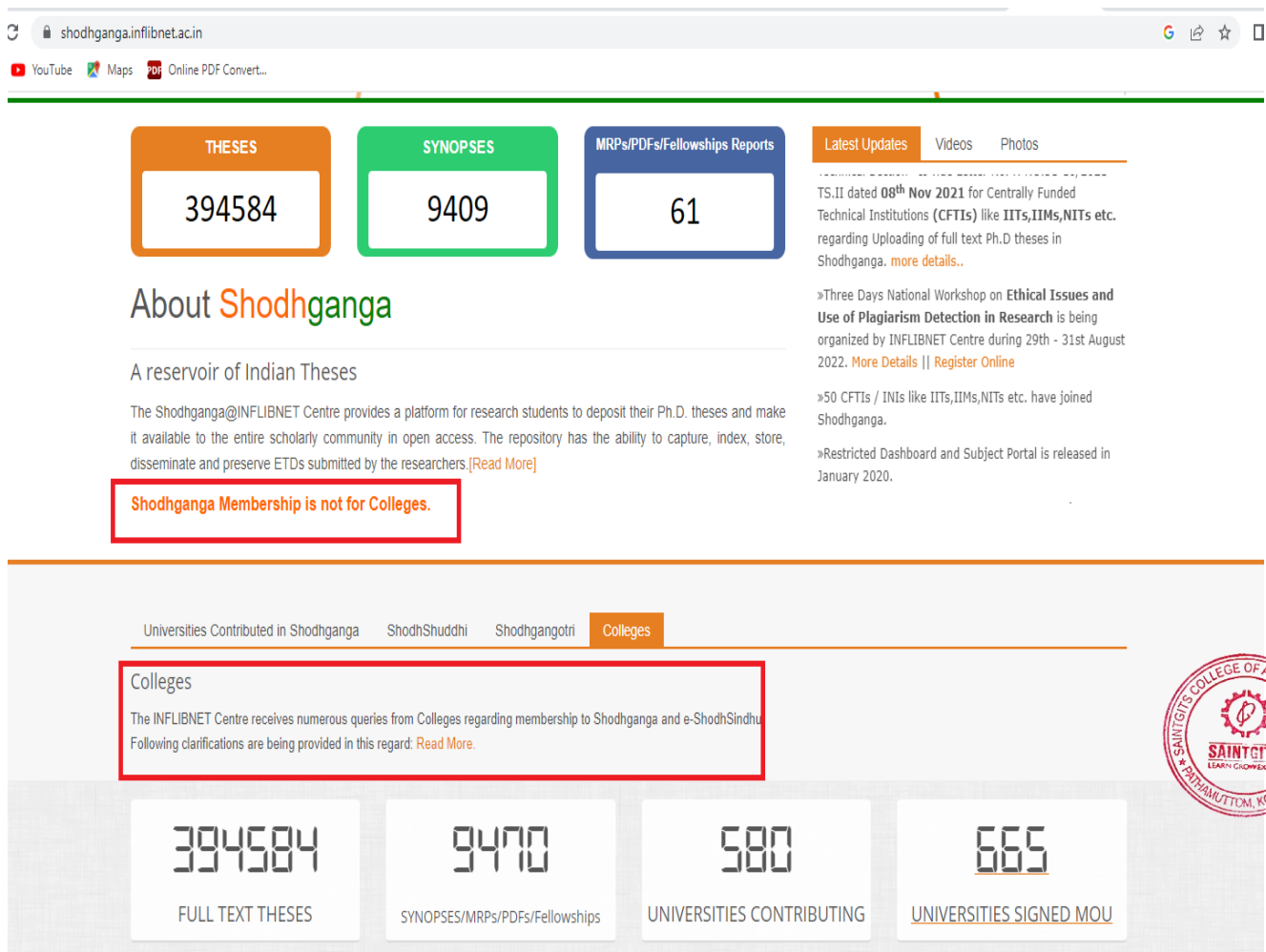




4.2.1 Institution has access to

Shodhganga Membership (Queries)



The screenshot shows the Shodhganga website interface. At the top, there are three colored boxes representing statistics: THESES (394584), SYNOPSES (9409), and MRPs/PDFs/Fellowships Reports (61). Below these is a section titled 'About Shodhganga' with a sub-header 'About Shodhganga' and a paragraph describing the repository. A red-bordered box highlights the text: 'Shodhganga Membership is not for Colleges.' Below this is a navigation menu with 'Colleges' selected. A text box under 'Colleges' states: 'The INFLIBNET Centre receives numerous queries from Colleges regarding membership to Shodhganga and e-ShodhSindhu. Following clarifications are being provided in this regard: Read More.' At the bottom, there are four white boxes with large numbers and labels: 394584 FULL TEXT THESES, 9470 SYNOPSES/MRPs/PDFs/Fellowships, 580 UNIVERSITIES CONTRIBUTING, and 665 UNIVERSITIES SIGNED MOU. A circular stamp is visible on the right side of the screenshot.

