A three-week UGC Refresher Course in English, for University and College teachers, being organized by UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, University of Jammu in collaboration with the Department of English, University of Jammu, commenced here today in the department of English. The inauguration ceremony was graced by Prof. Keshav Sharma, the Dean of Academic Affairs at the University of Jammu, who emphasized the contemporary significance of language usage. He praised the efforts of both the HRDC and the Department of English for organizing such a course.

Prof J P Singh Joorel, the Director of HRDC, stressed the dual benefits of professional development and intellectual growth that this course offers to teachers. The chief guest, Prof Bhim S Dhaiya, former Vice Chancellor of Kurukshetra University, highlighted the enriching role of diverse languages in literature and urged teachers to continuously update their knowledge in their respective fields. Prof. Monika Sethi, the Head of the Department of English and the course coordinator, elaborated on the comprehensive curriculum and themes covered during the three-week Refresher Course. Notably, approximately 30 Assistant Professors from various universities and colleges across India are participating, reflecting the widespread interest and need for such initiatives. Ranjeet Kalra, Assistant Director HRDC, JU, underscored the practical utility of these courses and conveyed a formal vote of thanks. The event was attended by prominent faculty members like Prof Satnam Kour, Prof Sucheta Pathania, Prof Parvinder Kour, Prof Parmeshwari Sharma, Dr Sadaf Shah, Dr Garima Gupta, Mr Pardeep Kumar, and others from diverse departments of the University of Jammu. Their presence underlined the collective commitment towards professional development and academic enrichment within the university community.



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