## 2016

## Activity 1: Special Lecture on "Researching Women's Lives: History and Photography in Colonial India"

## Date and Time: 21 March 2016, 11 am.

## **Resource Person: Prof. Geraldine Forbes**

- The department organized a special lecture by Prof. Geraldine Forbes, Distinguished Teaching Professor Emerita, State University of New York Ostewa. She is one of the most famous Feminist scholars and very well-known person in the academic world, author of many popular books on Gender studies. The department feels privileged to have her in our program.
- The topic was "*Researching Women's Lives: History and Photography in Colonial India*" at Life Science Seminar Hall, PUC on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2016.
- She was accompanied by her husband.
- She presented her lecture using powerpoint. Her lecture gives many new insights on the topic.
- The program was organised mainly for the students of Hisotry department but it was open for other departments as well.
- About 60 students attended the program.
- There was a good interaction with the students.
- Apart from the topic discussed, students also asked her about the schemes of studies in the US in general.
- It was a fruitful program.

