

CULTURAL COMMITTEE REPORT 2020-2021

Our college has always been bustling with cultural activities throughout the session. This had been a different year because of pandemic, and it pushed us all to think out-of-box. Hyperion shares strength that is equivalent to its name. Despite the obstacles and challenges, Hyperion-The Cultural Society of PGDAV College emerged as a winner. The members (students as well as faculty) had been using social media extensively. Hyperion team President Akshat Agarwal, Vice President Nidhi Singh, Secretary Abhay Jain, Treasurer Vani Gera and Coordinator (Digital Media) Hitesh Sharma worked relentlessly to keep up the momentum this year.

Hyperion kicked the session off with an intra-college competition that spanned hundreds of second and third years of the college. In all 23 competitions were held online. Participation of students and organizational skills of Hyperion linked together showcased a stage to behold for the coming years.

With the arrival of young blood in the online premises of PGDAV, Hyperion organized auditions for all the college students which met with great responses and positive validations from everyone.

The annual celebration of the talent of first years "Exploranza" reached a new stage and platform of virtual meetings. Exploranza exclusively organized for the first years paved their way towards making an extraordinary display of their talents virtually. The Prize Distribution Ceremony was hosted by ecstatic anchors of Spectrum who pulled the event smoothly. The occasion was graced by Mr. Anant Vijay - a senior journalist, columnist and author with more than two decades of journalistic experience. Online performances by the prize winners and the ending note by Hyperion's Convenor- Dr. Veenu Bhasin showcased the energetic spirit of PGDAV College.



Hyperion also successfully organized events for the occasion of Shaheed Diwas, March 23rd, 2021. The Slogan Writing, Poetry Writing, Essay Writing and Song Writing competition met with a huge number of participants who showcased their reverence.

Aaghaz'21, the annual festival is planned on April 16th and 17th, 2021. The two-days fest will be held online. The theme of our festival this year is 'AVIRAL' – the Voyage Continues. Competitions in various categories Dance, Vocal music, instrumental music, Theatre, Poetry, Digital Media etc. will be held online and the events will be live-streamed.

Iris- Iris, the photography society, helmed by President Laksh Chadha and Vice President Sukarmanvir Singh, proved to be the best that it already is.

Realizing the needs of the hour, Iris switched to Instagram and updated the page with magnificent portraits. It also started an Instagram series called '#SundayShow, reviewing movies and web series. Prakhar Saxena from Iris was shortlisted as one of the top 13 photographers of the world by 'Nature Unlocked', a campaign by UNECE. Iris also won around 15 prizes in competitions organised by some of the most prestigious institutions of India.

Navrang- Navrang, the Stage Play Society of PGDAV college has turned heads and gained appreciation from everyone. The heads of Navrang, President Asra Khatoon, Vice President Satyam Kumar, and coordinator Pranjal Malpani, have put in all their efforts to their society and it shows in its performance this year.

Navrang gained a diverse range of experiences in the academic session. Adarsh Kumar from Navrang won the first prize in the event 'Mix-it-up' and Nikhil Kumar won the first prize in the acting event 'Kirdaar'. Navrang is giving its best in every field and is living up to its legacy.



Raaga- Raaga, the Indian Music Society, is led by the talented team of President Rahul Chaudhary, Vice President Sahil Sunil and Coordinator Ananya Kapoor. The hours of practice and training have paid off for Raaga and it shows in the year they've had.



Raaga, the Indian Music Society of PGDAV college specializes in classical Indian music. This year, the members of Raaga brought laurels by participating in competitions organised by reputed institutions like 7Shades, Periyar Management and Computer College, Smile Foundation and many more. It is rightly said that "Music surpasses all the barriers and binds humans together" and this is exactly what Raaga lived up to by constantly updating its social media handles with musical renditions.

Rapbeats- Rapbeats is the first hip-hop music society in the Delhi University circuit. Led by President Sarthak Srivastava, Vice President Mayank Grover and coordinator Anubhav Bhatnagar, Rapbeats did not cease to justify why it is one of its kind.

