

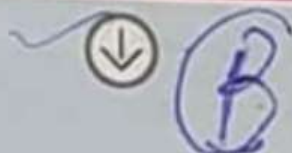
2020-21

One day Seminar

Hamidi Kashmiri life and literary works

Hamidi Kashmiri Memorial Govt Degree College Idgah organised a one-day seminar on 22nd Dec 2021. The main aim of the seminar was to commemorate the life and literary works of Professor Hamidi Kashmiri, an eminent Kashmiri poet whose name our college was renamed. Prominent subject experts including professor Nazir Ahmad Malik (ex-Dean and ex-Head of Department of Urdu University of Kashmir), Professor





Two day workshop on Formal letter writing

2-3 June 2021

The Department of English GDC Eidgah conducted a two-day online workshop on Formal Letter Writing from 2nd - 3rd June 2021. The workshop concluded with an online test in which the students wrote formal letters impromptu.



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**About
FDP**

Molecular biology is study of biology at the molecular level. The field overlaps with other areas of biology and chemistry, particularly genetics and biochemistry. Molecular biology revolves around the central dogma DNA → RNA → protein. This is a 7-day training workshop that will enable participants acquire the knowledge of basic molecular techniques required for success in scientific research. This workshop includes theory as well as hands on sessions on basic techniques used in molecular biology such as Genomic DNA isolation, RNA Isolation, gel electrophoresis, cDNA synthesis, Restriction Digestion, and PCR. The workshop also includes demonstration of real time PCR and RFLP. Participants will be isolating DNA from bacteria, blood and plant tissues.

Objectives
The aim of this training is to equip participants with the basic knowledge and skills required to function in a molecular biology laboratory.

1. Principles, techniques and applications of Molecular biology/ Genetic Engineering.
2. Applications in domains of Plant molecular biology, microbial biotechnology, human genetics etc.
3. Genomic DNA and RNA Isolation from bacteria, blood and plant cells, Cell electrophoresis, cDNA Synthesis, PCR, Restriction Digestion, Real time PCR, Sequencing.

Target audience
Faculty members

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Report on National Science Day Celebration

Since 1987 National Science Day is celebrated every year on 28th February to commemorate the discovery of Sir CV Raman. This year the theme of National Science Day was 'Global Science for Global Wellbeing'. Keeping this theme into consideration, HKM GDC Eidgah organized one day Seminar on the eve of National Science Day and under G-20 programme to bring awareness among the students about the importance of Science in daily life and to encourage students by



popularizing Science and Technology. The programme was inaugurated by Prof. Sabiya Zahra (HoD Kashmiri) who formally welcomed all participants gathered for the celebration. Later Dr. Javid Ahmad Parray (HoD EVS) addressed the gathering with his nerve stimulating and thought provoking lecture. He threw light on the life and achievements of the noble laureate Sir C V Raman. Dr. Jabeena Khazir (NSS PO) reflected how Science and Technology should walk hand in hand viz a viz India's emerging global role and rising visibility in the international arena.



The lecture session was followed by a short documentary on Science Fiction. Students from all the semesters enthusiastically participated in the event. The event ended with the Vote of Thanks presented by Dr. Nusrat shafi (NSS PO).



3. Seminar on the theme 'Badalta Kashmir'

As part of the celebrations of 'UT Foundation day' on 31st Oct 2023, the College organized a seminar on the theme "Badalta Kashmir" to foster a deeper understanding of the changing dynamics and evolving landscape of the Kashmir region. The proceedings of the seminar were carried out by Dr Nusrat Shafi (NSS PO UNIT I) who highlighted the importance of changing dynamics of Kashmir. Later Dr Peerzada Rayees (lecturer Dept. of Education) delivered an informative speech that provided the overview of the historical, political and socio-economic factors contributing to transformation of Kashmir. This was followed by speeches by various students who gave their personal experiences related to transformation of Kashmir. The programme ended with a formal vote of thanks by Dr Jabeena Khazir (NSS PO UNIT II).



Conclusion:

The series of events conducted by the college on 'Rashtriya Ekta Diwas', Signature Campaign on 'Say no to corruption, Commit to the Nation' and Seminar on 'Badalta Kashmir' were significant in promoting Unity, Integrity and Awareness among students and the Staff of College. These events not only celebrated the spirit of National Unity and fight against Corruption but also encouraged students to think critically about the changing dynamics of Kashmir.

