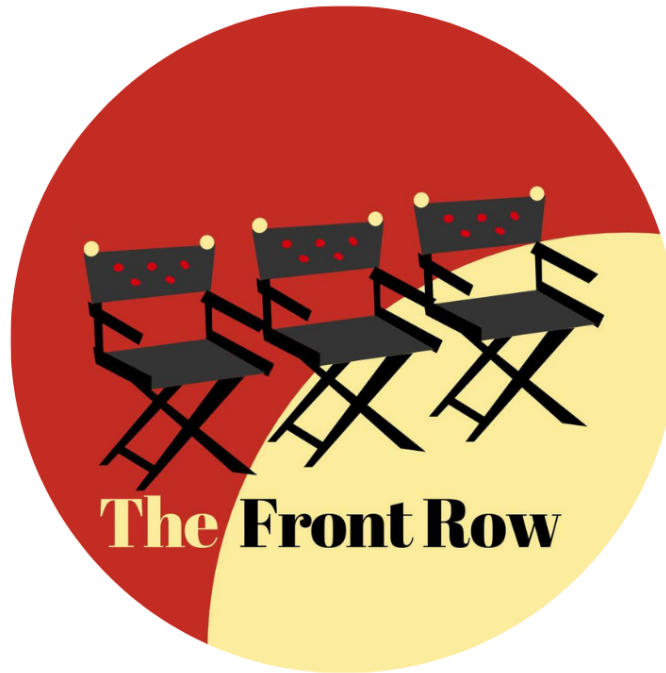


The Front Row Film Club

Annual Report 2022-2023



Description

The Front Row Film Club had a productive first year at FLAME University, dedicated to fostering a love for cinema and filmmaking among students. With a focus on recognizing film as an art form, entertainment medium, and thriving industry, the club aimed to create a vibrant film community on campus. Through film screenings, filmmaking opportunities, industry alumni interaction, and networking opportunities, the club provided students with avenues to explore their passion for storytelling and connect with professionals in the field. The first year laid a strong foundation for future growth, establishing the Front Row Film Club as a platform for film enthusiasts to come together, appreciate cinema, and pursue their creative aspirations.

Executive Committee: The EC consists of members who handle the day-to-day operations of the club and are ultimately responsible for all the Club's activities. The Executive Committee is composed of the President (Sharif Khan), Vice president (Tanishka Iyerr), Secretary (Sunishka Sill), and Treasurer (Vanshi Rajpuria).

Core-Committee: The club's Executive Committee elects club members to core-committee positions in charge of departments (such as content, inventory, logistics, and social media) to assist them in the operation of the club. The sub-committees typically operate under the direction and supervision of the Executive committee.

Active Member: An active member is a patron (member) of the club who is recorded in the club's membership register with at least their full name, and student ID. The Executive Committee will select the Active Members to be part of an Election Committee at the end of each academic year.

Executive Committee 2022 -2023

President - Sharif Khan



Vice President - Tanishka Iyer



Secretary - Sunishka Sil



Treasurer - Vanshi Rajpuria



Events Conducted by The Front Row Film Club for the Academic Year 2022 -2023

1. Club Fair - 26th August 2022

The first event of the Front Row Film Club was held during the Club Fair, which served as a platform for all FLAME University students to become acquainted with the club and its objectives. With an enthusiastic team of club members, the Front Row Film Club set up an engaging booth showcasing the captivating world of cinema. During the Club Fair, club members interacted with students, providing information about the club's mission, activities, and upcoming events. A visually appealing display featuring movie posters, film props, and other cinematic elements attracted the attention of passersby, generating curiosity and interest in the club.

