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Esteemed Chief Guest, Hon'ble Minister of Culture (IC), Dr. Mahesh Sharma, Ministry of Culture, Government of India; Mr. K.G Suresh, Director General, IIMC and Mrs. Savita Gupta, Chairperson, Governing Body, SLC, Members of Governing Body and other Distinguished Guests.

Dear Colleagues, Students, Ladies and Gentlemen.

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all on the occasion of the 54th Annual Day and Prize Distribution Function of our College. We are indeed privileged to have with us Hon'ble Minister of Culture (IC), Dr. Mahesh Sharma, Ministry of Culture, Government of India. Dr. Mahesh Sharma at present is Union Minister of State for Tourism & Culture (Independent Charge) , Government of India.

He is a doctor by profession, a social activist by passion and a politician by compassion. In 1983, he started his career as a General Physician. With changing times, he realized the absence of adequate medical facilities in Noida. He then decided to open a hospital in Noida which could serve the residents with health care services of international standards at reasonable costs. He named the hospital after his late father – Kailash Hospital which has earned reputation of its own and expanded to many locations. After spending more than 25 years in the medical profession, he made his electoral debut.

In March, 2012, he got elected as M.L.A. from Noida Legislative Assembly Constituency, Uttar Pradesh. Two years later, in May, 2014, he got elected as M.P. from Gautam Buddha Nagar Parliamentary constituency, Uttar Pradesh. During his inspirational journey towards the welfare of the society at large, Dr Sharma has earned several awards & accolades: Honorary Doctorate from Amity University, Business Sphere Award (Trophy) for the year 2009-2010 titled Best Super Speciality Hospital for the Masses presented by Dr. Farooq Abdullah & Dr. Ramesh Pokhariyal 'Nisank', More than 200 National & International awards from different fields (Social work/ health awareness programmes), Delhi Medical Association Award – 2001 for Community Medicine Services.

Hon'ble Minister, 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 Mr. K.G. Suresh, Director General, IIMC, Delhi. K G Suresh is currently serving as Director General, Indian Institute of Mass Communication – India's premier media training institution. Prior to his current assignment, he served as Senior Consulting Editor with Doordarshan News, India's

public news broadcaster; Editorial Consultant with Asianet News Network; Chief Political Correspondent with Press Trust of India and Group Media Advisor to Dalmia Bharat Enterprises Ltd.

After taking over as DG, Mr Suresh has given a major push to Indian language journalism at the prestigious institute introducing Marathi and Malayalam Journalism from its Amravati, Maharashtra and Kottayam, Kerala campus respectively, besides upgrading the certificate programme in Urdu at Delhi campus to a full fledged Post Graduate Diploma Programme. In collaboration with the Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, He has also set up the Department of Indian Language Journalism apart from the Department of New Media.

He is also credited with reviving IIMC's peer reviewed quarterly journal 'Communicator' and its Hindi version 'Sanchar Madhyam' as also the publication wing of the institute besides hosting the prestigious 17th Indian Science Communication Congress at IIMC in December 2017. With a rich professional cross media experience of about three decades, Suresh is the recipient of Prem Bhatia Fellowship for Research in Media by Young Journalists. A post-Graduate in Mass Communications, Mr Suresh successfully completed a Public Health Journalism Experiential Course at the University of Oxford, United Kingdom. Besides he has been a member of various reputed Universities and institutions in various capacities.

In December 2017, Mr. Suresh was conferred with the PRSI Leadership Award, the highest Award for outstanding contribution to the Public Relations profession, at the 39th All India Public Relations Conference at Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh.

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 54th Annual Day of the College.

SLC in the academic session 2017-18

The academic session 2017-18 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 through regular curricular monitoring, academic innovations and continuous student involvement in all the College activities.

I proudly announce that our college has got rank 61 in the MHRD NIRF ranking of colleges in India. The College also received B+ grade in the first cycle of NAAC assessment and accreditation. 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.

We are happy to announce that we have received approval for new courses – B.Sc (Hons) Chemistry and Mathematics and we are hopeful of starting these new courses very soon. Further, with the active support of the Staff Council and Governing Body of the college, the college has also applied for B.Sc (Hons) Courses in Computer Science and Botany and 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.

During the year under report, two of our Office staff members got promotions. Mr. Rakesh Singh was promoted to the post of Sr. Assistant and Ms. Veena Tiwari was also promoted to the post of Sr. Assistant. Further, Dr. Shobha Khatri, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce and Mr. Mahender Kumar, Section Officer will be retiring on 31 May, 2018 after dedicating their career to the college.

I, with a heavy heart, share that two of our colleagues Dr. V.K. Aggarwal, Department of Commerce (expired on April-2017) and Mr. Sanjay Kumar, Department of History (expired on September-2017) left for heavenly abode during the year under report.

Research/Consultancy/Collaboration

1. CIMO International Project & Exchange Programme

Continuing with taking the brand SLC to newer heights, the College, successfully organized the 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 Center for International Mobility (CIMO), Finland. It is a matter of pride that CIMO also sponsored 4 of our students to Finland in September 2017 for a month during the programme. Responsible Business Professionals for Finland and India trade project aims to deepen the understanding of responsible business opportunities and challenges between Finland and India and on the other hand the project aims for developing the understanding of sustainable growth within the parameters of institutions. This Project aims to develop responsible business knowledge and proactive management competences for the growing bilateral trade between Finland and India. Fine-tuning of the project plan was conducted on 8th – 14th December, 2016 during the planning workshop, held at Turku Finland, in which Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal SLC represented the college. The planning workshop concluded with a detailed presentation about SLC and University of Delhi by the project partner Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar. The second part

of the Exchange Programme was conducted at Shyam Lal College from 20th March 2017 to 12th April 2017 in which Prof. Ari Lindeman and Mr. Minh Tram, student from South Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences visited our college.

Under this Programme 4 of our students: Mr. Angad Anand, B.Com (H) 3rd year, Mr. Abhishek Bery, B.Com (H) 3rd year, Ms. Shreeya Upadhyay, Eng (H) 3rd year and Ms. Aditi Thakur, Eng (H) 3rd year visited TUAS and XAMK for a period of one month in September 2017 with a faculty Dr. Kusha Tiwari who was a visiting faculty at TUAS and XAMK for two weeks.

The next part of the Programme was conducted in Shyam Lal College in March, 2018 in which 6 faculty members and 13 students from these three universities visited our college for one week and participated in the International Winter School on “Fostering Collaborative Innovations and Solutions for Sustainable Development” from 3-7 March, 2018 organized by IQAC, SLC comprising of two day International Conference on “Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present” and two International Workshops.

We hope for a fruitful and productive outcome of this Academic Exchange Programme between SLC and the three State Universities from Finland under CIMO project.

2. Visit of Dignitaries

It is a matter of great pride that Hon’ble Ambassador of Finland to India Ms. Nina Vaskunlahti visited the campus and interacted with students, faculty and staff. Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Anu Lahteenmaki-Uutela, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. Ari Lindeman, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Sushma Yadav, Member UGC, Prof. V. K Malhotra, Member Secretary, ICSSR, Prof. Heli Soderlund, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Telle Tuominen, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Joachim Ramstrom, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. Santosh Panda, Vice-President, South Asian University, Delhi, Sh. Tapas Sengupta, Director (HR), MMTC, Sh. Shri Rajiv Saxena, Mazars India and Prof. Raj Kumar, Dean & Head, FMS, BHU, Prof. Shubhro Sen, Director SME Shiv Nadar University. Dr. Dipankar Saha, Scientist-E (Additional Director), Head of Air Laboratory Division Delhi, Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) have also visited our campus during the year under report.

3. Working Paper Series

The College took another pioneer step by introducing the Working Paper Series in which the faculty members of the College have been given an opportunity to upload their original research papers on the College Website after a rigorous review process by engaging external experts.

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. Green Initiative

Conservation of environment has been focus of assurance of the College. The students and faculty 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 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.

3. 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.

4. Recycling Papers

SLC is sensitive towards the cause of conserving natural resources and promote the culture of respecting nature. SLC in collaboration with NGO Jagriti has started recycling of waste papers and in return has received more than 500 reams of paper.

5. 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 to save its financial resources. In addition to it, switch-off drills are carried on regular basis to make the SLCians aware and alert regarding energy consumption and saving.

6. 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 two cycles of taking holistic feedback from the students that have been analyzed and the issues related to academics, infrastructure and facilities raised have been addressed. Along with this, the IQAC also takes feedback on curriculum from different stakeholders. The action taken report is subsequently prepared and discussed with the different departments.

7. 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.

8. Active participation in Cashless & Digital India

The College understands its accountability towards the financial resources and so has decided to adopt the practice of “Cashless” under “Digital India”. The College has very efficiently and dedicatedly participated in MHRD's Digital Economy Project Vittiya Saksharata Abhiyan (VISAKA).

9. University Chef (Skill India)

Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, has hosted University Chef 2018, a unique culinary Competition for the successive THIRD edition during 26-28 February 2018 with as many as 14 Teams comprising of 2 members from various colleges of DU and other institutions from Delhi NCR. All the 14 teams displayed their best culinary skills

with utmost dedication and high spirit.

University Chef 2017 was an inception of the Principal, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar who provided all the required encouragement to the participants, the organizing team and Volunteers. The edition kicked off on 26th February in the college premises in which the host college had an intra-college competition to select its own teams for the inter-college level.

The Inter-college/varsity competition was held during 27-28 February with multiple Rounds on each day.

The second day of the season opened with two cooking Master classes by MasterChef India Season 5 Fame Jatin Khurana and Chef Mukesh Kumar from Hotel Samrat. Teams that came to participate in this Edition were from colleges such as Miranda House, Lady Irwin College, Vivekanand College, Acharya Narendra Dev College, Kirori Mal College, Deen Dayal Upadhyay College, Shyam Lal College, CCS University, Meerut, Rukmini Devi Institute of Advanced Studies and Institute of Technology and Science all of whom displayed huge enthusiasm in all rounds of cooking, preparing the dishes, presentation skills and so on.

Deen Dayal Upadhyay College (DDU) Team came as the WINNER of the competition (Tanika & Barkha) whereas the Team from Lady Irwin College came as RUNNER UP (Ashmita & Aishwarya) and the Kirori Mal College (KMC) team (Surender & Vasant) begged the THIRD position. In her final remarks, celebrity Chef Nita Mehta congratulated all the winning teams and inspired them to continue using their creativity in the art of cooking.

Academic Innovations

SLC took the pioneering initiative since 2015-16, by starting the Public lecture series under which the College has already organized four Virtual lectures with global experts through SKYPE software, which turned out to be a very enriching experience for the students as well as the faculty members. While the two virtual lectures were organized in the academic year 2015-16, two lectures were organized in the academic year 2016-17 and one lecture was organized in 2017-18.

Academic Affairs and Monitoring Committee and Department of Commerce, SLC organized the 5th Virtual Lecture on “International Business as a Key Research Question for Management Scholars in the US: Challenges and Impact” as part of the SLC Public Lecture Series on 8th August, 2017 with Prof. John R. McIntyre, Professor of Management & Executive Director GT-CIBER Scheller College of Business, Atlanta, GA, USA. Prof. John began his lecture by talking about the scope and opportunities for Indian investments in the US. He observed how the inflow of scholars and innovators from India has exponentially increased in the recent years in the US. He also introduced the audience to the new MLM India based innovations being popularized globally which focus on working through the principle of more from less for more people.

The lecture ended with fruitful and engaging two way interaction wherein the audience members gave their observations and asked relevant questions to Prof. John R. McIntyre.

International Winter School

IQAC, SLC, under the headship of Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, took the pioneer initiative of organizing a one of its kind International Winter School on "Fostering Collaborative Innovations and Solutions for Sustainable Development" from 3-7 March, 2018 in collaboration with TUAS, XAMK and University of Turku (Pori Unit), Finland comprising of International Conference on "Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present", International Workshop I on "Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies: The Path Ahead" and International Workshop II on "International Experiences of Skill Development and its Adoption".

The International Winter School was attended by various delegates who deliberated over the two days on the issues relating to role of and scope for developing countries in contributing to the sustainable development agendas. Academia and practitioners from India and abroad including Ms. Nina Vaskunlahti, Hon'ble Ambassador, Finland, Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Anu Lahteenmaki-Uutela, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. Ari Lindeman, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Heli Soderlund, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Telle Tuominen, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Joachim Ramstrom, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. John McIntrye, ED, CIBER GT, USA, Prof. Santosh Panda, Vice-President, South Asian University, Delhi, Prof. Sushma Yadav, Member UGC, Prof. V. K Malhotra, Member Secretary, ICSSR, Prof. V.K. Kaul, Dean and Head, Department of Business Economics, University of Delhi, Prof. Kavita Sharma, Head, Department of Commerce, University of Delhi, Sh. Pawan K. Vijay, Former President, ICSI, Sh. Anuj Dayal, Executive Director, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC), Sh. Tapas Sengupta, Director (HR), MMTC, Sh. Shri Rajiv Saxena, Mazars India and Prof. Raj Kumar, Dean & Head, FMS, BHU, Mr. Siddharth Mishra, President CRDJ & Senior Journalist, Prof. D. Jaganathan, Former Secretary ICWAI, Prof. Vanita Tripathi, Department of Commerce, DSE, Deputy Dean, Academics, University of Delhi, Prof. Shubhro Sen, Director SME Shiv Nadar University contibuted to the academic extra vaganza in various capacities.

