

**GUJARAT COMMERCE COLLEGE (MORNING), AHMEDABAD
COLLEGIATE WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL (CWDC)**

Report on Movie Show: "The Vaccine War"

Event Title: Screening of "The Vaccine War"

Date of Event: 16/08/2024

Time: 11:00 PM

Venue: Seminar Hall

Introduction

The Collegiate Women Development Cell (CWDC) of Gujarat Commerce College organized a special screening of the movie "The Vaccine War". This movie was selected for its relevance to science, public health, and women's contribution to medical research. The screening aimed to inspire students and raise awareness about India's efforts during the COVID-19 pandemic, focusing on the dedication of healthcare workers and scientists.

Objective

1. Highlight the significance of scientific research and development in combating global health crises.
2. Showcase the role of women in medical and scientific advancements.
3. Encourage students to understand the importance of vaccination and public health.

Event Details

Audience

- Faculty Members: 15
- Students: 120 (including CWDC members and other departments)

Movie Overview

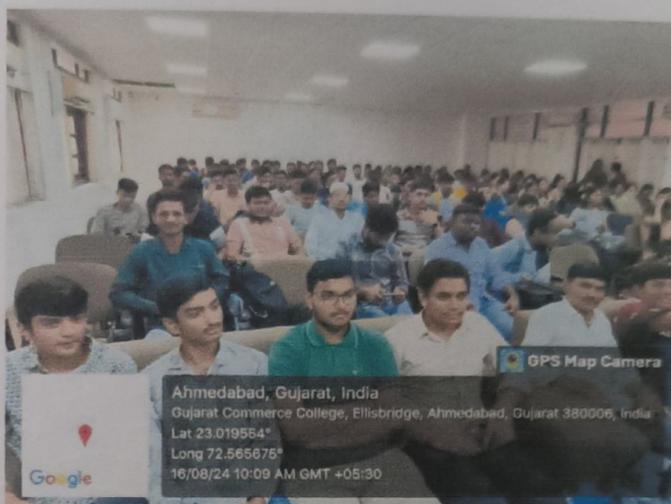
- Title: "The Vaccine War"
- Directed by: Vivek Agnihotri
- Synopsis: The film chronicles India's groundbreaking journey in developing an indigenous COVID-19 vaccine, emphasizing the unsung heroes, including women scientists and healthcare workers.

Key Highlights of the Event

1. **Introduction:**
 - The event began with a brief introduction by Dr. Rina Shah, CWDC Coordinator, who highlighted the importance of promoting scientific awareness among students.

2. **Movie Screening:**
 - The screening lasted 2 hours and was followed by a 30-minute interactive session.
3. **Discussion Session:**
 - The audience participated in a vibrant discussion, sharing their thoughts on:
 - The challenges faced by scientists during the vaccine development process.
 - The representation of women's contribution in the field of science.
 - The importance of vaccinations in safeguarding public health.

Photographs



Outcomes

- Enhanced awareness about India's scientific capabilities and contributions to global health.
- Recognition of the critical role of women in science and healthcare.
- Motivated students to consider careers in research, healthcare, and public service.

Feedback

- **Positive Responses:**
 - Students appreciated the movie's inspiring message and its realistic portrayal of scientific challenges.
 - Faculty members found the event educational and impactful for the youth.
- **Suggestions:**
 - Include more such screenings focusing on science and innovation.
 - Arrange for expert-led panel discussions post-screening.

Conclusion

The screening of "The Vaccine War" under the CWDC initiative was a resounding success. It provided valuable insights into India's efforts during the pandemic and inspired the college community to recognize the importance of science, resilience, and teamwork. This event marks a step forward in CWDC's commitment to holistic education and empowerment.

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