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National Conference on 'ROLE OF THEATRE : PAST PRESENT AND ROAD AHEAD'



The IISU Theatrical Society under the aegis of The IIS University organized a two-day National Conference on 'Role of Theatre: Past Present and Road Ahead' from 3-4 April, 2017. The welcome address was delivered by the Vice Chancellor Dr. Ashok Gupta. The inaugural keynote address was rendered by the chief guest Ms. Mita Vashisht, an eminent theatre artist and bollywood actress. Her illuminating words enveloped the role of theatre, identity of self and voice with a special emphasis on "Theatre is itself an education." The Guest of Honour for the event, Professor Robin Das, a renowned theatre director and actor, conversed with regard to

modern theatre that uncertainty of surprise is the essence of Drama and concluded by depicting inclusive nature of theatre which accommodates the refined and the raw, professional and amateurs.

Other prominent speakers and panelists for the two day long technical sessions included Mr. K.G. Krishnamurthy, Prof. Sunil Tandon, Mr. Kuljeet Singh, Director of Atlier group, Mr. Shiva Tummur, Theatre director and actor, faculty, Department of Drama, Dr. Archana Srivastava, Theatre director, Head, Department of Drama, University of Rajasthan, Mr. Sanjay Kumar, Associate Professor and Artistic Director, Department of English, Hansraj College and Mr. Arvind Gaur, Director and Founder, Asmita Group, Prof. Beena Agarwal, Professor, Department of Sanskrit, Dean, Faculty of Arts, Prof. Asha Pandey, Department of European languages, Literature and Culture Studies, University of Rajasthan. 122 delegates all over India registered for the conference with about 23 paper presentations and 38 oral presentations in all. Dr. Raakhi Gupta, Registrar, The IIS University proposed a formal vote of thanks in the ceremony and awarded three best paper presentations for the conference.



IGNITING THE SELF



The Department of Journalism and Mass

Communication in linkage with The IISU Theatrical society organized a screening of documentary on 3rd April 2017 paving forth the role of theatre in reviving one's self-confidence. The documentary was devised and showcased by Ms. Mita Vashisht, theatre artist and social activist, in a form of a workshop initiated in the remand cell of Mumbai, to emancipate women sex workers through performance in theatre.



THE CULINARY ART

The most delicious dishes are remarkably simple imaginative concoctions and are easy to prepare. This proverb became a true reality during a demo cum workshop on "The Art of Preparing Mock Tails and Starters" by Cauldron Sisters organized for the Rotarians at The IIS University Jaipur on 10th May 2017. Transforming the world of monotonous cooking at home to pleasurable art of innovating into the best brews and appetizers like Potato Pizza, Italian Bruschetta and Mexican Fajitas was unveiled and shared with hands on experience to the faculty members at the University by Ms. Rachita Bhargava and Ms. Richa Khaitan. Prof. K.S.Sharma, Prof. Pradeep Bhatnagar, Dr. Roopa Mathur, Prof. Nisha Yadav, Prof. Radha Kashyap, Dr. Deepa Pareek, Ms. Monika Munjal and other eminent faculty members had a golden time initiating the recipes and relishing the flavours.





ACKNOWLEDGING THE HIGHFLYER



“Pain is now but glory is forever” Hard work, will, motivation and support these are the four key factors which helped me in achieving whatever I have achieved today. The winning attitude was fervently shared by International Long Distance Swimmer honoured with Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award winner Ms. Ritu Kedia who delivered a talk on the theme “Dare to Dream” organized at Kshipra Path situated India International school Auditorium



during 'Award Ceremony 2017' organized on 29th April 2017, by The IIS University. In all, 461 students were felicitated for their achievement in academics and sports. The first position holders were awarded in the annual function 'Virasat 2017' held last month and the second position holders were awarded with certificates, trophies and a cheque of Rs 1500. 235 students from various full time, add-on & PhD courses, 85 Office Bearers & 138 students who excelled in sports were awarded on the occasion. The distinguished award winner Ritu Kedia dedicated her triumphant acts to the success of Polio Free India and to encourage Complete Literacy and mentioned that it is high time that the woman creates her own identity. With immense pleasure Vice-Chancellor of The IIS University, Dr. Ashok Gupta congratulated all the achievers and announced with pride that around 5000 students from 22 states and other parts of the world are being imparted values, culture along with the education by the University every year.

ACKNOWLEDGING DILIGENCE

The Department of HR and IB proceeded with a bounteous act of appreciating the perseverance of the students of the IIS University through certificates on 6th April, 2017 in the AV Hall. The

certificates were awarded to the students with exemplary performances by the Dean, Prof. M. K. Sharma, which was then followed by simple and soulful words of encouragement and recreational activities like “Straps your Hair” and “Calligraphy on Balloons.” The ceremony came to culmination in the symphonic chords in accompaniment flowing in the group songs, eliciting the shared bond of the faculty and students.



THE IIS UNIVERSITY, IMA & WILEY INDIA SIGNED MOU



A Memorandum of Understanding has been signed between The IIS University and Institute of Management Accountant and Wiley India on 10th April 2017 for a period of 3 years. The MOU offers a certification programme of Management Accountants which is a global certification programme. IMA's CMA certification program is an advanced-level assessment for accounting and financial professionals in business. The two-part exam covers financial reporting, planning, performance and control; and financial decision-making. The Parties share the common interest of providing holistic learning and education opportunities for individuals to pursue globally relevant professional qualifications to enhance their future career prospects. Dr. Raakhi Gupta, Rector & Registrar, The IIS University and Ms. Hanady Khalife, Director of Operations, IMA and Gaurav Tewari, Head, Business Development, Wiley India signed the agreement.



Biwiyon ka Madrassa

The renowned Mom's theatre group from Gurgaon under the aegis of The IIS University performed *Biwiyon ka Madrassa* at the IIS school auditorium to a jam packed audience on the 28th of January 2017. It was a hindi adaptation of the acclaimed comic play 'School for wives' written by the great French playwright Moliere. The play was brought to life on the stage by the directors Ms. Gitika Goyal and Mr. Vinod Sharma. The theatre group that consisted of performers from all fields of life ranging from doctors to entrepreneurs to teachers gave a mesmerizing performance that left the audiences spellbound and wanting for more. The play hilariously showcased the ironies of life in the form of a stubborn old man named Haneef Mohammed who wished to open a school for his wife and her acquaintances and "teach" them the intricacies of married life.



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