Rapbeats achieved its goal of imprinting its name to be repeated in the history of hip hop circuit. Mayank Grover from rapbeats bagged the third position in 'Larynx- the beatboxing competition' organised by IIT Bombay. Despite the pandemic, Rapbeats lived up to its name and participated in numerous competitions across and beyond the DU Circuit.



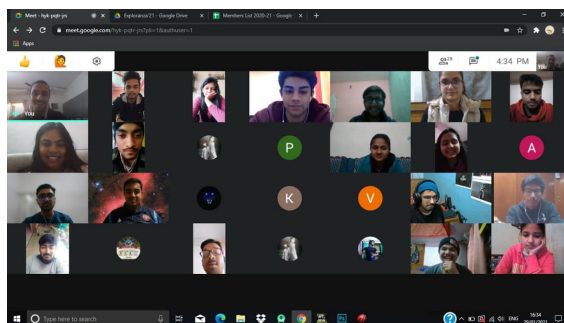
Rudra- Rudra, the Street Play Society of PGDAV college is one of the most reputed street play societies in the DU circuit. Rudra continues to grow ahead under the leadership of Aayushi Saini, Vice President Ritika Gupta, Coordinators Sreeram PP and Shyama Saraf.



Although the pandemic didn't allow Rudra to organise its annual fest 'Shor', it won around 20 prizes across and beyond the DU circuit. It brought in laurels by participating in numerous events organised by prestigious institutions like IITD, PEC (Chandigarh), IIM Calcutta, IIM Trichy, IIM Raipur, IIM Shillong and the list goes on.

Techwiz- Our support system during these trying times, Techwiz, the IT society of PGDAV college stood up to its name under the direction of Tarun, President and Praseon Jain, Vice president along with the coding and quizzing coordinator, Vaishnavi Jaiswal, gaming coordinator, Kunal Saini, graphic designing coordinator, Akash Choudhury and web development coordinator, Himanshu Sharma.

Like all the other societies, Techwhiz too went against all odds and brought in laurels. Techwhiz collaborated with Hansraj and KMC, to facilitate a better environment for coding. Techwhiz, proved their technical expertise by winning prizes in Ram Lal Anand College, Aryabhata College, VIPS, Kalindi College and many more.



Chanakya

Chanakya, the Intellectual Society of PGDAV College moulds itself to the challenges it faces. Keeping the same spirit, Chanakya moved from active audiences of slam poetry, festivals,

debating centres and quizzing halls to an online meeting with profile pictures. Chanakya achieved new highlights in 2020 under the direction of President Arjun Chaudhury, Vice President Deepali and Co-ordinators Drishti Verma, Preeti Deepa Dash, Eish Salooja, Mukul Lakhmani.

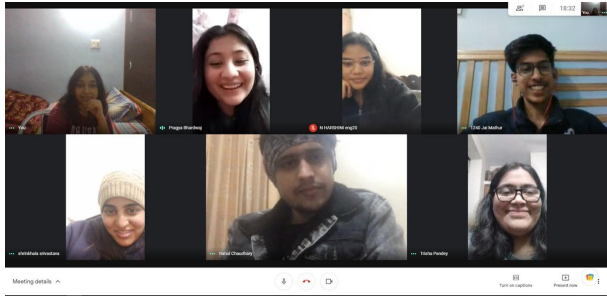
Chanakya participated in online events with their impeccable skills and continued to prove their name as the Best Society of Hyperion. Drishti Verma from Chanakya won national level prizes in Creative Writing at IIT Kanpur, VIT Chennai. Arjun Chaudhury was invited to judge a debate competition at Xenia, the cultural fest of the Indian School of Business and Finance, Delhi. Arjun Chaudhury and Payal emerged as Quarter-Finalists at CRMD 2020, FrCrce, Mumbai. Chanakya emerged victorious at many Delhi University-level competitions and continued its winning streak.



