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Felicitation Programme for the Rank Holders

A grand formal felicitation programme for the Rank holders of St Aloysius College (Autonomous) who graduated in the year 2019 -20 was held on Monday, 21 December, 2020 in L F Rasquinha Hall, LCRI Block of the College.

73 students of UG and PG programmes who secured ranks are felicitated by the Chief Guest, Dr Rio D'Souza, Principal, St Joseph's Engineering College, Vamanjoor, Mangalore. Rev. Fr. Melvin Joseph Pinto, Rector of St



Aloysius Institutions presided over the function. Principal, Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis SJ, Dr Alwyn D'Sa, Registrar-in Charge, Finance Officer Rev. Fr. Vincent Pinto SJ, Directors of various blocks and Convenors, Premalatha Shetty & Sonal Steevan Lobo were present on the dais.

While addressing the gathering chief guest Dr. Rio D'Souza congratulated the rankholders and advised the young generation to create a better future by caring for the environment. He stated that the students must utilize the tools to think and act logically, given by the institution along with the academic lessons.



He conveyed his take on what is artificial - "since humans are outcome of nature, all their developments should be classified as natural". Yet the power of

reasoning should enable us to take wise decisions for the environment.

He advocated to live a life of enlightened living and detach from material things and suggested the graduates to look for a balanced life. He concluded by saying that one must understand the meaning of life before searching life across universe and find happiness within before finding happiness elsewhere.

Rev. Fr. Melwin J Pinto SJ, in his presidential remarks stated that "The education received from this institution has given a pathway to your lives but the real education is gained when you face the challenges in life. What one has received from here in the form of knowledge and skills must be applied in your lives. There is no alternative to hard work. The more you keep doing what you are supposed to do, the happiness and success will follow. One must do something for society by embracing whole of humanity by feeling for one another. One must consider whole of the planet for contributing something, only then fulfillment is found".

Principal, Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis S J, in his initial re-



marks elucidated "Students are the ambassadors of the College and you - the rankholders are the masterpieces". He motivated the graduates to achieve their goals by choosing the less chosen paths in their future life.

Dr Alwyn D' Sa, Registrar-in charge read out the rankholders list during the felicitation ceremony. Dr Norbert Lobo, Director of Administrative block welcomed the gathering. Mr. Sonal Steevan Lobo, Co-convenor introduced the chief guest. Dr. Vidya Vinuta D'Souza compered the programme. Ms Premalatha Shetty, Convener of the programme proposed the vote of thanks.

Members of the Academic Council, Staff of the College and parents of the rank holders were present during the programme. Rank holders with the inconvenience to join the function physically were accommodated through Zoom Online portal and event was streamed live on YouTube for the public.

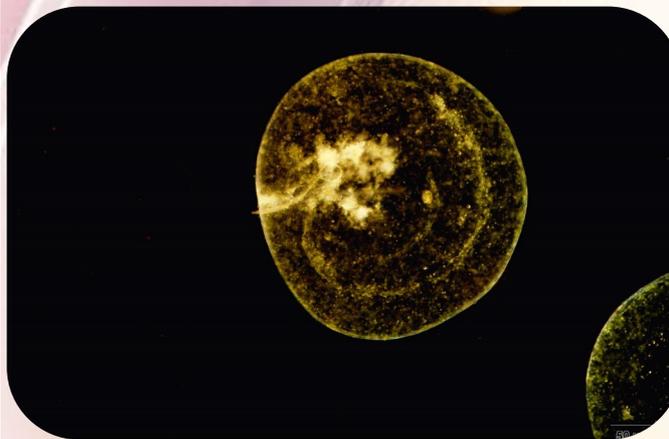
Reported by Ms Chandrakala

Applied Biology Lab of SAC identified Noctiluca Scintillans (Sea Sparkle)

Noctiluca Scintillans - the Sea Sparkle of the Mangalorean coast identified and documented by Laboratory of Applied Biology, St Aloysius College, Mangaluru. Mangalore has been buzzing with news of icy blue streaks across our coastal waters. From Udupi to Someshwar, our seas are lit by sparkly blue luminescent waves that are visible from sunset till day break. What



causes this spectacular phenomenon and why? Ms Sulakshana Karkala and Mr Sachin Patavardhan of the Laboratory of Applied Biology, St Aloysius College, Mangalore under the guidance of Dr Leo D Souza SJ and Dr Shashi Kiran have identified the causative organism as *Noctiluca scintillans*. It is a small transparent balloon shaped microscopic dinoflagellate that has two hairs like structures (flagella) for movement. Only one flagella is prominent and spoon shaped and therefore helps to scoop up phytoplankton into its mouth. *Noctiluca scintil-*



lans itself is colorless; it looks green from all the green microscopic phytoplankton that it consumes. So how does this tiny little fellow produce such brilliant shots of lights? *Noctiluca scintillans* has numerous strands inside it which contain a chemical called luciferin and an enzyme called luciferase. Luciferin reacts with oxygen to give light flashes. This is called bioluminescence because it is light that is produced by a living organism. This light flash is triggered by mechanical motion such as waves crashing. Thus the strongest light sparkles are usually seen with the highest waves folding. The effect it produces appears like a sparkly shiny wave and that is why *Noctiluca scintillans* is also called the Sea Sparkle.

While icy blue light on a cool sea lit by the moonshine appears to be a picture straight out of a fantasy movie, it hides a scary secret. This overgrowth of the dinoflagellate could mean disaster for our marine fish industry. The sudden overgrowth throws off the balance of the sea and could cause a drastic decline in the marine fishing harvests. The overgrowth also leads to an excessive production of ammonia in the sea water which is quite toxic to the other marine animals in the waters.

Reported by Dr Shashikiran Nivas

The Great Conjunction 2020

The Astro-club Association of the college facilitated for viewing the Jupiter-Saturn Conjunction on December 21, 2020. The event was unique and observed after several decades. The Telescope of the Observatory Al-solarium is used for the viewing. Astro-club members, faculty members and few interested public participated in the event. Mr Shwan D'Souza and Mr Harshith B narrated the proceedings to the participants.



Reported by Dr Chandra Shekhara Shetty T

Traditional Konkani Food

The virtual meet held on 13th November was learning about traditional Konkani food. The resource person for the same was Mrs. Irene Rebello. Mrs. Irene Rebello briefed about various traditional Konkani food and also told us the logic and reason for making this food. Apart from the members of the association some of the e-konkani bhas and culture online certificate course participants attended this session. Association member Viola Lewis welcomed and hosted the programme and Jenita Pinto rendered the vote of thanks.



Reported by Ms Flora Castelino

Commercio 2020

Commercio 2020 was conducted from 10th November, 2020 to 12th November, 2020. We had an enthusiastic participation from all the 24 classes of B.Com which included the first years, second years and the final years. The events were conducted virtually via GOOGLE MEET.

Commercio 2020 consisted of five events namely- ENTREPRENOW O' NEVER, THE ESCAPE ROOM, ENTREVISTA, PLEAD THE FIFTH AND QUIZZARD OF OZ.

Day 1 : 10-11-2020

Commercio 2020 commenced its activities with the inaugural ceremony held at 3:00p.m. The inaugural for Commercio 2020 was carried out by popping off the balloons done by our Principal and Chief guest, Rev. Dr Praveen Martis SJ. The inaugural ceremony wrapped up at 3:40 p.m. Commercio 2020 commenced its events at 4:00pm.

The event ENTREPRENOW O' NEVER commenced at 4pm and conducted 2 rounds each for the first years, second years and the final years. They had a total participation of 23 classes. Their first round consisted of each team, from different classes delivering a PowerPoint presentation and the second round wherein they would be cross-questioned by the judges for the same.

The event ENTREVISTA had a total of 7 participants. Here, the CV prepared by the participants was changed 3 mins prior to their turn of speaking.

The event PLEAD THE FIFTH conducted the round only for the first years with a total of 8 participants. Some of the students defended their stand really well and they even counter-questioned the judges.

The event QUIZZARD OF OZ was conducted at 5:00 p.m. There were a total of 50 participants out of which 25 qualified. The quiz was conducted via a gaming app called QUIZZ. It was well organised and went on smoothly.

The event THE ESCAPE ROOM was conducted with three links for the first years, second years and the final years respectively, with one core member for each link. Two rounds were held for each year. Eliminations were based on how fast the participants answered. In total it had 24 participants. The number of participants who moved to the 3rd round were 18; ie. 6 from first years, second years and final years respectively.

The only shortcomings faced in common were inconsistent network issues. The events although went on smoothly as everyone cooperated well.

Day 2 : 11-11-2020

The event ENTREPRENOW O' NEVER was conducted from 3 p.m., which was based on Financial and Human Resources policy. The contestants were asked to present the Balance Sheet, Cost Sheet or financial statements for their respective product or service. They were judged on the basis of how efficiently they managed their finances. There were a total of 9 teams, 3 from each year, respectively. 5 minutes were allotted for presentation and 5 minutes for questioning. The judges did a great job with perfect analysis and patient judgement. Altogether the contestants and the judges had a great time and everything went on smoothly.

The event ENTREVISTA was conducted for the 3rd year students from 3p.m. to 5p.m. with 7 contestants. The contestants were asked to fill in a questionnaire based on which they were judged (10 minutes presentation time was given). The whole event went on smoothly

and the feedback for the same was taken from the participants and judges at the end of the event.

The event PLEAD THE FIFTH was conducted for the 3rd years from 3:00 p.m. All the participants were really enthusiastic and the jury did their job really well. The whole event went on perfectly without any hindrance.

The event QUIZZARD OF OZ had no round on this day.

The event THE ESCAPE ROOM was conducted with 3 links at around 4:45 p.m. with 6 contestants. The round was named as "Impromptu Marketing", where the participants were shown an unconventional picture, in which they were supposed to market the product or service displayed within the picture, with just 30 seconds of prep time, 1 min presentation time and around 3-4 minutes for questioning.

All the events went on smoothly. However, certain issues faced were: Contestants or teams not appearing or responding at the specified time. Network issues.

Day 3 : 12-11-2020

ENTREPRENOW O' NEVER had their final round, which commenced at 3:20 p.m. The round, relating to public relations, saw the product of the team being put in a bad position and the team of 4, correcting the affected public perception of the same. 9 teams presented, 3 from each respective year, with around 10-15 minutes of preparation and counter-questioning from the judges.

