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Extension Lecture on Sapir-Whorf hypothesis

An extension lecture on Sapir-Whorf hypothesis was organized for the PG students of the department in the Functional English lab on **20th September, 2017**. Prof. (Dr.) Pushpinder Syal from the Department of English and Cultural Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh was the resource person. 46 students attended the lecture.

Interactive session- Chandigarh Literary Festival

Chandigarh Literary Festival: An interactive session was conducted by the Adab Foundation on **2nd November, 2017**. It was to apprise the students about participation and volunteering in the Chandigarh Literary Festival 2017. The faculty members Ms. Gurdamanjit Sandhu and Dr. Maninder Sidhu accompanied a team of 9 students to the festival on 11th November, 2017.

A Workshop on ‘TV and Video Production’

A Workshop on ‘TV and Video Production’ was organized for the students of Functional English in the Functional English Lab, P.G.G.C.G.-11, Chandigarh on **8th February, 2018**. The resource person for the workshop was Dr. Jeesu Jaskanwar Singh, Assistant Professor, University School of Open Learning, Panjab University, Chandigarh, 25 students of BA II Functional English participated in it and learnt the technical aspects of electronic media.

One-Day RUSA sponsored Capacity Building Workshop

One-day RUSA sponsored Capacity Building Workshop was organized on “Contemporary Trends in Research, Theory after Theory: Mapping the New, Re-Charting the Old” in the context of being granted a Research Centre in English by Panjab University in the Seminar Room, P.G.G.C.G.-11, Chandigarh on **20th February, 2018**. The esteemed speakers Prof. (Dr.) Akshay Kumar, Department of English and Cultural Studies, PU; Prof. (Dr.) Saugato Bhaduri, JNU; Prof. (Dr.) Simmons Malhotra, Jamia Milia Islamia and Prof. (Dr.) Angus Sehgal Gupta from Delhi University stressed on the importance of negotiation between different standpoints of literature and theory. The number of faculty and students who attended is about 110.