

SNDT Arts and Commerce College for Women, Pune

Report of A two-day National conference on '' Contemporary Women's writings: Issues and Challenges 2017-18 '

The departments of Languages (Marathi, Hindi, English) organized a two-day National conference on "Contemporary Women's writings: Issues and Challenges" on 17th and 18th Feb. 2017. It emphasized on different aspects of women's writing in various Literatures

Following were the Sub-themes.

- Contemporary Society and Women's Life.
- Different streams of women's writings
- Contemporary women's writing: Poetry.
- Contemporary women's writing: Prose.

We received more than 50 abstracts and research papers. From which we published 36 articles in a book with ISBN number. 60 students of the departments of languages of our college registered for the conference, 10 research scholars and above 15 teaching faculty registered for the conference.

For the inauguration of the conference, Prof Maya Pandit, EFLU, Hyderabad was invited as a key note speaker, and Dr. Jitendra Srivastava, IGNOU New Delhi was the chief guest, and Dr. Ashwini Dhongade, former Principal of the college was the chairperson of the inaugural Function. For the Valedictory function of the conference, Dr. Ashwini Dhongade was the chief speaker of the function, and Prof. Sunita Sakhare, PGSR SNDT Women's University, Mumbai.

We invited many subject experts and resource persons from Marathi, Hindi and English. Prof. Rekha Inamdar- Sane, Dr. Minakshi Dadarawala, Dr. Nilima Gundi, Dr. Tapkir, Prof. Vishnu Sarawade, Prof. Misal, Prof Divik Ramesh, Dr. Sarvesh Mourya, Dr. Putul Sathe, Dr. Dilip Chavan and Dr. Swati Dahadraoy were invited.

On the first day,the musical concert was presented by the students of the Music department. Dr. Mrinalini Ghatge, Dr. Priya Jamkar, and Dr. Shivadatta Wavalkar the heads of the English, Marathi and Hindi respectively took the initiative along with their faculty.



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