



## RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL

The college runs under the able stewardship of **Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon**. She has been honoured with accolades and bouquets by various organizations. A personality with multifarious talents and an orator par excellence, Principal Madam is a social influencer who receives invites from various institutions as Resource Person for conferences and workshops. She is a role model for all the faculty members and her able guidance, staff members actively participated in various workshops and seminars. The research papers of faculty members were published in UGC notified list of journals, UGC care list of journals and SCOPUS during the academic period 2022-23. Apart from these, College also awarded seminars from the reputed national level organisations. Not only staff members, students of the college also got research experience by actively participated in various seminars and visited many industrial units and corporate houses.

### STATUS OF SEMINARS UNDERTAKEN BY COLLEGE DURING JANUARY 2022 TO MAY 2023

Name of the Faculty Member	Department	Topic	Duration	Sponsoring Agency	Status
Dr. Madhu Bala (Convener)	Sociology	Towards Gender Inclusivity- Emerging Contemporary Issues Around the Gender	National Seminar –One Day On February 2023	CDC	Awarded with grant of Rs. 40,000
Ms Rajwinder Kaur (Convener) Mrs Sandeep Kaur Co-convenor	History	Punjab's Role in Freedom Struggle of India	National Seminar –Two Day On February 10-11, 2023	ICHR	Awarded with grant of Rs. 3,50,000

## **SEMINAR DETAILS**

### **REPORT ON NATIONAL SEMINAR**

#### **“ROLE OF PUNJAB IN THE FREEDOM STRUGGLE OF INDIA”**

Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Gujarkhan Campus, Model Town, Ludhiana conducted two days National Seminar on 10th and 11th February, 2023 in collaboration with Indian Council of Historical Research. The title of the Seminar was **“Role of Punjab in the Freedom Struggle of India”**. The Seminar was dedicated to the martyrs of Punjab who sacrificed their lives for the freedom struggle of India. It highlighted various aspects of freedom struggle of Punjab and India. The Seminar commenced on February 10 with the welcome address of the college Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon. She advised the students to adopt the ideas of the invited scholars in their lives.

After this the convenor of the Seminar Ms. Rajwinder Kaur, Assistant Professor of History shared her views on the role of Punjab in the freedom struggle of India. She informed everyone about the outline of the programs to be held in the Seminar. Many intellectuals were a part of the Seminar and they all gave valuable information about the lives, struggles and sacrifices of the famous and unsung heroes.

Professor M. Rajivlochan, Professor, Department of History, Panjab University, Chandigarh was the chief guest on the first day of the Seminar.. He talked about Pratap Singh Kairon (The former Chief Minister of Punjab) and mentioned all his works for the welfare of Punjab that Kairon had done on the ground level. The keynote speaker of the Seminar was Professor Sukhdev Singh Sohal, Professor and Chair for Study of the Ghadar Movement, Guru Nanak Dev University Amritsar. He talked on ‘Free Hindustan at the 75th year of Independence’The next Speaker of the day was Professor Raj Kumar Hans, Retired Professor, Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda, Gujarat. He was also the Guest of Honour of the Seminar. While talking about the contribution of Punjab in the Freedom Struggle he said that more than 90 percent of the Punjabis sacrificed their lives for this movement. Instead of all this Punjabis have always suffered discrimination. Talking about Gurdas Alampuria and Hazara Singh Mustak, he told that these two have shown the grim picture of Punjab through their powerful poetry.

In the next phase of the Seminar, Mr. Gurwinder Singh Ji Sarna, Secretary of the Management of College, expressed gratitude towards the guests with his wise words. He told that history tells about many things, incidents, and sacrifices. He shared much information about the whereabouts of Maharaja Ranjit Singh. He talked with the intellectuals about the ‘*Kaida-e- Noor*’ during the times of Maharaja Ranjit Singh.The first resource person of the technical session was Dr Kuldip Singh, Chairperson, Satguru Ram Singh, Chair and Head, Department of History, Central History of Punjab, Bathinda. Dr. Kuldip Singh talked about the role of Malwa in Freedom Struggle. He presented his views on the contribution of the Kuka movement in the freedom struggle in Malwa. The next resource person for the seminar was Dr. Balraj Singh Brar, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Punjabi University, Patiala. He discussed in detail the role played by Press during the time of freedom struggle.

Dr Charanjit Kaur Mann, Associate Professor, ASSM Mukandpur College, SBS Nagar, Punjab. Presenting her views about the incident of Jallianwala Bagh and the life of Shaheed Udham Singh and his contribution in the freedom struggle. The name Jallianwala Bagh was kept after the name of a person named ‘Jalla’.She said that the British Government oppressed a lot of people and ordered to shoot many unarmed people without issuing any warrant and without any information. After the incident of

Jallianwala Bagh, the oppression of the British government did not end, but they implemented Marshall Law which took away the freedom of people's lives.

**The second day** of the seminar also began with the welcome address of the College Principal. She insisted on gathering valuable information given by the intellectuals. She also gave an outline about the events of the day. On this day, many renowned dignitaries came to present papers on the topic 'Role of Punjab in the Freedom Struggle of India'. The Presidential Address was given by Prof. Dharmjit Singh Parmar, Vice Chancellor, Sant Baba Bhag Singh University, Jalandhar, Punjab. He discussed in detail about the various movements that took place in Punjab. He also gave a lot of information about the British front-line diplomacy.

He discussed in detail that the 19th century was the era of socio-religious reform movements like AryaSamaj, Singh Sabha, Kuka Movement, Nirankari Movement etc. Dr. Sukhpreet Singh Udhoke, Sikh historian, the Guest of honour of the day told about the role played by Punjab in the Freedom Struggle.

The Seminar's next speaker for valedictory address was Dr. Vinod Kumar, Assistant Director (Research) ICHR, Southern Regional Centre, Bangalore. He also talked about the immense contribution of Punjab in freedom struggle. He said that Punjab is the land of bravery and highlighted that its live example is Gurdwara Sees Ganj Sahib situated in Delhi. People of Punjab have always challenged Britishers. This can be exemplified with Lahore conspiracy case and Kamagatamaru incidents.

Dr. Pravin Kumar Sharma, Assistant Director (Research), Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi gave information about the various programmes that were running under ICHR. He stated that ICHR provides several Financial Aids. Then he told about the Jallianwala Bagh massacre and said that this was indeed the most brutal act in history. Indians had helped the Britishers during the First World War so that they could get 'Homerule' but Britishers backed out from their words hence leading to rebellion among the Indians.

