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Vision & Mission

➤ **Vision:**

To emphasize the theoretical and applied aspects of geography and to provide a rigorous educational experience through innovative teaching.

➤ **Mission:**

To apply geographical knowledge and its various attributes for the achievement of various sustainable development goals.

➤ **Course Objective:**

To introduce the complex dimensions of Geography, to understand and evaluate the association between branches of Geography and socio-economic attributes, research, social well-being.

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Programs

Sr. No.	Programs	Duration
1	M. A. Geography	2 Years
2	PhD in Geography	Minimum Six Terms
3	Certificate Courses : i) Certificate Course in Geo-informatics (Graduate) ii) Certificate Course in Surveying (HSC Pass) iii) Certificate Course in Travel and Tourism (HSC Pass)	6 Months

M. A. Geography Programs Outcomes (Pos)

Students will have :

- Clearly understand concepts and applications in the discipline of Geography.
- Ability of making comprehensive analysis, interpret spatio- temporal problems, suggest proper solutions by using theoretical, methodological and instrumental knowledge of Geography.
- Aware about the global to local environmental issues and enhancement of social sensitivity.
- Acquire skills that will be useful in personal and professional life.
- Develop research interest to solve critical and emerging issues related to geography and surrounding environment.

Key Features of Geography Department

- Aided University Department
- Highly Qualified Faculties
- Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)
- Research Project and Internship
- Central Library and Separate Departmental Library
- Well-equipped Computer Lab with Internet Facility
- 24 Hours Security Vigilance
- Scholarship and Freeship Schemes as per Govt. rules
- Reservation Policy applicable
- NET / SET and Competitive Examinations Coaching
- Field Visits and Study Tours
- Guest Lectures
- IIRS Outreach Training Programmes

Best Practices

1) Environment Awareness Programme

- i) **Paper Bag Making Workshop** and distributed these bags in and around Pune campus area to create the awareness of use paper or cloth bag instead of plastic bag.
 - ii) Poster Competition and **Rally on Cleanliness**.
 - iii) Social awareness programme like **Tree plantation**, Tree Survey.
 - iv) Environment Day, Population Day, Earth Day, World Health Day Celebrations
 - v) Participation in "**My River My Valentine**" river cleanliness campaign
- 2) Students' Active participation in Various Courses organized by Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Deharadun on Remote Sensing and Geographical Information system.
- 3) Field visit and Socio-economic Survey
- 4) Students' participation in **Geo-Fest** Programmes and Indradhanusya Programme
- 5) Students' participation in **SNDTWU Avishkar** Competition.
- 6) Students actively participated in One Day National Seminar at IITM.
- 7) M.A. Second year students **presented Research papers** in the State Level Seminar.
- 8) Participation in Intercollegiate **Elocution competition**.
- 9) Participation in International **Poster Presentation** Competition.

Research Projects

- ❖ Project Completed – 4
- ❖ Funding Agency – UGC, ICSSR, MGNCRE
- ❖ Total Grants in Rs.32,14,400/-

Eighth India International Geographical Union (IGU) Conference

Landuse, Water, Climate and Urban Health in Changing Urban Environments

(4th to 6th November 2015)

The Eighth India International Geographical Union (IGU) Conference was organized by the Department of Geography, S. N. D. T. Women's University, Pune campus, Pune in collaboration with International Geographical Union (IGU) during 4th to 6th November, 2015. The theme of the conference was "**Landuse, Water, Climate and Urban Health in Changing Urban Environments**". The conference highlighted the various environmental problems associated with development and changing climatic scenarios concerned with the urban environment. It provided a platform for multidisciplinary researchers, geographers, planners and policy makers to share their research experiences.