ENTREVISTA had their round for the 2nd year students. The contestants were made to fill a questionnaire, which was judged separately and a switch of the CV took place before the interview was taken, bringing in the element of surprise. In spite of a few network issues from the judges and contestants, the feedback from the same was great.

PLEAD THE FIFTH conducted their round for the 2nd year students, with 6 contestants participating, as 1 of them was facing network issues. The round started at 3 p.m. wherein, the contestant was first made to select a case and a criminal that they will be defending and were then made to join the meeting where the Judges and the Jury were present. They were given 3-4 minutes to present their case and 5 minutes of counter-questioning with the judges.

QUIZZARD OF OZ which was conducted for the entire college to participate, had their final round with 25 contestants. As mentioned previously, it was executed on the app named "Quizizz" and had 3 winners.

THE ESCAPE ROOM had their final round in Room No.4, named "The Interview Round" wherein the participants are seeking a job as a marketing manager at their employers, the judges' company. The contestants were judged on the basis of their spontaneity and quick thinking. There were 4 contestants from each year, out of which 2 from each year won.

Overall, Commercio 2020 was a grand success in spite of being executed online. The feedback collected from the contestants, judges, teachers, students in general and all related parties, was positive.

Reported by Ms Metilda Pais



Report on Smart Chalk

The COVID-19 pandemic has led the corporate in pursuit to grasp talented new brains that fit to their corporate world with enough competence to tackle the economic difficulties the world is facing now. The employers now need young minds with great skills and we St Alloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru is privileged to help the students to enhance and improve their skills by

providing an opportunity to attend the “SMART CHALK” a 6 days Placement Enhancement Programme. PEP is a package of Aptitude and Recruitment essentials which will make the students - Industry ready.

“SMART CHALK”, organized by Al-lure Association in Collaboration with Arrupe Block Board was aimed at providing an overview regarding essentialities to be adept in the corporate world. In the 6 days’ workshop the resource persons had covered important aspects ranging from ‘Resume Writing’, ‘Aptitudes’, ‘Communication and Interviews’.

The programme was open for registration to graduates and graduating students. About 58 students participated and completed the workshop. With much interactive and open session by highly qualified resource persons the “SMART CHALK” Placement Enhancement Programme helped its participants to gain more knowledge and information making them more adaptable to the corporate world.

Day 1 – 30th November 2020. Resource person – Mr. Samarth Shenoy. Topic: Quantitative Aptitudes.

Day 1 of Placement enhancement programme was organized by Al-Lure Association in collaboration with Arrupe Block Board. The session began with the almighty’s blessing after which the participants were welcomed to the first day of the workshop along with the mandatory rules that were to be followed throughout all the days. The resource person for the day Mr. Samarth Shenoy, Assistant Professor at Sahyadri College of Engineering & Management was welcomed to the gathering by Miss Kritika Poojary, member of the Arrupe Block Board. Later, Mr. Prathik Jayaprakash, POC of Arrupe Block Board introduced the resource person and welcomed the gathering. After the introduction and welcoming Mr. Samarth Shenoy took over the session and endowed us with his knowledge. The session ended with the Q&A session along with the vote of thanks which was given by Mr. Preemal B, member of the Arrupe Block Board. The session mainly focused on understanding the relevance of Quantitative Aptitudes in Interviews and selection procedures

Day 2 - 1st December 2020. Resource Person: - Ms. Akshatha P. Topic: - General Aptitudes.

Day 2 of the **Placement Enhancement Programme**

organized by Al-lure Association in Collaboration with Arrupe Block Board was resourced by Ms. Akshatha P, Assistant Professor at Sahyadri College of Engineering & Management. The session began with a general introduction followed by a prayer. Later Ms. Sahana Mathew, member of Al-lure Association introduced the resource person and welcomed the gathering. Following introduction and welcome Ms. Akshatha P took over the session and endowed a fruitful session. This was followed by Q&A Session where our participants actively interacted with the resource person. Ms. Vaishnavi Shetty, member of Al-lure Association thanked the gathering. The session was moderated by Mr. Akash N Shaji, Secretary of Al-lure Association. The session focused on General Aptitudes and Quantitative analysis; the resource person solved quantitative mathematical problems.

Day 3 – 2nd December 2020. Resource person – Mr. B Kranthi Kumar. Topic: Aptitudes

Day 3 of the Placement Enhancement Programme organized by Al-lure Association in Collaboration with Arrupe Block Board. The resource person Prof B Kranthi Kumar is an M.Tech From IIT Allahabad, in the urge of completing Ph.D. from NIT Trichy in the Area of Network Security and Cryptography. The session began with the general introduction by Moderator Mr. Prathik Jayaprakash, POC of Arrupe Block Board. Later, Miss Giselle Megan Aranha, member of Arrupe Block Board welcomed the resource person and the gathering. After which Prof B Kranthi Kumar took over the session and endowed us with an interactive session which was followed with Q&A session. The session of the day was concluded by Mr. Preemal B, member of the Arrupe Block Board who gave the vote of thanks. In the session resource person focused on aptitudes and communication and its importance in interviews.

Day 4 – 3rd December 2020. Resource Person: - Mr. Samarth Shenoy. Topic - Communication

Day 4 of the Placement Enhancement Programme organized by Al-lure Association in Collaboration with Arrupe Block Board was resourced by Mr. Samarth Shenoy, Assistant Professor at Sahyadri College of Engineering & Management. The session began with a general introduction. Following introduction Mr. Samarth Shenoy took over the session and endowed a fruitful session. This was followed by Q&A Session where our participants actively interacted with the resource person. Ms. Vaishnavi Shetty, member of Al-lure Association thanked the gathering. The session was moderated by Mr. Adithyan, Member of Al-lure Association. The session was entirely focused on communication and written English. A general grammar and writing training were undertaken.

Day 5 – 4th December 2020. Resource person – Mr. Samarth Shenoy. Topic: Interview Antiques

Day 5 of Placement enhancement programme was organized by Al-Lure Association in collaboration with Arrupe Block Board. The resource person for the day Mr. Samarth Shenoy, Assistant Professor at Sahyadri College of Engineering & Management was welcomed to the gathering by Moderator **Miss Giselle Megan Aranha**, member of the Arrupe Block Board. The session was taken over by the resource person of the day which was

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HACCP (Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point)-Level 3 and FoSTac Certificate Training Program

Food must be safe and free from pathogenic germs; therefore, **food safety** is essential. From the transportation and storage of products, the production and preparation of food, right through to the sale – every stage must comply with HACCP guidelines. To acquire the insight of food safety safety and Regulations, PG Studies & Research in Food Science, St. Aloysius college organized **HACCP (Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point) -Level 3 and FoSTac certificate Training program** from November 17th to 19th November, 2020. Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points (HACCP) is a systematic approach to hazard identification, assessment of risk, and control. It is used by many facilities in the food industry to ensure that all food that is consumed is safe to eat.



The 3 days Training program is conducted by **Advanssure Technical Solution** which has been established for Food safety training and consultancy service. They are the approved center of Highfield Awarding Body for Compliance (HABC), UK's OFQUAL to award accredited Food Safety, Health safety and HACCP Trainings. Highfield certification is also recognized by Dubai Municipality apart from most of the food manufactures and caterers in the Gulf region also insisting on HABC's certification on HACCP for better employment prospects and career growth in Gulf countries.

The Program began with the Welcome speech by the HOD of the Department Dr.SN. Raghavendra. Mr. Aneesh Thekkepurath Trainer and consultant of Advanssure Technical Solutions spoke about the importance of the HACCP in food safety and their employment opportunity in Food Sector. The convenor of the program Ms. Shilpa Lekha M.S concluded the program by giving vote of thanks to the dignitaries and the participants. On the third day of the program, students appeared for the exam to procure certificate. Dr. Richard Gonsalves, Director of LCRI congratulated the participants and thanked the Organizers for conducting this program. The moderator for the program was Mr. Kiran and Ms Elsa student of M.Sc. Food Science.

Reported by Ms Shilpa Lekha S

Learning Experience Series-1 organized by PG Dept. of Social Work

Human Wellness Forum-Medical Psychiatric Social Work (MPSW) of PG Department of Social Work, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangalore organised Practical Learning Experience Series-1 on the topic "**Mental Health Intervention in Schools**", held on 11 November 200, Wednesday 2.00 pm to 3.30 pm. The resource person of this session was Mr Jobin John, Director, AT-OM International, Idukki, Kerala. Former School Counsellor, Gems International School, Al Warkka, Dubai. He addressed to the participants on the role of Social Worker as a School Counsellor is 'need of hour'. There are lot of psychological and emotional issues faced by school children and they are not addressed in proper systematic methods and means. Role of Social Worker required in building schools as student friendly institutions, he added. Around 50 members of the forum were actively participated. The main purpose of this programme was to enhance the knowledge and skills required to become an effective School Counsellors. Since it was the first forum activity of the academic year, Dr Loveena Lobo, Director, PG Social Sciences spoke on introduction and significance of the forum. Dr Roshan Monteiro Staff Coordinator of the forum introduced and welcomed the resource Person and Mr Geo II MSW student proposed the vote of thanks.

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followed by Q&A Session where our participants actively interacted with the resource person. Miss Kritika Poojary, member of Aruppe Block Board gave the vote of thanks for the session. In the session the resource person discussed various interview antiques which are important while facing an interview.

Day 6 – 5th Dec 2020

Resource Person: - Mr. Anup Boakar

Topic: - How to face an Interview?

The 6th and last day of the Placement Enhancement Programme organized by Al-lure Association in Collaboration with Arrupe Block Board was resourced by Mr. Anup Boakar, Director Sales- Home and Distribution Business, Schneider Electric, Bangalore. The session began with a general introduction and a silent prayer. Later Mr. Arwin Sandesh D'Souza, President of Al-lure Association introduced the resource person and welcomed the gathering. Following introduction Mr. Anup Boakar took over the session and endowed a fruitful session. This was followed by Q&A Session where our participants actively interacted with the resource person. Ms. Pooja, President of Al-lure Association thanked the gathering. The session was moderated by Mr. Akash N Shaji, Secretary of Al-lure Association. The final day session was mainly focused at giving an "Interviewer Side Perspective" to the participants. Mr. Boakar provided a clear insight on how an interviewer thinks and acts in an interview and how a candidate is expected to act in an interview.

