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Department of Sociology <u>Faculty Achievements</u> <u>2024-25</u>

# Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology

## Editor

• Edited an ISBN Book entitled "Current Society and Women" in June 2024 with Sanskruti Publication, Latur, Maharashtra. ISBN: 978-81-973487-1-6.

# Publications

- Published a research paper entitled "Bharteeya Mahila Sahitykaron ka langik Samanta men Yogdan: Ek Samajshastreey Vivechan" in a Peer-reviewed, Referred & international-level multi-disciplinary research Journal, "International Journal of Advance and Applied Research," Vol. 5 Issue 35, ISSN -2347-7075.
- Published a research paper entitled "Ghareloo Hinsa ka Hindi Sahitya men Chitran: Ek Samajshastreey Adhyayan" in an International multidisciplinary research journal "AJANTA" Volume- XIV, Issue-I, January- March 2025, ISSN 2277-5730, Impact factor-7.428.
- Published a research paper entitled "Bharteeya samaj aur vivah sanstha ka parivartit Swaroop: Ek Samajshastreey adhyayan" in "Knowledge Resonance" A half-yearly

National peer-reviewed & indexing with SIJF impact factor research journal in February 2025. ISSN: 2231-1629.

#### Chapter in a book

• Published a chapter entitled "Samajik sashaktikaran men samajik aandolanon ka yogdan: Chipko Aandolan ke vishesh sandarbh men" ISBN No. 978-81-970235-8-3 in 2025.

#### Presentations

- Presented a research paper entitled "Bharteeya Mahila Sahitykaron ka langik Samanta men yogdan: Ek samajshastreey vivechan" in an Interdisciplinary International conference on "Global contribution of Women: Language, Literature, Cultural, Social, Political, Economical & Historical Perspective" organised by Mahila Kala Mahavidyalaya, Chhatrapati Shambhajinagar, Maharashtra held on 5<sup>h</sup> October 2024.
- Presented a research paper entitled "Population Growth and Environmental Issues: A Social Analysis with special reference to India" in an online international conference on 'Cross-cultural diversity and inclusion in new millennium' organised by MKLM's B.L. Amlani College of Commerce and Economics, Mumbai & International Institute of Cambridge, United Kingdom, held on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2024.
- Presented a research paper entitled "Indian Culture and Environmental Conservation: A Sociological Analysis" in a one-day Interdisciplinary International conference (online) on "India's Global Footprint: Education, Trade, Innovation, Culture & Sustainability" organised by R.R. Educational Trust's B.Ed. College, Mulund, in collaboration with IQAC of MKLM's B.L. Amlani College of Commerce and Economics, Mumbai, held on 25<sup>th</sup> November 2024.
- Presented a research paper entitled "Ghareloo Hinsa ka Hindi Sahitya men Chitran: Ek Samajshastreey Adhyayan" in ICSSR sponsored one day multidisciplinary National seminar on "Gender Sensitization for Gender Equality" held on 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025. The seminar was organised by Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Miraj, Maharashtra.
- Presented a research paper entitled "Bharteeya samaj aur vivah sanstha ka parivartit Swaroop: Ek Samajshastreey Adhyayan" in Pradhanmantri Uchchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (PM USHA) sponsored an Interdisciplinary National conference on "Transformation of Social Institutions in India (Issues, Challenges and Remedies)" held on 24-25

February 2025. The seminar was organised by the Department of Sociology, Shri Sant Savta Mali Gramin Mahavidyalaya, Fulambri, Maharashtra.

- Presented a research paper entitled "Swatantryotar kal ke kanooni sansodhanon men mahila aandolanon ki Bhoomika: Tathya evam prashna" in a one-day multidisciplinary International seminar on "Empowerment of women: Changing role of women in social structure" held on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2025. The seminar was organised by Kamala College, Kolhapur, Maharashtra.
- Presented a research paper entitled "Bharat men Berojgari ki samasya se sambandhit samajik mudde: Ek samajshastreey sarvekshan" in a National level seminar on "Samkaleen Bharat men samajik- sanskritik mudde: Chunautiyan aur sambhavnayen" held on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2025.The seminar was organised by Samajik sashakteekaran bahuuddesheeya sanstha Wardha, Maharashtra in collaboration with Dr. Ambedkar College of Social Work, Wardha, Dr. Ambedkar Institute of Social Work, Nagpur and the Department of Social Work, Shri Rawatpura Sarkar University, Raypur, Chatteesgarh.

