

## **Centre for International Relations**

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### **Report on the Winner Speaks –Series 4 Program**

**28<sup>th</sup> August 2024**

The Centre for International Relations (CIR) organized a Program “Winner Speaks-Series 4” exclusively for BSACIST students on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2024 from 02.45 pm to 04.10 pm at the BS102 classroom on the topic “ Masters Degree in Europe: Making the Right Choice & Strategies for Financing”.

Ms. Kaaviya Balakrishnan, our alumna from the 2017-2021 was the Resource Person. Finished her Master’s in Medical Forensics last year at Uppsala University in Sweden, where she studied on a full scholarship. During her Master’s, she also had the chance to work as a summer researcher at the Max Planck Institute in Germany, and she did an Erasmus traineeship at the University of Vienna in Austria, both with scholarships. After that, she worked full-time in a paid, elected position with the student union at Uppsala University. This October, she I’ll be starting her PhD at the University of Warsaw in Poland, supported by two different scholarships. Although her main field is biotechnology, she has picked up a lot of experience in administration and securing funding through extracurricular.

She has studied and worked in several European countries and has secured multiple scholarships over the past few years.

Nearly 30 students from the various departments, participated in the event, and they also clarified their doubts regarding international internships. She shared whatever she has learned with students interested in studying abroad in Europe and applying for scholarships.


The Director, CIR honoured Ms. Kaaviya Balakrishnan with a memento.

As a whole, the program was found to be very useful for the aspiring students.

### Photos taken during the Event




## Invitation

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*You Are Invited*

*Winner*  
*Speaks*  
Series-4



*Topic*  
"Master's Degree in Europe: Making  
the Right Choice & Strategies for Financing"

*Speaker*  
*Ms. Kaaviya Balakrishnan*  
Ph.D Scholar, University of Warsaw, Poland

*August 28th, 2024*  
*02.30pm*  
*BS-102(Basic Sciences block)*

*Convener*  
*Dr. P. Rathna*  
*Director (CIR)*

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