



# Miranda House UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

## Departmental Annual Report - 3

### Departmental Activities: Curriculum and Beyond

**Department: Geography**

**Year: 2020-21**

#### Department Society and its Office Bearers:

Geography Society, Miranda House organizes various seminars, special lectures and workshops to enhance the learning of the students. Activities also include arranging Freshers' Welcome, Farewell party and Teachers Day celebration.

| President    | Vice President   | General Secretary | Treasurer  |
|--------------|------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Komal Mirdha | Yashasvi Girdhar | Akshita Joshi     | Jinal Jain |

**Staff Advisors:** Dr. Rakhi Parijat

#### Part B.1

#### Seminars/conferences/workshops conducted by the Department

An interactive online session was organized by Department of Geography with the alumni from Tata Institute of Social Sciences (TISS) Mumbai on 1.08.2020. More than 50 students attended the session.

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

FOCUS: THE PATH AHEAD  
CAREER LECTURE SERIES

PRESENTS

SESSION WITH  
TISSIANS

PANELISTS

**GITANJALI SHARMA**  
Gitanjali Sharma is an alumna of the Department of Geography's Class of 2016, Miranda House. She holds a master's degree in Urban Policy and Governance from TISS, Mumbai. Currently, she is working as an Urban Researcher at TISS, Mumbai.

**GARIMA KHERA**  
Garima Khera an alumna of Miranda House, Batch of 2017. She studied Political Science and Geography at MH. She pursued a master's in Disaster Management at TISS, Mumbai. Currently, she is working as a DM professional in Child Survival India NCO.

**AANANDITA SIKKA**  
Aanandita Sikka is from the Batch of 2018, Department of Geography. She holds a master's degree in Urban Policy and Governance from TISS, Mumbai and is currently working as Research Consultant at SG Analytics.

**VASUDHA SINGH**  
Vasudha Singh is an alumna of the Department of Geography's class of 2016. She holds a Master's degree in Climate Change and Sustainability Studies from TISS Mumbai, currently she is doing M.Phil in Planning and Development. IIT Bombay.

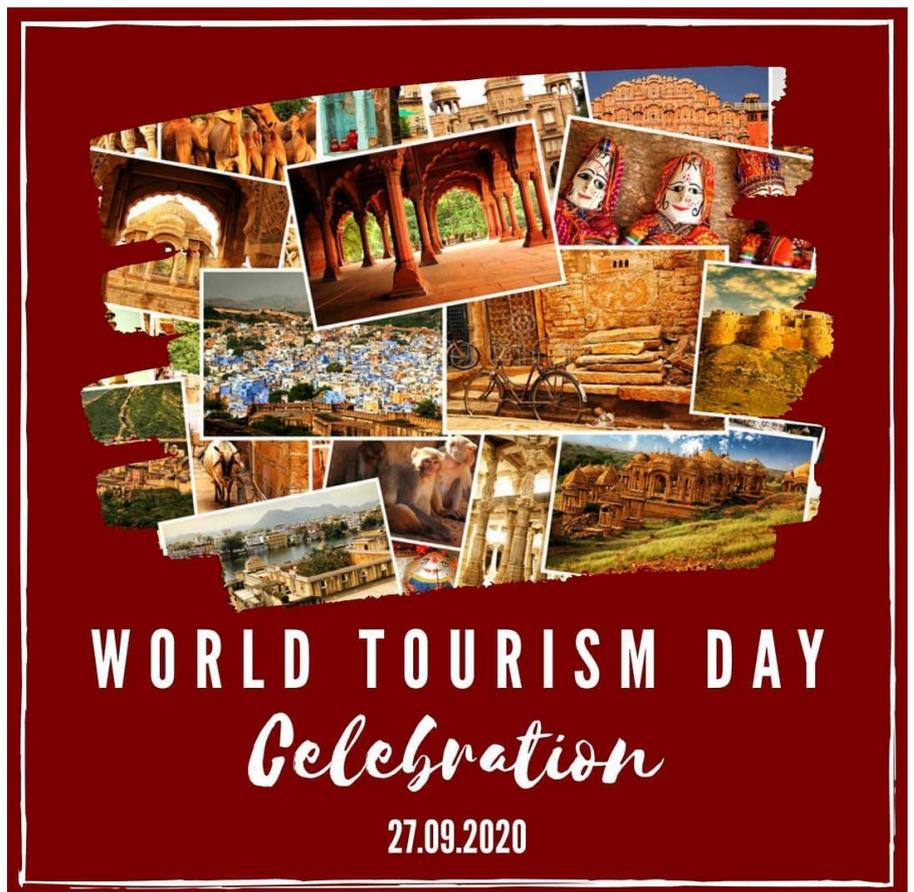
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VENUE-GOOGLE MEET



