

Delhi College of Arts & Commerce
(University of Delhi)
Netaji Nagar, New Delhi - 110023

ANNUAL REPORT 2018-2019

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

On the occasion of 31 Annual Day and Prize Distribution Ceremony, 2019, I extend a warm welcome to our Chief Guest DCP South West Mr. Devender Arya, and our Guest of Honour, Mr Shammi Narang, Film and Television Personality.

I also welcome the awardees, my dear colleagues and non-teaching staff. As I place the Annual Report before you, I am confident that you will appreciate and take pride in the achievements of both the students and faculty members of the College in the academic and co-curricular activities. A perusal of the Report will highlight the contribution of all stakeholders maintaining a high standard of performance in the various activities that were conducted in the college.

Over the course of the academic year our students earned laurels in various sports, NCC and NSS. In addition to this they participated in Student seminars and presented papers and some of those are to published in journals, our faculty is actively engaged in higher research: five members are currently pursuing their PhDs, many have participated in international and national seminars and conferences and have had their work published as monographs and in various books, journals and magazines.

Dr Rajiv Chopra
OSD-Principal

Major Achievements and Activities during 2018-2019

The IQAC cell in collaboration with ELA organised a talk on Dalit literature on 09th April, 2019. Professor Rajkumar, Head, Department of English, University of Delhi, was the keynote speaker and addressed the students on the topic "Dalit Literature: Text & Context". The Internal Complaints Committee in association with the Gender sensitization cell organized "**DIGITAL SHAKTI WORKSHOP**" by **Cyber Peace Foundation in collaboration with National Commission for Women, New Delhi** on Digital Literacy and Online Safety with a special focus on women safety as well as many other events.

In celebrating 150 year of Mahatma Gandhiji's birth anniversary several activities were held which connected with message of 'Clean and Green India.' On 21 June 2018 the fourth International Yoga Day was celebrated. The SC/ST/OBC Cell organized a talk to mark Ambedkar Jayanti on 15 April on Mahatma Jyotiba Phule and Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar by Prof Narender (JNU), Prof Y.S.Alone (JNU) and Dr Ratan Lal (Hindu College, DU). The Unity Day was observed on 31 October to mark birthday of Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel. Homage was also paid to our freedom fighters. The Swachhta Pakwada was observed in the month of August 2018. On 1 August Swachhta Pledge was taken. The Vigilance Awareness Week was observed from 29 October 2018 to 3 November 2018. An Integrity pledge was taken by academics, students and administrative staff.

As part of **Outreach activity** from 6 to 8 August an awareness campaign was carried out in the RDO complex, the adopted slum. College campus was also cleaned. On 13 August cleaning of Safdarjung Tomb was undertaken after obtaining permission of ASI. Our NSS volunteers have been part of the Election Commission of India awareness drive and for first time voters. They collated details about unregistered voters and sent to the office of Election Commission. On 16 April 2019 workshop for mock hands-on experience was given to students in using of EVMS and VVPATI.

A campaign to make students aware of the mental health issues a Panel Discussion was organised in November 2018, comprising expert Psychologists Dr. Neetu Rana, Dr. Sujatha Sharma, Dr. Ruchika Kanwal and psychiatrist Dr. Avdesh Sharma.

Noted speakers and Academicians who visited the college to address the students include Padmashree awardee and founder of Zubaan Publishings, Ms. Urvashi Butalia; Mr Rajat Sharma noted media person and television anchor; Prof. Arvind Sinha, (Retd) History, JNU; Prof Rajkumar, (Head) Department of English, DU; Prof Sumanyu Satpathy (Retd Head) Department of English, DU; Prof. Santosh Mehrotra, JNU; Prof Narender (JNU), Prof Y.S.Alone(JNU) and Dr Ratan Lal(Hindu College, DU), Prof. Ajay Gudavarthy, JNU, Prof. Apoorvanand DU, and Ms Manisha Mashaal, a social activist Prof. Indradeep Ghosh,(Dean), Meghnad Desai Academy of Economics, Mumbai; Mr Frank Edozienin, Journalism faculty at New York University; Mr Anand Vardhan, Dr Lipika Kamra and Ms Niha Masih media persons, political satirist Mr Sanjay Rajoura, Mr Vinayak Dalmia and Mr Vinit Goenka; Mr. Aruni Mahapatra (Research scholar), Emory University, Dr Arun Kumar, Nottingham University Ms. Sunita Sanghi, Additional Secretary and Senior Advisor, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship GOI, Eminent Advocate, Human rights activist & Social worker Ms. Abha Singh, Dr Veerendra Mishra, Director NSS Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports among others.

Dr Amrit Kaur Basra (History) has been awarded for her distinguished social service at MTNL Perfect Health Mela on 25 September 2018.

Dr. Rittvika Singh (English) was awarded Ph. D. from Department of English, Banaras Hindu University.

Our student Bhavyansh Mathur (Sem 6) History presented a paper on Jyotibha Phule in Undergraduate Researchers Conference 2019 held at Hansraj College, University of Delhi and won the Best Paper award. Two of our students have successfully cleared the UPSC mains Shubham Gupta AIR 6 and Suraj Shaji AIR288 (Economics) and one of our History Alumnus Dr Arun Kumar has obtained a teaching position at Nottingham University, England.

Ambrosia, the annual cultural festival of the college was held on 14-15 February 2019. It included competitions like Rap Battle, Dance Competition, Prom, PUBG battle, Flash Mob among other interesting activities. The first day ended with students dancing to DJ Krathor's playlist in the college grounds. The main attraction of the festival, however, was Maninder Butter, who performed the next day and set the stage on fire. Students from various colleges of Delhi University participated in the festival with much enthusiasm despite intermittent rains on both days, and made it a big success.

To take a walk down the corridors of nostalgia, G.D.S.C/ DCAC Alumni Association organised its annual meet on 24 February 2019. The event was inaugurated by the chief guest, Mr. Rajat Sharma, the Chairman and Editor-in-Chief of India TV. The meet started traditionally with the lighting of lamp by the chief guest and was followed by Saraswati *vandana*. The occasion was graced by more than 300 Alumni and their family members ranging across various batches, and from different parts of the country and even beyond. Speaking on the occasion, the principal Dr Rajiv Chopra underlined and praised the achievements of the alumni in diverse walks of life. He felt that it was a matter of great pride for the institution that its alumni are holding positions of responsibility in various Government organisations, PSUs, MNCs and academic institutions. Many of them are successful entrepreneurs providing and creating jobs. He praised their contribution towards the growth of their *alma mater* and emphasised the need for further strengthening the linkage between the Alumni and current students.

It was followed by a motivational speech by our chief guest, Mr. Sharma, who through his words allowed us to look into his past which was a great source of inspiration. A short film showcased the journey of each society that makes DCAC what it is today. Notable Alumni were presented with mementos by the principal, Dr. Rajiv Chopra, the founder-principal, Dr. S.C. Shukla, ex-principal, Dr. M. S. Rawat and Mr. Amit Saxena, the president of alumni association along with the chief guest.

Major Grants and Projects

Meera Malhan (Economics)

Project with National Council of Educational Research and Training 2017-18: Wrote a module on GST for NCERT's MOOCs project.

Dr Shalini Saksena (Economics)

Project with Central Institute of Educational Technology, NCERT, Delhi:

Reviewing and Developing Economics Modules of Class XII for final review and script writing of videos for MOOC, June – November 2018.

The College results at a glance:

S. No	Class/Course	No. of Students Appeared	1 st Div.	2 nd Div.	3 rd Div.	E.R	Total Passed	Failed	Result Later
1	B.A. (Prog.) 1 st Yr.	157	40	41	16	47	144	11	02
2	B.A. (Prog.) 2 nd Yr.	137	47	46	14	28	135	01	01
3	B.A. (Prog.) 3 rd Yr.	196	69	69	10	47	148	00	01
	Total	490	156	156	40	122	427	12	04
4	B.Com. (Prog.) 1 st Yr.	153	60	41	13	35	149	04	00
5	B.Com. (Prog.) 2 nd Yr.	157	69	45	09	30	153	04	00
6	B.Com. (Prog.) 3 rd Yr.	122	70	31	06	15	107	00	00
	Total	432	199	117	28	80	409	08	00
7	B.Com. (Hons.) 1 st Yr.	96	37	25	08	24	94	02	00
8	B.Com. (Hons.) 2 nd Yr.	95	54	19	03	19	95	00	00
9	B.Com. (Hons.) 3 rd Yr.	379	326	43	00	09	369	00	01
	Total	570	417	87	11	52	558	02	01
10	B.A. (H) English 1 st Yr.	63	21	24	04	12	61	02	00
11	B.A. (H) English 2 nd Yr.	61	09	26	12	13	60	01	00
12	B.A. (H) English 3 rd Yr.	39	13	17	05	04	35	00	00
	Total	163	43	67	21	29	156	03	00
13	B.A. (H) Economics 1 st Yr.	54	23	01	02	23	49	05	00
14	B.A. (H) Economics 2 nd Yr.	34	21	07	01	05	34	00	00
15	B.A. (H) Economics 3 rd Yr.	33	23	07	00	03	30	00	00
	Total	121	67	15	03	31	113	05	00
16	B.A. (H) History 1 st Yr.	56	21	26	02	07	56	00	00
17	B.A. (H) History 2 nd Yr.	55	14	25	02	14	55	00	00
18	B.A. (H) History 3 rd Yr.	47	20	18	01	08	39	00	00
	Total	158	55	69	05	29	150	00	00
19	B.A. (H) Pol. Sc. 1 st Yr.	47	25	14	03	04	46	01	00
20	B.A. (H) Pol. Sc. 2 nd Yr.	49	28	11	02	07	48	01	00
21	B.A. (H) Pol. Sc. 3 rd Yr.	42	27	13	01	01	41	00	00
	Total	138	80	38	06	12	135	02	00
22	B.A. (H) Journalsim 1 st Yr.	29	17	08	00	04	29	00	00
23	B.A. (H) Journalsim 2 nd Yr.	35	12	11	01	10	34	01	00
24	B.A. (H) Journalsim 3 rd Yr.	31	19	11	00	01	30	00	00
	Total	95	48	30	01	15	93	01	00
	GRAND TOTAL	2167	1065	579	115	370	2041	33	05

