



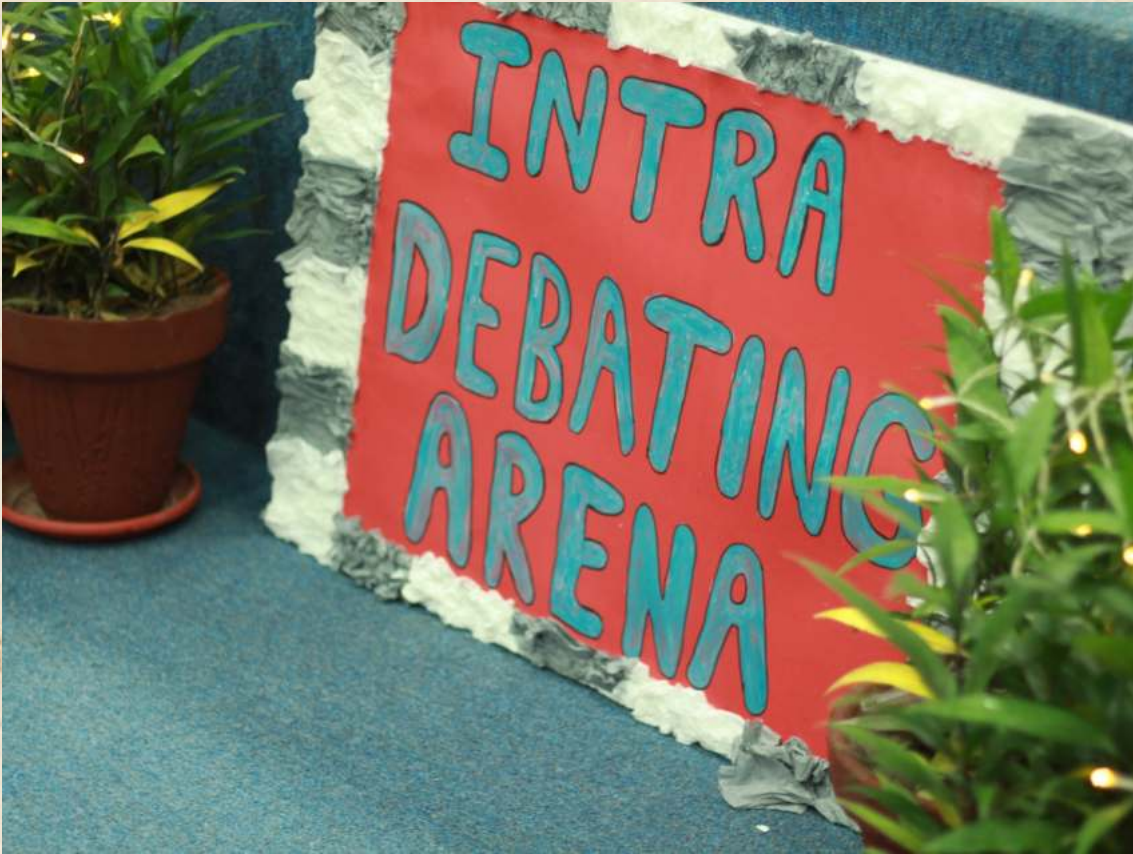
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INTRA DEBATES ARENA '23 NEWSLETTER





Welcome to the Intra Debates Arena 2023! A dynamic blend of intermediate and university students fuels the electric atmosphere at the Intra Debates competition's opening day.





NIBHAAT HASSAN

Our lovely host Nibhaat Hassan, welcomed the crowd and bridged introductions between the crowds of students and the management team.

Ms. Ambreen took the stage to welcome the crowds and introduced herself. As our honourable advisor, her presence was magnetic as she shared her thoughts with the students. Eager faces leaned in, captivated by the council and head's discussions about the exciting events ahead.



DR. AMBREEN JAVED



The first day commenced amidst an electrifying crowd, brimming with enthusiasm and anticipation. During the National Anthem, the crowd stood shoulder to shoulder to honor this proclamation of patriotism.



USAMA ZULFIQAR

He fueled the room's excitement by explaining the agenda for the oncoming days; promising spirited debates, intellectual growth, and unforgettable moments during these three action-packed days.