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On the occasion of World Tourism Day 2020, Department of Geography conducted a webinar on "Tourism and Rural Development" on 29.09.2020. The webinar focused on the importance of rural tourism. Mr Mohd Arman, a research scholar in the Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management, Jamia Millia Islamia was invited for the webinar. The webinar was attended by around 67 students from the department.





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The Department of Geography, Miranda House in collaboration with 'Youth United for Vision and Action (YUVA)' organized a webinar on “Covid Management: A Case Study of Bengaluru City” on 19.02.2021. The speaker of the webinar was Ms. Hepsiba Rani Korlapati IAS, Joint Managing Director, Karnataka Urban Infrastructure Development Finance Corporation, Bengaluru. The speaker explained how a 'War Room' was established to manage and combat Covid-19. Her insights on the administrative functioning through the use of GIS and Remote Sensing to generate valuable data associated with the virus, were of immense significance. More

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organised  
webinar on

## COVID MANAGEMENT: A CASE STUDY OF BENGALURU CITY

SPEAKER

**Hepsiba Rani Korlapati, IAS**  
Joint Managing Director,  
Karnataka Urban Infrastructure  
Development Finance Corporation,  
Bengaluru

19 February 2021, Friday



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than 100 students from the department attended the webinar.

Department of Geography, Miranda House in collaboration with the National Institute of Disaster Management is organized a webinar on "Covid-19 Vaccination & Disaster Resilience- Demystifying Fears" on 22.01.2021. Prof. P.C. Joshi, Vice Chancellor, University of Delhi, Major General Manoj Kumar Bindal, Executive Director, NIDM, Guest of Honour Dr. Balram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi and Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda, Acting Principal, Miranda House, University of Delhi were some of the eminent personalities present in the webinar.

**WEB COLLOQUIUM ON**

**Covid-19 Vaccination & Disaster Resilience -Demystifying Fears**

**DATE AND TIME**  
**22/01/2021**  
**3 P.M. ONWARDS**

**Patron**  
  
**MAJ GEN Manoj Kumar Bindal**  
Executive Director, NIDM

**Chief Guest**  
  
**PROF. P. C. Joshi**  
Vice- Chancellor  
University of Delhi

**Guest of Honour**  
  
**Dr Balaram Pani**  
Dean of Colleges  
University of Delhi

**Programme Chair**  
  
**PROF. Anil K Gupta**  
HOD, ECDRM, NIDM

**Convenor**  
**Dr Poonam Kumria**  
Associate Professor, Miranda House  
University of Delhi

**Principal**  
**Dr Bijayalaxmi Nanda**  
Acting Principal, Miranda House  
University of Delhi

**HOD**  
**Dr Sudeshna Bhattacharya**  
HOD, Department of Geography, Miranda  
House  
University of Delhi

**Speaker**

**Dr Ravindra Khaiwal**  
Additional Professor of  
Environment Health, School of  
Public Health  
Department of Community Medicine  
PGIMER, Chandigarh

