

NEHA KUMARI

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Cultural Intelligence**

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OBJECTIVE

To contribute to globally relevant climate resilience strategies by integrating ancient sustainability systems, political insight, and ecological ethics—bridging tradition with innovation through immersive research and cross-cultural collaboration.

EDUCATION

Humanities (UG), Political Science

University of Lucknow – Navyug Kanya Mahavidyalaya

2022 – 2025 | Top 3% of Class

RESEARCH & PROJECT WORKS

1) [Global Environment: An Interdisciplinary Lens](#)

Minor Project | March 2025

- Explored environmental change through historical, observational, and biological perspectives
- Studied international treaties (Paris Agreement, IPCC reports), climate diplomacy, and structural imbalances

2) [Environment and Our Responsibility](#)

- Analyzed humanity's moral and civilizational debt to nature
- Argued for a 'comfort-zone surrender' to enable a deep sustainability shift

3) Viksit Bharat through Indian Knowledge Tradition

Submitted to GyanMahakumbh 2025 Contest | Awarded by UP Hindi Institute

- Proposed revival of Gurukul-based ecological education, Ayurveda, and Vrikshayurveda
- Linked Indian philosophical thought with SDG-aligned development policies.

4) The Non-Aligned Movement & Third World Order

College Term Paper | Semester 5 [November 2024]

- Traced NAM's legacy and its potential for creating equitable climate negotiations
- Suggested diplomatic frameworks for small and developing nations

RESEARCH INTERESTS

1. Indigenous Knowledge Systems & Climate Resilience
2. Environmental Political Theory
3. Global South-North Dialogue in Climate Action
4. Arctic Geopolitics and Sustainability Ethics
5. Cultural Decolonization in Environmental Education

AWARDS & RECOGNITION

- 🏆 Non Aligned Movement Research Work - Featured in College Yearly
- 🏆 GyanMahakumbh Essay Finalist - UP Hindi Institute [2025]
- 🏆 Top Minor Research Project - Political Science Department Recognition

SKILLS & STRENGTHS

- Interdisciplinary Synthesis & Systems Thinking
- Academic Writing & Policy Analysis
- Qualitative Research (Thematic, Textual, Discourse)
- Strong Public Speaking, Essay Crafting & Cross-Cultural Communication

LANGUAGES

- English - Fluent
- French - Beginner