## **Coordinated and Conducted**

- Coordinated and conducted an Educational Visit to "Veermata Jijabai Bhosale Botanical Udyan and Zoo, Mumbai" on August 23, 2024.
- Coordinated and conducted a workshop titled "Trash to Treasure" on 23rd November 2024 from 9:30 a.m. to 10.40 a.m. in the college auditorium.
- As a Green Club Faculty Coordinator, coordinated and conducted a Green Audit, Energy Audit and Environment Audit in association with Ms Nahida Shaikh, Project Head and Green Building Consultant of Green Vio Solutions, in November 2024.
- Coordinated and conducted 'Reading and Presentations' on "Classical and Contemporary Sociological Theorists" under 'Vachan Sankalp Maharashtracha' on 8th January, 2025 from 11:30 a.m. to 12.30 pm. 15 students actively participated in the programme.

## Participation in Seminars/ Webinars/ Workshops

## **International Level**

 Participated in an international webinar entitled "Empowering Women: Recognising their contributions in all Dimensions" on the special occasion of International Women's Day on 8th March 2025.

## National Level

- Participated in a National-level Webinar on "Bharteeya Gyan Parampara aur Paryavaran" organised by the Department of Hindi and NSS Unit in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2024.
- Participated in National level E-Quiz on "Importance of Yoga and fitness" under Fit India week, Annual Sports Meet, 2024, organised by the Sports committee in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai on 18<sup>th</sup> December 2024.
- Participated in a National-level Webinar on "Women and Bureaucracy: Women in Bureaucracy" on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2025 to celebrate the International Women's Week, organised by the Department of Economics of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai.
- Participated in a National-level online lecture on "Bharteeya Gyan Parampara: Samaveshita ke vividh aayam" organised by the Department of Hindi in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai on 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2025.

## State Level

- Participated in a state-level workshop on "Yoga for Women's Holistic Health" organised on the occasion of International Day of Yoga 2024 by the Sports Committee in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai, on June 20, 2024.
- Participated in the Mumbai District Workshop as Green Club Faculty Coordinator (GCFC) at St. Xavier's College, Mumbai on 30<sup>th</sup> July 2024.

# University Level

• Participated in the one-day collaborative workshop on "OBE (Outcome Based Education) held on 13th August, 2024. The workshop was organised by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Hazarimal Somani College of Arts and Science and

J. P. College of Commerce and Management Studies in collaboration with Akbar Peerbhoy College of Commerce and Economics and B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai.

- Participated in Two days "Yuva Mahotsav Orientation cum Workshop" organised by Department of Student's Development, S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 6<sup>th</sup> &7<sup>th</sup> August 2024.
- Participated in the NEP-2020 Orientation workshop on "Content Analysis, Innovative Pedagogy and Evaluation Techniques in Sociology" held on 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2024, organised by the Department of Sociology, S.N.D.T. College of Arts & S.C.B. College of Comerce and Science for women, Churchgate, Mumbai.

## **College Level**

- Took the "Fitness Pledge under Fit India Week, Annual Sports Meet, 2024" organised by the Sports committee in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2024.
- Participated in "How to manage money and be a smart Investor" organised by the Department of Commerce, the Department of Sociology and the NSS unit of the college in collaboration with the Consumer Guidance Society of India on January 29, 2025, at 12:30 PM in the college auditorium.
- Participated in a workshop on "POSH Act 2013, Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace" on 5th of March 2025 at 11:30 a.m. onwards to celebrate the International Women's Week. The workshop was organised by the Department of Sociology and the NSS unit of the college.

#### **Other Achievements**

- Successfully completed the NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitisation Programme under Malviya Mission Teacher Training Programme (MM-TTP) of University Grants Commission (UGC), organised by UGC-MMTTC, Maulana Azad National Urdu University, Hyderabad from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- Participated in the National level "Advancing Academic Excellence: Faculty Development and Capacity Building Program: Enhancing Research skills through Efficient AI Tools" organised by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) and Research cell of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai in association with

Patrician College of Arts and Science, Chennai and J. E. S. College of Commerce and Information Technology, Jogeshwari, Mumbai from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> December 2024.