The International Winter School is a unique concept in a central university college in India that provided the students with an opportunity to engage and learn from cross cultural environment with academicians and their fellow students from different universities and countries. There is a need to give a larger exposure and a real feeling of no lesser than any other best institution in India to our students so that they can widen their understanding of the emerging trends and expectations in academics and industry. It gave our students and faculty international exposure experience in education and motivated them to explore greater career possibilities. The Winter School was successfully organized due to the untiring efforts of IQAC members including Dr. Alka Sharma (Convenor), Dr. Kusha Tiwari, Dr. Arkaja Goswami, Dr. Ruchika Ramakrishnan, Dr. Samrendra Kumar, Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, Dr. Ashu Gupta, Dr. Prabhat Sharma, Mr. Pankaj Kumar Chaudhary and Mr. J.S Chauhan (A.O) and I congratulate them.

International Conference by IQAC

IQAC, Shyam Lal College organized two day International Conference on "Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present" on 5-6 March, 2018 as part of one week International Winter

School on “Fostering Collaborative Innovations and Solutions for Sustainable Development” from 3-7 March, 2018 in collaboration with Turku University of Applied Sciences, South Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences and Pori School of Economics, Finland.

The Conference saw a huge participation from delegates, faculties, research scholars, professionals, media partners and students from different universities from India, abroad and policy makers had numerous sessions. There were three plenary sessions, one workshop, one Roundtable, nine parallel sessions, many working sessions for students and student presentation sessions as well. We received huge number of papers for the conference but could only accommodate 50 odd papers in the nine concurrent sessions. More than anything, it is the student engagement that has delighted us in this conference. We had many parallel working sessions for students from partnering Finnish universities and our own students. Students engaged in many on the spot project assignments and presentations. This cultural and academic exchange between the students of all the four universities and institutions involved has been the best take away for all of us as this whole event was planned keeping in mind how best it can benefit our students. In the same spirit we also had best paper presentation awards for students.

The conference was inaugurated by Hon’ble Ambassador, Finland Ms. Nina Vaskunlahti who addressed the audience and encouraged the partnering institutions towards this collaboration. She emphasized on how this collaboration will benefit all the partnering institutions in exchanging ideas and learning from the education systems in both the countries for developing sustainability thinking. The keynote address was given by Prof. Santosh Panda, Vice-President, South Asian University, Delhi who elaborated on the idea and concept of sustainable development and sustainable development goals 2030. Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal, Shyam Lal College, in his welcome address, raised relevant questions around India’s role and contribution to global issues and also for emphasizing on the role that our past culture and tradition can play in finding solutions to sustainability. The valedictory address on 6th March, 2018 was delivered by Prof. V. K Malhotra, Member Secretary, ICSSR who highlighted and called for assessing the parameters of well-being and happiness as popular in the present times.

All the participating academia, policy makers, industry experts and research scholars gathered in the conference laid emphasis on how sustainable development involves more than traditional economic growth. It requires a change in mind-set to reconnect with our past to learn to effectively manage equitable consumption. The world is faced with challenges in all three dimensions of sustainable development i.e. economic, social and environmental. A better understanding of the linkages and coordinated actions among these trends and associated nuances involving these conditions is needed.

International Conference by Department of Political Science

The International Conference on “India’s Ascendancy in the Emerging World Transitional Dynamics: New Upsurges, Strategic Challenges and Opportunities” was successfully organized by the Department of Political Science, Shyam Lal College (University of Delhi) in collaboration with an institute of world repute, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library (NMML), New Delhi (on 26th & 27th October, 2017). The International Conference was grand success with the active engagement of known minds of the field in the two days’ International Conference. The participants

in the conference included individuals from diverse fields who exhibit deep inclination and interest on the emerging dynamics of India in its international dimensions. The intellectual gathering shared interests on the present belligerency of India produced huge productive exchanges of ideas concerning India's rise in the present world order in the two days' International Conference. The Hon'ble Union Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs Shri Hardeep Singh Puri was the Chief Guest of the International Conference. The honorable dignitaries, delegates from India and abroad, colleagues and researchers from different institutions across India contributed in many ways in enriching the event.

We received overwhelming response to our conference with over two hundred abstracts and 40 full-length papers. The Resource Persons, Chairs, co-Chairs, Discussants, distinguished speakers, papers presenters, research scholars and students enriched the conference.

The Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar delivered the welcome address that stressed on the needs to study the "Rising India" in the present world order. It was followed by the opening address of Smt. Savita Gupta, the Chairperson of the Governing Body of Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi. The Guest of Honor, Dr. Devesh K. Sinha, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi spoke on the subject and laid his hands on many substantive matters. The inaugural address was delivered by Shri Shakti Sinha, Director of Nehru Memorial Museum and Library; the souvenir of the conference was released and the session concluded with the vote of thanks by Dr. Neena Shireesh, the Director of the International Conference.

This International Conference brought together over many professionals from the UK, Finland and India. The conference was structured around Plenary Sessions and Technical Sessions that included some of the well known experts and academicians like Prof. Ashwini Mohapatra, Prof. Chintamani Mahapatra, Rector, JNU, New Delhi, Prof. Anand Kumar, Fellow, IAS, Shimla, Prof. I.M. Kapahy, Member, UGC, New Delhi, JNU, New Delhi, Prof. Rajvir Sharma, University of Delhi, Prof. Bharat H. Desai, JNU, New Delhi, Sh. Sidharth Mishra, CRDJ, New Delhi, Prof. Navnita C. Behera, HoD, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, New Delhi Prof. Sangit Ragi, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, New Delhi, Prof. Sunil Choudhury, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, New Delhi Prof. Shri Prakash Singh, Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, New Delhi and Dr. N K Kakkar. The Round Table Discussions also had the speakers of high repute in the field that include Prof. Ari Lindeman, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Jamie Halsall, University of Huddersfield, UK, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal, SLC (University of Delhi), Dr. Roopinder Oberoi, KMC, University of Delhi and Dr. Kusha Tiwari, SLC (University of Delhi). The Parallel Sessions comprised the presentations of researchers and academicians across India and abroad. These sessions were chaired by some of the well known figures on the theme. It's a matter of proud and fulfillment that the academicians, researchers and scholars who presented their research papers in the conference exceeded the expectations set for the conference and the theme. Apart from the resource persons and the participants that presented their papers at the conference, a wide range of audience from across India attended the conference that included researchers, scholars, educators, and students.

The theme of the conference had been divided into the 13 sub themes. The first day of the conference held the 1st Plenary Session titled 'India's Ascendancy in the Emerging World Order followed by the 2nd Plenary Session titled 'Repositioning India in the Context of Geopolitics and the Emerging Power Houses'. Then we had the Round Table conference titled 'Relevance of Social Enterprises in Inclusive Higher Education: Experiences from UK and India'. The next part of the conference on 26th October included Parallel Session B and Parallel Session C titled 'India in the Present International Political Order: Searching for Leadership' and 'India and Its Neighbours: India's Border Crossing Engagements' respectively. The second day of the conference was on 27th October included Round Table II on 'Towards Responsible and Sustainable Business Engagements: Experiences from Finland and India' followed by Plenary Session-III on 'Globalization Vs Glocalization'. The parallel session II (A), (B) and (C) titled 'Relocation of Glocalism: Emerging Paradigm', 'Dynamic of India's Foreign Policy: Engaging with Old and New Partners' and 'Institutional Mechanism, Governance and India's Leadership Roles' respectively were chaired by Prof. Sangit Kumar Ragi, University of Delhi, Prof. Sunil Kumar Choudhary, University of Delhi, and Sh. Sidharth Mishra, President CRDJ, New Delhi respectively. The second part of the Parallel Sessions was held after the lunch on the second day second of the conference that is on 27th October. These included 'Power Maneuvering and Challenges: Economics, Trade, Environmental, Terrorism and Poverty', 'India's Engagement towards Bilateral, Regional and International groupings; 'International Peace Building: Non-State Actors and India's Role'.

The distinguished speech of the valedictory session delivered Prof. Bidyut Chakrabarty was indeed enlightening and thought provoking. The chief guest of the valedictory session was Vice Admiral Shri Raman Puri (Retd.) who set the tone of the valedictory session. The conference ended with the address of the Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar (patron) and formal vote of thanks by the convener of the conference Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar.

Academic gathering like the one we had would not have been possible without the active participation of all members of the SLC family: students, teachers and non-teaching staff. The supportive environment of the college with the able leadership Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar (Patron of the International Conference) enabled this endeavor to become a memorable event.

The appreciable part is the hard work of our student volunteers for this conference. It was our students who managed all nitty-gritties of the conference. All faculty members of Shyam Lal College, (specially the faculty members of the Department of Political Science): Dr. Neena Shireesh, the Director, Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, the convener, Dr. Anil Kumar Thakur, the Secretary of the conference and Dr. Niranjana Chichuan, Dr. Shyam Sunder Prasad, Dr. Srinivas Mishra, Dr. Rekha Koushik; Mr. Nartam Vivekanad, Ms. Rapti Mishra; Mr. Deepak Kumar and Dr. Anuj Sharma, Rahul Tomar, Sushil Kumar, Dr. Sunaina Zutshi, Ms. Neelam Dabas were part of the organizing committee of the conference.

National Seminar by Department of History

The department of history organized a 2 day national seminar on "The Holy City of Banaras through the ages" on 12th & 13th March, 2018 in the College which was sponsored by ICSSR.

This national seminar saw the confluence and convergence of many intellectual minds in this academic congress. Professors from Banaras Hindu University, Kashi Vidyapeeth, Jaunpur, Aligarh Muslim University, Jawaharlal Nehru University, Jamia Millia Islamia, University of Allahabad, Madhya Pradesh and Department of History, Delhi University graced the seminar. The Director General of National Museum, Dr. B.R. Mani, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha) Shri Sushil Kumar Singh, Director of CSDS, Dr. Sanjay Kumar and other luminaries graced seminar by their presence and delivered presidential and keynote address.

National Symposium by CHD

Centre for Holistic Development (CHD), established by Principal, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, for re-establishing the importance of ethics and values in society organized its first National level event. A National Symposium on the topic "Ethics and Values: Reconnecting Past with Present" was held on November 9, 2017 at India International Centre, New Delhi. The hon'ble Chief Guest Sh. K.G. Suresh, Director General, Indian Institute of Mass Communication (IIMC), New Delhi graced the event. The keynote address was delivered by Sh. T. K. Sengupta, Director, MMTC Ltd. Other distinguished speakers from diverse fields were Prof. N. K. Kakkar, MATES; Sh. Rajeev Saxena, Mazars India; Prof J. K. Mitra, FMS, DU; Prof. Runa Sarkar, IIM Calcutta; Prof. Anil. K. Swain, Utkal University; Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, SLC; Prof. K. Ramakrishnan, Researcher; Prof. Minakshi, DU; Prof. Kavita Sharma, Dept. of Commerce, DSE; Sh. Vineet Ahuja, IRR (Fitch Group). This multidisciplinary Symposium turned out to be a big step towards developing understanding of various facets of ethics and values and rewards of practicing the right values. It fulfilled its purpose of awakening people in today's world of growing insularity and individualism. It was well appreciated by distinguished speakers that this Symposium would serve as a brick in the foundational walls of ethics and values that are being re-laid at a critical juncture. The organizing team comprised Dr. Usha Kashyap (Director), Dr. Ruchika Ramakrishnan (Convenor), Ms. Niti Agrawal (Organising Secretary), Ms. Adithi, Ms. Poonam, Ms. Pooja, Ms. Swati, Ms. Sumanjeet, Ms. Neha, Ms. Shaista (Team Members) led by Principal, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar and our Chairperson, Smt. Savita Gupta. The CHD Student Team, volunteers, colleagues from various departments and our support staff were an equally important part in organizing this successful event.

Infrastructure

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

- The College proudly announces that it has constructed a state-of-the-art Reading Room with a seating capacity of 75.
- The College has refurbished and revamped the Conference Hall with state of the art facilities.
- The College is in the process of constructing lift and staircase for which work is in process.
- Overhead water tank with the capacity of 50,000 litre is likely to be functional very soon and will cater to the future water demands of the college.

- The College has also introduced an important designated facility for the PwD students of the College in the form of PwD Facilitation Centre which has dedicated computer systems with all the relevant software installed so as to facilitate the smooth imparting of education to PwD students.
- The College has also constructed a state-of-the-art Teacher Facilitation Centre to promote research aptitude among the teachers. A Board/Committee Room with a seating capacity of 50 has also become functional.
- The Seminar Room has also been refurnished.
- The College has also constructed an Amphitheatre for the benefit of the students.
- Over the last year, the College has also developed four Gardens that has completely changed the outlook of the College building.
- SLC now has an AC furnished canteen and Bank with ATM.
- Office layout has also been changed to improve the functioning of the administration.

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 98.21%. A big congratulation to all the students and faculty.

Once again this year, our students have performed exceptionally well, and 63.08% percentage of 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, 2017 for the academic year 2017-18. 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.

