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The Newsletter of MIER College of Education
Autonomous

EXTERNAL PEER TEAM VISITS MIER COLLEGE



Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of MIER college of Education successfully organised the visit of External Peer Team of experts on April 24, 2019 to assess the functioning of the college as per the guidelines for Autonomous Colleges by the UGC. The visiting team comprised Prof. Poonam Dhawan (Dean Academic Affairs,

Cluster University of Jammu) Chairperson, Prof. Harbans Singh Rana, Former Dean and Head, Deptt. of Education, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla (Member) and Prof. Sushma Sharma, Former Dean and Head PG Dept. of Education, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (Member).

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The peer team interacted with the major stakeholders. They appreciated the college for having been able to start new academic programmes as well as value added certificate courses, modified the curriculum of various courses offered, framed its own statutes and regulations, able to complete the courses of study well in time and held examinations successfully. They also lauded the college for having recruited well qualified faculty and for various digital initiatives launched by the college.

Following suggestions for further improvement of the college were given:

- Campus to be made barrier free for children with special needs.
- The college to sign more MOU's with institutes of

repute for faculty and students for exchange programmes and research collaborations.

- To ensure effective execution of activities under MoUs with the existing institutions.
- Research and Innovations areas to be further strengthened.
- System to be evolved for transfer of credits obtained by students through MOOC's
- Under Digital literacy initiatives, a 6 month Diploma in Computer Applications and a 3 months Tally Course to be offered to students from the adopted village.
- RCI to be approached for commencement of M.Ed. Special Education Course.

College has forwarded the peer team report to the UGC.



MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

The march towards quality education is not an easy one. It is like embarking upon a never ending journey in which reaching a milestone provides both satisfaction and motivation to move further to achieve greater heights.

Educational Institutions with lofty vision, determination, commitment, innovative ideas and ignited faculty and students alone have the potential to excel as role models and leaders in today's competitive world.

It is a matter of pleasure to note that MIER College of Education (Autonomous) is making all out efforts to raise its quality standards and provide high quality educational services winning appreciations from different quarters.

The present issue of PRERNA provides a kaleidoscopic panorama of college activities in different spheres to justify the above statement. My congratulations to the Principal, faculty and students for making genuine efforts which have enabled us to achieve our goals.

Blessings and good wishes.

Dr. Arun K. Gupta



MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

With the completion of five glorious years of functioning as an "Autonomous College", the MIER College of Education has achieved yet another milestone. The college has taken progressive steps towards attainment of its objectives and for quality assurance, sustenance and enhancement. This newsletter is a befitting testament of the growth and progress of the college in different spheres.

Considering the challenges that the changing teacher education paradigm poses, the college management has chalked out new strategies with the active use of 'Modern Educational Technologies' that will enable us to prepare future teachers with the right skill set. These initiatives will strengthen the quality of teaching and enhance the quality of learning experiences for the students. I congratulate the entire team for their continued effort and support in making the college achieve such wondrous heights.



Dr. Adit Gupta



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Prof. Adit Gupta, Principal presented a paper on the topic “To Study the Psychosocial Learning Environments of a Tinkering Laboratory in Promoting STEM Education” at the “STEM Education Conference” organised by Deakin University, Geelong Australia from 14th to 16th November 2018.

During the conference Prof. Gupta also visited a number of schools where STEM education was being provided at various levels and interacted with the students and teachers.



ACADEMIC INTERACTIONS



Prof. Adit Gupta visited Curtin University, Perth in July 2019. During his visit he met Prof. David Gibson, Director of Learning Futures at Curtin University who is spearheading the various digital initiatives at the university. Areas of mutual collaboration and technology implementation for providing access to digital resources for the students were discussed. A presentation about how online assessment is being done at Curtin University was witnessed by him along with a tour of the technology-supported classrooms that have been setup for teaching and learning.



During his visit to Perth, he also met Prof. Darrell Fisher, a pioneer in the field of learning environments research who have published numerous world class research papers and guided scores of doctoral students. He apprised Prof. Fisher about the research being done in the field of learning environments at MIER College of Education in the form of thesis, dissertations and research papers. The visit of Prof. Gupta was coordinated by Dr. Rekha Koul, Dean International and Professor School of Education at Curtin University.



