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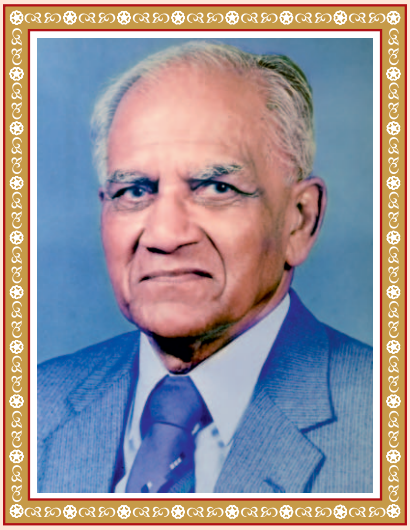

Padma Shri (Late) Shri Shyam Lal Gupta

Vision

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

Mission

To provide a supportive and secure teaching-learning environment that encourages engagement with students and other stakeholders, aiming for excellence in academics, sports, and extracurricular activities;

To develop analytical thinking while instilling strong values that prepare students to become future leaders;

To promote environment-friendly practices and formulate strategies that strengthen research and innovation in the College, thereby expanding the realm of knowledge.

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Esteemed Chief Guest, Respected Smt. Rekha Gupta Ji, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of the National Capital Territory of Delhi; Guest of Honour, Shri Manoj Tiwari Ji, Hon'ble Member of Parliament, North East Delhi; Prof. Balaram Pani Ji, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi; Shri Jitendra Mahajan, Hon'able Member of the Legislative Assembly; Mrs. Savita Gupta Ji, Chairperson, Governing Body, SLC, Members of the Governing Body, SLC; Other Distinguished Guests, dear students, colleagues and friends of Media. It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you all on the occasion of the Sashtipoorthi & 61st Annual Day and Prize Distribution Function of our College. Today, we commemorate not only the esteemed heritage and path to excellence of our college over 60 years but also acknowledge the remarkable accomplishments of our students and the dedicated contributions of our faculty and staff.

It is a special privilege to welcome Smt. Rekha Gupta Ji, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Government of the National Capital Territory of Delhi, as our Chief Guest. Smt. Rekha Gupta Ji is an accomplished Indian politician currently serving as the 9th Chief Minister of Delhi. She assumed office in February 2025, becoming the fourth woman to hold this prestigious position. Born on 19 July 1974 in Julana, Haryana, Smt. Gupta graduated from Daulat Ram College, University of Delhi. She later pursued legal studies and earned her LL.B. from IMIRC College of Law, Ghaziabad, affiliated with Chaudhary Charan Singh University, Meerut. Her political career began during her student years. She was elected President of the Delhi University Students' Union in 1996, Secretary, Delhi University Students' Union in 1995 & Secretary, Daulat Ram College, Students' Union in 1994. An active member of the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh, she began her grassroots political engagement with the Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad. Smt. Gupta has served three terms as a Councillor in Municipal corporation of Delhi. In the organizational sphere, she has held key positions in the Bharatiya Janata Party, including Secretary of Bhartiya Janta Yuva Morcha (BJYM) Delhi, General Secretary of the BJP Delhi unit and National Vice President of the BJP Mahila Morcha. In 2025, she was elected as a Member of the Delhi Legislative Assembly from the Shalimar Bagh constituency. Following her election, she was appointed Chief Minister of Delhi, a role she continues to serve with dedication and distinction. We are truly honoured by her presence here today.

We are pleased to welcome Shri Manoj Tiwari Ji, as our Guest of Honour. Shri Tiwari is a prominent Indian politician currently serving as the Member of Parliament for North East Delhi, having been elected in 2014, 2019, and 2024 as a representative of the Bharatiya Janata

Party. Born in 1971 in Kabir Chaura, Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh, and hailing from Atarwalia in Bihar's Kaimur district, he holds a Master's degree in Physical Education from Banaras Hindu University. His deep connection with the Purvanchali community, reinforced by his popular career in Bhojpuri entertainment, has contributed significantly to his political appeal and electoral success in Delhi. We are grateful for his presence today.

We are honoured to welcome Prof. Balaram Pani Ji, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi, as one of our esteemed Guests of Honour. Prof. Pani's career spans over three decades, encompassing exceptional contributions in the fields of Chemistry, Environmental Science, and university administration. His expertise, particularly in Environmental Science and Engineering Chemistry, and his commitment to academic excellence, serve as an inspiration to our academic community. We extend our heartfelt gratitude for gracing us with your presence.

It is also a matter of pride to welcome Shri Jitender Mahajan Ji, Hon'ble Member of the Legislative Assembly, as a Guest of Honour. Representing the Rohtas Nagar Assembly constituency in Shahdara district, Shri Mahajan is a three-time MLA and currently serves as the DDC Chairman. A dedicated member of the Bharatiya Janata Party, he has been a strong advocate for socio-economic upliftment through initiatives such as "Chaupal," an NGO working toward equitable information access, and "Sumangalam," focused on women empowerment. Notably, he is also an alumnus of our college, and we are deeply grateful to him for gracing this occasion with his esteemed presence.

Our heartfelt gratitude also extends to our respected Chairperson, Mrs. Savita Gupta Ji, who has been a pillar of strength and guidance. An alumna of Banaras Hindu University with a postgraduate degree in English, Mrs. Gupta is currently the Vice-Chairperson of S. Chand & Co. Ltd. She has upheld the noble vision of Padma Shri Late Shri Shyam Lal Gupta, the visionary founder of our institution. Under her astute leadership, the college has achieved unprecedented success. We are honoured by your presence today, Madam, and express our sincere gratitude for your unwavering support and valuable time.

Once again, I extend a warm welcome, on behalf of the entire college community, to all our esteemed and distinguished guests joining us for the 61st Annual Day and Prize Distribution Function of the College.

SLC IN THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2024-25

The academic session 2024-25 has been a momentous year for Shyam Lal College (SLC), marked by significant academic accomplishments, infrastructural advancements, and global recognition. Notably, this year also commemorated the *Shashti Poorthi* - the 60th year of the College's establishment, celebrating six decades of unwavering commitment to excellence in higher education. Throughout the year, the SLC community comprising faculty, students, and

non-teaching staff demonstrated exceptional dedication in fostering a learner-centric environment that emphasized innovation, inclusivity and continuous engagement.

The College achieved A++ accreditation in its second cycle of NAAC accreditation, and retained its position among the top colleges in India under the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), along with international recognition in the WURI rankings. In line with its academic expansion, SLC has proposed the introduction of new Honours courses in Computer Science, Botany, and Physics, and is actively engaged in implementing the 4th year of UGCF under NEP 2020.

Further strengthening its innovation ecosystem, the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) earned a prestigious 3-star rating from the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell. The entrepreneurial spirit of students was also evident through the initiatives undertaken under the aegis of the IIC, with several innovative student-led ventures being supported and showcased during the academic session. SLC also retained its ISO 9001 certification and continued to be recognized under the Swachhta Action Plan (SAP) by the Ministry of Education. In alignment with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the College actively contributed to curriculum reform and academic capacity-building by organizing two UGC-NEW-LOCF-based workshops in Commerce and Chemistry in collaboration with UGC. Additionally, the Sarasvati IKS Centre hosted a notable symposium focused on "Exploring and Connecting Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams and Gurukuls for the Benefit of HEIs: A Working Model as per Mandate of NEP 2020" graced by eminent academics and scholars.

As part of its contribution to the national vision of *Viksit Bharat@2047*, the College actively promoted academic reforms and skill development. SLC secured 11 major research projects funded by ICSSR, AICTE, and the Ministry of Education across various disciplines, including commerce, political science, English, physics, mathematics, computer science, chemistry, and Hindi. To further promote undergraduate research culture, four multidisciplinary research projects were sanctioned through the College's Research and Development Centre, encouraging inquiry, creativity, and innovation. Multiple faculty members were granted patents in diverse fields such as artificial intelligence, software engineering, environmental monitoring, and language technologies. Complementing these efforts, the College recorded over 100 research publications in Scopus, Web of Science, SCI, and UGC-CARE indexed journals, along with numerous authored and edited books and book chapters.

Institutional academic activities remained vibrant with the successful hosting of many major international and national conferences, national workshops, and several training programs for students and staff. A significant academic initiative this year was the organization of the National Summer School on Semiconductors by the College's Research and Development Centre, in collaboration with IIT Delhi and IUAC, New Delhi. This program was designed to

foster a hands-on, research-oriented environment aligned with the Skill India initiative and provided students with exposure to advanced concepts in semiconductor technology. The College further broadened its academic collaborations through partnerships with institutions like AICTE, ICSSR, IUAC and IIT thereby strengthening global exposure and research exchange.

SLC maintained high academic standards across disciplines and reported a commendable pass percentage, reflecting the academic rigour and the faculty's ongoing support systems. To further enrich academic engagement and skill development, a Five-Day Training Programme on Artificial Intelligence was conducted in collaboration with NIELIT under MeitY-NASSCOM's Future Skills Prime initiative. Certificate courses in Machine Learning, Digital and Social Media Marketing, and Office Automation were also offered through NIELIT. The College successfully continued the "Mastering the Stock Market" program in partnership with the BSE Institute Ltd. In addition, the College runs Add-on courses in foreign languages under the aegis of the Department of Germanic and Romance Studies and the Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi, offering Certificate and Diploma courses in German, Spanish, and French, as well as Advanced Diplomas in Chinese, Japanese, and Korean.

In a notable sustainability initiative, the College hosted the 'Plant for Mother' campaign in collaboration with the Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, as part of the Prime Minister's Plant4Mother initiative and the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, fostering environmental awareness and sustainable land management.

Infrastructurally, the College witnessed remarkable development with the construction of a Multipurpose Hall (MPH), new departmental cabins, Innovation Plaza, a Green and Open-Air Pathshala, and a state-of-the-art Smart Semiconductor Laboratory. The Pathshala has emerged as a unique pedagogical space combining traditional Indian learning with open-environment engagement. The Semiconductor Lab supports applied research and real-time experimentation in electronics and nanoscience among undergraduate students. A covered volleyball court was constructed, and amenities were upgraded through the installation of water coolers with inbuilt filtration systems and protective shelters. The Botany Laboratory was renovated; a Botany Living Laboratory was developed for hands-on botanical exploration and experimentation where students cultivate curiosity and grow knowledge through outdoor experimentation. Green carpeting was also completed across the college premises. Notably, a centralized, fully air-conditioned digital library was established, offering access to world-class databases, e-books, e-journals, and academic resources. The entire campus is now fully Wi-Fi enabled, providing seamless digital access for both students and staff.

Various institutional Centers- Sarasvati IKS Centre, Centre for Skill Development (CSD), Centre for Industry Interaction (CII), Centre for Holistic Development (CHD), Women Development Centre (WDC), E-Cell, Enactus, Innovation Council, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, Ambedkar Study Circle (ASC), and Gandhi Study Circle (GSC) actively organized lectures,

outreach initiatives, seminars, and student-focused programs throughout the year, contributing to an intellectually vibrant and socially responsive campus environment.

SLC has successfully completed all pending CAS promotions under the 2010 and 2018 regulations. Notably, four faculty members were promoted from Academic Level 10 to 11, and two Assistant Professors from the Department of History were advanced from Academic Level 11 to 12. Additionally, two Assistant Professors were promoted to the rank of Associate Professor (Academic Level 13) - one from the Department of History and other from the Department of Economics during the reporting year.

SLC is pleased to share that we are fully committed to inclusivity that shows in our newly recruited faculty strength (106 outoff 160) spreading from North to South and East to West of Bharat i.e. Assam (02), Jammu & Kashmir (02), Ladakh (01), Odisha (03), Telangana (01), Bihar (07), Maharashtra (01), Rajasthan (09), Uttar Pradesh (25), Uttrakhand (02), Haryana (12), Delhi (34), Himachal Pradesh (01), Chandigarah (01) and Madhya Pradesh (02). Further adding to the academic achievements of the College, Dr. Jitender Meena, Assistant Professor in the Department of History, was elected this year as a member of the Academic Council of the University of Delhi.

I take great pleasure in sharing that Mr. Maheshanand Pant ji retired as Senior Assistant after rendering over 38 years of dedicated service to the institution.

As we celebrate these remarkable achievements, which have infused the College with renewed energy and vision, we recognize that they are a testament to the collaborative spirit of the SLC community. Once again, we extend a warm welcome to all our Eminent and Distinguished Guests on the occasion of the 61st Annual Day and Prize Distribution Function of the College.

RESEARCH AND INNOVATION

1. International Conferences

- ***International Conference on "Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving towards Viksit Bharat@2047***

A Two-day International Conference on "Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving towards Viksit Bharat@2047" was organized by the Department of Commerce and IQAC, in collaboration with ICSSR-NRC on March 10-11, 2025 in the college. The International Conference was a testimony of intellect and knowledge sharing as it witnessed the presence of experts from academia and industry from across the world.

The Conference was graced by Prof. Sushma Yadav, former Pro Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Haryana as Chief Guest and Prof. M.S. Senam Raju, Director SOMS, IGNOU as Guest of Honor. Eminent academicians from across the globe including Prof. Kaisa Sorsa,

Turku University of Applied Sciences, and University of Turku, Finland, Prof. Munim Barai, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University College of International Management, Japan, Dr. S. P. Sharma, Chief Economist, Deputy Secretary General, PHDCCI, Dr. Harsh Thukral, Dy. Director, Economic Services & Productivity Promotion and Public Policy and Regional Development initiative, National Productivity Council, Prof. Haneet Gandhi, Dean Admission, University of Delhi, Prof. Runa Sarkar, IIM Calcutta, Ms. Swapnali Naik, Scientist D & Joint Director (Technical), NIELIT and Dr. Amna Mirza, University of Delhi made scholarly deliberations in the two-day intellectual extravaganza hosted by the College. The conference was attended by 150 faculty and students.

- ***International Conference on Ambedkar's Perspective on Dynamics of Indian Economy: A Way Towards Viksit Bharat @2047***

The Ambedkar Study Circle and IQAC, in collaboration with the Department of African Studies, University of Delhi, organized a two-day International Conference titled "Ambedkar's Perspective on Dynamics of Indian Economy: A Way Towards Viksit Bharat @2047" on April 15-16, 2024, held at the Conference Centre and Shyam Lal College. The conference aimed to explore Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's economic thought and its relevance in guiding India's development trajectory toward the goal of becoming a developed nation by 2047. The event attracted significant academic participation, with 218 registered participants and the submission of 104 research papers by scholars and academicians from across the country. The abstracts were compiled and published in a conference proceeding with an ISBN, ensuring lasting scholarly impact. The conference was inaugurated by the Hon'ble Former President of India, Shri Ram Nath Kovind, with Prof. Yogesh Singh, Vice-Chancellor of the University of Delhi, presiding over the inaugural session. Notable dignitaries in attendance included Prof. Vikas Gupta (Registrar, DU), Prof. Balaram Pani (Dean of Colleges, DU), and Sh. Prafulla Ketkar (Editor, Organizer Weekly) who was the Chief Guest of the Valedictory Session. Distinguished speakers included Prof. Munim Kumar Barai, Director, RCAPS, Ritsumeikan University, Japan; Sh. P.K. Mishra, Former DG, BSF; Prof. Badri Narayan, Director, GB Pant Institute of Social Sciences; Prof. Gajendra Singh, Head, Department of African Studies, DU; Prof. P.K. Mishra, Head, Department of Economics, Central University of Punjab; Sh. Jiten Mehra, Additional District Judge, Delhi High Court; Dr. Sudhir Hilsayan, Editor, Ambedkar Foundation and Mr. Nikhil Srivastava, Joint Controller (Revenue).

- ***International Conference on Bhartiya darshan and bhaktivavya***

हिंदी विभाग, श्यामलाल कॉलेज द्वारा 7-8 फरवरी, 2025 को आईक्यूएसी एवं भारतीय सामाजिक विज्ञान अनुसन्धान परिषद् (उत्तरी क्षेत्रीय केंद्र) के संयुक्त तत्त्वावधान में 'भारतीय दर्शन और भक्तिकाव्य' विषय पर दो दिवसीय अंतरराष्ट्रीय संगोष्ठी (हाइब्रिड मोड) का सफल आयोजन किया गया। वक्ताओं की सूची में प्रो गिरीश्वर मिश्र, प्रो. सच्चिदानंद मिश्र, प्रो. कृष्ण मणि पाठक, प्रो. अजय वर्मा, डॉ. उमेश कुमार सिंह, प्रो. सत्य नारायण (फ्लोरिडा विवि, अमेरिका), प्रो. अनिल राय, प्रो. चन्दन चौबे, डॉ. मुकेश मिश्र, प्रो. जयंत कर शर्मा,

प्रो. गोपेश्वर सिंह, प्रो. सुधा सिंह, प्रो. सर्वेश पाण्डेय, प्रो. रीतारानी पालीवाल, प्रो. सुधीर सोनी आदि का नाम शामिल है। यह संगोष्ठी उद्घाटन और समापन सत्रों के अलावा छह मुख्य सत्रों और चार समानांतर सत्रों में विभाजित थी। 70 से अधिक प्रतिभागियों ने ऑफलाइन तथा ऑनलाइन रूप से अपना शोध आलेख प्रस्तुत किया। करीब 120 प्रतिभागियों ने इस संगोष्ठी के लिए अपना निबंधन कराया।

- ***International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living***

The Department of Chemistry, under the aegis of IQAC organized a two-day International Conference on "Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living" on April 4-5 2024. The event brought together renowned academicians and researchers to deliberate on innovations in chemical sciences and their role in sustainable development. Distinguished dignitaries included Prof. S.K. Awasthi, HOD, Chemistry, University of Delhi, Prof. Toshifumi Dohi, Ritsumeikan University, Japan, Dr. Geeta, Professor and Head, BITS Campus, Prof. Anshuman Mishra, Group Leader, Translational Research & Sustainable Healthcare Management, IAAM, Sweden, Prof. Rajeev Gupta, CEO, IoE, University of Delhi, Prof. Shantanu Bhattacharya, Director, CSIR-CSIO, Prof. Nand Kishore, IIT Bombay, Prof. N. Bhojak, MGS University, Bikaner, among many others. The conference featured insightful plenary and technical sessions and witnessed active academic engagement, with a total of 76 research papers and 35 poster presentations showcasing innovative research and emerging trends in chemical sciences.

- ***National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors: Hands-on Training for Undergraduates***

The Research & Development Centre and IQAC organized the National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors from July 10-19, 2024, in collaboration with IUAC Delhi, IIT Delhi, the Research Council, University of Delhi, and Miranda House. Designed to bridge the gap between theory and practice, the workshop offered undergraduate students' hands-on exposure to semiconductor technology, in alignment with the India Semiconductor Mission. The inaugural session was graced by Prof. A.C. Pandey, Director, IUAC Delhi who served as the Chief Guest, emphasizing the importance of collaborative research in advancing scientific innovation. The keynote address by Prof. Mahesh Kumar, Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR focused on interdisciplinary research and its practical applications. Enriching academic sessions were conducted by Prof. Amarjeet Kaur, Senior Professor, Department of Physics & Astrophysics, University of Delhi; Prof. R.K. Kotnala, Scientist of Eminence, NPL-CSIR; and Prof. Supravat Karak, IIT Delhi. Participants received hands-on training at IIT Delhi, IUAC Delhi, SSPL-DRDO, and SLC labs in areas such as thin-film fabrication, solar cell development, and nanomaterial synthesis. The valedictory session was graced by Prof. Raj Kishore Sharma, Dean Research, University of Delhi, as the Chief Guest. A total of 10 undergraduate students participated in the workshop.

- ***A One-Day Symposium on Exploring and Connecting Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams and Gurukuls for the Benefit of HEIs: A Working Model as per Mandate of NEP 2020***

Sarasvati IKS Centre under IQAC in collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti organized One-Day Symposium titled "Exploring and Connecting Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams and Gurukuls for the Benefit of HEIs: A Working Model as per Mandate of NEP 2020" on 18th March 2025 under the ICSSR-sponsored project. The keynote address was delivered by Prof. Chand Kiran Saluja, Director-Academics, Sanskrit Promotion foundation. Prof. Saluja emphasized the relevance of Indian education traditions, the Gurukul system, and the integration of ancient pedagogies with NEP 2020 goals. Other eminent speakers included Prof. Prakash Joshi from the University of Allahabad and Mr. Ravi Singh Choudhary, author and researcher. A special talk was delivered by Harish Swaminathan, electronics engineer and proponent of Vedic revival. The symposium witnessed participation from 50 students and 30 faculty members. This symposium marked a significant stride toward actualizing the vision of NEP 2020 by aligning higher education with India's indigenous knowledge systems.

- ***National Seminar on 'One Nation One Election'***

The Udgam Society of B.A. Programme organized a National Seminar on 'One Nation, One Election', 19 March 2025. The Chief Guest of the seminar was Hon'ble Mr. Justice Adarsh Kumar Goel, Former Judge, Supreme Court of India, and Former Chairperson, National Green Tribunal. He elaborated on the constitutional provisions related to amendments and explained how the amendment process reflects the will of the citizens. The Keynote Speaker was Dr. Anirban Ganguly, Chairman and Trustee of the Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee Research Foundation (SPMRF), a New Delhi-based think tank affiliated with the Bharatiya Janata Party. Dr. Ganguly highlighted that until 1967, elections for the Lok Sabha and Vidhan Sabhas were conducted simultaneously, but over time, this practice changed due to various political developments. The seminar witnessed the enthusiastic participation of 120 students and 30 academicians from various institutions, making it a thought-provoking and engaging academic event.

- ***National workshop on Data Driven Decisions: Business Analytics through Power BI and R***

The Department of Commerce in collaboration with IQAC organized a three-day national workshop titled "Data Driven Decisions: Business Analytics through Power BI and R" from January 21 to 23, 2025. The workshop featured eminent resource persons including Prof. C.P. Gupta, Lal Bahadur Shastri Institute of Management, Delhi, Prof. Mohnish Kumar, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar College, University of Delhi, Prof. Prabhat Mittal, Satyawati College (Evening), University of Delhi, and Dr. Anil Goswami, Department of Commerce, Delhi School of

Economics, University of Delhi. The primary objective of the workshop was to enhance participants' understanding of the growing relevance of data analytics tools such as R, Power BI, and Tableau in academic and professional contexts. The event saw enthusiastic participation from 40 scholars and academicians representing various institutions across the Delhi-NCR region.

2. NEP Implementation Initiatives

Shyam Lal College has been at the forefront of implementing the transformative vision of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. Anchored in the principles of holistic, multidisciplinary, and outcome-oriented education, the college has actively contributed to curriculum reform and capacity-building initiatives in alignment with the UGC's New Learning Outcomes-Based Curriculum Framework (LOCF). Faculty members from SLC have participated in various UGC-led discussions, national workshops, and expert consultations aimed at the effective nationwide rollout of the New LOCF.

To further this commitment, two focused UGC New Learning Outcomes-Based Curriculum Framework (LOCF) workshops were organized during the academic session 2024-25 in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and the Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education.

- ***National-Level Workshop on UGC New LOCF for Commerce (17-18 January 2025):***

This workshop was attended by prominent members of the UGC LOCF Committee, including Vice Chancellors, senior professors from leading institutions, and representatives from industry and policy think tanks. Deliberations focused on developing a flexible, inclusive, and forward-looking curriculum structure in line with the principles of NEP 2020. Key participants included Prof. Kshiti Bhushan Das, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jharkhand; Prof. Alok Kumar Chakrawal, Vice Chancellor, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh; Prof. A. R. Tripathi, Dean, Commerce, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi; Prof. Ajay Kumar Singh, Department of Commerce, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi; Prof. G. Soral, Udaipur, Rajasthan; Prof. Anil Kumar Swain, Bhubaneswar, Odisha; Prof. Naval Kishor, IGNOU; Prof. Hrishikesh Soman, Retd. Principal, Symbiosis College of Arts and Commerce, Pune; Dr. Yugank Goyal, FLAME University, IKS Expert nominated by IKS Division, Ministry of Education; Dr. SP Sharma, PHDCCI and Mrs. Swapnali Naik, Scientist D/ Joint Director, NIELET, Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, Government of India

- ***National Workshop on UGC New LOCF for Chemistry (6-7 February 2025)***

This workshop brought together leading academicians and experts in Indian Knowledge Systems to re-envision the undergraduate Chemistry curriculum in accordance with the NEP's emphasis on interdisciplinarity, research orientation, and cultural rootedness. The workshop

was graced by eminent academicians and members of the UGC Chemistry LOCF Committee such as Prof. Gurmeet Singh, Former Vice Chancellor, Pondicherry University; Prof. Raj Kishor Sharma, Department of Chemistry, University of Delhi; Prof. Gajanan Pandey, Department of Chemistry, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University; Prof. Alka Sharma, Department of Chemistry, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur; Prof. Pawan Sharma, Central University of Haryana; Dr. Ruby Mishra, IKS Expert and Prof. V. Ramanathan, IKS Expert.

