LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS OF ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

(2018-2019)

The Department of English had secured two university positions in the year 2018-19, Tripti Agarwaland Dimple Madaan creating the success story.

Tripti Aggarwal

Tripti Aggarwal has secured first position in university in second year, B.A. (Hons.) English,2017-18. For this, she has received:

- 1. Silver Jubilee Merit Scholarship
- 2. Smt. Ganga Laxmi Dutt Joshi Memorial prize

Tripti also secured first position in university for combined three years of B.A. (Hons.) English, 2016-19. For this, she received:

- 1. Mrs. Usha Bajaj Memorial prize (DRC)
- 2. Smt. Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi Memorial prize (DRC)
- 3. Teachers' Memorial prize (DRC)
- 4. N.V. Thadani Memorial prize (university)
- 5. Dr. Sarup Singh Gold Medal (University)

Dimple Madaan

Dimple Madaan secured the second position in the university in second year (2017-2018) and first position in the university in third year (2018-2019)

In addition to that, Dimple secured second position in the university (3 years combined/overall)(2016-2019)





LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS OF ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

(2019-20)

CLASS	ROLL NO.	NAME	CGPA
B.A HONS I	18014511007	AYUSHI KUMARI	7.82
B.A HONS II	A.17014511062	A.17014511062 SHREEJA	
	B.17014511075	VATSALA SINGH	
B.A HONS III	16014611049	DIMPLE MADAAN	8.38
3 YEARS' AGGREGATE	16014511080	TRIPTI AGGARWAL	8.081
M.A PREVIOUS	1877081	SHIKHA MOHANTY	60.62%
M.A FINAL	1700114	SUSHRITA ACHARJEE	66.5%
M.A. I+II COMBINED	1700114	SUSHRITA ACHARJEE	66.81%

SILVER JUBILEE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

- 1st position in the University, all three years combined- Tripti Aggarwal 16014511080
- 2nd position in the University, all three years combined- **Dimple Madaan** 16014511048
- 1st position in the University in 3rd year (V+VI Sem combined) Dimple Madaan 16014511048

INSTITUTED PRIZES

4. Smt Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi Memorial Prize for securing highest marks in English (Hons) instituted by Dr. V. Joshi

TRIPTI AGGARWAL 16014511080

46. Mrs. Usha Bajaj Memorial prize instituted by Sh. S.C. Bajaj in memory of his wife to be awarded to a student of English department on performance basis to a III year student of English (Hons)

TRIPTI AGGARWAL 16014511080

INSTITUTED SCHOLARSHIPS

- 1. Smt. Ganga Laxmi Dutt Joshi Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of IIIrd year English Hons for securing highest marks in IInd year Hons. Instituted by Dr. V. Joshi
 - SHREEJA17014511062, VATSALA SINGH 17014511075
- 2. Dr. Balmukund Tandon Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of IInd year English Hons for securing highest marks in Ist year English Hons. Instituted by Dr Sushma Tandon
 - AYUSHI KUMARI 18014511007

List of Prize Winners for the session 2020-21

Department of English

Class	Roll No	Name	CGPA/ %
B A Hons I	19014511077	Vanisha	7.82
B A Hons II	1801451107	Ayushi Kumari	7.71
B A Hons III	17014511006	Akshada Shrotriya	
	17014511011	Bhumika Singh	7.50
	17014511054	Samriddha Goswami	
3 Years Aggregate 17014511075		Vatsala Singh	7.78
M A Previous	M A Previous 19014708002		6.89
M A Final	1877081	Sikha Mohanty	65.5
M A I+II Combined	1877081	Sikha Mohanty	63.06

Instituted prize no 4. Smt. Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi memorial Prize for securing highest marks in English Honours

Instituted Prize no 46. Mrs Usha Bajaj Memorial Prize instituted by Sh S.C. Bajaj in memory of his wife to be awarded to a student of English department on performance basis to a III year student of English Honours

- **Vatsala Singh 17014511075** (Both the prizes 4 and 46)

Instituted Scholarship

No 1. Smt. Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of III yearEnglish Honours for securing highest marks in II year English Honours (Instituted by V Joshi)

- Ayushi Kumari 1801451107

No 2. Dr Balmukund Tandon Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of II year EnglishHonours for securing highest marks in I year English Honours. (Instituted by Dr Sushma Tandon)

- Vanisha 19014511077

LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS OF ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

(2021-2022)

