

NATIONAL SEMINAR

Title- “Science with Lens of Scientific and Technical Terminology”

Two-day National Seminar on “Science with Lens of Scientific and Technical Terminology” was organized by Department along with Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Human Resource Development on January 29-30, 2020. 80 faculties from different universities registered for this event. The session begins with a floral tribute to Goddess Saraswati followed by blessing message from Principal Sir, Prof. Rabi Narayan Kar. He highlighted the Vision, Mission and Objective of the College which mainly lies to empower the rural population especially young students by quality education. Mr. Subodh Kumar greeted all the delegates and participants. He described the objective of the seminar and explained how Mathematics is fundamental subject comprising the basics Universal Knowledge including Vedas. Our distinguished Guest, Professor Avanish Kumar, Chairman, (CST), Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Government of India, New Delhi, was the Chief Guest of the program. He explained the aim and objective of Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology and future strategies how to strengthen and user-friendly approach of Hindi to encourage its use in various technical and applied courses. He stressed upon the need of using own language for spread of not only science and technology but other subjects as well like medical, humanities, social sciences and agriculture science etc., He also informed that all the publications are available in e-book format at the CSTT website and the same can be accessed through the mobile app as well. Elaborating the role of the commission, Prof. Avanish Kumar said “Till date, CSTT has standardized the terminology of about eight lakhs technical terms in different subjects and in different languages. Besides this, CSTT has published a large number of Definitional Dictionaries, Glossaries, Text-Books, Reference Materials and Monographs, Quarterly Journals named ‘Vigyan Garima Sindhu’ and ‘Gyan Garima Sindhu’ and many more works of similar nature”. Prof. Sushma Yadav, Vice-Chancellor (VC) of Bhagat Phool Singh (BPS) Mahila Vishwavidyalaya urged the participating experts on the need to work at the grassroots for building the indigenous knowledge in science and technology and disseminating it using digital technology for its effective spread and making a difference. She cautioned that simple translation would not serve the purpose as this would amount to following the existing and not the development of new research and innovations. Which she said can only happen when you think, imagine, analyze and express in your own mother-tongue. And the commission’s role is important in building such an ecosystem in the country, she added. Number of lectures were delivered by resource persons during the two-day seminar. The seminar was extremely beneficial.