In the technical session of Day 2, the first resource person was Prof. Manju Malhotra, Retired Professor, Department of History, Panjab University, Chandigarh. She talked about the participation of Women in the Freedom Struggle. Dr. Kanwar Chandardeep Singh, Associate Professor, Department of History, Central University of Himachal Pradesh. talked about various National Movements, socio-religious movements. He also talked about Agrarian taxes that were imposed on Punjab by Britishers.

The last speaker of the Seminar was Dr. Karanbir Singh, Assistant Professor, PG Department of History, Lyallpur Khalsa College, Jalandhar. He said that Punjab's contribution in the freedom struggle was indeed the highest rather 80 percent. During the time of Annexation many people of Punjab went against Britishers and fought two wars; First Anglo war and Second Anglo war. He expressed the contribution of Ghadar movement in the struggle through his beautiful poetry. At the end of the Seminar General Secretary Er. Gurvinder Singh thanked all the scholars for sharing their valuable information on the topic 'Freedom Struggle'. The Seminar provided all the students and the faculty members with a storehouse of knowledge regarding the topic and hence he motivated everyone to find out more about this crucial topic.

Dr. Rajwinder Kaur, Assistant Professor of History and Dr. Madhu Dhawan Assistant Professor of Sociology have handled the dice on the second day of the Seminar.

# Day 1











## Day 2









## II

### CDC Sponsored National Seminar on Gender Inclusivity at GNKCW

Under the aegis of Internal Quality Assurance Cell, the Department of Sociology of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, organized a National Seminar sponsored by the College Development Council (CDC), Panjab University, Chandigarh on February 4, 2023. The theme of the seminar was “Towards Gender Inclusivity: Emerging Contemporary Issues around Gender”.

Prof. Pam Rajput, Professor Emeritus, Founder Director Centre for Women’s Studies and Development, Panjab University, Chandigarh delivered the presidential address while Dr. Ritu Lehal, Director, Women’s Studies Center, Panjabi University, Patiala was the key note speaker. The other dignitaries present on the occasion were Prof. Sukhmani Bal Riar (Professor, Department of History, PU, Chandigarh), Dr. Upneet Kaur Mangat (Chairperson, Centre for Human Rights and Duties, PU Chandigarh) and Smt. Sunita Seshadari (Deputy Director, NIPPCD, Mohali).

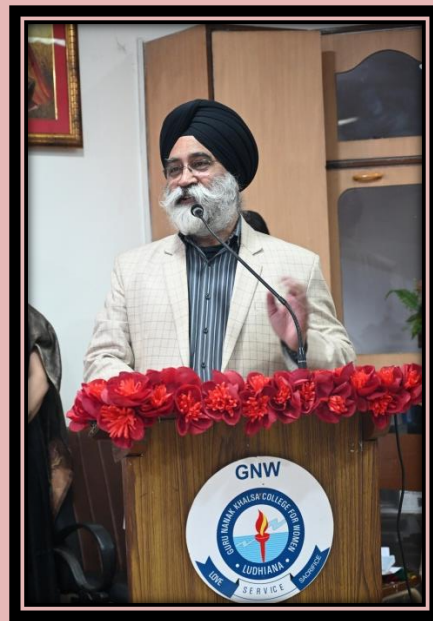
Principal of the college, Dr. Maneeta Kahlon welcomed the dignitaries, guests and audience. Papers were presented by research scholars and faculty members from various universities and colleges. Dr. Madhu Dhawan, Head, Department of Sociology, was the convener of the seminar.

Er. Gurvinder Singh, General Secretary, College Governing Body, delivered a vote of thanks and congratulated the department for this endeavor.

## PICS







## PRESS CLIPINGS

### ਗੁਰੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਖਾਲਸਾ ਕਾਲੇਜ ਮੈਂ ਲੈਂਗਿਕ ਸਮਾਵੇਸ਼ਿਤਾ ਪਰ ਸੰਗੋਸ਼ਟੀ ਆਯੋਜਿਤ

ਜਾਸੰ, ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ: ਗੁਰੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਖਾਲਸਾ ਕਾਲੇਜ ਫਾਰ ਵੂਮੈਨ (ਜੀਐਨਕੇਸੀਡਬਲਯੂ) ਕੇ ਸਮਾਜਸ਼ਾਸਤਰ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਨੇ ਕਾਲੇਜ ਡੇਵਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਕਾਓਂਸਿਲ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਯੂਨਿਵਰਸਿਟੀ ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ ਦੁਆਰਾ ਪ੍ਰਾਯੋਜਿਤ ਜੌਡਰ ਸਮਾਵੇਸ਼ਿਤਾ ਕੀ ਆਰ ਪਰ ਏਕ ਰਾਸ਼ਟ੍ਰੀਯ ਸੰਗੋਸ਼ਟੀ ਕਾ ਆਯੋਜਨ ਕਿਆ। ਪ੍ਰੋ. ਪੈਮ ਰਾਜਪੂਤ, ਪ੍ਰੋ. ਏਮੈਰਿਟਸ ਮਹਿਲਾ ਅਧਯਯਨ ਆਰ ਵਿਕਾਸ ਕੇਂਡਰ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਵਿਸ਼ਵਵਿਦਯਾਲਯ, ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ ਕੀ ਸੰਸਥਾਪਕ ਨਿਦੇਸ਼ਕ ਨੇ ਅਧਯਕਸ਼ੀਯ ਭਾਸ਼ਣ ਦਿਆ। ਮੁਖਯ ਵਕਤਾ ਕੇ ਤੌਰ ਪਰ ਡਾ. ਰਿਤੁ ਲੇਹਲ ਨਿਦੇਸ਼ਕ ਮਹਿਲਾ ਅਧਯਯਨ ਕੇਂਡਰ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਯੂਨਿਵਰਸਿਟੀ ਪਟਿਆਲਾ ਪਹੁੰਚੀ। ਵਿਭਿੰਨ ਵਿਸ਼ਵਵਿਦਯਾਲਯੋਂ ਆਰ ਕਾਲੇਜੋਂ ਕੇ ਸ਼ੋਧ ਵਿਦਵਾਨੋਂ ਆਰ ਸੰਕਾਯ ਸਦਸਯੋਂ ਦੁਆਰਾ ਖੇਪਰ ਪ੍ਰਸਤੁਤ ਕ੍ਰਿਏ ਗਏ। ਸੰਗੋਸ਼ਟੀ ਕੀ ਸੰਯੋਜਕ ਡਾ. ਮਧੁ ਧਵਨ, ਅਧਯਕਸ਼, ਸਮਾਜਸ਼ਾਸਤਰ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਰਹੀ। ਕਾਲੇਜ ਗਵਰਨਿੰਗ ਭਾਡੀ ਕੇ ਮਹਾਸਚਿਕ ਇੰਜੀਨਿਯਰ ਗੁਰਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸਰਨਾ ਨੇ ਧਨਯਵਾਦ ਪ੍ਰਸਤਾਵ ਦਿਆ ਆਰ ਇਸ ਪ੍ਰਯਾਸ ਕੇ ਲਿਏ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਕੋ ਬਧਾਏਂ ਦੀ। ਪ੍ਰਿੰਸਿਪਲ ਡਾ. ਸਨੀਤਾ ਕਾਹਲੋਂ ਨੇ ਸਫਲ ਆਯੋਜਨ ਪਰ ਬਧਾਏਂ ਦੀ।



