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PREERNA

The Newsletter of MIER College of Education (Autonomous)

Heartfelt Tributes to the Chairman, MIER Group



Dr. Arun K. Gupta
(1943-2021)

*A Visionary Leader, A Teacher Par Excellence, An Eminent Researcher, An Amazing Human Being,
An Inspiration for the Entire Educational Fraternity and An Institution in Himself*

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College once again established its supremacy by being Ranked the No.1 Autonomous College in J&K for the year 2021-22 second time in a row by Education World Magazine. The college has also improved its last year's tally by jumping two places up in the all India rankings to 91st rank.

PATENT GRANTED

The Commissioner of Patents-Australia granted the first ever Innovation Patent to Dr. Adit Gupta, Principal and Ms. Pooja Pathania, Research Scholar of the college for their innovative research work on the "Method to Study Impact of Online Classroom Platform of Learning and Collaboration at the Teacher Education Level".



RECOGNITION FOR DIGITAL INITIATIVES

The exemplary educational technology initiatives taken by the college in implementing new technologies for enriching the teacher education programmes during the pandemic received recognition at the national level. The impact study conducted by the college on "Using Technology Innovations for Enhancing the Teaching Learning Process during the Pandemic" was published in the "New Code of Education Awards 2021" under the category of Top Autonomous Colleges organised by the Wheebox in New Delhi.



COMMONWEALTH OF LEARNING

The College entered into a Contribution Agreement with the Commonwealth of Learning (CoL), Vancouver, Canada on February 8, 2021 to support adoption and implementation of policies and strategies for technology-enabled learning to improve the quality of learning outcomes and fostering of innovations through research, consultation, capacity building, monitoring and evaluation. This programme will run under the supervision of Dr. Sanjaya Mishra, Education Specialist, eLearning, COL.



CURTIN UNIVERSITY

Curtin University, Perth, Australia collaborated with MIER College of Education under its New Colombo Plan project. The aim of this partnership was to establish a connection between teacher trainees in India and Australia and provide them a highly progressive educational opportunity that aims at making them adaptable and confident in any teaching environment.



CHRISTOPHER'S COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (AUTONOMOUS)

A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) was entered into on July 27, 2021 between the two colleges in Jammu and Chennai. The MOU aims at developing linkages and collaborations in different areas between the two institutions which will be beneficial for both the students and faculty.





RELEASE OF PRERNA

The last year's edition of Prerna was released by esteemed Prof. Manoj Dhar, Vice Chancellor, University of Jammu. Prof. Dhar appreciated the efforts of the college in promoting quality teacher education and transforming the traditional learning set up into a virtual learning environment. He also congratulated all the stakeholders on the stupendous achievement of getting extension in the autonomy for a period of 10 years.



BOOK LAUNCH FUNCTION

A book launch function was organised to felicitate Professor Dr. K. L. Bhatia, the author of the books, namely, Expounding Constitutionalism in India Challenges and Perspectives; and Dharmoprudence From Legal Cosmology to Illuminative, Expounding and Explicatory Indian Perceptions of Vidhi (Law) and Nyaya (Justice), published by Thomson Reuters an international reputed publisher on April 17, 2021.

The programme was graced by Dr. Jitendra Singh, Hon'ble MOS PMO, Justice Sanjeev Shukla, Hon'ble Judge Jammu and Kashmir High Court, and Dr. Renu Gupta, Chairperson, MIER. The event was attended by august members of



the academia, civil society, faculty members, scholars and students. Dr. Seema Sharma and Dr. Mrinalini Atre, Faculty members of The Law School of the University introduced the author as well as his books. Professor Bhatia narrated the excerpts from his two books to the audiences. Shri R. C. Sabharwal, a social activist, presented the vote of thanks.



COLLABORATIVE EVENTS UNDER MOU



An orientation programme on Pi360, the Analytical Software was organised on January 8, 2021. Dr. Ankur Gupta and Dr. Sahil Sawhney from MIET acquainted the staff about the various new features added keeping in view the NAAC requirements and guidelines.



Mr. Suneel Kumar Bhat, Librarian delivered a lecture on the Usage of N-List and NDLI Services at Govt. College of Education on February 10, 2021.



A workshop on the theme “Preparing Effective Lesson and Teaching Plan” was organised for the faculty at Model Institute of Engineering and Technology (MIET) on March 20, 2021. The resource persons were Dr. Bharti Tandon, Associate Professor, and Dr. Bindu Dua, Assistant Professor, PG Department, MIER College of Education.



