

## RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CELL

The Research and Development Cell of the College plays a pivotal role in fostering a culture of inquiry, innovation, and academic excellence. It encourages faculty members and students to engage in quality research, undertake funded projects, publish scholarly work, and participate in seminars, conferences, and workshops. The Cell facilitates interdisciplinary collaboration, promotes ethical research practices, and provides guidance on research methodologies and intellectual property rights. By creating an enabling environment for knowledge creation and dissemination, the Research and Development Cell contributes significantly to the academic growth of the institution and its engagement with societal needs.

- The RDC publishes *Gyankosh: An Annual Double Blind Peer Reviewed Interdisciplinary Journal*. An open access annual publication of Guru Gobind Singh College for Women, the journal is currently in its eighth year. It aims at critically reflecting on the changing contours of social, cultural, economic, scientific, technological and political processes that have shaped our understanding of the past and the contemporary world. The journal strives to nurture an environment where researchers, authors, collaborators and scholars across all the disciplines are inspired to do their best in their subject based on their perspectives, life experience and skills.



- Several faculty members are recognised as approved Ph.D. supervisors and actively guide doctoral scholars in their research pursuits, contributing significantly to the institution's research profile and academic excellence.
- Faculty members actively contribute to the academic community by serving as reviewers, referees, and editorial board members for reputed national and international journals. Through their engagement in peer-review processes and editorial activities, they help uphold scholarly standards and advance the dissemination of quality research.
- A state-of-the-art ICT-enabled Research Laboratory, established under the aegis of the Rashtriya Uchcharat Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA) and equipped with SPSS statistical software, significantly strengthens the College's research infrastructure and fosters a vibrant research-oriented academic environment.







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