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EVENT REPORT

"Conscientious Citizenship: Deliberations on Social Responsibility and Civic Duty Under the Aegis of Seva Parv"

In consonance with the overarching objectives of the Sewa Parv celebrations, which emphasize the ethos of service and community engagement, the Debates and Seminars Committee of the SHMM Govt. Degree College Anantnag orchestrated a guest lecture on 24th September, 2025, in the College Conference Hall. The lecture was strategically designed to elucidate the theme "Social Responsibilities and Civic Duties," aiming to foster a profound sense of conscientious citizenship among the student fraternity and faculty.

The event commenced promptly at 1:30 p.m. with a formal welcome address delivered by the Convener of the Debates and Seminars Committee, Dr. Ambreen Gull, who set the context for the discourse. The session was then convened with the esteemed Dr. Mohd. Maqbool Ahanger, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, served as the resource person for the lecture.

Dr. Ahanger initiated his exposition by delineating the fundamental distinction and symbiotic relationship between social responsibilities—the voluntary ethical obligations one holds towards society—and civic duties—the mandated responsibilities of a citizen towards the state. His lecture was a comprehensive and nuanced deliberation on the multifaceted nature of these obligations.

He elaborated on the individual's role, emphasizing that personal integrity and ethical conduct form the bedrock of a robust society. Progressing to the community level, he underscored the imperative of collective action, volunteerism, and nurturing social cohesion. At the national level, Dr. Ahanger provided a penetrating analysis of civic duties, extending beyond mere legal compliance (such as paying taxes and upholding the law) to encompass active participation in the democratic process, environmental stewardship, and promoting social justice.

The speaker articulated that in an increasingly interconnected world, these responsibilities are not confined to national boundaries but extend to global citizenship, including concerns for universal human rights and sustainable development. His presentation was augmented with pertinent real-world examples and contemporary challenges, making the discourse both intellectually stimulating and immensely relevant.

The lecture was attended by a contingent of over 120 students from various disciplines, alongside a significant number of faculty members. The audience remained attentive and engaged throughout the session. The subsequent interactive question-and-answer segment witnessed cogent and insightful

inquiries from the participants, which Dr. Ahanger addressed with clarity and scholarly acumen. This interaction significantly enriched the overall learning experience.

The event drew to a close with a formal vote of thanks delivered by a member of the organizing committee. The speaker was felicitated as a token of appreciation for his invaluable contributions. The lecture successfully catalyzed critical introspection among the attendees regarding their roles and responsibilities, thereby fulfilling the core objective of the Sewa Parv initiative.

The guest lecture was executed seamlessly and proved to be a resounding success. It served as a pivotal platform for disseminating knowledge and stimulating discourse on a subject of paramount importance. The committee is confident that the insights garnered will significantly contribute to nurturing a more socially responsible and civically engaged college community.

Convener Debates & Seminar Committee
Dr. Ambreen Gull

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(College Seva Parv Nodal Officer)

Prof. (Dr.) Mushtaq Ahmad Malik
(Principal SHMM GDC Anantnag)

