



May, 2023

# Campus Chronicles

READ.  
LIVE.  
INSPIRE.



*From the Desk...*

Families are like the heart within the human body; without it, no organ can ever operate, and no life can ever be lived or achieved. Families are the backbone of every human being on this earth. Whether they are physically here incarnated on earth or not, their support and power can boost our strength and our motivation to live and to still believe in connection, peace, kindness, and unconditional love. Families can appear in a friend who truly loves you, in a husband who sincerely adores his wife, in a child with an innocent gaze, that can take your breath away, in a heartfelt strong belief that keeps you strong and protected, and in merciful, loving individuals who really love you for who you are and willing to give you, support you and look at you as if you are their beautiful cute pure child, a grace, a blessing, a godsent gift from the heavens. Family could be a deep heartfelt connection more than a blood one. Family is your soulful brothers, sisters, lovers, and reflections of your own self, with whom you share mutual pure same and core intentions. They are simply, designed, created, and existed in the same realm as you are, only to be your Family, to see you with the eyes of a family, and to love you with the heart of a family..

From my own perspective and from my own experience, here in this world, living this human experience as Souha, the incarnated God's will, creation, and mercy, God has gifted me

with numerous beautiful souls who I can call family; starting from my blood family such as my sweet, loving mother, my soft-hearted, protective father, my brilliant dear brother and my two young angelic sisters.

Moving to my soul family, those with whom I have had a straight, profound, and soulful connection, a familial bond, and from the first eye gazes, I have known and recognized that a spirit of a family, a soothing, tranquil, and harmonious seed has existed within those divinely connected souls to mine, since the beginning of creation.

How magical and how deep! how otherworldly and how miraculous a connection amongst souls could be!

Dear genuine reader, who reads my words with their souls and their hearts, a divine connection attaches all of us. We are ramified sprouts from the same root.

We are uncountable, unlimited souls from the same source, whether you have recognized it or not... yet, I am sending you peace, love, and purifying mercy.

Those who read my article with their pure loving peaceful hearts will know exactly what I mean.

Family is an eternal bond that has existed beyond time and place.

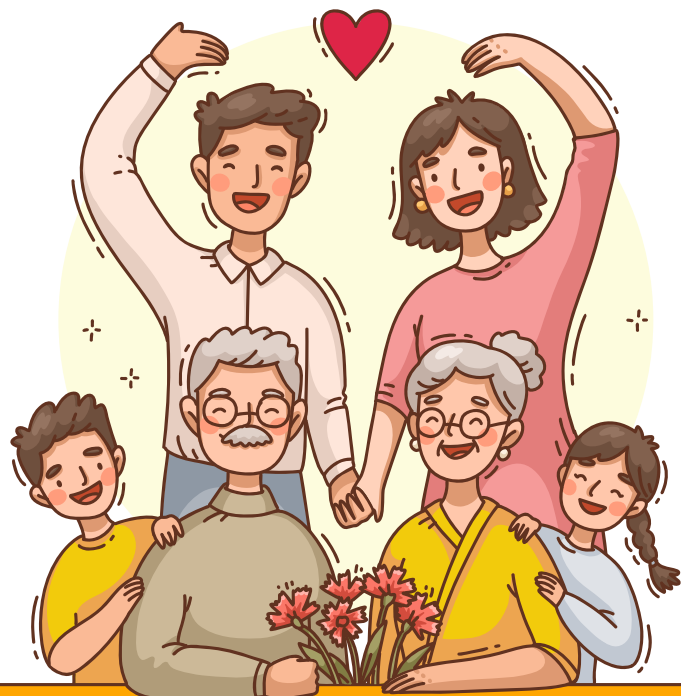
We are here, we are still and we are connected.

Be love, peace, and be divine.

Thank you, pure souls, for your genuine glance.

My kindest Regards to all of you.