A Bird’s Eye View of the Various Technology Supported Classrooms



A ZCC Northern Zone-II, RCI Sponsored CRE Accredited National Conference on “Inclusive Education: Future Perspectives and Best Practices” was organised on March 30, 2019. Dr. Arun Manhas, KAS, State Project Director, Samagra Shiksha, J&K was the Chief Guest on the occasion. Dr. Malika Nadda, Coordinator ZCC Northern Zone-II RCI, New Delhi and Dr. Arun K Gupta Chairperson MIER were the Guest of Honour.

The conference aimed at bringing practitioners, educators, thinkers and scholars in special education from the state and beyond on a common platform to deliberate upon different challenges that stand in the way of effective implementation of Inclusive Education. The conference dwelt upon

the following themes:

- a) teaching methodologies for CWSN in inclusive settings,
- b) Redesigning curriculum for inclusion vis-à-vis skill development and vocationalization,
- c) Special Olympics-a best practice towards inclusion and
- d) from exclusion to inclusion: universal design for learning strategies.

Dr. Arun Manhas, in his inaugural address, deliberated upon the importance of educating children with exceptionalities in inclusive settings. He informed the participants about the policies, programmes and laws related to inclusive education. In addition, he highlighted the progress in the special

education field in the global context.

More than 100 participants drawn from J&K, Punjab, Himachal Pradesh, Delhi and other states of India participated in the conference. The resource persons of the conference were Mr. Arun Gautam, Lecturer Special Education, CRC Sundernagar; Mr. Suresh Thakur, Sports Director, Special Olympics Bharat, Punjab; Dr. Rohnika Sharma, HoD UG Department, MIER College; Dr. Bharti Tandon, Assistant Professor PG Department, MIER College and Mr. Kuldeep Singh, Assistant Professor, UG Department MIER College. After the open forum, the participants shared their feedback and experiences. Certificates were distributed to the participants.





EDUCATION AND QUALITATIVE RESEARCH

PG Department organized a guest lecture on the theme “Education and Qualitative Research” on October 6, 2018. The resource person was Prof. B. Ramesh Babu, Dean Research, Regional Institute of Education (RIE), Bhopal. In his address, Prof. Babu explained the nuances of teaching-learning process and emphasized that a teacher needs to be a reflective practitioner. He highlighted the fact that education and teaching is intentional, but learning is not, it is uncertain in nature. “It is this gap between certainty and uncertainty that makes the teaching-learning process humane in nature by understanding individual differences, creativity and novelty of the learners”. In addition, Prof Babu discussed different types of research in social sciences and also deliberated on the tools used in different types of educational research and their process.



BLENDED LEARNING



To enrich the teaching-learning process, the college organised two guest lectures on the theme “Blended Learning” and “Theories of Learning” on December 17, 2018. The resource persons were Prof. Amit Kauts, Dean and Head, Department of Education, GNDU, Amritsar and Dr. Deepa Sikand, Associate Professor, Department of Education, GNDU, Amritsar.

Speaking on the topic, Prof. Amit Kauts emphasized that a teacher needs to inculcate the skills and attitudes among students in addition to providing knowledge. He said Blended Learning is an approach to education that combines online educational resources and opportunities with tradition classroom methods. He comprehensively

deliberated on different models of blended learning namely Rotation Model, Flex Model, Self-blend Model and Enriched Virtual Model. Prof. Kauts also talked at length on 'Flipped Classroom' as one of the approaches of Blended Learning and provided ample examples.

Prof. Deepa Sikand deliberating on the topic “Theories of Learning” said that learning is the process of acquiring new knowledge, modifying existing knowledge, behaviours, skills, values and preferences. She highlighted different theories of learning namely Behaviourism, Cognitivism and Constructivism and gave examples of classroom situations where these theories could be implemented.



HUMANIZATION OF TEACHING IN INDIA

Another guest lecture on the theme "Humanization of Teaching in India" was organised on November 28, 2018. The resource person was Dr. Ritu Bakshi, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Central University of Jammu.

