

TEACHER ACTIVITY REPORT 2016 - 2017

FACULTY: DEPARTMENT/ COMMITTEE /THE ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION
IQAC ACTIVITY No: SVC/2016-17/ECO/SOC/5

NAME OF THE ACTIVITY: Student Competitions in National Undergraduate Economics Festival: BLISSPOINT 2017

DATE	FACULTY	DEPARTMENT/COMMITTEE	COORDINATOR NAME
23 rd -24 th January 2017	SOCIAL SCIENCES	THE ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION	D. BRAHHMA REDDY
TIME	VENUE	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	NATURE: Outdoor/Indoor
Whole day	SEMINAR HALL T1, T2, Seminar Hall, Class Rooms	1000	BOTH
SUPPORT/ASSISTANCE:	Corporate Sponsorship		

BRIEF INFORMATION ABOUT THE ACTIVITY (**CRITERION NO. - V**):

TOPIC/SUBJECT OF THE ACTIVITY	A Variety of the events are conducted over the two day period. Quiz, Debate, MUN,(Model United Nations), Black World, Amazing Race, Paper Presentation, Game of Thrones (The one with 7 kingdoms), Tradecraft-Be an Economist, Unmanageable, Connect the Dots, Mock Stock
OBJECTIVES	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To Improve Managerial, Real Life Problem Solving, Communication Skills, Negotiation skills etc. of students involved in Organisation of the Events To improve, Analytical, comprehensive skills, Communication and Presentation Skills of Participant Students Imparting of Knowledge, Skills and Attitude and Overall Development of Personality of participant students through a more participatory, learner centric approach and Innovative Methods.
METHODOLOGY	<p>For Events:</p> <p>The Amazing Race: Explorative & Investigative</p> <p>Black World: Case Study and Negotiation</p> <p>Quiz: A two stage process of qualifying round (Written Test) and Second Round to decide winners.</p> <p>Parliamentary Debate; Debate For and Against on the Issue</p> <p>Model United Nations : Debate and Discussion method</p> <p>Connect The Dots: Round 1: Solving Crossword, Round 2: Story Writing</p> <p>The One With The Seven Kingdoms: Quiz</p> <p>Paper Presentation: Writing a Research Paper and Present it followed by Q&A</p> <p>TRADECRAFT - BE AN ECONOMIST: Two round selectin process of the winner</p> <p>Unmanageable: Case Study Method</p> <p>Mock Stock: Quiz and Application of Theory</p>
OUTCOMES	<p>Learning beyond curriculum, organisation and event design skills, managerial skills, negotiation skills of Organising students.</p> <p>Improvement in problem solving skills, working in groups, more competitive spirit, better presentation and communication skills and overall personality development participating students.</p>

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PROOFS & DOCUMENTS ATTACHED (Tick mark the proofs attached):

Notice & Letters ✓	Student list of participation	Activity report ✓	Photos ✓	Feedback form
Feedback analysis	News clip with details	Certificate	Any other	

IQAC Document No:	Criterion No:	Metric No:
Departmental file no	IQAC file No;	

NAME OF TEACHER & SIGNATURE	NAME OF HEAD/ COMMITTEE INCHARGE & SIGNATURE	IQAC COORDINATOR (SEAL & SIGNATURE)
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For Reference

Criterion I	Curricular Aspects (planning & Implementation)	Criterion V	Student Support & Progression
Criterion II	Teaching Learning & Evaluation	Criterion VI	Governance
Criterion III	Research, Innovations & Extension	Criterion VII	Institutional Values & Best Practices
Criterion IV	Learning Resources and Infrastructure		

Activity Report -BLISSPOINT 2017

1. THE AMAZING RACE

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Shalil Gulati, Rhea Anand Mehak Kochhar	1 st Prize Dayal Singh College 2 nd Prize Sri Venkateswara Collge	1 st Prize Rs 3000 2 nd Prize Rs 2100	400 students participated

The Amazing Race consisted of 2 rounds: Beg, Borrow and Steal and The Treasure Hunt and each team was supposed to have 2 to 3 participants. The first round was Beg Borrow Steal where the teams were given a list of 20 items which they had to look for in the college campus. 10 teams were supposed to qualify this round and go to the next one; The Treasure Hunt. The treasure hunt was based on a Murder Mystery. There were 7 clues all around the south campus which lead the teams to the killer. The clues contained how and where the crimes were committed.

