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Inaugural Cum Academic Session

Indo Argentina Relations: The Road Ahead

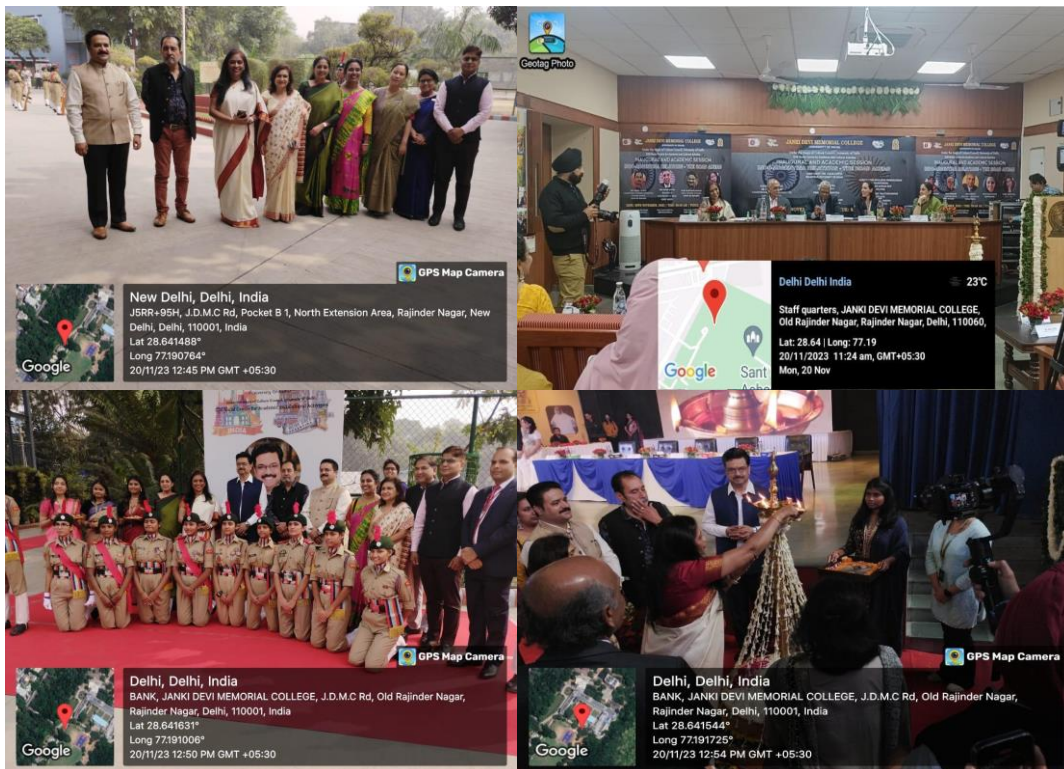
20 November, 2023

Janki Devi Memorial College successfully organised its academic and cultural programme on 20th November 2023 as the culmination of its G20 programme. As a G20 Nodal College, its partner country was Argentina, and the college had conducted several events aimed at developing academic and cultural avenues of collaboration between the two nations. The inaugural and academic session in the morning was attended by the esteemed guests - Dr. Vikas Gupta, Registrar, Shri Anoop Lather, Chairperson, Steering Committee and Culture Council, and Prof. Ravinder Kumar, Dean, Culture Council, from the University of Delhi.

The celebrations started at 9:30 AM with a ceremonial lamplighting with our dignitaries followed by the college prayer. The welcome address specified the significance of 20th November as National Sovereignty Day of Argentina and how far back the relations between India and Argentina went, looking back on the relationship between writers Rabindranath Tagore and Victoria Ocampo.. The panel discussion on 'Indo-Argentina Relations: The Road Ahead' was chaired by former Ambassador, Rengaraj Viswanathan, with illustrious speakers - Dr. Ash Narain Roy and Counselor Cecilla Silberberg from the Argentinian embassy. Rapporteur Prof Payal Nagpal summed up the illustrious session. The academic session was concluded by vote of thanks delivered by Dr Debahuti Brahmachari (G20 faculty coordinator).

The cultural programme ‘Celebrating Culture – India and Argentina’ which showcased the vibrant fusion of Indian and Argentine art forms of music, dance and costumes. The chief guest was Prof. Yogesh Singh, Hon'ble. Vice Chancellor, University of Delhi. Shri Anoop Lather, Prof. Ravinder Kumar was the guest of honour. Ms. Anuradha Krishna, Chairperson Governing body honoured us with her gracious presence. Prof. Singh congratulated the efforts of the nodal college and appreciated the hard work of the students. .

The cultural event was celebrated by the fusion dance performance by various dance groups of students Nupur, Nritya and Jhankaar. The musical medley by Euphonie extensively highlighted "ole ole" the boppy anthem of Argentina and the audience clapping to the melody. Sarang presented a folklore, musical retreat with the singers from time to time using their props like dandiya to engage the audience. The whole event was made even more joyous by a designer showcase Bridging Design And Dress bringing together various themes of both the countries. Prof. Poonam Bewtra (G20 nodal officer) gave a vote of thanks mentioning the crucial support received from various members and thanked them for the success of the event.







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