Conundrum

Conundrum, the Western Music Society of PGDAV College is the star of all the college events. Conundrum used the strength of audiences cheering in chat boxes to motivate them to reach new platforms online. It created awards and sweet melodies under the leadership of President Payal, Vice-President Nimish Sethi and Coordinator Pragya Bhardwaj.

Conundrum proved their musical strengths by winning in events organized by colleges all over the country. They won multiple prizes in the category of Western Solo Singing at New Delhi Institute of Management and Shaheed Rajguru College of Applied Sciences for Women. Despite all troubles, Conundrum's voices and music will continue to lead the college.



Diversity:

Diversity, the Dance Society of PGDAV College is the movement to the rhythm of the college's heart. Diversity lives up to its name's authenticity by constant practicing even when their cheerful practice rooms changed to their homes. Diversity traversed all its strengths under the leadership of President Vaishali Kashyap, Vice-President Ishani Nag and Coordinators Karan Singh Sidhu, Reshmi S Mohan, Harshita Vashisht.

Diversity continued to dance to their rhythms in meetings of online windows and their hard work showed up in their participation and achievements. Diversity won prizes at MDI Gurgaon, Aravali Faridabad and Lingaya's Lalita Devi Institute of Management & Sciences. Diversity moves forward like their rhythmic steps to make its name known all over the world.



Impressions:

Impressions, the Fine Arts Society of PGDAV College is in charge of creating art that displays all the hues of being a mature youth. Impressions displayed its vibrant artistry under the leadership of President Suchit Rajvanshi, Vice President Anuj Yadav and Coordinator Priya Jha.

Impressions and their creativity on how they can view the world by sitting in their rooms have truly left us bewildered. Impressions established its stronghold by winning prizes all over the country. Suchit Rajvanshi and Neha Maan won prizes at "Splash" organised by IIT Kanpur. Naming a few colleges where they left their mark by winning prizes are Kirorimal College, Shaheed Rajguru College, ARSD College etc. Impressions flow like their brushes and leave colours wherever they go.



Although the pandemic hampered the working of Hyperion to some extent, it didn't cease to work effortlessly towards achieving its goal. Hyperion owes its success to its convener Dr. Veenu Bhasin, co-convener Dr. Pardeep Singh, treasurer Dr. Awadhesh Kumar Jha and all its dedicated faculty members- Dr. Parmanand Sharma, Dr. Pramita Mishra, Dr. Prabhat Srivastava, Ms R V S Chuimila, Ms Kirti Yadav, Ms Purima Bindal and Ms Suchitra. Hyperion will always continue to strive for success and endeavour to go against all odds and emerge as a winner. Hyperion moves forward to organize more events under their flagship and showcase its event management skills.

Achievements of Students in the session 2020-2021

S.NO.	NAME	EVENT	LEVEL	ORGANIZED BY	POSITION
<i>Society – Chanakya (The Intellectual Society)</i>					
1.	Drishti Verma	Equinox: Fall Writing Competition			Third
2.	Drishti Verma	Creative Writing, ELE'20, Antragini	National	IIT Kanpur	Second
3.	Drishti Verma	Throw A Wrench,	National	NSUT Delhi	First
4.	Deepali	Creative Writing	Intra-College	EWS Club Parikalan, PGDAV	First
5.	Preeti Deepa Dash	JAM Competition,	Intra-College	PGDAV	Third
6.	Drishti Verma	Dikotomy	National	NSUT Delhi	First
7.	Drishti Verma	Spellbound Halloween Slam Poetry,	Inter-College	JMC Delhi	Second
8.	Drishti Verma	Inkspilled,	National	VIT Chennai	Third
9.	Drishti Verma	Witch Hour		DSC	First
10.	Drishti Verma	Creative Writing,	Intra-College	EWS Club Parikalan, PGDAV	
11.	Mridu Rana	Unscripted, Just A Minute,	Inter-College	MAIMS Delhi	Second