**Dr Jugal Kishore**  
Head- Department of  
Community Medicine  
VMNC & SJH, New Delhi

**Dr Vikrant Mahajan**  
CEO  
Sphere India, New Delhi

**Coordinator**  
**Ms. Fatima Amin**  
Young Professional  
NIDM

**Komal Mirdha**  
President, Department of Geography  
Miranda House, University of Delhi

**ORGANISED BY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY**  
**MIRANDA HOUSE, UNIVERSITY OF DELHI**  
**IN COLLABORATION WITH**  
**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DISASTER MANAGEMENT**  
**MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS, GOVT. OF INDIA, NEW DELHI**

**REGISTRATION LINK**  
**<https://forms.gle/YRyaEm1SZFXcXMVz8>**

**Website: [www.nidm.gov.in](http://www.nidm.gov.in)**

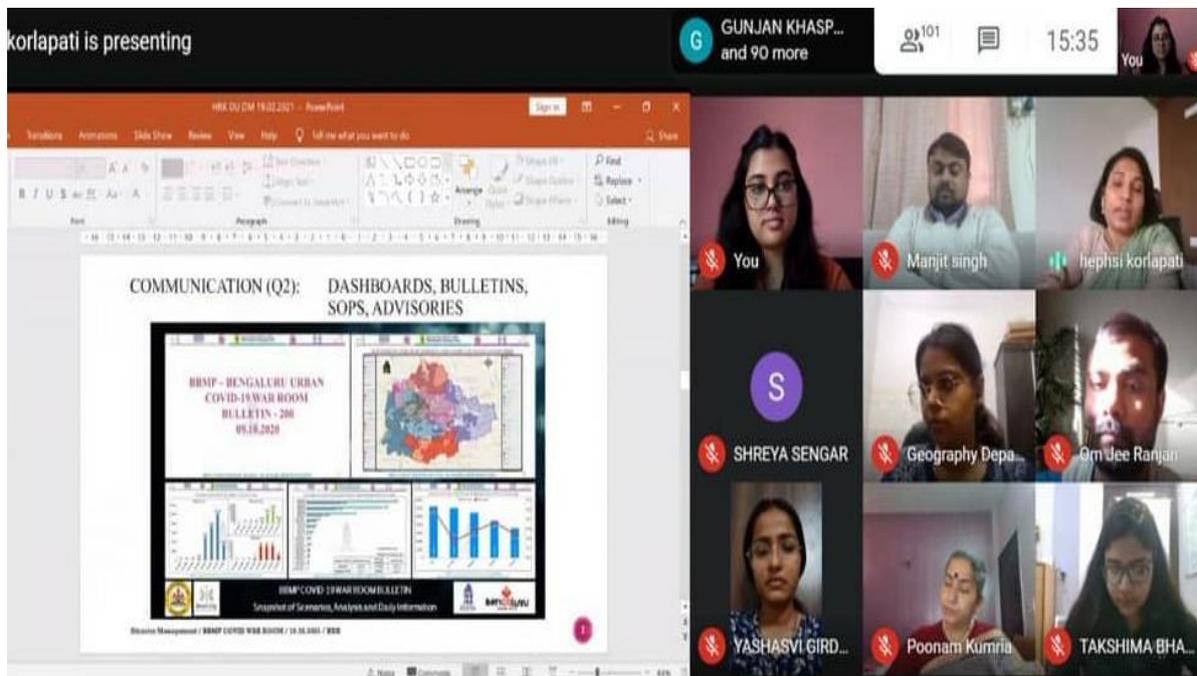
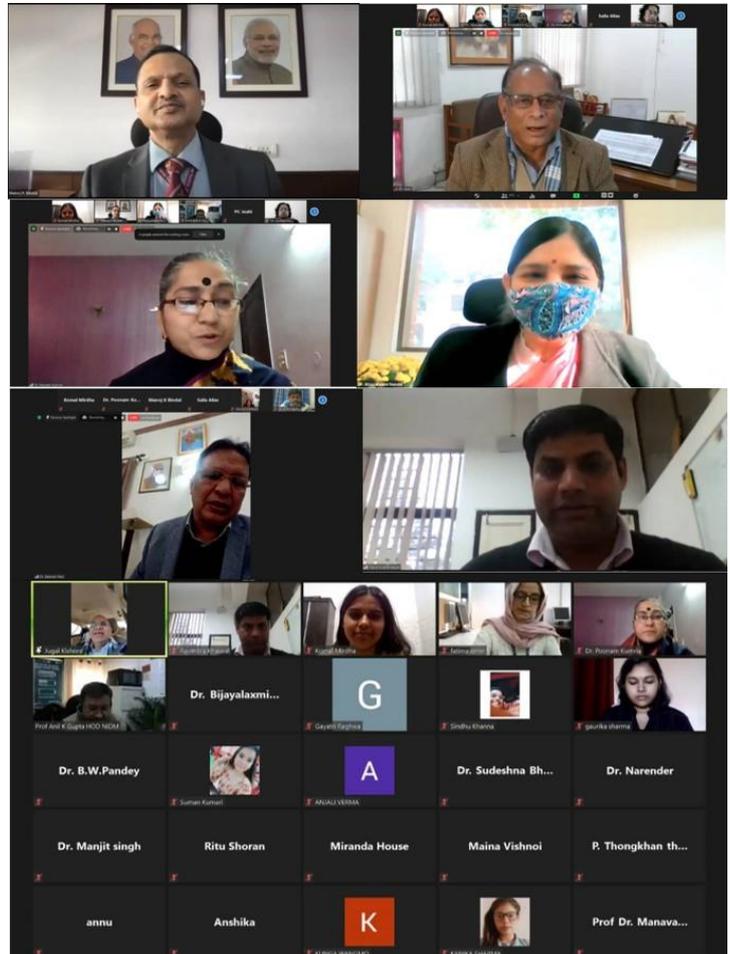
**Stay Protected from Corona**  
**Wear your Mask Properly**  
**Wash your Hands Regularly**  
**Maintain Social Distancing**

