

Economics Association Activities, 2019-2020

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With the aim of holistic development of our students, we work towards creating an environment that helps them to grow in various respects and providing the much-needed co-curricular and extra-curricular exposure in currently high-demanding times. Our aim is to nurture leadership qualities, developing organizing skills and promoting teamwork; as well as promote creative and critical thinking.

The department has a very active 'Economics Association' that organizes, every year, various intra-department events wherein students get to organize as well as participate in various events such as Debate, Paper-Presentation, Panel Discussion, Mock Newsroom, Group Discussion, Parliamentary Debate, Mock UN, Quiz, Poster-Making, Cartoon-Making, Ad-Mad Show, Barter, Extempore etc. The department launched its annual department magazine, *ECOGENE*, in 2013-14. The department also organizes workshops to help students in their preparation for various entrance/ competitive examinations. Workshops are also organized in order to sensitise students towards various issues of importance to individual, inter-personal and society.

The activities/ events organized by the Association during the academic session 2018-19 are as follows:

I. Students' Union Elections

Elections were held on August 7, 2019 for the various posts in the Students' Union, Economics Association.

President – Parul Upadhaya, BA Hons Economics, III Year

- General Secretary – Katyayni, BA Hons Economics, III Year
- Vice-President – Annika, BA Hons Economics, II Year
- Treasurer – Prakriti, BA Hons Economics, II Year
- Joint Secretary – Yukti Rawat, BA Hons Economics, I Year
- Creative Head – Vanshika, 3rd Year; Ritika, III Year
- Technical Head- Muskan Bhola, III Year
- Editorial Head- Priyanshi Nagrath, III Year; Amisha Garg, III Year
- PR Head- Poonam Ingale, III Year
- Coordinators – Taru Chauhan (III Year), Neelam (III Year)
Ayushi (II Year), Shivani (II Year)
Osheen(I Year), Tushita (I Year)



Students' Union, Economics Association, 2019-20

Welcoming the Freshers' 2019

'Freshers' Welcome' was organized on 21st August, 2019 to welcome the additions in the department. As always, it was a day filled with fun, entertainment and interaction.

A great show was put up by the Union including the activities arranged for the first years, dance performances by the second and third years, and also some games involving not only the students but also the teachers were organized. The event was also attended by our respectable Principal Dr. Swati Pal who motivated the students to have active participation in various activities of the department as well as the college.

Following first-year students won the titles:

Ms. Economics Hons: Ananya Joshi

Runner Up: Aarushi

Ms. Diva: Angaja Khankeriyal



Winners, Freshers' Welcome

INTRA- AND INTER-DEPARTMENTAL COMPETITIONS **DURING THE LOCKDOWN PERIOD**

Intra-Department Paper Presentation Competition

An intra- department paper presentation competition was organised by the department for economics students on 9th of May 2020, 11 am onwards. About 12 economics students from all the three years participated very well in the competition. The students researched on their topics very well and gave remarkable presentations and also answered the queries from the audience and judges very well. The winners for the event are:

- A. First Prize: Aarushi, BA Hons Economics, I Year
- B. Second Prize: Bhavya Palta, BA Hons Economics II Year
- C. Third Prize: Komal Maheshwari, BA Hons Economics, III Year and Angaja Khankeriyaal, BA Hons Economics, I Year

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INTRA-DEPARTMENTAL PAPER PRESENTATION

Topics

1. Covid19 Pandemic and Life thereafter - Sectoral Analysis
 - a. Informal sector
 - b. Agriculture
 - c. Industry
 - d. Services (Any One)
2. Covid 19 Pandemic: Role of Health Systems
3. Covid19 Pandemic: Opportunities and Lessons for India
4. Covid19 Pandemic: Impact on Global Economy
5. Falling Crude oil prices and Global economy

Prizes for the Winners are as follows:
1st prize - 1000rs.
2nd prize- 700rs.
3rd prize - 500rs.