University Result for the Year (2017-2018)

List of Rank Holders 3rd Year 2017-18

S. No.	C. Roll No.	Univ. Exam Roll No.	Name of Students	Course	CGPA	Rank in Class
1.	198	15016501009	SHIVAM CHAUHAN	B.A. (PROG.)	8.606	I
2.	1287	15016501158	GUNJAN KHATTAR	B.A. (PROG.)	8.439	II
3.	146	15016503006	MANSI ZAVERI	B.COM.(PROG.)	8.924	I
4.	59	15016503003	ARCHANA	B.COM.(PROG.)	8.364	II
5.	223	15016504008	JANHVI KUMARI	B.COM.(H)	8.257	I
6.	1028	15016504339	KUNAL BANSAL	B.COM.(H)	8.216	II
7.	528	15016510002	MAHIMA SHARMA	B.A.(H) ECONOMICS	8.351	I
8.	1138	15016510018	RAJESH GARG	B.A.(H) ECONOMICS	8.324	II
9.	1347	15016511038	LAKSHAYA GUPTA	B.A.(H) ENGLISH	7.473	I
10.	627	15016511020	GAURAV KUMAR	B.A.(H) ENGLISH	7.203	II
11.	120	15016518027	SIDDHARTH TIWARI	B.A.(H) HISTORY	7.703	I
12.	113	15016518025	VAIBHAV SRIVASTAVA	B.A.(H) HISTORY	7.189	II
13.	27	15016527009	ARADHANA GUPTA	B.A.(H) POL. SCIENCE	7.392	I
14.	81	15016527016	RAHUL KUMAR	B.A.(H) POL. SCIENCE	7.324	II
15.	334	15016520005	HARSHVARDHAN	B.A.(H) JOURNALISM	7.649	I
16.	675	15016520020	SHASHWAT SINGH	B.A.(H) JOURNALISM	7.608	II

List of Rank Holders 2nd Year 2018-19

SNO.	COLLEGE./Univ.	NAME OF STUDENTS	COURSE	CGPA	RANK IN CLASS
1	16501010	MS. BHAVIKA	B.A.(PROG.)	8.45	I
	16016501007				
2	16501034	MR. HARSHIT CHOUDHARY	B.A.(PROG.)	8.36	II
	16016501026				
3	16510002	KIRTIVARDHAN SINGH	B.A.(HONS) ECONOMICS	9.07	I
	16016510002				
4	16510004	MS. PRIYANSHI BANSAL	B.A.(HONS) ECONOMICS	8.64	II
	1601650004				
5	16518053	MR. BHAVYANSH MATHUR	B.A.(HONS) HISTORY	8.21	I
	16016518051				
6	16518028	MR. ADITYA NARAYAN TARAKANT	B.A.(HONS) HISTORY	8.04	II
	16016518026				
7	16511041	MS. SHIKHA JHA	B.A.(HONS) ENGLISH	7.07	I
	16016511041				
8	16511001	MS. EESHA SHONAK	B.A.(HONS) ENGLISH	7	II
	16016511001				

9	16527002	MR. VIBHAV RAWAT	B.A.(HONS) POL.SC.	7.89	I
	16016527002				
10	16527031	MR. ABHISHEK BHADANA	B.A.(HONS) POL.SC.	7.79	II
	16016527030				
11	16527033	MR. VIPIN RAGHUVANSHI	B.A.(HONS) POL.SC.	7.79	II
	16016527032				
12	16520011	MR. ANANT GUPTA	B.A.(HONS) JOURNALISM	7.96	I
	16016520011				
13	16520017	MS. PHALAK ARORA	B.A.(HONS) JOURNALISM	7.54	II
	16016520017				
14	16503039	MR. DANISH MAHAJAN	B.COM (PROG)	8.82	I
	16016503036				
15	16503004	MR. DWARKESH SONI	B.COM(PROG)	8.5	II
	16016503004				
16	16504007	MS. SRISHTI JAIN	B.COM(HONS)	9.39	I
	16016504006				
17	16504053	MS. KANIKA SHARMA	B.COM(HONS)	9.32	II
	16016504061				

List of Rank Holders 1st Year 2018-19

S. No.	Name of the Student/ Course/ Enrolment No.	CGPA	RANK IN CLASS
1	ANUJ PRATAP SINGH B. A. (Prog.) 17016501001/ 501	8.09	I
2	RAMAN B. A. (Prog.) 17016501052/ 566	7.77	II
3	VRISHAN BATRA B.Com. 17016503006/ 706	8.23	I
4	SHAVIKA RANI B.Com 17016503061/ 779	7.91	II
5	MEHEK RAI B.Com. (Hons.) 17016504082/ 948	7.82	I

6	SOMYA GUPTA B.Com. (Hons.) 17016504012/ 917	7.68	II
7	VASU ARORA B.A. (Hons.) Economics 17016510001/ 1	8.86	I
8	ADITYA SHARMA B.A. (Hons.) Economics 17016510027/ 36	8.41	II
9	PARTH PANT B.A. (Hons.) English 17016511035/ 140	7.55	I
10	PRAKHAR VARSHNEY B.A. (Hons.) English 17016511037/ 142	7.27	II
11	ABHISHEK KUMAR B.A. (Hons.) History 17016518003/ 203	7.59	I
12	SAMEER MANI TRIPATHI B.A. (Hons.) History 17016518004/ 204	7.5	II
13	ABHIJEET PANDEY B.A. (Hons.) Political Science 17016527009/ 41	7.82	I
14	MOHINI B.A. (Hons.) Political Science 17016527022/ 424	7.27	II
15	TANU YAPIK B.A. (Hons.) Political Science 17016527032/ 436	7.27	II
16	ANUKRITI SACHDEVA B.A. (Hons.) Journalism 17016520020/ 321	7.14	I

17	ADITYA VIKRAM SHEKHAWAT B.A. (Hons.) Journalism 17016520004/304	7	II
18	NILESH KUMAR SWAMI B.A. (Hons.) Journalism 17016520017/318	7	II

**International Conference/Symposia Attended/Papers Presented/Conference Proceedings/
Faculty Development Programmes or Workshops Attended/ Invited Speakers or Resource
Persons:**

Department of Computer Science

Dr V B Singh

- Participated and chaired session in the Conference on **Software Engineering and Data Sciences (CoSEDS 2018)**, University of Kashmir, 20-21 June 2018
- Participated and chaired session in **18th International conference on “ Intelligent System Design and Application (ISDA-2018) & 10th World Congress on Nature and Biologically Inspired Computing (NABIC)** organized by School of Information Technology and Engineering, Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore, India 6 – 8 December 2018.
- Participated and chaired session in the **9th International conference on “Quality, Reliability, Infocom Technology and Business Operations** organized by University of Delhi, Delhi, 27– 29 December 2018.

Ms. Madhu Kumari

- Participated in the **Conference on Software Engineering and Data Sciences (CoSEDS 2018)**, University of Kashmir, June 20-21, 2018
- An improve classifier based on entropy and deep learning for bug priority prediction, in the **18th International conference on “ Intelligent System Design and Application (ISDA-2018) & 10th World Congress on Nature and Biologically Inspired Computing (NABIC)”** organized by School of Information Technology and Engineering, Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore, India, During 6th – 8th December, 2018.
- “ Predicting the fix time of a reported bug using Radoop: A Big Data Approach” in the **9th International conference on “ Quality, Reliability, Infocom Technology and Business Operations”** organized by University of Delhi, Delhi, India, During 27th – 29th December, 2018.

Department of English

Dr. Vinita Gupta Chaturvedi

- Invited Lecture on “Modernism: Early 20th Century British Literature” , Avadh Girls’ Degree College, University of Lucknow , 22 September 2018 Special Lecture Series.

Dr Smita Banerjee

- “Melodrama and Postcoloniality : Self fashioning in Popular Bengali Cinema of the 1950s-70s”. International Conference *Asia in Motion: Geographies and Genealogies* AAS-in-Asia AAS and Asoka University India Habitat Centre New Delhi 5-7 July 2018.
- “ The Hindi Film Song and the Female Voice in 1950s-60s Popular Cinema: Desire and Transgression in *Madhumati* (1958), *Bandini* (1963)”.National Conference *The Female Voice / Gaze in the Indian Cinematic Imagination* Department of English, Bharati College, University of Delhi 4-5 April 2019.
- Invited Lecture (along with Dr. Shalini Saxena and Ms.Neeru Ailawadi) titled “Kshamtaa Empowering Lives: Envisioning Sustainable, Inclusive Socio-Economic Development” in a session titled Skill Development & Women Empowerment, organized by the Internal Complaint Committee , Gender Sensitization Committee & the NSS of Delhi College of Arts & Commerce, University of Delhi, 8March 2019.
- Chaired a Session at National Conference on 4 April 2019 on “Indian Women Filmmakers” ,*The Female Voice / Gaze in the Indian Cinematic Imagination* Department of English, Bharati College, University of Delhi 4-5 April 2019.

Ms. Renu Singh

- "Dalit Language and Literature: A tool of Protest and Resistance" in National Seminar *(Re)Defining Marginalities* organised by Zakir Hussain College(Evening)16 March 2019
- "Altered Paradigm of Women and their Sexuality in Hindi cinema" in National Seminar titled *The Female Voice/Gaze in the Indian Cinematic Imagination*, organised by Bharti College, University of Delhi. 4-5 April 2019

Dr. Animesh Mohapatra

- “Worldliness of the Otherworldly: Dissemination of Devotion in the Cassette Era”, workshop “**Bonding with the Lord: Uses of Jagannath in Community Formation and Popular Culture in and Beyond Odisha**” at IIT Madras , 10-11 September 2018.

Mr. Amit Kumar Yadav

- “Of Jogi and Ballads: A song of Renunciation” at the 1st Refresher Course in Language, Literature and Culture (27-08-2018- 20-09-2018) held at HRDC-JNU, New Delhi.

Workshop Participation

Dr Vinita Gupta Chaturvedi

- Attended a one day Workshop on Implementation of the *UGC (Prevention, Prohibition And Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees & Students in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations*, 2015 organised by the Internal Complaints Committee, University of Delhi , 12 March 2019.

