



St. Mira's College for Girls

Dept. of Sociology

State Level Workshop on 'Cinema, Culture and Society'

A state level workshop on Cinema, Culture and Society was organized on 20th August 2021 by Departments of Sociology, St. Mira's College for Girls, Pune and Dattajirao Kadam Arts, Science and Commerce College, Ichalkaranji, Kolhapur. This workshop was organized as a part of the Academic Collaboration between the two colleges. The workshop was conducted online through Zoom platform.

Dr. Vaishali Joshi, Dept. of Sociology, St. Mira's College and Convener of the workshop welcomed the participants and introduced fruitful faculty exchange and intercultural learning as the overall objectives of the collaboration.

Dr. Jaya Rajgopalan, Principal-in -charge of St. Mira's College delivered Inaugural speech wishing well for the future initiatives under this partnership. She expressed that the workshop would have discussion around taking cinema more seriously beyond just entertainment and using it for critical analysis.

Dr. Vaishali Diwakar, HOD, Sociology, St. Mira's College, and the resource person of this workshop delivered a very illuminating talk on Cinema, Culture and Society covering inter-related facets of the topic in great details. She began by explaining why we need to study cinema, and how cinema can be used in teaching and research as a tool, and the need to change the ongoing pedagogical ways for better understanding of sociology. She stressed on reading cinema as a political activity to understand the socio-cultural context and meaning generated through it as these meanings help in understanding the prevalent ideologies of a particular society. Going beyond the plot and narrative is important to understand the power embedded in these meanings.

Dr. Diwakar explained the concept of 'sociology through films' which is about learning concepts of sociology through reading cinema, using films as a text to understand social theories and phenomena.

Doing sociology through films necessitates raising few questions such as –

- Does the film present the oppressive, unequal nature of institutions or does it glorify them?
- Does the film show some kind of resistance towards dominant/ hegemonic ideology or not?
- Who are funding the films and who has the stake in circulating/ promoting such ideologies?

- What is the different kind of audience response through time?
- Is some sort of masking of reality is happening?
- Is Media supporting only one powerful group?

Taking a review of the long journey of Indian Cinema from late 19th century till today, Dr. Diwakar argued that cinema was never naïve, what was shown in the cinema was relatable with the existing socio-political environment. She spoke about how cinema constructed gender in a particular manner and strengthened the gender stereotypes, and how cinema engaged in the politics of exclusion strengthening cultural identity stereotypes. Talking about the multiplex era and the new wave cinema, Dr. Diwakar expressed a hope to see more radical themes, more evolved audience and more enriching regional cinema.

Receiving overwhelming response of the participants, the Talk was followed by very good interaction and discussion.

The Chairperson of the workshop Dr. Dhekale, Principal-in-charge of Dattajirao Kadam College presented his concluding remarks. He echoed the speaker in taking cinema more seriously beyond entertainment and looking at it as an institution in-itself. Dr. Dhekale mentioned that Cinema, Culture and Society is a very expansive theme and each dimension can provide a theme for individual workshop and discussion. He wished well to both the departments for future endeavours.

At the end of the workshop, Dr. Arjun Jadhav, Co-Convener and HOD Sociology Dept, Dattajirao Kadam College, delivered the Vote of Thanks expressing gratitude towards each one who contributed in making this workshop successful.



Dr. Vaishali Joshi

Convener



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To,
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Subject: Invitation as a Resource Person at the One day State Level Workshop

Dear Dr. Vaishali,

Good Wishes and Warm Greetings from St. Mira's College for Girls, Pune.

The Department of Sociology feels privileged to extend an invitation to you as our esteemed Speaker, to give a lecture on "Cinema, Culture and Society" for the One Day State level Workshop jointly organised by St. Mira's College, Pune and Dattajirao Kadam College, Ichalkaranji on Friday, 20th August 2021.

We earnestly believe that your gracious presence and inspiring words shall pave the way for fruitful deliberations during the course of the Workshop.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,


Dr Jaya Rajagopalan
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Your views on the subject were of great value addition for the participants contribution to their academic enrichment. We are grateful to you for your valuable inputs.

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