

Self exploration leads to self improvement. Keeping in mind the differing perspectives of today's world and an overall development of the students, the College introduces various activities based on the essentials of personality development and individual excellence. The various extra-curricular activities provide opportunities to the students to bring forth foster and enhance their varied abilities. The aim is not to create a self-engrossed individual but to develop in her a spirit of team-work and respect for the abilities of fellow students. Thus in short, the essence of the move is to help optimize the potential, latent or patent, of each student.

### List of events organized during the session 2014-15.

- Orientation Ceremony (For Freshers) 'Abhinandan'
- Mehandi Competition
- Freshers' Day
- Thank You Bash
- Teachers' Day
- The Annual Fest
- Annual Day
- Annual Play
- Fashion Show
- Annual Art Exhibition: 'Abhivyakti-Ek Prayaas'
- Farewell Ceremony

#### THE IISU COUNCIL

The Students' Council of the IIS University is the representative body of the entire student community. It is the interface between the students and the administration and the two work together to identify and address concerns that affect the students directly and indirectly. It represents the interests of the students and participates in discussions and decisions that affect the entire student body.

The members of the council are nominated through an open and transparent system which ensures that students from all faculties, programmes and departments have an equal opportunity of being selected. The members of the Council are nominated for a term of one year.

From acting as the students' voice and ensuring that each student gets the best out of their university experience, the Council works with a focus on an all round development of students. It organises several co-curricular events through the year, in association with the various activity clubs/ guilds on campus. The Council also organises most major events of the University like the Freshers' day, Thank You get together, the Annual day and the much awaited annual cultural fest - Cosmos. It is also actively involved in coordinating the participation of students in Inter University competitions and fests.

An extremely important domain of The Council is its role in streamlining the student volunteer effort for the Institute events that are organized periodically. The Council is headed by the Epahi Das (UG Council) and Apoorva Sharma (PG Council) who, in close association with other student members, work under the able leadership of the student welfare committee which includes faculty members.



# **ORIENTATION CEREMONY (FOR FRESHERS)**

The University's annual Orientation programme was organized for the new entrants from 15-16 July 2014 to acquaint the fresh batch of students with the institutional profile and campus environment. There were talks and presentations by experts from various fields to address the new students on the challenges posed by higher education today and how best to overcome them. There were faculty-led sessions in which the students were briefed on the university's infrastructure, facilities, faculty profile, the institution's day to day operations, curricula and the examination scheme.



## **KRITI 2014 - MEHANDI COMPETITION**

With the onset of monsoon and Teej being celebrated all over the city with full fervour, ICG-The IIS University, organized a Mehandi Competition on the College premises to celebrate the festival of swings. The students were clad in ethnic Indian attire to add colour to the celebrations. About 145 students participated in the event. The panel of judges included Ms. Arushi Jain, Mr. Shwet Goel and Ms. Sheetal Chitlangiya, Dept. of Visual Arts, The IIS University, Jaipur

#### Results

#### **First Position**

Ritambhra Purohit B.Sc. Sem. V Megha Bhageria BVA Sem. VII Rituraj Shekhawat MBA Sem. III

#### **Second Position**

Kritika Bapna M.Sc. (IT) Sem. III
Aishwarya Tanwar B.Sc. Sem. V
Yakshesh Swami M.Sc. Sem. III
Kriti Shekhawat B.Sc. Sem. III

#### Third Position

Sapna Yadav B.Sc. Sem. V Anupama Agarwal BVA Sem. III Devyani Singh BVA Sem. III

#### **Consolation Prize**

Jyoti Sadhwani MIB Sem. III

Bhanu Prajapati B.Com. (Hons.) Sem. I

Rupal Yadav BVA Sem. III Monika Sharma BVA Sem. III Vishakha Bharadwaj B.Com. Sem. I







## FRESHERS' DAY-ESPERANZA 2014

Fresh Start for Newbies **23August 2014** 

The IIS University wore a festive look as it geared up to welcome the new batch of freshers. The seniors presented a kaleidoscopic show of dance and music and danced to the tunes of latest bollywood chart busters.

The highlight of the event was the Ms. Fresher Contest, which was organized in various phases and was adjudged by a panel of judges that included and Ms. Charvi Tanya Dutta, Professional Model, Ms. Sakshi Bhatt, Jewellery Designer, Ms. Deepika Kaurani, Head, Dept. of Foreign Trade Management, The IIS University, Jaipur.

Dr. Ashok Gupta, Vice Chancellor, IIS University appreciated the talent and the creativity of the students and motivated them by his inspirational speech. The freshers appreciated and enjoyed the fun filled evening.