Certificate of Participation will be provided

Date: May 9th, 2020
Time: 11 A.M. Onwards

Opportunities for India

1. EXPANSION OF FOREIGN TRADE
2. CRUDE OIL TRADING
3. IMPROVEMENT IN TECHNOLOGY
4. INVESTMENT IN INDIA
5. JOB OPPORTUNITY

REALITY OF INDIAN HEALTH INFRASTRUCTURE

- **FACT-** India's neighbours, such as Sri Lanka (1.68%), Indonesia (1.40%), Nepal (1.77%) and Myanmar (1.02%) are spending far more than India (1.28%) on healthcare, which could have an impact on its efforts to achieve Universal Health Coverage (UHC). - Hindustan Times, 2019.
- India's poor healthcare spending is hurting the fight against coronavirus.
- India gave lesser priority to its healthcare sector.
- There was a lack of sufficient Government hospitals in the hour of need.
- Covid-19 has shown as to why we need to reboot healthcare in India.

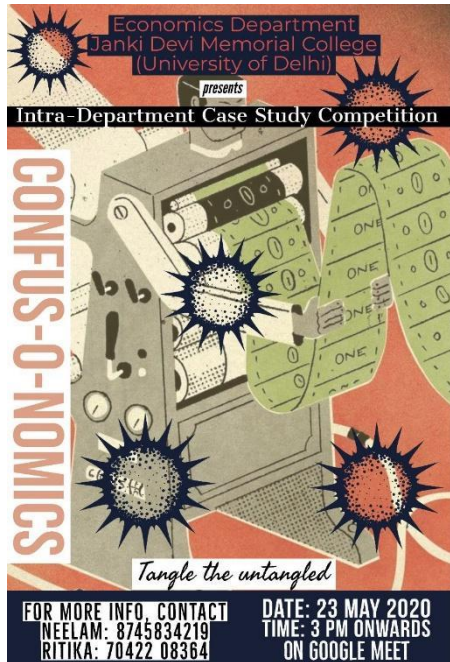
Confus-O-Nomics: The Case Study Competition

An intra-department online case study competition was organised by the department on 23rd of May 2020 on google meet application. All the participants were given the same case study wherein they had to make optimize their resources with the given constraints based on some economic theories and present the solutions using a power point presentation. The students were judged on the basis of their knowledge on economic theories, their applications, solutions and presentation. The students researched on their cases well and presented them in an excellent way. The winners of the competition were:

First Prize: N. Akhila, BA Hons Economics, III Year

Second Prize: Divya Wadhwa, BA Hons Economics, II Year

Third Prize: Priyanshi Nagrath, BA Hons Economics, III Year



Meraki: The Logo Competition

The department also organised its first edition of the logo making competition which received a commendable response from the students where all the participants had to design logo keeping economics department as a theme. The winners for the event were:

First Prize: Muskan Bokoliya, BA Hons Economics, Second Year

Second Prize: Diksha Chauhan, BA Hons Economics, Third Year



Flutter the Shutter: The Online Photography Competition

An online photography competition is also being organized by the economics department called Flutter the Shutter, Fear Lockdown. Participants in the competition are expected to click three

pictures and write about their journey in lockdown in 40 to 50 words. The competition is open to all the departments and students can submit their entries by 10th of May 2020. The winners for the same are:

First Prize: Swati Suman, BCom Hons, III Year

Second Prize: Swetashree Samal, BA Hons Economics, III Year



WERBUNG KONKURS: The Ad Mad Competition

The department also organised the ad mad competition on 26th of May, 2020. The event saw active participation from different departments wherein they had to showcase their creativity and conceptualisation skills. All the participants had to choose from a list of products and shoot an advertisement for the same. The winners for the event were:

First Prize: Kirti, BA Hons Political Science, I Year

Second Prize: Khyati Bhatt, BA Hons Economics, I Year



INTRA-DEPARTMENTAL FESTIVAL

With an endeavour to create an environment that exposes our budding economists to real world issues, which serve to broaden their perspective and equip them with the confidence to identify gaps and plug in strategic solutions, the Economics Association organised Intra-Departmental Festival on 25th September, 2019.

