



SLC (University of Delhi) SHYAM LAL COLLEGE

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About The College

Shyam Lal College (SLC), a co-educational constituent college of the University of Delhi, was established in 1964 by the great visionary and entrepreneur Padmashree (late) Shri Shyam Lal Gupta, the then Chairman of Shyam Lal charitable trust. The College is housed in a spacious building on G.T. Road, Shahdara with a sufficiently large infrastructure for both academic as well as extra-curricular activities. SLC has earned its legitimate reputation as the most efficient and prominent educational institution in the entire East Delhi region. The College is among the best institutions in the entire University of Delhi, and over the past several years, has been making steady progress towards achieving academic excellence. SLC has become the center of academic excellence since its inception and aims to make quality education accessible to the students, especially girls, from economically and educationally disadvantaged community of East Delhi. The endeavor of the College has always been to make higher education more committed, job oriented, meaningful and pragmatic, and at the same time more adaptable to the ever-changing demands of our society and globe. Over a period of 56 years, the College has distinguished itself by providing a plethora of courses and PG course with a rich contribution from distinguished faculty in different departments. SLC is fully equipped with state-of-the-art Computer labs, Science labs, Knowledge Resource Center and Library, Sports facilities to upgrade knowledge, skills and capabilities of the students needed for grooming them as future leaders. The college has been, for three years consecutively, been among the top 100 colleges of India in the NIRF Rankings for Colleges (61st 2018; 41st 2019 and 69th 2020) The College has rapidly emerged as a prominent educational institution of the country and the Hon' ble Vice-President of India Shri Venkaiah Naidu has graced our 55th Annual Day and Prize Distribution function, 2018-19.

VISION

SLC strives for meaningful transformation of learners to responsible citizens by providing them with an all-inclusive and value based education.

MISSION

SLC provides a constantly caring, supportive and secure teaching and learning environment for engagement with the students and other stakeholders to achieve excellence in academic, sports, extra-curricular activities and develop analytical temper with a focus on instilling strong values to prepare them as leaders. SLC adopts environment friendly practices and formulate strategies for strengthening research and innovation in the College that expand the realm of knowledge.

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Esteemed Chief Guest, Respected Prof. P.C Joshi, Pro-Vice Chancellor, University of Delhi, Guest of Honour Prof. Balram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi and Mrs. Savita Gupta, Chairperson, Governing Body, SLC, Members of Governing Body, SLC and other Distinguished Guests. Dear Students, Colleagues, Ladies and Gentlemen, it gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all on the occasion of the 56th Annual Day and Prize Distribution Function of our College. We are indeed privileged to have with us Prof. P.C Joshi, Pro-Vice Chancellor, University of Delhi as Chief Guest of the function. Prof. P. C. Joshi is currently Pro-Vice Chancellor, University of Delhi. He has also served as head of the Department of Anthropology in various institutions. He was nominated Asia Coordinator of the European Union 6th Framework Microdis Integrated Project, 2007 and was a delegate of the European Union to Poznan, Poland in United Nations Framework Climate Change Conference in 2008. Prof. P. C. Joshi is recipient of the Indira Priyadarshini Vriksha Mitra National Award as Friends of Trees founder member, 1987 and the Inter-University Centre Associateship Award in Humanities and Social Sciences, 1996-1999, Certificate of Honour at the First France-India Meet on Psychiatry, Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy, 2007, Plaque of Appreciation from Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Xavier University Ateneo de Cagayan de Oro City, Philippines, 2008, and Certificate of Appreciation on his research on disaster impacts in Asia and Europe by Faculty of Public Health, University of Indonesia in 2009, among other honours and distinctions. He is the current UGC SAP Advisory Committee Member for the SV University, Tirupati and Karnataka University Dharwad. He has been recently nominated as the Task Force Member, Department of Biotechnology, Government of India. His scientific publications are in the fields of Medical Anthropology, Traditional Medicines, Shamanism, Impact of Disasters, Life Style Diseases and Antibiotic Resistance.

Respected Sir, we are honoured to have you as our Chief Guest for today's function. We are indeed grateful that you have spared time for our College. On behalf of the entire College fraternity, I extend a very warm welcome to you.

We also have with us as Guest of Honour Prof. Balram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi. Prof. Balram Pani is also the Principal of Bhaskaracharya College of Applied Sciences. He obtained his PhD from Jawaharlal Nehru University. Prof. Pani has 20 years of research and teaching experience in the field of Chemistry and Environmental Science. He has also authored various books on Environmental Science and Engineering chemistry, which have been adopted by several universities, and engineering and science colleges.

We have among us Mrs. Savita Gupta, Chairperson, SLC Governing Body, to preside over today's program. She is an alumna from Banaras Hindu University having done her PG in English and presently serving as Vice-Chairperson

of S. Chand Co Ltd. Madam, you have been admirably taking forward the legacy of Padma Shree Late Sh. Shyam Lal Gupta to promote higher education. The dream of Padma Shree Shyam Lal Gupta to set up a quality education institution of higher learning in the hitherto backward region of East Delhi having been fulfilled and Mrs. Savita Gupta is now the guiding pillar for taking the College to unparalleled heights. Madam, we are privileged to have you for today's function. We are indeed grateful that you have been constantly sparing your valuable time for our College. On behalf of the entire College fraternity, I extend a very warm welcome to you.

Once again we would like to welcome all our Eminent and Distinguished Guests on the 56th Annual Day of the College.

SLC in the Academic Year 2019-20

The academic session 2019-20 has seen unprecedented academic and infrastructural developments in the college. The whole SLC team including teachers, students and the non-teaching staff works towards promoting higher education with a view to encourage a more ' learner-centric ' approach. SLC strives to achieve these goals through regular curricular monitoring, academic innovations and continuous student involvement in all the College activities.

I proudly announce that our college has achieved rank 69th rank in 2020, in the MHRD NIRF ranking of colleges in India. With this achievement, SLC has been, consecutively, in the top 100 colleges of India. I want to congratulate all my teacher colleagues, non-teaching staff and students for this achievement and I am sure of the continued hard work and perseverance of my colleagues so that we achieve better laurels in the years to come.

I am very happy to announce that the College has been selected under the DBT Star College Scheme in 2019-20 for the Department of Chemistry and Physics.

We are happy to announce that the first batch of our newly introduced courses –B.Sc (Hons) Chemistry and Mathematics has been successfully promoted this year. Further, the introduction of New (Hons) courses in Computer Science, Operational Research, Botany and Physics are pending for approval with University of Delhi. SLC is also pursuing with the University of Delhi for postgraduate courses in Commerce, English, Economics, History and Political Science.

We have also started an add on course on “Stock Market and Expert Trader” in collaboration with Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd. which has successfully completed two batches. The college also offered value added courses on Yoga and Holistic Development (in 2 batches) and Research Analytics for the benefit of the students. In addition to this, the Colleges also began new Foreign Language Courses under the aegis of Department of Germanic & Romance Studies, University of Delhi during the session. The College is offering Certificate course in Foreign Language : German/Spanish/French (Affiliated to Department of Germanic and Romanic Studies, University of Delhi), Diploma in Foreign Language : German/Spanish/French (Affiliated to Department of Germanic and Romanic Studies, University of Delhi) and Certificate course in Foreign Language. Chinese/Japanese/Korean (Affiliated to Development of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi)

Five faculty members (Dr. Jyoti Chaudhary, Department of Commerce, Dr. Neha Bothra, Department of Commerce, Dr. Simple Arora, Department of Commerce, Dr. Monika Kehmani, Department of Commerce and Dr. Neelam Dabas, Department of Computer Science) have successfully completed their Ph.D. this year.

During the year under report, the following colleagues retired, from Department of Commerce, after dedicating their career to the college: Dr. Usha Kashyap, Associate Professor (31/07/19), Dr. Satish Chandra, Associate Professor (31/07/19), Dr. S.B Rathore, Associate Professor (31/12/19), Sh. Anil Khurana, Associate Professor (30/06/2020) and Dr. Alka Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of History on (31/12/19). I, with a heavy heart, share that our non-teaching staff member Sh. Pratap Singh (expired in May, 2020) left for heavenly abode during the year under report.

Research/Consultancy/Collaboration

1. International & National Conferences

International Conference by WDC, SLC

WDC & IQAC SLC (University of Delhi) in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) organized an International Conference on “Through a (New) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century” on 9-10 January, 2020 at Indian Society for International Law (ISIL) and Seminar Hall, SLC respectively. The International Conference was inaugurated by Chief Guest Ms. Arushi Nishank, Founder- Sparsh Ganga at ISIL. The conference hosted well known academicians from across disciplines in India and abroad like Prof. Aditya P. Padhi, EC Member, NAAC, Prof. K.B. Das, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, IGNOU, New Delhi, Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, University of Turku, Prof. Slagijana Stojanobska, Integrated Business Faculty, Macedonia, Prof. Ari Lindeman, XAMK, Finland, Dr. Anu Lähteenmäki-Uutela, University of Turku, Finland, Ms. Jayashree Vyas, MD, Sewa Bank, Prof. Madhu Kishwar, Chair Professor, ICSSR, Prof. Kavita Sharma, Former President, South Asian University, Ms. Monika Arora, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court, Prof. Sidharath Mishra, VIPS Delhi, Prof. Baran Farooqi, Department of English, JMI, Prof. Ritu Tripathi, IIM Bangalore, Prof. Ashwini Mohapatra, JNU, Prof. Srparna Basu, FSM, Delhi, Mr. Shreenibas Chandra Prusty, Registrar ILI. A large audience comprising academics, research scholars, experts, faculty and students from across the country actively engaged in exchange of ideas and knowledge over a period of two days. Over a period of two days of International Conference 3 Plenary Sessions, 1 Workshop and 15 Concurrent Sessions for 90 presenters were held. The conference theme explored the challenges faced by Women in 21st century.

International Conference (virtual mode) by IQAC, SLC

IQAC organized one day International Conference in virtual mode on “Proactive Governance and Policy Implementations in the Times of Covid 19” on 5th June, 2020. The eminent resource persons for the conference included Prof. Bidyut Chakrabarty, Vice Chancellor, Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, WB who delivered the Keynote address and focused on the past and present governance system in India with specific focus on localized

approach to policy making. Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. V.K. Kaul, Dean, Faculty of Applied Sciences, DU and Prof. Munim K. Barai, APU, Japan were the eminent speakers of the Panel discussion that focused on the economic crisis during Covid-19 pandemic and the economic resurgence initiatives that need to be put in place for better future prospects. The conference was attended by around 350 delegates from India, Finland and Macedonia. It was hugely successful in the virtual mode with speakers and participants getting ample opportunity for interactions and deliberations.

National Conference by IQAC, SLC

SLC (University of Delhi), Shyam Lal College IQAC in collaboration with National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) organized two days National Conference on “Quality Advancements in Teaching & Learning towards Academic Excellence” on 2-3 August, 2019 in the Conference Hall of the college. The Conference spanning over two days comprised of the Inaugural session, 2 Plenary sessions, 1 Roundtable, 1 Students’ Panel, 5 technical sessions and Valedictory. Renowned academics graced the conference and contributed as resource persons. The resource persons included Prof. Bidyut Chakrabarty, Vice Chancellor, Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, WB, Dr. Pratibha Singh, NAAC, Delhi, Prof. K. Suresh, NIEPA, Delhi, Prof. Anisur Rehman, Director, UGC-HRDC, JMI, Prof. Veera Gupta, NIEPA, Delhi, Mr. Sanjeev Singhal, Partner, EY Global, Delhi, Prof. V.K. Kaul, Dean, Faculty of Applied Sciences, DU, Prof. Aswini K. Mohapatra, JNU and many more.

The inaugural address was given by Prof. Bidyut Chakrabarty, Vice-Chancellor, Visva Bharati University, Santiniketan, WB who emphasized that education and society are dialectically connected. The deliberations in the two days focused on diverse issues around quality advancements in the educational system, transparency and objectivity in assessments in the educational institutions, blind imitation of the western pedagogy and techniques, regulatory mechanisms, dynamic leadership in the educational institutions and many more.

International Seminar by IQAC

SLC organized an International Seminar on “Effective Mentoring for Academic Excellence” on 30 October, 2019. The seminar hosted well known academicians and mentors from across disciplines in India and abroad such as Prof. I. M. Pandey, DG, VIPS and Former Director, IIMA, Prof. Jamie P. Halsall, University of Huddersfield, UK, Prof. Michael Snowden, University of Huddersfield, UK and Prof. Sriparna Basu, Fore School of Management. Participants from various institutes in Delhi and NCR actively registered their presence in various sessions of the seminar and also positively contributed to the deliberations made.

The Seminar theme emphasized on the importance of mentoring at academic institutions, the importance of collaborative and empathetic ways of mentoring rather than hierarchical ones, impact of the idea of mentorship etc.

National Conference by Department of Chemistry

Department of Chemistry organized two days National Seminar in collaboration with Commission for Scientific and Technical terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt of India on “Science with Lens of Scientific and Technical 2020 on 29th –30th January, 2020. Resource persons including Chief Guest and Guest of

Honour delivered invited lectures during two days. Professor Avinash Chandra Pandey, Director, IUAC, New Delhi, Professor Avinash Kumar, Chairman, CSTT and Director, CHD, Professor Rana Pratap Singh, Pro Vice Chancellor, JNU, Shri Rahul Dev, Senior Journalist, Professor Pramod Kumar, Registrar, JNU, Professor Harsha Kharkwal, Director, IFMFC, Amity, Dr Pravesh Mehra, Director and HOD Dental Oral Surgery, Lady Hardinge Medical College, Professor Deepak Pant, Dr. Ajay Kumar were among the main speakers to grace the occasion and delivered invited talk. Physical Science students also attended the seminar.

National Conference by Department of Political Science

The Department in association with the Gandhi Study Circle successfully organized a Two-Day National Seminar on “Gandhi and Environment: Visualizing a Sustainable Future” between 1-2 October 2019. The National Seminar was a successful academic event in which a galaxy of leading Gandhian scholars converged and engaged in vibrant academic exchange of Ideas on the topic. The leading Scholars who participated in the National Seminar, among many, were: Sh. Mahendra Kapur, Prof. Rajvir Sharma, Prof. K.B. Dash, Dr. Siddarth Mishra, Prof. Vijay Laxmi Pandit, Prof. Manoj Sinha, Manvendra Kishore Das, Prof. Vibha Chauhan, Dr. Anil Dutta Mishra, Dr. Devasia M. Antony, Dr. Anita Tagore and Prof. Harpreet Kaur. The National Seminar was based on the following themes: Gandhian Paradigms on ‘ Development’ , ‘ Environment’ , ‘ Economy’ and ‘ Ethics’ , Gram Swaraj and Sustainable Development, Environmental Pollution: Water, Air, Land Development and Social Equity, Natural Disasters: Man-made, Natural, Sea-born cyclones, Urban Flooding, Nuclear etc.

Myanmar Delegation visit organized by IQAC

IQAC, SLC (University of Delhi) Shyam Lal College facilitated a field visit by the Administrative Trainees attending International Programme in Educational Management for Educational Administrators from Myanmar in collaboration with NIEPA on 14.11.2019. 25 Senior Educational Administrators and faculty from Ministry of Education & Institutions of Higher Education from Myanmar visited the college and exchanged ideas on effective administration that facilitate the progress of the institutions. Ideas about incorporation of innovative teaching methods were exchanged and the participants were given exposure on the best practices adapted by the College namely 1) Academic & Administrative Innovations 2) Going Digital & 3) Inclusive Education and Development as per the training methodology and structure of the programme. The visit of delegation was fruitful for delegation from Myanmar and staff members of SLC. Prof. Veera Gupta facilitated the same from NIEPA side.

National E-Learning Workshop by Centre for Skill Development and IQAC

The Centre for Skill Development and IQAC, SLC jointly organized One week National E-Learning Workshop on Research Methodology during 8-15 May, 2020. The workshop was organized at a time when the crisis of COVID-19 had reached it’ s peak. The College decided to promote its scholarly activities through online medium. The workshop covered overview of research, literature review, methods of research, data analysis, presenting the findings, getting the research published, and ethics in research.

The E-learning workshop witnessed an overwhelming response and had participants from diverse fields including faculty and research scholars from various colleges across India. The CSD faculty team and the student team managed the technicalities of holding online sessions and provided appreciable backend support in successful organization of this workshop. E-certificates were given to all the participants and as there were limited seats, participants were enrolled on first come first serve basis.