Anushree Goyal of B.Com (Hons) Sem. I was crowned Ms. Fresher (UG), Harshil Kalia of BJMC Sem. I was the First Runner up whereas Rini Dixit and Noopur Bhargava were the second Runner up.

Soni K. Jain of MBA (HR) bagged the title of Ms. Fresher (PG) 2014, Monisha Bokadia of M.Com. was the Runner up.

Niharika Joshi of B.A. bagged the title of 'Bewitching Beauty'.





















#### THANK YOU BASH

The newcomers of the IIS University organised a thank you bash 'Glitterati 2014' on 30 August 2014 to show gratitude to their seniors for the welcome party hosted by them. The event, which had a host of cultural presentations, saw freshers dancing to the tunes of Indian & Western numbers. An investiture ceremony was also conducted in which the Student Council for the session 2014-15 was announced. Epahi Das of B.A. (Hons) Sem. V was nominated as the Head Girl of the UG Council and Apoorva Sharma of M.A. English Sem. III was appointed as the Head Girl PG Council 2014-15. Devika Thirani and Shruti Misra was nominated as Cultural Heads UG & PG Council respectively.











#### **TEACHERS' DAY CELEBRATION**

The students of The IIS University celebrated Teachers' Day to express their gratitude and appreciation for their mentors on this special day. This day is dedicated to Dr. S. Radhakrishnan, the great Academic philosopher and the President of India. As a tribute to this great teacher, his birthday is observed as Teachers' Day.

Teachers' Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and zeal by the students of the University. The students made the stage come alive with a cultural extravaganza. They also organized fun games and quiz for their mentors. This was followed by Lunch and a movie screening which was organized by the student council.



THE ANNUAL FEST - COSMOS 2014

Cosmos 2014, the Annual Fest of The IIS University is dedicated to the celebration of creativity and is a stimulating event brimming with youthful dynamism.

This year it was organised from the 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> Oct'14 on the University Campus. Cosmos provides an excellent platform for students to put in their intellectual, organizational and managerial skills to test.

The Fest had Intra as well as Inter College events. The events of Cosmos included music, dance, quiz, literary, creative events & much more...... There was something for everyone to look forward to and everyone found the whole festival pulsating with energy and enthusiasm. It saw the campus turning into a veritable kaleidoscope of people who not only competed in various events, but also celebrated the synergy of youth and enjoyed informal events that were interspersed over these days. Around 948 students participated in the fest.

The Cosmos also showcased a food festival, which was an amalgamation of various cuisines and snack-brands turning it into one of the prime attractions of the festival.

### **Inter College Events**

- Debate (English & Hindi)
- Face Painting-Splash
- Solo Dance Mudraa

The following colleges participated in the fest

- University Maharani's College, Jaipur
- Kanoria PG Mahila Mahavidyalaya
- St. Xaviers College, Jaipur
- Biyani Girls College, Jaipur
- Govt. Women Polytechnic College
- Jaipur National University
- Pearl Academy
- ISIM, Jaipur
- S.S. Jain Subodh PG College
- The IIS University, Jaipur

#### **Intra College Events**

- Solo/Duet Song Competition Raaga
- Creative Writing (English & Hindi) Poem a Pic
- Creative Writing (English & Hindi) Prose
- Entertainment Quiz Cine Blitz
- Photography Exposure
- Photography On the Spot
- Web Page Designing
- Toggle Poles Apart

- Paper Costume Designing
- Dessert Making Bon Appetite
- Rangoli Rang-Birangi
- Paint a Poem

Total Number of Participants: 948







































### **ANNUAL PLAY - "SALEEB"**

Annual Play of the University titled "Sakina- Rehearsing Manto in the times of Gang Rape" was performed on September 29, 2014 at RavindraManch. The chief guest for the evening was Dr. ArunChaturvedi. The show had a full house with audience comprising present students, parents, ex-students, eminent personalities from fraternity and media persons. The play depicted a state of unrest in the girls of today's India who do not feel safe anywhere. It was a depiction of Sadat Hasan Manto's short story "Khol Do". In the play one could see different characters ask 'Sakin' (the center character of the play, who was gang raped during the partition) a single question that why didn't she do something about it back then. If she would have done something then, the girls today; would have got a safe place to live in.

The play was an outcome of a month long workshop which started on August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2014 and lasted till September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2014. It was conducted by Atelier Theater Society, a Delhi based group. Under the direction of Mr. Kuljeet Singh and Mr. Vivek Sharma, students learned all the nuances of all the facets of theatre like acting, stage management, lighting and sound. Apart from acquainting students with the various details of performing theatre workshop also improved their interpersonal skill and observation ability. It also helped students to build their confidence.