Individual Achievements (Publication/Paper Presentation/Resource Person/ Refresher Course/ Orientation Course/ Projects)

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal

- Published the third edition of Mergers, Acquisitions and Corporate Restructuring: Strategies and Practices, Taxmann's, New Delhi, 2017.
- Published a paper "A Sustainable Business Model: Experiences of Indian Micro Enterprises". Banik, Arindam, Barai, Munim K. and Suzuki, Yasushi (eds) Towards A Common Future: Understanding Growth, Sustainability in the Asia-Pacific Region, Palgrave (Macmillan), Singapore, 2017
- Published a paper "India-Japan Cultural Distance on the Mottainai Ethics". Banik, Arindam, Barai, Munim K. and Suzuki, Yasushi (eds) Towards A Common Future: Understanding Growth, Sustainability in the Asia-Pacific Region, Palgrave (Macmillan), Singapore, 2017
- Published a paper "Drivers of Emerging Market Cross-border Mergers & Acquisitions" Transnational Corporation Review, Taylor&Francis, Routledge, 2017
- Published a paper "Cross-cultural Issues in M&As: Experiences and Future Agenda from Asia-Pacific Deals". Transnational Corporation Review, Taylor&Francis, Routledge 9: 140-149, 2017.
- Published a paper "India – Japan Cultural Distance on the Mottainai Ethics". Ritsumeikan International Affairs, 15: 1-17, 2017.
- Presented a paper titled "Towards Developing an Accessible Education System for CWSN: The Road Ahead..." in the National Conference, National University of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in November, 2017

- Presented a paper titled “Mottainai Ethics & Big Fat Indian Weddings” in the International Conference Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on 5-6 March, 2018.
- Delivered a lecture on “Advances in Mergers and Acquisitions”, IMI Kolkata, Nov, 2017
- Contributed as Plenary Speaker in the International Conference on *Institutional Excellence for Economic Growth* at P.G Department of Commerce, Utkal University in January, 2018.
- Contributed as Resource Person in the International Conference on *Innovation and Entrepreneurship for Sustainable Development* at P.G Department of Commerce, Utkal University in January, 2018.
- Contributed as a Panel Speaker in Seminar on *Make in India: Creating and Enabling Environment for Entrepreneurs* at Indian Achiever’s Forum, India Habitat Centre, February 2018
- Contributed as Panel Speaker at National Conference on *Emerging Business Practices* at IMS, FMS Banaras Hindu University, April 2018.
- Visiting Professor with TUAS, Finland from 2016-18

Department of Chemistry

Dr. Vinod Kumar

- Delivered lecture on 11-11-2017 on the topic Circular Periodic Form of Elements in two days (November 10-11, 2017) conference “Takniki Shabdavli and Rasayan Vigyan” organized by Vigyan And Takniki Shabdavli Ayog, Ministry of Human Resource and Development, Government of India, New Delhi at S.S.V.(P.G.) College, Hapur (Affiliated to C.C.S. University, Meerut)
- Acted Co-Chairman for One session on 6-3-2018 in International Winter School, “Fostering Collaborative Innovations and Solutions for Sustainable Development” (March 3-7, 2018) at Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, Delhi.

Dr. Ompal Singh Yadav

- Published Paper entitled; Electrochemical and surface characterization of a new eco-friendly corrosion inhibitor for mild steel in acidic media: A cumulative study. In the Journal of Molecular Liquids 237 (2017) 413–427.

Dr. Narendra Singh

- Published Paper titled Characterization of hot dense plasma with plasma parameters.
- Published Paper titled Radiation Physics and Chemistry, 14 (Elsevier's Journal) 6, 105-114, 2018.
- Spectroscopic study of EUV and SXR transitions of Cs XXV. Canadian Journal of Physics, Published on web, Dec 2017
- Energy levels and radiative rates for Ne-like ions from Cu to Ga Pramana Journal of Physics 89 (5), 79, 2017
- Atomic data for Ne-like ions useful in plasma diagnostic Canadian Journal of Physics 96 (1), 36-54, 2017.
- Photoionization of Cl-like Ni XII using relativistic R-matrix close-coupling method Canadian Journal of Physics, 95(11): 1136-1141, 2017.

Dr. Monika Goyal

- Presented paper “Sustainable optical encryption technique for information security” in International Winter School, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, 3-7 March, 2018.
- Presented paper “Eco friendly image encryption technique using fractional Fourier transform and Tent map” in Environmental Challenges of India, National Seminar by ESDA (Environment and Social Development Association), December 28, 2017.
- Presented paper “Chaos based image encryption technique using extended fractional Fourier transform” in Multinational Enterprises and Sustainable Development International Conference, MESD’17, Atlanta, Georgia, U.S. December 7-9, 2017.

Department of Mathematics

Mr. Subodh

- Presented a paper titled “ Repeated restricted bursts error correcting linear codes over $GF(q);q>2$ ” in a national conference on “Analysis and its Applications” during December 9-11, 2017 at Dyal Singh College , University of Delhi.

- Presented a paper titled “ Repeated bursts error correcting linear codes over $GF(q);q=3.$ ” in“ Fourth international conference on Mathematics and computing 2018 ,(ICMC 2018)” during January 9-11, 2018 at IIT-BHU , Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh.
- Presented a paper titled “Blockwise repeated bursts error correcting linear codes ” in “International conference on Applicable Mathematics” during February 20-21, 2018 at Moti Lal Nehru College , University of Delhi.

Dr. Anuj Kumar Sharma

- Anuj Kumar Sharma, Chandra K. Jaggi and Sunil Tiwari, 2017, “Optimal replenishment policy for price dependent demand in different financial scenario under fuzzy environment”, Int. J. Inventory Research, Vol. 4, Nos. 2/3, pp. 103 – 131.

Ms. Neelam Dabas

- Published a paper “A Novel Blind Digital Watermarking based on SVD and Online Sequential Extreme Learning Machine”, International journal of advanced research in computer science (0976-5697) , vol. 8, pp. 1180-1188, 2017.
- Presented a paper titled as “A novel SVD and online sequential extreme learning machine based watermark method for copyright protection” in 8th International Conference on Computing, Communication and Networking Technologies (ICCCNT) during July, 3-5, 2017 at IIT- Delhi.

Department of Economics

Mr. Sanjeev Kumar

- Paper on Cultural Stereotypes and Household Behaviour for Girl Child Labour in India published in Journal of Advances and Scholarly Researches in Allied Education Vol. XIV, Issue No. 1, October-2017, ISSN 2230-7540.
- Capacity Building Programme for Faculty Members in Social Sciences from Sardar Patel Institute of Economic and Social Research, Ahmedabad during 3- 12 January, 2018.

Dr. Anchal Arora

- Anchal Arora, Sangeeta Bansal and Patrick S. Ward (2017) “Do farmers value rice varieties tolerant to droughts and floods? Evidence from a discrete choice experiment in Odisha” water and Resources Economics, Elsevier Publication doi: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.wre.2018.03.001>.

- Anchal Arora and Devesh Birwal (2017), “Natural Calamities, Crop Losses and Coping Strategies: An Economic Analysis from Odisha, India”, Indian Journal of Agricultural Economics, Vol 72, No 3, July –Sep 2017.
- Anchal Arora and Devesh Birwal (2018), “Responsiveness of rice growing farmers towards drought and floods in Odisha, India” in Yamini Gupt and Ananya Dastidar (Eds), Department of Business Economics, University of Delhi, Palgrave Macmillan and Ane books, (Forthcoming)
- Selected, Invited and Participated at the prestigious summer school organized by the ZALF (Leibniz Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research) on “Using Discrete Choice experiments for Economic Valuation of Ecosystem services in rural landscapes” which took place in Vierraden, Germany from 3rd to 9th Sep, 2017.
- Received full grant from ZALF (Leibniz Centre for Agricultural Landscape Research) which include airfare, accommodation, and subsistence expenses etc. to participate in this summer school.
- “Natural Calamities, Crop Losses and Coping Strategies: An Economic Analysis from Odisha, India”, Paper presented at a National Conference on Indian Economy: Contemporary Issues and Challenges, organized by Department of Business Economics, University of Delhi, New Delhi, February, 2017.
- “Women participation in Livestock holding in India: An analysis from Haryana, India”, Paper presented at a National Conference organized by Women Cell, Gandhi Memorial National P.G College, Ambala, Haryana, March 2017, India.
- Invited and delivered an Extension lecture on “Understanding the Role of Economics in Media” at Govt P.G College, Ambala, and Haryana on 10 March 2017.
- Membership of Professional Bodies Indian Society of Agricultural Economics

Department of Commerce

Dr S B Rathore

- Delivered Lecture on “e-Filing of TDS Returns” as Resource Person in Maharaja Agrasen College on 01-04-2017.
- Delivered Lecture on “e-Filing of TDS Returns’ as Resource Person in Vivekanand College on 07-04-2017.
- Delivered Lecture as the only Resource Person on the Celebration of “Income Tax Day” in the College on 24-07-2017.

- Participated in Indian Accounting Association organized FDP on “Recent Developments in Income Tax and e-Filing of Income Tax Returns” in Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College on 25-08-2017.
- Delivered Lecture in the workshop on "Goods and Services Tax" organised by Skill Development Cell in the College on 30-08-2017.
- Delivered Lecture on “Tax Planning: Avoidance or Evasion” in Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Institute of Management and Information Technology, I. P. University on 14-09-2017.
- Delivered Lecture as the only Resource Person in the organised FDP on “E-Filing of ITR-2 on Excel Utility” for Other Colleges’ Teachers in the College on 04-10-2017.
- Delivered Lecture on “e-Filing of Income Tax Return-2” in Kalindi College on 23-10-2017.
- Participated in Indian Accounting Associations organised “FDP on Goods and Service Tax” in S.P. Jain Centre, South Campus on 27-10-2017.
- Delivered Lecture on “e-Filing of Income Tax Returns” in Zakir Husain Delhi College (Evening) on 31-10-2017.
- Delivered Lecture on “Practical Application of Goods and Services Tax and Budget” in Aditi Mahavidyalaya on 21-02-2018.
- Delivered Lecture on “e-Filing of Income Tax Return-5 (Firm)” in Kalindi College on 27-02-2018.

Dr. Kavita Arora

- Participated in One-Day Faculty Development Programme on Practical Labs in Financial Management organized by Dept. of Commerce, Deen Dayal Upadhyay College in collaboration with Indian Accounting Association, Delhi Chapter on 6th October 2017.
- Presented a research paper entitled “The role of the Mutual Fund Industry in Emerging Indian Economy” in two-day International Conference “India’s Ascendancy in the emerging World Transitional Dynamics: New Upsurges, Strategic Challenges and Opportunities” organized by Department of Political Science, SLC on 26-27 October,2017.
- Presented a research paper entitled “Do Mutual Fund Managers in India time the market correctly?” in 4th National Conference “Contemporary Reforms in Management, Economy and Applied Business” organized by Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce on 9th February, 2018.

- Published a research paper entitled “A Critical Analysis of Microfinance Practices in India” in MAIMT-Journal of IT & Management. Vol.10 No.2, Nov. 2016-April 2017. Pp 1-12. ISSN 0974-066X.
- Presented a research paper entitled “Microfinance: An Instrument of inclusive growth and sustainable development in India” in International Conference “Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present” organized by IQAC ,SLC on 5-6 March,2018.
- Delivered lectures as a Resource person in a Workshop organized by E-Cell, SLC in collaboration with National Entrepreneurship Network in November, 2017.
- Convenor of International Workshop on “International Experiences of Skill Development & its Adoption” on 7th march, 2018 organized by Skill Development Cell, SLC.

Dr. Shaista Sami

- Research paper published entitled “Impact of Indo–US trade on India’s Economic Growth: An empirical analysis” in Transnational Corporations Review, Routledge Taylor & Francis group.
- Published a research paper titled “Role of banks in financial inclusion in India” in Accounting and Administration, an Elsevier journal.
- Paper presented titled “Impact of Mergers on Operating Performance of GlaxoSmithKline: An Empirical Analysis” in National Conference on Management, Economics & Social Sciences (NCMESS 2017), held at Department of Management & Humanities, National Institute of Technology, Hamirpur on 14-15 July, 2017.
- She has been awarded the degree of Ph.D. in commerce from Department of commerce, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, in 2017.
- Her paper titled “Determinants of China's Outward Foreign Direct Investment in Asia: A Panel Data Analysis” has been accepted for publication in Economic Political Studies, Routledge Taylor & Francis group.
- Attended Entrepreneurship SUMMIT 2018 as a team professional, organized by IIT Bombay on 27th to 28th January 2018.
- Member of technical Committee in International conference titled “Emerging Trends in Research in Entrepreneurship, Accounting, Business and Management” held on March 22-23, 2018 at Amity University, Noida, India.

- Served as a reviewer in Academy of Accounting and Financial Studies Journal, Allied Business Academies.

Ms. Simple Arora

- Published paper titled “The Adoption Of Balanced Scorecard: An exploration of its antecedents and consequences” in Benchmarking: An International Journal, An Emerald Insight publication, Vol. 25(3), ISSN: 1463-5771 <http://www.emeraldinsight.com/doi/abs/10.1108/BIJ-06-2017-0130>
- Published paper titled “The Balanced Scorecard: Churning the Existing Literature” in Amity Global Business Review, Vol. 12(2), September (2017), pp. 20-31, ISSN 0975-511X.
- Awarded best paper award for paper titled “The Impact of Balanced Scorecard as PMS on Organisational Effectiveness” presented at International conference on Research And Business Sustainability held at IIT, Roorkee in association with Sheffield Business School, UK, and Waikato Business School, New Zealand on 16th- 17th Dec, 2017
- Revised 4th edition of her book titled “Entrepreneurship”.
- Presented paper titled “The Balanced Scorecard: A conceptual Underpinning.” at 11th National conference "Carving of novel India"-Shaping India for 21st century held at Bhartiya Vidyapeeth Institute of Management and Research on 19TH Aug, 2017.
- Presented paper titled “The Impact of Balanced Scorecard as PMS on Organisational Effectiveness. At International conference on Research And Business Sustainability held at IIT, Roorkee in association with Sheffield Business School, UK, and Waikato Business School, New Zealand on 16th -17th Dec, 2017.

Mohd Sajid

- Rahman, Sajid Mohd., and Khan Anam. "Bilateral Trade Between India and UAE an analysis of decades." Uttar Pradesh Journal of Social Science Research 07, no. 2 (2016): 127-136.
- Rahman, Sajid Mohd., and Khan Anam. "Comparison of tax structure between India-UAE and its impacts on trade relations. "Uttar Pradesh Journal of Social Science Research 08, no. 1 (2017): 57-68

Ms. Neha Bothra

- Research paper “Financial Returns of Intangibles in Luxury Market” in Journal of Commerce and Business Studies (2322-0767) published by Department of Commerce, University of Delhi.

- Research paper “Performance of Brands in Luxury market: A study of financial crisis” in the book Marketing in Emerging Economies (978-93-84370-46-6) published by Manakin Press.