Report on One Day Seminar on "The Life of Dr B.R Ambedkar" Under the Theme "My Constitution My Pride".

In View of the Month long Celebration of the Upcoming Constitution Day on 26th November 2023, NSS Wings of HKM GDC Eidgah in collaboration with Department of Political science organized a one day Seminar on "Life of Dr B.R Ambedkar under the theme " My Constitution my Pride" on 15-11-2023 at 1.30 pm. The program was conducted under the Patronage and Able guidance of Worthy Principal Prof (Dr) Nighat Nasreen. The program was attended by students and faculty members of the College.

The programme commenced with a Powerful Keynote address by Worthy Principal Madam that highlighted Dr Ambedkar pivotal role in shaping the democratic principles of India.

The keynote address was followed by an informative lecture by Dr Yasmeen Ara (Lecturer Political science) who emphasized on the role of Dr B.R Ambedkar in framing the constitution of India. She also discussed his vision for an inclusive society, his role as the chairman of the drafting committee, and the constitutional safeguards he advocated for marginalized groups. Many students of the college also participated in the programme and talked about life, education, fight of Dr B.R Ambedkar against discrimination faced by Dalit Community. The program concluded with the vote of Thanks By Dr Nusrat Shafi(NSS PO I).

The one day seminar on the life of Dr B.R Ambedkar proved to be an enriching and enlightening experience. Students left with a renewed appreciation for his contributions to social justice, equality and Nation building.





One day Seminar on “ Socio cultural Heritage:Conservation Practices and Sustainability” at HKM GDC Eidgah

Est. 2019

The Debate and Seminar Committee of the College organized a one day seminar on 23-12-2023 under the banners of 'Viksit Bharat @2047' and 'Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav'. The main aim of the seminar was to explore and discuss strategies for the conservation and sustainability of socio cultural heritage in an ever changing global landscape. The Seminar was held under the able guidance and patronage of worthy principal of the College Prof.(Dr.) Nighat Nasreen. The event was attended by around 100 students of the College and faculty of different colleges affiliated with Cluster University Srinagar. The event began with the opening remarks and introductory speech by program organizer and Host Prof. Sabia Zahra (Convener Debate and Seminar Committee) who highlighted on cultural heritage, its importance and the need for its conservation. This was followed by inaugural address by Worthy Principal of the College who in detail explained what actually is Socio Cultural heritage. Madam principal emphasized that socio cultural heritage encompasses the tangible and intangible elements of a society including its traditions, culture, beliefs, value systems and rituals and how these elements play an unparalleled role in fostering a sense of belongingness and creating a specific identity among individuals in a community. She emphasized that our institution is committed to develop an environment of learning and innovation while realigning with our roots and culture and nurturing academically competent individuals , critical thinkers and problem solvers who can navigate the complexities of modern world. This was followed by lead lecture by 1st resource person Dr. Farrukh Faheem Assitant Professor Anthropology , Institute of Kashmir studies , University of Kashmir. Dr. Faheem delivered his talk on the culture of Kashmir, and how Kashmir is linked to other parts of the world. He stressed that the unique geographical position of Kashmir has made it a center of trade for many regions throughout history particularly across Central Asia. The impact of this multi cultural association has resulted in the creation of its special identity in terms of its Cuisine, language, Culture and lifestyle. He explained that culture is basically an advancement in a community over time which began ages ago with the domestication of plants and animals. Conserving social heritage is important because it gives a sense of belongingness. He recounted many examples which emphasise the need for conservation of Socio cultural heritage of a region. He stressed that initiatives need to be taken for preservation of cultural heritage of a region at individual level in various forms so that they may prove as an asset for our future generations as well. This was followed by a detailed talk by 2nd resource

person of the seminar Mr. Zareef Ahmad Zareef noted Kashmiri poet, writer and environmentalist. Mr. Zareef Ahmad Zareef in his characteristic style recounted the rich cultural heritage and experiences of past Kashmir including its cuisine, languages, clothing etc. He explained how culture of the region has changed over time which has led to the change in lifestyle of the people here. He explained that how in last 5000 years of Kashmir History, different religions, and linguistic elements have manifested in our culture. He also said that Kashmir has had an illustrious past in terms of its culture which need to be preserved. He emphasized that students particularly college going should study the past history, culture of Kashmir, what we have lost and what needs to be conserved. The lecture was followed by the distribution of Mementos among the guests and light refreshment among students. The program ended with a formal vote of thanks presented by Dr. Nusrat Shafi Associate Professor Chemistry. The seminar proceedings were recorded by