The one week E-learning sessions had the benign presence of prominent speakers and academicians including Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar , Principal SLC, Dr. K.B.Singh, Dept. of Commerce & Financial Studies, Central University of Jharkhand, Dr. Nancy H. Vaz, Mrs. Shubharekha Dr. V. Premanand , Department of PG Psychology, St. Agnes Centre for Post Graduate Studies and Research, Mangalore ,Dr. Nancy H. Vaz and Mrs. Shubharekha from St. Agnes College, Mangalore. In this one week long online National Workshop Dr. Gayatri Chaturvedi, Dr. Kavita Arora, Dr. Kusha Tiwari, Dr. Kinshuk Majumdar, Dr. Seema Dabas, Dr. Komilla Suri and Dr. Ritu Aggarwal from SLC also made intellectual deliberations on different topics of research process.

2. *International Exchange Programmes and Visiting Fellowships*

- SLC successfully completed the International Project and academic exchange programme between Shyam Lal College and three oldest Universities from Finland - Turku School of Economics/ Pori Unit (University of Turku), South Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences (XAMK), Turku University of Applied Sciences (as Coordinator), Finland based on the project “Responsible Business Professional For Finland and India Trade” (1st September 2016 –31st August 2018) funded by The Centre for International Mobility (CIMO), Finland.
- Ms. Manila Kohli, Department of English, went on a student exchange program (as registered Ph.D. Scholar in English Department, University of Delhi) between the Departments of English and German at the University of Delhi and Potsdam University, Germany from 30th May to 1st July, 2019.
- Dr. Narender Singh, Department of Physics was a visiting faculty at International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), Vienna, Austria for two weeks in 2019.

3. *Academic Innovations*

Academic Initiatives during Covid-19 Pandemic

SLC has taken several academically innovative initiatives during the current Covid-19 pandemic situation. The faculty members at SLC are dedicated to their work and are actively engaged in providing necessary support to the students in the Covid-19 pandemic times and the subsequent lockdown. The college faculty members are using following ways and platforms to engage with students towards continuing teaching-learning process:

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- Uploading e-resources on college website for student perusal.
- The students access the e-resources uploaded by their teachers.
- Engagement of student classes through online platforms like Zoom, Google Meet, Google Classroom, Webex, Skype etc.
- The online class sessions are recorded and sent to students who are unable to join the same.
- The faculty members also use Google classrooms to upload PDF files and videos and solve student queries using Chatroom options.
- Teachers have used Google forms for taking tests, projects and assignments.
- The College has made available online reading material to all the students through N-list portal for which all students have been given login and password.
- The College has also provided link on the college website for the reading material made available by the Delhi University library system and SOL.
- The incumbent holds weekly meetings with the TICs via virtual platforms during the Covid-19 for monitoring the smooth functioning of the teaching-learning process and other academic and administrative matters.
- The college has obtained the paid Zoom meeting package so as to conduct academic and administrative programmes and monitoring meetings smoothly.
- The College also started a helpline for students to help in data recharge of the mobile phones of those students who could not afford data recharge and were, thus, unable to attend online classes and complete assignments.
- The college has also organized series of Webinars and online discussions on various topics of contemporary relevance. The list is as follow:

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Sr. No.	National International	Conference FDP/Workshop/ Webinar	Title	Duration	Department
1	National	Webinar	Yoga: A Holistic Approach to Life	21st June, 2020	CHD, NSS, Dept. of Physical Education & IQAC
2	National	Webinar	Webinar on Tax Summit: How to Maximize Savings in COVID Times	20th June, 2020	IQAC
3	National	Webinar	Webinar on Credibility Crisis in Media amidst Covid-19	16th June, 2020	WDC & IQAC
4	National	Webinar	Introduction to Psychic Energy Centre and its Mediation Practice	13th June, 2020	Dept. of Physical Education in collaboration with CHD & IQAC
5	National	Webinar	Financial Literacy for Women in Times of Covid-19	6th June, 2020	IQAC & Unnat Bharat Abhiyan
6	National	Webinar	National Webinar on Commodity Trading	6th June, 2020	IQAC & SDC
7	International	Conference	Proactive Governance and Policy Implementations in the times of Covid-19	5th June, 2020	IQAC

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8	National	Webinar	Coping with Covid-19: Psychological & Immunological Aspects	29th May 2020	IQAC & B.A(Prog.) Society
9	National	Webinar	National Chemistry Webinar Series	26-28th May 2020	Department of Chemistry & IQAC
10	National	Webinar	Cybercrime: Legal Remedies Against Increased Incidence during this Lockdown	22th May 2020	Centre for Industry Interaction(CII), IQAC
11	National	Webinar	Covid-19: Managing Chronic Disease	6th May, 2020	NSS and IQAC
12	National	Webinar	Webinar on Digital Humanities	19th May, 2020	Department of English & IQAC
13	National	Webinar	Ground Realities of an E-Commerce Firm during Covid Times	15th May, 2020	CII & IQAC
14	National	Workshop	One-week National E-Learning Workshop	8-15th May, 2020	SDC & IQAC

4. Interdisciplinary Student Projects and Student Development Programmes

Every year, the students of SLC get an opportunity to explore new areas of research in the realm of multi-disciplinary and socially relevant areas. On similar lines, SLC started Interdisciplinary Student Research Projects in August, 2018. Research project proposals were invited from students across different courses. The projects so received were scrutinized and shortlisted under a rigorous process. The shortlisted projects were presented before external expert academics from scientific fields. The efforts of the students were well appreciated and selected proposals were adopted towards completion and forwarded to other agencies.

5. *Visit of Dignitaries*

It is a matter of great pride that Prof. Slagijana Stojanobska, Integrated Business Faculty, University of Ljubljana, Prof. Ari Lindeman, XAMK, Finland, Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Anu Lähteenmäki-Uutela, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. Kavita Sharma, Former President, South Asian University, Ms. Monika Arora, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court, Prof. Madhu Kishwar, Chair Professor, ICSSR, Prof. K.B. Das, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, IGNOU, Prof. Ritu Tripathi, IIM Bangalore, Ms. Jayshree Vyas, MD, Sewa Bank, Prof. Rajkumar, Head, Department of English, University of Delhi, Mr. Shreenibas Chandra Prusty, Registrar ILL, Prof. Sidharth Mishra, VIPS, IP University, Delhi, Prof. Sriparna Basu, FORE School of Management, Prof. Aswini K. Mohapatra, Dean, SIS, JNU, Prof. Neetha N., Director, CWDS, Delhi, Prof. Baran Farooqi, Department of English, JMI, Dr. P. Hemalatha Reddy, Principal, Sri Venkateswara College, DU, Prof. Aditya Prasad Padhi, Former VC, Berhampur University, Prof. Bidyut Chakrabarty, Vice Chancellor, Visva-Bharati, Dr. Pratibha Singh, NAAC, Delhi, Prof. Anil Swain, Utkal University, Odisha, Prof. Veera Gupta, NIEPA, Delhi, Dr. Shakila Shamsu, OSD (NEP), MHRD, Mr. Rajesh Pankaj, Joint Director, FICCI, Prof. K. Suresh, NIEPA, Delhi, Prof. K.G. Suresh, Former DG, IIMC, Delhi, Prof. Anisur Rehman, Director, UGC-HRDC, JMI, Mr. Sanjeev Singhal, Partner, EY Global, Delhi, Mr. Rajeev Saxena, Director, Mazars India, Prof. Jamie P. Halsall, University of Huddersfield, UK, Prof. Micheal Snowden, University of Huddersfield, UK, Prof. I.M. Pandey, DG, VIPS & Former Director IIMA visited SLC and participated in the academic deliberations during the year 2019-20.

Best Practices

1. **Powered by Renewable Energy**

The Solar Power Plant of the College is fully functional and generates power for our consumption and whenever there is any surplus it goes back to Delhi homes. The Solar Power Plant, installed in the college, is a collaborative initiative with IPGCL, Govt. of NCT of Delhi wherein the said Govt. agency has borne the full cost of the installation of the Solar Panels in the college. We have been saving power as well as financial resources since the plant became fully functional. The College also practices regular switch off drives so as to save and conserve energy.

2. **East Delhi Flower Show 2020**

SLC organized "UMANG-20 PUSHPMAHAOTSAVA" on 25th Feb., 2020. Various kinds of flora were displayed in the college ground and were appreciated and enjoyed by students, teachers and other spectators. This is an annual practice of the college.

3. **Institutional social responsibility initiatives during Covid-19 Pandemic**

The College has also undertaken several institutional social responsibility initiatives during Covid-19 Pandemic. Some of the details are as follow:

- The College actively supported and observed our Hon' ble Prime Minister's nationwide call for Janta Curfew and subsequent country wide lockdown. Accordingly, government advisories issued about preventive measures like hand hygiene, social distancing, cough etiquette are circulated among the staff, students, surrounding neighbourhood and in adopted villages from time to time.
- A WhatsApp group with members from the adopted villages, under UBA, like the Pradhans, village elders and officials was formed so as to spread awareness about hygiene and sanitation among as many households as possible.
- The students of the college have been making handmade soap and masks to distribute them in their neighbourhood so as to help people maintain good hygiene and fight this chronic disease.
- NSS volunteers have also taken care of abandoned pets and stray animals; they feed them on everyday basis in their neighbourhoods.
- The College is actively involved in food distribution among the poor and the homeless. NSS students of the college are also regularly distributing ration to the needy people in slum areas.
- Student members also make handmade masks and distribute them to vegetable vendors, slum dwellers and many others in their neighbourhood.
- The UBA team and NSS team of the College has already conducted cleanliness drives in Yamuna Bazaar Ghat no 21. The Development and Maintenance of Ghat No.-21 has been done along with repairing, beautification, restructuring, painting and colouring work.
- SLC students academically help the students in villages and slums through virtual modes.
- The incumbent regularly meets and interacts with students via virtual platform in order to resolve their queries regarding uncertainty of the academic session due to the pandemic situation.
- Counselling Cell has been activated with Mobile No of professional counsellor, doctor to address students' anxiety and other issues.
- The college also regularly organizes counselling sessions for students through ICC, WDC and Placement Cell.
- Principal is always available to students during office hours.
- The college has a very active mentoring mechanism in which teacher mentors regularly meets their mentee students in order to resolve their academic and other concerns.
- During the Covid-19 pandemic, the college also facilitated the mobile data recharge of students' phones so that they do not miss out on interactions and classes with teachers.

4. Student Mentoring Programme

SLC has successfully implemented mentorship programme through IQAC of the college, for all the students. Under this full-fledged mentorship programme, all the students are assigned to designated faculty members during their stay in the college.

5. Community Outreach Programme

- SLC is actively sensitive to its Institutional Social Responsibility and promotes institution-neighbourhood-community initiatives and outreach programs through its various activities that broadly fall under NCC/NSS/WDC/EOC/Sports.
- SLC is surrounded by many underdeveloped, overpopulated and minority community localities, and so becomes the sole facilitator, in the area, of achieving academic excellence for students belonging to economically backward classes and minority communities.
- SLC has also adopted Shahdara mandi and has conducted cleanliness drives, switch over to cashless trading and plastic free campaigns.
- The students at SLC are taught the importance of participating in community service and contributing to help the deprived and the underprivileged sections of society. The NSS wing of the College lives up to its motto ‘Love All and Serve All’. The students engaged with NSS volunteer with a number of NGOs. They also organize clothes donation drive to support NGOs like Amar Jyoti. The NSS, every year, organizes a blood donation camp in the College.
- The College has NCC, NSS, Women Development Cell, Centre for Holistic Development, Centre for Industry Interaction and Skill Development, Ambedkar Study Circle, Gandhi Study Circle etc. which organize events dedicated towards community service like blood donation camp, tree plantation drive, Save Yamuna Campaign, gender sensitization, identity discourses, moral education etc. to enhance the sense of community feeling and citizenship among the students. The NSS of the College has also organized ‘Nirbheek’ –One week Women self-defense camp for girl students.
- The UBA team and NSS team of the College has already conducted cleanliness drives in Yamuna Bazaar Ghat no 21. The Development and Maintenance of Ghat No.-21 has been done along with repairing, beautification, restructuring, painting and colouring work.
- The Enactus team of the College has worked on community outreach projects like ‘PRAYOJYA’ (2018). The project is an effort to reduce plastic pollutants in our surrounding by transforming them from waste plastic bottles to useful and decorative plastic utensils and simultaneously providing employment to women from underprivileged communities and train them in the art of making different kinds of decorative stuff with plastic.

6. Relaxation of admission cutoff % for Girl Students

The College is located in an area of the city densely populated by under-privileged sections of society. SLC's policy of giving preference to the girl students in the Admissions with 1% relaxation in admission percentage calculation, is largely aimed at correcting the gender bias/disparity in the neighbourhood and community.

7. Remedial Classes

SLC regularly conducts remedial classes, every semester, for students from under-privileged communities that largely benefit the students from surrounding areas.

8. Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, SLC

SLC (University of Delhi), Shyam Lal College is a participating institute in the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA 2.0) which is the flagship programme of MHRD, GoI. Under this project, SLC has adopted 5 villages. UBA team of SLC has conducted extensive surveys of the said villages, participated in the Swachata hi Sewa campaign, interacted with villagers and other stakeholders of the villages such as village Pradhans and village panchayat samities and other stakeholders. The UBA, SLC team has also worked with and helped the adopted villages during COVID-19 pandemic in following ways: poster and video distribution about maintaining hygiene and sanitation, distribution of food packets, distribution of rashan, distribution of masks, dissemination of information through Whatsapp groups to farmers regarding precautions to be taken in farming activities during the pandemic etc. The village visits, surveys conducted, data collected and interactions with villagers and concerned stakeholders of the villages have helped the PI to shortlist problem areas for which the SLC Unnat Bharat team has already started work.

9. Innovation Council

SLC established Innovation Council (IC) under MHRD's Innovation Cell, an initiative launched in November of 2018. The primary mandate of Innovation Cell, MHRD is to encourage, inspire and nurture young students by supporting them to work with new ideas. SLC's Innovation Council works towards inculcating the spirit of innovation among students, and develop a start-up ecosystem. In IC, students participate in mentoring sessions, workshops and innovative idea competitions. Since its inception, the IC, SLC has produced and developed very promising startup ideas such as Sajagta, Steam Power generator, Infollege, and Abhikalpana etc. SLC faculty members (4) have successfully completed the Ambassador Training Programme conducted by Innovation Cell, MHRD and it has received 2 stars since its establishment.

10. Skill based Courses

Centre for Skill Development, SLC conducts Add-On Certificate and Diploma courses in Foreign languages since 2018 in German, Spanish, French, Chinese, Japanese, Korean under the aegis of Department of Germanic & Romance Studies and Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi.

11. Green Initiative

Conservation of environment has been the focus of assurance of the College. The students, faculty, office staff and other staff of the College work in coordination to cultivate and preserve a green environment.

- The College is a tobacco-free, smoke-free zone and has said a loud ‘ NO’ to crackers and plastic bags.
- The tree plantation activities organized by the College are aimed at improving the air quality in and around the College, as well as for creating awareness about protection of environment.
- The College takes special care to inculcate the habit of switching off fans and lights when these are not in use.
- All garden waste is used for making compost in compost pits.
- Burning of garden waste is strictly prohibited on the Campus to minimize air pollution.
- E-waste is routed through appropriate channels for proper disposal
- Colleges also engages in regular tree plantation drives in and around the campus.
- College took efforts for carbon neutrality, with large green-patches, gardens and a vast collection of trees.
- College has installed three LED screens to communicate with students and faculty to reduce the use of paper in printing official notices etc.
- The Garden Committee attempts to ensure the use of natural fertilizers and natural material for supporting plants and climbers.

12. Rain Water Harvesting

As an institution committed to zero water wastage and harnessing the power of every drop of this precious commodity, SLC has taken important measure like installing rain water harvesting system in the campus.

13. Recycling Papers

SLC is sensitive towards the cause of conserving natural resources and promotes the culture of respecting nature. SLC in collaboration with NGO Jagriti recycles waste paper and in return receives several reams of paper.

14. LED Lights

The usage of LED lights has reduced the power consumption heavily. The installation of LED lights following the installation of solar panels has helped the College save its financial resources. In addition to this, switch-off drills are carried out on regular basis to make the SLCians aware and alert regarding energy consumption and saving.

15. Assessment and Feedback

The College has also successfully implemented the structured feedback system that ensures that the concerns of the students are heard and addressed. So far we have successfully completed three cycles of taking feedback from the students that have been analyzed and the issues related to academics, infrastructure and facilities raised have been addressed.

16. Opportunities for neighbourhood under-privileged School children to participate/coaching facility for different games

Shyam Lal College is the foremost college in East Delhi Campus of the University of Delhi with outstanding sports facilities for games like Hockey, Baseball, Volleyball, Judo and Kabaddi. The College aims at promotion and improvement of sports and games in trans-Yamuna region of Delhi by providing opportunities and best coaching facilities to the young and talented players of the society. The college has taken this initiative to provide free and regular coaching in the above mentioned games to deserving and talented students from neighboring schools. The aim is also to promote indigenous games among the youth who are in some ways unaware of the vast career possibilities to be explored in our national games and sports.

