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## Report of 'DigitALL: Innovation and Technology for Gender Equality'

To celebrate International Women's Day, Kidderpore College, Kolkata, in association with Lalbaba College, Howrah, organized a One Day Seminar on International Women's Day on 21 March 2023 at Bangla Academy Savagriha.

The theme for the seminar was 'DigitALL: Innovation and Technology for Gender Equality'.


The Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Women's Forum and Cultural Sub-committee of Kidderpore College collaborated with the Women's Cell of Lalbaba College to invite esteemed dignitaries who shared their experience and insight in protecting the rights of women in digital spaces.

The honourable speakers at this seminar were Mr. Rajarshi Rai Choudhury, Ms. Anamitra Mukherjee, Ms. Sima Mukhopadhyay, Prof. Asoka Bhattacharya.

Mr. Rajarshi Rai Choudhury is an Advocate and Cyber Crime Lawyer at the High Court of Calcutta. He is also a visiting faculty member at North Eastern Police Academy, Meghalaya, Police Training School, Kolkata and CID West Bengal. His informative address was on 'Cyber Crime and Legal Protection in India'.

Ms. Anamitra Mukherjee is a senior Gender Trainer and Consultant at Azad Foundation, Kolkata. Ms. Mukherjee shared her rich experience of empowering women through her talk, 'Marginalised Women and Approach to Gender Equality'.



  
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Ms. Sima Mukhopadhyay is a celebrated playwright, director, and actor. She currently heads the theatre group, 'Rangroop'. Ms. Mukhopadhyay cited vignettes from her vast experience as a thespian to talk about 'Cultural Experience of Inequalities among Women'.

Prof. Asoka Bhattacharya is an Associate Professor of English at Lalbaba College. Her perceptive analysis of women's portrayal in the digital space was titled 'Women and Consumption: The Myth of Empowerment'.

Dr. Abhijit Ganguly, Principal of Kidderpore College, and Dr. Sanjay Kumar, Principal of Lalbaba College expressed their desire to organize more such seminars to create and spread awareness regarding such important social issues.

The seminar closed with poetry and song recitals from members of the faculty from both the colleges.

The Convenor of the Cultural Sub-committee of Kidderpore College, Prof. Iti Biswas proposed the Vote of Thanks to close the session.



  
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