Rohit Shah

- Presented paper titled “Aboriginals in Nagaland” in International Conference at Indian Institute of Public Administration on March 10, 2018.
- Research article titled “Ethical Celebrities Endorsement” In Contemporary Research in India (ISSN 2231-2137), vol. 7 issue 1 (2017)
- Research article titled “gst: Impact on centre state financial relations and indian economy” in Indian streams research journal (ISSN 2230-7850), vol. 7, issue 5 (2017)
- Research article titled “impact of demonatisation over unorganised sectors in india” in golden research thoughts (ISSN 2231-5063), vol. 6, issue 11 (2017)
- Research article titled “e-marketing: emerging tactics of marketing in india” in journal of research in humanities & Soc. Sciences, vol. 4, issue 7 (2017)
- Research article titled “budget indian 2017: what is new for youth?” In indian streams research journal, vol. 7, issue 4 (2017)
- Research article titled “microfinance industry penetration in india: a state wise analysis in context of micro credit” in international journal of management and social sciences research, vol. 6, no 5 (2017).

Shweta Satija

- Paper titled Sustainable Intrapreneurial Developments - A Critical Review was published in International Journal of Science & Research (IJSR). Volume 6, Issue 11, Nov 2017, ISSN 2319-7064.

Varun Panwar

- Paper titled Intrapreneurial Decision Making and Employee Motivation- A Case Study of SBI employees in Delhi was published in Shodh Prerak 2231-413.
- Published paper entitled “Looking Back to the Economic Reforms in India - 1991 (LPG Model)”, Vol-7, Issue-2, PP. 55-68, June 2017, (ISSN: 22498893)
- Published paper entitled “Effective Communication: Barriers and Their Solution”, Vol-6, Issue-6, PP. 43-46, June 2017, (ISSN: 22771166)

- Published paper entitled “Universal Basic Income: Universal or Targeted”, Vol-7, Issue-2, PP. 69-74, June 2017, (ISSN: 22498893)
- Published paper entitled “Labour and Industrial Relations”, Vol-6, Issue-6, PP. 86-93, June 2017, (ISSN: 22771166)
- Published paper entitled “Introduction To Bad Bank and Its Significance in India”, Vol-6, Issue-6, PP. 38-42, June 2017, (ISSN: 22771166)
- Published paper entitled “Introduction of payment Bank and Its Significance in India”, Vol-6, Issue-6, PP. 47-53, June 2017, (ISSN: 22771166)

Department of Political Science

Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar

- Sitaram Kumbhar (2017) Democracy Deprivation and Rights: Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, Public Distribution System and Poverty Alleviation in India, Scholar Publishing House, Delhi: ISBN:978-81-932035-4-5.
- Sitaram Kumbhar (2017) “Rural Employment Guarantee and the Role of MGNREGA”, in Bhatia (Edt.) Know your Laws and Know your Right, Pinnacle India Publications, Delhi.
- Sitaram Kumbhar (2017) “Caste Inequality and Laws related to Abolition of Untouchability and Protection against Atrocities”, in Bhatia (Edt.) Know your Laws and Know your Right, Pinnacle India Publications, Delhi.

Dr. Rekha Kaushik

- Paper Presentation in International Conference organized by Department of Political Science, Shyam Lal College (University of Delhi, in Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, on 27th October, 2017) :Indo-China relations in contemporary context: Challenges and opportunities.

Dr. Ameswar Naik

- Published a book Chapter, titled: “Administrative Management Theory”, in the Book Administration and Public Policy edited by Pravin Kumar Jha and Sambhu Nath Dubey, Mayur Paperbacks New Delhi, 2017, ISBN No. 978-81-7198-176-3
- Presented a paper titled on “India-Africa Relations through African Union: Opportunities and Challenges” in the International Conference on “India’s Ascendancy in Emerging World Transitional

Dynamics: New Upsurges, Strategic Challenges and Opportunities” organized by the Department of Political Science Shyam Lal College in collaboration with the Nehru Memorial Museum and Library New Delhi, held on 26-27, October, 2017 in Teen Murti Marg Delhi.

Dr. Shyam Sundar Prasad

- Sarakari Tantra ka Jwabadehi Mulayankan se Sambhav hai Sushasan', Indian Institute of Public Administration, July- December, 2017, ISSN-2249-2577, Pp.- 109-116, New Delhi.
- Sashakta Yuwa ke liye Samanvit Nitiyan Jaruri', Yojna, June, 2017, ISSN-0971-8397, Pp.-43-46, New Delhi.
- Kaushal Vikas se sath Uchcha Shiksha par bhi Dhyan dena jaruri, Kurukshetra, May, 2017, ISSN-0971-8451, Pp.-29-31, New Delhi.
- Mgnrega and Rural Women Empowerment: A Study', Indian Institute of Public Administration, January-June, 2017, ISSN-2249-2577, Pp- 55-63, New Delhi.
- Received Ph.D. Degree (Department of Political Science) from University of Delhi @ 94th Annual Convocation on 18th November, 2017.
- Presented a paper “Rethinking India’s Bureaucracy in the New India: Emerging Paradigms” in International Conference which is organised by Department of Political Science Shyam Lal College in Museum and Library with Nehru Memorial and Library on 26-27 October, 2017 at Teen Murti Bhawan, Delhi.

Department of English

Dr. Deepti Sharma

- Presented a paper titled, "Cross Cultural Engagement of Ideas and Values in East and West Through Translation." in National Conference organised by CHD Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, Nov 2017.
- Presented a paper titled, "Hindi Cinema A Reflection of Socio-Economic, Political and Cultural Changes" in National Conference organized by Kamla Nehru College Delhi University. Nov 2017.
- Presented a paper titled, “Mediaeval Poetry A weapon By all means? In National Seminar on “The ‘Holy’ city of Banaras: Through the ages” organised by History Department Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, March 2017.
- Participated in Faculty Development Programme On Women and Empowerment in Contemporary India Organized by Department of English, PGDAVE College Delhi University, April 2017.

Dr. Kusha Tiwari

- Published a book *Critical Perspectives on Toni Morrison*. Delhi: Pencraft International, 2018.
- Published a book *Narrative of Liberation: Reading Nadine Gordimer's Post-apartheid Fiction*. Delhi: Research Press India, 2018.
- Published a paper on "Gandhian Thought and the Gendered Nationalism". *The Quest* 31(2), 2017.
- Published Book Review of *River of Flesh* ed by Ruchira Gupta in the December, 2017 issue of ANIYAJAA Indian Journal of Women and Social Change SAGE
- Invited lecture on "Sustainable Entrepreneurship in Arts and Crafts Industry in India" in the International Conference *Innovation & Entrepreneurship for Sustainable Development*, Utkal University on 8-9 March, 2018.
- Presented a paper titled "Mottainai Ethics & Big Fat Indian Weddings" in the International Conference *Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present*, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on 5-6 March, 2018.
- Presented a paper titled "Towards Developing an Accessible Education System for CWSN: The Road Ahead..." in the National Conference, National University of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in November, 2017
- Panelist in the "Entrepreneurs as Responsible Business Professionals: a new successful breed or an underdog?" in the International Conference, Shyam Lal College on 26-27 October, 2017.
- Invited Lecture on "Cross-cultural Communication: Issues and Challenges" at South Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland on 19/09/17 and 21/09/17
- Visiting faculty to XAMK and TUAS, Finland under CIMO funded International Project and Exchange programme on "Responsible Business Professionals: Finland-India Trade" in September, 2017.

Mr. Rajarshi kalita

- Translations of two Assamese short story into English have been published in 2017 in an anthology of translated short stories by Assamese writer Arupa Patangia Kalita, *The Musk and Other Stories*, published by Niyogi Books.
- Translation of an Assamese short story into English is in the process of publication in an anthology by Harper Collins.

- Translated and edited a volume on the History of Music on the Theatrical Stage in Assam. It's in the process of publication.

Dr. Kinshuk Majumdar

- Published an article “The Appropriation of Language in Sea of Poppies” Muse India. Issue 71, Jan-Feb, 2017. ISSN: 0975-1815
- Published an article “The novel as an anti-state genre in India.” Muse India Issue 76, Nov-Dec, 2017. ISSN: 0975-1815

Department of History

Dr. Alka Sharma

- Convenor of International Winter School and International Conference held from 3-7 March, 2018 in SLC.

Dr. Jaya Kakkar

- Contributed a paper titled “Jahangir as the Naturalist” in National Seminar at Sitamau in district Mandsoor in Madhya Pradesh.
- Contributed two papers “The last bastion of the Gahadvala dynasty on the bank of river Ganges” and “The ecology and the environmental concerns of the Mughal Emperors with special reference to Baburnama and Tuzuk-i-Jahangiri” in Indian History Congress’ 72nd session held at Jadhavpur University, Kolkatta on 28th – 30th December, 2017.
- Contributed a paper on “The non-conformist Saint Bhakt Maluk Dass of mid-17th Century” in ARSD College, University of Delhi organized an International Seminar on “Celebrating 500 years of Saint Kabir”.
- The College also organized a National Seminar on “Political Sovereignty of Medieval India”. She contributed a paper on “The said theme”.
- Shyam Lal College organized a National Seminar on “The Holy City of Banaras: through the Ages”. She contributed a paper titled “The city of Banaras in the Medieval Past”.

Dr. Gayatri Chaturvedi

- Presented the paper entitled “Protecting Cultural Diversity and Traditional Knowledge through Sustainable Development” in International Conference on ‘Developing Countries and Sustainable

- Development: Reconnecting Past and Present’, organized by IQAC, SLC, University of Delhi, 5-6 March, 2018.
- Presented the paper entitled “ Varanasi as a Center of Religion, Education, Art and Culture” in National Seminar on ‘The Holy City of Banaras: Through the Ages’, organized by Department of History, SLC, University of Delhi, 12-13 March, 2018.
 - Presented the paper entitled “Role of Ethics in the Development of Ancient Indian Culture and its Relevance in Modern Times” in National Symposium on ‘Ethics and Values: Reconnecting Past with Present’ organized by CHD, SLC, University of Delhi, 9 Nov. 2017.
 - As the Convenor of Fine Arts Society (N.P.), Organized workshop on “Basic Techniques of Painting and Sketching”(7 Nov. 2017). Conducted various competition and exhibition of Painting, Sketching, Poster making, Quotation writing, Rangoli making and Photography in the college such as, Teachers’ Day Celebration (5 Sept. 2017), Decoding Gandhi Through Art: Life and Words of Mahatma Gandhi (19 Sept. 2017), “Vasantotsava” Celebration (22 Jan. 2018), Republic Day Celebration (25 Jan. 2018), Annual Day Function at LTG auditorium at Mandi House (11 April, 2018).

Jitendra Kumar Meena

- Presented a paper on "Tribal Movements in 20th Century Rajasthan", in One Day International Seminar Jointly Organised by Shyam Lal College (Evening) and Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), SLC(E) on "Movements, Literature and Society: New Perspectives", 17th March 2018
- Presented a Paper on "Role of Banaras in National Movement 1905- 1947", in Two Day ICSSR Sponsored National Seminar Organised by Department of History, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, on "The 'Holy' City of Banaras: Through The Ages", 12th- 13th March, 2018.
- Presented a Paper on "Rajasthani Riyasaton Ke Madhy Sambandh Aur Swayatta" in National Seminar Organised by Department of History, Faculty of Social Science, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi on "Ideologies and Perspectives In Indian History", 7th March 2018.
- Presented a Paper on "Rajasthan Main Kisan Aandolan 1899-1940", in National Conference Organised by The Nehru Memorial Museum and Library, New Delhi, on "Champaran 1917: Context and Impact", 27th & 28th April 2017.
- Paper Accepted on “New Social Movements in North East India” in ICSSR North East Journal “Man and Society ”.

- Participated in One Week Short Term Course, Organised by UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Centre For Professional Development in higher Education, University of Delhi, On "Research Methodology", 20th-26th March, 2018.

Dr. Rohan Mandal

- UGC sponsored Orientation Programme- 90 & 91 organised by the Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education (CPDHE), University of Delhi, Delhi held from 21st November 2017 to 19th December 2017.
- On 3rd February, 2018, I also attended the Workshop for College Teachers, organized by the Department of History, University of Delhi, concerning the paper, Rise of the Modern West (B.A. Hons), held in the Department of History, Social Sciences Building, University of Delhi.

Mr. Pankaj Kumar Chaudhary

- UGC sponsored Orientation Programme- 90 & 91 organised by the Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education (CPDHE), University of Delhi, Delhi held from 21st November 2017 to 19th December 2017.
- Convenor with a number of Committees viz., Development Committee, Central Admission Committee, Attendance Committee and Internal Assessment Committee.
- Appointed as the Nodal Officer for Scholarship and Anti-Smoking respectively.
- Attended the Workshop organized by the University of Delhi to make myself and the students aware of the various schemes and scholarships available for them.
- Appointed as a observer for UGC NET EXAMINATION November 2017.
- Special Invitee in Internal Quality Assessment Committee (IQAC) and appointed as Coordinator of EVS Department.

Non-teaching Staff

- Mr. Atul Kr. Jain attended a workshop on Tax session & GST for 03 days
- Mr. Avadhesh Verma has received the award for "Best Bowler" in 15th All India VC Cricket Cup which was held in Punjabi University in December-2017.
- Mr. J.S. Chauhan attended a workshop on E-Procurement for 02 days
- Mr. Mahavir Singh attended a workshop on E-Procurement for 02 days
- Mr. Suman Jha attended a workshop on E-Procurement for 02 days

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

Department of Commerce

It was a matter of great pride for the Department when two of its students: Mr. Angad Anand, B.Com (H) 3rd year, Mr. Abhishek Bery, B.Com (H) 3rd year were selected for the International Student Exchange programme under the CIMO International Project to visit TUAS and XAMK, Finland for a period of one month in September 2017.