Highlighting the historical roots of dehumanization of education in India, Dr. Bakshi said, "treating a human being as the highest value of social existence, has become an essential component in the development of different potentials of a student in education." Dr. Bakshi discussed 3D's of India namely demographic dividend, democratic dividend and diversity dividend which places India in a unique position in humanizing



education. She also deliberated on different strategies and principles of humanizing teaching.

PREPARING RESEARCH DISSERTATIONS

Prof. R.G Kothari Former Head and Dean MS University Vadodra and Prof. Sohan Vir Singh Chaudhary, Former Head of Education IGNOU had an intensive interactive session on "Preparing Research Dissertations and Thesis" on May 8, 2019.

The distinguished speakers elucidated the guidelines for preparing a thesis in a simple and coherent way that can be easily followed by research scholars. They also explained the importance of the sampling process and choosing the right tools for data collection. The lecture was attended by the faculty and students of the PG department of the college.





ACTIVITY BASED LEARNING



A hands on training programme was organized for the B.Ed. students on the theme “Activity Based Learning” for teaching science at the middle and high school level. The resource person was Dr. Rekha Koul, Dean International and Professor School of Education, Curtin University, Australia. Dr. Koul conducted the workshop for the student teachers where they planned and developed activities for teaching various concepts in science. She also shared “Maker Space” an online resource where students can learn making different projects through recyclable or low-cost material and can share that online. The platform also provides an opportunity for students to share their innovative ideas and projects.

ENHANCING LEARNING SKILLS THROUGH YOGA



A workshop on “Enhancing Learning Skills through Yoga, Pranayam and Meditation” was conducted on October 20, 2018. Dr. Rajan Salalia, Associate Professor, SKUAST was the resource person.



Dr. Salalia acquainted audience about the various benefits of yoga and opined that Yoga helps students in dealing with stress, improves memory and attention span. Those who regularly practice yoga not only report lower levels of stress and anxiety and subsequently improved academic performance. Yoga teaches students to persevere, be patient, and work towards their goals. Staff and students enthusiastically participated in number of techniques of yoga such as pranayam and meditation during the workshop.



GUEST LECTURES

Dr. Rekha Koul, Dean International and Professor School of Education, Curtin University, Australia delivered a guest lecture on the theme "Current Research Trends in Learning Environments" on December 18, 2018. Prof. Koul while highlighting the history of research in learning environments emphasized the role of the teachers in creating an effective learning environment. She said that the teachers need to be reflective in their teaching pedagogies and the learning environments. She also talked about numerous learning environment assessment tools developed and standardized at Curtin University which can be used in numerous classroom situations. Prof. Kaul shared different educational platforms for MOOCs such as EdX, Coursera and Udemy as reference in this special area of research.



MENDLEY : REFERENCE MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE



A guest lecture on "Mendeley: Reference Management Software and Researcher Network" was delivered by Dr. Neerendra Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science and Information Technology, Central University of Jammu. Dr. Kumar said that reference or citation management software is for scholars and authors for recording and utilizing bibliographic citations (references) as well as managing research project references either at the institutional or at individual level. He acquainted the audience about different features and functions of Mendeley with appropriate examples.

DEPARTMENTAL RESEARCH COMMITTEE MEETING

A meeting of the Departmental Research Committee (DRC) of the college was organised for the purpose of taking decisions regarding the research based post graduate courses on April 1, 2019. The members deliberated and approved the process of admissions and list of candidates admitted in the MPhil Education programme being offered by the college.





SHARING OF EXPERIENCE

Dr. Bharti Tandon, Assistant Professor, PG Dept., MIER College of Education, an Endeavour Executive Awardee (Australia) shared her research and cultural experiences with the faculty members on October 6th, 2018. She acquainted the faculty about various research facilities and procedures prevalent in Australian Universities.



ORIENTATION / WORKSHOPS



“How to Prepare a Scholarly Research Paper” - March 1, 2019.

Writing of Research Synopsis and Preparation of Research Tools

Workshops on the themes ORCID, Google Scholar, ResearchGate, Use of SPSS and Mendeley Software

ACHIEVEMENTS

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

The center for research received a funding of Rs.4 lakhs for organizing a two day International Conference on the theme “Building World Class Educational Institutions: Issues and Challenges” from ICSSR under IMPRESS Scheme. The International Conference is going to be held on August 30-31, 2019. The aim of the conference is bring different professionals, practitioners, educators and students to come together and deliberate over the ways and means as well as challenges in creating world class institutions in India.

