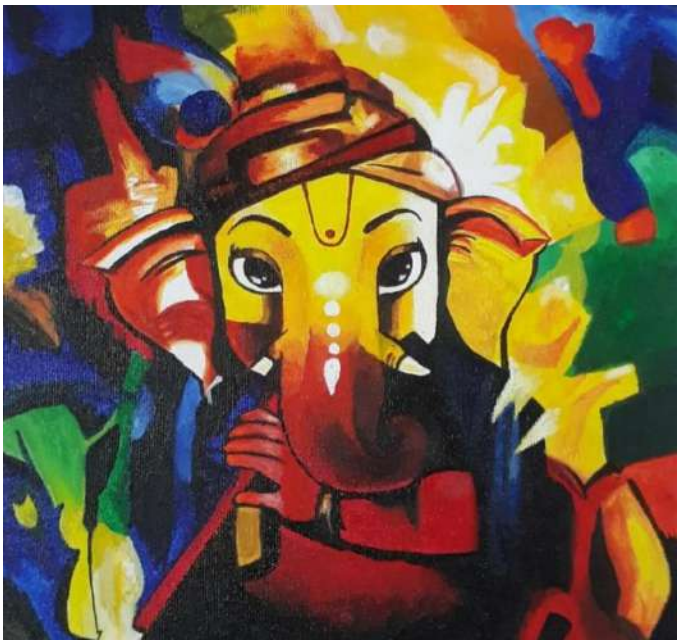
Kalakriti – The Creative Arts Society of DTU

Annual Report 2021-22

"Whoever said that words have more power than a sword, forgot the magic a paintbrush can create"

