

WOMEN'S STUDIES CENTRE

Applications are invited from SC/ST Women academicians from various

Colleges and Universities (Govt/Private/Aided/funded etc.)

for

Six-day Workshop on

'WOMEN CONNECT FOR LEADERSHIP AND CHANGE'

(23 - 28 Nov, 2015)

Women for long have been victims of oppression, domination and deprived of opportunities in various areas. At present, women have come a long way in the field of education, employment etc., but there still remains inequity as seen in their representation at various levels of decision making arenas and the area of Higher Education is no exception to this. Despite interventions by the State in Higher Education, women are still under - represented in academic leadership positions. Women as active policy makers can bring in their perspectives in framing women friendly policies to complement the efforts of men in bringing gender equality and inclusiveness. Currently, we have enough qualified women to take up to leadership positions in Higher education, as Vice-chancellors Registrars, and Chairpersons of higher education government bodies, but they have to be motivated and trained to take up these positions. Realizing the gap between the rhetoric and reality in implementing the inclusive policy of the State for women, conscious efforts and interventions are required to enhance the capabilities of women especially for women SC/ST academicians in Higher Education.



In this backdrop, the Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD) has embarked upon a six-day Workshop on Women Connect for Leadership and Change with an objective to build a cadre of women academicians by sensitising them about the prospects and challenges in Higher Education as administrators for positive change and provide them the motivation to gain the skills, self-confidence, access to and take the reins of leadership positions. The trained women can positively impact the lives of young people under their care and revolutionise the education system by bringing about inclusiveness which evade them in spite of reservations.

The workshop revisits the crucial role of women in ascertaining women's access to justice and their rights and the topics include leadership strategies, governance, research, mentoring, inclusiveness, work-life balance, legal awareness, and time & stress management. The Women's Studies perspectives and caste dimensions are built into the topics.

The Women's Studies Centre of North Maharashtra University has been entrusted with the responsibility of organising the Six day Workshop on Women Connect for Leadership and Change from 23 to 28 Nov 2015 exclusively for SC/ST women in Higher Education from the Western Region. Goa, Maharashtra, Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh.

We request you to depute **two teachers of SC/ST category** from any stream to participate in the workshop to be held at North Maharashtra University, Jalgaon by 15 Oct 2015 by filling in the application forms. Final confirmation will be informed in the first week of Nov 2015.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Prof Shobha Shinde

Dr. SHO**Betal** SHINDE Head Women's, Strikes Centre and

JALGAON-425001 RGNIYD Workshop

Details for application:

- 1. Target Participants: SC & ST Women Faculty (*Assistant Professors / Associate Professors / Professors) from Colleges & Universities (Govt/Private/Aided/funded etc.) from any discipline. *Assistant Professor having minimum six years of teaching experience.
- 2. Free board & lodging will be provided to all the participants.
- 3. TA (participants) Train AC III tier only
- 4. Registration fee Rs. 500/- only payable to Director, RGNIYD at time of registration.
- 5. Certificates will be issued to all the participants
- 6. Nominations to be sent to Prof Shobha Shinde with a copy marked to the following email ids veronica.rgniyd@gov.in & dr khema@yahoo.co.in.
- 7. Last date for receiving applications on or before 20th October 2015
- Any queries at North Maharashtra University be addressed to Prof. Shobha Shinde (email shobha@gmail.com) and Dr.Madhulika Sonawane (email- profmadhulikasonawane@gmail.com) and Mob. 942223413.
 - Visit www.nmu.ac.in for more information office 0257 2257469.
- Address to send hard copy of application forms:
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 RGNIYD Workshop
 Head, Women's Studies Centre
 North Maharashtra University,
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Ministry of youth Affairs & Sports, GOI,

Sriperumbudur - 602 105, Tamil Nadu

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Application Format

Name (capital Letters)	Name of College/ University, Full Address With Pin code	Through Proper Channei -Yes/No (attach copy of the letter)	Designation & Department	Contact No & Email ID	Residential Address	Category (ST/SC)	Why do you want to participate in the Workshop (not more than 200 words)	Workshop Venue Applied for
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