## **Special Programs 2023-24**

- The Commerce department organised an ICSSR-sponsored International Conference on the theme 'Envisioning India as a Global Leader: Under G20 Presidency'. The event took place over two days, on February 23rd and 24th, 2024, at two different venues in New Delhi. On February 23rd, the conference was held at the Conference Centre, North Campus, University of Delhi, and on February 24th, it was held at the seminar hall of the college. The conference covered several sub-themes, including Dynamics of Economic Environment, Trade and Investment, International Relations, Multilateral Reforms, Digital Transformation, and Inclusive Growth. The event was attended by about 400 participants from various colleges and universities, and it featured the presence and deliberations of several intellectuals from India and abroad. Some of the notable speakers at the conference included Shri Anand Mohan Bajaj (CPA), Additional Deputy Comptroller and Auditor General (Eastern Region) and CTO, Mr. S. Ravi (CA), former Chairman, BSE India, Mr. Rahul Himalian, Director, IRCTC Limited, Prof. Niti Bhasin, Professor, Delhi School of Economics, Shri Alok Kumar (IAS), Former Secretary, Ministry of Power, Government of India, and Mr. Pranav Kumar, Vice President (International Trade), Reliance Industries Limited, among others.
- The department of Botany, led by Professor Rashmi Mathur, published its first-ever magazine in 2024. The publication features creative works by students, including articles, poems, and project reports. Notably, the magazine also includes a QR code for every tree on the college campus, which is a remarkable highlight of the publication.
- The Department of Political Science, under the aegis of IQAC, organised a two-day ICSSR sponsored national seminar on 'Artificial Intelligence Prospects and Challenges with Special Reference to Politics and Governance' on March 20th and 21st, 2024. The seminar witnessed participation and appreciation from various academic luminaries and policymakers. It was well received across the country, with participants from both national and international scholars. The Seminar Committee received a total of 70 abstracts, out of which 51 papers were presented in the seminar. Overall, more than 100 people participated in this academic extravaganza.
- A counselling session was held with alumnus Amaan Hasan Khan on 16 April 2024 on various aspects of creativity, imagination, engagement with new technology including Artificial Intelligence. Amaan is currently working as Post Producer and Editing Supervisor at EKCS, a global independent provider of quality design & marketing production services across different platforms of print, digital and video. The session served as a dynamic platform for students to glean practical wisdom from Amaan's industry experience, propelling them towards greater success in their endeavors.