Mr. Amit Kumar Yadav

- Attended and successfully completed a Four Week Refresher Course in **Language, Literature and Culture** (27 August 20 September 2018) HRDC-JNU, New Delhi. (With Grade A)

Ms. Renu Singh

- Participated and successfully completed the Refresher Course (Interdisciplinary) on Global Studies, 5 -29 March 2019, JNU.
- Participated in FDP Organised on Travel Writing , Kalindi College. University of Delhi, 6 April 2019

Dr Rittvika Singh

- Participated in FDP on Literature and Cinema at Kalindi College, University of Delhi , 16 February 2018.

Ms. Enami Chopra

- Participated in FDP on Travel Writing, Kalindi College , 6 April 2019.

Department of Economics

Ms. Meera Malhan

- “Rajasthan State Archives: A Peep” at the **International Seminar-cum-Workshop**, Bikaner under the aegis of Rajasthan State Archives, Bikaner, India and University of Exeter, UK, 6 - 8 February 2019.

Dr Shalini Saxena

- Invited Lecture (along with Dr. Smita Banerjee and Ms. Neeru Ailawadi) titled “Kshamtaa Empowering Lives: Envisioning Sustainable, Inclusive Socio-Economic Development” in a session titled Skill Development & Women Empowerment, organised by the Internal Complaint Committee , Gender Sensitization Committee & the NSS of Delhi College of Arts & Commerce, University of Delhi, 8 March 2019.
- Participated in Roundtable session on “Addressing challenges related to energy efficient clean cold-chain” organised by **Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation**, Anandgram New Delhi, on 19 February 2019

Workshop Participation:

- Ms. Rashmi Sharma and Dr Shalini Saksena participated in a one day Faculty Workshop on Behavioural Economics, at Satyawati College, University of Delhi, 13 February, 2019.

Train-the-Trainer Workshop:

- Dr Shalini Saksena, Ms. Nidhi Pande and Ms. Henna Sikka participated in the workshop on “Open Data and Knowledge for Transparency, Advocacy and Research” organised by the World Bank, New Delhi, 17 April 2018.

Mr. Bir Singh

- Attended an Orientation Course conducted by UGC-HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, 25 September – 25 October 2018.
- Attended a Refresher course on “Social concerns and Social Sciences (IDC)” conducted by CPDHE(UGC-HRDC), University of Delhi, Delhi, 27 November – 17 December, 2018.

Ms. Navneet Manchanda

- Attended Women Leaders in Global Health Conference 2018 organized by The London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, London, November 8-9, 2018. (Awarded with a full scholarship by the organizers to attend the same).

Department of Political Science

Mr. Srikant Pandey

- “Societal Identities and Party System: A Case Study of India” at the Sixth Northern Regional Social Science Congress, held at J R N Vidyapeeth, Udaipur , 18-20 January 2019.

Dr Mukesh Bagoria

- "Mahatma Gandhi's Perspective on Indian Languages" at a National Conference on Mahatma Gandhi's Vision and Structure on National Language, organised by Gandhi Bhawan, University of Delhi and National Urdu Development Council, New Delhi, 23-24 October 2018
- Chaired a session at a National seminar on "Bharat Manthan", organised by Sanskrit and PrachyaVidhya Adhyayan Centre, JNU, New andIndraprasth Adhyayan Kendra, New Delhi, 30 March 2019.

Dr Rajesh Kumar

- Invited Lecture “Truth, Non-violence and Gandhi’s Constructive Programme”, Gandhi Study Circle, Zakir Hussain College (E) Delhi University, 6 March 2019.
- “On Religious Tolerance: Gandhi’s relevance for our time” International Conference, *The Gandhian Way: An Idea whose time has come?*, organized by the Department of Political Science, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, DU in association with the Nehru Memorial Museum & Library, 11-12 April, 2019.

Dr Robinson Hembrom

- “Quest for Water: Role of China in India’s Hydropolitics in South Asia” , National Seminar, “**India in South Asia: Changing Perspective in the 21st Century**” held at Central University of Punjab, Bhatinda, March 15-16, 2018.

Mr Supriy Ranjan

- “Gandhi and Socrates: Truth, Non-violence and the possibilities of Politics” at an International Conference, ***The Gandhian Way: An Idea whose time has come?***, organized by the Department of Political Science, Shaheed Bhagat Singh College, DU in association with the Nehru Memorial Museum & Library, 11-12 April, 2019.

Ms. Cihnnita Baruah

- “Identity and conflict in Bodoland Territorial Area Districts (BTAD): Impact of transforming media technologies” , International Conference on **Materiality and Visuality in North East India**, organized by the Centre for North East Studies and Policy Research, JamiaMilliaIslamia, New Delhi, 28 February – 1 March 2019.
- Co-authored and presented a paper with RajatRawat entitled “Impact of ethnic politics on Act East Policy: Factoring conflict and accommodation in Bodoland Territorial Area Districts” , National Conference on **India’s Act East Policy: Needs and priorities of Northeast India and Myanmar**, jointly organized by the Centre for North East Studies and Policy Research, JamiaMilliaIslamia and Nehru Memorial Museum & Library , 12-13 March 2018.
- “Ethnicity, Immigration and Conflicts: The case of Bodoland Territorial Area Districts (BTAD)” , **International Conference on Locating Northeast India: Human Mobility, Resource Flow and Spatial Linkages**, organized by the Department of Sociology, Tezpur University, Assam, 9-12 January 2018.

Workshop Participation:

Ms Cihnnita Baruah

- Participated in a two-day Writing Workshop on Publishing in Academic Journal, organised by the Centre for the Study of Law and Governance, Jawaharlal Nehru University in collaboration with The Tejeshwar Singh College of Publishing on 24-26 September 2018.

Dr Ashutosh K Jha

- Diploma in Federalism, Decentralisation and Conflict Resolution, University of Fribourg, Switzerland (August- October 2018).
- Invited as Resource Person in Ural Federal University, Ekaterinberg, Russia (December 2018).

Ms Anjali Yogi

- Participated in "Discover Israel Programme" with a delegation of Young Leaders on 20 October – 2 November 2018. As part of the Programme, visited Israel for a week, held discussions on Foreign Policy with the Israeli experts at MEA in Israel and research institutes such as INSS.

Department of History

Dr Amrit Kaur Basra

- "Legacy of Shaheed Bhagat Singh and His Association" *Observing of Martyrs Day*, The Vice- Regal Lodge, University of Delhi, 23 March 2019.
- "History and Bhagat Singh", *Prerna Divas*, New Delhi 22 March 2019.
- "Guru Nanak and Sikhs", Khalsa College, University of Delhi, 19 January 2019.
- "Sikhism: A Perspective" Seminar at India International Centre, New Delhi 5 January 2019.
- "Sikhism in Embracing Justice" Seminar on *The Role of Religious Communities: An Inter-faith Dialogue* at Nehru Memorial and Museum Library, 4 September 2018.
- Invited Lecture "Invoking Delhi Through Education" at *Dastan-i-Dilli*, in Karvan 19, Annual Cultural Festival, College of Vocational Studies, 13 March 2019.

Ms Neeru Ailawadi

- Invited Lecture (along with Dr. Shalini Saxena and Dr Smita Banerjee) titled "Kshamtaa Empowering Lives: Envisioning Sustainable, Inclusive Socio-Economic Development" in a session titled Skill Development & Women Empowerment, organised by the Internal Complaint Committee, Gender Sensitization Committee & the NSS of Delhi College of Arts & Commerce, University of Delhi, 8 March 2019.

Dr K. Suresh Kumar

- "Reconstructing the Question of Gender in Tamil Epics: A case Study of Manimekkalai" Workshop on Tamil Literature Centre for Indian Languages JNU and Sahitya Akademi.

Ms Prerna Gautam

- "Food Culture In India: 1526-1707 AD" presented and submitted at CPDHE, University of Delhi, October 2018.

Mr Lakhan Lal Meena

- "My Observations About Bernier and His Writings" presented and submitted at CPDHE, University of Delhi, October 2018.

Dr Amrit Kaur Basra

- Attended a six-day National Workshop on 'Gender and Development' organized by ISST and WSDC at WSDC, Delhi University

Ms Prerna Gautam

- Attended a Refresher Course (History) CPDHE, University of Delhi October 8- 29, 2018(Grade A).

Mr Lakhan Lal Meena

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LIBRARY

The College library Committee has been actively involved in improving the library and building its books collection. The College library has a collection of about 59,158 books as per accession register. It subscribes to 30 Magazines, Journals and 15 newspapers. The total number of books added during the current year was 751.

The Support Services, Practices Initiated & Adopted.

- Organised Book Exhibition to explore more option to find required desired collection in the Library.
- E-resource services and facility access through e- resource section as well as from home through N-LIST & DELNET.
- Current awareness section equipped with magazines, newspapers and comparative books (Banking, Railways and other SSC exams).
- Adopted Open access system.
- Provided facility of previous year question papers of different discipline and journalism project for reference facility.
- Displayed new arrivals thorough college website.

Services in Pipeline

- Implementation of RFID technology (Radio Frequency Identification Device).
- Orientation program to aware newly admitted students about library services and facilities.
- Implement of open source software like koha and D Space for library automation and institute repositories.
- Planning to celebrate Library annual day to promote the students for optimize use of library.

Mrs. Poonam Rani

- Attended one week training programme on “D-Space software for design and development of Institutional Repositories – Advance” at CSIR – NISCAIR, New Delhi.
- Attended two days workshop on “Plagiarism, copyright and reference management – tools at IGNACA.

- Attended five day National workshop on “Library Automation & Digitization” held at University of Delhi, South Campus, New Delhi.
- Participated in a workshop on “Digitization and conservation at Janki devi memorial college, University of Delhi.

