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INSTALLATION OF 'ECONOMICS FORUM'



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FACULTY PARTICIPATION

Assistant Professor Ms. Mahalaxmi Badiguiar, attended a one day State level workshop on "Writing a Research Paper with focus on Humanities and Social Sciences" on 31st August, 2018 at V.M. Salgaonkar Institute of International Hospitality Education.

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INTERCLASS DEBATE COMPETITION

An interclass debate competition was organized on the topic 'Economic Development v/s Environment' on 18th August, 2018. A total of seven teams comprising of 14 students from first year BA/BSc and second and third year B.A participated in the debate. The debate consisted of two rounds , each team had two speakers -one speaking for the topic and one against .. Ms. Ritul Sawant and Ms. Mavish Banducda , represented the first year Bachelor of Arts won the first place,

"The best teamwork comes from men who are working independently towards one goal in unison "

— James Cash Penny

closely followed by Mr.Naveen Hari, from the third year and Mr. Dhritiman Sarma, from the second year ,Bachelor of Arts were runners up.

—BY

Rahmat Shaikh

Semester I, Economics Single Major

MONSOON TREK



PC : Naveen Hari, Semester V Economics

A monsoon trek to Keri waterfall was organized on 12th June 2018, accompanied by two faculty members Ms.Mahalaxmi Badiguir and Ms. Rupali Tamuly .a total of 19 students participated in the adventure trail which fostered bonding .

HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS OF INTERCOLLEGIATE QUIZ COMPETITION !

Ms. Naik Swara Vishant and **Mr. Kadam Dessai Jaikeshi Atulkumar**, Semester V , single major Economics , won the first place at intercollegiate quiz competition on 'Indian Economy' organized by Department of Economics, Fr. Agnel College of Arts and Science, Pillar on 25th August, 2018.

Editorial

Welcome to the II issue of REVELATIONS of the academic year 2018-19 ! This issue culminates all the events held and organised by the Department of Economics between the months of August to October 2018 .

As the central purpose of every issue is to help you stay abreast about the latest developments in the department .This issue will get you acquainted with innovative teaching and learning practices implemented, awards won by students and the activities conducted by the Economics Forum.

This academic year has marked the beginning of a galore of activities.

As, rightly said by ,James Cash Penny , "growth is never a mere chance ; it is the result of forces working together " The best team work comes from men who work independently towards one goal in unison" .

The interest of the department is its vision which aims to foster " Professionally competent, ethically upright and socially concerned students brought about through innovative teaching , learning and evaluation initiatives " has begun to see great success under the guidance and headship of associate professor Ms. Rupali Tamuly.

The Department takes pride in displaying its new logo, which is published in this issue. Hopefully this newsletter will contribute to your interest in staying connected with the developments in our department ! HAPPY READER REVELATIONS!

INTER-COLLEGIATE DEBATE AND POSTER COMPETITIONS

A debate titled: "Will India Ever Be Poverty Free?" and Poster competition entitled: "Vicious Circle of Poverty" were held on 27th September 2018, for the students of Higher Secondary. A total of nine teams participated in the event. Govt. Higher Secondary School, Masthimol, Canacona ,Mount Mary Higher Secondary School, Chinchinim and Shree Mallikarjun Higher Secondary School, Canacona- won the 1st , 2nd and 3rd place for poster completion ,respectively.

GUEST LECTURE DELIVERED FOR V.M.SALGAONKAR COLLEGE OF LAW, PANAJI

Ms. Samantha Coutinho, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, was invited as a guest speaker to deliver a talk on 'Relevance of Economics in Law' at V. M. Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar - Panjim on 19th September, 2018. This talk was delivered with the aim of bringing out the interrelationship between Economics and Law . Economics



PC : Ms. Danica Menezes

being offered as a compulsory course at the first year and second year BA LLB Honours .

SKILL BUILDING ACTIVITY



PC : Ralph Da Silva , Semester V Economics

The first year Generic Elective Course , the second year BVoc and third year interdisciplinary students all opting for 'Entrepreneurship' presented their products on 25th September, 2018 at 2:00 pm in lower auditorium as a part of their continuous assessment. This was a follow-up on 'bazaar week' carried out from 7th to 11th September 2018.

TALK ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

To commemorate 150th birth anniversary of Gandhiji , a series of talks were organised by collaborative efforts of four departments namely; History , Philosophy, Sociology and Economics., on the broad theme— **Gandhian thoughts and values and its relevance in today's life .** Head of the department of Economics and Associate Professor , Ms. Rupali Tamuly delivered a talk on 'Sustainable development goals' .She emphasized on quality of development , Gandhiji's philosophy of sarvodaya & trusteeship and emphasized on the implementation of these in achieving SDG's even before the projected year 2030 ,in India. She also highlighted the fact that the concept of 'Make in India 'was Gandhiji's notion of 'Swadeshi' that was conceptualized during the pre independence era.

—BY

Asistant Professor Ms. Samantha

SUBJECT TALKS -AN ANNUAL ACTIVITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

As a part of an annual activity the Department of Economics organized three subject talks for the benefit of students and faculty as follows :

(i) A talk on **Carbon Ecology: The 'Aspiration - Economics - Ethics' Conundrum for South Asia, was delivered by** the guest speaker , Ranadhir Mukhopadhyay, former Deputy Director of NIO , on 30th August 2018 .

He spoke eloquently on the topic highlighting various pertinent and

current issues regarding climate change and its impact ; while stressing on the role of ethics and education in our economic systems.