17. Going Digital

The College is highly committed to adopt digital practices in all office and students related work. During the current Covid-19 pandemic also, the College has seamlessly switched over to the digital mode in academic and administrative functioning. Teachers and students are provided all facilities and administrative assistance in the conduct of online teaching-learning. IQAC collaborates with various departments to organize virtual lectures and talks and interviews of imminent personalities across the world. The College also encourages the faculty to record lectures through screencast-o-matic v2.0 software for future reference and benefit of the students.

The Administration took the digitalization one step further by transfiguring the students' I-cards into Single Sign-on (SSO) card. This card bearing bar-code is an in-house product developed by the technical team of the college. This one stop card is revolutionary as it makes the entire data just one click away and so is less time-consuming with minimum chances of being faulty and ensures better access to the on-campus facilities like:

- Issuing books in library - the students can issue books with the help of SSO card and they would not require any separate library card.
- Security - It makes screening easier on special days like student elections, College fest, annual function etc. to avoid any scuffles and untoward incidents in the campus.
- Payment of bills - the College is also thinking of creating a pay wallet which will be connected with students' account so as to make their campus experience better.

- The Administration is virtually in touch with the non-teaching staff all the time during office hours. All the officials of the College are connected with the Principal through Google worksheet where routine jobs are assigned to concerned officials and are routinely monitored.
- The College teaching staff is always updated with real-time LED display in the staffroom which is used for the display of time-table and other important notices.

18. Inclusive Education and Development

The practice of Inclusive Education and Development continues from the last year as it serves meaningful benefit for the students. Since the location of the College is very strategic, the students from NCR/East Delhi get the maximum benefit of studying in a premier Delhi University college. The College gives value-based education to the students (as is the vision of the College) and also takes care of the professionalism of the Industry/market and prepares the students for the competitive world outside. Remedial classes, workshops organized by different departments, Placement Cell and Skill Development Cell, industry interaction through CIISD give the students enough exposure and feel of the professional world.

19. SLC University Chef

SLC's flagship event and one of its kind in the entire DU, University Chef 2020 (Edition 5) sponsored by ISS Catering Services Pvt. Ltd. & Gustora Foods was successfully organized from March 04 to March 06, 2020. This edition outdid the previous ones as it witnessed a massive upgrade since the contestants had to use induction cooktops instead of generic LPG gas burners. Celebrity Chef Nita Mehta was the Chief Guest and Chef Mukesh Kumar from Hotel Samrat & Chef Veeta Singh, DGM, The Ashok Hotel; and MasterChef India fame Jatin Khurana were on the jury list. Teams from Lakshmibai College and Kalindi College respectively was declared as the Winners while the team from Bharati Vidhyapeeth was the Runner up and the team Lady Irwin College was the second Runner up.

Infrastructure

During the year under Report, the following infrastructure facilities are added:

- Green grass carpeting work was done in College grounds.
- CCTV under MPLADS fund has been fixated in the whole campuses with coverage of the outside road area.
- Physics Lab has been renovated for better conduct of practical classes and examination.
- Two store Rooms have been constructed on the roof of the Library behind room no 40 & 41.
- IQAC room and CCTV control room have been developed in the Room no. 17

- Pathways with Green Corridor has been constructed in front of staff room adjacent to playground joining both the buildings.
- Boundary wall behind the College was repaired for better security coverage.
- LED flood light has been fixed on the top of the building that gives good visibility of the college name.
- One Organic waste composite machine has been purchased as per NGT direction.
- New Chemistry Lab has been developed for BSC (H) students.
- Four LEDs have been fixed in the Conference Hall.
- LED signboard has been fixed on the Top of the Building.
- Hording board has been fixed on the 3rd Gate of the College.
- Repair renovation has been done in the College Office for smooth conduct of administrative tasks.
- CNG Gas Pipeline has become functional in the campus.

University Examination Results

Due to untiring efforts of our motivated faculties, the students of SLC have shown wonderful results as proved by the mean pass percentage of 99.05%. A big congraution to all the students and faculties.

Once again this year, our students have performed exceptionally well, and 93.19% students qualified with first divisions in the examinations. The percentage of students passing with First Division has been gradually been increasing over the years.

I extend my heartiest congratulations to all the students for their creditable performance in the University Examinations and for keeping the banner of SLC flying high on the academic front.

Orientation Programme

The College organized department wise Orientation Programme for 1st year students admitted in different courses on 21st July, 2019 for the academic year 2019-20. Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal, SLC welcomed all the 1st year students, introduced them to the College and encouraged them to contribute constructively towards its development and progress. He also familiarized the new entrants about the pioneer and innovative steps that the college has taken, in the last one year, in enhancing the academic environment and improving the infrastructural facilities. All the Department In-charges introduced the respective faculty members to the students during the

orientation. The teachers apprised them of various courses offered, the extra-curricular and sports activities to be explored at the college, rules and regulations as well as the need to maintain discipline in the college. Every student was given a copy of syllabus and the time-table of his class. The students responded to the programme imbued with their characteristic enthusiasm and many valuable suggestions were received during the event/s. I congratulate all the Department In-charges and their team of teachers for organizing a very successful Orientation Programme.

Academic Achievements of the SLC Faculty

Besides teaching, the faculty members of the College have been very active with their research work and participation in seminars and conferences. Some of the highlights of their works/achievements as reported by them are presented here.

Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal

Contributed as Member in the Following Committees

- Visitor's Nominee, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, WB
- Member of Advisory Committee for DUSU Elections –University of Delhi
- Member of Arts Course Admission Committee -- University of Delhi
- Member of Standing Committee, Academic Council -- University of Delhi
- Member of Academic Council, University of Delhi
- Member of PG Board of Studies- Pondicherry University
- Member of Board of Studies, Department of Commerce and Financial Studies–Jharkhand Central University
- Member, Scientific Advisory Board, in *Revue Internationale de Psychosociologie et de Gestion des Comportements Organisationnels (RIPCO) Journal*, France.
- Member, Editorial Advisory Board, in Cambridge Scholars Publishing, London.

Publications

- Guest Editor of “Creating a Zone of Growth: The BoBAS Rim Countries and SAARC” , 2019, Special Issue of *South Asian Survey*, SAGE, Volume 25 Issue 1-2
- Published a paper “Understanding the Paradigm Shift in Strategy of M&As in India in a Volatile Period through Motive Analysis: Evidences from the IT Industry 2019” , *Global Business Review*, SAGE, 10.1177/09

- Published a paper “Sustainable Development and Multinational Enterprise Operations in Developing Countries: Role of Institutional Framework” , Pg. 1-11, 2019, Management and Economics Research Journal Vol. 5, Issue S3
- Published a book “Towards a Sustainable Future: Cross-Cultural Strategies, Practices and Advancements” Bloomsbury India, 15 July 2019.
- Published book chapter “Women Managers in Developing Countries: Challenges and Strategic Responses” , Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 978-1-52754055-2, 2019.

Others

- Key Note Address: Two-Day National Seminar on ‘ Intellectual Property Rights : Technological Development’ organized by the Departments of Commerce, Economics (UG & PG) and Management Studies (PG) Sir C R Reddy (A) College, Eluru on 27th and 28th September, 2019. Ellore, Andhra Pradesh.
- Plenary Speaker: PG Department of Commerce Utkal University, International seminar on Economic Ascendancy of India: Issues and Challenges, 28th June, Bhubaneswar Odisha.
- Plenary Speaker: Rethinking Management in the Age of Innovation organized by Sri Aurobindo College 18th October 2019, Hotel Crown Plaza, New Delhi.
- Resource Person: Two day National Conference “Quality Advancements in Teaching and Learning towards Academic Excellence” organized by IQAC, SLC in collaboration with NAAC on 2-3 August, 2019.
- Resource Person: One day International Seminar “Effective Mentoring for Academic Excellence” organized by IQAC, SLC on 30 October, 2019.
- Resource Person: Two day International Conference on “Through a (new) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century” organized by WDC & IQAC, SLC, University of Delhi on 9-10 January, 2020.

Department of Chemistry

Dr. Vinod Kumar

- Participated and delivered a lecture titled “Circular Periodic Form of Elements” in National Seminar Science with Lens of Scientific & Technical Terminology in Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi during January 29-30, 2020 and also chaired 3 technical sessions.

Dr. Ashu Gupta

- Appointed as a member of University Garden Committee, University of Delhi.
- Chief Coordinator of the DBT STAR College Scheme, SLC

Department of Physics

Dr. Seema Dabas

- Published a paper titled "Use of ZnO nanoparticles in degradation of Rhodamine B dye in waste water to save the environment" in International Journal on Emerging Technologies, Vol 2 P 226-232 (2019).

Dr. Sunny Aggarwal

- Published a research paper titled "L-shell spectroscopy of neon and fluorine like copper ions from laser produced plasma" in Physics of Plasmas, 2019.
- Published a research paper titled "Analysis of discrepancy in previously published excitation energies of Ne-like ions from two independent codes and atomic data of Rb XXVIII and Ba XLVII" in J. Electron Spectroscopy and Related Phenomena, 2020.
- Presented a paper in ICPEAC 2019, 31st International Conference on photonic, electronic and atomic collisions, Deauville, France, 23 July-30 July, 2019.
- Presented a paper in 8th Topical conference (TC-2020) on Atomic and Molecular Collisions for Plasma Applications, IIT Roorkee, 3 March-5 March, 2020.

Mr. Pradeep Kumar Sharma

- Published a research paper titled "Design, fabrication and calibration of low cost thermopower measurement set up in low-to mid-temperature range" in Measurement (Elsevier) ISSN: 0263-2241, 2020.
- Presented a paper "Synthesis and Thermoelectric Properties of Pristine Lead telluride (PbTe)" in 3rd Departmental Symposium on Advances in Physics –2019, organized by Department of Physics, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi.
- Presented a paper "Synthesis and Thermoelectric Properties of Pristine Lead telluride (PbTe)" International Conference on Atomic, Molecular, Optical and Nano Physics with Applications (CAMNP-2019), organized by Department of Applied Physics, Delhi Technological University, Delhi, India.

Dr. Sunaina Zutshi

- Participated in Two-Day National Workshop on “Fostering Social Responsibility & Community Engagement in Higher Educational Institutions in India” organized by University Grants Commission on 21st-22nd January 2020 at Inter-University Accelerator Centre, New Delhi.

Department of Mathematics

Mr. Subodh Kumar

- Published a paper titled “Location and weight distribution of key errors" in MATEMATICKI VESNIK, January (2020).
- Published a paper titled “Correcting key errors blockwise and correcting low density key errors” in International Journal of Mathematical, Engineering and Management Sciences, March (2020).
- Published a paper titled, "Bounds on Linear Codes Capable of Detecting, Locating and Correcting of m-repeated Burst Errors Prevailing in Multiple Sub-Blocks" in Proyecciones Journal of Mathematics, May (2020).

Dr. Anuj Kumar Sharma

- Participated as a team Member in a National Conference “Quality Advancements in Teaching & Learning towards Academic Excellence” On 2-3 August, 2019, organized by IQAC, SLC held at conference Hall, SLC.
- Participated as Innovation Ambassador in the Training Series : Entrepreneurship Development Programme held on 16-17th January, 2020 at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar, Punjab.
- Participated in one month Faculty Induction or Orientation Programme under PMMMNMTT (MHRD) by Ramanujan College, university of Delhi, from 4th June to 1st July, 2020.
- Participated in one week Faculty Development Programme on "Open Source Tools for Research" from June 08 - June 14, 2020, organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, sponsored by MHRD under PMMMNMTT
- Participated in Two week Faculty Development Programme on "MANAGING ONLINE CLASSES and CO-CREATING MOOCS:2.0" from May 18 - June 03, 2020., organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, sponsored by MHRD under PMMMNMTT.
- Participated in one week Faculty Development Programme on "Python and Emerging Trends in Machine Learning" from June 02 - June 06, 2020, organized by Forsk Coding School.

- Participated in National Webinar on Tax Summit: How to Maximize Savings in COVID Times organize by IQAC , Shyam Lal College , on 20th June, 2020.
- Participated in National Webinar on Credibility Crisis in Media amidst organize by WDC & IQAC , Shyam Lal College, on 16th June, 2020.
- Participated in International Conference on Proactive Governance and Policy Implementations in the times of Covid-19 organized by IQAC, Shyam Lal College, on 5th June, 2020.
- Participated in Workshop on One-week National E-Learning Workshop organized by SDC & IQAC, Shyam Lal College, on 8-15th May, 2020.
- Participated in National Webinar on Yoga A Holistic approach to Life organized by CHD, NSS, Deptt. of Physical Education & IQAC, Shyam Lal College, on 21st June, 2020.

Mr. Rahul Tomar

- Contributed as Resource Person in Workshop for Review of Scripts and Video Lectures for School MOOCs on SWAYAM from 10th and 11th October, 2019.
- Attended MHRD sponsored Innovation Ambassador Training series: Entrepreneurship Development Programme held on 16-17, Jan, 2020 at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar, Punjab.

Dr. Seema Guglani

- Participated in One week National E-Learning Workshop on Research Methodology organized by Centre for Skill Development and IQAC, Shyam Lal College on May 8,2020 to May 15,2020.

Mr. Sushil Kumar

- Organized a lecture on “ICT tools” under Shyam Lal College Innovation Council on 4th January 2020.
- Attended MHRD's Innovation Cell- Innovation Ambassador Training Program Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar on 16-17 January 2020.

Ms. Mamta

- Participated in One week National E-Learning Workshop on Research Methodology organized by Centre for Skill Development and IQAC, ShyamLal College on May 8,2020 to May 15,2020.

Dr. Neelam Dabas

- Awarded degree of Ph.D. from Department of Computer Science, University of Delhi at 96th Annual Convocation on 4th November, 2019.

- Participated in Two-Day National Workshop on “Fostering Social Responsibility & Community Engagement in Higher Educational Institutions in India” organized by University Grants Commission on 21st-22nd January 2020 at Inter-University Accelerator Centre, New Delhi.

Department of Commerce

Dr. Ruchika Ramakrishnan

- Participated in Two weeks FDP on, “Managing Online Courses and Co-creating MOOCs: 2.0” from May 18- June 3, 2020 organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University Of Delhi Sponsored by MHRD under PMMMNMTT.
- Participated One week FDP on, “Open Source Tools for Research” from June 8- June 14, 2020 organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University Of Delhi Sponsored by MHRD under PMMMNMTT.
- Participated One week FDP on, “Entrepreneurship, Incubation and Innovation” from June 23- June 29, 2020 organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University Of Delhi Sponsored by MHRD under PMMMNMTT.
- As Convenor of the Alumni Affairs Committee, SLC organized the first Alumni Meet of the College on November 24, 2020. Alumni from 1970’ s to 2018 attended the event with full enthusiasm.

Dr. Kavita Arora

- Presented a research paper titled “Education and Rehabilitation of Differently Abled Children in India“ in National Conference on Quality Advancements in Teaching & Learning towards Academic Excellence organized by IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on 2-3 August, 2019.
- Participated in ICSI Teacher’s Conference/Faculty Development Programme on “Empowering Educators” organized by ICSI on 17th September, 2019.
- Participated in 17th Two-Week Refresher Course in Commerce & Management Studies organized by UGC-HRDC, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from 18-30 November, 2019.
- Presented a research paper titled “A Study into the Challenges Faced by the Management in Old Age Homes of Delhi” in National Conference on National Resources Management for Sustainable Development organized by Jesus and Mary College, University of Delhi on 21st January, 2020.
- Chaired a Session in the International Conference on “Through a (new) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century” organized by WDC & IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on 9-10 January, 2020.

- Delivered a Lecture as Resource person in seminar on “Legal Framework of Fundamental duties & Rights in India” organized by the Centre for Skill Development, SLC in collaboration with National Service Scheme, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on 19th February, 2020.
- Delivered a lecture as Resource Person for the session on topic “Referencing Styles” in one week “National Workshop on Research Methodology” organized by Centre for Skill Development & IQAC, SLC during May 8th to May 15, 2020.
- Delivered a lecture as Resource Person for the session on topic “Using Excel in Research” in one week “National Workshop on Research Methodology” organized by Centre for Skill Development & IQAC, SLC during May 8th to May 15, 2020.

