

Two days Multidisciplinary National Conference on “ Innovations and Recent Advances” jointly organized by SKC Govt. Degree College Poonch and SCS Govt. Degree College Mendhar in collaboration with Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA) Jammu Chapter

The two days Multidisciplinary National Conference on Innovations and Recent Advances was jointly organized by SKC Govt. Degree College Poonch and SCS Govt. Degree College Mendhar in collaboration with Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA) Jammu Chapter on 02nd and 3rd of March 2024 at SKC Govt. Degree College Poonch. The conference aimed to provide a platform for scholars, researchers, and professionals from diverse fields to exchange ideas, present research findings, and discuss recent advancements in various disciplines. The event brought together experts and enthusiasts to foster collaboration and promote innovation across disciplines. Almost 400 plus participants including faculty of the organizing and neighbouring colleges, scholars and students registered in the conference.

Day 1:

Inaugural session:

The Inaugural Session of the Multidisciplinary National Conference on Innovations and Recent Advances marked the beginning of a stimulating journey towards interdisciplinary collaboration, knowledge exchange, and innovation. The event brought together scholars, researchers, and professionals from diverse fields to explore new frontiers of research and address contemporary challenges through collective endeavors.

1. Welcoming Address:

- The session commenced with a warm welcome extended to all participants, esteemed guests, and dignitaries by Dr. Jasbir Singh Principal of SKC GDC Poonch.
- The welcoming address emphasized the significance of interdisciplinary collaboration in fostering innovation and addressing societal challenges.
- Dr. Mahroof Khan Organizing Secretary discussed about this Multidisciplinary conference where as Dr. Shamim Ahmed Banday Organizing Secretary conducted overall proceedings of the programme.

2. Inaugural Speech:

- Distinguished speakers delivered inaugural speeches, highlighting the importance of interdisciplinary research in driving progress and addressing global issues.

- Speakers underscored the role of academia in nurturing creativity, fostering critical thinking, and promoting collaboration across disciplines.

3. Keynote Addresses:

- Eminent scholars and experts including Prof. J.S Tara Convener ISCA Jammu Chapter, Shri. O.P Sharma Vidyarthi (IFS), Prof. B.S Bahu Head Department of Botany Central University of Jammu, Mr. S. Parvinder Singh Sr. Scientist IIM Jammu and Prof. M. H. Shah Principal GDC Darhal, highlights the significance of interdisciplinary collaboration and innovation in addressing contemporary challenges.
- Keynote speakers shared insights into cutting-edge research, emerging trends, and potential areas for future exploration.

4. Release of Conference Proceedings:

- The inaugural session also witnessed the release of conference proceedings, Books of Dr. Asad Imran and Prof. Waseem Akram, abstracts, and contributions from scholars and researchers across diverse disciplines.

5. Vote of Thanks

- Dr. Mohammed Azam Principal SCS GDC Mendhar presented the formal vote of thanks at the end of inaugural session of two days multidisciplinary National conference.

Paper Presentations:

- Parallel sessions were organized for paper presentations, covering topics ranging from technology and engineering to social sciences and humanities.
- Researchers and scholars presented their findings, methodologies, and conclusions, sparking discussions and debates among participants.
- Presentations showcased a diverse array of research projects, including theoretical frameworks, empirical studies, and practical applications.

Panel Discussions:

- Panel discussions provided a forum for in-depth exploration of specific themes and issues relevant to various disciplines.
- Experts deliberated on interdisciplinary approaches to solving complex problems, sharing best practices, and identifying areas for collaborative research.

- Participants engaged in lively debates and exchanges, enriching their understanding of diverse perspectives and approaches.

Cultural Evening:

- The day-1st of conference concluded with a cultural evening featuring performances showcasing the rich diversity of art, music, and traditions.
- Participants enjoyed cultural performances, socializing with colleagues, and celebrating the spirit of collaboration and creativity.

Day 2:

Online Presentations, Workshops and Demonstrations:

- Day 2 featured online presentations, workshops and demonstrations aimed at enhancing participants' skills and knowledge in specialized areas.
- Online Presentations and Workshops covered topics such as research methodologies, data analysis techniques, and innovative tools and technologies.
- Participants had the opportunity to gain hands-on experience, interact with experts, and explore new avenues for research and innovation.

Poster Presentations:

- A poster session was organized to showcase research projects, prototypes, and innovative solutions developed by participants.
- Poster presentations facilitated informal discussions and networking opportunities, allowing participants to receive feedback and exchange ideas with peers and experts.

The Multidisciplinary National Conference on Innovations and Recent Advances provided a dynamic platform for interdisciplinary dialogue, knowledge exchange, and networking. The event fostered a culture of innovation, collaboration, and excellence, inspiring participants to explore new frontiers of research and contribute to societal advancement.

Valedictory Function

The Valedictory Function of the Multidisciplinary National Conference on Innovations and Recent Advances marked the culmination of two days of insightful discussions, collaborative endeavors, and innovative presentations.

1. Acknowledgment and Gratitude:

- Prof. G. L Sharma and Prof. S.D Sharma ,Former Principals Higher Education Department J&K (UT) were the Chief Guest and Guest of Honour during this valedictory function.
- The valedictory function commenced with expressions of gratitude extended to participants, speakers, sponsors, and organizers for their invaluable contributions to the success of the conference.
- Organizers acknowledged the dedication, enthusiasm, and collaborative spirit demonstrated by all participants throughout the event.

2. Reflections on Conference Highlights:

- Participants and organizers reflected on the highlights of the conference, including keynote addresses, paper presentations, panel discussions, workshops, and cultural performances.
- The valedictory function provided an opportunity to revisit key insights, lessons learned, and memorable moments shared during the course of the conference.

3. Recognition of Outstanding Contributions:

- Exceptional contributions, innovative research projects, and noteworthy presentations were recognized and applauded during the valedictory function.
- Awards and certificates were conferred upon individuals and teams for their outstanding achievements and contributions to the conference.

4. Closing Remarks:

- Dignitaries and organizers delivered closing remarks, reflecting on the significance of interdisciplinary collaboration, innovation, and academic exchange in advancing knowledge and addressing societal challenges.
- Speakers emphasized the importance of sustained efforts and continued collaboration beyond the conference to translate ideas into action and drive positive change in the world.

5. Commitment to Future Endeavors:

- The valedictory function concluded with a commitment to building on the momentum generated by the conference and fostering ongoing collaboration and dialogue across disciplines.

- Participants were encouraged to stay connected, explore new research opportunities, and contribute to the advancement of their respective fields and society at large.

The Valedictory Function of the Multidisciplinary National Conference on Innovations and Recent Advances celebrated the collective achievements, shared experiences, and enduring friendships forged during the event. It served as a testament to the power of collaboration, innovation, and academic inquiry in shaping a brighter future for all.

Prof. Mohd Akram Head Departed of Education SKC GDC Poonch thanked all the participants, speakers, sponsors, and organizers for their unwavering support and commitment to advancing knowledge and fostering innovation through the Multidisciplinary National Conference on Innovations and Recent Advances.

As the conference concluded, participants departed with renewed enthusiasm, enriched perspectives, and a sense of camaraderie, committed to advancing knowledge and driving positive change in their respective fields.

Overall, the conference was a resounding success, reflecting the college's commitment to promoting academic excellence, fostering innovation, and nurturing interdisciplinary collaboration.

Both the Colleges SKC Govt. Degree College Poonch and SCS Govt. Degree College Mendhar looks forward to organizing more such events in the future, continuing to serve as a catalyst for intellectual exchange and innovation across disciplines.