



**SNDT Women's University (SNWTWU)**

**Department of Special Education**

**Juhu Campus, Mumbai**

*Organizes*

**A National Seminar on**

**"Rights of Differently Abled Women (DAW)"**

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**National Commission for Women**

**December 15 – 16, 2022**

**Schedule**

Time	Topic	Resource Person
<b>Day 1 – December 15, 2022</b>		
10:00 - 11:15	Inauguration	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Chief Guest</b>  <b>Ms Rekha Sharma</b>  Chairperson, NCW</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Patron</b>  <b>Hon'ble VC Prof. Ujwala Chakradeo</b>  SNDT Women's University</p>
11:15 - 12:10	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Keynote</b>  Global Perspectives on  Women with Disability</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Keynote Speaker</b>  <b>Prof. Sudesh Mukhopadhyay</b>  Former Chairperson, RCI</p>
12:10 - 12:15	Question & Answer Session	
12:15 – 01:15	Gender at Work: Perspectives and Gaps	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Prof. Vibhuti Patel</b>  Former Head,  P.G. Department of Economics,  SNDTWU  Advocate for Women Rights</p>
01:15 – 02:05	<b>Lunch</b>	
02:05 - 03:05	Disabled Women: An Excluded Agenda of Indian Feminism	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Prof. Anita Ghai</b>  School of Human Studies  Ambedkar University  Gender and Human Rights Activist</p>
03:05 - 04:05	Double Sword of Gender and Disability	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dr Anuja Gulati</b>  Program Management Specialist  Gender and Human Rights  United Nations Population Fund  (UNFPA)</p>
04:05 – 04:20	<b>Nature Break</b>	
04:20 - 04:35	Day 1 Report	<b>Rapporteur:</b> Ms Madhuja Golatkar
<b>Day 2 - December 16, 2022</b>		
10:30 – 11:30	Women with Disability and Indian Legal Framework	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Adv. Kanchan Pamnani</b>  Solicitor &amp; Human Rights Activist</p>
11:30 – 12:30	Role of Media and Perception of Disability	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Dr A. L. Sharda</b>  Director, Population First  Media Advocate for Gender Sensitivity</p>
12:30 – 01:30	<b>Lunch</b>	

01:30 – 02:30	Strategies to Develop a Positive Image of Gender and Disability	<b>Dr Madhura Nagchouduri</b> Assistant Professor, Centre for Disability Studies & Action Tata Institute of Social Science
02:30 – 03:30	Employment of Women with Disabilities: A Solution-Focused Approach	<b>Dr Sushama Nagarkar</b> Rehabilitation Psychologist Founder, Yash Charitable Trust
03:30 – 03:45	<b>Nature Break</b>	
3:45 – 4:45	<b>A Panel Discussion</b> Our Lives Our Identity	<b>Moderator</b> <b>Dr Putul Sathe</b> Head in Charge, Associate Professor Research Centre for Women's Studies (RCWS) SNDTWU <b>Panelists</b> <b>Ms Jasmina Khanna</b> Access to Hope (NGO) Disability Rights Activist <b>Mr Ketan Kothari</b> Manging Consultant -Program, XRCVC <b>Dr Kalpana Kharade</b> Adjunct Associate Professor K.J. Somaiya College of Education
04:45 - 05:00	Day 2 Report	<b>Rapporteur:</b> Ms Yukti Gupta
05:00 – 05:30	Valedictory Ceremony	<b>Chief Guest</b> <b>Hon'ble Pro VC Prof. Ruby Ojha</b> SNDTWU <b>Seminar Convenor</b> Prof. Sujata Bhan
05:30 – 06:00	<b>Closing Tea</b>	