

**CH.S.D.ST.THERESA'S
AUTONOMOUS
COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
ELUR, ANDHRA PRADESH**

**CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES
ANNUAL REPORT
2018-2019**



**CH.S.D.ST.THERESA'S AUTONOMOUS
COLLEGE FOR WOMEN, ELURU**

U.G.C. SPONSORED CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES

REPORT ON ACTIVITIES

2018-2019

UGC (University Grants Commission) sponsored, Centre for Women's Studies (CWS) during the academic year 2009-2010. Commissionerate of Collegiate Education (CCE) made it mandatory in 2012 to establish Women Empowerment Cell (WEC) in all the Aided and Government colleges to empower women students through activities organized by the Centre for Women's Studies (CWS). In our college, during this academic year Centre for women's studies (CWS) resumed its activities in the month of June 2018 under the dynamic leadership and guidance of the Principal **Dr.Sr.P.Mercy**.

In order to conduct the activities in a systematic way two committees have been formulated to work in cohesion namely **Advisory Committee & Action Committee**.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

- **Dr.Sr.P.Mercy-Principal-----Chair Person**
- **Rev.Sr.Graziana-In-charge of Community College-----Chief Advisor**
- **Sr.P.Sunila Rani-Controller of Examinations----- Advisor**
- **Mrs.Saritha Lunani-Past President, Ass'n of Inner Wheel Clubs in India---
Member**
- **Mrs.Y.Nirmala Devi- Advocate, Eluru -----Member**
- **Mrs.D.Brahmeswari-HOD of Social Sciences-----Member**
- **Mrs.Ume Salma-HOD of Hindi-----Member**

- **Dr.A.UttamaDurgaDevi-HOD, MBA-----Special Invitee**
- **Dr.K.V.Padmavathi-HOD,Home Science-----Director/Coordinator**
- **Mrs.A.Padmavathi-Faculty of Applied Sciences----- Secretary**

ACTION COMMITTEE:

Action Committee was formed to carry out the schedule of activities fruitfully throughout the academic year. The members of the committee for the academic year 2018-2019 are as follows.

- ❖ **Dr.K.V.Padmavathi-HOD,Home Science-----Director/Coordinator**
- ❖ **Mrs.A.Padmavathi-Faculty of Applied Sciences----- Secretary**
- 1. **Ms.G.Vijaya Ratna Kumari- Faculty of Social Sciences-----Member**
- 2. **Mrs.K.Chukkamma- Faculty of Physical sciences-----Member**
- 3. **Ms.R.Ripsee -Faculty of Applied Sciences-----Member**
- 4. **Ms.S.Surekha - Faculty of Social Sciences-----Member**

The General Objectives of the centre are

- ✓ To sensitize students on various aspects of women empowerment and to enable them to take leadership roles in all sectors.
- ✓ To help the youngsters - students, faculty and under privileged women of the society to realize their potential, to strengthen their participation in all the entrepreneurial activities and to help them to establish an entrepreneurial organisation.

The Specific Objectives of the Women Empowerment Cell framed to focus upon the activities are

- ✚ To give an exposure to the students about the status of women from prehistoric times till date through guest lectures

- ✚ To help students to understand the different aspects of empowerment by having an interaction with the empowered women from the different sectors of society
- ✚ To bring awareness about the different atrocities that the women are subjected to, in their day to day life through talks and by having an exposure to the publications
- ✚ To help students to develop their personality and gain self confidence by attending Personality Development & Job Oriented courses
- ✚ To provide an exposure to the students about the women role models (both women achievers and service oriented women) and to honour them on International Women's Day Celebration
- ✚ To give an exposure to the students about the various entrepreneurial units through the field visits, to develop confidence to take up entrepreneurial activities
- ✚ To develop competitive spirit among students and to understand in depth about the women's issues (atrocities and achievements) through role plays and by participating in various competitions conducted by CWS
- ✚ To impart entrepreneurial skills in order to help them to help themselves for economic empowerment through guest demonstrations.
- ✚ To empower the underprivileged women of the rural areas/urban slums by giving a series of exposures to the skill development activities through workshops in various aspects of entrepreneurial activities
- ✚ To undertake research project in collaboration with women welfare department
- ✚ To conduct seminar/workshop/training programme for the students in order to empower them in all possible aspects

