

The Economics department of Kamala Nehru College is held in high regard in the sphere of academics. The prime motto of the University is to achieve excellence in teaching and to disseminate knowledge among the bright young minds of the country; the Economics Department at KNC serves as the perfect paradigm with its accomplished faculty and a vibrant spectrum of interactive activities and lectures.

The department has a monthly-lecture series: PluralEco. The PluralEco lecture series keeps the students abreast with the current national and international phenomena in addition to providing them with an insight into the economic aspect behind these phenomena by inviting eminent Professors and pioneers in their respective fields for each session. These lectures are an ideal platform for the students to discuss and exchange ideas with the notable guests such as Dr. Reetika Khera, IIT Delhi, who delivered a talk on: 'Doles, Freebies, Handouts; Populism? A Right(s) Perspective' and Prabir Purkayastha, the founder of Newsclick, who gave a talk on: 'Internet and Surveillance Capitalism'; this adds a valuable dimension to the study of economics.

The annual Economics Festival, "Ecophoria", provides the students with yet another platform to further explore the subject through events like paper-presentation, quiz, and debating competition. The opening talk of Ecophoria 2014 was given by renowned economist Prof. Subhasis Gangopadhyay, the Research Director of India Development Foundation, drawing participation from over 50 colleges from the Delhi-NCR region. The festival saw participation from about 30 colleges of Delhi University and other universities.

The department also conducts the Annual Fresher's Debate for the first-year students, at the start of the academic year, to welcome them. The AD Shroff elocution contest is also held within the department to provide for a platform to discuss and debate contemporary issues.