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REPORT OF WORLD BIOETHICS DAY 2019

***DR. D.Y.PATIL VIDYATEETH (DPU),Pune,India
Unit of Bioethics by UNESCO Chair in Haifa***



NAME OF THE INSTITUTE:

DR.D.Y.PATIL VIDYAPEETH,(DPU), PUNE, INDIA

NAME OF THE UNIT: *DPU UNIT OF UNESCO CHAIR IN BIOETHICS*

NAME OF UNIT HEAD: *DR. J S BHAWALKAR*

NAME OF SECRETARY:*DR.SHAILAJA MANE*

DATE OF ESTABLISHMENT OF UNIT: *18TH MARCH, 2015*

STUDENT'S WING OF UNIT ESTABLISHED ON: *16TH MARCH, 2015*

PROGRAM DETAILS:

Dr. D.Y.PATIL VIDYATEETH,Pune (DPU) Unit of Bioethics ,UNESCO chair in Haifa celebrated the **World Bioethics Day** on Tuesday, 22nd October 2019 as per guidelines given by chair.

LIST OF COLLEGES PARTICIPATED:

Around 200 students and faculties from different colleges of DPU attended WBW 2019.

- Dr.D.Y.Patil Medical College , Hospital and Research Centre,Pune
- Dr.D.Y. Patil Dental College,Pune
- Dr.D.Y.Patil College of Physiotherapy,Pune
- Dr.D.Y.Patil College of Nursing,Pune
- Dr.D.Y.Patil College of Homeopathy, Pune
- Dr.D.Y.Patil College of Ayurveda, Pune
- Dr.D.Y.Patil Biotechnology and Bioinformatics Institute,Pune
- Dr.D.Y.Patil College of Optometry, Pune

AWARENESS RALLY:

World Bioethics Day 2019 Celebrations began in the morning with a rally on the theme "**Respect for Cultural Diversity in Health**" for spreading awareness in the campus. About 60 students from different sister colleges, prepared slogans on the theme in local languages and marched around the campus encouraging people to respect the cultural diversity and to learn from different diversity we have. They raised slogans like:

***MORE THE VARIETY, BETTER THE SOCIETY.
EVERYONE SMILES IN THE SAME LANGUAGE.
JAAT-PAAT KA BANDHAN TODHO, BHARAT JODO,
BHARAT JODO***

This rally was an eye catching step took by DPU Bioethics Unit this year.





The event was graced by following dignitaries,

- 1) Representative of UNESCO chair in Bioethics and Guest Speaker:
Dr.J.A.Jayalal, Senior Vice President, National IMA National coordinator UNESCO Bioethics, Vice President, common wealth medical association, UK.
- 2) Head Representative of Collaborating Professional Organization:**Dr.SudhirBhalerao**, Honorary Secretary, IMA, Pimpri – Chinchwad-Bhosari.
- 3) **Dr. Maya Bhalerao**, President IMA, Women Doctor’s wing of Pimpri-Chinchwad-Bhosari.
- 4) **Dr. Pramila Menon**, UNICEF consultant to Government of Maharashtra, INDIA.

The celebration began with lighting of lamp by the chief guests



Dignitaries from DPU who have attended the event,

Dr. N.J. Pawar, Vice Chancellor, Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune

Dr. A.N. Suryakar, Registrar, Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune

Dr. P. Vatsalaswami, Academic Director, DPU Medical College, Pune

Dr. J S Bhawalkar, Dean, DPU Medical College, Pimpri Pune

Dr. D Gopalkrishnan, Dean, DPU Dental College, Pimpri Pune

Dr. Vishal Madan, Principal, College of Optometry, Pune

Dr. Sharad Agarkhedkar, HOD, Dept. of Pediatrics DPU Medical College Pimpri Pune

Dr. Shailaja Mane, Professor, Dept. of Pediatrics, Dr. D.Y.PMC, Pune

Dr. Supriya Keur, Faculty, DPU Dental College, Pimpri Pune

DECORATIONS FOR THE EVENT WAS DONE BY ARTS TEAM OF students from MEDICAL COLLEGE of DPU.

Decoration was very well appreciated by all the audience.





The event started with a melodious Ganesh Vandana performed by a student of DPU Medical College Pimpri Pune, SagarikaBasavaraj.



