

SC/ST Cell

Activities for the Session 2025–26

Event Name: Awareness Session on “Intersectionality of Caste and Gender Discrimination and Its Legal Implications”

Event Date: December 13, 2025

Description:

An awareness session on the theme “Intersectionality of Caste and Gender Discrimination and Its Legal Implications” was organised in the college by the Equal Opportunity Cell in collaboration with the Internal Complaint Cell (ICC), SC/ST Cell, and the NSS Unit. The session aimed to sensitise students and NSS volunteers about the overlapping nature of caste- and gender-based discrimination and the legal safeguards available to address such issues.

The programme featured Advocate Yogita Dutt Sharma, Member of the Himachal Pradesh State Consumer Commission, as the resource person. She delivered an insightful and informative lecture, highlighting various forms of discrimination prevalent in society. She elaborated on the constitutional provisions, important laws, and legal procedures that provide protection and relief to individuals facing such discrimination. The session also focused on empowering students with knowledge about their rights and the mechanisms available for seeking justice. The session was highly interactive, with active participation from NSS volunteers and students, who raised several pertinent questions. The resource person addressed the queries effectively, making the session engaging and informative.

Objectives:

- To sensitise students about the intersectionality of caste and gender discrimination.
- To create awareness about constitutional provisions and legal safeguards available against discrimination.

Outcome:

The session significantly enhanced students’ legal awareness and understanding of discrimination-related issues. It promoted values of equality and inclusivity, contributing to a more informed and socially responsible academic community.



