



INTEGRAL UNIVERSITY



Department of Languages

Organized

SOUL OF LAKSHADWEEP/ नीले सागर का संगीत: लक्षद्वीप

An Interdepartmental Essay Writing Competition

Venue: Academic Block D/ NLT Building, 3rd Floor, Room No. D316

Date: 17th October 2025

DATE: 18/10/2025

REPORT

The Department of Languages successfully organized an Interdepartmental Essay Writing Competition on 17th October 2025, based on the theme “*Lakshadweep: Harmony of Culture, Religion, and Environment.*” The event aimed to highlight and celebrate the rich cultural heritage, religious diversity, and ecological significance of the Lakshadweep Islands while encouraging students to engage deeply with these aspects through academic expression. The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across various departments. A total of 20 students participated, each offering insightful perspectives on the multifaceted life and legacy of Lakshadweep. The event successfully fulfilled its objectives of raising awareness and promoting student engagement. It not only celebrated the spirit of Lakshadweep but also served as a reminder of the power of words in understanding and preserving cultural and ecological harmony. Students explored themes such as marine biodiversity, Islamic cultural practices, folk traditions, sustainable fishing, and the impact of modernization on island life. Essays reflected mature understanding, analytical depth, and literary flair, showcasing the students’ keen interest and academic abilities. The competition also served as a platform for interdisciplinary learning, drawing connections between

literature, history, environmental studies, and cultural anthropology. The event was coordinated by Dr. Sugandha Agnihotri, Assistant Professor, Department of Languages, and Ms. Ambreen Fatima, Assistant Professor, Department of Languages, with well-laid guidelines, timely communication, and a structured submission and evaluation process. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Aareena Nazneen Ma'am, Assistant Professor, Department of Languages, for graciously accepting our invitation to judge the interdepartmental essay writing competition held in celebration of Lakshadweep Week. Her insightful evaluation, thoughtful feedback, and encouraging presence added immense value to the event, inspiring participants to strive for excellence in their expression and writing. We deeply appreciate her time, expertise, and support in making the competition a meaningful and memorable experience for all.

WINNERS-

S.no	Name of the Student	Department	Enrol. No.	Position
1	Md. Sawood Basari	Languages	2200104028	First
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3	Sahila Nigar	Languages	2400103136	Third



Regards,
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