

Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management

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22.05.23. New Delhi. The Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management at Jamia Millia Islamia celebrated World Environment Day on May 22, 2023, with a range of engaging activities, showcasing their dedication to environmental conservation and sustainable practices within the tourism and hospitality industry. Prof. Sarah Hussain, Head of the Department, gave her valuable thoughts on the importance of environmental conservation and sustainable practices within the tourism and hospitality industry. Prof. Nimit Chaudhary also inspires students towards protecting the environment. Dr. Nusrat Yasmeen (Student Advisor), Dr. Abdul Qadir, Dr. Vijay Kumar Dev, and all the other faculty members provided their invaluable guidance and support throughout the event, ensuring its success. The dedication of the students and their active participation was immense in environmental conservation efforts, paving the way for a greener and more sustainable future in the field of tourism and hospitality.

The celebration began with an oath-taking ceremony, where faculty members and students pledged to protect and preserve the environment. This symbolic act reinforced their commitment to adopting sustainable practices and inspired them to be agents of change in



their personal and professional lives.

To encourage creative expression and critical thinking, an essay writing competition was organized. Participants were invited to share their perspectives on environmental conservation, sustainable tourism, and the role of the hospitality industry in promoting a greener future. The competition allowed students to showcase their knowledge and ideas, fostering a deeper understanding of the importance of environmental stewardship within their field of study.

The tree plantation drive remained a significant highlight of the event, with HoD, Professor Sarah Hussain with other faculty members and students actively engaged in planting a diverse range of saplings. This endeavour not only beautified the campus but also contributed





to the restoration of the local ecosystem, promoting biodiversity and creating a sustainable environment within the campus. The event served as an inspiration for faculty members and students, empowering them to implement eco-friendly measures in their daily lives and

professional endeavours.



Throughout the celebration, the department emphasized the importance of responsible tourism and hospitality management. Faculty members conducted interactive sessions, engaging participants in thought-provoking discussions on sustainable practices and their impact on the environment. This

collaborative exchange of ideas enriched the learning experience and fostered a deeper understanding of the role each individual can play in creating a more sustainable future.

This World Environment Day celebration at Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management Jamia Millia Islamia witnessed remarkable enthusiasm and participation. Through activities such as the oath-taking ceremony, essay writing competition, tree plantation drive, and informative exhibition, the department demonstrated its commitment to shaping environmentally conscious professionals within the tourism and hospitality industry.