RESEARCH PROJECT

A research project entitled “Role of Digital Media in Building World Class Institutions with special reference to Teaching- Learning: A Survey” has been awarded to the college under the prestigious IMPRESS scheme of the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) with a grant of Rs.7 Lacs. The project team led by Prof. Adit Gupta, Principal includes Dr. Moolraj Sharma HoD and Dr. Nishta Rana, Centre Head, CER would be carrying out the research study.

PAPER WRITING COMPETITION

To enhance the research skills of faculty, an Inter Faculty Competition on writing of research paper was organized for the faculty of the college and 19 papers were submitted. The paper authored by Mrs. Suman Gupta, Assistant Professor, UG Department was selected and published in MIER Journal of Educational Studies, Trends and Practices.



ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

The advisory meeting of the centre was held on March 12, 2019. Dr. Mool Raj, Centre Head presented a report of the activities conducted by the centre along with a future plan of action. The members applauded the efforts of the centre especially online assessment system and the google classroom setup. They also gave suggestions such as starting of certificate programme in ICT for school teachers, providing consultancy services and conducting research studies on the impact of ICT in education.

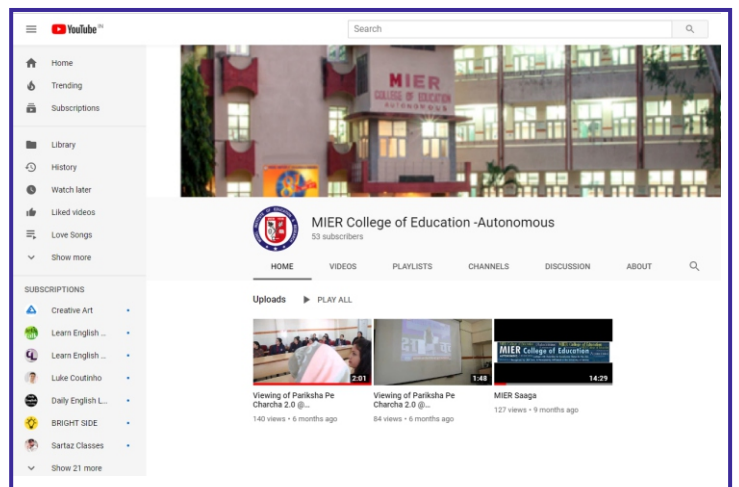


■ PARIKSHA PE CHARCHA

Live Telecast of the second edition of Pariksha Pe Charcha programme by the Prime Minister, Sh. Narendra Modi shown to M.Ed. students on January 29, 2019 which was followed by a lively interaction.

YOUTUBE CHANNEL LAUNCHED ■

A YouTube channel of the college created to host educational content. Teachers will record their lessons and post it online which can be referred by students on 24x7 basis. Videos of different college activities shall also be posted on the channel.





CENTRE FOR EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY



Video Conferencing facility being inaugurated on the New Year Eve

WORKSHOPS



A series of workshops were organised for the faculty and students on:

- Google Tools: Google Docs, Google Forms, Google Slides, Google Drive, Google Site
- Creation of e-content
- Recording of Multimedia Lectures
- Preparation of Online Quiz
- Modules of Academia ERP
- Using UGC's SWAYAM platform





INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

ORIENTATION

An orientation organized on the theme "Career Advancement Scheme" for the faculty on October 31, 2018. The resource person was Dr. Ginny Dogra, Assistant Director IQAC, University of Jammu, Jammu.



MEETING

The second IQAC advisory meeting held on March 1, 2019. The members gave following suggestions to strengthen the functioning of the IQAC:

- Identification of new areas for training for the staff.
- Conduct of collaborative activities under various MoUs.
- Implement new guidelines for accreditation issued by the NAAC especially for Teacher Education institutions.



CONSULTANCY

Consultancy Services provided for NAAC accreditation to BEE ENN College of Nursing on February 7, 2019.





INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL

Glimpses of orientations, workshops and training programmes conducted for the staff and the students

REVISITING SERVICE & LEAVE RULES



PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT SESSION

ENGLISH SPEAKING CLASS



ENSURING QUALITY CULTURE



MAKING STAFF TECH SAVY





SMT. SHANTI GUPTA CENTRE FOR WOMEN STUDIES



An inter college symposium on theme “Protection of Human Rights of Marginalized sections of the Society” organized on December 18, 2018 to commemorate Human Rights Day



A workshop on the theme “Elimination of Violence against Women” conducted in collaboration with Elfa International on January 21, 2019. Mr Mehran Khan, an international trainer and his team were the resource persons.



Dr Indu Kaul, Former HOD Deptt. of Gynecology, Government Medical College, Jammu shared her experiences under the series “Meet the Eminent Women Personality” on February 12, 2019.



Dr. Vishva Raksha, NSS Programme Coordinator University of Jammu talked on the theme “Women Empowerment” on the International Women’s Day on March 8, 2019.



A workshop on the theme “Balance for Better” conducted by Dr. Renu Gupta, Vice Chairperson and Director SSGCWS on International women's day on March 8, 2019 for staff of MIET.



A cultural bonanza organized on Mother's Day in collaboration with Model Academy School on May 10, 2019.



SMT. SHANTI GUPTA CENTRE FOR WOMEN STUDIES



A Natya Path on the life story of Aruna Asaf Ali, a Bharat Ratna awardee organized by the Center to celebrate the 'Women's Equality Day' on August 29, 2018. The role of Aruna Asaf Ali was played by Prof. Rita Jitendra a great playwright and an accomplished artist.

HOMAGE

The college pays rich tributes and homage to Prof. Rita Jitendra a great friend, guide and mentor of SSGCWS on her sad demise on September 9, 2018. She excelled as an outstanding educationist, writer, poet, drama-radio artist, feminist and a social activist. Her association with the centre and her valuable contributions shall be long cherished by the college



VALUE ADDED COURSES



A certificate awarding ceremony for the sixth batch and inaugural function for the seventh batch of the Human Rights and Values course was organized on November 22, 2018. Mrs Sarita Chouhan, Commissioner Secretary, Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of Jammu and Kashmir was the Chief Guest.



A programme organised on the certificate distribution ceremony for the first batch of Guidance and Counselling course on February 15, 2019. Dr. Arun K. Gupta was the Chief Guest. Inauguration of the second batch also took place on the same day.



ENVIRONMENT UNIT



Interactive session organised on “How to Save Environment” - September 15, 2018.

Visit to Manda Zoo to create awareness about endangered species - October 5th, 2018



Inter College Symposium on “Environmental Waste Management -A Step Towards Swachh Bharat Abhiyan” March 16, 2019



Students weeding Herbal Garden at MIER Campus



Tree Plantation Drive at Govt. Middle School, Satwari in collaboration with Jammu Municipal Corporation - July 24th, 2019





EXTENSION UNIT



An awareness programme on “Save the Girl Child” organised in the village Bhatyari on September 18, 2018.



A cultural programme organized in the Oldage Home on the International Day on October 3, 2018



A series of activities in the Bhatyari village like donatation of stationery items to students of Govt. High School, sensitizing villagers on Healthy Life Style and a skit on Disability issues.



A week long computer training programme for the children of Kabir Basti (a slum dwelling) organized from March 12 to 19, 2019.



A free medical camp held for students and staff of the institute on World Health Day on April 9, 2019.



The NSS Unit of the college organized different activities under the aegis of All India NSS Programme in collaboration with the NSS unit of University of Jammu.



A quiz competition organized on the theme "Aims and Role of NSS" on September 24, 2018.



A National Integration Week celebrated from November 19 to 25, 2018 in the college.



An oratory competition on the theme 'Philosophy and Messages of Swami Vivekananda' organized on National Youth Day to commemorate the Birth Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda on January 12, 2019.

NSS CAMP



A seven day annual camp was held at the campus on the theme "Youth for Mass Literacy" from February 11 to 18, 2019.

