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# Reports of the Activities Organised by Women Development Cell A.Y. 2019-20



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#### **ACADEMIC YEAR 2019-20**

#### **GUEST LECTURE ON GENDER SENSITIZATION**



Women Development Cell organized a guest lecture on "Gender Sensitization" on 30<sup>th</sup> August, 2019. The resource person for the programme was Dr. Hemal Mehta Assistant Professor (Business law), Tolani College of Commerce. The total number of participants were 47 (Female – 27, Male – 20).

**Objective:** The objective of the program was to provide an integrated and interdisciplinary approach to understand the social and cultural constructions of gender that shapes the experience of men and women in the society and to make students gender sensitive.

**Outcome:** Participants understood the need for a gender-equal society for creating a safe, healthy and happy society. It gave them an opportunity to discuss problems due to gender discrimination and suggestions to overcome such gender-bias in the society.

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## **WORKSHOP ON SELF-DEFENCE**









Women Development Cell organized a workshop on Self Defense on 31 January, 2020. The total number of participants were 40 (Female – 40, Male-00)

**Objective:** The objective of the workshop was to provide knowledge about the importance of self-defence to females and also to teach them various techniques of self-protection and self-defence.

**Outcome:** The participants were told about the importance of knowing self-defence techniques for self-protection. In this workshop, girls were also taught some techniques of self-defence during different situations.

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## UNDERSTANDING THE GENDER SPECTRUM





The team of the DLLE unit of Lala Lajpat Rai College of Commerce and Economics organized a state level seminar on the topic Understanding the Gender Spectrum- Expression, Challenges and Rights. The Seminar Was Held In The College Auditorium, And The Speaker For The Program Was Mr. BALACHANDRAN RAMIAH. He Is A Founding Member of PAN IIT Students & Alumni Queer Group' Pravritti' And Was One Of The Petitioners Of SECTION 377, Who Won The Case In September 2018. Around 500 Students And Faculties From 22 Colleges Across Mumbai Were A Part Of The Seminar.

Dr. Minum Saksena

**DLLE Convener** 

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**Dr. Neelam Arora** 

**Principal**