ਜੀ.ਐਨ.ਕੇ.ਸੀ.ਡਬਲਯੂ. ਵਿਖੇ ਸਮਾਗਮ ਦੌਰਾਨ ਪਤਵੰਤੇ ਸੱਜਣਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਬੂਟਾ ਭੇਟ ਕਰਦੇ ਜਨਰਲ ਸਕੱਤਰ ਇੰਜੀਨੀਅਰ ਗੁਰਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸਰਨਾ, ਪ੍ਰਿੰਸੀਪਲ ਡਾ.ਮਨੀਤਾ ਕਾਹਲੋਂ ਤੇ ਹੋਰ। ਅਜੀਤ ਤਸਵੀਰ

### ਜੀ.ਐਨ.ਕੇ.ਸੀ.ਡਬਲਯੂ. ਵਿਖੇ ਰਾਸ਼ਟਰੀ ਸੈਮੀਨਾਰ ਕਰਵਾਇਆ

ਲੁਧਿਆਣਾ, 4 ਫਰਵਰੀ (ਪੁਨੀਤ ਬਾਵਾ)- ਗੁਰੂ ਨਾਨਕ ਖਾਲਸਾ ਕਾਲਜ ਲੜਕੀਆਂ ਦੇ ਇੰਟਰਨਲ ਕੁਆਲਿਟੀ ਐਸ਼ਰੈਂਸ ਸੈੱਲ ਦੀ ਅਗਵਾਈ ਹੇਠ ਸਮਾਜ ਸ਼ਾਸਤਰ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਨੇ ਕਾਲਜ ਕੈਂਪਸ 'ਚ 'ਲਿੰਗ ਸਮਾਵੇਸ਼ੀ ਵੱਲ ਲਿੰਗ ਦੇ ਆਲੇ-ਦੁਆਲੇ ਉਭਰਦੇ ਸਮਕਾਲੀ ਮੁੱਦੇ' ਵਿਸ਼ੇ 'ਤੇ ਕਾਲਜ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਕੌਂਸਲ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਯੂਨੀਵਰਸਿਟੀ ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ ਦੁਆਰਾ ਇਕ ਰਾਸ਼ਟਰੀ ਸੈਮੀਨਾਰ ਕਰਵਾਇਆ। ਪ੍ਰੋ. ਪੈਮ ਰਾਜਪੂਤ, ਪ੍ਰੋਫੈਸਰ ਐਮਰੀਟਸ ਸੰਸਥਾਪਕ ਡਾਇਰੈਕਟਰ ਸੈਂਟਰ ਫਾਰ ਵਿਮੇਨ ਸਟੱਡੀਜ਼ ਐਂਡ ਡਿਵੈਲਪਮੈਂਟ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਯੂਨੀਵਰਸਿਟੀ ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ ਨੇ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨਗੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਣ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਜਦੋਂ ਕਿ ਡਾ. ਰੀਤੁ ਲਹਿਲ ਡਾਇਰੈਕਟਰ ਵਿਮੇਨ ਸਟੱਡੀਜ਼ ਸੈਂਟਰ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਯੂਨੀਵਰਸਿਟੀ ਪਟਿਆਲਾ ਨੇ ਮੁੱਖ

ਭਾਸ਼ਣ ਦਿੱਤਾ। ਇਸ ਮੌਕੇ ਹਾਜ਼ਰ ਹੋਰ ਸ਼ਖਸੀਅਤਾਂ 'ਚ ਪ੍ਰੋ. ਸੁਖਮਨੀ ਬਲ ਰਿਆੜ (ਪ੍ਰੋਫੈਸਰ, ਇਤਿਹਾਸ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਪੀ.ਯੂ. ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ), ਡਾ. ਉਪਨੀਤ ਕੌਰ ਮਾਂਗਟ (ਚੇਅਰਪਰਸਨ ਸੈਂਟਰ ਫਾਰ ਹਿਊਮਨ ਰਾਈਟਸ ਐਂਡ ਡਿਊਟੀਜ਼ ਪੀ.ਯੂ. ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ) ਤੇ ਡਾ. ਸੁਨੀਤਾ ਸੋਸ਼ਾਦਰੀ (ਡਿਪਟੀ ਡਾਇਰੈਕਟਰ, ਐਨ.ਆਈ.ਪੀ.ਪੀ.ਸੀ.ਡੀ., ਮੋਹਾਲੀ) ਸਨ। ਕਾਲਜ ਦੀ ਪ੍ਰਿੰਸੀਪਲ ਡਾ.ਮਨੀਤਾ ਕਾਹਲੋਂ ਨੇ ਪਤਵੰਤਿਆਂ, ਮਹਿਮਾਨਾਂ ਤੇ ਹਾਜ਼ਰੀਨ ਦਾ ਸਵਾਗਤ ਕੀਤਾ। ਸੈਮੀਨਾਰ ਦੇ ਕਨਵੀਨਰ ਸਮਾਜ ਸ਼ਾਸਤਰ ਵਿਭਾਗ ਦੇ ਮੁਖੀ ਡਾ. ਮਧੂ ਧਵਨ ਸਨ। ਕਾਲਜ ਗਵਰਨਿੰਗ ਬਾਡੀ ਦੇ ਜਨਰਲ ਸਕੱਤਰ ਇੰਜੀਨੀਅਰ ਗੁਰਵਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਸਰਨਾ ਨੇ ਪੰਨਵਾਦ ਦਾ ਮਤਾ ਪੇਸ਼ ਕੀਤਾ।



