

Kolhapur Institute of Technology's College of Engineering, Kolhapur Women Development and Gender Equality Cell



Sr.No.	Name of the Event / Activity	Activity Details	Organized/ Participated under	Date of Event	Number of Participants	Name of Expert/Judge	Name of Faculty Coordinator
1	Speaker's Forum "Elocution Competition"	The Speakers Forum (Elocution Competition), hosted by the WDGEC, offered students a platform to refine their public speaking skills and express their ideas confidently	KITCoEK	16th November 2024	25	Internal Judge - Ranjeeta Sutar (Pandhare) External Judge - Dr. T. S. Desai (ICC faculty coordinator)	Ranjeeta Sutar (Pandhare)
2	Orientation Workshop on 'Gender Equality'	Internal Complaints Committee and Women Development and Gender Equality Cell of the institute organized orientation workshop on 'Gender Equality' from 19th Nov to 23rd Nov 2024 for first year students of all branches	KITCoEK in association with Shivaji University, Kolhapur	19th Nov to 23rd Nov 2024(4 days)	300+	1.Dr. Bharati Patil, Smt. Sharadabai Pawar Chair, Shivaji University, Kolhapur 2.Dr. Maya Pandit, Pro Vice Chancellor of Feel University, Hyderabad 3.Dr. Megha Panasare, Head, Foreign Language Department, Shivaji University, Kolhapur	Ranjeeta Sutar (Pandhare) Dr. T. S. Desai (ICC faculty coordinator)
3	International Women's Day Healthcare Camp for Women	Our institute celebrated International Women's Day 8th March, 25 to promote awareness on women's health and education, and empower young women through meaningful engagements. Women development and Gender equality committee organized one day Healthcare camp in association with Bharati Hospital, Kolhapur on 8th March, 2025 in Seminar Hall, Main building, KITCoEK. More than 200 girls and women faculty participated and did their health check up on the day.	KITCoEK in association with Bharati Hospital , Kolhapur	8th March, 2025	210	1.Dr. Rashmi Bhosale, Bharti Hospital, Kolhapur 2. Dr. Khushboo Kumavat, Bharti Hospital, Kolhapur	Ranjeeta Sutar (Pandhare)

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Kolhapur Institute of Technology's College of Engineering, Kolhapur

Speaker's Forum "Elocution Competition"

Faculty Co-ordinator: Prof. Ranjeeta Pandhare

Date of conduction: 16th November 2024

Organized By: Women Development and Gender Equality Cell, KIT's College Of Engineering

No. of participants: 20-21

Guest:

1. Dr. Jitendra Bhat

Judge:

1. Dr. Tejaswini Desai

Volunteers:

- 1. Srushti Kanse
- 2. Shrushtirani Patil
- 3. Madhura Patil
- 4. Mrunali Gaikwad
- 5. Samruddhi Chitrakar
- 6. Vaishnavi Bhonsale
- 7. Shriraksha Malkar
- 8. Sakshi Khatkar
- 9. Nirmal Chopade
- 10. Srushti Taware
- 11. Dhanashri Chavan
- 12. Ashwini Vasave
- 13. Mrunali patil
- 14. Vaishnavi Kesarkar
- 15. Nikita Hatte
- 16. Saniya Shaikh
- 17. Pranita Babar
- 18. Vaishnavi Wagh
- 19. Shivani Gudekar

The Speakers Forum (Elocution Competition), hosted by the WDGEC, offered students a platform to refine their public speaking skills and express their ideas confidently. Recognising the importance of effective communication in personal and professional growth, the event aimed to nurture participant's confidence, creativity, and articulation. By encouraging students to voice their opinions on diverse topics regarding women's development and gender equality, the competition sought to foster intellectual engagement, critical thinking, and a culture of articulate expression among the attendees.

Competition Details:

1. Welcome Note:

The event commenced with a warm welcome to all attendees.