2. BLACK WORLD

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Abhiruchi Rathi, Rishabh Popli and Niyati Midha.	1 st Prize Motilal Nehru college DCAC 2 nd Prize Shubhankar Miglani and Naman	1 st Prize Rs 1000+2 EHD 2 nd Prize Rs 3000	69 students participated from across colleges

This exciting game of two rounds was constructed by some of our seniors for Blisspoint, last year (2016). This season of Blackworld was coordinated by three second year students of the department- We had all the outline and data used in the game last year and decided to make necessary and interesting changes in the same. Our work started a good two weeks before the final date of our event (23rd Jan) and we comfortably got everything in place till the end.

The first round of the game consisted of solving a case study in the time frame of 1.25 hours by at most 2 participants per team. We used the seminar hall for this round and managed to bag 23 teams from various colleges within DU and around the country. We saw a lot of cross-college teams too and students from departments like Political Science and Mathematics were also seen participating enthusiastically. 10 of these teams qualified to the second round where they were involved in an almost-real life activity of negotiation and trading of illegal commodities. This round was planned for 40 minutes but seeing the enthusiasm of the participants we extended it to about 55 minutes. We included a rather unexpected element in this round (demonetization) which was much appreciated. We got 10 volunteers for this round from the first years and they had a vital role in playing the game along with the participants. The juniors worked well and were supportive. We got a lot of help from our seniors who were pioneers of the game- Kunal Shah and Shubhangi Gupta. They were with us at

each step we needed them for, gave us extremely important inputs and worked with us patiently despite their busy schedules. We owe much of the success of our event to these two. The winners of the game were two young men- Aman Jarok from Motilal Nehru College and Tanuj Khurana from DCAC. It was a great event which was executed smoothly with the help of many.

3. BLISS QUIZ '17

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Saarthak Anand and Thillai Palanichamy, Madhav Mohan and Mehul Jotshi	1 st Prize NLU, Jodhpur Amity Uni. AIIMS 2 nd Prize St Stephens College IGNOU	1 st Prize Rs 4500 2 nd Prize Rs 3000	120 students participated from across colleges

A flagship event of Blisspoint, the annual fest of the Economics Association of Sri Venkateswara College, Bliss Quiz, a general quiz, was conducted on the 24 th of January this time. The event heads were Saarthak Anand and Thillai Palanichamy of Economics(H.), 2nd year. It was held in association with Conquitzadors, the quiz society of the college. Being a general quiz, it covered questions from a multitude of disciplines, ranging from chemistry to history, and biology to literature. The quiz masters were Madhav Mohan and Mehul Jotshi.

In preparation for this event, a lot of effort went into the formulation of questions, which was a joint effort of the event heads and Conquitzadors. Posters and invites were circulated among the economics associations of various colleges, as well as among quizzing networks. Registrants were personally contacted in order to keep them updated of the developments regarding the event, and queries were attended to. No stone was left unturned in the quest to make it a success.

Bliss Quiz was held on the aforementioned day at 2 pm in the seminar hall of the college. It saw a magnificent turnout, with more than forty teams taking part, each comprising of three members. The triumph is evident from the fact that participants from not only top DU colleges like SRCC, St. Stephen's, LSR, AIIMS took part, but almost all other major universities of the country, such as NLU, IIT, DTU, NSIT and Ashoka were also represented.