Reported by Ms Pooja

Christmas Celebration at SAC

Month of December brings along with it the happy tidings of Christmas. At St. Aloysius College the Christmas celebrations brought new hope and meaning to many staff and students. The students of AICUF designed a wonderful crib and dedicated it to Fr. Stan SJ, a great social worker, who was unjustly arrested in the month of October. Our crib also won a prize in the competition conducted by the Karnataka Jesuit Province.



AICUF, CLC and Northeast associations of the college in collaboration with the campus ministry team organised umpteen number of online competitions for all the PG and UG students. The competi-



tion included crib making, greeting card making, cosplay etc. Attractive cash prizes were awarded to all the winners.

On the 21st Dec the Student Council organized an online Christmas celebration for all the UG and PG students of the college. The program included magic show, carol singing and other such attractions. Fr. Melwin Pinto SJ, the Rector of St. Aloysius College Institutions, was the Chief Guest for the program. Both Fr. Rector and Fr. Principal inspired the students with their heart rendering message and encouraged the students to celebrated Christmas meaningfully.

On the 23rd Dec the college staff celebrated Christmas. Rev. Dr. Ronald Serrao, the Rector of Jeppu Seminary,



was the chief guest for the day. In his message he insisted upon certain acts of mercy during the season of Christmas. Multi-lingual carols, musical drama, instrumentals and a sumptuous lunch added colours to our celebration.

Reported by Rev. Fr Felix Victor SJ

'ದೇಶ -ಪ್ರದೇಶ: ಕರಾವಳಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಜಕಾರಣ'

ಯುಜಿಸಿಯ ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಡ್ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ಭಾಗವಾಗಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ 18.12.2020 ಶುಕ್ರವಾರದಂದು 'ದೇಶ -ಪ್ರದೇಶ: ಕರಾವಳಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಜಕಾರಣ' ಎಂಬ ವಿಷಯದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ಮಟ್ಟದ ಡಿಜಿಟಲ್ ವೇದಿಕೆಯ ಜಾಲಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಸಾನಿಧ್ಯ ಸಭಾಂಗಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಯಿತು. ಮಂಗಳೂರು ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾನಿಲಯದ ನೆಹರೂ ಚಿಂತನ ಕೇಂದ್ರದ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು, ನಮ್ಮ ನಡುವಿನ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ ಚಿಂತಕರು ಮತ್ತು ರಾಜಕೀಯ ವಿಮರ್ಶಕರೂ ಆಗಿರುವ ಪ್ರೊ. ರಾಜಾರಾಮ ತೋಳ್ಕಾಡಿಯವರು ಈ ವಿಚಾರಸಂಕರಣದ ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಇದು ಯುಜಿಸಿಯ ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಡ್ ಯೋಜನೆಯಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ಸರಣಿ ಜಾಲಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯ 5 ನೆಯ ವಿಚಾರಸಂಕರಣವಾಗಿದೆ. ದೇಶ ಅಥವಾ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ತತ್ವದ ಸವಾಲುಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಾದೇಶಿಕವಾಗಿ ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ಕನ್ನಡ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ ರಾಜಕಾರಣದ ರೂಪ-ಸ್ವರೂಪಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೋಧಿಸುವ ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಜಾಲಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯನ್ನು ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿತ್ತು.

ಈ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರಾಗಿರುವ ಡಾ. ಆಲ್ವಿನ್ ಡೇಸಾ ಅವರು ಪ್ರಾಸ್ತಾವಿಕವಾಗಿ ಮಾತನಾಡುತ್ತಾ, ನಮ್ಮ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಡ್ ಯೋಜನೆಯ ಸಂತೋಧನ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತಿಳಿಸಿದರು.

ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಪ್ರಾಂಶುಪಾಲರಾದ ರೆ. ಡಾ. ಪ್ರವೀಣ್ ಮಾರ್ಟಿನ್ ಅವರು ಮಾತನಾಡುತ್ತಾ, ಒಂದು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ, ಒಂದು ಭಾಷೆ ಎಂಬ ಏಕರೂಪೀ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರತತ್ವದ ಪ್ರತಿಪಾದನೆಯ ಇಂದಿನ ಸನ್ನಿವೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಕ್ಕೂಟ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಯ ಅರಿವು ನಮ್ಮಲ್ಲಿ ಜಾಗೃತವಾಗಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ, ಬಹುರೂಪತೆಯ ಸಂಕೇತವಾದ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಅಸ್ತಿತ್ವವು ಬಗ್ಗೆ ನಾವು ಗಟ್ಟಿಯಾಗಿ ಧ್ವನಿ ಎತ್ತಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದರು.

ಜಾಲಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯ ಸಂಯೋಜಕರಾದ ಡಾ. ದಿನೇಶ್ ನಾಯಕ್ ಅವರು ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ನಿರೂಪಿಸಿದರು. ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಡ್ ಸಹನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರಾದ ಡಾ. ರತನ್ ತಿಲಕ್ ಮೊಹಂತ ಅವರು ಆಶಯ ಗೀತೆಯನ್ನು ಹಾಡಿದರು. ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕರು, ವಿಭಿನ್ನ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾನಿಲಯಗಳ ವಿದ್ವಾಂಸರು, ಸಂತೋಧನ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ ಚಿಂತಕರು ಈ ಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾಲ್ಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದರು.

Reported by Dr Dinesh Nayak

COVID-19 TEST HELD AT COLLEGE

In association with the District Wenlock Hospital , Managaluru , the College organised Covid-19 test for its staff.

Also the students who did not have the recent certificate for Corona Virus were sent for the test in groups. Total of participated in this programme



National Webinar on "Know Your Rights Before You Fight"

The Department of Political Science, St. Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru in collaboration with Ashakiran Jesuit Study House conducted a national webinar titled, "Know Your Rights Before You Fight", on 04th November 2020 (4.30 p.m. to 6.00 p.m.). The webinar saw the participation around 700 participants scheduled on Zoom and You Tube platforms.

Brother Pratap from Ashakiran led the participants through the recital, "Where the Mind is without fear...", while Father Kevin Sequeira welcomed the eminent resource person, dignitaries and participants. Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis SJ., the Principal of St. Aloysius College lauded the initiative undertaken by Department of Political Science and Ashakiran Jesuit Study House. He reminded the need to respect the human rights as a gift from God while not choosing ignorance as a reason to remain silent. Mr. Alwin D'Souza, Asst. Prof. from the Dept. of Political Science formally introduced Advocate Clifton D'Rozario, the resource person who is rich in activism and a practicing advocate with "Manthan Law". While delivering the talk on "Know Your Rights Before You Fight", Advocate Clifton D'Rozario walked the participants through the democratic principles enshrined in the Constitution of India. He made the participants to view a short video clip on Fr. Stan Swami, who is arrested by the NIA, on his role for working with the imprisoned Adivasi youth wrongly implicated on charges related to Bhima Koregaon case. Citing the example of Fr. Stan and his selfless work, Mr D'Rozario explained the political reasons behind such arrests. He explained the need for being aware of the rights and principles enumerated in the constitution.

Mr. D'Rozario emphasized that for democracy to work within India, all aspects—political, social and economic democracies were to be realized. Democracy stands on two strong pillars—presence of a strong opposition and conduct of free and fair elections. Giving examples on the stark disparities that India society allows due to caste criteria atrocities have increased over the last few years as reflected in the National Crime Records Bureau. The plight of the labourers who are least paid and worst affected stands as a witness. On the current scenario in India, he cited that two of the democratic checks and balances have failed—one, the media that parrots the ruling dispensation, and the other, failure of the judiciary to correct the lackadaisical executive. For instance, the Supreme Court has failed to take up the Electoral Bond case that overlooks the non-accountability by having anonymous bearers.

Mr D'Rozario concluded that there's a need to respect people's opinions yet who have the right to differ. Complete clamp on dissent cannot be in the form of 'my way' or 'jail'. The Q&A session, moderated by Dr. Rose

Veera D'Souza, Dean of Arts Faculty & HOD of Political Science, saw very interesting questions on how to curb despotic and authoritarian tendencies within the ruling dispensation, how youth can be useful to counter undemocratic rule, role of opposition etc. Brother Pankaj concluded the webinar through vote of thanks.

Reported by Dr Joyce Sabina Lobo

National level webinar on "Investors Awareness Program under BSE banner"

The Dept. of PG studies and Research in Commerce in association with Bombay Stock Exchange organized a national level webinar on "Investors Awareness Program under BSE banner" on 10th of November, 2020 at 2'o clock on zoom platform. The speaker for the webinar was Mr. Tanuj Poddar.

The session began with knowing oneself. Once we know who we are, we can manage the finance i.e., budgeting for mandatory outflows, expenses, savings etc. For the better management of finance, we have to first save and then manage the expenses.

A person may save the money for various purposes like supporting family, child's education, child's marriage, vehicle, house, retirement planning etc. While saving, one needs to keep in mind the inflation prevailing in the economy. So, one needs to be cautious about investing and invest for financial dream.

Another important point that an investor has to keep in mind along with implication of inflation is implication of tax. A person can go for investment in equity shares as the return on equity is higher than any other investment avenue.

Before investing in any avenues, one should map your investment to your goals. Planning for retirement is important in every person's life. The speaker ended his session by telling the do's and don'ts of an investment.

Around 100 participants were present for the webinar. All the participants were given the e-certificates.

Reported by Ms Renita Joyce Fernandes

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May his Soul Rest in Peace



Report of the Christmas Programme held on 21st December 2020

On the 21st of December 2020, a Christmas programme was conducted at LCRI hall at 12:00 pm. The event was live-streamed via Zoom and YouTube. The occasion was graced by the Rector of St. Aloysius Institutions, Rev Fr. Melwin Pinto SJ, the Principal of St. Aloysius College



(Autonomous), Rev Dr. Praveen Martis SJ, the Campus Minister, Rev Fr. Felix Victor SJ, Dean of Student Welfare, Dr. Ishwar Bhat, Director of Students' Council, Dr. Ratan Mohanta and Asst. Director of Students' Council, Dr. Santosh Goveas.