## **SEMINARS AND EXTENSION LECTURERS ORGANISED UNDER IQAC**

**During the academic year January to June 2023, many seminars and extension lecturer were organised under IQAC**

- An Investor Awareness program was organized on January 19, 2023. Mr. Gaurav Rakheja, and Mr. Saurabh Goyal from ICICI Securities Private Wealth Management, were the resource persons. They highlighted various financial instruments and available career opportunities, investment opportunities, and rights and obligations while dealing in the financial market. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon emphasized the students to have a practical approach and encouraged them to prepare for and appear in various exams conducted from time to time in this
- A seminar was organized on “Export Awareness” for the students of B.Com and BBA on January 21, 2023 under the guidance of the Placement officers, Dr. Neetu Prakash and Dr. Nidhi Sharma. The resource person for the seminar was Mr. Narendra Manohar, Branch Manager, IIEM- International Institute of Import and Export Management. He has a rich experience of 25+ years in the export market. He explained to the students about the opportunities available in the export import industry. He talked about shipping and logistics management, export cycles, pre and post shipment procedures and documentation, online marketing, risk management and market selection. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon expressed her gratitude to the resource person. She said that such endeavors are important to create awareness among students about various opportunities available.
- A 3-Day skill based online course on “Digital Marketing” was organized on the campus in association with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (MGNCRE), Ministry of Education, Government of India from January 23 to January 25, 2023. Mr. Ajay Tanwar, Consultant, MGNCRE, was the resource person. During the three days of the course, the resource person elaborated on the concept of Digital Marketing and provided hands-on experience on creating Google Ads, and handling digital marketing campaigns on popular social media platforms. Mr. Ajay also demonstrated free website and blog creation. The course conduction was coordinated by Ms. Daisy Wadhwa and Ms. Satwant Kaur, Assistant Professors in Computer Science. 80 participants successfully completed the course. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon informed that this skill-based course has been conducted to aid students design a career in the high-growth field of digital marketing. The course was well Advertised on social media platforms on January 22, 2023, in which Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon informed that the skill-based course will be conducted by Mr. Ajay Tanwar, Consultant, MGNCRE,

and will prepare the students to design their careers in the high-growth field of digital marketing. The links of the advert are also shared in the relevant column.

- An awareness talk was organized by the college to mark the World Leprosy Eradication Day on January 27, 2023. The session was conducted by Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, the coordinator of the Red Ribbon Club. During the session, the students were apprised of the causes of leprosy, the ways in which this disease spreads, and the available treatment modalities. Furthermore, the resource person highlighted the importance of the day in relation to India as it is observed on January 30 in memory of Mahatma Gandhi for his selfless efforts and care for the persons affected with leprosy. This session was attended by 45 students, and the teaching, and non-teaching faculty members. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon emphasized that it is important to raise awareness of the disease to end leprosy-related stigma and discrimination.
- A lecture was organized in the college on the occasion of the Birth Anniversary of the 'Lion of Punjab' Lala Lajpat Rai on January 28, 2023. Ms. Rajwinder Kaur and Mrs. Sandeep Kaur, Assistant Professors of History, enlightened the students about the life and sacrifices of the great freedom fighter Lala Lajpat Rai. Students also expressed their views on the life and philosophy of the great freedom fighter. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon motivated the students to take inspiration from the life of Lala Lajpat Rai and follow the path of truth.
- A one-day Faculty Development Programme was organized on January 31, 2023 on the topic 'Discovering One's Potential as a Teacher.' Dr. Sachin Sidhra, Assistant Professor and Head at the Department of Soft Skills for the School of Computer Science and Engineering at Lovely Professional University, Jalandhar, was the resource person of the FDP. During his interaction in the FDP, Dr. Sachin elaborated on research-based guidelines and attributes essential for building potential as a 21st century teacher. This FDP was attended by the teaching and non-teaching staff and was convened by Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Head of the Department of Computer Science and Applications. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon thanked the resource person for his valuable insights. She emphasized on the importance of striving towards work-life balance to enhance productivity and well-being.
- A 2-day Leadership course for final year students was organized on February 01-02, 2023 under the guidance of placement officers, Dr. Neetu Prakash and Dr. Nidhi Sharma. The resource person for the workshop was Coach (Mrs.) Bhavna Sharma, founder and CEO at Urban English Academy, life coach, leadership trainer and parent coach. She has trained more than two thousand students of IELTS, PTE, and Personality, and Spoken English Development. During the seminar, the resource person covered several life-changing aspects to bring balance in life and overcome the challenges faced by students specially goal setting, dealing with procrastination, choosing the right career option by understanding the inner strengths. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon expressed immense gratitude to the resource person

for bringing untouched concepts to light, considering such events instrumental for achieving goals faster

- A Seminar on “The Road Less Travelled- How healthy lifestyle leads to a Happy Life” was organized in the college. On February 06,2023. Resource person for the seminar was the renowned Dietician Ms. Sonia Kochar from Diet Well Weight Lose Clinic, Ludhiana. She addressed the students on important topics pertaining to Women Health Care with a special focus on PCOD, and other menstrual issues faced by women. She discussed a healthy diet and how to maintain a healthy lifestyle in today’s busy life. She talked about various healthy snacks available which are healthy and tasty as well to replace with fried food or junk food. Also, she talked about various ways of managing stressful life these days. She conducted a quiz for the students for which they were given exciting, healthy giveaways. In addition, adopting meditation as a part of life, how to meditate and the importance of laughter in our busy stressful life was also discussed by the resource person. Laughter therapy and a meditation session of a few minutes was also carried out during the seminar which was heartily enjoyed by the audience. Students of the department participated in this Seminar with full enthusiasm by making the session interactive. The seminar hall was decorated with beautiful posters and charts depicting healthy eating habits and lifestyle. Few students brought healthy snacks that they cook and eat in their routine and shared the recipes with other students and faculty.
- A seminar was organized by the college on “Career guidance” for the students of BBA and B.Com on February 6,2023 The resource person for the workshop was Mr. Rahul Paul, Business Development Officer, and Hit Bulls Eye Ludhiana. He explained to the students about career opportunities after graduation, Hit Bulls Eye scholarship test, importance of aptitude and knowledge of current affairs in cracking competitive exams and job prospects. He stressed that along with the qualifications and skills required for any job, we need to face interviews with utmost confidence
- A seminar on “Idea Generation and Creativity” was organized for the students of BBA and BCA final year.on February 07,2023.Er. Shilpa Miglani Narang, Assistant Professor cum Training and Placement Officer, Guru Nanak Institute of Management and Technology, Ludhiana was the resource person. She talked about career opportunities and start up options for young entrepreneurs. She discussed the basics of idea generation and the role of creativity in making business plans. The resource person also conducted a short activity on idea generation with the students for shortlisting candidates for upcoming business plan contests at GNIMT. The activity was organized by Placement In-charges Dr. Neetu Prakash and Dr. Nidhi Sharma.
- An interactive session on Cancer awareness was held in the college. On February 09,2023 Dr. Ashrita Singh, MBBS from Sri Guru Ram Das University of Health