**- Souha Rebhi**  
Senior Academic Executive/  
English Faculty



02 Articles from Students

05 Articles from Staff & Faculties

07 Events at Campus

08 Campus Placement

09 Fun Corner

# Articles From Students

## NEPALESE FAMILY

Nepalese family is very typical type of family. We have a lot of culture, religion in Nepal. I am from Gurung family so my family have our own Gurung cultures but we all Nepalese family celebrate each other's festival.

In my family there are four members my mother father and my oldest brother krishal Gurung. We are just normal Nepali family we love each other and support each other my father is an engineer and my mother is a housewife. She loves to make delicious food for us, she care for us really she is the most beautiful amazing person I ever had in my life. There are a lot of people in Nepal who don't have a family they don't have any financial resources for their study. That's why I feel very lucky to have one. My family did a lot for me I adore all my family members. I really very appreciate their support love and care for me.

My family is also known as Kyabri Gurung family there are many types of Gurung like Lama Gurung, Kromze Gurung, Phleme Gurung etc. In Gurung culture Lhoshar is our main festival in that festival we all Gurung family gather together and celebrate. There are so many delicious food, drinks, Gurung song, cultural dance. My grandparents are very religious so in that day they do some kind of ritual and give us some rope things called Rupa we wear that rope in our neck we Gurung's believe that rope protect us from negative energy. My parents are not so interested in western culture's they don't have any idea either but they know very well about our Nepalese culture they teach me too. There are a lot of things that I also don't know about my own culture but I am still learning. I am so grateful that I was born in this amazing Gurung family. My parents never give up on me so I'll make them proud one day.



**Srijal Gurung**  
ATHE Level 4  
Diploma in Computing

International Family Day is an annual event celebrated on May 15th to recognize the importance of families in our lives. This day provides an opportunity for people around the world to appreciate and celebrate their families, and to reflect on the role that family plays in society. International Family Day is a time to strengthen family bonds, promote family values, and acknowledge the contributions that families make to our communities and cultures.

It is a day that celebrates families around the world. The United Nations General Assembly declared May 15th as International Family Day in 1993 to raise awareness of the importance of families as the fundamental unit of society. The day is observed around the world to promote family-centered policies and to highlight issues affecting families, such as poverty, unemployment, and discrimination.

Families play a crucial role in our lives. They provide us with a sense of identity, belonging, and purpose. Celebrating families reminds us of the importance of nurturing these relationships, and the positive impact they have on our lives. It also encourages us to provide support and care to those who may not have a traditional family structure or who may be facing difficult circumstances.

International students may face challenges such as language barriers, homesickness, and cultural differences, making family support a crucial source of motivation and encouragement. The experience is not only about academic pursuits but also about personal growth, socializing, and exploring different areas of life. The feeling of longing for family, friends, and the familiar surroundings of home can make international students feel isolated and lonely. Families provide a sense of belonging and emotional support to their members. International students come from diverse cultural backgrounds and may find it challenging to adapt to the new environment. Families can offer a sense of security and comfort, giving the student a feeling of being connected to home through regular communication. Families are also the primary source of guidance and support, which can boost a student's confidence and help them deal with issues such as academic pressure and cultural adaptation. However, being away from family can give you an opportunity for learning new skills, growing and becoming independent.

Families today face a range of challenges, including changing family structures, economic pressures, and the impact of technology on family relationships. These challenges can make it difficult for families to spend quality time together, communicate effectively, and maintain strong bonds. Strengthening family relationships is important because it can promote greater happiness and well-being for individuals and for families as a whole. Strong family bonds can also provide a sense of security and belonging, and can help to foster positive values and traditions that can be passed down through generations.



**Mukesh Samari**  
ATHE Level 4  
Diploma in Computing





## International students

In a world of borders, near and far  
A tapestry woven with dreams bizarre,  
There shines a spirit, brave and free,  
An adventure's heart, like an open sea.

Across the oceans, they take their flight,  
Seeking knowledge, a source of light,  
From distant lands, they journey afar,  
Guided by the dream of reaching a star.

