



Report on “Nrityanjali” under Blitzschlag 2026

Date: 8th February 2026

Venue: Vikram Sarabhai Hall VLTC, MNIT Jaipur

Organizing Body: Classical Music and Dance Club (CMD), MNIT Jaipur

Number of Participants: 6

The Classical Music and Dance Club (CMD) of MNIT Jaipur successfully organized *Nrityanjali*, a classical dance competition, as part of the cultural fest Blitzschlag 2026. The event aimed to celebrate the grace, expression, and discipline of Indian classical dance forms while providing a platform for students to showcase their talent. The performances reflected dedication, artistic excellence, and deep cultural roots, contributing significantly to the cultural vibrancy of the fest.

Objectives

- To promote Indian classical dance forms among students.
- To provide a competitive and expressive platform for aspiring dancers.
- To encourage confidence, stage presence, and artistic discipline.
- To spread awareness and appreciation of India’s rich dance heritage.

Event Details

The Event was conducted under the General Secretary **Riya Kumawat** - 3rd Year, Electronics department together with the Executives from 2nd year and the members of the Classical Music and Dance club. *Nrityanjali* witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across various departments of the institute and also from other institutes including Rajasthan University, JECRC, Kanoria College and LNMIIT. Participants presented

classical dance performances based on traditional styles, accompanied by appropriate music and expressions. Each performance was evaluated on the basis of abhinaya, rhythm, coordination, grace, and overall presentation. The event was conducted smoothly, maintaining fairness and discipline throughout the competition.

Competition Round

The competition consisted of a single round including all registered participants. Each dancer was allotted a fixed time to perform a classical dance piece. The judges carefully assessed the performances based on technical accuracy, expressions, synchronization with music, and stage presence.

Based on the judges' evaluation, winners were selected for the top positions.

The event was efficiently managed by CMD volunteers, who handled participant coordination, stage arrangements, music management, and ensured smooth transitions between performances.

Judges

Dr. Preeti Gulia - Assistant Professor in Mechanical Department

Faculty Advisors

Dr. Prerna Jain - Associate Professor in Electrical Engineering Department

Dr. Reena Kumari - Assistant Professor in Electronics and Communication Department

Volunteer and Student Engagement

The CMD volunteers played a crucial role in the successful execution of Nrityanjali. From managing registrations and assisting participants to coordinating stage movements and music playback, the volunteers demonstrated excellent teamwork and responsibility. The audience remained attentive and appreciative, creating an encouraging and respectful atmosphere for the dancers.

Outcomes

- Provided a platform for students to exhibit classical dance talent.
- Encouraged cultural expression and appreciation of classical art forms.

- Increased student participation and engagement during Blitzschlag 2026.
- Strengthened CMD's contribution to promoting performing arts on campus.

Conclusion

Nrityanjali, organized by the Classical Music and Dance Club during Blitzschlag 2026, emerged as a graceful and culturally enriching event. The competition highlighted the elegance, discipline, and expressive depth of Indian classical dance forms. The dedicated efforts of CMD volunteers, along with the captivating performances by the participants, made the event memorable and impactful.