Sciences, Amritsar was the resource person. Dr. Singh, who is currently pursuing research on cancer, enlightened the students and faculty about the causes of cervical and breast cancer, the possible symptoms, diagnosis and treatment. She also informed about the national cancer screening programmes. During her interaction, Dr. Arshita stressed that early detection is important in the management and treatment of cancer and also prevention by making necessary changes in lifestyle. This awareness session was convened by Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, coordinator of Red Ribbon Club. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon mentioned that this cancer awareness talk was organized in line with the theme of World Cancer Day (celebrated on February 04, 2023), “Close the care gap”. She added that as the incidences of cancer are rising rapidly worldwide, we need to unite to step up cancer literacy and knowledge amongst everyone.

- A workshop on ‘Decorative items out of waste products’ organized was conducted by Dr. Sharanbir Kaur Bal, Associate Professor, Department of Family Resource Management, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana. on February 22, 2023 She touched the topic of ‘Sustainability’ where she threw light on how we are polluting the environment by mindlessly discarding items. She encouraged the students to follow three ‘R’s (Reduce, Reuse and Recycle) in life, and upcycle discarded items for making beautiful decorative articles. She explained the topic with the help of a PowerPoint presentation and also demonstrated the method of converting paddy straw into beautiful, decorative and useful items. 30 students enthusiastically participated in learning this art. The activity was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Shikha Bajaj and Ms. Yukti Khurana.
- The PG Department of English organized an interactive session with Dr. Gurpartap Khairah, Academic, Poet, Author in the college campus on February 25, 2023 Dr. Gurpartap Khairah was in the college to promote his latest book “How Dinkar Lost His Job and Found a Life”. A student panel consisting of Harshpreet Kaur (MA II), Simranjeet Kaur (BA III) and Sehaj Arora (BA II) interviewed Dr. Khairah in a formal format. The house was later opened for informal discussion. Dr. Khairah is an Associate Professor at Hindu college, Amritsar and has many books to his credit. A Celebrated Author, he has participated in many literary festivals across India. The event was coordinated by Dr. Anupam Vatsyayan and Mrs. Gaganeet Pal Kaur Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon encouraged the students to participate in such events which will help them to enhance their creative skills
- An Expert Lecture on “Financial management” was delivered on the college campus on February 28, 2023 by Dr. Pallavi Kataria, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce and Management, LR DAV College Jagraon. She threw light on the topic of Capital Structure and Leverage. She explained the topic with the help of a presentation and she cleared the doubts of the students. During the session, the resource person briefly explained the concepts of debt, equity and leverage. The students of BBA I and BBA II attended this lecture. This activity

was organized by Dr. Nidhi Sharma, Head Department of Business Management and Ms. Sarika Jaiswal (Assistant Professor).

- A Career Counseling session was organized by the college for the B.Com final year students on March 03, 2023. Teachers informed the students about the different career opportunities after their graduation as well as different fields in which they can pursue their career after completing B.Com. The importance and scope of post-graduate studies was thoroughly discussed with the students. The various career options after PG were elaborated. This included numerous sectors such as banking, corporate, stock market, education, insurance, government etc.
- A Career Guidance session for commerce and management students was organized on February 15, 2023 under the guidance of placement officers, Dr. Neetu Prakash and Dr. Nidhi Sharma in college. The resource persons for the session were Mr. Aakash Bhardwaj and Mr. Imran Khan from Unacademy. Unacademy is India's largest e-learning platform with over 2 million views every month and success stories of thousands of students who have cracked the toughest of examinations like UPSC, CAT, OMET, GATE, etc. The speakers educated the students about various competitive examinations and how to prepare through Unacademy. They also discussed various career opportunities available for the students after graduation. The session was quite interesting and interactive with the involvement of students in activities and use of motivational videos. The session was a part of Unacademy's mission to "Democratize education and make quality education accessible to everyone". The whole activity was coordinated by Mohinder Kumar and Sahil Roshan, Academic Counsellors from Unacademy. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon expressed immense gratitude to the resource persons for bringing untouched concepts to light, considering such sessions instrumental.
- A Lecture on Benefits of using Millets in a diabetic diet was organized in the college on February 12, 2023. This activity was conducted as a part of monthly activity of the college, as guided by DoHE, UGC to build up momentum for popularization of millets and to make "IYoM-2023". It was organized under the guidance of Mrs. Shikha Kalra and Mrs. Amarpreet Kaur. 32 students actively participated in the Lecture. Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon encouraged the use of millets as traditional staple nutritive cereals which are not only rich in fiber content but also have low glycemic index making them best suited in diabetic diet.
- Under the aegis of Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Department of History of Guru Nanak Khalsa College for women, Model town Ludhiana organized a lecture on the Remembering of Martyrs of Jallianwala Bagh Massacre in college campus on February 13, 2023 who laid down their lives on this day 13 April 1919. This day is also known as Khooni Vaisakhi as a large peaceful crowd had gathered at Jallianwala Bagh in Amritsar to protest against the Rowlatt Act. Reginald Dyer ordered troops to shoot at the crowd. This activity was conducted by Mrs. Sandeep kaur, Head of the Department of History. The college Principal Dr. Maneeta

Kahlon also enlightens the students that Jallianwala Bagh Massacre marked a turning point in the struggle for India's independence .