Shivalik College of Education, Udhampur invited Dr. Adit Gupta, Principal to deliver an online lecture on “Study of an Innovative Institution: MIER College of Education (Autonomous)” on June 12, 2021 as part of their Internship activity.

Dr. Ankur Gupta, Director/Principal, MIET delivered an online lecture on “Mentorship Programme” on July 22, 2021 for faculty. He emphasised the importance of mentorship in a student’s life as it is a unique method of supporting students to improve their learning engagement levels and leadership skills, thus motivating them towards their future career development.





PANEL DISCUSSION



An online panel discussion on the theme "New Education Policy 2020-A Paradigm Shift for Higher Education" was organised to celebrate National Education Day on November 11, 2020. The panelists were: Prof. Adit Gupta, Director and Principal MIER College of Education, Prof. N.R Sharma, Dean Academics MIER College, Dr. Vikram Gulati, Principal Shivalik College of Education, Dr. Mool Raj, HoD PG Dept and Dr. Rohnika Sharma, HoD UG Dept MIER College of Education. The distinguished panelists deliberated on the topic and highlighted the key factors. A lively interactive session with students and faculty was held.

INCLUSION POST COVID-19

Dr. Akhilesh Kumar, Assistant Professor, School of Education, Vardhman Mahaveer Open University, Kota, Rajasthan deliberated on the topic "Building Back Better: Towards an Inclusive, Accessible and Sustainable Post COVID-19 World", on the occasion of International Day for Persons with Disability on December 3, 2020. Dr. Kumar discussed about the impact of the pandemic especially on persons with disabilities and shared measures that could be taken to make the society, the workplace and education inclusive, accessible and sustainable.



NEW EDUCATION POLICY 2020



Prof. Rajeev Rattan Sharma, Head PG Department of Education, University of Jammu was invited to speak on the theme "New Education Policy, 2020: The Future of Teacher Education" on March 25, 2021. Prof. Sharma emphasized the importance of transforming the education policy to achieve the goals of sustainable development. He provided an overview of the policy and specifically elaborated on its value for the teacher education system.



CENTRE FOR EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH

GUEST LECTURES

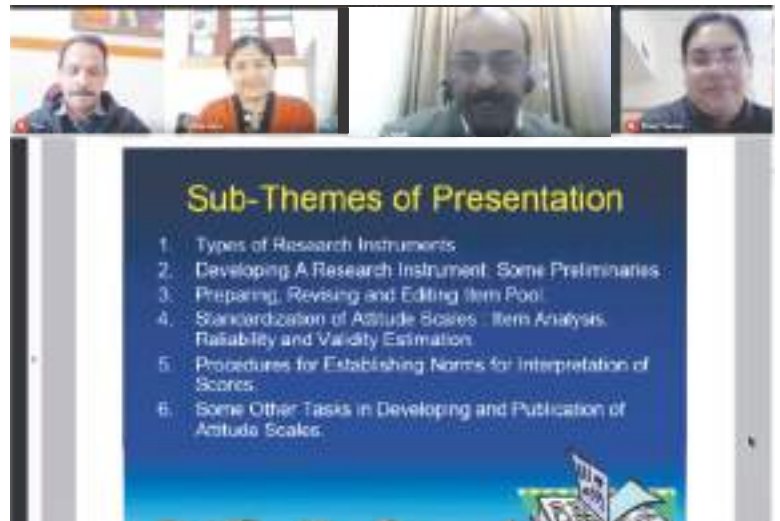
ERRORS IN EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH



A guest lecture on the theme “Various Errors in Educational Research” was organised on November 6, 2020. The resource person was Prof. Kaushal Kishore, Dean and Head School of Education, Central University of South Bihar, Gaya. Dr. Kishore comprehensively explained different types of errors in hypothesis testing by providing ample examples. He stressed on the importance of understanding its use in research work.

ATTITUDE SCALE DEVELOPMENT

Prof. Vishal Sood, Dean and Head, School of Education, Central University of Himachal Pradesh, Dharamshala deliberated on the topic “Development of an Attitude Scale” on December 9, 2020. Dr. Sood acquainted the audience about the research tool construction, classification of research instrument, characteristics, purpose of research instrument, use of the research tool and types of items in the instrument. He further emphasized on some essentials that a researcher has to keep in mind while framing the research tool.



HYPOTHESIS: FORMS AND TESTING

“Hypothesis: Forms and Testing” was the topic of the guest lecture which was organised on February 27, 2021. The resource person was Prof. Kaushal Kishore, Dean and Head School of Education, Central University of South Bihar, Gaya. Dr. Kishore enlightened the faculty about the need and framing of research questions, development of hypothesis and its various aspects. This was followed by an active interaction session where the faculty members and students clarified their doubts and queries.