Department of Commerce in its efforts to maximize the teaching learning outcome, has established CommBlaze: The Commerce Association that offers unique platform and opportunity to the students to have an enriched learning experience.

2017-18 has been a remarkable year for the Department of Commerce where the CommBlaze organized various events which served as a platform for the students to enhance their skills. The year began with the seminar on 27th September' 17. Seminar was based on "Entrepreneurship-Startup Challenges and opportunities in India". The resource person for the seminar was Dr. Puspender Kumar. He is an Assistant Professor in the Kirori Mal College (University of Delhi). He is well known for his Marketing Research Skills. The seminar was very intellectual and discussed the ideas how to be an entrepreneur. "Identify the problem, find a solution and it can be your new startup idea" - Dr. Puspender Kumar. The basic purpose of the seminar was to enlighten and motivate students that anyone among us can be a successful entrepreneur.

The department officially welcomed its 1st year students through a Freshers' party on 27th September' 17. The purpose of this event was that every "fresher" of SLC feels like an integral part of the SLC family and readies to take on challenge of the year ahead.

The Commerce Association also organized One-Day Faculty Development Programme on E-filing of Income Tax Return-2 on Excel Utilities on 10th October' 17 in the Computer Lab. Resource person for the session was Dr. S. B. Rathore. He is an expert in E-filing of Income Tax Returns. It helped to learn E-filing Returns and become capable to prepare students for practical examinations. The FDP programme received overwhelming response with 40 academicians teaching commerce streams from various reputed colleges of Delhi University namely Hindu College, Hansraj College, Kirori Mal College, Khalsa College, P.G.D.A.V College and Ramjas College. Faculties of I.P. University, Amity University and Jamia Millia Islamia University also joined us in the Faculty Development Programme.

The Association organized a two-day inter-college commerce fest on 8th and 9th February,2018. The team was led by the Convener Mr. Pawan K. Adewa and Co-convener Mr. Vinod Nehra whose guidance and determination were commendable. The objective of the fest was to enhance the marketing, innovative and managerial skills of the Commerce students and provide them a platform for showcasing the same. Events for the Elfesto' 18 were:

- Commerce Ka Punchnama: An interesting standup comedy competition where participants were asked to present a humorous speech based on commerce related topics within a span of 1-2 mins.

- **Enquista: The Business Quiz:** A quiz which tested the knowledge of the participants on certain aspects of the commerce like entrepreneurs, companies, logos, current business affairs and many more.
- **Saudebaazi: The Negotiation War:** A platform for the students to show their negotiation skills and use their street smartness. The students were judged according to the bargaining skills they have while selling or buying the products.
- **Mock Stock:** This event was organized to test the knowledge and skills of the participants in the stock market. The students were asked to invest the practice money of \$10,000 in currencies and the team with the maximum profit was the winner.
- **Biz Boss:** The participants were required to present an innovative business plan and they were judged by the panel based on its innovation, potential to gain investment and practical applicability of the plan.
- **Ad Zap:** An event for the marketers. The participants were assigned with the props and they were asked to enact a radio or television advertisement. Platform for the participants to showcase their creativity and to bring out the original thinker that was hidden somewhere in them.
- **Charades: Sabse bada dramebaaz:** One Participant was supposed to enact the words and the other was asked to identify them. It tested how quick the participants were in understanding the actions.
- **Mock CID:** This event tested the detective skills of students to frame the murderer using the evidences. Participants were asked to catch the cache and to unveil the treasure. Event to trickle the creative minds of the participants.
- **Ludo Of Thrones:** An amazing event where participants played Ludo along with the sizzling effects of the series Game of Thrones. A live Ludo platform where participants played in place of tokens. Event tested how keen observers the participants were.
- **Capturing Evento: The photography Event:** Opportunity for the picholics students. Participants were asked to capture snaps of certain events. It tested how creative the participants were. Team with the best pictures was the winner.

The prizes were bagged by the students from ICSI, SOL, Swami Shradhanand College, Laxmi Bai College, Satyawati College (E), Rajdhani College, Vivekanand College, SLC(E), Shaheed Bhagat Singh College and the Host College- SLC itself.

The Dance Performance by College society “Aarodhya Western Dance Society” and the Exhibition-cum-Sale of the products made by SLC students acted as a sweet dessert to the meal. The two-day fest kept the zeal on among the youth participants on the following day as well. The valedictory session was held by Dr. R. K. Singh, Professor, Delhi School of Economics. His areas of interest are Spirituality and Human Resource Diversity. He delivered a talk highlighting the importance of teamwork in achieving wholesome result. Along with the guidance of Teacher-in-Charge, Dr. Usha Kashyap and Convenor, Mr. Pawan K. Adewa, all the members were full of enthusiasm and ardor which turned every event into a successful one.

Department of English

- It was a matter of great pride for the Department when two of its students: Ms. Shreeya Upadhyay, Eng (H) 3rd year and Ms. Aditi Thakur, Eng (H) 3rd year were selected for the International Student Exchange programme under the CIMO International Project to visit TUAS and XAMK, Finland for a period of one month in September 2017 with a faculty Dr. Kusha Tiwari, Department of English who was a visiting faculty at TUAS and XAMK for two weeks.
- The Department of English Literary society organized a one of its kind dialogue competition- Rehash (Dialogue Translation) and Revamp (alternate Ending) on 5th February 2018.
- Litephilia 2018: A literary fest was organized by LITWORMS Literary Society of Shyam Lal College on 16th March 2018. For the first time, the Department organized an Inter college competition, where students from different colleges participated in huge numbers. Stepping aside of the usual zone of literature the Department also organized fun filled events including Calligraphy- "Scribble with Style", INKLINK, Pictionary, "The One with the Quiz", Stand Up Comedy and Dubsmash.
- Department of English organized a Virtual Lecture "Meet the Poet" where Scottish poet Fiona M Meyrick and Crime Fiction Writer Denzil Meyrick shared their experiences with the students.
- The Department of English Shyam Lal College in collaboration with CATA, English Department, Delhi University, has scheduled a National Conference on "A Cultural Perspective: Journey of Narratives and Narrativization of Journey" on 20th April, 2018.
- Department of English is also successfully conducting Spoken English Classes from 2017. This year too, the classes are being conducted thrice a week where apart from speaking and writing skills, the students are also given lectures on Personality Development, resume writing and interview skills. The course is designed so that both the Hons and Program students are benefitted by it.

Department Of History

The department of history under the convenorship of Dr. Jaya Kakkar organized a one day seminar on 26th September, 2017 on “Historical perspective of Delhi”. The seminar had a dual role to play. Firstly, it was an effort to familiarize the first year students with the students of II and III year and at the same time it was to provide an intellectual stimulus to the entire faculty. Two stalwarts of the department of history Prof. Amar Farooqui who is expert on Modern Indian History and Prof. S.Z.H. Jafri who is an expert in Medieval Indian History and Sufism provided academic treat through their talk on “1857 and its aftermath” and “Construction of Modern Delhi” and on “1857 and transfer of capital in 1911”.

The department of history is also credited to have organized a 2 day national seminar on “The Holy City of Banaras through the ages” on 12th& 13th March, 2018 in the College which was sponsored by ICSSR.

The faculty organized an educational trip to Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla and Kufri. The trip was very enjoyable and educative to the students.

Department of Economics

The Economics Society of the college, named ‘Ecomaniacs’ organized a number of events in the year 2017-18. In February 2018, the society collaborated with the E-cell to organize the E-Week in which it organized Product Strategem, an event focusing on Idea Pitching with a twist of developing strategizing capabilities which was followed by an interactive session by Dr. Pushpender, Assistant Professor, K.M.C. and an Impressario Quiz that witnessed huge participation both in terms of offline and online participation. In March 2018, Ecomaniacs organized the departmental Annual Fest, Economica 2018 which comprised events like IPL Auction, Hi-Q, Battle of Clicks, Dosti ya Dhokebazi, Mister Minister, Youth Parliamentary Debate etc.

Department of Political Science

The International Conference on “India’s Ascendancy in the Emerging World Transitional Dynamics: New Upsurges, Strategic Challenges and Opportunities” was successfully organized by the Department of Political Science, Shyam Lal College (University of Delhi) in collaboration with an institute of world repute, Nehru Memorial Museum and Library (NMML), New Delhi (on 26th& 27th September, 2017).

The Department of Political Science also organized a seminar on “How to Prepare for IAS” in collaboration with the Dikshant Educational Centre, Mukherjee Nargar, Delhi which is a mandated institution of the ministry of Social Justice, Government of India on 26th March 2018. After the seminar Dikshant Educational Centre also conducted a selection test and interviews to place the students for free coaching provided as a part of the scheme initiated by

the Ministry of Social Justice and Welfare. The students of socially and economically weaker sections of the society (that is SC & OBC) can avail themselves of the scheme started by the Ministry of Social Justice through mandated coaching centers such as Dikshant Educational Centre. The selected students would also be provided with Rs.5000 per month as stipend during the course of the coaching. It's heartening to mention that many students from the different departments of the Shym Lal College were placed after the test and interview.

Department of Physics

The Physics Department under the convenor ship of Dr. Monika Goyal, in association with "National Environmental Engineering Research Institute (NEERI)" and "Bahnishikha Women & Child Welfare Society" organized one day seminar accompanied with intercollege poster competition on "Youth Understanding the Value of Air", in November, a very relevant topic in today's scenario of Air Pollution in Delhi and NCR. The event was inaugurated by Dr. Dipankar Saha, Scientist-E (Additional Director), Head of Air Laboratory Division Delhi, Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB) and Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal, Shyam Lal College.

The Department also organized a lecture/talk on "Laser Driven Fusion" by eminent professor V.K. Triphate (IIT), Delhi on Feb 1, 2018. An educational trip was also organized on 9-11-2017 at Inter university Accelerator center (IUAC) Delhi. A two days Department Fest was also organized on 9-10th April 2018.

Department Of Chemistry

Fest Rasayanika-2018 and Chemistry Seminar-2018. On February 20, 2018 students participated in various programmes like Exhibition of Small Scale Chemical Industries (Nail Polish Preparation, Soap Preparation, Blackboard Chalk Preparation, Boot Polish Preparation, Red and Blue Ink Preparation, artificial silk thread etc.), Vedic Mantra Recitation, Poster Presentation, (Topic: Environment and Climate Change), Debate (Topic: Cyber and Society), Rangoli Making and Smell & Tell. On February 21, 2018 two lectures (1. Carbohydrates: Applications as Drug Carriers by Prof. (Dr.) Ashok Kumar Prasad, University of Delhi and 2. Green Chemistry by Prof. (Dr.) Rakesh Kumar Sharma, University of Delhi) were delivered in which large number of students and teachers of the college participated. First, Second and Third Prizes were given to the winner of Rasayanika 2018 to participants in various events. Name of first prize winners of various events are as Exhibition (Rishab & Ayushi B.Sc 3rd Year), Vedic Mantra Recitation (Deepshikha B.Sc 3rd Year), Poster Presentation (Rahul B.Sc 3rd Year), Debate (Deepshikha B.Sc 3rd Year), Rangoli (Richa & Riya B.Sc 2nd Year), Smell & Tell (Cheshtha Bhardwaj B.Sc 2nd Year). Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal of the college graced the occasion both the days.

Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

One-day seminar on “Information Security and Understanding Open Source Software Evolution” was organized on October 9th, 2017. The seminar began with the customary lighting of the lamp followed by Principal, Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar’s welcome speech. The resource persons for the seminar were Prof. S.K. Muttoo from University of Delhi and Dr. V.B. Singh, Associate Professor from DCAC College, University of Delhi. The seminar was extremely beneficial for the students.

Departmental annual fest GANITA-2018 was held on 21st March 2018 in college premises. The program was inaugurated by Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal of Shyam Lal College, who lauded the sincere initiative taken by the Department. Guest of honour Dr. Vinod Tyagi, Associate Professor from Shyam Lal College(E) was introduced to the gathering and lecture on “Introduction to Coding Theory” was presented by him. Apart from the lecture, the fest comprised of various intradepartmental activities viz. rangoli, power point presentation and talent hunt. These events provided students, a platform to showcase their talent with competitive spirit and creativity.

B.A Programme

A one day program on Prana Yoga for the full personality development of the students has been scheduled. A visit to Parliament is also being scheduled for the benefit of the students to give an insight into the process of Parliamentary democracy.

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 and RIFD technology will be introduced in the Library in near future. The Library had conducted Library Orientation Programme for newly admitted students to optimize the use of the Library on 25th July, 2017.

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.

Sports

The Sports Committee remained active throughout the academic session 2017-2018 in its involvement with student's participation in various games at National as well as University levels. Our students have participated at both 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 7th 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 23, 2018 to February 28, 2018 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 Dronacharya Awardee Dr. A.K.Bansal & Shri N.S.Saini, Director, Physical Education, University of Delhi, Dr. Anil Kalkal & Secretary, Delhi Hockey India, Mr. Mahesh Dayal 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 Shyama Prasad Mukherjee College in Women section remained the winner and the team from SGTB Khalsa College in Men and Jesus & Merry College in Women section remained the Runner's Up.
- B. The Sports Committee also organized Annual Sports Meet 2017-2018 on February 15, 2018 with the event 100 M, 200M, 400M & 1500M in Men session and 50M, 100M, 200M & 400M in Women section. Mr. Takhir in Men section & Ms. Anjali Rajput declared best athlete for the year 2017-2018 in Annual Sports Meet.
- C. Team Achievements:
 1. Hockey: Our College Hockey Team become Champion fourth time continuously of Inter College Hockey Championship & make a history.

2. Kabaddi: Our College Kabaddi Team secured 2nd position in Inter College Kabaddi Championship 2017-2018.
3. Baseball:
 - (a) Our College Baseball Team secured 2nd position in Inter College Baseball Championship 2017-2018.
 - (b) Our College Baseball Team secured 3rd position in Delhi State Baseball Championship 2017-2018.
4. Netball: Our college Netball Team secured 3rd position in Inter college Netball Championship 2017-2018.

