

Evaluative Report of the Department

1. Name of the Department
Centre for Women's Studies
2. Year of establishment
1985
3. Is the Department part of a School/ Faculty of the University?
Yes Centre for Women's Studies is multi-disciplinary (students completing P.G. in humanities Social Science, Commerce & Law are eligible for M. Phil. in Gender Studies)
4. Names of programmes offered
Center is offering M. Phil in Gender Studies from session 2014 – 15 which is a self-finance and multidisciplinary programme. This center is also facilitating research activities.
5. Interdisciplinary programmes and departments involved
Center is running M. Phil in Gender Studies from session 2014 – 15 which is an interdisciplinary programme. Students completing P.G. in humanities Social Science, Commerce & Law are eligible admission in this course. Faculty members from different departments of this university are engaging classes as guest faculty.
6. Courses in collaboration with other universities, industries, foreign Institutions, etc.
Center is not running any teaching programmes. However several activities to promote students to work in this area are organized with the help of UGC & University.
7. Details of programmes discontinued if any, with reasons
No programme has been discontinued during 2009-15.
8. Examination System: Annual/Semester/Trimester/Choice Based Credit System
Center is running M. Phil programme in Gender Studies and adopted semester system for the examination of students.
9. Participation of the department in the Courses offered by other departments
Faculty members of this department are not involved in the programmes run by other department.
10. Number of teaching posts sanctioned, Filled and actual (Professors/ Associate Professors/ Asst. Professors/ others).
No teaching position has been sanctioned to this center. Director of this center is also having additional charge.

11. Faculty profile with name, qualification, designation, area of specialization, experience and research under guidance

Following is the details of faculty in this department:

| Name | Qualification | Designation | Specialization | No. of Years of Experience | No. of Ph.D./ M. Phil. students guided for the last 4 years |
|----------------------------------|--|---|---|----------------------------|---|
| Dr. Manju Sharma | M.Sc., Ph.D. | Associate Professor in Botany Director Women Studies | Morphology, Developmental anatomy and Histochemistry | 30 yrs | Ph.D-9 |
| Prof. Lad Kumari Jain 2011-12 | | Ex. Director Women Studies | | | |
| Dr. Mini Nanda 2012-13 | M.A. Ph.D. | Ex. Director Women Studies | British Literature, Canadian Literature, Diaspora Studies, Caribbean Literature | 14 yrs. | M. Phil-2009-10- 05 Ph.D. Awarded-06 Submitted-01 Working-08 |
| Prof. Kshama Agarwal 2013-15 | M.Com, M. Phil, Diploma Labour Laws FDP.IIMA Ph.D. | Ex. Director Women Studies | Professor of EAFM | 37 yrs | Ph.D. -7 M.Phil. -25 |

12. List of senior Visiting Fellows, Adjunct faculty, emeritus professors :

No senior Visiting Fellows, Adjunct Faculty and Emeritus Professors visited this department during 2009 – 15. However following eminent persons are involved in various programmes for the past five years:

- Dr. Lucy. M. Jacob,
- Prof. R. R. Singh
- Dr. Pratibha Jain,
- Prof. Pawan Surana,
- Prof. Joya Chakravarty,

- Prof. Asha Kaushik,
- Prof. Damyanti Gupta,
- Prof. Sangeeta Sharma,
- Prof. Lad Kumari Jain,
- Dr. Mini Nanda,
- Prof. Kshama Agarwal,
- Dr. Prerna Puri.

13. Percentage of classes taken by temporary faculty programme-wise information
NIL

14. Programme-wise Student Teacher Ratio

The total intake for M. Phil in Gender Studies is 12. All the faculty members engaging classes are guest faculty in this department. Director of this centre is also appointed for time being.

15. Number of academic support staff (Technical) and administrative staff Sanctioned, filled and actual

Following is the position of ministerial, technical staff and lab bearers:

| | Sanctioned | Filled | Actual |
|-----------------------------|------------|--------|--------|
| Technical | --- | --- | --- |
| Administrative (LDC) | 01 | 01 | 01 |
| Others | | | |
| Peon | 01 | 01 | 01 |
| Computer Operator | 01 | --- | 01* |

- Filled through contractual appointment

16. Research thrust areas as recognized by major funding agencies

Following thrust area is recognized by major funding agencies:

- Gender Sensitization

17. Number of faculty with ongoing projects from a) national b) international funding agencies and c) Total grants received. Give the names of the funding agencies, project title and grants received project-wise.

No faculty member is associated with this center except its Director.

18. Inter-institutional collaborative projects and associated grants received

a) National collaboration

NIL

b) International collaboration

NIL

19. Departmental projects funded by DST-FISTetc.; total grants received.
Center did not receive any such project during 2009 – 15.