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12.	Drishti Verma	Pharmacy Debate,	Inter-College	DPSRU	Second
13.	Arjun Chaudhury, Payal	CRMD 2020,	National	FrCrce, Mumbai	Quarter-Finalists
14.	Drishti Verma	Redstockings Chronicle Magazine Creative Writing,	Inter-College	Bharati College	Runner up
15.	Harsh Gupta	Open Mic Competition	Inter-College	Janki Devi Memorial College	Third
16.	Saumya Khatri	Samvaad Know Your Republic Inter College Debate Competition,	Inter-College	P.G.D.A.V College	First
17.	Satyajit Lall	Samvaad Know Your Republic Debate	Inter College	P.G.D.A.V College	Best-Interjector
18.	Mukul Lakhmani	Jabberwocky Annual College Fest (Inter College Turncoat Debate Competition)	Inter-College	JDMC College	Second
19.	Drishti Verma	Geo-Crusaders Intra-Environmental Quiz	Intra-College	PGDAV	First
20.	Arjun Chaudhury	Geo-Crusaders Intra-Environmental Quiz	Intra-College	PGDAV	Third
21.	Madhav Mahajan	Mock stock	Inter-College	CVS	second
22.	Eish Salooja	Mock stock	Inter-College	Motilal nehru	Third
23.	Aayush Kumar Pal	Abhivyakti	Inter-College	RLA College	second
24.	Aayush Agarwal	Conventional Debate	Inter-College	Sri Venkateswara College	Best Interjector
25.	Shail Goyal	Polstrat			Second
26.	Drishti Verma	Perspectives of Panorama	Inter-College	Motilal Nehru College Morning	Runner Up
27.	Drishti Verma	Dictionary Definitions	Inter-College	Dyal Singh College	Runner Up
28.	Manosmita Mohanty	On The Spot Creative Writing	Inter-College	Ram Lal Anand College	Second
29.	Drishti Verma	AKBD Creative Writing Competition	Inter-College	JDMC	Special Mention
30.	Deepali	Amore Poema Eclectica	Inter-College	PGDAV College	Second

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31.	Trisha Pandey	English Poetry Slam, Spring Fest	<u>National</u>	IIT Kharagpur	1
32.	Aarzo Agarwal	Slam poetry event Unkahi, Blithchron '21	<u>National</u>	IIT Gandhinagar	Second
33.	Abhishek Singh	Creative writing Event	<u>Inter-College</u>	MLNCE	Special mention
<i><u>Society – Conundrum (The Western Music Society)</u></i>					
34.	Payal	Arietta- Western Solo Singing by Ruhaniyat,	Inter-College	NDIM	1st
35.	Pragya Bhardwaj	Arietta- Western Solo Singing by Ruhaniyat,	Inter-College	NDIM	3rd
36.	Payal	Cadenza- Western Solo Singin	Inter-College	Philyra, SRCASW	2nd
37.	Pragya Bhardwaj	Cadenza- Western Solo Singing	Inter-College	Philyra, SRCASW	3rd
38.	Shrinkhala Srivastava	Game of Sounds- Beatboxing competition	Inter-College	Rapbeats, PGDAV	1st
<i><u>Society – Diversity (The Dance Society)</u></i>					
39.	Varsha G Shenoy	Vividhta Mein Ekta,	National	Periyar management and computer college	2nd
40.	Utkarsh Sinha	quarantance ,	Inter-College	University College of Medical sciences Delhi	1st
41.	Utkarsh Sinha	talent.maniac, Talent maniac	Inter-College		1st
42.	Utkarsh Sinha	Magnum	Inter-College	Bhim Rao Ambedkar College	2nd
43.	Utkarsh Sinha	jamai vu,	Inter-College	Ramjas College	3rd
44.	Utkarsh Sinha	qu'art'antine	Inter-College	Believe in smiles NGO	2nd
45.	Utkarsh Sinha	sync with dance	Inter-College	Navprayas NGO	3rd
46.	Parkhi matlani	sync with dance	Inter-College	Navprayas NGO	1st
<i><u>Society – Impressions (The Fine Arts Society)</u></i>					
47.	Yash vardhan	Doodle making	Inter-College	JDMC	2nd