ACTIVITIES PLANNED

1. Arranging **Guest Lectures** On Various Women's Issues
2. Organizing **Guest Demonstrations** To Develop Entrepreneurial Skills
3. Providing Platform For Students Self Expression Through **Dramatizations & Role Plays** On Women's Issues-Atrocities And Achievements
4. Offering Of **Personality Development/ Job Oriented Certificate Courses** For The Students And Young Faculty And Conducting Research Project
5. Women's **Equity Day Celebrations**
6. **Field Trips** To Show The Entrepreneurial Units
7. Conducting **Competitions** To Bring Out The Hidden Talents
8. Organizing **Workshops** For Students And Under Privileged Women
9. Identifying And **Honouring Women Role Models** On Women's Day Celebrations.

An Orientation programme was organized by the committee member Ms.G.Vijaya Ratna Kumari, to the entire student body of the college to make students aware about the activities of Centre for women's studies and also to induct student volunteers to **Women Empowerment Cell (WEC)**.

ORIENTATION PROGRAMME BY MS.VIJAYA RATNA KUMARI,

MEMBER OF WEC ON 3rd JULY 2018

MEETING OF THE ACTION COMMITTEE:

In a formal meeting convened by the coordinator for all the committee members on **12th June 2018**, an activities schedule was launched out based on the objectives to further proceed with a clear cut vision.



MEETING OF THE ACTION COMMITTEE

During the meeting held on **12th June 2018**, members of the **ACTION COMMITTEE** of WEC, discussed at a stretch the yearlong activities to be conducted during the academic year **2018-2019**

CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES

ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-2019

EVENTS PLANNED AT A GLANCE

S.NO	EVENT	DATE
1.	Committee Members Meeting	12-6-2018
2.	Orientation Programme	03-7-2018
3.	Enrolment& Elections	10-7-2018
4.	Talent Hunt & Orientation About The Yearlong Activities	17-7-2018
5.	Women Empowerment Cell Inaugural Function-Practice	24-7-2018
6.	Women Empowerment Cell Inaugural Function	31-7-2018
7.	Visit to select village/urban slum by the committee members and students of all eight groups	07-8-2018
8.	Interactive Session Of The Advisory Committee With The Action Committee	
9.	Guest Lecture (1)On The Topic Historical Perspective Of Women-Women Over Ages	14-8- 2018
10.	Baseline Survey In The Selected Village(1) By All The Groups	21-8- 2018
11.	Practice For Women's Equity Day Celebrations-1	22-8- 2018
12.	Practice For Women's Equity Day Celebrations-2	22-8- 2018
13.	Organizing Women's Equity Day	26-8- 2018
14.	Guest Lecture (2)On The Topic Social Problems Of Women In The Present Day Society	29-9- 2018
15.	Guest Lecture (3) Domestic Violence	12-9- 2018
16.	Visit to the selected village(2) and Role play on social problems by Groups I&II, III&IV	16-9- 2018
17.	Guest Lecture (4)Legal rights of women	19-9- 2018
18.	Visit to the selected village(3) and Role play on domestic violence by Groups V&VI, VII&VIII	23-9- 2018
19.	COMPETITIONS – Elocution	26-9-2018
20.	Guest Demonstration(1) on Entrepreneurial skills	4-11- 2018
21.	Guest Demonstration(2) on Meditation, Yoga Mudras	7-11- 2018
22.	Guest Demonstration(3)) on Entrepreneurial skills	11-11- 2018
23.	Guest Demonstration(4)) on Suryanamaskarams	14-11- 2018
24.	COMPETITIONS –Role play	18-11- 2018
25.	Sharing of students on women achievements with the help of articles collected	5-12-2018
26.	Field Trip	9-12-2018
27.	Collection of articles on achievements of women and preparing an album &submission	16-12-2018
28.	Personality Development/ Job Oriented Certificate Courses For The Under Graduates	Throughout the year
29.	Workshop for the students and Self Help Groups-I	Jan' 2019
30.	Workshop for the students and Self Help Groups-II	Feb' 2019
31.	WOMEN EMPOWERMENT CELL VALEDICTORY- Winners of the various competitions will be given prizes during the function and the eligible candidates will be given course certificates.	Feb' 2019
32.	Women's Day Celebrations-Honouring the Women Role Models (Achievers & Service Oriented)	08-03-2019

ENROLMENT OF STUDENTS TO THE WOMEN EMPOWERMENT CELL:

This was followed by enrolling the students into the women empowerment cell. Total numbers of students enrolled were divided into eight groups. Each group was motivated to choose the name of a prominent woman leader like **Mother Theresa, Durgabai Deshmukh, Kalpana Chawla, Helen Keller, Latha Mangeshkar, Marie Curie, Indra Nooyi, Saina Nehwal** to get inspiration by the students and to be more active while discharging their responsibilities.

