# HINDU COLLEGE

# University of Delhi

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### IQAC

Date: 20.6.2022

Time: 3:00 PM

#### Minutes of the Meeting

A meeting was held at IQAC on 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2022 at 3:00 PM to discuss about the upcoming events being held in the college and the decorum that had to be necessarily maintained at the college promises. The meeting began with the principal- Prof. Anju Srivastava welcoming all the members which was subsequently followed by the briefing of agenda by Director of IQAC- Dr. Shalini Suryanarayan.

| Members Present:-                        |        |
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| Prof. Anju Srivastava, Principal         |        |
| Dr. Reena Jain, Vice-Principal feers     |        |
| Dr. Shalini Suryanarayan, Director, IQAC | Shahin |
| Dr. Anuradha Sharma Ashanes              |        |
| Dr. Archana Verma                        |        |
| Dr. Shankar Kumar Liters                 |        |
| Dr. Kamal Nain (Kar)                     | Kart   |
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Agenda 1: Swacchta Pakhwada, an initiative of honourable MoE (Ministry of Education), NSS Hindu College had been planned by NSS which would commence from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2022 and extend till 15<sup>th</sup> September, 2022. The event would include:-

- Pledge ceremony on 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 2022
- Paper presentation on Innovative Strategies for Covid-19 Biomedical Waste Management on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2022 to promote cleanliness
- Cleanliness and Plantation Drive on 10<sup>th</sup> September 2022
- Awareness Session on 14th September, 2022: A webinar on the topic "Climate Change, Impact and Sustainable Development had been decided to be organized. The principal informed that Mr. Rituraj Phukan, the founder of Indigenous People's Climate Justice Forum had given his consent as a speaker for this webinar.
- Best out of Waste Competition on 14<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 to promote the concept of "Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and to demonstrate the creativity and resourcefulness of the youth of the nation.

Principal extended her appreciative comments in view of some of the special events planned especially "Best out of waste Competition" and was quite excited to see the outcomes. In fact, she highlighted that we must all encourage the students to think out of box and take start-up initiatives.

IQAC director mentioned that the NSS teacher coordinator and volunteers would be called for a meeting on 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2022 at the principal office to update about the various arrangements and disciplinary measures being taken for the same.

Agenda 2: Successful conduct of Going Global Workshop under the aegis of Going Global Exploratory Grant awarded to Hindu College in collaboration with University of York, University of Delhi and University of Ladakh and sponsored by British Council.

All the committee members were briefed about the outcomes of the Going Global Workshop which witnessed the participation of 20 undergraduate students from Hindu College who had been selected on the basis of a rigorous selection process comprising of a test followed by interview. Principal herself was quite impressed by the contribution of the students towards the designing of a fit-to purpose course on Green Chemistry that would foster the transnational exchange of Indo-UK students. She highlighted that this was indeed for the first time that a course was being designed for the students by the students. Prof. Avtar Matharu (Director, Green Chemistry Centre of Excellence, York University & UK Collaborator) was quite impressed by the intellect of these young students and the way they had expressed their thoughts on such initiatives.

The young students were given such an exposure right at the beginning of their educational career which was commendable. Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal ji (Minister of State & Parliamentary Affairs) had himself delivered quite a motivational speech on the need and way to practice Green Chemistry in everyday life. The Principal was invited by British Council to attend another INDO UK Workshop and share her experience and expertise on how the utilization of the exploratory grant was being done.

The announcement of the initiation of the course which was designed during the workshop was also made.

# Agenda 3: Upcoming Research Fellowships for Teachers

In order to shape the next generation of high quality research at the college, members present in the meeting were informed that two prestigious research fellowships (Prof. N. V. Thadani Memorial Research Fellowship and Dr. B. M. Bhatia Memorial Research Fellowship) that would be started soon for interested faculty and students.

The meeting ended with formal vote of thanks.

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Dr. Shalini Suryanarayan Director

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