The quiz was conducted in the classic format. The first round was a written preliminary consisting of twenty questions, with one point awarded for each correct answer. On the culmination of evaluation of the answer sheets, a cutoff of eleven points was decided upon. The seven teams fulfilling this criteria qualified to the on-stage finals. This round had twenty six questions, which, of course, were more complicated than those in the prelims. All teams participated keenly and in good spirit, and the quiz went on till six in the evening. It turned out to be a close contest; the top two teams winning with narrow margins.

The winners are as follows:

1st position

Sanjay Krishna: NLU, Jodhpur
Abhimanyu Bhadoria: Amity University
Mustafa Hashmi: AIIMS

2nd position

Apratim Chandra Singh: St. Stephen's College
Akul Gurtu: St. Stephen's College
Jayant Verma: IGNOU

The team on top was awarded a cash prize of Rs. 4500 and the runners-up Rs. 3000.

In the end, owing to the incessant efforts of the Economics Association, Conquistadors, and all the participants, Bliss Quiz '17 not only lived up to expectations, but also raised the bar much higher, and set an example for future editions to follow.

4. BLISS PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Tushar Bhatia and Taufique Shoogufan, Navya Sharma	1 st Prize Kirori Mal College Best Speaker Prize St. Stephens College	1 st Prize Rs 8000 2 nd Prize Rs 2000	4 teams

As part of Blisspoint 2017, the BlissDebate, in collaboration with the English Debating Society of Sri Venkateswara College, was held on the 24th of January, 2017. Four teams, consisting of two members each : Lady Sri Ram College, Kirori Mal College, College Of Business Studies and St Stephen's College participated in the tournament. All judges in the tournament were those of the English Debating Society.

The event saw engaging and at times, boisterous debates on contemporary economic and policy issues; topics ranged from the European demographic crisis to the recent demonetisation initiative in India. As each team faced each other in a round robin format, it became clear that nobody could be seen as a clear favourite. At times, it became difficult for the judges to even decide a winner. Finally, the top two teams, Kirori Mal College and St Stephens, qualified for the finals.

The penultimate round saw the sides debating the economic and social implications of China's Social Credit System. After two hours of intense and high quality debating, Kirori Mal College was adjudged the winners. The winning team, consisting of Karanveer and Ankita, were given a cash prize of eight thousand rupees while the best speaker of the tournament, Arjun from St. Stephen's, was awarded a cash prize of two thousand rupees.

The tournament was an enriching, albeit exhaustive experience for participants and judges alike. The days leading to the event were fraught with uncertainties; it was the first time such an event was being

organised at Blisspoint. But with the efforts of everyone involved : from the Economics association to the Debating society, the event was held without a hitch. It is hoped that this maiden effort will now become a regular feature of Blisspoint.

5. MODEL UNITED NATIONS

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Pragya Wasan	1 st Prize	1 st Prize 28000 2 nd Prize Rs 16000 Fee for Executive Board: Rs. 38000	120 delegates participated

It is often said that no spectacle is considered to be worthwhile without an event of supreme credibility. On the 23rd and 24th of January, the Economics Association of Sri Venkateswara college organized its annual two-day extravaganza, Blisspoint, and it wouldn't be an exaggeration to say the showpiece of the festival, it's Model United Nations Conference, was a roaring success.

As was the case in the previous edition of the carnival, Bliss MUN was conducted on a grand scale and successfully swept the participating delegates off their feet. Preparations for the same began as early as November 2016. One change made to the conference was the addition of a fourth committee, thereby ensuring a larger pool of participants and a significantly larger roster of staff members.

Promotional activities for the same were carried out on multiple social media platforms and several delegates from the previous year's conference were contacted as well. The process began with releasing the online applications for executive board, and after the esteemed executive board was announced, the online applications for delegation were released, and alongside the online applications for international press were released.

At the end of the sixth and final session of the two-day event, it was confirmed that a record 120 intelligent young minds, spanning 35 colleges and 15 schools had spent over sixteen hours, engaging in passionate and thought-provoking debate.