RESEARCH AWARDS



Research Awards for the year 2021 were held on August 19, 2021. Prof. Rajni Kant, Director College Development Council, University of Jammu, was the Chief Guest and Dr. Renu Gupta, Chairperson MIER was the Guest of Honour on the occasion. Dr. Nishta Rana, Head, Centre for Educational Research, presented the

research report for the year 2020-21. The faculty published 30 research papers in national and international journals, conference proceedings and book chapters. The faculty has presented 13 papers in national and international conferences/seminars. In addition, the faculty attended 600 webinars and online workshops.

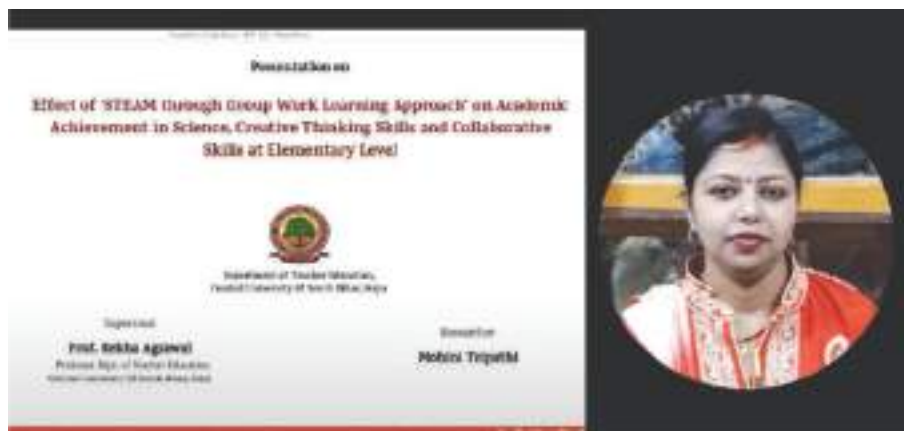
In his presidential remarks, Prof. Rajni Kant congratulated all the awardees and hoped that the institute can further build on its research capabilities.

Twelve faculty members of the college were presented with research awards which included a citation and cash incentives.

RESEARCH COLLOQUIUM

An online research colloquium on the topic “Effect of STEAM through Group Work Learning Approach on Academic Achievement in Science, Creative Thinking Skills and Collaborative Skills at Elementary Level” was organised by the centre on March 27, 2021. Ms. Mohini Tripathi, Ph.D. scholar at the Department of Teacher Education, Central University of South Bihar, Gaya was the resource person.

Ms. Tripathi highlighted that the STEAM approach of learning prepares students to solve problems and different issues through- creative and critical thinking skills, cooperation and effective



communication. A lively interaction took place between the resource person, faculty and students which paved way for further clarification on using STEAM in different content areas and inculcating problem solving skills in learners.



CENTRE FOR EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

An online meeting of the advisory committee of the centre was held on December 22, 2020. Prof. Rajni Dhingra, Dean Reserach, University of Jammu, Prof. Amit Kauts, Dean and Head, GNDU, Amritsar, Dr. Ankur Gupta, Principal and Director, MIET appreciated the efforts of the centre and gave valuable suggestions for further improvement of the activities of the centre.



NEW INITIATIVES

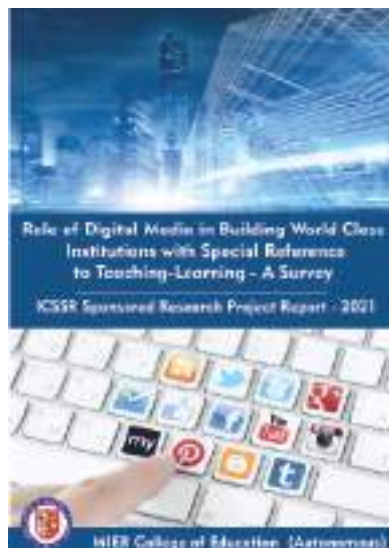
Following initiatives were taken to enhance the credibility of research skills:

- Created College Instance and Registration of Faculty on IRINS (Indian Research Information Network System)
- Revised the research award policy to motivate and appreciate the research contribution of faculty
- Developed new website for online submission of manuscripts for the MIER Journal of Educational Studies, Trends and Practices.



ICSSR RESEARCH PROJECT

A research project entitled "Role of Digital Media in Building World Class Institutions with special reference to Teaching- Learning: A Survey" has been awarded to the college under the prestigious IMPRESS scheme of the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) with a grant of Rs.7 Lacs. The project has been completed and report has been submitted to the ICSSR. The project team led by Prof. Adit Gupta, Dr. Moolraj Sharma and Dr. Nishta Rana carried out the study.