NAME OF THE COMPETITION / ACTIVITY	NAME OF STUDENT	CLASS	PRIZE (I, II, III, CONSOLATION	DEPARTMENT	LEVEL (INTER/INTRA COLLEGE)
The Bilingual creative writing competition - Meraki, SBSC, DU	Smita Singh	2nd Year	First	English honours	Inter
Rumi Competition — Poem India	Smita Singh	2nd Year	First	English honours	Intra
NaPoWriMo Award — penwielders	Smita Singh	2nd Year	Recognised under Top 30	English honours	Intra
Incrementum by Vriddhi, DU, DRC	Sakshi Sharma	2nd Year	Star Performer	English honours	Intra
Doodle Competition — NSS, DU, DRC	Nikita Gangadeb	2nd Year	Second	English honours	Intra
Slam Poetry competition- Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav	Sneha Sharma	2nd Year	Second	English honours	Intra
Photography competition— Dhara: Ecoclub	Sanjana Sah	2nd Year	Consolation	English honours	Intra
Logo making competition	Sanjana Sah	2nd Year	Second	English honours	Inter

List of Prize Winners for ANNUAL DAY 2022

Department of English

Class	Roll No	Name	CGPA/ %
B A Hons I	20014511048	Priyanka Poduval	9.00
B A Hons II	19014511025	Debanjali Das	8.50
B A Hons III	18014511039	Rishu	8.00
3 Years Aggregate	18014511007	Ayushi Kumari	7.7160
M A Previous	20014708020	Sheryl Alexander	7.57
M A Final	19014708015	Sneha Das Gupta	7.21
M A I+II Combined	19014708015	Sneha Das Gupta	6.964

Instituted prize no 4. Smt. Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi memorial Prize for securing highest marks in English Honours

- Ayushi Kumari 18014511007

Instituted Prize no 46. Mrs Usha Bajaj Memorial Prize instituted by Sh S.C. Bajaj in memory of his wife to be awarded to a student of English department on performance basis to a III year student of English Honours

- Rishu 18014511039

Instituted Scholarship

No 1. Smt. Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of III year English Honours for securing highest marks in II year English Honours (Instituted by V Joshi)

- Debanjali Das 19014511025

No 2. Dr Balmukund Tandon Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of II year English Honours for securing highest marks in I year English Honours. (Instituted by Dr Sushma Tandon)

- Priyanka Poduval 20014511048

List of Students Achievement Details:

Name	College Roll no.	University Rollno.		
			DEBATING CREDENTIALS	
			1. Winner, IFCAI National level Debate 2021	
			2. Winner, National CD, Digi Fiesta 2021by UCC & DA of J. C. Bose	
			University of Science and Technology, YMCA	
			3. Winner, SRB Memorial Debate 2021, IPCW college, DU	
			4. Invited adjudicator at For not For, international CD organised by	
			Vijaybhoomi university2021	
			5. Finalist at Red Brick Debate 2021, IIM Ahmedabad	
			6. Third prize in the extempore competition organised by JIMS Vasant Kunj	
			7. Second position in an extempore organised Rotoract Club, DPSRU.	
			8. first position in a multilevel debate organised by department of neutraceuticals	
			inSomaiya Vidyavihar Univeristy	
			9. First position in a group discussion organised by OP Bhalla Foundation.	
			10. Third position in a group discussion organised by Manav Rachna University.	
			11. Third position in just a minute organised by loopgood	
			12. Second runner up at a conventional debate organised by the debating society of	
			Amity Business School	
			13. Second position, speech competition, Student welfare department of Manav Rachna university, Faridabad	
			14. Adjudicator for finals, conventional debate biosoc dtu (Thor vs Loki)	
			15. Second position, just a minute organised by Alfaaz-Debating society of Motilal Nehrucollege (evening)	
			16. Best speaker in a PAN India competition organised by Shanti sahyog, Centre forNon-Violence.	
			17. Finalist at checkmate, debate tournament organised by vangatiX DCAC Debsoc	
			18. first position at Paripekshya, conventional debate organised by NSS,	
			SriVenkateshwara	
Nitiksa			19. Halloween JAM 2021, first runner up, Gandhi institute of technology	
Tyagi	1896	19014511050	andManagement	
			20. First position, Contramental, extempore organised by Fr. C. Rodrigues Institute	
			ofManagement Studies (FCRIMS), Navi Mumbai	
			21. Breaking adjudicator at People speak'22 ———————————————————————————————————	