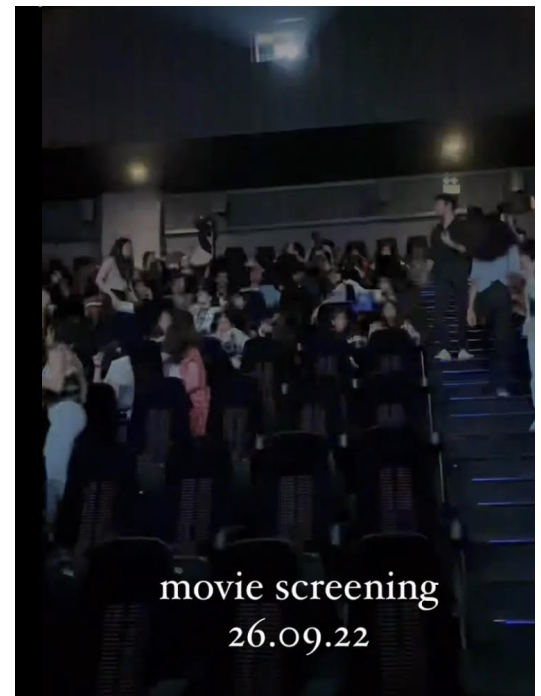
The Club Fair served as an ideal launchpad for the Front Row Film Club, introducing it to the entire FLAME University community and generating excitement and anticipation for the upcoming year. The event successfully showcased the club's commitment to fostering a love for cinema, attracting new members who shared a passion for film and were eager to embark on a cinematic journey together.



2. Middle Class Love Film Screening *26th September, 2022*

The Front Row Film Club organized a highly successful film screening event, showcasing the film "Middle-Class Love." Directed by Ms. Ratna Sinha and produced by Benaras MediaWorks and Zee Studio, the film had a special significance for FLAME University students because it was shot on our very own campus. The basketball court, the amphitheater, and the cafe all familiar places for students were featured in the film, offering a unique opportunity to witness our campus immortalized on the silver screen.

The film screening not only provided entertainment but also served as a unique opportunity for students to appreciate the creative process of filmmaking and witness the result of the collaborative efforts of the cast and crew. It was a moment of pride for the entire FLAME University community to see their campus transformed into a cinematic backdrop.



