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The department organized lectures by eminent scholars on diverse issues. The first one was by Professor Amita Singh, Chairperson at the Centre for the study of Law and Governance at Jawaharlal Nehru University. She delivered a thought-provoking lecture on the 'Ecological Approach to Public Administration'. Professor Ashok Acharya from the Department of Political Science, University of Delhi spoke about 'Gandhi's Cosmopolitics' in an insightful lecture, opening up new ways of looking at Gandhi's all-embracing but firmly rooted humanism. During *Politik*, a day long academic meet organized by the department, Professor Nivedita Menon from the School of International Studies, Jawaharlal Nehru University, spoke on 'What is wrong with nationalism', followed by a spirited discussion with the students. In addition, students presented papers on the topic 'India: One Nation or Many?' Students also participated in a poster making competition and turncoat debate.