



Foundation laid by Dr. Annie Besant - 1918



The old order change to new ones - 1977



Expansion to conduct online competitive exams at national level - 2017



Women's National Education Society

Besant Complex, M.G. Road, Kodialbail, Mangaluru - 575 003

INVITATION

100 Years of
Empowerment through Education
1918-2018



Besant Centenary Celebrations

Valedictory Function

Date:
January 19, 2019

Venue:
Dr. TMA Pai International Convention Centre
M. G. Road, Mangaluru.

The Management, Staff and Students of
Besant Group of Educational Institutions
solicit your gracious presence during
the **Valedictory Function** of their

CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS

on Saturday, the January 19, 2019.



Ms Sunalini N. Menon

(President, Coffeelab Limited, Bangalore)

and

Ms Aarthi Subramanian

(Group Chief Digital Officer, Tata Sons Limited, Mumbai)

will talk on Women's Empowerment

Prof. Rupa Shah

(Former Vice Chancellor, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai)

will preside over the function

Venue: Dr. TMA Pai International Convention Centre
M. G. Road, Mangaluru.

Time: 10:00 A. M.

Kudpi Jagadish Shenoy

President
Women's National Education Society

K. Devanand Pai

Chairman
Centenary Celebrations Committee

Prof. Rupa Shah



Hailing from a family having deep roots in the Gandhian Movement, Prof. Rupa Shah is an acclaimed educationist. She did her Masters in Psychology at the University of Mumbai, and Post Graduate Research at the London School of Economics. Since 1977 she has served in various capacities at Mithibai College, Mumbai and for some time as the Founder Director of the Academic Staff College of the University of Mumbai before being appointed as Vice-Chancellor, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai in 2001.

Ms Aarthi Subramanian



Ms Aarthi Subramanian is the Group Chief Digital Officer at Tata Sons Limited reporting to the Group Executive Chairman. Ms Subramanian started her career as a graduate trainee at TCS in 1989 and she went on to become an analyst, project manager and then moved from Account Management roles to a Senior Executive role in TCS, where she was responsible for driving excellence in service delivery, governance of key programs and initiatives as well as enterprise-wide compliance.

Ms Sunalini N. Menon



Ms Sunalini N. Menon is the President of Coffeelab Limited and an Independent Director at Tata Coffee Ltd. Famous as the first woman coffee taster of Asia, she has earlier served as the Director (Quality Control) of Coffee Board of India. She is a 'Quality Ombudsman' of the Specialty Coffee Association of India and a recipient of 'Lifetime Achievement Award' from International Women's Coffee Alliance, USA, whose mission is to empower women in the coffee value chain.