

## Alumni Connect: Webinar on Connecting with the Roots, Connecting with the Alma Mater September 25th, 2021 10 am to 1 pm

## An Alumni Cell, Doon University initiative

## Concept Note

*Alma Mater* is a Latin phrase that signifies "the nourishing mother". An alumnus/alumna is the one nourished. The term "University" has its origin in the Latin word *universitas* that means "a whole". Therefore, it is a wholesome, abundant nourishment that one receives at a University.

A University equips its students mentally as well as physically. It provides for a liminal space between the school and the industry. It defines the being of its students; a launchpad that provides for a strong base in order to move upwards as well as a firm landing strip whenever the need arises. When we hold on to the ground beneath our feet and recognise our roots, we always land securely.

In view of the eternal bond that connects the Alma Mater and the scholar, the Alumni Cell at Doon University initiates "Alumni Connect" and invites its illustrious alumni living in India and abroad, who were once the students of various departments and schools at Doon University, to join us in this Webinar, to listen to our Patron, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Professor Surekha Dangwal and other eminent speakers, and to also share your thoughts on the importance of being connected with your roots and thus, the relevance of being connected with your Alma Mater years after graduating from Doon University.

We request the alumni of Doon University to fill the Google Form on the link <u>https://forms.gle/</u> <u>QrbyZ1SKajD5MzKW7</u> by September 18th, 2021 and confirm their participation in the Webinar on **Connecting with the Roots, Connecting with the Alma Mater** to be held on September 25th, 2021, Saturday from 10 am to 1 pm. Link to join the Webinar along with the programme will be sent a day before the event via email/WhatsApp to the registered email ID/mobile number. In case of any query, please send an email to us at <u>alumnicell@doonuniversity.ac.in</u> or call 0135-2533105/2533115.

E-certificates will be issued to those who attend all the sessions and send us the feedback via a link that will be shared during the Webinar.