



# CAMPUS SCOPE



## FLIGHT LIEUTENANT **SWATI RATHORE** Flying Mi-17V5 helicopter in IAF at REPUBLIC DAY PARADE

Flight Lieutenant Swati Rathore, an alumna of the University, created history by becoming the first woman pilot to lead flypast on Republic Day on 26 January 2021 at Rajpath in Delhi. Ms. Rathore of the Indian Air Force (IAF) hails from Nagaur, Rajasthan, and was the only candidate selected for the flying branch from among 200 female students in 2014. She was also a part of the rescue operations conducted by the IAF during the 2018 Kerala floods.

## CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE



The University was awarded the prestigious

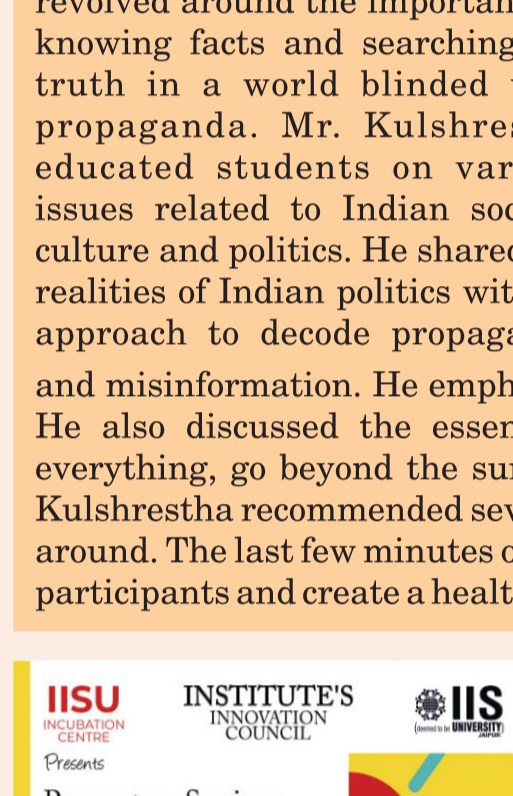
**"Outstanding ICT Initiative of the Year"**  
category in Universal Innovators Leadership Awards (UILA -2021) Higher Education category.

Prof. (Dr.) Vijay Singh Rathore received the **"Outstanding Academic Leader of The Year Award"** at the **UILA AWARDS 2021**



## RESEARCH & INNOVATION

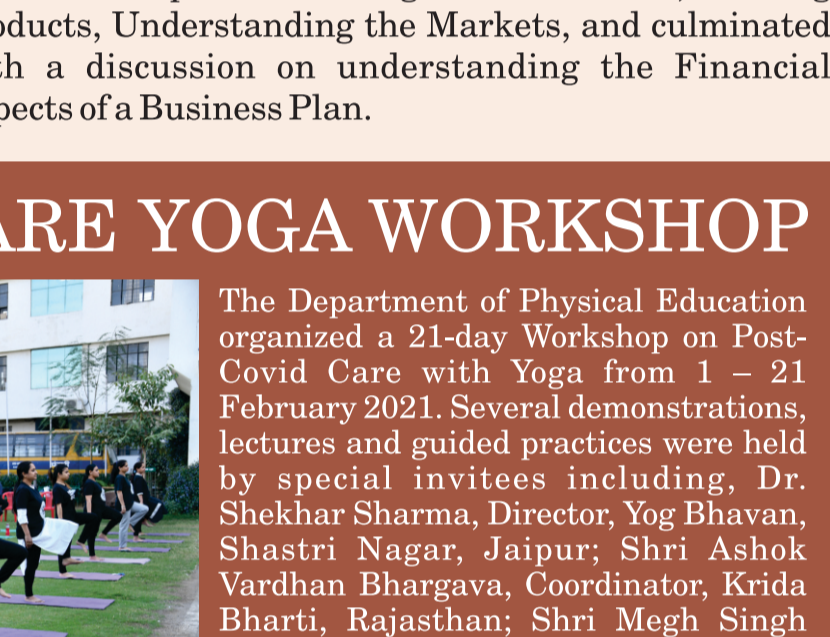
Exploring Gendered Challenges



In tune with the Global Women's Breakfast event being organized by the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry (IUPAC) on the theme of "Empowering Diversity in Science", the Departments of Chemistry, Sociology and Centre for Women's Studies, in collaboration with Association of Chemistry Teachers (ACT) organized a global webinar on "Research and Innovation: Exploring Gendered Challenges" on 9 February 2021. With an aim to explore and address issues for the evident gender gap in scientific and research-oriented fields, the sessions were taken up by two eminent resource persons, Dr. Rashmi Jain, Head, Department of Sociology and Director, International Cooperation Cell, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur and Dr. Neelima Gupta, Associate Professor, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur. Both speakers spoke at length about the need for inculcation of scientific socialization in women since childhood. They also emphasised that society and government should go hand in hand for providing conducive and gender-sensitized environment to women.