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48.	Yash vardhan	poster making	Inter-College	NSS, PGDAV	1st
49.	Yash vardhan	Poster making	Inter-College	JDMC	3rd
50.	Yash vardhan	Best out of waste	Inter-College	KMC NSS	1st
51.	Yash vardhan	Poster making,	Inter-College	KMC NSS	3rd
52.	Priya jha	Floral theme online painting comp.	Inter-college	IP college of Women	1st
53.	Neha mann	PMCC	National	Periyar management and computer college	2nd
54.	Mili Sachdeva	PMCC	National	Periyar management and computer college	2nd
55.	Esha sati	PMCC	National	Periyar management and computer college	2nd
56.	Bhavesh haldwani	PMCC	National	Periyar management and computer college	2nd
57.	Suchit Rajvanshi	splash	National	IIT Kanpur	finalist
58.	Neha maan	splash	National	IIT Kanpur	3rd
59.	Priya Jha	Painting Competition,	Inter-College	Shaheed Rajguru College	3rd
60.	Suchit Rajvanshi	Competition	Inter-College	Shaheed Rajguru College	3rd
61.	Priya Jha	Fine Arts Article Writing	Inter-College	, ARSD College	winner
62.	Prasasti Dwivedi	Caricature Making,	Inter-College	Maitreyi College	1st
63.	Subhanshu Rahangdale	Poem writing, Shaheed Diwas,	Intra-college	PGDAV	1st
64.	Vanshika Saxena	Poem writing, Shaheed Diwas,	Intra-college	PGDAV	2nd
65.	Mahi Pal	Slogan writing, Shaheed Diwas,	<u>Intra-college</u>	PGDAV	3rd
66.					
67.	Chhavi Gupta	Chitrakala, Fusion	<u>National</u>	IIT BHU	3

Society – IRIS (The Film and Photography Society)

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68.	Prakhar Saxena	Nature Unlocked	International	UNECE	Selected as one of the 13 photographers from the world.
69.	Aalekh Deval	Klickकला	Inter-College		First
70.	Dhriti Goyal	Klickकला	Inter-College		First
71.	Roohan Malik	Klickकला	Inter-College		First
72.	Yash Kumar	Klickकला	Inter-College		Second
73.	Dhriti Goyal	Nazariya	Inter-College	Maitreyi College	First
74.	Sukarman Bhullar	WPC	Inter-College		Second
75.	Laksh Chadha	Shutter Up -	Inter-College	Shri Aurobindo College	First
76.	Sukarman Bhullar	Short Film Making Competition	Inter-College	Rajguru	First
77.	Laksh Chadha	Short Film Making Competition	Inter-College	Rajguru	First
78.	Riya Singh	Short Film	Inter-College	Rajguru	First
79.	Tanya Sharma	photography competition	Inter-College	Prism Media Fest	First
80.	IRIS - Team Competition	short film	Inter-College	Prism Media Fest	First
81.	IRIS - Team Competition	documentary	Inter-College	Prism Media Fest	First
82.	IRIS - Team Competition	ad making	Inter-College	Prism Media Fest	First
<i>Society – Navrang (The Theatre Society)</i>					
83.	Adarsh Kumar	MIX-IT-UP	Intra-college	Rudra, PGDAV	First
84.	Nikhil Kumar	Kirdaar-acting event			first

