

Industry Institute Interaction (IIIC) and Institution's Innovation Council (IIC)

Report on "International Women's Day 2025"

The Women Cell, in association with IIIC and IIC, NNRG, celebrated International Women's Day 2025 on March 7th with great enthusiasm. The event witnessed active participation from NNRG employees and students.

The institution hosted the celebrations, graced by Chief Guest **Dr. P. Sampath Kumar**, HOD, ECE, Malla Reddy College, Dundigal, Hyderabad, and ABRSM Member. The occasion was also honored by the presence of **Shree Nalla Narsimha Reddy** (Chairman), **Dr. C.V. Krishna Reddy** (Director), **Shri Nalla Prashant Reddy** (Vice Chairman), **Dr. G. Janardhana Raju** (Dean, School of Engineering), **Dr. Ch. Krishna Mohan** (Dean, School of Pharmacy), **Dr. T. Ravindra Reddy** (Dean, School of Management), along with HoDs, professors, faculty members, and students from various departments.

The Convener of the Women Cell, **Dr. Rashmi Trivedi**, warmly welcomed all attendees and expressed her gratitude to the management and Director for their unwavering support and encouragement in organizing numerous events throughout the year. She emphasized that this year's theme, "Inspire Inclusion," reminds us that true progress occurs when every woman is valued, respected, and provided with equal opportunities. As the Convener of the Women Protection Cell, she reaffirmed the commitment to ensuring a safe, supportive, and empowering environment for all. The institution strives to maintain a campus free from discrimination and harassment, fostering confidence and growth among women.

Empowering women is a **collective responsibility**. The event encouraged everyone to pledge their support for gender equality, leadership opportunities, and a culture of mutual respect. A special message was shared with young women—to believe in themselves, dream big, and never settle for less. The importance of male allies in supporting and driving this journey of change was also emphasized.

The Chief Guest, **Dr. P. Sampath Kumar**, delivered an enlightening talk on **Lokmata Ahilya Bai Holkar**. His powerful narration transported the audience back to the 18th century, allowing them to truly appreciate her remarkable life and contributions. The primary objective of this awareness program was to educate and inform the audience about **Devi Ahilyabai Holkar's legacy** as a renowned queen, philanthropist, and visionary ruler of the Malwa kingdom. The discussion highlighted her **exceptional leadership qualities** and her contributions to **women's empowerment, education, and cultural preservation**.

The **Director**, **Dr. C.V. Krishna Reddy**, extended his greetings to all the women faculty members and appreciated their efforts in balancing personal and professional life. He encouraged them to **spread awareness on women's equality today for a sustainable tomorrow**.

The event saw active participation from **NNRG employees and students**, who shared their valuable insights on the **role of women in society**. Topics discussed included:

- The importance of proper conduct
- The need for women's empowerment
- Safety priorities for girl students

• Responsible use of electronic media to avoid disturbances

Women employees and students were encouraged to **work**, **study**, **and grow with sincerity and dedication** while maintaining a balance between personal and professional life.

The event was hosted by Ms. V. Anuradha, and the vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Tulasi, Associate Professor, SOMS. Academic toppers and Women achievers of the academic year 2023-24 were honored and awarded for their outstanding performances. I am extremely grateful to our Honorable Chairman, Shree Nalla Narsimha Reddy, Respected Director, Dr. C.V. Krishna Reddy, and Dean, School of Engineering, Dr. G. Janardhana Raju for giving me this opportunity and entrusting me with the responsibility as the Convener of this event. A heartfelt thanks to the entire organizing team—it was only through collective effort that this event turned out to be a grand success.



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