## Report on 3-Day Workshop on Gender Equality

## Day 1 - Inaugural Session (7th April, 2025)

The Gender Champions of Department of Law, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, commenced a 3-day workshop on Gender Equality with a vibrant and thoughtful Inaugural Session on April 7 2025. This session was based on the theme "Empower, Educate, Elevate Women".

The event was hosted by Y Sakshi Choudhary and Pragya Singh, who welcomed the dignitaries, participants, and attendees with great enthusiasm.

Session began with a symbolic sapling presentation ceremony to the esteemed guests, representing growth, sustainability, and hope. The dignitaries welcomed included:

- Prof. Ashish Parashar Sir, Nodal Officer, Gender Champions, GGV
- Dr. Sudhanshu Ranjan Mohapatra Sir, Head and Dean, Department of Law
- Dr. Nidhi Sandal Mam, Associate Professor, Department of Law
- Dr. Ajaiy Singh Sir, Assistant Professor, Department of Law

Following the warm welcome, Dr. Ajaiy Singh Sir, delivered the Welcome Address, setting a reflective and encouraging tone for the event.

Prof. Ashish Parashar Sir, then elaborated on the objectives and vision of the Gender Champions program, emphasizing the need for awareness and active engagement on issues of gender sensitivity and equality.

Dr. Sudhanshu Ranjan Mohapatra Sir provided a comprehensive academic perspective on the significance of gender equality in educational institutions and beyond.

Further, Dr. Nidhi Sandal Mam shared her insights on the theme "Gender Equality is for Everybody", reinforcing the idea that inclusivity and fairness must permeate all levels of society.

The event also featured a special address by Ms. Prashasthi Shukla Mam, one of the Gender Champions from the Department of Law, who shared her experiences and reflections on gender sensitivity in practice, motivating fellow students to become proactive agents of change.

The session concluded with a heartfelt Vote of Thanks delivered by Rishi Khandelwal, appreciating the contributions of all dignitaries and participants.

The first day of the workshop set a powerful tone for the sessions to follow, reminding everyone of their role in nurturing a just and equal society.







## Day 2 — Competitions on Gender Equality themes (8th April, 2025)

There were three Competitions lined for all the students of university on 8th April, 2025 at the department of law. These were-

- 1. Poster Making Competition on theme "Equal Opportunities for all"
- 2. Slogan Writing Competition on theme "My Gender, My Identity, My Right"
- 3. Poetry Writing Competition on theme "Gender Equality: a step towards better future"

The program started at 1:30 pm with marking the attendance of the participants and providing them with the Poster making sheets and other sheets for slogan and poetry.

Dr. Nidhi Sandal mam was called as the Judge for Poetry writing Competition, where as Miss Priyanshi Dubey mam was called as the Judge for Slogan writing and Poster making Competition.

Many Students from department of law and some students from other departments had participated in these competitions and led to the successful competition of this event.

The Competitions were concluded by 3:00 pm on that day, these Competitions were conducted and managed by following Gender Champions namely Harsh Mourya, Divyanshi Pandey, Nikita Tiwari, Kuber Dansena, Prashasthi Shukla and Ayush Yadav. This day had marked, very crucial development in the field of Gender equality in our department. Students showed there best artistic creations and exceptional writings by showcasing their talents.













## <u>Day 3 — Valedictory Session</u> (9<sup>th</sup> April, 2025)

This day was the last day of the three days workshop on Gender Equality. The Gender Champions of department of law had concluded this workshop on 9th April, 2025, by discussing upon the last theme of the workshop "The role of Youth in Gender Equality" thereby announcing the results of Various competitions held on day 2. The Valedictory session was hosted by Divyanshi Pandey and Harsh Mourya, who welcomed the dignitaries, winners, participants and other attendees with great enthusiasm and vibrance.

The session began with a symbolic sapling presentation ceremony to the esteemed guests, representing growth, sustainability, hope and positivity. The dignitaries included:

- Dr. Bharti Ahirwar Mam, Professor, Department of Pharmacy
- Prof. Ashish Parashar Sir, Nodal Officer, Gender Champions, GGV
- Dr. Nidhi Sandal Mam, Associate Professor, Department of Law
- Dr. Ajaiy Singh Sir, Assistant Professor, Department of Law

Following that, Dr. Ajaiy Singh Sir, delivered the Welcome Address, and setted an impressive foundation of the theme by encouraging tone for the event.

Further, Dr. Bharti Ahirwar Mam presented her thoughts and inspired the younger generations for making positive impact towards Gender Equality in Present and Future.

Then the prize distribution ceremony was started and all the dignitaries were called upon to Felicitate the winners of the various competitions held on day 2. Three winners from each segment of competition were provided with certificates.

At last, Dr. Nidhi Sandal Mam delivered her insights on the theme, thereby presenting heartfelt vote of thanks, appreciating the contributions of all dignitaries, gender champions and participants of the workshop.

The concluding day of the workshop had impacted all the participants present over there, It encouraged the students to see the world with greater sense of equality and to eliminate gender discrimination for future generations.

The session finally concluded with group photo of all the Gender Champions of the department of law, with the esteemed dignitaries.

















The Three days workshop was conducted in presence of the following organizing Committee members, Gender Champions –

- 1. Kuber Dansena
- 2. Prashasti Shukla
- 3. Divyanshi Pandey
- 4. Harsh Mourya
- 5. Ayush Yadav
- 6. Rishi Khandelwal
- 7. Y. Sakshi Choudhary
- 8. Pragya Singh
- 9. Nikita Tiwari
- 10.Aastha Singh