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85.	Asra Khatoon	Udghosh-The Stage Play Competition	State	Lal Bahadur Shastri Institute of Management	Best Actress
<i>Society- RAAGA (The Indian Music Society)</i>					
86.	Ananya Kapoor	Meri awaaz-	National	7Shades organization	First
87.	Ananya Kapoor	Vividhta mein ekta	National	Periyar management and computer college	Second
88.	Ananya Kapoor	Believe in smiles	Inter-College		Third
<i>Society- Rapbeats (The Hip Hop Music society)</i>					
89.	Mayank Grover	Larynx-Beatbox Competition,	National	Mood Indigo	Third
90.	Mayank Grover	Realm Of Rythm Beatbox Competition	National	SIES College	Second
<i>Society- Rudra (The Street Play Society)</i>					
91.	Ritika Gupta	Ajeeb Daastan Hain Yeh...Kahan Shuru Kahan Khatam (Story Writing Competition)	National	Machaan, IIITD	special mention
92.	Vaishnavi	Hindi Short Skit Competition	Inter-College	Department of Hindi, Swami Shraddhanand College	Third
93.	Vaishnavi	Ghost Storytelling;	National	Clan Wildcats, Department of Students Welfare, MRIIRS	Third
94.	Vaishnavi	Hunkaar Monologue (PecFest);	National	PEC, Chandigarh	Second
95.	Ritika Gupta	Moviink It;	Intra-college	Navrang PGDAV	First
96.	Vaishnavi	RJ HUNT (Vritika 2020)		Metropolitan Education	First
97.	Shyama Saraf	QUIZINGO	Inter-College	Daulat Ram College	Third
98.	Vaishnavi	Vyakt Monoact Competition	National	Samagra,MAIMS College	First
99.	Vaishnavi	Joka Roadies	National	Adventure Club, IIM CALCUTTA	Second

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100.	TEAM-RUDRA	Vakyon ki Vyakhyan-Scene Writing Competition			Second
101.	Vaishnavi	War of RJ	National	SCMHRD,PUNE	First
102.	Vaishnavi	Mono Act	National	IIM TRICHY	Second
103.	Vaishnavi	Kirdaar- MonoAct Competition:	National	Rang Dramatics Club,IIM RAIPUR	First
104.	Vaishnavi	Utkat-Mono Act Competition	National	Delhi School of Journalism	Second
105.	Vaishnavi	Peהל- Monologue Competition	National	IIM Shillong	First
106.	Vaishnavi	Nautanki Saala- Mono Act Competition:	National	IIM Udaipur	Second
107.	Vaishnavi	Kirdaar-MonoAct Competition	National	Rang Dramatics Club,IIM RAIPUR	First
<i>Society – TechWhiz (The I.T. Society)</i>					
108.	Mohit Kumar Jain	Treasure Hunt,Know Your Republic Samvaad,	Inter-college	PGDAV College	1
109.	Tarun Chawla	Hardcode, Techmelange Eniac	Inter-college	Shaheed Rajguru College	3
110.	Anjali Garg	Poster Making, Arthashastra,	Inter-college	Motilal Nehru College Evening	2
111.	Prasoon Jain	Coding Carnival, Automata'21	Inter-college	Ram Lal Anand College	1
112.	Mohit Kumar Jain, Radhika Nagpal, Tarun Chawla	Math-e-Magic,	Inter-college	Kalindi College	3
113.	Arjun Yadav	Decrypt'21, Orrey 2021,	Inter-college	Miranda House	3
114.	Himanshu Tiwari	Inquisitive, Celestech'21, TechPioneers,	Inter-college	Aryabhatta College	2
115.	Muskan Bansal	Cover Page Designing, Satark,	Intra-college	PGDAV College	1
116.	Mohit Kumar Jain	Cryptogram, Statistics Department	Inter-college	, Ramjas College	1
117.	Mohit Kumar Jain	FinQuest, Finance and Investment Cell,	Inter-college	Shivaji College	3
118.	Shourya Bathla Taneja	Monopoly, Arthvidya,	Inter-college	VIPS	1

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119.	Vaishnavi Jaiswal	Black Box, Technophilia, Sattva,	Inter-college	Kalindi College	1
120.	Radhika Nagpal	Coding Battle, Coding Marathon, QuickSort,	Inter-college	Ramanujan College	3
121.	Mohit Kumar Jain	Presentomania, Spectrum,	Inter-college	Anant, PGDAV College	2
122.	Mohit Kumar Jain	Cresmos, Spectrum,	Inter-college	Anant, PGDAV College	1