

# Empowering Women Seminar: Shaping Tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality

13th December 2019

**To,**  
The Principal  
Sonopant Dandekar College,  
Palghar.

**Subject:** Regarding Permission for conducting a seminar on Empowering Women Seminar, Shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality

**Respected Sir,**

Concerning the above subject our Women Development Cell. Department wants to organize An "Empowering Women Seminar, Shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality" Lecture by. Dr. Payal Cholera for all college students. 13/12/2019 at 12:00 pm Kindly permit conducting the program.

Thanking you

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*13/12/2019*

*S. Deshpande*  
Coordinator- Women  
Development Cell



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**Dr. Kiran J. Save**  
Principal

Ref. No. : \_\_\_\_\_

Date : 12-12-2019

To,

Dr. Payal Cholera

**Subject:** Regarding Invitation on seminar On  
"Empowering Women Seminar, Shaping tomorrow's  
Society with Gender Equality"

**Respected Madam,**

Department of Women Development Cell is organizing a seminar on "Empowering Women Seminar, Shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality" for college students on 13/12/2019 at 12:00 we hereby wish to seek your guidance for our students.

You are respected to conduct a seminar.

Thank you

Dr. Kiran Save

Principal

## NOTICE

10/12/2019

Hereby, all college students are informed that we are going to arrange, a session on **Empowering-Women-Shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality** by Dr. Payal Cholera, Principal, Law college of Sonopant Dandekar college Palghar organized by the Department of Women Development Cell. Prioritize your well-being on 13/12/2019 at 12:00 pm in BMS hall.

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Coordinator-Women  
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**WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL  
ATTENDANCE RECORD**

Name of the Event: Empowering Women-Shaping tomorrow's Society

Date: - 13/12/2014 Time: - 12.00 PM Venue: - BMS Hall, Seminar Hall

Sr. No	Name of the Students	Class	Roll. No	Signature
1	Manish Sharma	SYBSC	2301	<i>Manish</i>
2	Swarup Ponde		2302	
3	Pooja Gupta			<i>Pooja</i>
4	Tamvi Pujari			<i>Tamvi</i>
5	Aradhya Shenc			<i>Aradhya</i>
6	Sujal Raut			<i>Sujal</i>
7	Parthivika Hardekar			<i>H. Parthivika</i>
8	Bablu More			<i>B. More</i>
9	Abhishek Yadav			<i>Abhishek</i>
10	Prashant Kajale			<i>P. Kajale</i>
11	Sbruti Meher			<i>Sbruti</i>
12	Vrumbali Naik			<i>V. Naik</i>
13	Saloni Pahl			<i>Saloni</i>
14	Naik Nikita			<i>Naik</i>
15	Kalpana Gond			<i>K. Gond</i>
16	Deepak Pahl			<i>Deepak</i>
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**Appreciation Letter**

To,

Dr. Payal Cholera

**Subject:** Letter to appreciate your contribution as a resource person to the "Empowering Women Seminar, Shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality"

Respected Madam,

I would like to appreciate your participation as a resource person in the workshop on "Empowering Women Seminar, Shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality" organized by our Women Development Cell department 13/12/2019. I hope your knowledge will be fruitful to all participants.

On behalf of the Sonopant Dandekar College I would like to appreciate you for your active participation and excellent presentation.

I am grateful for your cooperation.

Thanking you.

Dr. Kiran Save

Principal

# **Report on Empowering Women Seminar: Shaping Tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality**

## **Introduction:**

The Empowering Women Seminar aimed to highlight the pivotal role of women in shaping the future of society and the importance of gender equality in achieving this vision. Through insightful discussions, interactive sessions, and empowerment activities, the seminar aimed to inspire and equip participants to embrace change and advocate for women's rights and leadership in all spheres of life.

## **Seminar Objectives:**

Raise awareness about the significant contributions of women to society and the barriers they face.

Inspire women to embrace their potential as agents of change and leaders in various fields.

Educate participants about the importance of gender equality and the benefits of women's empowerment for societal progress.

Provide tools, resources, and support for advancing gender equality and women's rights.

## **Seminar Activities and Sessions:**

**Keynote Addresses:** Invited influential speakers, including successful women leaders, activists, and change-makers, to share their experiences, insights, and strategies for overcoming obstacles and driving positive change.

**Panel Discussions:** Facilitated panel discussions on topics such as women's representation in leadership, gender equality in the workplace, and challenges faced by women in different sectors. Encouraged dialogue and knowledge-sharing among participants.

**Skills Workshops:** Conducted workshops focused on skill-building and leadership development, covering topics such as assertive communication, negotiation skills, and personal branding.

**Mentorship Sessions:** Paired participants with mentors from diverse backgrounds and professions to provide guidance, support, and networking opportunities for career advancement.

**Storytelling and Empowerment Exercises:** Encouraged participants to share their personal stories, aspirations, and challenges, fostering a sense of solidarity and empowerment among attendees.

**Advocacy and Action Planning:** Facilitated sessions to discuss advocacy strategies and action plans for promoting women's rights, gender equality, and women's leadership in participants' communities and workplaces.

### **Outcomes and Impact:**

**Empowerment:** Participants reported feeling inspired, empowered, and motivated to take action towards advancing women's rights and leadership.

**Networking and Collaboration:** The seminar provided valuable networking opportunities, fostering collaborations and partnerships among participants to support each other's initiatives and projects.

**Skill Development:** Participants acquired new skills, knowledge, and tools to enhance their leadership abilities, navigate challenges, and advocate for gender equality effectively.

**Awareness and Advocacy:** The seminar raised awareness about the importance of women's empowerment and gender equality, sparking conversations and advocacy efforts within participants' spheres of influence.

**Community Building:** The seminar created a supportive and inclusive community where women could connect, learn from each other, and amplify their voices for positive change.

### **Challenges and Lessons Learned:**

**Intersectionality:** Recognizing the intersecting identities and experiences of women from diverse backgrounds, including race, ethnicity, class, and sexuality, was essential for fostering inclusivity and addressing systemic inequalities.

**Sustainable Engagement:** Sustaining momentum and engagement beyond the seminar required ongoing support, resources, and follow-up activities to reinforce learning and action.

**Allyship and Inclusion:** Engaging men and other allies in conversations and actions to support women's empowerment and gender equality was critical for driving systemic change and fostering inclusive environments.

### **Conclusion:**

The Empowering Women Seminar catalyzed empowerment, inspiration, and collective action towards achieving gender equality and women's leadership. By celebrating women's contributions, providing skills and support, and fostering collaboration and advocacy, the seminar contributed to building a more inclusive, equitable, and resilient society where all individuals have the opportunity to thrive and contribute to shaping the future.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "S. Deshmukh". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single blue stroke.

**Mrs. Seema A. Deshmukh**  
Coordinator,  
Women Development Cell



## Glimpse of the event



Dr. Payal Cholera Ma'am explaining about guidelines of shaping tomorrow's Society with Gender Equality