The four committees organized for the conference and their agendas for the same were as follows:

1. United Nations Human Rights Council: Capital Punishment and Extra Judicial Killing

With forty-five delegates in attendance, it is barely a surprise that the Human Rights Council was the most intense and competitive committee of the MUN. Ultimately, it was the delegate of Sweden who triumphed with a string of factual and coherent arguments, all amalgamated with a clear line of thought with respect to the agenda. The delegate of USA came a close second and earned a High Recommendation, having contributed significantly to the committee's final draft resolution.

2. United Nations Security Council: The situation in North East Nigeria with emphasis on Boko Haram

A sensitive topic in every right, the Boko Haram situation was carefully examined by a pool of ten delegates. Having had the lowest strength out of the four committees in the conference, the Security Council was backed by more regular discussions among the participants. It also made the Executive Board's decision to pick the committee's best delegate a whole lot harder and after due consideration over multiple facets, the representative of France was ascertained the best of the lot with the Russian candidate bagging a respectable High Recommendation award.

3. All India Political Parties Meet: Demonetization as a reform measure with emphasis on the same implemented by the NDA government

This committee was markedly different to the others in terms of its backdrop and endeavour towards the domestic segment of conventional debate. The delegates represented famous political leaders spread across a matrix of parties and spent a fair amount of time forming alliances with fellow leaders. After two action-packed days, the Executive Board came to the conclusion that Kapil Sibal had brought the maximum number of relevant points to the table and thus crowned him the committee's best delegate. He was followed by Chandrababu Naidu.

4. United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime: Assessment of the UNODC's strategy from 2012-2015 with special reference on transnational organized crime and illicit drug trafficking

Never before had this Model United Nations conference introduced a committee specifically for drug-related crimes and in an attempt to diversify and expand the global reach of the conference, the UNODC was incepted. As had been the case in the other committees, this council was exemplified by a great influx of factual statements and spontaneity. The representatives of Russia and Netherlands bagged the Best Delegate and High Recommendation prizes respectively.

Each committee's Best Delegate was awarded Rs 7000 while the High Recommendation earners merited Rs 4000. The Executive Board for each of the four committees comprised of a chairperson and vice-chairperson and sums of Rs 6000 and Rs 3000 were respectively allotted for their services.

The conference faced minimal disturbances and the council staff helped maintain decorum and continuity. Listed below are the individuals who ensured the MUN left a lasting impression.

Third year students:

Pragya Wasan (9654394246)

Arshia Mittal (9999235172)

Ishita Naithani (9953932197)

Rohan Nayyar (8860993744)
Komal Kaul (9717446512)
Divya Baweja (8800350377)

Second year students:

Karan Chopra (9769465632)
Saksham Arora (7206765277)
Tushar Bhatia (9560520939)
Akshayveer Singh Sehwari (8373929898)
Rahul Kesar (9034574284)
Nikita Jain (9990166994)
Akanksha Mani (95608 66116)

First year students:

Ankita Sharma (8587913472)
Ashanis Tuteja (7030786667)
Harshita Goel (95999 33241)
Mahima Malhotra (98737 31745)
Muskan Garg (98999 72939)
Shruti Garg (98732 00299)
Saloni Bhalla (9711198167)
Shubham Patle (85069 44784)
Suryashree Nair (95607 22666)

Suggestions for future:

1. Remove United Nations Security Council and instead add a committee with larger strength.
2. Tie up with UN India-Bhutan information centre, they provide UN charters for MUN.

6. CONNECT THE DOTS

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Mansi Goyal and Sakshi Ahuja	1 st Prize SVC 2 nd Prize SVC	1 st Prize Rs 1000+ 1EHD 2 nd Prize Rs 2000	17 teams participated

ABOUT THE EVENT

Connect The Dots is a game which plays around economic terms and knowledge of the participant about the subject. It had two rounds:

Round-1

In the first round, the participant had to solve a critical crossword which had 30 clues, answer to which was some economics related terms and particulars? The words were chosen from

web, and then their definitions were taken from Dictionary of Economics (published by Penguin) and moulded accordingly.

