

7.1.1 ANNUAL REPORT OF GENDER EQUITY PROMOTION PROGRAMMES ORGANISED BY THE COLLEGE

2020-21

1. Food Kit Distribution and Livelihood Support for transgender society

Name of the Programme :	Food Kit Distribution and Livelihood Support for transgender society
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	October 19, 2021

The selected victims were already evicted from their own homes due to the social stigma and are living in absolute poverty. All the 8 members are from Alappuzha district and all of them were severely affected by the flood. We were trying to find funds for their food kits for daily survival and also rehabilitate them to enable them to get back on their feet. The provided items include a drive cart and four sewing machines.





2. Awareness class on Transgender

Name of the Programme :	Awareness class on Transgender
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	October 2021

RCSS conducted an awareness class about transgender with the objective to transform the outlook of the society by introducing the term ‘transgender further the presentation elaborated the umbrella term; their rights and their solid existence. The difference between transgender and transsexual people, how they live, their living conditions and the need to accept them in the society in this generation and how it all can be done gradually were taught in detail to the women’s forum members of the NGO (Sargakshetra charitable and cultural center, changanaserry by students team during their fifth semester block placement at the NGO in October 2021.



3. Transgender Meet

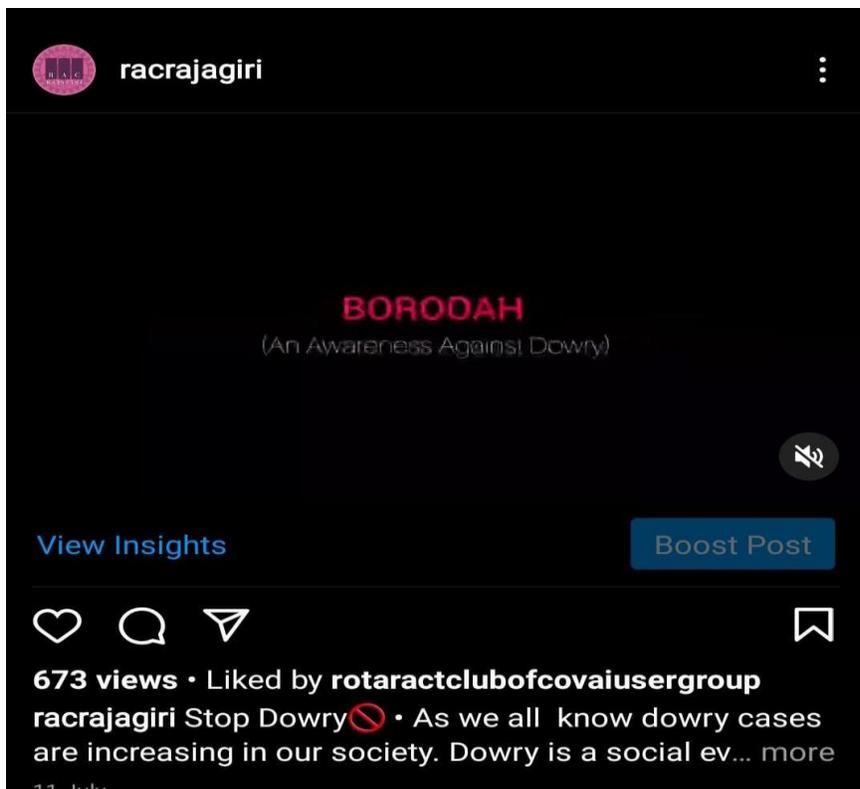
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Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- Under the auspices of the Sargakshetra Women’s Forum, Trainees have organized the event SOURYA 2k21 on 6th of November in Sargakshetra.
- The ultimate goal of the programme was to consider and accept the transgender people by the society through a meaningful interaction and there by to bring out a cultural change in the society.
- Distributed three kits including food, hygiene and utensils.



4. Awareness video campaign against dowry system

Name of the Programme :	Awareness video campaign against dowry system
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	



5. Mainstreaming Tribal Women Students

Name of the Programme :	Mainstreaming Tribal Women Students
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- To give the psychosocial support to the tribal women students studying in various colleges in Ernakulam district.
- For this a collective group of people prepared a platform where tribal students could interact with each other and the group, freely within the different age groups.



6. Rise up Forum

Name of the Programme :	Rise up Forum
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- Social work student is a part of conducting 16 days of activism campaign by United Nations extended solidarity with Rise up Forum. The main aim of the campaign is to stop gender based violence by spreading awareness, Providing education, conducting webinars, social media interactions etc.
- For the inclusion of people in the transgender communities, the social work student visited their homes for preparing a short documentary video.



7. Group work session with domestic violence victims

Name of the Programme :	Group work session with domestic violence victims
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- Group type – Educational and recreational group
- Target group – Domestic violence victims
- Objective – Stress management and awareness sessions
- Place – Quilon Social Service Society(QSSS Shelter Home)
- The social work trainee conducted sessions like Hand wash training and steps to be followed while washing hands. Personal hygiene. and game sessions for skill building and



8. Session on Self-Defence Practices for female trainees of Yuvakeralam Project

Name of the Programme :	Session on Self-Defence Practices for female trainees of Yuvakeralam Project
Organized by:	RCSD
Date of the Programme:	

- A self-defense class was conducted on 12th January, 2021 for RCSD students for providing a better understanding about the surroundings and train how to defend themselves against attackers under the leadership of PGDCSW students (Anju Benoy, Anju V.K, Anjali, Sreelakshmi) as per the field work practicum.
- The programme was organised in collaboration with Vanitha Cell, Kochi and RCSD staff.