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

1. Mr. Sachin Malik (B.A. Prog 2nd year, Roll no: 1300)
 - (a) Won Gold Medal in Junior National Judo Championship 2017-2018 in open weight category.
 - (b) Selected for Delhi Judo Team to participate in National Judo Championship 2017-2018.
 - (c) Selected for Delhi University Judo team in open weight category to participate in All India Inter-Varsity Judo Championship, 2017-18.
 - (d) Won Gold Medal in open weight category in Inter College Judo Championship 2017-2018.
 - (e) Won Silver Medal in below 81 kg weight category in Inter College Judo Championship 2017-18.
2. Mr. Mritunjay (B.Sc. Physical Science Ist year, Roll No. 9455)
 - (a) Selected for Delhi Netball Team to participate & Team Won Bronze Medal in All India Inter Zonal Netball Championship 2017-18.
 - (b) Selected for Junior Delhi Netball Team to participate & Team Won Silver Medal in Junior Netball National Championship 2017-18.
 - (c) Selected for Delhi Netball Team to participate in Senior National Netball Championship 2017-18.

- (d) Selected for Delhi University Netball team to participate in All India Inter-Varsity Netball Championship, 2017-18.
3. Ms. Cheshta Chaudhary (B.Com (P), 3rd year, Roll no: 4547)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Aquatic Team to participate in 1M & 3M Spring Board Diving event in All India Inter –Varsity Aquatic Championship 2017-18
 - (b) Selected for Delhi Aquatic team to participate in 3M Spring Board diving event in Senior National Aquatic Championship, 2017-18.
 - (c) Won Silver medal in 3M Spring Board Diving events in Delhi State Aquatic Championship 2017-18.
 - (d) Won Bronze medal in 1M Spring Board Diving event in Delhi State Aquatic Championship 2017-18.
4. Mr. Lalit Kumar (B.A.Hons. Hindi Ist year, Roll No. 6304)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
 - (b) Selected for Delhi Hockey Team to participate in Senior National Hockey Championship 2017-18.
5. Mr. Prashant (B.A. Programme IIIrd year, Roll No. 4195)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
 - (b) Selected for Delhi Hockey Team to participate in Senior National Hockey Championship 2017-18.
6. Mr. Juber Saifi (B.A. Programme IIIrd year, Roll No. 4151)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
7. Mr. Jeetesh Singh (B.A. Programme IIIrd year, Roll No. 4056)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
8. Mr. Suraj (B.A. Programme IIrd year, Roll No. 1302)

- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
9. Mr. Ashish Sehrawat (B.A.Programme Ist year, Roll No. 7656)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
10. Mr. Nitin Kumar (B.A.Programme Ist year, Roll No. 7556)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
11. Mr. Pankaj Kumar (B.A.Programme Ist year, Roll No. 7555)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
12. Mr. Bhupender Kumar (B.Com. Programme Ist year, Roll No. 8043)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Hockey team to participate in North Zone Inter-Varsity Hockey Championship, 2017-18.
13. Mr. Prashu Yadav (B.Sc. Phy. Science Ist year, Roll No. 5208)
- (a) Selected for Delhi Hockey Team to participate in Senior National Hockey Championship 2017-18.
14. Mr. Sudhanshu Sachdeva (B.Com. Programme Ist year, Roll No. 8020)
- (a) Selected for Delhi Netball Team to participate & Team Won Bronze Medal in All India Inter Zonal Netball Championship 2017-18.
- (b) Selected for Delhi Netball Team to participate in Senior National Netball Championship 2017-18.
15. Mr. Gaurav Singh Bhandari (B.Com. Programme IInd year, Roll No. 1521)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Netball team to participate in All India Inter-Varsity Netball Championship, 2017-18.
16. Mr. Sachin Giri (B.A.Programme Ist year, Roll no: 7613)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Baseball Team and participated in All India Inter- Varsity Baseball Championship 2017-18.

17. Mr. Anuj Tomar (B.A.Programme IInd year, Roll No. 1232)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Baseball Team and participated in All India Inter- Varsity Baseball Championship 2017-18.
18. Mr. Ankit Sharma (B.A.Hons. Political Science IIIrd year, Roll No. 3829)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Baseball Team and participated in All India Inter- Varsity Baseball Championship 2017-18.
- (b) Selected for Delhi University Fencing Team and Won Bronze Medal in All India Inter- Varsity Fencing Championship 2017-18.
19. Mr. Mohit Sharma (B.A.Hons. Political Science IIIrd year, Roll No. 3828)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University kabaddi Team and participated in All India Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship 2017-18.
20. Mr. Takdir (B.Sc. Physical Science IInd year, Roll No. 2323)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University kabaddi Team and participated in All India Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship 2017-18.
21. Mr. Akash Tanwar (B.A.Hons. History IIIrd year, Roll No. 3641)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University kabaddi Team and participated in All India Inter- Varsity Kabaddi Championship 2017-18.
22. Mr. Hardip (B.A.Programme Ist year, Roll No. 7516)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University kabaddi Team and participated in All India Inter-Varsity Kabaddi Championship 2017-18.
23. Mr. Manasvi Tomar (B.Com. Programme IIIrd year, Roll No. 4533)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Softball Team and participated in All India Inter- Varsity Softball Championship 2017-18.
24. Mr. Ravi Thakur (B.A.Programme Ist year, Roll No. 7514)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Softball Team and participated in All India Inter-Varsity Softball Championship 2017-18.

25. Ms. Pratibha (B.A.Hons. Political Science IIInd year, Roll No. 1032)
- (a) Selected for Delhi University Aquatic Team to participate in 1M& 3M Spring Board Diving event in All India Inter –Varsity Aquatic Championship 2017-18
26. Ms. Preeti(B.A . Prog.IInd year , Roll no : 1298)
- (a) Won Gold Medal in Triple Jump Event in Inter-College Athletic Championship 2017-18.
- (b) Won Silver Medal in 100M Hurdle Event in Inter-College Athletic Championship 2017-18.
27. Mr. Vipul Solanki (B.Com. Programme IIInd year, Roll No. 1560)
- (a) Won Bronze Medal in below 100kg in Inter College Judo Championship 2017-2018.
- (b) Won Bronze Medal in below 100kg in Delhi State Judo Championship 2017-2018.
28. Mr. Rajneesh (B.A.Hons. Hindi IIInd year, Roll No. 438)
- (a) Won Bronze Medal in below 61 kg in Inter College Free Style Wrestling Championship 2017-2018.
- (b) Won Bronze Medal in below 60 kg in Inter College Greco-Roman Wrestling Championship 2017-2018.

The Sports Committee would like to place on record their appreciation of Physiotherapist Dr. Rohit Gupta & coaches : Dronacharya Awardee Shri N.S.Saini (Hockey). Sh. Rakesh Thapliyal (Cricket), Sh. Manoj Newa (Football), Mr. Mohd. Yunus (Volley Ball), Sh. Ashish Negi (Softball & Baseball), Sh. Chetan Singh (Swimming), Sh. Tejvir Singh (Athletic), Sh. Rajesh Kumar (Netball), Ms. Sheetal Sharma (Judo) and Sh. Yoginder Kumar (Kabaddi) whose talents, experience and guidance in their respective professional fields made the above said achievements possible. Sh. Amit Gupta, Sports Assistant 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.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

IQAC, SLC, under the guidance of Principal, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, took the pioneer initiative of organizing a one of its kind International Winter School on "Fostering Collaborative Innovations and Solutions for Sustainable Development" from 3-7 March, 2018 in collaboration with TUAS, XAMK and University of Turku (Pori Unit), Finland comprising of International Conference on "Developing Countries and Sustainable Development: Reconnecting Past with Present", International Workshop I on "Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies: The Path Ahead" and International Workshop II on "International Experiences of Skill Development and its Adoption".

The International Winter School was attended by various delegates who deliberated over the two days on the issues relating to role of and scope for developing countries in contributing to the sustainable development agendas. Academia and practitioners from India and abroad including Ms. Nina Vaskunlahti, Hon'ble Ambassador, Finland, Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Anu Lahteenmaki-Uutela, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. Ari Lindeman, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Heli Soderlund, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Prof. Telle Tuominen, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Dr. Joachim Ramstrom, University of Turku, Finland, Prof. John McIntyre, ED, CIBER GT, USA, Prof. Santosh Panda, Vice-President, South Asian University, Delhi, Prof. Sushma Yadav, Member UGC, Prof. V. K Malhotra, Member Secretary, ICSSR, Prof. V.K. Kaul, Dean and Head, Department of Business Economics, University of Delhi, Prof. Kavita Sharma, Head, Department of Commerce, University of Delhi, Sh. Pawan K. Vijay, Former President, ICSI, Sh. Anuj Dayal, Executive Director, Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC), Sh. Tapas Sengupta, Director (HR), MMTC, Sh. Shri Rajiv Saxena, Mazars India and Prof. Raj Kumar, Dean & Head, FMS, BHU, Mr. Siddharth Mishra, President CRDJ & Senior Journalist, Prof. D. Jaganathan, Former Secretary ICWAI, Prof. Vanita Tripathi, Department of Commerce, DSE, Deputy Dean, Academics, University of Delhi, Prof. Shubhro Sen, Director SME Shiv Nadar University have already confirmed of their participation in our programme.

The International Winter School is a unique concept in a central university college in India that provided the students with an opportunity to engage and learn from cross cultural environment with academicians and their fellow students from different universities and countries. There is a need to give a larger exposure and a real feeling of no lesser than any other best institution in India to our students so that they can widen their understanding of the emerging trends and expectations in academics and industry. It gave our students and faculty international exposure experience in education and motivated them to explore greater career possibilities. The Winter School was successfully organized due to the untiring efforts of IQAC members including Dr. Alka Sharma (Convenor), Dr. Kusha Tiwari, Dr. Arkaja Goswami, Dr. Ruchika Ramakrishnan, Dr. Samrendra Kumar, Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar, Dr. Ashu Gupta, Dr. Prabhat Sharma, Mr. Pankaj Kumar Chaudhary and Mr. J.S Chauhan (A.O).

Academic Affairs and Monitoring Committee

Academic Affairs and Monitoring Committee and Department of Commerce, SLC under the guidance of Principal, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar and convenorship of Dr. Kusha Tiwari organized the 5th Virtual Lecture on "International Business as a Key Research Question for Management Scholars in the US: Challenges and Impact" as part of the SLC Public Lecture Series on 8th August, 2017 with Prof. John R. McIntyre, Professor of Management & Executive Director GT-CIBER Scheller College of Business, Atlanta, GA, USA. Prof. John began his lecture by talking about the scope and opportunities for Indian investments in the US. He observed how the inflow of scholars and innovators from India has exponentially increased in the recent years in the US. He also introduced the audience to the new MLM India based innovations being popularized globally which focus on working through the principle of more from less for more people.

From there on Prof. John R. McIntyre gave an overview of the main topic of discussion surrounding International Business and the scope of International Business Studies (IBS) in the academia. He talked about the emergence and evolution of IBS and how it requires multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary approach so as to fully grasp the essence of this vast and ever growing area of study. The multidisciplinary approach to IBS takes into account the modalities involved in the spread of International business across countries including the psychic, economical, geographical and cultural differences.

The lecture ended with fruitful and engaging two way interaction wherein the audience members gave their observations and asked relevant questions to Prof. John R. McIntyre. The Principal, Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar formally thanked Prof. McIntyre for the engaging interaction and also talked of the possibility of having him physically with us the next time.

STRIVING TOWARDS EXCELLENCE: CENTERS

CENTERS

CIISD

CIISD, The Centre for Industry Interaction and Skill Development, has been set up to promote interaction, as well as collaboration of SLC with industry for mutual benefit. It operates through its 3 constituent cells, viz. the Placement Cell, the Skill Development Cell and the Entrepreneurship Cell, and also as an umbrella organization, wherein the 3 cells come together to organize events of common interest. During the year the 3 cells continued to thrive in their respective areas. In addition, CIISD organized a Personality Development Workshop on September 26, 2017 for the benefit of its students.

Placement Cell

The SLC Placement Cell, apart from hosting placement and internship drives in the College, organizes seminars and workshops to guide the students and to help them to successfully participate in these drives. The Cell continuously strives to ensure that the best companies offering good job profiles and packages visit our campus. Companies like Royal Bank of Scotland and ICICI Prudential Life Insurance have become regular visitors to our College for recruitments. American Express visited the campus for the first time during the early part of the year with interesting roles and good package on offer. During the current session till date, many companies have visited the campus for recruitment. The Cell also facilitated participation of students in off-campus placement and internship drives.

During the year the Cell organized seminars on “What after Graduation”, and job opportunities in Banking and Public Sectors. It also organized workshops on “Assessing one’s Aptitude” and “Resume Writing”.

E-Cell

The E-Cell of the college started on a big note with the event “The Journey of an Entrepreneur”, a session by Mr. Anthony Hall, Founder and CEO of The Rose of Education organization from California, U.S.A on 11th September’ 17. It was followed by an interactive session with Ms. HemikaNarang, from 98 fit.com and an Entrepreneurial Quiz on 15th September’ 17.

Angad Anand, President of E-Cell and Abhishek Bery, our Business Development Head, were selected to represent the college in Turku University of Applied Sciences at Finland for the project – “Responsible Business Professionals between India and Finland Trade”. Mr. Vishal Sharma, our business development head, represented us at Digital Masala Challenge, organized by IIT-Kanpur and won a project with funding of 5,000 U.S. Dollars.