Themes -

1. Factors responsible for degradation of lakes
2. Impact of urbanization on lakes
3. Environmental & Social Impact of Lake Restoration
4. UT Lake Vision
5. Suggested Steps in Lake Conservation

Highlights -

1. To create awareness on the importance of water
2. To understand the social aspects of lake water bodies
3. To appraise about the economic aspects of lakes
4. Role of different stakeholders/ technologies in conservation and restoration of lakes
5. Role of Governance and policy making conservation and restoration of lakes

**Target audience – UG / PG students /
Scholars /Faculty members**

**The Best three paper
presentations will be felicitated.**

Paper submission Guidelines

Abstract and papers of original research / review/ case studies are invited for the seminar and same shall be published as seminar proceedings. The selected paper should be submitted as MS word in Arial Narrow , 12 pts with 1.5 spacing.

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One-Day National Seminar cum Workshop

on

“Conservation and Restoration of lake water bodies of UT of J&K”

20th March 2023

Organised by

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Science, Technology and Innovation
Council (J&K Govt)



Venue: HKM GDC Eidgah Srinagar
(Dhar School Safakadal Srinagar)

Important Dates

Last date of registration is 15th March 2023

Full Length submission – 16th March 2023

The students/scholars/Faculty members should register on the link mentioned below and send their consent on lakeseidgah@gmail.com

Register on the link :
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The Programme will be the runner up for the Upcoming Major Youth -20 talks / Awareness Programme to be held at University of Kashmir on May 11th 2023

Report on "Celebration of National Science Day" at HKM GDC Eidgah, Srinagar.

**National
Science
Day 2024**



National Science Day is observed every year on February 28 since 1987, to commemorate the Honors of Indian Physicist Sir Chandrasekhara Venkata Raman for his discovery of Raman Effect on 28 February 1928. He was the First Indian to receive Nobel Prize in science in 1930. Every year the day is celebrated with a particular theme. This year's Theme of National Science Day is "**Indigenous Technologies for Viksit Bharat.**"



In view of the celebration of this day, Department of Sciences (Chemistry, EVS And Geography) in Collaboration with NSS Units(I&II) of the college under the Ambit of Viksit Bharat organized a seminar cum quiz competition on the said theme of National Science Day 2024. The objective of organizing this programme was to raise awareness about

the importance of science in our daily lives and also acknowledge the efforts of the scientists who work in exploring more ways by which science can be implemented to make our lives simpler and easier.

The programme was conducted under the Patronage and able guidance of worthy Principal of the college, Prof (Dr) Nighat Nasreen. The programme was attended by students and faculty members belonging to different disciplines of the college.



The programme was moderated by Dr Jabeena Khazir (NSS PO Unit II) who In her welcome address gave a glimpse of the history behind the celebration of this day.



The programme then commenced with a key note address by worthy Principal Madam, who enlightened the audiences about the role of science in addressing global challenges and fostering sustainable development.

The faculty members of various science departments also shared their thoughts. Dr Nurat

Shafi (Associate Prof. Chemistry and NSS PO unit I) delivered a captivating presentation on the wonders of Chemistry in our everyday lives. Dr Rehana Rasool (Assistant Prof Geography) shared her thoughts on the potential of renewable energy resources in mitigating the climatic changes. Both the lectures were followed by an interactive question answer sessions.

Report of Seminar on the theme "Empowering Women: Breaking Barriers"" organised at HKM GDC Eidgah, Srinagar.



In view of the celebration of International women's day, NSS units of HKM GDC Eidgah in collaboration with WDC, GCCASH and Debate & Seminar committee of the college organized a seminar on the theme "Empowering women: Breaking barriers" on 13/03/2024. The programme was aimed to address challenges faced by women in various spheres of life and exploring ways to empower them to overcome these barriers. The program was conducted under the patronage and guidance of worthy principal of the college Prof(Dr) Nighat Nasreen. The resource persons of the programme were Dr Nusrat Shafi(NSS PO Unit I) and Dr Rehana Rasool(Assistant Professor Geography). Many students of the college also shared their views on the said theme.

The proceedings of the seminar were carried by Dr Jabeena Khazir(NSS PO Unit II), who welcomed the resource persons, participants and the jury members and also shared her insights on the critical theme.