The festival began with a Seminar by Mr. Pulki Mittal on ‘Career Opportunities After Graduation’, from Coach G, in the Seminar Room. This was indeed a very interactive and learning session that definitely helped students to broaden their perspective towards various career options they can choose from after their education not only in field of economics but that of in research, management, marketing, etc.

This was followed by Paper Presentation Competition, Eco-Enact, Economica: The Economics Quiz and Cric-Raffle for the day.

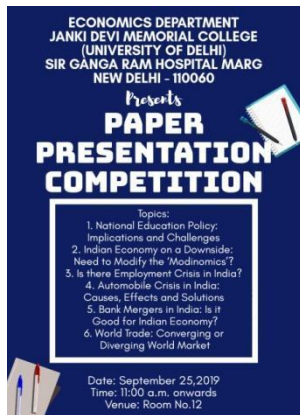


PAPER PRESENTATION COMPETITION

The competition was aimed at giving the platform to students to display their understanding and application of knowledge/concepts on various contemporary economic issues. The topics were:

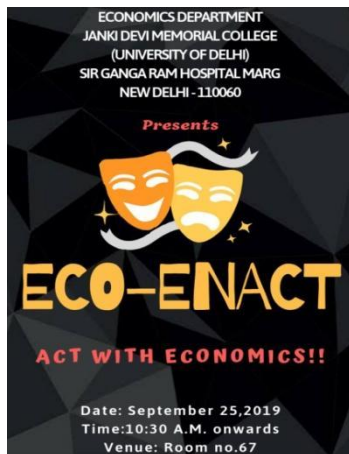
- National Education Policy: Implications and Challenges
- Indian Economy on a Downside: Need to 'Modify' the 'Modieconomics'?
- Is there Employment Crisis in India?
- Automobile Crisis in India: Causes, Effects and Solutions
- Bank Mergers in India: Is it Good for Indian Economy?
- World Trade: Converging or Diverging World Market

The prize winners of the event were: **Sneha Aggarwal, III Year (Best Presenter), Divya Wadhwa (First Runner-Up)**



ECO ENACT

This event was organised in order to explore creative abilities of students to describe economic concepts by skits using props and baseline of the movie assigned to them. Students participated with great enthusiasm in the event and displayed unique ways of learning economics concept. The winning team of the event was from the first year with Aarushi, Angaja, Khushi and Divya as its members.

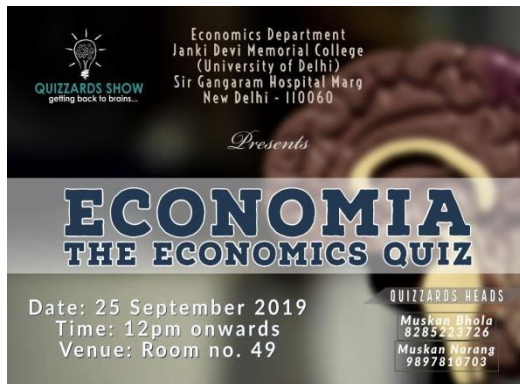


ECONOMIA

Economia - The Economics Quiz took place in Room no. 49 from 1 pm onwards that consisted of three rounds. The questions in all the three rounds were based to check knowledge of students on microeconomics, macroeconomics, statistics, mathematics, recent economic policies, Indian statistics, etc. Following were the prize winners for the event:

1st prize - Priyanshi Nagrath and Sneha Aggarwal, 3rd year

2nd prize - Bhavya Palta and Mohini, 2nd year



CRIC RAFFLE

The event was based on understanding of the very basic concept of economics, making choices in presence of scarcity in a fun way by checking knowledge of students on cricket. This was the auction-based game where teams could earn points by answering questions on cricket and then use these points to purchase players in the auction to build up their team. The most efficient team bagged the prize. The best team to make optimum utilisation of funds, securing maximum points was of Ishita Singhal and Diksha Mahto, 2nd year.