20. Research facility / centre with

- state recognition
NIL
- national recognition
NIL
- international recognition
NIL

21. Special research laboratories sponsored by / created by industry or corporate bodies
NIL

22. Publications:

- * Number of papers published in peer reviewed journals (national/international)
NIL
- * Monographs :
Vimarsh News & Views on Women's Issues 2013-2014
- * Chapters in Books:
NIL
- * Journal:
ISSN No- 2348-4233 for VIMARSH News and Views on Women Issues. (Under Publication)
- * Books with ISBN with details of publishers
NIL
- * Number listed in International Database (For e.g. Web of Science, Scopus, Humanities International Complete, Dare Database - International Social Sciences Directory, EBSCO host, etc.)
NIL
- * Citation Index – range / average
NIL
- * SNIP
NIL
- * SJR
NIL
- * Impact Factor – range / average
NIL
- * h-index
NIL

23. Details of patents and income generated

No patent has been registered by any faculty member of this department.

24. Areas of consultancy and income generated

NIL

25. Faculty selected nationally / internationally to visit other laboratories / institutions/ industries in India and abroad

NIL

26. Faculty serving in

No faculty member is associated with this center except its Director.

a) National committees

NIL

b) International committees

NIL

c) Editorial Boards

NIL

d) Any other

NIL

27. Faculty recharging strategies (UGC, ASC, Refresher / orientation programs, workshops, training programs and similar programs).

UGC Sponsored Refresher Course is organized every year on “Gender Studies” under the banner of Academic Staff College.

28. Student projects

- percentage of students who have done in-house projects including interdepartmental projects

Students from other departments coming to visit the library of the centre are perusing Ph.Ds and doing minor & major Research Projects.

- percentage of students doing projects in collaboration with other universities/ industry / institute

NIL

29. Awards / recognitions received at the national and international level by

- Faculty

NIL

- Doctoral / post doctoral fellows

NIL

- Students

NIL

30. Seminars/ Conferences/Workshops organized and the source of funding (national/international) with details of outstanding participants, if any.

Center has organized following six programmes during 2009-15:

- Interaction to ensure safety of Girls in the Campus of University of Rajasthan, Jaipur on 7th May 2013. (Total 200 Students) Funded By University of Rajasthan
- Interaction Programme to “Ensure Safety of Girls in the Campus of University of Rajasthan” on 17th August 2013 at 7.00 P.M.
- One day workshop on “Law Commission’s Report on the issues of Women on 22/10/2013. Funded by University of Rajasthan, Jaipur
- Two day National Conference on “Gender Mainstreaming- Problems & Prospects” 25-26 February, 2014. Funded partly by UGC unassigned grant and partly by University of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
- Refresher Course in “Multidisciplinary Approaches to Gender Studies”. (Participants teachers 35) Funded By UGC, May 2014.
- “Survey cum Research Project on Social-Economic working conditions of Domestic Women Workers with special reference to Jaipur Kacchi-Basti Migrated Women Labour”.

31. Code of ethics for research followed by the departments

Codes of ethics for research are followed as per UGC and University of Rajasthan norms.

32. Student profile programme-wise:

Following is the students profile in the programme run by this center.

| Name of the Programme | Applications received | Selected | | Pass percentage | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|--------|---|--------|
| | | Male | Female | Male | Female |
| M. Phil in Gender Studies 2014-15 | 30 | 07 | 05 | Result of first semester not declared yet | |

33. Diversity of students

Following is the diversity of students at this center:

| Name of the Programme | % of students from the same university | % of students from other universities within the State | % of students from universities outside the State | % of students from other countries |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|---|------------------------------------|
| M. Phil in Gender Studies 2014-15 | 100 | NIL | NIL | NIL |

34. How many students have cleared Civil Services and Defense Services examinations, NET, SET, GATE and other competitive examinations? Give details category-wise.

First batch of students was admitted this year. No students passed out from this center.

35. Student progression

Following is the student's progression:

| Student progression | Percentage against enrolled |
|---|-----------------------------|
| UG to PG | NIL |
| PG to M.Phil. | 100% |
| PG to Ph.D. | NIL |
| Ph.D. to Post-Doctoral | NIL |
| Employed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Campus selection • Other than campus recruitment/ | NIL |
| Entrepreneurs | NIL |

36. Diversity of staff

Following is the diversity of staff of this department:

| Percentage of faculty who are graduates | |
|--|-----|
| of the same university | NIL |
| from other universities within the State | NIL |
| from universities from other States | NIL |
| from universities outside the country | NIL |

37. Number of faculty who were awarded M.Phil., Ph.D., D.Sc. and D.Litt. during the assessment period

N/A

38. Present details of departmental infrastructural facilities with regard to

a) Library

The center has its own library that consists of about 2600 books and dissertations submitted by the students.

b) Internet facilities for staff and students

Center has internet facility

c) Total number of class rooms

Center has one class room

d) Class rooms with ICT facility

N/A

e) Students' laboratories

Center does not have any Students' laboratory.