The rules were as followed:

Rule 1: Time given will be 20 minutes

Rule 2: You can use your phone in last 30-40 seconds

(This shouldn't be mentioned, we will announce it accordingly)

Rule 3: For one letter you will have to do an interesting task (choose from the given chits)

The task can be ANYTHING. The maximum number of chits a team can pick is 5

Tasks :

Click a selfie with a bare chest guy

Eat 2 green chillies

Get a cup of tea from canteen

Produce a 10 Rs. Bus-ticket

Do 20 push-ups

Lift a girl from this class

Round-2

Top 4 teams were selected from round 1 on the basis of the number of words solved correctly. Then, the teams picked up 5 words from 15 words. Then, they had to form an interesting story out of those and present it in front of the judge.

Rules for the second round:

1. Each team will pick up five economic terms. They have to make an interesting story by using each of that word at least once in it.
2. Time limit for preparing your story is 20 minutes.
3. The story should last from 1-2 minutes.
4. NO use of mobile phones or any other electronic devices.
5. You can ask the meaning of the terms from the volunteers. But for each term you ask, your preparation time reduces by 1 minute.
6. The team which came first in the first round will get to choose 7 words and it can keep any 5 terms out of it. The second team will can pick 6 words and keep 5 out of them. Others can pick 5 chits only.

Summary of the event

The event took place on 23rd of January, 2017 in Sri Venkateswara College, New Delhi. This year, it was headed by Mansi Goyal and Sakshi Ahuja (Economics Association, Sri Venkateswara College). Students were allowed to participate in a team of one or two members.

A total of 17 teams participated which included students from around 10 different colleges of Delhi University and Indraprastha University. The event was volunteered by five students, namely, Siddhant, Vikas, Debyani, Shreya and Keerti Mittal.

The event was judged by Mrs. Kalithasammal, a faculty member at Sri Venkateswara College. The first position holder got a cash prize of Rs. 1000 and a hard disk, whereas the second prize holder received a cash prize of Rs. 2000. First position was bagged by Atishay Jain, a student of Sri Venkateswara College and the runner up team included Prateek and Rohan Sharma, also the students of our college.

7. THE ONE WITH THE SEVEN KINGDOMS

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Aparna G and Medha Chaudhary Nitika Gangwani	1 st Prize Anmol Rishi Ritika Mukherjee 2 nd Prize Runners up prize: Aparajita Rana Mandira Srivastava	1 st Prize Rs 1000+ 2EHD 2 nd Prize Rs 2000	

'The One with the Seven Kingdoms' is a one of a kind Friends and Game of Throne quiz that was introduced for the first time in Blisspoint'17. It was created with the idea to introduce more recreational events like 'Amazing Race' in the Economics Fest that even students with non-economic backgrounds can participate in. We take immense pride and pleasure to say that our novel event is now considered as the most successful event of Blisspoint'17 with over 80 teams in attendance. Seeing the great response to our event, fests in Indian School of Business and Finance and The Delhi College of Arts and Commerce have also come up with the events very similar to ours. The event details are elaborated in the following sub-heads:

1. REGISTRATIONS

The quiz was based on two popular TV series- FRIENDS and Game of Thrones. Each team consisted of at most two members. Cross college teams were allowed. We received 157 registrations in total, out of which 80 teams showed up. There were some on the spot registrations as well.

2. FORMAT

It consisted of two rounds and a tie breaker, which are elaborated as follows:

Round 1: Round 1 consisted of 20 questions, with ten each from FRIENDS and Game of Thrones. These questions were framed in long paragraphs giving details about various concepts and objects showed in the two TV series. The participants were given a sheet of paper and fifteen minutes to answer all the questions. The level of difficulty was high which allowed us to eliminate most of the teams and end up with fourteen teams which then proceeded into the second round.

Round 2: The second round recreated the FRIENDS quiz conducted by Ross in season 4 episode 'The one with the embryo'. Two questions were asked from each team and the questions were divided into three subcategories, namely 'It's all relative' (questions based on the family relations of the characters in the two shows). 'The picture watch' (picture identification) and 'Quote it, Bing-a-ling!' (Guess the dialogue). In this round, there was a tie between 4 teams. Each had scored 25 points.