Dr Nusrat Shafi enlightened the audiences about the importance of education, skill development, and creating a supportive environment for women to thrive. Dr Rehana Rasool spoke on the significance of celebrating women's day. She provided a historical account of celebrating this day and reflected on its significance in disseminating awareness and knowledge for ensuring gender equity worldwide.



Then students from different disciplines also talked on the theme. Panel of faculty members acted as judges viz Dr Zakir Naik (Assistant Professor Political Science), Mr. Rouf Ahmad (Assistant professor Economics) and Dr Fayaz Ali(Lecturer Department of sociology), for evaluating the student speakers. They evaluated the student speakers based on content, delivery and relevance to the theme. The winners were announced and felicitated with prizes. All the participants were provided with certificates. Overall the celebration of International women's day in the college was

successful. The programme ended with the vote of thanks by Prof. Sabia Zahra (Assistant Professor Kashmiri). Refreshment was served to all the students at the end.

Report of One Day Seminar on "World No Tobacco Day"organised at HKM GDC Eidgah



Every year 31st May is celebrated as "World No Tobacco Day" to raise awareness about the harmful effects of tobacco use and advocate for effective policies to reduce its consumption. On the observance of world no tobacco day, NSS Units (I&II) in collaboration with Red Ribbon Club

and Red Cross committee organized a one day seminar on 01/06/2024 under the theme "Say No to Tobacco" and under the banner "Nasha Mukht Bharat". The objective of the seminar was to raise awareness about the health risks associated with tobacco use and to encourage students and faculty to advocate for a tobacco free environment. The event was held in the college conference room and witnessed enthusiastic participation from students and faculty members. The programme was conducted under the patronage and able guidance of Worthy Principal of the college, Prof (Dr) Nighat Nasreen

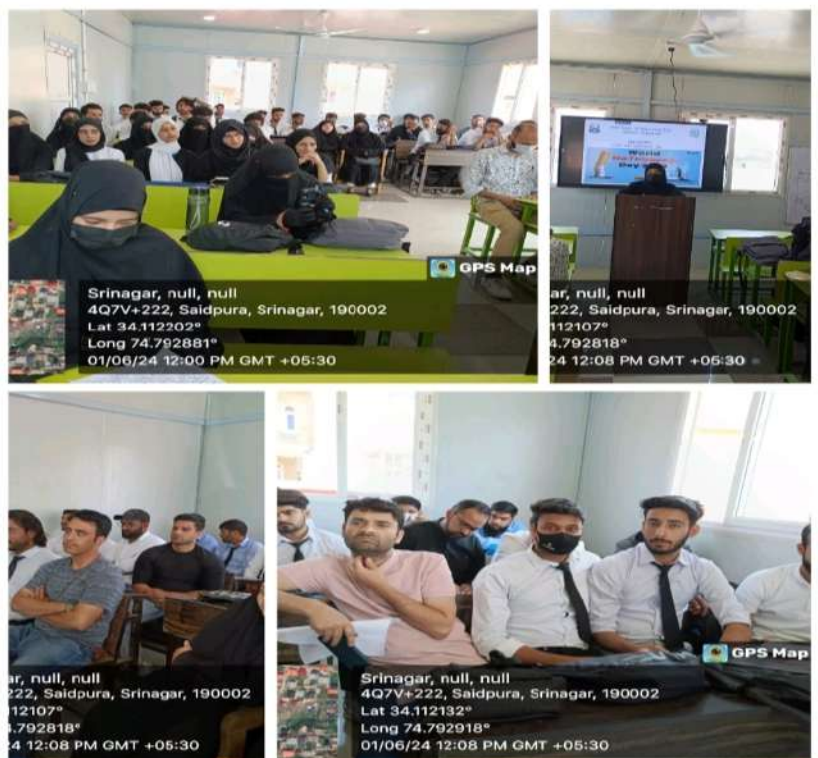


The proceedings of the first segment of the program was carried by Dr Jabeena Khazir (NSS PO Unit II) who welcomed the attendees and emphasized the significance of celebration of "World No Tobacco day". The program was inaugurated by worthy principal madam who emphasized on the ill effects of tobacco. She urged all the students to become ambassadors of a tobacco free life style and to spread awareness about the dangers of tobacco in their communities.