Dr. Jyoti Chaudhary

- Successfully awarded PhD in Management with research on Women Entrepreneurs in India from Public Research University, University Putra Malaysia (UPM) in May 2020.
- Published a Research Paper titled “The Mediating role of Opportunity Recognition between Education, Experience and Venture Creation by women Entrepreneurs in India” in the International Journal of Academic Research in Business and Social Sciences in March 2020.
- Published a Research Paper titled “Social Desirability and Mentorship influencing new Venture Creation by women Entrepreneurs in India” in the International Journal of Academic Research in Business and Social Sciences in May 2020.

Dr Mukta Rohatgi

- Conducted an interactive session in collaboration with Placement Cell SLC, on “How to build an effective resume” on Feb 3, 2020.
- Delivered a lecture in webinar in collaboration with NSS, SLC on 29th April, 2020 on “How to keep yourself Motivated in Covid times” .
- Participated in Two week FDP by MHRD and TLC, Ramanujan College, “Managing Online Classes and Co-Creating MOOCs2.0” from May 18 -Jun 03, 2020.
- Participated in Two week FDP by MHRD and TLC, Ramanujan College, “comprehensive e-learning to e-learning guide for administrative work and NAAC, May 25-Jun 05, 2020.
- Participated in one week FDP by MHRD and TLC, Ramanujan College, ” open source tools for research” Jun 08-Jun 14, 2020.

Dr. Shaista Sami

- Presented a paper titled “Make in India: A Lions' Step towards Foreign Direct Investment Inflows, presented in National Conference & Young Entrepreneurs’ Convention titled Make In India: Towards Growth and Progress on April 24th -25th, 2019 organized by Department of Commerce & IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, New Delhi.
- Attended Faculty Development Programme on “Multivariate data Analysis (Sharpening your Skills in statistical Applications)” organized by Teaching learning Centre, Ramanajun College in association with Department of Commerce, University of Delhi, Department of Financial studies, South Campus, University of Delhi under MHRD under PMMMNMTT held from 30th September to 6th October 2019, at South Campus, University of Delhi.
- Published a paper titled “Impact of Belt and Road Initiative on Asian Economies” in Global Journal of Emerging Market Economies, Volume 11, Issue 3, December 31st 2019, Published by SAGE.
- Served as a reviewer in Academy of Accounting and Financial Studies Journal, Allied Business Academies.

Dr. Simple Arora

- Awarded degree of Doctor of Philosophy on 4th Nov'2019. titled: The antecedents and consequences of the adoption of Balanced Scorecard: An emperical analysis of select business organizations by Department of Commerce, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi. ? Presented a paper titled “Performance Management System Effectiveness and Organisational Effectiveness: An exploration of Balanced Scorecard” at PAN IIM World Conference hosted by IIM Rohtak from 11-14th Dec'2019.
- Participated in Two week FDP by MHRD and TLC, Ramanujan College , “Managing Online Classes and Co-Creating MOOCs2.0” from May 18 -Jun 03, 2020
- Participated in one week FDP by MHRD and TLC, Ramanujan College ,” open source tools for research “ Jun 08-Jun 14, 2020

Dr. Monika Khemani

- Awarded the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy after approval of thesis on “Gender Diversity with reference to Job Stress, Work Family Balance and Glass Ceiling” on 30th Oct 2019 from Jamia Millia Islamia.
- Participated in one day workshop on “Financial Accounting” organised by Sri Aurobindo College in collaboration with Delhi School of Economics on Sep 4th 2019.
- Participated in Faculty Development Programme on “Business Research Methods” organised by Sri Venkateswara College in collaboration with Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College and Delhi School of Economics from Nov 19th -25th , 2019.

- Presented a paper titled “Gender Equality and Empowerment of Women: Attainment of a ‘ Sustainable Development Goal 2030’ by Breaking Glass Ceiling” in International Conference on Through a (New) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in 21st Century organized by Shyam Lal College, Delhi University on 9th -10th Jan, 2020.
- Presented a paper titled “The Expatriate Glass Ceiling: A Stumbling Block to Women Career Advancement” in XVI National Conference on Women’ s Studies Constitutional Principles in 21st Century India: Visions for Emancipation organized by Indian Association for Women Studies (IAWS) on 27th -31st Jan, 2020.

Dr. Neha Bothra

- Presented a research paper "Intangibles in luxury industry: Value relevance and recognition by accounting standards" at IIM Ahmedabad in December 2020.
- Awarded the PhD degree by University of Delhi for Doctoral thesis "Financial performance of Intangibles in Luxury industry" in November 2019.
- Visiting Faculty at Department of Financial Studies, University of Delhi for taking session of MBA students and PhD scholars.
- Published a research paper titled "Sino-US trade and trade war" in Management and Economics Research Journal, 5(1) in June 2019.

Dr. Gurmeet Singh

- Presented a paper on "Teaching As A Role Model in Higher Education Segment" at National Conference organized by IQAC and NAAC, Shyam Lal College (DU) on 2nd and 3rd August 2019.
- Presented a paper on "Making Corporate Social Responsibility System more Effective and Fruitful" at International Conference organized by Mata Sundari College, (DU) on 6 and 7 September 2019.

Mr. Mohd. Sajid

- Presented a research article titled "Literature review of behavioral finance: A global perspective". at the 72nd All India commerce conference of the Indian commerce association and International Seminar, organized by KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar from 22nd to 24th December 2019.
- Presented a research paper titled "Literature review of behavioral finance: Then and Now". In International conference on Innovations in Business Management organized on 16th and 17th January 2020 by ICFAI Business School, ICFAI University-Dehradun, India & University of Derby, United Kingdom.
- A project report submitted under the guidance on "Financial performance of Bank of Baroda and Axis Bank: A comparative study" MBA, IGNOU.

- A project report submitted under the guidance on "Supply chain management in mother dairy fruit & vegetable PVT LTD" MBA, IGNOU.
- A project report submitted under the guidance on " Supply chain management of Goodyear India LTD" MBA, IGNOU.
- A project report submitted under the guidance on "Total quality management in Delhi metro rail corporation(DMRC)" MBA, IGNOU.
- A project report submitted under the guidance on "Working Capital management in HCL infosystems limited" MBA, IGNOU.
- Participated in national Faculty Development Programme on “Multivariate data analysis” (sharpening your skills in statistical applications) organized by MHRD under PMMMNTT held from 30th september to 6th october 2019, at south campus, University of Delhi.

Mr. Varun Panwar

- Presented a paper titled, “Make in India: An initiative towards fostering innovation and start-up programme” at the National Conference and youth entrepreneur convention organized by Department of Commerce & IQAC of Shyam Lal College on 24-25 April 2019.
- Presented a paper titled, “Impact of Digitalization of the Indian Economy” at the International Conference on Business Education in Digital Economy of India organized by the Department of Commerce & Business Administration, Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Bihar, on 5-6 March 2020.
- Participated in One-Day Faculty Development Programme on “Financial Accounting & Income TaxLaws” by MHRD under PMMMNTT held on 30th August 2019 at South Campus, University of Delhi.
- Participated in Workshop on “E- filing of ITR 1 & 2” , organised by the Department of Commerce, Shyam Lal College (E), University of Delhi, in association with Department of Commerce, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi (Knowledge Partner), Held on 19th September 2019

Department of English

Dr. Kinshuk Majumdar

- Participated and presented a paper titled “The Theme of Homelessness and alienation in Amitav Ghosh’ s Gun Island” in a Two Day National Seminar on “Displacement and Diaspora : Indian Literary Response” held on 5th and 6th February 2020, in the Department of Modern Indian Languages and Literary Studies, University of Delhi.

- Contributed as Organizing Committee Member in the One-Week National E-Learning Workshop on Research Methodology conducted from 8th May to 15 th May, 2020 in Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi. Presented a paper entitled “Conducting Research (For Humanities)”

Dr. Kusha Tiwari

- Successfully completed SWAYAM ARPIT online Refresher Course on “Annual Refresher Programme in English Language Teaching” from 15th Sept, 2019 –31st Jan, 2020.
- Project Coordinator of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan from SLC, under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, MHRD, Government of India.
- Convenor of Women Development Cell from 2018 onwards
- Coordinator of IQAC, Shyam Lal College from 2019 onwards
- Convenor of one day International Conference in virtual mode on “Proactive Governance and Policy Implementations in the Times of Covid 19” on 5th June, 2020, organized by IQAC, SLC, DU.
- Convenor of two days International Conference organized by WDC, SLC in collaboration with ICSSR on 9-10 January, 2020 on “Through a (New) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century” .
- Convenor of two day National Conference organized by IQAC, SLC in collaboration with NAAC on 2-3 August, 2019 on “Quality Advancements in Teaching and Learning towards Academic Excellence” .
- Convenor of one day International Seminar organized by IQAC, SLC on 30 October, 2019 on “Effective Mentoring for Academic Excellence” .
- Editorial Advisory Board Member in Cambridge Scholars Publishing, London.
- Edited a book on Gender and Popular Culture: Identity Constructions and Representations (2019). London: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.
- Edited a book Towards a Sustainable Future: Cross-Cultural Strategies, Practices and Advancements (2019) Delhi: Bloomsbury India.
- Published a research paper titled “Ecology vs. Materiality: An Ecocritical Reading of Nadine Gordimer’s Get ALife” The IUP Journal of English Studies XIV (2): 42-53 in 2019.
- Published a book chapter titled “Queer Voices Deconstructing Gender Binaries: Indian Myths and The Modern Reality” in Gender and Popular Culture: Identity Constructions and Representations (2019). London: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

- Published a book chapter titled “Mottainai Ethics and Big Fat Indian Wedding: Some Reflections” in Towards a Sustainable Future: Cross-Cultural Strategies, Practices and Advancements (2019) Delhi: Bloomsbury India.
- Resource Person on “Ethics in Research and Getting Research Published (15/05/2020) in the 7 days National E-Learning Workshop (08/05/2020 to 15/05/2020) on “Research Methodology” organized by Centre for Skill Development and IQAC, SLC.
- Panelist in National Webinar on “Patriarchal Acceptance in Today’ s Society? –The Media Portrayal” organized by Sir Sitaram and Lady Shantavai Patkar College of Arts and Science and V.P. Varde College of Commerce and Economics, Mumbai on 20th June, 2020.
- Resource Person in the National Webinar on “Postcolonialism and the Politics of Representation” organized by Dwaraka Doss Goverdhan Doss Vaishnav College, Chennai on 16th July, 2020.
- Participated in One Week National E-Learning Workshop (08/05/2020 to 15/05/2020) on “Research Methodology” organized by Centre for Skill Development and IQAC, SLC.

Ms. Manila Kohli

- Went on Student Exchange Program between the Departments of English and German at the University of Delhi and Potsdam University, Germany from 1st –30th June, 2019.
- Participated in one month Summer School on “Exploring the City” organized by University of Potsdam, Germany from 1st –30th June, 2019.
- Presented a paper titled “Memorialization of the Holocaust in Berlin’ s Public Spaces on 26th June, 2019 at University of Postdam, Germany.
- Presented a paper titled “South Africa in Transition: Women’ s Narratives” in the International Conference organized by WDC, SLC in collaboration with ICSSR on 9-10 January, 2020 on “Through a (New) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century”
- Convenor of Internal Complaints Committee, Shyam Lal College from 2018 onwards.

Department of Hindi

डॉ. सत्य प्रिय पाण्डेय

वक्तव्य :

इतिहास का लोक विमर्श विषय पर आयोजित संगोष्ठी में वक्तव्य, हिन्दुस्तानी एकेडेमी, प्रयागराज, दिनांक 29.05.2019

पंडित रामनरेश त्रिपाठी और उनका रचना कर्म विषय पर वक्तव्य। अम्बेडकर सभागार, कमला नेहरू तकनीकी संस्थान, सुल्तानपुर, उ.प्र. दिनांक 20.12.2019

भक्तिकाव्य और समकालीन इतिहास बोध विषय पर आयोजित संगोष्ठी में वक्तव्य, दिनांक 14-15 फरवरी, 2020, नाथ चंद्रावत संस्कृत महाविद्यालय, जगदीशपुर, गोरखपुर, उ.प्र.

प्रकाशित लेख :

लोकगीतों में गाँधी की स्मृति, हिन्दुस्तानी पत्रिका, प्रयागराज।

भोजपुरी की लोकगाथा : कुँवर बिजैमल, वीणा पत्रिका, इंदौर।

मीन पीन पाठीन पुराने...। साहित्य यात्रा, पटना।

कहावतों का समाजशास्त्र, अभिदेशक, सुल्तानपुर, उ.प्र.

प्रकाशित पुस्तके :

उत्तर भारत के युद्धगीत और ब्रिटिश सम्राज्यवाद, हिन्दुस्तानी एकेडेमी, प्रयागराज, प्रकाशन वर्ष-2019।

Department of History

Dr. Gayatri Chaturvedi

- Presented a paper in National Seminar on “Gandhi and Environment: Visualizing a Sustainable Future” . October 1-2, 2019, organized by Department of Political Science and Gandhi Study Circle, SLC, DU.
- Resource person and presented paper on “Overview of Research Methodology” , in “One week National E-learning Workshop on Research Methodology.” May 08th –15, 2020, organized by Centre for Skill Development and IQAC, SLC, DU.
- Successfully completed One Week National Online Faculty Development Programme on “Research Methodology: Tools and Techniques” . June 05 - 11, 2020, organized by ARSD College, DU.
- Convenor of a Webinar on “Coping with COVID -19: Psychological and Immunological Aspects” on May 29th, 2020, organized by B.A. Programme Society Udgam and IQAC, SLC, DU.

Mr. Pankaj Chaudhary

- Speaker in the session on "Admission to Delhi University" on 11th October 2019 from 8:30am to 9:30am, at Tagore International School. East of Kailash, New Delhi.

Department of Political Science

Dr. Niranjana Chichuan

- Published a paper titled “India and the Changing Global Power Structure, Academic Discourse” in An International Refereed Research Journal Vol. 8. No. 2. Dec. 2019, Print ISSN: 2278-3296 Online ISSN: 2349-4441

Non-teaching Staff

- Sh. Jagat Singh Chauhan, Administrative Officer acquired Post-graduate degree in Master of Public Administration.
- Sh. Raj Kumar, Office Attendant completed the course of Master of Public Administration.
- Sh. Amod Kumar and Sh. Karambir, Library Attendants attended the Two Weeks Computer Training (02.09.2019 - 16.09.2019) on IT Applications in Libraries held at Central Library, University of Delhi, Delhi-07.
- Sh. Avdesh Mahto and Sh. Bijay Kumar Maurya, Laboratory Attendants has participated and successfully completed "Inter College Laboratory Skill Training Programme for Assistants/ Attendants in Chemical & Life Science Laboratories" organized by Shivaji College, University of Delhi from 27.11.2019 to 03.12.2019.

Departmental Reports

Department of Commerce

CommBlaze : The Commerce Association of Shyam Lal College (SLC), University of Delhi has always worked to create synergies of potential and to increase the pool of knowledge for the students as inspired by the Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar. A series of events and competitions were organised by the association in the session 2019-20 –

- 1) A seminar on "Financial Awareness" on 7th August, 2019. The guest speakers shared ways to ascend money to reap the future profits by deploying our money in the righteous manner.
- 2) On 11th January, 2020, The Department organized a seminar on "Entrepreneurial Leadership". The seminar was embarked by Professor Slagjana Stojanovska, Professor R. K. Singh and Professor Ari Lindeman, conveying their opinions regarding the essence of the Entrepreneurial Leadership. Their views and thoughts evolved around the techniques of organizing and motivating a group of people to achieve a common objective.
- 3) CommBlaze also organized its two-day Annual Inter College Commerce Festival – ‘ Elfesto’ 20’ on 13th and 14th February, 2020 in the college campus. The fest was inaugurated with a seminar on “Contemporary

Trends & Challenges in Corporate Sector in India” by Shri Pavan Kumar Vijay as the guest speaker. Competitions organized on the first day were –Saudebaazi, Logo My Way, IPL Auction and Chakravyuh: The Maze of Minds.

On the second day of Elfesto’ 20, competitions like Addbuzzbola, Corporate Parliament, Pubg, Scavenger’s Hunt were organised. Exhibition-Cum-Sale was the centre of attraction on both the days. The event winners and the Commblaze student team was felicitated in the valedictory session by our convenor.

Department of English

Intra-Departmental Skit Competition

On 13 November, 2019, the English Literary Society of Shyam Lal College organized an Intra-Departmental Skit Competition in the college Conference Hall. The competition had the following plays:

The Way of the World written by William Congreve, performed by third year students; Pot of Gold written by Plautus, performed by the second year students; and finally, Pride and Prejudice, a novel written by Jane Austen, adapted into the theatrical mode and performed by the first year students. The program ended with an award distribution ceremony, the awards having been chosen by the prize-distribution committee composed of teachers of the Department.