Report of Cells/ Departments/Societies/

Internal Complaints Committee and Gender Sensitization Cell

The Internal Complaint Committee in association with the Gender Sensitisation Committee of Delhi College of Arts & Commerce has consistently been holding, Talks & Workshops in college to disseminate information regarding sexual harassment . The committee has used various media such as posters, leaflets & group discussions to spread gender sensitisation among students. The following talks and events were held during the session: A Talk by noted lawyer and Programme Officer Ms. Barsha Mishra, from Multiple Action Research Group (MARG) a legal assistance firm, on 10th September 2018 in College on "The Sexual harassment of woman at workplace, prohibition and redressal Act 2013" . A half day workshop on Sexual harassment was organised on 11th October 2018 by MARG (Multiple Action Research Group) sponsored by and in association with The British High Commission, New Delhi. A Talk on Women Empowerment by eminent advocate, human rights activist & social worker Ms. Abha Singh was organised on 13 November 2018 in college. The Internal Complaints Committee in association with the Gender sensitization cell organized **"DIGITAL SHAKTI WORKSHOP" by Cyber Peace Foundation in collaboration with National Commission for Women, New Delhi** on Digital Literacy and Online Safety with a special focus on women safety on 1st March, 2019 at 11:00 A. M in the Multipurpose Hall. The Internal Complaints Committee in association with the Gender sensitization cell and NSS unit DCAC organized a session on **"Skill Development and women empowerment" on the occasion of Women's day, 8th of March, 2019** at 12:30 P.M in the Multipurpose Hall. The event commenced with a presentation by Innovation projects team, DCAC by Faculty Members Dr. Smita Banerjee, Dr. Shalini Saksena and Ms. Neeru Ailawadi. The session concluded with a keynote by Ms.Sunita Sanghi, Additional Secretary and Senior Advisor, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, Government Of India. The session was extremely insightful in terms of information about various ongoing skill development schemes by the Indian Government at various levels. Ms. Sanghi also motivated the students to be a part of such programs, and talked about being a job creator and not a job seeker. The session ended with questions from students, Ms. Sanghi's answers cleared student's minds and doubts.

Department of Commerce

The Commerce Association societies are, MERCADO- The Marketing Society, ROKDA- The Finance and Investment Cell, COMANIA- The Commerce Society and CLIF- Club for Leadership, Investment and Finance **Annual Fest Komercio'19**(March 15, 2019) The Annual Commerce Fest was organised with eye-whooping cash prizes, gift vouchers, discount coupons etc. were distributed in total 9 events. It attracted students from all over Delhi NCR and the fest had major brand collaborations with Campus, Zebronics, Oyo and a lot more. - **Commerce Association's Orientation** (August 28, 2018) was a huge success with hundreds of students attending and getting wooed by their future career opportunities while working under

Commerce Association. All the four sub-cells did amazingly well. **Representation at GDSC/DCAC Alumni Meet(24th February,2019)** Commerce Association in collaboration with the Alumni Association of DCAC sent representatives on the day of the Alumni meet to showcase and present the various achievements of the commerce association to the various notable alumnus of DCAC.

Department of English

The Department hosted a warm welcome to an enthusiastic new batch on 07th September, 2018. The theme for the fresher's party this year was "Shades of Blue". **AN EDUCATIONAL/ RECREATIONAL OUTSTATION DEPARTMENT TRIP was organized** from 04th to 6th of October, 2018 to Lansdowne to give students and faculty a break from their hectic routine and enhance communication within the department. A campaign to make students aware of the mental health issues at **MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS EVENT** was held. A Panel Discussion was organised on 1st of November 2018, comprising expert **Psychologists Dr. Neetu Rana, Dr. Sujatha Sharma, Dr. Ruchika Kanwal and psychiatrist Dr. Avdesh Sharma** . At this event the biannual department newsletter, *The Carrel* was launched. The inaugural issue was dedicated to the theme of Mental Health. The annual ELA festival, PANTHEON was held on 7th February, 2019. The theme of the festival this year was **NEW CANONS: READING POPULAR LITERATURE**. Professor **Sumanyu Sathpathy, retired Professor & Head, Department of English**, University of Delhi gave the Keynote address. His insightful lecture threw light on the 'low-brow' tag assigned to popular literature in today's time. Citing examples from Elizabethan era to the modern time, Professor Sathpathy brought out why popular literature has always existed and should continue to do so. The festival had a number of events like Nukkad Natak, dance, street football, slam poetry, paper presentation and much more. ELA launched its book and film club on 27th February, 2019. The club gives a platform to students across departments to discuss various aspects of a book or a film screened. An intense discussion followed the first screening of the 1950 classic, CITIZEN KANE. **Mr. Aruni Mahapatra**, Ph. D scholar at Emory University conducted a **WORKSHOP ON GENDER, FORM AND IDENTITY** on 11th March, 2019. He interacted with students and the workshop included a close reading of poems by female poets across the globe such as Kamala Das. A one day students' conference was organised on the topic **READING WOMEN, WRITING WOMEN: TOWARDS A LITERATURE OF THEIR OWN** on 13th march, 2019. **Padmashree awardee and founder of Zubaan Publishings, Ms. Urvashi Butalia was the keynote speaker**. The address was followed by 4 Sessions of Paper Presentations where students from across university of Delhi participated and made presentations. ELA organised a talk on Dalit literature on 09th April, 2019. **Professor Rajkumar, Head, Department of English**, University of Delhi, was the keynote speaker and addressed the students on the topic "**Dalit Literature: Text & Context**". The department also launched the second edition of the newsletter, *The Carrel* exclusively devoted to the topic. Students made paper presentations on the theme of exclusions and marginalisations. This event was held in collaboration with the IQAC cell.

Department of Economics

The department faculty members along with its students organised the following talks in 2018-19: **Prof. Santosh Mehrotra, Jawaharlal Nehru University, delivered a talk on "The changing trajectory of economic growth and labour market dynamics in India"** , 20 February 2019. **Prof. Indradeep Ghosh, Dean (Faculty) and Associate Professor. Meghnad Desai Academy of Economics, Mumbai, on 25 February 2019 spoke on "The Economics of**

Digitization Why are Tech companies hiring so many economists?” On 11 March 2019 Prof. Shagata Mukherjee, Associate Professor, Meghnad Desai Academy of Economics, delivered a talk on “The Rationale of Irrational Behaviour: Do economic agents satisfy or maximize?” *Publication of Department’s annual Newsletter: ECOSSENTIAL 2019* was released on 20th February 2019 by Prof. Santosh Mehrotra during the inaugural session of Department’s Annual festival *QUEST 2019*.

Department of History

Teachers and students of the department have been actively engaged in academic and co-curricular activities of the department and college during the entire academic session 2018-19 contributing their share of service to the society. **Amrit Kaur Basra** has been awarded for her distinguished social service at MTNL Perfect Health Mela on 25th day of September 2018. She also attended a six-day national workshop on ‘Gender and Development’ organized by ISST and WSDC at WSDC. Perna Gautam and Lakhan Lal Meena participated and successfully completed in a refresher course in History at CPDHE, University of Delhi from October 8, 2018 to October 29, 2018. **Dr Arun Kumar gave a Lecture on 23 January 2019 on The Silent Rebellion: Working Class Dreams, Education and Welfare Capitalism.**

During the academic session, students of our department in association with INTACH went on a walk to visit monuments of Delhi. **Professor Arvind Sinha, (Retd) History, JNU, delivered a lecture on ‘The Major Trends in European Society Between the two World Wars’** on the occasion of *DHAROHAR 2019*, the annual cultural festival. Bhavyansh Mathur (Sem 6) presented a paper titled- 'Jyotiba Phule and art of dissent' in Undergraduate Researchers Conference held at Hansraj College in March 2019 and his paper was awarded as the 'Best Paper'. The paper will be published by the History society of Hansraj College. Bhavyansh Mathur received a research project on Ahar Valley Civilization titled- 'Ahar Civilization and its links with Indus valley civilization' under State Archaeological Department, Government of Rajasthan in November 2018. The project is currently ongoing under the guidance of Vinit Godal, DG Ahar Museum, Udaipur (Rajasthan). He also worked with Centre for Equity Studies in preparing a report card of 5 Years of Modi Government titled- Claims and Realities as a Research Assistant under Mr. Harsh Mander and Prof. Jean Dreze.

Department of Journalism & Mass Communication

The Department of Journalism organized its annual festival **SCOOP in March 2019**. The festival opened with a panel discussion on the politics of fact-checking. The guests included **Mr Anand Vardhan, Dr Lipika Kamra and Ms Niha Masih** from various media organizations. The second and the most packed event of the festival saw an engaging discussion between **political satirist Mr Sanjay Rajoura and Mr Vinayak Dalmia and Mr Vinit Goenka**. The 2nd Sumegha Gulati Memorial Debate was the third event of the day which was sponsored by the department's alumnus, Mr. Bhanu Joshi and was graced by a team of talented debaters. The festival was closed with a **documentary film screening of 'The Death of Us' by Vani Subramanian in collaboration with the PSBT**, followed by an engaging interactive session with the students. **Critique, the annual newspaper** brought out by the students of the Department was released by the guests. This year the Department organized a special lecture by **Mr Frank Edozienin** in January. He teaches journalism at New York University and his journalistic work has appeared in The New York Times, Quartz, Time Magazine, The Times

(UK) Global Post, Out Traveler & more. The interactive session was well-received by the students.

