

## Society Activity Report 2017-2018

### The Photographic Society

#### **ORIENTATION, FRESHERS' EXHIBITION, BASIC DSLR WORKSHOP**

The Photographic Society was very active throughout the year and the society organized various Photo Talks, Photo Walks and Competitions. The year kicked off with the Orientation on 1st August with a full packed Seminar Room. The society also provided a platform for the first years to showcase their photography skills in the form of 'Freshers' Exhibition'. We also organized 'Basic DSLR Workshop' for those who wanted to learn basics of DSLRs.

#### **PHOTO WALKS**



One of the important traditions of the society is Photo Walks which provide practical exposure of using cameras to students. During the year, we went to Safdarjung Tomb, Dilli Haat and Old Fort for Photo Walks to practice various techniques of Photography.



## PHOTO TALKS



Photo talks are another important aspect of the Society, wherein eminent photographers, photojournalists and enthusiasts are invited to interact with the society members and discuss their work and experiences. On the occasion of World Photography Day, the society invited Mr. Ravi Dhingra for a Photo Talk, in collaboration with Delhi University Photographers Club and Canon which saw a participation of over 150 people from all across Delhi. We also had Mr. Prashanth Vishwanathan in September who gave a talk on “Khule me Shauch” which gave us insights about the conditions of toilets in India.



## BREAKING FRAMES

**PHOTOSOC**  
BHO1020C

The Photographic Society  
St. Stephen's College  
presents  
**"BREAKING FRAMES"**

12th October  
2PM: Photo Projects  
3:30PM: Phototalk by Chandan Gomes  
5PM: Winners of Online Photography Competition

13th October  
1:30PM: Treasure Hunt  
3:30PM: Phototalk by Amit Pasricha  
6PM: Photowalk Led by Emil Mathew Rajiv Savio Herald

Exhibitions:  
Alumni Exhibition  
Minimalism  
Then & Now  
Photo Projects

Printing Partner: **zoomin** Social Media Partner: **DU** Student Partner: **frapp** Awards Sponsored by: **DCOP**

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The Society also revived 'Breaking FRAMES' the Society's mini-fest in the month of October. The theme for the fest was "Alumni of the College". During the fest, we organized much appreciated Alumni Exhibition where we received entries from various eminent Alumni of the College. The Exhibition was also displayed during the Annual Alumni Lunch. Other than this, we had an Online Photography Competition, Photo Projects by society members and 'Then & Now' exhibition, where we displayed some old and new pictures of the same place. We also invited two of our Alumni and eminent photographers, Mr. Chandan Gomes and Mr. Amit Pasricha, for Photo Talks. They talked about their journey in the college and in photography.

## COLLEGE CALENDER







The Society also has an important task; which is to bring out the College Calendar every year. This year the Society was successful in bringing out a much-awaited calendar on the theme 'Finesse of Lumiere' based upon photographs of the interplay of light and shade at different locations in college. The calendar was much liked in college and by alumni of photographic society. The society had sold close to six hundred calendars.

## FRAMES

PHOTO SOCIETY  
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

THE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY  
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE  
INVITES YOU ALL  
FOR

**A PHOTOTALK  
WITH  
VINEET VOHRA**

- ONE OF THE TOP TWENTY STREET PHOTOGRAPHERS IN THE WORLD
- LEICA AMBASSADOR AND INSTRUCTOR
- CO-FOUNDER OF APF MAGAZINE

FEBRUARY 16, 2018

3 PM | AV ROOM

PHOTO SOCIETY  
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

THE PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY  
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE  
Presents

**PHOTO  
WARS**

Theme 3

**THE END OF TIME**

Judged by : Mr. Asutosh Kashyap

DEADLINE  
FEBRUARY 2nd 09:00 am

PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY  
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE  
Presents

**PHOTO  
WARS**

Theme 4

**WORLD WITHIN A WORLD**

Judged by  
Mr. Christopher Santiago

Photo Manipulation is allowed  
for this theme

DEADLINE  
FEBRUARY 2nd

A PHOTOTALK BY  
ANDRÉ FANTHOMÉ

With over 15 years of experience, the youngest of three photographers to have received the National Academy Award for Visual Art.

February 13, 2018  
2 PM  
COLLEGE HALL  
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FRAMES 2018

13TH FEBRUARY  
2PM: NICHOLAS TILIA BY ANDRÉ FANTHOMÉ  
COLLEGE HALL  
3:30PM: PHOTO PROJECTIONS, COLLEGE HALL

15TH FEBRUARY  
1:30PM: TREASURE HUNT, 3RD FLOOR  
3PM: TALK BY JOBIT GEORGE, AV ROOM  
4PM: PHOTO-CHI WITH VIRENSHAR SINGH, AV ROOM

16TH FEBRUARY  
1:30PM: ON THE SPOT PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION, 3RD FLOOR  
3PM: TALK BY VINEET VOHRA, AV ROOM

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ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

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FOR

**A PHOTOTALK  
WITH  
JOBIT GEORGE**

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC TRAVEL  
PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR 2017

FEBRUARY 15, 2018

3 PM | AV ROOM

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FRAMES, the annual fest of the Society took place in the month of February and witnessed 5 exhibitions spanning all over college, as well as photography competitions (which saw participants from colleges across the country). The Society also organised the biggest photography battle of Delhi, PhotoWars, where students from 80+ colleges participated for 3 weeks to win the competition. We also had various Photo Talks by Mr. Andre Fanthome, Mr. Jobit George, Mr. Vineet Vohra and Mr. Vireshwar Khatri.

### **PHOTO OF THE MONTH**

Apart from these events, the Society members also continued another venture called the 'Photo of the Month' initiative, which invited entries from the Society members based on themes given at the beginning of every month. The entries were then voted upon and the winner declared at the end of each month. We also continued our initiative named 'Comments and Critique' wherein the members post their photograph which then is further examined by other members of the society and this helps the individual in improving his/her photography skills.

### **EVENT COVERING**

Apart from this, the Society members also took the initiative to document and cover the important events of all the other Societies in college.