

Office of the PRO-Media Coordinator
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Press Release

**“Raise YourVoice”: A Women Literature Festival to be held on 27th
February at JMI**

Office of the Public Relations Officer, Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) in association with Your Voice is organizing **“Raise YourVoice”**, a kind of India’s first Women Literature Festival on 27th February (Wednesday) from 10:30 AM to 8:00PM at Dr.M.A. Ansari Auditorium, JMI. It is an attempt to celebrate the International Women’s Day.

Celebrating extraordinary acts of courage, determination and achievements of women is the purpose of this one day festival. This fest will be a fare of art; culture, inspiring stories, drama, poetry and Sufi singing; all occupied under one roof. There will be an open mic poetry event lined up just after the inaugural ceremony followed by dance and musical performances and panel discussion. Student Theatre groups will mesmerize you with their act centric on women. The event will seek the presence of eminent women leaders who believed in smashing the hackneyed ideas and set a role model for other women in row.

RJ Sayema (radio mirchi), Arfa Khanum Shervani, Journalist, Roshni Misbah (TedX speaker, The hijab biker), Sabika Muzaffar (former RJ and voice-over artist), Noted Writer Ramnika Gupta, Richa Anirudh (anchor and journalist), theatre artist Shilpi Marwah, Poetess Poonam Yadav, Notable writer Sukrita Paul and film director and Screenwriter Anusha Rizvi, Pooja Agarwal, Para World Cup Silver Medalist are the prominent names to grace the occasion.

Food stalls with mouth-watering delicacies and art & cultural stalls will also be setup .

The fest is open for all. Attendees can register themselves at:

<https://goo.gl/forms/97RDaasiOHiGWP7D3>

More details can be found at: <http://www.raise.yourvoicepoetry.com/>

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