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Press Release

**German expert conducts workshop on MoJo for faculty members of JMI's AJK-MCRC**

A five-day workshop on mobile journalism (MoJo) was organised at the Anwar Jamal Kidwai Mass Communication Research Centre (AJK-MCRC) of Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019. Faculty members of the centre participated in the workshop.

The workshop, titled 'Mobile Reporting: The Swiss Army Knife for Journalists' was conducted by Ms. Gwendolin Hilse who is both a journalist from DW and an instructor at the DW Akademie. She came especially from Bonn (Germany) to train the faculty members at the centre.

The workshop was the result of several months of planning between the AJK MCRC and the DW through its representative Mr. Tobias Grote-Beverborg.

It was organised considering the increased use of smart-phones for journalism and filmmaking which has become a hallmark of contemporary media praxis.

During the workshop the participants worked on individual assignments and learnt the use of professional mobile apps for the purpose of audio recording, shooting and editing.

On the last day, the films and stories, made by the participants were screened and discussed.

The faculty-participants in the MoJo workshop were from the Masters courses in Mass Communication, Convergent Journalism, Visual Effects & Animation, Development Communication and PG Diploma in Broadcast Technology.

The workshop was coordinated by Imran Alam and Maryam Zehra, faculty members at AJKMCRC.

The workshop concluded with Gwendoline Hilse, on behalf of the DW, distributing certificates to the faculty-participants.

The participants now feel that they have acquired a set of new professional skills that can be incorporated into the courses that they teach at the AJK MCRC.

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