- Under the aegis of IQAC, House of Readers- Book club of the college organized an extension lecture on April 19,2023 usage of library in the digital era. This lecture was delivered by Dr. Sangita Gupta, Professor, Head and Dean of the faculty of Social Sciences. Dr. Gupta also holds the position of Head of Library Science department of Jammu University, Jammu. Dr. Balbir Kaur, Head Librarian of the college welcomed the resource person. Dr. Sangita informed about the DOAJ resources and the online repositories for accessing open source documents. Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon thanked the resource person for sparing her valuable time in explaining the multitude information resources available online for education

### **RESEARCH ACTIVITIES OF FACULTY MEMBERS**

**The achievements of faculty members during January to June 2023 are given below:**

#### **Faculty Achievements for the Month of January , 2023**

Mrs . **Manmeet Kaur and Dr. Shikha Bajaj** successfully completed the online National Level Research Quiz on Jan 4 and 5 conducted by Ashirwad Education Center, Ahmedabad, Gujarat.

- **Dr. Neetu Prakash and Mrs. Satwant Kaur**, NSS Program Officers attended an online meeting on Jan 10 organized by Regional Director of NSS, Chandigarh under the directions of Ministry of Youth & Sports, Govt. of India.

- **Mrs. Shikha Kalra** attended UGC sponsored online Refresher Course in Gender Studies (ID) conducted at UGC, HRDC Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi from December 29, 2022 to Jan 11, 2023.

- **Dr. Punpreet Kaur, Dr. Nidhi Sharma and Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur** presented their papers in a One Day National Seminar on 'Gender Binary(ies): Praxis, Projections and Reflections' organized by Gobindgarh Public College, Alour- Khanna on Jan 19,2023.

- **Ms. Daisy Wadhwa and Ms. Harpreet Kaur** participated in the Masterclass on 'Propagating active learning at Scale' organized by the EdTech society (IIT Bombay) on Jan 20, 2023.

- **Dr. Shikha Bajaj, Dr. Shikha Kalra and Mrs. Amarpreet Kaur** were appointed as resource person for 2 sessions during Skill training for rural youth (STRY) on theme 'Entrepreneurship opportunities for youth' in collaboration with Punjab Agriculture Management and Extension Training institute (PAMETI), Ludhiana and National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad, during Jan 16-21,2023

- **Mrs. Manmeet Kaur** attended 17th Chetana -online Lecture Series: 'Holistic Education and SPICMACAY "on Jan 24,2023

- **16 members of the teaching and non-teaching staff** has successfully completed a **3-day Skill Development Online Course on “Digital Marketing”** organized by Department of Computer Science and Applications, GNKCW in association with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (Ministry of Education, Govt. of India) from Jan 23 -25.
- **Mrs. Shikha Kalra and Ms. Yukti Khurana** attended free online E-Learning Masterclass of ‘Learn Healthy & Delicious Cooking with Millets’ by Wellcure on Jan 27.
- **Lt. Sukhjit Kaur** attended a webinar on 'Quality Concerns in Teacher Education in The Context of NEP 2020' on Jan 29, organized by D.A.V college of Education, Abohar.
- **Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon and Dr. Nidhi Sharma** received a token of appreciation for successfully conducting the Future Business Sharks contest in the college on Jan 30, organized by Hit Bulls Eye in collaboration with TIE Chandigarh.

### **Faculty Achievements for the Month of February 2023**

- **20 faculty members presented papers in CDC sponsored National Seminar** organised by Department of Sociology on February 04, 2023 on ‘Towards Gender Inclusivity: Emerging contemporary issues around Gender’ at GNKCW, Ludhiana.
- **Dr. Punpreet Kaur** presented paper on ‘Impact of New Education Policy 2020 on Higher Education’ in CDC sponsored Seminar on NEP 2020: Towards a Multidisciplinary Approach to Education at GHG Khalsa College of Education, Gursar Sadhar, Ludhiana on February 04 , 2023.
- **Ms. Shikha Kalra** attended National Webinar on Fundamentals of Quantum Physics organized by Department of Physics, Gujranwala Guru Nanak Khalsa College, Civil Lines, Ludhiana on February 06, 2023.
- **Lt. Ms. Sukhjit Kaur** presented a paper titled New Education Policy 2020 of India: A Critical Analysis as a part of CDC sponsored National Seminar on February 07, 2023 on NEP: Issues, Challenges and Implications, organized by Department of Economics, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur.
- **Ms. Shikha Kalra** attended online Workshop on National Educational Policy 2020: Multidisciplinary and Holistic Education organized by UGC-HRDC, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, on February 10, 2023.
- **25 faculty members presented papers in ICHR sponsored 2-Day National Seminar** by Department of History on February 10-11, 2023 on ‘Role of Punjab in the Freedom Struggle of India’ at GNKCW, Ludhiana
- **Ms. Shikha Kalra** presented a paper ‘Impact of Rural Labour Male out-migration on health status of left behind Women - Challenges and a way forward’ in CDC sponsored National Seminar on Environmental Sustainability and Conservation-Issues and Challenges organized by IQAC, Devki Devi Jain Memorial College for Women, Kidwai Nagar, Ludhiana on February 14, 2023.
- **Ms. Baljeet Kaur** presented a paper on the topic ‘Social Entrepreneurship - An innovative way to ensure environmental sustainability’ at CDC sponsored National Seminar on ‘Environmental Sustainability and Conservation- Issues and Challenges’ organized by Devki Devi Jain memorial college for Women, Ludhiana on February 14, 2023.
- **Ms. Daisy Wadhwa** was invited as an expert for the evaluation of MOOC

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- **Ms. Monica Sharma** presented a paper on the topic 'Punjab Youth's Migration - Reasons and Consequences' CDC sponsored national seminar on 'Brain Drain to Muscle Drain: A real dent to the economy of state' organised by Arya College, Ludhiana on February 21, 2023.
- **Ms. Prabhjot Kaur** was honored for her contribution in the field of Folk Dance by Folk Culture Press (Reg.), Gurdaspur on February 24, 2023
- **Ms. Kritika Gupta** presented a paper on the topic 'Professional Development: Key to Sustainable Growth' on February 24, 2023 at Partap IPDA International Conference 2023 in collaboration with International Professional Development Association, UK.



