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Faculty of Education, Jamia Millia Islamia organises National Webinar on Assistive Technology for Students with Disabilities

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The Department of Teacher Training and Non-Formal Education (IASE), Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI), organized a one-day national webinar (CRE Programme) on Assistive Technology for Students with Disabilities on May 06, 2025, with the approval and joint support of the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI), New Delhi and Jamia Millia Islamia.

The primary objective of the webinar was to sensitize and empower special educators, rehabilitation practitioners, social workers, and parents about the existing and emerging assistive technologies available to support students with disabilities. The programme witnessed an enthusiastic participation of approximately 200 attendees from across the country, including professionals and stakeholders in the field of disability rehabilitation and inclusive education.

The webinar was inaugurated in the gracious presence of Prof. Sara Begum, Dean, Faculty of Education, JMI, and Prof. Jessy Abraham, Head, IASE, JMI, who addressed the participants and emphasized the role of assistive technology in promoting inclusive learning environments.

The programme was structured into four thematic sessions focusing on daily living aids and educational assistive devices for students with hearing impairment and visual impairment. The first two sessions were conducted by esteemed external resource persons from Hyderabad and Noida, who provided in-depth insights into contemporary assistive solutions. The remaining two sessions were facilitated by faculty members from the Department of Special Education, JMI, offering practical strategies and demonstrations for effective implementation in educational settings.

Dr. Eram Nasir and Mr. Mohd Zuber, Assistant Professors of Special Education, served as the Conveners of the programme, ensuring its smooth execution and high academic rigor. Dr. P. Ramakrishna and Dr. R. Jamuna contributed significantly as Organizing Secretaries.

To ensure accountability and for the accreditation of Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE) points, an assessment was conducted using the SLIDO platform, under the guidelines of RCI.

The webinar concluded with a formal vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Eram Nasir, expressing gratitude to the guests, resource persons, participants, and organizing team for their valuable contributions. The event reaffirmed the commitment of Jamia Millia Islamia and RCI towards promoting inclusive education and enhancing the capacity of professionals working in the field of disability and rehabilitation.

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