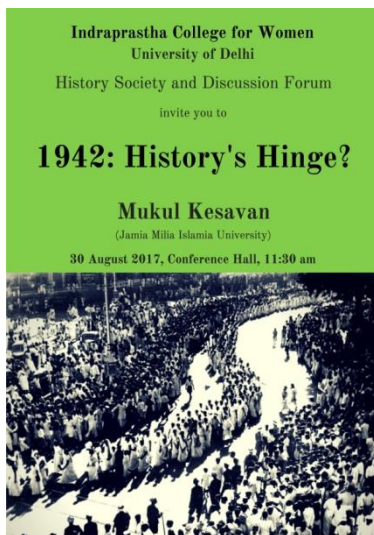


Discussion Forum Report (2017- 2018)

July-Nov 2017

The Discussion Forum on August 30, 2017 held a discussion on '1942: History's Hinge?' in collaboration with History Society. This was in view of the spirit of month of Independence of India- August and call by the Ministry of HRD to celebrate the Quit India movement! The speaker was well known historian, Mukul Kesavan of Jamia Millia Islamia. In this lecture Prof Kesavan discussed the layered meanings of the Quit India Movement in historiography and literature



The Event Poster



Mr. Mukul Kesavan and Principal Dr. Babli Moitra Saraf during the lecture

The second event of the semester was a lecture by His Excellency Deepak Vohra Special adviser to Prime Ministers of Lesotho, Guinea- Bissau and India. He spoke on 'Global Megatrends'. It was a well received lecture by student community.



Indraprastha College for Women, University of Delhi
DISCUSSION FORUM invites you to

GLOBAL MEGATRENDS

Talk by Deepak Vohra,
Special Advisor to the Prime
Minister of Lesotho and
Guinea-Bissau

DATE: 18th Sept, 2017
TIME: 11:30 AM
VENUE: Conference Room

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Jan-Apr 2018

The Discussion Forum focused on 'gender' discourse with the first lecture organised by Kartik Bittu, Associate Professor, Ashoka University and Ms Pavani aka Kabir of Miranda House on "Gender, Bender and Transgender". Bittu questioned the relevance of the category of 'gender' in context of transgender, while Kabir questioned the term 'gender-bender'.



Kartik Bittu (second from left) in the staff room

The second was an event in collaboration with Women's Development Cell. Author Deepa Narayan discussed the salient features of her book 'Chup: Breaking the silence about India's Women'. The author focused on seven habits of women which inhibit them from taking up leadership and entrepreneurial roles and ultimately become the cause of domestic violence.



In conversation with author Dr Deepa Narayan on her book, 'Chup: Breaking Silence About India's Women'