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## **Annual Art Exhibition 2023**

## B.V.A. & M.V.A. Department of Drawing and Painting, Mumbai Nehru Centre Art Gallery 28<sup>th</sup> March 2023 to 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2023

The Inauguration program of the Annual Art Exhibition 2023 "Aavishkar" and "Antarang" was held at the Nehru Centre Art Gallery on 28th March, 2023 by the B.V.A. and M.V.A. Department of Drawing and Painting of S.N.D.T. College of Arts and SCB College of Commerce and Science for Women, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai. The program started at 11 am with the welcoming address by Ms. Kalyani Jantikar, teaching faculty of the B.V.A. Department; followed by the University song and then lighting of the lamp by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor madam Prof. Ujwala Chakradeo and special guest Prof. Vishwanath Sabale, Dean Sir J.J.School of Art, Mumbai. The program further proceeded with the opening introductory speech by Dr. Meera Sawant, the Head of the Department wherein she gave the introduction of exhibition also spoke about the various activities undertaken by the Department so far for the artistic growth and knowledge of the students. She ended her speech by offering the guests with gifts of paintings created by the students of department.

The Chief Patron of this program was Prof. Ujwala Chakradeo, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai. Madam Vice Chancellor expressed her views about importance of such activities and motivated students to explore their creativity more and more. Dr. Vandana Sharma, Principal in-charge of S.N.D.T. College of Arts and S.C.B. College of Commerce and Science for Women mentioned about the programs conducted in B.V.A. department under her guidance and wished students for their future journey in creative field. The Special guest was Prof. Vishwanath D. Sabale, Dean of Sir. J.J. School of Art encouraged students by telling them to utilize maximum creative energy. He also talked about the various opportunities available for artists in the market. After the motivational and encouraging speech by all the guests, certificates and prizes were distributed to the students who won the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and merit prizes as an outcome of making creative artworks. The program ended with the vote of thanks by Prof. Suresh Garud, teaching faculty of the B.V.A. Department.

All the teaching faculty and non-teaching members from both the B.V.A. and M.V.A. Department were present in this program along with Prof. Deepak Jogdand, faculty of Jr. College drawing department.

After the end of this formal inaugural ceremony, the exhibition was opened for the public viewers. Refreshments were provided to all the students, teaching faculty and non-teaching members at the end of the program.





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