

## DEPARTMENT OF LIFELONG LEARNING

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The Department of Lifelong learning is fully self-financed department which was established in 1985. The department conducts various programmes under non-formal mode of education for fulfilling the educational needs of under privileged community. Courses are offered for creating self employment opportunities to those who could not get opportunity for higher education, various avenues are open who want to generate their own resources and income. These courses help them in self empowerment.

### EXTENSION CENTRES

#### Central Jail, Amritsar

*Dress Designing, Cutting & Tailoring:* Ms. Ramanjit Kaur

#### Guru Nanak Dev University Regional Campus, Gurdaspur

*Dress Designing, Cutting & Tailoring:* Ms. Anamika Saini

#### Amardeep Singh Shergill Memorial College, Mukandpur

*Dress Designing, Cutting & Tailoring:* Ms. Satpal Kaur

### SKILL DEVELOPMENT COURSES

During session 2015-16, 550 students have been enrolled and are being trained through various skill development courses at Guru Nanak Dev University Campus, Amritsar; Regional Campus, Gurdaspur; ASSM College, Mukandpur and Central Jail, Amritsar.

#### Diploma/Courses (One Year Duration):

- Dress Designing Cutting & Tailoring
- Textile Designing
- Cosmetology
- Computer Applications
- Fashion Technology

#### Certificates Courses (Six Month Duration):

- Cosmetology
- Cutting and tailoring

#### Short Term Courses (20 days) started from

- Personality Development April 16, 2015
- Basic Hair Dressing and Make Up-I April 16, 2015
- Basic Hair Dressing and Make Up-II Jan. 28, 2016
- Dance and Music-I June 21, 2015
- Dance and Music-II Feb. 8, 2016
- Aerobics and Yoga June 21, 2015
- Boutique Training Jan. 28, 2016
- Home management Feb. 8, 2016

### **Creative Workshops Organised**

To enhance and channelize the talent, potential and skills of the students and to upgrade them with the latest trends, techniques and technologies in different spheres the Department organized various workshops and extension lectures were organized.

- One day Workshop on “Art and craft” was conducted by Dr. Indu, HOD of Fine Arts, Khalsa College of Education, and Ms. Archana, (Free-lancer) on January 09, 2016.
- One day Workshop On “Advance Skin Lightening Treatment for pigmentation” conducted by Ms. Rajni, Aroma Magic Doctor, Blossom Koacher, Delhi on January 22, 2016.
- One day Workshop on “Advance & Non surgical Techniques in Hair and Skin Care” conducted by. Dr. Ruchi Mahajan, Cosmetologist, Guru Ramdas Charitable Hospital on February18, 2016.
- One day Workshop on “Interior Designing” was conducted by Mr. Manmohan Khanna, Designer and Decorator, Chandigarh on March 04, 2015.
- One day workshop on “Advance Make-up Techniques” at H.K. Clarks Inn, Ranjit Avenue, Amritsar on September 29, 2015.
- One day workshop on “Gift Wrapping skills” for pre-Deepawali celebrations conducted by Ms. Cheena Gupta, HOD of Fashion Designing H.M.V, Jalandhar on November 10, 2015.

### **Invited Lectures organized**

- A Special Lecture On “Creative Designing and Innovative Ideas” By Prof. Zaidi Applied Art Designer, Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi, on August 10, 2015.
- Special interaction with Prof.(Dr.) Sudhanshu Bhusan, NEUPA New Delhi on February 04, 2015.
- Special interaction with Dr.(Mrs.) Sarvjit Kaur Brar, Lady Vice Chancellor & Principal Khalsa College Public school, Amritsar on February 06, 2015.
- Special Lecture of Prof. (Dr.) S.S Gill Ex. Vice-chancellor, BFHSU Faridkot on “Importance of creativity and innovation” on August 9, 2015.
- Special interaction with Dr. Pushpinder Kaur & Gurinderpal Singh from California University, USA on April 08, 2015.
- Special interaction with Mr. Harry Champoux ISI Director of Campus Ministry of International students and Mrs. Lucy Champoux from Michigan University, USA on June 19, 2015.
- 13 Full Bright Scholars from University of U.S.A. interacted with the creative students & Teacher artist of the Department on July 16, 2015.

### **Innovations through various titles**

To show case the creative designing by the young artists, the Department organized special shows and exhibitions at a large scale.

- Annual Exhibition titled “*Rang-e- pairahan*” was organized on October 14-15, 2015.
- Designing show “*Libaas-e-Noor*” was organized on Foundation day on November 24, 2015.
- *Tare jameen per*, A Talent Hunt Program was organized at Guru Nanak Bhawan, Auditorium on September 18, 2015 in which many competitive entries such as:
- Pot-making, *Phulkari*, *Rangoli*, Music/Dance, *Mehandi*
- Poster Making and Non Gas Cooking items competitions were held and the winners were awarded prizes.

### **Best Practices**

- Social responsibility through Six Month Certificate Course in Cutting & Tailoring for Female Jail Inmates at Central Jail, Amritsar being financed by the Department. (Twice in a year).
- Talent Channelization Programmes in shape of Exhibitions of creative designs of young artists of the Department at large scale.
- Best out of surplus - Every year, on the opening day students are motivated to donate surplus clothing / plastic/ sweet boxes etc lying waste & unattended at their places to a special big empty drums kept in

the Department. The students bring waste material and they are encouraged & trained to create various designings & innovations out of surplus material in shape of jewellery boxes, marriage pouches, purses, mobile covers, notepad covers, cushions covers, table mats, etc.

The above practices have been adjudged the best by NAAC Peer Team in 2014.

### **Industrial Linkage**

Industrial Linkage has been started to give more exposure to students with Omkar Processes, Batala Road, Amritsar and Value Nets, Amritsar on June 18, 2015.

### **Workshops / Extension Lectures:**

To upgrade the knowledge and skills of the students and to make them aware about the latest techniques and technologies in different spheres the following workshops and extension lectures were organized from January 2015 to December 2015.

### **Distinguished Lecture Series**

- Special interaction with Dr. (Mrs.) Sarvjit Kaur Brar, Lady Vice-Chancellor & Principal Khalsa College Public School, Amritsar on dated February 2, 2015.
- Special interaction with Prof. (Dr.) Sudhanshu Bhusan, NEUPA on dated February 4, 2015.
- Special Lecture on Interior Designing by Mr. Manmohan Khanna (Designer and Decorator, Chandigarh on dated March 4, 2015.
- Special Lecture on Creative Designing and Innovative Ideas by Prof. Zaidi Applied Art Designer, Jamia Islamia University on dated July 13, 2015.
- Special interaction with Dr A.D.N. Bajpai Vice-Chancellor (H.P. University, Shimla).
- Thirteen free bright Scholars from U.S.A. interacted with the anatine students & Teacher, Artist of the Department on July 16, 2015. Special interaction with Dr. S.S. Gill Ex. Vice-Chancellor (BFHSU Faridkot).
- One day workshop on Gift Wrapping skills on the eve of *Deepawali* conducted by Ms. Cheena Gupta, HOD of Fashion Designing H.M.V. College, Jalandhar, November 10, 2015.