



Miranda House

UNIVERSITY OF DELHI

Society Annual Report

Society Activities

Society: Geetanjali - The Indian Music Society

Year: 2017-2018

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GEETANJALI- The Indian Music Society
Annual Report 2017-2018
Part A.1

The Indian Music Society of Miranda House, Geetanjali has taken part in multiple competitions in many prestigious platforms throughout the year of 2017-18 including numerous events, seminars, conferences and workshops.

- Geetanjali, Indian Music Society of Miranda House began the session of 2017-18 with an orientation and auditions for new members that were held on 1st and 2nd August 2017 respectively.
- 6 new talented vocalists were recruited into the team and the society now consisted of 14 vocalists and 1 instrumentalist.
- On the 14th of August 2017, Geetanjali performed for the first time in this session on the occasion of the Independence Day Celebration in Miranda House.





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- This year's composition was an amalgamation of two Hindustani classical ragas- **Raag Puriya dhanashri** and **Raag Jog** in Teental and Ektaal. Both the Raagas are of Gambhir Prakriti and convey a variety of emotions which contributed in captivating the audience.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J8ZlK55g_IY



- Geetanjali took part in a number of choir competitions organized by different colleges such as IIT Kanpur, Lady Shri Ram College for Women, Hindu College, Gargi College and so on.



Part A.2



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Awards and recognition received

- **Vaibhav Sakshi**, a second year Music(H) student was declared as Antaragni Idol in a light music solo competition organized by IIT Kanpur.



- **Asawari Srivastava**, a first-year student of Music(H) bagged the winner's trophy in Reverie Idol, a light music competition held in Gargi College
- **Asawari Srivastava**, won the 1st position in semi-classical solo competitions in SGTB Khalsa and Maitreyi College.



- **Asawari Srivastava** also participated in Antaragni 2017 at IIT Kanpur.





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- Further, **Chetna Bhardwaj** and **Smita Karmakar** both 2nd and 3rd year Music(H) students respectively bagged the 2nd position in semi-classical duet competitions in Gargi College, Lady Shri Ram College, Daulat Ram College, SGTB Khalsa and Lady Hardinge College.
- **Asawari Srivastava** came 1st in Reverie'18 at Gargi College for their Golden Jubilee year.



- **Vaibhav Sakshi** was awarded a certificate of appreciation for the hours of service towards the Ashwin Maharaj Project at AIIMS.



- **Chetna Bhardwaj** also won the 1st position in semi-classical solo completions in Ram Lal Anand College and St. Stephen's college.
- **Asawari Srivastava** bagged 1st prize in light solos in Lashkara 2018 at SRI Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College



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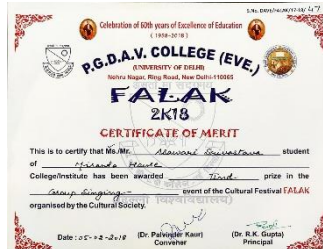
- **Asawari Srivastava** bagged second place at Sri Guru Nanak Dev Khalsa College



- Moreover, **Anisha Roy**, a first-year student of Music(H) bagged the 3rd position in Semi- classical solo in Shivaji College.
- Geetanjali was also successful in bagging the second in the Falak event at PGDAV College.



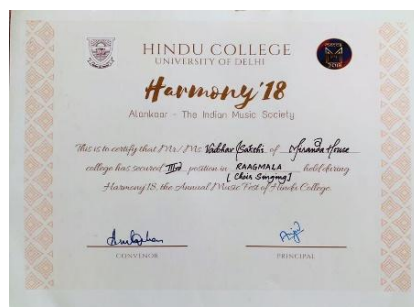
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- Geetanjali has bagged a number of prizes in the choir event too. The team was declared as winners in Sri Aurobindo College, Sri Venkateshwara and Maitreyi College.
- Geetanjali came second in the choir competition Lashkara 2018 at Sri Guru Tegh Bahadur Khalsa College.



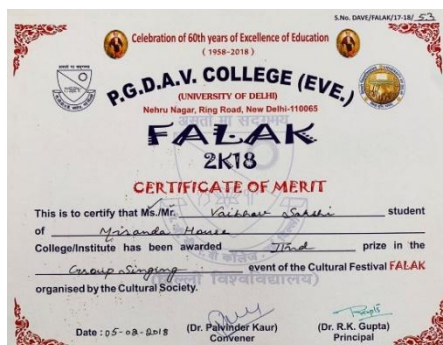
- The team won the 3rd prize in Udaan Utsav (youth festival in Hansraj College), Hindu College and Sri Ram College of Commerce.



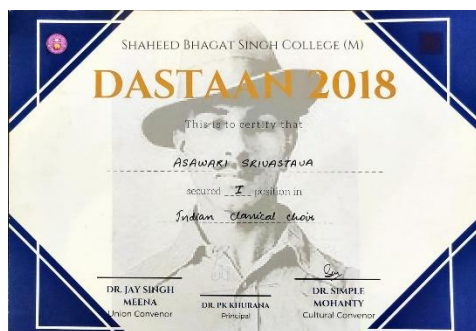


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- It bagged the 2nd position in PGDAV(Eve.) College, SGND Khalsa college, SGTB Khalsa College, Hansraj College and Maulana Azad Medical College.



- It was also an honor for Geetanjali to perform at the NASI conference held at Vigyan Bhawan on 8th March to commemorate the Women's Day. Geetanjali is working hard to win more such achievements while keeping the tradition of Indian Music alive.
- Geetanjali also secured 1st place at Dastaan 2018 in Shaheed Bhagat Singh College.



- At Rhapsody 2018 Geetanjali won the First prize in the Group Classical Category at Maitreyi College.



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