Prof. Sabia Zahra (Co-ordinator Red Cross committee) was the resource person of the event. She provided an in depth analysis of the health hazards associated with tobacco

consumption, including its role in causing chronic diseases such as cancer, heart disease and respiratory aspects of tobacco addiction and the importance of supportive measures for those trying to quit.

The seminar then proceeded to next segment, which was conducted by Ms Adfar Farooq (Student IV semester). In this segment of the program, students from different disciplines of the college shared their views on tobacco use and its impact on their lives and society. Students expressed their thoughts, experiences and suggestions for promoting a tobacco free lifestyle. Panel of faculty members acted as judges viz Dr Zakir Naik (Assistant Professor Political Science), Mr. Rouf Ahmad (Assistant professor Economics) and Dr Bilal Ahmad Dar (Sr. Assistant Prof. English) for evaluating the student speakers. They evaluated the student speakers based on content, delivery and relevance to the theme. Dr Nusrat Shafi (Co-ordinator Red Ribbon) announced the winners. The winners will be felicitated with certificates on college annual day. The program concluded with the formal vote of thanks by Dr Shah Faisal Jan (NSS PO Unit I).



Report on One day seminar on “Nutrition and healthy eating habits” organised at HKM GDC Eidgah

Rastriya Poshan Maah or National Nutrition month is a month long campaign led by Government of India in the month of September. Rastriya Poshan Maah 2024 will focus on key themes including Anemia, growth monitoring, complementary feeding, Poshan bhi padhai



bhi, technology for better governance and Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam. As part of the celebration of this mission, The NSS Units and Red Ribbon Club of HKM GDC Eidgah organized a one day seminar on “Nutrition and healthy eating habits” on 3-09-2024 under the ambit of Nasha Mukta Bharat and Viksit Bharat. The event was aimed at raising awareness among students

about the importance of balanced nutrition and the role it plays in maintaining overall health and well being. The programme was conducted under the patronage and able guidance of worthy principal of the college, Prof (Dr) Nighat Nasreen.

The seminar commenced with a warm welcome by Dr Jabeena Khazir (NSS PO Unit II), who highlighted the significance of the topic in today's fast-paced lifestyle. Then worthy Principal Madam, Prof (Dr) Nighat Nasreen, delivered the inaugural address, emphasizing the need for young people to adopt healthy eating habits early in life whichn is critical in fostering healthy and robust human resources essential for the nation's development. The keynote speaker for the event was Dr. Nusrat Shafi (Associate professor Chemistry), who gave an insightful presentation on the fundamentals of nutrition. She discussed the importance of macronutrients and micronutrients, the role of a balanced diet, and how proper nutrition can

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One Day orientation Programme on Career opportunity in Civil services

One Day Orientation Program on "Career Opportunity in Civil Services" was Organised for students by Career Counselling Cell of HKM GDC Eidgah, Srinagar.

Event Date: 12-Jun-2024

Venue:

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Event Gallery



Report of One Day Seminar organized by the Seminar and Debates Committee of HKM GDC Eidgah, Srinagar

The Seminar and Debates Committee, in collaboration with the NSS and Red Ribbon Club of HKM GDC Eidgah, organized a seminar titled "Drug Abuse: Evidence is Clear, Invest in Prevention" on June 26, 2024 to commemorate the International Day against Drug Abuse. This day is observed annually on June 26 with the motive to raise awareness about the consequences of drug addiction and to achieve the goal of a drug-free international community.

Prof. Zakir Hussain Naik, Convener of the Seminar and Debates Committee, welcomed all guests and participants to the event. He highlighted that this day fosters a sense of responsibility among people worldwide, especially young people and teenagers, to create a safe, healthy and happy society.



Esteemed Principal of the College, Prof. (Dr.) Nighat Nasreen, was the Chief Guest on the occasion. In her address, she urged students to combat drug abuse in their communities to achieve complete eradication. She highlighted the importance of spreading awareness, particularly among the youth, about this societal evil and the need for prevention and control of drug abuse.

Dr. Mushtaq Ahmed Mir, Nodal Officer of the National Drugs Control Program (NCTP), Kashmir, was the resource person on the occasion. In his lecture, he highlighted the psychological and medical aspects of drug abuse and addiction, stating that this menace severely affects society. He further said that addiction is a disease, not a moral failing, and that we must approach it with empathy and provide support to help individuals reclaim their lives. Integrating treatment services with mental health care, social support and employment opportunities is essential for successful recovery from drug addiction.