RESEARCH PROJECT COMPETITION

To enhance the research skills of the faculty, an Inter Faculty Competition on "Preparing Proposals for Research Projects" was held to develop and refine the research skills of the faculty members. A grant of Rs.10,000/- will be given to the first three projects selected by the selection committee based on various parameters to carry out the research work.



ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

December 21, 2020

The 3rd Advisory Committee meeting was organised by the centre to present a report of its functioning to its esteemed members. The members applauded the efforts of the centre during the pandemic for providing support and guidance in conducting academic activities of the institution without any hindrances. Future plans were also discussed with the members.



WORKSHOP / TRAINING PROGRAMMES



A two day workshop on the “Use of SPSS in Data Analysis” was organised for the students of the PG Deptt of Education from February 8 to 10, 2021.



A training programme on using Google classroom, zoom meetings, and other G-suite applications was organised for the teachers of Model Academy through online mode.



A training session was organised for the staff of the college on December 2, 2020 to train them on the various features of the college ERP.



CENTRE FOR EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY

Centre for Educational Technology conducted a number of activities in collaboration with Commonwealth of Learning (COL).

TRAINING OF TRAINERS

April 3, 2021 to April 30, 2021



A three-week Training of Trainers programme was organised to train teachers to use the Commonwealth Digital Education Leadership Training in Action (C-DELTA) platform and develop their capacities in using digital resources in teaching-learning process in their respective schools/educational institutions. Dr. Sandhya Gunness, Senior Lecturer, University of Mauritius was the resource person.

TEL POLICY DEVELOPMENT

June 28 to June 30, 2021

Dr. Sanjaya Mishra, Education Specialist, eLearning from COL was the resource person for a three-day online workshop organised on “Developing Technology-Enabled Learning (TEL) Policy” for MIER College of Education.



BLENDED COURSE DESIGN

July 29 to August 19, 2021



COL organized a 3-week online training on “Blended Course Design using Moodle” as part of its TEL implementation programme. Dr. Philip Uys, Senior International Education Consultant, Adjunct Associate Professor Education, University of Adelaide, Australia was the resource person.



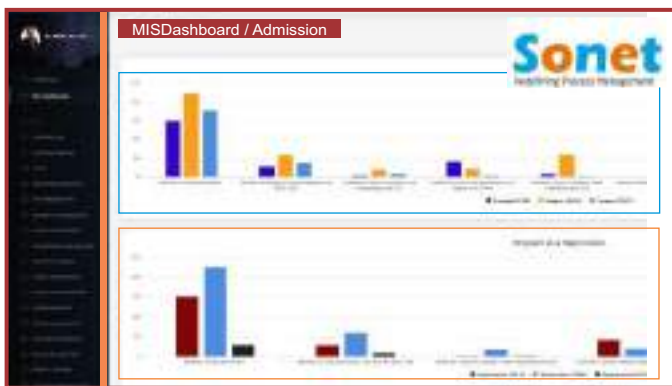
EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGE WITH CURTIN

A student and staff exchange programme was organized between the MIER college Jammu and Curtin University, Australia. The CET provided technical assistance in conducting a two week teaching intensive programme where students developed culturally sound and engaging lesson plans with Indian pre-service teachers for students of Model Academy.



NEW INITIATIVES

NEW COLLEGE ERP



A new ERP from SONET Microsystem Pvt. Ltd. (eSCOP) was introduced on April 16, 2021 for the smooth functioning of the college for administration, teaching, and non-teaching purposes. The centre made its different modules functional and organised training programmes for the teaching and non teaching staff.



NEW MCE-ELMS



The MIER College of Education has developed a Moodle based E-Learning Management System (ELMS) to launch MOOCS and other blended learning courses for its students.

The url is <https://www.miercollege.moodle.school>

NEW COLLEGE WEBSITE

After a year long extensive work on the design and layout, a comprehensive new college website <https://miercollege.in> was launched on May 11, 2021. The website was prepared to encompass diverse features and sections as per NAAC guidelines and to give it a more contemporary and modern look.



INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

CREATION OF NAAC RECORDS

August 19-25 2020

The IQAC organised an orientation programme for teaching and non-teaching staff to train them on creation of records as per the new NAAC guidelines. The staff was given person/dept. wise responsibility metrics for data generation as per NAAC data templates.



REVIEW OF CENTRES AND COMMITTEES

December 2020 & January 2021

IQAC conducted meetings with different centres, units and committees to review NAAC records prepared by them. They were given suggestions for improvement in preparation of the records. They were also reoriented about their processes and roles under NAAC and quality management system of the college.



ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

December 23, 2020

The Co-ordinator IQAC presented a report highlighting the academic and administrative performance of the college and also the new quality initiatives taken in the session 2020-21. The members appreciated the efforts and gave valuable suggestions for further improvement of the IQAC activities.



STAKEHOLDERS' FEEDBACK

Online feedback was collected from different stakeholders namely students, teaching and non-teaching staff and the college alumni. A feedback analysis report was prepared and the suggestions and complaints were shared with the Principal.



INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

OPEN FORUM INTERACTIONS

November 25, 2020 & February 19, 2021

Tête-à-tête”, the open forum interaction of students with the College Quality Team was held with the students of the PG dept. on 25th November 2020 and the UG department on 19th February 2021. A free wheeling session to get the students’ frank and free opinion were sought on various parameters namely online classes, examinations, faculty and various other activities.



TRAINING PROGRAMME

January 18 to 21, 2021

A 4 day training programme on “Document Management” was held for the teaching and non-teaching staff of the college. The members of the Centre for Educational Technology were the resource persons. The skills of the staff were also evaluated at the end of the training sessions.



COMMUNICATION SKILLS WORKSHOP

February to May 2021

A number of workshops on communication skills were conducted for the students of UG and PG departments to enhance their communication skills with special focus on clarity in language and effective interaction in classrooms. The students were encouraged to communicate in English with grammatical accuracy, keeping in mind diverse learning abilities in a class while speaking and writing.





INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

INDUCTION PROGRAMME

March 3 to 5, 2021



Induction programme of the newly admitted students to orient them about the learning outcomes of their programmes and courses and functioning of different centres, units and committees of the college.

ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

March 12, 2021

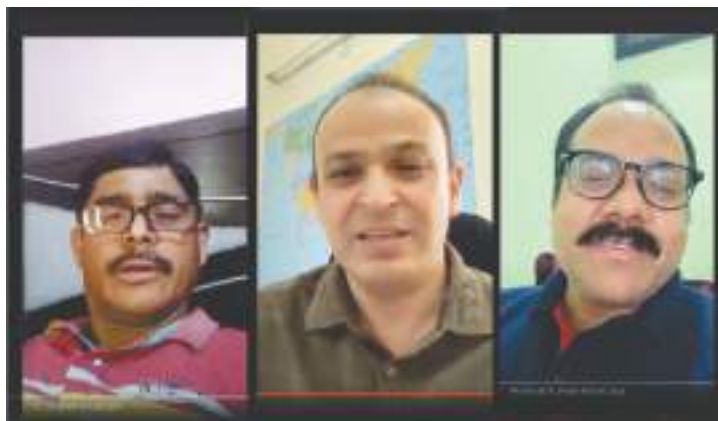
An orientation session in progress regarding the functioning of Grievance Redressal Committee by the Coordinator IQAC.



INTERACTION WITH PARENTS

March 28, 2021

An interactive session by the Principal with the parents of the students of IV semester of UG and PG departments on academics/ online teaching learning, faculty, conduct of examinations and co-curricular activities was initiated. The suggestions, queries and grievances of the parents were also addressed by the Principal.



AQAR

IQAC compiled and submitted the annual quality assurance report (AQAR) 2019-20 to NAAC on 19/2/2021. The report was acknowledged by NAAC on 22/2/2021.



ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

A meeting of the Advisory Committee of SSGCWS was held on 12 February 2021. The report for the academic session 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 was presented and discussion was held on the future road map of the Centre. The members gave various valuable suggestions and professional inputs for further enhancement of the centre.



WEBINARS



A webinar on the theme "How to be a Positive Person and Teacher" was organized on November 5, 2020 by the centre. Mr. Vikrant Mahajan, a motivational speaker, and multiple Guinness World record holder was the resource person.



Dr. Suneeta Zalpuri, Professor & Head, Centre for Good Governance & Administrative Reforms, IMPARD, J&K was the chief guest for an online symposium on "Is Gender Equality Possible for Women in the Present World Scenario" on December 7, 2020.



An online awareness Lecture was organized on "Cervical Cancer among Women" on March 6, 2021. The resource person was Dr. Abhinav Choudhary, Surgical Oncologist, Sri Mata Vaishno Devi Narayana Super Speciality Hospital, Katra, and a consultant at Apollo Hospital, Delhi.



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

The centre organized "Sharing of Experiences" an online event to commemorate International Women's Day on March 8, 2021 in which Ms. Tanya Dev Gupta, a renowned singer and artist was the resource person. She shared her journey, the challenges faced and her triumphs with the audience which helped her in becoming an accomplished singer.