The panel discussion was carried on by Prof. Anil K. Gupta, HOD of ECDRM, NIDM and the Programme Chairman of the webinar, Dr. Ravindra Khaiwal, Additional Professor of Environment



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Health, School of Public Health, Department of Community Medicine, PGIMER, Chandigarh, Dr. Jugal Kishore, Head of Department, Community Medicine VMNC and SJH, New Delhi and Dr. Vikrant Mahajan, CEO of Sphere India. More than 40 Professors from all over the country and 300 students from different colleges participated in the webinar.





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DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY  
MIRANDA HOUSE  
PRESENTS  
**FOCUS**  
THE PATH AHEAD  
CAREER LECTURE SERIES

**ARE YOU PLANNING TO PURSUE MASTERS  
AND GIVING ENTRANCE EXAMS SOON?**

Join us for a session with  
**Akshay Prabhakar and Davis Roosen,**  
taking us through the process of applying for Post-Graduation  
and cracking the entrances of various Universities.

**AKSHAY PRABHAKAR**  
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**DAVIS ROOSEN**  
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Research Scholar (PhD), DU  
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M.A. Geography - Delhi School of Economics, DU  
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@davis-roosen

DATE: 16th March 2021 | TIME: 7pm onwards | PLATFORM: Google Meet

Department organized a session under "FOCUS: The path ahead" career lecture series on 16.03.2021 with the youtubers Akshay Prabhakar and Davis Roosen who explained the process of applying for post-Graduation and cracking the entrances of various Universities. More than 80 students attended the online lecture.

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MIRANDA HOUSE  
ON THE OCCASION OF  
**GLOBE'21**  
PRESENTS  
A SPECIAL LECTURE ON  
**GEOPOLITICS:  
THE QUEST FOR DOMINANCE**

**DR. KRISHNENDRA MEENA**  
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR  
(POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY DIVISION)  
CENTRE OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS  
ORGANISATION AND DISARMAMENT, J.N.U.

