

Activities of The Public Outreach Center : Delivering Knowledge to Masses

The Public Outreach Center(POC)of the PRSU was established in 2010 and has been doing its business with perfection , conviction and sincerity.

The main objective of POC is to expose the general public and the society at large to the academic/ research activity of individual faculty member of the university with special reference to introduce them about the creation of new knowledge and the dissemination of the knowledge created elsewhere in the World. The motto of POC has been to help the public to know about PRSU in its reality and get exposed to its accountability. In fact, everyone gets benefitted when such information are shared, as every individual in the society is anxious to be informed and wishes to be involved in the process of generation of knowledge in the realms of Science, Social science and Humanity .Through eminent and top -notched scientists and academicians it has been translating complicated science stories to simpler forms that are lucid and graspable to the masses. This activity of the POC is one of the most popular events organized periodically on the campus of the PRSU.

Some of the important activities are as follows:

ORGANIZATION OF POPULAR LECTURES :

Prof. Jayant V Narlikar, Pune	6. 2.2015	Problems of Astronomy and Mathematics
Prof. Mangala Narlikar , Pune	6.2.2015	
Prof. Ajit Kembhavi	Pune 13,2.15	100 Years of Einstein's Theory of Gravitation
Mr. Anupam Sisodia ,	14.2.15	Understanding Sustainable Development

Prof. Ajay Ghatak , Delhi 24.3.15 Einstein and His Miracles

Prof. A.K. Sinha , Chandigarh 3.10.2015 Cultural Change

Dr. Megha Agarwal, London 20.11.16 Ultrasound for Material
Characterization

Prof. P.S. Kalsi , Ludhiana 11.3.2016 Chemistry at Crossroad of Biology

Dr. Raju N. Swamy IAS, 13.4. 16 Trivandrum IPR for the layman : A Birds
Eye View of
Patent Design, Copyright, Trademarks
and GIS

Dr. Ajit Kembhavi 11.8.16 Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Memorial Lecture :
Astronomy : A perfect Combination of Science and Technology

Prof. Sumita Jha, Kolkata , 5.11.2016 “ Healing Herbs : Production,
Identification & Applications of Bioactive Molecules

VISIT TO DIFFERENT SCHOOLS FOR LECTURES:

Prof. S K Pandey, Vice-Chancellor 28.5.15 : Delivered a lecture on “ The
Glimpse of our Universe “ at
Century Cement Sr. Secondary
School, Baikunth

Prof. Rohini Prasad , Pt RSUniv 10.9.15 Delivered a Lecture on” Human Life
Personality Development “ at Govt.
High School, Chatod

Prof. D .P. Kuity , Pt RSUniv 10.9.15 Delivered a Lecture on” Save our Environment “ at Govt High School , Chatod

We have already sent list of the speakers to all the district education officers, Director SCERT and school education of Govt of Chhattisgarh for arrangements of popular lectures in various schools.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

We have organized poster/speech competition on “ Images of Women in Historical Perspective and the Power of Adolescent Girls Vision ” on 15th. October 2015.

On 16 th. September 2015 around 100 students of Govt HSS Blind and Deaf Mute School, Raipur visited our University. Various lectures on water and environment, economics and environmental chemistry have been arranged for them. Students and staff of this school also visited our central library to see Braille facilities etc.

Video /Audio DVDs

We have prepared 23 video/audio lectures (CD/DVDs) on various topics of physics, mathematics, chemistry and biology . All the lectures were delivered by faculty member of different affiliated colleges and university teaching departments.

7.5.16

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