They speak in language, rich and diverse,  
A symphony of cultures, a universe,  
Sharing stories, traditional and delight,  
Enriching minds, with stories untold.

Oh international students, we celebrate you  
For courage, strength, and dreams  
May your journey be filled up with success,  
In this global arena, you truly impress.

So let us hold, hand in hand,  
The beauty of cultures, a treasure so grand,  
For in the arena of humanity, we find,  
That were all connected, lace.



**Santosh Gurang**  
ATHE Level 4  
Events Management

Family means having someone to love you unconditionally in spite of you and your shortcomings. It always feels blessed to have this supportive, Loving and Caring family. No matter how bad your days are, one call to them, and I am ok.

Being an international student it's a very tough job because you are far from home and missing them. Talking about my family, I have 4 members. My Mom, her unconditional love and care and one of the best things I miss right now is the Food she used to make. My father, his responsibilities and his desire to see me as a successful and a great human being. And my Handsome Brother who is always there in my Highs and Lows. Who keeps on motivating and always there to bring smile on my face. I am missing them so much right now that there is no words to express my feelings for them and Lots of Love from my side.



**Jeewan Kattel**  
CTH Level 4 Diploma  
Hospitality Management



## ETERNAL FAMILY LOVE

Family occupies a special place in our lives and is an important and beloved component of human existence. It stands the test of time as a haven of love, support, and camaraderie. The family link persists, bringing together hearts and spirits from the warmth of childhood to the wisdom of old age. This poem celebrates the enduring power of family, exploring the profound impact it has on our lives, and emphasizing its timeless nature.

In the grasp of love, an offspring bloom,  
Bound by bonds that frustrate history's gloom.  
Through violent empyreans and mild breeze  
Always and continually, they find their ease.

Like a curtain spun accompanying clothes of care,  
Their wholeness shines, a flame so rare.  
With amiability and hearts that mend,  
They walk together, until the end.

Through troubles and triumphs, they hold each other,  
Guiding through mystery, like sister and brother.  
Through amusement and tears, they share their souls,  
In their deal with, each courage feels whole.

They stand as a fortress, hand in hand,  
Facing life's battles, united they stand.  
Through highs and lows, they find their way,  
For family's love, there's no price to pay.



**Pritam Gupta**  
ATHE Level 4  
Business Management





Being an international student can be a daunting experience. The transition to a new country, unfamiliar academic system, and cultural differences can all pose significant challenges. However, having the support of family can make all the difference. From emotional support to practical assistance, their encouragement and guidance played a crucial role in my academic success and personal growth. Through this article, I hope to demonstrate the importance of family support for international students and express my gratitude to the people who made my journey possible.

Studying abroad is an exciting opportunity that allows students to gain new experiences, learn new cultures, and expand their horizons. However, being an international student can also be a gloomy experience, especially when it comes to dealing with homesickness and cultural adjustment.

It can be challenging for international students to adapt to the new environment and build new relationships. This is where the role of family support comes into play. Family support can significantly improve the well-being, academic success, and social adjustment of international students. Family members can provide emotional support, advice, and motivation to help their loved ones navigate the challenges of studying abroad.

When I first arrived in a new country to study, I was excited but also overwhelmed. I found it challenging to adjust to the new environment and make new friends. However, my family was always there to provide support and encouragement. They sent packages filled with my favorite snacks, books, and photos. Whenever I felt homesick, I would call them or video chat, and they would listen to me and offer words of comfort. They also sent me postcards and letters to remind me that I was loved and missed. These small acts of kindness made a huge difference in my well-being and made me feel connected to my family despite the distance.

International students stay away from their families for an extended period. I made a conscious effort to stay in touch with my family through phone calls, text messages, and video chats. We would share updates about our daily lives, discuss news, and share our concerns.