DATE: 5TH APRIL 2021 | TIME: 11 AM ONWARDS | PLATFORM: GOOGLE MEET

Department of Geography organized an online special lecture on "Geopolitics: The Quest for Dominance" 5.04.2021 by Dr. Krishnendra Meena, Associate Professor (Political Geography Division), Centre for International Politics, Organization and Disarmament, JNU. Around 135 students of the department attended the lecture.

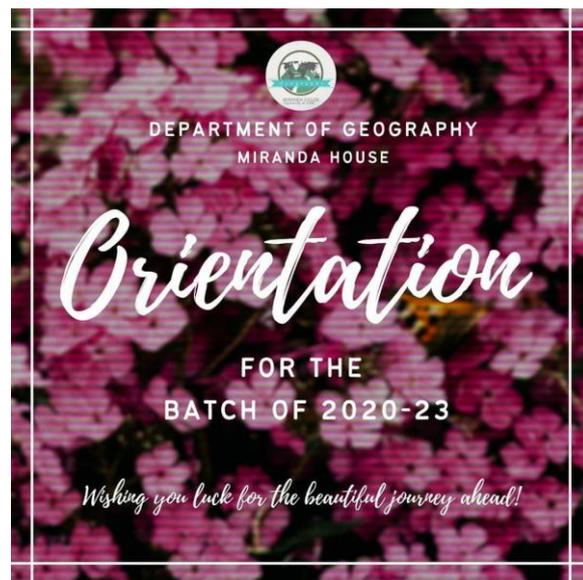


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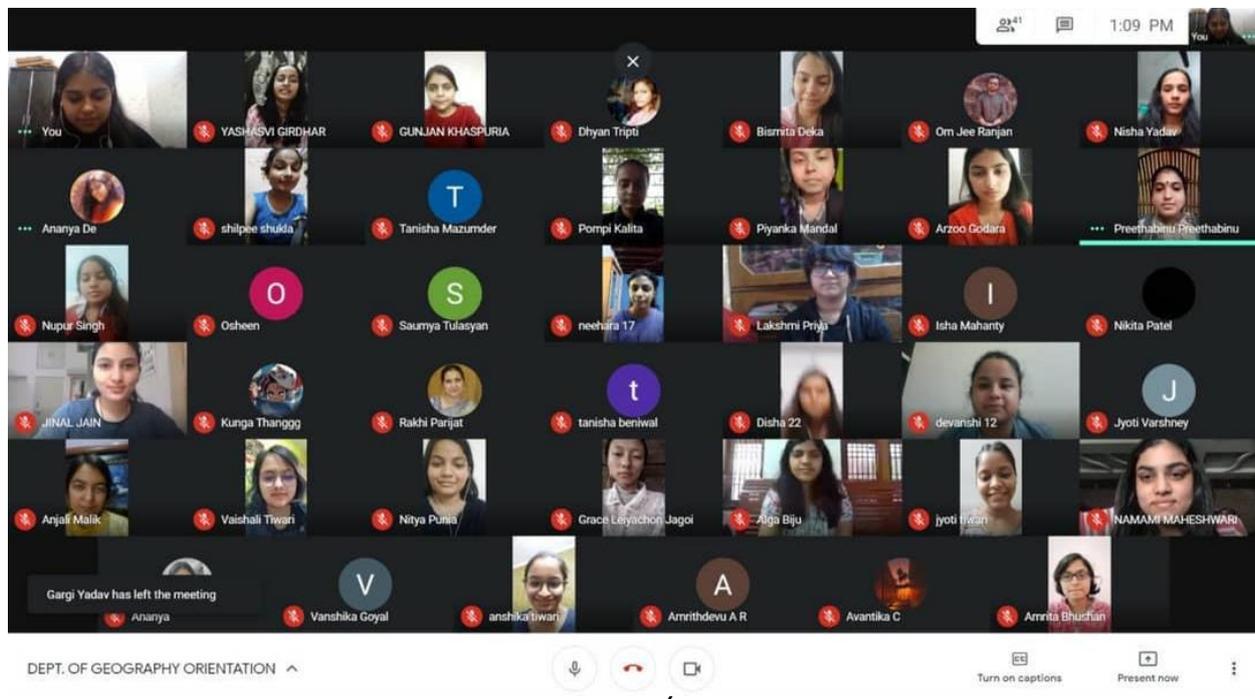
## Part B.3