## Dr. Hemlata Masiwal, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology

## **Presentation/Conference/ Publication**

- Presented and published a paper on the topic "Manu Bhandari ke Upanyason ka Samajshastriya Vishleshan" at the One-Day Interdisciplinary International Conference on "Global Contribution of Women: Language, Literature, Culture, Social, Political, Economic, and Historical Perspectives," held at Mahila Kala Mahavidyalaya, Aurangabad, on 5th October 2024.
- 2-Presented a paper on the topic "Mahilaon ki Vaishvik Bhumika: Ek Samajshastriya Adhyayan" at the International Conference on "Hindi ka Vaishvik Paridrishya," held at St. Xavier's College, Mumbai, on 20th and 21st January 2025.

## **Resources person**

- Invited by the Arts Department of SCBC College of Commerce and Science for Women, Churchgate, as a resource person for the NEP 2020 Orientation Workshop on "Content Analysis, Innovative Pedagogy, and Evaluation Techniques in Sociology" on 28th August 2024.
- Invited as a judge to conduct the Extempore Speech round for the Tejaswini Contestants on 22nd January 2025 at SNDT Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai.

Awards

- Received the Best NSS Programme Officer Award (2022) from the Government of Maharashtra at SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.
- Received the Best Supporting NSS Programme Officer Award 2024-2025 for the project "Training and Awareness on Road Safety and Cyber Watch" under the 'Youth for Governance' initiative by the Public Concern for Governance Trust.

## Coordinated various programs organized by the department.

- 1-Coordinated the Webinar on "Impact of Population Explosion on Environment", on 8<sup>th</sup> July, 2024, on the occasion of World Population Day 2024.
- 2- Organised Educational Visit to "Mani Bhavan, Mumbai" on 7 th August, 2024 The Department of Sociology in association with The Department of Hindi.

- 3-Coordinated the Workshop on "Consumer Guidance and Financial Literacy" on January 29,2025.
- 4-Organised educational for Visit to Kala Ghoda, Mumbai on 1st February, 2025.
- 5-Organised workshop for on "POSH Act 2013, Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace"on 5th of March 2025.

## Attended Seminar, Webinar and Workshop.

- 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2024- Attended a workshop on "Outcome Based Education" organised by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Marwadi Sammelan's B.M Ruia Girls' College in joint collaboration with Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan's Hazarimal SomaniCollege of Arts and Science & Anjuman-I-Islam's Akbar Peerboy College of Commerce and Economics.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> December, 2024 participated in the online National Level "Advancing Academic Excellence: Faculty Development and Capacity Building Program: Enhancing Research Skills through Efficient AI Tools" organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell and Research Cell of Patrician College of Arts and Science, Jogeshwari Education Society's College of Commerce, Science and Information Technology and B.M Ruia Girls' College.
- 05 June 2024: Attended a guest lecture on "Bhartiya Gyan Parampara Aur Paryavaran" organized by the Department of Hindi and NSS Unit on the occasion of World Environment Day.
- Attended a Guest Lecture 29 July 2024: The Department of Hindi organized a guest lecture on *"Bhartiya Gyan Parampara Mein Sant Kaviyon Ki Bhoomika."*
- Attended a guest Lecture on 31 August 2024: The Department of Hindi organized an online National Guest Lecture Series on *"Bhartiya Gyan Parampara ke Aadhar."*
- Attended a Guest lecture on 23rd October 2024: The Department of Hindi organized an online National Guest Lecture Series on *"Bhartiya Gyan Parampara ki Prasangikta."* Attended a Guest lecture on 30th November 2024: The Department of Hindi organized an online National Guest Lecture Series on *"Bhartiya Gyan Parampara: Yog, Dhyan Aur Ayurved"* by Shri Ravi Dixit (Manad Nideshak, Yogi Gurukul evam Shiv Holistic Yoga, Mumbai).
- Attended a Guest lecture on 27th February 2025: The Department of Hindi organized an online National Guest Lecture Series on "*Marathi aur Hindi mein Tulnatmak Adhyayan evam Shodh ki Sambhavnayen*" on the occasion of Marathi Bhasha Din.

 Attended a Guest lecture on 28th March 2025: The Department of Hindi organized an online National Guest Lecture Series on "Bhartiya Gyan Parampara: Vedon ke Nirman mein Mahila Vidushiyon ka Yogdan."