Department of Political Science

On 10 September 2018, the students came together to celebrate the landmark Judgment of the Supreme Court which extended legal protection to LGTB communities, by organizing an event, "**FAKHR-E-SATRANG**". People came up with posters and banners, a few had painted rainbows on their faces, and a few performed self-composed poems and songs. A few also shared their feelings, amidst slogans. The event ended with the crowd marching around the campus, singing in chorus. The Department of Political Science upholds the dignity of the individual and the event was meant to reiterate the value. The department in collaboration with GS Mentors organized a seminar on 24 September 2018, for students who wished to prepare for civil services. The **IPS Officer Haris Bin Zaman was the speaker**. Mr. Zaman shared his preparation strategy and tips, emphasizing the importance of hard work and dedication towards one's goals. He took questions from students also, and made efforts to clarify their doubts. Mr. Zaman enriched the understanding of the students on one of the most competitive exams in the country. The students were thankful and hoped that more such workshops and seminars are organized in the future. On 28 September 2018, the Department exhibited a documentary, "**INQUILAB**", directed by **Gauhar Raza to mark the 111th birth anniversary of Shaheed Bhagat Singh**. The documentary traced the evolution of the great revolutionary as a political thinker and visionary. **A paper presentation competition was organized on the topic "Bhagat Singh's Social and Political Ideas" on 1 October 2018**. The event received good participation from the students of DCAC as well as other colleges. Nikhil Tyagi from B.A. program, 2nd year, DCAC stood first and Aryaman Kumar, a first year student of Political science secured the second position. The event successfully commemorated the life and ideas of Bhagat Singh. The World Mental Health day on 10 October 2018 was observed and a mental health awareness week from 8-12 October was organized. Students were asked to share "how did they feel?" by writing on a chit and the notes were put on the notice board. The idea was to assert the importance of talking about how you feel, besides initiating a discourse on mental health. The United Nations General Secretary António Guterres came on a visit to India, on 2 October 2018. He addressed a gathering of young students from Delhi University, among whom were present the students of the Department of Political Science. The session was organized at the India Habitat Center. The Department of Political Science joined hands with the English Literary Association for an event called "Mental Health Matters". The event was organized on 1 November 2018, with some distinguished panelists and psychiatrists. The panelists emphasized the importance of mental health and discussed the key issues and problems amongst the youth. The session ended with a question answer round. This was followed by an open mic session where students shared their problems and personal experiences. The event ended with fun games which were organized by the mind specialists' organization. The Department organized a lecture in the memory of Dr. C. R. Roy on 2 November 2018. **Prof N. Sukumar spoke on "Ambedkar on freedom democracy and the state"**. The session, which was joined by Dr. C R. Roy's family also, began with a short video on his life journey. The faculty and family members remembered Dr. Roy and his scholarly achievements on the occasion. **A lecture on "emerging challenges in India's foreign policy" was organized on 5 March 2019. Prof. Swaran Singh of the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University delivered the lecture**. The session was very insightful and relevant in the present context. The students had a lot to take away from the session. At the end of the talk, Prof. Singh took questions and clarified the audience's concerns also. Around 80 students went to visit the Parliament on 13th February

2019, the last day of the Interim Budget Session. The Parliament House is a circular colonnaded building which has ministerial offices, numerous committee rooms and also a rich library. The visit gave the students a first-hand experience of something they had read about in their social science lessons. On 8 March 2019, observing the **International Woman's Day**, the students **screened a movie, "PHOBIA"**. The screening was meant to sensitize the audience to make spaces inclusive for women and other minority groups. The Department of Political Science organized its annual festival **DISSENSIO-Express, Deliberate, Dissent on 12 March 2019**. **This year's theme was "Human Rights Concerns in the Indian Context"**. The objective was to highlight the basic human rights violations in recent times, spread awareness about the same and to celebrate the idea of dissent in itself. The main attraction of the fest was a panel discussion on the above mentioned theme. **Prof. Ajay Gudavarthy from JNU, Prof. Apoorvanand from DU, and Ms Manisha Mashaal, a social activist articulated various dimensions of the theme.** The discussion was lively, and the questions that followed were engaging. One of the most popular events of the fest was the POLITICAL JOKES (PJ) CONTEST 2.0. The event was a stand-up comedy contest where the participants were given an open forum to make jokes about 'elite' politicians, 'accommodative' political parties, 'democratic' democracy and our country's 'clean politics' in general. This brought a lot of laughter to the audience which remained glued to their seats till the end of the event. Another event which received a huge participation was PANTOMATH- A Quiz on the Constitution. The participating teams from various colleges remained involved with enthusiasm. In addition, we had a fun treasure hunt event called TALAASH. The teams were expected to collect a list of items. We also had IZHAAR- An Open mic event, at which several participants showcased their performances, which included dancing, singing, *shayari* and poetry recitation. The Department also organized two online events - Online Photography and Memeshashtra. A game mela was also organized where the crowd got the opportunity to take part in fun filled games and win exciting prizes. All in all, the festival turned out to be a very engaging affair.

Sports

I am pleased here to announce that some of our students have represented our college and Delhi University at National Level competitions in various games. Mr. Harshit Sehrawat of weight lifting secured gold medal in all India University and Khelo India competition. Mr. Surya Pratap Rathee secured gold medal in All India University Taekwondo Championship and will represent Indian University at world university championship going to be held at Itlay this year. Ms. Mithlesh Kumari and Ms. Himani Mehra secured 1st and 3rd Position respectively in federation cup taekwondo championship held at J&K. Mr. Punit Bhatt final year student has also secured 3rd position at all India University and senior national judo championship respectively. Ms. Ashna Tokas of B.A.(H) English has secured 8th gold medal in a single Delhi state open aquatic championship.

The College Basketball Team Successfully Participated and Secured 1st Position inBITTS PILANI Goa Campus Sports Fest 2018-19, IIT Kanpur Sports Fest 2018-19 and New Delhi Institute of Management Annual Sports Fest 2018-19. College Cricket team won the 2nd SGND Khalsa Cricket Tournament 2018-19 held at Talkatora Stadium. College Football team also declare winner at LMNIIT Jaipur Sports Fest 2018-19, Shiv Nadar University Annual Sports Fest 2018-19 and Runner up at IIT Kanpur Sports Fest 2018-19 also Reach Semi-Finals of Reliance Youth Football League 2018-19. Other outstanding performance of our students are as follows:

Cash Awards to outstanding Sports Students 2018-2019

Sr. No.	Tournament /Pos	Cash Award	Cash Award in Rupees	
1	Harshit Sehrawat (Weight Lifting)	B.A.(P)/ I/1157	1.) 1 st Position in all India University (Calicut)	13,000/-
			2.) 1 st Position in Khelo India 3.) 1 st Position in Inter College	13,000/- 26,000/-
2	Shourya Pratap Rathee (Taekwondo)	B.A. (P)/III/165010 08	1.) 1 st Position in all India University (MDU Rohtak)	13,000/-
			2.) 1 st Position Inter College	7,000/- 20,000/-
3	Mithilesh Kumari (Taekwondo)	B.Com.(P)/III/	1.) 1 st Position in federation cup taekwondo championship	13,000/-
			2.) Participation in 37 th National Senior Poomsae Taekwondo Championship 2018	10,000/- 23,000/-
4	Himani Mehra (Taekwondo)	B.Com(P)/ II/801	1.) 3 rd Position in federation cup taekwondo championship	11,000/-
			2.) All India University Participation 3.) 1 st Position Inter College	10,000/- 21,000/-
5	Punit Bhatt (Judo)	B.A.(P)/ III/16501169	1.) 3 rd Position all India University(Amritsar)	11,000/-
			2.) 3 rd Position Senior National 3.) 1 st Position Inter College	11,000/- 22,000/-
6	Akhil Tokas (Swimming)	B.A.(P)/II/508	1.) Senior National Partipation	10,000/-
			2.) 1 st Position Delhi State Aquatic Championship	7,000/- 17,000/-
7	Maanav Tokas (Swimming)	B.A.(H) Pol. Sci./II/425	1.) Senior National Participation	10,000/-
			2.) 1 st Position Delhi State Aquatic Championship	7,000/- 17,000/-
8	Deepanshu Mogha (Taekwondo)	B.A.(P)/ II/665	1.) 1 st Position Inter College	7,000/-
9	Ashna Tokas (Swimming)	B.A.(H)Eng./II I/16511003	1.) Secured 8 Gold Medals at 54 th Delhi State Open Aquatic Championship	7,000/-
			2.) 3 rd Place in Inter College	7,000/- 14,000/-
10	Ankit Malik (Weight Lifting/Power Lifting)	B.A.(P)/ I/1196	1.) 2 nd Position Inter College	6,000/-
11	Sumit Prashar (Judo)	B.Com.(P)/II/7 71	1.) Secured 2 nd Position in Inter College	6,000/-
12	Shivam Balyan (Judo)	B.A.(P)/II/596	1.) 3 rd Position in Inter College	5,000/-
13	Pryas (Judo)	B.A.(P)/I/1217	1.) Inter College 3 rd Position	5,000/-

14	Shiv Rana (Swimming)	B.A(P) /II/613	1.)Senior National Participation 2.)3 rd Position in Inter College	10,000/- 5,000/- 15,000/-
15	Shanaz Praveen (Taekwondo)	B.A.(P)/II/565	1.)2 nd Position in Inter College	6,000/-
16	Ashish Mehta (Table-Tennis)	B.Com.(Hons.) /III/69	1.)1 st Position in Doubles (JP Institute of Noida) 2.)Semi-Final in Inter College	4,000/- 5,000/- 9,000/-
17	Lakshay Setia (Table Tennis)	B.A.(P)/I/1203	1.)G.D. Goenka Annual Sports Fest 2.)Semi Final Inter College	4,000/- 5,000/- 9,000/-
18	Yash Goel (Table Tennis)	B.Com.(H)/III/ 66	1.)Semi Final in Inter College	5,000/-
19	Aniket Dhaiya (Swimming)	B.A.(P)/I/1072	1.)3 rd Position in State Championship	5,000/-

List of outstanding Basketball team players

Participated and Secured the following positions in the following tournament:-

1. Winner BITTS PILANI Goa Campus Sports Fest 2018-19
2. Winner at IIT Kanpur Sports Fest 2018-19
3. Winner at New Delhi Institute of Management Annual Sports Fest 2018-19
4. Runners up at Ashoka University Sports Fest 2018-19
5. Runners up at Bhim Rao Ambedkar Annual Basketball Tournament

Sr. No.	Tournament /Pos		Cash Award
1	Jayash Lamba	B.A.(H)Eco./III/1651003 2	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
2	Ishan Bhandari	B.Com.(H)/II/956	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
3	Rohil Mehta	B.Com.(H)/II/931	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
4	Inesh Verma	B.A.(H)His./I/208	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
5	LakhanTomar	B.A.(P)/I/953	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
6	Soham Singh	B.A.(P)/III/16501156	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
7	Ashutosh Joshi	B.Com.(H)/III/16504051	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
8	Nayan Pandey	B.A.(P)/I/921	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
9	Aditya Singh	B.A.(P)/I/1148	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-

10	Lokesh Leekha	B.Com.(H)/I/533	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
11	Krishna Nand	B.A.(H)Pol. Sci./I/427	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
12	Jatin Sharma	B.Com.(H)/I/545	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-

List of outstanding Football team players

Participated and Secured the following positions:

- 1. Winner at LMNIIT Jaipur Sports Fest 2018-19**
- 2. Winner at Shiv Nadar University Annual Sports Fest 2018-19**
- 3. Runners up at IIT Kanpur Sports Fest 2018-19**
- 4. Reach Semi-Finals of Reliance Youth Football League 2018-19**

