

ESDPs conclude on site

ESDPs organised by **ni-msme** under the ATI scheme of the Union Ministry of MSME, in association with partner institutions at four locations across the state of Telangana, were concluded through separate formal valedictory functions at each of the locations, as described below. Ms. Glory Swarupa of SEE of ni-msme represented the Institute at all the events. At the end of each event programme completion certificates were distributed to the trainees.

1) *At Vanasthalipuram*

Two batches of ESDP in Fashion Designing were concluded on 26th April 2015 at Vijayapuri Colony, Vanasthalipuram. The training was conducted exclusively for the benefit of SC candidates. Mr. Udaya Bhaskar, General Manager, DIC, Ranga Reddy district; Mr. Y.P. Gupta, Chief Manager, Andhra Bank-Dilsukhnagar; and Mr. Ram Mohan Goud, In-charge, TRS, L.B. Nagar wing were present during the function.

Mrs. Vasundhara, President, SAS welcomed the gathering, while Mrs. Anuradha, Secretary, SAS reported the programme proceedings. Ms. Anusha and Mrs. Anuradha, trainees, shared their impressions about the programme.



2) *At Kukatpally*

The valediction and certificate distribution of two ESDPs in Food Processing was conducted on 27 April 2015 at Kukatpally. Mrs. Anuradha, Secretary, SAS gave a review of the programme. Sixty women had successfully completed the training. All of them had appreciated the programme design and content.

3) *At Khammam*

The closing ceremony for 10 ESDPs in Dairy-based Products was held on 28th April 2015 at Training & Technology Development Centre, DRDA complex, Khammam. The programmes were organised exclusively for the ST community candidates across 10 mandals of the district. Dr. A. Anjaiah, Joint Director, Dept. of Animal Husbandry; Mr. K.S.S. Prasad, AGM, NABARD; Ms. Vanitha, AGM, Stree Nishi; Mr. Venkataiah, President, Khammam Milk Producers Society; and Mr. Bhanu Murthy, local coordinator were present.

Women participants showed comparatively more enthusiasm in sharing their experience of the training. They confessed that through the training they have learned scientific methods, and are confident of increasing the income and reducing unnecessary expenditure.

Later, Mr. Lakshman Rao, DPM addressed a technical session, and the local coordinator conducted the follow-up meeting.



4) *At Champapet, Hyderabad*

Valediction of 10 ESDPs in five technical trades was held on 30th April 2015 at Champapet. The participants were mostly unemployed youth with technical background. Mr. R. Krishnaiah, MLA, L.B. Nagar; Mr. Ramana Reddy, Corporator, Champapet; Mr. Durgaiah Goud, President, BC Federation, Telangana; Mrs. Varalakshmi, President, Greater Hyderabad BC Women Welfare Association; Mr. G. Narsimha Goud, President, SHARD; and print and electronic media representatives were present. The event ended with awarding of programme completion certificates.

