

Gokul Das Hindu Girls College, Moradabad (U.P.) India

About the College

Gokul Das Hindu Girls College was established in the city of Moradabad in 1952 and has been at the forefront of women's education since then. At present it is affiliated to M.J.P. Rohilkhand University, Bareilly. The college has 17 departments in all – 06 PG departments and 11 UG departments (including B.Ed.) having approx. 2000 students, 35 permanent faculty members, 15 part-time faculty members and 11 non- teaching staff members. It has research facility in 09 subjects.

Gokul Das Hindu Girls College is situated in the heart of the city of Moradabad. The girls coming to the college belong to diverse socio-economic backgrounds. Ours is a government aided institution which gives wings to the aspirations of these girls and aids them in their quest for higher learning. Although Gokul Das Hindu Girls College is a relatively small institution, we are a committed lot, striving for excellence in higher education within our limited resources. We aim to equip our students to fit into the national and international workspace by providing them with quality education.

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Social Enterprise and Women Empowerment in India

Seminar Abstract

A social enterprise or social business is defined as a business with specific social objectives that serve its primary purpose. Social enterprises seek to maximize profits while maximizing benefits to the society and the environment, and the profits are principally used to fund social programs.

Social enterprises have business, environmental and social goals. As a result, their social goals are embedded in their objectives, which differentiate them from other organisations and companies. Main purpose of a Social Enterprise is to promote, encourage, and make social change. Social enterprises are businesses created to further a social purpose in a financially sustainable way. Social enterprises can provide income generation opportunities that meet the basic needs of people who live in poverty. Social enterprise can be more sustainable than a non-profit organisation that may solely rely on grant money, donations or government policies alone.

Social enterprise can empower women as cutomers, employees or business owners with a genuine stake in the future. This is a welcomed addition to more traditional programmes as it contributes to new levels of 'agency' and trust. Indeed greater gender balance in decision-making has been consistently shown to produce more innovation, transparency, and attention to risk than is produced by the male dominated leadership of many established institutions. Social enterprise both challenges and reflects gender inequalities in wider society. Governments, funders, social enterprises and women's organisations need to work together to realise the potential of social enterprise. It also builds confidence among women and provides crucial new role models for the next generation.

Social enterprise produces a pattern of disadvantage for women that is only slightly better than that found in for profit enterprises. Women are paid less, clustered in low-paying and gender-stereotyped industries, and present in everdeclining numbers from the bottom of the organization to its top. They are also less able to get funding outside their own intimate social circle, whether that is from invested capital or government grants. Women command less attention from governments and NGOs in social entrepreneurship, just as they struggle for attention throughout the private sector, from enterprise and employment to investment and leadership.

However many of the gender inequalities in the wider Indian economy are reflected in the social enterprise sector: gender segregation, a wage gap, and prejudice and discrimination against women social entrepreneurs.

The social enterprise sector is contributing to women's empowerment, on its impact on women social entrepreneurs, on women leaders, and on women employees. As we have seen, many social enterprises empower women as 'beneficiaries' of their services. Social enterprises empower the women entrepreneurs who set them up. And many social enterprises also create jobs that empower the women who work in them.

Social Enterprise and Women Empowerment in India

The theme of the seminar being inter-disciplinary in nature invites papers from scholars across all allied disciplines. Abstract of papers are invited from the interested scholars on the topic relevant to the sub-themes to present paper in the seminar.

Sub Themes

- Role of social enterprise in women empowerment in India
- Social enterpris, challenges and women empowerment
- Social enterprise, women, prosperity and social change
- Role of social enterprise in bridging gender inequality
- Women movement and social enterprise
- Hybrid social enterprise and change
- Does Social enterprise, challenge or reinforce gender stereotype
- Women entrepreneurs: economic and social well being

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Call for Papers

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