## University Level and College level Examination Duties

- 1-Appointment of Superintendent of Examination for BAMM and BCA in absence of Superintendent examination for SNDT Women's university Nov/Dec 2024.
- 2-Appointment of Superintendent of Examination for BMS in absence of Superintendent examination for SNDT Women's university Nov/Dec 2024.
- 3-Appointment of Senior Supervisor for BAMM and BCA Examination for SNDT Women's university Nov/Dec 2024.
- 4-Appointment of Senior Supervisor for BMS Examination for SNDT Women's university Nov/Dec 2024.
- 5-Appointment as Junior Supervisor for BA, BCom and BMS Examination for SNDT Women's university April /May 2025.
- 6-Appointment of Superintendent of Examination for BAMM and BCA in absence of Superintendent examination for SNDT Women's university April /May 2025
- 7-Appointment of Superintendent of Examination for BMS in absence of Superintendent examination for SNDT Women's university April /May 2025
- 8-Appointment of Senior Supervisor for BAMM and BCA Examination for SNDT Women's university April /May 2025
- 9-Appointment of Senior Supervisor for BMS Examination for SNDT Women's university April /May 2025
- 10-Appointment as Junior Supervisor for BA, BCom and BMS Examination for SNDT Women's university April /May 2025.
- 11- NSS Programme Officer at college in Annual Year 2022 to 2025 till the date.
- 12- Members of Various College Committee Like Students Welfare, Academic and Examination Committee, Women Development Cell, Internal Complaint Committee, etc in Annual year 2024 to 2025.
- 13-Member of the paper Setter and Translator for B.A. and M.A. papers at SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.
- Examiner and Moderator for B.A. and M.A. papers at SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.

# **Department of Sociology**

**Report** 

2024-25

• PowerPoint Presentation on "Pioneer of Modern Sociology: Prof. R. K. Merton," on 4th July, 2024

The Department of Sociology in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) organised a PowerPoint Presentation by the Faculty Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology on the occasion of the birth anniversary of Prof. Robert K. Merton on "Pioneer of Modern Sociology: Prof. R. K. Merton" on 4th July 2024. Professor Merton's contribution to the development of sociology was explained, and his major theories were discussed with students. 14 students of B.A. Sociology attended the program.



# • On the occasion of World Population Day 2024 webinar on "Impact of Population Explosion on Environment" on 8th July, 2024

The Department of Sociology, Department of Commerce and NSS Unit of Marwadi Sammelan's B.M. Ruia Girls' College, NAAC Accredited B+ Grade (3rd Cycle), Awarded 'Maharshi Karve Best College 2022-23' affiliated to S.N.D.T Women's University, Mumbai, in association with Internal Quality Assurance Cell, organised a Webinar on "Impact of Population Explosion on Environment" on 8th July, 2024 at 10.45 a.m. The Eminent Resource Person was Mr. Nikhil Mene, Sub-Engineer, Water Supply Project Management Department, Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai (MCGM). He conveyed that Population explosion refers to the drastic increase in the number of individuals living in a particular area, which results in strained resources and challenges for the environment. The impact of the population explosion on the environment is significant and wide-ranging, affecting various aspects of the ecosystem. One of the most pressing issues caused by the population explosion is the increased demand for natural resources such as water, food, and energy. As the population grows, resources become more scarce, leading to overexploitation of natural resources and the degradation of ecosystems. This can result in deforestation, loss of biodiversity, depletion of water sources, and pollution of air, water, and soil. Additionally, the increased demand for housing, infrastructure, and urbanisation to accommodate the growing population leads to habitat destruction and fragmentation, threatening the survival of many plant and animal species. Loss of habitat and biodiversity can disrupt ecosystems, leading to imbalances and potential collapse of food chains and ecosystems. The population explosion also contributes to climate change through increased carbon emissions from activities such as transportation, industrialization, and agriculture. The burning of fossil fuels and deforestation release greenhouse gases into the atmosphere, leading to global warming and climate-related disasters such as droughts, floods, and extreme weather events. Furthermore, the sheer number of people on the planet contributes to increased waste production and pollution. Landfills overflow with garbage, plastic waste

contaminates oceans, and toxic chemicals seep into soil and water sources, posing risks to human health and wildlife. In conclusion, population explosion has a significant impact on the environment, exacerbating resource depletion, habitat destruction, biodiversity loss, climate change, and pollution. It is crucial for governments, organizations, and individuals to address the root causes of population growth and implement sustainable practices to mitigate the environmental impacts of overpopulation. Otherwise, the continued growth of the population will pose a grave threat to the health and sustainability of the planet.