3. FILM MAZE Event collaboration *3rd October*

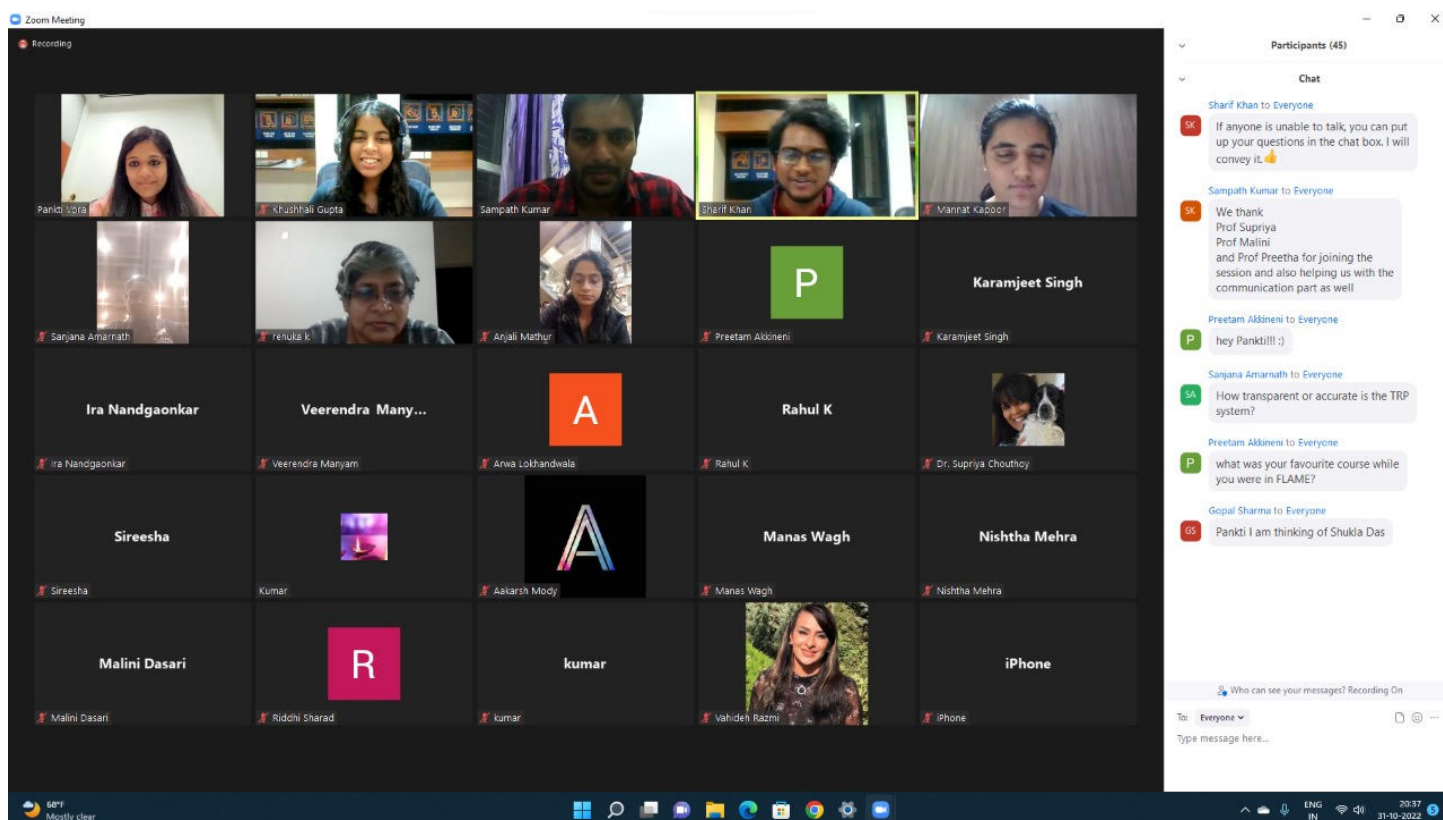
The "Film Maze" event organized by the Front Row Film Club, in collaboration with The Round Table and Flame On Board, proved to be a resounding success, leaving attendees with unforgettable memories. The evening kicked off with an atmosphere of excitement as participants engaged in a range of thrilling mini-games. Teams battled it out, showcasing their skills and determination to emerge victorious. Following the exhilarating games, everyone gathered for a much-anticipated movie screening. The venue, Kalidas, was transformed into a cozy cinematic space, setting the stage for an immersive movie-watching experience. The success of the "Film Maze" event can be attributed to the collaborative efforts of the organizing teams, who meticulously planned and executed the evening's activities. The event not only brought the FLAME University community together but also provided an opportunity for participants to bond over their shared love for films and games.



4. Collaboration with Alumni Relation cell for interaction with Pankti Vora 31st October, 2022

The Front Row Film Club joined forces with the Alumni Relations Cell to organize an enlightening and inspiring event featuring Pankti Vora, a distinguished alumna who has made her mark in the TV industry. With over a decade of experience, Pankti shared her valuable insights and discussed her journey, providing attendees with a glimpse into the industry and the opportunities that lie ahead.

The event created a platform for students to engage in a meaningful dialogue with Pankti, gaining firsthand knowledge of the TV industry and the practical aspects of working in the field. Pankti's experiences, anecdotes, and advice offered a wealth of information to aspiring filmmakers and TV professionals.



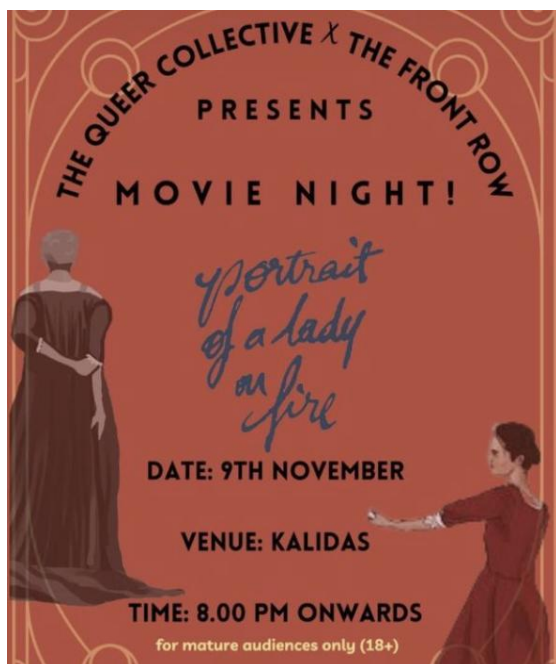
5. Collaboration with the Queer Collective *9th November, 2022*

The Front Row Film Club joined hands with The Queer Collective to host an impactful event that celebrated inclusivity and the power of cinema. The highly anticipated screening of "Portrait of a Lady on Fire" took place at Kalidas, creating an intimate and welcoming space for all attendees.