On 19th May, 2020, the Department of English organized a webinar on the Digital Humanities in collaboration with the IQAC. Dr. Arjun Ghosh, Associate Professor of Literature at the Dept. of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Delhi, gave a talk on the subject. The title of his talk and presentation was “Humanities + Digital: What is it?” Dr. Ghosh focused on the developments in technology that have always been intertwined with how literary and other texts in the written format got created and disseminated over the centuries. He went on to show how digital tools allow humanities scholars to gather and organize information in ways that had not been possible in pre-digital times, either in terms of capability or in terms of scale. The webinar was attended by nearly a hundred participants from various universities across the country.

Department of History

Department of History, Shyam Lal College organized a farewell function on 11/01/2020 to honour the senior most faculty member Dr. Alka Sharma on her retirement.

The Department successfully organized National Webinar on the topic "Diseases, Epidemics and Pandemics in Indian History: Lessons for Present" on 20 May, 2020.

Department of Economics

ECO-MANIACS, The Economics Association of Shyam Lal College organized various workshops and seminars in the academic year 2019-2020 are:

- Teacher's Day celebrations- like every year, on 5th September, 2019 teacher's day was celebrated with full enthusiasm to honour the generous contribution of teachers to the society and mankind. Students shared their view on the occasion and also gave special performances for teachers.
- To form the new association for the year 2019-20, interviews were conducted by the faculty members on 7th September, 2019. The new association was formed on 16th September, 2019.
- A seminar was conducted on 5th March, 2020 on the topic ' TRANSFORMATIONS IN THE WORLD OF WORK' by the guest speaker Dr. S.K. Sasi Kumar, Senior Fellow, V.V.Giri National Labour Institute, Noida. He enlightened the students with his inspiring words and guided them to work better in their field.
- 'PAPYRUS' , a paper presentation was conducted by the association which was open to all colleges and universities. Winners were awarded certificates and cash prizes.
- Departmental Fest- Annual Economic Fest, ' ECOMANICA' was held on 5th and 6th March, 2020. A total of eight events were conducted all over the campus premises. Events were categorized into formal and informal events. Various stalls of eatery and fun games were also set up in the college premises to keep the crowd engaged. All the winners were given trophies and were awarded cash prizes and kinds. All these events marked an enthusiastic participation from the students and ensured an enriching environment for them to promote learning as well as to gain practical knowledge.

Department of Political Science

Department of Political Science organized many academic activities for the benefit of the students of our college and faculty members. The Department in association with the Gandhi Study Circle successfully organized a Two-Day National Seminar on "Gandhi and Environment: Visualizing a Sustainable Future" between 1-2 October 2019. The National Seminar was a successful academic event in which a galaxy of leading Gandhian scholars converged and engaged in vibrant academic exchange of Ideas on the topic. The leading Scholars who participated in the National Seminar, among many, were: Sh. Mahendra Kapur, Prof. Rajvir Sharma, Prof. K.B. Dash, Dr. Siddarth Mishra, Prof. Vijay Laxmi Pandit, Prof. Manoj Sinha, Manvendra Kishore Das, Prof. Vibha Chauhan, Dr. Anil Dutta Mishra, Dr. Devasia M. Antony, Dr. Anita Tagore and Prof. Harpreet Kaur. The National Seminar was based on the following themes: Gandhian Paradigms on ' Development' , ' Environment' , ' Economy' and ' Ethics' , Gram Swaraj and Sustainable Development, Environmental Pollution: Water, Air, Land Development and Social Equity, Natural Disasters: Man-made, Natural, Sea-born cyclones, Urban Flooding, Nuclear etc.

Department of Physics

- Lecture on "Crystal & Nanoparticles for Piezoelectric Energy Harvesting" By Prof. Binay Kumar Department of Physics & Astrophysics, University of Delhi.
- Seminar on Robotics By Mr. R.P. Singh. Director (New Delhi Data Point Pvt. Ltd.)

- Physics Society “Fiz-Iks” Organized “QUANTUM 2019-20” departmental festival on 23 October 2019 and 24 October 2019.

Following events were organized during festival

- a) Poster Presentation (Intercollege)
- b) Scientific Quiz
- c) Paper Reading (Nanotechnology: From Past to Future)
- d) Circuit Making
- e) Scientific Rangoli

Department of Chemistry

- Department of Chemistry organized one day seminar titled, “Say No to Tobacco” on 31st July 2019. Dr Pravesh Mehra, Director Professor Oral Maxillofacial Surgery and HOD Dental Oral Surgery, Lady Hardinge Medical College and Associated Hospital, New Delhi was the Chief Guest and also speaker of the seminar.
- Department of Chemistry organized two days seminar (Lecture Series) on “Some Glimpses of Physical Chemistry” on 22nd Oct 2019 and 15th November 2019. Dr Amit Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, Dayal Singh College, Delhi was the speaker.
- Department of Chemistry organized two days National Seminar in collaboration with Commission for Scientific and Technical terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt of India on “Science with Lens of Scientific and Technical 2020 on 29th -30th January 2020. Resource persons including chief guests and guest of honor were delivered invited lectures during two days. Professor Avinash Chandra Pandey, Director, IUAC, New Delhi, Professor Avinash Kumar, Chairman, CSTT and Director, CHD, Professor Rana Pratap Singh, Pro Vice Chancellor, JNU, Shri Rahul Dev, Senior Journalist, Professor Pramod Kumar, Registrar, JNU, Professor Harsha Kharkwal, Director, IFMFC, Amity, Dr Pravesh Mehra, Director and HOD Dental Oral Surgery, Lady Hardinge Medical College, Professor Deepak Pant, Dr Ajay Kumar were among the main speakers those have grace the occasion and delivered invited talk. Physical Science students also attended the seminar.

Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

Two-day National Seminar on “Science with Lens of Scientific and Technical Terminology” was organized by Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development at Shyam Lal College on January 29-30, 2020. The resource persons from various disciplines enlighten the audience with their sagacity. The objective was to make audience aware about the use and to popularize the standard terminology of Hindi. The seminar was extremely beneficial.

Department of Hindi

“इस वर्ष हिन्दी साहित्य सभा, हिन्दी विभाग, श्याम लाल कॉलेज (दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय) द्वारा आलोचना लेखन की सामयिक समस्याएं। विषय पर एक दिवसीय संगोष्ठी का आयोजन किया गया। संगोष्ठी दिवस 31/10/2019 के लिए अतिथि वक्ताओं में (1) डॉ. राम प्रकाश द्विवेदी (एसोसिएट प्रोफेसर, बी.आर. अम्बेडकर कॉलेज, दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय) तथा (2) डॉ. विनोद तिवारी (एसोसिएट प्रोफेसर, हिन्दी विभाग, दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय) को आमंत्रित किया गया।

चयनित विषय पर संगोष्ठी शुभारंभ में कॉलेज के माननीय प्रचार्य की उपस्थिति में अतिथि वक्ताओं के स्वागत के बाद विषय पर गंभीर चर्चा हुई। वक्ताओं में आलोचना लेखन की नवीन समस्याओं और साहित्य पढ़ने की नवीन विधियों की आवश्यकताओं पर रचनात्मक विचार और सुझाव सामने आए। संगोष्ठी में विद्यार्थियों तथा शिक्षकों ने अपनी उपस्थिति के साथ प्रत्यक्ष गंभीर भागीदारी की। संगोष्ठी आयोजन की सफलता इस बात में भी रही कि वर्तमान साहित्यक परिदृश्य के संदर्भ से सुझाव सामने आए कि श्याम लाल कॉलेज का हिन्दी विभाग इस संगोष्ठी विषय पर 2 या 3 दिवसीय कार्यशाला व संगोष्ठी आयोजन भी करे।

B.A. Programme

A colourful and memorable function of Vasantotsav was organised by B.A. Programme Society Udgam, on 28 - 29 January, 2020. This function was held in befitting manner under the guidance of Dr. Gayatri Chaturvedi as the convener. Workshop and various events were included in this function. The motto behind all these events was to enhance student's imagination, creative and artistic skills as well as to intact our Indian tradition. A Workshop on "Art of Breathing for a Healthy Life" was organised on 28th January, 2020. Acharya Gopal Krishna demonstrated the art of right breathing. He emphasized on practicing yoga for a successful and healthy life. Inter-house Quiz competition "Quizmania" was executed successfully under the guidance of Dr. Bharat Garg. The winners were, Rohit and S. Siddharth team, 1st position and Prosoon Rai, Krishan Kumar and Praveen Kumar Yadav team 2nd position. On 29th January, 2020 Vasantotsava was celebrated by lamp lightening and Saraswati vandana. Principal Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar in his speech elaborated the importance of Vasantotsav in our lives. Different competitions were organized with an objective to provide a platform for the students to showcase their talent along with a competitive spirit. The most attractive part of this event was the classical dance Kathak which was performed by alumni of our college Rahul Kr. Certificate and Trophies were given to the winners.

B.A. Programme Society Udgam conducted a National webinar on ‘Coping with Covid-19: Psychological and Immunological Aspects’ on 29th May, 2020. The eminent speakers were Prof. Girishwar Misra and Prof. Anju Shrivastava. Prof. Girishwar Misra elaborated various psychological aspects of human being which can help in coping with Covid-19. Second speaker Prof. Anju Srivastava, with the help of PPT explained in a very interesting way various immunological aspects.

Library

Our college Library has a rich collection of huge no. of books covering the gamut of different disciplines. E-Resources facility is also available through which students and faculty members access the world' s best Databases, e-Journals, e-Books etc. The Library is automated.

The college Library provides following services to its users-

- Borrowing of books
- Internet searches
- Information retrieval
- OPAC
- Current contents
- Inter Library Loan
- NLIST
- Reference services
- Reading Room facilities
- The college Library also provides support services to visually impaired students by providing Angle Pro device.

The Library and its dedicated staff members are working very hard to satisfy the needs of its users.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

- IQAC in collaboration with Computer Science Department organized one day skill development programme on "Computer Basics" for non-teaching staff on 16th March, 2019.
- IQAC, SLC in collaboration with National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) organized two days National Conference on “Quality Advancements in Teaching & Learning towards Academic Excellence” on 2-3August, 2019.
- IQAC, SLC organized an International Seminar on “Effective Mentoring for Academic Excellence” on 30 October, 2019.
- WDC & IQAC, SLC in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) organized an International Conference on “Through a (New) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century” on 9-10 January, 2020.

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- IQAC organized one day International Conference in virtual mode on “Proactive Governance and Policy Implementations in the Times of Covid 19” on 5th June, 2020.
- IQAC, Eco Club & NSS in collaboration with Sparsh Ganga organized two days symposium “Nature Drive: Revive- Rejuvenate rivers” on 3-4th Sep 2019.
- IQAC organized a visit “Delegation of Educational Administrators from Myanmar” on 14th November, 2019.
- IQAC organized one day “Service Tax Programme” for non-teaching staff on 15th November, 2019.
- IQAC in collaboration with Centre for Skill Development, SLC organized “One week National E-Learning Workshop on Research Methodology” during 8-15 May, 2020.
- IQAC organized Smart Office one day training programme on “Digitalization & Happiness at Workplace” on 9th February, 2020 for non teaching staff.
- IQAC in collaboration with CII, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Ground Realities of an E-Commerce Firm during Covid Times” on 15th May, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with NSS, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Covid-19: Managing Chronic Disease” on 16th May, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with Department of English, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Digital Humanities” on 19th May, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with Centre for Industry Interaction (CII), SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Cybercrime: Legal Remedies Against Increased Incidence during this Lockdown” on 22nd May, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with Department of Chemistry, SLC organized “National Chemistry Webinar Series” from 26th May-28th May, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with B.A(Prog.) Society, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Coping with Covid-19: Psychological & Immunologicla Aspects” on 29th May, 2020.
- IQAC and Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Financial Literacy for Women in Times of Covid-19” on 6th June, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with SDC, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Commodity Trading” on 6th June, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with Dept. of Physical Education and CHD, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Introduction to Psychic Energy Centre and its Mediation Practice” on 13th June, 2020.

- IQAC in collaboration with WDC, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Credibility Crisis in Media amidst Covid-19” on 16th June, 2020.
- IQAC organized one day National Webinar on “Tax Summit: How to Maximize Savings in COVID Times” on 20th June, 2020.
- IQAC in collaboration with CHD, NSS, Dept. of Physical Education, SLC organized one day National Webinar on “Yoga: A Holistic Approach to Life” on 21st June, 2020.

Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, SLC

SLC (University of Delhi), Shyam Lal College is a participating institute in the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA 2.0) which is the flagship programme of MHRD, GoI. Under this project, SLC has adopted 5 villages - Dhitora (Baghpat), Nithora (Ghaziabad), Chirodi (Ghaziabad), Jawli (Ghaziabad), Kotwalpur (Ghaziabad) to support rural development through institutional linkages. The Unnat Bharat Abhiyan team comprises of faculty members and student members of SLC who have conducted extensive surveys of the said villages, participated in the Swachata hi Sewa campaign, interacted with villagers and other stakeholders of the villages such as village Pradhans and village panchayat samities and other stakeholders. The visits and fieldwork happened between August and November, 2019. The surveys conducted and the interactions revealed the following:

1. Issues with water logging during rainy season due to absence of proper waste water disposal system. The open drainage system of the village leads to breeding of mosquitos creating health issues for the villagers
2. As these villages do not have public water supply system, they use private submersible pumps at their households to make up for their water needs. This has led to a lot of water wastage. This affects the ground water table level adversely.
3. These villages also suffer from acute issues with garbage disposal in the absence of proper waste disposal system.
4. The severe water logging situation in the villages.
5. No Senior Secondary School and hospital in the village. Villagers want a skill development training center so as to make youngsters of the village employable.

The village visits, surveys conducted, data collected and interactions with villagers and concerned stakeholders of the villages have helped the PI to shortlist problem areas for which the SLC Unnat Bharat team has already started work. The SLC team has planned and is executing the following initiatives:

- Awareness campaigns for financial literacy including availing government financial incentives and schemes, insurance plans and health insurance.
- Workshops for awareness around sanitation issues in the villages.

- The team has conducted campaigns about conservation of water and waste management.
- The team has extensively carried out campaign for non-use of polythene and distributed cloth bags.
- The team is in the process of formulating frameworks to deal with the problem of stray cattle in the villages for which there are efforts to contact different agencies to work out a solution.
- The team is also exploring to provide a practical solution for proper waste management.
- The UBA, SLC team has also worked with and helped the adopted villages during COVID-19 pandemic in following ways: poster and video circulation about maintaining hygiene and sanitation. A poster in English as well in Hindi was circulated in these groups. This poster was a beautiful culmination of pictures and information required to spread awareness among the people about safeguards against COVID-19. The poster was designed in such a way that even the graphics in the poster could help people understand the objective behind creating it, thus fulfilling our objective of reaching the masses, especially the ones who find it difficult to read.
- The UBA team was actively involved in food distribution among the poor and the homeless. Distribution of food was a sight of respite for many during these testing times. The team also distributed masks in the villages and the adjoining areas of college.
- For dissemination of information the UBA team has also formed Whatsapp groups with farmers, villagers to pass on information regarding precautions to be taken in farming activities during the pandemic etc.
- The UBA, SLC and IQAC organized a National Webinar on “Financial Literacy for Women in Times of Covid-19” on 6th June, 2020 with Ms. Jayashree Vyas, MD. SEWA Bank as the Resource Person who talked about finance opportunities for women in rural and semi-urban areas for their progress and development.

Innovation Council

- SLC established Innovation Council (IC) under MHRD's Innovation Cell, an initiative launched in November of 2018. The primary mandate of Innovation Cell, MHRD is to encourage, inspire and nurture young students by supporting them to work with new ideas. SLC's Innovation Council works towards inculcating the spirit of innovation among students, and develop a start-up ecosystem.
- In IC, SLC students participate in mentoring sessions, workshops and innovative idea competitions. Since its inception, the IC, SLC has produced and developed very promising startup ideas such as Sajagta, Steam Power generator, Infcollege, and Abhikalpana etc.
- MHRD IC organized a POCs Participation and Regional Mentoring Session in a total of 12 cities of India, with the U.P. Uttarakhand and Delhi regions' one being organized by the Netaji Subhash University is Technology (NSUT), Dwarka, New Delhi. 6 students of Shyam Lal College with their 4 of the most

promising startup ideas, namely Sajagta, Steam Power generator, Infollege, and Abhikalpana, attended the session under the supervision of teacher mentors.

