THE

ACEE COMMETTE EVENT REPORT

ON

GUEST LECTURE ON WOMEN'S SAFETY AND AWARENESS

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2026– 2027

Event Report: Guest lecture on Women's Safety and Awareness

Institution: Nagesh Karajagi Orchid College of Engineering & Technology, Solapur
Event Name: Guest lecture on Women's Safety and Awareness
Guest Speaker: Mr. Kundan Tukaram Gawade, Police Inspector (PI), Solapur
Target Audience: S.Y., T.Y., B.Tech Electrical All Girl Students
Date of the Event: 13th October 2026
Duration of the Event: 12:00 PM to 02:00 PM
Venue: B.Tech Electrical Classroom, Department of Electrical Engineering, 'C' Building
Organized By: Ambitious Canal of Electrical Engineering (ACEE)
Name of the Event Coordinator: Mr. Gajul Harsh Vinod
Faculty Coordinator: Prof. A.L. Barkade (ACEE Coordinator)
Head of Department: Dr. P.R. Padghan (HOD, Electrical Engineering)

Objective of the Program:

The Women Safety and Awareness Programme was to create awareness among students about personal safety, women's legal rights, emergency helpline numbers, cyber safety, and the importance of handling unsafe situations confidently. The programme aimed to empower girls with knowledge, confidence, and awareness to ensure their safety and promote a safe and respectful environment in college and society.

Overview:

On 13th October 2026, the Ambitious Canal of Electrical Engineering (ACEE) organized an awareness session titled "Guest Lecture on Women Safety and Awareness" at the Electrical Engineering Department ('C' Building) from 12:00 PM to 02:00 PM.

The session was delivered by Shri Kundan Tukaram Gawade, Police Inspector (PI), Solapur. Originating from Baramati, Mr. Gawade holds a B.Sc. and M.Sc. in Agriculture, cleared the Maharashtra Police selection as Police Sub-Inspector (PSI) in 2009, and brings over 15 to 17 years of active policing experience across Pune, Raigad, and Nanded prior to taking charge as Police Inspector in Solapur on 30th June.

Key Outcomes:

1. Heightened Safety Consciousness: Students developed strong situational awareness and practical techniques to assess risks in public and transit spaces.
2. Direct Access to Law Enforcement Resources: Students became well-versed in police emergency hotlines, mobile safety apps, and immediate assistance channels.

Activity
Guest lecture on Women's Safety and Awareness

Distinguished Speaker Profile:
Name: Mr. Kundan Tukaram Gawade
Designation: Police Inspector (PI), Solapur
Native Place: Baramati, Maharashtra
Educational Background: Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Agriculture and Master of Science (M.Sc)
Professional Journey & Service Record: Selected as Police Sub-Inspector (PSI) in the Maharashtra Police force in 2009 after completing post-graduate studies.
Carries 15 to 17 years of frontline law enforcement, investigation, and administrative experience.
Served in key jurisdictions across Maharashtra, including Nanded, Raigad, and Pune.
Assumed charge as Police Inspector (PI) in Solapur on 30th June.
Core Areas of Expertise: Public safety and policing, women's legal rights and protection, cybercrime awareness, and emergency response management.

Executive Summary:

The Department of Electrical Engineering, through the Ambitious Canal of Electrical Engineering (ACEE) student committee at Nagesh Karajagi Orchid College of Engineering & Technology (NKOCET), Solapur, organized an awareness session titled "Guest Lecture on Women Safety and Awareness" on 13th October 2026 from 12:00 PM to 02:00 PM in the Electrical Engineering Department ('C' Building).

The session was delivered by distinguished guest speaker Shri Kundan Tukaram Gawade, Police Inspector (PI), Solapur, who brings over 15 to 17 years of experience in the Maharashtra Police force across Pune, Raigad, and Nanded. Originating from Baramati with a post-graduate background in Agriculture (M.Sc.), Shri Gawade joined the state police services as a PSI in 2009 and took charge as Police Inspector in Solapur on 30th June.

The primary intent of the programme was to sensitize students—particularly young women—regarding personal safety measures, fundamental legal rights, cybercrime risks, online harassment prevention, and the effective utilization of emergency police helplines. The event commenced with a formal welcome and floral felicitation of the guest police officers by Head of Department Dr. P. R. Padghan in the presence of senior faculty member Prof. A. J. Mehta Sir, ACEE Faculty Coordinator Prof. A. L. Barkade, and student council members.

Through real-life examples and practical law-enforcement perspectives, the lecture successfully empowered students to identify unsafe situations, overcome hesitation in reporting harassment, and cultivate a secure, vigilant, and respectful academic community.

Topics Covered in the Session

During the awareness session delivered by Mr. Kundan Gawade (Police Inspector, Solapur), the discussion directly covered the following core topic:

1. **Personal Safety & Threat Recognition:** Identifying unsafe situations, remaining alert to surroundings, and taking timely self-protection actions in challenging circumstances.

2. Women's Legal Rights & Protections: Educating students on their statutory rights, protective laws, and the legal safeguards provided for women.

3. Emergency Helpline Numbers & Police Services: Information on accessing emergency support lines and navigating police assistance mechanisms during crises.

4. Cybercrime Awareness & Online Safety: Understanding various forms of cyber harassment, avoiding digital pitfalls, and implementing preventive cyber safety measures.

5. Incident Reporting & Seeking Help: Encouraging girl students to break their silence, speak out against harassment, and report incidents promptly without hesitation.

6. Promoting a Safe & Respectful Environment: Fostering mutual respect, collective responsibility, and personal confidence within the college campus and society.

Conclusion:

The guest lecture on "Women Safety and Awareness" concluded on an empowering and impactful note, successfully equipping students with vital knowledge regarding personal safety, statutory legal protections, and cyber defense. Through practical insights and real-world law enforcement experience shared by Mr. Kundan Gawade (Police Inspector, Solapur), the session fostered self-confidence among girl students to stay vigilant, identify unsafe environments, and proactively report incidents without hesitation. The presence and guidance of Head of Department Dr. P. R. Padghan, senior faculty Prof. A. J. Mehta, and ACEE Coordinator Prof. A. L. Barkade underscored the department's firm commitment to student welfare and a secure campus culture. The ACEE Committee extends its sincere appreciation to Mr. Kundan Gawade and the Solapur Police Department for their dedicated community outreach, as well as to the college administration for supporting this essential awareness program.

Photos of the Programme:



HOD Dr. P. R. Padghan presenting a floral bouquet to welcome guest speaker Mr. Kundan Gawade, Police Inspector (PI), Solapur



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Expert lecture on Women Safety & Awareness delivered by Mr. Kundan Gawade (PI, Solapur).

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