SMT. SHANTI GUPTA CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES

MEET THE EMINENT WOMEN PERSONALITY



'Women as Academic Leaders' was the topic on which Prof. Rekha Koul, Dean, International, Faculty of Humanities, School of Education Curtin University, Australia, delivered a guest lecture on March 30, 2021.



Mrs. Pooja Gupta, MD, Himalyan Bio-Organic Food Ltd. and founder of Nimbark shared her experiences as a women entrepreneur on April 28, 2021.



Dr. Chand Trehan, Registered Counsellor, RCI-Rehabilitation Council of India deliberated on the topic "Challenging Gender Inequalities: Role of Teachers, School and Society on July 17, 2021.

ADOLESCENT EDUCATION PROGRAMME



A three day Adolescent Education Programme for the students of class VIII and IX of Model Academy school was organised. Dr. Jitendra Nagpal, Senior Psychiatrist New Delhi, Mrs. Maneka Khanna, Incharge Humming Buds and Ms. Jasleen Mohial, Coordinator, IQAC were the resource persons for this programme.

WOMEN'S EQUALITY DAY

To mark the Women's Equality Day, an online inter-college symposium on the topic "For Creating a Harmonious Society Gender Equality is the Most Important Factor than Any Other Isms" was organized by the Centre in collaboration with Govt. College for Women, Parade Ground, Jammu. Ms. Khushi from Govt College for Women and Ms. Muskan Sharma from MIER College bagged the first position; Ms. Palvasha Khanam from Govt College for Women clinched the



second position; Ms. Palakdeep Kour and Ms. Madhvi Rajput from MIER College secured third and consolation prize respectively.

ENVIRONMENT UNIT



Online Poster Making competition organised on the theme: “Care they Need, Love they Deserve,” on World Animal Welfare Day - Oct 5, 2020.



Sowing of seasonal vegetable seeds and de-weeding of the garden under Sustainable Environment Campaign was organised at MIER campus - Feb. 26, 2021.



Online discussion and student presentation on the theme: “Save Water Save Life” - Oct 30, 2020.



Students participated in an online orientation programme on the theme: “Biodegradable and Non-Biodegradable Solid Waste Management” - April 22, 2021.



An inter-departmental Symposium on “Science and Technology for a Sustainable Future” was organised on the occasion of National Science Day. Ms. Anjeshri from B.Ed. bagged first position, Ms. Jyoti Sharma B.Ed. Special Education stood 2nd while Ms. Sonali Sharma from M.Ed bagged 3rd spot - March 3, 2021.



EXTENSION UNIT



To commemorate the International Day for Older Persons, an online programme was organized on Oct 1, 2020 in which students along with their grandparents participated.



Dr. Meenakshi Kotwal, District Tuberculosis Officer, Jammu delivered a lecture on the theme "Precautions and Prevention of COVID 19" on Oct 3, 2020.



Swachhata Drive on Nov 21, 2020 by the students. They took a pledge to save the environment and keep it pollution-free.



Mrs. Vidya Chib, Child Development Project Officer, Kot Bhalwal delivered a lecture on the theme "Save the Girl" on March 16, 2021 in the adopted village-Domana.



A free medical camp and an awareness lecture on "Common Health Issues" organized in collaboration with the Govt. Ayurvedic Hospital Jammu at Domana village on April 7, 2021 on World Health Day.



Dr. Sachin Bhagat delivered an extension lecture on "COVID-19" to the support staff of the institute on August 2, 2021. Free medicines for strengthening immune system and multivitamins were also distributed on this occasion.



NSS UNIT SADBHAVNA WEEK

Fostering the spirit of communal harmony, national integration and pride among the volunteers, NSS Unit of MIER College of Education organized a series of programmes such as online rangoli making competition and patriotic song competition to celebrate National Integration Week from November 19 to 25, 2020.



ONE DAY SPECIAL NSS CAMP



One day Human Rights Session in NSS Special Camp under the aegis of NSS Unit, University of Jammu in collaboration with the National Human Rights Commission (NHRM) was organised on March 1, 2021. Dr. Satinder Kumar, Programme Coordinator NSS, University of Jammu was the chief guest on the occasion. A grant of Rs.41,000/- was also received from the university to organise the function.



A declamation contest was also organised on this occasion in which first two positions went to MIER College. Anjshree Sinha and Ashit Toppo stood first and second and won cash prizes of Rs.3500/- and Rs.2400/- respectively. Dhara Koul of Govt. College of Women got third position with a cash prize of Rs.1400/-.

