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A Report on Art of Imagination: Pencil Sketching Competition

Human Rights Protection Cell

Date: 29th August 2025

Time: 12:30 PM onwards

Title of the Event: Pencil Sketching Competition on the theme “*All Human Beings are Born Free and Equal in Dignity and Rights*”

Target Audience: B.Com, BBA & BCA Students

Organised by: Human Rights Protection Cell

Venue: Amar Hemu Kalani Block Quadrangle

Number of Registrations: 90+

Faculty Coordinator: Mr. Subhash Kumar K

Objectives of the Competition

- To encourage creativity and artistic expression among students through the medium of pencil sketching.
- To spread awareness on the importance of *human rights, dignity, and equality* as enshrined in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
- To provide a competitive platform for students to showcase their imaginative skills and communicate meaningful messages through art.
- To promote cultural sensitivity, empathy, and values of inclusiveness among youth.
- To inspire students to use their talent for social awareness and responsible citizenship.

Details of the Competition

The Human Rights Protection Cell of the college successfully organized a Pencil Sketching Competition on 29th August 2025 at the Amar Hemu Kalani Block Quadrangle. The event received over 90 registrations from across the disciplines of B.Com, BBA, and BCA, reflecting the enthusiasm of the student community in participating in co-curricular and socially relevant activities.

The competition commenced at 12:30 PM, where the participants were welcomed and briefed about the theme “*All Human Beings are Born Free and Equal in Dignity and Rights.*” This universal theme

aimed to highlight the principles of equality, freedom, and dignity, encouraging students to translate these values into creative visual representations.

Each participant was given one hour to complete their sketches. The quadrangle provided a lively atmosphere where students could express their ideas artistically. Following the sketching session, the participants were asked to present their artwork to the judges, explaining the symbolism, creativity, and connection of their sketch to the given theme.

The esteemed panel of judges comprised Ms. Kampa Belliappa, a distinguished academician with vast teaching experience, and Mr. Srirama M, a respected faculty member known for his encouragement of student creativity. They evaluated the artworks based on criteria such as originality, creativity, presentation, and thematic relevance. The judging process was highly interactive, as students articulated the inspiration behind their sketches, which added depth to the competition.

Results of the Competition

After careful evaluation, the judges announced the winners of the event:

- 🏆 1st Place: *Yasbee Nikitha & Nanditha K – I BCOM*
- 🥈 2nd Place: *Nanditha M – I BCOM*
- 🥉 3rd Place: *Nisha C – I BCOM*

The winners were applauded by the audience for their creativity and impactful representation of the theme. The judges also appreciated the sincere efforts of all participants, highlighting how each artwork carried a unique interpretation of the universal values of freedom and equality and for all the participants given the participation E-certificates.

Outcome of the Competition

The Pencil Sketching Competition proved to be an inspiring and enriching experience for the students. It not only showcased their artistic abilities but also encouraged them to reflect on the importance of human rights in today's world.

The event successfully blended art and social awareness, allowing participants to communicate strong messages through simple yet powerful sketches. Students across different streams collaborated and competed in a healthy spirit, fostering unity, inclusivity, and mutual respect.

The presence of enthusiastic participation and the quality of work presented demonstrated the immense talent within the student community. The competition also provided them with a platform to develop confidence in public presentation, as they explained their work to the judges and peers.

Overall, the event was a grand success, fulfilling its objective of promoting awareness about equality and dignity while nurturing the creative potential of students. It was yet another step by the Human Rights Protection Cell towards instilling values of justice, respect, and responsibility among young learners.

Photo Gallery:

