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HEPSN Programme dated 11th April, 2022

HEPSN organized a seminar on "Disability: Concept and Awareness." The resource persons were Dr. Ruma Chatterjee, Secretary, Kolkata Society for Empowerment of the Differently Abled (KSEDA), and Prof. Ishan Chakraborty, Professor, Department of English, Jadavpur University and Member, KSEDA.

Prof. Ishan Chakraborty spoke on the difficulties he faced during his childhood, when even his peers took advantage of his situation and pulled tricks on him, knowing very well that he would not be able to respond.

Dr. Ruma Chatterjee talked about the work of KSEDA in brief and talked about the rights of the differently abled and the role of the government in this regard.

In the question-answer session that followed, queries were directed towards both the speakers on which they dwelt at length. Prof. Chakraborty answered various questions including one on how the game of cricket is played by the visually impaired. Dr. Chatterjee lamented the fact that there is no braille in Urdu.

It was a very enlightening seminar and the students participated animatedly, asking many questions.

It was attended by 18 professors and 65 students.



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