2. Felicitation of the Guest on Dais:

The distinguished guests, Dr. Jitendra Bhat, Dean of Student Activities and Dr. Tejaswini Desai, Assistant Professor were honoured with a token of appreciation.

3. About Women Development and Gender Equality Cell:

A brief introduction to the objectives and goals of the Women Development and Gender Equality Cell was presented to highlight its commitment to promoting awareness and equity.

Objectives / Goals:

- To create a platform for gender inclusivity and equality.
- To encourage active participation in discussions about women's development and empowerment.
- To foster a safe and supportive environment for intellectual and personal growth.

4. Felicitation of Committee Members:

Committee members were recognized and felicitated for their valuable contributions and for being integral parts of the cell, ensuring its growth and success.

5. Speech by the Guest:

Dr. Jitendra Bhat, Dean of Student Activities, delivered an inspiring speech emphasizing the importance of such clubs in college and thereby motivating students to enhance their communication skills and self-confidence in academic and professional domains.

6. About the Event - Introduction and Guidelines:

An overview of the Elocution Competition, including the purpose, rules, and evaluation criteria, was provided by the organizing team.

7. Elocution Process:

Participants showcased their public speaking skills by addressing a range of thought-provoking

topics. Their speeches were evaluated on Verbal and non-verbal skills, content, delivery, confidence, and time management.

Topics:

- 1. The role of society in achieving gender equality
- 2. Breaking the bias: redefining gender roles in modern society
- 3. Women and finance: Enabling women's economic empowerment
- 4. Breaking barriers: the significance of women in shaping

8. Winner Announcement:

The winners were announced, and they were applauded for their remarkable performances. Certificates and cash prizes were distributed to the winners and participants.

9. Vote of Thanks:

The event concluded by expressing gratitude to the guests, judge, participants, volunteers, and attendees for their valuable contributions to the event's success.

Participant Feedback:

Participants expressed their gratitude for the opportunity to participate in such a well-organized competition. They appreciated the platform provided by the WDGEC to enhance their public speaking skills. They found the topics engaging and appreciated the constructive feedback provided by the judge, which was instrumental in improving their skills. Many expressed interest in participating in similar events in the future.

Perks of the Event:

1. Skill Development

• The event provided participants to enhance their public speaking skills, learning to express their ideas clearly and effectively under timed conditions.

2. Confidence Building

 The competition helped students overcome stage fright and gain confidence in addressing an audience. Constructive feedback from judges motivated participants to improve their delivery and content preparation.

3. Networking Opportunities

• Students had the chance to interact with peers and faculty, fostering a supportive community. The event created opportunities for collaboration and exchange of ideas.

4. Recognition and Rewards

• Winners received certificates and cash prizes, boosting their sense of achievement and motivation. The acknowledgement of effort and skill through awards encouraged further participation in similar events.

5. Critical Thinking and Awareness

• The diverse topics prompted participants to research and critically analyze current issues. Participants developed a deeper understanding of global and societal challenges.

Conclusion:

The Speakers Forum (Elocution Competition), was a resounding success. It provided a dynamic platform for students to articulate their ideas and develop their public speaking skills. The event achieved its objectives of fostering confidence, intellectual engagement, and communication proficiency among participants. It also reinforced the importance of effective speaking as a vital tool for personal and professional growth.

Photos from the Competition:



Inaugural program









Elocution contestants



Valedictory Program

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Kolhapur Institute of Technology's College of Engineering, Kolhapur

Orientation Workshop on 'Gender Equality'

Faculty Co-ordinators: Prof. Ranjeeta Pandhare, WDGEC coordinator, Dr. T.S.Desai,

Chairperson, ICC

Date of conduction: 19th Nov to 23rd Nov, 2024

Organised By: Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) and Women Development and Gender

Equality Cell

No. of participants: 100+

Resource persons:

1. Dr. Bharati Patil, Smt. Sharadabai Pawar Chair, Shivaji University

2. Dr. Maya Pandit, Pro Vice Chancellor of Feel University, Hyderabad

3. Dr. Megha Panasare, Head, Foreign Language Department, Shivaji University, Kolhapur

Volunteers:

