

Report on Debate Competition “Social Media (Boon or Bane)”

A Debate Competition on the Topic “Social Media (Boon or Bane)” was organised by Post Graduate Department of Sociology, P.G.G.C.G, Sector 42, Chandigarh on 19th February, 2025 in the Multimedia Room. The activity was conducted under the guidance of Dr. Ranjay Vardhan, Dr. Seema, Dr Jyoti Ahuja and Dr. Amrit Kaur . This event was designed to foster critical thinking, enhance public speaking skills among students. Dr. Seema while welcoming the participants highlighted the significance of social media in contemporary society and how it has transformed communication, relationships, and even global trends.

After the debate, Dr. Ranjay Vardhan Head of the department spoke about the idea of social media, its development, and its deep influence on people and society. He discussed how social media platforms have revolutionized communication, connecting people across the globe, while pointing out the various challenges and concerns that come with its extensive use, such as cyber bullying, and privacy issues. Dr Amrit Kaur and Jyoti Ahuja also discussed about the problems arising in society due to wrong use of social media by miscreants and advised students to use social media with caution.

Prof. Binu Dogra, the Principal of the college shared a live example of the influence of social media and discussed about the both positive and negative effect of it. She emphasized on the growing importance of social media in education.

The competition saw active participation from 16 students who presented their views on both sides of the topic, showcasing a remarkable level of engagement and enthusiasm. The following were declared prize winners:

Sr.No	Positions	Name	Roll No	Class
1	1st Position	Milli	23406	M.A 2nd Year
2	2nd Position	Palak	240436	B.A 1st Year
3	3rd Position	Aanchal	244316	M.A 1st Year

The Principal Madam gave the prizes to the participants. The event ended with “Vote of Thanks” given by Harman, a Student.



(Dr. Ranjay Vardhan)

Head of Department



(Prof. Binu Dogra)

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