In conclusion, the support of family is crucial for international students. Their encouragement, support, and love are vital in helping students navigate the challenges of studying abroad. Staying connected with family is also important in maintaining strong family ties despite the distance. The support of my family has been critical to my success as an international student. Their emotional support, practical assistance, and guidance in navigating cultural differences have been invaluable. I am grateful for their unwavering support throughout my international education. The role played by family in the success of international students cannot be overstated, and I am thankful for the role that my family has played in my journey. In conclusion, I am immensely grateful for the support of my family during my time as an international student. Their encouragement, guidance, and practical assistance made all the difference in my academic success and personal growth. I hope that this article has emphasized the importance of family support for international students and inspired others to seek out the same kind of care and guidance.



**Manish Samari**  
ATHE Level 4  
Diploma in Computing



## Family Bonding

In the tapestry of life, there's a thread so strong,  
That weaves together hearts, where we all belong.  
It's the bond of family, a treasure untold,  
A love that's eternal, a story of gold.

Through ups and downs, we stand hand in hand,  
United as one, a resilient band.  
Through joys and sorrows, we find our way,  
With love as our compass, guiding each day.

In laughter and tears, we share our delight,  
A symphony of emotions, harmonious and bright.  
We lift each other up when spirits are low,  
With words of encouragement, our love will always grow.

In moments of triumph, we celebrate together,  
With cheers and applause, our unity a tether.  
For in our achievements, we all have a stake,  
Each victory shared, a legacy we make.

In times of despair, we offer a shoulder,  
A refuge of solace, where hearts grow bolder.  
With compassion and empathy, we mend every break,  
As a family, we heal, and bonds we remake.

Through the passage of time, our memories entwine,  
Moments captured forever, in our hearts they shine.  
From childhood adventures to milestones we've seen,  
The tapestry of our family, a vibrant scene.

No matter the distance or miles that divide,  
Our love knows no boundaries, it forever abides.  
For family is not defined by blood alone,  
But by the love and connections that have grown.

So let us cherish this bond, this precious gift,  
A family's embrace, a spirit uplifted.  
For in family bonding, we find our true worth,  
A love that endures, the greatest on Earth.



**Dr Triptii Shelkke**  
Faculty (Business &  
Event Management)

International Family Day is a day dedicated to celebrating the importance of families and promoting their well-being. It is observed on various dates around the world, depending on the country or organization that recognizes it. The purpose of this day is to highlight the significance of families as the fundamental units of society and to raise awareness about issues affecting families globally.

Overall, International Family Day serves as a reminder to cherish and support our families, acknowledge their importance, and work towards creating a nurturing and inclusive environment for all family members. It encourages societies to prioritize family values, strengthen family ties, and promote the well-being of families worldwide.

Even if your family is physically far away, they can still remain the most important people in your life. Distance does not diminish the significance of the bond and love shared with family members.



**Svetlana**  
Faculty (Language  
Studies)

## The Power of Togetherness – International Family Day

As the old saying goes, “Home is where the heart is”. On May 15th, we celebrated International Family Day, a global observance that honors the invaluable role of families in the world. This special day reminds us to cherish and nurture our familial bonds, as well as awareness about the challenges faced by families around the world.



International Family Day encourages individuals to invest time and effort in strengthening family bonds. In today's fast-paced world, setting aside quality time with family has become more crucial than ever. This day serves as a gentle reminder to reconnect with family members and create lasting memories. Whether it is gathering around the dinner table, participating in enjoyable activities, or simply engaging in heartfelt conversations, these shared moments foster a sense of belonging within our families.

Additionally, it raises awareness about challenges that can happen in urban environments. It shines a light on critical concerns such as poverty, access to healthcare and education, work-life balance, and numerous other barriers that confront us in today's world. By emphasizing these challenges, the day encourages a broader understanding of the issues faced by families and inspires collective efforts toward overcoming them.

International Family Day reinforces the importance of core family values, such as love, respect, communication, and support. These values form the foundation for a strong, healthy, and harmonious relationship. By promoting these values, we cultivate an atmosphere that nurtures personal growth, emotional well-being, and overall happiness.