- 1. Srushti Kanse
- 2. Shrushtirani Patil
- 3. Madhura Patil
- 4. Mrunali Gaikwad
- 5. Samruddhi Chitrakar
- 6. Vaishnavi Bhonsale
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Program Details:

Internal Complaints Committee and Women Development and Gender Equality Cell organized orientation workshop on 'Gender Equality' from 19th Nov to 23rd Nov 2024 for first year students of all branches. Time table for the workshop is given below.

Day	Tue	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Date	19-11-24	21-11-24	22-11-24	23-11-24
Division	ABCHN	EGMP	DHRF	JKLI

Session Time: 02:30 to 05:00 pm

1. Welcome Note:

The event commenced with a warm welcome to all attendees. Inauguration was conducted on 19th Nov 2024. Director Dr. Mohan Vanarotti delivered inaugural speech.

2. Felicitation of the Guest on Dais:

The distinguished guests, Dr. T.S.Desai, Dr. Bharati Patil, Dr. Maya Pandit chairperson were honoured with a token of appreciation.

3. About Women Development and Gender Equality Cell:

A brief introduction to the objectives and goals of the Women Development and Gender Equality Cell was presented to highlight its commitment to promoting awareness and equity.

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4. Felicitation of Committee Members:

Committee members were recognized and felicitated for their valuable contributions and for being integral parts of the cell, ensuring its growth and success.

• **Speech by the Guest:** Dr. Bharati Patil, Dr. Maya Pandit delivered an inspiring speech emphasizing the importance of such clubs in college and thereby motivating students to enhance their communication skills and self-confidence in academic and professional domains. Dr. Megha Pansare emphasized on girls education.

5. About the Event - Introduction and Guidelines:

In every session, Dr. T.S. Desai, chairperson, ICC briefed about importance and functioning of

Internal Complaints Committee and Women Development and Gender equality Cell and objective of the workshop. Dr. Bharati Patil explained about Smt. Sharadabai Pawar Chair.

Dr. Bharati Patil talked about gender discrimination and importance of gender equality. Dr. Maya Pandit discussed discrimination at home and violence.

Dr. Megha Pansare emphasized on girls' education.

6. Vote of Thanks:

The event concluded by expressing gratitude to the guests, judge, participants, volunteers, and attendees for their valuable contributions to the event's success. Ms. Kiri Managave gave vote of thanks.

Perks of the Event:

Networking Opportunities

• Students had the chance to interact with peers and faculty, fostering a supportive community. The event created opportunities for collaboration and exchange of ideas.

Critical Thinking and Awareness

• The diverse topics prompted participants to research and critically analyze current issues. Participants developed a deeper understanding of global and societal challenges.

Conclusion: In conclusion, this workshop has deepened our understanding of gender equality and highlighted the importance of creating an inclusive society where everyone, regardless of gender, has equal opportunities and rights. We've learned that achieving gender equality is not just a women's issue, but a shared responsibility. Moving forward, let's use the knowledge gained today to challenge stereotypes, break down barriers, and advocate for fairness in all areas of life. Together, we can make gender equality a reality for all. Thank you for your participation and commitment to change!

Photos of the event:









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Kolhapur Institute of Technology's College of Engineering, Kolhapur

International Women's Day Healthcare Camp for Women 8th March, 2025

Date of conduction: 8th March, 2025

Organized By: Women Development and Gender Equality Cell, KIT's College of Engineering,

Kolhapur in association with Bharati Hospital, Kolhapur

Venue: Seminar Hall, Main Building, KITCoEK

Audience: Female students, Women faculty, and staff of college.