Sr. No	Tournament /Pos		Cash Award
1	PranjalArya	B.A.(P)/III/16501064	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
2	Yash Sharma	B.Com.(H)/III/16504110	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
3	Shubhanshu Mohan Singh	B.Com.(P)/III/16503017	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
4	Shivam Kataria	B.A.(P)/II/578	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
5	Yaduraj Singh Rathore	B.A.(P)/I/916	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
6	Aditya Shakya	B.A.(H)Eco./II/54	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
7	Ravinder Singh Parmar	B.A.(P)/I/941	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
8	Thokchom Brajesh	B.A.(H)His./III/16518040	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
9	Abhimanyu Chauhan	B.Com.(P)/II/819	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
10	Nikhil Chaudhary	B.Com.(P)/I/758	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
11	Kushagra Agarwal	B.A.(H)His./I/228	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
12	Daksh Mahajan	B.Com.(P)/III/16503035	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
13	Ritvik Kumar	B.A.(H)Eco./I/21	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
14	Utkarsh Singh	B.A.(P)/I/1108	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
15	Prashant Burman	B.Com.(P)/I/786	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-

16	Abhishek Sansanwal	B.Com.(P)/I/787	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
17	Aviral Nitharwal	B.A.(P)/II/540	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-
18	Gyanendra Priyadarshi	B.A.(P)/I/1199	4,000 + 4,000= 8,000/-

List of outstanding Cricket team players

Participated and Secured First Position in 2 SGND Khalsa Cricket Tournament 2018-19.

Sr. No	Tournament /Pos		Cash Award
1	ShubhamBathla	B.A.(P)/II/16501037	4000/-
2	MehulChahal	B.Com.(P)/III/16503061	4000/-
3	AshishTanwar	B.A.(P)/III/16501013	4000/-
4	Raman	B.A.(P)/II/566	4000/-
5	ArshVerma	B.Com.(H)/II/934	4000/-
6	PraneyKapoor	B.Com.(P)/II/736	4000/-
7	VipulRao	B.Com.(P)/II/704	4000/-
8	ShivayOberai	B.A.(H)Eng./I/130	4000/-
9	GautamArora	B.Com.(P)/I/808	4000/-
10	Tanish Sharma	B.A.(P)/I/905	4000/-
11	VaibhavRakheja	B.Com.(P)/I/770	4000/-
12	Mitesh	B.A.(P)/III/16501141	4000/-
13	Piyush	B.A.(P)/I/1189	4000/-
14	Dheeraj	B.Com.(H)/II/973	4000/-
15	Rishabh Gandhi	B.A.(P)/II/576	4000/-
16	ArshGulia	B.A.(P)/II/657	4000/-

NSS

NSS unit of the college enrolled hundred volunteers and undertook several activities to actualize the NSS motive of 'Not me but You'. Many activities were undertaken as per the directives of Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports. In celebrating 150 year of Mahatma Gandhiji's birth anniversary several activities were held, connecting with the message of 'Clean and Green India.' Five ongoing projects continued enabling students to cultivate leadership qualities.

On 21 June 2018 the Fourth International Yoga Day was celebrated in the college auditorium. The commencement of admission for the academic session 2018 saw active involvement of volunteers. The Help Desk with ten volunteers during admissions addressed queries of new comers and their parents.

Under project Swachh Bharat Summer Internship of Ministry of Water and Sanitation HRD and Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports six interns namely Eesha Shonak, Ajay Kumar, Yash Kirar, Gitika, Parneet and Riya Kumari worked in village of Ajudpur in July. The main activities revolved around issues of sanitation, drinking water, cleanliness, tree plantation and education. Each intern devoted hundred hour and they were successful in informing inhabitants and used the local park for wall paintings and plantation. In the local school they interacted with students and had many interactive sessions with them.

The Swachhta Pakwada was observed in the month of August 2018. On 1 August Swachhta Pledge was taken. From 6 to 8 August awareness campaign was carried out in the RDO complex, adopted slum. Each household was contacted. Posters were put up. The College campus was also cleaned. On 13 August cleaning of Safdarjung Tomb was undertaken after obtaining permission of ASI. An interactive session was also held to devise modalities to ensure clean campus and public spaces.

The Orientation Programme was held on 6 September 2018. It was graced by Dr Veerendra Mishra, Director NSS Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports and S.P. Bhatnager. Dr Mishra mapped the history and motivation of NSS. Dr Bhatnagar also informed students about the activities undertaken by volunteers. Thereafter Project leaders showcased work done by NSS in 2017-18. All NSS volunteers attended the programme.

The NSS day was celebrated by organizing several activities. It was devoted to the theme of 'Swachhta Hi Seva'. To mark the day, wall painting of Mahatma Gandhiji was made. A slogan writing and painting competition was also held. The work undertaken by unit was displayed on the notice board through pictures. These activities were attended by seventy volunteers. Few students also attended the programme in JNU.

The Vigilance Awareness Week was observed from 29 October 2018 to 3 November 2018. An Integrity pledge was taken by academics, students and administrative staff. Kartikeya Yadav, Gayatri Khuranna and Vidushi Arora participated in the Quiz held in the Dyal Singh College. They won third award and were presented with the shield.

The Unity Day was observed on 31 October to mark birthday of Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel. Homage was also paid to our freedom fighters. Unity Oath was taken and participants resolved to follow the path shown by Iron man of India.

In accordance with directives received from the office of Election Commission, Puneet Kumar Khankhodiya was appointed the SVEEP Ambassador. He attended orientation programme. Along with his volunteers he carried on the awareness drive for first time voters. The details about unregistered voters were collected and sent to the office of Election Commission. On 16 April 2019 workshop was held wherein mock hands-on experience was given to students in usage of EVMS and VVPATI.

The most waited annual festival Aadya was celebrated on 16 January 2019. There was participation of several NGOs. Various competitions were held to mark the day and saw participation of many colleges. There were dance performances by students of Tanzeal.

Two Blood donation camps were held with the assistance Indian Red Cross Society and Roctrac. The havoc caused by floods in Kerala saw an initiative undertaken by NSS volunteers to start a relief fund. More than 120 kilograms of ration was purchased with the collected money and was sent to GOONJ for transportation to Kerala.

The work undertaken by each Project was noteworthy. Under project Tanzeal, students teach 120 students from neighboring slum on the campus on week days. A holistic teaching module has been prepared to take care of mental and physical needs of students. Through help desk old books were collected in accordance with needs of students. All important national days and festivals are celebrated with them. Thus Independence Day, Rakhi, Holi and Diwali was celebrated. Students were also taken for picnic to Bal Bhavan. They also occupied centre stage in the Aadya. Sports Day scheduled on 18 April saw a large participation. Those who had excelled in academics and were winners in various competitions were given prizes.

The Project Arts and Crafts remained an integral part of all activities of NSS. Through making of e-posters to artifacts, from wall paintings to decorative items, the project provided visual meanings to ethos of NSS. Mention may be made of wall painting made on women empowerment in competition held by university of Delhi on 26 October 2016. In the college campus three paintings of character called Bean were drawn. Under project Sensitization several workshops were held. The workshop on the issues revolving around LGBTQ was conducted by Ms Pavel of Nazariya. The most important work under project Specially Abled is to provide scribes for visually impaired students. It is with coordinated National Association of Blinds. The project Clean and Green is responsible for upkeep of campus and RDO complex. It has undertaken plantation drive on the campus. The work done by volunteers was appreciated on 16 April 2019 at the NSS Annual Day.

NCC

National Cadet Corps is the biggest voluntary organisation of the country with its 17 directorates spread all over the country. Every directorate has various groups and each group has a number of units under them. Colleges and schools come under these units with its Commanding Officer with the rank of Colonel. Delhi College of Arts and Commerce comes under 7 Delhi Battalion NCC in group 'C' headquarters. NCC session starts from July with the registrations and enrollment of new students who aspire to be cadets in their college life. Training in the NCC with graduation is for 3 years and after 3 years cadets earn their C certificates which have their own perks in various entries in the armed forces and many more. The first year of NCC is for training and learning purposes in which the young cadets learn the basics of drill, guard and drill

secure test. Second year brings more challenges in the lives of the cadets as they get to attend various camps from adventure to intellectual and many more. The more camps a cadet participates in the more badges he/she earns which acts as the biggest motivation when they are pinned on one's chest on their uniform.

Third and final year of NCC cadets on the bases of their performance in the first two year are awarded with ranks starting with the Senior most rank being Cadet Senior Under Officer then Cadet Junior Under Officer, Company Havildar Major, Sergeant and the junior most in the rank panel being Corporal. With the ranks, cadets experience the sense of responsibility and develop leadership qualities over the First and second year cadets.

We have many cadets in our college who have attended many exceptional camps like Para jumping Camp in which cadets are made to jump from an aircraft which is at the height of 1250ft flying at 300km per hour, Republic Day Camp in which cadets get the chance to march on the Rajpath on 26th January and also in the Prime Ministers Rally on 28th January every year, ThalSainik Camp in which cadets are made to fire .22 rifles and experience rigorous training, various trekking camps in which cadets are taken for treks and rock climbing, rappelling etc with professional equipment and various other interesting camps. A combined annual training camp is compulsory for every cadet in the second and third year of NCC which qualifies them to attempt 'B' and 'C' certificate exams. The college organizes it's annual NCC fest every year in the College campus and this year we hosted our 32nd Annual NCC fest **SHAURYA'19 on 3rd April 2019** which was a hit. There were various competitions for both NCC and non NCC students and cadets participated in the same from all over Delhi University and around.

Delhi College of Arts and Commerce NCC Unit has produced many young Officers in the Indian Army, the latest being **Lt Kaustabh Rana** who was the SUO of DCAC NCC Unit in 2016-17.