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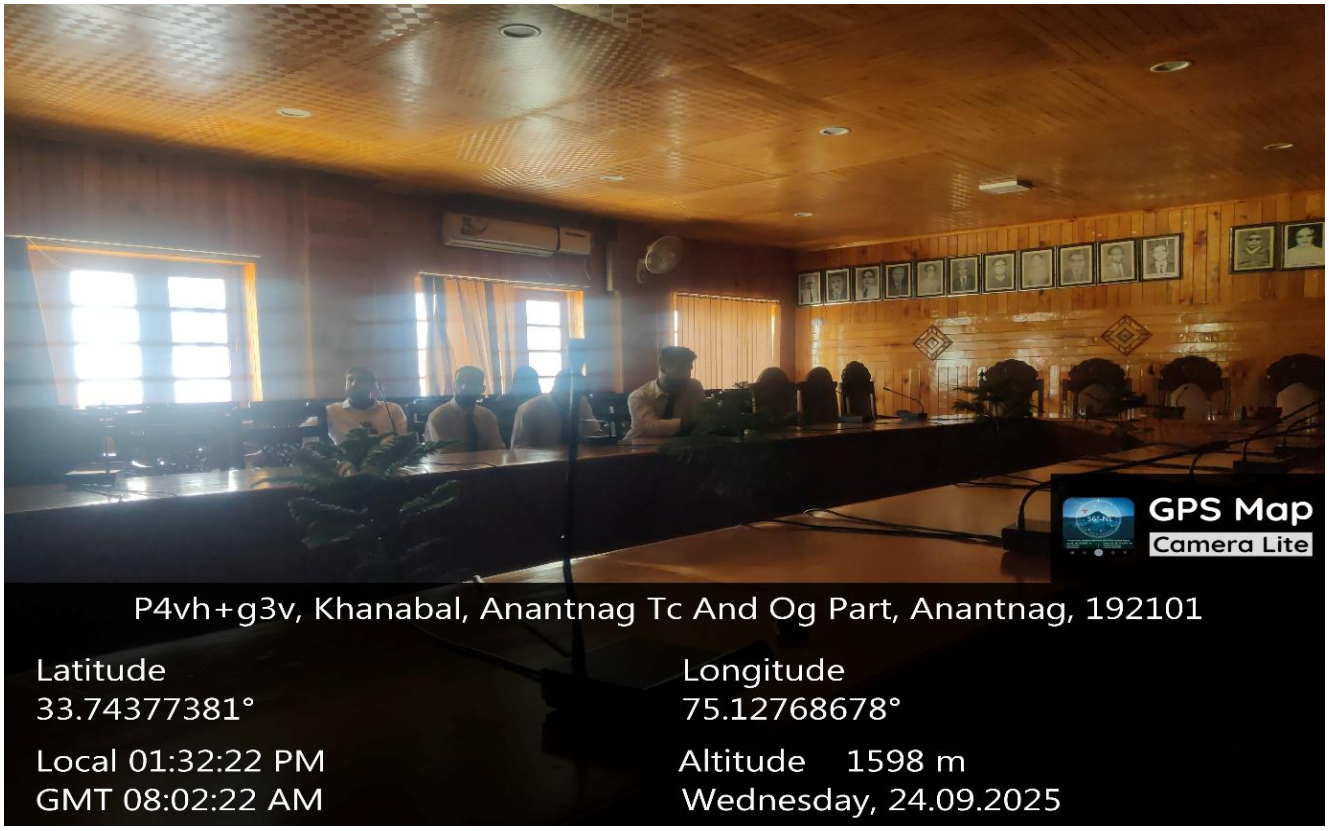
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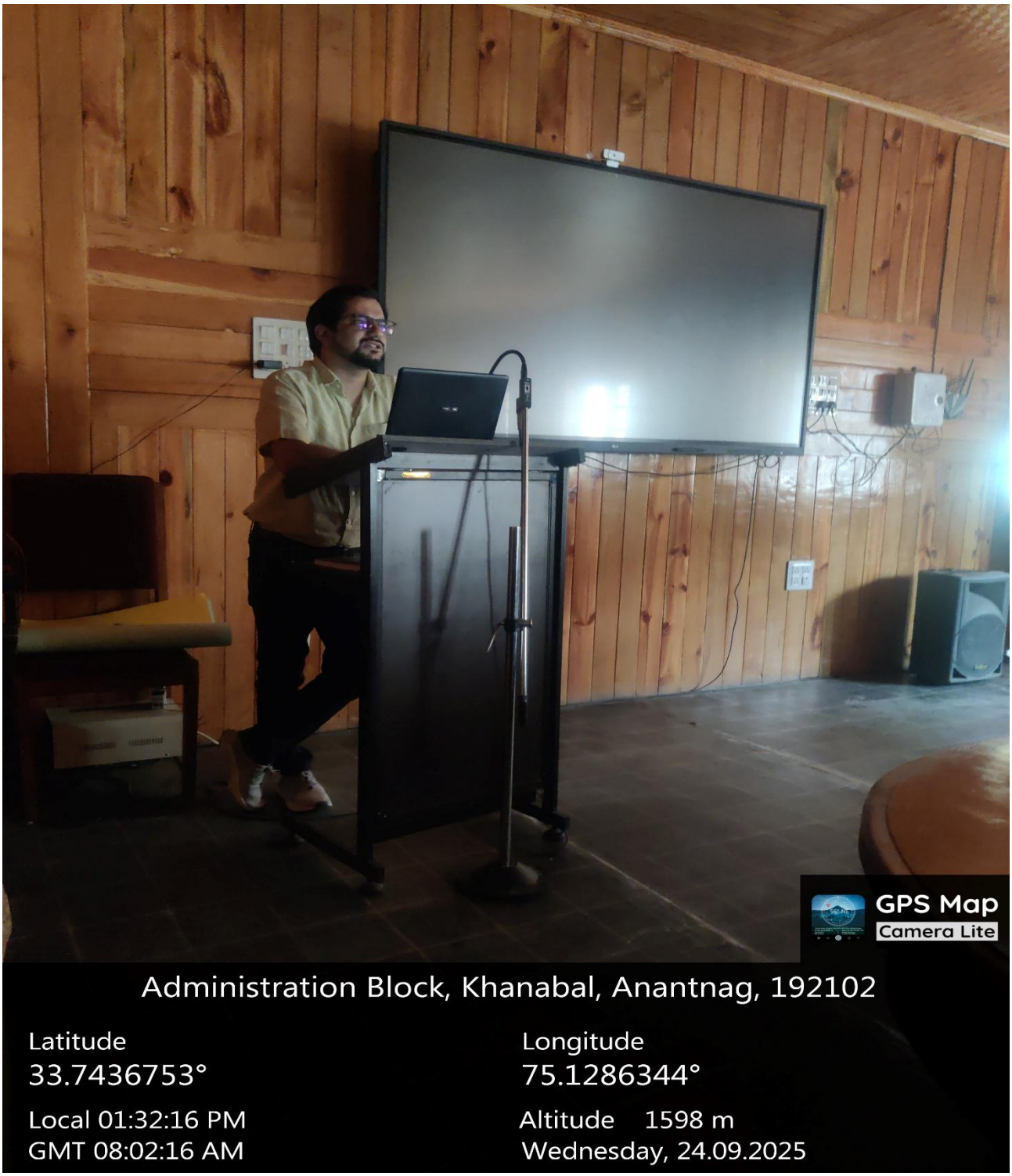


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