The programme began with the invocation of God's blessing through a prayer service by Ms. Alina Peris and team.

The staff and students of St. Aloysius College shed light on the meaning of Christmas through a video. They shared their Christmas experiences and spoke of the



importance of family, friends and togetherness, 'Make Someone Else's Christmas', a fundraiser organised by the Students' Council of St. Aloysius College was launched during the event. The fundraiser sends out the message, 'to buy one outfit less, attend one party less, and make any small sacrifices that you can, to make someone else's Christmas.' The funds collected, will be used to provide concessions and financial assistance to the students of St. Aloysius College.

Ms. Alina Peris and team spread the cheer and vibes of Christmas through a Christmas Carol Medley.

A time-lapse of the intricate Christmas artwork made by Ms. Simona Fernandes was presented which was followed by a song in support of Fr. Stan Swamy SJ by Ms. Shalini Ayyappa and team.

A live, close up magic segment was conducted by Mr. Ashwyn D'silva. He presented numerous mesmerizing card tricks. For his final act, he revealed a card, that was hidden in the invitation of the Christmas Gala posted on the Instagram page of the Students' Council, @sacstudentscouncil.

The Principal, Rev Fr. Praveen Martis SJ delivered his message. He spoke of the true meaning of Christmas. He complimented the students who came forward to make the Crib. He spoke of the 7 'S' factors, and showed

support to Fr. Stan Swamy SJ, "He has shared the life he has received with the tribals", he added.

Ms. Paloma Rodrigues and team lifted up the Christmas spirits with a live Christmas Carol Session.

The Rector of St. Aloysius Institutions, Rev Fr. Melwin Pinto SJ, began his message by congratulating the Office Bearers of the Students' Council for the programme put forward by them. He spoke of the importance of solidarity and showed his solidarity towards Fr. Stan Swamy SJ.

"Let us think of sharing this gala with some poor soul who needs our help, by doing that, we will be celebrating a happy Christmas" he added.

The event was compered by Ms. Jasline and Mr. Kevin. The welcome address was delivered by Ms. Swati Arun and the Vote of Thanks was delivered by Ms. Sweedal Pais.

The Christmas programme successfully spread the Christmas cheer and joy and served as a reminder of the true meaning of Christmas.

Reported by Students' Council

Alumni Experiential Sharing-Series 3: PG Dept of Social Work

Forum Activity on Alumni Experiential Sharing: Series-3: **Supporting People with Disabilities-Social**



ST ALOYSIUS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), MANGALORE
Human Wellness Forum-PG Department of Social Work
Alumni Experiential Sharing : Series -3

LIVE WEBINAR



SUPPORTING PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES
- SOCIAL WORK APPROACHES

THURSDAY 17 DEC 2020 • 11 AM - 12 PM



MS MELANIE PERERIA
Support Co-ordinator - People with Intellectual & Physical Disabilities at Uniting Care, Croydon, New South Wales Australia

For more Details : **Dr Roshan Monteiro**
Co-ordinator:-Human Wellness Forum

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Work Approaches was organised by Human Wellness Forum of PG Department of Social Work on 17 December 2020 Wednesday 11.00 am to 12.30 pm. Ms Melanie Pereria Support Coordinator-people with Intellectual & Physical Disabilities at Uniting Care, Croydon, New South Wales, Australia was the resource person. She addressed on the scope of Social Worker in the field of Intellectual Disability at international level. Staff and students of the department were the participants of this programme. Ms Josmi II MSW student introduced and welcomed the speaker and Ms Anishka I MSW student proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Dr Roshan Monteiro

Minutes of the IQAC meeting held on November 12, 2020

The Virtual Meeting of IQAC began with the prayer service rendered by Rev Fr Vincent Pinto, Finance Officer of the College. Rev Dr Praveen Martis, Principal and Chairman of IQAC Committee welcomed all the members. Special welcome was accorded to the new team of external experts Smt Kishori Naik from Mangalore University, Mr Allan Colaco- Former Chairman of Bank of Maharashtra and Illustrious Alumnus, Dr Rio D'Souza – Principal St Joseph's Engineering College, Mr Gerald Colaco, Chartered Accountant. Mr Prakash Prabhu – Expert from the Industry was absent

Minutes of the previous meeting held on 5 February 2020 was read by the IQAC Coordinator Mr Naveen Mascarenhas. He also read the Action taken Report. The report was accepted as proposed by Mr Allen Pereira and Seconded by Mr Gerard Colaco

Principal Rev Dr Praveen Martis presented the College Updates since the previous meeting. New Rector, Rev Fr Melwyn J. Pinto was welcomed & he placed on record the services of Rev. Fr Dionysius Vaz SJ, the outgoing Rector who is appointed as the New Provincial of Karnataka Province

He spoke on Aloysian Literary Fest held during February 2020 under the STRIDE scheme of UGC and said that a total of 14 research projects on cultural diversity were selected and Grants of Rs 22,85,000 is allotted. On ranking of the College, he said in NIRF we are in the band 101-150, in Karnataka we are in top 4 Colleges and we are the only college to feature in the list from this district.

In India Today survey All faculties are ranked below 50 and in Week Hansa - Science is ranked at 24 & Humanities at 36. For the first time we took part in Outlook Survey 2020 and all the faculties applied for the survey have rank within 100.

49 free certificate programmes were held by the College during April-May 2020, and at present there 13 paid certificate courses including UGC NET Course of 150 hrs, JAM Course of 100 hrs.

Mr Royal of the Dept. of BCA was thanked for College in House LMS Portal. He also Thanked science faculty for initiating JAM & UGC – NET programmes.

Speaking further on College updates Fr Said, further as on October 01,2020 106 webinars are organized. 7 students have received Summer Research fellowships in Indian science Academy and BARC.

The new deans appointed during the year 2020 are: Dr Suresh Poojary – Dean, Research, Ms Mamatha Dean-Entrepreneurship and Consultancy, Dr Ishwara Bhat – Dean, Student welfare. 2 Endowment Lectures by Dr P Sainath & Mahesh T S were organised and to handle the Covid 19 situation effectively Fr said, the college had made 3 Centres in Kerala, 5 Centres in North East and 1 in Goa for the final year students to answer their semester exams

Mr Gerard Colaco congratulated the College and he said the College has achieved so much during Covid Pandemic He made two suggestions

- to engage with community to further research, Better waste management, Domestic composting – managing wet waste in all the houses of students.

- Having large number of entrepreneurs to serve local communities.

Rev. Fr Principal said we have started “Aloysius Jalasanthe” and he also he explained the ‘Care Pachana-di’ project and the College role in it

Dr Kishori Nayak appreciated the Vast report indicating Quality culture in the College and she said the Research Centre committee from Mangalore University shall visit soon to the College for Research Affiliation. Student should be given a lot of support for placements.

In response Fr Principal said that Placement office will be strengthened with new office space

With regard to Question bank software, Dr Kishori expressed that Learning in very subjective and she asked the like the college to think about this while implementing the question paper generation using software

Allen C Pereira, while complementing the College on its achievements asked the College to focus on entrepreneurship development. Small and Medium producers should be able to market their products to the wide base of customers. Study Circles for faculty and students, Incubation centre for Social entrepreneurship, Centralised Energy conservation mechanism in the Campus, Students giving solutions to the problems like Traffic management in the city were the other issues he spoke on and said need to be attended to. With regard to Question Bank he said Questions can be contributed by different people/experts, to make it more relevant.

In response Fr Principal said that The Entrepreneur Cell of the College has implemented number of initiatives and 3 staff members have received VGST Grants for doing Research

Dr Rio spoke on Technology enablement of various courses. He asked the College to Give students credits for doing MOOCs Courses, to incorporate Self-learning modules in Syllabi. He expressed his happiness for the progress the College has made

In Conclusion Allen C Pereira, asked the College to have Consultancy service between Canara Chamber of Commerce and the Innovation Cell of the college– to guide the entrepreneurs

Mr Naveen Mascarenhas, IQAC Coordinator proposed the Vote of thanks.

Reported by Mr Naveen Mascarenhas

Inaugural of New Placement & Library Hall

The Placement and Library Hall in Administrative Block was inaugurated on Saturday 21 November 2020 at 11.00 am. Principal, Rev. Dr Praveen Martis, SJ, inaugurated and Finance Officer, Rev. Fr Vincent Pinto, SJ, blessed the halls. All the Directors, Deans, Teaching and Non-teaching staff were present.



Inauguration of Digitalisation of Entire works of Late A.T. Lobo's literature.

December 19, 2020 was a milestone at The Institute of Konkani, St. Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, which will go down in Konkani history.

The President of Karnataka Konkani Sahitya Akademi, Dr K. Jagadish Pai inaugurated the long awaited project by scanning a page of A.T. Lobo's famous Konkani Novel 'Vell Ghedi'. This memorable programme commenced with a documentary on life and literature of A T Lobo; Dr Edward Nazareth presented an analysis of A T Lobo's novel; John M. Permannur presented an analysis of A T Lobo's dramas and Melwyn Rodrigues presented an analysis of A T Lobo's Poetry. Late A.T. Lobo's niece Mrs Celine sequeira spoke on ATL's life. Alice Lobo, president of A.T. Lobo foundation was present on the dias and spoke on the many awards he was honoured with. Welcoming the gathering, in his inaugural address, the



President of the programme Dr(Fr.) Melwyn Pinto, SJ Rector of St. Aloysius College said that even after the demise of Shri A T Lobo, the great konkani writer we could still feel his presence in our midst; he said that the period during which such a prolific writer as Shri AT Lobo wrote, can be considered the golden age of Konkani writing in spite of all the trials and difficulties faced during those transforming days. Socially and culturally seen as a very vibrant and productive period for our regional Konkani literature.