Round 3: The third round was a tie breaker where the teams were asked 5 questions. They had to write the answers on sheet provided to them. On basis of this, the winner and runners up were decided.

3. PREPARATIONS

We prepared a power point presentation for the first round, which was displayed to the participants through a projector. 60 questions were prepared for the second round, with each question being written on a post it and then being pasted on a blackboard.

Given the nature of our event, we also needed to focus on its visual appeal. Banners with Game of Throne flags were prepared to be hung on the fans. We also printed out FRIENDS posters which were then pasted on the walls.

4. TEAM MEMBERS

1. Nitika Gangwani, 2. Deepti, 3. Uddhesh, 4. Anoushka, 5. Kushal, 6. Moksh

5. ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT

Date: 23rd January 2017

Volunteers were assigned particular tasks.

First round took place in the Seminar Hall while the second and third rounds happened in Room Number 201.

6. PRIZE MONEY

First prize: Rs. 1000 and two hard drives

Second prize: Rs. 2000

7. PRIZE WINNERS

First prize:

Anmol Rishi

Ritika Mukherjee

Runners up prize:

Aparajita Rana

Mandira Srivastava

8. ONE SIMPLE IDEA: PAPER PRESENTATION

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Laksh Dangi and Nandagopan	1 st Prize Shaheed Sukhdev College of Business Studies 2 nd Prize Ramjas College	1 st Prize Rs 6000 2 nd Prize Rs 3000	25 teams

Blisspoint 2017 was host to yet another successful paper presentation event, One Simple Idea, inviting entries from around the country. Although not mandatory, participants were asked to write their research papers loosely in sync with the theme of Blisspoint'17, i.e. Financial Inclusions. Interested students were asked to submit their research abstracts by Friday, 20th of January, 2017.

We received an overwhelming response as around 25 teams sent their abstracts to us by the stipulated deadline. These included entries from colleges such as Narsee Monjee College of Commerce and Economics, Mumbai; Loyola College, Chennai; Amity University, Noida, to name a few. The event heads Laksh Dangi and Nandagopan then proceeded onto shortlisting the abstracts, and subsequently, 7 of them were selected, including ones from Netaji Subhas Institute of Technology, Ramjas College, Dyal Singh College, Shaheed Sukhdev College of Business Studies et al. to be presented on the opening day of Blisspoint'17, i.e. the 23rd of January. Vounteers helping us were Saarthak Anand, Shammi and Lampohor Debbarma. Judges for the event were Faculty member of economics department Mrs Shailja Thakur and an ex faculty member Mrs Sanghita Mondal. Another faculty member Mr Krishna Kumar also offered to sit as one of the judges for the event. The awards were given for the first and second best presentations and also one for the best interjection.

The teams were given 15 minutes to present their research papers after which followed a rigorous Q&A session between the participants and the judges. The research paper which bagged the first prize was written by Yashi Aggarwal and Shreya Chawla, both 2nd year students of Shaheed Sukhdev College of Business Studies. They presented their research paper on the topic 'Impossible Trinity and RBI's Trilemma'. They were given a cash prize of Rs 6000 as well as certificates for the same. The second prize was given to the team of Chetna Bakshi and Shradha Rungta, both students of Ramjas College, who presented their research paper on the topic 'Finding the Efficacy of Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana Among the Women Living in Urban Slums of Delhi'. They were awarded a cash prize of Rs 3000 as well as certificates for the same. A special mention was given to the research paper presented by Tanay Raj Bhatt, a 2nd year student of Dyal Singh College, who presented his research paper on the topic 'Fat Tax: A Consumer Theoretic Approach', but unfortunately couldn't make it to the top 2. Swati K. of Ramjas College was selected as the best interjector and was awarded a certificate for the same.