- The members of Innovation Council of Shyam Lal College visited the hub of Design Innovation Centre (DIC), University Of Delhi on 04/03/2020 under the guidance of faculty members. The purpose of the visit was to see the various product development activities, with a view to consider possible implementation of some of the activities at our own institute and promote a culture of innovation and creative problem solving. As a part of the visit, the members received knowledge about the way students carry out different projects, the challenges they faced in their paths etc.
- The Innovation Council of Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi organized a virtual speaker session on 9th May 2020. This webinar titled ‘ Navigation Through Entrepreneurship’ , had Ms. Tanya Kapoor, a Mentor at Atal Innovation Mission, as the keynote speaker. The Webinar had its focus on how founders, students and sometimes even mentors have many misconceptions regarding entrepreneurship. Discussions went on clarifying a plethora of sub-topics such as Entrepreneurship vs. Intrapreneurship, Scope of Agripreneurship after COVID-19 pandemic, Women Entrepreneurship, and more.
- The IC, SLC faculty members (4) have successfully completed the Ambassador Training Programme conducted by Innovation Cell, MHRD and it has received 2 stars since its establishment.
- The following Leadership Talk series are organized by Innovation Cell, MHRD, GOI. The talks were attended by all the student and faculty members of the Innovation Council of Shyam Lal College.
- IC also celebrated Inovation Day on 15th October, 2019 and organized poster making compitition for children from nearby schools.

S.No	DATE	TOPIC
1	28th of April, 2020	National Innovation and Start-up Policy for Students and Faculty 2019
2	29th of April, 2020	Role and Importance of Pre-Incubators, Incubators and Accelerators in HEIs.
3	30th of April, 2020	Hangout with Emerging Innovator & Entrepreneurs Supported through MIC & AICTE
4	1st of May, 2020	Role of Network Enablers in driving I&E in HEIs - A Case of TiE, India
5	4th of May, 2020	Hangout with Successful Start-up Founder.
6	5th of May, 2020	Entrepreneurship, Business Idea and Business Model Canvas (by EDII)
7	6th of May, 2020	How to Identify Right Problem and Solution using the Double Diamond Approach in Design

8	7th of May, 2020	Intellectual Property (IP) Management at Early Stage of Innovation and Start-ups
9	8th of May, 2020	Understanding Angel and Venture Capital Funding
10	12th of May, 2020	Legal and Ethical Steps –Productive Entrepreneurship and Start-Up
11	13th of May, 2020	Innovating Self- Screen and Identify right opportunities
12	14th of May, 2020	Understanding Role and Application of Marketing Research at Idea to Start-Up Stage
13	15th of May, 2020	Innovation Risk Diagnostic –Product Innovation Rubric (PIR)
14	19th of May, 2020	Idea, business model and business plan
15	20th of May, 2020	Use of Market Data, Application of Marketing Research Tools & Methodology -Advance Level
16	21st of May, 2020	Frugal Innovations and Social Entrepreneurship

STRIVING TOWARDS EXCELLENCE: CENTERS

Centre for Industry Interaction (CII)

Centre for Industry Interaction (CII) in collaboration with IQAC, held its first Webinar on, “Ground Realities of an E-Commerce Firm during Covid Times” on May 15, 2020. The Speaker of the Session was Mr. Jatin Sharma, Proprietor, Stybuzz.com. His partner, Ms. Komal assisted him during the session.

The topic was well justified by the speakers. He elaborated how the e-commerce companies have faced a setback during this unusual situation. He also shared how some of these firms were earning super normal profits on the essentials of Covid Times- masks and sanitisers mainly. The participants gave excellent feedback about the session stating that it was a practical knowledge oriented session.

The Centre organised its second Webinar, in collaboration with IQAC and Delhi Legal Services Authority (DLSA), Shahdara, on May 22, 2020. The topic was , “ Cybercrime: Legal Remedies against Increased Incidence during this Lockdown” . The topic was discussed in-depth by the esteemed speaker, Prof. Anil Sain, Faculty of Law, DU. Judge Ms. Vidhi Gupta Anand, Secretary, DLSA, Shahdara also gave very good inputs regarding the security on the internet. Prof. Sain prepared a very detailed PPT which was highly demanded by the participants.

E-Cell

Orientation

The Cell conducted its official orientation ceremony on August 23, 2019 to welcome the new members for year 2019-20. The Guest of honour for the ceremony was Mr. Puneet Raman, founder and director of Prowisdom Growth- Connecting Education with Livelihood: Skill Development and Mentoring. Mr. Puneet had an interactive session with the team, helping everyone realize the true sense of entrepreneurship. The discussion ended with finalising the target audience; within whom we shall develop a true entrepreneur spirit. A B-Plan competition would be conducted in the month of October within the college premises. Pro-wisdom Growth promised to organize monthly skill development workshops for the core team.

Business Plan Competitions

INTERNAL

A seed of an idea will become a plant for a good business and meaningful network of professional connections. To nurture this seed amongst its members the Entrepreneurship Cell organized an intra cell B-plan competition in which the talented pool of student entrepreneurs pitched ideas that bridges customers to future. Teachers mentored the students and gave them suggestions for its improvement.

EXTERNAL

An innovative idea and a business proposal competition; INWIN and PITCH-A-THON ; was organized on 18 October 2019, as a joint project of The Innovation Council and The Entrepreneurship Cell of Shyam Lal College. The main goal of the competition was to stimulate and nourish creativity and student entrepreneurial spirit; and to encourage such activities among students from any majors and examine students' business ideas for their realization capacity. This year, the event became one of the most successful one in the history of this tradition. Visualise Perfection Visualise Entrepreneurship as the Cell's motto for this year was, the innovative minds encapsulated it with complete perfection. Working their way to the victory was the Team Bawarchi and the Team Aarogya, both from Enactus Ramjas. Their avidity and readiness turned their presentations into the very best. The second prize was won by 2 very innovative and ingenious teams, namely Team Brand Deviser and Team Kaagaj, both from Shyam Lal College itself. The Team Sacred Games from IIM Rohtak was able to secure the third prize. All the participants of the competition were awarded business and entrepreneurship themed books as the consolation prize.

Yuva Spandana

The Cell organized a NATIONAL SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND STARTUP FAIR: युवास्पंदना 20 on 15th and 16th January The insight of the fest was to ignite the minds of youth, challenging their innovative and creative thinking skills. Under the benign presence of our hon'ble principal sir, Prof. Rabi Kar, chief guest, Prof. Slagjana Stojanovaska (IBF, Macedonia) and the convenors of respective cells the fair was set open. The fest had various

competitions like Case Catalyst, Stakeholders Meet, Bulls v/s Bears, Think with the Box, Quiz Buzz and Andhadun wherein different colleges across the university including ARSD, RAMJAS, GARGI and HINDU participated. It ended with a valedictory ceremony to recognize the winners and celebrate their hard work.

Design Bootcamp

This comprehensive and dedicated Graphic design workshop was for the aspiring and budding entrepreneurs and professionals who plan to expand their outreach on social media, websites, etc. through creative designs. The coach and mentor for the day was Mr. Yogender Kumar, Director, SCSA. Sarva Computer Shiksha Abhiyan (or SCSA). The attendees of the Workshop got an in-depth knowledge of building an online portfolio and a wonderful career in design. At the end of the workshop, all the attendees got their certificates. Everyone cherished the bootcamp and eagerly waiting for such events in future.

Placement Cell

- Placement Cell, SLC with the motto of “Drive Towards Corporate” organized plethora of events including Workshops, On-campus and Off-campus drives, Internships as well as interactive and interesting Seminars to enrich and develop corporate knowledge and personality of students.
- The team was active in stewardship of internships both paid and unpaid from notable institution and organizations like CashKaro, Eat My News, Jaro Education, Children’s education trust, Evergreen Health and Leadsquared. These constituted both on - campus as well as off-campus drives.
- Additionally, the team, keeping in mind the importance of development of critical thinking and skills in students, organized ample knowledge-enriching seminars and workshops by prominent keynote speakers on interesting as well as important subjects like- Building up Communication Skills, Knowledge Workshop on preparation of GDs and PI, How to Crack Cat and Why to pursue MBA? And a session on Resume Writing by Dr. Mukta Rohatgi.
- Beyond all this, The Training and Placement Cell took a step forward towards organizing its 1st ANNUAL JOB AND INTERNSHIP FAIR - COMPITO'20 on February 6, 2020. The fair, received healthy and positive response from in and around University. 12 reputed companies and NGOs –Tejas Readers Pvt. Ltd, Sensation Marcom Ltd, Sparsh Ganga, HuPlus Market Innovation Pvt Ltd, Sharekhan Ltd, Iconic Infinite Fashion Retailing, Outlook Group, Biosash Business Pvt Ltd, NJ India invest Pvt. Ltd, Unnati : the knowledge hub for civil aspirants, AK Best Pro consultants Pvt. Ltd have been part of this mega event. The session ended successfully with the support of Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar and NSS faculty team.

Centre for Skill Development (CSD)

Academic Year 2019-20 is a landmark in the journey of Skill Development Cell since its inception in 2015. Earlier a part of CIISD, this year the Cell became a full-fledged Centre- CENTRE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT with

an aim to enhance skill set in students of college to suit the needs of industry and thereby increase employability of the students. This year CSD organized various events including an International Workshop, and a National Skill Development & Startup Fair. Events organized during academic session 2019-20:

1. **ADD-ON-COURSES:** The session started with Second Edition of Add-on Courses in college for students to face the competition in globalized world. This year also the Centre received an overwhelming response to its Add-on courses. Students enrolled themselves in its various Foreign Language Courses and students were also trained in two batches of its Certificate Course in Stock Trading “Mastering the Stock Market” in collaboration with Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE).

During current academic session the Centre introduced Certificate course in Japanese and Diploma Course in French language, besides running its courses in German, Spanish and French introduced last year. The Foreign Language Courses are conducted under the aegis of Department of Germanic and Romance Studies, University of Delhi and the Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi.

2. On 6th September, 2019 CSD organized an “Award Distribution Ceremony” for previous batch of the Certificate Course on "Mastering the Stock Market" and a Seminar on “How to be an Expert Stock Market Trader” in collaboration with BSE Institute Ltd. Mr. Pulock Bhattacharji , Vice President, BSE Inst. Ltd. shared his knowledge and expertise with the audience.
3. An Educational visit to “Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)” was conducted on 6th January, 2020. Certificates were also given by SEBI to the participants.
4. **INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP** on “Lessons for Skill Development: European Perspective” was organised jointly with Innovation Council, SLC on 7th January, 2020. The resource person for the workshop was Prof. Slagjana Stojanovska, Integrated Business Faculty ,Macedonia. The workshop was interactive where students got new ideas to develop their skills and at the same time became familiar with the skill development initiatives and practices in European countries.
5. “YUVASPANDANA 2020: National Skill Development and Start-up Fair” was organised on 15th and 16th January, 2020 in collaboration with the Entrepreneurship Cell and Innovation Council of college. This was a National level event fueled by exuberant competitions and skill-based activities with the prime objective of fostering the spirit of Skill Development and idea of Entrepreneurship in youth. The Inaugural Ceremony was graced by benign presence of Chief Guest Prof. Slagjana Stojanovska, Integrated Business Faculty, Macedonia.

Main attraction was SKILL EXPO organized on first day of the National Fest in which stalls were set up by the students to showcase their creativity and entrepreneurial skills. Mock Stock, Business quiz, Think with the box, Stakeholders’ meet, Case Catalyst and Andhadhun were other highlights.

6. An Industrial Visit to “Sista International” , Khurja, Bone China Plant was organised on 7th February,2020 for students to witness the process of clay turning into beautiful crockery. The visit also provided an exposure to the career opportunities in Crockery Industry.
7. A seminar on “Big Data Analytics” was organised on 11th February, 2020. The Resource person for the seminar was Dr. Sachin Malhotra, IT and Dean MCA, IIM Ghaziabad. The seminar made the audience aware of the growing need of Data Analytics professionals.
8. A seminar on “Legal Framework of Fundamental Duties & Rights in India” was organised jointly with NSS Unit of college on 19th February, 2020. Resource persons Advocate Ravi Chauhan, DLSA, Shahdara and Dr. Kavita Arora, Asst. Prof., SLC made informative deliberations in the Seminar.
9. The Centre for Skill Development and IQAC of Shyam Lal College jointly organized One week NATIONAL E-LEARNING WORKSHOP ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY during 8-15 May, 2020. The workshop intended to cover overview of research, literature review, methods of research, data analysis, presenting the findings, getting the research published and ethics in research. The E-learning workshop witnessed an overwhelming response from participants including faculties and research scholars from various colleges and institutions across India. The one week E-learning sessions had the benign presence of prominent speakers and academicians including Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal SLC, Dr. K.B.Singh, Head, Dept. of Commerce & Financial Studies, Central University of Jharkhand, Dr. V. Premanand , Department of P G Psychology, St. Agnes Centre for Post Graduate Studies and Research, Mangalore ,Dr. Nancy H. Vaz and Mrs. Shubharekha from St. Agnes College, Mangalore. In this one week long online National Workshop Dr. Gayatri Chaturvedi, Dr. Kavita Arora, Dr. Kusha Tiwari, Dr. Kinshuk Majumdar, Dr. Seema Dabas, Dr. Komilla Suri and Dr. Ritu Aggarwal from SLC also made intellectual deliberations on different topics of research process.
10. NATIONAL WEBINAR ON COMMODITY TRADING was organized jointly by CSD & IQAC, Shyam Lal College and NICR (NCDEX Institute of Commodities Research) on 6th June, 2020. The session was enriched by the vast knowledge of the speakers for the session. Mr. Niraj Shukla , Senior Economist - Market Intelligence at NCDEX; Aleen Mukherjee ,Executive Vice President of Business Strategy at NCDEX and COO of NCDEX Institute of Commodity Markets and Research (NICR) and Mr. Ram Gopal Yadav , Deputy Manager - Knowledge Management at NICR.

Centre for Holistic Development (CHD)

The College, in its effort to maximize the teaching learning outcome, has established CHD that offers unique platform and opportunity to the students to have a wholesome learning experience. The important events organized and initiatives taken by this Centre has evidently opened the minds of the students to newer ways of thinking. CHD has taken up cross-cutting issues related to professional challenges and social anomalies etc. It is efficiently working with the support and guidance of our respected Principal Sir, Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar and Faculty team of CHD. It

has organized following events during the academic year 2019-2020 to promote the wholesome learning experience among students.

Orientation Programme

On 3rd September 2019, the Centre organized an orientation programme for its members. The aim behind organizing such program was to provide new members the knowledge of the functioning of society, to create a sense of belongingness among existing and new members and to reduce anxiety among new members.

1) National Youth Festival 2.0

On 13th and 14th January 2020 the Centre organized the National Youth Festival 2.0 "Sanskar-Sanskriti-Samridhi". The Objective of the festival was to inculcate the spirit of Holistic Development which is a vital requirement for our overall growth as an individual.

Mr. Rajneesh Jindal, State Convenor of YUVA and editorial team member in Campus Chronicles was the Chief Guest. He applauded team CHD for organising such a unique thought festival which heal so referred to as the need of the hour. The festival consisted of various well-thought events. The events of the first day were – ‘ Narad of the 21st Century’ , ‘ Crossroads’ and ‘ Rangotsav’ followed by ‘ Pen it Down’ , ‘ The Vedic Enigma’ and ‘ Games of brushes’ on the 2nd day.

2) Seminar on “Calmness in Chaos”

On 23rd January 2020, the Centre organized an interactive session “Calmness in chaos” in its precinct. The aim behind organising said session was to teach people the discipline, wisdom, virtue, self-actualization, healing anger, etc. which are required during hard times and need of the hour. The session had speakers from the Brahma Kumaris, the largest spiritual organization led by women. The session was interactive from both sides.

Women Development Centre (WDC)

WDC & IQAC SLC (University of Delhi) in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) organized an International Conference on “Through a (New) Looking Glass: Challenges for Women in the 21st Century” on 9-10 January, 2020 at Indian Society for International Law (ISIL) and Seminar Hall, SLC respectively. The International Conference was inaugurated by Chief Guest Ms. Arushi Nishank, Founder- Sparsh Ganga at ISIL. The conference hosted well known academicians from across disciplines in India and abroad like Prof. Aditya P. Padhi, EC Member, NAAC, , Prof. K.B. Das, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, IGNOU, New Delhi , Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, University of Turku, Prof. Slagijana Stojanobska, Integrated Business Faculty, Macedonia, Prof. Ari Lindeman, XAMK, Finland, Dr. Anu Lähteenmäki-Uutela, University of Turku, Finland , Ms. Jayashree Vyas, MD, Sewa Bank, , Prof. Madhu Kishwar, Chair Professor, ICSSR , Prof. Kavita Sharma, Former President, South Asian University , Ms. Monika Arora, Senior Advocate, Supreme Court , Prof. Sidharath Mishra, VIPS Delhi, Prof. Baran Farooqi, Department of English, JMI, Prof. Ritu Tripathi, IIM Bangalore , Prof. Ashwini Mohapatra, JNU , Prof. Srparna Basu, FSM, Delhi, Mr. Shreenibas Chandra Prusty, Registrar ILI.