			22. Vartalaap international management institute Kolkata- first runner up23. Second position, just a minute organised by the debating society of Jims kalkaji
			1. Finalist at symbiosis institute of technology's National level debate Competiton 2.third position in an extempore competition organised by NSS, SGTB Khalsa college. 3.Best team at Gandhi study circle, Ram Lal Anand College 4.third position in a CD organised by NSS, Keshav Mahavidyalaya. 5.first prize in a debate organised by NSS, Kalindi College. 6. third prize in the debate organised by Girl Up Inaara today. 7. first position at a turncoat debate organised by OP Jindal Global University as part oftheir annual Fest. 8. Best Interjector Prize in Vantage'21- annual inter-college debate competition organisedby Mantrana- The Debating Society of Kalindi College. 9. Bagged third best speaker at a CD competition organised by Nimbus,ARSD10.first position in a GD organised by IMS Ghaziabad 11. first prize in a multilevel debate organised by BA Programme association of SBScollege. 12. Semi-finalist at multi-level debate organised by Bennet University 13. Verbal mention at a CD organised by Economics Dept. Of Deshbandhu College14.Secured third position in an extempore organised by Christ University
			15.secured the first position in a debate comp. organised by NSS, Aryabhatta college
			16.first position in the annual debating event organised by Marketing cell of DRC.
			1. Best team at Maharaja Agrasen Memorial Debate 2020 organized by Maharaja Agrasen College, DU
			2. Third prize in Akansha, JAM organized by Department of Hindi, Kirorimal College.
			3. First runner up at Turncoat Debate organized by Universal Campaign for BasicIncome in India.
			4. Bagged the 2nd position in a Speech Competition organised by SFS, DRC.
			5. Won the second Position at the Speech Competition organised by Hahokh-Voice of Youth!
Bidisa 2 Jallan	1136	19014511019	6. Been invited to moderate the ECS debate competition
			7. Invited as judge in BioSoc- DTU

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				8. Invited as judge in Drishtikon, an inter school debate competition by HertiageDEBSOC
				9. Got second position in a National Level singing competition organised by gandhianstudies centre of Dr. BNM College of Home Science
				10. Broke as 'A Level' adjudicator and ranked among the top five adjudicators in Tarksangat Hindi Parliamentary Debate organized by IIT BHU.
				11. Broke as a team in Dhanak Hindi Parliamentary Debate organized by debatingsociety of Shaheed Bhagat Singh College
				National Wingword Poetry 2020-21 Commendable
				mentionsPublication on the Book, Riding on the Summer
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3	Debanjali Das	1132	19014511025	
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				Participation, JDMC paper presentation national conference Participation, Kamala Nehru College, Paper presentation
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				1. Semi-finalist in the National Story Slam organized by Kommune, in August, 2020 in the English category.
				2. First Runner-up in the Oceanvale Autumn Workshop, 2019 (UG
				category)the results for which were announced in September, 2020.
				3. Selected to perform in both Spoken word and Slam poetry events as an
				independent spoken word artist in Metanoia, 2020- organised by Meraki,
				Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, University of Delhi.
1				4. Won the first prize in Poetry Competition organised by Imagism, Daulat
1				RamCollege in collaboration with Prachi Educational Society, 2021.
1				5. Presented a paper titled "Looking at Radha-Krishna: An exploration
				ofmyth, gender and kirtan in Kaushik Ganguly's Nagarkirtan" at
				Motilal
				Nehru College, University of Delhi, April 2021, with mentorship and guidance
	D			byMs. Sangeeta Gupta and Ms. Trisha Mitra. 6. Presented a PowerPoint presentation on titled- "Surviving a Pandemic
	Pronita	1124	19014511057	in 15-30 seconds: A Study of Reel Culture" at LitFest organised by Gargi
14	Tripath i	1134	1901451105/	College, University of Delhi, April 2021, and won the second position for
	1			thesame. Mentorship and guidance Ms. Richa Dawar.
				7. Presented a paper titled "Beholding meybela (girlhood) in 'three

daughters' of Satyajit	Ray: Re-visiting Pather Panchali, Postmaster	
and Samapti" at Mani	k Darshan organised by Jadavpur University Literary	
Society, May 2021, gu	Society, May 2021, guided by Ms. Sangeeta Gupta.	
8. Won first prize for	8. Won first prize for best English entry in Pramila 2019-20. Working as Student	
	1-22. Worked as Editor-in-Chief for Expressions 2020-21.	
	nd Diploma in Spanish from DRC.	
	ne seminar titled- "Feminist Research Methodologies and	
	rch" from 30 September, 2021 to 9 December, 2021 conducted	
	Exile Consortium, New York.	
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Anjali 7 Gangwar 1273	19014511006	BroughtLaurels to NCCDRC by winning 2nd Prize In NIAP

LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS OF ENGLISH DEPARTMENT 2022-2023