- **Ms. Rajwinder Kaur** presented a paper in CDC sponsored National Seminar on 'National Education Policy 2020 - Changes in Higher Education Institution with focus on Faculty Development' on the topic on February 25, 2023 - organised by AS College of Education, Khanna.
- **Dr. Neetu Prakash** presented a paper on the topic 'Key Employability Skills to be Successful in the Workplace' February 25, 2023 at A.S College of Education, Khanna.

### **Faculty Achievements for the Month of March 2023**

- **Ms. Harpreet Kaur** from the Computer Science Department attended Webinar on the Topic 'DataHour: Application of ML Classification Techniques in Banking Industry' by Farrukh Aziz, organized by Analytics Vidhya, March 1, 2023
- **Mrs. Manmeet Kaur**, PG Department of Commerce attended online post budget webinar "Developing Tourism in Mission Mode" on March 3, 2023
- **Ms. Shalini** from Music Department participated in the workshop on the topic 'Riyaz in Indian music' organized by Master Tara Singh Memorial College for Women, Ludhiana on March 3, 2023
- **Dr. Madhu Dhawan** from Sociology Department presented a paper on the topic 'Implication of Intellectual Property Rights for Social Well Being' in one-day national seminar on 'MOOCs and Intellectual Property Rights' organized by Guru Nanak National College, Doraha on March 4, 2023
- Madam Principal **Dr. Maneeta Kahlon** was honored by Punjab Pride Awards under the category of "Dhee Punjab Di" on March 9, 2023 for the exemplary services and meritorious achievements in the field of education, leadership and social responsibility. Punjab Pride Awards Season 3 was hosted by Gulzar Group of Institutions
- **Mrs. Kavita Kuplish**, Asst. Prof. in English received an appreciation award, Question-Master Award for asking thought-provoking questions and promoting intellectual curiosity, critical thinking, and enhancing knowledge in a training programme titled "Mastering the Art of Communication and Self-Growth", organized by RESolv Education and Training Programs (RETP), USA held from February 26, to March 11, 2023
- **Mrs. Manmeet Kaur**, PG Department of Commerce attended webinar of "SAMVAD" --a LIVE interaction session by Prof. M. Jagadish Kumar, Chairperson, UGC on March 15, 2023
- **Ms. Harpreet Kaur** from the Computer Science Department received a course completion certificate on the topic "Data Analysis with R Programming" on March 16, 2023 authorized by Google and offered through Coursera
- **Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur**, PG Department of Commerce presented paper in 4th National Research Scholar Meet 2023 on the theme 'Evolving Trends and Challenges in Multidisciplinary Research' and the topic of the paper "COVID-19 Impact on the Online On-Demand Home Services Market" on March 16-17, 2023

organized by Sri Guru Granth Sahib World University Fatehgarh Sahib in collaboration with Indian Science Congress Association

- **Ms. Harpreet Kaur** from the Computer Science Department was awarded the certificate of achievement for the successful completion of AI for Women by GUVI on March 17, 2023
- **Dr. Kuldeep Kaur** from PG Department of Commerce presented a paper titled 'NEP 2020- A Way of Sustainable Development through Education' in the NAAC-sponsored National Seminar on "Revisiting and Rethinking the NAAC Accreditation Framework in the Light of NEP 2020: Issues and Challenges" organized by G. H. G. Institute of Law, Sidhwan Khurd, Ludhiana on March 18, 2023
- **Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Ms. Harpreet Kaur, and Ms. Richa** participated in Masterclass on Educational Content Curation, organized by EdTech Society, IIT Bombay on March 22, 2023
- **Mrs. Manmeet Kaur**, PG Department of Commerce attended a webinar on "Update on Fixed Income and FOF way Forward" on March 26, 2023

#### **Faculty Achievements for the Month of April 2023**

- **Ms. Harpreet Kaur** published her paper titled "Map Reduce-Mechanism to manage Big Volume Data Sets" in Scopus indexed journal- Journal of Data Acquisition and Processing, published on April 7, 2023, Volume 38 Issue 2, ISSN: 1004-9037
- **Mrs. Kavita Kuplish and Mrs. Upinder Kaur** presented their papers at National Seminar 'Humanistic Concerns: A preview through Partition Literature' organized by GGN Khalsa College, Ludhiana on April 11, 2023
- The artwork of **Mrs. Harpreet Kaur** was selected in International Online Art Exhibition 23.1 organized by 'The World's Artist Community- Niddar Art' on World Art Day, April 15, 2023
- **Blossom Singla** attended a One-week online National Workshop on "Concepts of Statistical Data Analysis" from April 15-20, 2023 organized by Human Behavtics Private Limited
- **Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon** attended the Principals Meet at Panjab University Chandigarh to discuss the Implementation of National Education Policy on April 20, 2023. The meeting was chaired by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the University
- **Dr. Kuldeep Kaur, Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur, Mrs. Harpreet Kaur, Dr. Anupam Vatsyayan, and Mrs. Gagneet Pal Kaur** presented their papers in the NAAC sponsored National Seminar on "Best Practices in Higher Education- A Quality Initiative" organized by DAV College, Hoshiarpur on April 20, 2023
- The artwork of **Mrs. Harpreet Kaur** is selected to be presented in the International online Art Exhibition on World Art Day organized by Bindaas Artist Group from April 22-May 22, 2023

- **Mrs. Harpreet Kaur** was invited for a guest lecture by B.C.M Arya Model Sr. Sec. School, Shastri Nagar, Ludhiana on April 22, 2023
- **Ms. Harpreet Kaur and Mrs. Richa** successfully completed a five-week online course “Introduction to Social Media Marketing” authorized by CoL (Commonwealth of Learning) under MOOCs for development. Mrs. Meenu Dhall received a participation certificate in the same course
- **Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Ms. Harpreet Kaur, and Mrs. Richa** attended an online panel discussion on “Integrating ChatGPT in education” organized by EdTech Society, IIT Bombay on April 27, 2023