9. Webinar on Cyber Crimes against Women Cyber-crimes against women

Name of the Programme :	Webinar on Cyber Crimes against Women Cyber-crimes against women
Organized by:	Research Institute
Date of the Programme:	

- The National Commission for Women (NCW), Govt. of India in association with the Research Institute and Dept. of Social Work, RCSS was organized a two-day webinar for women in Kerala on the topic “Cyber Crimes against Women – Precautions and Strategies with special Reference to COVID-19 from 20 - 21 November 2020.
- The webinar was aimed at creating awareness among the women from different walks of life viz. students, teachers, working women, housewives and NGO functionaries, on different forms of cyber crimes against women and about the various precautionary measures to be taken to prevent such crimes.

10. National Webinar on “Unequal Pay: Gender Discrimination at Workplace”

Name of the Programme :	National Webinar on “Unequal Pay: Gender Discrimination at Workplace”
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- **Organized by Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, Kerala with the support of National Commission for Women, Government of India.**
- The webinar consisted of 3 sessions. The first session was taken by Dr. Saju. M.D, PhD on the topic “**Impact of Mental Health Addressing Unequal Pay**”.
- The second session was based on the topic “**Gender issues at workplace including unequal pay**” by Prof. Neena Joseph, Former Faculty Member, Institute of Management in Government & Faculty XLRI/LIPI.

- The final session was taken by Adv. Parvathi Menon, Advocate, High Court of Kerala, Ernakulum, Kerala & Standing Counsel, Kerala State Women’s Commission. The topic was **“Protection of Women with regards to unequal pay & Gender discrimination at workplace”**.






NATIONAL WEBINAR

“Unequal Pay: Gender Discrimination at Workplace”



Venue: Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous), Kalamassery, Kerala
November 25, 2021 9.30 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.



Dr. Fr. Saju M.D., CMI

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Dr. Binoy Joseph

Eminent Speakers



Prof. Neena Joseph



Adv. Parvathy Menon



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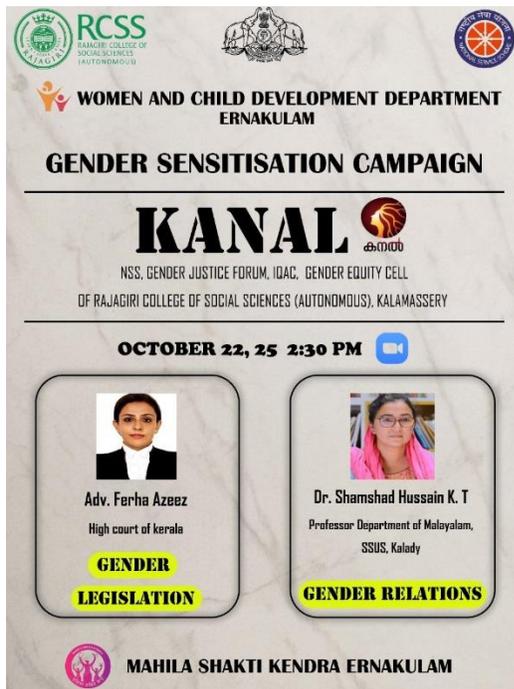
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11. A Webinar on “GENDER LEGISLATION”

Name of the Programme :	A Webinar on “GENDER LEGISLATION”
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- A webinar was conducted on 22nd October 2021 at 02:30 pm through the Zoom platform.
- The session was organized collectively by the Women and Child Development Department along with Mahila Sakthi Kendra Ernakulam and NSS, Gender Justice Forum, IQAC, Gender Equity Cell of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences under the name ‘KANAL’.
- The resource person for this session was Adv. Ferha Azeez, High Court of Kerala. The webinar commenced with 412 students of RCSS.







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NSS, GENDER JUSTICE FORUM, IQAC, GENDER EQUITY CELL
OF RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (AUTONOMOUS), KALAMASSERY

OCTOBER 22, 25 2:30 PM 



Adv. Ferha Azeez
High court of kerala

**GENDER
LEGISLATION**



Dr. Shamshad Hussain K. T
Professor Department of Malayalam,
SSUS, Kalady

GENDER RELATIONS

 **MAHILA SHAKTI KENDRA ERNAKULAM**

12. A Webinar on “GENDER RELATIONS”

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Date of the Programme:	

- Organized by the Women and Child Development department along with Mahila Shakti Kendra Ernakulam in collaboration with
- NSS, Gender Justice Forum , IQAC, Gender Equity Cell of Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery on **25th October 2021 at 2:30pm** on Zoom platform. This session was a continuation of the session that was held on 22/10/2021.
- 210 students from various departments participated in the programme.

13. “Gender Equality in the Cyber Space: A workshop on “Cyber Laws and Legal Issues”

Name of the Programme :	“Gender Equality in the Cyber Space: A workshop on “Cyber Laws and Legal Issues”
Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	

- Organized by **IQAC and Department of Computer Science** on 31st August, 2021 at 2:00 PM on the Zoom Online platform.
- **Students and faculty of CS Department (183 participants)**
- Adv. Kabani Dinesh, practising lawyer in the High Court of Kerala was the resource person.
- Dr. Bindiya M Varghese, Dean, Computer Science Department gave the students an orientation on the Sustainability Development Goals put forward by the United Nations. She also stressed on the Departments commitment towards the society and the importance of UNSDG – 5 (Gender Equality) . The need for student awareness on Cyber Laws and Legal Issues was detailed.

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Organized by:	
Date of the Programme:	