Proficiency Prize

Class	Name	CGPA/%
B.A. (H) I	Kalpita Ratnashree	8.64
B.A. (H) II	Priyanka Hareendran Poduval	8.14
	2. Nikita Gangadeb	8.14
B.A. (H) III	Shreya Kavtiyal	8.38
B.A. (H) 3 Yrs Aggregate	Nitiksha Tyagi	8.068
MA Previous	1. Ibra Zahoor 2. Shristi Sinha	7.13
MA Final	Hritvika Lakhera	7.33
MA (Prev.+Final) Combined	Hritvika Lakhera	7.337

INSTITUTED PRIZES

- Smt. Ganga Lakshmi Dutt Joshi Memorial Prize for securing highest marks in English(Hons) instituted by Dr. V. Joshi. **Nitiksha Tyagi**
- Mrs. Usha Bajaj memorial prize instituted by SH. S.C. Bajaj in memory of his wife tobe awarded to a student of English department based on performance in all three years of English (Hons) combined. Nitiksha Tyagi (CGPA 8.068)
- Silver Jubilee merit Scholarship awarded to the student of II Year and III Year for securing one of the first three positions in the University examination of previous year.(North Campus)- **Kalpita Ratnashree (First position I Yr)**

Instituted Scholarship

- **1.** Smt. Ganga Laxmi Dutt Joshi memorial scholarship to be awarded to a student of III rd YrEnglish Hons. for securing highest marks (minimum 58%) in II Yr English Hons. Instituted by Dr. V. Joshi. **Priyanka Hareendran Poduval** & **Nikita Gangadeb**
- **2.** Dr. Balmukund Tandon Memorial Scholarship to be awarded to a student of IInd Yr English Hons. for securing higher marks (minimum 58%) in Ist Yr English Hons. institutedby Dr. Sushma Tandon. **Kalpita Ranashree**

Special Mention – Diskit C Angmo (Awarded Best Player of Team India, Indian Ice Hockey Team)





THE JOURNEY OF INDIA'S WOMEN'S ICE HOCKEY TEAM

- Diskit C Angmo

A passionate story of how a sport is born and how its future is going to be.

Myself Diskit C Angmo belong to the first generation of female Ice Hockey players in the country. I play as a defence in the team and am also the Spokesperson of Indian Women Ice Hockey Team.

I dream of a bright future for the sport, something that the nation would be proud of in the coming years. My mission, like others in my team, is to polish my skills and to inspire the next generation of girls to take up the sport. Ice hockey as a professional sport might not be that celebrated in our country that worships other sports. Forget celebrated, most people are oblivious of the fact that in a tropical country like ours, Ice Hockey is a professional sport. That is just one of the many challenges we face as a team, on an everyday basis.

It's not about story of the challenges me and my teammates face but how we perceive these obstacles. For us, it is an opportunity to work for something bigger than our personal lives. For a passion, we hold dearly to our hearts. There isn't any specific reason for why I started playing Ice Hockey, and I firmly believe that there need not be perks attached to something that one starts with. It came on to me naturally.

In winters, when temperatures drop to as low as -20 degrees, the lakes freeze and children pick up their winter gear to enjoy ice sports. I was in my pre-teens when my father, a police officer, started nudging us to get up and go out and get some blood gushing in our veins. And at 6 AM in the morning, I used to wail when asked to go out and play. Little did I know, that this little push to get out of the comfort zone, would become my life's passion one day.

Winters in Ladakh is the time when even the locals run away from the deep freeze. We, the hockey players, rejoice in the chill. The fierce winters here can freeze one to death, but we eagerly await this unfriendly phase of the year to shape our dreams of performing on ice – for the love of ice hockey. The three winter months are the only time out of the year when the ponds are frozen; our only opportunity to do something thrilling in otherwise mundane lives.

I realise it's best to accept what comes in one's way. I was pushed into the rink, rather, the snow. Initially, I along with other girls, did figure skating just for the fun of it. Gradually, I realized, I was a natural on ice. Soon, Figure Skating led to hockey and the Ladakh Winter Sports Club became our favourite hangout. At the age of 15, determined to try the sport that other Ladakhi boys were playing, me and the other girls came up with a plan.

Most of us learnt to play the sport using borrowed equipment from the men's team. Slowly and steadily, we skated our way through the ice. Spectators made fun of us. We would tie blades to the bottom of the boots and try and skate. Through chilling winds and snow, using borrowed equipment, we practiced on frozen lake for a 40-day odd period. We had to make our own ice rink at Gupuks lake outside the city to be able to practise. We designated weekly shifts for this. First, we had to drive down at 8pm, dig some of the ice to get the water from the lake. Through buckets, mugs and pipes we would spread the water across. Then we would come back at 3am to repeat the process. By 7am the rink would be ready for us to play.