9. **TRADECRAFT - BE AN ECONOMIST**

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Subhdeep Halder Madhav Saboo	1 st Prize: Shahid Bhagat Singh College 2 nd Prize: Sri Venkateswara College	1 ST Prize: 1000+2 EHD 2 ND Prize: 3000	

One of the flagship events of Blisspoint. Tradecraft is a combination of trading, bidding and analysing the various macro issues of the world. This event comprises of two rounds of testing. First round is an elimination round where the participants are divided into various professions and under a common trading and auctioning platform they have to maximize their utility in a fixed frame of time. Best 8-9 teams qualify for the round 2 where they have to show their knowledge about macro issues.

The whole idea of this game is to provide students with a dummy economy where they can test their trading potential which comes to them spontaneously and trade under real time pressure and their analysis of the economy so that they can make judicious decisions in businesses.

The first round was designed by dividing all the teams into 3 professions precisely - Architect, Baker and Cloth Manufacturer. Each of the profession had 2 unique items designated to their profession only and 2 common items which was needed in all the professions to work. Along with this every team was given ₹5000 as virtual cash to facilitate the trade. Initially the commodities were supplied to the

teams through auction. There were 8 auction bundles available in the first auction. Each bundle contained a mixture of various commodities and the teams had to bid for each bundle.

The highest bidding teams took that bundle. Later on the teams were allowed to trade among themselves so that they could form their utility bundles which included one unique set (one unique of both the items) and 3 sets of common items (each of one common). In between the game, another twist was introduced which was the black market and goods were traded by our volunteers who were trading in the black markets. There was a 2nd round of auction as well after 25 mins of trading. Before this each team was supplied excess cash of ₹1000 for a competitive auctioning round 2. After this auction round the teams were given final trading time of another 25 minutes. After this every team had to submit their sheets with the virtual communities and cash. Each teams utility was calculated by giving utility points of 10 for each utility bundle and 1 utility points for ₹500. Top 9 teams qualified for the Round 2.

The Round 2 was a panel discussion round in which students had to put forward their view points. The team getting the first position had a competitive advantage as they were allowed to choose the topic first out of the list of 16 topics. Once a topic was selected, any other team was not allowed to select it. The topics were such that there was no right or wrong judgement about it. The students were expected to take a stand and put forward their viewpoint and prove their viewpoint to judges and convince them. Teams were given 30 mins of time to think about it and were provided with internet access so that they can refer to internet if they wish to but it was totally optional. After this each team had to come and speak in front of the panel of two judges for around 10 minutes. The team scoring the highest marks won the competition and their prizes were distributed for top two positions.

The event viewed a participation of around 25 teams in Round I competing for a place in Round 2. With the help of total of 11 team members, this event was a huge success. The panel of judges in the second round consisted of Mr. Brahmareddy and Mr. Krishnakumar our teachers who helped us in finding our ultimate winners through comprehensive judgement on various parameters.

10. UNMANAGEABLE

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Athira Vinod, Shunyam Nanda	1 st Prize NSIT 2 nd Prize DTU&NSIT	1 st Prize Rs 3000 2 nd Prize Rs 2100	52 teams (3 members in each team)

Event Details:

The event was held on 24th January'2017. There were three rounds in total. An online preliminary round and two on- the spot rounds.

Preliminary Round – Each team was sent a case study and was given three days to submit the solutions.

On-the-spot Rounds - In the first round, each team was given a guesstimate and the teams which came up the closest answer were shortlisted for the final round.

In the final round, each team was given a case study and one hour to come up with a solution. They were judged on the basis of feasibility of solution and their presentation.

Participants

52 teams registered for the event out of which 10 sent their online entries. 5 teams were then shortlisted for the on-the-spot round.