In 2018-19 the following cadets of DCAC NCC Unit have participated in various camps mentioned below:

1. SUO ShivrajAhlawat- IMA Attachment camp
2. Sergeant Vikas Sharma- Advance leadership camp
3. CDT Arvind Kumar- EBSB
4. CDT SaratPawar- EBSB
5. CDT Naman - EBSB
6. JUO SushantRashpa- CATC
7. CPL Aditya - CATC
8. JUO Utkarsh- Surgical strike day celebration at India gate
8. CHM Kumar Vaibhav- Swatch Bharat Drive
9. CDT NishkarshMalviya- RDC & PM rally
10. CDT Ajay Pathak- RDC & Rajpath
11. CDT SumitChaudhary- PM rally
12. CDT Rahul Raj- Para slithering
13. CDT Raman- TSC
- 14- CDT ChanderPrakash- TSC.

Broadway: The Placement Cell

Broadway stands committed and dedicated towards providing the students of the college a thriving platform to engage with leading multinationals in the corporate world and leading organizations in the social sphere. Being active throughout the year, this cell has provided over **80+ students** with offers extended from Global Consulting firms like EY, KPMG, Deloitte, Wipro, PwC in a plethora of job profiles: finance, accounting, sales, research and audit among others. Additionally, in 2018-19, the **Average CTC** went up to **3.5LPA**, **highest package** went up to **10LPA** and **Average Stipend** was **30,000**, marking a big jump from last year. **More than 80 companies** participated in the recruitment session with multiple new MNC's like Wipro, TCS etc visiting our campus. Apart from providing placements, Cell also offered the opportunity to students from all courses and years to intern at leading firms and Start-ups like EY, PWC, OYO Rooms, Vivo India, IDBI, Zomato etc. **More than 70 companies** showed their interest in hiring interns from our college and extended internship offers to around **30 students** with the **average stipend** being **5000 per month**. The Placement Cell organized Agaaz'19 , the first edition of its Internship Fair on 2nd April 2019 .The internship fair saw an overwhelming participation from over **18+ companies** like LIC India, Videocon, IBDI, Asahi Glass Ltd, Chegg India, Umeed etc who accepted our invitation and **gave 100+ internship offers to students**. The internship fair received excellent feedbacks from all companies and candidates who participated. This marked the beginning of a new legacy in DCAC. The cell was also recognized in **Top 10 Placement Cells** of Delhi University by DU Assassins: A popular and leading social media blog. EY also felicitated us with the **EY Anchor Award** for being the **best campus for recruitment in Delhi University**. Apart from the placement and internship drives, the placement cell organized various informative seminars and workshops to facilitate **student training** pre-interviews to get them well acquainted with corporate culture, work ethic and other essentials to ace their interviews and excel in their professional career. Experts from the field addressed students and guided them on how to build their C.Vs, face Group Discussions and Personal Interviews and tips to kick start their career. The seminars were organized on topics like **Soft Skills Building, Resume Writing and Uses of Social Media, Resume Building and Personal Interviews etc**. These Seminars were widely appreciated by the students. Below is a list of placement drives and students placements in 2018-19:

Name of Company	No. of Students Placed
Ernst and Young	22
KPMG India	19
KPMG Global	10
FIS	5
Aark India	3
NIIT	3
Aark LLP	2
Wipro	2
Genpact	2
Apeiron Securities	1
TresVista	1
Others(Mazars, EIGOP, Cosco India etc)	18
Total	88

Prakriti: the Environment Society

The Session (2018-19) of **PRAKRITI -THE ENVIRONMENT SOCIETY**, began with an **Orientation** in which new students were told about the past activities of the society in saving our environment. The various drives included **The Tree Plantation Drive** August'2018 **Cleanliness Drive** under the Swachh Bharat Mission”, Prakriti Students began cleaning the campus on every Tuesday and Friday. Every week 2new students were given the charge of checking the cleanliness level among students. **Plantation Drive Using plastic bottles** Plantation drive was organised using waste plastic bottles and plants were put in it and hung in college campus and managed by college gardeners. **Wall Painting**30 October 2018 The event was held keeping in mind dual objectives : creating awareness about the condition of the environment around us and also to add to the beauty of the college. **Say no to crackers Drive**” was organized in November'18 just before “Diwali”. Primary and Secondary school level students were asked to make the posters on the same theme. There they were explained about the negative impacts of burning crackers and how it is important to preserve our environment. **Rangoli Competition**took place in October'18 before Diwali. Students from the college participated in it. Rangolis were made by them and the top 3 entries were given cash prizes. **Climate Jumboree 2018** took place from 1st-3rd November in Thyagraj Stadium, Delhi. Prakriti Students participated in it and got e-certificates too. The event developed an empathy with the issue of climate change, further encouraging youth to take ownership of the solutions by providing social entrepreneurship ideas by the industry leaders.

Prakriti organized a one day event on 27th February 2019.It was open to all Delhi University colleges .Students from various colleges participated in it. Cash Prizes and Certificates were given to the winners and certificates were given to participants. The events included **Lecture on “Sustainable Development” Online Photography Competition Slogan Writing Competition Quiz Competition Poster Making Competition.**

The lecture on Sustainable Development by Prof. Chinmayi Sharma (Jamia Milia Islamia) ,was held on 27 February 2019 , on the day of Annual fest of Prakriti. The lecture was on "Sustainable Development: A reality or a social construct". The lecture was interactive. Aspects like the definition of sustainable development, how we can promote it, the role of government in promoting it and the condition of people in the tribal region were talked about. It was really an engaging and informative lecture. The theme for the online photography competition was,” Environment and Culture”, where students from different colleges sent their entries before the competition. For slogan making participants were asked to coin a slogan, with language choices and the entries were awarded on the calligraphy and interpretation. The society organised an inter college quiz competition on the topic of environment. All the participants were much aware about there surroundings. Poster making competition was organized on the theme “Save Environment”._A Nature Walk was organized at Lodhi Garden, Delhi. Apart from Prakriti society members students from different courses also took part in it.

Enactus DCAC

Enactus, is an international NPO supported by KPMG spread across 36 countries, with over 144 local chapter in India. It has over 72,000 students, working on over 3,800+ projects annually. Enactus students are focussed on improving the lives of the weakest through social

entrepreneurship, building partnerships with local NGOs, Corporates and Governments to sustain their projects & more importantly, to bring a quantifiable change in the society.

Enactus DCAC, founded in 2013 is a part of the same endeavour. It not only helps the students to fulfill social responsibilities but also to exercise, and enhance their business skills. Presently, Enactus DCAC is a team of 70 devoted members, who aim to empower local communities through the positive power of social enterprises. The members are on a constant lookout for ideas to devise and implement business models that can make their communities self sufficient. These ideas are then shared in various brainstorming sessions, forums and implemented by the way of various field visits and on-ground work, thus making every effort count.

Enactus DCAC has sustained 4 projects i.e, Project Vikalp, Project Adarsh Gram, Project Kaushal, Project Adhikaar. It currently has two projects running i.e, Project Taaleem and Project Saahas aimed at revolutionising the education sphere for refugees through an active story based curriculum and providing low cost prosthetic bras to breast cancer survivors who have undergone mastectomy and breaking the taboo respectively.

Enactus DCAC works in collaboration with various corporates, NGOs, Government bodies, etc. This year it has successfully collaborated with some of the following organisations:- Bodycare :- Under their CSR and PR strategies they will help us in successful implementation of Project Saahas. Youwecan :- Our awareness as well as detection camps partner for Project Saahas. Smile foundation :- Our exclusive knowledge partner for Project Taaleem. Cheers to Life Ngo - Our awareness partner for Project Saahas. Canwin - exclusive partner for manufacturing of breast prosthesis. Katha - mentors for Project Taaleem . Gooncha foundation -Ground implementation partner for Project Taaleem. Ank India - Our teacher training partner for Project Taaleem.The chapter has received widespread media coverage due to our continuous endeavours – Magazines such as MensXp , Youth Inc , Sakhi;Brown Girl ; Campus Newspapers: Du vibes, Du express, Du updates, The optimist citizen, Neha doodles, Microsoft Network and recognised by Enactus USA, have mentioned Enactus DCAC. Enactus DCAC participated and won at various competition this year, which are: Rank 1-Enactus Hindu; Rank 3-Janki Devi Memorial College; Rank 1-Dtu;Rank 2- BITS Hyderabad; Rank 1-Delhi School of Economics; Rank 1- Dyal Singh College; Rank 3- Swami Shradhanand College; Rank 2-Shivaji College; Selected among top 12 at FIIB's Meraki.

Enactus DCAC had successfully organised Think Pink'19- Panel Discussion on role of youth in breast cancer awareness that was attended by panelists by organisations such as Win Over Cancer, Youwecan, RokoCancer, Indian Cancer Society and Cheers to Life Ngo.

Enactus DCAC has provided quality education to 150 underprivileged children through help of Project Taaleem, to bring a sustainable change not only in the lives of these children, but a change in the whole community. Enactus DCAC has created 7 successful entrepreneurs through help of 2 projects.

Parivartan2019

On 14th of March 2019, the students attended PARIVARTAN the Advertising fan fest.

The festival began with the lighting of the lamp by our Principal, Dr. Rajiv Chopra and our Convenor Dr. Neeru Kapoor. The Association was blessed to have Mr. Ashok Venkatramini

(MD at Zee Media) as our esteemed chief guest for the day who inspired the students with a wonderful speech on advertising and marketing skills. The fest also marked the launch of the 10th edition of 'AD VERVE', the annual magazine of our Association. The magazine consists of various articles, columns and opinions of our students and alumni. The fest provided students with an opportunity to showcase their talents by participating in a series of competitions. One of the Main highlights of the day was the performance by the GREEN BAND. The band gave a rousing performance which left everyone in the audience with a rush of adrenaline and joy.

The first competition for the day was the AD making competition "TWISTED AD MAD". It gave a chance to the participants to showcase their ad making skills. Participants were asked to prepare an advertisement on the spot and promote their product.

The next event 'KALAKRITI', was the most distinctive event of the day, showing the artistic nature of the participants through modern art. Then the event, '1 minute show' was held. It was an engaging event which included games like lemon on spoon, cookie challenge etc which encouraged the audience participation.

We also had the extremely popular "MYSTERY ROOMS" which tested the brains of the participants and proved to be a crowd pleaser. The event "DANCE ON BEATS 2.0" left the audience awe struck with every performance. The Judge Mr. Jugal Royal commended the performances. The fest ended with the audience in fits of laughter brought on by the most awaited event of the fest "LAUGHTER GAGS". The performances were appreciated by the judges Mr. Rajat Chauhan and Mr. Harshdeep Ahuja.

