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Hum Hain- Society for Gender Equality and Non-Discrimination (Session: 2021-2022)

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Aims

1. To provide a platform to the students where they can voice their opinions without the fear of being judged.
2. To organize various programmes, seminars, workshops etc. around the theme of gender equality and non-discrimination.
3. To create an environment where students gain confidence in their abilities.
4. To empower the students and prepare them for discriminatory situations.
5. To sensitize them regarding the rights of others.

Objectives

1. To be perceptive to various kinds of discrimination that plague our society.
2. To teach them the various tools of resistance without resorting to violence/ abuse.
3. To make the students more humane, kind and empathetic.
4. To make them aware of the legal aspects of domestic/ gender-based violence.
5. To encourage a free-flowing exchange of ideas for a holistic development of the society members.

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Poetry Writing Competition

An intra-college poetry writing competition on Gender Equality-Priye Poetry was organized in the hybrid mode on **9th November, 2021**. A total of 25 students participated in the event.

Webinar on Gender Equality

A Webinar organized was jointly organized by Hum Hain Society (Society for Gender Equality and non-discrimination) and the NSS Unit of Post Graduate Government College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh on **22nd January, 2022** on the topic ‘Gender Equality and Women Empowerment’ as a part of the week-long programme in celebration of the National Girl Child Day (observed on 24th January, every year) under the ‘BetiPadhaoBetiBachao’ initiative. Dr. Gibu Sabu M, Assistant Professor, Amity Institute of English Studies and Research, Amity University Noida, an erudite scholar in the field of Linguistics and Gender Studies was the resource person. Approximately 100 students attended the online event.



The poster is for a webinar titled "Gender Equality and Women Empowerment" held on 22 January 2022 at 4:00 PM via Google Meet. It is organized by the National Service Scheme and Hum Hain Society for Gender Equality and Non-Discrimination at the Post Graduate Government College for Girls, Sector-11, Chandigarh. The resource person is Dr. Gibu Sabu M, Assistant Professor at Amity Institute of English Studies and Research, Amity University Noida. The Principal, Prof. Dr. Anita Kaushal, is also featured. Coordinators include Dr. Dipankar Saha, Ms. Kanchanpreet Kaur, and Dr. Sushil Sharma.

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E- Poster

Open Mic event on Gender Equality

An open mic event was held in the college in collaboration with Girl Up Zahanat (affiliated to the United Nations Organization) on **8th April, 2022**. Students recited poetry and shared anecdotes pertaining to gender discrimination. 25-30 students participated in the event which had an enthusiastic audience of 200 girls cheering them on.



Students participating in Girl Up Zahanat Open Mic Event

Workshop on Personality Development

A personality development and public speaking workshop was organised for the members of the society on **8th April, 2022**. Mr. Kavish a national level debater was the resource person for the event. A total of 20 students attended the workshop.



Mr. Kavish interacting with the students of the society

Joy of Giving-Annual Charity Fair

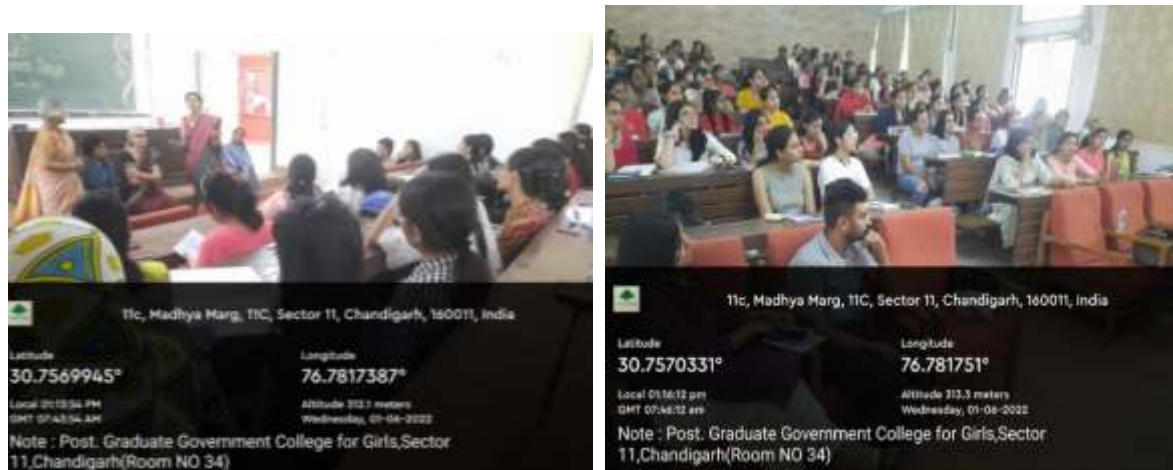
The annual charity fund raiser for the underprivileged Joy of Giving was organized on the campus on **13th May, 2022**. Students put up stalls of games, food and drinks. The proceeds of the fest are utilized to help students from economically weaker sections of society. More than 150 students were part of the charity event.



Joy of Giving – Annual Charity Fest

One Billion Rising

The One Billion Rising event – a global campaign to end gender-based violence – was organized in the form of a travelling film festival. Students were shown 4 short films of 8-10 minutes duration. The screenings were followed by an animated discussion. Four gender trainers and former faculty members – Dr. Iqbal Judge, Dr. Jyoti Seth, Dr. Rewa Rishi and Ms Neeraj Aggarwal-were the resource persons for the event. The event was organized on **1st June, 2022** and was attended by 55-60 students.



Students participating in One Billion Rising

Outcome

As the campus buzzed back to life, the students were very enthusiastic about organising various activities. There was a poetry writing competition in November, a webinar on Gender Equality and a national level online symposium of International Women's Day. Students organized an Open Mic event – Girl Up Zahanat in collaboration with the United Nations Organisation. The students (participants and the audience) were very excited to be part of such an event. They shared their experiences and voiced their opinions regarding gender-based discrimination. The students benefitted immensely as Mr. Kavish Mittal gave the students some tips on public speaking. The annual charity fest Joy of Giving was back with a bang and the students learnt how to manage their stalls and make money for a good cause. The OBR was hugely successful as the students shared their stories of gender-based discrimination with the resource persons.