ELECTIONS:

Elections were conducted on **1st July 2018** in order to select the first and second leaders for various groups, secretary and President for the cell. A bird's eye view of the division of groups, name of the group, staff in charge of the group and group leaders is given below.

NAME OF THE GROUP	STAFF INCHARGE OF THE GROUP	GROUP LEADERS	CLASS
Mother Theresa	Ms.Surekha	I. MS.M.BHAVANI II.MS.K.KIRANMAI	II B.Sc MPC II B.Sc MPC
Helen Keller	Ms.Surekha	I. MS.V.ANNAPURNESWARI II.MS.K.TEJESWARI	II B.Sc MPC II B.Sc MPC
Latha Mangeshkar	Mrs.K.Chukkamma	I. MS.A.RAJESHWARI II.MS.N.P.SUREKHA	II B.Sc BZC II B.Sc MSCComp'
OIndra Nooyi	Mrs.K.Chukkamma	I. MS.P.DIVYA THERESA II.MS.N.VIJAYA DURGA	II B.Sc BZC II B.Sc BZC
Saina Nehwal	Mrs.G.Vijaya Ratna Kumari	I. MS.P.MANISHA II.MS.M.GEETHIKA	II B.Com, Comp' II B.Com, Comp'
Marie Curie	Mrs.G.Vijaya Ratna Kumari	I. MS.M.SRIDEVI II.MS.MANUSHA	II B.Com, Gen' II B.Com, Gen'
Durgabai Deshmukh	MS.R.Ripsee	I. MS.V.ROSEMARY II.MD.FATHIMA	II B.Sc BZC II B.Sc BZC
Kalpana Chawla	MS.R.Ripsee	I. MS.NRD.VINEELA II.MS.CH.TEJA DEEPIKA	II B.Sc MBC II B.Sc MBC

PRESIDENT: Ms.M.Sai Gowri Shivani, II MBN
SECRETARY: Ms. P.Teja, II ZNC
STUDENT STRENGTH OF EACH GROUP: 20 to 25

GRAND TOTAL: **200 students of UG courses**

INAUGURATION OF WOMEN EMPOWERMENT CELL

INAUGURAL cum GENDER EQUITY DAY CELEBRATIONS of WEC were Conducted on 1st September 2018. Mrs.R.Kanaka Maha Lakshmi, Member of Lok Adalat, Family Counselling Centre of West Godavari Dt. was the chief guest for the function. Sr. Sunila Rani.P, Controller of Examinations and the Advisor of the Women Empowerment Cell, STC, was the Guest of Honour. Sr.Graziana, Chief Advisor of the WEC participated in the proceedings, witnessed the event and extended blessings to all the members of WEC. Chief guest, Mrs.R.Kanaka Maha Lakshmi, focussed in her speech on the importance about the awareness of various Laws which are helpful for women to lead life with confidence. Guest of Honour, Sr.Sunila Rani, expressed that empowering oneself is equal to achievement of Gender Equality. Programme commenced with the procession lead by president and secretary of the cell. It was a ceremonial occasion where in the student leaders- President, Secretary, I and II leaders of all groups officially assumed responsibility for the smooth conduct of the regular sessions and also for the various events organized by the CWS during the academic year 2018 to 2019. After assuming responsibility student leaders presented a motivating note about the popular women leaders to motivate students about empowered women. Programme came to an end with the National Anthem sung by all the participants.