46 students and 9 Faculty Members attended this session.



# • Movie screening "Pink" on 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

The Department of Sociology, in association with the Department of Hindi of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, organised a movie screening "Pink" followed by a Group Discussion on 11<sup>th</sup> July, 2024, from 8 am to 11 am in the college auditorium. 30 students and 2 faculty members coordinated and attended the movie screening.



# • An Educational Visit to "Mani Bhavan, Mumbai" on 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024

Department of Sociology, in association with the Department of Hindi and the College NSS Cell of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, organised an Educational Visit to "Mani Bhavan, Mumbai" on 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2024. 20 students and 2 faculty members visited "Mani Bhavan, Mumbai."



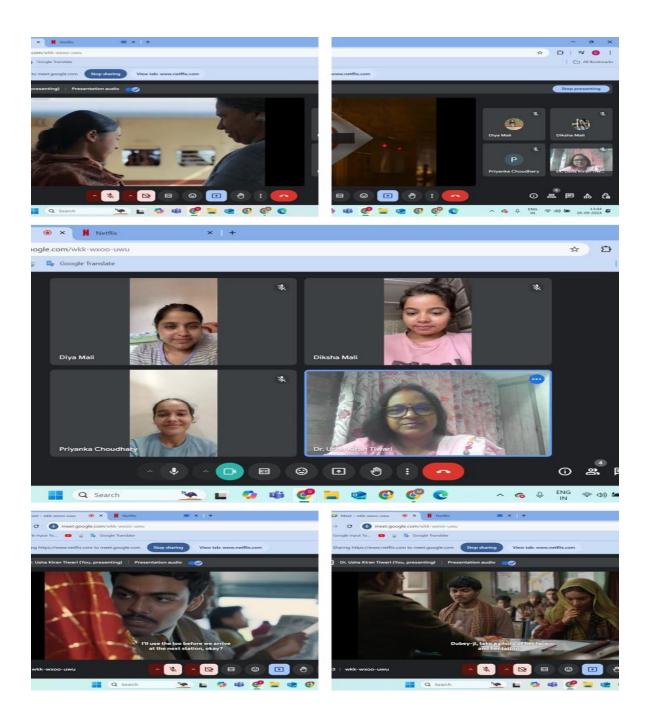
# • An Educational Visit to "Veermata Jijabai Bhosale Botanical Udyan and Zoo, Mumbai" on August 23, 2024

The Department of Sociology and Green Club, in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, organised an Educational Visit to "Veermata Jijabai Bhosale Botanical Udyan and Zoo, Mumbai" on August 23, 2024. 45 students and Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head of the Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator, visited "Veermata Jijabai Botanical Udyan and Zoo, Mumbai".



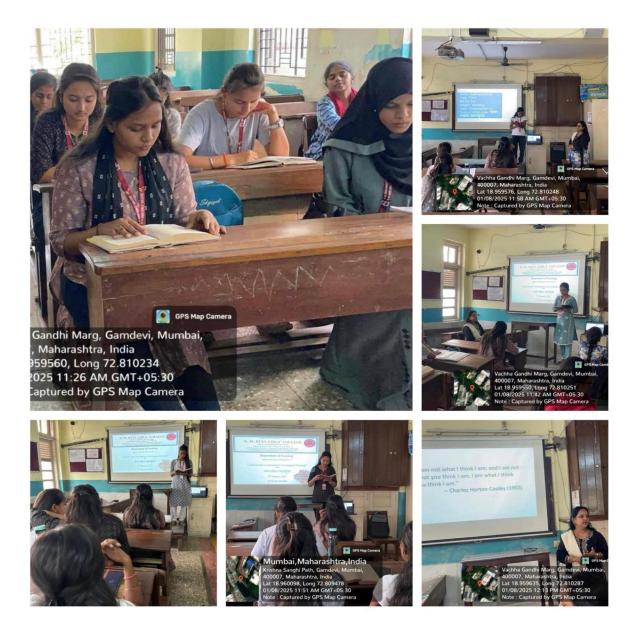
# • Movie screening "Lapta Ladies" on 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024

The Department of Sociology of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, organised a movie screening "Lapta Ladies" on 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, from 1.30 to 4.00 pm in an online lecture on Google Meet using the screen sharing feature. This film depicts many issues related to gender and also presents their solutions. 03 students of TYBA Sociology and 1 faculty member participated in the movie screening, followed by a Group Discussion.



