

## Women Development Cell 2014 - 2015

### Committee Members:

1) Principal Dr. Nandita Roy	Ex-Office President
2) Prof Neelu Khosla.	Convener
3) Prof. Anjali Pathak	Teaching Staff
4) Prof Thanga Durai	Teaching Staff
5) Prof Amshumali	Teaching Staff
6) Prof Maria Muthukumar	Teaching Staff
7) Prof Anuja Vilankar	Teaching Staff
8) Mrs. Madhura Shinde	Non-Teaching Staff
9) Ms. Amrita de	NGO Member
10) Mr. Prashant Yadav	Student Member
11) Ms. Sonam	Student Member
12) Ms. Anjuman	Student Member
13) Ms. Sonali God	F.Y.B.Com.
14) Ms. Bhavya Shetty	F.Y.B.Com.
15) Ms. Pooja Kalidas	F.Y.B.Com.
16) Ms. Ruchira Samant	F.Y.B.Com.
17) Mr. Dhiren	T.Y.B.Com.

### Objectives of the Cell:-

- 1) To create awareness about the problems of women & in particular regarding gender discrimination.
- 2) To create social awareness about women's rights.

- 3) To provide appropriate working condition in respect of work, leisure, health and hygiene and ensure that there is no hostile environment towards women at college.
- 4) To prevent sexual harassment and promote general well-being of female students, teaching & non-teaching women staff of the college.
- 5) To provide for the redressal of grievance related to sexual harassment of female students, teaching, non teaching women staff of the college.



### **ACTIVITIES:**

The College has Women Development Cell which is constituted as per the University of Mumbai Guidelines. The Women Development Cell functions accordingly and arranges programmes for students and staff every year to sensitize the students on gender related issues.

The following is the list of activities arranged in year 2014-15 :

1. **YWCA (Young Women Christian Association) an NGO** : where Ms. Sangeeta Harjani, Programme Co-ordinator spoke on “ Crimes on Women in Cities “ on 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2014 followed by discussion.
2. The Programme on 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 on “**Healthy Skin for Life** “ by **Galderma & Sharp NGO**.
3. Interactive Session on “ **Police & Youth** “ on 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2014 along with the NSS Unit of the college was arranged by the Goregaon Police Station. They asked the students to be careful even among their friends especially when they go for party.
4. The **Bone Density Checkup for Calcium Deficiency** on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2014 & 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 organized by Torrent Pharma for Teaching, Non- Teaching Staff of Vivek Education Society. This test was done for Males above 40 & females above 28 years.
5. **Display of Emergency Telephone nos.** of the nearest Police Station in the College premises to report any such cases related to women issue.

The following is the list of activities arranged in **second term**:

1. An Article Writing Competition for the students on “**New Trends & Role of Women**” was arranged in the month of December’2014.

2. To Celebrate International Women's Day on 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2015, WDC arranged for "**A Talk on Women Rights & Justice**" by Dr. Vandana Dubey, Asso.Prof., Business Law, Ghanyashamdas Saraf College, Malad on 26<sup>th</sup> Feb'2014.

We thank Principal for her encouragement in organizing these activities.

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