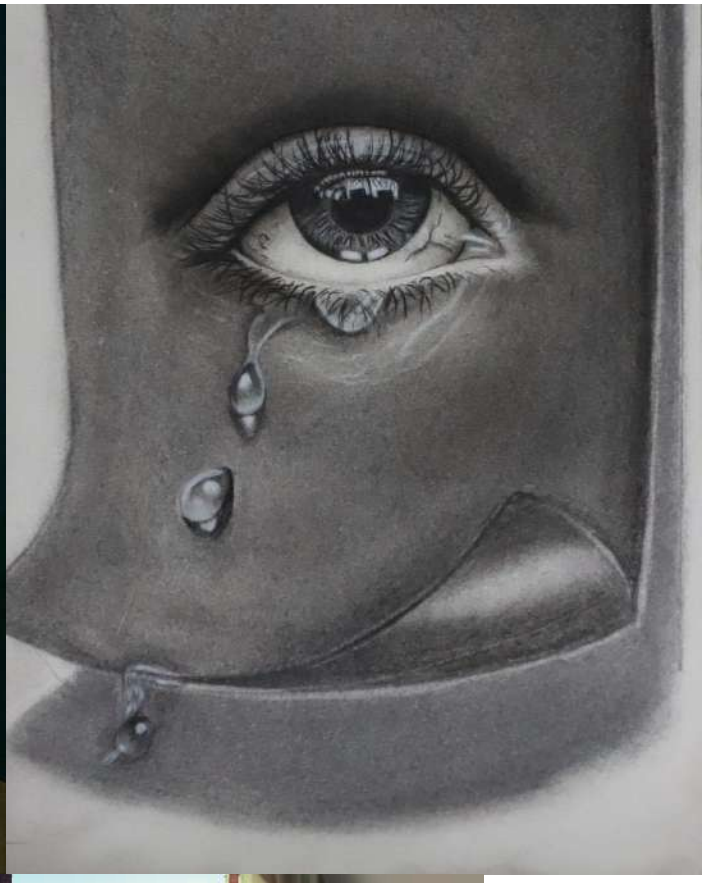
ABSTRACT

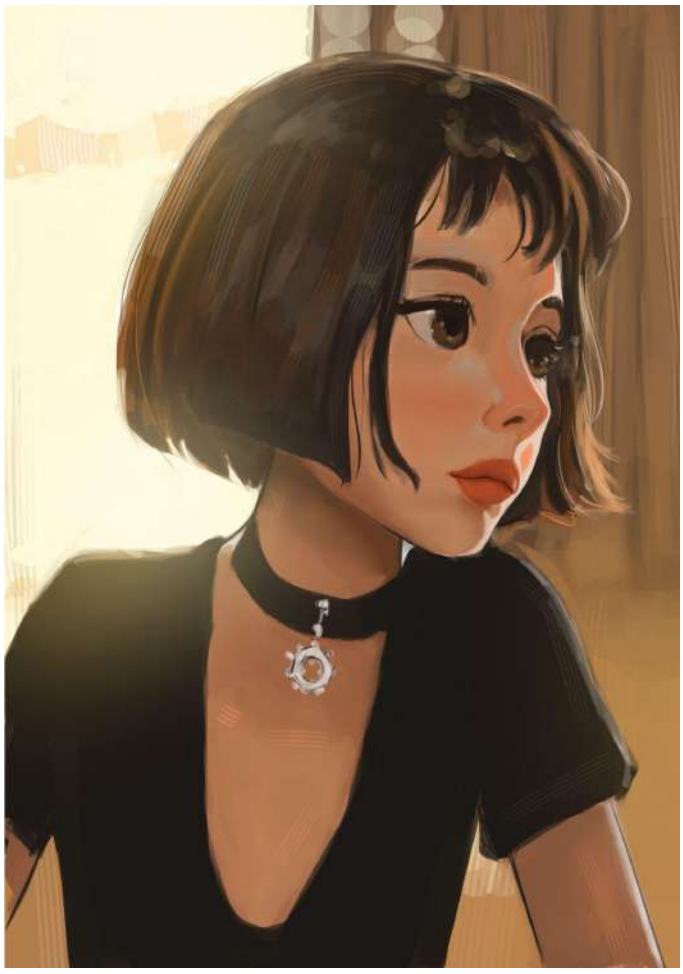
Kalakriti is a society that brings different arts from different backgrounds and puts them on a single canvas. We believe in spreading our knowledge and encouraging people of all ages to create different art forms, digital posters, or canvas paintings. Creativity, Joy, and Expression are words that are synonymous with Kalakriti, the Official Creative Arts Society of Delhi Technological University. This report enlists all the activities the society engaged in and all the competitions that the society organized.



INTRODUCTION

Kalakriti-The Creative Arts Society of **Delhi Technological University** provides a platform for a wide range of artists with different perspectives on art to unite their creativity- in short, it is a place where visual art encourages imagination and creative thinking. Our society provides a very relaxed and stress-free environment by providing opportunities to keep the members engaged with their passions.



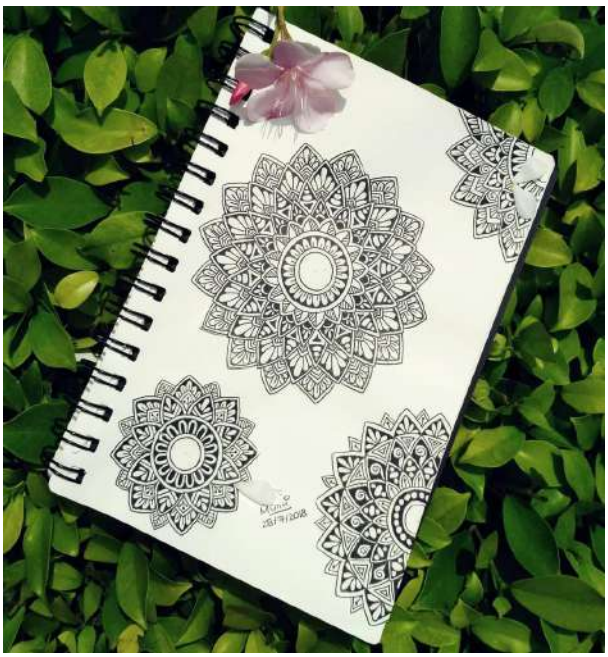


WEBINARS and WORKSHOPS

While the university was held in online mode due to the ongoing pandemic, our society conducted online webinars and workshops with the aim of promoting creative arts among students and enhance their skills.

1. Mandala Art Webinar

The society organized a webinar for Mandala Art on the 17th of July 2021, intending to promote creative arts among students. Mandala art has been known to reduce stress and is a way to meditate and art therapy. It was taken by Madhusuja S (@madhusuja.s), a talented artist specializing in mandalas.



2. Inversion Art Workshop (Nov ‘21)

This workshop covered all the basics of Inversion art, Color Combinations and complementary colors. The workshop was headed by two of the Society’s Art mentors, Rajit Tete and Manas Chawla.

3. **Video Editing Workshop** (Jan ‘22)

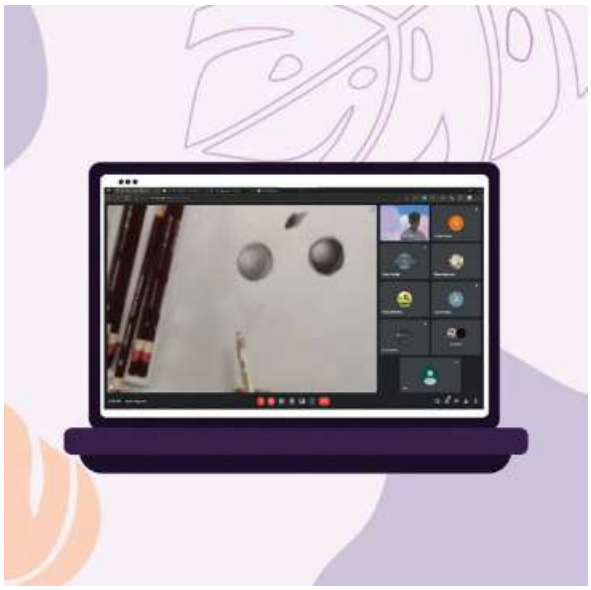
The workshop taken by Shubham Alahwat and Manas Chawla covered all the basics of Video editing, a new field recently introduced in society. The also made the attendees familiar with the basics of Adobe Premiere Pro, software for Video Editing.

