

ANNUAL REPORT-2022-23



P.G. DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

ରମାଦେବୀ ମହିଳା ବିଶ୍ୱବିଦ୍ୟାଳୟ, ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର
Rama Devi Women's University, Vidya Vihar,
Bhubaneswar

1. **Name of the department** :Department of Political Science

2. **Mission and Vision :**

Mission: The Department of Political science aims at teaching the basics and advanced knowledge in Political science to the students. It endeavors to build active and participatory citizenship, so that they can able to contribute to the process of Nation Building. It stresses more on participatory learning than traditional learning process. It believes in the principles of quality, access and equity in the process of teaching- learning in the Department. It aims at enabling the Research Scholars to compete globally.

Vision : As the Department of a Women's University it has the vision of making learning inclusive. It works for up-gradation of the knowledge of the students on the current global and local developments to empower them to face the challenges of life. The process of socialization is made inclusive to fight patriarchy and make learning gendered. It has a vision to challenge patriarchy through teaching-learning process.

3. **Academic Programmes:** UG, PG, PhD

4. **Publications/patents**

JOURNAL PAPERS

Sl no.	Paper Title	Author(s)	Name of the Journal; Volume; Page no.	Year of Publication	Link to the article (doi/website)
1	The role of new media in democracy and politics	Dr. Manas Behera	Dilemmas in world politics	2022	
2	Inclusive Higher Education & Neoliberalism	Dr. Manas Behera	'Driving the change-Towards SDG of Education published by Aakar publications, New Delhi,	2023	
3	Social exclusion and inclusive development	Dr. Manas Behera	NAM Today, vol.cixx, no.2, Feb-23, ISSN-2347-3193,	2023	
4	Ambedkar's Contribution towards inclusive	Dr. Manas Behera	Ambedkar's Ideology, Desh Vikash publications,		

	democracy in India		Vishakapatnam, A.P.		

BOOKS/BOOK CHAPTERS

Sl no.	Book/book chapter Title	Author(s)	ISBN/ISSN number	Year of Publication	Name of the publisher
1	Inclusive Development and Good Governance, Role of Panchayati Raj Institutions,	Dr. Manas Behera	ISBN-978-1-68554-510-9 – BOOK.	2023	Notion Press, Chennai,

PATENTS

Sl no.	Title of patent	Patent holders	Patent type & Country	Year of Filing	Status (Published/granted)

5. Research Projects : Nil

S.No	Title of the project	Name of the PI/Co-PI	Funding Agency	Amount mobilized

6. Teachers' achievement : Member, DRC & Board of Studies, Dept. of Pol. Science, Utkal University,

- Member, Board of Studies, Dept. of Public Administration, Utkal University,
- Member Board of Studies, Kendrapara (Auto) College,
- Member Board of Studies, Berhampur University,
- Member, Syllabus Committee, CHSE (O), BBSR,
- Member Board of Studies, Karanjia (A) college, Karanjia,
- Member, Board of studies, Gender studies department, RDWU,
- Convenor, DRC, POL.SC. RDWU
- Academic Councillor, IGNOU, BBSR, IGNOU, BERHAMPUR, IGNOU, RAVENSHAW
- Content Developer, OSOU, SAMBALPUR
- EDITOR, SELF LEARNING MATERIALS, OSOU, SAMBALPUR
- e-content editor, CHSE, ODISHA
- General Secretary, Odisha POLITICAL SCIENCE Association
- President, Odisha Government college teachers association
- Member, National Executive Committee, AIFUCTO (All India Federation of University & College Teachers Association)
- Translator, Kendra Sahitya Academy

7. Students' achievement :

- SSB Requirement-1(2022)(Madhuparna Samal, Nayagarh Prajamandal Mahila Mahavidyalaya)
- NET QUALIFIED-02
- Ankita Dalai, UG 3rd year student got Third Prize in English Debate organized by Science Society, RDWU on National Science Day, 2023.
- Ananya Patnaik, UG 1st year student got Second Prize in English Essay organized by Science Society, RDWU on National Science Day, 2023.
- Ankita Dalai, UG 3rd year student-SOA SPORTS MEET Champion and won 25,000/-, VIRAJ 2023, NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY Champion, G20 Competitions held by SOA Champion

8. Seminars/FDPs/Workshops organized :

- Departmental seminar was organized on 09.03.2022 on "Inequality, Diversity and Democracy". Speaker- Bijay Bohidar (Visiting Faculty Ravenshaw University)
- Departmental seminar was organized on 17.03.2022 on "Russia-Ukrainian War: Global Security and India" .Speaker- Malay Mishra (Former Ambassador of Hungary)
- Departmental seminar was organized on 26.03.2022 on "Gandhi and Ambedkar: Question of Caste". Speaker- Mihir Ranjan Sethi (Ex Regional Director of Education, BBSR)
- National Seminar was organized on 29.09.2022 with collaboration of Indian Institute of Public Administration, Odisha on "Fundamental Duties- Backbone of our Democracy". Speaker- Arun Rath(Chairman IIPA), Prakash Sarangi(Ex. V.C. Ravenshaw University, Sarat Chandra Mishra(Former DG), Ashok Mohapatra (Secretary, IIPA).

- Constitution Day was celebrated on 26.11.2022 on “India-Mother of Democracy”. Speaker- Bijay Bohidar (Retd. Prof Political Science)
- National Seminar was organized on 21.03.2023 on “The Relevance of the Constructive Programme of Gandhi” jointly in collaboration of Bharatiya Vidya Bhawan, Kolkata, Odisha Political Science Association, Indian Society of Gandhian Studies.

9. Social outreach programmes conducted : Nil

10. Any Other:

- **Alumni Meet:** Alumni meet of the department was organized on 12th December, 2022 and was attended more than 40 alumni.
- **Skill Development Programme:** A paper on human rights is being taught to PG students to enhance their skill for competitive examinations, law practices, counseling and in other social sectors. As is well known, knowledge on Human Rights has become a pre-condition for every sector. Thus, this course will help in the soft skill development of our students.