## **CREATIONS 2015**

Department of Fashion & Textile Technology had organised its 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Fashion Show "CREATIONS-2015" on 28<sup>th</sup> Jan 2015 at B.M. Birla Auditorium, Jaipur. A platform was provided to students, emerging models and designers to showcase their talents and gain exposure. In order to boost up their confidence, prizes were given in the following category:

- **Special Jury Award** won by Ms. Neeru Takshak and Ms. Chandrika Mehta (Fashion Designers) for their theme Meraki on Streets
- Emerging Designer of the Year- won by Ms. Shruti Misra for her theme Ethnic Vibrance
- Haute Couture- won by the team of Advance Diploma Students i.e. Ms. Akhya Pandey, Ms. Asha Sharma, Ms. Bhumika Pareek, Ms. Diksha Pareek, Ms. Krati Mehrish, Ms. Rajshree Shekhawat, Ms. Sanskriti Sharma, Ms. Shail Shikha, Ms. Soumya Tiwari, Ms. Shubhangi Pandey (Fashion Designers) and Ms. Mitali Saini, Ms. Priyanka Sahijwani (Jewellery Designers) for their theme Blue Blithe Spirits.
- **Avant Garde** Ms. Siddhi Jain and Ms. Neha Sharma (Fashion Designers) for their theme Starlit Nights

The Chief Guest was Shri Jagdeesh Chandra, Head ETV News Network and Guest of Honour for the event were Ms. Srishti Rana, Miss Asia Pacific World, 2013 and Ms. Shriya Kishore, Panaloons Femina Miss India Earth, 2009

The show was judged by a panel of judges from the fashion fraternity, they were:

Ms. Pallavi Jaipur, Fashion Designer, Jaipur

Ms. Sandhya Srinivasan, Faculty, Pearl Academy, Jaipur

Ms.Kiran Lalwani, Alumnae

The students showcased twelve rounds. Eleven rounds were created & presented by the students of Fashion & Textile Technology Department and Sponsored round by Reme, an online fashion & retail store. The rounds were:

- Fairytale Romance
- Starlit Nights
- Terror Unleashed
- Ethnic Vibrance
- Festive Fair
- Spiaggia Vows
- Meraki on Streets
- Blue Blithe Spirits
- Mesmerizing Sirene
- Bohemian Nights
- Sunset Calling





## **ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION-ABHIVYAKTI**

The Department of Visual Arts of The IIS University, Jaipur organized its 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Exhibition Abhivyakti.... Ek Prayaas from 19<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2015 at Jawahar Kala Kendra. Mr. Shailendra Agarawal, Chief Secretary Art & Culture inaugurated the Exhibition. Around 165 students of the Department of Visual Arts exhibited their work.











### **VIRASAT 2015-ANNUAL DAY**

ICG-The IIS University celebrated its 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Day 'VIRASAT' on the 20<sup>th</sup> of March, 2015 in the University Lawns. It was a beautiful synchronization of the classical & contemporary forms of dance and music. The students of the University presented a beautiful extravaganza incorporating foot tapping dances, music and a fashion fiesta that left the audience enthralled.

Ms. Shaina N.C., Fashion Designer, Politician and Social worker was the Chief Guest for the occasion.

Dr. Ashok Gupta, Vice Chancellor of the University formally Welcomed the Guests and acquainted them with the achievement of the students and the faculty in the last academic session.

The programme included a Semi-classical ballet 'Aparajita' which was a tribute to the spirit of womanhood. It was followed by a medley of Rajasthani Dances.

The Academic toppers as well as the students, who excelled in extra curricular activities were felicitated on the occasion.

Epahi Das and Shruti Misra were awarded 'Pride of the University'.

The programme was a grand success and everybody enjoyed and appreciated the excellence presentation put up by the students of the University.













## AASHIRWAAD-2015 FAREWELL CEREMONY

Farewell day is an event filled with multi-emotions, one feels happy, yet sad. Smiles spread on every face and everyone feels nostalgic. Advice, wisdom, and encouragement spell out to motivate the graduating students.

The IIS University bid farewell to the outgoing batch of 2015 on the 9<sup>th</sup> of April, 2015 in the University Lawns.

The ceremony commenced on an auspicious note with the College Prayer. It was followed by a series of musical compositions rendered by juniors, outgoing students and faculty members of The IIS University. A colourful dance extravaganza was presented by the juniors to pay tribute to their talented seniors, wherein they presented their signature steps. While these dances earned a thundering applause, they also stole the show with their perfectly co-ordinated steps that had everyone jiving to their beats.