**GLIMPSES OF THE WOMEN EMPOPWERMENT CELL INAUGURAL
FUNCTION**



SECRETARY OF WEC **Mrs.A. PADMAVATHI** COMMENCING THE PROGRAMME



DIGNITORIES ON THE DAIS (FROM LEFT TO RIGHT)
GUEST OF HONOUR **SR.SUNEELA RANI** CONTROLLER OF EXAMINATIONS,
STC, CHIEF GUEST **MRS.R.KANAKA MAHA LAKSHMI**, MEMBER OF LOK
ADALAT, ADVISOR OF WEC **SR.GRAZIANA** INCHARGE OF COMMUNITY
COLLEGE STC, COORDINATOR OF WEC,**DR.K.V.PADMAVATHI**, HOD OF
HOMESCIENCE, STC



PROCESSION LED BY PRESIDENT, SECRETARY OF WEC, FOLLOWED BY GROUP LEADERS



FLORAL WELCOME TO THE GUESTS BY THE GROUP LEADERS



LIGHTING OF THE LAMP BY THE DIGNITORIES



ENROLLED STUDENTS OF WEC, THE AUDIENCE



PRAYER SONG BY THE STUDENTS OF WEC



WELCOME ADDRESS BY THE GROUP LEADER



OPENING REMARKS BY THE COORDINATOR





STUDENT LEADERS RECEIVING BADGES AT THE INAUGURAL FUNCTION



STUDENT LEADERS OF DURGABAI DESHMUKH & KALPANA CHAWLA GROUPS RECEIVING BADGES FROM THE CHIEF GUEST THROUGH THE STAFF INCHARGE OF THE GROUPS MS.RIPSEE, FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCES



STUDENT LEADERS OF MOTHER THERESA & HELEN KELLER GROUPS RECEIVING BADGES FROM THE GUEST OF HONOUR THROUGH THE STAFF INCHARGE OF THE GROUPS MS.SUREKHA, FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES



STUDENT LEADERS OF SAINA NEHWAL & MARIE CURIE GROUPS RECEIVING BADGES FROM THE CHIEF ADVISOR OF WEC THROUGH THE STAFF INCHARGE OF THE GROUPS MS.CHUKKAMMA, FACULTY OF CHEMISTRY



STUDENT LEADERS OF LATHA MANGESHKAR & INDRA NOOYI GROUPS RECEIVING BADGES FROM THE COORDINATOR OF WEC THROUGH THE STAFF INCHARGE OF THE GROUP MS.VIJAYA RATNA KUMARI, FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES



STUDENTS OF WEC LISTENING TO THE CHIEF GUEST'S MESSAGE



CHIEF GUEST ADDRESSING THE GATHERING



ACTIVITIES OF CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES 2018-2019: A BRIEF REPORT:

DEMONSTRATION OF ENTREPRENEURIAL ACTIVITY - PAPER CRAFTS ON 4th

SEPTEMBER 2018

RESOURCE PERSONS: Mrs. R.MOHINI, Ms.SAI PALLAVI JENEFER, Ms.VVL KRISHNA
PRIYA, MBA FACULTY



MS.SUREKHA INTRODUCING THE RESOURCE PERSONS



RESOURCE PERSONS: Mrs. R.MOHINI, Ms.SAI PALLAVI JENEFER, Ms.VVL
KRISHNA PRIYA, MBA FACULTY

**DEMONSTRATION OF ENTREPRENEURIAL ACTIVITY - PAINTING ON 18th
SEPTEMBER 2018**

**RESOURCE PERSON: Ms.B.RADHIKA, FACULTY OF FASHION DESIGNING,
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**



**RESOURCE PERSON: Ms.B.RADHIKA, FACULTY OF FASHION DESIGNING,
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

GUEST LECTURE:

TOPIC - "GOVERNMENT SCHEMES FOR THE BENEFIT OF GIRL CHILDREN AND WOMEN"

**RESOURCE PERSON - MS.T.JHANSI LAKSHMI FACULTY OF HOMESCIENCE ON
13th NOVEMBER 2018**



GUEST LECTURE:

TOPIC - IMPORTANCE OF YOGA IN DAILY LIFE

RESOURCE PERSON MS.G.VIJAYA RATNA KUMARI FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES ON 20th NOVEMBER 2018



GUEST LECTURE:

On 8th January 2019 resource person **Ms.Manga** an entrepreneur shared her life's experiences. Though illiterate, how she is able to reach the present position was shared with the students. (**EXPERIENCES OF AN EMPOWERED WOMAN**)




DEMONSTRATION:

On 22nd January 2019 demonstration of different yoga asanas that are helpful for adolescents was given by **MS.G.VIJAYA RATNA KUMARI FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**





COMPETITIONS:


Competitions help to gain in depth knowledge about the area concerned. They help to show the skills of the individuals. There is a wider scope for creative outlet for the participants. Scope for positive emotional expressions is greatly felt during competitions. Realizing these merits competitions were arranged for the students of the women empowerment cell. Altogether four Competitions were planned and executed during this academic year exclusively for the students of CWS. The list of competitions with the theme is as follows. Participants of the various competitions were judged by the experts in the field and the winners were further encouraged with the first, second and third prizes during the Theresian women's day celebrations cum valedictory function.