Amidst the rush of everyday life, International Family Day Serves as an evocative reminder of the vital role families play in our personal lives and society at large. It underscores the significance of honoring, supporting, and maintaining our familial connections while acknowledging the obstacles they may encounter. Let us embrace this special day as an opportunity to express gratitude, strengthen our bonds, and cherish the love that resonates within each and every one of us!



**Petar Krstic**  
Faculty (Hospitality Management)



# History of International Family Day

International Family Day, which is also sometimes referred to as International Day of Families, is an observance that was initiated by the United Nations General Assembly (UN-GA) in 1993. The first celebration of the day took place in 1994.

The United Nations declared that the purpose of establishing this day about families was to promote awareness of the issues that surround families, as well as to increase the knowledge of the processes that affect families, including social, demographic and economic factors.

Each year, the United Nations declares a theme to go along with the celebration of International Family Day. These themes are meant to align with and raise awareness for the various issues, problems and situations that families throughout the world are facing.

Some of the past themes for International Family Day have included:

- 2022 – Families and Urbanization
- 2021 – Families and New Technologies
- 2020 – Families in Development
- 2019 – Families and Climate Action: Focus on SDG13

The celebration of International Family Day every year brings with it a variety of new opportunities and ways to raise awareness for the day. And, in doing so, the purpose is to improve the well-being and care of families around the globe.



**Mira Surkheti**  
Executive Student Affairs

## International Day of Families

The International Day of Families was established by the United Nations in 1993 to raise awareness about the importance of families and to promote the role of families in society. The day is observed every year on May 15th and serves as an opportunity to celebrate the unique bond and love that families share. On this day, we must recognize that some families are facing hardships, while also being grateful for our own families. This day can be what you make of it. It's a day to celebrate your family and acknowledge what your family means to you.

Some things we can see on or leading up to International Day of Families each year are awareness-raising events, broadcasts, media reports, and national family days. For example, many families play a role in their children's education, even as they get older. International Day of Families is important for several reasons. Not only does it raise awareness about issues impacting families globally, it reminds us how crucial family is to society. Without family, many of us would not be where we are today.

National family day has a lot of interesting components, one of them being a symbol or a logo. The official symbol of International Day of Families is a green circle, and in the middle of that circle there is a red drawing that looks like a heart beneath a roof. This is to symbolize that family is the centre of society and a stable and loving home is pivotal to everything else we do. Family raises us in our formative years until we become adults. While not every family is perfect and there are certainly people who do not have good relationships with their families, you can use this day to celebrate whomever it is in your life that you consider "family" – even if they may not be blood relatives.



## What Makes us a family?

What makes us a family and what is its significance? The concept of family may sound simple but yet can have different variations. Families come in different forms, shapes and sizes and are the cornerstone of every society. We can be family by blood as well as by the affinity, this special connection we create with people who are not sharing our DNA. This can be friends, people from a particular community, culture, traditions, upbringing etc. Indeed, family could be anyone with whom we share love, respect, trust, understanding, tolerance and support.

Family plays a critical role in the development of individuals and society as a whole. We could consider family as a safe place, our support system. It directly impacts who we are as individuals, our perception of the world, our values, it shapes our personality and character.

Happy International Family Day, let's all take this day to reflect on what family means to us and whom are we considering family.



**Nemika Vora**  
Senior Specialist Student Affairs



**Justine Potiniere**  
Senior Specialist Student Affairs



# Events on Campus



Practical session for hospitality students on 6th April 2023. The session was conducted by Mr Petar Krstic for our students.



