Event: National Science Day Celebration - Health Next- National Science Quiz Competition -2022

Celebration on 25th & 28th February 2022



LINK - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5r6Z9koT0aU

On the eve of National Science Day, Institution Innovation Council of IIHMR University celebrated it with Online Quiz Competition in association with Hansraj College DU, BML Munjal University, TERI School of Advanced Studies and MIET Meerut.

The quiz consisted of **2 rounds**. For those registered, there was a prequalifying round. The prequalifying round took place on online platform on 25th February. This was an elimination round to select the top 5 teams for final round to be held on February 28. The pre qualifier round included questions from various categories of science. It was attended by 32 teams from different institutions.

Every team included 3-5 members. Top five teams with highest scores reached the finals. There was lot of excitement and team gave tough competition to each other.

Five Finalists

Rank	Name	Avg Score (50)
I	Alternative Hypothesis	33.00
2	Quizzie Buzzies	31.60
3	Team J C Bose	30.50
4	Science Panther	24.40
5	Team Synergy	23.67

Final Round

The **final round** was held on February 28, 2022. It as super exciting and almost lasted for three hours. The final round was a live event that was witnessed by audience and faculty members as jury.

Pulkit Raturi and Anamitra Sarkar were superb Quiz Masters who hooked the audience till the end of event with their nail biting questions. After the brief introduction of Jury members Dr. Sheenu Jain, **Prof. Kanika Jindal and Prof. Surya Prakash** the much-awaited quiz began.

Dr. Sheenu Jain shared importance of National Science Day and remembered our revered scientists, their contribution to nation and expressed her congratulatory remarks to all the finalists and wished them luck for the final round. Prof. Surya Prakash also gave his hearty congratulations to all the finalists and asked them to maintain the aforesaid rules and regulations of the coming up rounds.

Our Guest of the evening was Dr. Bharat Mohan Raturi, who is a renowned Paediatrician/Neonatologist and Family physician. He also runs a company called Vinoenergy. He spoke about importance of National Science Day and how it is such a wonderful idea to organize such events. On this occasion he also decided to sponsor the awards for the event.

The rounds and their evaluation are based on the below table

ROUND NUMBER	ROUND NAME	RULES FOR ROUNDS
ı	Direct Science	1] + 5 for correct, - 1 for incorrect, 0 for no answer2] 10 seconds for each question3] No passing of question
2	Recent Advances in Science	 I] + 10 for both correct, + 5 for I correct & 0 for no answer 2] 15 seconds for each question 3] No passing of question & no negative marking
3	Applied Science and Technology	1] + 10 for correct, -1 for Incorrect & 0 for no answer2] 15 seconds for each question3] No passing of question
4	Identify and Connect	 1] + 15 for correct, + 5 bonus for each person correctly identified & 0 for no answer 2] No negative marking 3] 30 seconds for each question 4] Passing of question - [+ 15 bonus]

5	Think out of the box to connect	 1] + 15 for correct & 0 for no answer 2] no negative marking 3] 30 seconds for each question 4] passing of question – [+ 15 bonus]
6	Lightning Fire round	1] + 5 for each correct & + 10 [bonus] for all 5 correct answer 2] No negative marking 3] 45 seconds for 6 questions 4] If you don't know answer to a question, say "pass" & if time permits, we will return back to that question [within 45 seconds]

Pulkit Raturi conducted the whole session of quiz rounds and Anamitra Sarkar and Adamya Bais assisted him in time keeping and score calculations.

In the end he again congratulated all the finalists and conveyed his gratitude towards the organizers and shared his feelings about Science Day and its importance. It was his inspiring words that motivated all the participants and he also expressed how Quiz is a mind teaser and why one should be in constant touch with it to improve themselves. He shared the future of Healthcare Start-ups and how it will improve our nation and take us forward. Later, the winning teams were announced by him.

The teams that won the competition were:

Title	Team Name	Members
Winner	JC Bose	Dr. Hardik Sankhla, Dr. Sonam Sio, Minora Priya, Dr. Aishwarya Satija, Priyanka Singh
First Runner Up	Alternative Hypothesis	Dr. Jayeeta Das, Dr. Gaurav Paul, Saloni Sethi, Jewel Jennifer Noronha, Prince Chugh
Second Runner Up	Quizzie Buzzies	Manish Sardana, Aakash Sanjay Mahajan, Ayush Tiwari, Rakhi, Smita Srinivas Chitragar

Everyone congratulated the winners and winning teams also shared their experience of participating in science quiz. Vote of thanks was given by IIC President Dr. Sheenu Jain and she also congratulated all the winners