CH.S.D.ST.THERESA'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS)
ELURU, WEST GODAVARI, ANDHRA PRADESH - 534003



**CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES**
Attention..! UG & PG Students
Competition Launched by National Commission For Women



Competition Date : 18th December 2018
Time : 3 to 4 P.M.
Registration Date : By 15th December

PRIZES:
First Prize (one) - Rs. 2000 /-
Second Prize (one) - Rs. 1500 /-
Third Prize (Five) - Rs. 1000 /- (Each)

TOPICS TO BE PREPARED

- * Constitution of India Mainly The Preamble, Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy, Fundamental Duties Including Article 32 And Article 226 Thereof.
- * National Commission For Women Act, 1990 (20 Of 1990)
- * Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961
- * Protection of Women From Domestic Violence Act, 2005
- * The Sexual Harassment of Women at Work Place (Prevention, Prohibition And Redressal Act), 2013
- * The Criminal Law Amendment Act, 2013
- * The Maternity Benefit Act, 1961
- * The Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act, 1971
- * The Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956
- * The Preconception And The Prenatal Diagnostic Techniques(Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994
- * The Minimum Wages Act, 1948
- * SC & ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act
- * The Schedule Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2008
- * Major International Conventions Relating to Elimination of Discrimination and Violence Against Women.

Mode of Competition : 75 Multiple Choice Questions

CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES had organized the above competition on 18th December 2018. The winners of the above competition are

First Prize

D.Rajeswari III B.Com General Reg.No:160091

Second Prize

K.Akhila III BBA Reg.No:162519

Third Prize

(1)R.Priya Madhuri I M.A Eco' Reg.No:18107

(2)ALS.Sowmya II B.A HEP-EM Reg.No:170416

(3)J.Swathi I B.Com Comp' Reg.No:180115

(4)K.Tejaswi Elisha II B.Sc MBN Reg.No:172004

(5)B.Suvartha Rani II B.Sc BZC Reg.No:171701

Consolation Prize

Ameena Anjum I B.Sc ZNC Reg.No:181825



Hearty congratulations to all the PRIZE WINNERS. Special Appreciation to all the 279 participants of the competition.

NATIONAL SEMINAR ON
“CYBERCRIMES AND WOMEN – PRECAUTIONS AND STRATEGIES”

Organized by

CENTRE FOR WOMEN’S STUDIES ON 19TH MARCH 2019



BRIEF REPORT OF THE EVENT:

Are we **“women safe on the internet”**? Here’s a short and quick answer - yes, we are! But it requires us to take a few steps because it’s always better to be safe than to feel sorry! Though crime against women is on a rise in all fields being a victim of cybercrime could be most traumatic experience for a woman. Hence, we the centre for women’s studies organized the seminar and provided platform to share the knowledge about the **“Cybercrimes and Women – Precautions and Strategies”** through the resource persons, paper and poster presentations to our dear faculty, students and to every possible woman in our society. Most of our lives are public today on social media while many are flamboyant and okay with sharing everything. Some are really concerned about their profiles and who they connect with. Most of the cybercrimes are either done by fraudsters or by someone we know in our close circle. It could be a friend, relative, employee, and colleague. It is essential to have the knowledge of precautions to be taken and strategies to be employed in keeping our information safe and secure. About 27000+ cybercrimes are reported in 2017 with an average of one in every ten minutes. A huge number of these cases were addressed last year, but then almost the same number of cases is unaddressed. And it seems to be the need of the hour to let women know about the various ways that women can get exploited through social media. While women benefit from using new digital and Internet technologies for self-expression, networking, and professional

activities, cyber victimization remains as an underexplored barrier to their participation. Women often outnumber men in surveys on cyber victimization.