Ms. Arushi Nishank as a Chief Guest talked on various aspects of new challenges faced by Women in 21st century and also mentioned that in Indian Vedas Women is addressed as “Janani- the Creator” & ‘ Shakti- the destroyer of Evil’ . Everyone at the venue was spellbound by her speech. A large audience comprising academics, research scholars, experts, faculty and students from across the country actively engaged in exchange of ideas and knowledge over a period of two days.

WDC in collaboration with IQAC of the college organized a National Webinar on “Credibility Crisis in Media amidst Covid-19” on 16th June, 2020 in which Prof. Sidharth Mishra, VIPS, IP University Delhi was the resource person. Prof. Mishra talked about how media plays constructive as well as negative role in assessing and exploring real events, episodes and happenings in the world.

Ambedkar Study Circle (ASC)

ASC in the academic Session 2019-2020 organized a one day seminar on the topic: "Concept of Justice: Ambedkar and Rawls" on November 11, 2019 in the Conference Hall, SLC in which eminent speakers namely, Dr. Karunakar Patra, (Dyal Singh College, University of Delhi), Dr. Harish S. Wankhade (CPS/SIS/JNU) and Prof. Narender Kumar (CPS/SIS/JNU) were invited to share their views.

Further, to spread awareness about the ideas, philosophy and contribution of Dr. Ambedkar among students, on behalf ASC, an Inter-College Essay Writing Competition was organized on October 31, 2019, on the following topics: "Relevance of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Experiences of Social Discrimination and Injustice in the Present" and/or "Reflections of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Autobiographical Note in Various Provisions of Indian Constitution".

Gandhi Study Circle (GSC)

The college conceptualized Gandhi Study Circle (GSC) to revisit, review and debate Gandhi and his teachings with the young generation. Gandhi Study Circle in collaboration with Department of Political Science, SLC (University of Delhi) organized a UGC Sponsored National Seminar on Gandhi and Environment: Visualizing a Sustainable Future on 1st and 2nd October, 2019. Famous social thinker Sh. Mahendra Kapur, was the guest of honour and Prof. Rajvir Sharma, IAS, Shimla graced the occasion as key note speaker.

Eco Club

The mission of the Eco Club is "Go Green initiative" to raise the students' "interest" over environmental issues and to get the students actively involved in environmental matters from their own area. The Club also seeks to conserve nature's heritage by education and direct conservation efforts to spread awareness about good environmental practices like for a ban on plastic, proper dumping of garbage, planting of trees etc. in the campus.

- Eco Club organized Eco Friendly Rakhi Making Competition in the College Campus on 14 August, 2019. The objective of this competition was to increase the awareness among the students and teaching fraternity to protect and safeguard the environment and avoid using non-biodegradable resources. The theme of this competition was to make Eco Friendly Rakhi using biodegradable materials such as: cotton, leaves, paper,

kalawaa etc. The event witnessed the full support and participation from students, faculty members and non-teaching staff demonstrating their commitment towards environmental sustainability

- Eco Club volunteers made handmade Bird nests and placed them at strategic positions to attract birds in the campus.
- SLC Eco Club students participated in two days symposium organized by IQAC joined by Eco club and NSS of our college (3-4th Sep 2019) Nature Drive : Revive- Rejuvenate rivers in collaboration with Sparsh Ganga and the chief guest of this symposium was MS Arushi Nishank. She encouraged and inspired the students to show more commitment to protect the nature. Several activities were organized during the symposium. Basic training session on gardening was given by our Principal Sir to the students to encourage them to develop skills in gardening as well as to give first-hand experience with nature and gardening.
- Plantation drive was organized by the Eco Club students in college as well as outside the campus during (Aug-Nov 2019) to create awareness. "Protecting our environment is the need of the hour". The main objective behind these initiatives was an effort to increase awareness among the students of different courses about the plants and their importance in nature. This drive was a huge success empowering students with substantial knowledge of environment and plants and simultaneously enhancing their social skills.
- Eco club students participated in a conclave on circular economy on plastic waste and livelihood opportunities on 25th September 2019. This was organized on the occasion of 103th Birth Anniversary of PT Deendayal Upadhyay. Our Eco club students not only participated but also presented their project work too.
- SLC Eco Club students participated at youth climate conclave which was Launched by delegation of European Union (EU) to India "The conclave had a series of events including photography contest and a blog contest competition on 4th October. Students also got an opportunity to interact and share fresh ideas with a renowned person Mr. Rajinder Singh (Water Man of India). This interaction was very fruitful to further channelize the thinking process of students and their commitment to environment.
- Awareness Campaign/Rally was organized by our students in our college and nearby areas of our college on 14th -15th of Oct on plastic ban and make plastic free city. The students displayed banner and placards emphasizing on the need for a collective endeavor to eradicate the plastic bags usage in our vicinity. A pledge avoiding the use of plastic was also taken by all the participants and they also distributed handmade paper bags.
- Eco Club students took a great initiative and organized a donation camp (Dilwalo ke Diwali) on 17th- 24th Oct 2019 in college campus where all students and teachers have contributed gift items like sweets, snacks, clothes, diya ,candles etc. The main purpose of the camp was to make the festival of lights equally brighter and put a smile on the face of kids, poor and needy people from slum areas.
- Eco Club volunteers visited NGO Umeed –A drop of Hope Indraprastha slum area on Sundays in the month of Feb From 2nd -16th ' 20 to monitor the living conditions of the people living in slums of Delhi

NCR and to have a proper understanding of their needs and problems faced by them. They also Organized a DONATION DRIVE (Food materials, stationary and recreational items) among the slum children and created awareness about the various environmental Issues like cleanliness, waste management, importance of plantation.

- Eco Club & Garden committee of our college organized UMANG-20 PUSHPMAHAOTSAVA in the college campus and the special attraction of this flower show was opportunity for nurseries, schools and colleges to showcase their floral varieties and species on 25th Feb 2019. Eco Club students not only participated in flower show but also exhibited some craft work made out of waste materials. They made some creative and useful things from the waste and introduced a better way to recycle waste to reduce pollution. They even made some organic cosmetic items like sops, creams etc. as well as some hand made products.

Enactus

Enactus SLC (M) is a chapter of Enactus India and was formed in the year 2016. Since its inception the society with a team has 21 members' has run various sustainable community development projects to bring a change in the society. Currently the team is working on a community outreach project "PRAYOJYA" . Following the valuable guidance from Business Advisory Committee, Enactus is committed to use all of their efforts and entrepreneurial actions to bring out a change that would positively affect each member of the society, bring smiles, empower people and create a more sustainable world. Over the years, Enactus SLC has successfully organised various events in the college which has helped in the smooth functioning of the society. A seminar was organised in collaboration with IMS regarding 'Best Career Opportunities' after graduation. A two-day industry ready workshop was held in collaboration with Career Launcher. An Intra-College B -Plan Competition was successfully organised in the college. The enactus team won 1st runner-up in Emerging Entrepreneur Competition 2019 and 1st runner-up in Genesis' 20.

Extension Activities

NSS

NSS unit of SLC is very dynamic and has been playing a major role by providing various opportunities to students to learn and contribute to the fields of the welfare of society by involving the youth in various social causes.

The NSS Unit of SLC has organized following events during the academic year 2019-2020:

- 1. Rally on Water Conservation & Cleanliness:** A rally on water conservation and cleanliness was organized by National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College on 13th August 2019 in the college premises to make people aware of the essence of water and the need to give emphasis on its conservation and cleanliness.

2. **Fit India Movement:** A Seminar was organized by National Service Scheme (NSS) for the launch of the Fit India Movement by our Hon' ble Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi on 29th August 2019. Live screening of the official event was shown in the seminar room.
3. **Symposium on Nature's Drive- Rejuvenate Rivers:** A 2-day symposium on nature's drive: rejuvenate rivers were organized by Eco. Club and National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College, in collaboration with Sparsh Ganga, on 3rd & 4th September 2019.
4. **Orientation Program:** An orientation program was conducted by the National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College on 20th September 2019.
5. **Awareness Rally for Dengue & Malaria:** The National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had organized an awareness rally for dengue and malaria on 24th September 2019. The rally was organized in the college premise begins from the college gate and passed through the main road and to the colonies.
6. **150th Gandhi Jayanti Celebrations:** On 2nd October 2019, The National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College in collaboration with Sewa: Ek Anokha Parivar organized a huge event in the college premises on the occasion of 150th Gandhi Jayanti. The event consists of 3 main programs which were: Blood Donation Camp, Cleanliness Drive and Sparsh Ganga Yamuna Cleanliness Drive. The event embarked on the cleanliness drive. The Blood Donation Camp was organized on a large scale as there were arrangements of 40 beds. This camp was specially organized to pay a tribute to the INDIAN ARMY and with that anticipation; people had participated in a massive amount. Later on, the event was summoned by the **Chief Guest Smt. Smriti Irani** who conveyed her thoughts through a speech.
7. **Donations Camp:** The National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had organized a donation camp of three days from 22nd to 24th October 2019. This donation camp was specially organized on the occasion of Diwali.
8. **Memorial Lecture:** In the remembrance of Late Arun Jaitley Ji, the 1st Memorial Lecture was organized at Convention Hall, Viceregal Lodge, in Delhi on 29th October 2019. NSS volunteers of Shyam Lal College also got the opportunity to be a part of it. The lecture was addressed by our Hon' ble Vice President Sh. VENKAIAH NAIDU.
9. **Integrity Pledge:** The National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College had organized an integrity pledge on 1st November 2019 in the college. This pledge was organized to spread the message regarding the need to eradicate corruption.
10. **Rural Survey with Unnat Bharat Abhiyan:** The National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had conducted a Rural Survey in collaboration with Unnat Bharat on 16th & 17th November 2019. The group of peers consisting of NSS volunteers, College teachers and Members of Unnat Bharat had visited Ghittora and Jawli village.

11. **Report on Ambassadorial lecture series:** On 25th November 2019, an Ambassadorial Lecture Series was organized by Delhi School of Transnational Affairs, University of Delhi. The lecture was held at Convention Hall, Vice Regal Lodge, Delhi.
12. **Constitution Day:** The National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College (M) organized Constitution Day on 26th November 2019 in the college. The students along with teachers and other staff took the oath to spread awareness about the fundamental rights.
13. **Winter Donation Drive:** The National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had organized a donation drive of ten days from 7th to 17th January 2020. This donation camp was organized for helping needy people of slum areas.
14. **National Road Safety Seminar:** A seminar was organized by Delhi Police on the occasion of National Road Safety Week at India Gate on 11th January 2020.
15. **Pledge for SWACHTA (Cleanliness):** A pledge ceremony for SWACHTA was conducted by National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College (M) on 16th January 2020.
16. **Pledge Fundamental Duties:** The National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had organized a pledge ceremony of Fundamental duties on 21st January 2020 in the college premise.
17. **Pledge on National Voters Day:** On the occasion of National Voters Day, the National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had conducted an oath ceremony on 25th January 2020.
18. **National Seminar on Environment, Society & Culture:** A seminar was organized by the National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College for "Environment, Society & Culture" on 28th January 2020.
19. **Seminar on Fundamental Duties and Rights:** On 19th February 2020, The National Service Scheme of Shyam Lal College had organized a seminar on Fundamental Duties and Rights.
20. **World Day of Social Justice:** On the occasion of World Day of Social Justice, National Institute of Social Defence, Ministry of Social Justice And Empowerment, Govt. of India in association with Anugraha is organizing an Intergenerational Mela on 20th February 2020. It was organized at Swabhiman Parisar, Kasturba Nagar, Shahdara from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM.
21. **NSS in COVID-19:** During the COVID-19 situation, National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College had spread the awareness program of Social Distance, Sanitation, and Use of Masks, etc. through the medium of Social Media like Whatsaap, Facebook etc. including video messages and e- posters.
22. **Awareness Video to “CORONA WARRIORS” :** NSS team gave a tribute to all “CORONA WARRIORS” including the messages like to wash our hands multiple times properly, use face cover and practice YOGA daily to keep our immune system ready to fight against corona virus. It was uploaded on various platforms like whatsaap, Instagram ,Facebook etc.

- 23. Interactive Session on Covid-19:** During the COVID-19 situation an interactive session organized on Google meet by NSS in collaboration with IQAC on 16 May 2020. The main focus of this event was to “Managing Chronic Diseases: COVID-19” .
- 24. International Yoga Day Celebrations:** NSS in collaboration with CHD, DEPT. OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION and IQAC of SLC celebrated 6th INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY. It includes online bilingual Speech Competition on Yoga followed by an interactive session of Prof. A.K Singh (Vice Chancellor, Sri Sri University) on Yoga and Happiness.

Achievements of NSS Volunteers:

1. Mr. Mohd. Sufiyan, Mr. Amit Sharma, Mr. Akash Kumar, Mr. Harsh Deepankar, Mr. Shakir Riyaz, Mr. Bhuvnesh Raj, Mr. Mohd Shamim Malik, Mr. Divin Sain, Mr. Rahul Giri, Mr. Ashish, Mr. Akshay Gagan, Mr. Yatharth Garg, Mr. Ankush Tiwari, Mr. Rituraj Anand and Mr. Manis got the certificate of appreciation on 23rd October, 2019 from Hon'ble HRD Minister Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank for their contribution in environmental and sanitation work at Ghat No.-21.
2. Mr Shakir Reyaz and Ms Ayushi has secured first and third position in the Inter College Essay writing competition and Mr Samyak Jain has secured first position in Inter College Photography Competition organized by Sparsh Ganga on 21st June, 2020.

Collaboration of NSS of Shyam Lal College with Sparsh Ganga:

Shyam Lal College has contributed their part in saving the environment by collaborating with Sparsh Ganga. Various volunteers of National Service Scheme (NSS) of Shyam Lal College took part in a weekly cleanliness drive at every Sunday of each month. The first visit was held on 22nd September 2019 at Yamuna bazar, Ghat No.-21. Till March 2020, a total of nine visits were held. Apart from these weekly cleanliness drives, various visits were held to execute the Development and Maintenance of Ghat No.-21.

Sports

The Sports Committee remained active throughout the academic session 2019-2020 in its involvement with students' participation in various games at International, National as well as University levels. Our students have participated at International, National and Inter-Varsity levels in different categories, also secured positions in Inter College tournament and won prizes and brought laurels to the College. Achievements are highlighted as under:

- A. This academic year remained unique in the sense that the Department of Physical Education under the Sports Committee of the College followed the tradition and hence organized the 9th Padmashree Shyam Lal Memorial Invitational Hockey Tournament (Men & Women) in the fond memory of our beloved and Founder Chairman of our College to encourage the young minds and the athletes of this University to become successful players for this country. This edition of the Tournament began from February 10, 2020 to February 18, 2020 with an innovation whereby 6 teams of women from various Colleges / Institutions

of Delhi University were invited to participate in the tournament alongwith 8 teams of Men from the same as usual in the inspiring presence of the Olympion & Arjuna Awardee Hockey player Shri Ashok Dhyanchand and Chairperson, Shyam Lal College Governing Body Smt. Savita Gupta alongwith representatives from print and electronic media, coaches and professors of Physical Education and teachers of the Colleges. The tournament was played in the best spirit of the game in which the hockey team from Shyam Lal College in Men section and Jesus & Merry College in Women section remained the winner and the team from SGTB Khalsa College in Men and Bharti College in Women section remained the Runner's Up.

B. Outstanding Team Achievements:

1. Hockey : Our College Hockey Team won Inter College Hockey Championship 2019-2020.
2. Kabaddi: Our College Kabaddi Team secured IInd position in Inter College Kabaddi Championship 2019-2020.
3. Baseball: Our College Baseball Team secured 3rd position in Delhi State Baseball Championship 2019-2020.

C. Outstanding Individual Achievements at National University, Inter-College & State level:

HOCKEY

1. Mr. Ashish Sehrawat (B.A. Prog 3rd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
2. Mr. Nitin Kumar (B.A. Prog 3rd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
3. Mr. Pankaj Kumar (B.A. Prog 3rd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
4. Mr. Manish Kumar (B.A. Prog 3rd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.