DECLAMATION CONTEST



NSS volunteers of the college also participated in a Declamation contest organised by the NSS unit of the University of Jammu in collaboration with the National Human Rights Commission (NHRM) on March 9, 2021 and won first and second place.



VISIT OF THE ALUMNI



Alumnae Seema Gupta receiving her M.Ed. degree from Dr. Adit Gupta, Principal during her visit to the college on July 21, 2021.



The third volume of alumni directory comprising students data till batch 2018-20 was launched.

ALUMNI INTERACTION

Mr. Rajpawan Jangra, Principal Aatmsukh Aatmdev Aashram Special School Hoshiarpur, Punjab (2006-07 batch) was the guest alumnus on the Alumni Interaction session on December 11, 2020. Mr. Rajpawan shared his experiences as a Special Educator with the students and faculty members. He also fondly shared his memorable moments at the college .



Training Programmes



Mr. Anmol Gupta, a Financial Planning Expert and an alumnus of the college orienting staff on “Smart Financial Planning and Digital Payments” on March 19, 2021.



Mr. Pranav Gandotra, Manager HR, Training and Quality Assurance delivering a lecture on “Work Ethics” to the support staff on March 22, 2021.



PLACEMENT DRIVES



Following training programmes were organised for preparing the students for placement drive in schools:

- Preparation of Resumes
- Mock Interviews
- Tele Interviews

PLACEMENTS 2021



Campus placement drives were organized by the unit. More than 37 students from UG and PG Departments along with 8 alumni participated in the drive. JK Public School, RM Public School, DBN School and Model Academy were the main schools in which placement drives were conducted.



Anjshree
B.Ed. Batch 2018-20
Model Academy
TGT Science



Sonali Gupta
B.Ed. Batch 2018-20
JK Public School
TGT Social Science



Mehak Mengi
B.Ed. Batch 2018-20
JK Public School
TGT Social Science



Neha Bhardwaj
B.Ed. Batch 2018-20
J.K. Public School
TGT Hindi



Mamta Dutta
B.Ed. Batch 2018-20
RM Public School
PGT Chemistry



Preeti Bhardwaj
Alumnae Batch 2017-19
R.M. Public School
PRT Hindi



CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY



A certificate distribution ceremony for the 3rd batch of Guidance and Counselling Course conducted on January 22, 2021. Dr. Adit Gupta, Principal applauded the efforts of students and said that this course will open new doors of employment for students as counsellors, relationship managers at workplace, handling children with special needs, etc. The students also expressed their happiness and satisfaction on completion of the course.

A certificate awarding ceremony for the 8th batch of the Human Rights and Values Course was held on February 19, 2021. Dr. Adit Gupta, Principal congratulated the students for taking up the course and successfully completing it despite challenges due to the pandemic. Dr. Renu Gupta, Chairperson, MIER awarded the certificates to the students. The participants also shared their observations and experiences during the course.



STARTING OF FOURTH BATCH OF GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING



A meet and greet programme was held on August 19, 2021 for the fourth batch of the Guidance and Counselling certificate course. Dr. Adit Gupta gave a brief overview of the functioning and facilities of the college in his address to the students. Dr. Renu Gupta, Chairperson blessed the newly admitted students.



PRINCIPAL'S ACHIEVEMENTS

“Best Senior Researcher Award 2020” by International Journal of Modern Trends in Science and Technology (IJMTST) under the IJMTST Research Excellence Awards 2020.

“International Academic Leader Award 2020-21”. by the International Institute of organised Research for providing 'Outstanding Academic Leadership' as the Principal.

“National Eminent Editor Award 2020” by the International Institute of organised Research for 'Outstanding Contribution' as the Managing Editor of MIER Journal of Educational Studies, Trends and Practices.

Received the “Mendeley Advisor Certification” from ELSEVIER for being an expert and promoting the use of Mendeley- a reference manager tool for research purpose.

Reached the Milestone of achieving **100 Research Paper Citations** with Google Scholar with an h-index of 5 and an i-10 index of 4.



PRINCIPAL'S ENGAGEMENTS

Dr. Adit Gupta Principal, MIER College of Education, visited Smt. Kapila Khandvala College of Education, Mumbai from July 29 to 30, 2021 as a member of the UGC Expert Committee for grant of fresh autonomous status to the college. As a part of the committee, he interacted with the various stakeholders, inspected the physical infrastructure and facilities, reviewed college activities and verified the records and documents of the college during the visit.



