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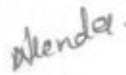
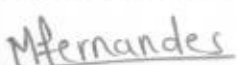
Sociology Discipline

Guest Lecture on 'How to conduct Gender Audit for Local Institutions' under the course DSVE SOC-6403 Women and Empowerment on 17/07/2026

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	Guest Lecture on 'How to conduct Gender Audit for Local Institutions' under the course DSVE SOC-6403 Women and Empowerment on 17/07/2026 in BG 03, Faculty Block B
2. Date and Time	17 th July, 2026, 2.00 pm to 5.00 pm
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	Physical
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	D.D. Kosambi School of Social Sciences and Behavioural Studies (DDKSSSBS)
5. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	Dr. Prachi Prabhu, Assistant Professor, Social Work at DDKSSSBS Goa University. She has completed her Ph.D. and MPhil from Tata Institute of Social Sciences in Mumbai. Her research is a study of Gomantak Maratha Samaj in Goa and its social reform. Her research interests include gender, sexuality, feminist history and community empowerment. She has previously taught as Assistant Professor at Women's Studies in Goa University
6. Number of Faculty attended/participated	03 Dr. Mozinha Fernandes Dr. Ninotchka Mendes Mr. Prajot Asolkar
7. Number of students participated	14 (M. A Part II students)

8. The objectives of the Program/activity/event	• To understand the concept of gender audit and its importance in promoting gender equality and social inclusion within local institutions. • To identify gender gaps and inequalities in institutional policies, programs, practices, decision-making processes, and service delivery. • To recognize the key principles, tools, methodologies and ethical issues in conducting a gender audit. • To understand stakeholder roles and participation, including leadership, staff, elected representatives, and community members, during the gender audit process
9. Description of the Program/activity/event	A guest lecture on 'How to conduct gender audit for local institutions' was conducted under the course DSVE SOC-6403 Women and Empowerment on 17/07/2026 from 11.30 am to 1.30 pm in BG 03 of Faculty Block B. The welcome address was delivered by Ms. Kirti Patil (M.A. Part II) and the guest speaker was introduced by Ms. Deann Fernandes (M.A. Part II). The objective of the lecture was to help students to understand the concept, the strategies, tools, methods, ethical issues and the process of conducting gender audit in a local institution A total of 14 students of M.A Sociology Part II students and three faculty members participated in the lecture. The session ended with an interactive question-and-answer session with students and a vote of thanks
10. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Program/activity/event	• The students were made aware of the difference between sex and gender. • The students were also briefed on the concept and significance types of audits – Financial, institutional and gender audit

	• The students were explained the objectives, and the key areas covered which included institutional policies, representation, workplace environment, participation, institutional culture and service delivery of conducting a gender audit • The students also learnt the different methods and tools of data collection including observation, interviews, surveys, focus group discussions, document review, policy analysis, and infrastructure checklist. • The students also learnt the steps involved in preparing a gender audit plan and the Ethical considerations and challenges in conducting gender audit • The session was considered by students as informative and insightful, providing students with both conceptual understanding and practical knowledge of conducting gender audits in local institutions.
11. Enclosures with report	Flyer, Student Attendance, Geo-Tagged Photographs.

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Date: 20/07/2026

Flyer of Guest Lecture 'How to conduct Gender Audit for Local Institutions'
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HOW TO CONDUCT GENDER AUDIT FOR LOCAL INSTITUTIONS

Under the

DSVE course SOC-6403:

Women and Empowerment

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Dr. Prachi Prabhu

Assistant Professor of Social Work

DDKSSSBS

17TH JULY 2026 | 11:30 AM
Classroom BG 03

Coordinated by
Dr. Ninotchka Mendes & Dr.
Mozinha Fernandes

Dr. Mozinha Fernandes
Programme Director

Prof. Nagendra Rao
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