In the end of September’ 2017, the E-cell organized ‘Advertrepreneur’ – again an interactive session by Mr. Sahil Dhingra, Co-Founder of Let’s Barter India. The big event Illuminate Workshop was conducted by our E-Cell in collaboration with IIT-Bombay on 10th October’ 17 where Mr. Punit Raman discussed on how to develop a product, its financing and other related strategies. The event was well attended by students from other colleges as well. Then we had a gripping panel discussion on 31st October’ 17 on whether a student after graduation should go for jobs, or for higher studies, or for entrepreneurship, where each of these options was defended by expert panelists. On 10th November, Mr. Arshdeep Khurana, Founder, Job Vision Consultants, discussed ‘finance pitching’ whereas Mr. Shashank Sagar, Co-Founder, Farmyo was the key speaker on startup mentorship. In December end, we got an invitation from IIT-B informing us that we had entered the finals of National Entrepreneurship challenge, leaving behind large number of tough competitors. This year we stood at the 4th position. On January 5th of the year 2018, we had our first event of this year-The Entrepreneur Day which comprised four events in all, the program kicked off with Government Strategem, a session conducted by Sh. Kanwal Bindusar, Ex-Government Official & CEO at WebMentors followed by two events, a quiz and Battle of Corporates and the event was summed up by a motivating session on Succeeding Through Failure: Grow as you Go by Ms. Myra Yadav, a motivational speaker and CEO at MacPlat. After Entrepreneur Day, the team organized an Entrepreneur Week in the 3rd week of February, in collaboration with Dept. of Economics and National Entrepreneurship Network to strengthen the college relations with the Wadhvani Foundation’s National Entrepreneurship Network. To render greater synergy in the long run, the team organized Product Strategem, an event focusing on Idea Pitching with a twist of developing strategizing capabilities which was followed by an interactive session by Dr. Pushpender, Assistant Professor, K.M.C. and an Impressario Quiz that witnessed huge participation both in terms of offline and online participation. And to sum up the year on a great note, the Entrepreneurship Cell, in collaboration with IQAC and SDC helped in successfully organizing the first day of the International Winter School, a 7 day event which witnessed participation of the esteemed Finland Ambassador, Finnish Delegates from TUAS, XAMK & University of Turku; Eminent Business Personalities, Corporate Gems and resource persons across the country. The topic of the workshop was Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies: The Path Ahead. All in all, this year was a great run and the Entrepreneurship Cell of the college was able to forge a path which in turn leads to greater synergy in the long run.

Skill Development Cell (SDC)

Skill Development Cell (SDC) which was formed on 2015-16 with an aim to enhance skill set in students of college to suit the needs of industry and thereby increase employability of the students. It has organized various workshops which have helped the students to develop new concepts and skills. Following is the list of the events organized by SDC during the academic session (2017-18)

- Jointly with mygov.in 'Quit India Quiz' the Cell organized an Online Quiz competition on 9th August, 2017.
- A Two-Day Workshop on GST in collaboration with NSS unit, SLC was organized on 29th and 30th August, 2017. Mr. Kuldeep (Joint Commissioner, GST); Mr. Ravi Kumar and Mr. Amit Mishra and Dr. S. B. Rathore, (Associate professor, SLC) were invited as the resource person. The workshop was attended by many participants including traders, faculty and students from different colleges and academic institutions of repute.
- A Seminar on the topic "How to be an Expert Trader" was organized on 25th September 2017. The resource person was Mr. Pulock Bhattacharya (Business Development Head in BSE Institute). The main objective of the seminar was to make students aware about the various perspectives in the stock trading.
- Industrial Visit to Moon Beverages, Sahibabad was organized on 12th October 2017. Students visited the manufacturing unit of Coco-Cola which manufactures beverages like Coke, Thumbs up, Sprite, Maaza, Limca & kinley.
- Organized a Certificate course on "HOW TO BE AN EXPERT TRADER" in collaboration with Bombay Stock Exchange Ltd. The course successfully trained two batches of students, the first batch commenced on 9th October 2017 and the second batch on 14th March, 2018.
- A Seminar on topic "Unlock your hidden talent and make the difference" was organized on 22nd January, 2018. The resource person was Mohd. Shoeb, Zakir Hussain Delhi College. Students and faculty attended the session participated in the enriching discussions on the topic.
- A Self Defence camp was organized for girls in collaboration with NSS unit of Shyamlal College during 5th February to 12th February, 2018. Ms. Nupur Prasad (DCP, Shahdara); Dr. Ajit Kumar Singla (DCP, North- East); Mr. Yudhbir Singh (Inspector, SHO, Shahdara) were the esteemed guests on the last day of the camp.
- The Skill Development Cell of SLC organized an International Workshop on "International Experiences of Skill Development & its Adoption" on 7th March, 2018. The workshop was a part of International Winter School which was organized by SLC, in collaboration with Turku University

of applied sciences, University of Turku (Pori Unit) and South Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland. A large audience comprising representatives of major organizations, faculties, government functionaries, researchers and experts from across the country actively engaged in exchange of ideas and knowledge. Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Prof. Anu Lähteenmäki-Uutela, Prof. Joachim Ramström, Prof. Ari Lindeman, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Prof. Heli Söderlund, Turku University of Applied Sciences, Prof. Telle Tuominen, Turku University of Applied Sciences and Prof. Shubhro Sen, Sharda University were the dignitaries in the International Workshop.

- A Skill development and Placement drive in collaboration with Bombay Stock Exchange was organized on 22nd March, 2018. Employment opportunities in “Investment Banking Back office Operations” were provided to some of the students who participated in the drive.
- An Educational Visit to Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) office was conducted on 28th March, 2018. The visit enabled the students to experience the work environment in SEBI and thus had an opportunity of learning outside the classroom.
- To develop the Film making skills in the students, SDC also organized a Film making competition with theme Corporate Life@ SLC. Several interdisciplinary teams showcased their talent in the competition. Cash prize was awarded to the winning teams.
- A Prize Distribution Ceremony was organized on 9th April, 2018 to felicitate the winners of various competitions, participants of Certificate courses and the SDC team members.

Centre for Holistic Development (CHD)

Centre for Holistic Development (CHD), established by our Principal Sir, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, for re-establishing the importance of ethics and values in society organized its first National level event. A National Symposium on the topic “Ethics and Values: Reconnecting Past with Present” was held on November 9, 2017 at India International Centre, New Delhi. The Hon’ble Chief Guest was Sh. K.G. Suresh, Director General, Indian Institute of Mass Communication (IIMC), New Delhi.

Ambedkar Study Circle (ASC)

Shyam Lal College was established in 2014 with an aim to promote Babasaheb Ambedkar’s thoughts and ideas among students and teachers. In order to spread the views of Babasaheb Ambedkar, the Committee, since its inception, has organized talks, seminars, debates and academic trips. The Committee continuing the tradition has future plans for the year 2017-18 which are as follows:

- The birth anniversary of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar will be celebrated on 13th April, 2018 wherein an inter-college debate competition will be organized on the topic titled “Babasaheb Ambedkar ke

vichaaron ko swikar kiye bina samajik parivartan asambhav hai". Besides, the Committee is going to organize an inter-college quiz on Dr. Ambedkar's life.

- Organising an academic trip to Parliament and Ambedkar National Memorial Museum near Vidhan Sabha on 16th April, 2018. The Museum is newly built and will be inaugurated by our Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi on 13th April.
- The Cell has scheduled a national seminar on the topic "The Relevance of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar in Contemporary World" on 18th April, 2018. A tentative list of speakers includes: Prof. Sukhdeo Thorat, former UGC Secretary, Prof. Bhalchandra Mungekar, an Indian economist, Educationist, Social Worker and a Rajya Sabha member and Chairperson of Mungekar Committee and Prof. M. L. Kasare, Wardha University.

Eco Club and Innovation 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. within Shyam Lal College.

- Field Trip to Yamuna Biodiversity Park by Eco Club volunteers of Shyam Lal College on 3rd march 2018. The main motive of the trip was to create awareness among students. The parks are budding as a major centre for enriching people's lives through environmental education and awareness, especially for schools and colleges of Delhi. The visit began with introductory remarks about biodiversity conservation and the efforts being made by the Park authorities. This was followed by a visit to the Nature Interpretation Centre (NIC) which has been curated near the entry point to the Park. The NIC provided the students with basic understanding of the various stages through which the Park has undergone, from being a barren piece of land and a fruit orchard. This was followed by visit to wetlands sites. The students were also shown several species of herbs and trees that were once found aplenty in Delhi's urban ecosystem, but now have become considerably reduced in number in the city.
- Door to door campaign was to gather and make available information among house-wives, children, Gardeners, vegetables-sellers, shopkeepers and many other peoples which are the back bone of society. So Eco Club volunteers took initiative to motivate them to keep their home, schools and surrounding clean and also spread awareness about Safe Drinking Water & Sanitation they request people to decompose their waste properly and promote the use of dustbin.
- Eco Club students participated in 60th Annual flower show organized by University of Delhi on 22-23 Feb 2018.

- Participated in frog fest organized by WWF-India New Delhi on 18-03-2018.
- Environment awareness and Plantation drive was organized by Eco Club student for the school children and was aimed to fosters a spirit of concern and care towards the environment. Students actively participated and took an oath to protect as many trees as they can. Keeping this view in mind the students are made to realize their ethical obligation towards the environment.
- Eco Club volunteers also sensitize people about the value of cleanliness and the harmful consequences of keeping the surroundings dirty. They visited the neighboring areas and voiced their concerns. They also projected views through slogans and pamphlets. It was a successful event which strived to create awareness among people and encourage the clean action.

Women Development Cell (WDC)

WDC, SLC was formed in the session 2015-16 since then it has been active with the issues and activities related to gender sensitization.

- In the year 2017-18 WDC organized one day seminar on “understanding issues in gender disparity” on 7th November in which eminent psychiatrist and Counsellor Dr. Aradhna Sharma discussed the causes and problems related to gender disparity in our society. Another eminent speaker Aishwarya Bhati advocate of Supreme Court made the students aware of Women rights.
- WDC organized lectures by Professor Kapil Kumar Director, Centre for Freedom Struggle and Diaspora Studies on topic “Indian Women Past, Present and Future” Another women activist Sunita Duggal talked about “women empowerment” on 6th April, 2018. These lectures made our students aware of the existing status of the women in Indian Society.
- WDC had also arranged counselling sessions for students, teaching and Non-Teaching staff on gender sensitization in the college from time to time. The students and volunteers take keen interest in the activities of WDC thus making it the most popular and active committee of SLC.

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

NSS

NSS unit of SLC is very dynamic and has been playing a major role towards the welfare of society by involving the youth in various social causes. For the Academic year 2017-18, Cleanliness and Women empowerment were selected as the focus areas by the NSS Centre of Delhi University. In line with these focus areas, various events and programs were organized to sensitize students and staff about these issues in the college premises during the session 2017-18.

Following is the list of the events organized by NSS during the academic session (2017-18)

- The Orientation programme of NSS was organized on 8th August 2017 with an aim to familiarize the students with NSS Unit of SLC and its past activities.
- As a part of Union Government's new initiative 'Naya BharatHum Kar Ke Rahenge 2017-2022' the students, teachers and staff of Shyam Lal College took Pledge for New India on 9, August, 2017 for a better future in the next five years.
- A Blood Donation Camp was organized in collaboration with The Rotary club of Delhi Achievers on 10th August, 2017. The event turned out to be great success, students and faculty members showed up to donate blood.
- NSS unit undertook a Cleanliness and Plantation drive on Independence Day in accordance to the nationwide Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. NSS Volunteers took a pledge to clean their college, homes, public places and surroundings. College Principal Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar along with teachers and volunteers were actively involved in the drive which was followed by plantation of 50 saplings in the college premises.
- NSS Unit, SLC in collaboration with Skill Development Cell of college organized a Two-Day Workshop on GST in computer lab on 29th and 30th August, 2017. Mr. Kuldeep (Joint Commissioner, GST) ; Mr. Ravi Kumar and Mr. Amit Mishra and Dr. S. B. Rathore, (Associate professor, SLC) were invited as the resource person. The workshop was attended by many participants including traders, faculty and students from different colleges and academic institutions of repute.
- NSS Day was celebrated with great zeal on 26, September 2017. The Day started with an absolutely amazing street play performed by the volunteers of Rally for Rivers, followed by a Debate competition and an Essay writing competition. Students participated actively in both the competitions which indeed boosted their morale.
- NSS unit introduced Rally for rivers campaign to create awareness about protecting rivers and rejuvenating them on 27 September, 2017. Class to Class Awareness Programmes were organized to aware the students about the campaign.
- A Donation Drive was organized during 3rd January to 12th January, 2018. All the students and teachers actively participated in the drive by donating clean clothes, bags, stationary and eatables. All the items were donated amongst the underprivileged people of the slums located near the college.

- A free Eye checkup camp was organized in the college campus on 17th January 2018. Dr. Surender Kumar with his team from NEERA EYE CENTER examined a number of people including students and staff members.
- NSS unit celebrated Voter's day on 25th January 2018. BJP leader Shri. Manoj Tiwari was invited as the chief guest.
- The NSS team organized a Cleanliness Drive on 25th January, 2018 to mark 69th Republic Day. The students actively participated in the Drive and cleaned the campus as well as nearby areas.
- NSS unit of Shyamlal College visited 'Nayi Duniya - Old Age Home', East Azad Nagar on 1st February 2018. It aimed at sensitizing the volunteers towards the needs of senior citizens.
- A Self Defence camp was organized for girls in collaboration with Skill Development Cell of Shyamlal College during 5th February to 12th February, 2018. Ms. Nupur Prasad (DCP, Shahdara); Dr. Ajit Kumar Singla (DCP, North- East); Mr. Yudhbir Singh (Inspector, SHO, Shahdara) were the esteemed guests on the last day of the camp.
- Our NSS volunteers participated in "Cyber Security Awareness programme" organized by Delhi Police on 19th February, 2018 at Yamuna Sports Complex.
- The team of NSS has taken up the initiative of educating the underprivileged children. Volunteers from our college also visited their nearby household surroundings and taught the students. It was a small effort to light the fire in the future generation of students.
- NSS unit of Shyamlal College helped PWD students to help in their curriculum by helping them in their class assignments, by reading them newspapers, by answering their queries.

