



SCHOOL OF WOMEN'S STUDIES,
UTKAL UNIVERSITY, BHUBANESWAR, ODISHA
ACTION PLAN FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2018 – 19

Thrust areas	Programmes
i) Teaching	i) Admission work for new batch- Form collection, Entrance examination & Result, Admission process, Orientation, Welcome to fresher, Hostel allotment, class conduct ii) Readmission of senior batch, class conduct, farewell to seniors ii) Examination for both internal and semester, Form fill up, examination conduct, project viva conduct and result publication
ii) Training :	i) Soft skill training to the students ii) Pre-placement training to students iii) Refresher programme for University / College teachers iv) Gender Sensitization Training to College & University students
iii) Research :	i) One research project on women / Gender issues from external funding agency ii) Students' Research work in different women related issues
iv) Field Action :	i) Students' field visit for data collection ii) Internship programme for students iv) Faculty / Students' participation at National and International programmes / cultural activities, seminars/ sensitization programmes etc.
v) Information Dissemination :	i) Publications of News Letter, Magazines, Monographs, Teaching-Learning Materials, Seminar Proceedings etc. iii) Curricular Activities including inter departmental competition on Essay, Debate, Rangoli, Poster etc. iv) Documentation preparation (Audio-Video) on different issues
vi) Networking & Advocacy:	i) Networking with UGC sponsored & non-UGC sponsored Women Studies Research Centers, Local, National & International level NGOs, Inter-departmental linkages in our University & other Universities, colleges. ii) Working and creating awareness to public on government programmes, policies on issues of women & children
vii) Seminar/ conferences/ workshop	i) International Women's Day (8 th March) programme celebration. ii) Two seminar Seminar on Women issues iii) Students interaction programme.

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Brief Performance report - Academic year 2018-2019

- Three students from the self-financing Masters programme of SWS were placed in the Millet Mission of Odisha for their summer internship from 1st May to 30th June.
- The SWS, Utkal University in partnership with PRIA, New Delhi organized a campaign on "Youth and Democracy" on 23rd and 24th July 2018. For the purpose, debate and poster competitions were organized among the students representing Utkal University, Ramadevi Women's University, National Institute of Social Work and Adashpur College. Faculties from different departments and different institutions also joined the campaign.
- On 3rd of August, 2018 The SWS launched the Gender Champion programme in collaboration with OXFAM, India. The programme is designed to create 50 gender champions from the university and 100 from the affiliated colleges who can spread the messages of gender equality and gender justice. The programme is a continuing programme with 12 modules designed jointly by OXFAM, India and SWS, Utkal University and is going to continue up to 12 months.
- The center organised a Refresher Course on Gender from 20-08-2018-09-09-2018. The theme was "Gender Currents of the 21st Century: A Reflection on Theoretical Concerns, Agendas and Action". Teachers from various universities and constituent Government colleges attended the programme.
- Three students represented the SWS in a training programme on "Orientation Programme on Labour development Issues" jointly organised by V.V.Giri National Labour Institute (VVGNI) and Nabakrushna Choudhury Centre for Development Studies (NCDS), Odisha, at Bhubaneswar from October 09-13, 2018.
- Two contractual faculties of the center and three students participated in the Indian Association of Women's Studies Eastern Regional Conference organised by Centre for Women's Studies, Rabindrabharati University and Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Studies Centre, Rabindrabharati University as resource persons and paper presenters respectively.
- On 1st of December, 2018 the center organised a youth festival drawing students and youth from different districts of Odisha. There was a workshop on Workplace safety and a skit competition on ending violence against Women.

- In January, 2019 the center organised Dignity march. There was interaction among the university students and survivors of violence victims. The programme drew people from different states of Odisha for the campaign.
- The center has received three projects from the Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India, the Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of Odishas and ONGC.
- Right now the center is engaged in organising trainings for the government officials, civil society members on Gender budgeting. Through this programme the center targets to reach out 140 officials in two districts and state headquarter.
- There is a mega programme on Gender sensitization planned to be organised in 20 affiliated colleges of Utkal University by 31st of March. Through this programme the center targets at reaching out 2000 students and 800 teachers from the remote areas of the state.
- The center is also engaged in a SIA of the ONGC intervention on school education in the Mayurbhanj district of the state.

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