3. Visit of Dignitaries

It is a matter of great pride that Prof. Sushma Yadav, Chairperson, LOCF Committee UGC; Prof. Manish R. Joshi, UGC Secretary, New Delhi; Prof. Kaisa Sorsa, Turku University of Applied Sciences, and University of Turku, Finland; Prof. Munim Barai, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University College of International Management, Japan; Prof. Toshifumi Dohi, Professor, Ritsumeikan University, Shiga, Japan; Prof. D. S. Rawat, Vice Chancellor, Kumaun University; Prof. Kshiti Bhushan Das, Vice Chancellor, Central University of Jharkhand; Prof. Alok Kumar Chakrawal, Vice Chancellor, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh; Prof. Gurmeet Singh, Former Vice Chancellor, Pondicherry University ; Prof. Anshuman Mishra, Group Leader, Translational Research & Sustainable Healthcare Management, IAAM, Sweden; Prof. R.P. Tulsian, Chairman, Committee of Financial Literacy, University of Delhi; Prof. Chand Kiran Saluja, Director-Academics, Sanskrit Promotion foundation; Prof. A. R. Tripathi, Dean, Commerce, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi; Prof. Ajay Kumar Singh, Department of Commerce, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi; Prof. G. Soral, Udaipur, Rajasthan; Prof. Anil Kumar Swain, Bhubaneswar, Odisha; Prof. Naval Kishor, IGNOU; Prof. C.P. Gupta, Professor of Practice, Lal Bahadur Shastri Institute of Management, Delhi; Prof. Gajanan Pandey, Department of Chemistry, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University; Prof. Alka Sharma, Department of Chemistry, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur; Prof. Pawan Sharma, Central University of Haryana; Prof. M.S. Senam Raju, Director SOMS, IGNOU; Dr. Geeta, Professor and Head, BITS Campus; Prof. Prakash Joshi, University of Allahabad; Prof. Haneet Gandhi, Dean Admission, University of Delhi; Prof. Runa Sarkar, IIM Calcutta; Prof. Rita Rani Paliwa, Former Professor, IGNOU; Prof. Ajay Verma, JNU; Prof. Sudhir Soni, State Nodel Officer (Media), Election Department, Rajasthan Secretariat, Jaipur; Prof. S.K. Awasthi, Head of the Department of Chemistry, University of Delhi; Prof. Shantanu Bhattacharya, Director CSIR-CSIO, Prof. Harsha Kharakwal, Director, AIP and P, Amity University, Prof. Rajeev Gupta ,CEO, Institute of Eminence, Delhi University; Prof. Raj Kishore Sharma, Dean, Research (Physical Sciences & Mathematical Sciences); Prof. Deepak Pant, Professor, Head & Dean, Central University, Himachal Pradesh; Dr. C.S. Preeti Grover, Regional Council Member, NIRC of ICSI; Dr. S. P. Sharma, Chief Economist, Deputy Secretary General, PHDCCI; Dr. Harsh Thukral, Dy. Director, Economic Services & Productivity Promotion and Public Policy and Regional Development initiative, National Productivity Council and Dr. Ravinder Kaur, Principal Scientist, IARI, Delhi contributed in the academic deliberation during the year 2024-25.

FLAGSHIP PROGRAMMES

➢ *Sarasvati IKS Centre*

The Sarasvati IKS Centre at Shyam Lal College, organized a diverse array of intellectual and cultural events, underscoring its commitment to preserving and promoting Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS). From insightful seminars on Vedic literature and cultural heritage to vibrant celebrations of linguistic diversity, the Centre provided a dynamic platform for dialogue, curiosity, and cultural appreciation. A significant milestone was the publication of the book *Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions,* a culmination of the AICTE project 'Bharatiya Gyan Samvahan Karyakram 2022'. The Centre, in collaboration with IQAC and the Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, organized the Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav, graced by Prof. Manish R. Joshi, Secretary, UGC, as the Chief Guest. Additional initiatives included a National Symposium, a book fair, and multiple engaging events such as talks, quizzes, and discussion forums conducted through *Vimarsh* (The Reading Club) under the aegis of the Sarasvati IKS Centre. These activities, attended by students, faculty, and dignitaries, reflected the college's sustained efforts in advancing Indian Knowledge Systems.

➢ *Unnat Bharat Abhiyan*

Shyam Lal College is actively participating in the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA), a flagship initiative of the Ministry of Education, aimed at fostering rural development through institutional collaboration. The college has adopted five villages-Dhitora, Nithora, Chirodi, Jawli, and Kotwalpur and conducted comprehensive surveys to assess local needs. As part of its outreach, the UBA team, in collaboration with the Eco-Club, organized a village visit to Jawli on September 4, 2024, where students engaged with local school children on organic farming and sustainable practices, followed by a plantation drive and environmental sampling. On January 28, 2025, a group of 20 students also visited the Doordarshan office to gain insights into media's role in rural awareness. Additionally, the UBA team proudly participated in Republic Day Gram Sabha events in the adopted villages. The UBA Cell also secured a project under the Regional Centre IIT Delhi titled "Promoting Organic Farming in India: Government Schemes and Certification Strategies," further strengthening its commitment to rural upliftment.

➢ *University Chef & Skill India*

SLC takes pride in being the torchbearer of a unique initiative called the '*University Chef*' program, aligned with the Government's '*Skill India*' initiative. This pioneering endeavour aims to foster creativity and precise thinking among students. Conceived by Principal Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, the inter-college event encourages participants with all necessary support. It brings together passionate participants from various universities to compete in culinary challenges, showcasing and honing their cooking skills for the coveted title of the best chef.

The 8th edition of the event was held on 20-21 March 2025, drawing 17 teams from various colleges and institutions across Delhi NCR.This year's focus was on Bharatiya foods and millets, promoting traditional Indian ingredients and sustainable culinary practices. Esteemed jury members Chef Mukesh Kumar (Executive Chef, Hotel The Ashok), Chef Veeta Singh (DGM, Hotel The Ashok), Chef Amit Ghotwal (Executive Chef, Rashtrapati Bhavan), and Mr. Rajneesh Gyani (YouTuber) evaluated the entries based on presentation, taste, and innovation.

The first position was attained by Aakash Gogia and Mohd. Alib Khan (Team Basundi) from Vedatya Institute. The runners-up were Shubham Kumar and Ayush Bhardawaj (Team Sel Roti) from Shyam Lal College (Evening) and DU SOL, while the second runners-up were Shashank Prajapati and S. Muhul (Team Balushahi) from Delhi Institute of Hotel Management & Catering Technology.

Special thanks to media partners TV9 and Doordarshan for their enthusiastic coverage of this flagship event, which continues to be one of the most awaited culinary competitions across universities in India.

- ***Yuvaspandana***

The Centre for Skill Development, in collaboration with the Entrepreneurship Cell of the SLC organized "Yuvaspandana'25: National Skill Development and Startup Fair" on March 27-28, 2025. This vibrant two-day event provided a dynamic platform for students to exhibit their creativity, entrepreneurial acumen, and skill-based learning through a range of engaging competitions and activities. A key attraction was the Skill Expo, which featured innovative student-led startups, skill demonstrations, and creative installations from colleges across Delhi University and select high schools.

- ***Institution's Innovation Council***

The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) at Shyam Lal College, established under the Ministry of Education's Innovation Cell in 2018, is dedicated to fostering innovation and entrepreneurial thinking among students. The Council organizes workshops, mentoring sessions, and idea competitions to inspire creativity and support students in developing their startups and business ideas. In recognition of its efforts, IIC, Shyam Lal College has been awarded a prestigious 3-star rating by AICTE. During 2024-25, several students brought laurels to the college through their outstanding achievements. Tanishq Sehgal (B.Com (H), 3rd year) demonstrated remarkable debating and business skills, reaching the national level at bootcamps hosted by IIT Bombay and IIM Bangalore. Khushal Gupta (B.Com (H), 3rd year) served as HR Manager at EyeConic and actively contributed to Delhi University's Literature Fest. Rahul Sharma (B.Sc (H) Maths, 3rd year) emerged victorious in competitions held at premier institutes like BITS Pilani and IIT BHU. Abhishek (B.Sc Phy Sc. (Chem), 2nd year)

successfully coordinated events at IITs, won prizes in E-Canvas and Agno 24, completed a UI/UX internship, and participated in an AI bootcamp at NIELIT Delhi. Notably, students have also initiated their own entrepreneurial ventures, including a packaged drinking water factory and a business plan for a bakery shop named "*Marffil*". The Council continues to empower students, encouraging them to innovate, lead, and build a strong foundation for future entrepreneurial success.

➢ *Research and Development Centre*

SLC has established a Research and Development Centre (RDC) with the mandate for promoting quality research that contributes meaningfully towards the goal of a self-reliant India ("*Atma-Nirbhar Bharat*"), aligned with the provisions of NEP-2020. RDC aims to create a conducive environment in the college for high quality, impactful and sustained research output. For this purpose, the RDC is promoting research activities to encourage faculty members and students to engage in research projects, arranging workshops to enhance research skills, disseminate knowledge and facilitate collaboration among researchers, promoting inter discipline research developing collaboration across industry, government, community- based organizations, and agencies at the local, national, and international levels and facilitate greater access to research through mobilization of resources and funding. Accordingly, this year four multidisciplinary projects have been sanctioned to faculties and students.

➢ *Standard Club (BIS)*

The Standard Club of Shyam Lal College, in collaboration with the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), celebrated World Standards Day 2024 through a day-long Quality Connect Programme. The event aimed to promote awareness about the importance of international and national standards in everyday life. The programme commenced with the Youth to Youth Connect Campaign, setting the tone for a series of engaging competitions including poster making, quiz, and standard writing, all centred around the theme of helmet safety. These activities were designed to encourage student participation and instil an understanding of the role of standards in ensuring safety and quality. Students had the enriching opportunity to interact with BIS officials, Mr. Ritu Raj (Scientist E & Director, BIS Delhi Branch Office-II) and Mr. Sushil Jaisinghani (Scientist B), who delivered insightful presentations on BIS functions, the standardization process, certification marks, and the utility of the BIS Care app. A powerful Nukkad Natak performance by the college's street play society, AAKROSH, added a creative dimension to the event, highlighting how standards contribute to public safety and consumer rights. The programme concluded with a prize distribution ceremony and cultural performances, successfully cultivating greater appreciation for quality standards among students.

BEST PRACTICES

1. SAP (Swachhta Action Plan)

Under the guidance of the Ministry of Education (MoE), SLC achieved a major milestone in 2020 by being recognized as a Swachhta Action Plan (SAP) institution. As part of this initiative, SLC is actively engaged in key swachhta efforts, including sanitation and hygiene, waste management, water and energy conservation, and promoting greenery. To ensure the successful implementation of these objectives, the College has formed dedicated committees responsible for developing strategic plans that advance these goals for the benefit of the institution and its stakeholders.

2. Adoption of Villages

SLC actively participates in the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) and has taken on the responsibility of supporting the development of five villages in Uttar Pradesh: Dhitora (Baghpat), and Nithora, Chirodi, Jawli, and Kotwalpur (all in Ghaziabad). As part of this initiative, the UBA team has conducted detailed surveys and engaged in meaningful dialogue with villagers, village Pradhans, panchayat samities, and other key stakeholders. These interactions, combined with extensive data collection and village visits, have helped identify critical areas for intervention. Building on this foundation, the SLC team has designed and implemented awareness campaigns focused on financial literacy, computer training, government financial schemes, insurance plans, and health coverage. Additionally, workshops have been held to promote sanitation, water conservation, waste management, and the reduction of polythene usage. Practical measures, such as distributing cloth bags, have also been introduced to encourage sustainable waste management practices within these communities.

3. Powered by Renewable Energy

The College's solar power plant is currently operating at full capacity, meeting 50% of our peak energy demand. This achievement stems from a collaboration with IPGCL, Government of NCT of Delhi, which fully funded the installation of the solar panels. Since becoming fully operational, the plant has contributed significantly to reductions in both power consumption and financial expenditure. In addition, the College actively promotes energy conservation through regular initiatives such as switch-off drives.

4. East Delhi Flower Show

Shyam Lal College successfully hosted its flagship event, "Umang-East Delhi Flower Show 7.0", on February 24-25, 2025. The Garden Committee, in collaboration with the Eco-Club, Botany Department, and IQAC, meticulously curated an impressive display of over 150 varieties of flowers, succulents, palms, foliage plants, and herbs, with a special emphasis on Tulips and

handlooms. The event featured an array of inter-college competitions, expertly blending aesthetics with sustainability. These competitions, including easy competition, pot painting, handloom and heritage showcase, On-spot photography, and Rangoli competition, aimed to inspire students to incorporate sustainable practices into their daily lives. Local nurseries participated, showcasing their diverse plant varieties, while shops selling handloom items and eco-friendly Gulal presented their products. The event was inaugurated by Prof. Tulsian as the Chief Guest, who applauded the college's efforts towards sustainability. The event witnessed an impressive footfall of nearly 500 people, including enthusiastic students, faculty members, and local residents who were invited to appreciate the beauty of the flower show. The overwhelming participation of 150 students reinforced SLC's commitment to sustainability and its efforts to create an environmentally conscious community.

5. Skill Based Courses

The Centre for Skill Development at Shyam Lal College continues to play a vital role in equipping students with industry-relevant skills through innovative and career-oriented programs. A key highlight is the collaboration with the National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology (NIELIT), an autonomous scientific society under the Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology (MeitY), Government of India. Under this strategic MoU, the College offers a robust suite of technology-focused courses, which include:

- Certificate Course in Digital and Social Media Marketing
- Certificate Course in Office Automation
- Certificate Course in Machine Learning
- Training Program on Artificial Intelligence under the Future Skills Prime initiative of MeitY-NASSCOM.

These programs are designed to empower students with emerging digital competencies, preparing them for the evolving demands of the knowledge economy.

Alongside its technological offerings, the College has been successfully running Add-on Certificate and Diploma courses in foreign languages since 2018, under the aegis of the Department of Germanic and Romanic Studies and the Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi. These include:

- Certificate Course in German / Spanish / French
- Diploma in German / Spanish / French
- Advanced Diploma in Chinese / Japanese / Korean

Furthermore, the College also offers a Certificate Course in Stock Trading titled "Mastering the Stock Market", in collaboration with the BSE Institute Ltd.

These diverse and dynamic programs reflect SLC's commitment to holistic, skill-based education aligned with national initiatives such as Skill India and Digital India.

6. Green Initiatives

Environmental conservation has long been a central focus at Shyam Lal College (SLC), which is now widely recognized for its green ambience and vibrant floral displays. Students and faculty members work collaboratively to cultivate, maintain, and enhance the college's eco-friendly environment.

Key initiatives include:

- Introduction of a Green and Open-Air Pathshala to promote learning in a natural setting.
- Establishment of the Botany Living Laboratory as an interactive outdoor environment for experiential learning and botanical research.
- Upgradation of the Botany Laboratory to align with evolving curriculum and research needs.
- A lush campus featuring four curated lawns, 1 Garden, 2 lush green grounds, 2 nurseries, 1 polyhouse, 3 herbal gardens, 2 rose gardens, 1 catus garden, 1 Kitchen Garden and 700 plus trees.
- Regular plantation and maintenance drives, both within the campus and in surrounding areas.
- A tobacco-free and smoke-free campus, with a firm stance against the use of crackers and plastic bags.
- Regular tree plantation drives aimed at improving air quality and promote environmental awareness.
- On-site compost pits for recycling garden waste, supporting organic gardening practices.
- Encouragement of battery-powered vehicles and energy-saving behaviour among the campus community.
- Strict prohibition on burning garden waste to reduce air pollution.
- E-waste is managed in accordance with official guidelines, with authorized recyclers ensuring environmentally responsible disposal.
- Installation of filtered water coolers across the campus to ensure access to clean drinking water.
- Development of pedestrian-friendly pathways to reduce vehicular movement.

- Installation of a solar power plant that meets 50% of the College's peak energy demands, promoting renewable energy usage.
- Ongoing efforts toward carbon neutrality through extensive green spaces and tree cover.
- Three LED screens have been installed to display notices and announcements, significantly reducing paper usage.
- The entire campus lighting system has been upgraded to energy-efficient LED lights.
- The Garden Committee promotes the use of in-house compost and natural materials for plant growth and landscaping.
- A fully operational Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) with a capacity of 75,000 litres has been installed; treated water is reused for gardening and landscaping, and additional manure is produced for campus gardens.

Through these sustained efforts, SLC continues to champion a greener, cleaner, and more sustainable future.

7. Rain Water Harvesting

Shyam Lal College remains committed to sustainable water management through the implementation of three rainwater harvesting systems strategically integrated across the campus. By capturing and recharging rainwater from rooftops and open spaces, these systems significantly contribute to groundwater replenishment and reflect the institution's dedication to environmental stewardship.

8. Recycling Papers

SLC remains deeply committed to the conservation of natural resources and actively fosters a culture of respect for the environment. In collaboration with the NGO Jaagruti, the College has been engaged in recycling waste paper, receiving numerous reams of recycled paper throughout the year in return for its efforts.

9. Assessment and Feedback

The College has successfully established a structured feedback system designed to address student concerns in a timely and efficient manner. To date, we have completed five cycles of collecting detailed feedback from students, focusing on academic performance, infrastructure, and facilities, and have taken appropriate actions to resolve identified issues. Furthermore, the IQAC regularly gathers feedback on the curriculum from a range of stakeholders. Based on this feedback, an action report is prepared and reviewed with the relevant departments to ensure continuous improvement.

10. Counselling Services

The Head of the institution maintains regular communication with students, both through virtual and in-person platforms, to address any concerns related to uncertainties during the academic session. Professional counselling services, provided by qualified counsellors and doctors, are readily available to support students dealing with anxiety and other challenges. The Women's Development Cell (WDC) organizes regular counselling sessions to further assist students. Upholding an open-door policy, the Principal remains accessible to students during office hours. In addition, a robust mentoring system ensures that faculty members frequently meet with their mentees to address both academic and personal concerns.

11. Opportunities for Under-Privileged Children in Vicinity

SLC is dedicated to promoting sports and games in the trans-Yamuna region of Delhi by providing state-of-the-art coaching facilities and opportunities for young, talented athletes. The College aims to create a cutting-edge platform where individuals can hone their skills, receive expert training, and progress to excel at both national and international levels. As part of a new initiative, SLC offers free, regular coaching to deserving students from nearby schools, with a focus on promoting indigenous games and increasing awareness of the varied career opportunities within India's sporting landscape.

12. Digital Practices

The College has fully embraced digital practices across all administrative and student-related functions. In collaboration with various departments, the IQAC organizes virtual lectures, talks, and interviews with eminent personalities from around the world. Additionally, the College encourages faculty members to record their lectures using the Screencast-O-Matic v2.0 software, ensuring that students have access to these resources for future reference and learning.

Taking digitalization a step further, the College has integrated students' ID cards into Single Sign-On (SSO) cards, which serve multiple functions:

- ***Library Access:*** Students can use their SSO cards to issue books, eliminating the need for a separate library card.
- ***Security:*** The SSO card enhances security by streamlining entry during special events such as student elections, college fests, and annual functions, ensuring smooth and secure campus operations.
- ***Bill Payments:*** The College is exploring the development of a digital wallet linked to students' accounts, allowing for seamless payment of various campus bills and improving the overall student experience.

The administration stays digitally connected with the non-teaching staff throughout office hours. Routine tasks are assigned and monitored through a shared Google worksheet, ensuring effective communication and task management. For teaching staff, a real-time LED display in the staff room keeps them updated with the latest timetables and important notices.

13. Inclusive Education and Development

The practice of Inclusive Education and Development continues to be a cornerstone of the College's efforts for student welfare. Situated strategically, the College provides students from NCR, North-East Delhi, and surrounding areas with invaluable access to a premier institution of Delhi University. Further, every year, students from Jammu and Kashmir have been admitted under PMSSS Scheme. In alignment with the College's vision, it offers value-based education while also ensuring students are equipped with the professionalism needed for success in the industry and the competitive job market. Remedial classes, department-specific workshops, the Placement Cell, and the Skill Development Cell, along with industry interactions facilitated by CII, provide students with substantial exposure to the professional world, preparing them for future challenges.

14. Community Outreach Programme

SLC is actively sensitive to its institutional social responsibility and promotes institution neighborhood-community initiative and outreach programs through its various activities that broadly fall under NCC/NSS/WDC. SLC is surrounded by many underdevelopments, overpopulated and minority community localities, and so becomes the sole facilitator, in the area, of achieving academic excellence for students belonging to economically backward classes and minority communities. The following are the community outreach step that college facilitates:

- The College has NCC, NSS, Woman Development Centre, Research & Development Cell, Centre for Holistic Development, Centre for Industry Interaction and Skill Development, Ambedkar Study Circle, Gandhi Study Circle etc, which organize events dedicated towards community service like blood donation camp, tree plantation drive, gender sensitization, identity disclosure, more education etc. to enhance the sense of community feeling and citizenship among the students.
- SLC has also adopted Shahdara mandi and regularly conducts cleanliness drives, switch over to cashless trading and plastic free campaigns.
- The College promotes sports and games in the trans-Yamuna region of Delhi by providing opportunities and best coaching facilities to the young and talented players from low-income groups or underprivileged sections of society.
- The College has conducted various surveys in the past, including the survey as part of the project 'Old Age Homes in Delhi - Understanding the Challenges Faced by Them and

Their Contribution to the Society'. The primary objective of this project is to have a closer view at the old age homes functioning in Delhi in order to assess the problems and challenges that these institutions are facing.

- NSS volunteers of the College visit slum areas and spread awareness about cleanliness in collaboration with NGOs and distribute cloth during winter. The tree plantation activities organized by the College are aimed at improving the air quality in and around the College, as well as for creating awareness about protection of the environment.
- WDC regularly organize s activities to sensitize the students and staff to gender related issues and to promote respect for human beings irrespective of race, religion, color or gender.
- The Women's Development Centre (WDC) organized a talk on "Women and Environmental Issues" by Prof. Neera Agnimitra, Chairperson, International Relations, University of Delhi, on May 2, 2024, highlighting the disproportionate impact of environmental degradation on marginalized communities and the need for individual responsibility in addressing ecological concerns.
- The College participates in all national initiatives aimed at promoting good citizenship such as cleanliness drive, skill and entrepreneurship development initiatives, "Make in India" campaign, etc.
- The College has set up a Centre for Skill Development following the launch of this programme by the Union Government.
- SLC has adopted 5 villages under the UBA project under MoE, GoI.
- The NSS Unit of Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, organized two impactful events The "Har Ghar Tiranga Rally" and "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam", Plantation Drive on August 13th and 14th to celebrate Independence Day with a spirit of patriotism and environmental consciousness.
- NSS Unit of Shyam Lal College launched a Cleanliness Drive under the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Special Campaign 2.0 and Swachhata Hi Seva (SHS) Campaign on October 1st, 2024, initiating a month-long effort to promote hygiene and environmental responsibility.
- NSS Unit of Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, organized a Wall Painting Activity at Shashiraj Old Age Home, Karkardooma, Delhi on 1st March 2025, the initiative aimed to create a warm and uplifting atmosphere for the elderly residents through the power of art and creativity.
- The College also provides fee concession, financial aid, book aid, awards and prizes to students from underprivileged sections of society.

INFRASTRUCTURE

- Construction of new departmental cabins/research rooms for faculty on the second floor of the main building of the college.
- Construction of a new covered volleyball court in the sports ground to facilitate student activities.
- Installation of shelters for all water coolers across the college premises, along with the fixing of inbuilt filtered water coolers.
- Construction of a new meeting room/multipurpose room adjacent to the central stage area of the college.
- Completion of green grass carpeting work on the college grounds.
- Establishment of a Green and Open-Air Pathshala for eco-friendly learning.
- Smart Semiconductor Laboratory has been set up to facilitate computational and experimental research work.
- Development of the Botany Living Laboratory as an immersive outdoor space for hands-on botanical exploration and experimentation.
- Renovation of the Botany Laboratory.
- Completion of repair and renovation work throughout the college premises.

