IHE NEWS @ DU
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❖ DST-FIST Grant Awardee
❖ DBT Star College Scheme Grant Awardee

IHE in Retrospect

Founded by Dr S Malhan in 1961, IHE today is one of the premier institutions of the University of Delhi imparting holistic value based education to girl students across a wide spectrum of undergraduate and post graduate courses including research in applied sciences. True to its mission to develop young women as autonomous, critical thinking and humane individuals, IHE has been consistently expanding its horizon. The accolades achieved by the Institute in the recent past include NAAC ‘A’ certification, FIST grant from DST and Star College Scheme from DBT. Today, IHE boasts of a paramount infrastructure with state of the art facilities to enable its students to attain academic excellence and to inculcate passion for research at the undergraduate level. The dedication and hard work of the faculty and staff and the vigor & enthusiasm of students has led to emergence of the Institute as a reputed learning center in women’s education.

From Director’s Desk

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to this issue of the Institute’s newsletter. I appreciate the editorial board for their hard work in putting together the news on innovations and creativeness of our students as well as academic excellence. This document provides visibility and dimensions of the efforts being made by our Institute to remain a center of excellence in applied sciences besides other achievements. I would like to conclude with a quote of Shri Ratan Tata “ If you want to go fast, walk alone but if you want to go far, walk together.” I strongly believe our students & faculty shall consistently move forward in achieving the Institute’s vision and mission.

Awards
• Welcome trust fellowship to Dr Geeta Trilok Kumar

• Research
  • Ongoing Ph.Ds- 41
  • Ph.D completed – 7
  • Ongoing projects- 15
  • Publications- 116

New Courses
• B.Sc.. Food Technology
• B.A.(Hons.)Journalism
Interaction with Eminent Speakers

Talks / Seminars were organized on:

- ‘Child Rights’ by Dr. Jitendra Nagpal from VIMHANS (HD Department).
- ‘Protective clothing’ by Dr. Manpreet Manshahia, from Amity University and ‘Sustainable dyeing techniques’ by Mr. Vikas Chachra, Assistant Vice President, Archroma Chemicals (FAS department).
- ‘United Nations and Microbiology issues in global health’ by Dr. Anju Puri, UN and ‘Interactive career counseling’ by Mr. Priyank Singhvi from NII (Microbiology Department).
- ‘Women Entrepreneurs’ by Mrs. Tripti Singhal Somani, MD and CEO, Confederation of Women Entrepreneurs (RM Department).
- ‘Policy Research in nutrition’ by Dr. Anne Marie Thaw, Professor, University of Sydney (FN Department).

Learning by Doing

Workshops were organized on:

- ‘Child Sexual Abuse’ by Ms. Nabonita Banerjee from RAHI Foundation (HD Department)
- ‘Patriarchy and Feminism: Gender Constructs” by Ms. Rashmi from Manzil (HD Department)
- ‘Bioinformatics” by Ms. Malobi Nandi from AIIMS (Microbiology Department)
- ‘Designing Interiors’ by Pearl Academy
- “Introduction to Clinical Biochemistry” (Biochemistry Department).
- ‘Replacing regulatory experiments on animals’ Biochemistry Department.
- ‘Fitness’ (FN Department)

Academic Fest

- ‘National Nutrition Week’ celebrated by FN department include various intra & inter college student activities besides lectures by Dr. Gopi Ghosh (Consultant, FAO) on “Thinking creatively on Nutrition in India” & by Dr. Shobha Suri (Policy and Programme Co-ordinator, BPNI) on “Optimal Infant and Young Child Feeding: India situation on policy & programmes”.
- ‘COMSCAPE’ organized by DCE department where prominent media personalities- Raveena Raj Kholi, Aman Chopra and RJ Sukirti shared their experiences.
- FAS department conducted ‘Innovative collar designing’ & ‘Innovative sari draping’ competition during annual fest. There were stalls by artisans and craftsmen.
- ‘Enthusia’ organized by Physical Education department that include Inter house Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Chess, Athletic events and fun races.
- ‘Oracle’ was organized by RM Department
A paradigm shift – From classroom learning to onsite understanding

Field visits were arranged to:

• ‘Deepalaya’ and ‘Prayas’ NGOs by HD department.
• ‘IARI’, ‘THSTI’, ‘RML hospital’ and NII by Microbiology department.
• ‘Chandni Chowk’ and ‘Fabric and accessories store at Nehru Place’ by FAS department.
• ‘National Crafts Museum’ by B.El.Ed. Department.
• ‘Terigram Retreat’ and ‘Tara’ by RM department.
• ‘National Science Centre’, ‘Mughal Gardens’, and ‘Asola Conservation Centre’ by Science Department.
• ‘Film Festival on Visual Arts’ at Lait kala Academy and ‘Swiss India Forum’ by DCE department.

Short Term Course

• ‘Inclusive Education for Children with Disabilities’ by HD department
• ‘Computer Aided Designing’ and ‘Fashion illustration’ by FAS department
• ‘Campus to Corporate’ & ‘Faculty Enrichment pgm’ by DCE department

Conference(s)

• ‘Microbiology : Current Challenges and Future Trends’ by Microbiology department to celebrate its ‘silver jubilee’.
Photo gallery
Beyond the classroom

Toddler’s Activities at Aarambh
NSS
Indepedence day celebrations
NSS
Sport’s Day
NSS
Fresher Party
NSS
Director’s Farewell
NSS
Ferriaa
NSS
Judo Champion
NSS
Theatre
NSS
Farewell Party
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