ACTIVITY REPORT

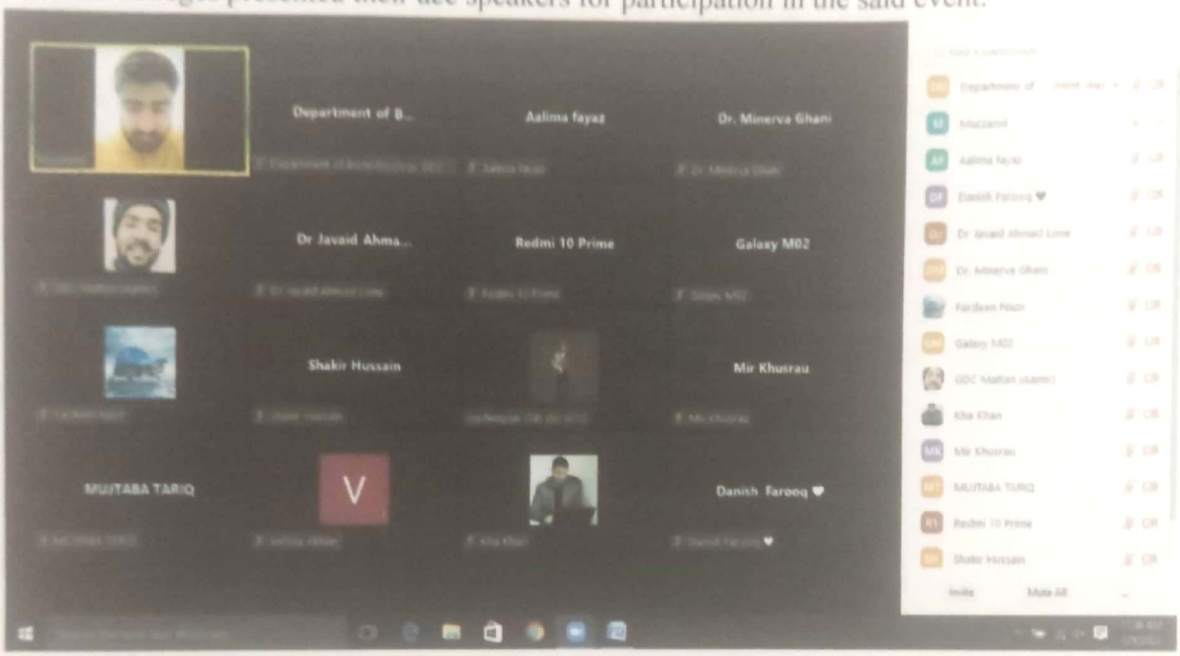
Event: International Womens Day

Activity: Inter-College Seminar

Theme: *"Gender Equality today for a Sustainable Tommorrow"*

Date: 9th March, 2022

On the occasion of International Womens Day, the Department of Biotechnology organized one day inter-college seminar on the theme ***"Contribution of Women in Science and Climate Change Mitigation in 21st Century"*** for the students of South Kashmir colleges. Different colleges presented their ace speakers for participation in the said event.



The seminar started with the welcome address by Ms Sameena Ismail who briefed the participants and the jury about the different parameters to be considered while evaluating the presentations.Speaking on the occasion, the principal of the college, Prof. Muzaffar Ahmad Bhat emphasized on the need for gender equality in all spheres of existence particularly in the Higher Education and also appreciated the department for their initiatives.

This was followed by formal presentations by the speakers who talked about the contributions of women in Science and Climate change mitigation. The speakers were adjudged by Mr. Javaid Ahmad Lone (Assistant Professor, English), Mr. Niyaz Ahmad Khan (Assistant Professor, Environmental Sciences) and Dr. Minerva Ghani (Assistant Professor, Biotechnology). Mr. Niyaz Ahmad Khan, Jury member announced the winners as **Ms Aalima Fayaz** (GDC Anantnag), **Mr Fardeen Nazir** (GDC Uttersoo) and **Mr Muzamil Bashir** (GDC Anantnag) as I, II and III position holders respectively. He also congratulated the department for organizing the said event. Winners, participants and Jury members were awarded certificates. The event concluded with the vote of thanks presented by Ms Sameena Ismail who also moderated the event.

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