The collaboration with The Queer Collective brought together a vibrant and inclusive community, fostering a safe and supportive environment for individuals to engage with the film's themes and connect with like-minded individuals. The event not only entertained but also educated and empowered attendees, highlighting the importance of LGBTQ+ representation and the impact of storytelling in creating social change.

The event showcased the Front Row Film Club's commitment to highlighting diverse narratives and promoting representation within the film industry. "Portrait of a Lady on Fire" served as a powerful exploration of love, identity, and desire, resonating with audiences and sparking meaningful conversations about LGBTQ+ experiences.

In addition to the film screening, a special photo booth was set up, allowing individuals to capture memorable moments with their friends through polaroid portraits. This photo booth not only provided a fun and interactive experience but also served as a symbol of friendship, unity, and self-expression.



6. LEPC Conference Film and Photography Team *28th & 29th November, 2022*

The Front Row Film Club takes great pride in highlighting our significant role in the success of the Law, Economics, and Policy Conference-2022, organized in association with the Institute for New Economic Thinking. The conference, held on November 28-29, was a monumental event that brought together distinguished dignitaries, esteemed guests, and our own students for critical interactions and intellectual exchange.

As the official media team for the conference, the Front Row Film Club played a pivotal role in capturing the essence of the event. We took on the entire responsibility of photography, filming, and editing of videos, ensuring that every moment was documented with utmost professionalism and precision.

Our dedicated team skillfully captured the critical interactions between the dignitaries and our students, preserving the depth of knowledge shared and the engaging discussions that took place throughout the conference.

Through our photography, we immortalized the moments of intellectual exchange, allowing the conference's essence to be visually conveyed to a wider audience. Additionally, our filming and video editing allowed us to create captivating highlights, interviews, and speeches that captured the spirit of the conference. These videos serve as a valuable resource for future reference and knowledge dissemination, showcasing the intellectual rigor and academic excellence of FLAME University.



7. TedxFLAME University 2022 and the Club collaboration *16th January, 2022*

On the 16th of January, 2022, FLAME University hosted TEDxFLAME University, a prestigious event that showcased captivating talks and ideas worth spreading. The Front Row Film Club played a significant role in this event by providing team assistance in covering the TEDx event.

We extend our appreciation to the TEDxFLAME University organizing team for their trust and collaboration. The Front Row Film Club takes immense pride in our involvement with such an esteemed event, and we are honored to have been a part of TEDxFLAME University 2022.

We have set an allegiance with the following Tedx in the upcoming years to further this collaboration. That is each year we shall be providing support for filming and photography of the talks.



List of Active Members:

1. Sharif Khan (President) UG2
2. Tanishka Iyer (Vice President) UG2
3. Sunishka Sil (Secretary) UG2
4. Vanshi Rajpuria (Treasurer) UG2
5. Bhava Tulsulkar (Content Head) UG1
6. Bhavika Manghnani (Content Team) UG2
7. Avishi Goel (Content Team) UG1
8. Avya Sood (Content Team) UG2
9. Neha Tuheen (Design Head) UG2
10. Ira Nandgaonkar (Design Team) UG2
11. Anshika Doogar (Design Team) UG1
12. Shreya Baberwal (Logistics Head) UG2
13. Vidhi Nandwani (Logistics Team) UG1
14. Khushali Gupta (Logistics Team) UG2
15. Adrita Majumdar (Logistics Team) UG2

Introduction of New Members

President TBD

Vice President TBD

Secretary TBD

Treasurer TBD