3 MT for Sciences held at CUJ

CUJ has taken a lead in 3MT across the country



Prof. Sanjeev Jain handing over the certificate and cash prize to the winner of CUJ 3 MT

18th October, 2022. A globally acclaimed competition among researchers and academia popularly known as 3MT, Three-Minute Thesis Competition was held at Central University of Jammu wherein young researchers participated and presented with full gusto. 3MT is evolving as one of the best practices of the Central University of Jammu as CUJ has take a lead in registering with the University of Queensland to organise 3 MT which has been adopted by 200 universities across the globe. 3MT is a global level competition which was developed by the University of Queensland, Australia with the objective of providing a platform to

young researchers to present to effectively explain research in language appropriate to a non-specialist audience in THREE MINUTES with only one PowerPoint slide. Young enthusiastic researchers of sciences stream from Central University of Jammu and various other universities, participated in the 3 MT. Speaking on the occasion Prof. Sanjeev Jain, Vice Chancellor and Patron of CUJ 3MT shared his vision to make research relevant to societal growth and national progress. He further stated that CUJ 3 MT initiated by convener, Dr. Sharma is a constructive step in the direction of galvanizing researchers to chisel their research acumen by participating in 3 MT. He hoped that the CUJ 3MT will growth further at PAN India level in the times to come.

In the welcome address, Dr. Vandana Sharma Head, Department of English, and Convener of CUJ 3MT said that under the leadership of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor CUJ is committed to amplify the research output – whether it is through high quality publication, research projects or chiseling the research acumen of young researchers and replicating 3 MT founded by University of Queensland, Australia is a step in this direction. She expressed gratitude to the Vice Chancellor for encouraging young researchers with the attractive prize money which they can utilise for their research work. Around thirty young researchers from different disciplines of Sciences presented their research in Three minutes who were adjudicated by a panel of judges who were Prof. Vivek Gupta from University of Jammu; Dr. Qazi Naveed Ahmed, Senior Scientist from IIM, Jammu; and Dr. Ratna Chandra, Head, Department of Biotechnology. The first prize with a cash money of Rs. 10,000 was won by ms. Ananat Ganjoo from IIIM, Jammu; second with prize money of Rs. 5000/- was won by Ms. Mokshi Sharma from CUJ and the Third prize with cash money of Rs. 3000/- was won by Ms. Dhiksha Sharma from CUJ.

Dr. Samantha Vaishnavi, conducted the proceedings and other members of 3 MT Core Organising team who executed the competition were, Dr. Ashok Yadav, Dr. Tanuj Deswal, DR. Anjali Dhar, Dr. Deepti Malhotra, Dr. Sanjay Kumar and Dr. Vinay Dhiman.