Gurudatt Baliga, Director, Vishwa Konkani Kendra, Shakthinagar, gave an enlightening talk on digitalization of old books, he stressed that St Aloysius College is the one great factor, as a home for konkani and it's 42 groups of diverse user speakers of Konkani from different communities. "This great institution has worked tirelessly for the development of Konkani as a language and culture for more than a 100 years. Therefore it's a matter of great satisfaction and joy that such an institution should take up the work of digitalization of the works of Shri A T Lobo. This type of digitalization of the regional works of Shri A T Lobo will now be accessible to people internationally." Further, he reiterated that the process of digitization was a multifold one, including scanning and converting the text into OCR, this then can be translated, transliterated, into any number of languages. Besides, the font format can also be changed. In future this venture can be used with the help of artificial intelligence to generate 6th volume from the existing 5 volumes of ATL's famous novel "Vell Gheddi". We wish to assure you at St. Aloysius College that Vishwa Konkani Kendra is ever willing to extend a keen and heartfelt support to

all the literary endeavours of the konkani institute. Rector, Fr. Melwin Pinto, concurred with Shri Gurudatt Baliga and Shri K Jagadish Pai and said that



this digitalization of Shri A T Lobo's works would help bring out his books from dusty shelves and cupboards into a virtual world available to all. One major reason why people do not elicit interest in books is that their fragile condition after being kept in library shelves for years. Digitalization will encourage readers to access works of literature from their own locales. Therefore we need to work hard to facilitate the transition of books in their physical state to a virtual one.

Rev Fr. Praveen Martis SJ, Principal noted that the Konkani institute, which is 41 years old now, was begun to commemorate 100 years of services of St. Aloysius Institutions. He said that the Konkani Institute has been working hard over these years for the social cultural and linguistic development of Konkani in this region. In this direction the institute has for the past 40 years been publishing or bringing out Bi-annual editions of a research oriented journal called "Amar Konkani" the Institute has always accorded great importance to research, apart from the recent efforts to digitise old books in the light of the work going on to get recognition of St. Aloysius Institution as deemed university, the contribution of the Konkani Institute towards the growth of the language and research is now parallel to the work done in various departments of this historical college of Mangaluru.

Mrs Alice Lobo, president of A.T. Lobo foundation was present on the dias.

At the beginning of the programme Dr (Fr) Melwyn Pinto welcomed the gathering. In his welcome speech he said that despite of the demise of Shri A T Lobo a great konkani writer we could still feel his presence in our midst in his literature. The period during which such great writer as late AT Lobo wrote can be considered as the golden age of Konkani writing inspite of all the trials and difficulties faced during those changing days.

Joachim Pinto, the program coordinator proposed vote of thanks. Mr Raoul Samuel Noronha, first year student of SAC compered the programme. A documentary on life and literature was showed at the beginning of the programme. In that Dr Edward Nazareth presented an analysis of A T Lobo's novel, Mr John M. Permannur presented an analysis of A T Lobo's dramas and Mr Melwyn Rodrigues presented an analysis of A T Lobo's Poetry. Late A.T. Lobo's niece Mrs Celine sequeira spoke on ATL's life and Mrs Alice Lobo spoke on his rewards

NCC AIRWING Activities : November 2020

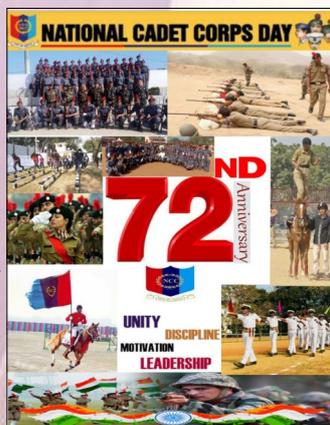
Webinar: St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, NCC WINGS organized a webinar on 'Indian Air Force: Your way to being a cut above' on 03/11/2020. More than 180 interested cadets, ex cadets and aspirants from various Colleges attended the webinar. Fg Offr Alwyn Misquith hosted the webinar. Cdt/Cpl Navyashree introduced and welcomed the resource person. Rev. Fr Praveen Martis SJ, principal delivered his presidential message and motivated the cadets to join Indian Armed Forces. Resource person Fg Offr Dishan Joy Martis- Indian Air Force, shared his experience, guided and motivated the cadets to join Indian Armed Forces. The officer also answered the queries of more than 10 cadets. Cdt/Cpl Roshni proposed the vote of thanks.

Online Swachhta Awareness Programme:

According to the guidelines given by NCC India, NCC AIRWING of St Aloysius College conducted online swachhta awareness programme. Cadets actively participated in the various competitions like Poster Making- 17 cadets, Drawing-13 cadets, Creative quotes writing- 13 cadets, creative wrting-16cadets.

NCC Day Celebration:

As 22/11/2020 was the 72nd anniversary of NCC, on this occasion NCC AIR WING Flt A of St Aloysius College, Autonomous Mangaluru, conducted some activities for the cadets, like poster making, collage and calligraphy. The following number of cadets have actively participated in the same. 20 cadets in poster, 15 cadets in collage and 6 cadets in calligraphy.



Constitution Day Celebration:

NCC AIR WING of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, in coordination with 6 KAR AIR SQN NCC Mangalore organised a National Level Online Quiz competition on 'INDIAN CONSTITUTION' on the occasion of Indian Constitution day 26/11/2020. 831 participants from all over the country actively participated in the quiz. The participants who scored 50% and above in the quiz were given certificate of appreciation. The quiz was open only on 26/11/2020.

Blood Donation Camp:

St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, Wenlock Hospital Mangaluru in coordination with 18 KAR BAT-



TALION Mangalore and 6 KAR AIR SQN NCC Mangalore organised a blood donation camp at St Aloysius

College (Autonomous), Mangaluru on 26/11/2020 on as a part of NCC day celebration. A Total of 39 units of blood was donated.

Reported by Fg Offr Alwyn Misquith

December To Remember: AIMIT Celebrates Christmas

The management and staff of AIMIT came together on December 23 to celebrate the season of Christmas. In his Christmas message, Dr Dhananjaya K, Associate Professor, Department of MBA said that this year of the pandemic had prompted everyone to pause and ask the question, are we leading a purposeful life? He said that we try to get happiness from pleasure, passion or purpose. But true happiness is gained from having a purpose-driven life. "Purpose gives maximum happiness compared to pleasure and passion and this has been proved in many research studies that have been conducted. When you look back, only the things that you have done for others appear more meaningful and satis-



factory," he added. He also inspired the gathering with the quote by John Bunyan, "You have not lived today until you have done something for someone who can never repay you."

Fr Pradeep Sequeira SJ, the chief guest of the day, in his message highlighted two areas uncommon to Christmas, namely option for the poor and sharing. He said that we must always think 'what can I do for others that will make a difference for them.' He also said that God always gives and He gives good things to His people, and He gave us His only son Jesus. Similarly we must imitate this act/action and always give to others. "True happiness lies in giving not only material gifts but also non-material gifts that are far more precious, namely, friendship, love, patience, time and company," he said.

The audience was treated to a host of dances, carols, songs by the members of teaching and non-teaching staff. A video of Christmas at AIMIT prepared by Mohandas, admin staff, was also played.

Dr Fr Melwyn Pinto SJ, Director, AIMIT congratulated the coordinators of the Christmas programme Dr Swapna Rose, Mrs Annapoorna Shetty and Mrs Harinakshi and the staff for putting in their heart and mind to bring out a successful Christmas programme. C. G. Thomas and Vinay Krishna compered the programme. Christmas gifts were distributed to all members of AIMIT family.

A webinar on "Cancer Prevention and Healthy Lifestyle"

Organized by: Sanjeevani Life beyond Cancer in collaboration with PG Department of Social Work, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore. **Date of program:** 12th November 2020.

Name of the resource person: Madam Sumki Begum



The webinar began at 11.00 am with the introductory video of the activities done by Sanjeevani

Life beyond Cancer. After that Mrs. Manjutha welcomed all the students and faculties, further Dr Shwetha Rasquinha (HOD of PG Department of Social Work, St Aloysius College, (Autonomous) Mangalore expressed her gratitude for inviting the students of social work department to be part of the program.

Sanjeevani is an award-winning non-profit organization devoted for enriching the lives of cancer patients. The organization was set up by Ruby Ahluwalia in 2012 with the motive of making the journey of cancer for the underprivileged patients and families less painful. The webinar primarily focused to address the youth about how unhealthy lifestyle can also be a factor that cause cancer. If our lifestyle is checked properly and by inculcating good food habits and exercises then there are chances to prevent the risk of cancer to an extent.

A quiz was also conducted at the end of the session and three students, Albin Shaji, Joel Joseph and Libin Joe Mathew were the prize winners of the Quiz competition. Vote of thanks was delivered by Anusree K of second MSW of St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangalore.

Reported by Dr Prithwi M

A webinar on "Production Pipeline in Animation"

A webinar on "Production Pipeline In Animation" was organised by department of Computer Science, Applications and Animation, St Aloysius college (Autonomous) Mangaluru on Wednesday 12.11.2020 at 2:00 PM in online ZOOM platform.

The resource person of the webinar was Mr. Gautham R Suvarna, 3D Character Animator, Spice Media Pvt Ltd. Mumbai.

Few of his projects are CGI

The resource person demonstrated and reviewed his projects namely "Doc makes stuffins Series5" by Disney Studios, "Jax and Jane" of Biju's project and "Rogo"- A Hollywood movie.

He spoke about the importance of story boarding in films, how animatics are produced and tested in industry, preparing character model sheets, and rigging the character for 3d animation.

He also spoke about the importance of creating showreels for getting better placements.

Mr. Sathish Nayak welcomed the resource person and the participants and well as proposed vote of thanks.

Ms Vanaja, Ms Renita Menezes, Mr Santhosh Notagar, Ms Priya George assisted in smooth conduction of the webinar.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala



National level webinar on "Investment Awareness Program"

The Dept. of PG Studies and Research in Commerce in association with Larsen and Toubro Mutual Fund organized a national level webinar on "Investment Awareness Program" on 17th December, 2020 at 3'o clock on zoom platform. The speaker for the webinar was Mr. Neeraj Verma.

The session began with a question to the participants about "What do you do with your money?", Save, spend, invest? The speaker states that inflation eats up savings over time and the percentage of impact of inflation varies every year as the inflation goes up. Investment should be such that it should become another source of income for the investor. Always the investment should be goal-based investment. Before investing the investor has to keep in mind how much time left and how much money is required.

The speaker also provides various options for investment. He also suggests that asset allocation is the answer for proper investment and asset allocation should match one's need.