Dr. Nusrat Shafi, HoD Chemistry, also spoke on the occasion and outlined the harmful effects of drug addiction. She described it as a deadly disease destroying future generations, noting that narcotic drugs adversely affect the nervous systems of addicted persons.

A large number of students participated and presented papers on the significance of spreading awareness about drug addiction and abuse. Ms. Faiqa Tanveer of Sem 4th, Nazima Shabir of Sem 4th, and Hayat Ali of Sem 2nd secured first, second, and third

positions respectively. Certificates of participation and appreciation were given to all participants on the occasion.

The formal vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. Jabeen Khazir, NSS Program Officer of the College. The entire program was co-ordinated by Prof. Zakir Hussain Naik, Convener Seminar and Debates Committee, under the able guidance of the esteemed Principal of the College, Prof. (Dr.) Nighat Nasreen.



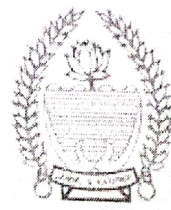


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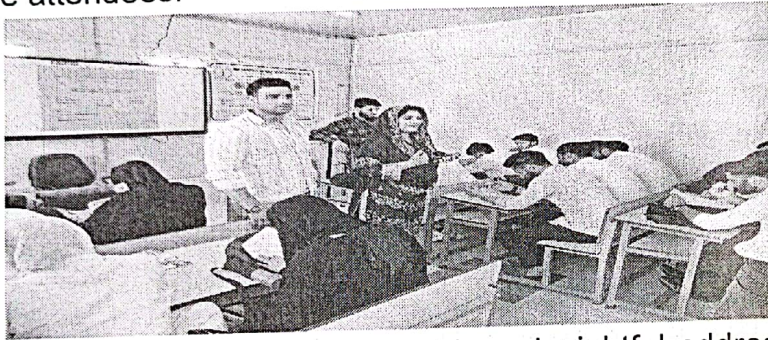


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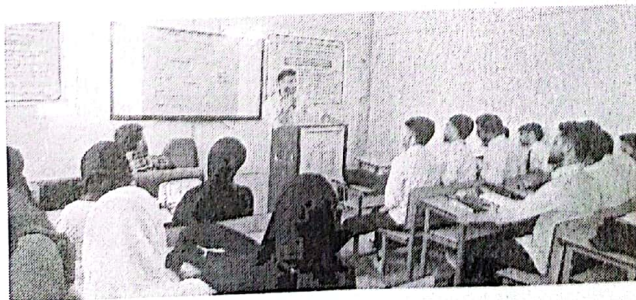
On June 27, 2024, HKM Degree College's Department of Commerce and Department of Economics, in collaboration with the Placement and Progressive Cell, organized an enlightening program centered on Cost and Management Accountancy. The event was graced by the principal, whose presence underscored the significance of the occasion. Mr. Bashir Masoodi, a distinguished CMA from the Srinagar chapter, served as the esteemed resource person, sharing invaluable insights and knowledge with the attendees.



The program commenced with an insightful address from Prof. Naveed Baba, offering perspectives that resonated deeply with the audience. Prof. Bilal, from the Department of English, adeptly fulfilled the role of host, ensuring the smooth flow of discussions and activities throughout the event.

Towards the conclusion, Prof. Abdul Raouf, representing the Department of Economics, delivered a gracious vote of thanks, acknowledging the contributions of all participants and attendees.

Throughout the program, students demonstrated remarkable enthusiasm and engagement, actively participating in discussions and activities. Their involvement highlighted their eagerness to learn and apply the principles of Cost and Management Accountancy in practical scenarios. Overall, the event not only provided a platform for learning but also fostered a sense of community and shared knowledge among all participants.

