

The Department of Political Science, Maharaja Agrasen College, University of Delhi is currently working on **an ICSSR sponsored Research Programme titled An analytical Study of Debates on Jammu and Kashmir in Indian Parliament and Legislative Assembly of Jammu and Kashmir**. The study endeavours to bring to light the issues related to J&K and how those issues have been looked at and approached differently at different times by different statesmen in the debates in the Indian parliament and the legislative assembly of J&K. The study would look at various issues like Article 370 and 35A, the fundamental rights, citizenship issue etc. through the prism of debates and would try to analyze the trajectories in the overall shaping of the debates and the resultant development.

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