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION RESULTS & SCHOLARSHIP

Annual Result : 2023 - 24

S.No.	Course	No. of Students	Appeared	Passed	% Result
1	English (H) I	54	49	49	100.00
2	English (H) II	54	52	51	98.08
3	English (H) III	44	43	43	100.00
4	Hindi (H) I	47	43	42	97.67
5	Hindi (H) II	30	28	27	96.43
6	Hindi (H) III	52	52	50	96.15
7	Economics (H) I	58	53	53	100.00
8	Economics (H) II	45	44	43	97.73
9	Economics (H) III	29	29	29	100.00
10	History (H) I	61	60	60	100.00

11	History (H) II	56	55	55	100.00
12	History (H) III	53	53	52	98.11
13	Pol. Science (H) I	68	64	64	100.00
14	Pol. Science (H) II	63	63	63	100.00
15	Pol. Science (H) III	66	65	65	100.00
16	B.A. (Prog.) I	202	186	180	96.77
17	B.A. (Prog.) II	201	193	188	97.41
18	B.A. (Prog.) III	235	231	229	99.13
19	B.Com. (Prog.) I	198	186	181	97.31
20	B.Com. (Prog.) II	188	187	182	97.33
21	B.Com. (Prog.) III	134	134	129	96.27
22	B.Com. (H) I	226	218	212	97.25
23	B.Com. (H) II	214	210	204	97.14
24	B.Com. (H) III	135	135	130	96.30
25	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) I CH	107	99	96	96.97
26	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) II CH	61	59	59	100.00
27	B.Sc (Phy. Sci) III CH	59	59	55	93.22
28	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) I CS	60	57	54	94.74
29	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) II CS	42	40	38	95.00
30	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) III CS	48	47	47	100.00
31	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) I EL	56	50	50	100.00
32	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) II EL	17	17	16	94.12
33	B.Sc. (Phy. Sci.) III EL	11	11	10	90.91
34	M.A. (Previous) Hindi	6	6	6	100.00
35	M.A. (Final) Hindi	4	4	3	75.00
36	B.Sc. (H) Chemistry I	26	22	22	100.00
37	B.Sc. (H) Chemistry II	21	21	21	100.00
38	B.Sc. (H) Chemistry III	12	12	12	100.00
39	B.Sc. (H) Maths I	47	44	43	97.73
40	B.Sc. (H) Maths II	33	33	32	96.97
41	B.Sc. (H) Maths III	42	41	35	85.37
	Total	**3165**	**3055**	**2980**	**97.55**

Year	First Position	Second Position	Third Position
B.A. (Prog.) Economics – OMSP			
I Year	Dinesh Chawla	Prem mandal	Chandan
II Year	Shikhar Panthari	Nishchay Gupta	Zishan
III Year	Akshara Bhardwaj	Akanksha Srivastava	Karuna
Overall	Akshara Bhardwaj	Karuna	Sakshi Singh
B.A. (Prog.) Economics - Political Science			
I Year	Ayush Ranjan	Bhumika Puri	Shashwat Ojha
II Year	Kalash Asati	Surbhi Vajpayee	Abhijeet Raj
III Year	Chandan Bala Jain	Rohan Panjiyar	Jai Maheshwari
Overall	Chandan Bala Jain	Jai Maheshwari	Rohan Panjiyar
B.A. (Prog.) English - Political Science			
I Year	Pratishtha	Anshika	Aditi Singh
II Year	Rashmi	Khushi	Suhana Malik
III Year	Aryan Goel	Gagandeep Kaur	Rahul Joshi
Overall	Gagandeep Kaur	Kritika Sharma Nikita Ambavat	Rahul Joshi
B.A. (Prog.) English - Economics			
I Year	Tanya Chauhan Aditi Kalra	Vanshika Sharma	Anusha Gupta
II Year	Ritik Chouhan	Mandeep	Ayush Adhikari
III Year	Deepa	Arhama Khan	Annie Ibrahim
Overall	Deepa	Arhama Khan	Tanya Suryavanshi
B.A. (Prog.) Hindi - History			
I Year	Muskan Savita Shani Kumar	Anushka Kushwaha Harsh Singh	Anushka
II Year	Asmit Kumar	Mantu Kumar	Kashyap Verma
B.A. (Prog.) History - Political Science			
I Year	Eshika Singh	Aayra Tiwari	Karanam Girija Reddy
II Year	Sonu Kumar	Sukanya Vishwakarma	Ambika Yadav Suhani Tyagi
III Year	Muskan Singh Roshani Kumari	Poonam	Neeraj Gupta Piyush Mishra
Overall	Muskan Singh	Piyush Mishra	Neeraj Gupta Muskan

B. Com			
I Year	Harsh Kumar	Hemant Kumar Parul	Rohit Prajapati
II Year	Anushka Singh	Shrishti Aggarwal	Navya Bansal
III Year	Ishrat	Deepanshu Sharma	Tanmay Kwatra
Overall	Ishrat	Deepanshu Sharma	Isha Saxena
B. Com (Hons.)			
I Year	Vrinda Thakur	Yashica Bandral	Krrishpreet Singh Kalsi
II Year	Tanishq Gupta	Durlabh Singhal	Khushal Gupta
III Year	Akansha Gusain	Pakhi Goel	Anuj Pandey
Overall	Akansha Gusain	Anuj Pandey	Garv Wadhwa
B. Sc. (H) Chemistry			
I Year	Swati Kumar	Diya Jain Priyanka Patel	Bhagritee
II Year	Parshvi Jain	Anuradha Sharma	Himanshu Kumar Patel
III Year	Abhinav	Prachi	Vishakha Meena
Overall	Abhinav	Prachi	Tushar
B. Sc. (H) Maths			
I Year	Swapil Singh	Dikshit	Abinash Das Vinit Kumar Singh
II Year	Abhishek Kumar Kesari	Sahil Kumar Giri	Neha
III Year	Deeksha Sharma Sachin Kumar	G Sangeetha Miranshi Gulati	Prashant Saini
Overall	Deeksha Sharma	Sachin Kumar	Miranshi Gulati
B. Sc. (Phy. Sc.) Chemistry			
I Year	Harsh Tiwari	Abhishek	Harshita Nitesh Kumar
II Year	Aarchi	Mantasha Hasan	Bhaskar Gupta Divyanshu
III Year	Anamika	Khushboo Gupta	Nitika
Overall	Anamika	Khushboo Gupta	Nitika

B. Sc. (Phy. Sc.) Computer Science			
I Year	Tanya	Ayush Prakash Raj Tripathi	Shreya Vishal Pal
II Year	Bhavini Mohril	Arun Kumar	Amit Yadav
III Year	Harsh	Dhruv Chokkar	Sachin Bhatt Sameer Singh Chauhan
Overall	Harsh	Ayushi Sharma	Soni
B. Sc. (Phy. Sc.) Electronics			
I Year	Pratiksha Sharma	Abhishek Kumar Yadav	Nikhil Varshney
II Year	Aditi Singh	Manas Kandwal Chetan Sharma	Priyanshu Kumar
III Year	Sanjay Kumar Gupta	Aman Jha	Shivam Kumar
Overall	Sanjay Kumar Gupta	Aman Jha	Yash Baliyan
B.A. (H) English			
I Year	Priyam Sharma	Akanksha	Anand Abhinav
II Year	Disha	Aditi Panwar	Supriya Jiya
III Year	Ananya Das	Mayank Mohan	Komal Pandey Geetanjali Gosain Nandini Sharma Sanjana Chauhan
Overall	Komal Pandey	Priya Pal Shruti Mangla	Mayank Mohan
B.A. (H) Hindi			
I Year	Karishma Vishesh Singh	Shamim	Shivam
II Year	Priyanshi Singh	Srishti Chauhan	Sunny
III Year	Pavan Kumar	Doli Shintu	Anamika Sharma Anjali Singh Ganesh Kumar
Overall	Anjali Singh	Pavan Kumar	Shintu

B.A. (H) History			
I Year	Shashank Mishra	Khushank Varshney	Khushi Kushwaha Ritika Goyal
II Year	Zia	Mohd. Ali Ananthan S	Anurag Rai
III Year	Ruchi Kumari	Akhand Pratap Siingh Ankit Kumar Ayush Mishra	Kanika Dhalyan
Overall	Ruchi Kumari	Kanika Dhalyan	Akhand Pratap Siingh
B.A. (H) Economics			
I Year	Prabhal Partap Singh	Adarsh Patel	Naman Jain
II Year	Aryaman Tayal	Dhananjay Singh Bhadoria	Karan Singh Adhikari
III Year	Manshi Dabas	Diya Jain	Richa Agarwal
Overall	Richa Agarwal	Diya Jain	Jatin Dwivedi
B.A. (H) Political Science			
I Year	Somya Goel	Preeti Yadav	Sania Meher
II Year	Neha Swabnam	Ayush Mishra	Saniya Ahmed Khan
III Year	Musharraf Bashir Sandesh Yadav Rishika Sinha Pranav Bhardwaj Shradha Pandey	Priyanka Khushi Kajal Pathak Nikita Jayendra Raj Satyaprakash Diya Rani Das	Mehak Manzoor Kamakshi Sharma Radha Sharma Manish Kumar Mahto Ashish Ranjan Hardik Parashar Sejal Madhumita Keshav Kumar Divyanshi Kanyal
Overall	Shradha Pandey	Rishika Sinha	Mehak Manzoor
M.A. (Hindi)			
Previous	Ashiya Bano	Ruchi Kumar Vivek Chauhan	Rahis Raja
Final	Ravi Garg	Anil	Bhupender Singh
Overall	Ravi Garg	Anil	Bhupender Singh

Once again, this year, our students have performed exceptionally well and maximum number of students qualified with first divisions in the examinations. Out of 3055 students who appeared in the academic year 2023-24, 2980 passed giving a pass percentage of 97.55%. An important aspect worth highlighting here is the result of 1st year students; 1137 of the 1216 students passed, giving 93.5% success rate, 2nd year students; 1006 of the 1029 students passed, giving 97.76% success rate and 3rd year students; 912 of the 920 students passed, giving a 99.1% success rate.

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. I thank and congratulate the teachers for the performance of the students.

During the Academic Year 2023-24, the following number of students availed the under mentioned scholarships.

S.No.	Name of Scholarship	Number of Students
1	PMSSS	56
2	National Scholarship	38
3	Inspire Scholarship	2
4	e-District	17
5	Other State	2
6	PH. Student (Full fee waive off)	26
7	Fee Concession & Book-Aid	156
8	Staff Ward Quota	11
9	Sports	85
10	Fee Conssion	1797
11	Scholarships (Award Institutional)	13
12	Help the Blind Foundation	11
13	All India Confederation of the Blind	2
	Total	**2216**

ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

The academic session 2024–25 commenced with an orientation programme for first-year students of various courses, held on August 29, 2024, at the Central Stage of the college. Professor Rabi Narayan Kar, the Principal of SLC, extended a warm welcome to all new students, acquainting them with the college and encouraging their constructive contribution to its development. Prof. Kar also highlighted the college's recent pioneering efforts in enhancing the academic environment and improving infrastructure facilities. During the orientation, department In-charges introduced the respective faculty members to the students, providing information on available courses, extracurricular activities, and sports opportunities, along with the college's rules and regulations. The teachers emphasized the importance of maintaining discipline. The students enthusiastically engaged in the program, offering valuable suggestions. Overall, the event was a success, fostering a sense of enthusiasm and participation among the student body.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

The college faculty members have demonstrated remarkable dedication not only in their teaching roles but also through active engagement in research endeavours and participation in conferences and seminars. Here are some noteworthy highlights of their achievements and contributions as reported by them.

Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar, Principal

Nominations & Committees

- Visitor's Nominee, Central University of Odisha
- Member, Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)
- Member, Executive Council, Central University of Rajasthan
- Distinguished Faculty Fellow at Centre for International Business Education and Research (CIBER), Scheller College of Business, Georgia Tech, USA
- Member, UGC New LOCF Committee for Commerce
- Member, Executive Committee of CPRHE, NIEPA
- Member, School Board of Management, Central University of South Bihar, Gaya
- Member, Board of Studies, Department of Commerce and Financial Studies, Central University of Jharkhand, Ranchi
- Member, School Board of Management Studies, IGNOU
- Member, Editorial Advisory Board for the Chartered Secretary Journal.

- Member, Governing Body of Pope John Paul II College of Education, Pondicherry, Pondicherry University.
- Member, NAAC Peer Team

Projects

- Completed Short term ICSSR Project on "Effectiveness of PMJDY in Financial Empowerment and Livelihood Transformation in India: A Study of Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan" as a Principal Investigator.

Publications

- Kar, R. N. (2024). *NEP 2020: Insights for curriculum and content in commerce & business*. VBUSS in association with Research India Press, ISBN: 978-81-971796-2-4.
- Kar, R. N., Tiwari, K., and Bhandari, V. (2024). Unlocking Human Perspectives of PMJDY: Evidence from Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh. *Indian Journal of Psychological Science*, 18(1), 197-218.
- Kar, R. N., & Kaur, A. (2024), An Understanding of Bharat's Mandir Arthvyavstha-Synthesizing Resource Allocation and Growth. *The International Journal of Bharatiya Knowledge System,* 1(1), 52-66, ISSN (Online): 3048-7315.
- Kar R.N. & Kaur A. (2024), From Crisis to Conscience: Tracking the Growth of SRI Dialogue in India through Covid-19. *Chartered Secretary*, September, 104-109.

Conferences

- Resource Person for the Eight-Day Online Training Programme on 'NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme' on 13 September, 2024 organized by Central University of Gaya.
- Resource Person in "NEP 2020: Model Curriculum and Content in Sanskrit" organized by Somnath University from 26-27 September, 2024.
- Resource Person at Master Trainer Programme organized by NIOS and IUCTE, 15-17 October, 2024, Noida
- Chaired a Technical Session at Asia Pacific International Conference, Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Beppu, Japan 30 Nov-1 Dec, 2024 from November 27, 2024 to December 4, 2024. Also presented a paper titled "NEP 2020: Transforming India's Education Landscape at the aforesaid International Conference.
- Seminar Class for Masters' Students at Ritsumeikan APU, 2nd Dec 2024
- Resource Person and Delivered Key Note Address "Cultural and Festive Traditions: Reflections from Temple Trade" at National Conference 'Unravelling Indian Rituals &

Festivals: The Interplay of Culture, Science, and Knowledge Systems', Surya Sen Mahavidyalaya , Siliguri, WB, 10-11 January, 2025

- Resource Person in UGC New LOCF Workshop for Commerce in collaboration with UGC and Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti from 16-17 January, 2025.
- Resource Person in "रसायन विज्ञान : एलओसीएफ पाठ्यक्रम योजना" in collaboration with UGC and Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti from 6-7 February, 2025
- Presentation at NSIL 2025, Institutional Leadership Towards Nation Building, Doon University, Dehradun from 1-2 March, 2025.
- Key Note Address, Growth, Innovation & Inclusion: Viksit Bharat at International Conference on "India's Journey towards Viksit Bharat 2047: Exploring Synergies between Social Equity, Economic Growth and Global Interdependence for a Sustainable and Resilient Future", organized by CUJ, 21-22 March 2025, Ranchi.

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

Dr. Sunaina Zutshi

- Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian literary and Cultural Traditions" under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission (UGC) organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.
- Two- week refresher course in Managing online classes and Co-creating MOOCS from 24 April-07 May, 2024 organized by Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under the aegis of Malaviya Mission on Teachers and Teaching Program.
- Participated in NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Program under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission (UGC) Organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi from 23-30 September 2024.
- Resource person for one day Session on the topic "Environmental Issues & Technological Innovation on 10 September, 2024 of the 30 days VBUSS Internship Program, Organized by Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India in collaboration with Vidya Bharti Uchcha Shiksha Sansthan.
- Delivered a Talk in Webinar Cum Seminar on National Science Day 2024. on "Indian Women Scientists: From Ancient Times to Present for Uplifting Viksit Bharat" Organized by Chemistry Department in Collaboration with Department of Botany and Department of Chemical Engineering, NIT, Karnataka, Surathkal.

Dr. Pooja Gupta

- Gupta, P. (2025, March). Common Trees Around Us. Science Reporter, 62(3), 60-61, ISSN 2582-6492 (Online), ISSN 0036-8512 (Print).
- Presented a paper titled "Heavy metal sequestration and exclusion in specific tissues: a responsive defense mechanism for technological improvement" in *International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living*, organized by Department of Chemistry, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi (April 4-5, 2024).
- Two Weeks Online Training Programme on 'NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme', under MM-TTP (UGC), organized by MH-MMTTC, Hansraj College, University of Delhi (April 20-29, 2024).
- Online One-week International FDP on 'Revolutionizing Agriculture: Novel Perspectives on Technological Innovations', organized by MH-MMTTC & Department of Botany, Hansraj College, University of Delhi (April 1-6, 2024).
- One-month Online Faculty Induction Programme, organized by MH-MMTTC, Hansraj College, University of Delhi under MM-TTP of UGC (June 3-29, 2024).
- Online Short Term Programme on 'Sustainable Food Development: Integrating Socio-economic, Cultural and Political Perspectives in Indian Traditions', under MM-TTP (UGC), organized by MM-TTC, Ramanujan College in collaboration with Shyama Prasad Mukherji College (October 14-19, 2024).
- Two-week Online Interdisciplinary Refresher Course on 'ICT in Academics and Research', organized by MH-MMTTC, Hansraj College, University of Delhi (December 16-30, 2024).

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

Dr. Aditi Puri

- Puri, A. (2024). *Analytical Chemistry and Instrumentation*. Jhanvika Technologies Publishing House.
- Advancement and Modifications in Silica Gel for Environmental Remediation: A Sustainable Perspective. (2025, April). *Society for Materials Chemistry (SMC) Bulletin*, 16 (1), Special Bulletin on International Women's Day 2025.
- Completed Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (Online) on "NEP Orientation & Sensitization" organized by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MH-MMTTC), Hansraj College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Malaviya Mission Scheme, UGC in collaboration with Kalindi College, University of Delhi from 3-11 March 2025.

- Resource Person at National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors (Hands-On Training for Undergraduates) organized by Research & Development Centre & IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from July 10-19, 2024, in collaboration with IUAC (Delhi), IIT (Delhi), Research Council (University of Delhi) & Miranda House (University of Delhi).

Dr. Ankit Mittal

- Mittal, A. (2024). *Analytical Chemistry and Instrumentation*. Jhanvika Technologies Publishing House.
- Nagpal, M., Siddique, M. A., Sharma, K., Sharma, N., & Mittal, A. (2024). Optimizing wastewater treatment through artificial intelligence: recent advances and future prospects. *Water Science & Technology*, 90(3), 731-757.
- Mittal, A., Vashistha, V. K., & Das, D. K. (2024). Recent Developments in the Antiviral Activity of Glycyrrhizic Acid and its Derivatives Against SARS-CoV-2: Computational Aspects. *Letters in Applied Nanobioscience*, 13(2), 72.
- Mittal, A., Nagpal, M., Sharma, S., Das, D. K., Jogender, Ankit, & Vashistha, V. K. (2024). A Comprehensive Review of Natural and Surfactant-Modified Zeolites and Their Applications. *Letters in Applied Nanobioscience*, 13(4), 188.
- Sharma, S., Sharma, V., Mittal, A., Das, D. K., Sethi, S., Yadav, S., Vallamkonda, B., & Vashistha, V. K. (2024). Radioactive elements in wastewater and potable water: Sources, effects, and methods of analysis and removal. *Water Environment Research*, 96(8), e11106.
- Arora, R., Chahal, V., Issar, U., Nagpal, M., Vashistha, V. K., & Mittal, A. (2024). Nanomaterials as fluorescent sensor and colorimetric sensor for toxic Hg (II) ion: A review. *Ionics*, 30, 6811-6833.
- Vaishali, Sharma, S., Bhatrola, K., Irfan, A., Devi, N., Mishra, K., Dubey, K., Mittal, A., Mateev, E., & Vashistha, V. K. (2024). Green synthesis of imidazoles: the catalytic efficacy of magnetic nanoparticles. *Tetrahedron*, 167, 134246.
- Nagpal, M., Mittal, A., & Vinod (2025). Application of Biosurfactants in the Green Synthesis of Inorganic Nanoparticles. *BioNanoScience*, 15(1), 1-17.
- Vinod, Sharma, S., Pullabhotla, R. V., & Mittal, A. (2025). Enantioselective Analysis and Separation of Two β-Blockers via Derivatization Approach. *Chirality*, 37(1), e70010.
- Sharma, S., Kumar, T., Das, D. K., Mittal, A., Verma, N., & Vinod. (2025). Phytoremediation of Heavy Metals in Soil-Concepts, Advancements, and Future Directions. *Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition*, 25, 1253-1280.

- Nagpal, M., Sharma, N., & Mittal, A. (2025). Selective adsorptive removal and separation of harmful anionic dyes using mesoporous magnesium oxide-chitosan composite. *Hybrid Advances*, 9, 100393.
- Presented a paper titled "The theoretical assessment of electronic and non-linear optical properties of licochalcone L isolated from *G. inflata* root: A DFT approach" in *International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living (ICCTCSSL-2024)*, Department of Chemistry, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, April 4-5, 2024.
- Completed Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (Online) on "NEP Orientation & Sensitization" organized by MH-MMTTC, Hansraj College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Kalindi College, University of Delhi, March 3-11, 2025.
- Completed Five-day National Virtual FDP on "Integrating NEP 2020 into Higher Education: Strategies for Faculty Development and Curriculum Innovation" organized by Department of Business Administration (UG) & Department of Commerce (IB), Hindusthan College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore, September 2-6, 2024.
- Completed One-week online FDP on "Research Methodology and Research Writing: An Icebreaking Discussion" organized by Department of Physics, Madanapalle Institute of Technology and Science, Andhra Pradesh, January 20-24, 2025.
- Completed One-week online National level FDP on "Securing Grants: A Guide to Effective Research Proposal Writing" organized by Faculty of Science, Gokul Global University, Gujarat, March 6-12, 2025.
- Completed National Level FDP on "Moodle LMS" organized by Shivaji College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Spoken Tutorial, IIT Bombay, March 18-24, 2025.
- Completed One-week online short-term training programme on "Nanomaterials and Devices" conducted by Applied Science Department, NITTTR, Chandigarh, July 22-26, 2024.
- Coordinator of "Industrial Visit to Patanjali Food and Herbal Park" organized by Department of Chemistry, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, April 26, 2024.

Prof. Ashu Gupta

- Gupta, A., Gupta, R., (2025). Eriochrome Cyanine R Immobilized Amberlite XAD-2 for Efficient Separation and Preconcentration of Fe (III). *Current Analytical Chemistry*.

Dr. Kanika Solanki

- K.M. Saini, K. Solanki, B. Kaushik, P. Rana (2024). Photocatalysis without borders: Charting progress in metal-free hydrogen peroxide synthesis. *Journal of Environmental Chemical Engineering*, 12, 114425.

- Completed One-week online short-term training programme on "Nanomaterials and Devices" conducted by the Applied Science Department, National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training & Research (NITTTR), Chandigarh (Ministry of Education, Govt. of India), from 22 July - 26 July 2024.
- Completed Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme(Online) on "NEP Orientation & Sensitization" organized by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MH-MMTTC), Hansraj College, University of Delhi under the aegis of Malaviya Mission Scheme, UGC, in collaboration with Kalindi College, University of Delhi, from 3- 11March 2025.
- Resource Person at National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors (HANDS-ON-TRAINING FOR UNDERGRADUATES) organized by the Research & Development Centre and IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, from 10 - 19 July 2024, in collaboration with IUAC (Delhi), IIT (Delhi), Research Council (University of Delhi), and Miranda House (University of Delhi).
- Delivered a Talk on "Green Chemistry for Sustainable Future" under the PM SHRI Program at PM SHRI Kendriya Vidyalaya, Shahdara, on 12 February 2025.

Dr. Kavita Yadav

- Co-PI in a Major project awarded by ICSSR, Title - "A comprehensive research proposal to promote and establish evidence-based teaching skills in Yoga and Ayurveda", Funding Agency - ICSSR, New Delhi, Budget Approved - 15,10,000 Rs. Dated - 7 March 2025, Duration - 24 months.
- Resource Person in Seminar, Organizer - CSTT, Dept. of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Organizing Institute- SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Dated- 7 March 2025.

Dr. Ompal Singh Yadav

- Yadav, O. S. (2024). Investigations Properties on the Corrosion Inhibition of Kala Bansa Leaf Extract on Mild Steel in an Acidic Environment", *Portugaliae Electrochimica Acta* 44, 27-45, ISSN: 1647-1571.
- Presented a paper titled "The Electrochemical Study of Corrosion Inhibition on Metals" in International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living organized by Department of Chemistry under the aegis of IQAC Shyam Lal University of Delhi on 4-5 April 2024.

Dr. Padma Dechan

- Presented a paper titled "The Electrochemical Study of Corrosion Inhibition on Metals" in *International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living*

organized by Department of Chemistry under the aegis of IQAC Shyam Lal University of Delhi on 4-5 April 2024.

- Resource Person at "National Summer School & Workshop on Semiconductors: Hands on training for undergraduates" organized by Research & Development Cell & IQAC, SLC in collaboration with IUAC, IIT Delhi, Miranda House and Research Council, University of Delhi from July 10 to July 19, 2024.
- Delivered a Lecture during "National Science Day" celebration organized by Rasaynika Chemical Society, Department of Chemistry, SLC in collaboration with Department of Botany, SLC and Department of Chemical Engineering, NIT, karnataka, Surathkal on February 28, 2025.

Dr. Prem Lata Meena

- Meena, P. L. (2025, March). *Packaging Techniques: The Protocol Series Volume 06*. NIPA, GENX Electronic Resources & Solutions P. Ltd, ISBN: 978-93-5887-400-6.
- Presented a paper titled "Polymer Applications in Horticulture Food Packaging" in the *International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living*, organized by the Department of Chemistry under the aegis of IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, on April 4-5, 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "Powering Sustainable Future: Perks of Perovskite Solar Cells" in the *International Conference on Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Sciences*, in conjunction with IUPAC Global Women's Breakfast, organized by the Department of Chemistry, Miranda House, University of Delhi, on February 11-12, 2025.
- Presented poster on "From Soil to Sky: Strategies for Sustainable Agriculture" in the *International Conference on Chemical, Biological, and Environmental Sciences*, in conjunction with IUPAC Global Women's Breakfast, organized by the Department of Chemistry, Miranda House, University of Delhi, on February 11-12, 2025.
- Co-convenor of International Conference on Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living, organized by the Department of Chemistry under the aegis of IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, on April 4-5, 2024.
- Coordinated an Educational Visit for B.Sc. (H) Students Sem VI to India Energy Week 2025 at Yashobhoomi (India International Convention & Expo Centre), Dwarka, New Delhi, on February 14, 2025.

Dr. Radhika Gupta

- Gupta, A., Gupta, R., (2025). Eriochrome Cyanine R Immobilized Amberlite XAD-2 for Efficient Separation and Preconcentration of Fe (III). *Current Analytical Chemistry*.

- Resource Person in a Day-Long Quality Connect Program on World Standards Day 2024, organized in collaboration with the Bureau of Indian Standards, on October 24, 2024.
- Delivered an Invited Lecture on 'Amalgamating Nanotechnology with Chemical Sciences for Developing a Sustainable Future' in the International Conference on Recent Advances in Green Catalysis and Drug Discovery during September 4-6, 2024, organized by Green Chemistry Network Centre Chapter, Akal University, Talwandi Sabo, India.
- Resource Person in a workshop on Advancing Sustainability: Green Chemistry Innovations and Practices, organized by Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College, University of Delhi, on October 23, 2024.

Dr. Raghavender M

- Raghavender, M. (2025) Design and synthesis of novel triclosan-linked-1,2,3-triazole scaffolds as antibacterial agents. *Arkivoc* (5) 202512351, p012, 351
- Raghavender, M. Copper-Catalyzed Synthesis of Benzofuro[3,2-b] Indole Frame Work via Intramolecular Oxidative C—H Bond Amination. *Asian Journal of Organic Chemistry*.
- Coordinator and presented research paper in two days *International Conference on "Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living*" on April 4-5, 2024 at Shyam Lal College.

Dr. Richa Tyagi

- Presented poster in *International Conference on Chemical, Biological and Environmental Sciences 2025* (ICCBES-IUPAC 2025) held on 11-12 February 2025, organized by the Department of Chemistry, Miranda House, University of Delhi.