A brief explanation was provided on mutual funds and their functioning. The discussion on convenience and safety dealings of mutual funds were also made. The speaker stated that mutual funds were the safest measure to invest even in the early or young age of the person with a little penny.

Various mutual fund schemes like equity funds, debt funds, hybrid fund schemes were also brought into picture. It continued with the information regarding index fund, fund of funds, arbitrage fund. Brief idea on systematic investment planning was also provided in the session. The session ended with a motive of investing on mutual funds for better investment measure in life.

Reported by Ms Renita Joyce Fernandes



E-Workshop : Dept. of BBA

Rural Entrepreneurship and Development Cell in association with Department of Business Administration (BBA) under the guidance of MGNCRE has organised an E-WORKSHOP for encouraging entrepreneurship activity at the institutional level. It was scheduled on 12th of November 2020 from 12 PM to 1 PM.

The eminent resource person for the session was Dr Narayana Kayarkatte. Dr Narayan Karayakatte enlightened the participants on the skill for preparing an effective B-Plan. He highlighted the potential areas for development inclusive of organic sector. He stated that 82 per cent of the farmers being small and marginalized, with the curve of

stooping in the field of agriculture industry and the heartening fact that 70 per cent of the population is still dependent on agriculture to meet their means.

He discovered the concept of importance of promoting rural entrepreneurship to enhance farm production and increase the farmer producer organisation outcomes monetarily. He enunciated on optimizing the opportunities available locally by imbibing the concept of MAKE IN INDIA by improving our network and reach streamlining creativity, risk taking, challenges and just being an opportunistic.

The welcome address was delivered by Dr Ishwara Bhat, Dean-Student Welfare. Rev. Dr. Praveen Martis, the Principal offered presidential remarks. Mrs Arati Shanbhag, Dean- Department of Business Administration proposed the vote of thanks. The technical assistance was provided by Mr Ananth Rohith Bhat. Mr Sonal Lobo, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration moderated the programme. The faculty of Department of BBA coordinated the programme schedule and organising this programme effectively.

Reported by Ms Arati Shanbhag

Teach for India-Fellowship Programme

Teach for India a non-profit organization is inviting applications for their fellowship program in India and they have expressed interest to hire the students of St Aloysius College. In this regard an awareness webinar was scheduled for the students of 2nd year PG and 3rd year UG across departments. The details are as below:

Resource Person: Alia Omer, Recruitment Manager, Karnataka. Date: 16th December 2020. Time: 12pm onwards. Mode: Google meet



Reported by Ms Kavitha

Introduction to GST Mechanism

The Department of Business Administration (BBA) scheduled an Online Guest Lecture on the theme "Introduction to GST Mechanism" on 09th of December 2020. The eminent resource person for the lecture is Mr Prashant Kumar A, Assistant Professor, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, SDM PG Centre for Management Studies and Research, Mangaluru. He highlighted the conceptual understanding of GST, How GST is better for Indian economy. He also stressed on the Mechanism of registration and the supply Levy with suitable illustrations.

The guest lecture was organised for final year BBA students. 159 students participated for the session. The session was moderated by Mr Manoj Dyson Fernandes, Lecturer, Department of Business Administration, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru.

Reported by Ms Arati Shanbhag

Webinar on 'IT Returns - A Practical Approach'

The Commerce Department of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore organised a webinar on 'IT Returns - A Practical Approach' on 11 November 2020 via Zoom platform.

CA Ashok G.U, a practicing Chartered Accountant was the eminent resource person for the webinar.

Dr Manuel Tauro, Dean, Faculty of Commerce, Welcomed the participants. Dr Denis Fernandes, Director of Arrupe Block, gave his Presidential remarks.

CA Lovel Monterio moderated the session. CA Ashok G. U. demonstrated filing the IT returns specially for the salaried individuals. It was followed by a Question & Answer session and many

participants actively participated in it. The event was compered by the Convenor, Mr Paul Dsouza. Arwin and Anwin, students of second year B.com lead the prayer session. Ms Shobha, Head of the Department of Commerce, proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

World Food Day Celebration 2020

World Food Day Celebration 2020 (Career Opportunities in Food Sector) jointly organised by Department of Food Processing & Engineering, DDU Kaushal Kendra, Dept. of Biochemistry, Biotechnology and Microbiology (UG) St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru and in association with Department of Biology, St Aloysius Pre University College, Mangaluru was held on 22nd October 2020.

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Around 400 participants joined the webinar from different institutions and cities

Rev Dr Praveen Martis S.J, Principal, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) welcomed the resource persons and the participants.

Dr. Richard Gonsalves Director LCRI & DDU Kaushal Kendra introduced the experts.

The webinar included three sessions. The resource persons for the sessions were Dr.C. Anandharamakrishnan, Director, Indian Institute of Food Processing Technology, Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Government of India, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu, India, Dr. Ravishankar, Director, Central Institute of Fisheries Technology, Indian Council of Agriculture Research, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Govt of India, Cochin, Kerala and Mr Amuleek Singh Bijral, Cofounder and CEO, Chai Point, Bengaluru, Karnataka, India.

Dr.C. Anandharamakrishnan spoke on Career Opportunities in Food Sector. Mr Amuleek Singh Bijral spoke on Importance of being detailed oriented.

Dr. Ravishankar presented on the Entrepreneurship Development in Fisheries post Harvest.

All the questions asked by the participants were answered by the experts. Dr. Adarsha Gowda St Aloysius College (Autonomous) delivered the vote of thanks.

Reported by Dr Adarsha Gowda

National Webinar on The 'Folk' in Theatre

The Department of English, at St. Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangalore, in collaboration with Scheme for Trans-Disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy (STRIDE), held a National Webinar on *The 'Folk' in Theatre: Colonial Encounters and the Idea of a Genre* on 17 November 2020. The Resource person for the Webinar was Dr Dheeman Bhattacharyya, Assistant Professor in Linguistics and Comparative Literature at Visva-Bharati University. The webinar witnessed participation from all over India and the MA English students of the college, also took an active part. The Webinar commenced at 12:00 PM, with Ms Fathima Masna playing hostess for the entire duration. Ms Rebecca Rex led the event through supplication, invoking the blessings of the almighty. Dr Ratan Mohunta, HOD, Department of English, welcomed the gathering. Rev.Father Praveen Martis S.J., Principal at St. Aloysius College (Autonomous), delivered the Principal's address and informed the participants about the purpose of the collaboration with STRIDE.

Ms Josna Susan delivered a brief introduction on the personal and academic life of Dr Dheeman Bhattacharyya, exploring his background and achievements. Dr Bhattacharyya, through his talk, attempted to de-marginalise the notion of 'folk' in theatre and explored the broader trajectory which is not part of the mainstream literary canon. His talk was accompanied by a PowerPoint presentation, along with the incorporation of short clips from a few movies. The Webinar concluded with a question-answer session and Dr Girish K from the Department of English was the moderator for the session. The programme concluded at 1:15 PM with Ms Shruthi delivering the vote of thanks.

Reported by Mr Manuel Souza

Parched Pages SAC

This is a New Initiative of Student Council of the College. This Book Club will be for the Staff and Students of the Institution

New Lift in Xavier Block

New lift in Xavier Block was inaugurated on Tuesday 3rd November 2020 at 10 am. Finance Officer, Rev. Fr



Vincent Pinto, SJ, conducted the prayer service. Rev. Fr Marcel Rodrigues, SJ, blessed the lift. Rev. Fr Leo DSouza, Principal Rev. Dr Praveen Martis, SJ, Directors, Deans and Teaching

& Non-teaching staff members were present.

Webinar on Leveraging Culture for Organisational Growth

An International Webinar on “Leveraging Culture for Organisational Growth” was held on 9th November, 2020 at St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, organized by the Department of Commerce. The resource person was Mr. Allen Pereira, Former Chairman & MD, Bank of Maharashtra & Former Director, National Institute of Bank Management, Pune., and a proud Alumni of

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 HOD, Commerce (Professional)

St Aloysius College. Apart from having served in top managerial positions at various governing bodies of Banking Sector, he had been an advisor for Human Resource Management and Industrial Relations in the Banking Sector. In his talk Mr. Allen Pereira shared his rich and wide experience as a banker and had managed cultural diversity in banking organisations very efficiently.

Dr Manuel Tauro, Dean, Department of Commerce, introduced Mr. Allen Pereira and welcomed the delegates. Director, Commerce and Management, Dr Denis Fernandes, gave presidential remarks. Assistant Professor, Mr. Mahammad Thauseef was the host, Assistant Professor, Ms. Pooja moderated the Question and Answer session and the Convenor of the webinar, Assistant Professor, Ms. Zeena Flavia D'souza expressed gratitude to all involved in hosting the webinar.

Reported by Ms Zeena Flavia D'souza

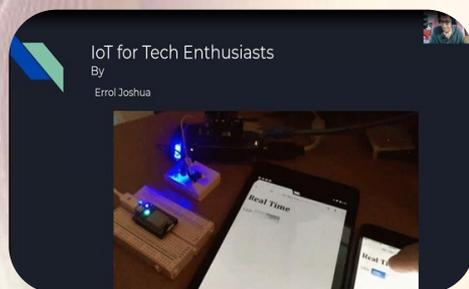
Webinar on IoT Technology

The Department of Computer Science, Applications and Animation, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru organised a webinar on “IoT Technology” on Wednesday 18.11.2020 through online ZOOM platform. Mr Errol Joshua D'Souza, a Software Developer and Trainer from Siona Solutions, Mangaluru was the resource person of the webinar.

Mr Errol spoke about the different open source softwares to start IoT based projects.

Mr Royal Praveen D'Souza welcomed the resource person and the participants. Mr Praveen B proposed vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala



Webinar on Let's Dream to Innovate

The webinar on “Let's dream to innovate” was conducted by Research and Innovation Cell, St. Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru on 28th November, 2020. The webinar was moderated by Ms. Binni Chan, Department of Business Administration. Dr. Suresh Poojary, Dean, Research and Innovation Cell presented the welcome to Mr. Anup George Rebello, Product Manager (Digital Banking) CSB Bank Ltd., Chennai who delivered the lecture. Around 200 participants attended the webinar through Google meet platform and YouTube live stream.