Our hard work took us to our first international tournament in 2016, The Challenge Cup of Asia in Taipei. Thanks to the collective efforts of young Ladakhi women determined to play the sport and the Ice Hockey Association of India, we formed the first ever, Indian women's National Ice Hockey Team – a team of 20. Challenges abound – some players in our team didn't have passports, some had exams, for some the parents objected to travelling that far.

This was the first time when we stepped on an Olympic sized ice hockey rink, and it left us baffled. That did not dampen our spirits. We weren't sure about the official rules and learnt them as the tournament progressed.

Despite all odds, the experience in Taipei was like no other. Our debut IIHF tournament in 2016 triggered a hunger to win. Losing was not disheartening but actually helped us grow. We gained experience and knowledge. There was a lot of support we got from other teams as well. We understood that to win, we needed good equipment and a lot of time on ice to practice. Unfortunately, the constraints of little training time on the ice, availability of ice, lack of equipment and funds were and remain obstacles.

We had our first taste of success at the 2017 Challenge Cup of Asia, where we secured a dramatic 4-3 win in our second match versus the Philippines—our first victory at an international tournament. After the final whistle, there were tears of joy. At that one moment the words were not enough to express the happiness we had within ourselves.

I was also lucky to win the Best player of the Match and also got The Best Player of the Tournament.

In 2018, when we finally earned the opportunity to go to Canada for the World Female Hockey Festival, we realized that 'Passion Has No Boundaries'. The experience was invaluable.

In 2019, we went to Dubai for The Challenge Cup of Asia here our dreams were becoming into reality.

We were able to win Bronze Medal for the country. For once, our achievement meant something to people other than the ones in our team. But then because of Covid the tournamnets got cancelled for 2 years consecutively.

After 2 years of waiting we got an opportunity to participate at Union Women Ice Hockey Championship, Dubai in 2021. It was quite a long time that we didn't compete at an international level but we really worked hard and were prepared, that is how we were able to win Silver Medal in that Championship. Truly, there is no better feeling in the entire universe than the soul stirring flow of emotions of pride, with national anthem being played in the background.

The past few years have been amazing. The experience was invaluable. Currently, we are more optimistic than ever. We have made peace with the fact that the biggest obstacles to success in our lives are the barriers our mind creates. And we have trained ourselves to overcome that.

The IIHF Asia and Oceania Championship (formally the IIHF Challenge Cup of Asia) was held at Bangkok, Thailand from 30th April to 7th May 2023.

There were eight participating countries Group A- Thailand, Singapore, UAE and Malaysia

Group B- India , Iran, Kuwait and Kyrgyz Republic

The Indian women's ice hockey team created history reaching semi-final for the very first time. They loss the first game against Iran 1-17 but after that the team bounced back in the form defeating Kyrgyz Republic 3-0 and Kuwait 6-0 later. After defeating Malaysia in the quarter-final 3-2.

India was placed in the Group B.

The team from the subcontinent made it to the knockouts.

In the semi-final, India lost to Thailand 0-13 and leads to Bronze medal Game.

Again the after a tough fight Team India loses the match against Singapore 1-3.

This leads team to be the 4th Position in the competition.

Team India consist of 18 Ladakhi women Players and 2 from Himachal Pradesh.

Best players of the match

Ind vs Iran - Padma Dolkar #74

Ind vs Kgz - Stanzin Chotso #77

Ind vs Kuw - Diskit C Angmo #19

Ind vs Mas - Tsewang Chuskit #4 Ind vs Tha - Noor Jahan #1 Ind vs Sgp - Tashi Dolkar #8

Once again this year I was awarded the Best Player of Team India.

All of us want to use our passion for the sport to raise awareness about the same. We are undaunted by sub-zero temperatures and driven by passion unmatched, we know well what to do. Excel on ice and put it on the National map! This sport is running in our veins, and if we leave it at this juncture, it will melt away!

Every day, we are carving a future for this sport. The future is not only created inside the rink when we face the opponents, it is created in every moment when we interact with the people around us. I truly believe that I am sowing a small seed for the future generations to come: for the next generation of girls to take up Ice Hockey as a profession.

We believe that there is immense potential in this arena, and not just in Ladakh. If we can move our way up from anonymity to a meeting with the Canadian Prime Minister, a celebrity tour of Canada and winning medals back to back then we can soar higher still and inspire others to do the same.