Brimming with extraordinary confidence and composure, President Usama Zulfiqar extended a warm welcome to the attendees of Intra Debate Arena comprising of passionate intermediate and university students.



Here is a snippet of the spectators mentally preparing themselves for the work (and fun) that is in store for them.

"I DECLARE THE FLOOR OPEN!"

Onto to the actual debates themselves, these participants weren't just here to play; they were here to win! Intense rounds of rebuttals and arguments spread across rooms in FCCU's E and S blocks.



Passionate and insanely competitive debaters engaged in heated exchanges with remarkable enthusiasm and clever rebuttals. Fellow debaters and spectators hung on every word, while adjudicators pondered with keen interest.



It was a dynamic arena where intellect and eloquence collided, fostering an electrifying atmosphere.





A glimpse of our best! Our core adjudicators can be seen in a jovial mood before some intense debate marking. Who said judging kids was an easy job? Managing prep times, releasing motions, and tuning into rebuttals (and keeping an eye on them from becoming a little too personal) was all in a day's work for our esteemed core!



A saga of our ever hardworking council members, putting their blood, sweat and tears into making the Debates Intra into the success it was!



USAMA AND CO

Let's witness Usama and Co with their tireless work huddling to truly deliver this event! Candid's like this give us real insight into the hero's of the events. Almost too busy to even realise there is a camera hovering near by....

Aaima Ejaz, our Equity Officer focused on the towers of paperwork that comes with being a debates person (we wish we had an attention span as wavering as Aaima!).



AAIMA EJAZ

Almost, but our treasurer and team members filled in for them; never too busy to flash a smile for the camera!



ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL! ISN'T THAT RIGHT, GUYS?

The day ended on a sweet and melodic notes. As the sun set on the first day of Intra Debates Arena 2023, the crowd settled in for a vibrant social segment. FCCU's talented musicians took the stage, and the atmosphere electrified. Cheers and applause filled the air, easing the day's tension, and creating a harmonious conclusion to a bustling day of debates.



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Ms Ambreen Javed passing a knowing smile towards the camera, which seems to say "Day 1 was a success!" and also something like "This is history in the making" (this is our closest guess, honestly).





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USAMA ZULFIQAR

Another day, another debate! Day 2 officially kicked off as we can see Usama striking a pose next to the stage - as he welcomed the crowds back. By this time, many teams were quite well acquainted with each other, making the competition friendly and fun! Day 2 had a lot in store for the management and participants as things kicked off smoothly.

Ms Ambreen Javed officially started off the second day of the Intra Debates Arena on a welcoming note to the crowds of participants gathered in the auditorium.

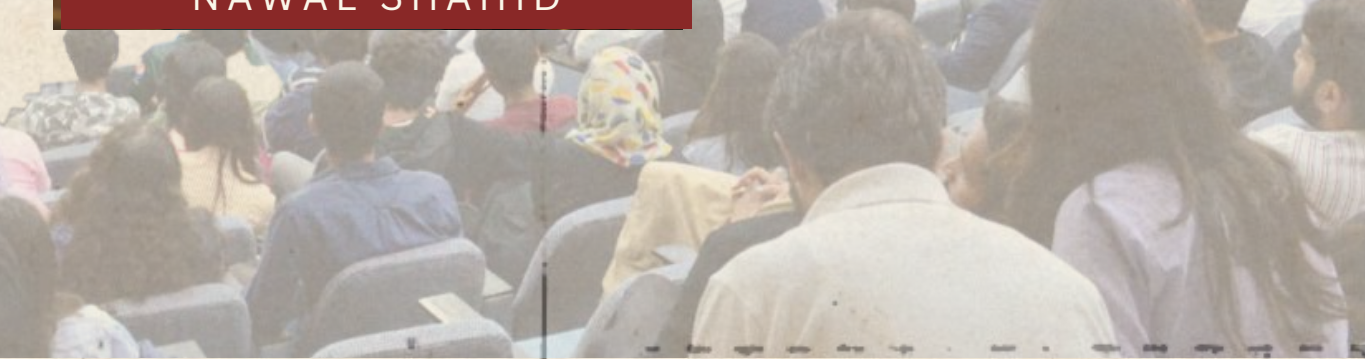


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NAWAL SHAHID

A glimpse of our Vice President, Nawal Shahid, making sure all runs smoothly with her tech wiz skills and sharp eye.