Objectives of the Seminar:

- To create an awareness about the prevalence of cybercrimes against women in society
- To suggest precautions to be undertaken to browse through the world of internet safely
- To explore the better ways of creating a secured cyber space for women
- To discuss about the socio-legal problems associated with the cybercrimes against women
- To inform about the cyber crime laws available for women in India

PROCEEDINGS:

INAUGURAL FUNCTION:

Chief Guest of the Inaugural session was Smt.Nannapaneni Rajakumari, Chairperson, AP State Women's Commission. After lighting of the lamp, prayer was conducted. Dignitaries and Participants were extended warm welcome. This was followed by the blessings of the correspondent and opening remarks by the convener of the National Seminar. Chief Guest, in her inaugural address cautioned youth and the other women participants of the day's seminar about the various ways the youngsters are threatened and how they are victimized in day to day life, highlighting cybercrimes.



Case studies were quoted and further cautioned the audience about the various ways and means of safeguarding themselves. The role of parents was emphasized to save their children from the cyber threats. Precautions and strategies were suggested from becoming victimized of cybercrimes. Other guests of honour include: **Dr.S.Rajyalakshmi, Member-AP Mahila Commission, Ms.R.Suez, Director-AP Mahila Commission, Ms.R.L.Annapurna Devi-Section officer, AP Mahila Commission.** Guests of honour highlighted to the participants of National Seminar about the importance of acquiring knowledge on the theme of the seminar **Cybercrimes – Precautions and Strategies.**

On this auspicious occasion a seminar book – Special Edition – Multidisciplinary Journal AN ISO : 7021 – 2008b Certified Journal (UGC Approved Journal) ID NO.10JCF07B9446F97 ISSN NO : 2236-6124 Impact Factor : 5.7 entitled **AN INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF RESEARCH** was released with the articles of the seminar participants.



Our heartiest appreciation to the members of the editorial board in general and to the Editor-In-Chief **Dr.I.Annapurna** in specific for tremendous effort put forward for the timely release of the journal. Sincere gratitude to the members of the college management for extending permission, co-operation and support for the smooth conduct of the seminar, to the faculty members that extended wholehearted help, to the National Commission for Women for the financial support for the conduct of the seminar.

TECHNICAL SESSION - I:

Resource Person for the first technical session was **Mrs.D.Brahmeswari, Former HOD of social sciences.** She focused on the topic, **“Cybercrimes and Prevention”** and dealt on the various aspects like present scenario of cybercrimes, types of cybercrimes, preventive measures to be taken. A few case studies are also brought to the limelight of the participants of the national seminar.



She focused on the topic, **“Cybercrimes and Prevention”** and dealt on the various aspects like present scenario of cybercrimes, types of cybercrimes, preventive measures to be taken. A few case studies are also brought to the limelight of the participants of the national seminar.

TECHNICAL SESSION - II:

Resource Person for the second technical session was **Ms. G. Amulya Spencer, Advocate, High Court of AP. Advocate**, is only young in age but highly experienced in dealing with the cases at AP High Court addressed audience on the topic, **“Women Empowerment And Legal Awareness”**.



In her speech she focused on the traumas experienced in various ways like psychological, health and virtual by people in day to day life. Constitutional and legal provisions that are existing to help the victims were highlighted. She also reiterated that in present days reformers are not there like the age old times but

people need to reform themselves to safeguard from cybercrimes. She concluded her speech saying that young girls need to have discretion to use mobiles or smart phones for a good cause.

TECHNICAL SESSION - III:

Resource Person for the third technical session was **Mr. D.Abraham, Former Director, APSSS**, in his speech on **Cybercrimes** expressed that every second one woman is victimized on the online platform.



This is the new platform where a woman's dignity, privacy and security are being increasingly challenged every moment. The actual reason for cybercrime is use, abuse and over use of cyberspace. Indian women are not able report cybercrimes immediately. Their mindset to be changed and the complaints to be lodged immediately. They need to be very strong to face the consequences. Reformation and transformation of the mindset of the Indian women is the need of the hour.

TECHNICAL SESSION - IV:

Resource Person for the fourth technical session was **Ms. Dhanya Menon Pattathilal, Cyber Investigator, Kerala** addressed audience on the theme of the seminar **"Cybercrimes and Prevention"**.



Women – Precautions and Strategies” and dazed about the alarming increase in rate of cybercrimes in the country. She expressed about the reluctance of people to approach for legal justice when one is victimized due to cybercrimes. She focused as cyber investigator how difficult it is to bring forth the incidents from stage of identifying, filing the case, counseling the victims, and fighting for justice. She focused her speech with so many cases dealt by her personally as the cyber investigator. She explained students about the importance of voicing out, filing case and fighting for justice.

