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Press Release

## JMI organises All India Mushaira and Kavi Sammelan in Hindi, Urdu and Sanskrit

Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) organized an All India Mushaira and Kavi Sammelan on the eve of Independence Day under the aegis of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) on 12th August, 2022. Poets presented their compositions in Hindi, Urdu and Sanskrit in the function. The purpose of this All India Mushaira and Kavi Sammelan, an annual feature of the university, is to spread the message of universal brotherhood, harmony and love for the country through poems.

Mr. Syed Shahid Mahdi, former JMI Vice Chancellor was the Chief Guest and Dr Syed Farooq, President, Himalaya Drugs Company was the Guest of Honour of the function.

Prof. Najma Akhtar, Vice Chancellor, JMI presided over the function. After

Congratulating everyone in the auditorium for the Independence Day, Prof. Akhtar in her address said that today's generation cannot even imagine how great this freedom is for us. We must remember those who sacrificed their lives and those who put their blood and sweat at stake for achieving this great wealth of freedom. Here we should not forget that poets also who played a big role in the struggle for freedom.

She further said Jamia is a historical institution born out of the freedom struggle, the people associated with it played an important role in the freedom struggle and it is an important center of India's Ganga-Jamuni tehzeeb.

Prof. Shehpar Rasool was the convenor and Mr. Mansoor Usmani was the compere of the Mushaira and Kavi Sammelan.

Poets from outside JMI who presented their compositions were Mr. Mansoor Usmani, Mr. Rajesh Reddy, Mr. Azm Shakiri, Mr. Shakeel Jamali, Ms. Ameeta Parshuram, Mr. Moeen Shadab, Ms. Mala Kapoor and Mr. Salim Saleem.

From JMI, Prof. Shehpar Rasool, Prof. Ahmad Mahfooz, Prof. Durga Prasad, Dr.Kausar Mazhari, Prof. Chandradev Yadav, Prof. Durga Prasad, Dr. Abdul Naseeb Khan and Dr. Dhananjay Mani Tripathi presented their poems which were filled with patriotic fervour and zeal.

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