

# लेडी श्री राम कॉलेज फॉर वुमन (दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय)

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**Supporting Documents for 5.4.1** 

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# **DIL SE: BREAKING THE TECH DIVIDE**

With the world in the grips of the Corona Pandemic, the economic divide has widened even further. Studying from home became a dream for many. 'Dil Se' was an initiative launched by the ELSA Executive Committee, to provide digital support to students when their homes became the classrooms. The Dil Se Initiative also supplements the college's need-based scholarship Program.



### Some Minutes of Meetings indicating role of Alumna in Provision of laptops to students



#### **DI Committee Minutes**

A series of meetings were held to discuss and finalize the modalities of facilitating laptops (or any other devices) and data packs to the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year students. The first meeting with DI group of Alumna was held on 20<sup>th</sup> Nov 2020 which was also attended by finance committee members. The minutes of this meeting are attached separately. Following are the decisions arrived in the series of meetings held between 20<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2020

1 It was decided not to have endowment fund in the name of college for giving laptops as advised by finance committee due to many logistics like transfer of money from abroad, delay in the process to name a few. Instead, it was decided that DI committee of the college will be identifying the students needing the devices and the list will be given to the DI group of alumnae (Contact person-Ms Suki lyer) and they will work out the logistics of delivering the devices to the students.

2 The committee decided to use both subjective (need of the students and family circumstances due to the pandemic) as well as objective criteria (income level) to identify the students who will be needing devices. The same was communicated to the Teacher in charges of all 15 departments and were asked to interact with the students and assess.

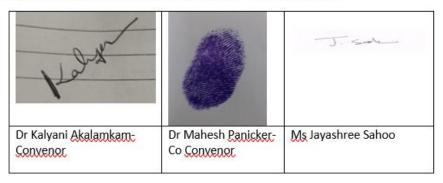
3 Since, the devices are needed urgently to the forth coming practical exams which are starting from 4<sup>th</sup> Dec 2020, it was decided to prioritize the students from Practical's based courses like Mathematics, Statistics, Commerce, <u>Psychology</u>.

4 As these courses need software's to run, only laptops can suit their purpose while it can be deliberated to provide tablets or laptops for other students depending on the finances available.

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Dr Kalyani <u>Akalamkam-</u> <u>Convenor</u>	Dr Mahesh Panicker-Co Convenor	Ms Jayashree Sahoo	<u>Dr. Siksha</u> Deepak

## Minutes of the meeting held on 24th November 2020

- 25 students were identified from courses -Maths, Statistics, Commerce and Psychology whose practical exams were starting from 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec 2020.
- 2 ELSA Delhi branch was also approached to help the students and they agreed to provide 10 laptops immediately to the students
- The list of 15 students was submitted to Ms Suki lyer(DI Group) and 10 to ELSA (Ms Parool Trehan) with a request to deliver laptops to students by 1<sup>st</sup> week of December. The specifications of the laptops were- Core I3, 10<sup>th</sup> Generation, 8 GB



#### Minutes of the meeting held on 25th November

- 1 Dr Kalyani reported that Ms Suki lyer informed that DI Group will be facilitating the laptops through an NGO Sampark headed by LSR Alumna Dr Smita Premchander.
- 2 'Sampark' will be conducting a basic survey to verify the need of the student
- 3 The committee went through the survey questions and as the questionnaire was seeking basic information only, it was cleared to go ahead with verification at their end
- 3 It was decided to communicate to the SAMPARK and DI Group of Alumna not to use the student information for any other purpose and keep it confidential.



### SOCIAL INITIATIVES BY ELSA

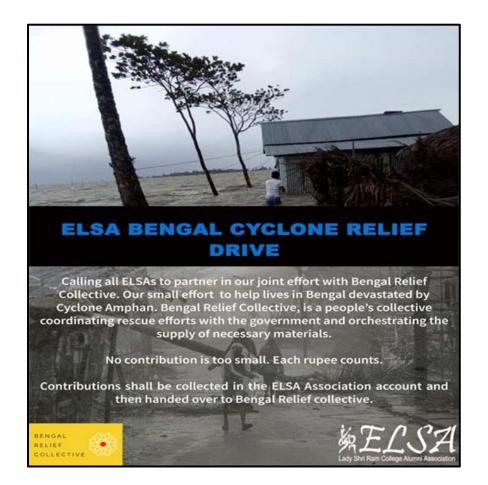
**Phagun Phuhar 2021:** ELSAs gather each year to host an annual bazaar, to promote women entrepreneurs. With temperature scanners, sanitisers, masks in place, the Phagun Phuhaar 2021 was held in Bikaner House, New Delhi, on 20-21<sup>st</sup> March, 2021.

**Bengal Cyclone Relief Drive:** Creating sensitisation towards social causes is the bedrock of life in and after LSR. The ELSE EC partnered with Bengal Relief Collective (BRC) to raise funds for the relief and rehabilitation activities being done in some of the areas of West Bengal.