# • Reading and Presentations on 8<sup>th</sup> January, 2025

The Department of Sociology in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai organised 'Reading and Presentations' on "Classical and Contemporary Sociological Theorists" under '*Vachan Sankalp Maharashtracha*' on 8th January, 2025 from 11:30 a.m. to 12.30 pm. 15 students actively participated in the programme.



# • A Workshop on "Consumer Guidance and Financial Literacy" on January 29, 2025

The Department of Sociology, the Department of Commerce and NSS unit of the college in collaboration with the Consumer Guidance Society of India, had organized a workshop on "Consumer Guidance and Financial Literacy" on January 29, 2025 at 12:30 PM in the college auditorium. The workshop had been attended by 7 faculty members and 56 students.



#### • A Visit to Kala Ghoda, Mumbai on 1st February, 2025

The Department of Sociology and Department of Management Studies in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell ( IQAC) organized a visit to Kala Ghoda Arts Festival on 1st February 2024 at 12:00 pm. A total of 68 students participated in the visit, including 34 students from the BA Programme and 34 students from the BMS Programme. Before departure, all the students assembled in the hall where Mrs. Shruti Ranade and Dr. Hemlata Masiwal, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, conducted a brief orientation session. They emphasized the importance of the Kala Ghoda Festival and how it promotes awareness and appreciation of the arts, especially for those who are not very familiar with it. The main objective of the visit was to expose the students to various forms of art and culture and promote experiential learning. It provided the students with an opportunity to explore various artistic traditions, understand cultural heritage and observe the operations of creative industries. After reaching the venue, the students and faculty members entered the festival venue after completing the registration process. This year the theme was "Silver", marking the 25th anniversary of the festival and was a grand celebration of art, culture and heritage. The festival paid tribute to Indian culture through various activities such as handicraft workshops, traditional food stalls, heritage tours and cultural exhibitions, which were highly appreciated by the students. The festival had stalls from different states of India, showcasing the unique artistic forms of their respective cultures. Many stalls displayed apparel, while others showcased handmade bags, diaries, perfumes, hand-printed artworks and a variety of artefacts. The visit proved to be an educational and enriching experience for the students. They developed a critical understanding of Indian art and culture, interacted with artists and developed a deep appreciation of traditional and contemporary art forms. The experience enhanced their observational and analytical abilities and developed an understanding of how art impacts society and business. The opportunity to see art first-hand inspired the students to apply theoretical knowledge to real life, making the visit an impactful educational experience for them. Overall, the Kala Ghoda visit was a memorable and enlightening experience that reinforced the importance of cultural awareness and creative expression.



# • A workshop on "POSH Act 2013, Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace" on 5th of March 2025

The Department of Sociology and N.S.S. Unit of the college in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of B.M. Ruia Girls' College, Gamdevi, Mumbai (NAAC Accredited B+ 3rd Cycle, honoured with Maharshi Karve Best College Award 2022-23, and affiliated to S.N.D.T Women's University, Mumbai) organised a workshop on "POSH Act 2013, Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace" on 5th March 2025 at 11:30 a.m. onwards to celebrate the International Women's Week.

The primary goal of the workshop was to raise awareness about sexual harassment at the workplace and educate students about their rights under the POSH Act, ensuring a safe work environment for and secure women. The session was led by Ms. Aradhana Umale from Sakshi NGO, an expert in Gender sensitisation and legal provisions concerning women's safety. She was accompanied by her colleague, Ms. Sanchita. The workshop was interactive, and students asked various questions regarding practical difficulties faced by women at the workplace and the legal solutions to the problem. The resource persons answered all the questions of students well and also told them all the legal intricacies of the POSH Act and how it is useful for women.



The session was attended by 60 students and 8 faculty members.



