

# Seminar Report, Department of Political Science, VCFW

❖ 2022-23

- 1) **Name of the Activity:** One Day National Level Seminar on “Refugee Problem: Then and Now”
- 2) **Category:** National Level Seminar organized by Department of Political Science & IQAC, VCFW in collaboration with RastrabigganCharchakendra, Kolkata on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at the VCFW Auditorium.
- 3) **Date Time and Venue:** 15/05/2023; 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., at the VCFW Auditorium.
- 4) **Name of the Resource Persons:** Dr. Himadri Chatterjee, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Calcutta and Prof. Rajarshi Dasgupta, Assistant Professor, Centre for Political Studies, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University.
- 5) **Number of Participants:** 104
- 6) **Brief Description:** Topic-“Refugee Problem: Then and Now”, The following session began with Dr. Anwsha Sengupta’s presentation on the subject of refugee problem arising in post-partition Bengal. She spoke on the problems that the refugees faced in the decade that followed after the partition of India. She explained how the Evacuee Property Ordinance and Evacuee Property Act after 1947 shaped the destiny of Hindu refugees from East Pakistan and the hurdles they faced in resettlement in West Bengal. The second speaker at the panel was Prof. Himadri Chatterjee who discussed on where do we stand on refugee problem in today’s world? He also spoke on the issue of caste that has been intrinsically linked with the refugee problem in Bengal today. Finally, Prof. Rajarshi Dasgupta deliberated on the question of ‘identity’ of a refugee and how this issue of ‘identity’ has evolved from 1947, post-partition to present day. Both Prof Chatterjee and Prof. Dasgupta highlighted the predicament of communities such as Matua, a sect of depressed class AVARNA Hindus who are Namasudras, a Scheduled Caste group demanding citizenship in North Bengal and the current politics surrounding it.
- 7) **Outcomes:** The session ended with highly intriguing interaction between the participants and the speakers, each addressing the issues of identities, caste system, citizenship, refugee status of several communities and the role of State and International Organisations in dealing with the refugee problem. The speakers were forthcoming in elucidating on pertinent themes regarding citizenships and how State as an agency is dealing with the subject of refugee. The seminar ended with Dr.Atri Saha, Faculty at the Department of Political Science, VCFW thanking the Speakers along with members of Rastrabiggan Charcha kendra, Kolkata, students of the college who were as participants as well as those who worked as volunteers to make this academic programme successful. There were substantial presence of students and faculties from other academic institutions, thereby bringing in engaging discussion on the discourse of refugee issue. It needs to be noted that the seminar was college sponsored and no registration fee was taken from the participants.

## 8) Photograph

VIDYASAGAR COLLEGE FOR WOMEN Date- 05/05/2023

### NOTICE

A One Day National Level Seminar will be held on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at the VCFW Auditorium. The Seminar is going to be organized by Department of Political Science & IQAC, VCFW in collaboration with RastrabigganCharchakendra. Students are Requested to join this event.

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**ONE DAY NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR**

**Topic**  
**উদ্বাস্তু সমস্যা: সেকাল একাল**

Organized by  
Department of Political Science & IQAC, VCFW  
in collaboration with RastrabigganCharchakendra

Patron:-Dr. Shreeparna Ghosal  
TIC, Vidyasagar College for Women

**Eminent Speakers:-**

Dr. Anwesha Sengupta  
Assistant Professor  
Institute of Development Studies

Dr. Himadri Chatterjee  
Asst. Prof. (Political Science)  
Department of Culture,  
University of Calcutta

Dr. Rajarshi Dasgupta  
Asst. Prof. (Political Science)  
Department of Political Science,  
Vidyasagar College for Women

**15/5/2023**  
Monday 11:00AM

**Venue:-**  
Seminar Hall  
Vidyasagar College for Women  
Kolkata





# FACULTIES V.C.F.W.

Dept of Political Science, VIDYASAGAR COLLEGE FOR WOMEN  
Registration of the Participants

15.05.2023

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