The speaker of the session Mr. Anup George Rebello brought to the forefront the importance of having dreams that will provide solutions to the society and the world at large. His viewpoints were supported with best suitable real-life examples which are essential for understanding the importance of innovation.

The objective of the webinar was achieved. This programme was arranged with the motive of sharing the knowledge and practical experience of Mr. Anup George Rebello, who has long years of experience in Banking and corporate training. The overall organization and deliverance of the webinar was helpful and satisfied the participants. This webinar would help the participants to add value and understand the everchanging needs of the community where others have failed to understand.

Also, the feedback about the session was collected from all the participants to improve the sessions that will be conducted in the mere future.

Dr. Neelakanthan VK, Postgraduate studies and research in Physics, proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Grace Jose Mary

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A Webinar on
LET'S DREAM TO INNOVATE

Resource Person
Mr Anup George Rebello
 Product Manager (Digital Banking)
 CSB BANK Ltd., Chennai

On
 28-11-2020

At
 11:00AM

Rev Dr Praveen Martis SJ
 Principal

Dr Suresh Poojary
 Dean
 Research and Innovation Cell

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Learning Experience Series- 2 : PG Dept. of Social Work

Human Wellness Forum-Medical Psychiatric Social Work (MPSW) of PG Department of Social Work, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangalore organised Practical Learning Experience Series- 2 on the topic “Organ Donation and Counselling Approaches” held on 02 December 2020 Wednesday, 2.00 pm to 3.30 pm. During the session the resource person, Ms Spurthi P Fernandes Transplant Coordinator Columbia Asia Hospital, Bangalore spoke on the importance of organ donation and she stressed upon the counsellor's role to convince the clients and there is need of collaborative teamwork of health professionals for organ transplantation. This webinar witnessed representation by staff and students of the department. Ms Sabina II MSW student introduced and welcomed the resource Person and Ms Swathi I MSW student proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Mr Roshan Monteiro

Report on "Chemconnect - Igniting Young Minds"

Education is all about igniting young minds and enabling them to attain their fullest potential. With a goal of keeping young students connected through scientific activities and thus to motivate them for higher learning, Department of Chemistry organized "Chem Connect - Igniting Young Minds" - three-day online competitions for pre-university students from 5 to 7 November 2020. Students from different PU colleges from in and around Karnataka participated virtually in various competitions.

Inaugural ceremony of the three-day event was organized on 5 November 2020 at 1.30 pm. About 250 participants from different institutions participated through Zoom platform. Dr Pavan Kumar N, Assistant Professor at the Newcastle University in Singapore graced the occasion as chief guest of the program. Ms Jyothi Vaz welcomed the gathering and Dr Roshan F D Souza introduced the Chief Guest. This year being the decennial year for this event, a promotional video, prepared by Ms Sahana, was played out to commemorate last 10 years' journey of this program. Rev Dr Praveen Martis, SJ, Principal, who presided over the program, welcomed the chief guest and delivering his Presidential address congratulated the Department for enabling students across different colleges to connect through a single platform. He also challenged young students to cultivate innovative thinking that could bring about novel solutions to the existing global issues.

Dr Pavan Kumar inaugurated the event and delivered keynote speech, highlighting the significance of research guided teaching & hands-on research and recommended some of crucial research zones in Biochemical area. He also stressed on the importance of developing a right attitude and passion for learning. Dr Ronald Nazareth, Head of the Department then addressed the assembly with a message highlighting the objective of the program. He emphasized on the quality of education and variety of extra-curricular activities that St Aloysius College (Autonomous) offers. Furthermore, he invited students to assume a career that's challenging and which they're passionate about. Ms Crystal Menezes compered the ceremony. Inauguration was followed by ice-breaking session, where the participating teams presented videos on Chemistry concepts in innovative ways. Over the three days, students across different PU colleges were engaged in various creative and thought-provoking competitions - twelve online activities ranging from singing, photography, videography, creative writing, quiz, video juggling, mock press, comedy, seminar and other interactive sessions, organized and conducted



by the staff of Department of Chemistry.

Concluding session was held on 7 November 2020 at 5 pm along with Prize announcements. Coordinator of the program, Dr Roshan F D Souza reiterated the vision of the entire program and noted that the Department had assumed an instrumental role in connecting students through competitions. He thanked everyone in-charge of the events and congratulated participants for a competitive and fair participation. Some student participants shared their experience of participating in online activities thanking College and the Department for providing such an opportunity to engage in Science activities. Ms Crystal Menezes then announced the winners of different competitions. Addressing the students, Dr Ronald Nazareth called out to students to take challenges in exploring scientific endeavour in their academic and professional life. Pointing to various opportunities available in Sciences he stressed that it's essential to make students aware of the opportunities in the first place. Finally, he announced the overall winners & Runners up and invited all winners to the College campus for a valedictory program to be held in the last week of November to collect prizes and trophies. Little Rock Indian School, Brahmavar and Expert PU College, Kodialbail, Mangalore emerged as the overall champions and runners-up, respectively.

Reported by Dr Roshan F. D Souza

Students Undergo Covid Testing at AIMIT

The students of AIMIT underwent COVID test here on December 1, 2020. Health officials associated with Kotekar Town Panchayat health center came to the campus to conduct the test. Over 100 students underwent the mandatory COVID test.

It can be recalled that the government of Karnataka has made it compulsory for students to have COVID negative report to attend physical classes. Accordingly, the AIMIT management organized this camp to make sure that students are free of COVID as they begin attending offline classes. "All our staff have undergone COVID test and all of them are negative. We want to make sure that



our students are also safe. Hence we have organized this camp. The health officials will come tomorrow also to continue testing students," said Director of AIMIT Dr (Fr) Melwyn Pinto SJ

International Webinar on Career Orientation

The Department of Computer Science, Applications and Animation of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru organised an International Career Orientation programme on "My Experience with Numbers" on 24/11/2020 in Sanidhya hall on the Zoom/Youtube Platform.

Ms. Namitha Pais, Graduate Assistant, University of Connecticut, United States and an Alumna of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru was the resource person.

Ms. Namitha introduced the blossoming openings accessible in different colleges in abroad for the IT - Graduates. She additionally clarified the various assessments and strategies to get into these colleges for the advanced education and research. She instructed the potential colleges concerning abroad where one can scrutinize the experts and Ph.D. programs.

50 participants joined the webinar through Youtube and 320 participants joined through Zoom Platform.

The program began with invoking God's blessings by Ms. Vinaya Durga Assistant Professor of the department. Ms. Premalatha Shetty Assistant Professor, introduced the resource person and welcomed the participants. Dr. Ravindra Swami, Dean proposed words of gratitude. Mr. Royal Praveen D'Souza and Mr. Praveen B, Assistant Professors co-ordinated the program.

Mr. Yathish Ravindra Rao and Mr. Anil Lobo offered the specialized and technical support.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

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Department of Computer Science, Applications and Animation
 Invites you for
Career Orientation Programme
 "My experience with Numbers"

Resource Person:
Ms Namitha Pais
 Graduate Assistant,
 University of Connecticut, United States

Date : Tuesday, November 24, 2020
 Time : 09:00 AM to 10:00 AM

Online Platform: **zoom**
 Meeting ID: 847 7627 2983 Passcode: BCASAC
 No Registration Fee
 E-Certificate will be given to all the participants

Rev Dr Praveen Martis SJ Principal
 Dr Norbert Lobo Director, Admin Block
 Dr Ravindra Swami K Dean
 Ms Shilpa Shetty HOD
 Ms Prafulla HOD
 BCA and Animation BCA and Animation Computer Science

Webinar on "Prevention and Control of HIV/AIDS"

Al-Empower, HR Forum of PG Department of Social Work and Department of MA Journalism and Mass Communication of St Aloysius College (Autonomous) conducted a webinar on "Prevention and Control of HIV/AIDS" through Google Meet on the 3rd December 2020 which was attended by the students and staff of various institutions of Mangalore.

The Resource person, Dr Pracheth Raghuvver, an Asst Professor from Department of Community Medicine, Yenepoya Medical College and an alumnus of St Aloysius Institution spoke about the burden, causative factors, clinical features, prevention and control of HIV/AIDS. He also gave further insights about the role of Medical Social Workers and the student community in facilitating care and providing support to people living with HIV/AIDS. He also emphasised about what needs

to be done to eradicate stigma associated with this disease. Further, Dr Pracheth explained the audience about the significance of World AIDS Day with focus on the theme for World AIDS Day 2020. The talk was followed by a question and answer session.

Programme was also attended by Rev Fr Marcel Rodrigues, SJ, HOD-Department of Journalism and Dr Vidya Vinutha Dsouza- Convenor of the programme and the Coordinator of Al-Empower HR Forum of PG Department of Social Work.

Reported by Dr Vidya Vinutha D'Souza

ST ALOYSIUS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), MANGALORE
 Al-Empower, HR Forum - PG Department of Social Work & Department of MA, Journalism and Mass communication

Webinar on
PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF HIV/AIDS

Resource Person:
Dr Pracheth R
 Associate Professor,
 Department of Community Medicine,
 Yenepoya Medical College
 Yenepoya (Deemed to be University)

3rd December 2020
 1 pm - 2 pm

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 HOD- PG DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM
 REV. DR PRAVEEN MARTIS, SJ
 PRINCIPAL

Human Rights in India Today: A Challenge

PG Department of Social Work, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore organised a talk On Human Rights in India Today: A Challenge by Rev Fr Cedric Prakash SJ, Human Rights and Peace Activist from Gujrat on the Human Rights Day- 10th December 2020.

Speaking to the student's Fr Cedric spoke about the challenges that one has to face in the context of the human rights situation in India. He emphasised that there were gross violations of human rights taking place all over the country today. Most of the victims, he said are the poor and the marginalised, the minorities and other vulnerable groups in society like the Adivasis, the Dalits, women and children.

He challenged the students to look into themselves in the three inter- related dimensions of YOUTH, STUDENTS of SOCIAL WORK and studying in a Jesuit Institution he urged them to respond with creativity, courage, compassion and commitment to each of these dimensions. He called the students to critically analyse the realities of Indian society today and act to uphold every citizen's human rights. He also emphasised the need to conscientize ourselves and have the courage to conscientize others too!

