of accepted Papers shall be invited to present their paper in person.
- All correspondence will be addressed to the first author & separate registration is required for co-authors.
- The accepted full papers will be published in Peer Reviewed Journal.

**Last Date for Paper Submission -25<sup>th</sup> February, 2026**  
**Paper Acceptance - 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2026**

## Registration

### *Registration Fees*

<b>Students</b>	<b>₹ 300</b>
<b>Research Scholars</b>	<b>₹ 500</b>
<b>Academicians</b>	<b>₹ 750</b>

**Registration Link:**  
<https://events.unipune.ac.in>

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