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Quality of Womens' Education In Higher Educational Institutions of Rural Areas of West Bengal: Challenges and Opportunities

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ABOUT THE SEMINAR

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As the gender gap in education continues to widen in rural West Bengal, the social and cultural beliefs and practices, as well as the infrastructural issues that prevent girls from obtaining a proper education must be considered. Education is not only the right of every girl, but also crucial to societal development. Educating girls promotes economic growth, encourages political leadership, creates peace, helps the environment, saves lives and so much more. With all the challenges confronted, with all the hardships faced throughout decades our hope in girls is not lost and we believe that a new world is possible.

It is true that the future is uncertain. Thus, hope calls for us to act, it forces us to take steps towards the imagined future. This is a generational call to ensure that we set a legacy of creating a society that values all people equal regardless of gender, tribe, and race.

The future of the girl child lies in the decisions and actions we take today.

Considering all these factors, the need for awareness and discussion on these serious topics is needed. The following objectives are selected to pin point the prevalent and emerging issues related to Womens' education in the sector of higher education and to draw collective views from the experts and recourse persons to improve the quality of Womens Education specially in these part of the world.

To identify and address the problems related to Women's Education in higher education in rural areas of West Bengal

Key objectives

- To compare the different opportunities between rural and urban areas of W.B concerning women's education.
- To highlight the policies of Government towards the improvement of quality of Higher Education for Women in WB
- Status of Infrastructure, Faculty and Facilities in institutes dedicated for Womens Education in WB
- To discuss the issue of gender discrimination and need of gender sensitization

Sub Themes

- Challenges of First-Generation Women learners in Higher Education
- Post-Covid Challenges for women in higher education in rural areas
- Socio-Economic influences on the women's higher education in rural areas
- Career Opportunities for Women students post UG and PG
- Gender discrimination: Equal opportunities for Women of Rural Areas

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACTS and ARTICLES

ORAL PRESENTATIONS

ABSTRACTS ALONG WITH SHORT ARTICLES OF ABOUT TWO PAGES, for oral presentations are invited from faculty members, research scholars, and students as well as policy makers and stake holders to be presented under the themes mentioned. Abstracts should be electronically typed in MS Word, Times New Romans, Font size 12, Line space 1.5, on A4 size paper with 2 cm margins on all sides. The title of the paper, names(s) of author(s) and their address (es) should be typed in capital letters.

ARTICLES WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE SEMINAR PROCEEDINGS

The deadline for receipt of abstracts is 30 October, 2022.

The abstracts should accompany the registration fee.

The authors can send their articles by email to

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ABOUT THE VENUE

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