FELICITATIONS OF THE CHIEF GUESTS:





**Opening Speech was given by Dr.N.J.Pawar,
Vice Chancellor, DPU**



Dr. N.J Pawar, Vice Chancellor, DPU welcomed the gathering with an energetic speech, appreciating all the students from different sister colleges who actively participated and encouraged the activities of DPU Bioethics Unit.

Head Representative of Collaborating Professional Organization: **Dr. Sudhir Bhalerao**, Honorary Secretary, IMA, PimpriChinchwad-Bhosari, gave a speech explaining about the collaboration of professional organization and importance of valuing the diversity among the different culture we are surrounded with.



All the dignitaries gathered for felicitating the active members: Srishti Mohapatra and Harsh Tyagi, for always being active throughout the year in coordinating and organizing various events under the DPU Unit of Bioethics and encouraging their fellow mates for participating in such events.





Dr .Shailaja Mane, Faculty-in-charge, BIOETHICS DPU Unit presented an annual report about the various activities around the year.

The prize distribution ceremony for the various competitions held on the 31st of July '19 (The various competitions that we had included artistic poster competition, scientific poster competition, photography competition & short film making competition for staff, undergraduate and postgraduate students and non-medical employees of the institution was held earlier as a part of World Bioethics day Celebrations. The judges Dr. Derek D'Souza (Head, MIMER Bioethics Unit, Pune), Dr. Nitin Mahajan(Director and Short Film Maker), Dr.SudhirBhalerao(President, IMA PCMC) and carefully evaluated each and every entry. There was active and enthusiastic participation of the students of the constituent colleges who used this event as a platform to share their views on the

theme “**Respect for Cultural Diversity**”). The winners were felicitated during the main event. All students received the participation certificates.



1st Prize in Artistic Poster



1st Prize in Photography



1st Prize in Scientific Poster Presentation.



1st Prize in Short Film Making- Team MBBS

The prize winning short films prepared by students of different sister colleges, were played which conveyed a beautiful message that there is no disparity when healthcare is provided to patients of different cultures.

1st prize winning team of MBBS UG, tried to depict the influence of various cultures in our life and the journey of a student who left his own place to study in a far different area, how the life gets change and we learn that it's all in respecting each other's culture to live happily and being blessed for the diversity.



Guest speaker and Representative of UNESCO chair in Bioethics

Dr.J.A.Jayalal , Senior Vice President, National IMA , National Co -ordinator ,UNESCO BIOETHICS , Vice President , Common Wealth Medical Association , UK.

He has mentioned about Respect for cultural diversity and pluralism. He explained about its important in the daily life as well as in medical career. The audience were happy and interacted with the speaker showing their enthusiasm.



An exhibition of all the artistic and scientific posters and Photographs :

The talent and ideas of the participant students from various colleges of DPU was displayed outside the medical college auditorium. The creativity of the students was very much appreciated by all the guests and viewers .





Second session started after a break for brunch arranged for all. The event was resumed at 2 pm with two competitions, Slam poetry and Oral paper presentation on the topic of "Respect for Cultural Diversity in Health".

For the first time we had students coming up with their views on the topic in a form of innovative poems. Students presented their share of research on Culture Diversity with statistics and other scientific data that focussed on the importance of Respect for Cultural Diversity giving it a scientific flavour. The winners were felicitated. And the judges invited for these competitions were also felicitated.

Slam Poetry :

Students from various colleges enthusiastically participated in slam poetry on the theme done in English and other local languages as well. Total 11 students presented their poems.



Oral Paper Presentation:



HUMANITARIAN FORENSICS

DR. D.Y. PATIL DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL PIMPRI

MADE BY: PRANATHI RENDUCHINTHALA
PREETI P. PADHY
SHWETHA RAKSHE

Humanitarian forensic action is the application of the knowledge and skills of forensic medicine and science to humanitarian action, especially following conflicts or disasters. It mainly deals with managing the dead, including protecting their dignity but also helping to identify them to prevent and resolve the tragedy of people missing along with caring with survivors and restoring basic services.

GENEVA CONVENTION OF AUGUST 1949 (ARTICLE 33)(Missing person)

*Information of the missing person should be provided to the adverse party and the party should transmit information to concerned members for searches.
*Information should be directly, or passed through Protecting Power Central Tracing Agency of ICRC or National Red cross.
*The parties should identify and recover the dead from battlefield areas. Personnel of such teams shall be respected and protected while exclusively out these duties.