The Vice Chancellor, Dr. Ashok Gupta, also encouraged & motivated the outgoing batch & wished them luck for their future endeavours. Mementoes & a book of quotes were presented to the students as a token of remembrance.

The programme came to a close with the candle lighting ceremony which was the highlight of the evening. Later everybody proceeded for Dinner & Group photographs.

Thus an enchanting evening culminated, and with it both happiness and nostalgia crept into each one on the campus.







#### INTER COLLEGE EVENTS

### Session 2014-15

- The students of the University participated in Oneiros- Manipal University Jaipur's Cultural fest and won first prize in the group dance competition which was held on the 29th of September..Around 17 students took part in the event. The participants were- Devika Thirani, Manika Sharma, Tanvi Vijay, Praniti Sharma, Aayushi Nahar, Deepika Sharma, Aishwarya Poddar,Riddhi Vijayvergia, Shivani Sharma, Siddhi Vijayvergiya, Shruti Misra, Ashita Jain,Swati Fofaliya, Krati Gautam,Jyoti Singh Babli Godha Neha Jain.
- An Inter Institutional Debate was organised by St. Wilfred s College. Shiromi Chaturvedi and Preksha Jain bagged the first prize in the event.
- The students of the University participated in Sabrang, an Inter college fest organised by J K Lakshmipat University, Jaipur. The students bagged the first position in Group Dance and received a cash prize of Rs 3100/. The participants were Deepika Sharma, Diksha Khatri, Mousha, Shivani, Aishwarya, Aayushi Nahar, Devika Thirani and Ashita Jain.
- St Xaviers College, Jaipur organised its Literature fest on the 15 th and 16th of November. Apeksha Tickoo and Harshita Tewani bagged the best team s trophy. Megha Bhageria was Runner up in Poster Making and Risha Bhattacharya stood second in Creative writing.
- Dr. B.Lal Institute of Biotechnology organised its Annual Techno Cultural fest from 20th to 22 November 2014. The students stood second in the Group Dance category. The participants are- Aayushi Nahar, Shruti Misra, Epahi Das, Tanvi Vijay, Shivani Sharma, Devika Thirani, Aditi, Manika Sharma and Jyoti Singh.
- The students of the University participated in Zest-Inter College Fest organized by St. Xaviers College, Jaipur. Preksha Jain (BJMC Sem.III) & Shiromi Chaturvedi (B.A Hons. Sem. III) bagged the winning team title in English Debate. Devika Thirani & Group won Second Prize in Group Dance Category.
- The students took part in spectrum, Inter College fest organized by Biyani Group of Colleges, Jaipur

Event: Art Attack
Winners (First Prize)

Aishwarya Naruka MVA Sem. I Arza Arora MVA Sem. I

Rangoli (Second Prize)

Keerti Sharma BVA Sem. II Sania Khan BVA Sem. II

Nail Art (Third Prize)

Monika Sharma BVA Sem. IV Diksha Sharma BVA Sem. IV

### **Collage Making (Second Prize)**

Rupal Parekh

## Debate (Second)

Apeksha Tickoo

### **Group Dance**

Manika Sharma & Group

**Result: First Prize** 

- The students of the University participated in AIU Fest (West Zone) hosted by MDS University, Ajmer. The students participated in Literacy & Fine Arts Event and performed well. Shiromi Chaturvedi of BA (H) Sem.III & Preksha Jain of BJMC Sem. III got Third prize in the Debate Competition.
- The students of the Fine Arts Department of the University participated in Ghoomar International Youth Festival organized by the University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.

### **Results**

### Collage

Aastha Kalia Second Arza Arora Third

### **Poster Making**

Niharika Third

## **Mehandi Competition**

Monika First Megha Third

### Rangoli

Keerti First Sania Second

### Cartooning

Rupal Second Aishwarya Third

• The students took part in Pearl Utsav organized by Pearl Academy of Fashion organized on 12 February 2015. In the Group Dance category the students of the Performing Arts Club won the First Prize. The participants were

Mousha Khatri

Diksha Khatri

Manika Sharma

Devika Thirani

Shivam Sharma

Swati Fofaliya

Siddhi Vijayvergia

Niharika Joshi

Tanvi Vijay

Shruti Misra

Babli Godha

Krati Gautam

Aishwarya Poddar

Samiksha Kapoor

Ashita Jain

Neha Jain

Jyoti Singh Chauhan

Epahi Das

Aayushi Nahar

Praniti Sharma