## HAPPINESS DIALOGUE SERIES- ELATE

The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication organised third episode of the 'Happiness Dialogue Series- Elate' on the topic, 'New India: Fiction to Facts' on 11 February 2021. Mr. Pushpendra Kulshrestha, a former journalist and political commentator, was the key-note speaker for the session. The session revolved around the importance of knowing facts and searching the truth in a world blinded with propaganda. Mr. Kulshrestha educated students on various issues related to Indian society, culture and politics. He shared the realities of Indian politics with an approach to decode propaganda and misinformation. He emphasised on being nation-driven, rather than state-driven. He also discussed the essential qualities of a true journalist, quoting "question everything, go beyond the surface to know the truth". In this hour-long session, Mr. Kulshrestha recommended several books to read for a better understanding of the world around. The last few minutes of the session were dedicated to the questions asked by the participants and create a healthy dialogue.



## BUSINESS PLAN PREPARATORY SESSIONS



The IISU Incubation Centre in collaboration with IIC Innovation Ambassadors organised Preparatory Sessions on 'How to Prepare Business Plans' from 19 – 23 February 2021. Speakers during each hour-long session on all four days, were faculty members of the University – Dr. Varsha Choudhary, Dr. Mehak Gulati, Dr. Anju Singh, and Dr. Roopam Kothari, who spoke on such varied topics as Defining a Business Plan, Defining Products, Understanding the Markets, and culminated with a discussion on understanding the Financial Aspects of a Business Plan.

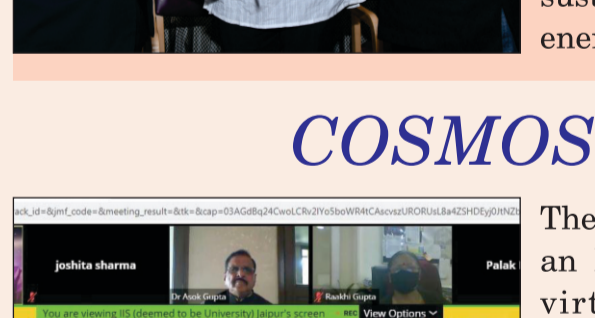
## POST-COVID CARE YOGA WORKSHOP



The Department of Physical Education organized a 21-day Workshop on Post-Covid Care with Yoga from 1 – 21 February 2021. Several demonstrations, lectures and guided practices were held by special invitees including, Dr. Shekhar Sharma, Director, Yog Bhavan, Shastri Nagar, Jaipur; Shri Ashok Bhardi, Rajasthan, Coordinator, Krida Bhardi, Rajasthan; Shri Megh Singh Chauhan, Secretary, Krida Bharti, Rajasthan; Shri Shayan Kumar Khatri, Director, Sandhan, Yoga and Therapy

Centre; Dr. Hemlata Sharma, Director, Yogasthali; Dr. Akansha, Associated with Yogasthali, and Ms. Janki Pareek, Lecturer in Yoga, IISU. Dr. Shekhar presented his book, 'Yoga in Daily Life' to the Hon'ble Chancellor, Dr. Ashok Gupta

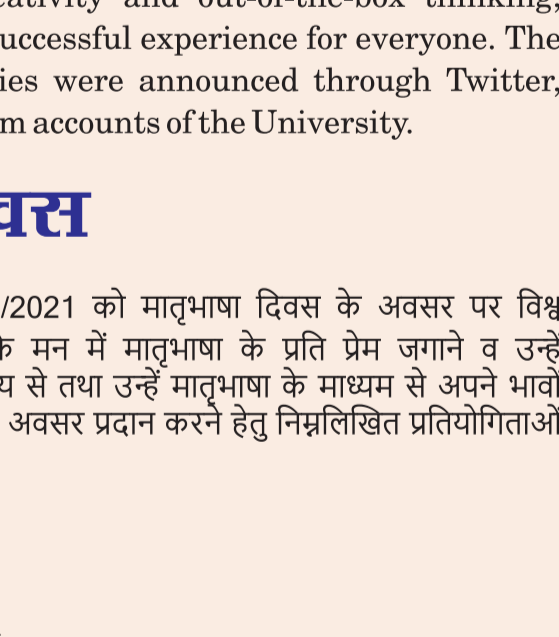
## STAFF GET-TOGETHER



A Get-Together was organized for the Teaching and Non-Teaching staff members on 20 February 2021. The event was a musical extravaganza with performances by many faculty members and culminating with a song by the Hon'ble Chancellor, Dr. Ashok Gupta.

