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In a democratic society free and fair intellectual discourse is needed to generate new ideas and working methodologies for the development of the society and the nation. In the conference, people of diverse fields present their views and in the lectures people just listen and can hardly enquire about a point. The mutual interaction remains scarce. Therefore to strengthen SAMPARK program with energetic and determined young graduates, post graduates, research scholars, professional graduates and other intellectual groups of the society, BVP decided to hold seminars on the contemporary subjects of national interest and welfare of humanity in the Institutions of Higher Education.

WHY THE SEMINARS

- (a) Young and Energetic India: India is emerging as a world power. The economy is booming, flow of ideas is free and 70% population of India is young. It has largest scientific and technical man power in the world and is getting ready to land on the moon. It has nuclear power and controlled devices and leading in the information technology and software industry. Industrial sector is growing, buying industries in the world and developing innovative technologies. Education and medical sectors are expanding to reach every one. There is revolution in connectivity through roads, trains, air and electronic media.
- (b) Spiritual Superiority: World bodies are accepting our spiritual knowledge, Ayurvedic treatment and Yog Vidya. Fine arts, music and dance are being appreciated,

and Vedas and Upnishads are being studied. Modern science is converging to Indian philosophy. Indian minds are consistently proving their superiority in all walks of life. If Einstein gave the mass-energy relation for technological revolution, Gandhi gave the message of Truth and Non-Violence for universal peace and prosperity.

(c) Alienation of young educated:

The young educated is unaware of our ancient language Sanskrit, Rashtra Bhasha Hindi and even their own mother tongue. They little about Vedas. know Upnishads, Ramayana, Mahabharat, Geetanjali and other great epics of all time and glorious past of India. Their knowledge of Indian mathematics, science, medicine, agriculture, philosophy, music and dance is limited. The fragmentary way of western life is their role model and sometimes they even hesitate to say that they are proud Indians.

The basic principles of Indian culture are sound and based on truth and morality. But culture is ever expanding and developing. We must keep our windows open to new ideas but should remain firmly rooted in our fundamentals.

EXISTING STUDENTS CONTACT PROGRAMS

BVP has NGSC, BKJ, BAL SANSKAR and SAKSHARTA projects which operate in the schools up to +2 levels. SEWA projects are for the public in general. However BVP has no program for the students and teachers in the Higher Education Institutions and other intellectual groups of the society.

SEMINARS IN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

The students in these institutions have voting right. All the political parties have active youth branches in these institutions. At the same time. students in these institutions are in a very sensitive age group. They are independent, self motivated, very energetic and trying their best to attain their goals. In general they know what they are doing and they are determined to achieve it. The intellectuals related to these institutions are the guiding forces. This group of young graduates and intellectuals will lead the nation in the coming decades. BVP has taken up the CONTACT program through SEMINARS in this vibrant atmosphere.

ORGANIZATION OF SEMINARS

- 1. Aim: The aim is two fold: (a) to convince the young mind that you are the great citizens of India (Shreshtha Bhartiya Nagrik). You are the blessed one that you are born and brought up in Bharat Bhumi. (b) to reinforce Bhartiya Sanskar in the young, educated and intellectuals of the society.
- 2. Targets: (a) Young college/
 University students: Graduates,
 Postgraduates, Research
 Scholars, Professional
 Graduates: Medical Engineering,
 Polytechnics, Computers,
 Business, Law, Pharmacy and
 other branches. (b) Intellectuals of
 the society: Teachers, Advocates,
 Doctors, Engineers, Chartered
 Accounts, Journalists, Authors,
 Artists etc.
- 3. Subject of Seminars: Seminar is a part of SAMPARK program.

Therefore, the choice of subjects should be pertinent to the audience and the speaker. The students and intellectuals in these institutions may like to listen on the subjects of current interest in the fields of economy, management, science and technology, sports, prevailing social and political problems and other matters of national and international interest The seminars on moral ethics will greatly influence the young minds. However the subject matter of these seminars should not violate our cultural and social value system.

- Seminar Venue: The campus of Colleges, Universities and other Institutions of Higher Education.
- 5. Nature of Seminars: (a) One or Two Hour Seminar Programs:
 One or two hour seminars by eminent speakers should be held, preferably in the evening of working days in the campuses of Educational Institutions for a large number of students and teachers.
 (b) Lectures by Eminent persons: lecture by a person of eminence on the subject of his speciality in the campus of educational institutions, for the benefit of the society.
- 6. Financial Obligations: Parishad will have to bear all the expenses for the preparations of seminars including invitation cards, stage decoration, banners, mementos and TA / DA of speakers. The Prant and Branch Adhikaris will take the final decision.
- 7. Approach to the Institution: A committee of two / three members of BVP should contact the

teachers of the institution and convince them to hold the seminar. on subjects of students' genuine interest by learned speakers. They must be told that BVP will bear the financial burden and the institution will provide infrastructural facilities. The speaker should be an authority on the subject and should command respect from both the teachers and the students. The formal permission should be taken from the Head of the Intuition. Invitations should be extended to all the teachers and students of the institution along with other BVP members. The members of the institution must be given respectful recognition in the program.

8. Schedule for Seminar: The Seminar should start with (a) Deep Prajwaln (b) Rashtra Geet (c) Brief introduction of BVP (d) Brief introduction of speakers (e) At the end Rashtra Gan.

Arrangements for Coffee / Tea before or after the seminar as the situation demands.

9. Record: Efforts should be made to have a written manuscript of about 1200 words from the speakers. If that is not possible short hand writer / tape recorder may be used to record the lecture. It can be typed, edited, and the manuscript should be approved by the speaker. 10. Report: Report should be sent to the Central Office BVP Delhi within a week from the date of seminar under the following heads: Zone, Prant, Branch, Day & Date of seminar. Name, Designation & address of the speaker, Name and address of the Institution. Subject and abstract of seminar and attendance.

An Appeal

Each year, each prant should hold at least 2 to 3 seminars in different institues of higher learning in different cities.

Some suggested Topics for Seminars

- Citizens in democratic system.
- Electoral system of India; its loopholes and reformations required.
- Eternal message of Ramayana.
- Panch Gavya and Gomata in the present context.
- Educational Reforms.
- Crimilinalisation of Politics.
- My Vision of India.
- India as a knowledge society.
- India in the emerging global order.
- Our Youth-Our asset.
- or on some major event unfolding in the country at that time.

The list can be a long one. The subject may be fixed after discussions with the head of the institution and the main speaker.

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