

REPORT ON ACTIVITY

Gender Champion under Directorate of Equal Opportunities (DEO), Goa University

Workshop on:

Title of the event	Leadership & Soft Skills Workshop for Gender Equity
Date and time	10/03/2026
Mode	Offline
Location	FF-12, Goa Business School, Goa University
Department/School/Directorate	DEO
Participants	20
No. Of Faculty attended	3
No. Of Students attended	17
Name of the Resource Person	1. Prof. M.S. Dayanand, Former Professor, Goa Business School, Goa University 2. Ms. Zaini Samara Furtado, Corporate Trainer & Mentor: Goamiles – Goa, India
Objective and Description of the Activity	<p>This one-day workshop provides students to build responsible, ethical, and inclusive leadership among students by integrating gender equity into essential soft skills. The session focuses on communication, teamwork, decision-making, empathy and conflict resolution in academic and professional environments. Through expert-led talks and interactive activities, students learn how gender sensitivity strengthens leadership effectiveness and workplace harmony. Emphasis is placed on respectful behaviour, equal participation and ethical responsibility. The workshop encourages students to become gender champions who promote fairness, inclusivity and mutual respect on campus. This activity supports the objectives of the Equal Opportunities Cell by nurturing socially responsible and confident student leaders.</p>
Benefits and Key Outcome of the Event	<p>At the end of the sessions, participants:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Demonstrate improved leadership, communication and teamwork skills with a good understanding of

gender equity and ethical responsibility.

In particular, the one-day **Leadership and Soft Skills Workshop for Gender Equity** provided students with an opportunity to develop leadership qualities while understanding the importance of gender sensitivity and inclusiveness. Through interactive activities, group discussions and real-life case scenarios, participants enhanced their communication, teamwork and ethical decision-making skills. The session encouraged students to reflect on gender stereotypes and practice respectful and inclusive behavior in academic and social environments. The key outcome of the event was increased awareness about gender equity and the development of responsible student leaders who can promote fairness, equality, and mutual respect on campus as active Gender Champions.

Dr. Suraj Velip,
Nodal Officer, Gender Champion, Goa University

Dr. Maria Norma Rebello
DEO, Goa University
Director
Directorate of Equal Opportunities

SPEAKERS

Prof. M. S. Dayanand Farmer
Professor, Goa Business School, Goa University

Ms. Zaini Samara Furtado
Corporate Trainer & Mentor, Goamiles - Goa, India

Directorate of Equal Opportunities (DEO) Goa University invites you

Leadership & Soft Skills Workshop for Gender Equity

Program Coordinators:
Dr. Nikita Lotiker
Dr. Suraj Velip
Nodal officers for Gender Champion

On 10/03/2028
Time: 10.00 am to 5.00 pm
Venue: Goa Business School, 7F-12.

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Leadership & Soft Skills Workshop for Gender Equity

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Name	Participants	Gender	Signature
Mr. Shantanu Mayenkar	Student	MALE	
Mr. Karamvir Singh	Student	MALE	
Mr. Aryan Sawant	Student	MALE	
Ms. Sidhika Bale	Student	FEMALE	
Ms. Sumedha Chakma	Student	FEMALE	
Ms. Pranavi Pramod Naik	Student	FEMALE	
Ms. Saloni Varkar	Student	FEMALE	
Ms. Vidhita Kushal Naik	Student	FEMALE	
Mr. Meghraj Boste Bhasale	Student	MALE	
Mr. Sharv Ganadish Biche	Student	MALE	-
Mr. Makarand Bhandari	Student	MALE	-
Ms. Pramita K. Velip	Research Scholar	FEMALE	
Ms. Khushi shaikh	Student	FEMALE	
Ms. Sumedha Chakma	Student	FEMALE	-
Ms. Savita Velip	Research Scholar	FEMALE	
Ms. Nuriya Shochonova	Student	FEMALE	
Dr. Maria Norma	Faculty	Female	
Dr. Susay Velip	Faculty	Male	
Ms. Ishika Chodankar	Student	Female	
Dr. Nikita Lotikar	Faculty	Female	

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Nidhi Shukla
Gender Champion

Director
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