Details of the Winners:

First Prize: Shubhangi Gupta ,Madhur Jindal ,Ruchi Sharma (NSIT)

Second Prize : Akshay Julka (DTU) , Binayjeet Singh (NSIT)

Prizes

First prize: ₹3000

Second prize: ₹2100

11. MOCK STOCK

Event Managers	Winners	Prize	Remarks
Amit Brar Thillai Palanichamy		Ist Prize: Rs. 6000 IInd Prize: Rs. 3000	

The mockstock event, an event which every stock market aficionado looks out for was conducted in a unique and intriguing manner. The event was an amalgamation of the complex Economics of forex market, combined with pre-requisite knowledge of connecting the movements in currency pertaining to world events. The event witnessed a high turnout, owing to the fact that the mockstock team was probably the first to introduce the idea of forex trading at a college level competition. The participants itself were diverse, with teams from various colleges of Delhi University turning up. The stage was set for a riveting battle of minds in the arena of financial markets.

The entire event was divided into 2 rounds, the first being a quiz which tested the team's knowledge in financial markets, the top 15 teams qualified for the next round where the actual trading in forex markets with an initial capital of ₹10,000 was to take place. Round 1 saw a turnout rate of about 45 teams, which is always a great sight for the event heads, the next round involved the intricacies of shorting, STCG and an immense command over the happenings of world markets. However the event did hit a few bumps, and they did topple the success of the event. Due to highly incompetent planning and the ignorance of certain event heads, we the mock stock team were made the sacrificial lamb and had to change the venue for Round 2, without receiving any succours and compassion. Left to rot on our own, we lost crucial time in setting up the projectors and various other systems to ensure hassle free-happening-of-the-event.

Rd 2 involved various fictitious and devious news items, involving a labyrinth of economic theories and ideas, based on which the teams had to trade the foreign currencies, and the teams with highest amount of capital at the end would be declared winners. However what could have been a great contest was transformed into horrendous chaos. One was confused as to where to draw the fault lines. Round 2, was a complete disaster and failure all that can be attributed to the cacophony involving the changing of venues. The event heads were not in a position to complete the event as planned, and owing to time constraints had to cut short the event.

Competition and Prize Money

Sl. No.	Competition	Prize Money*	Student-In-Charge
1	Quiz	Ist Prize: Rs. 4500 IInd Prize:Rs. 3000	Saarthak Anand and Thillai Palanichamy
2	Debate	Ist Prize: Rs. 8000 IInd Prize: Rs. 2000	Tushar Bhatia Taufique Shoogufan Navya Sharma
3	MUN (Model United Nations)	Ist Prize: Rs.28000 IInd Prize: Rs.16000 Fee for Executive Board: Rs. 38000	Pragya Wasan
4	Black World	Ist Prize: Rs. 1000 +2 EHD IInd Prize: Rs. 3000	Abhiruchi Rathi, Rishabh Popli and Niyati Midha
5	Amazing Race	Ist Prize: Rs. 3000 IInd Prize: Rs. 2100	Shalil Gulati, Rhea Anand and Mehak Kochhar
6	Paper Presentation	Ist Prize: Rs. 6000 IInd Prize: Rs. 3000	Laksh Dangri Nandagopan
7	Game of Thrones (The one with 7 kingdoms)	Ist Prize: Rs. 1000+2 EHD IInd Prize: Rs. 2000	Aparna G Medha Choudhary Nitika Gangwani
8	Tradecraft-Be an Economist	Ist Prize: Rs. 1000+2 EHD IInd Prize: Rs. 3000	Shubdeep Halder Madhav Saboo
9	Unmanageable	Ist Prize: Rs. 3000 IInd Prize: Rs. 2100	Athira Vinod Sunyam Nanda
10	Connect the Dots	Ist Prize: Rs. 1000+1 EHD IInd Prize: Rs. 2000	Mansi Goyal Sakshi Ahuja
11	Mock Stock	Ist Prize: Rs. 6000 IInd Prize: Rs. 3000	Amit Brar Thillai Palanichamy

- Total Prize Money of Rs. 1,03,700 in cash and 7 External Hard Disks (1 TB) worth Rs. 55993 (7x7999 MRP)+ Rs 38000 fee for executive board members of MUN.





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