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On 14th August 2016, Dr. Amar Singh Kashyap was invited as resource person to deliver a lecture in "Nav Chaiyanit Rastriya Yuva Swyam Sevakon ka 15 divsiya Induction Prasikshan" at Gram-Vikas Institute, NH-24, Ghaziabad.

The program was hosted by Nehru Yuva Kendra, Ghaziabad. The program was conducted by Nehru Yuva Kendra, Lucknow. On 1st September, 2016, Dr. Amar Singh Kashyap was invited as guest for "Villager's Social Awareness Program for Rural Development" and delivered a guest Lecture in front of the public at S.D. Jain College, Muzzaffarnagar,

From 9th September to 11th September, 2016, Dr Basudha Sharma, Head of Department, successfully organized an international conference on "Global Initiatives in Applied Science and Green Technology" at SRM University, Delhi NCR Campus, Modinagar, Ghaziabad (U.P.). Dr. Basudha represented as organizing secretary, in the conference.

On 11th September 2016 Dr. Amar Singh Kashyap was invited as guest along with Dr. Mahesh Chand Sharma, Minister of State, Govt of India, Major General (Ex) G.D. Bakshi and others. The program was held on the occasion of world "Brotherhood Day" at Talkatora stadium, New Delhi.

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Wild Life Conservation Day was celebrated jointly by Botanical Council, Biotechnological Council, and Zoological Council on 6th October, 2016. The program was inaugurated by Chief Guest Prof. R.C. Lal, Principal. In this program many students and teachers presented their papers and views. A skit was presented by Biotech students on "Save Tigers". The Poster presentation followed in the Botany Department. The program's anchoring was done by Ms. Kusumjit Kaur, M.Sc. Botany III Semester, President, Botanical Council. On this occasion Dr. K.K. Sharma, Dr. Ravi Kumar, Dr. Vivek Sheel, Dr. Vijay Garg, Dr. Bulbul Gupta, Dr. Basudha Sharma, Dr. Richa Yadav, were present. Prof. R.C. Lal addressed the students on the harmful effects on radiation and other pollutions. The selected posters were displayed in the Zoological Park, New Delhi by the Botany and Biotechnology Departments.



Dr. Basudha Sharma attended a National Seminar on "The creative revolutionary role of women in independent India" in Km. Mayawati Govt. Girls PG College Badalpur (GB Nagar UP) sponsored By ICSSR, New Delhi, on 10th and 11th December, 2016. She delivered a lecture entitled "Role of women in Scientific Area".

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Dr. Basudha Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Botany, participated in 2nd international Conference on "Innovative Approaches in Applied Sciences and Technologies" organized by NANYANG EXECUTIVE CENTRE NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY SINGAPORE & Scientific Educational Research Society. India in collaboration with Department of Biotechnology C.C.S. University Meerut (India), National University of Singapore (Singapore) & IGIB New Delhi (India) between 19-23 June 2017. She acted as an Organizing Convener in this conference & delivered a lecture on "Varied Biochemical Components of Stigma & Pollen". The lecture encompassed the findings in the UGC sponsored ongoing Minor Research Project 2015-17 in M.M. College Modinagar. She was also awarded SERS Fellow Award-2017 during this conference.



FRESHER PARTY IN THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

A fresher party was organized by Department of Botany by Final year PG Students for welcoming their juniors. Several cultural programs were presented by the students. Principal Prof RC Lal was the chief guest of the function. He blessed the students for their bright future. The newly appointed faculties Dr Arun Kumar Maurya, Dr Sujata, Dr Sandeep Kumar, Yogendra saxana, were also felicitated in the function. Principal Prof. R.C. Lal, Dr Basudha Sharma, HOD also addressed the gathering. The function was followed by lunch.



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WORLD WETLAND DAY CELEBRATION BY BOTANY DEPARTMENT

A lecture cum photography contest was organized by Botanical Council to celebrate and enhance the awareness of students towards the significance of wetlands on the World Wetlands Day (2nd February). The theme of this year was "Wetlands for a Sustainable Urban Future". An invited lecture on current theme was delivered by Prof D.K.Maheshwari, Botany Department, GurukulKangri University, Haridwar. Cheif Guest Dr. K. K. Sharma highlighted the historical aspect of wetlands in india. Dr. Basudha Sharma, Head of the Department, pointed out the relevance of wetland in present scenario. Dr. Amar Singh Kashyap emphasized the importance of local means of water conservation like johad of Rajasthan, tank and ponds of different parts of India. Dr. Arun Kumar Maurya threw light on the constitutional and legal framework available in India for wetlands



conservation. Ms. Parvathy Ravendran, MSc. 1st student, also gave a presentation on importance of wetlands. Dr Sujata, Mr. Yogendra Saxena and Dr. Sandeep Kumar actively assisted in the organization of the programme. The programme was anchored by Aakarshi Tyagi, President, Botanical Concil. Vote of thanks was given by Dr. Basudha Sharma. In photography contest, Ms Aakarshi Tyagi and Parvathy Ravendran got 1st and 2nd prize and were given certificate of appreciation.

INDUSTRIAL VISIT ORGANIZED BY BOTANY DEPARTMENT

An industrial visit to Modi Sugar Mill was organized for students of Botany Department on 10th February. The visit was aimed to familiarize the students about the diverse uses of sugar cane, viz sugar production, molasses linked alcohol formation, bagasses and fertilizer. Students were also made aware about the pollution linked with sugar industry along with suitable measures that are being adopted by the industry. Mr. Garg, chief engineer of the mill introduced the students and faculty to different processes, sections and products of sugar mill. Dr. Basudha Sharma, Dr. Arun Kumar Maurya, Dr. Sujata, Mr. Yogendra Prasad Saxena, Dr. Sandeep Kumar, Dr. Sanjay Sharma along with students participated in this visit.



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FAREWELL PARTY M.SC. IInd YEAR BOTANY

Afarewell party was organized by Department of Botany by first year PG students for their seniors. Several cultural programmes were presented by the students. Dr. Vijay Garg was the chief guest of the function. Dr. Basudha Sharma, HoD Dr. Richa Yadav, Dr. A.K. Sharma, Dr. Amar Singh Kashyap, Dr. Arun Kumar Maurya, Dr. Sujata, Dr. Sandeep Kumar, Mr. Yogendra P. Saksena were present on the occasion.. The function was followed by lunch.



FRESHER PARTY BY M.SC. BOTANY STUDENTS

Afresher party was organised by M.Sc final year students and Botanical Council

in the Department of Botany. On this occasion, M.Sc final year students welcomed





the MSc first year students. MSc first year students introduced themselves and presented many cultural programmes. The lightning of lamp was done by Principal Professor RC Lal, Dr Basudha Sharma HoD, Dr KK Sharma, Dr AK Sharma and other faculty members The Programme was conducted by final year student Mr Abdul Mughis.

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WORKSHOP AND POSTER PRESENTATION.

Dr Arun Kumar Maurya and Mr Yogendra P. Saksena from Department of Botany, attended a two days National



Seminar cum Workshop organized by Department of Botany, C.C.S. University Meerut. The theme of the workshop was Biodiversity Conservation and Sustainable Use of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants. On this occasion, Dr Maurya and Mr Saksena Presented a poster titled Medicinal Plants and Intellectual Property Rights Laws in India.