Report on International Women's Day Celebration

On March 7th, 2024, the Department of Library and Information Science at Himachal Pradesh University (HPU) commemorated International Women's Day with great enthusiasm. The event brought together students from both the Bachelor of Library and Information Science (B.Lib.I.Sc) and Master of Library and Information Science (M.Lib.I.Sc) programs to celebrate the achievements and contributions of women worldwide.

The celebration commenced with a warm welcome to all attendees, with a beautiful rangoli adorning the entrance, symbolizing the vibrant spirit of the occasion. Ms. Ankita, a student of Bachelor of Library and Information Science, graciously hosted the program, setting a welcoming and inclusive tone for the proceedings.



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The event featured esteemed guests, including the Chairperson of the Department, who presided over the celebration as the Chief Guest. Additionally, the Deputy Librarian and Section Officer from the HPU Main Library were present to honor the occasion and show their support for gender equality and women's empowerment.





The highlight of the celebration was the insightful speeches delivered by the students, focusing on the theme of women empowerment. Ms. Simran Verma, student of B.Lib.I.Sc, delivered a poignant speech highlighting the importance of gender equality and the need to empower women in all spheres of life. Adding a touch of creativity and artistry to the event, Ms. Manika, an M.Lib.I.Sc student, recited a beautiful poem dedicated to women's empowerment.

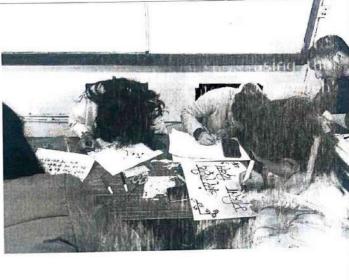




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In addition to the speeches and poetry recitation, the students of B.Lib.I.Sc and M.Lib.I.Sc actively participated in a poster making, showcasing their artistic talents and creativity in depicting themes related to women's empowerment.





The celebration culminated with remarks from the Chairperson of the Department, who shared his thoughts and reflections on the significance of women's empowerment in the field of library and information science. He emphasized the pivotal role that women play in shaping the profession and called for continued efforts to create an inclusive and supportive environment for women in the department and beyond.



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To conclude the event on a delightful note, refreshments were served to all attendees, fostering a sense of celebration among the participants.

Overall, the International Women's Day celebration at the Department of Library and Information Science, HPU, was a resounding success, filled with inspiration and empowerment. It served as a powerful reminder of the importance of recognizing and honoring the achievements of women and reaffirmed the department's commitment to advancing gender equality and women's empowerment in the field.

The event concluded with a sense of unity and purpose, leaving attendees motivated to continue championing the rights and aspirations of women in their personal and professional endeavors.



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