(ii) '**A to Z of Petroleum Economics vis-à-vis Environmental Impact of Petroleum**' on 22nd September, 2018 at 11:35 am in Upper auditorium.

The Guest Speaker was Dr. Ashish Sarkar, Associate Professor, School of Petroleum Technology, Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University,

Gandhinagar Gujarat.

iii) "**The steps of formulation of a Business Plan**" was delivered by the guest speaker Mr. Jervis Pereira, Founder of Digital Kwills, Duler Mapusa. on 7th September 2018, at 03:00 p.m in the Upper Auditorium.

This talk aimed to enlighten the students on the practical aspects of setting up and running a business enterprise .

STUDENTS' SHARING EXPERIENCES

(i) Our meritorious alumnus **Ms Chanmeet Chadda**, (2017-2018), has obtained admission in the prestigious London School of Economics for the course on Health Economics. She interacted with the students of Economics in the upper auditorium on 4th September 2018; at 11.30 am .She shared with her experiences in securing admissions at this institute and the ground work involved in attaining the same.

(ii) **Ms. Naik Swara Vishant and Mr.**



PC : Naveen Hari , semester V Economics

Kadam Dessai Jaikeshi Atulkumar

semester V ,won the first place for paper presentation on '**Black Economy**' and Mr. Naveen Hari along with Ms. Henriques Nadya Chloe Bosco won the third place for poster competition on '**Start ups**' at the intercollegiate competition organized by Dyanprassarak Mandal College of Science, Arts & Commerce, Assagao Bardez on 1st September, 2018 delivered a presentation on both these topics in upper auditorium on 4th September 2018; at 11.30 am for the benefit of the other students.

INNOVATIONS IN TEACHING IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Assistant Professor, **Ms. Mahalaxmi Badiguir**, implemented various innovative teaching and learning practices in the Inter disciplinary course - Entrepreneurship with the aim of fulfilling course objectives .Beginning with a week long skill building event 'Bazaar Day' from 7th to 11th September, 2018 at Tigers Avenue, that witnessed an array of marketing and advertising skills displayed by students .

Secondly, a talk coordinated by her and delivered by Mr. Valdo Fernandes on "Presenting a Business Plan" in the class B-202 at 1.00 pm on 27th September, 2018. (currently studying at GIM, Ribandar).Mr. Valdo is well known for his presentations and

awards at national level business planning competitions. His main focus was on the guidelines for formulating and



PC : Ralph Da Silva , Semester V Economics

compiling a business plan. Thirdly , an intra class "Business Plan Competition" was organised on 11th October, 2018. Twenty four students participated in the ...continued on pg 4)

ALFRED NOBEL PRIZE AWARDEES , 2018

The Sveriges Riksbank Prize in Economic Sciences in memory of Alfred Noble 2018 was awarded to Willam D. Nordhaus and Paul M. Romer for integrating innovation and climate with economic growth .Romer demonstrated how economic forces govern willingness of firms to produce new ideas and innovations. Which , in turn determines the creation of new technology .

(Source: <https://www.nobelprize.org/prizes/economic-sciences/2018/prize->

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Ms. Mahalaxmi Badiguir also accompanied three students Ms. Nadiya Chloe Henriques Ms. Jayashree Sanzgiri semester V, and Mr. Calvert Gomes Semester III to the two-day International Conference on "Promoting Entrepreneurship-Entrepreneurship as Empowerment" organized by Goa University in collaboration with 'banglanatak dot com' (the Contact Base), and the International Entrepreneurship Forum, The Venture Academy, Essex Business School, University of Essex, UK on 21st and 22nd September 2018. The conference aimed at throwing light on the environmental and cultural sustainability aspects of entrepreneurship.

ii) Assistant professor **Ms. Sumita Datta**, faculty accompanied a total of six students Mr. Vasu Gupta, Ms. Priya Bhanushali, Ms. Lyzenn Rodrigues; Ms. Rukkaya Kanamasure, Ms. Muskan Sayed, Ms. Rhea Rebello, to a one day State level Seminar on "Intellectual Property Rights: A key to Economic Develop-

ment" organized by SV's Sridora Caculo College of Commerce and Management in association with V.M.Salgaocar College of law on 1st September, 2018 It comprised of two sessions -patent Act and trademark Act .The second session was on copyrights and geographical indications .The participants learned the main purpose of intellectual property law in encouraging the creation of a large variety of intellectual goods and



the difference between copy right and patent. These were explained through the use of several pertinent and reality-based examples.

—BY **Ms. Rukkaya Kanamasure**

Semester V, Single Major Economics .

BOARD OF STUDIES MEET

The BOS meet was convened on 6th October 2018 for reviewing the undergraduate course structure, the content of courses and course outcomes .The BOS was chaired by Associate Professor , and Head of the Department of Economics Ms.

Rupali Tamuly .

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A GLIMPSE INTO NEXT ISSUES' HIGHLIGHTS :

Study trip to Ahmadabad, from 24th November 2018 to 1st December 2018.

State level intercollegiate event

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Seminar for students

....continued from pg 3) in the competition. The judges were Mr. Vasant Hede, Marketing officer at the college and Mr. Leonard Fernandes Co-founder dogearsets.com and Cinnamon teal publishing. Team 'Wrapz' bagged the winners title and Team ' Papyrus' finished runner up. Students were evaluated as continuous assessments for the same. -BY

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Ms. Mahalaxmi Badiguir

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