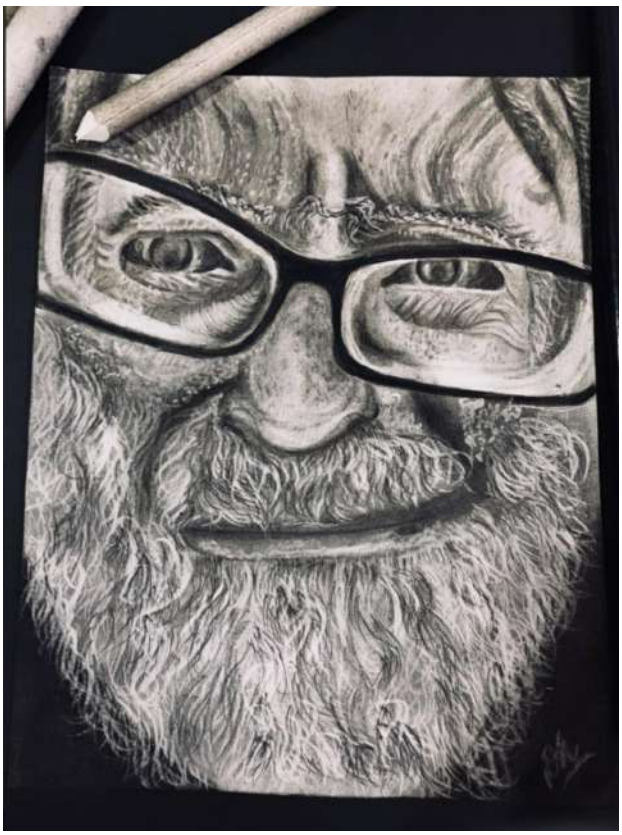
4. **Illustrator Workshop** (Jan ‘22)

This workshop was highly anticipated among the society members and was conducted on special demand. The workshop covered all the basics of Adobe Illustrator and helped teach art enthusiasts to create digital illustrations using the software. This Workshop was taken by Mehak Singhal(council member.)

5. Graphite and Charcoal Sketching Workshop (Jan '22)

This Workshop was taken by the Art Mentor of the society, Rajit Tete. His expertise in sketching and pencil coloring was befitting for this workshop. The workshop was full of knowledge related to Graphite and charcoal sketching.





COMPETITIONS

1. TRICK O REEL COMPETITION

Kalakriti, in collaboration with **Linc pens** and **Color Canvas,** introduced a first-of-its-kind competition based on a Halloween theme. The competition was **open to all**, without age restriction, and was a huge success as it received a tone of entries and popularity among the students of DTU as well as other reputed colleges within Delhi.

2. RIWAAYAT

On 6 April 2022, the Society conducted an inter-college Art Exhibition, in association with **STAEDTLER**, **Career Launcher,** and **NAMO FIBERS**, in which 20 art societies from colleges from the DU circuit and Universities across the Delhi NCR participated. The societies got the opportunity to showcase their artworks and creativity to the art enthusiasts out there. Being one of the biggest creative and fine arts societies in the north, Kalakriti has been able to hold the exhibition in front of a huge audience successfully.

The Winner of the Exhibition were, 1. Adwitya(Miranda House), 2. Team Sanjhi(DCRUST) and 3. Cridor(College of Vocational Studies.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Name	Branch	College/University	Prize	Month
Krish Saini	SE	SGTB Khalsa College	I	Jun ‘21
Kalakriti DTU	-	SGTB Khalsa College	I	Jun ‘21
Mehak Singhal	B. Des	ARSD College	I	Oct ‘21
Sankalp Ghalaut	CE	GGSIP College of Commerce	I	Nov ‘21
Vaishnavi	IT	Shaheed Rajguru College of Applied Sciences for Women	III	Jan ‘22
Sanya Khurana	COE	JC Bose University of Science and Technology, YMCA	II	Jan ‘22
Kalakriti DTU	-	Shivaji College	I	Mar ‘22
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Kalakriti DTU	-	FMS Delhi	I	Mar ‘22
Kalakriti DTU	-	Shaheed Rajguru College for Women	I	Mar ‘22
Vatsal Agarwal	ME	NIT Rourkela	III	Apr ‘22
Utkarsh Acharya		IITD	I	May ‘22

COUNCIL 2022-23

NAME	POSITION
Manshu Lakesh	President
Girish Barwal	Vice-President
Parth Garg	Vice-President
Rajit Tete	Art Secretary
Aryan V. Srivastava	Secretary
Manas Chawla	Treasurer
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