ARTICLE 34 (Remains of deceased)

-The remains of persons shall be respected and the gravesites of all such persons shall be respected and maintained.
-High contracting party in whose territories graves and as the case may be, other location of the remains of person who have died as a result of hostilities or during occupation or in detention are situated in agreement with:
a) facilitate access to the gravesites by relative of the deceased b) to protect and maintain such gravesites permanently.
c) mainly facilitate remains of deceased and of personal effects to the home country or, return of request of next of kin.
-If the home country of such deceased is not willing to arrange at its expense for maintenance of gravesites and such an offer is not been accepted, high contracting party in whose territory the gravesites are present, after the expiry of 5 years from the date of offer and upon due notice to the country, adopt arrangements laid down in its own laws relating to cemeteries and graves
-high contracting party shall be permitted to exhume the remains only,
a) in accordance with paragraph 2.c) and 3 or, b) where exhumation is public necessity (medical and investigative necessity) the high contracting party should give notice to the



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RULES OF WAR:

*Protect those who aren't fighting such as civilians, medical personnel aid workers and those who are no longer able to fight
*protect civilians from the danger of war and receive the help they need.
*sick and wounded have the right to be cared for regardless of whose side they are on.
*medical workers and vehicles and hospitals dedicated to humanitarian work can't be attacked.
*prohibit torture and degrading treatment of prisoners
*specify that detainees must receive food and water and be allowed to communicate with their loved ones
*limit weapons and tactics that can be used in war to avoid unnecessary sufferings.
*explicitly forbid rape or other forms of sexual violence in context of armed conflict



CULTURAL ROLE IN HUMANITARIAN FORENSICS:

The end-of-life is a significant experience for a person who is dying and his or her family. Professionals care to the patients across diverse settings are keenly aware that this phase of life is usually accompanied by intense emotions, the need to make decisions for future care involving family and coping with anticipated grief and loss issues, among others.



DIGNITY OF PERSON GOES BEYOND THE LIFE AND IT HAS TO BE MAINTAINED EVEN AFTER DEATH

Winning Entry in Scientific Poster by

Pranathi R. Damodar, Priti Priyadarshani & Shweta Raksha

Dr.D Y Patil Dental College ,Pimpri,Pune



**Winning Entry in
Artistic Poster by**

Urmila Murkut & Tabassum Khan

From

**Dr.D Y Patil College of
Homeopathy
,Pimpri,Pune**



**Winning entry of Short Film making by Dr.Srishti Mahapatra & Team
from Dr.D Y Patil Medical College,Pune**



**Winning Photograph by Apurva Dahare From
Dr.D Y Patil College of Physiotherapy,Pune**

Felicitation of winners of Slam poetry and Oral Paper Presentation:



**1ST Prize winner of Slam
poetry :
Tejaswini Kulkarni, DPU,
BHMS**

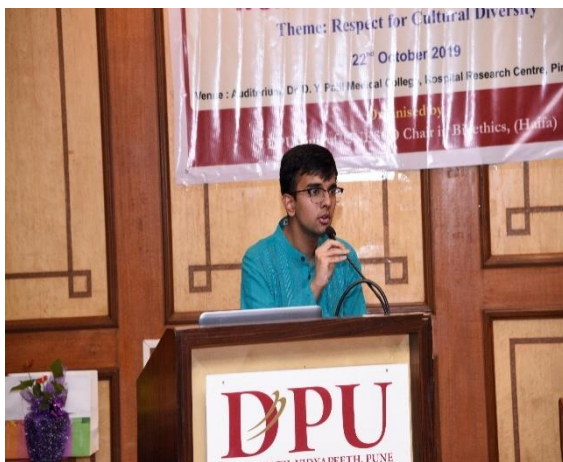
1st Prize winner of Oral Paper
Presentation :
Shambhavi Swami, DPU, Medical



The event came to an end with vote of thanks given by
Abhimanyu Sinha, General Secretary Dr.D.Y.Patil Medical College Pune.



Comparing of the event was done by Richika Singh and Aryan Dwivedi,
Students of DPU Medical College Pune.



PICTURE GALLERY FROM THE EVENT:



THANK YOU!

