



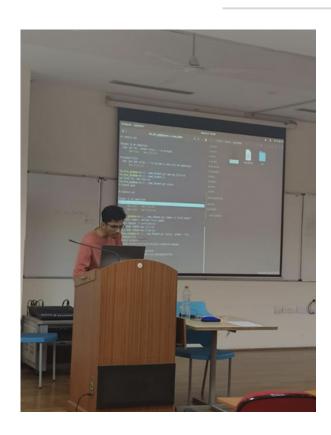
## STUDENT AFFAIRS

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inspired learning and creativity across campus!

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#### Certified Gitophile Workshop - URC

#### (27th January 2025)

IIIT-Delhi students delved into the world of version control with the Certified Gitophile Workshop, an engaging session on Git and GitHub conducted by URC. The workshop provided hands-on experience, guiding participants through essential concepts like repository management, commits, branching, and collaboration workflows.

Students actively practiced branching and merging strategies, explored remote repository management, and gained confidence in using GitHub for seamless teamwork.

Through step-by-step exercises, they strengthened their understanding of version control, preparing them for efficient project management.

The session equipped attendees with valuable skills for collaborative coding and software development, making it a truly enriching experience!

#### **Spectroscopy Workshop - Astronuts**

#### (12th February 2025)

IIIT-Delhi students explored the fascinating world of light and spectra at the Spectroscopy Workshop conducted by Astronuts, an interactive session that combined theory with hands-on learning.

Participants gained insights into the principles of spectral analysis, understanding how light interacts with different materials to reveal hidden details.

A major highlight of the workshop was the DIY spectroscope activity, where students built their own devices to observe and analyze light firsthand. This engaging experience allowed them to apply concepts practically, deepening their appreciation for spectroscopy in science and technology.

With an enthusiastic turnout, the session was a perfect blend of learning and discovery!



#### DevHaven - BYLD's Freshers Hackathon

#### (31st January – 1st February 2025)

BYLD's freshers-focused hackathon, DevHaven, brought together budding innovators for an intense 12-hour coding marathon at LHC 201. With 20 teams competing for a prize pool of ₹5,000, the event saw an overwhelming response, especially from first-year students eager to showcase their skills.

**Participants** tackled challenges across diverse Web3, domains like AI/ML, Sustainability, Healthcare, and Fintech, working tirelessly to develop impactful solutions. They received valuable mentorship from the coordinators who guided them through debugging, ideation, and market validation. After rigorous evaluation, the winners were announced for best tech, best frontend, and best idea.

With its high energy and impressive innovation, DevHaven 2025 set new benchmarks for creativity and collaboration!





#### WE by TalentSprint Information Session

#### (11th February 2025)

IIIT-Delhi's Women in Tech community hosted an information session on the Google WE Scholarship, providing first-year female students with insights into eligibility, the application process, and the benefits of becoming a Google WE Scholar.

Past recipients shared valuable tips on crafting a strong application, empowering attendees with the knowledge to take the next step in their tech journey.

#### Unlock the Future – DDC 2025 Pre-Event

#### (15th February 2025)

As part of the Digital Delhi Conclave 2025, the "Unlock the Future" event conducted by WiT combined a treasure hunt and escape room, making learning about DPI both fun and interactive.

Participants navigated through multiple engaging challenges, including:

- Treasure Hunt Solving clues to progress through rounds
- DigiLocker Match Categorizing documents in a fast-paced authentication task
- Family Feud DPI Edition A knowledge battle featuring DPI concepts and trivia
- Balloon Tower Challenge A creative break testing teamwork and structural skills
- Final Puzzle Unlocking the Future Mapping DPI layers and decoding clues to reveal the Future Key

The event was a resounding success, with participants leaving not only with a deeper understanding of DPI but also with an unforgettable experience of teamwork, problemsolving, and innovation!





#### Monthly Event Highlights - CyFuse

#### EPOCH Session 2.0 - 29th January 2025

EPOCH 2.0 featured an insightful session by Arsh Goyal Sir, covering Generative AI, hackathons, and the evolving tech landscape. The interactive Q&A session allowed students to gain valuable industry insights and career guidance, making it a hub of enthusiasm and learning. The session concluded with a memorable photo opportunity, leaving attendees inspired and motivated. EPOCH 2.0 wasn't just an event—it was a catalyst for future innovators!

#### EPOCH Session 3 – 12th February 2025

EPOCH 3 brought an engaging session on UI/UX Design Thinking, led by Rohan Mishra, who shared valuable insights on crafting user-friendly interfaces. The session emphasized practical approaches to UI solutions and the application of core design principles, helping attendees develop a deeper understanding of user-centric design. It was a fantastic opportunity for students to refine their design thinking skills and explore how creativity can drive innovation in technology.

#### Finnexia x DDC'25 - Shark Tank IIIT Delhi

#### (17th February, 2025)

As part of the Digital Delhi Conclave 2025, Finnexia hosted Shark Tank IIIT Delhi, offering students a platform to pitch their startup ideas aligned with DPI.

Participants navigated through multiple competitive rounds, including:

- Online Registration & Shortlisting Over 100 students (60 teams) registered, with 20 teams advancing to the final round.
- Final Pitch Round 16 teams presented their ideas to a prestigious Shark panel, including:
- 1. Dr. Pravesh Biyani Founder, Chartr App; Professor, IIIT Delhi.
- 2. Mr. Mukul Chhabra Founder, ScrapUncle; Shark Tank India S2 participant.
- 3. Mr. Ehraz Imam CTO, Enord.
- Evaluation Criteria Pitches were judged on innovation, scalability, DPI impact, business viability, and presentation.

The event was a resounding success, equipping students with real-world entrepreneurial insights, valuable mentorship, and an unforgettable experience in startup pitching!



#### Inclusive Innovation Sprint - GirlUp x DDC'25

#### (17th February 2025)

GirlUp Udaan hosted the Inclusive Innovation Sprint, a design hackathon centered on accessibility and inclusivity in DPI. Participants engaged in a dynamic series of challenges, fostering innovation through interactive rounds:

- Blind Trading Round Teams selected themes and strategically traded resources.
- Inclusion & Accessibility Trading Encouraged deeper ideation on "creating for everyone."
- Prototyping Sprint Using tools like Figma and Canva, teams built prototypes within three hours.
- Final Pitch Teams presented their ideas, demonstrating how their solutions enhanced digital accessibility.

The event introduced many participants to design hackathons for the first time, providing valuable hands-on experience. Winning teams were recognized for their innovative and inclusive solutions.

The event was a fantastic success, empowering participants with new skills and reinforcing the importance of building truly inclusive digital interfaces!

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