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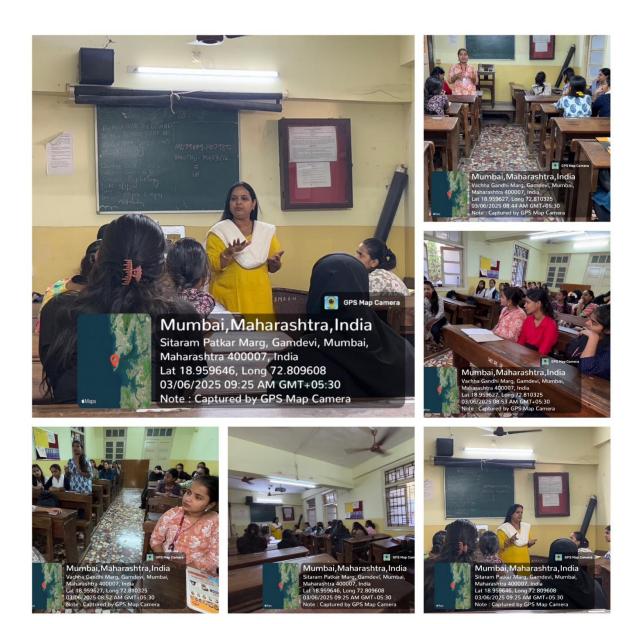


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• Group discussion on "Dowry is a social evil or it is a necessary part of marriage" on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2025

A group discussion on "Dowry is a social evil or it is a necessary part of the marriage institution of India" was organised on 6<sup>th</sup> March 2025. A total of 13 students of FYBA and 05 students of TYBA Sociology participated in the discussion.



# Group discussion on "Caste based reservation promotes social justice or creates new inequalities" on 11<sup>h</sup> March 2025

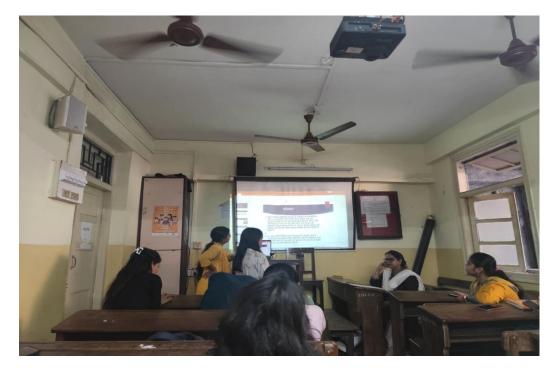
Group Discussion on "Caste based reservation promotes social justice or creates new inequalities" was organised on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2025. A total of 19 students of FYBA Sociology participated in the discussion.



# • PowerPoint Presentation by Students on 13th March, 2025

Power Point Presentation by FYBA Sociology Students on "Social Entrepreneur of India" was organised on 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2025. The students selected one of the social entrepreneurs of India, did a case study on them and made a PowerPoint presentation. This helped them in understanding the practicality of the social entreprise. All the students selected different social entrepreneurs.





# **Achievements of Alumni in Academics**

## • Gold Medal in B.A. Sociology 2023-24

Ms. Anita Velaram, student of the 2023-24 batch, awarded "Maze Ramayan Sociology Prize" for securing the highest marks in the subject of D.C. Sociology at the Bachelor of Arts Examination at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.

Ms. Anita Velaram, student of 2023-24 batch awarded "Late Smt. Shyamal K. Sangurikar Gold Medal prize" for securing the highest marks at the university in Bachelor of Arts with specialisation in Sociology at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.



#### • Gold Medal in M.A. Sociology 2023-24

Ms. Anshu Yadav, student of the 2019-20 batch awarded the Late Shri Jayantilal Bhogilal Surti prize for securing the highest marks in the social science group – Sociology at the Master of Arts examination at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai, held on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.

Ms. Anshu Yadav, student of the 2019-20 batch awarded the Shyama Manohar Mokashi prize for standing first at the Master of Arts examination amongst the external students of Distance Education at the 74<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai, held on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.



• Ms. Anshu Yadav, student of the 2019-20 batch, cleared CTET 2023 and UPSSSC.