**Any other event organized as part of students' activities (not listed above)**

The department organized an online farewell for the batch of 2017-20 on 4.07.2020.



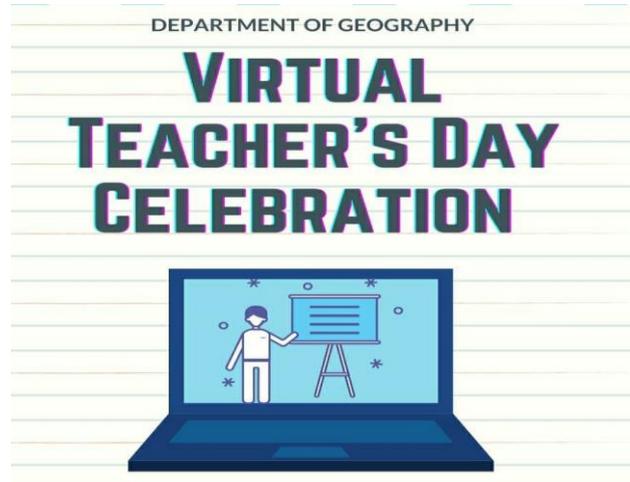
Department of Geography organized Orientation for the new batch of 2020-23 on





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The department celebrated Teacher's Day by organizing a virtual celebration on 5.09.2020.





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Department of Geography organized Annual Fest Globe'21 virtually from 5.04.2021-6.04.2021.

Department of Geography  
Miranda House  
Under its Annual fest  
**Globe'21**  
presents  
*Just a*  
**MINUTE**

Theme: Geopolitics-The quest for dominance

Date: 5th April, 2021  
Time: 2 P.M. onwards  
Platform: Google Meet

Cash prize to winners || Participation certificate to all

Department of Geography  
Miranda House  
Under its Annual Fest  
**GLOBE' 21**  
Presents  
**Debate  
Competition**

*'Logic wins the Debate'*

Topic : Control over the Oil rich countries ensures  
supremacy in the World.

Date : 6th April, 2021  
Time : 2 PM onwards  
Platform : Google Meet

Cash Prize to all Winners || Participation Certificates to All

Department of Geography  
Miranda House  
Under its Annual fest  
**Globe'21**  
presents  
*Poster Making*  
COMPETITION

Theme: Geopolitics in contemporary world

Deadline for submission: 2 PM, 6th April, 2021

Cash prizes to winners.  
Participation certificates to all.

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MIRANDA HOUSE  
under its Annual fest  
**GLOBE'21**  
presents  
**THE DIPLOMAT'S  
MAP**

A QUIZ COMPETITION TO HUNT FOR THE  
GENIUS IN YOU

Let's zoom in the world map through the eyes of  
international politics!

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| Date           | Time         | Platform    |
| 5th April 2021 | 2 PM onwards | Google Meet |

Cash Prize to all Winners || Participation Certificates to All

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY  
MIRANDA HOUSE  
UNDER ITS ANNUAL FEST  
**GLOBE'21**  
presents  
**ON THE HUNT**  
*The treasure hunt*

Theme - GEOPOLITICS: THE QUEST FOR DOMINANCE

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| Date           | Time         | PLATFORM |
| 6TH APRIL 2021 | 2 PM ONWARDS | WHATSAPP |

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PARTICIPATION CERTIFICATES TO ALL