Activities Conducted :

- Yoga and Meditation Sessions



- Computer Literacy Drive for the children of slum dwellers
- Awareness Campaign at Kabir Basti regarding Various Govt. Schemes like Ujjwala Yojna, Beej Sae Bazar Tak and Beti Bachao Beti Padhao
- Visit to Akhnoor Palace



VISIT OF THE ALUMNI

Meenakshi Sharma (Class B.Ed., Batch 2015-17), an alumna of the college presenting paintings to the management during her visit on October 19, 2018.



Mr. Devender Singh, Special Educator (Class B.Ed. Spl., Batch 2006-07) posing for a photograph with the Principal and HoD, UG Deptt on November 01, 2018.



Col. Ashok Puri, resident of Batala, Punjab (Class B.Ed., Batch 2001-02) visited his alma mater along with his family on November 20, 2018, He is presently serving in the Indian Army at Kargil.



Mr. Inderjeet Singh (Class B.ED. Spl., Batch 2010-11) from Kaithal, Haryana happily posing for a photograph with the management on June 7, 2019. He is working as a Special Educator in a Central Govt. Project.



Ms. Shivani Kapoor (Class M.Ed., Batch 2014-15), remembered her college days during her visit in July 2019. She is working as a Teaching Assistant in the Institute of Music and Fine Arts, Jammu



Mr. Sanjay Kumar
Govt. Teacher
Lamberi, Nowshera



Mr. Bheem Bakshi
Govt. Teacher
Ranbir Hr. Sec. School, Jammu

Mr. Sanjay Kumar (Class B.Ed., Batch 1999-00) and Mr. Bheem Bakshi (Class B.Ed., Batch 2011-12) visited the college in the month of July 2019 and recalled the immense contribution of the college in their careers as a Teacher.





ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

To prepare students to face job interviews during placement drive, a mock interview session and a workshop on the theme “How to Prepare a Resume” was organized by the Placement unit.



PLACEMENT DRIVE



Campus placement drives were organized for the students of the college on March 18, March 28 and May 4, 2019. More than 50 students from UG and PG Departments along with 15 alumni participated in the drive. Different schools from within and outside state participated in the drive namely

- Army Public School, Jammu Cant
- Arihant International School, Nahan, HP
- Model Academy, Jammu

Ms. Nisha Rani and Ms. Rupali Mahajan of M.Ed. Batch 2017-19 were selected as PGT English in Army Public School, Jammu with an annual Pay package of Rs.3.25 Lakhs.



PLACEMENTS 2019



Pallavi Vij
B.Ed. Batch 2017-19
G.D. Goenka School
TGT Math



Vasundhara Sharma
B.Ed. Batch 2017-19
KV Nagrota
PGT English



Pallavi Sharma
M.Ed. Batch 2017-19
Model Academy
PRT Hindi



Neelakshi Sharma
B.Ed. Batch 2013-14
Model Academy
PGT Psychology



Shikha Dubey
B.Ed. Spl. Batch 2017-19
Model Academy
Special Educator



Special School Activities

A number of activities were organised in a positive, encouraging and relaxed environment for the special kids during this session under the guidance of B.Ed Special Education Department. The aim was to ensure personal, social and academic growth of these kids.

GLIMPSES OF ACTIVITIES



Quiz Competition



Sink and Float Experiment



Performing on the Annual Day



Learning Functional Skills



Visit to the Restaurant



Enjoying Rides in the Park

Special students were given individualised instructions, academic remediation and assistance through resource room teaching. Students also availed the services of the on Campus Rehabilitation Centre. More than 250 teacher trainees from Ranjeet College of Education and Chenab College of Education visited Inclusive School as a part of their B.Ed. internship programme.

STATUTORY MEETINGS UNDER AUTONOMY



Glimpses of Governing Body and Board of Studies Meetings



Highlights of MoU

1. Strengthening of Teaching Learning Process
2. Curriculum Development
3. Transforming Educational Practices
4. Organizing Seminars & Workshops
5. Sharing of Knowledge
6. Improving Practice of Teaching
7. Promoting Value Education



MIER College of Education has signed an MOU with Shivalik College of Education, Udhampur to promote joint activities for the benefit of students and teachers. The MOU was signed by Prof. Adit Gupta and Dr. Vikram Gulati, Principals of the respective colleges on April 22, 2019.

