



# HSNC UNIVERSITY, MUMBAI

A STATE PUBLIC UNIVERSITY

## KISHINCHAND CHELLARAM COLLEGE

### DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY



## Courses Offered

### Semester V

- Social Theory
- Social Research
- Sociology of Work and Industry/Sociology of Organization
- Gender and Society
- Feminist perspectives on science and technology
- Digital Worlds: Self and Society

### Semester VI

- Anthropological thought
- Social Movements
- Sociology of Human Resource Management/ Sociology of Media and Communication
- Relationships and Intimacies
- Sociology of Law
- Resarch Writng

### Hons & Hons with research

#### Semester VII

- Contemporary Social Theory
- Sociology of Religion
- Sociology of Indigeneity
- Research Methodology
- Research Project

#### Semester VIII

- Feminist Histories and Theories
- Sociology of AI
- Doing Ethnography
- Dissertation Electives
- Sociology of Science
- Media, Society and Culture



## Internship and Placement Opportunities

The department engages closely with students to know their work interests and mentors them to gain insightful and productive internships. Some of the good organizations in the social and corporate sector with whom we have collaborated for internships include

- CEHAT - Centre for Enquiry into Health and Allied Themes
- Traya Health
- Population First
- Rag Dreamers Achievers Association
- Indira Jaising legal Aid Clinic



## Careers in Sociology

### Public Health

- Community health worker
- Health policy analyst
- Patient advocacy
- Health and Ethics Researcher

### Media

- Social Media Manager
- Digital Marketing
- Copy writing
- Public Relations
- Journalism

### Development Sector

- NGO Programme Officers
- Gender Trainers
- Human Rights Advocacy
- UNICEF
- ILO
- Counselling and Grassroot Advocacy

### Higher Education

- Teaching
- Research
- Course content developer

### Technical field

- AI Policy Advisor
- POSH and Equity & Diversity Trainer
- Behavioral Research in digital media
- HR, Leadership and Organizational development



## Immersive pedagogies

- Visit to Art Galleries
- Heritage Walks
- Food Walks
- Film Screenings
- Court visits
- Museum visits
- Debates
- Engaged and immersive classroom experience

## Certificate Courses

- Certificate course in Gender Studies
- Certificate course in Law, Justice and Rights



## Notable Alumni & Testimonials

### Paarth Endlaw

Graduate Student at the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore

The Sociology Department was always a cultivated intellectual forum for me. It provided the rare space of critical inquiry, where disagreement was welcomed as a path to clarity, and the boundaries of thought were tested. Within that environment, I found the freedom and support to conduct meaningful research, engage with complex ideas, and develop the kind of analytical discipline that continues to shape my academic and professional life.



### Avantee Bansal

Independent researcher

Independent Social and Child Protection Specialist working with international and grassroots organisations in India, Uganda, Senegal and Ethiopia.



### Aasthaha Jadeja

Student of MA Liberal Studies

Pursuing Masters in Liberal studies, Sociology developed in me the ability to engage in critical analysis, encouraging me to move beyond superficial observations and to explore the intricate intersections that shape our social realities. Most importantly it pushed me out of my comfort zone.



### Shreya

Mental Health Social Worker

Pursuing a BA in Sociology at K.C. College really shifted the way I see the world. It helped me build a critical feminist lens and questioned more deeply and think more critically. This academic foundation was instrumental in helping me secure admission in Tata Institute of Social Sciences for my postgrad.



### Nishin Shrikhande

Associate Lawyer, Vidhii Partners Advocates

A major in Sociology has helped me in appreciating the socio-economic context of law. It gave me a deep understanding of how societies function and aided me in approaching legal issues critically.



### Aarushi

Copywriter

Studying sociology completely altered my way of thinking and navigating the world around me. It has sharpened my critical and creative thinking, and helped shape my keen interest in exploring feminist media.



### Vidhi Ghia

Senior Manager, Senior Manager, ConnectFo

Studying sociology was a defining moment in understanding people, society, and myself. Today, as Head of Operations at a nonprofit, I see how deeply my work is rooted in these principles. From building community-driven programs to collaborating with diverse stakeholders, sociology equips me to navigate complexity with empathy and strategic clarity.

### Namrata

Capacity building and communication in charge at VACHA  
With an academic grounding in sociology and feminist theory, I've developed a deep interest in how structural inequalities shape everyday lives. Studying sociology gave me the tools to name experiences, analyse systems, and engage meaningfully with the world around me. My work has focused on trauma-informed care, feminist leadership, and youth-led communities across NGOs and CSR spaces.



### Semester III

### Semester IV

- Introduction to Sociology and Social Anthropology
- Critical issues in Sociology

- Indian Sociological Perspectives
- Popular Culture: New Sites and Locations
- Food Culture and Society

- Sociology of Development
- Migration and Displacement
- Sociology of Climate Change