Meet team videography!
The real deal behind capturing the event for all you folks to watch. In these candid shots, anyone can tell how much effort these young folks put in.



OKAY NOW, TIME FOR POSES!



Day 2 was a blast, all thanks to the incredible registration team! The real MVPs who made sure everything ran smoothly. From checking us in with a smile to answering our last-minute queries, these folks made it all happen.



So here's a big shoutout to the unsung heroes behind the very competition itself; the adjudicators! We couldn't have debated our hearts out without your hard work and dedication..



Your keen observation of the points made and the balancing of the rebuttals in return! Your tireless work really made this event a historical one.





Day 2 had all the heat of Day 1 and more! Participants were now familiar with their opponents which really added a new layer of competition! The atmosphere was electric, charged with compelling arguments and wild rebuttals that had everyone on the edge of their seats. The debaters left no stone unturned, crafting their points with precision and defending their stances with fervor.



WAJID AMEER

As the curtains fall on Day 2 of the Intra Debates Arena, we were riding the waves of success with only one day left in this monumental event. History was etched with the grand scale of this competition, bringing together brilliant minds and ideas under one roof.

A heartfelt thank you to the remarkable management team who tirelessly worked behind the scenes to make this event a reality. Your dedication and hard work are truly commendable!



DR. TAHIR SHAHEER





And to cap off the evening, the Mushahira was an enchanting touch that tied our hearts and minds together. Esteemed poets graced the stage, weaving magic with their words, leaving us utterly mesmerised.





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VICE PRESIDENT NAWAL SHAHID

Nothing can compare the heat of anticipation from the participants as on third day and final stage of the Intra Debate Arena. Vice President Nawal graced us with her wisdom, setting the stage for the epic closing rounds. It was the beginning of the end, where the brightest minds clashed in a battle of words, intellect, and passion.





DR. AMBREEN JAVED

MS. ALEENA KARIM

Ms. Ambreen graced the front row with worthy Adjudicator for English Declamations, Ms. Aleena Karim as they were candidly captured on camera. Their presence served as a reminder that FDS had pulled all the stops and made this otherwise small debate session into a massive success!



DR. SHAHIDAH DILAWAR

DR. ABIDA BATOOL



USAMA ZULFIQAR

NAWAL SHAHID



The initial rounds kicked off with a bang, with Usama and Nawal—ever watchful and observant—managed everything from their strategic position on the stage. Participant after participant solidified their arguments and fought off rebuttals bravely as the competing groups eventually shrank in size as the final rounds came closer.

These candid snapshots convey the intensity and determination of the participants in the final rounds of the Intra Debates Arena on Day 3..



Each debater stood at the podium, armed with facts, passion, and conviction, ready to engage in an intellectual battle.



The adjudicators, like silent were deeply engrossed in their roles as they attentively evaluated the intricate arguments presented before them.





USAMA ZULFIQAR EESHA AKBER

The executive council has proven to be the underrated and unsung hero of this Intra Debates Arena. With both declamation rounds chaired by our esteemed President Usama Zulfiqar accompanied by our wonderful Vice President Nawal in the first round and our brilliant General Secretary Eesha in the second round, these pictures are a testament to their intense and unwavering dedication to the success of the event

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Going out with a bang! FDS is all about the dramatics (in debates and in socials!)

The audience, an ocean of eager faces, filled the arena on the final day with an atmosphere that brimmed with anticipation.



They were treated to some magical performances by FCCU's very own musical talents.





It's Ghazal Season! A one of a kind Ghazal performance was arranged by FCCU students for FCCU students as way to close the Intra Debates Arena chapter with a (musical) bang! The mesmerising beats of the Tabla and the melody of words had the crowd swaying with each beat.



RECTOR'S PRESENCE!!!



The final day of the Intra Debates Arena – where Mr Rector savored the lively debates and spirited socials, embracing the intellectual and social vibrancy of our campus community.



We think it's safe to say; that history has been made. Never before had an event of this scale and caliber been arranged for the Intra level of debates anywhere! We extend a big round of applause to our hardworking council members as this what they deserve (and perhaps a couple of days off! Hard work is no joke!)