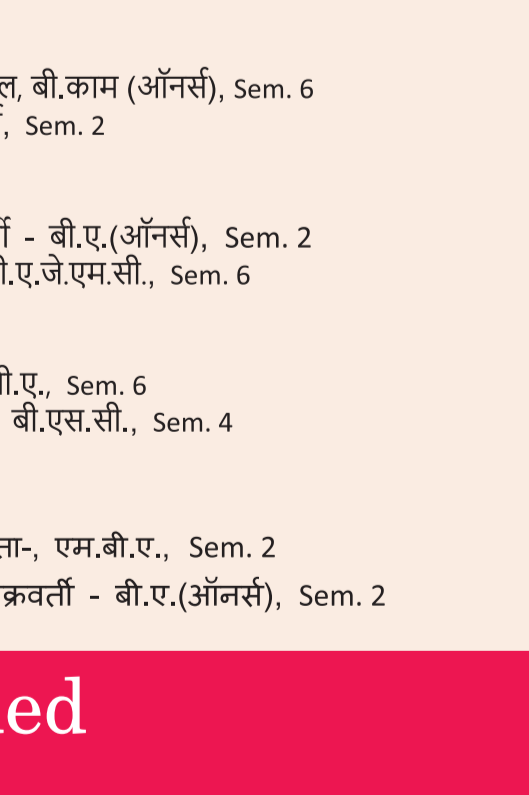
## ENRICHMENT LECTURE

The Department of English organised the fourteenth virtual enrichment lecture on 12 February 2021. Prof. Smaro Kamboureli from the University of Toronto, Canada, was invited to speak on the topic "Canadian Literature Today: Literary Solidarity & Critical Diversities." The speaker explored the emergence of Canadian Literature in context of Canadian identity, interdisciplinary methodologies and Literary Solidarities. The Talk was followed by some questions from the students and faculty, opening further discussions on the class of identity, the nature and role of essays, as well as the diversity of contemporary Canadian Literature.



## ALUMNA INTERACTION

On 20 February 2021, the Department of English organized a virtual Alumna Interaction with Ms. Anushka Yadav from the Class of 2018. Ms. Yadav is currently working as an Editorial Assistant with Global News. She completed her post-graduation in Journalism from Humber College, Toronto, Canada, and received the Paul McLean Memorial Award. During her interaction, she shared the experience of working with former New York Times News Editor Patti Sontag. Miss Yadav very humbly yet assuredly addressed the topic of "Crossing over from Literature to Journalism" in a rather precise manner leaving the platform open for any interaction or query from her audience. She insisted that the students should confidently embrace the course.



## READERS' CLUB



The Readers' Club of the Department of English organized a Poetry Slam session on 24 February 2021 for students to explore self-expression through the spoken word medium. The activity saw active participants on the part of both students and faculty members of the Department of English who read out their self-composed poems. The subjects of the poems ranged from slice-of-life moments to philosophical musings on abstract ideas to contemporary issues such as the psychological effects of the COVID 19 pandemic. The session also consisted of a discussion on the process of creative writing, the importance of such platforms as Slam Poetry for budding poets, as well as the

way forward for publishing one's works. Furthermore, a special reading of select poems from Jaipur-based poet Jagdeep Singh's recently published anthology entitled "My Epitaph" also became a special attraction for the students.

## PCOS & VAGINAL HEALTH



The Department of Psychology organised a Guest Lecture on "PCOS & Vaginal Health" on 23 February 2021. Dr. Ruchi Bhandari, the invited speaker is an infertility specialist and director at Mishka IVF centre, Jaipur. Dr. Bhandari clarified the major doubts and myths regarding vaginal health and PCOS (Polycystic ovarian syndrome) and further discussed about diagnosis and various treatment options. The Q & A session provided an opportunity for Dr. Bhandari to answer relevant concerns regarding vaginal health and PCOS.

## ENERGY SWARAJ



A Technical Talk on "Energy Swaraj: Essence of Sustainability" was organized on 24 February 2021 by the Department of Physical and Computing Sciences. The Guest Speaker Dr. Chetan Singh Solanki from IIT, Bombay, spoke at length about the advantages of sustainable practices, citing examples that can be adopted by everyone in their homes. At the end of the session, he engaged with the audience in a Q&A before inviting everyone to a demonstration of the Solar Bus which has been modified to show the practical use of several sustainable practices such as water recycling, use of solar energy and waste recycling, among others.