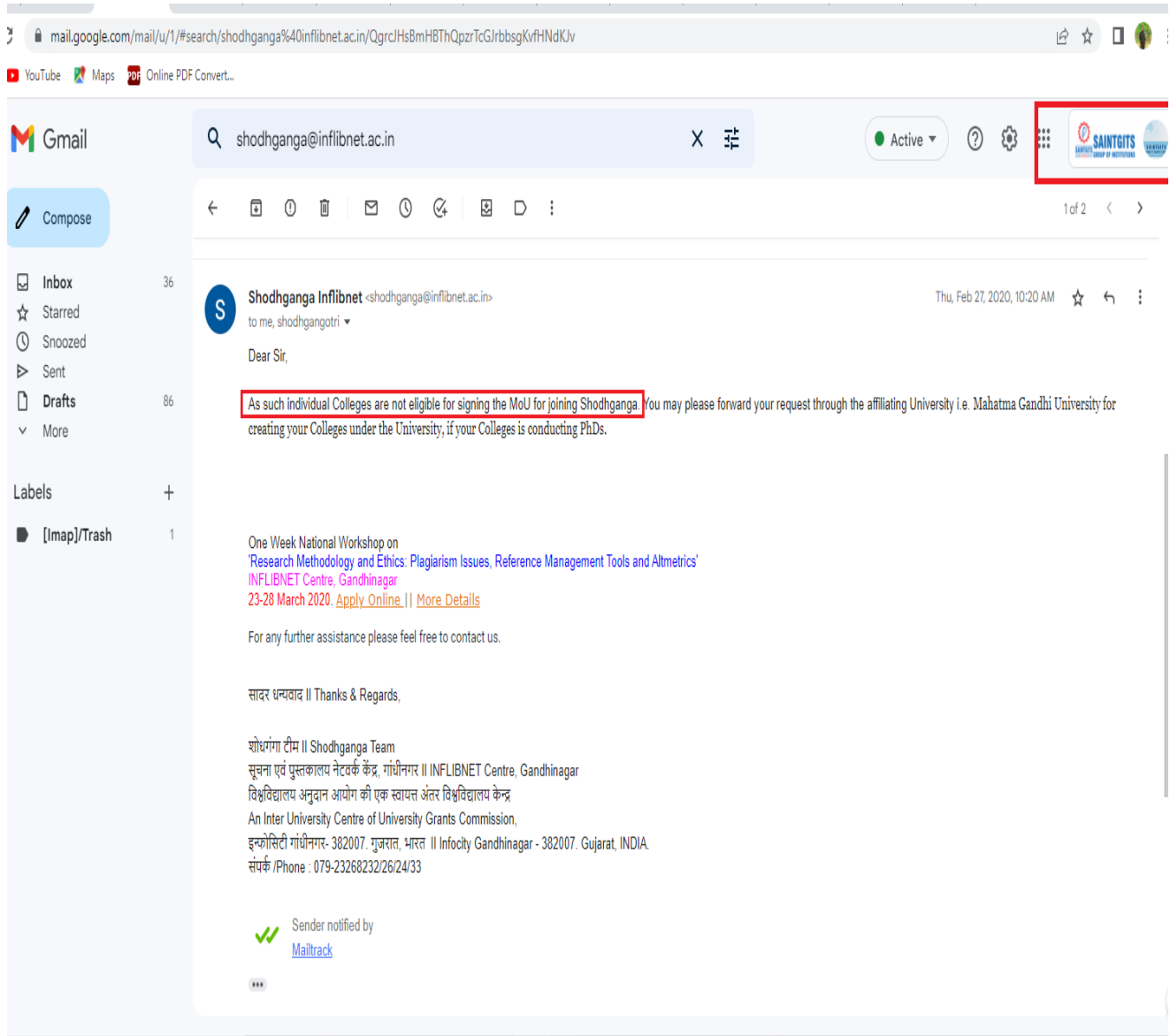
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Dear Sir,

As such individual Colleges are not eligible for signing the MoU for joining Shodhganga. You may please forward your request through the affiliating University i.e. Mahatma Gandhi University for creating your Colleges under the University, if your Colleges is conducting PhDs.

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Sub: Queries Regarding Shodhganga and e-ShodhSindhu being received from Colleges: Clarifications

The INFLIBNET Centre receives numerous queries from Colleges regarding membership to Shodhganga and e-ShodhSindhu. Following clarifications are being provided in this regard:

Shodhganga: Shodhganga is an Open Access Repository of full-text theses submitted to universities in India. Membership is not required to browse, view, search and download theses available in Shodhganga. However, INFLIBNET signs MoUs with universities so as to facilitate submission of electronic version of theses into Shodhganga and synopses/approved research proposals into Shodhgangotri. The eligible universities that signs MoUs with INFLIBNET Centre on Shodhganga are provided access to anti-plagiarism software. **Colleges are not eligible for this benefit.** (Details are available at <http://shodhganga.inflibnet.ac.in>)

e-ShodhSindhu: Colleges that are covered under 12(B) & 2(f) Sections of the UGC Act and are under direct purview of UGC are entitled to get access to e-resources under NLIST programme except for Colleges imparting education in Agriculture, Engineering, Management, Medical, Pharmacy, Dentistry and Nursing. **NLIST is college component of e-ShodhSindhu. NLIST subscribes to a sub-set of e-resources that are subscribed under e-ShodhSindhu.** As such, Colleges that are already getting access to e-resources under NLIST do not require membership of e-ShodhSindhu. (More details are available at <http://nlist.inflibnet.ac.in/members.php>)



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