INAUGURAL KIRT: THE ECONOMICS SOCIETY

Title of the Event: Inaugural

Organized by: KIRT- The Economics and Business Economics Society

Date: 25th January 202 Number of Participants: 57

An Inaugural ceremony for the Team KIRT 2020-21 was organized on **25th January '21** via Google meet at 3:00 pm. The ceremony began on a bright and positive spiritual note by the chanting of college prayer "Diva Bale Andhera Jaye". The Departmental Convener Dr. Meena Singh and all the faculty members welcomed the guest speaker Professor V.K. Kaul from the Department of Finance and Business economics, South Campus, DU. Dr. Meena Singh congratulated the new office bearers of the society and encouraged the students to maintain a balance between academics and co-curricular activities and to take every task as an opportunity.

With the arrival of the new team announcement, the KIRT team further gave a glance at the core team members, the departmental heads, and the executive members of the society. Professor V.K. Kaul, the guest speaker addressed the youth opportunities and challenges throughout his session.

He spoke about the following few points:

- The current pandemic situation and addressed how this crisis could be a virtue of opportunity for individuals.
- The job losses due to the pandemic and therefore he encouraged students to learn important skills like critical thinking, collaboration, communication, digital marketing, etc. through online portals.
- Impacted the students to become job creators instead of job seekers and make an impact in the world.
- Motivated students to become a keen learner and always be ready to learn new skills according to the dynamic aspect of times.
- Emphasized the technological advancements taking place in the fields of AI, machine learning, and data analysis, he reiterated the need for the young to create start-ups and push themselves to learn interdisciplinary skills and become multi-lingual.

In the end, he entitled the New Education Policy 2020 a game-changer by creating better problem solvers and critical thinkers. The session concluded with the

interaction of Professor Kaul with the queries of the students on important skills required in the 21st century.