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## **CHHATRAPATI SHAHU JI MAHARAJ UNIVERSITY**

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### **PRESS RELEASE**

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To observe International Women's day, the School of Art, Humanities and social sciences, CSJMU organised a symposium on the topic "Women entrepreneurship and development", The Chief Guest of this event was Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. Sudhir Kumar Awasthi, Guest of honour Dr. Bandev Kumari Singh, All India Women Development Society and Prof. Suvigya Awasthi Director, School Of Management and Information sciences.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. Sudhir Kumar Awasthi in his address said that Development needs to be accomplished through equal participation of women. Besides this, throughout our ancient literature, there are stories of great women who had been repulsed by men because of their accomplishments, now we need to break that Stigma. Lastly, he said that he might be a professor of Life Sciences but at heart, he will always be a social scientist.

The Guest of Honor Dr. Bandev Kumari Singh said that every day is our day and we need to celebrate it every day and self-dependence is the only way to be confident in life. She also shared the struggle of her life and how she overcame them and achieved success in life. Lastly, she also told that to become an entrepreneur everyone should utilise the opportunity availed to the fullest and Determination is the Key to Success.

The Guest of Honor Prof. Suvigya Awasthi said that every relationship played by women is very important and the most important is the relation of the mother. Not only the family but the whole society gets educated by the values of the mother. A woman can bring change in society by realizing herself and fulfilling her responsibilities. She said that women contribute the most in the unorganized sector of art and handicraft changing every 10 miles in our country, but due to lack of data and research, this important contribution is neither recognized nor paid.

The Director of School of Art, Humanities and social sciences, Dr. Sandeep Kumar Singh in the Address shed light on the deplorable state in which women lies. He said that the global average timespan of women education is merely 1.5 years, this in itself is evidence of the forsaken state

of women in the society.” Therefore, the Mentality of Constraint and prejudice need to be scattered.

During this Symposium the students of Master of Social Works made a power pact street play performance on Atrocities against women. Furthermore, an awareness march for Women empowerment was also organised by the department.

The Conveyor of this program was Dr. Pooja Singh and During this Symposium Self-help Group Workers Kakoli, Ruby and Sarika were felicitated for their work in the region. The member of the Proctorial Board and students were present at this event...

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