Name of the Event: Seminar on Right to Die with Dignity

Category: Seminar

Date: 10.5.2024

Organizing Unit: Department of Philosophy

Topic: Right to Die with Dignity

Time: 2 pm to 4 pm

Venue: Swamiji Bhavan, RKSMVV

Name of the Speaker: Dr. Mrinal Kanti Sarkar, Associate Professor, Philosophy,

Bidhan Nagar Govt. College.

No. Of Participants: 236 students from all departments

Brief Description of the event: On 10th May 2024, our college hosted a thought-provoking seminar on "The Right to Die with Dignity," led by Dr. Mrinal Kanti Sarkar. The seminar provided an in-depth exploration of the concept of euthanasia, focusing on its ethical implications and the complex problems surrounding this sensitive issue. Dr. Sarkar began by defining euthanasia and its various forms, including voluntary, non-voluntary, and involuntary euthanasia. He then delved into the ethical debates, discussing arguments both for and against the practice. The talk highlighted the moral dilemmas faced by individuals, families, and healthcare professionals when considering end-of-life decisions. The seminar was well-attended by students from all disciplines, demonstrating the widespread interest in the topic.

Program Outcome: Dr. Sarkar's clear and insightful presentation encouraged students to think critically about the right to die with dignity and to consider the broader implications of euthanasia on society. The seminar was a resounding success, with students actively participating in the discussion. Numerous questions were raised, reflecting the students' deep engagement with the topic. This interaction not only deepened the students' understanding of euthanasia but also encouraged them to reflect on the ethical dimensions of life and death. In conclusion, the seminar successfully stimulated intellectual curiosity among the students fostering a thoughtful dialogue on a crucial and often controversial issue.

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