- f) Research laboratories
Center does not have any research laboratory.

39. List of doctoral, post-doctoral students and Research Associates

- a) from the host institution/university
b) from other institutions/universities

No Student in presently enrolled for doctoral programme at this Centre

40. Number of post graduate students getting financial assistance from the university.

No student of this department is getting any financial assistant from university.

41. Was any need assessment exercise undertaken before the development of newprogramme(s)? If so, highlight the methodology.

Center conducts three type of assessments to evaluate its students. These are: Written assessment, Class room participation and visit to Women Suraksha Salah Kendras.

42. Does the department obtain feedback from

- a. Faculty on curriculum as well as teaching-learning-evaluation? If yes, how does the department utilize the feedback?

Yes, the informal inputs from teachers participating in the activities of this center are obtained during events organized by this center and tries to incorporate their suggestions in organizing next events.

- b. Students on staff, curriculum and teaching-learning-evaluation and how does the department utilize the feedback?

No input on faculty and curriculum of this center is obtained. However, informal inputs from students taking part in activities is obtained to design future activities of this center.

- c. Alumni and employers on the programmes offered and how does the department utilize the feedback?

NIL

43. List the distinguished alumni of the department

Following are few distinguished alumni of the department

- Prof. Pratibha Jain
- Prof.R.R.Singh
- Prof. Pawan Surana
- Prof. Damyanti Gupta
- Prof.Asha Kaushik
- Prof. Lad Kumari Jain
- Dr. Mini Nanda
- Prof. Sangeeta Sharma

44. Give details of student enrichment programmes (special lectures / workshops /seminar) involving external experts.

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45. List the teaching methods adopted by the faculty for different programmes.

The teaching methods adopted by the guest faculty for M.Phil Studies are classroom teaching using black boards, distribution of notes on topics not available in books, and audio-visual methods.

46. How does the department ensure that programme objectives are constantly met and learning outcomes are monitored?

Center ensures that programme objectives are constantly met through frequent discussion with experts, visiting faculty and students attending activities of this center.

47. Highlight the participation of students and faculty in extension activities.

Students from other departments were coming to this center for the survey work which was made mandatory by UGC for this center. After enrolment of students from this year onwards, our own students will carry out survey work at this center.

48. Give details of “beyond syllabus scholarly activities” of the department.

The first batch of students is admitted this year only. Center is planning to organize student’s activities from next year onwards.

49. State whether the programme/ department is accredited/ graded by other agencies? If yes, give details.

NO

50. Briefly highlight the contributions of the department in generating new knowledge, basic or applied.

The Centre is associated with NGO’s. The Centre takes two NGO’s in its advisory Committee every year for the years 2013-14 and 2014-15 these NGOs were.

- Shikshit Rojgar Kendra Prabandhak Samiti (SRKPS):State office: A/07/06, Chinab Apartment, Sector 28, Pratap Nagar, Sanganer, Jaipur (Rajasthan)

- NariUtthan Sansthan:5/ Sikar 95-96 date 02.06.1996, 80 G registration No Income Tax Comm- III/ Jaipur/ Income Tax Act (Under Jurisdiction)/ 2011-12/1705 FCRA registration No. 125- 420046
- Social Activist, Jila Pramukh Sikar

51. Detail five major Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Challenges (SWOC) of the department.

Following are major Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Challenges of the department:

Strengths

- Good intellectual support by the core Committee members
- Good support from the Academic Council for starting new course of “M.Phil. in Gender Studies” form Session 2014-15
- Peaceful and non-interfering instinctual environment

Weaknesses

- Less physical, financial resources.
- Availability of space is bare minimum.
- Full time teaching as well as supportive staff is not there.

Opportunities:

- Opportunity to tap resources from UGC, ICSSR (two Projects are under Consideration at ICSSR)
- Opportunity to Work in the field in association with the NGOS.

Challenges

- Manpower, workforce is a Challenge.

52. Future plans of the department.

Centre is planning for Diploma in Gender Studies. It is trying to generate clusters in Jaipur district to work with. It is also trying to develop job oriented courses for women candidates whose education level is below 10th standard. The center is also planning to publish ISSN numbered journal from 2015-16 for which ISSN No. is obtained.