

"EXPRESSATHON" season II- Digital Edition: expressing ideas, innovations and creativity...

Creativity is a natural extension of our own enthusiasm

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The world's present crisis COVID-19 has catastrophically affected our economy and taken over our lives, forcing us to stay at home, work from home and irreversibly shifting our economy, society and lifestyle. The education sector has been enthralled by the virus travelling the globe with a large portion of classes going online. It poses new challenges for the teachers as well as students. COVID times would not only be remembered for the loss it caused but also the way it has bought a digital revolution taking us at least five years ahead in time. It is amazing the way technology is being put to use on digital mode. In one such effort digital Expressathon II – an exhibition on the assignments, charts, models made by the students was organized by the Department of Tourism and Hospitality Management using google meet platform.

The event was organized for the students of Hotel management by Asst Professor Dr. Shweta Chandra for showcasing their creativity. The specially curated projects and assignments were given to students keeping in mind the limitation of resources. Students made models, presentations, designed uniforms presenting their creativity backed by theoretical knowledge. Expressathon gave them a platform to showcase their creations and also explain the ideas and imagination behind the same. The event was inaugurated by Dr Sarah Hussain (HOD) and Professor Nimit Choudhary by digital unveiling .The event was compered by 7th semester students – (Hamza Qureshi and Nusrat Jahan) and featured individual presentations included bottle art assignment, foliage arrangements, flowers arrangements, uniform designing and costing, models of themed guest rooms, market surveys on flooring and wall covering. Around 48 students were present in the event. It has been amazing to see how creatively the students have presented the ideas and assignment. It was an interactive session with both judges and audience involved in cross questioning. It was a great learning, motivation and enrichment experience for the students.

YouTube link https://youtu.be/17ETaHEtbXA