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## Two - DAY NATIONAL SEMINAR

on

# Equality and Inclusive Society for Marginalized Groups in India



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Re-Accredited A+ Grade by NAAC (with 3.50 CGPA)
Affiliated to Osmania University

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#### About the Government Degree College (A) Siddipet

The Government Degree College (A) Siddipet, recognized by the UGC under 2(f) and 12(b) since 1972, is a prestigious institution affiliated with Osmania University, Hyderabad. It has achieved significant milestones, including a B+ grade from NAAC in 2005, an A grade (3.02 CGPA) in 2011, an A grade (3.14 CGPA) in 2017, and recently, an A+ grade with an impressive 3.50 CGPA. Committed to academic excellence and holistic development, the college aligns with the policies of the Government of Telangana and the directives of the Commissioner of Collegiate Education (CCE). It strives to deliver value-based education while maintaining high standards in teaching, learning, and research, driven by dynamic leadership and a vision to empower students. It has produced a host of distinguished alumni, including leaders, scholars, renowned scientists, engineers, entrepreneurs, and policymakers, who have made remarkable contributions to India and the world.

#### **About the Department of Economics**

The Department of Economics, established in 1956, has a legacy of excellence, with 15 distinguished individuals having served as Heads of the Department. Currently, many students have progressed to pursue postgraduate courses, such as M.A. Economics and B.Ed., in reputed institutions state and central universities for higher studies. Some graduates have successfully gained employment and Some ventured into self-employment by leveraging their knowledge. The department offers undergraduate and postgraduate programs in Economics (B.A. and M.A.), with a current enrollment of 640 students, supported by a team of three expert faculty.

#### Introduction of the Seminar

Marginalized groups in India refer to communities that face social, economic, and political exclusion due to historical disadvantages, discrimination, and systemic barriers. These include Scheduled Castes (Dalits), Scheduled Tribes (Adivasis), Other Backward Classes (OBCs), minorities, women, persons with disabilities, and the LGBTQ+ community. Despite constitutional safeguards and government initiatives, they often experience limited access to education, healthcare, employment, and political representation. Marginalization perpetuates poverty, inequality, and restricted social mobility, hindering their full participation in society. Addressing these disparities is crucial to fostering an inclusive and equitable India.

The seminar will examine these issues, evaluate the effectiveness of existing policies, and explore solutions for greater inclusion. Its goal is to promote a more equitable and inclusive society for all.

#### **Objectives of the Seminar:**

- To assess the socio-economic conditions of marginalized groups in India:
- To examine the political participation and representation of marginalized communities:
- To explore the educational challenges and opportunities for marginalized groups:
- To investigate the historical, cultural, and social conditions of marginalized groups:
- To evaluate the impact of government policies and schemes:
- To analyze the role of the NGOs and civil society:

#### Main Theme of the Seminar:

Socio-Economic, Political, and Cultural Inclusion of Marginalized Groups: Challenges, Empowerment, and Policy Innovations"Paper Submit to:econsemi2025@gmail.com

#### **SUB-THEMES:**

#### 1. Socio-Economic Conditions of Marginalized Communities in India and Telangana

- Social and Economic Exclusion of Scheduled Castes (SC), Scheduled Tribes (ST), Nomadic Tribes, and Adivasis
- Women and Children: Navigating Discrimination and Inequality
- Challenges Faced by Minorities and Migrants: Social and Economic Marginalization
- Third Gender and LGBTQIA+: Socio-Economic Disempowerment and Pathways to Empowerment
- Physically Challenged Persons: Overcoming Barriers for Participation and Inclusion
- Senior Citizens: Socio-Economic Security, Implementation and Impact of Senior Citizens Acts

#### 2. Political Participation and Representation of Marginalized Communities

- · Political Empowerment of SC, ST, and Nomadic Tribes
- · Gender and Political Representation: Role of Women in Policy Making
- Minorities and Migrants: Political Inclusion and Voting Rights
- Transegender and Third-Gender Representation in Governance and Policy
- Political Rights and Representation of Physically Challenged Persons
- Senior Citizens: Advocating for Political Voice and Representation

#### 3. Educational Challenges and Opportunities for Marginalized Groups

- · Barriers to Education for SC, ST, Nomadic Tribes, and Adivasis
- · Women Education: Breaking Societal Barriers and Promoting Empowerment
- Increasing girl enrollment, understanding impact of women in forth coming days
- Education of Minorities and Migrants: Bridging the Gap in Access and Quality
- Third Gender and LGBTQIA+ Inclusive Education
- Inclusive Education for Physically Challenged Persons

#### 4. Cultural, Social, and Historical Exclusion: Pathways to Reconciliation

- · Cultural and Historical Exclusion of SC, ST, Nomadic Tribes, and Adivasis
- Gendered Exclusion: of Women Social, Cultural, and Historical Marginalization
- · Minorities and Migrants: Social Exclusion and Identity Formation
- Third Gender and LGBTQIA+ Exclusion: Social Stigmas and Cultural Representation
- Cultural and Social Barriers for Physically Challenged Persons
- Senior Citizens: Ageism and Social Exclusion

#### 5. The Role of the Government and NGOs in Empowering Marginalized Communities

**Call for Papers:** We invite researchers, academicians, scholars, NGOs and students to contribute to this seminar by submitting papers on the above themes, with a focus on innovative solutions, policy analysis, case studies, and empirical research. The objective is to generate actionable insights that can help policymakers, activists, and civil society groups work towards an inclusive and equitable society.

This seminar will serve as an important platform for dialogue, discussion, and collaboration aimed at reducing the Socio-economic, political, and cultural marginalization of historically excluded groups.

**Target Audience:** Academicians, Researchers, and Scholars, Industry Professionals and Practitioners, Postgraduate and Ph.D. Students, Government Representatives, Policymakers, NGOs and Social Activists, Other Interested Individuals.

**The Best Paper Award:** will be presented in each technical session, recognizing the outstanding quality of both the paper and its presentation. Recipients will be honored with an Appreciation Certificate and a Memento as a token of recognition.

**Publication of Research Papers:** High-quality papers will be published in a UGC CARE-listed International Journal, while other selected papers will be included in an ISBN-edited book on payment-based.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES:**

Last Date: Submission for Abstracts : 14-03-2025
Intimation of Acceptance of Abstracts : 17-03-2025
Last Date: Full Paper Submission : 20-03-2025

#### **Submission Guidelines:**

Papers should be related to the seminar's main theme or sub-themes.

Abstracts should not exceed 300 word

Full papers should be between 3000-5000 word (6-10 pages)

Please Submit: econsemi2025@gmail.com

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#### REGISTRATION

Last date of Registration : 13-03-2025

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