



**Mahatma Gandhi Vidyamandir's**  
**Loknete Vyankatrao Hiray Arts, Science and Commerce College,**  
**Panchavati, Nashik-3**  
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## **A State Level Seminar on** ***‘Digitalization of English Language and Literature Teaching*** ***30<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2018***

### **About the Seminar**

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The University Grants Commission (UGC) is trying hard to direct and modify the education system in higher education to make it suitable to the present day demands of the digital era. As a part of it, development of e-content is given immense importance. Hence as a part of it efforts are being taken to digitalize the discipline of English Language and Literature Teaching. In order to contribute to the movement, we are organizing a One day seminar on 'Digitalization of English Language and Literature Teaching.' We hope that it will prove to be an important step towards modifying our education system.

### **The broad objectives of the seminar are as follows.**

1. To emphasize the importance of digitalization in the field of literature and language
2. To investigate the opportunities of digitalization of English Language and Literature Teaching
3. To explore the activity based methods through the use of ICT
4. To explore more opportunities to focus the student-centric English teaching-learning by developing e-content in ELLT

Mahatma Gandhi Vidyamandir's Loknete Vyankatrao Hiray Arts, Science and Commerce College, Panchavati, Nashik, had organized a One-Day State Level Seminar on Digitalization of English Language and Literature on 30<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2018. Wherein Dr. Sandeep Wagh, Coordinator of the Seminar said in his exordium, "Dissatisfaction with the present state of education among students, parents and educators has paved the way for exploring innovation in the education sector. It is also an urgent need of the world being a global village. In fact, in this context, all the stakeholders of education need to work in collaboration to develop new strategies that will comply with the needs of the era of science and technology. Fortunately, awareness is being spread in Indian by the policy makers."

Dr. B. S. Jagdale in his opening remark said , "The University Grants Commission (UGC) is trying hard to direct and modify the education system in higher education to make it suitable to the present day demands of the digital era. As a part of it, development of e-content is given immense importance. Hence efforts are being taken to digitalize the discipline of English Language and Literature Teaching. In order to contribute to the movement, we organized One day seminar on 'Digitalization of English Language and Literature Teaching'"

Dr. Milind Malshe was the inaugurator and the resource person of the First Session said that academicians and academic institutions must focus on digitalization of knowledge and there is a need to develop more e-content for the betterment of the students so that we could reach to maximum numbers of students in this era of digitalization.

Dr. Kishore R. Nikam, Convener of the Seminar and head, Department of English introduced the resource persons and said "Research scholars have sent research articles to emphasize the issue and to put forth their perspective on this issue. Dr. Bharti Khairnar and Prof. Milind Ahire discussed on the urgent need of Student-Teacher interaction using technology, Prof. Romia Correia emphasized on the use of audio-visual aids in the vernacular English mediums, Prof. Raj Tribhuvan argued on natural way of learning English Language. Prof. Kamalakar Gaikwad emphasized on the use of virtual classroom as a tool in effective teaching."

The Programme was compared by Mr. Sadique Ali Peerzada, Dr. Sandeep Wagh proposed vote of thanks the departmental faculties, teaching and non-teaching staff and students made their valuable contribution in the successful contribution of the seminar.

# Glimpses of the Seminar