An Inter College Research seminar was organised by Nest Academy on 30th April 2023. The event took place at Treppan Hotel Dubai



**JJINGO STEPHEN**  
CTH Hospitality and  
Tourism Management  
won the **BEST PRESENTER AWARD**

# Congratulations

on your placements



**Timila Shakya**

Joined in:  
Starling Services

As:  
F&B Server



**Srijal Gurung**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Mohamed labeeb Gurukal**

Joined in:  
Yam Sports

As:  
Team Cordinators



**Kedarraj Pudasaini**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Pramod Tharu**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Griban Kumar Bishowkarma**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Manisha Pradhan**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Sana Adali**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Manish Singh Subedi**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



**Soniya Bk**

Joined in:  
Starling Services

As:  
F&B Server



**Manita Basnet**

Joined in:  
Starling Services

As:  
F&B Server



**Daksh Pradipbhai Vadukiya**

Joined in:  
Magic Planet

As:  
Staff Helper



# Fun Corner

## What's happening in Dubai!



### Dubai game expo summit 2023

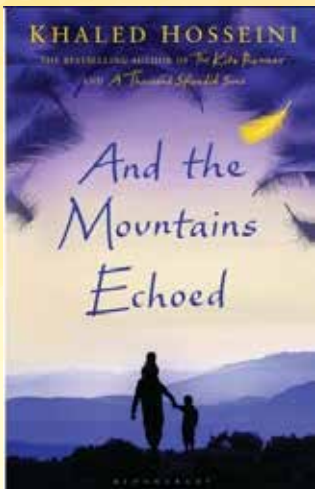
This June 21st to 22nd, the Pocket Gamer Connects team are partnering with the Dubai Economy & Tourism department (DET) to bring the global games industry an unmissable conference experience in the glorious city of Dubai, part of the fastest growing region of the international games industry.

### Meena Bazar- Dubai!

Situated in the historical district of Al Fahidi, Meena Bazaar is a cluster of shops spread across several streets. You'll find great food here in the Little India of Dubai, as well as textiles, hand-embroidered apparel, unique antiques, spices, and jewelry. The bazaar is busy day and night—you can try visiting in the afternoon when it's relatively quieter. Get here by metro or bus, and have cash ready, as smaller merchants may not accept credit cards. When you're done taking it all in, the Dubai Museum and Dubai Creek are a short distance away.



### Book recommendation:



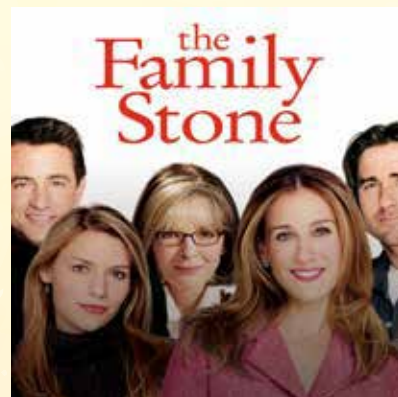
Abdullah and his sister Pari live with their father and stepmother in the small village of Shadbagh. Their father, Saboor, is constantly in search of work and they struggle together through poverty and brutal winters. To Abdullah, Pari - as beautiful and sweet-natured as the fairy for which she was named - is everything. More like a parent than a brother, Abdullah will do anything for her, even trading his only pair of shoes for a feather for her treasured collection. Each night they sleep together in their cot, their heads touching, their limbs

tangled. One day the siblings journey across the desert to Kabul with their father. Pari and Abdullah have no sense of the fate that awaits them there, for the event which unfolds will tear their lives apart; sometimes a finger must be cut to save the hand. Crossing generations and continents, moving from Kabul, to Paris, to San Francisco, to the Greek island of Tinos, with profound wisdom, depth, insight and compassion, Khaled Hosseini writes about the bonds that define us and shape our lives, the ways in which we help our loved ones in need, how the choices we make resonate through history and how we are often surprised by the people closest to us.

### Find the hidden objects.



### Movie recommendation:



A very enjoyable, heartwarming story with an entertaining balance of comical and serious tones, reflecting on the not-so-easy choices of the heart with adult siblings in this family.

All at a time, while the mother, Diane Keaton, concedes her losing battle with cancer. Poignant moments play around

some comical scenes, of her last Christmas, that are uplifting and true to her loving spirit.