Dr. Adit Gupta was invited as a distinguished speaker at the national level in the following programmes :

Faculty Development Programme	Capacity Building Programme	National Webinar	Training Programme
Innovative Practices in Research and Technology at GHG Khalsa College of Education, Gurusar Sadhar, Ludhiana on June 26, 2021.	Innovative Practices in Research and Technology at Multani Mal Modi College, Patiala on July 17, 2021.	NAAC Criteria 1 (Curricular Aspects) at Gujranwala Guru Nanak Khalsa College Ludhiana on August 6, 2021.	Challenges of Strategic Planning in a AICTE sponsored Training programme at Model Institute of Engineering & Technology on June 11, 2021.



PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

BOOK PUBLISHED

Faculty of the college participated in numerous professional development activities throughout the year.



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Research Papers published in Peer Reviewed Journals



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Research Articles & Book Chapters published



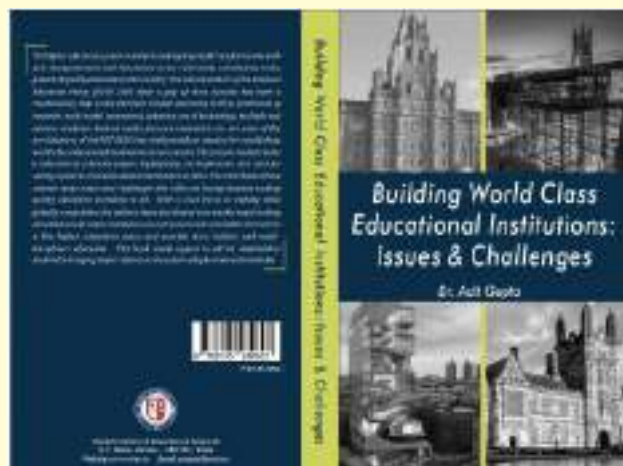
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Invited as Resource Persons



600

Attended online Workshops & Webinars



The college published a book on “Building World Class Educational Institutions: Issues & Challenges” comprising papers presented by the international and national researchers, teacher educators and educational experts in the international conference organised by the college.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS



Dr. Mool Raj received Teacher Excellence Award in 2nd International Business and Academic Excellence Awards 2020 organised by CISR Foundation on December 26, 2020 at New Delhi.



Dr. Nishta Rana received Academic Excellence Award 2020 organised by AMP in collaboration with IDMB, Hyderabad on December 27, 2020.



Ms. Eesha Sharma received Global Librarians' Award for showing excellence in providing library services from Aks Education Award on August 29, 2021.



Dr. Rohnika Sharma appointed as editor for developing self learning material for B.Ed. Spl Education by U.P. Rajarshi Tandon Open University, Prayagraj.



Dr. Reeta Dwivedi received a Research Excellence Award 2020 from Institute of Scholars and Best Language Teacher award from Kites Education.



Teachers' Day Celebration Sept 5, 2020

An online video tribute was paid by the students to their teachers on Teachers' Day



Yoga - A Healthy Way of Life November 28, 2020

More than 100 students participated and demonstrated various yoga asanas in an online yoga activity organised by the sports unit.



Collage Making Competition April 23, 2020

Students beautifully presented their idea of Incredible India through colourful pictures in the competition.

INTER-DEPARTMENT KHO-KHO COMPETITION



Inter-departmental Kho-Kho competition organized by the Sports Unit from March 2 to 5, 2021.



Poster Making Competition August 31, 2021

Students participated in an online poster making competition on the theme "India the Land of Festivals"

Student Achievers



Dolly Kanojia secured first position in an inter college Essay Writing competition organised by KC College of Education on the theme "Contribution of Women during Covid 19" on March 8, 2021.



Sonali Gupta, NSS Volunteer received the Vice-Chancellor's Commendation Certificate and a cash award of Rs.5000/- for being one of the Top Performing NSS Volunteers



Surbhi Sharma got second rank in an inter college Essay Writing competition organised by Environment Club of the Dogra College of Education on the topic "Water and Climate Change" on March 22, 2021.



Ashit Toppo and Anjeshree won first and second prize and received cash prize of Rs.3500/- and Rs.2400/- respectively in a Declamation Contest organised by the University of Jammu in collaboration with NHRC on March 9, 2021.

Diksha Dogra bagged first position in an online inter college Slogan Writing Competition organised by Sai Shyam College of Education on the occasion of Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav.



Priya Sharma and Ashish Choudhary, students of M.Phil qualified NET examinations in Education

Neha Balgotra stood first in an online inter college Poetry Recitation competition organised by JK College of Education on the occasion of "Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav" on September 2, 2021. She also participated in national level poetry competition.



Mamta Dutta of B.Ed. batch 2018-20 qualified Central Teacher Eligibility Test (CTET)



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