No. of participants: 200+

Guests:

1. Dr. Rashmi Bhosale, Bharti Hospital, Kolhapur

- 2. Dr. Khushboo Kumavat, Bharti Hospital, Kolhapur
- 3. Dr. Sangita Chougule, Professor, Department of E&TC Engineering, KITCoEK
- 4. Dr. P. P. Kulkarni, Professor, Department of Electrical Engineering, KITCoEK

Faculty Co-ordinator: Prof. Ranjeeta Pandhare, Assistant Professor, Dept. of CSE, KITCoEK

Girls representatives: Seema Gharge, Mrunal Ingale, Priyaramani

Volunteers:

Srushti Kanse	Shrushtirani Patil	Madhura Patil	Mrunali Gaikwad
Samruddhi Chitkara	Vaishnavi Bhonsale	Shriraksha Malkar	Sakshi Khatkar
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Event Details:

About the Event -

Our institute celebrated International Women's Day 8th March, 25 to promote awareness on women's health and education, and empower young women through meaningful engagements. Women development and Gender equality committee organized one day Healthcare camp in association with Bharati Hospital, Kolhapur on 8th March, 25 in Seminar Hall, Main building, KITCoEK. More than 200 girls and women faculty participated and did their health check up on the day.

Services Provided-

- General Health Check-up (Blood Pressure, Blood Sugar, Body Mass Index)
- Basic consultations (Gynaecology, Nutrition, Mental Health)
- Awareness sessions on common women's health issues

1. Welcome Note:

The event commenced with a warm welcome to all attendees.

2. Felicitation of the Guest on Dais:

The distinguished guests, Dr. Rashmi Bhosale, Dr. Khushboo Kumavat, Dr. Sangita Chougule, Dr. P. P. Kulkarni were honored with a token of appreciation.

3. About Women's Day celebration

International Women's Day, celebrated annually on March 8, holds significant importance for several reasons, both globally and locally. It serves as a reminder of the progress that has been made in the pursuit of gender equality, as well as the ongoing work needed to address disparities women still face

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5. Speech by the Guests:

Dr. Rashmi Bhosale delivered an inspiring speech on the importance of healthcare check-up

camp for women and its initiative to promote health awareness, prevention, and early detection of health issues. She emphasized on girls' health issues related to PCOS, women hygiene, etc.

Dr. **Khusboo Kumavat** addressed the audience with the health-related problems, healthcare issues and importance of health care for girls and women.

Dr. **Sangita Chougule** addressed the audience, highlighting a future where all women have equal opportunities to thrive, where their voices are heard, their rights are upheld, and their dreams are nurtured.

Dr. P. P. Kulkarni also addressed the gathering and enlightened the participants

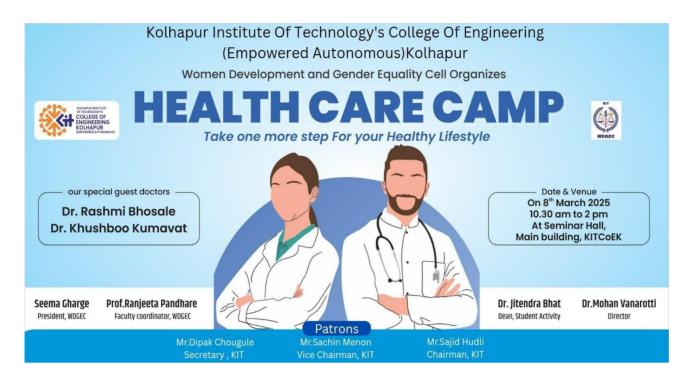
6. Vote of Thanks:

The event concluded by expressing gratitude to the guests, judge, participants, volunteers, and attendees, Dean, Student activity, management of KIT for their valuable contributions and support to the event's success.

Conclusion:

We received enormous response from the girls and women faculty. More than 200 girls participated in the camp and got benefitted with health check-up done by the doctors. Free medicines were given to the girls and faculty for primary healthcare by doctors.

Photos of event:



Banner of Health care camp



Audience of Health care camp



Health care check-up by doctors



Health care check-up by doctors



Address by Guest

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