To initiate the activities under the MOU Prof. Adit Gupta delivered a Guest Lecture on the topic “Effective Teacher” and

Dr. Mool Raj Sharma, HoD, PG Deptt of Education highlighted the technology initiatives taken by MIER College for improving the teaching learning process at the teacher education level. Prof. Gupta has also been nominated on the managing committee of the Shivalik College of Education.

NEW INITIATIVES

A number of steps have been taken by the management to upgrade the infrastructure and other facilities of the college.

- A lift facility is being constructed in the college for the benefit of students and staff. The project will be constructed at a cost of Rs.28 lakhs approximately.
- A new projector and laptop have been purchased to boost existing ICT facilities for enhancing teaching-learning process
- A new seminar room for research scholars has been created with modern furniture and ICT facilities.
- QueText- Plagiarism Checking Software was subscribed and



A view of the Lift Structure

implemented in the PG Department of Education.

- Online Quiz has been introduced for Internal Assessment at both UG and PG level.
- Air Conditioners have been installed in all HoD's offices, Staff Rooms, M.Ed. library for providing conducive work environment





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Dr. Nishta Rana

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Dr. Nishta Rana and Mrs. Poonam Soni

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Dr. Nishta Rana and Mrs. Suman Devi

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Dr. Monika Bajaj

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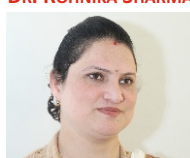
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MRS. ARPANA KAUL



DR. RITA DWIVEDI



MRS. POONAM SONI



MRS. SUMAN GUPTA



MRS. SUMAN DEVI



MR. CHOTTU RAM

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Mr. Chottu Ram

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Faculty of the college completed MOOCS in the following areas:

- ★ Dr. Mool Raj Sharma : ICT in Teaching and Learning, Content Development and Refresher Course on Leadership and Governance in Higher Education.
- ★ Dr. Nishta Rana: Research Methodology for Social Science Teachers, Innovation and Best Practices in Educational Skills and Understanding Research Methods
- ★ Dr. Bharti Tandon : Autism Spectrum Disorder from Coursera (University of California - Davis)
- ★ Mrs. Bindu Dua: Understanding Research Methods, Research Methodologies, Information Technologies and Refresher Course In Psychology.
- ★ Mrs. Sayka Bano: Understanding Research Methods, Research Methodologies and Information Technologies.
- ★ Mrs. Ruchika Kapoor: Information Technologies
- ★ Mrs. Arpana Kaul : Communication Technology in Education
- ★ Mrs. Eesha Sharma: Understanding Research Methods

- ★ Dr. Rohnika Sharma nominated as a member of the Expert Committee by RCI for developing training programmes.
- ★ Dr. Rohnika Sharma attended a three day workshop on Research Method in Special & Inclusive Education & Disability Rehabilitation organized by National Institute For Empowerment of Persons With Multiple Disabilities at NTA , New Delhi from November 24 to 26, 2018.
- ★ Dr. Nishta Rana and Dr. Monika Bajaj attended UGC sponsored General Orientation Course from December 22, 2018 to January 22, 2019 at University of Jammu.
- ★ Dr. Rohnika Sharma invited as a resource person in the Orientation Programmes organised by Samagra Shiksha, J&K, State Institution of Education and Chenab College of Education, J&K
- ★ Members of faculty also presented 13 papers in various International and National Conferences and Seminars.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Dr. Nishta Rana

ICT Developments in Higher Education With Special Reference to Teacher Education In India published in a book entitled *Role of ICT in Higher Education and Research* October-2018. ISBN 978-93-5321-408-1

Dr. Mool Raj Sharma

Relationship Between Teaching Competence and Organizational Commitment Among High School Teachers published in a book *New Research Trends (Qualitative and Quantitative Research)* January, 2019. ISBN 978-81-9388-632-8

Dr. Rohnika Sharma, Ms. Arpana Koul, Ms. Geeta Rani

Successful Implementation of Inclusion through Adaptation published in *Inclusive Education Practices and Challenges* February 2019. ISBN 978-8178-44323-2

