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Press Release

**JMI VC speaks on how to engage youth for *Viksit Bharat@2047***

Jamia Millia Islamia's Offg. Vice Chancellor Prof. Eqbal Hussain presented a roadmap for engaging youth towards *Viksit Bharat@2047*.

Speaking in a workshop on 'Viksit Bharat@2047-Voice of Youth' today at Raj Niwas, Delhi, following a special virtual address by the Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi on his vision of *Viksit Bharat@2047*, Prof. Hussain spoke about the need to connect with the students to make them realize their individual potential and thereby contribute to the task of nation-building that would culminate in *Viksit Bharat@2047*. The Vice Chancellor shared a plan of action for engaging the students in accordance with the SOP prepared by the Ministry of Education, Government of India for the launch of several activities that would ascertain suggestions and feedback of youth in different aspects with respect to how *Viksit Bharat* would look like in 2047 and the pre-requisites to reach this goal apart from the individual role that a student would play towards the realization of *Viksit Bharat*.

Several activities are being organized in the university to make this campaign hugely successful through participation and engagement of students and faculty members. Students would be asked to share their views directly at *Viksit Bharat* portal using a **QR Code** on **MyGov portal** wherein they can answer questions using dropdown options. Students would be enabled to submit their responses using their e-mail ids and could also download the certificate and accomplishment.

Students would also be enabled to upload their selfies with *Viksit Bharat@2047* Banner in the background on their Facebook and Instagram accounts. An **Ideation Centre** has been set up at FTK-Centre for Information Technology, JMI where students would be enabled to video record their suggestion on different aspects of *Viksit Bharat@2047* wherein they could also interact with faculty members for idea exchange. The university proposes to organize debate/extempore competition amongst students on the theme *Idea4ViksitBharat*. The university also proposes to organize cycle Runs for *Idea4Viksit Bharat*.

The Mass Communication Research Centre (MCRC), JMI would also be holding discussions on Jamia Community Radio on the vision of *Viksit Bharat* and the social media platforms would be used extensively for promotion of the *Viksit Bharat@2047* campaign.

The workshop at Raj Niwas was attended by Lt. Governor of Delhi, Chief Secretary of Delhi, VCs from Central and State Universities of Delhi along with faculty members drawn from various universities of Delhi. A team of 20 professors from JMI were nominated for the workshop. The Hon'ble Lt. Governor of Delhi and senior officials also spoke on the occasion to highlight the significance of *Viksit Bharat@2047*.