## COSMOS : ANNUAL FEST



The Annual Fest of the University – COSMOS – was held as an Intra-College Fest from 25 – 27 February 2021 using virtual platforms. Activities like Creative Writing, Microfiction, Zumba Workshop, Business Planathon, Photography, and many more were part of the 2 day cultural fiesta. Enthusiastic participation from the students highlighting their creativity and out-of-the-box thinking, making this a widely successful experience for everyone. The winners of the activities were announced through Twitter, Facebook and Instagram accounts of the University.

## मातृभाषा दिवस



हिंदी विभागा द्वारा 21/2/2021 को मातृभाषा दिवस के अवसर पर विश्व विद्यालय की छात्राओं के मन में मातृभाषा के प्रति प्रेम जगाने व उन्हें जागरूक करने के उद्देश्य से तथा उन्हें मातृभाषा के माध्यम से अपने भावों की अभिव्यक्ति करने का अवसर प्रदान करने हेतु निम्नलिखित प्रतियोगिताओं का आयोजन किया गया:

- निबंध लेखन
- स्लोगन लेखन
- प्रश्नोत्तरी
- पोस्टर(हस्तनिर्मित)

यह सभी प्रतियोगिताएं ऑनलाइन आयोजित की गईं। प्रतियोगिताओं के परिणाम इस प्रकार रहे:

**निबंध लेखन**  
प्रथम स्थान-मुस्कान अग्रवाल, बी.काम (ऑनर्स), Sem. 6  
द्वितीय स्थान- हिमांशी वर्मा, Sem. 2

**स्लोगन लेखन**  
प्रथम स्थान- मेघना चक्रवर्ती - बी.ए.(ऑनर्स), Sem. 2  
द्वितीय स्थान-निशु शर्मा, बी.ए.ए.जे.एम.सी., Sem. 6

**प्रश्नोत्तरी**  
प्रथम स्थान-हर्षिता शर्मा, बी.ए., Sem. 6  
द्वितीय स्थान-सजल गोयल, बी.एस.सी., Sem. 4

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प्रथम स्थान - नदिनी गुप्ता, एम.बी.ए., Sem. 2  
द्वितीय स्थान - मेघना चक्रवर्ती - बी.ए.(ऑनर्स), Sem. 2

## Ph.D. Awarded

Name & Department	Title of Thesis
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- Hemant Agarwal (Dept. of Languages & Mass Communication (German)) - Reflexionen von gunter grass in seinen texten uber indien
- Uma Devi (Dept. of CS & IT) - Design & Analysis of Quality Model to Study the Impact of Refracted lode on Software Product-line Maintainability
- Deepshikha Vyas (Dept. of Commerce) - Impact of Financial Literacy on Post-Retirement Financial Planning among Salaried Individuals
- Harshita Agarwal (Dept. of Behavioural & Health Sciences (Psychology)) - Fashion Leadership and Personality : A Study on Impulsive Buying Behaviour
- Harshita Kumar (Dept. of Behavioural & Health Sciences (Psychology)) - Self-Transcendent Emotions, Flourishing and Meaning in Life in relation to Spiritual Well-being in Older Adults
- Janita Ramani (Dept. of Behavioural & Health Sciences (Psychology)) - Well-being and Academic Functioning : A Comparative Study of College Students
- Neeraj Bala Khanna (Dept. of Behavioural & Health Sciences (Physical Education)) - Gender Differences on Psycho-social Factors of Players: Implications of Promoting Women's Sports-Participation
- Saloni Singhania (Dept. of Social Science (Sociology)) - Impact of Tourism on Socio-cultural and Economic Spaces in the Mandawa Town of Rajasthan
- Meena Assvani (Dept. of Commerce) - A Study on Customer-satisfaction in Regional Rural Banks with special reference to Rajasthan
- Pooja Kasliwal (Dept. of Management) - Impact of Organisational Culture on Employee-satisfaction : A Comparative Study of Public and Private Sector Banks
- Tanya Kailay (Dept. of Commerce) - Preferences and Satisfaction-level of Customers for Plastic Money in Rajasthan
- Nidhi Saxena (Dept. of Management) - A Comparative Study of Employee-satisfaction towards E-HRM System in Automobile Industry (with special reference to Hero Moto Corp. Ltd. and Honda Motorcycle & Scooter India Pvt. Ltd.)

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