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Importance to the Society

It is still not well accepted that women can be economically independent. It is generally felt that the role of women in societies is just confined to the household management based on traditional values, attitudes and customs. The economic role of women in the traditional society largely depends upon two important factors- need for augmenting the family income and opportunities available for participation in such economic activities.

Women entrepreneurship is a recent phenomenon. As we can see that women's business are just confined to the petty business and tiny cottage industries. In every house of India now women are breaking the glass ceiling and trying to involve themselves in entrepreneurship activities. In India @ 75 years of Economic growth has made marriage a sunset for the women, which used to be the only career of traditional household women. Even the Planning commission recognizes the need for women to be part of the mainstream of economic development. Women entrepreneurship is seen as an effective strategy to solve the problems of rural and urban poverty.

This seminar focusses on the women entrepreneurship and will create opportunities and challenges for further research and will expose the young female youth, who have the potential to be the future leaders and equip them with relevant background related to entrepreneurship.

Importance to the Policymakers

This seminar is intended to call the research articles from the various scholars across India. Different region studies will be included in the seminar which will be highlighting the various challenges, opportunities and problems of different regions. Hence it may be helpful to the government officials, policy makers and other stakeholders in formulating and making innovations in the policies, rules and norms which are functioning for the development of women entrepreneurship. This may be helpful for women entrepreneurs themselves for developing their business into successful enterprises.

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About the University

Central University of Haryana is a Central University established under the Central Universities Act, 2009 of the Parliament. It is one of the 15 Central Universities established by MHRD, Government of India under the XI Five Year Plan (2007-12). The University is fully funded by the UGC. The University has been awarded with 'A' grade in the first cycle of NAAC assessment and accreditation conducted in March 2017. According to NIRF-2022 Ranking, Central University of Haryana ranks between 151-200.

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About the Seminar

It is being 75 years of Independence. Bharat- India has gone through the various stages of development. The 'Make in India and 'Atmanirbhar Bharat' initiative by the government of India has accelerated the economy and is paying the road for a new evolution of prosperous and developed India. Among the 131 countries, India stood on 120th rank when it comes to participation rate of women in labor force which was only 27 percent in 2017. Women account only 17 percent of GDP which is less than the global average. Entrepreneurship which is laying the path for development of the Indian youth, total population in India is 108.18 males per 100 females. According to Sixth Economic Census in 2014, only 14 percent of the women own and run their business and more than 90 percent of the companies run by the women are micro enterprises and 79 percent are self-financed. Women entrepreneurs are defined as those who manage and control an organisation, and their respective share in that particular organisation is at least 51%. "Women entrepreneurship" is a function of business ownership and innovation that empowers women and empowers women in society. Female entrepreneurs are influential in all sectors of the economy. A "woman entrepreneur" is someone who denies her own role, who needs to participate and receive financial autonomy. A high-quality business woman who always wants to do positive things and contribute to family life and social values. Now, when women enter the field of entrepreneurship, there are several factors that motivate them. These factors include desire to be independent, desire to make money, desire to be financially independent and desire for a respectable status in the society.

WEP is a NITI Aayog initiative which helps the women across the country through a unified access portal to help them in realizing their entrepreneurship aspirations. It works on the three principles that are Ichha Shakthi, Gyaan Shakthi and Karma Shakthi, which means that Indian women is self-empowered but the need of today is just to provide a platform, this seminar will bridge the gap and educate the young female youth about the entrepreneurship.

Significance of Seminar

At present when we see the women participation in the economy, it's sparingly low. 'Women Entrepreneurship' after remaining in submission for many decades after independence, has seen an uptick with accelerated pace of growth of women population and their bulging contribution in the growing economy. Women have started contributing a lot in the economic growth. In the globalized India@75 years of economic development, women entrepreneurs have become integral part of economic development cycle and social progress.

Hence, this seminar will provide the platform to the emerging women entrepreneurs to discuss the problems, opportunities, challenges faced by them in building a business. This seminar will create a conducive environment for sharing the practices and experiences of women who takes issues with in the region and gain insights learned from the different models in the Indian context.

Objective of the Seminar

The platform has been created with the ideology of "75 years of Economic Development: Women Entrepreneurship for Sustainability". The following are its objectives:

- To provide a platform to the academicians, researchers, corporates and other stakeholders to discuss about the problems related to the women entrepreneurs in 75 years of economic development.
- To discuss the theoretical issues related to the entrepreneurship, innovation and skill development related to the Indian women.
- To provide a platform for discussion and exchange of ideas on effective policies which enhances empowerment of women and support women entrepreneurship.
- To expose the young females, who have the potential to be the future leaders and equip them with relevant background related to entrepreneurship.

Sub Themes of the Seminar

- Empowerment of women through entrepreneurship.
- Women entrepreneurship a way to the economic sustainability.
- Rural women entrepreneurship and innovation.
- Self-employment and empowerment of Indian women.
- Make in India' and women empowerment.
- Atamnirbhar Bharat' and women entrepreneurship.
- Public and private initiatives in women entrepreneurship.
- Gender equality in skill development.
- Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (PMKVY) and Skill India Programme.
- WEP a NITI Aayog Initiative.
- Post COVID-19 challenges in women entrepreneurship.
- Technology and women entrepreneurship.

Important dates:

Abstract Submission: **01 September, 2022**
Acceptance of Abstracts: **15 September, 2022**
Full Paper Submission: **25 September, 2022**

Submit the abstract and paper on weicssr@cuh.ac.in

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Abstracts to be submitted must adhere to the following specifications:

- Abstracts must pertain to original research works, either self-authored or co-authored, and must not exceed 350 words in length. The composition of the abstract shall include title of the paper, objectives, methodology, keywords and the author's full name, address, e-mail and contact detail.
- Abstracts must be submitted in the English/Hindi language.
- Title of the abstract should be capitalized. The title should clearly explain the subject of the research work. For the abstract body, Times New Roman font with a font size of 12 should be applied and a line spacing of 1.5.
- Abstract must contain only 3–5 Keywords.
- Abstracts that are excessively commercial in nature will not be accepted.

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- The references must be given at the end of the paper in alphabetical order in any accepted style (e.g. APA or any other style).

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1. Student/Research Scholars: **Rs. 300/-**
2. Faculty Members: **Rs. 500/-**

- **Payment link will be only sent via mail to the participants whose abstract has been accepted.**
- **Accommodation will be on the payment basis. An advance communication should be sent via email for the requirement of the Accommodation.**