Dr. Yukti Monga

- Kuriakose, S., & Monga, Y. (2024). Regulatory framework and standards for adapting AI systems: Interplay between AI and environmental policies. In S. Gulati (Ed.), *Application of artificial intelligence in wastewater treatment* (pp. 265-279). Springer. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-69433-2_11.
- Kalita, R., Monga, & Manna, K., (2025) N-Alkylation of aniline derivatives by a bipyridyl metal-organic framework supported cobalt catalyst, *New Journal of Chemistry* 49, 2071-2078.
- Kalita, R., Kumar, A., Gupta, A., Monga, Yukti., & Manna, Kuntal., (2025) Regioselective Oxidative Bromination of Arenes by Metal-Organic Framework Confined Mono-Bipyridyl Iron (III) Catalyst, *Dalton Transactions*, (Accepted Manuscript).

- Participated in national level faculty development program on Moodle LMS organized by Shivaji College, Delhi in association with Spoken tutorial IIT Bombay, 18 Mar 2025 to 24 Mar 2025.
- Participated in Summer faculty research program under continuing education program from Department of chemistry, IIT Delhi, held from 15-05-24 to 12-07-24.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Mr. Amit Kapoor

- Presented a paper titled "A Study on Attitude and Perception of customers towards Electronic Vehicle" in *International Conference on Sustainability and Resilience: Emerging paradigms in Management, Agriculture, Tourism, Commerce and Social Sciences* organized by School of Management and liberal Arts, Career point University, Hamirpur (H.P) in Collaboration with NCWEB, University of Delhi on 2- 3 Dec. 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "An Analytical study on the perception of Indian consumers towards online Marketing" at the *International Seminar on Media. AI and Social Change: Interdisciplinary approaches* organized by the Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Manipur University Jaipur on 2 December 2024.
- Participated in one-week International FDP on Ethics & Integrity in Management Practices held from 22 - 26 July, 2024 at Sushant University, Gurugram, India.
- Participated in Two-week FDP on NEP orientation and sensitization programme under MM-TTP of UGC organized by UGC - MMTTC (GAD- MMTTC) Shri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, University of Delhi from 3- 13 Sept. 2024.

Dr. Anurag Maurya

- Co-Principal Investigator of ICSSR Sponsored Project titled "The Role of Social Security in Supporting the Ageing Population in India: A Study of Select Indian States".
- Contributed as Academic Facilitator for New LOCF-Commerce Workshop organized by Shyam Lal College in collaboration with Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti (BBS) on January 17-18, 2025.

Dr. Himanshi Kalra

- Completed an ICSSR Project titled "Effectiveness of PMJDY in Financial Empowerment and Livelihood Transformation in India: A Study of Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan" as Co-Principal Investigator.
- Convenor in Add on Course on Dynamics of Behavioral Finance 2.0 from July 24 till August 3, 2024.

Dr. Manish Kumar

- Completed Ph.D. on the topic "Study of Tax Saving Instruments: Awareness and Perception of Individual Assessee in Delhi" from Manav Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies in 2024.
- Kumar, M. (2024). Book Chapter in *Transformation of India: Exploring multifaceted dimensions*, Freeman Press. ISBN: 978-93-6112-554-6.
- Kumar, M. (2024). Minimum Support Price, Agrarian Issues and Farmers' Movement in India. *Indian Journal of Public Administration*, 70(4), 801-816. https://doi.org/10.1177/00195561241276897.
- Completed one-week refresher course by Global Initiatives of Academic Networks, Ministry of Education held from 10-15 February 2025 and organized by Centre for Political Studies and Centre for Russian Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.

Dr. Megha Jain

- Jain, M. (2024). Unravelling Bangladesh's Informal Manufacturing Sector with a Focus on Textile and Garments. In M. K. Pal & P. Das (Eds.), Informal Manufacturing and Environmental Sustainability (pp. 293-304). Emerald Publishing Limited. https://doi.org/10.1108/978-1-83549-998-620241021.
- Jain, M. (2024). Formation of Efficient Collaborative Relationship in Supply Chains: A Shared Relational Identity Based Framework Approach. *Academy of Marketing Studies Journal*. 28(4) ,1-15.
- Co-PI in a major research project titled "Re-establishing the Integrity of J&K through Micro & Small-Scale Industry: A Focal Study on Eco-friendly and Sustainable Economic Development".
- Co-Director in a research project Titled "Evaluating the impact of the Make in India Scheme on the Selected Micro Scale Enterprises".
- Contributed as a Visiting Fellow, in Pahle India Foundation.
- Presented a paper titled "Bridging the Inter-organizational Digital-Divide: Enhancing Socioeconomic Sustainability through Digital Inclusion of the MSMEs" at *International Doctoral Colloquium* organized by IIM Amritsar with Smith School of Business, University of Maryland, USA on Jan 19, 2025.
- Presented a paper titled "From Digital Divide to Digital Inclusion: A Grounded Theory Study on Achieving Socioeconomic Sustainability" at an *International Conference* organized by Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, on March 10, 2025.
- Resource person in Add on Course titled "Behavioural Finance" by Shyam Lal College.

Dr. Mukta Rohtagi

- Nodal Officer for Foreign Students (requirement of the FRRO (being run under the Ministry of Home Affairs).
- Nodal Officer for Har Ghar Dhyan Campaign organized online 11 days yoga and meditation programme celebrating international yoga day from 11.6.24-21.6.24.
- Resource person in 30 hours Add on Course on Dynamics of Behavioural Finance 2.0 from 24 June to 3 August 2024 in Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi.

Dr. Nidhi Jain

- Jain, N., Topological Methods for Solving Nonlinear Equations in Financial Mathematics. *Communications on Applied Nonlinear Analysis*, 31(2),
- Jain, N., Assessing Research Quality through Scopus and VVoS Insights: Case Study of MSIT, Library. *Plogress Intematzona*, 44(Is), 3341.

Ms. Palak Kakkar

- Co-PI of AICTE-IKS Project "Indian Mathematicians from Ancient to Modern India: Contribution towards the Spirit of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam".
- Convenor of Enactus, SLC.
- Academic Facilitator for New LOCF-Commerce Workshop for Commerce organized by Shyam Lal College in collaboration with Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti (BBS) on January 17-18, 2025.

Ms. Priya Khanna

- Presented a paper titled "Digital Marketing: A transformative approach for Developed Bharat" presented in *International Conference on 'Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving Innovations for Viksit Bharat@2047'* - 10 to 11 March, 2025.
- Completed "NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme" held from 01 to 11 Oct, 2024.

Ms. Priyanka Yadav

- Presented a paper titled "Sowing Seeds of Responsibility: Evaluating the Effectiveness of Mandatory CSR in India's Development" at the *10th Annual International Conference* organized by the Department of Commerce, Faculty of Commerce and Business, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, in collaboration with Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College, University of Delhi, held on January 6-7, 2025 at Deen Dayal Upadhaya College, New Delhi-110078.

Ms. Reena Yadav

- Yadav, R., Rana, T., Kaur, A., & Bhatia, M. (2025). The impact of CSR initiatives on consumer buying behaviour in the FMCG industry: *An empirical analysis. Journal of Informatics Education and Research*, 5(2). https://doi.org/10.52783/jier.v5i2.2494.
- Presented a paper titled "The Impact of CSR Initiatives on Consumer Buying Behaviour in the FMCG Industry: An Empirical Analysis" at *the International Conference on "Transitioning to a Circular Economy: Triple Bottom Line and Role of Entrepreneurial Ecosystems (IC-MGMT-2024)"* jointly organized by the Department of Management, Gurugram University, Gurugram, Haryana, India and Valparaiso University, Indiana, USA on 4-5 December 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "National Logistics Policy 2022: Make India Self-Reliant through E-Commerce and Lat-Mile Delivering" at the *International Conference on "Transitioning to a Circular Economy: Triple Bottom Line and Role of Entrepreneurial Ecosystems (IC-MGMT-2024)"* jointly organized by the Department of Management, Gurugram University, Gurugram, Haryana, India and Valparaiso University, Indiana, USA on 4-5 December 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "Social Media Marketing: The New Trends and Way of Marketing for Companies" at the *International Conference on "Leveraging Cutting Edge Technologies for the Sustainable Business Practices: Industry 5.0"* organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth's Institute of Management Studies and Research, Navi Mumbai on 6 -7 December 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "Corporate Social Responsibility and Financial Inclusion: The Moderating Impact of Financial Literacy at the *National Seminar on "Sustainable Practices for Small Business Entrepreneurs of North West India"* organized by the Department of Management, Gurugram University and ICSSR, NWR Chandigarh on 28 February 2025.
- Participated in 10-day National Interactive Workshop on the theme "Quality Writing Skills for Social Science Research and Research Methodology" at the Faculty of Education, Mahaveer University in collaboration with CTPD India from 2-23 December 2024.

Prof. Ruchika Ramakrishnan

- Presented a paper titled "Viksit Bharat's Youth Workforce: Striking a Balance between Technostress and Job Satisfaction - a Literature Review" in the *International Conference (ICSSR- NRC sponsored) on Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving Innovations for Viksit Bharat@2047* organized by the Department of Commerce and IQAC, Shyam Lal College on March 10-11, 2025.
- Coordinator and Session chair in the International Conference (ICSSR- NRC sponsored) on Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving Innovations for Viksit

Bharat@2047 organized by the Department of Commerce and IQAC, Shyam Lal College on March 10-11, 2025.

- Member in Examination Disciplinary Committee, University of Delhi w.e.f. July 2024.
- External Expert in Curriculum Restructuring under NEP-2020 Kumaun University, Nainital (Uttrakhand), December 18-19, 2024.
- Convenor & Member in Central Admission Grievance Redressal Committee, University of Delhi for the Academic Session 2024-2025.

Ms. Shweta

- Presented a paper titled "Manager's Experience and Early Internationalization of Indian Firms: The Moderating Role of Institutional Hazards in The Home Country" in the *Academy of International Business South Asia Conference on the theme* "*The Emergence of Global South - Challenges and Opportunities in the 21st Century*" organized by World university of Bangladesh Dhaka on 13-14 January 2025, in online mode.
- Presented a paper titled "Manager's Experience and Early Internationalization of Indian Firms: The Moderating Role of Institutional Hazards in The Home Country" in the *International Business and Evolving Strategic Landscape 10th Indian Academy of Management (INDAM) Conference* held on 16-18 January 2025 at Indian Institute of Foreign Trade, Kolkata.

Sonia Mudel

- Convenor in the 30-hour Online Value-Added Course on "Dynamics of Behavioural Finance 2.0" organized by Department of Commerce in Collaboration with IQAC, Shyam Lal College (SLC) from 11 July to 3 August 2024.
- Coordinator of seminar on "Stock Trading and Breakout Strategy" organized by Centre for Skill Development on 6 February, 2025.

Dr. Varun Bhandari

- Rohilla, A., and Bhandari, V. (2024). *A Practical and Examination Oriented Approach to the Financial Management*. A.K. Publications, Delhi.
- Rohilla, A., Bhandari, V., and Dua, P. (2025). *Financial Management for Beginners*. A.K. Publications, Delhi, ISBN 976-93-95033-65-7.
- Minakshi, and Bhandari, V. (2025, January). Journey of Traditional Clusters towards Atmanirbhar Bharat: A Case of Nuapatna Handloom Cluster. *Chartered Secretary*, 110-115.

- Kar, R. N., Tiwari, K., & Bhandari, V. (2024). Unlocking human perspectives of PMJDY: Evidence from Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh. *Indian Journal of Psychological Science*, 18(1), 197-218.
- Principal Investigator of ICSSR Sponsored Project titled "The Role of Social Security in Supporting the Ageing Population in India: A Study of Select Indian States".
- Completed an ICSSR Project titled "Effectiveness of PMJDY in Financial Empowerment and Livelihood Transformation in India: A Study of Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan" as Co-Principal Investigator.
- Academic Facilitator for New LOCF-Commerce Workshop organized by Shyam Lal College in collaboration with Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti (BBS) on January 17-18, 2025.
- Co-Convenor of International Conference titled "Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving Innovations for Viksit Bharat@2047" organized by Department of Commerce and IQAC, Shyam Lal College in collaboration with ICSSR on March 10-11, 2025.
- Resource Person in Two-Day International Conference on "India's Journey towards Viksit Bharat 2047: Exploring Synergies between Social Equity, Economic Growth and Global Interdependence for a Sustainable and Resilient Future" organized by Department of Commerce and Financial Studies, Central University of Jharkhand, held on March 21-22, 2025.
- Resource Person in ICSSR sponsored National Level Research Methodology Workshop for the session "Hands on Training on Data Analysis" organized by Department of Public Policy and Governance, Gujarat University on February 11, 2025.
- Resource Person in ICSSR sponsored National Level Research Methodology Workshop for the session "Parametric and Non-Parametric Tests" organized by Department of Public Policy and Governance, Gujarat University on February 12, 2025.
- Resource Person for the 1st Online Refresher Course (Interdisciplinary) organized by MMTC-SRCC under the Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MMTTP), Ministry of Education, Government of India under the theme "The Importance of Sustainability: Building a Resilient Future" on January 29, 2025.

Mr. Yogesh

- Participated in a Five-day Data Analysis program with R organized by NIFTEM-K from June 27 to July 01, 2024.
- Participated in a two-week CBP organized by MANIT from 19th July to 30 July 2024.

Department of Computer Science

Dr. Leena Singh

- Singh, L. (2024). Complete Data Using Exploratory Data Analysis and ML Algorithms. in *Proceedings of the 4th International Conference on Technological Advancements in Computational Sciences (ICTACS)*, pp. 1293-1296, IEEE. DOI: 10.1109/ICTACS62700.2024.
- Completed 5-day Faculty Development Programme on Research Trends in Cyber Security, Blockchain & AI (RTCSBAI '25) from January 07-11, 2025, organized by University School of Information & Communication Technology, Gautam Buddha University, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh.
- Completed NEP-2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission from January 07-17, 2025, organized by UGC-MMTTC (GAD-MMTTC), Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, University of Delhi.
- Convenor for organizing World Standards Day in collaboration with Bureau of Indian Standards on October 24, 2024, at Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi.
- Co-convenor for organizing Poster Presentation on Innovations Showcase for a Better Tomorrow: Addressing Global Challenges, during February 24-25, 2025, organized by Institution's Innovation Council (IIC), held at Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi.
- Organized an Add-on course in online mode on Fundamental Course on Python for a 30-hour duration from February 24, 2025 to March 10, 2025, by the Department of Computer Science, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi.
- Distinguished member of the Interview Panel for the Standards Promotion Consultant Position at Bureau of Indian Standards, Delhi Branch Office-II, on October 29, 2024.

Dr. Neelam Dabas

- Principal Investigator (PI) in an ICSSR funded project under the special call for Vision Viksit Bharat@2047, titled "Imperatives of Integration of Bharatiya Knowledge System and Social Security through Meta-Analysis".
- Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian Literary and Cultural Traditions under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi, in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.

- Organizing Member of the Add-on Course "Elementary Course on Python" (30 Hours) organized by the Department of Computer Science, Shyam Lal College from 24 February to 10 March 2025.
- Co-Convenor of the International Conference on Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving Innovations for Viksit Bharat@2047 held on March 10-11, 2025, organized by the Department of Commerce in collaboration with ICSSR.

Dr. Pranav Dass

- Verma, R., Verma, A., Dass, P., & Chaubey, V., (2025) A new score function for optimizing transportation problems in complex Pythagorean fuzzy environment, Authors: *Archives of Control Sciences (ACS)*, 35 (1) 155-199.
- Hassan, F., Kumar, V., Nishad, A.k., Sharma, M.K., & Dass, P., (2025). A suitable key agreement protocol for autonomous vehicle and digital twin using ECC, *Journal of Discrete Mathematical Sciences and Cryptography (JDMSC)*, 28 (1) 217-237.
- Dass, P., et al. (2024) A deep learning model to predict and classify crime rate using tweets, *Journal of Discrete Mathematical Sciences and Cryptography* 27 (8) 2255-2271
- Garg, H., Jhunthra, S., Goel, R., Sharma, S., Gupta, V., Sharma, R., & Dass, P. (2024). Understanding user polarisation regarding COVID-19 vaccines through social network analysis. *Journal of Discrete Mathematical Sciences and Cryptography*, 27(8), 2301-2336.
- Completed 5-day Faculty Development Programme on Research Trends in Cyber Security, Blockchain & AI (RTCSBAI '25) during January 07, 2025 to January 11, 2025 organized by University School of Information & Communication Technology, Gautam Buddha University, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh.
- Completed AICTE Training & Learning (ATAL) Academy Faculty Development Programme on Cross-Modality Innovation: Generative AI in Language, Image Intelligence, and Medical Advancements during December 09, 2024 to December 14, 2024 organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth's College of Engineering, New Delhi.
- Completed NEP-2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme under Malaviya Mission Teacher training Programme (MM-TTP) of University Grants Commission during November 04, 2024 to November 14, 2024 organized by UGC-MMTTC (GAD-MMTTC), Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, University of Delhi.
- Delivered a talk on "Challenges in AI and IoT" in International conference on Mathematical Sciences and its Applications (ICMSA 2024) held from October 15 to October 17, 2024 organized by Department of Mathematics, Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College, University of Delhi.

- Participated as Session Chair and delivered Honor Speech in *International Conference of Organizational Innovation (ICOI 2024)* organized by Hoa Sen University, Ho Chi-Minh City, Vietnam from July 23 to July 25, 2024.
- Resource Person in One-Day Workshop on AI Tools for Faculty: Enriching Research and Academic Pursuits on March 11, 2025 organized by Research & Development Cell & IQAC held at Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi.

Dr. Sushil Kumar

- Kumar, S. et al. (2024). Image encryption algorithm based on DNA encoding and CNN. *Expert Systems with Applications*. 252, Article ID 124287.
- Presented a paper titled "Software defect classification using deep learning" in the *International Conference on Recent Innovation in Computing* organized by the Department of Computer Science and Information Technology on August 22-23, 2024.
- Completed one-week National Level Faculty Development Program online on Writing Research Articles using LaTeX - Overleaf from September 9-13, 2024, organized by the Department of Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering, Sri Chandrasekharendra Saraswathi Viswa Mahavidyalaya, Enathur, Kanchipuram, Tamil Nadu, India.
- Organized an Add-on course in online mode on Fundamental Course on Python for a 30-hour duration from February 24, 2025 to March 10, 2025, by the Department of Computer Science, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

Mr. Aakash Soni

- Soni, A. (2024). Skill Development in Madhya Pradesh: Challenges and Opportunities. *Journal of Madhya Pradesh Economic Association*. 33(1), ISSN 2277-1123.
- Convenor of three days International 'Sarvam Shaktimayam' Conference 2024 on "SHAKTI" organized by Tripuri Shodh Peeth Jabalpur in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on 10 - 12 April 2024.
- Participated in Two-week online Refresher Course on "Research Methodology" under Malaviya Malaviya Mission Scheme, University Grants Commission organized by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MH-MMTTC), Hansraj College, University of Delhi from May 15-30, 2024.
- Resource person in International Conference organized by Ambedkar Study Circle, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on April 15-16, 2024.

- Resource Person for 3 days in 30 days Vidya Bharati Internship Program organized by Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education in collaboration with Vidya Bharati Uchcha Shiksha Sansthan on September 3-5, 2024.

Ms. Ashani Dhar

- Presented a paper titled 'Domestic Workers, Caste and the Unorganized Sector: Reflections from Covid-19' at the *International Conference on Ambedkar's Perspectives on Dynamics of Indian Economy - A Way Towards Viksit Bharat@2047* organized by Shyam Lal College from 15 to 16 April 2024.
- Presented a paper titled 'Navigating the Ethical Terrain: AI in Education and the Imperative of Equitable Distribution' at the *National Conference on Communication for Development* at the MGM University, Maharashtra on 28 April 2024.
- Presented a paper titled 'Empowerment Beyond the Metrics: Understanding the Barrier to Female Workforce Participation in India' at the *International Conference on 'Economic Development in Contemporary India: Theory, Practice and Experience'* organized by Department of Economics, Janki Devi Memorial College, University of Delhi from 23-24 September 2024.
- Participated in NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programmed organized under MM-TTP of UGC organized by Central University of Gujarat from 03 March to 12 March 2025.

Dr. Deepika Kumari

- Kumari, D., (2024). Crisis at One End, Opportunity on the other: Sri Lankan Crisis a Surge for Indian Tea and Textile Exports. *South Asian Journal of Management Research* 14, 82-96.
- Presented a paper titled 'Digital Trade and Economic Growth in Africa: An Indo-Africa Cooperation Agenda' at the *International Conference on 'Digital Growth in Africa'* organized by the Department of African Studies, University of Delhi on 31st May 2024.
- Presented a paper titled 'Crisis at one end, Opportunity on the other: Sri Lankan Crisis a Surge for Indian Tea and textile Exports' at the I*nternational Conference on 'Global Challenges and Vitality Solutions'* organized by CSIBER-Chhatrapati Shahu Institute of Business Education and Research, Kolhapur, Maharashtra from 22-23 November 2024.
- Presented a paper titled 'India-Africa Trade: A Legacy of Cooperation, A Future of Opportunities' at the *International Conference on 'Viksit Bharat and Collective Self-Reliant Africa: A Journey Together'* organized by the Department of African Studies, University of Delhi on 29 November 2024.

- Participated in NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programmed organized under MM-TTP of UGC organized by Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar from 03 January to 11 January 2025.

Ms. Kavita Meena

- Presented a paper titled 'Educational inequality in India: An analysis of gender difference in reading and mathematics' at the *International Conference on 'Economic Development in Contemporary India: Theory, Practice and Experience'* organized by the Department of Economics, Janki Devi Memorial College, University of Delhi from 23-24 September 2024.
- Attended NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programmed organized under MM-TTP of UGC organized by Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar from 03 January to 11 January 2025.
- Attended an Online short-term program on "Future-Proofing Commerce and Management Education: Embracing Digital Disruptions and Global Business Transformation" under MM-TTP of UGC organized by MM-TTC: Ramanujan College, Delhi" from 20 December to 27 December 2024.
- Participated in a Short-term course on Research methodology for social science teachers under MM-TTC in collaboration with the central university of Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala from 10 June to 15 June 2024.

Ms. Priyambada Gupta

- Gupta, P., & Singh, S. (2024). Gender differences in research productivity among STEM master's students: Insights from Delhi universities. *Humanities and Social Science Studies*, 13(2), 154-168.
- Gupta, P., & Singh, S. (2025). Understanding gender and discipline-specific motivations and earnings expectations in STEM master's programs in Delhi. *International Journal of Cultural Studies and Social Sciences*, 22(1), 35-45.

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Dr. Amit Kumar

- Completed an online Faculty Development Programme on 'Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian literary and Cultural Traditions' under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in Collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.

- Completed the online Month-long Faculty Induction Programme during 01-30 August 2024 organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Tezpur University established under the aegis of PMMMNMTT Scheme of Ministry of Education, Government of India.
- Resource Person in one day national webinar on "Bhartiya Gyan Parmpara ke vivdh sandharbh" organized on 27 May 2024, sponsored by M.P. Department of Higher Education Bhopal in Collaboration with IQAC.
- Delivered a lecture on, "Ecofeminism and Sustainability: Bridging Gender, Environment, and Social Justice for a Greener future organized by School of Liberal Arts, Uttaranchal University".

Prof. Kusha Tiwari

Nominations & Committees

- Visitor's Nominee, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar (Central) University, Lucknow (2022 onwards).
- UGC Nominee, Finance Committee of Manav Rachna International Institute of Research and Studies from 2024 onwards.
- Expert member, Board of Studies of School of Media Studies and Humanities, MRIIRS from 2025 onwards.
- Subject Expert for English, UGC-LOCF Committee (2024).
- Member, Curricular Area Group: Languages (English), NCERT (2023 onwards).

Projects

- Principal Investigator (2023) in the major ICSSR project on "Exploring & Connecting Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams & Gurukuls for the benefit of HEIs: A Working Model as per Mandate of NEP 2020".
- Completed an ICSSR Project (2024) titled "Effectiveness of PMJDY in Financial Empowerment and Livelihood Transformation in India: A Study of Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan" as Co-Principal Investigator.

Publications

- Tiwari, K. (2025). *NEP 2020: Insights for Curriculum and Content in English*. Vidya Bharati Uchcha Shiksha Sansthan & Pathak Publisher and Distributors.
- Tiwari, K. (2024). *Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions. Delhi*: Research India Press.

- Tiwari, K. (2024). A Review of Perspectives on Women Managers: A Three Country Analysis. *Orissa Journal of Commerce*, 45 (4), 111-120
- Tiwari, K. (2024). Unlocking Human Perspectives of PMJDY: Evidence from Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh. *Indian Journal of Psychological Science*, 18 (1), 197-218.
- Tiwari, K. (2024). The POSH Act: Developing Discourses in South Asian Countries and China. *Chartered Secretary*, 54(10), 104-109.
- Tiwari, K. (2024). Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams & Gurukuls for the benefit of HEIs: Mandate of NEP 2020. *International Journal of Bharatiya Knowledge System*, Vol 1.

Conferences

- Resource Person in the Panel Discussion on International Women's Day at Daulat Ram College, Delhi University on 7 March, 2025.
- Resource Person in Two Weeks Faculty Development Programme (27/01/25-08/02/25) on "Integrating Global Perspectives: Addressing Environmental, Cultural, and Economic Challenges through Sustainable Development and Knowledge Systems" organized by MMTTC SRCC on 28 Jan, 2025
- Resource person for one day Session on the topic "History of Indian Literature" on 23 August, 2024 of the 30 days VBUSS Internship Program, Organized by Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India in collaboration with Vidya Bharti Uchcha Shiksha Sansthan.
- Resource Person in Seven Days Faculty Development Programme on "Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian Literary and Cultural Traditions" organized by Shyam Lal College in collaboration with NIEPA from 24-29 June, 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "Embodied Methodologies in the Indian Knowledge System: A Study of Panchkosha Theory" in *Embodied Methodologies: A Workshop for the Humanities and Social Sciences* organized by The University of Jamaica, University of Aberdeen and University of London on 6 Dec, 2024.

