

# National *E* Conference

On

## *“Entrepreneurship Education: Building Job Creators”*

**(29<sup>th</sup> October, 2021)**

As John Dewey says- Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself. In continuation of initiatives towards bringing quality in education and research in education, Institute of Vocational Studies lead the step of organizing a national e-conference on “ENTREPRENEURSHIP EDUCATION: BUILDING JOB CREATORS“ on 29<sup>th</sup> October'21. The conference was conducted on online platform of Google Meet. Dr. Fozia Roohi and Ms. Shailja Gupta coordinated the programme under the ace guidance of Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. As education in the area of entrepreneurship may help people to develop skills and knowledge, which could benefit them for starting, organizing and managing their own enterprises, entrepreneurship education is extremely important as it encourages innovation, fosters job creation, and improves global competitiveness. The event was chaired by Prof. Mohd. Miyan, Prof. Dhananjay Joshi, currently Dean, Education Department, GGSIPU, New Delhi and Dr. Mandira Gupta, Principal, IVS. The event started with warm welcome of all presenters and dignitaries and inspiring words of the guests. It was followed by paper presentation on highly demanding areas like: role of community participation to develop the concept of entrepreneurship in school education, competency-based entrepreneurship education, entrepreneurship education of Jan Shikshan Sansthans and empowerment of women, trainee teacher's views on entrepreneurship in teacher education programmes, importance of entrepreneurship education for students in higher secondary school, role of ethnic minorities in entrepreneurship and government initiatives in this regard etc.

Paper presentation was divided into two sessions and their reports were also separately prepared and presented in highly reflective manner. Conference was concluded by the reflections of the guests of the day and vote of thanks. Feedback cum attendance form was also shared with participants for generating e certificates to them. It was significantly beneficial and enriching programme which made everyone aware with the need of promoting entrepreneurship in present day competitive society. The conference rendered an opportunity to the entire participant to think and reflect on such an area in an innovative way. We wish to organize such sort of brainstorming and enriching conference in future.