Collection drive for the victims of the Kerala floods in partnership with Goonj: The patrons of ELSA Mumbai did a collection drive for the victims of the Kerala floods in partnership with Goonj. They concentrated on collecting those items which tend to ordinarily get overlooked. Altogether they collected 120 kgs of sugar, 90 kgs of salt and 80 packets of tea.



**Phagun Phuhar 2021** 



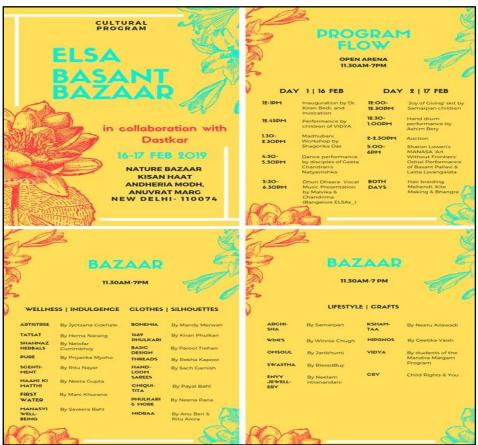
**Call for ELSA Bengal Cyclone Relief Drive** 



Collection drive for the victims of the Kerala floods in partnership with Goonj

**Basant Bahar:** A unique collaboration between Dastkar and ELSA, The Basant Bazaar successfully celebrated the spirit of entrepreneurship under ELSA HUB that showcased women led businesses, design entrepreneurs and start ups across diverse products that included textiles, apparel, home furnishings, lifestyle and design products, wellness and accessories. The program started with our heart-felt Shradhanjali to the brave martyrs of the Pulwama attack. Students of Vidya and Samaparan School-Kishanganj both empowering underpriviliged children, gave invigorating performances highlighting gender issues.





## **ENGAGEMENTS WITH LSR**

Meeting the team of Tarini: In March 2019, ELSAs were invited to College to interact with the all women sailors of Tarini. And join the exclusive screening of 'Tarini', National Geographic's documentary based on the historic journey of the Indian Navy's sailing vessel. 'Tarini' narrates the adventures of INSV Tarini at the sea and chronicles every difficulty that the vessel faced during the expedition.



Short-term course on Laws relating to Women: The short-term course commenced on 5th February 2019 and concluded on 12th March 2019 (2 classes a week spanning over 6 weeks). It covered topics including employment laws with special focus on sexual harassment of women at workplace, family laws, property laws and crime laws concerning women. The sessions were conducted by *Niti Sudhakar*, Advocate (Founding Partner, DGS Associates) with assistance from *Ms. Aditi Warrier*, *Advocate*; *Mr. Prosenjeet Banerjee*, Advocate (family law specialist) and *Mr. Puneet Mittal*, Senior Advocate (Crime law specialist). Students gained a lot of practical experience throughout the course, with mock trials which included scenarios concerning legal redressal of sexual harassment at workplace under the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 and dowry prohibition under the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961 and the Indian Penal Code, 1860. The audience was interactive, well informed and attentive. A certification ceremony will be held in a few weeks.

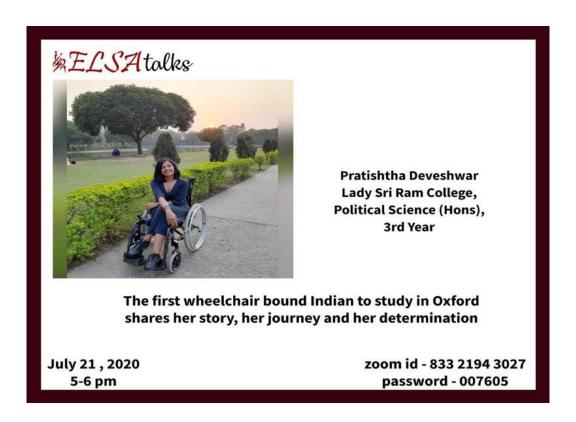


**Participation in College Annual Day:** At the Annual Day celebration at LSR, alumni have the opportunity to reconnect with faculty members.



## **Interactions with current students:**

A talk with Pratishtha Deveshwar regarding her journey- 'the first wheelchairs user from India to study at Oxford



**ELSA** get-togethers in the Campus



# YEARLY SCHOLARSHIPS BY ELSA

# **Sample Sheet for Scholarships of 2019-20**

5	s.NO.	Name of the scholarship	Name of the	Roll no.	Course	Amount (Rs.)
-	1	G L Bansal Scholarship		450	History II	13,000/-
-	2	G.L. Bansal Scholarship		728	Sanskrit II Hons	13,000/-
	3	ELSA Scholarship		512	Sanskrit III Hons	13,000/-
	4	ELSA Scholarship		B-49	B.EL.ED III Hons	13,000/-
	5	ELSA Scholarship		439	Hindi III Hons	13,000/-
	6	Shri Onkar Nath Pandit Scholarship	Riya Manocha	B-43	B.EL ED II Yr	13,000/-
	7	Shri Onkar Nath Pandit Scholarship	Neelam Devtala	511	Sanskrit III Yr	13,000/-
	8	Shri Hari Daval Walia Scholarshin	Shreva Sinha	510	Sanskrit III Hons	13.000/-