Ms. Manila Kohli

- Kohli, M. (2024). Local, National or/and Global: Rethinking Identity Through Ishtiyaq Shukri's The Silent Minaret. *Postcolonial Interventions*. 9(2), 214-233. https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.13145445
- Kohli, M. (2024). The POSH Act: Developing Discourses in South Asian Countries and China" in *Chartered Secretary Journal*, 54(10), 104-109.

Ms. Nabanita Deka

- Daka, N. (2025). Life in the Hills: An Ecocritical Reading of Ruskin Bond's Select Writings. In N.K. Singh & S. Mittal (Eds,), *Himalayas: The Famous Yet Fragile Roof of the World*. Aakar Books. ISBN: 978-93-5002-892-6.
- Presented a paper titled "Women, Witchcraft and Cast(e)ing Experiences: An Analysis" at the *6th Interdisciplinary National Conference on 'Re-examining 'Caste': Postcolonial Theory and Practice'* organized by Department of English, Maharaja Agrasen College, University of Delhi on 8-9 October 2024.
- Presented a paper titled "We Too Were There: Bhogeswari Phuknani and Kanaklata Barua, the Unsung Women Warriors from Assam" at the *International Conference on 'Women Thinkers and Thoughts in Colonial and Postcolonial India'* organized by Department of English and Kailashbasini Centre for Women's Studies, Dr. Meghnad Saha College in collaboration with UGC-MMTC, University of North Bengal & Department of English, Gour Mahavidyalaya on 17-18 March 2025.
- Presented a paper titled "Relevance of Indian Knowledge System and its Teachings in the Modern World: A Decolonialist Approach" at the *International Seminar on 'Theory in India: Origins, Traditions and Influences'* organized by the Department of English, Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College on 26 March 2025.
- Completed online Faculty Development Programme on 'Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian literary and Cultural Traditions' under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.
- Panelist and deliver a talk on 'Strings of Tradition: Exploring Sustainability of Folk Musical Instruments and Livelihood in North East India' at an event 'Strings of Tradition: Cultural Economy and Folk Musical Instrument of North East India' organized by ARHI in collaboration with Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts (IGNCA) on 25 March 2025 at IGNCA, New Delhi.
- Panelist and delivered a talk on 'Politics of Memory & History in the Context of North East India' at the Academic Conference on the theme: 'The Politics of Memory: Who Tells the Story? - Examining Power, Erasure, and Representation in North Eastern Historical Narratives' organized by the North East Cell of Lady Shri Ram College for Women, University of Delhi on 28 March 2025, at Lady Shri Ram College for Women, Delhi.

Ms. Radhika Kundalia

- Kundalia, R. (2024). Empowered Women in Ancient India. In K. Tiwari (Ed.), *Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions*. Research India Press.

Dr. Rohit Johari

- Presented a paper titled "Indigeneity, Morality, Politics, Sacrifice: Easterine Kire's Bitter Wormwood" at the *National Conference on Indigenous Knowledge, Tribal Traditions and Cultural Practices* organized by the Centre for the Study of Social Systems, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi in collaboration with MAKAIS Kolkata, West Bengal on 15 and 16 November 2024.

Ms. Shivali Kharbanda

- Presented a paper titled "Representations of Nation and Nation Space(s) in Amitabh Ghosh's The Shadow Lines" at a *National Conference* organized by Zakir Hussain College, University of Delhi in March 2024.
- Guest speaker in the Lecture Series under the aegis of "Meet the Author" at Government Degree College, Tral, Pulwama, Jammu and Kashmir on 10.8.24

Dr. Sumita Sharma

- Awarded with Ph.D. Degree in at the convocation held on 10 August 2024, at Indian Institute of Technology Delhi.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

Dr. Awanish Mishra

- Presented a paper in Two Day International Conference Organized by Department of Hindi, Shyam Lal College. (7-8 February, 2025).
- Completed one month Guru Dakshata (Faculty Induction) Programme conducted by Ishwar Sharan Pg College, Prayagraj and MMTC (6 Nov, 2024-5 Dec, 2024).

Dr. Hanumat Lal Meena

- Meena, H. L. (2024). Abhimanyu anat ke kavya mein Yug - Chetna, *Pravasi Jagat, Kendriya Hindi Sansthan* Agra. 54, ISSN:2581-6985.
- Presented a paper titled "Hindi Sahitya main Ghandhivaadi Mulya" in *National Conference* (Gandhi aur Hindi Sahitya) organized by Department of Hindi, Gandhi study Circle, IQAC, SLC and Ghandhi Bhawan, University of Delhi on 24 April 2024.

- Presented a paper titled "Vartmaan Sandarbh Main Kabir Kavya ki Prasangikta" in *International Conference (Bhartiya Darshan aur Bhakti Kavya)* organized by Hindi Department, IQAC, SLC and Bhartiya Samajik Vigyan Anusandhan Parishad Uttari khestra Kendra on 7-8 February 2025.
- Participated in FDP on NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme organized by Centre for Professional Development in Higher Education, University of Delhi from 15-25 April, 2024.
- Participated in online Training Programme on NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme organized by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Hansraj College, University of Delhi from 03-13 August, 2024.
- Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Innovative Teaching Pedagogies and Assessments in Higher Education organized by UGC-MMTTC (GAD-MMTTC), Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, University of Delhi from 07-14 September, 2024.
- Participated in online Short-Term Programme on Sustainable Food Development: Integrating Socio-economic, cultural and Political Perspectives in Indian Traditions organized by the Teaching Learning Centre (MMTTC), Ramanujan College, (University of Delhi) from 14-19 October, 2024.

Dr. Nidhi Mishra

- Attended the Faculty Induction Program from 3 - 29 June 2024, organized by MH-MMTTC, Hansraj College, University of Delhi.

Dr. Rajkumar Prasad

- Awarded with major research project titled "मध्यकालीन प्रेमाख्यान में नि मत भारतीय संस् ति, सत्ता–संरचना और लैंगिक अर्थ–संदर्भों का अध्ययन" from ICSSR, New Delhi.
- Convenor of the One-Day National Seminar on "*Gandhi and Hindi Literature*", jointly organized by Gandhi Bhavan, University of Delhi, Gandhi Study Circle, and the Department of Hindi, Shyam Lal College, on 24 April 2024.
- Resource Person in the two-day National Seminar on "*Hindi Literature: Language, Politics, Religion, and Philosophy*", jointly organized by Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi, and Hindi Academy, Delhi on 27 November 2024.
- Delivered a lecture on the topic "Hindi Sufi Poetry: Historical and Cultural Perspective" in the two-day National Seminar on "*Hindi Bhakti Literature: Historical and Cultural Discourse*", jointly organized by Hindi Bhavan, Delhi, and Hindi Academy, Delhi on 29 January 2025.

- Co-Convenor of the Two-Day International Seminar on "*Indian Philosophy and Bhakti Poetry*", jointly organized by ICSSR (Northern Regional Centre) and the Department of Hindi, Shyam Lal College, on 7-8 February 2025.

Dr. Ramesh Burnwal

- Completed Four weeks FIP/Orientation course, organized by Teaching Learning centre, Ramanujan college on 27 March -23 April 2024.
- Completed Training Programme on NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme organized by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, Hansraj College, University of Delhi on 3-13 August, 2024.

Ms. Rashmita Sahu

- Presented a paper titled 'गांधी और हिन्दी कथा साहित्य' at the *National Conference* organized by the Gandhi Bhavan, University of Delhi, Gandhi Study Circle, and the Department of Hindi, Shyam Lal College, on 24 April 2024.
- Presented a paper titled 'उदारीकरण के दौर में भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्था में महिलाओं की भागीदारीः डॉ. भीमराव अम्बेडकर' at the *International Conference* organized by the Ambedkar Study Circle, Shyam Lal College on 15-16 April 2024.
- Presented a paper titled 'उड़िया में भक्ति काव्य' at the *International Conference* organized by the Department of Hindi, Shyam Lal College on 7-8 February 2025.
- Completed one Week Online Orientation & sensitization Programme under Malaviya mission teacher training programme organized by Centre for professional development in higher education (UGC - MMTTC) University of Delhi from 8 to 17 October 2024.

Dr. Satyapriya Pandey

- प्रकाशित लेख
  - श्रम और सौन्दर्य का समाजशास्त्र : नगर शोभा वर्णन, युगतेवर, अप्रैल – जून, 2024
  - संतों की वाणियों में व्यावसायिक शब्दावली के सन्दर्भ, ब्रज सलिला, अप्रैल – जून, 2024
  - सूक्तियों का समाजशास्त्र, वीणा , जुलाई 2024
  - कहावतों का लोक दर्शन, सोच विचार, सितम्बर, 2024
  - सपनों की मिथक कथा, वीणा, सितम्बर, 2024
  - लोक में कृष्ण, ब्रज सलिला, जुलाई – सितम्बर, 2024

- प्रकाशित पुस्तक : घाघ और उनकी कहावतें (जैविक कृषि के सूत्र), संस्करण –2025, बिम्ब – प्रतिबिम्ब प्रकाशन, फगवाड़ा, पंजाब

- संगोष्ठी में वक्तव्य :

  - रामकथा : लोक और शास्त्र विषय पर आधारित द्विदिवसीय राष्ट्रीय संगोष्ठी में 'अवधी लोकगीतों में रामकथा' विषय पर वक्तव्य, 18–19 अक्टूबर, 2024, दिग्विजयनाथ पी जी कॉलेज, गोरखपुर, उत्तर प्रदेश।

  - रामदरश मिश्र का काव्य : गेयता एवं छंद विधान विषय पर वक्तव्य, दो दिवसीय अन्तरराष्ट्रीय संगोष्ठी 12–13, नवम्बर, 2024, खालसा कॉलेज, दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय।

  - बनादास का अवधी साहित्य में अवदान विषय पर आधारित एक दिवसीय राष्ट्रीय संगोष्ठी (हिन्दुस्तानी एकेडेमी, प्रयागराज) में वक्तव्य, 3 जनवरी, 2025, राम की पैड़ी, अयोध्या।

Dr. Sujata Tewatia

- Tewatia, S. (2024). Feminist utopia aur fantasy: theri gatha se Sultana ka sapna tak. *Hans katha masik*.

- Tewatia, S. (2025). *Pitrisatta, Yaunikta aur Samlaingikta*. Setu Prakashan.

- Resource Person in one day National Seminar on "Gender and Spaces" conducted by WDC, Zakir Husaain Delhi College on 7 of March 2025.

Dr. Suman

- Presented a paper titled "प्रेमचंद के साहित्य में स्त्री" at the National Seminar and Theatre Festival, held on 21-22 February 2024.

- Presented a paper titled "शिक्षा के क्षेत्र में सावित्रीबाई रुके का योगदान" at the National Seminar, held on 15-17 September 2024 at Satyawati College.

- Presented a paper titled "कबीर की नारी चेतना" at the International Seminar organized by Shyam Lal College, held on 7-8 February 2025.

- Presented a paper titled "महादेवी वर्मा के संस्मरण 'बिबिया' में स्त्री प्रश्न" at the seminar held on 20 February 2025 at Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College.

- Presented a paper titled "राष्ट्रीय शिक्षा नीति और जागरण के संदर्भ में जयशंकर प्रसाद" at the Mahakavi Jaishankar Prasad Sahitya Mahotsav, held on 24-25 March 2025.

Department of History

Dr. Dipak Kumar Shukla

- Shukla, D. K. (2024). Recent archaeological explorations along the Gomti River in Tehsil Rudauli, District Ayodhya (Uttar Pradesh). *Culture and Archaeology*, 46, 23-50.
- Presented a paper titled 'Upendra Nath Ghoshal ka Itihas lekhan me yogdan' in *National Seminar on "Bhartiya Shiksha Niti (2020) me Bharteeya Jnan Pranali Evam Itihas aur Itihas Darshan"* organized by Indira Gandhi National Open University on 14 April 2024.
- Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian literary and Cultural Traditions" under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission (UGC) organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.
- Participated in a Faculty Induction Programme (online) under Malaviya Mission Teacher-Training Programme organized by National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi from 05 August- 3 September 2024.
- Completed the Two-Week online Multi-Disciplinary Refresher Programme 'Achieving Sustainable Development Goals Through Higher Education Challenges and Advances in Future' organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in collaboration with Apeejay Stya University, Gurugram, Haryana from 6-18 January 2025.

Ms. Swati Rathi

- Participated in Faculty Development Programme on Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian literary and Cultural Traditions" under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme of University Grants Commission (UGC) organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.
- Participated in a Faculty Induction Programme (online) under Malaviya Mission Teacher-Training Programme organized by National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi from 05 August- 3 September 2024.
- Participated in a Two Week Online Multi-Disciplinary Refresher Programme on 'Achieving Sustainable Development Goals Through Higher Education Challenges and Advances' under MMTP of UGC organized by National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi in collaboration with Apeejay Stya University, Gurugram, Haryana from 6-18 January 2025.

- Resource person in Two-day workshop on Bhartiya Bhasha Pariwar from 24- 25 March 2025 at Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti, IIT-Delhi.

Department of Mathematics

Dr. Anuj Kumar Sharma

- Sharma, A., & Sharma, A. K. (2024). Significant contribution of ancient Bhartiya mathematician towards Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam. *The International Journal of Bharatiya Knowledge System*, 1, 121-133, ISSN (Online): 3048-7315.
- Singh, S., Sharma, A. K., Kindra, B., & Srivastava, A. (2025). New generalized geometric binomial sequence spaces with geometric Laplace transformations. *AIP Conference Proceedings*. (Accepted).
- Singh, S., Sharma, A. K., Agrawal, N., Garg, S., & Singh, A. (2025). A new approach of geometric difference sequence spaces and dual properties. *AIP Conference Proceedings*. (Accepted).
- Sharma, A. K. (2024). Integrated framework for software reliability prediction and analysis (Patent filed 2024).
- PI of the project "Promoting Organic Farming in India: Government Schemes and Certification Strategies" under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (MoE).
- PI of the project "Indian Mathematicians from Ancient to Modern India: Contribution towards the Spirit of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" from January 2024 to ongoing.
- Co-PI of the project "Imperatives of Integration of Bharatiya Knowledge System and Social Security through Meta-Analysis" under the special Call for vision viksit bharat@2047 by ICSSR.
- Academic Facilitator in a two-day Syllabus Designing Workshop for Mathematics under New Learning Outcomes-based Curriculum Framework (LOCF), organized by Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, from January 31 to February 1, 2025.
- Delegate in "National Summit of Institutional Leaders- 2025" Organized by VBUSS and Doon University, Dehradun from 1st -2nd March, 2025.

Dr. Mukesh Kumar

- Resource person in the "Revision of the MSMK and MSLK in the view of NEP-2020 and NCFSE-2023" organized by Department of Education in Science and Mathematics, NIE, NCERT, New Delhi during 18 to 20 November, 2024.

Dr. Rahul Boadh

- Boadh, R., Prasad, R., & Kumar, V. (2024). Discrete mathematics for computer science. Uditi Prakashan International.
- Bhagat, R.K., Boadh, R., & Kumari, M., (2024), A Comparative Study of ANFIS and TANFIS Hybrid Techniques for Prediction of Heart Disease, Afr. J. Biomed. Res. 27(3s), 6389-6398.
- Tiwari, A., Chaudhary, K., Boadh, R., Yogendra Kr. Rajoria, Y.K., (2024), Comparative Study of Maximization Assignment Model by Existing Method and Newly Proposed Methods, International journal of Operational Research. 51 (4) 469-490.
- Boadh, R. et al. (2025). Composition and method for fabrication of surface plasmon resonance for immunoglobulin G (IgG) detection (South African Patent No. 2024/04653).
- Boadh, R. et al. (2025). A system for artificial intelligence-driven drug discovery and development (German Patent Application No. 20 2025 101 043.7).

Mr. Sandeep Kumar

- Lal, S., Kumar, A., & Kumar, S. (2025). Development of two-shop inventory model with multi-variate demand and screening errors under controllable carbon emission. *International Journal of Operational Research*, 52(1), 51-78.
- Presented a paper titled "Optimizing the policy for retailing industries and controllable non instantaneous deteriorating green products with dynamic demand under preservation technology investment and carbon regulatories" at the *Conference of "ICRTM 2025"* organized by Department of Mathematics, Hansraj College, University of Delhi, held on 7-8 February 2025.

Dr. Saubhagyalaxmi Singh

- Singh, S. (2024). Study on *Posbist Reliability Theory and Its Applications*. Scholars' Press.
- Singh, S., Sharma, A. K., Kindra, B., & Srivastava, A. (2025). New generalized geometric binomial sequence spaces with geometric Laplace transformations. *AIP Conference Proceedings*. (Accepted).
- Singh, S., Sharma, A. K., Agrawal, N., Garg, S., & Singh, A. (2025). A new approach of geometric difference sequence spaces and dual properties. *AIP Conference Proceedings*. (Accepted).
- Singh, S. (2024). AI and deep learning-based DRONE system for environmental monitoring in smart cities (Indian Patent No. 202441040389).

- Singh, S. (2024). Language translation device (Indian Design Patent No. 416580-001).
- Coordinator in International Conference organized by Ambedkar Study Circle, Shyam Lal College from 15-16 April 2024.
- Convenor of Inter-college Hackathon: Rewarding the Best Ideas and Deposition in the Institution's YUKTI Innovation Repository, 21-22 November 2024.
- Resource person for the internship program organized by Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education in collaboration with Vidya Bharati Uchcha Shiksha Sansthan, 21-23 August 2024.
- Resource person for a session on "Day to Day Mathematics," 07 September 2024.

Dr. Seema Guglani

- Guglani, S. (2024). *Baudhayana: The Geometric Sage*. Saga Publications.
- Gupta, B., & Guglani, S. (2024). Reviving Vedic Mathematics for Modern Calculus Applications. In K. Tiwari (Ed.), *Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions* (p. 30-48). Research India Press.
- Sharma, D., & Guglani, S. (2024). Ancient Indian Tradition: Relevance of Ramayana and Mahabharata in Contemporary India. In K. Tiwari (Ed.), *Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions* (p. 76-89). Research India Press.
- Guglani, S. (2024). Geometric constructions in Kātyāyana Śulba Sūtra: Analyzing ancient Vedic mathematical techniques. *International Journal of Engineering Sciences & Management Research*, 11(1), January 2024.
- Guglani, S. (2025). Algorithmic analysis of Mānava Śulba Sūtra: Reconstructing Vedic geometry through computational methods. *Global Journal of Engineering Science and Researches*, 12(2), February 2025.
- Guglani, S. (2025). Baudhayana's geometry: ancient insights, mathematical foundations and contemporary relevance. *AIP Conference Proceedings*, 3283, 040036.
- Guglani, S. (2025). Unveiling the mysteries of magic squares: Tracing their origins in ancient history to contemporary applications in mathematical modelling. *AIP Conference Proceedings*, 3283, 040035.
- Guglani, S. (2025). AI Based Software Checking Device (Indian Patent No. 434375-001).
- Guglani, S. (2025). Mathematical Computation Device (Indian Patent No. 445939-001). Filed 2025.
- Completed FDP on Indian Knowledge System: Revisiting Indian Literary and Cultural Traditions organized by UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, National

Institute of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi, in collaboration with Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi from 24-29 June 2024.

- Completed Faculty Development Program on Ancient Indian Mathematics, IKS Division of Ministry of Education, GoI in collaboration with Aryabhatta College, University of Delhi, 1-7 July 2024.
- Completed Faculty Development Programme on Recent Advances in Optimization: Theory and Practices, Jaypee Institute of Information Technology, Noida, FDP, July 15-20, 2024.
- Completed Two-Week Refresher Course on Indian Knowledge Tradition, Ethics, and Human Values, Zakir Hussain College in collaboration with the UGC-Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre, JNU, 21 January to 4 February 2025.
- Certificate Course on "Sanskrit Prashikshana Varga: Basic Sanskrit Course" from 20-28 March 2025 organized by SETU- Bridging the Margins, in collaboration with SIDDHAM, Institute of Indic & Intercultural Studies, Sarnath, Varanasi.
- Coordinator: National summer school titled "National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors" organized by Research and Development Cell, Shyam Lal College in collaboration with IIT Delhi, IUAC New Delhi and Miranda House College, University of Delhi from July 10-19, 2024.

Dr. Subodh Kumar

- Kumar, S., Pratap, H., Kumar, M., Singh, G., Agrawal, N. (2024). Detection and location of restricted key errors, Journal of Computational Analysis and Applications, 33(2), 955-962.
- Kumar, S., Sinha, U. K., Lata. T. (2024). Linear codes locating m-repeated solid burst errors, Discrete Mathematics algorithm and applications, p-2450065(1-10).
- Kumar, S., Pratap, H., Kumar, S., Singh, G., Kumar, M. (2024). Restricted key errors correcting linear codes, Journal of Computational Analysis and Applications, 33(4), 572-578.
- Pratap, H., Kumar, S., Kumar, S., Singh, G., Singh, V. P. (2024). Arbitrary Hilbert transformer design using DST methods, Journal of Computational Analysis and Applications, 33(5), 1079-1085.
- Pratap, H., Kumar, S., Kumar, S., Singh, G., Singh, V. P. (2025). Memory Effect of Deformable Mean and Deformable Standard Deviation, Communications on Applied Nonlinear Analysis, 32(8s), 439-443.

Dr. Sudhir Kumar Yadav

- Attri, A. K., & Yadav, S. K. (2025). *Differential geometry*. Wisdom Press.
- Presented a paper titled "Efficient graph traversal algorithms for large-scale networks: Challenges and solutions" in 4th International Conference on Soft Computing & Mathematical Modeling, Department of Mathematics, KIET Group of Institutions, Uttar Pradesh, 21-22 December 2024.

Dr. Swati Yadav

- Resource Person for 1-Day on 14th September, 2024 of the 30 Days Vidya Bharati Internship Program, organized by Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education in collaboration with Vidya Bharati Uchcha Shiksha Sansthan.
- Resource Person in the Annual Conference of ISMMACS and International Conference on Differential Equations: Theory, Computation and Applications organized by the Department of Mathematics, South Asian University, New Delhi, during 29 November - 1 December, 2024.

Dr. Vinod Kumar

- Ph.D. awarded as co-supervisor: Dr. Seema (Department of Mathematics, Baba Masthnath University, Rohtak, Haryana, India) - Topic: Design and Analysis of Secure Frameworks for Communication Network using Cryptographic Primitives., Dr. Renu (Department of Mathematics, Baba Masthnath University, Rohtak, Haryana, India) - Topic: Design and Analysis Authentication Protocols for Vehicular Network using Cryptographic Techniques.
- R. Boadh, R. Prashad, V. Kumar (2024), Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science, *Uditi Prakashan*, India.
- Kumar, V., Mittal, M., & Kumari, A. (Eds.). (2024). *Optimization techniques for decision-making and information security*. Bentham Science Publishers. ISBN(Online): 978-981-5196-32-0, ISBN(Print): 978-981-5196-33-7.
- Hassan, F., Kumar, V., & Nishad, A. K. (2024). Integration of vehicular communication with digital twins technology for network systems. In *Artificial Intelligence and Information Technologies* (pp. 1-7). CRC Press.
- V. Kumar et al. (2025), A suitable key agreement protocol for autonomous vehicle and digital twin using ECC, *Journal of Discrete Mathematical Sciences & Cryptography*, 28(1), pp. 217-237.

- V. Kumar et al. (2024), Design of Secure and Efficient Framework for Vehicular Digital Twin Networks using ECC, *IEEE ACCESS*, 12, 108657 - 108672, DOI: 10.1109/ACCESS.2024.3511654.
- K. Kumar, V. Kumar, Renu, A. Kumari, R. Sharma (2024), Construction of Authentication Scheme using ECC for Vehicular Cloud Computing, *International Journal of Computer Applications*, 186, 19-25.
- F. Hassan, V. Kumar, A. K. Nishad, A. Kumari (2024), Notes on "On the Design of a Privacy-preserving Communication Scheme for Cloud-based Digital twin Environments using Blockchain", International Journal of Computer Applications, 186, 1-6, DOI:10.5120/ijca2024924022.
- Presented a paper titled "Digital Twins in Architecture: Enhancing and Residence Sustainability in the Face Climate Change" in the *International Paper Presentation Seminar, Department of Architecture*, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, India, 24-26 July, 2024.
- Participated in online Faculty Development Program on "New Horizons in Mathematics: Recent Advances and Future Directions-I", organized by Division of Mathematics, School of Basic Sciences, Galgotias University, Greater Noida, U.P., India, from 20-25 January, 2025.
- Participated in the online Training Programme "NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme under Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MMTTP) of University Grants Commission", organized by Mahatma Hansraj Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MH-MMTTC), Hansraj College, University of Delhi, held July 3-13, 2024.

Dr. Virender

- Verma, R., & Dalal, V. (2025). *An Introduction to Metric Spaces*. Narosa Publishing House.
- Sharma, S.K., Virender & Kaushik, S.K., (2024) A Note on Riesz Bases in the framework of Quaternionic Hilbert Space, *Poincare Journal of Analysis and Applications*, 11(1), 95-105.
- Kumar, K., Virender, & Dalal, N. (2024). A study of frames in Banach spaces. *International Journal of Engineering, Science and Mathematics*, 13(1), 43-53.
- Kumar, K., Virender, & Dalal, N. (2023). 2-woven frames in 2-Hilbert spaces using continuous functions. *International Research Journal of Mathematics, Engineering and IT*, 10(11), 28-36.
- Participated in FDP on Ethical and Responsible AI: Challenges and Opportunities, organized by AMIEE, held from October 1 to 5, 2024.

- Participated in training program on Pedagogical Training for Mathematics Teachers on Complex Analysis organized by Sardar Patel University, Anand, and MTTS, held from March 3 to 8, 2025.
- Presented a paper titled "A Short Survey of Equiangular Tight Frames" in the *National Conference on Ancient Mathematics and Its Emerging Areas*, organized by TMU Moradabad on 24 April 2024.