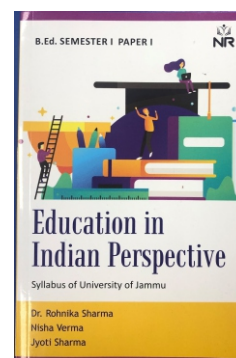
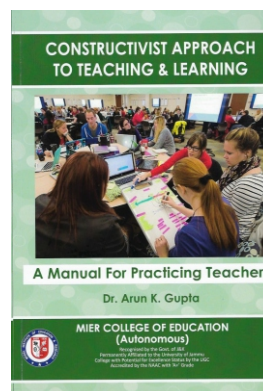
Dr. Monika Bajaj

Need And Importance of Environmental Education published in *Environmental Education and Social Issues*, May, 2019. ISBN: 9788194050254

Dr. Adit Gupta

The Changing Nature of Science Classrooms in Indian Schools: A Technology Perspective published in *Science Education in India: Philosophical, Historical, and Contemporary Conversations* published by Springer (2019) ISBN 978-981-13-9592-5

BOOKS PUBLISHED



Books published by the College and its faculty during the session.



GLIMPSES



A thought provoking Dance Performance on the 83rd Foundation Day of MIER



A Glimpse of a Play staged on Human Rights Day



Students performing on the occasion of Republic Day



A movie show on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti



A Dance Performance on the Annual Prize Distribution Function



Students and Staff during Book Exhibition

Awards and Recognitions



PRIZE DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION

Students were honoured by awarding certificates of appreciation on the basis of their performance in academics and co-curricular activities. Their attendance and regularity was also considered for this award.

PG Deptt.

UG Deptt.



Ms. Juhi Gupta (M.Phil. Education)



Ms. Trusha Sharma (M.A. Education)



Ms. Ambica (B.Ed. Dept.)



Ms. Madhu Bala (M.A. Education)



Ms. Sujata Sharma (M.A. Education)



Ms. Diksha Kumari (B.Ed. Spl.)



Ms. Preeti Sharma (M.Ed.)



Ms. Kimi Padhiar (M.Ed.)



Ms. Shamima Bibi (B.Ed. Spl. Edu.)



Ms. Pallavi Sharma (M.Ed.)



Ms. Jasmeet Kaur (B.Ed. Spl. Edu.)



ANNUAL SPORTS MEET

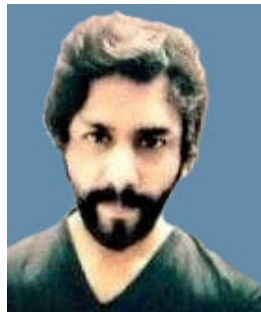


Students in Action during Tug of War



Basket Ball Competition in Progress

Achievers in National and State Level Eligibility Tests



Mohd. Amir
M.Ed., Batch 2016-18
Qualified NET



Honeyka Mahajan
B.Ed., Batch 2017-19
Qualified NET



Divya Sharma
B.Ed., Batch 2017-19
Qualified SET

EDUCATIONAL TOUR



A four day educational tour was organized for the students of UG and PG departments to Chandigarh from March 26 to 29, 2019 to get hands-on experiences about the functioning of different educational institutions. 50 students along with two faculty members visited Punjab University, Chandigarh and interacted with faculty and scholars. In addition, they visited Sukna Lake, Rock Garden, Elante Mall and other attractions of the city.

Student Achievers



OUR TOPPERS (BATCH 2017-19)



Ms. Juhi Gupta
M.Phil. Education
77.63%



Ms. Preeti Sharma
M.Ed.
76.48%



Ms. Trusha Sharma
M.A. Education
73.10%



Ms. Shivani Gupta
B.Ed.
77.25%



Ms. Diksha Kumari
B.Ed. Special Education
76.25%



Ms. Anuradha Bakshi (B.Ed.) participated in National Mountaineering Camp held at Dharamshala, HP

Ms. Pallavi Sharma (M.Ed.) won Silver Medal at the National Level Essay Writing Competition held at Jaipur



Ms. Neha Sharma and Ms. Sonali Gupta (B.Ed.) with their trophies and certificates won during National NSS Camp at Jaipur