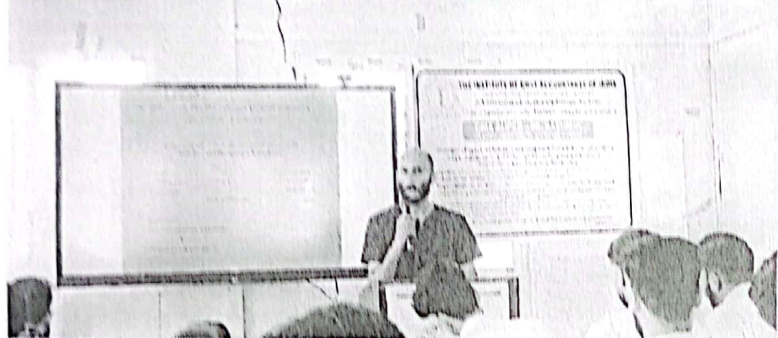
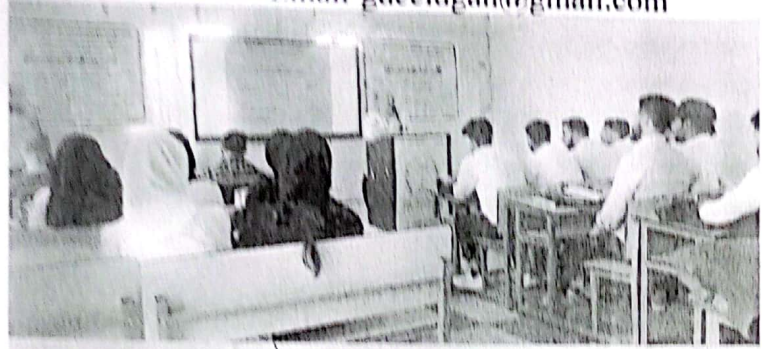




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Dated: 28-11-2024

Report on One-Day Workshop on “Holistic Agriculture Development Program: Sustainability and Innovation” organized by HKM GDC Eidgah



The Seminar/Debates Committee and Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of the College, organized a one-day workshop on the theme “Holistic Agriculture Development Program (HADP): Sustainability and Innovation” today on 28-11-2024. The event was organized in Conference Hall of the College, which brought together students, faculty members, experts in agriculture and allied sectors to explore sustainable and innovative solutions for the advancement of the agriculture



and allied sector. The workshop was conducted under the able and apt guidance of Worthy Principal Madam Prof. (Dr.) Nighat Nasreen. The primary aim of the workshop was to raise awareness and guide students regarding various projects and innovative Technology for the advancement of Agriculture under HADP (Holistic Agriculture Development Program) initiated by the government of J&K. The workshop also focused on different government schemes designed to provide financial support, such as loans and subsidies, and to motivate our students for "Earn While You Learn" opportunity.





Hamidi Kashmiri Memorial GDC Eidgah, Srinagar, J&K-India-190017 (Affiliated to Cluster University Srinagar)

The inaugural session commenced with the formal welcome of the guests by **Prof. (Dr.) Nighat Nasreen**,



worthy Principal of the College. In her inaugural address, she emphasized the significance of adopting innovative and sustainable agricultural practices to address the pressing challenges. She highlighted the need for educational institutions to act as platforms for disseminating knowledge and encouraging practical solutions to foster agricultural growth. Following this Dr. Nusrat Shafi, Co-ordinator IQAC, provided a brief overview of the HADP schemes. She outlined the objectives of the workshop and stressed the importance of

skill development in transforming the agricultural landscape. This was followed by the technical session which featured renowned experts in agriculture and allied fields, who delivered insightful lectures on key topics. Mr. Syed Gulzar Ahmed, Agriculture Extension Officer, Srinagar, spoke on “Innovative Agricultural Practices for Sustainability”. He emphasized on the modern techniques that ensure environmental conservation while enhancing productivity. Live demonstration was provided on how to register on Daksh Kisan Portal for advanced knowledge of specialized courses of Agriculture and Allied Sector. Shri. Mudassir Shafi, Mushroom Development Officer, Srinagar, delivered a talk on “Role of Technology in Advancing Mushroom Cultivation. He highlighted technological innovations in agricultural development to increase crop yields. Mr. Shafi also conducted a hands-on training session for students, guiding them on registering for skill-oriented courses offered by SKUAST-Jammu & Kashmir.

The program also featured live experiences shared by Shri Latief Ahmed (Vegetable Grower) Shri Rouf Ramzan (Mushroom Grower), the successful entrepreneurs who have availed the HADP schemes to establish sustainable businesses and secure their livelihoods. Interactive discussions and brainstorming sessions provided a platform for participants to engage with experts, share ideas, and pose questions. The

workshop concluded with a valedictory session, during which the resource persons were felicitated and certificates of participation were distributed among students. The event ended with a formal vote of thanks presented by Dr. Shah Faisal Jan, HOD Urdu. Overall the program was a resounding success.