Department of Physics

Dr. Niti Agrawal

- Agrawal, N. (2025). Performance of Conventional and Modified Solar Photovoltaic Array Configuration under the Combined Effect of Seasonal Variation and Partial Shaded Conditions. *Journal of Energy System*, 9(1), 52 - 67.
- Agrawal, N. (2025). Lambert W function based technique to estimate and compare the performance of partially shaded series-parallel and total-cross-tied configured PV array. *Renewable Energy Research and applications*, 6(1).
- Agrawal, Niti. (2024). Investigating the Impact of Solar Photovoltaic Array Size on its Performance under Partially Shaded Conditions using Lambert W Function, *International Journal of Engineering Research & Technology*,13(9).
- Agrawal, Niti. (2024). Detection and Location of Restricted Key Errors. *Journal of Computational Analysis and Applications*, 33(2).
- Agrawal, Niti. (2024). Electronic Regulation in Solar Photovoltaic Systems: Types, Functionality and Design Aspects. *International Journal of Engineering Research and Applications*, 14(7), 163-167.
- Presented a paper titled "Modified Solar Photovoltaic Array Configuration for Energy Generation Enhancement under Non-Uniform Irradiance Conditions" in International *Conference on "Current Trends in Chemical Sciences for Sustainable Living"* organized by the Department of Chemistry & IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi, on 5 April 2024.
- Convenor of the 10-day long National Summer School & Workshop on Semiconductors: Hands on Training for Undergraduates, held from July 10 -19, 2024.

Dr. Pradeep Sharma

- Sharma, P.K. (2025). Elastic mechanical thermodynamic and thermoelectric properties of pristine and titanium doped Mg2Si: a density functional theory study. *Journal of Physics Condensed Matter*, 37, 025701.

- Completed the Minor Research Project titled "Effect of Ion beam Irradiation on the Thermoelectric Properties of Bi2Te3, Sb2Te3 and MgAgSb based materials, Funded by Kohima Science College, Govt. of Nagaland.
- Coordinator: National summer school titled "National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors" organized by Research and Development Cell, Shyam Lal College in collaboration with IIT Delhi, IUAC New Delhi and Miranda House College, University of Delhi from July 10-19, 2024.
- Resource Person in "Observation of Planetary Parade" organized by Department of Physics and IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on January 25, 2025.

Mr. Raju Ram Meena

- Meena R. R. (2024). High intensity laser guiding in a plasma: amplitude modulation effects. *J Opt phy* , 53(2),1210-1214.
- Meena, R. R., Vijay, A., Choudhary, O. P., Panwar, S., & Yadav, R. (2025). Non-paraxial propagation of amplitude-modulated laser in plasmas for optical sensing applications. *Journal of Optics*, 54(1).

Mr. Ravinder Kumar

- Kumar, R., Goyal, A., Singh, N. (2024). Analysis of line intensity of cloud-to- ground lightning and flux ratio of active galactic nuclei forbidden nebular lines in NII, Indian Journal of Physics. 99 (2): 725-739.

Dr. Sunny Aggarwal

- Coordinator: National summer school titled "National Summer School and Workshop on Semiconductors" organized by Research and Development cell Shyam Lal College in collaboration with IIT Delhi, IUAC New Delhi and Miranda House College, University of Delhi from July 10-19, 2024.
- Resource Person in "Observation of Planetary Parade" organized by Department of Physics and IQAC, Shyam Lal College, University of Delhi on January 25, 2025.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mr. V.S. Jaggi

- Awarded the 6th Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam National Dedication Award 2025 in Sports by the Sports & Education Council.
- Convenor of Selection Committee and Inter College Hockey Tournament, University of Delhi.

- Convenor of Selection Committee, Hockey Trials (Men & Women) for undergraduate admissions on Sports merit.
- Member, Selection Committee and Inter College Baseball Tournament, University of Delhi.
- Member, Organizing Committee of All India Inter Varsity Chess Championship.
- Member, Organizing Committee of All India Inter Varsity Cricket Championship.

Department of Political Science

Dr. Pawan Kharwar

- Presented a paper titled "The Emergence of Nationalism during Bhakti Period in Medieval India" in an *International Conference* organized by the Hindi Department, Shyam Lal College on February 7-8, 2025.
- Subject expert in PM Shri Kendriya Vidyalaya, Shahdara.
- Resource person at the School of Humanities and Social Sciences, Geeta University, Panipat, on the occasion of Janjati Gaurav Diwas, December 26th, 2024.

Dr. Shraddha Nand Rai

- Rai, S. N. (2024). Pradhanmantri Narendra Modi ke karyakal mein Bharat ki videsh niti ka awalokan. *International Journal of Education and Science Research Review*, 11(6).

Dr. Sitaram Kumbhar

- Awarded with a Major Research Project titled "Revisiting Urban Local Bodies: A Study of Local Participation and Challenges of Urban Governance in India" by Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), New Delhi.
- Kumbhar, S. (2024). India's G20 Presidency: Imagining Global Solutions through Indian Civilizational Values. In A. Dwivedi (Eds.), *India's Growing Role in the G20 Opportunities and Challenges* (pp. 74-95). D.P.S. Publishing House.
- Kumbhar, S. (2024). Viksit Bharat@2047: Fighting against poverty and hunger. *World Focus*, 45(534), 47-52.
- Kumbhar, S. (2024). Promoting democratic citizenship: A case for civic literacy in India. *Social Action*, 74(1), 14-26.

DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

- The Botany Living Laboratory project was an initiative designed to provide students with hands-on practical experience in organic farming for sustainability. 30 students participated in this project, learning essential skills such as preparing plant beds, sowing seasonal vegetables, and caring for them, thereby applying theoretical knowledge in a real-world setting. The project was conducted on the college campus from 1st December 2024 to 1st March 2025.
- The Botany Department, in collaboration with the Garden Committee, successfully cultivated a vibrant display of various Chrysanthemum varieties, including Snowball, Rosa, Quill, and Decorative, which bloomed in full splendour on the campus from 1st October- 27th December 2024.
- The Botany Department organized a one-day Lecture on "Learning the Basics of Microscopic Techniques" on 9th April 2025. Total 15 students participated.
- Shyam Lal College (SLC) hosted its flagship event, "Umang-East Delhi Flower Show 7.0", on 24th and 25th February 2025, on its campus. The Garden Committee of SLC, in collaboration with the Botany Department, Eco-Club and IQAC, organized various Intercollege competitions that harmoniously blended aesthetics with sustainability. A total of 150 students participated in this event.
- On the eve of Diwali, Eco-Club, Shyam Lal College in Collaboration with Department of Botany organized a "Best out of waste exhibition" in which 30 students participated.
- The Eco-Club team, comprising 15 students, collaborated with the Department of Botany to organize a compassionate Winter Collection Drive from 21st December to 15th January, 2024.
- E-Waste Quiz Competition was organized by Eco-Club in Collaboration with the Botany Department on 3rd February 2025. Total 25 students participated in this event.
- The Department of Chemistry (Rasaynika) at Shyam Lal College, in collaboration with the Department of Botany (SLC) and NIT Karnataka on 28th February 2025, organized a webinar-cum-seminar on National Science Day. The event's theme was "Empowering Indian Youth for Global Leadership in Science and Innovation for Viksit Bharat".

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

- The Department commenced the academic year with a vibrant celebration of Teacher's Day on September 5, 2024, marking the beginning of its academic events calendar. The event paid homage to Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan for his profound contributions to

education and philosophy. Attended by over 100 participants, including faculty members, students, and laboratory staff, the programme featured inspiring speeches and interactive activities that emphasized the role of teachers in shaping scientific temper and academic excellence.

- The Department organized a week-long event (16th-21st September 2024) to raise awareness on ozone layer protection and environmental sustainability. Highlights included expert lectures by Prof. Radhey Shyam Sharma, Prof. Priti Malhotra, Mr. Sumit Kaushik, and Mr. Dev Kumar, addressing climate change, scientific advancements, public health, and media's role in sustainability. With over 55 students and faculty involved, the event emphasized the vital role of knowledge, communication, and policy in addressing environmental issues.

- The Department, in collaboration with IQAC, Shyam Lal College, organized a webinar on "Ayurveda & Nutrition" to commemorate the 9th National Ayurveda Day on 29th October 2024. The event featured eminent speakers-Dr. Nisha Sharma from Patanjali Yogpeeth, who elaborated on the significance of Ayurveda in lifestyle management and the Tridosha concept, and Prof. Geeta Singh, Director, CPDHE, University of Delhi, who highlighted Ayurveda's relevance in addressing contemporary health challenges. Over 30 students and faculty members participated, and 10 students presented in a PowerPoint competition on themes such as Ayurvedic principles and Ayurveda's role in global health.

- To commemorate World Science Day, the Department organized "SANJEEVANI," a two-day event (8th-9th November 2024) focused on promoting scientific curiosity, teamwork, and environmental awareness. Activities included a Quiz Competition, Elemental Puzzle, Treasure Hunt, and Scientific Presentation, with over 100 students participating. Dr. Sharda Pasricha (Venkateshwara College) delivered a lecture on her current research. The event fostered critical thinking, collaboration, and an appreciation for the role of chemistry in sustainability.

- The Department, in collaboration with the Department of Botany, Shyam Lal College, and the Department of Chemical Engineering, NIT Karnataka, organized a National Science Day celebration on 28th February 2025. The event commenced with a keynote address by Prof. Raj Mohan Balakrishnan (NIT Karnataka) on "Sustainable Development Technologies." The programme featured a range of interactive activities, including a Quiz Competition, Puzzle Solving, and a Poster Making Contest, which witnessed enthusiastic student participation. The event successfully promoted scientific temper, creativity, and awareness of sustainability, leaving a lasting impact on the participants.

- To commemorate International Women's Day on 8th March 2025, the Department, in collaboration with the NSS Unit of Shyam Lal College, organized a webinar on "Role of Women Scientists in STEM." With over 50 participants, the event featured distinguished

speakers-Prof. Sunita Bhagat, Prof. Ruby Mishra, Dr. Neha Paras, and Dr. Divya Mathur- who discussed the achievements and challenges faced by women in STEM fields. The session included student presentations and interactive discussions, successfully encouraging young minds to pursue careers in science and promoting gender equity in innovation.

- The Department organized a two-day symposium on "Decoding Delicious: The Chemistry Behind Food" on March 29-30, 2025 engaging over 25 students. Day 1 featured expert talks by Dr. Sakshi Khurana (Lady Irwin College) on fats and lipids, and Dr. Prabhjot Kaur Sabharwal (Shaheed Rajguru College) on carbohydrates and metabolism, followed by student research presentations. Day 2 focused on proteins, vitamins, and essential nutrients, with contributions from Mrs. Manisha Thakur, Dr. Twinkle Kumar Sachchan, and Mrs. Priyanka Prajapati. The symposium enhanced students' understanding of food chemistry and inspired future research in nutrition and health sciences.
- The Department launched the 'Deep Dive into Research Methodologies' Learning cum Training Series from 28th March to 18th April 2025, conducted in hybrid mode. The series, focusing on the DSE Paper - Research Methodology for Chemists, aimed to enhance students' research skills. The inaugural session featured Dr. Ravi Tomar (SRM Institute of Science & Technology), who presented on 'Scientific Paper Writing: Tips, Techniques, & Best Practices.' Students also engaged in practical presentations on creating databases using Google Scholar, Scopus, and ScienceDirect. This ongoing initiative equips students with vital research, academic writing, and data analysis skills for future scientific contributions.

Department of Commerce

- A Student Development Programme on the topic, "Dynamics of Behavioral Finance 2.0: Thinking beyond Rationality" from July 24 - August 3, 2024 was organized by IQAC and the Department of Commerce. Around thirty scholars from different institutions across the nation participated in this 30-hour add-on course. and gained expertise on the topic. The distinguished resource persons for the Add- on course including Prof. Sunita Arora, Professor, Department of Commerce, Government College for Girls, Gurugram University; Dr. Mukta Rohatgi, Associate Professor, SLC; Vipin Kumar Meena, Assistant Professor, DDU, University of Delhi; Prof. Kavita Arora, Professor, SLC; Dr. Neha Bankoti, Assistant Professor, Amity University; and Dr. Megha Jain, Assistant Professor, SLC. made scholarly deliberations on the topic.
- Mind Mania - Online Quiz Competition organized on November 3-4, 2024 witnessed an impressive turnout of talented minds eager to showcase their problem-solving powers. The event was organized in two rounds with six hundred participants from diverse academic backgrounds.

- A workshop titled "Data Driven Decisions: Business Analytics through Power BI and R" was held from January 21 to 23, 2025. Resource persons included Prof. C.P. Gupta, Professor of Practice at the Lal Bahadur Shastri Institute of Management in Delhi; Prof. Mohnish Kumar from Dr. B.R. Ambedkar College, University of Delhi; Prof. Prabhat Mittal from Satyawati College (Eve), University of Delhi; and Dr. Anil Goswami from the Department of Commerce at the Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi. The workshop aimed to raise awareness about the increasing use of software like R, Power BI, and Tableau. Forty scholars and academicians from various institutions in the Delhi-NCR region attended the workshop.

- The Department of Commerce, the Centre for Skill Development & IQAC at Shyam Lal College, in collaboration with NIELIT, successfully organized a "Five-Day Training Program on Artificial Intelligence" from January 13 to 17, 2025. Offered by NIELIT under Future Skills Prime - an initiative of MeitY-NASSCOM - the program provided in-depth insights into AI and its core principles. Key topics included Python basics for AI, data visualization, machine learning fundamentals, deep learning foundations, image processing, computer vision, and the basics of Natural Language Processing. Around eighty participants attended the training program.

- A seminar on "Sustainability: A Key Driver of Fashion Business and Commerce" was organized on February 11, 2025. Resource person Dr. Girja Jha, Associate Professor in the Department of Fashion Technology at NIFT, New Delhi, elaborated on the crucial intersection of sustainability, fashion, and commerce while inspiring students to embrace sustainable practices in their future careers.

- ELFESTO'25: Annual Commerce Fest organized by the Commerce Association on March 3-4, 2025, was an inclusion of miraculous inter-college competitions where participants invested their zeal and gained hands-on experience. Students from various colleges and institutions in Delhi-NCR participated in various competitions including:

  - Corporate Rangoli, based on money management skills,
  - Best Out of Waste, encouraging creativity and sustainability,
  - Bid Bazar 2.0, where teams were made and players were bid on, putting business skills to the test and,
  - Open Stage - A competitive Talent show with mesmerizing artistic performances.

- A workshop on "Financial Literacy" was organized on March 4, 2025. Distinguished resource persons, Prof. R.P. Tulsian, Chairman, Committee of Financial Literacy, University of Delhi, and CS Dr. Preeti Grover, Regional Council Member, NIRC of ICSI elaborated on different aspects of Financial Literacy to equip the participants with essential knowledge and practical skills to make informed and effective decisions regarding their finances,

- A two-day International Conference on "Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving towards Viksit Bharat@2047" was organized by the Department of Commerce and IQAC, Shyam Lal College in collaboration with ICSSR-NRC on March 10-11, 2025 in the college premises. The International Conference was a testimony of intellect and knowledge sharing as it witnessed the presence of experts from academia and industry from across the world. It was well received by the researcher's fraternity alike as over fifty research papers were presented by researchers from across the country.

Department of Computer Science

- The Department of Computer Science and IQAC, Shyam Lal College organized a 30- hour Add-on course in online mode on Fundamental course on Python from February 24, 2025 to March 10, 2025.
- ASTRA - The CS Society of Shyam Lal College in collaboration with IQAC successfully organized an Alumni Lecture Series on 17th March 2025. Esteemed alumni Mr. Naman Jain (Senior Software Developer Team Lead at Persist Ventures) and Mr. Kapil Gulati (Security Consultant at IBM, formerly with HCL and Accenture). The Department of Computer Science, and IQAC, Shyam Lal College organized the event aimed to provide students with insights into the corporate world, interview preparation strategies, and the perseverance required to secure their first job after multiple attempts.

Department of English

- The Department of English commenced the academic year 2024-2025 with a two-day Orientation Programme for first-year students held on August 30 and 31, 2024. The programme comprised seven lecture sessions designed to introduce students to foundational literary concepts, key terminologies, and theoretical frameworks. The sessions were conducted by the department faculty members on topics such as Introduction to Literature, Periodisation, Genres, Text and Context, Literary Terminology and Indian & World Literature, and Class, Caste and Gender Dynamics.
- In continuation of its academic engagement, the Department, in collaboration with IQAC, organized a special lecture on *Indian Classical Literature* on September 3, 2024, as part of its Special Lecture Series. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Susheel Kumar Sharma, Head, Department of English & Modern European Languages, University of Allahabad. He emphasized the relevance of Indian classical literature in contemporary studies, exploring its role in preserving linguistic heritage and cultural identity.
- On October 1, 2024, the Department organized a documentary screening of *The Life and Works of Virginia Woolf*, directed by Malcolm Hossick. Following the screening, the department conducted its annual Induction Programme organized by *Litworms*, the English Literary Society. The programme served as a platform for students to showcase

their talents and formally welcomed the first-year cohort. The event concluded with vibrant performances by *Aarodhya*, the Indian dance society, and *Swaraagam*, the music society of the college.

- The Department, under the aegis of its Literary Society *Litworms*, organized an Inter-College Paper Presentation Competition on the theme *Exploring Graphic Narratives and Cinema Studies in Popular Culture* on February 19, 2025. The event provided an engaging platform for students to critically examine the intersections of visual storytelling, cinematic forms, and popular culture. Participants from various colleges and universities across Delhi-NCR presented thought-provoking papers, many of which explored unconventional narratives and the socio-cultural impact of graphic literature and cinema.

- As part of its Special Lecture Series, the Department of English organized a lecture on *Reading Disability in Literature and Films* on April 8, 2025. The session was delivered by Prof. Anil Aneja, Department of English and Director, Centre for Disability Studies, University of Delhi. Prof. Aneja's lecture explored the representation of disability in literary and cinematic texts, including epics, plays, and philosophical works by Plato, Foucault, Sartre, and Derrida.

- The English Literary Society, *Litworms*, organized its annual literary festival, *Litephilia'25*, on April 11, 2025. The festival included a variety of competitions, such as *Character Code X*, where participants reimagined backstories of fictional characters; *The Untold Reality* invited participants to rewrite alternate endings of stories; and *Hidden Harmonies* encouraged participants to craft poetry from a provided text. The *Mind Over Matter* debating competition, in collaboration with *Sheershasth - The Bilingual Debating Society*, featured literature-oriented topics. The *Mic Mistique* Open Mic competition, in collaboration with *Qasida*, the Poetry Society, showcased performances in poetry, stand-up comedy, storytelling, music, and more.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

- The year began with the Orientation Ceremony on 29th August 2024, where faculty members warmly welcomed the first-year students. The session introduced them to the department's academic structure, co-curricular opportunities, and the vibrant role of the student-led society Ecomaniacs.

- This was followed by a heartfelt Teachers' Day celebration on 5th September, where students honoured their professors through interactive games, fun challenges, and custom-made titles that celebrated each teacher's unique contribution

- The academic calendar continued with impactful learning experiences, beginning with a Career Seminar on 18th November featuring Mr. Sudeep Chauhan. Drawing from his

extensive industry experience, he offered valuable insights into career planning, adaptability, and personal growth.

- Another highlight was the two-day Workshop on "Use of Research Techniques in Social Sciences", held on 20th-21st February 2025. Under the guidance of Dr. Supriti Mishra and featuring sessions by Dr. Devesh Birwal and Dr. Prabhat Mittal, the workshop equipped students with practical skills in research methodology, Excel, and R programming-bridging the gap between theory and application.
- On 19th March, the EcoRise Club, established through the efforts of Mrs. Jyoti Atri, organized a seminar on "Implementing a Plastic Circular Economy in India". The event featured Dr. Shilpi Kapur Bakshi, an expert in environmental policy, who delivered an insightful session on sustainable practices, circular economy models, and India's environmental challenges.
- The academic year culminated with the annual fest Economica'25, held on 3rd and 4th March 2025. The two-day celebration was inaugurated with a formal ceremony and featured an impressive line-up of events, including Debatrix (debate), Vimarsh (case study), Chess Royale, The Late Talent Show, Algorhytm (short film trailer competition), Squid Games (interactive blind games), and Bid Bang Theory (mock IPL auction).

Department of Mathematics

- Department of Mathematics organized an orientation program for the students who got admission in Ist semester B. Sc. (H) Mathematics and B.Sc. (Physical Sciences).
- On the occasion of National Mathematics Day on 22 December, 2025, Anantsparshi, the Mathematical Society of Shyam Lal College, organized an insightful seminar on Google Meet to honor the contributions of Srinivasa Ramanujan.
- The annual fest 'GANITA-25'on 6th March 2025 organized by Anantsparshi, the Mathematical Society of Shyam Lal College. In this fest students took part in the events as Mathion - The IPL-Inspired Math Auction (Held in the Board Room of SLC), Math Quest - The Treasure Hunt for Mathematicians (Held Across the SLC Campus) and Seminar on "Exploring Actuarial Science and Its Prospects in India" delivered by Mr. Gurpreet Babbar, an accomplished Actuary and Team Leader at Accenture.
- Students across all three years of B.Sc. (H) Mathematics demonstrated strong academic performance, with several achieving CGPAs above 8.0.
- Students achieved remarkable success in national and international competitions, securing top positions and medals across diverse events organized by prestigious institutions like IITs, BITS Pilani, BIMTECH, and international platforms such as SCUDEM and IYMC.

Department of Hindi

- 6 सितंबर 2024 को "राजभाषा की संवैधानिक स्थिति और कार्यान्वयन" विषय पर एकदिवसीय कार्यशाला के तौर पर किया गया, जिसके मुख्य वक्ता श्यामलाल कॉलेज के एसोसिएट प्रोफेसर डॉ. प्रभात शर्मा थे। हिन्दी दिवस के अवसर पर विभाग द्वारा 16 सितंबर, 2024 को एक निबंध प्रतियोगिता और संगोष्ठी का आयोजन किया गया, जिसका विषय "विकसित भारत के निर्माण में हिन्दी की भूमिका" था, जबकि संगोष्ठी का विषय "अनुवाद की संस्कृति और हिन्दी" था। प्रो. रीतारानी पालीवाल, पूर्व प्रोफेसर इग्नू, इस व्याख्यान की मुख्य वक्ता थी। राजभाषा समिति के साथ मिलकर 28 नवंबर को दूसरी कार्यशाला "राजभाषा नीति और उसका कार्यान्वयन" विषय पर आयोजित की गई। राजभाषा विभाग, शिक्षा मंत्रालय, के निदेशक श्री जगदीश राम पॉरी ने इस कार्यशाला को संबोधित किया।
- विभाग द्वारा 7–8 फरवरी, 2025 को आईक्यूएसी एवं भारतीय सामाजिक विज्ञान अनुसन्धान परिषद (उत्तरी क्षेत्रीय केंद्र) के संयुक्त तत्त्वावधान में "भारतीय दर्शन और भक्तिकाव्य" विषय पर दो दिवसीय अंतरराष्ट्रीय संगोष्ठी का बेहद सफल आयोजन किया गया।
- राजभाषा समिति के साथ विभाग ने 26 मार्च को कार्यालय में "राजभाषा का प्रयोग : हिन्दी टाइपिंग, टिप्पण एवं मसौदा लेखन" विषय पर एक दिवसीय कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया। केवल कृष्ण, भूतपूर्व वैज्ञानिक–एफ इस कार्यशाला के वक्ता थे।

Department of Physics

- On National Science Day (February 28, 2025), the Department of Physics, SLC organized a visit to the Inter-University Accelerator Centre (IUAC), Delhi. Ten students and three faculty members explored cutting-edge accelerator facilities, interacted with researchers, and gained valuable insights into nuclear physics and scientific research.
- On January 25th, 2025, the Department of Physics and IQAC, Shyam Lal College hosted the Planetary Parade, celebrating a rare celestial alignment with observation sessions and expert talks. The event inspired over 40 students and faculty, fostering curiosity in astronomy and space sciences.
- Students of the department achieved remarkable success across all years with top CGPAs in Chemistry, Computer Science, and Electronics.

Department of Political Science

The Gandhi Study Circle of Shyam Lal College, in collaboration with the Department of Political Science and IQAC, organized one-day National Seminar on "Gandhian Ideas and Viksit Bharat@2047" on 1st October 2024. A large number of scholars and researchers participated in the event, and the eminent participants of the event were the Head of the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi, Professor Rekha Saxena; social activist and journalist Dr. Bhavani Dixit; Dr Rajnish Kumar Gupta and Dr. Devasi M. Anthony. Many

students and faculty members also participated and presented papers. About 160 students, 20 faculty members, and 5 resource persons. There was an inaugural session and two technical sessions.

B.A. Programme

- The Orientation Programme was held on October 8, 2024, at the Seminar Hall, providing a comprehensive platform for newcomers to gain insight into the college's academic and extracurricular landscape. The session covered course structures, faculty introductions, society engagements, and recruitment procedures, while also encouraging active participation in various activities and interactive discussions.
- The Shastrarth Group Discussion Competition was organized on October 22, 2024, at Innovation Plaza, offering a dynamic platform for intellectual exchange. The top three performers were awarded trophies, while all participants received certificates in recognition of their involvement.
- Vasantotsav'25, held on February 25th and 27th, 2025, was a vibrant celebration of talent, creativity, and competitive spirit, featuring a range of engaging activities including Knowledge Knockout, Lens Legend, Handmade Harmony, Ecopreneur, Scavenger Hunt, Talking Titans, Open Mic and Best Dressed competitions, making Vasantotsav'25 a memorable and enriching experience for all.
- The seminar on "One Nation One Election" was held on March 19, 2025, focusing on the concept of conducting simultaneous elections in India. During the session, speakers highlighted the potential benefits of this approach, including the reduction of election-related expenses, improved governance efficiency, and the promotion of policy continuity across the country. The Chief Guest of the seminar was Hon'ble Mr. Justice Adarsh Kumar Goel, Former Judge, Supreme Court of India, and Former Chairperson, National Green Tribunal. The Keynote Speaker was Dr. Anirban Ganguly, Chairman and Trustee of the Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee Research Foundation (SPMRF).

