

# REPORT OF SEMINAR ON ESSENTIAL QUALITIES REQUIRED FOR A PRACTICING PSYCHOLOGIST

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The Department of Psychology Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur, inaugurated Psychology Association on September 29, 2023. The inauguration function commenced at 10:30 AM with the welcome speech by Shreya Sundar. The event was graced by the presence of Mr. Devapramod VB, a distinguished Consultant Psychologist, Psychotherapist and Behavior trainer, who delivered an insightful keynote address on the essential qualities required for a practicing psychologist.

In his thought-provoking speech, Mr.Devapramod VB emphasized the crucial qualities that are indispensable for individuals pursuing a career in psychology. He highlighted the significance of empathy, active listening, and effective communication skills, stressing that these qualities form the bedrock of successful psychological practices. He also touched upon the importance of ongoing education and staying updated with the latest developments in the field.

In this occasion, the Head of the Department, Dr. Sinto P Anto, announced the names of the association secretaries: Irene Grace and Shreya Sundar.

The event lasted until 11:30 AM, concluding with the vote of thanks by Irene Grace. The event was a testament to the dedication and enthusiasm of the Department's students and faculty, setting the stage for a bright future in the realm of Psychology.