### **Faculty Achievements for the month of May, 2023**

- Ms. Daisy Wadhwa conducted an online orientation programme on ‘E-content Development’ for the team at Pratham Mumbai Education Initiative on May 4, 2023.
- Mrs. Maninder Kaur, Mrs. Seema Dua, Mrs. Kirti & Mrs. Amarpreet Kaur attended a national webinar on “Academic bank of credit” organized by MDSD college, Ambala city on May 6, 2023.
- Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Mrs. Seema Dua and Dr. Nidhi attended an Orientation Programme on National Education Policy organized by College Development Council, Panjab University, Chandigarh on May 9, 2023.
- All staff members attended an Interactive session on University Grants Commission (Redressal of Grievances of Students) Regulation 2023, conducted by Chairman UGC Prof M. Jagadesh Kumar on May 9, 2023.
- Staff members attended a live Webcast of Hon’ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi 's Address on "National Technology Day" on May 11, 2023.
- Mrs. Upinder Kaur participated in a five-day virtual workshop on the topic “Research Methodology in Operation” organized by DAV College of Education, Abohar, held on May 13-17, 2023.
- Ms. Daisy Wadhwa topped in the 12-week NPTEL MOOC on ‘Privacy and Security in Online Social Media’ by scoring 88%. This course was conducted by IIIT, Hyderabad from January -April, 2023 and the examination result was declared on May 15, 2023.
- Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Ms. Harpreet Kaur & Mrs. Richa completed a 5-Day Online International Faculty Development Program on ‘Data Science and Chat GPT’ organized by K L Deemed to be University in Collaboration with ExcelR from May 15-19, 2023.
- Dr. Maneeta Kahlon, Principal of the college attended a video conference for Internship under "The Urban Learning Internship Program (TULIP)" programme of Smart City Mission and Swachh Bharat Mission under Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs (MoHUA), Govt of India on May 18, 2023..
- Mrs. Upinder Kaur attended an online webinar on the topic ‘Life Skills in the Classroom and Beyond: Guidelines for Educators’ organized by ELTAI-English Language Teachers’ Association of India held on May 28, 2023.
- Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Ms Harpreet Kaur (Computer Science Deptt.) & Mrs. Richa participated in a Masterclass on “How to gather precise and actionable feedback from students through online video lectures” organized by the EdTech Society, IIT Bombay on May 29, 2023.

- Ms. Daisy Wadhwa, Mrs. Seema Dua, Dr. Nidhi, Mrs. Maninder Kaur and Mrs. Shikha Kalra attended an online meeting on National Education Policy Implementation organized by College Development Council, Panjab University, Chandigarh on May 30, 2023.

### **Faculty Achievements for the month of June, 2023**

- Mrs. Upinder Kaur attended an International webinar on the topic 'Communications Skills in The Digital Age' organized by Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College, Sri Anandpur Sahib held on June 6.
- Dr. Punpreet Kaur & Mrs. Rajwinder Kaur presented papers in One Day National Seminar on "Role of National Education Policy in Re-Accreditation Framework for Higher Education" sponsored by ICSSR and organized by Gobindgarh Public College, Alour, Khanna on June 10.
- Dr. Punpreet Kaur, Mrs. Kirti Dhawan & Mrs. Shikha Kalra successfully completed a 4 week professional development programme on "National Education Policy 2020" organized by SWAYAM and IGNOU from May 16 to June 16.
- College Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon has participated in two day face to face workshop on "Vulnerabilities and Risks in Punjab: Moving towards Disaster risk Reduction" from June 15 to June 16 organized by MGSIPA, Govt. of Punjab in collaboration of NIDM, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India.
- Mr. Suresh Kumar, member of Administrative staff, attended capacity building training for staff in higher educational institutions on 'GeM Portal & its Functioning' conducted by Human Resource Centre, Panjab University, Chandigarh on June 16.
- Harvinder Kaur, Manju & Daljit Kaur, members of library staff participated in online Training program on Koha: Library Management system on June 17-18
- Sandeep Kaur & Harleen Kaur, Completed online course on 'Intro to Graphic Design with Photoshop'

### **INDUSTRIAL VISITS**

- An industrial visit was arranged by the college to Shreyans Industries Ltd. Ahmedgarh (Paper Mill) for the students of B.Com (Honours) semester IV on January 31, 2023. The students visited the unit which deals with the production of papers. The Human Resource Manager Mr Bhagwati Prasad instructed the students about various precautions to be taken and gave a brief description about the procedure of making paper. Students were also apprised of the production process and their queries were effectively answered. The visit enriched the knowledge of students and provided an opportunity to gain practical experience. Mrs. Maninder Kaur, Head of P G Department of Commerce organized the visit and teacher's in-charge, Dr. Pratibha Tyagi and Dr. Anu Gupta accompanied the students. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon encouraged the students and staff to organize such

visits, which provide practical industry exposure and are helpful for the overall development of the students.

- A visit to the Diamond Jubilee Book Fest held at PAU, Ludhiana was arranged for the students on February 2, 2023. A huge number of leading publishers and book distributors from all over India participated in this book fair. Students bought books on various subjects from the stalls. The students were also accompanied by the members of the faculty- Ms. Harpreet Kaur, Ms. Rajwinder Kaur, Ms. Sarabjeet Kaur and Ms. Kritika Gupta. On this occasion, Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon emphasized the significance of books in our lives and stated that the college always promotes this unique relationship with books through a number of activities.
- A visit to GMMSA expo was arranged for the students of Fashion Designing and Home Science on February 13, 2023. 23 students visited the expo which included a live demo of Technology and Textile machinery. Students visited various halls of Knitting, printing machines. Working and functioning of machines was explained to the students. Students understood the application of many types of machines. Queries of the students were answered in a very effective and easy way. Dr. Shikha Bajaj and Ms. Amarpreet, organized the visit and accompanied the students. Total 23 students visited this expo..Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon encouraged the students and staff to organize such visits which provide practical industry exposure and are helpful for the overall development of the students
- An Industrial Visit to Emson Gears pvt Ltd.was arranged by the college on February 13, 2023 for the students of BBA 2nd, 4th and 6th semesters. 72 students along with their class in-charge Ms. Sarika, Ms. Sanya and Ms. Minika first visited the holy Gurudwara Shri Degsar Sahib, Katani Kalan to seek blessings of Almighty and to get connected with our rich cultural heritage .The students visited the gear unit located at Sahnewal Khurd which deals with production of gears for various companies. During the visit, students were apprised about the process of manufacturing of gears including cutting, grinding, smoothening, alignment, testing and quality control sections. Students understood the working and application of many types of automatic and semi- automatic machines. They were able to comprehend the working of a gear manufacturing company. They also got a chance to interact with the technical staff of the organization. Queries of the students were effectively handled by the technical staff. The visit enriched the knowledge of students and provided practical exposure. Dr. Nidhi Sharma, Head of department of Business Management organized the visit and accompanied them also.