Library

Our college Library has a rich collection of over 57500 books covering the gamut of different disciplines. E-Resources facility is provided through DULS, N-LIST and DELNET to its users to access the world's best Databases, e-Journals, e-Books etc. The Library is automated. This year (2024 – 2025) under report, 544 books were added to our collection in various subjects.

The College Library provides following services to its users-

- Circulation services
- In Knowledge Resource Center, users can access E- resources (through DULS) & N-LIST. Internet access facility is also provided to its users in Knowledge Resource Center.

- Web OPAC
- DELNET
- Newspapers clipping service
- Inter Library Loan
- Through N-LIST, DULS and DELNET remote access facility is provided to its users for accessing E-resources.
- Reference services
- Reading Room facilities
- The College Library also provides support services to visually impaired students by providing Angle Pro device.
- College Library organized Library Orientation Programme for newly admitted students on 02.09.2024, 03.09.2024, 04.09.2024, 06.09.2024 and 09 .09.2024.
- The College library had organized 6th Book exhibition fair on dated 23.10.2024 in collaboration with IQAC.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

- Organized a one-day symposium on "Exploring & Connecting Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams and Gurukuls for the Benefit of HEIs: A Working Model as per Mandate of NEP 2020" on March 18, 2025 in collaboration with Saraswati IKS Centre.
- Organized an International Conference on "Sustainability, Technology, and Education: Driving towards Viksit Bharat@2047" in collaboration with Department of Commerce and ICSSR-NRC on March 10-11, 2025.
- Organized a 30- hour Add-on course on "Fundamental course on Python" from February 24, 2025 to March 10, 2025 in collaboration with Department of Computer Science.
- Organized an International Conference on "भारतीय दर्शन और भक्ति काव्य" on 7-8 February, 2025 in collaboration with Department of Hindi and Indian Council of Social Science Research (Northern Regional Center).
- Organized a "Five-Day Training Program on Artificial Intelligence" from January 13 to 17, 2025 in collaboration with Department of Commerce, the Centre for Skill Development and NIELIT. This course was successfully offered by NIELIT under Future Skills Prime - an initiative of MeitYNASSCOM - the program provided in-depth insights into AI and its core principles.

- Hosted the Planetary Parade, celebrating a rare celestial alignment with observation sessions and expert talks on January 25, 2025 in collaboration with Department of Physics. The event inspired over 50 students and 25 faculty, fostering curiosity in astronomy and space sciences.
- Celebrated Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav on December 11, 2024 to commemorate the birth anniversary of the illustrious Tamil poet, nationalist, and social reformer Shri Subramania Bharati in collaboration with Sarasvati IKS Centre. Prof. Manish R. Joshi, Secretary of the University Grants Commission (UGC), graced the occasion as the Chief Guest.
- Released The book "Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions" on August 14, 2024 as part of the AICTE-sponsored internship project Bharatiya Gyan Samvahan Karyakram 2022 in collaboration with Sarasvati IKS Centre.
- Organized a 30-hour Add-on/Student Development Programme "Dynamics of Behavioral Finance 2.0: Thinking beyond Rationality" from July 24 - August 3, 2024 in collaboration with Department of Commerce.

UNNAT BHARAT ABHIYAN (UBA)

- UBA in collaboration with Eco-Club, visit to Doordarshan office on 28th January 2025. Total 20 students participated in the event.
- UBA in collaboration with Eco-Club, organized a village visit to Javli, Uttar Pradesh, on September 4th, 2024. During the visit, the team interacted with local school students, introducing them to organic farming and sustainable plantation practices. This was followed by a plantation drive, which included soil and water sample collection for quality analysis. A total of 20 students participated in this event
- On the occasion of Republic Day, the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan team of Shyam Lal College proudly participated in the Gram Sabha organized in our adopted villages.
- UBA Cell got a project "Promoting Organic Farming in India: Government Schemes and Certification Strategies" under Unnat Bhart Abhiyan Regional Centre IIT Delhi (MoE).

INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL (IIC)

The Institution's Innovation Council was established at Shyam Lal College under MOE's Innovation Cell, an initiative launched in November of 2018. The primary mandate of Innovation Cell, MHRD is to encourage, inspire and nurture young students by supporting them to work with new ideas. SLC's Innovation Council works towards inculcating the spirit of innovation among students, and developing a start-up ecosystem. At IIC-SLC, students participate in mentoring sessions, workshops and innovative idea competitions outside college. Faculties are also involved in different innovation ideas and published design patent

also many more patents under Intellectual property of India under Patent office Government of India. The council conducts various activities to inspire creativity and nurture a startup ecosystem and conducting Hackathon also innovation presentation for inter college students. The Institution Innovation Council (IIC), Shyam lal College has been awarded a prestigious 3-star rating by AICTE.

Student Achievements

- Tanishq Sehgal B.Com (H) 3rd yr Proven debating and business skills: Reached the national level at IIT Bombay, secured top positions in competitions at Maitreyi College, Shaheed Rajguru College, and IIIT Delhi, and was selected for a startup bootcamp at IIM Bangalore.
- Khushal Gupta B.Com (H) 3rd yr 7 months as a Human Resources Manager at EyeConic and involvement in the Delhi University Literature Festival's marketing team.
- Rahul Sharma B.Sc (H) Maths 3rd yr Exceptional performance in competitive events: 1st place in Genesis (BITS Pilani), Fake Investor (IIT BHU), and Travelogue (JAYPEE School), and 2nd place in Sustainopoly (BIMTECH) and FIFA Supreme (IIT Delhi).
- Abhishek B.Sc (P) Phy Sc. (chem) 2nd yr Coordinated events at IIT Delhi's World Technocon and IIT Roorkee, secured 2nd prize in the E-Canvas competition at Agno 24 along with a UI/UX Internship at Nexus Info and completed an AI Bootcamp at NIELIT Delhi.

Event Details

- Attended the IIC 6.0 MIC driven Q4 activities by AICTE and Ministry of Education on 29th July, 31st July, 2nd August, 5th August 2024 to promote new ideas and start businesses.
- On 3rd Oct, 2024 organized a session on Idea Generation for Start-ups. The event aimed to encourage students to think creatively and develop an entrepreneurial mindset.
- On October 15, 2024, conducted an Online Poster Making Competition to honor Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam on his birth anniversary.
- Successfully participated a Live Session on MIC Programs & Schemes with Dr. Abhay Jere on October 23, 2024.
- Took part in the Sardar Patel Memorial Lecture on October 26, 2024. The lecture, titled "Indian Space Odyssey: In Search of New Frontiers," was held at Rang Bhawan Auditorium, Akash Vani Bhawan. It was a great opportunity for students to learn about India's progress in space exploration and future possibilities in the field.
- On November 9, 2024, students and faculties of IIC and UBA from Shyam Lal College visited the ATL Innovation Exhibition – TECHATHON 2024 at IIT Delhi. The event was

organized by Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA), Atal Tinkering Lab (ATL), and Vidhya Bharti Schools. It provided a great platform for young innovators to present their creative ideas and new technologies.

- The Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) at Shyam Lal College organized a field visit to the Design Innovation Centre (CIC) on November 13, 2024. The purpose of the visit was to give students a hands-on experience with new design ideas, technologies, and creative problem-solving methods.
- On November 19, 2024, held a workshop on "Entrepreneurship and Innovation as a Career Opportunity" by Guest Speaker: Dr. R. Siddheswaran (Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, Pondicherry University, India).
- Successfully organized the event "Inter Hackathon: Rewarding the Best Ideas and Deposition in the Institution's YUKTI Innovation Repository" on 21st and 22nd November 2024. It provided a platform for students to showcase their ideas and entrepreneurial skills.
- Conducted an expert talk on "Process of Innovation Development, Technology Readiness Level (TRL); Commercialization of Lab Technologies & Tech-Transfer" on December 12, 2024 by Dr. Ramanand is a renowned public policy expert and the Founder-Director of the Center of Policy Research and Governance (CPRG).
- On January 24, 2025, successfully held the "Innovation & Entrepreneurship Outreach Program in PM SHRI KV, Shahdara." Conducted poster making and essay writing competition.
- Organized the "Innovations Showcase: Poster Presentation of Innovations on February 13 and 14, 2025. This event gave students a chance to share their creative ideas through poster presentations, encouraging innovation and entrepreneurship.

STRIVING TOWARDS EXCELLENCE: CENTRES

SARASVATI IKS CENTRE

The Sarasvati IKS Centre at Shyam Lal College remained actively engaged in fostering Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) through a variety of academic and cultural events aligned with NEP 2020. These initiatives provided a dynamic platform for students and faculty to explore the depth of India's traditional wisdom and cultural heritage.

- The book "Bharatiya Gyan Parampara: Discourses and Traditions" was officially released on August 14, 2024 as part of the AICTE-sponsored internship project Bharatiya Gyan Samvahan Karyakram 2022, led by the Sarasvati IKS Centre at SLC. The event was graced by Prof. Balram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi, as Guest of Honour and was attended by 50 participants.

- A Book Fair was organized on October 23, 2024, featuring stalls from 13 to 15 national and international publishers, with a footfall of 200 students and 100 teachers.
- Bharatiya Bhasha Utsav was celebrated on December 11, 2024 to commemorate the birth anniversary of the illustrious Tamil poet, nationalist, and social reformer Shri Subramania Bharati. The event was organized in line with the UGC directive. Prof. Manish R. Joshi, Secretary, UGC, was the Chief Guest. The event witnessed participation from 100 students.
- A one-day symposium on "Exploring & Connecting Great Indian Knowledge Networks of Ashrams and Gurukuls for the Benefit of HEIs: A Working Model as per Mandate of NEP 2020" was conducted on March 18, 2025. The keynote address was delivered by Prof. Chand Kiran Saluja, Director-Academics, Sanskrit Promotion foundation. Eminent speakers included Prof. Prakash Joshi from the University of Allahabad and Mr. Ravi Singh Choudhary, author and researcher. A special talk was delivered by Mr. Harish Swaminathan, an electronics engineer. The symposium was attended by 50 students and 30 faculty members.

VIMARSH (THE READING CLUB) - UNDER SARASVATI IKS CENTRE

- A film screening of Swatantra Veer Savarkar was organized on September 10, 2024, with participation from 60 students.
- A quiz competition based on the screening of Swatantrya Veer Savarkar was held on September 11, 2024, with 21 students participating.
- The orientation session of the Student Induction Programme was held on September 30, 2024 and saw the participation of 31 students.
- A Seminar on "Unveiling History through Vedic literature" under the Student Induction Programme was conducted on October 1, 2024, with Dr. Gayatri Chaturvedi from the Department of History, SLC, as the resource person. A total of 38 students attended the session.
- A Group Discussion Forum on the topic "India's Progress in Space Technology: Collaborative Efforts and Future Prospects" was held on October 22, 2024, with the active participation of 15 students.
- A film screening of Sardar Udham Singh was conducted on November 13, 2024 and attended by 40 students.
- A discussion forum on "Navigating the Digital Maze -Cyberspace and the Dark Web" was held on January 24, 2025, with participation from 40 students.
- A film screening of Rocketry: The Nambi Effect was held on March 7, 2025 and attended by 26 students.

Centre for Industry Interaction (CII)

- An Interactive Mentoring Session was organized by the Centre for Industry Interaction on April 19, 2024 in collaboration with IQAC. The session aimed to provide students with valuable career insights and offer guidance from our distinguished alumni- Mr. Rahul Batra, Analyst at Google Operations Centre and Ms. Aastha Arora, Specialist-Accounting at MongoDB.
- The Centre for Industrial Interaction organized a quiz competition – Quizmania on April 19, 2024 in collaboration with IQAC. The competition encompassed a diverse array of question types, including logo identification, advertisement analysis, mythology, meme culture, and basic mathematics. This ensured a comprehensive test of the participants' knowledge across various domains, stimulating their intellect and fostering healthy competition.
- The Centre for Industry Interaction organized an Auction event "Startup निवेश", on April 19, 2024 in collaboration with IQAC aiming to promote entrepreneurship and Startups among students, faculty, and industry professionals. The event was a great success involving about 20+ participants.

Training and Placement Cell (TPC)

The Training and Placement Cell of Shyam Lal College, remained dedicated to providing students with valuable internship and placement opportunities during the academic year 2024–2025. Through a series of workshops, seminars, and webinars, the Cell focused on grooming students to meet the expectations of the corporate world. It played a vital role in bridging the gap between academia and industry by organizing impactful career-building events and facilitating multiple online recruitment drives, primarily for internships.

- On October 18, 2024, the Training and Placement Cell organized a seminar on "Opportunities in the Digital Space and Preparing for Futuristic Careers" in collaboration with NIIT Limited. The session was led by Ms. Shalini Kumar, a distinguished industry expert with over 30 years of experience, who provided valuable insights into the evolving digital ecosystem and highlighted emerging career paths. Emphasizing the importance of future-ready skills and adaptability in a tech-driven job market, the seminar engaged over 60 students in interactive discussions, enhancing their understanding of opportunities in the digital domain.
- On January 30, 2025, the Training and Placement Cell organized a seminar on "College to Corporate", in collaboration with UPES Dehradun. This seminar was led by Dr. Deepak Bangwal, who focused on preparing students for the corporate world. He highlighted the importance of communication, collaboration and mentorship, along with aligning academic learning with industry expectations. The session empowered students to take proactive steps toward career readiness and professional development.

- On February 18–19, 2025, the cell organized PROSPECT'25 – A Job and Internship Fair, aimed at facilitating connections between students and various organizations. It was the offline job and internship drive that brought together over 40 companies, including Accenture, NIIT, ICICI, etc. The event, held at college's main ground, attracted over 550 student participants from commerce, arts and science streams. Students explored diverse roles—ranging from data analytics to marketing and HR-through direct interaction with company representatives, pre-placement talks and on-the-spot interviews. The event was a success, earning praise for its organization and student engagement.

CENTRE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT (CSD)

During 2024-25, the Centre for Skill Development (CSD) successfully organized several add-on courses, seminars, workshops, and competitions, bringing together industry, experts, and academia to foster skill development, technological awareness, and career growth opportunities. The centre provided multiple platforms for students to explore new domains, enhance their employability, and engage in hands-on learning experiences.

- On April 24, 2024, the CSD, SLC organized an industrial visit to New Holland Fiat India Private Limited, located in Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh. This visit provided an opportunity to witness the intricacies of tractor production and understand the dynamics of the agricultural machinery industry.
- On May 9, 2024, the CSD in collaboration with IQAC, SLC organized a National Webinar on "Confluence of Technological Innovation and Rapid Digitization". The resource person, Mr R. Vignesh, Senior Analyst-2, Financial Modelling (TMT Sector), Daloopa Pvt. Ltd., elucidated the latest developments in emerging technologies and highlighted their practical applications across various domains.
- Add-on Courses in Foreign Languages: During the current academic session, the centre organized following foreign language courses in collaboration with Department of Germanics and Romance Studies, University of Delhi and the Department of East Asian Studies, University of Delhi.
    - Certificate course in German
    - Certificate course in Spanish
    - Certificate course in Japanese
    - Diploma course in German
    - Diploma course in French
    - Diploma course in Spanish
    - Advance diploma course in French

- Add-on Courses in IT: CSD in collaboration with the National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology, Delhi (NIELIT) successfully organized three certificate courses in Information Technology during the academic session:
  - Certificate Course in Digital and Social Media Marketing
  - Certificate Course in Office Automation
  - Certificate course in Machine learning
- On October 9, 2024, the centre organized an Orientation Program for the students of its Add-on Courses. The session emphasized the importance of learning a foreign language and its potential to open up international academic and career opportunities besides guiding students on how to make the most of these additional learning avenues.
- On October 9, 2024, the centre, in collaboration with NIELIT, organized a seminar on "Cultivating Expertise: Empower Your Career with IT Skills". The seminar emphasized the critical role of IT skills in today's job market. The resource persons Mr. Shivlok Singh, Deputy Director, NIELIT and Mr. Nilesh Varshney, Deputy Director, NIELIT discussed diverse domains like cybersecurity, programming, data analytics, and cloud computing.
- A Five-Day Training Programme on Artificial Intelligence was jointly organized by the CSD, in collaboration with NIELIT, the Department of Commerce, and the IQAC, from January 13-17, 2025. Offered by NIELIT under FutureSkills Prime—an initiative of MeitY-NASSCOM—the programme provided in-depth insights into Artificial Intelligence and its foundational principles. Key topics covered included Python basics for AI, data visualisation, fundamentals of machine learning, foundations of deep learning, image processing, computer vision, and the basics of Natural Language Processing (NLP). The training programme witnessed enthusiastic participation, with around eighty attendees actively engaging in the sessions.
- On February 6, 2025, the centre, in collaboration with Upstox (an initiative of the TATA Group), organized a Workshop on “Stock Trading and Breakout Strategy”. The session offered an engaging overview of the fundamentals of stock trading. The resource person, Mr Milan Bavishi, Director-Content, UPStudents, explored financial markets, investment techniques, and real-time strategies, including breakout methods.
- On October 16, 2024, the centre, in collaboration with the Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG), the Training and Placement Cell (TPC), and the IQAC, organized a Quiz Competition on “Auditing”. The competition attracted widespread participation from students and sparked curiosity about audit systems, compliance standards, and accountability in financial operations. The First Prize was awarded to Lakshay Luthra and Ankit Kumar from B.Com Programme, 1st Year, SLC while the Second Prize was secured by Archisha Singhal and Binita from B.Com (Hons.), 2nd Year, SLC.

- "Decode the Dilemma," a stimulating National-Level Case Study Competition aimed at evaluating analytical thinking, decision-making skills, and business insight, was held on March 27–28, 2025. The event witnessed an overwhelming response, with over 214 registrations from prestigious institutions such as IIT Delhi, NIT Delhi, DSEU, Christ University, Indraprastha University, and several colleges from both the North and South Campus of the University of Delhi. The First Prize was awarded to Manas from Shyam Lal College; the Second Prize went to Roshni Saw, B.A. (Political Science), 3rd Year, Lady Shri Ram College; and the Third Prize was secured by Ankit, B.Tech (1st Year), Indraprastha University.

- The Centre for Skill Development, in collaboration with the Entrepreneurship Cell of the College organized "Yuvaspandana'25: National Skill Development and Startup Fair" on March 27-28, 2025. The event featured a diverse range of competitions that provided students with a platform to showcase their talents beyond the classroom.

  - Among the key highlights was the Skill Expo, an exhibition of student-led startups, skill demonstrations, and creative installations. The expo offered hands-on experiences and networking opportunities, with the winner being Strokes by Nehil (Art Works), whose stall presented engaging exhibits and merchandise that aligned most closely with the theme of "Sustainable Innovations".

  - Another exciting event, Beat-Sync, tested participants' timing and creativity, where contestants captivated the audience with their synchronized performances and musical precision. The winner of Beat-Sync was Electra, the Dance Society of Motilal Nehru College.

  - Additionally, the Solve Explore competition showcased remarkable problem-solving abilities among participants, encouraging analytical thinking and collaborative teamwork. The First Prize was awarded to Troublemakers from Satyawati College, while the Second Prize went to Riddle Masters from Shyam Lal College. The Third Prize was secured by Phoenix Squad, also from Shyam Lal College.

WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CENTRE (WDC)

- Women's Development Centre organized a talk on "Women and Environmental Issues" on May 2, 2024 at 11.30 a.m. in the Board Room. Professor Neera Agnimitra, Chairperson, International Relations, University of Delhi, was invited to deliver the talk. Prof. Agnimitra also teaches at the Department of Social Work, University of Delhi. The talk focused on how all of us are affected by environment and environmental changes and degradation, but how some of us are disproportionately affected, which includes people living in the countries of the global South, the communities which depend on agriculture, fishing, forests for their living etc. She also spoke about the anthropogenic or human induced changes which are adversely and irreversibly altering the environment and the

long-term consequences of the same. The speaker also emphasized the need for each one of us to see the environmental concerns as our own and try and make a difference through our choices and actions.

- Women's Development Centre organized extempore competition on March 4, 2025 at 11.30 a.m. in Innovation Plaza 1. The competition was bilingual, with participants having the option to speak in Hindi or English. Topics were provided on the spot and revolved around various aspects of women and girls' lives, such as "Women and Health," "Building Safe Spaces/Cities for Women," "Role of Men/Boys in the Fight for Gender Equality" etc. The event had student participants from various courses/disciplines.

GANDHI STUDY CIRCLE (GSC)

The Gandhi Study Circle of Shyam Lal College, in collaboration with the Department of Political Science and IQAC, organized a one-day National Seminar on the topic "Gandhian Ideas and Viksit Bharat@2047" on October 1, 2024. The event saw enthusiastic participation from over 160 students, 20 faculty members, and 5 resource persons, including distinguished guests like Prof. Rekha Saxena, Head of the Department of Political Science at the University of Delhi, Dr. Bhavani Dixit (social activist and journalist), Dr. Rajnish Kumar Gupta, and Dr. Devasi M. Anthony. The seminar focused on the relevance of Gandhi's principles—such as Swadeshi, Gram Swaraj, sustainability, non-violence, and ethical leadership—in achieving the vision of a developed and self-reliant India by 2047. Eminent speakers emphasized the importance of reconnecting youth with Gandhian values to foster peace, inclusivity, and sustainable development. The seminar successfully highlighted the timeless significance of Indian knowledge systems and Gandhian philosophy in shaping a just and progressive future.

AMBEDKAR STUDY CIRCLE (ASC)

The Ambedkar Study Circle, SLC continued its tradition of organizing meaningful events to honor the legacy and vision of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar during the academic session 2024-25.

- A significant academic milestone was the two-days International Conference titled "Ambedkar's Perspective on Dynamics of Indian Economy: A Way Towards Viksit Bharat @2047", organized by Ambedkar Study Circle & IQAC of Shyam Lal College in collaboration with Department of African Studies, University of Delhi on April 15-16, 2024, in Conference Centre and Shyam Lal College, respectively. The event brought together scholars and experts to explore Dr. Ambedkar's economic vision and its relevance in shaping a developed India by 2047.
- Ambedkar Study Circle, SLC celebrated 75th Constitution Day of India on November 26, 2024 in the college premises.
- An online Inter-College Quiz Competition was also conducted during the session, encouraging students to engage with Dr. Ambedkar's life, philosophy, and contributions in an interactive and intellectually stimulating format.

- To observe the Death Anniversary of Babasaheb Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, the Ambedkar Study Circle organized a poignant and respectful event on December 6, 2024. Faculty members, students, and non-teaching staff gathered to pay tribute to Dr. Ambedkar. A solemn Pushpanjali ceremony was held as a symbolic gesture of respect and gratitude. The gathering also renewed its commitment to carry forward Dr. Ambedkar's ideals of social justice, equality, and service to society.

ENACTUS

Enactus, SLC has been steadfast in its mission to foster social impact while nurturing entrepreneurial skills among its members. Throughout the academic year, the team engaged in a series of impactful events and initiatives.

- As part of its social outreach, Enactus conducted dog food drives on October 10, 2024 and February 16, 2025.
- A donation drive for Project Paw-Shaak was held on August 28-29, 2024.
- Team set up exhibition stalls at various institutions. These included BVCOE College on October 16, 2024, ANDC College on February 24, 2025, and during SLC's Yuvaspandana event on March 28, 2025.
- The flagship event of Enactus, 'Anvesha', was held on March 5-6, 2025. The event featured two exciting business competitions—*Bid Magnate and Innowave*. The highlight of Anvesha was the Sustainability Conclave, which welcomed notable industry leaders such as Mr. Manil Agarwal (Founder of Sustenable), Mr. Mriganka Saha (CEO at Suspack Technologies), Mr. Vivek Vishal (Marketing Head at Namo E-Waste), and Ms. Preet (Founder of Vriksha Veda). The conclave was followed by vibrant cultural performances, and the event witnessed participation from over 10 colleges across the University of Delhi.
- On September 6, 2024, the team hosted a seminar on "MBA as the Best Career Option" in collaboration with Career Launcher, featuring Mr. Sudeep Chauhan as the guest speaker. This was followed by a workshop on "How to Crack CAT 2025" on October 17, 2024, conducted in collaboration with IMS and led by Mr. Siddharth Singhal.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL (E-CELL)

The Entrepreneurship Cell in collaboration with the Centre for Skill Development of the College organized “Yuvaspandana'25: National Skill Development and Startup Fair” on March 27-28, 2025. A major highlight was the Skill Expo - a vibrant celebration of youth innovation and entrepreneurial spirit. Noteworthy initiatives from Enactus teams were featured, reflecting creativity and social impact. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from institutions such as Shyam Lal College, Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, Kirori Mal, Hansraj College, and several prominent national colleges.

