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# Brief report on International Women's Day Event celebrated by Department of **Humanities and Social Sciences.**

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#### **International Women's Day**

## **Event Organized by the** Department of Humanities and Social Sciences.

This is to inform you all that the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Integral University, Lucknow, organized the event to celebrate International Women's Day on 7th March 2022. As per the recognition of the United Nations, International Women's Day is celebrated on the 8th of March every year.

The event included competitions as well as cultural events to mark the historic day. The purpose was to emboss the virtue and importance of the theme "Gender equality today for a sustainable tomorrow", as declared by UN Women. This year's theme explores the ways in which women and girls are leading the charge on climate change adaptation, mitigation, and response around the world, contributing powerful leaders and change-makers to a more sustainable future for all. The event was inaugurated by the three competitions "Essay Writing", "Poster making", and "Rangoli making" where the students of the University enthusiastically participated. The students expressed their thoughts and opinions in the form of the written word as well as in form of creativity in posters and rangoli. The winners of the same are shared below.

Next in line was the Cultural celebration where students shared their opinions in the form of inspiring poems, melodious songs, and heartfelt speeches. The students presented poems about what women have accomplished and all that they can achieve given the right opportunities and assistance. The speeches brought out the theme of the need for equality and equity well. The musical performances tied the event together and were a treat to the ears. Ms. Sana Amin was the anchor for the day along with the students. The guests of the day are well known for their scholarly achievements as well as their able administration. The guest, Saba Siddiqui, Head of Department, Department of Agriculture, talked about how it is only the change in perspective of the parents that have ensured girl students can be in the University and we should recognize that. Dr. Adnan Khan Lodi, Head of Department, Department of Education mentioned how not just professional but social equality is an important goal for gender equality. Dr. Shahid Ali Khan, Honorable Dean, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, also graced the event. The guests bestowed the students with their blessings, experience, and words of hope and wisdom. The students took the program forward and brought new energy to the event. Lastly, the vote of thanks was given by Prof. Zeba Aqil, Head of Department, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences. The event was a success with abundant student participation and due coordination of faculty and staff of the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences.

#### Winners of the Essay Competition:

1st Prize: Manisha Singh- VI Semester- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences

2nd Prize: Muskaan Verma -VI Semester- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences.

3rd Prize: Yashraj Singh IV Semester - Department of Humanities and Social Sciences. and Mohammad

Hashim- IV Semester, Department of Pharmacy.

#### Winners of the Poster Competition:

1st Prize: Sidra Fatma, Zainab Siddiqui, and Tahreem Kausar- VI Semester- Department of Humanities and

Social Sciences

2nd Prize: Alisha Khan and Mansi Singh - IV Semester- Department of Pharmacy.

3rd Prize: Priya and Aliya Khan- VI Semester- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences

### Winners of the Rangoli Competition:

1st Prize: Sadaf khan, Amber Naaz, Arshi Saba, Fareen - VI Semester- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences.

2nd Prize: Zoya, Nishi, Fatima, Mahurs -VI Semester- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences.

3rd Prize: Anam Nafis, Kaynat, Palak, Shalini- Department of Humanities and Social Sciences.









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