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Book on gender mainstreaming unveiled

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The book approaches gender mainstreaming from policy-and-governance perspective and explores government initiatives to promote gender mainstreaming, challenges and results of those initiatives, said a press release.

The webinar began with the welcome note of Professor Sk Tawfique M Haque, Director of SIPG of NSU while Professor Ishtiaq Jamil from the University of Bergen of Norway delivered speech on behalf of the editorial panel which was followed by the reflection from authors.

Professor Krishna Menon from Dr B R Ambedkar University of Delhi and Dr Nazneen Ahmed, Senior Research Fellow of Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies (BIDS) spoke at the event.

NSU launches book on gender mainstreaming in South Asian politics

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Authors and discussants attend a virtual book launching ceremony on gender mainstreaming in South Asian politics, organized by the South Asian Institute of Policy and Governance (SIPG) at North South University (NSU) on Saturday, September 12, 2020 **Courtesy**

The book, titled “Gender Mainstreaming in Politics, Administration and Development in South Asia”, is the outcome of an international conference held in 2017 on the said topic at NSU. The South Asian Institute of Policy and Governance (SIPG) at North South University (NSU) on Saturday organized a virtual launching program of a book published by Palgrave Macmillan.

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Discussants of the program shed the light upon the diverse topics and broad range of issues related to gender mainstreaming that the book covered. They said, the chapters of the book focus on the process of incorporation of gender issues in policy formulation and governance and the challenges to implement those policy and their implications. The authors have presented their argument with empirical evidences and used varied framework to analyze gender mainstreaming at the micro and macro levels in the book.

Prof Atiqui Islam, vice-chancellor of North South University, chaired the event.

NSU holds virtual book launching program

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North South University (NSU) in collaboration with the South Asian Institution of Policy and Governance (SIPG) of NSU organized a virtual launching program of the book titled “Gender Mainstreaming in Politics, Administration and Development in South Asia” | 12 September 2020

The South Asian Institution of Policy and Governance (SIPG) of North South University (NSU) on Saturday organized the launching program of a book titled ‘Gender Mainstreaming in Politics, Administration and Development in South Asia’. Most of the chapters of this book were first presented as papers in the conference on Gender Mainstreaming in Politics, Administration and Development in South Asia held on the campus in 2017.

The webinar began with the welcome note of professor Sheikh Tawfique M Haque while University of Bergen of Norway professor Ishtiaq Jamil gave speech on behalf of the editorial panel.

NSU Vice Chancellor professor Atiqul Islam was present in the program as the chief guest and professor Krishna Menon form Dr B R Ambedkar University of Delhi, India and Dr Nazneen Ahmed, Senior Research Fellow of Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies (BIDS) discussed on the book as designated discussants. Dr M Mahfuzul Haque concluded the program with vote of thanks.

North South University organized a Virtual Launching

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