PAPER PRESENTATIONS:

Chairperson: Dr.R.Madhavi, HOD of English

Rapporteur: Mrs.Ume Salma, HOD of Hindi / Telugu

- 1. A Narrative: Cyber Crimes on Women: Dr. P. Jyothi Kumari, ²Raviteja Sudulaga** – while presenting the author focused on the diseases that victims tend to suffer from when get affected with cybercrimes. Two case studies were narrated.
- 2. Inversion In The Status of Women In Indian Society with the Effect of Information Technology : Dr. M. Esther Kalyani Asirvadam** – Author presented that technological development has enhanced the quality of life but women continued to be the victims of suppressed and oppressed even in the

technological age. She has narrated how even the high profile ladies are silenced in through trolling.



- 3. Biology and Cybercrime- DNA Hacking : ¹Dr. M. Padmaja, ²Sr. Sunila Rani. P, ³M. Laahiri** – Author had focused on the various forms of DNA hacking. She has given information on what and where hackers get the DNA and she focused on precautionary measures to be taken by women.
- 4. Cyber Crimes Against Women In India - Ways And Means To Overcome : Nazma** – Author had concentrated in her presentation on laws that are helpful to women to fight against cybercrimes.
- 5. Laws and Legal services for protection of women from Cyber Crimes - “Let us fight for your reputation.” - ¹M.K. Padma Lata, ²S. Hima Bindu,³R. Sonia Priyadarshini** - Presentation was focused on laws that are helpful to safeguard from cybercrimes.
- 6. TROLLING : P.Manasa I MBA** – Author focused on different aspects of cybercrimes which are required to create awareness in the society especially in the vulnerable section of society that is women.



7. **TROLLING : Bh.Dhana Lakshmi I MBA** – she has given tips to the peer group on ways and means of avoiding trolling.

8. **Protection of Women against Cyber Stalking: ¹Dr. K. Sita Manikyam, ²Dr. B. Lilly Grace Eunice , Professor of PG Economics, Andhra University** – she focused that apart from creating awareness about cybercrimes, strict enactment of laws play a major role in curbing cybercrimes

POSTER PRESENTATIONS:

TWENTY EIGHT STUDENTS displayed poster on the given theme of the National Seminar “**Cybercrimes and women – Precautions and Strategies**”. These were adjudged by the Jury members **Dr.K.L.Saraswathi Devi, HOD of Mathematics and Dr.R.Indira, HOD of Zoology**. First, Second and Third prizes were given to the best presentations.

RECOMMENDATIONS/ACTION POINTS were listed out by the end of the session through the fruitful messages delivered by guests and resource persons.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE PARTICIPANTS:

- Everything one reads online may not be true
- Do not trust profile details of people that were met online

- Photographs posted online may not be true
- There is no authentication for the online identity
- What is posted online is not private, it can be seen by every one
- Too much information about oneself should not be revealed online
- Delete inappropriate messages from one's profile
- Care should be taken while communicating with people met recently online
- Information about friends should not be posted online as this may put them at risk
- Be cautious about meeting people who were met only online
- If any situation on online becomes hostile, elders to be informed
- Save all communications without any alterations
- Do not agree to receive any gifts offered by people online
- Do not stay online for too long without any break
- Abuses to be reported

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT:

- Police and local administration must take measures to sensitize people on the existing legal provisions and the responsibility of the citizens
- Cybercrime police stations need to work in close co-ordination with criminal investigation department and women police stations
- Police needs to be well equipped with maintenance of electronic records
- High time to call for modernization of preventive measures to handle cybercrimes
- There should be a digital police portal or E-Portal where women can report their problems online.