# Achievements of Students in Academic and Co-Curricular Activities

- Ratna Rathod of SYBA won first prize in the paper presentation competition in "Munshi Premchand Saptah" organised by the Department of Hindi of the college on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2024.
- Ratna Rathod, Neha Mohammad, Sadhna Gupta, and Noorjahan Shaikh of SYBA participated and won in the Drama competition in *"Munshi Premchand Saptah"* organised by the Department of Hindi of the college on 30<sup>th</sup> July 2024.
- Anjali Nirmal of TYBA anchored as co-anchor in the college Talent show organised by the cultural committee of the college on 9<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.
- Priyanka Patel of T.Y.B.A. participated in the "Folk Dance" competition and won a consolation prize in SNDT Grand Finale Yuva Mahotsav 2024-25 at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- Sadhna Gupta of S.Y.B.A. participated in the "Folk Dance" competition and won a consolation prize in SNDT Grand Finale Yuva Mahotsav 2024-25 at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- Priyanka Patel of TYBA participated in "Yashaswini" 2024-25 and won 2nd Runnerup on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2025. The contest was organised by B.M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai.
- Antima Chaurasiya won a consolation prize in the "Fashion Show" competition in the Intercollegiate competition "NIRJHAR" 2024-25 organised by B.M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.
- Kavita Kalabi of SYBA participated in an essay writing competition on road Safety Initiative of Public Concern for Governance Trust and won the 2nd prize. The competition was held on 5th February 2025.

## Participation of Students in Academic and Co-Curricular Activities

 7 students of TYBA participated in the Blood Donation Camp on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2024. The event was coordinated and conducted by the college NSS unit.

- Anjali Nirmal of TYBA participated in a "Leadership Training Camp" at Shantivan, Panvel, organised by the Department of Students Development, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai, from 1st to 2nd August 2024.
- Neha Mohammad and Ratna Rathod of SYBA participated in a "Disaster Management Workshop" at Smt. M. M. P. Shah College, Matunga, Mumbai from 2<sup>nd</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> August 2024.
- Sadhna Gupta of S.Y.B.A. participated in Two days of "Yuva Mahotsav orientation cum workshop" from 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> August 2024 at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai.
- Noorjahan Shaikh, Ratna Rathod of SYBA and Anjali Nirmal, Aaradhna Nirmal of TYBA, participated in the College Talent Show on 9<sup>th</sup> August 2024.
- Ratna Rathod of SYBA participated in a "Leadership Camp" at Karjat, Mumbai, organised by SNDT Women's University, Mumbai from 10<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> August 2024.
- 7 students of TYBA participated in the Tree Plantation Drive organised by the college NSS unit at Virar, Palghar on 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2024.
- 4 students of SYBA and 4 students of TYBA attended the "Suicide Prevention Day Programme" at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2024.
- Anjali Nirmal of T.Y.B.A. participated in the "Street Play" in SNDT Yuva Mahotsav 2024-25, an Inter Collegiate Youth Festival at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- Neha Mohammad and Kusum Suthar of S.Y.B.A. participated in the "Street Play" in SNDT Yuva Mahotsav 2024-25 an Inter Collegiate Youth Festival at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- Antima Chaurasiya of T.Y.B.A. participated in the "Street Play" in SNDT Yuva Mahotsav 2024-25 an Inter Collegiate Youth Festival at S.N.D.T. Women's University, Churchgate, Mumbai on 26<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.
- Anjali Nirmal, Aaradhna Nirmal and Antima Chaurasia of TYBA attended a seminar at *Hindustani Pracharini Sabha*, Charni Road, Mumbai on 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024.
- Anjali Nirmal and Aaradhna Nirmal of T.Y.B.A. participated in "Yashaswini" 2024-25 on 15<sup>th</sup> January, 2025. The contest was organised by B.M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai.

- Priyanka Patel of TYBA participated in the "Fashion Show" competition in the Intercollegiate competition "TOOFAN" 2024-25 from 30th to 31st January 2025. The contest was organised by Sitaram Deora Institute of Management Studies, Mumbai.
- Priyanka Patel of TYBA participated in the "Mehndi" competition in the Intercollegiate competition "NIRJHAR" 2024-25 organised by B.M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.
- Nandini Thakur of TYBA participated in the "Mehndi" competition in the Intercollegiate competition "NIRJHAR" 2024-25 organised by B.M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2025.
- Kavita Kalabi and Neha Shaikh of SYBA participated in a Quiz competition on Road Safety Initiative of Public Concern for Governance Trust held on 27th February 2025.
- Antima Chaurasiya, Anjali Nirmal and Aaradhna Nirmal of T.Y.B.A. participated in a workshop on "'VITTAPATH' Navigating Financial Roadmap for MSME" on 18<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> March 2025. The workshop was organised by B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, in association with Shri M. D. Shah Mahila College of Arts and Commerce, Mumbai.
- On the occasion of Chatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti, 20 students participated in the presentation on "Chatrapati Shivaji Maharaj" on 21st February 2025. The presentation was organised by the NSS Unit and VEC course of B.M. Ruia Girls' College.

