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School of Languages Hosts Pioneering Talk on Disability Studies (09.09.2025)



The School of Languages at Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University, Kanpur, successfully organised an invited talk on “Introduction to Disability Studies: A Broad Overview” that took place on 9th September 2025. This program was held under the visionary guidance of the Honourable Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Vinay Kumar Pathak and the directorship of Dr. Sarvesh Mani Tripathi.

The organiser of the program was Dr. Sonali Maurya, the program commenced with a welcome speech by Dr. Tripathi. Later, Dr. Pooja Agarwal introduced the keynote speaker, Prof. Someshwar Sati from the University of Delhi. Prof. Sati is a well-known figure in this field, a recipient of the National Award from the President of India, apart from being the founder of the Indian Disability Studies collective (IDSC).

Prof. Sati’s address was both insightful and inspiring, which gave rise to thoughtful discussion on the inclusivity, accessibility and the representation of disabilities in academia and society. The



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session experienced the active participation of the students, research scholars and faculty. The program finally ended with the vote of thanks by Dr. Sonali Maurya.