- Girls should be made aware about all types of cybercrimes and how to handle them. Spreading awareness regarding safe internet use and complying procedure should be aware among women.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT:

- Law enforcement agencies and police force need to be sensitized and strengthened of the challenging facets of cybercrimes against women and children and their dimensions to record and initiate action against such crimes
- Dire need to collaborate police force and cyber forensic laboratories together for better investigation of cases
- School curriculum must cover about all aspects of cybercrimes. Therefore, education system must initiate contemporary issues pertaining to cybercrimes
- Implementation of cyber laws is inadequate and people are unaware of the laws and still, there is less emphasis on cyber security, hence steps to be taken in these directions

RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT:

- Judiciary should be sensitized about electronic record keeping
- The Indian evidence act needs to be more explicit, updated and stronger to deal with the issue of electronic evidences.
- Awareness should be created among users regarding safe practices of apps like Twitter, whatsapp and facebook etc
- Industries, who are the gatekeepers of technology should have social responsibility and act upon the misconduct of perpetrators and terminate them and provide relief to victims and co-operate in their own capacities

- Every social media/digital platform should have a clear-cut policy in defining and taking action on offensive and inappropriate behavior of the criminals
- Not just online/cyber but in general offline criminals and law enforced on them should be strict so that it discourages these criminals from cybercrimes
- The software companies and the digital gurus of the world, who started all these apps should design them so as to protect the security of its users and aim at increasing productivity based on moral grounds
- All international service providers must put their servers in India to track criminals address for fast and better investigation.

VALEDICTORY FUNCTION:

Chief Guest of the Valedictory session was Ms. Dhanya Menon Pattathilal, Cyber Investigator, Kerala. After delivering the valedictory address by the chief guest certificates were given to the participants and prizes were given to the winners of the poster competition. Altogether 529 participants registered for the seminar.



ISSUED CERTIFICATES TO THE PARTICIPANTS & CASH PRIZE and CERTIFICATES TO THE WINNERS OF POSTER COMPETITION



PROGRAMME CAME TO AN END WITH NATIONAL ANTHEM

CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES

ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-2019

LOG OF EVENTS AT A GLANCE

S.NO	EVENT
1.	During the meeting held on 12th June 2018, members of the ACTION COMMITTEE of WEC, discussed at a stretch the yearlong activities to be conducted during the academic year 2018-2019.
2.	An Orientation programme was organized by the committee member Ms.G.Vijaya Ratna Kumari, to the entire student body of the college to make students aware about the activities of Centre for women's studies and also to induct student volunteers to Women Empowerment Cell (WEC) 3 rd JULY 2018.
3.	Elections were conducted on 1 st July 2018
4.	INAUGURAL cum GENDER EQUITY DAY CELEBRATIONS of WEC were

	Conducted on 1st September 2018
5.	DEMONSTRATION OF ENTREPRENEURIAL ACTIVITY - PAPER CRAFTS ON 4th SEPTEMBER 2018. RESOURCE PERSONS Mrs. R.MOHINI, Ms.SAI PALLAVI JENEFER, Ms.VVL KRISHNA PRIYA, MBA FACULTY
6.	DEMONSTRATION OF ENTREPRENEURIAL ACTIVITY - PAINTING ON 18th SEPTEMBER 2018. RESOURCE PERSON Ms.B.RADHIKA, FACULTY OF FASHION DESIGNING, COMMUNITY COLLEGE
7.	GUEST LECTURE-TOPIC - GOVERNMENT SCHEMES FOR THE BENEFIT OF GIRL CHILDREN AND WOMEN. RESOURCE PERSON - MS.T.JHANSI LAKSHMI FACULTY OF HOMESCIENCE ON 13thNOVEMBER 2018
8.	GUEST LECTURE-TOPIC - IMPORTANCE OF YOGA IN DAILY LIFE. RESOURCE PERSON MS.G.VIJAYA RATNA KUMARI FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES ON 20th NOVEMBER 2018
9.	GUEST LECTURE-On 8th January 2019 resource person Ms.Manga an entrepreneur shared her life's experiences. Though illiterate, how she is able to reach the present position was shared with the students. (EXPERIENCES OF AN EMPOWERED WOMAN)
10.	DEMONSTRATION-On 22nd January 2019 demonstration of different yoga asanas that are helpful for adolescents was given by MS.G.VIJAYA RATNA KUMARI FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
11.	CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES had organized a competition on AWARENESS OF LEGAL RIGHTS 18th December 2018.
12.	NATIONAL SEMINAR ON "CYBERCRIMES AND WOMEN – PRECAUTIONS AND STRATEGIES"Organized by CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES ON 19TH MARCH 2019



'WOMAN THAT ROCKS THE CRADLE

RULES THE WORLD'



LOGO OF THE CENTRE FOR WOMEN'S STUDIES AT OUR COLLEGE

**“A mother holds her children’s hands for a little while
and their hearts forever”**

Signature of the coordinator

Signature of the Principal