ECO - CLUB

- On June 5, 2024, Plantation and Plastic Collection drive was jointly organized by Eco-club and Garden Committee in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi. 30 students participated in this event.
- On August 14, 2024, launched the 'Plant for Mother' campaign, in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi. 50 Volunteers planted trees in the Campus.
- Received a Certificate of Appreciation for its contribution to Environment Conservation and Participation in "International Green Board room" in College Campuses under the aegis of International Seminar on Envisaging Bharat as voice of Global South: Revisiting COP28 in collaboration with Indian Council for Social Sciences research (Ministry of education, GOI) held on August 28, 2024.
- On September 4, 2024, in collaboration with UBA visited Jawli village, Uttar Pradesh. Twenty students took part in the outreach.
- On September 10, 2024, organized a speech competition in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi. Approximately 25 students participated.
- On September 17, 2024, organized a slogan writing competition and plantation drive on campus, in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, on the occasion of Ozone Week. 30 students participated in the event.
- On October 30, 2024, in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, organized an awareness drive on "Zero Waste" through a speech competition, involving 30 student participants.
- On the eve of Diwali, October 25, 2024, in collaboration with Department of Botany, organized a "Best Out of Waste" exhibition, in which 30 students participated.
- On November 27, 2024, organized Orientation Program. 35 students participated.
- On December 11, 2024, ten Eco-Club members participated in "Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav", organized by Saraswati IKS Centre in collaboration with IQAC.
- From November 30 to December 20, 2024, in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, organized a series of educational and environmental awareness visit to various biodiversity parks, including Kamal Nehru Ridge, Aravalli Biodiversity Park, Biodiversity Park, Sunder Nursery, and Yamuna Biodiversity Park, with batches of 20 students each enhancing environmental awareness.
- The Eco-Club team, comprising 15 students, collaborated with Department of Botany to organize Winter Clothing Collection Drive from December 21, 2024 to January 15, 2025.
- On February 3, 2025, an E-Waste Quiz Competition was organized in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, with 25 students participating.

- The Garden Committee of SLC, in collaboration with Eco-Club, Botany Department, and IQAC, organized "Umang-East Delhi Flower Show 7.0", on February 24-25, 2025. A total of 150 students participated in this event.
- On March 26, 2025, in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, organized an Earth Hour event. 30 students participated in the event.
- Organized a 2-day event on World Water Day (March 21-22, 2025) in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi.
- A team of 5 students from Eco-Club in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi, conducted a pilot project on the Tree QR Code Project within the college campus. Following its initial success, the project was scaled up and implemented from September 25, 2024 to January 15, 2025.
- Carried out an eco-friendly initiative, "Holi Goes Green: The Natural Colour Project", from March 1-10, 2025 in collaboration with Department of Environment, NCT of Delhi with 15 students participating.
- On January 28, 2025, in collaboration with UBA, 20 students visited the Doordarshan office.

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

The NSS unit of Shyam Lal College has organized following events during the year 2024-25 on various occasion.

- Organized two impactful events "The Har Ghar Tiranga Rally" and "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam", Plantation Drive, on August 13th and 14th to celebrate Independence Day.
- On October 1st, 2024, launched a Cleanliness Drive under the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan Special Campaign 2.0 and Swachhata Hi Seva (SHS) Campaign.
- Participated in the Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) Program. Eight dedicated volunteers were selected as Campus Ambassadors to promote voter awareness and attended workshops in the month of November and December 2024
- Organized impactful competitions in January 2025, including Poster Making, Digital Poster Making, and Creative Writing, along with a Voting Awareness Walk.
- On 1st March 2025, organized a Wall Painting Activity at Shashiraj Old Age Home, Karkardooma, Delhi.
- On August 15, 2024, participated in the "My Bharat Logo Human Chain" formation at Gyan Path, Red Fort, New Delhi with eight dedicated volunteers.

- Two volunteers from NSS unit were selected to participate in the National Adventure Camp at the Regional Mountaineering Centre, Dharamshala, from 12th to 21st September 2024.
- Three volunteers from NSS unit were selected to participate in the National Adventure Camp at ABVIMAS, Manali, from 10th November to 19th November 2024.

NATIONAL CADET CORPS (NCC)

Enrolment

- The enrolment began in September with 45 applicants. After two rounds of physical, written, and interview assessments, 18 cadets were selected. The process tested fitness, general awareness, reasoning, and personality.

Camps Attended

- CATC Camp (1–7 Dec 2024) at NCC Bhawan, Rohini was attended by CDT Anshika. Cadets underwent daily physical training, parade practice, and weapon handling, including a shooting session. Motivational lectures on leadership, discipline, and patriotism were delivered by Army officers, promoting unity and responsibility.
- Prime Minister's Rally (3–29 Jan 2025) at Cariappa Parade Ground saw participation from CDT Anshika, Maithli, Siyari, Gauri, and Saloni. Cadets trained intensively for synchronized drills and cultural performances. On 27 January, they performed in the presence of the Hon'ble Prime Minister. The rally emphasized national integration, discipline, and cultural diversity.
- Annual Training Camp (24th April to 3rd May) at DG NCC, Cariappa Parade Ground saw participation from 16 cadets of our college. Cadets participated in weapon training, map reading, first aid training, cultural programs, sports competition and social services. The cadets also won first position in solo singing and second prize in group song.

Other Activities

- Para Games Opening Ceremony (20 March 2025) at Indira Gandhi Stadium was attended by CDT Mamta and Tanuja. Highlights included a torch lighting ceremony by Paralympians, cultural performances, and distribution of Khelo India t-shirts. The event celebrated inclusivity and perseverance.

Annual Fest – RAKSHAK'25 (7 March 2025)

- Held at Shyam Lal College with around 800 participants. CDT Anshika commanded the Guard of Honour. Events included Best Cadet, Squad Drill, Sports, Extempore, Reel Making, and Cultural Programs. Chief guests included CO Surjeet Singh, CO Dananjeet Khuidrome, and college principals.

SPORTS

The Sports Committee remained active throughout the academic session 2024-25 in its involvement with students' participation in various games at National as well as University levels. Our students have participated at 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:

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 11th Padmashree Shyam Lal Memorial Invitational Hockey Tournament (Men & Women) in the fond memory of our beloved and Founder Chairman Padmashri Lala Shyam Lal Gupta Ji 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 19, 2024 to February 17, 2025 with an innovation whereby 6 teams of women from various Colleges / Institutions of Delhi University were invited to participate in the tournament along with 10 teams of Men from the same as usual in the inspiring presence of Dean Colleges Prof. Balaram Pani ji, Olympian and Arjuna Awardi hockey Player Shri Ashok Dhyan Chand Ji, Head of the Department of Phyisical Education University of Delhi Prof. Sarita Tyagi, MLA, Rohtash Nagar, Sh. Jitender Mahajan, Assistant Director, DUSC Dr. Susheel kumar and Immunotherapist, Dr. Jamal Anono Khan along with 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 of Shyam Lal College in Men Section and Delhi University Alumna in women section remained the winner and the team from Indira Gandhi Institute of Physical Education & Sports Sciences in Men and Women Section remained the Runner's Up.

Outstanding Team Achievements

Hockey

- Our Hockey College Team Become Champion of 11th Padmashree Shyam Lal Memorial Invitational Hockey Tournament (Men & Women) 2024-25.
- Our College Hockey Secure 3rd Position in Inter-College Hockey Championship 2024-25

Baseball

- Our College Baseball Team secured 2nd position in Inter College Baseball Championship 2024-25.

Volleyball

- Our College Volleyball Team become Champion of SPORRTIFY Volleyball tournament held at Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce for the year 2024-2025.

- Our College Volleyball Team become Champion of Jamia Hamdard Volleyball tournament held at Jamia Hamdard for the year 2024-2025.
- Our College Volleyball Team become Champion of ASTITVA Volleyball tournament held at Dr. Akhil Das Gupta Institute of Professional Studies for the year 2024-2025.
- Our College Volleyball Team become Champion of SCINTILLA 2025 Volleyball tournament held at Jaipuria School of Business.
- Our College Volleyball Team secured IInd position in SYNAPSE Volleyball tournament held at Maulana Azad Medical College for the year 2024-2025.
- Our College Volleyball Team secured IInd position in K.P.Bhatt Memorial Volleyball tournament held at Satyawati College for the year 2024-2025.
- Our College Volleyball Team secured IInd position in IIMT Volleyball tournament held at IIMT for the year 2024-2025.
- Our College Volleyball Team secured IInd position in LAKSHAY Volleyball tournament held at Gita Rattan International Business School for the year 2024-2025.

Outstanding Individual Achievements at International, National, University, Inter-College & State level

- Aman Kumar Jha (BA (P) 3rd Year, Roll No. 220265)
  - Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.
- Mr. Ashish Kumar Gupta (BA (P), 3rd Year, Roll No. 210204)
  - Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.
- Mr. Kamal (B.A. Hons. English_3rd Year Roll No. 221063)
  - Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.
- Mr. Deepak Kumar (BA (P) 3rd Year Roll No. 220828)
  - Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.
- Mr. Naveen Bidhuri (BA (P) 1st Year Roll No. 240837)
  - Selected for Delhi Hockey Team to participate in Senior National Hockey Championship at Chennai for the year 2024-2025.

- Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.

➢ Mr. Manmohan Kumar Singh (B.A. Programme Ist year, Roll No. 240282)

- Selected for Delhi Hockey Team to participate in Junior National Hockey Championship at Jalandhar, Punjab for the year 2024-2025.
- Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.

➢ Mr. Priyanshu Rawat (B.A. Programme 1st Year, Roll No. 240284)

- Selected for Delhi Hockey Team to participate in Junior National Hockey Championship at Jalandhar, Punjab for the year 2024-2025.
- Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.

➢ Pratyush Singh Jaggi (BA (P) 1st Year, Roll No. 240833)

- Selected for Delhi University Hockey Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Aligarh Muslim University.

➢ Karender (B.Com. Hons. IIIrd Year, Roll No. 223330)

- Selected for Delhi University Kabaddi Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar.

➢ Nishant (B.A.Programme IIIrd Year, Roll No. 220222)

- Selected for Delhi University Kabaddi Team to participate in North Zone Inter University Championship 2024-25 at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar.

➢ Vishal (B.A.Programme IIIrd year, Roll No. 220274)

- Selected for Delhi Baseball Team & participated, Delhi Baseball Team secured 3rd position in Senior National Baseball Championship 2024-2025 at Sangrur, Punjab.

The Sports Committee would like to place on record their appreciation of coaches: Mr. Lalit (Hockey), Sh. Rakesh Thapliyal (Cricket), Sh. Manoj Newa (Football), Mr. Abhishek Kumar (Volley Ball), Sh. Ashish Negi (Baseball), Mr. Sachin Malik (Judo), Sh. Yoginder Kumar (Kabaddi), Dr. Vikas Kumar (Yoga) and Mr. Mukhil Tyagi (Kho-kho) whose talents, experience and guidance in their respective professional fields made the above said achievements possible. Sh. Amit Gupta who rendered invaluable services to make the sports committee functional. A word of appreciation is in order to thanks to our hard-working dedicated groundsmen namely Sh. Chhatra Pal and Sh. Shiv Veran.

SOCIETIES & COMMITTEES

FINE ARTS, PHOTOGRAPHY AND CULTURE SOCIETY (FPCS)

- An exhibition titled "Divya Swapna: where reality meets divinity" was hosted by the students of FPCS on 8th October, 2024.
- Students of FPCS contributed in the organization of the event "Trinity", held on 2nd February, 2025 on the occasion of "Basant Panchami" by creating a beautiful décor set up for the event.
- An online poster making competition-"Filmi Fantasia" was organized on 3rd April, 2025 during the event "Antarang" organized by Fine Arts and Sculpture Committee.
- An on-the-spot painting competition "Heritage Canvas" was organized on 3rd April in porch area of the college.
- A traditional Indian handicraft competition "Karigari" was organized on 3rd April. The competition witnessed participation from various colleges across Delhi University.
- A competition "Shadow Genesis" was organized on 3rd April in porch area of the college.

Achievements

- Natasha Chauhan of the society secured the first prize in the Online Poster Making Competition organized under Tasavvur by Magic Lantern and Sepia, the Film and Photography Society of Daulat Ram College, University of Delhi. The competition was held on 19th February, 2025. She was rewarded with a certificate of achievement and a cash prize of ₹1000.
- FPCS partnered in organizing of the Delhi University Literature Fest (DULF) held in the campus of Shri Ram College of Commerce of University of Delhi on 22nd February, 2025.
- Prince Chauhan secured first prize in the competition Katha Kalp: Pattachitra Chronicles Competition held at Atma Ram Sanatan Dharma College of DU on 20th March, 2025.
- 4 members of the society- Jiya, Sakshi, Riya Mittal, and Adarsh who presented a collective display of art and photography portfolios at Art Exhibition Competition held at Ramanujan College of DU on 27th February, 2025. The team bagged the first position and were awarded with certificates of excellence and mementos.
- Sakshi Jha earned third position in the Book Cover Redesign competition-Art Bound organized by Sri Venkateswara College on 9th March, 2025.
- Jyoti Sharma secured third prize in the on-the-spot painting competition organized by Deen Dayal Upadhyaya College on 6th March, 2025.

- Jyoti Sharma secured second position in the event Postcard from the past. The event was hosted by North East Student Association of the Institute of Home Economics, DU on 24th February, 2025.
- Abhishek Gautam and Nisha secured first and second prize respectively in on-the-spot photography competition held at Shyam Lal College (Eve.) on 6th March, 2025.

AARODHYA - THE INDIAN DANCE SOCIETY

Aarodhya - Indian Dance Society of SLC, has continued its legacy of brilliantly showcasing talents in the field of classical/folk dance. Aarodhya's achievements for the session 2024-25 has been stated below:

- The alumni meet of the Commerce Department held on 8th June 2024 featured a graceful performance by Team Head Kanishk and Coordinator Tanya.
- Auditions were conducted on 12th and 13th September 2024 by the core members of the society.
- On 4th October 2024, at NIT, a group dance was choreographed and led by Team Head Kanishk, performed enthusiastically by 12 team members.
- During the Shyam Lal Evening event on 8th October 2024, a duet was performed by Kanishk and Aadya, earning them the 2nd Runner-Up position. The event also included a vibrant group dance by Team Aarodhya Indian.
- At Miranda House, University of Delhi, on 16th October 2024, Aadya represented the team in the Solo Dance Competition organized by the Cultural Council of DU, delivering a powerful solo performance.
- The orientation program held on 19th October 2024 was organized.
- Aadya showcased her solo talent at the Jaipuria Institute of Management Studies, Noida, during a Solo Dance Competition on 30th November 2024.
- Freshers' Day, celebrated on 9th December 2024, featured a graceful solo performance by Coordinator Tanya.
- At Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, DU, on 30th January 2025, two duets were performed in the Dance Competition: one by Kanishk and Durga, and another by Tanya and Atul.
- The occasion of Vasant Panchami on 2nd February 2025 included solo dance performances by Tanya and Aadya.
- During the Hindi Department's International Conference on 7th February 2025, Tanya presented a solo Saraswati Vandana, followed by a duet performance by Kanishk and Aadya.

- A special group performance choreographed by Team Head Kanishk was presented by six members at the College of Vocational Studies, DU, on 10th February 2025.
- On 11th February 2025, Aadya delivered a solo in the competition hosted by St. Stephens College, DU.
- A duet performance by Kanishk and Aadya earned them the 2nd position at the Birla Institute of Management Technology, Greater Noida, on 23rd February 2025, during a spirited dance competition.
- The Razzmatazz Group Dance Competition at IIT BHU on 7th March 2025 saw the team securing the 3rd position.
- On 7th March 2025, in the Glitz Solo Dance Competition at IIT BHU, Kanishk performed Shiv Stuti while Aadya presented Samudra Manthan.
- On 9th March 2025, Kanishk and Aadya participated in the Ecstasy Duet Dance Competition, performing Shiv Stuti and earning 2nd place.
- On 28th March 2025, Team Aarodhya Indian performed a spirited group dance at Yuvaspandan'25.
- The annual fest, Kalakriti, held on 3rd and 4th April 2025.

AARADHYA - WESTERN DANCE SOCIETY

For the session 2024-25, Aaradhya Western Dance society successfully conducted auditions and re-auditions to welcome a new wave of talent. Throughout the year, team actively participated in a range of prestigious events and competitions, including:

- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Sharda University
- Streetphunz: Crew vs Crew Street Battle - St. Stephen's College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Shiv Nadar University
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - ADGIPS
- Group Dance Competition - ADGIPS
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Dyal Singh College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - ARSD College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - IIT Kanpur
- Group Dance Competition - IIT Kanpur
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Venkateshwara College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Daulat Ram College (DU)

- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Lady Shri Ram College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Kirori Mal College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - VIPS
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Hansraj College (DU)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - GGSIPU (East Delhi Campus)
- Crew vs Crew Street Battle - Motilal Nehru College
- Group Dance Competition - Don Bosco Institute of Technology
- Group Dance Competition - Ramanujan College (DU)
- Group Dance Showcase - Shyam Lal College (Morning)
- Group Dance Competition - Shaheed Bhagat Singh College (DU)

AAKROSH - THE STREET PLAY SOCIETY

Aakrosh, the Street Play Society of Shyam Lal College, continued its legacy of impactful socio-political theatre through award-winning performances and innovative public engagement. Aakrosh's notable achievements during the academic year 2024-25 are highlighted below:

- Presented the annual production "Error 404: Money Not Found."
- Secured 1st position at JECRC University and Maharani College, Jaipur.
- Won a Consolation Prize at Chitkara University.
- Performed at the National School of Drama and the 76th Delhi Police Raising Day.
- Conducted five public performances in collaboration with Delhi Police.
- Delivered around 50 performances (competitive and non-competitive) with 23 wins.
- Hosted an inter-college street play festival on April 9th, featuring 12 participating teams from across DCTC.

JHAROKHA - DRAMATIC SOCIETY

Jharokha - The Dramatic Society of Shyam Lal College has been passionately dedicated to theatre since its inception in 2010. In the academic session 2024-25, Jharokha organized the following events:

- Auditions'24 commenced on 5th September
- Rubaroo'24 -internal orientation and induction event
- Re-auditions conducted from 14th November onwards

Annual Productions

- Chappal - A Race of Greed
- Kissa Maujpur Ka
- A March to Dreams (in collaboration with Physics Wallah)

Key Events

- Performance of Chappal - A Race of Greed at IIT Delhi and IIT Kanpur
- Hosted Qala Prastuti - A two-day theatrical extravaganza
- Workshop conducted by renowned theatre artist Aryan Madhok
- Organized Raabta - A two-day Inter-College Fest on 3rd and 4th April

QASIDA - THE POETRY SOCIETY

- Performed on the official "Freshers Party" organized by student's union on 9th December, 2024.
- Hindi poetry competition "Kalamkari" was organized on 3rd April, 2024 in college premises in the event "Antarang" organized by Fine Arts and Sculpture Committee. This inter-college competition received 107 registrations from various colleges of Delhi out of which 15 poets were selected.
- English poetry competition "Eutopia" was organized on 3rd April, 2024 in the event "Antrang" organized by Fine Arts and Sculpture Committee. 11 poets performed in this inter-college competition.
- Performed in the annual fest "Kalakriti" organized by the student's union on 4th April, 2025.
- Qasida in collaboration with Litworms-The English department society organized an Open Mic competition "MIC MISTIQUE" on 11th April, 2025.

Achievements

- Ishan secured second position in Rasaotsav 3.0 Slam Poetry Competition 2025, organized by Imagism-The Poetry Society of Daulat Ram College on 9th April, 2025. He was awarded a trophy and an achievement certificate.
- Lakshya Kant Suryavanshi won first prize in Whispers and Wonders- the poetry competition organized by Delhi School of Economics held on 28th February, 2025. He was awarded a prize of INR 5000 and an achievement certificate.

- Lakshya Kant Suryavanshi secured third position in a Poetry Competition organized by Gandhi Study Circle of Rajdhani College on 29th January, 2025. He was awarded INR 500 and an achievement certificate.
- Shubh Preet secured second position in Hindi Slam Poetry competition organized by Eternal Phraseslic-the Poetry society of Lady Irwin College. He was awarded a gift hamper and certificate of participation.
- Shubh Preet's poem titled as "मैं मानकर चल पड़ा" was published in prestigious vernacular magazine named "आहट ".

INSIGNIA - THE MUSIC BAND

Insignia, the music band of Shyam Lal College has continued to flourish, showcasing its musical prowess through a series of performances and events during the 2024-25 session. The band's key events and accomplishments are listed below:

- Auditions (13th-14th September 2024)
- Alumni Meet (5th October 2024)
- Mood Indigo Auditions (13th October 2024)
- Duet Singing Competition - Lady Hardinge College (10th November 2024): Sumit and Samriddhi showcased their vocal harmony in this vibrant competition.
- Swarsangam Solo Singing Competition - IBS Gurugram (19th December 2024): Sumit, Aditya, and Alok demonstrated their solo singing abilities with passion and finesse.
- Jamming Session for Battle of the Bands (27th December 2024)
- Times Fresh Face Auditions (23rd January 2025): Sumit and Zaina showcased their diverse talents at this renowned platform.
- Solo Singing Competition - Shri Aurobindo College (25th February 2025): Zaina and Aditya represented Insignia with Zaina securing 3rd position.
- Elfesto'25 Band Performance (3rd March 2025)
- University Chef Band Performance (20th March 2025): Sumit (vocalist) and Nirmalya (guitarist) showcased their musical talents.
- Band Performance - Dyal Singh College (24th March 2025)
- Jamming Session at Euphonious Studios (30th March 2025)
- Open Mic - Friday Funkar at AIIMS, Safdarjung Enclave (11th April 2025): Aditya, Sumit, and Pranayan showcase their individual musical talents at this dynamic open mic event.

FALCON - THE FILM SOCIETY

- A scavenger hunt competition "Ashes to Clues" was organized on 3rd April in college premises in the event "Antrang" as part of the National Falcon Films Festival 7.0. 6 teams participated.
- An on-the-spot photography competition "Cryptic Lens" was organized on 3rd April in college premises which witnessed participation of 51 students and 2 alumni of college.
- On the spot film making competition "Phoenix" was organized on 3rd April in college premises.

Achievements

- Team comprising of Aditi Kalra, Karan, Vanshika Dixit, Chariter, Rohit, Kushank secured second position in on-the-spot trailer making competition on the theme 'A Day without gender' held at Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies on 19th November, 2024.
- A student team having Sarthak Bisht, Shivam, Khyati, Krrish, Vibhor as members secured first position in on-the-spot film making competition held at Maharaja Agrasen College on 28th February, 2025.
- Team of Ritwiz, Rishabh, Vibhor, Nilakshi, Aarti secured second position in On the spot film making competition held at PGDAV College (E) held on 5th May, 2024.
- Team of Ritik, Karan, Ritwiz, Aastha and Alok secured second position at Theatron-On the spot film making competition under the theme 'The last message' held at DDUC on 18th April, 2024.
- Team comprising of Vanshika Manwad, Vibhor, Piyush, Sarthak Bisht, Sujal Aastha received a special mention at Algorithm-On the spot trailer making competition organized by Shyam Lal College on 4th March, 2025.

LITWORMS - ENGLISH LITERACY SOCIETY

- Documentary Screening and Induction Programme with first-year students held on 1st October 2024.
- Paper Presentation on the topic "*Exploring Graphic Narratives and Cinema Studies in Popular Culture*", delivered on 19th February 2025.

GARDEN COMMITTEE

- The plantation and plastic collection drive on 5th June 23 was organized by the Garden committee in collaboration with Eco-Club, celebrating world environment day by holding a mega plantation drive in East Delhi.

- Shyam Lal College hosted its flagship event, "Umang-East Delhi Flower Show 7.0", on 24th and 25th February 2025, on its campus. The Garden Committee of SLC, in collaboration with the Eco-Club, Botany Department, and IQAC, organized various Intercollege competitions that harmoniously blended aesthetics with sustainability.

- College participated in the 67th Annual Flower, Flora, and Fabric exhibition, "Celebrating the Green Legacy of Handloom for Viksit Bharat", organized by the University of Delhi on 28th March 2025. We secured several prestigious awards, including: First Prize: Dr. N.S. Pradhan Cup in Category C, Second Prize in Category A, and Three Highly Commended Prizes. Additionally, our college campus lawns received a Highly Commended Prize. Our students also excelled in various competitions at the University Flower Show, winning Second Prize in the Handloom Draping Competition.

- Garden Committee volunteers took the initiative to enhance the campus's aesthetic appeal and protect its lawns and flowers from plucking and damage. From 14th to 20th February 2025, a team of 10 volunteers installed flex and warning boards on walls and boundaries to achieve this goal. Furthermore, our students volunteered to paint the walls, beautifying the campus while promoting sustainability.

- The Botany Department, in collaboration with the Garden Committee, successfully cultivated a vibrant display of various Chrysanthemum varieties, including Snowball, Rosa, Quill, and Decorative, which bloomed in full splendor on the campus from 1st October- 27th December 2025.

NORTH EAST CELL

The North East Cell of Shyam Lal College conducted three major activities during the 2024-2025 session: a Freshers' Orientation Programme, a Talk Programme, and a North East Stall at the University Chef 2025. The session began with a Freshers' Social Orientation on 10th October 2024, welcoming new students and introducing them to the college community. On 16th November 2024, the Cell celebrated Janjatiya Gaurav Divas to mark the 150th Birth Anniversary of Bhagwan Birsa Munda. The event featured an insightful talk by Shri Vaibhav Surange ji. A key highlight was the North East Stall set up during University Chef 2025 on 20th-21st March 2025. The stall showcased traditional North East dishes like Pitha, Shinju, Phola, and Butter Tea, receiving appreciation for their authenticity and cultural representation. Several of the Cell members brought laurels to the college too. Chukan Chakgrim B Marak, a student of BA prog (English+Economics) IInd Semester emerged as the winner of Artopia, an online digital art competition organized by Ramjas College. Lobsang Tendon and Dechen Lhamo, both from BA prog (English+Political Science) IInd Semester, won the second prize in the Handloom Cloth Dripping Competition organized by the Eco Club of Shyam Lal College.

SHEERSHASTH - SLC DEBATING SOCIETY

Sheershasth - SLC Debating Society organized 7th edition of Shyam Lal Youth Parliament on April 16, 2025 which was attended by 50 students from different colleges of the University of Delhi and other institutions as well. Based on the unanimous judgment passed by Mr. Adarsh Pratap Singh (Moderator) and Mr. Parth Loya (Deputy Moderator), Deepak, Anupak Singh, Keshav, Shayna, and Sakshi were declared winners.

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