

Musical eve takes guests on a soulful journey at GIS

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Kathak & Sufi Performances Make All Sway

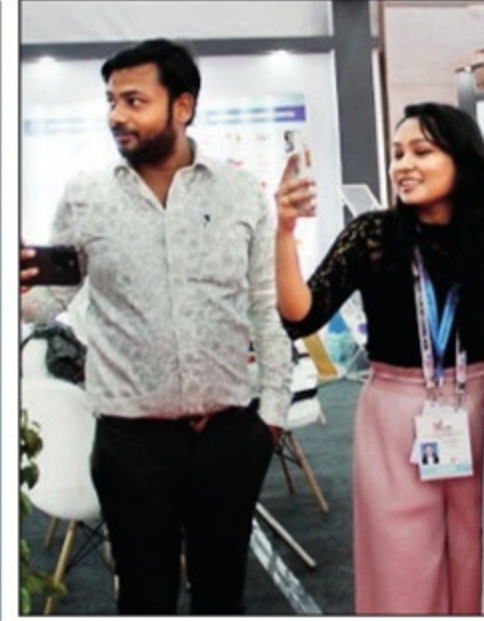
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Lucknow: The musical performances on Saturday evening at the Global Investors Summit rejuvenated the guests at the venue

The evening began with swirling kathak dancers led by city based performers Shweta Verma, Shruti Sharma and Arti Shukla who paid tribute to Lord Shiva and later depicted Brij ki Holi.

It was followed by a Rai dance performance by a group led by Radha Prajapati. The traditional Bundelkhandi court song 'Orccha Biraje Raja Ram' was performed by dancers dressed in bright coloured lehengas and kurtas. It was followed by a dance drama 'Raghuveera' by a group led by Nidhi Srivastava. The story of Lord Ram was beautifully depicted by the dancers in semi-classical and kathak form. As soon as the performance ended the chants of 'Siyapati Ram-chandra ki jai' echoed in the atmosphere. The shaam-e-awadh continued with a classical music performance 'Rag Maghuvanti' by Rashmi.

The event ended with a Sufi performance by Jaipur's Raagdhani band. It began with 'Vande Mataram' followed by 'Tumhe dillagi bhool jani padegi', 'Chaap tilak', 'Damadam mast kalandar' and 'Mera piya ghar aaya'.



BIGGER AND BETTER: Cultural evening along with installations and full-packed venue kept the crowd growing on day two of Global Investors Summit on Saturday