5. Mr. Bhupender Kumar (B.A. Prog 2nd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
6. Mr. Yash (B.A. Prog 1st year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
7. Mr. Arun Kumar (B.A. Prog 2nd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
8. Mr. Vinay Kumar (B.A. Prog 2nd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
9. Mr. Deepak Sharma (B.A. Prog 1st year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
10. Mr. Rohit Khatri (B.A. Prog 1st year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.
11. Mr. Rohit Garai (B.A. Prog 1st year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team & participated in North Zone Inter Varsity Hockey Tournament 2019-2020 held at Jamia Millia Islamia University, Delhi.

KABADDI

12. Mr. Sagar Malik (B.A. Prog 2nd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Kabaddi Team & participated in North Zone Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship, 2019-2020 held at MDU Rohtak.
13. Mr. Yatin Chaudhary (B.A. Prog 2nd year)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi University Kabaddi Team & participated in North Zone Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship, 2019-2020 held at MDU Rohtak.

14. Mr. Varun Kumar Yadav (B.A. Prog 3rd year)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Kabaddi Team & participated in North Zone Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship, 2019-2020 held at MDU Rohtak.
15. Mr. Ritik Dhaka (B.A. Prog 1st year)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Kabaddi Team & participated in North Zone Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship, 2019-2020 held at MDU Rohtak.

AQUATIC

16. Ms. Ayesha (B.A. Hons. Political Science 2nd year)
- (a) Selected for Delhi Aquatic Team to participate in 73rd Senior National Aquatic Championship, 2019-2020 held at Madhya Pradesh.
- (b) Selected for Delhi University Aquatic Team to participate in All India Inter Varsity Aquatic Championship, 2019-2020 held at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar.
- (c) Won One Gold and Silver Medal in 55th Delhi State Aquatic Championship 2019-2020.
17. Mr. Gaurav (B.A. Hons. Political Science 3rd year)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Aquatic Team to participate in All India Inter Varsity Aquatic Championship, 2019-2020 held at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar.
- (b) Won Two Bronze Medal in 55th Delhi State Aquatic Championship 2019-2020.

JUDO

18. Mr. Akshay Kumar (B.A. Hons English 2nd year)
- (a) Won Silver Medal in Bihar State Judo Championship 2019-2020.
- (b) Won Bronze Medal in Inter College Judo Championship 2019-2020.
19. Mr. Nitin Kumar Singh (B.Sc. Ph. Sc. with Chemistry 1st year)
- (a) Won Bronze Medal in Inter College Judo Championship 2019-2020.

The Sports Committee would like to place on record their appreciation of Physiotherapist Dr. Rohit Gupta & coaches: Sh. Rakesh Thapliyal (Cricket), Sh. Manoj Newa (Football), Mr. Mohd. Yunus (Volley Ball), Sh. Ashish Negi (Baseball), Sh. Lalit Sharma (Hockey) and Sh. Yoginder Kumar (Kabaddi) whose talents, experience and guidance in their respective professional fields made the above said achievements possible. Sh. Amit Gupta who

rendered invaluable services to make the sports committee functional. A word of appreciation is in order to thanks to our hard working dedicated groundsmen namely Sh. Chhatra Pal and Sh. Shiv Veran.

Societies & Committees

Fine Arts and Culture Committee (Performing)

Aarodhya Dance Society

Aarodhya Western Dance Society of SLC performed in various events which took place in months of September and October such as PULSE(Streets), AIIMS Festival and IIT DELHI, MOOD INDIGO (Asia' s largest cultural fest) which held in IIT Bombay and the team got selected in mood indigo(beat the streets) among top 11 teams. Our team Aarodhya was the semifinalist of 2019 at mood indigo.

The team also performed at lot of colleges such as Lady Shri Ram College, PGDAV, DTU and lady Irwin College, Hansraj College and Ramjas College.

INSIGNIA

Insignia, the music band of SLC represented the college at various institutions and outside Delhi. INSIGNIA stood Runners up in the battle of bands competition MANTARA held at the Asia' s Largest College cultural fest; Mood Indigo, IIT Bombay. The band performed with the popular Bollywood playback singer, Ms. Kavita Seth at the Falcon Films Festival held at Shyam Lal Collage.

Aakrosh: Streetplay Society

' Aakrosh' the Street Play Society of Shyam Lal College performed in various institutions and colleges and received a great response from almost all the judges of the competition.

Aakrosh did 2 plays in our own college and also performed plays in public, for example, in the Arts Faculty, University of Delhi and in Mughal Garden. In December, the society performed at MOOD INDIGO, one of Asia' s largest fest which is organized by IIT, Bombay.

Aakrosh performed in a competition organized by REC India Ltd. and won the Second Runner Up Award along with the cash prize of Rs. 15,000/-. The team also won the 2nd position in Technia Institute of Advanced Studies.

Cinephoria- SLC Film Club

Cinephoria- SLC Film Club conducted a number of screenings in this session all of which ended with great success and enthusiasm. Majorly there were three films screened in different months in the session 2019-20. The films screened were "The Terminal" , "The Fault in our Stars" and "Andhadhun" . The society collaborated with Falcon- the Film Making Society in organizing The National Falcon Film Festival which held. The events were scheduled for two days on 18 October, 2019 and 19 October, 2019. The National Falcon Film Festival was a great success.

Falcon Films

Falcon Films was awarded 3rd position for its ' best short film' titled ' Samaan: Celebration of Womanhood' in 48 hours film making challenge' organized by Udaan Utsav-2020. In addition to this, Falcon films was a part of ' My Gov' National level 24hrs Film making challenge. Also Falcon films produced two successful films in 48 hours film making project organized by India Film Project 2020. It also organized a Workshop with the award winning director of film 'Kitaab', Mr. Kamlesh Mishra. The society on 21st January,2020 also organized a seminar on Time Management and Prof. Sangeeta Magan from NDIM, Delhi was the guest speaker. The seminar not only helped bring extensive experience and knowledge to the members but also contribute greatly to their creativity in fields on time utilization and management.

Falcon Films organized it' s annual fest ' NATIONAL FALCON FILM FESTIVAL 2.0' in collaboration with Cinephoria and Fine Arts society of Shyam Lal College, DU on 18th and 19th October, 2019. The event observed a foot fall of about 7,000 participants from different universities and states. Over 100 members and 200 volunteers from the three societies worked hard to make this fest a huge success. The events under the Festival were: Online photography contest, Online film submission contest, Najoto: Story telling contest and many more. As a special first of its kind celebrity musical performance, Kavita Seth, Bollywood playback singer gave a live performance during the fest.

Fine Arts Photography Society

S.No.	Name	Event	Date	Position	College/institution/university
1.	Mayank Patel	1. Poster making – anusandhan –the Physics Society	8, January 2020	1st Prize	Moti Lal Nehru College (University of Delhi)
		2. Game of Brushes –National Youth festival 2.0	14 January 2020 20 February 2020	1st Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi) Lady Irwin College (University of Delhi)
		3. Poster making –natureza' 20 – eco club society	29 February 2020	3rd Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)

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2.	Akshay Kumar	1. Picturesque – Economica –Annual Fest of Economics Society	5 March , 2020	3rd Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)
		2. Online Photography Competition	13, April, 2020	1st Prize	RaC Ashoka Artisans (Instagram page)
3.	Nishi	1. Border making Vasantoutsav- Udgam	29 February 2020	1st Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)
		2. Calligraphy Vasantoutsav- Udgam		3rd Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)
4.	Riya Lalit	Poster making Amour-Commerce Society		1st Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)
		Calligraphy Vasantoutsav- Udgam	29 February 2020	3rd Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)
5.	AKASH	Picturesque – Economica-Annual Fest of Economics Society	5 March, 2020	2nd Prize	Shyam Lal College (M) (University of Delhi)
6.	ARMAAN	Picturesque – Economica-Annual Fest of Economics Society	5 March, 2020	Consola- tion prize	Shyam Lal College (University of Delhi)

Jharokha –The Dramatics Society**Productions of The Session**

काँफी हाउस में इंतजार

शभनम

The play कौफी हाउस में इंतजार prepared by the members was performed successfully in the final rounds of Vivekananda College, DU and a national level competition at NIT Kurukshetra. The society conducted a 'Production Oriented Workshop' in January under an NSD Alumni Director, Mr. Vipin Kumar and came up with the society's annual production named शभनम

Internal Complaints Committee

The Internal Complaints Committee organized a talk on Gender Sensitization for the teaching and non-teaching staff on 5.3.2020. Mr M.G.Abhyankar, the resource person, had a fruitful and informative session with the audience.

Garden Committee

The Garden Committee of Shyam Lal College takes care of the College gardens for the purpose of keeping the college attractive and to foster a love for nature amongst both teachers and students. The key to the development of College lawns is our enthusiastic and supportive Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar. Some of the work which was executed by Garden Committee in 2019 –20 is mentioned as under:-

- 'Tree Plantation Drive' was organized in collaboration with Eco Club in college as well as outside the campus during (Aug-Nov 2019) to create awareness.
- Students were also involved in gardening activities by giving them different projects like hanging garden and learning practices how to care and maintain garden, how to grow plants in pots as well as in garden, how to identify different plants. Student volunteers also help in maintaining college garden.
- Our student also participated in the Nukkad Natak held at University campus during the Annual Flower Show 2019-20.
- Garden committee of our college organized UMANG-20 PUSHYAMAHAOTSAVA in the College campus and the special attraction of this flower show was opportunity for nurseries, schools and colleges to showcase their floral varieties and species on 25th Feb 2019. Our students not only participated in flower show but also exhibited some craft work made out of waste materials. They made some creative and useful things from the waste and introduced a better way to recycle waste to reduce pollution. They even made some organic cosmetic items like soaps, creams etc. as well as some hand made products.
- Garden Committee also participated in University 62nd Annual Flower Show held on 29th February 2020 at the lawns of the Mughal Garden and bagged 8 prizes in different categories. First prizes in category A & L, third prize in category L and rest five prizes are highly recommended.

Debating Society

Sheershasth: The Debating Society of SLC, embarked this session (2019-20) by organising an annual audition on 9th August 2019 seeking to select out the best debaters of SLC. The audition was conducted in two rounds consisting of a Conventional debate competition followed by a Personal interview. A total of 22 debaters qualified

for the 2nd round out of which the best 16 students were inducted into the society making it a team of 32 debaters in all. In the new session, the society participated and won in the National Circuit by Ivan Baruah at the 39th Manik Chandra Barooah Memorial Debate Competition held at Cotton University, Guwahati, Assam on 7th September, 2019.

Sheershashth conducted its inaugural event, an Inter-college Essay writing Competition in collaboration with AKIF, House of Kalam Rameswaram on 27th September, 2019. The event saw huge participation from different colleges across the University. The winners for the event were:

- 1) Prashant Swami (Hindu College)
- 2) Aparajita Pushp (SLC)
- 3) Ishika Kumari (Rajdhani College)

Followed by the successful event, Archishman Biswas bagged the Best Speaker prize at a debate competition organized by St. Stephens College on 18th October, 2019. Sheershashth came up with the 4th edition of its Annual Inter-College Conventional Debate Competition –Orator’s Bout on 21st October, 2019. The event constituted a total of 18 teams from various colleges and universities in and around Delhi.

Best Team: Ashish Jha & Shishir Agarwal (Jamia Millia Islamia University)

Best Speaker: Mohd. Waheed (Jamia Millia Islamia University)

Best Interjector: Cherishi (SGTB Khalsa College, DU)

The event was a great success with concerted efforts of the convenor and the team members.

- Another Win Alert :- Viprav earned the position of the Best Interjector at a National debate organised by Rajdhani College on 5th November, 2019.
- Adding on to the ever increasing horizon of the society, Akhil Thulasidas and Ivan Baruah represented the College in Delhi Youth Parliament, a one of its kind event conducted for the first time in India where participants sat in the Delhi Legislative Assembly and acted as real lawmakers for three days.
- Varun Chandra was awarded "Special verbal mention prize" at St. Stephens Lok Sabha simulation and Aryabhata College Loksabha simulation in the month of February.
- Ivan Baruah was awarded best speaker at the prestigious Shama Kohli Debate in Miranda House. He also won the Best Interjector prize at Rotary club and a Best team prize at Daulat Ram college.
- Akhil Thulasidas was awarded the 2nd best speaker prize in Gargi College. He along with other members also took part in the prestigious "Delhi Youth Parliament" and "Bhartiya Chatra Sansad" which was a great achievement of its own kind as SLC was for the first time invited to these noteworthy events.

- Sejal Gupta, Abhishek Shrivastava and Viplav also won all the three prizes of best speakers at Economica'20 organised by Economics department, SLC.

The Session 2019-20 was extremely great for the society filled with lots of learning and experiences to be cherished. All the efforts put in by the Convenor, faculty, President and the members are worth appreciating.

Students Union Advisory Committee

The Committee organized its Annual Inaugural Oath taking Ceremony on 3rd Feb, 2020. The elected office bearers took an oath, in front of the Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, to serve efficiently for the welfare of the students and the institution.

College Initiatives in Covid-19 Pandemic Situation

Apart from academic initiatives, the College has also undertaken several institutional social responsibility initiatives during Covid-19 Pandemic. Some of the details are as follow:

- The College actively supported and observed our Hon' ble Prime Minister's nationwide call for Janta Curfew and subsequent country wide lockdown. Accordingly, government advisories issued about preventive measures like hand hygiene, social distancing, cough etiquette and using mask are circulated among the staff, students, surrounding neighbourhood and in adopted villages from time to time.
- A WhatsApp group with members from the adopted villages, under UBA, like the Pradhans, village elders and officials was formed so as to spread awareness about hygiene and sanitation among as many households as possible.
- Distribution of mask and food packet
- The students of the college have been making handmade soap and masks to distribute them in their neighbourhood so as to help people maintain good hygiene and fight this chronic disease.
- NSS volunteers have also taken care of abandoned pets and stray animals; they feed them on everyday basis in their neighbourhoods.
- The College is actively involved in food distribution among the poor and the homeless. NSS students of the college are also regularly distributing ration to the needy people in slum areas.
- Student members also make handmade masks and distribute them to vegetable vendors, slum dwellers and many others in their neighbourhood.
- The UBA team and NSS team of the College has already conducted cleanliness drives in Yamuna Bazaar Ghat no 21. The Development and Maintenance of Ghat No.-21 has been done along with repairing, beautification, restructuring, painting and colouring work.

- SLC students academically help the students in villages and slums through virtual modes.

Initiatives towards keeping mental well-being of staff and students are as follow

- The incumbent regularly meets and interacts with students via virtual platform in order to resolve their queries regarding uncertainty of the academic session due to the pandemic situation.
- Counselling Cell has been activated with Mobile No of Professional Counsellor, Doctor to address students' anxiety and other issues.
- The college also regularly organizes counselling sessions for students through ICC, WDC and Placement Cell.
- Principal is always available to students during office hours.
- The college has a very active mentoring mechanism in which teacher mentors regularly meets their mentee students in order to resolve their academic and other concerns.
- During the Covid-19 pandemic, the college also facilitated the mobile data recharge of needy students phones so that they do not miss out on interactions and classes with teachers.

In the end I would like to thank all members of the Governing Body, my colleagues from both teaching and nonteaching staff who have extended their hand of cooperation and total support in managing the affairs of the institution. I also wish to place on record my sincere appreciation for the all-round cooperation and devoted support of members of staff of the College including Bursar Sh. Vinod Kumar, IQAC Co-ordinator Dr. Kusha Tiwari, Secretary Staff Council Sh. Pankaj Chaudhary, Liaison Officers Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, Sh. Rohan Mandal, Dr. Ruchika Ramakrishnan and Sh. Anil Kumar Khurana (retd.) and all the other Committee Convenors, President Academic Staff Association, Mr. Sanoj Kumar and other Office Bearers, A.O. Sh. Jagat Singh Chauhan, S.O. (Off. Admin), Sh. Manoj Kumar, S.O.(Accts) Sh. Atul Jain, Sr. P.A (Officiating) Sh. Tarun Shankar, President Non-Academic Staff Association Mr. Surender Kumar, Secretary Mr. Bindeshwar Kamti and their team of dedicated colleagues. I also appreciate and thank the efforts of the drafting committee led by Dr. Kusha Tiwari with support from Dr. Neelam Dabas for preparation of this report.

Last but not the least, I would like to thank Chairperson Governing Body Smt. Savita Gupta, University representatives of College Governing Body, Prof. P.C Joshi and Prof. Pankaj Gupta, former Treasurer Mr. K. C. Ganjawal, former Governing Body member Dr. J.M. Negi and other Governing Body members and external IQAC members Prof. V.K Kaul and Sh. Rajeev Saxena for their cooperation and unflinching support in managing College affairs. Finally, I thank you all for your gracious presence here today

Dated: 31st July, 2020

Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar
Principal

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