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Expert Talk on "Sustainable Development Goals and Gender Responsive Governance"

A talk on "Sustainable Development Goals and Gender Responsive Governance" was organized on 25th August, 2018 in the college auditorium from 12.20 pm to 2.30 pm. Dr Prabhakar Reddy, Consultant, United Nations Women MCO New Delhi, was the resource person for the expert talk. About 300 students and faculty members of the college attended the Talk. Making his presentation, Dr. Reddy emphasized that Gender Equality is the main agenda of the United Nations, and steps towards women education and employment will enhance their financial independence and empowerment. Such measures are necessary to bring policy changes and now women should play a greater role in policy making. He stressed that Anti-poverty programs should target poor women. The emphasis should not only be to increase gross enrolment ratio in higher education, but quality education should also be provided. The mind-set of preference for male child can be changed by creating awareness among the masses and stricter punishment against female feticide should be enforced. Further Dr.Reddy stated that for gainful employment students should equip with new skills. About 250 students and 50 faculty members of the college attended the talk. Post Graduate students and honors in economics raised their quarries to seek valuable information from the expert. The audience in general and faculty members of Economics appreciated the speaker for disseminating pertinent and useful information. Prof. Anita Kaushal, Principal of the college, and Mrs. Gurpreet Kaur, Head of the Department of Economics graced the event.

National seminar on Informal Employment in India: Issues and Challenges

ICSSR New Delhi, sanctioned an amount of Rs 1,25,000 to organize national seminar on the topic Informal Employment in India: Issues and Challenges. It was organized on **28**th **March**, **2019**. About 336 delegates were registered to attend the seminar. Among them 250 are students. About 35 posters and 60 research papers were presented on different sub themes during the two parallel sessions. Chief Guest Shri. B.L.Sharma and the keynote speaker Prof Amitabh Kundu.Prof (Dr) Anita Kaushal the principal of the college and patron of the seminar. Panelists Prof B.K. Pattnaik, Prof Rajendra P.Mamgain, Prof Satya Prasad Padhi, Dr R. Balasubramaniyan and Dr. Anil Kumar Yadav.



Delegates and resource persons



Resource persons