NCC

- Juo Megha Tomar selected for All India national camp of shooting (Mahavlankar) held in (Ropad) Punjab, (Asonsol) West Bengal, (Dhula Kaun) Delhi in March 2017.
- Combined annual training camp (catc) at Delhi Cant, Dhola Kuan attended by 73 cadets from 19 June 2017 to 28 June 2017.
- National integration camp at Secunderabad, Andhra Pradesh attended by 6 cadet from 2 Aug 2017 to 12 Aug 2017.
- Advance leadership camp held in Punjab in Aug 2017 by Komal Joshi.
- Suo Manisha Negi and Neha Gupta attended All India thal sanik camp held at Delhi cant, Dhaula Kaun.

- Kanchan and Priti attended All India trekking camp at Ajmer, Rajasthan in Nov 2017.
- Delhi NIC attend by 5 cadet in Rohini.
- Prime Minister rally by Prachi Sharma & CM rally by Simran Sharma and Mahima Kumari in Jan 2017.

Other Activites

- International Yoga Day on 21 June 2017
- Swacch Bharat Abhiyan
- Tree Plantation

Major Achievements

- All India shooting championship, Juo Megha Tomar, Thal Sanik Camp, Suo Manisha Negi, Sgt Neha Gupta, Amar Jawan Jyoti, Cpl Simran sharma, Prime Minister rally, Cdt Prachi Sharma, CM Rally, Sgt Mahima Kumari, Cdt Simran Sharma.

SOCIETIES AND COMMITTEES

Fine Arts and Culture Committee (Performing)

Poetry Society Qasida of Shyam Lal College has organised 4 successful events this year. The first event was an Open Mic cum Orientation Day which was scheduled on 9th October, 2017. The society shortlisted 25 new member's from this meet and the new session started. The next event was a poetry recitation competition which was organised on 8th November, 2017. QASIDA also organised an unofficial get together of society members on 23rd January which aimed at poetry recitation of members to learn their potential. The last was an extravagant event Mehfil-e-Qasida, the annual poetry fest organised on 28th March, 2018. It was a new initiative and one of its kind event organised in the college premises. The Guest of Honour for this event were Farhat Ehsas (Editor in Chief - Rekhta.org), Shariq Kaifi (Leading Contemporary Shayar), Shariq Iqbal and Imtiyaz Khan. The event was a huge success and ended with great pomp and show and appreciated by our teachers as well as from the audiences. QASIDA aims at organising more such events in the coming year and to motivate people to open their creative side and write more poetry and shayaris.

Jharokha Dramatics Society -The tallest oak in the forest was once just a little nut that held it's ground', Jharokha has proven this just right. 2017 - 2018 has really been a path changing year for the society. Our highly motivated team worked on a project that was rather far fetched for college level students, but that didn't stoop our heads down .We worked religiously on the eminent scholar, Mohan Rakesh's play, Ashad Ka Ek Din. We brought the

peaceful life of Himalayan village and Mallika's unrequited love alive on the stage, but at the centre laid determination, confidence, conviction, faith and reliability. This production taught us the fundamentals of theatre, which was only possible with the discernment of our alumni, Ashish Atrey and Kavya Misra. We held two performances in our college with an encouraging audience, to say the least. Our teacher convener, Prof. Abbasuddin Tapadar helped us throughout our production and encouraged us to do better. Our college's Administrative Officer, Mr. Jagat Singh Chauhan holds a special mention through out the process of our making. He guided us with logistical and creative support. Jharokha was able to reach the zenith success this year with the amalgamation of hardworking production team, eloquent actors, and the will to do a little better than before. The members stand together to shape the future of Jhaorkha and to keep rising! 'Cause we are actors, we are the opposites of people'.

Swaaragam Music Society and Aarodhya Dance Society - on 5th March Swaraagam performed in an cultural evening organized by fine arts society for the Winter school 3-7 March 2018.

Rahul Kumar Raja ksecured first position in solo classical/semi classical/international dance in Kalindi College, Sri Aurobindo College Eve, Shyamlal College Eve, Bharti College, Shyam Lal College Eve, Ramanunjan College, Bhim Rao Ambedkar, Bharti college, Satyawati College, University of Delhi (all college) Sri ram college of commerce, Delhi college of arts & commerce, IMS Ghaziabad Delhi institute of advance studies, New Delhi. Rahul Kumar secured second position in ARSD, PGDAV, Sri Aurobindo College and New Delhi Institute of management studies. And secured third position in Shyamlal (E) College.

In Duet dance, Rahul& Shardha secured first positon in Bhim Rao Ambedkar college and Rahul and Meghali secured second positon in PGDAV college. Rahul and Meghali secured third positon in ZHC Eve.

In western dance competition, Secured first position at IMS Ghaziabad. In street dance competition Dance society got into finals in college of vocational studies and in semifinals in NSIT and Dyal Singh College.

Aakrosh Street Play Society - The team won 2nd Prize of Rs. 20,000 in the Delhi University Inter College Nukkad Natak Competition organized by Income Tax Department, Central Board Of Direct Taxes, Govt Of India in Shankar Lal Auditorium,.

“Kya yahi vo bharat hai” is the annual production of 2017-2018. Aakrosh ranked 5th in this national level theater fest of Chitkara University. Akrosh has performed their annual production at the following: “Rangrezz 2017” Chitkara University, Raipur Punjab; “Mood Indigo 2017” IIT Mumbai, Mumbai; “Varchasva 2017” Annual fest of Technia Institute Of Advance Study, Pitampura (bagged 2nd Prize); “Madari 2017” Natioanal Level Nukkad Natak Competition, Arts Faculty; “Udaan 2017” National Level Nukkad Natak Competition, Arts of Faculty. In this competition one of our team member Robert Messy got best actor Award and a cash prize of Rs 1100; “Repubic Day 2017” Shyam Lal College, Shahdara; “Renaissance 2017”, JECRC Jaipur (won 2nd Prize of Rs. 6000).

Internal Complaints Committee

All India Institute for Human Values and Resource Development (AIHV&RD) sent an invitation to the college for participation in a Seminar on the topic "Sexual Harassment of Women at work place-Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal ", organised on 25& 26 August 2017 at AIACHE Secretariat, Institutional Area, Janak puri, New Delhi. Shyamlal College sent 2 members of ICC namely Sh Vinod Kumar and Dr. Prabhat Sharma to attend this seminar. There were participants of various Central Universities from all over India. Our members informed about the greater insights provided to them, regarding the above mentioned subject.

ICC along with its efficient team of Gender Champions organised "Ad-Mad Competition" on 3rd November 2017. Large number of teams participated and exhibited their skills in acting by highlighting women empowerment and gender equality issues.

ICC invited Ms.Noor Zaheer, a Social Activist, Writer and Theatre Artist, to deliver a lecture on the topic" Understanding Patriarchy and Sexism: Nurturing Future Gender Champions" on 13th November 2017. She discussed the role of religion in promoting patriarchy, criticised old Muslim traditions and fatwas, favoured Uniform Civil Code and emphasized the change in process of thoughts and behaviour for a gender-sensitive society.

ICC organised an Essay Competition with the help of enthusiastic team of Gender Champions on 1st February 2018. The topic was " India of my dreams-A girl's perspective". Prizes and certificates were given

ICC organised a lecture by advocate Ms.Meena Belwal on 6th February 2018 on the topic" Prevention of sexual harassment in educational institutions". She explained the sexual harassment (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) 2013 and its provisions, conducting enquiry and forms of punishment. She informed students and staff about various sections of IPC and quantum of punishment under these sections. She instilled confidence among students to be bold and fearless.

Garden Committee

The role of the Garden Committee is always to provide students with a place to meet, learn and grow. We as a committee has met several times over the past two years and determined the need to re-evaluate and expand one garden's planting plan. We will continue, development of our lawns and also promoting increased social interaction through gardening with our students and faculty members.

Some of the work which were executed by Garden Committee in the year 2017-2018 are mentioned as under:-

- For the first time we participated in the 60th Annual flower show held at University of Delhi and won the first prize in one of the categories. This is just a beginning and we hope this will continue for many more years to come.
- Developed the central lawn of the college by first doing green carpeting and then planting lots of seasonal flowering plants.

- Made a beginning in installing an effective irrigation system.
- We are also developing a nursery behind the new building block which will be of great help for our college.
- We also replaced the old garden tools which required immediate replacement due to wear & tear. Garden equipment's that were inoperative have been repaired and are now functional.
- Installed Iron stands with steps near the college lawns for keeping the earthen pots.

Debating Society

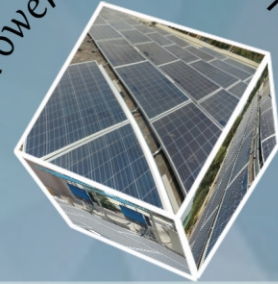
Sheershasth Debating Society has organized various intra and inter college debate competitions since its formation. We organized various moot courts, under which we discussed various important issues going on in the current scenario.

- First intercollege conventional debate of the year- The Orator's Bout 2018
- SHEERSHASTH- The debating society of Shyam Lal College (M), organized the second edition of our inter college conventional debate competition, Orator's Bout on 29th January, 2018 in the Seminar Hall of the college.
- Sheershasth, the debating society proudly and successfully organized the Orator's Bout 2018 under the guidance of Dr. Narendra Singh. For the Orator's Bout, students participated as teams, one member speaking for and one speaking against the motion. Event was judged by Mr. Rohit Sharma and Dr Ravishekhar Associate Professor Bhagat Singh College. Participants who came, discussed the topics that were: "This house believes that the election of the present government has strengthened the nationalist ideology."
- Organized various moot courts at the college level in which students expressed themselves on the various topics going on in the current scenario. Very first moot court which was organized in the mini amphitheater of our college, 'India's stand on the Jerusalem issue in UN' was discussed, in which many students expressed their views. More than 10 moot courts have been organized by SDS on controversial issues like Rohingya Refugees. We have also organized Turn Coat debates for students of our college in which participants have to turn coat on the topic. So many members of our society have participated in debates in different colleges in and outside Delhi University and won various prizes:
- Ivan Baruah – Best speaker in Miranda House., Best interjector in SGND Khalsa.
- Quarter final of NSP Parliamentary debate IN KMC.

- Best interjector in Bhagat Singh College.
- 2nd best speaker in JDMC.
- Finalist in the SGTB Khalsa College multilevel debate.
- Mayank Patel- Won 3rd prize in Vivekananda College.
- Won 3rd prize in Vivekananda College organized by Pol. Sci. Department.
- Aman Jaiswal- Selected in top 5 teams in Jaipuria Institute of technology.
- Won best speaker in Youth Parliament organized by Eco Department.
- Quarter final of Parliamentary debate in Hindu college
- 2nd Best interjector in Miranda House.
- Sarthak Rajput- Selected in top 5 teams in Jaipuria Institute Of Technology.
- Special mention in Sansad, Youth Parliament organized by NSUI.
- Won best speaker in Youth Parliament organized by Eco
- Department of SLC (M).
- Quarter final of parliamentary debate in Hindu College.
- Abhishek Srivastava- Won 1st prize in Daulat Ram College, Won 3rd prize in Vivekananda College
Won consolation prize in JDMC.
- Akhil Thulsidas- Won 3rd prize in Vivekananda College organized by Pol Sc Department.
- Aman Sharma- Participated in Satyawati College (evening) Janki Devi Memorial Debate
- Jamia Milia Islamiya University St. Stephens Colleg LSR College
- Shivaji College Deshbandhu College
- Now we are going to organize our last and the most awaited event of the year SLYP '18, the Youth Parliament of Shyam Lal College (M), on 12th and 13th of April 2018. The agenda will be – 'Deliberation of the solution on Ayodhya Land dispute'

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Students Union Advisory Committee

“Kalakriti 2018” Annual Union Fest was celebrated with joy and enthusiasm. The Students Union under the expert guidance and motivation of the Principal, Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar and the Students Union Advisory Committee, Convenor Sh. V.S.Jaggi organized this Annual Fest. It was three day fest held from 20th February, 2018 to 22nd February, 2018 with number of events like Singing, Debate, Solo Dance, Group Dance, Standup Comedy, D.J. & Fashion Show and on the last day, the singer, Sh. Sandeep Brar & Shivjot Singh performed along with his orchestra team. The Chief Guest of the Annual Fest “Kalakriti-2018” was Shri J.P.Aggarwal, Ex-Member of Parliament, Delhi & Shri Yoganand Shastri, Ex-Vidhansabha Speaker, and Delhi. The Union is active on social issues and keeps informing the College community about various governmental schemes through social media.

In the end I would like to thank all members of the Governing Body, my colleagues from both teaching and non-teaching 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, Secretary Staff Council Sh. Pankaj Kumar Chaudhary, Liaison Officers Dr.Sitaram Kumbhar, Sh. Rohan Mandal and Sh. Anil Kumar Khurana and all the other Committee Convenors, President Academic Staff Association, Dr. Narendra Singh and other Office Bearers, A.O. Shri Jagat Singh Chauhan, S.O. (Admin) Shri Mahender Kumar, S.O.(Accts) Shri Atul Jain, SPA Sh. Pradeep Bisht, President Non-Academic Staff Association Mr. Rakesh Tiwari, Secretary Mr. Ajay Sharma and their team of dedicated colleagues. I also appreciate and thank the efforts of the drafting committee led by Dr. Kusha Tiwari for preparation of this report.

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Dated: 11th April, 2018

Dr. Rabi Narayan Kar
Principal