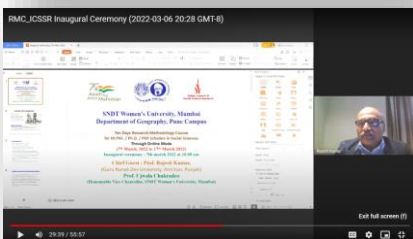
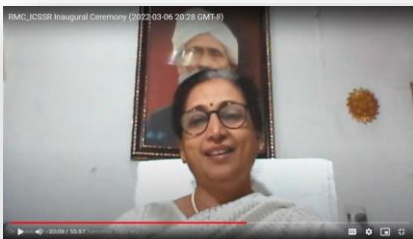
Trainings

1) Research Methodology Course for M.Phil./ Ph.D./ PDF Scholars in Social Sciences



Ten Days ICSSR RM Course Organized by the Department of Geography, S. N. D. T. Women's University, Pune campus, Pune in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research during 29th Jan 2019 to 8th Feb 2019. Total 47 participants were selected as per ICSSR Guidelines from out of states, within states and from local areas.

2) ICSSR Research Methodology Course Through Online Mode



Organized by the Department of Geography, S. N. D. T. Women's University, Pune campus, Pune in collaboration with Indian Council of Social Science Research during Monday, 7th March 2022 to 17th March 2022. Total 30 participants were selected as per ICSSR Guidelines for this course in which 10 participants were from out of states, 10 participants from within states and 10 participants from local areas.

DST SERB National Level Workshop on Remote Sensing and GIS : Applications and Modelling in Research (20th Feb to 1st Mar 2023)



Organized by the Department of Geography, S. N. D. T. Women's University, Pune campus, Pune in collaboration with DST SERB, New Delhi during 20th Feb to 1st March 2023. Total Rs. 5,00000/- grant received from DST SERB, New Delhi. The event organizer is Prof. Virendra Nagarale, Head and Professor of the Department of Geography. 25 participants of various universities participated in this workshop.

Upcoming Program :

ICSSR Two-week Capacity Building Programme on Research Methods : Academic Writing and Publication Processes for Early Career Teachers during May 15-26, 2023.

Departmental Programms



Illustrious Alumni

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Assistant Professor, Ph.D.
Rayat shikshan sanstha's Karmaveer
Bhaurao Patil College Vashi
Autonomous
(2012-2016)



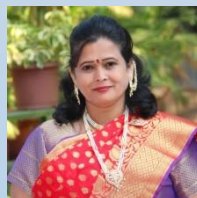
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Assistant Professor,
M. A., M.Phil, Ph.D.
Siddhivinayak College, Pune (1994-
96, 2017-2019)

Dr. Anushree Kadam
MA, M.Phil, Ph.D.
President, Chetana Foundation
(2006 to 2014)



Dr. Ashalata Vidyasagar
Assistant Professor Ph.D.
Department of Geography,
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Dr. Rupali Mali
Assistant Teacher,
M.A. M.Ed. M.Phil. Ph.D.
New English School Pune (1995)





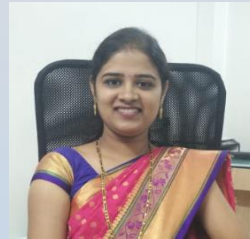
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MA, MPhil, PhD Retired Principal,
Seva Sadan D.Ed. College Pune
(2001 to 2009)

Dr. Sunaina Patil
Assistant Professor, Ph.D.
Rambhau Moze College, Pune
(2016-2022)



Ms. Ashvini Sarvgod
M.A.
GIS Data Analyst Executive,
Genesys International Corporation
LTD (2015 to 2017)

Smt. Vibha Kamble/Abnave
Teacher,
M.A. B.Ed.
Ashok Mahavidyalaya, Pune (2013-
2015)



Smt Chaitrali Jadhav/ Khude
Rangoli Designer, Pune M.A.
(2015 to 2017)

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विश्व है परिवार, भारत घर हमारा है।
हम नहीं हैं दीन, कहता कौन हम अबला
हैं सबल संस्कृति हमारी, हम सभी सबला
ज्योती से जगमग हुआ, अंतर हमारा है।।
स्वप्न ठाकरसी हुआ साकार है इसमें
महर्षि कर्वे तपस्या - सार है इसमें
हम दिशाएँ और यह दिनकर हमारा है।।
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