

**The activities/short report undertaken at IIT Bombay** under Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat programme in the month of January 2020 is as follows:

**January 11, 2020**

11th January, annual Lit quiz was conducted for college students, the same was conducted in LH102 (Academic area). Various quizzes were set by some renowned quiz masters and a couple were set by institute club seniors for the general public. 1 quiz was centric to Assam and Jharkhand (to cater to the EBSB initiative). Cash prizes were awarded to the winners

**January 12, 2020:**

12th January, open mic (standup- comedy) event for college students, the same was held in LT-PCSA. The event witnessed 10 acts, 4 of which focusses upon EBSB initiative and were upon healthy regional comedy, talking about some issues in a satirical figure of speech. The event was graced by some major standup comedy professional and also by faculty and staff here at IIT Bombay

**January 19, 2020:**

19th January, 2020. 48 hour music video GC was conducted. This was an inter hostel competition and the screening of the movies took place in LT-PCSA. The event takes into account shots across IIT Bombay, there is an entire team consisting of editors, actors, script writers etc. The movie is then shot, and rendered for the final output, which is showcased to the mass audience

**January 20, 2020:**

Debate competition, 20th January, 2020. This was a fresher vs senior debate competition. Forms were floated at an institute level, everyone was allowed to participate for the same, and later pools/groups of 3 were formed, who further debated with each other, on states, culture related to each of the states and some other grave issues. Final 3 teams were awarded with cash prizes

**January 22, 2020:**

Cult cafe, musical performance and shayari/poetry at Gulmohar restaurant by college students featuring performances in regional languages

**January 29, 2020:**

Howstopper, 29th January, Institute's first ever fashion flagship event, Convocation Hall. This event incorporated special thematic performance on the theme "traditional" which showcased different attires from different states. The event witnessed the participation of over 80+ students, which is the highest number for any regional event (recorded based on past year's data)

**January 31, 2020:**

Acoustic dusk, 31st January, 2020 in NCC Grounds. The event was an open for all musical night, the same witnessed over 28 performances.

Regards,

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