PANGHAT 2019

Panghat the Cultural festival was held on 6-7 March 2019 and drew enthusiastic participation. The various societies held many events and saw students wholeheartedly participating in them. More than eight events spread across the two days drew students across the University who were keen contenders for the various competitions and showcased their individual and group talent. All of the cultural societies organized the events and conducted them with remarkable efforts. The solo-dance competition 'Rivendos', performance by Stylus,3 photography competitions, Concord, the collection of the music events, Battle of bands, the band competition invited full fledged bands to perform their original music, Sur, the Indian semi classical solo competition, Maktub curated its very first poetry slam event, 'Riwayat', the annual stage play competition, 'Manchan'19'. Cadence, the Acapella competition and Akshayaguna, the Indian classical choir competition were well attended.

CLICKS: The Photography Society.

The society organised 10 photowalks, 1 photo trip, put up 3 successful exhibitions, displaying the work of our team, 2 online photography competitions and 3 on the spot photography with 119 participants. The society's inaugural issue of the magazine: VISION was launched. It highlights the work of our members on different topics like food, travel, technicalities of photography, society work. The members conducted a photography workshop at an NGO : The Bodhi Tree, Faridabad and attended a workshop by Mr. Ravi Dhingra, Brand Ambassador, Canon India. The members covered 8 events and collaborated with 6 societies/departments/organisations in and outside DCAC. It finished at 5th position at PHOTOWARS. St. Stephens. The following students won in various On the Spot Photography Competitions:

- 1)Mayank Agarwal- 1st Position at DSC
- 2)Mayank Agarwal- 1st Position at IPCW
- 3)Arvind Kumar- 1st Position at NCC LSR
- 4)Arvind Kumar- 2nd Position at Prakriti LSR
- 5)Sukalpa Sarkar- 1st Position at Dharohar DCAC
- 6)Dhananjay Yadav- 2nd Position at MLNC
- 7)Dhananjay Yadav- 1st Position at DBC
- 8)Dhananjay Yadav-1st Position at ARSD
- 9)Dhananjay Yadav- 2nd Position at Geography Department, DSC
- 10)Varun Taneja- 2nd Position, Chemistry Department MLNC
- 11)Varun Taneja- 2nd Position, Leaders for tomorrow, DU

Online photography competitions:

- 1)Anmol Bains-2nd Position at IPCW
- 2)Anmol Bains-1st Position at JIIT
- 3)Nikulansh Kapoor- 1st Position at Exposure School of Photography, Meerut

Dastgagh: The Music Society.

The Music society started an Indian choir which won the first position in the semi classical category at Pulse,the annual cultural fest of All India Institute of Medical Sciences. The choir performed at Antaragini, the annual cultural fest of IIT Kanpur, Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College, Ramanujan College and SGND Khalsa College. ACAPELLA also had a good performance record. It secured 3rd position at Pulse'18, and participated at Rendesvous'18, IIT Delhi and Antaragni'18, IIT Kanpur. The following members won various awards in : Solo, duets, trios:

1. Arushi and Bharat participated in Pulse'18 as a duo.
2. Bharat stood 2nd in western solo vocals at Pulse.
3. Bharat stood 2nd at JDMC in western vocals.
4. Bharat Maheshwari and Lalramnghaka got selected in Lady Shri Ram College where Bharat Maheshwari got a special mention.
5. Bharat Maheshwari, Kunal Arora , and Arushi Pandey got selected in Gargi College for western trio.
- 6.Bharat Maheshwari secured the second position at Jesus and Mary College.
- 7.Augustoo secured the first position at Aryabhatta college.
- 8.Bharat Maheshwari secured the first position at Hansraj college.
- 9.Augustoo secured the 3rd position in Dayal Singh College(Morning)
- 10.Bharat Maheshwari secured the first position at Kamala Nehru College.

The Fusion Band stood 2nd at Pulse'18, AIIMS, Delhi, 2nd at the annual fest of Symbiosis College, Noida 3rd at the Cultural fest of Kamala Nehru College was selected to perform at Antaragni'18, the annual fest of IIT Kanpur. Rendesvous'18, IIT Delhi, Maitreyi College, Dyal Singh College, ARSD.

Debating Society

The third edition of Mukalma, the flagship debating tournament of the Debating Society of DCAC was hosted by the society from January 12th to 14th 2019 which saw the participation of 40 teams from institutions from all over India. Mukalma'19 was not only a success in terms of the participation but also in terms of the organization and hospitality during the entire tournament. Mukalma 2019 awarded total cash prizes of over INR 80,000.

The Hindi wing of the Debating society has also showed its prowess efficiently this year and it successfully organised Tark-Manch, the first Hindi Parliamentary Debate Tournament of the society. Tark-Manch saw a participation of more than 16 teams with over 50 participants from various reputed colleges in the Hindi Debating circuit. One of its first kinds, Tark-Manch started a culture of competitive adjudication in the Hindi PD circuit which would act as a beginning of this new trend in Hindi Parliamentary Debating. The following members won prizes at various competitions:

Subsidised Adjudicator and Adjudicated Semi Finals- MukMem '19- St. Stephens College
Subsidised Adjudicator- Dialectics PD'19- Miranda House
Subsidised Adjudicator- The NLUJ Parliamentary Debate'19, Jodhpur
Subsidised Adjudicator: Q.E.D. Parliamentary Debate'19, BITS Pilani
Best Adjudicator: Dialectics'19, Miranda House National PD
Best Adjudicator- Q.E.D. '19- BITS Pilani
Best Adjudicator: People Speak'18- Venky
Overall Best Adjudicator: Mukalma'19
Second Best Adjudicator- NLUJ Parliamentary Debate '19- Jodhpur.
Third Best Adjudicator: Vivaad'19- IPCW
Third Best Adjudicator: Munazraah PD'19- Kamla Nehru College
Third Best Adjudicator: NRMD'19- JMC
Fourth Best Adjudicator: Premchand Memorial Debate '19- Hindu College
Fourth Best Adjudicator and Finals Panel: Motilal Nehru PD'19- MLNC
Fourth Best Adjudicator and Adjudicated Grand Finals: Gambit'18- SRCC
Adjudicated Semi Finals: CBS PD'18
Top 10 Adjudicators and Adjudicated Quarter Finals: Symiksha'19 PD- Symbiosis Law School, Noida
Adjudicated Quarter Finals : KMC Fresher's PD'18- KMC
Adjudication Break – Premchand PD'18, Hindu College
Adjudication Break – ProAm'18, St. Stephens College
Adjudication Break – People Speak'18, Sri Venkateswara College
Adjudication Break – Debutant'18, IIT Freshers' PD 2018
Adjudication Break – Q.E.D 2019, BITS Pilani
Adjudication Break – Mukalma'19, Delhi College of Arts and Commerce
Adjudication Break – Symbiosis PD-19
Adjudication Break – Sardar Dyal Singh Majithia Memorial PD'19, Dyal Singh College
Octafinalist – Speak Up'18, GGS Fresher's Parliamentary
Octafinalist - KMC Fresher's Parliamentary Debate'18
Octafinalist – Gambit'18 , Shri Ram College of Commerce Parliamentary Debate
Quarterfinalist - NLUJ Parliamentary Debate
Quarterfinalist – IITPD'19
Quarterfinalists – Punjab Engineering College PD'18

Special mention(gold medal) at Sansad'19- The National Youth Parliament
Quarter Finalists- Satyawati College (Evening) Hindi PD
Participated at the Mock Parliament '18 held at The Parliament of India
Participated at The Ram Manohar Lohiya National Hindi Parliamentary, RMLNLU- Lucknow

Leher: TheDramatics Society

Leher produced its **Annual Street Production "PEACE OR PIECES"** and participated in Street play competition organized by Ambedkar University and Kalindi College. It performed at MANTHAN '19, Lokayata Art Gallery, Hauz Khas. The **Annual Stage Production was "MAHUA BY AKASH MOHIMEN"**. The Platform Performances include:

- Yavnika- Stage play competition of Lady Shri Ram College for Women.
- Kirdaar-Stage play competition of Indraprastha College for Women.
- Stage play competition of Miranda House.
- Performed at Stein Auditorium, Indian Habitat Centre in ACT 11- stage play festival organized by Ateliers Theatre Group.
- Performed at Padatik Theatre, Kolkata under ACT 11, organized by Ateliers Theatre Group.

STYLUS.INC: The Fashion Society

"Hype for all type : breaking stereotypes" was the main theme it followed this year. The society was second runner up IIT Fest Parivartan Luckily, and won the Best Male Model (Yaduraj Singh Rathore) at Hindu College fest Mecca. Stylus.inc has participated in the fashion show of various colleges like Kalindi College, Kamla Nehru College, Northcap University, Panipat Institute of Engineering and Technology, Hindu College, Satyawati College, IIT, IIFT, JIMS- Rohini, Bharati College, Shiv Nadar University. The society also participated in various Graffiti Competitions and Face Painting Competitions.

MAKTUB:Poetry Society

‘Maktub’ the poetry society, members participated in various inter college and stand by poetry slams and the list of achievements is as follows:

- 1st position in Creative writing competition at Kamala Nehru College
- 2nd position in Poetry slam at Sri Aurobindo College
- 2nd position in impromptu Poetry Slam at Daulat Ram College
- 2nd position in Scriptwriting at Zakir Hussain College
- 3rd position in Poetry Slam at PGDAV college
- Special Mention accolade in Hindi Poetry at Keshav Mahavidyalaya

DRIFT UP: The Dance Society

Drift Up performed in various colleges during the fest season across the DU circuit. The society had performed in colleges like Bharti College, Jesus and Mary College, PGDAV College, Sri Venkateswara College, Sri Aurobindo College, Sri Ram College of Commerce etc. Drift Up also qualified for the dance competition in the cultural fest at IIT Kanpur. Apart from competing,

Drift Up organized a group dance competition, named 'Taarradhin', at the annual fest of DCAC, named 'Ambrosia'. There were nearly 40 teams who had registered for the event and out of them 14 teams were selected in order to compete in Taaradhin. The society organized a solo-dance completion, named 'Rivendos', at Panghat, the cultural fest . There were about 60 participants who had registered for the event and 18 of them had qualified to compete.