

Conference theme:

“You can tell the condition of a nation by looking at the status of its women.”

- Jawaharlal Nehru

Women’s empowerment has been a key concept and major goal in development discourse since the 1990s. There is a particularly strong narrative linking women’s empowerment with women’s Capacity building. Capacity building is the development of knowledge, skills and attitudes in individuals and groups of people relevant in the design, development and maintenance of institutional and operational infrastructures and processes.

The purpose of this conference is to articulate that both empowerment and capacity building are concerned with the processes by which people become aware of their own interests and how these relate to those of others. Capacity building is thus more than simply opening up access to decision-making; it must also include the processes that lead people to perceive themselves as able and entitled to occupy that decision-making space. The deliberations will focus on surrounding socio-economic and linguistic-cultural contexts with special emphasis on challenges and policies for real capacity building for women from different economic strata. The seminar intends to draw special attention to the domestic realm where women’s capacity building critically depends on intra household negotiation and relationships with a focus on the application of technology. The seminar expects to offer certain guidelines for a gender neutral ambience towards capacity building.

About our college:



Bejoy Narayan Mahavidyalaya, a Government-Sponsored and UGC recognized institution (Cycle-I in 2007 and Cycle-II in 2015), is specifically devoted to the enlightenment and empowerment of rural boys and girls in an agriculture-based rural area in the district of Hooghly in West Bengal. Our Institution has contributed its best towards improving the teaching- learning process, enhancing student support services, and infrastructure development as far as practicable and feasible. The vision of the Mahavidyalaya is to become one of the best educational institutions in the State catering to the rural people’s need of higher education, and run along the ideals of man-making education propounded by Swami Vivekananda. The mission of the college is 'Tanme manah Siva samkalpamastu' (May that mind of mine be auspicious resolution).

Venue:

Bejoy Narayan Mahavidyalaya (affiliated to the University of Burdwan), P.O.- Itachuna, Dist.- Hooghly, W.B.-712147

How to reach:

The nearest railway station is Khanyan. Khanyan is well-connected by train with Howrah (through Howrah-Burdwan main line local, Howrah-Memari local, Howrah-Pandua local) and with Sealdah (through the Naihati-Bandel connector). From Khanyan station, one can take a Toto-rickshaw or an auto and it will take 10 minutes or so to reach Bejoy Narayan Mahavidyalaya

Call for Papers:



**National Conference on
“Women’s Capacity Building : Issues,
Challenges and Policies”.**
(NCWCB 2019)

25 - 26 March 2019



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Important Deadlines:

Last date of sending abstract: **21.03.2019**

Last date of submitting Registration Fees by NEFT and submitting the registration form by email: **22.03.2019**

Abstract Submission:

We invite papers for oral presentation during the conference. Papers on the main theme i.e., women's capacity building and on other related topics regarding women, gender studies etc. are welcome. The abstracts (word limit: 250 words) should be sent to the email-ncwcb2019@gmail.com within 21.03.2019. Decision regarding acceptance will be intimated within 22.03.2019. Abstracts can be written either in English or Bengali and should be typed in MS-Word.

Registration Fees:

- For University/College/Institute faculty members – Rs. 500/-
- For others (including research scholars) Rs. 200/-

Registration Details:

All participants are requested to submit the registration fees by NEFT to the following account:

Account Holder: Principal, Bejoy Narayan

Mahavidyalaya

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After submitting the fees, the participant should send the filled-in registration form to the email ncwcb2019@gmail.com along with a scanned copy of the NEFT transaction slip.

Registration Form:

National Conference on Women's Capacity Building : Issues, Challenges, and Policies.'

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Name :

Designation:

Name of Institute:

Sex : Male/Female

Address:

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Presenting a paper: Yes/No

Title of the Paper :

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