The session was followed by an interaction of resource person with the participants.

Ms Aysha and Mr Abhiraj, students of PG Department of Social work hosted the programme. Dr Shwetha Rasquinha, HOD of MSW Department, Dr Loveena Lobo and Dr Vidya Vinutha D'Souza were present for the session.

Reported by Dr Vidya Vinutha D Souza

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 PG Department of Social Work

Webinar on
HUMAN RIGHTS IN INDIA TODAY: A CHALLENGE

Resource Person:
FR CEDRIC PRAKASH SJ (Gujarat)
 Human Rights & Peace Activist/Writer

10th December 2020
 11 am - 12 pm

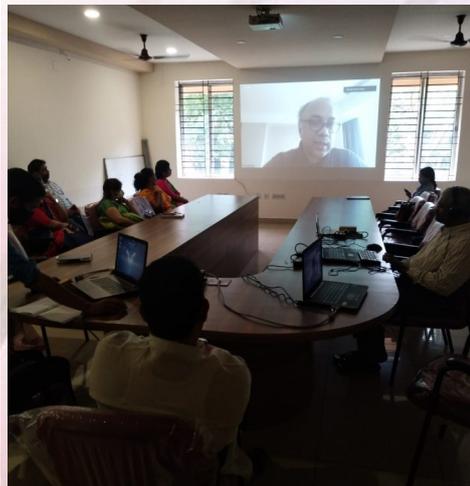
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Webinar on the theme 'Start-ups at New Normal: A Journey of an Entrepreneur'

Entrepreneurship and Innovation Cell of St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru organised a webinar on the theme 'Start-ups at New Normal: A Journey of an Entrepreneur' on 17 November 2020 via zoom platform. Mr Harish Hande, Ramon Magsaysay Awardee, Co-founder of SELCO was the eminent resource person for the webinar. Dr Suresh Poojary, Dean Research and Innovation Cell welcomed the gathering and Rev. Dr



Praveen Martis SJ, Principal, gave his Presidential remarks. The Social Entrepreneur, Mr Hande spoke about creating an enterprise which is inclusive, harmless and beneficial to increase the quality of life of every living and non-living beings. He

stressed on being efficient and contributing towards sustainable development. Mr Hande also motivated youth to Covert the crisis into opportunity by providing solutions to the plethora of issues India faces and thus becoming the Solution Providers or the change agents by using education as a tool.

He urged the students to have five solutions to one problem they see from college to home and thus mature the habit of finding solutions than accusing others for the difficulties seen around. He also mentioned about destroying the idea of comparing Financial poverty with Intellectual poverty and prioritized the focus on justice and equality. Mr Harish Hande also suggested the participants to reverse the way they think and speak and bring in social change.

The participants for the webinar included the student community and academicians. This was an initiative to promote innovation in enterprising activities especially among the student community.

Webinar was anchored by Ms Akshatha and Ms Matha, Dean of Entrepreneurship and Consultancy Cell proposed vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

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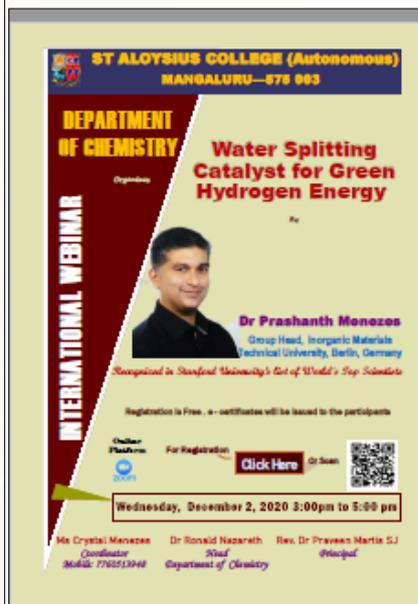
The College has subscribed Turnitin iThenticate Plagiarism Detection Software and the virtual user workflow training was conducted on Wednesday, December 16, 2020, at 3.15 p.m. on the ZOOM platform. The staff members were benefited from this training.

Reported by Mr Udaya

Webinar on 'Water Splitting Catalyst for Green Hydrogen Energy'

The Undergraduate and Postgraduate departments of Chemistry Organized a International Webinar on 'Water Splitting Catalyst for Green Hydrogen Energy' On December 2, 2020 via online platform.

Dr Prashanth Menezes, Group Head, Inorganic Materials Technical University, Berlin, Germany, is recently recognized in Stanford University's list of World's top scientists was the Speaker for the session. Principal, Rev. Dr Praveen Martis SJ, presided over the programme.



The Webinar began with a prayer, followed by welcome note by Jyothi Vaz, Assistant Professor, department of Chemistry, Crystal Menezes, the Coordinator introduced the Guest Speaker Dr Prashanth Menezes.

Addressing the participants Rev Dr Praveen Martis SJ said, "I compliment

the department of Chemistry for their great efforts in organizing such national and international Webinars, which have received tremendous response. Many more attempts like this will boost students to take up Chemistry and also explore in the field of research".

Dr Prashanth Menezes began the talk by congratulating the department of Chemistry for such initiatives. He spoke about the basics of **Photocatalytic water splitting** as an artificial photosynthesis process with photocatalysis in a photo electrochemical used for the dissociation of water into its constituent parts like hydrogen and oxygen, using either artificial or natural light.

Further he also said that Hydrogen fuel production has gained increased attention as public understanding of global warming has grown. Methods such as photocatalytic water splitting are being investigated to produce hydrogen, a clean-burning fuel. Water splitting holds particular promise since it utilizes water, an inexpensive renewable resource. Photocatalytic water splitting has the simplicity of using a catalyst and sunlight to produce hydrogen out of water.

The webinar concluded with the discussion followed by thanking note by Jeesu George, Assistant Professor Department of Chemistry. Rachael Natasha Mary from Department of Chemistry compered the event.

About 450 Participants actively took part in the webinar.

Reported by Ms Crystal Vivita Menezes

Report on Huddle

Department of English organized **Huddle**- a monthly meet, a platform of book review, presentation and documentary screening on 11th November, 2020 at 1.30 pm in Sanidhya Hall. The programme commenced with a small prayer which was proceeded with the opening remarks by the Head of the English Department, Dr Ratan Tilak Mohuntha. The rationale behind Huddle is to get all the staff of the English Department, in unison, to partake in an intellectual discourse on textual or visual material. All the present staff of the department of English including COE, Dr Alwyn D'sa, staff from other departments and the students of MA English were present for the inaugural session. The presenters of the session were Mr Jessin Baby and Ms Rebecca Rex, who critiqued the books titled *Antigod's Own Country* and *The Handmaid's Tale* independently. Predominantly being a political charged book, *Antigod's Own Country* is a short

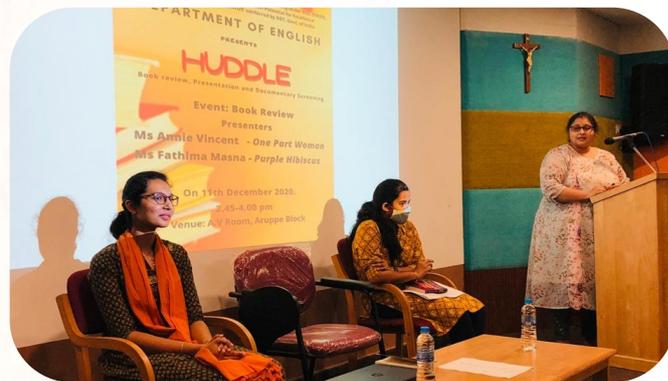


history on the ingrained Brahminical Colonization of Kerala. Through a detailed study, Mr Jessin brought to the forefront the myths associated with God's own country and attempted to debunk the fallacies. *The Handmaid's Tale* by Margaret Atwood is a dystopian genre fiction that explores a dynamics of a fictional patriarchal society, but powerfully resonates what could be a future governed by religious fanaticism. After the presentation the room was opened for discussions. The parley was moderated by Dr Alwyn D'sa along with Dr Ratan Tilak Mohuntha who also conveyed the closing remarks. Ms Annie Vincent was the compere for the day. Ms Severine Pinto delivered her words of gratitude, highlighting the potential of the monthly Huddle, as a vigorous initiative by the department.

Reported by Ms Alita Maria D Sa

The Department of English, organised its second monthly **Huddle** under the guidance of Dr.Ratan Tilak Mohuntha (HOD) on 11 December 2020 in the AV room at Arupe Block. The Registrar in-charge, of St. Aloysius College (Autonomous), Dr. Alwyn Dsa, graced the event with his presence. The speakers for the second Huddle were Ms. Annie Vincent and Ms. Fathima Masna who both engaged in book reviews. Ms.Annie reviewed the Book *One Part Woman* by Perumal Murugan. She explored the subdued role of women in a patriarchal set-up and the preconceived notions in society pertaining to woman's bodies and reproductivity. Ms. Masna spoke

discourse of the newly emergent hybrid society in Nigerian culture laced with religion, conversion and radical politics through the book *The Purple - Hibiscus* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adiche. Dr. Melissa Goveas, Dept. of English, PG studies was the moderator for the second Huddle. Miss Sai Divya was the convenor for the event. Ms. Shruthi delivered the vote of thanks. The students of I MA English also actively participated in the event. The consensus ruled that the second huddle was a successful event.



Reported by Lynn Marceline Pinto

Green Initiative Drive

On 4th November, 2020 at St Aloysius College (Autonomous), in Xavier Auditorium at 3pm, Mentors of B.Com department participated in a Green Initiative Drive in the campus in association with Centre for Social Concern.



Mr Jayaprakash Yekkuru the resource person, an active environmentalist shared his expertise and trained the mentors to make eco-friendly paper pens in which a vegetable seed was implanted. He also created awareness among the mentors regarding eco-friendly fish bags and to collect plastic waste in plastic water bottles.

Around 33 mentors from the department of commerce participated in the program and learnt to make paper pens as a part of Sahaya Activity. The mentors will in turn guide their mentees to make five more pens.

As an extension of the paper pen making activity, each student will make five paper pens and distribute them to five other younger students and thereby create and spread awareness to use eco-friendly pens.

This program enriched the resourcefulness of the mentors in conserving the environment and in sensitizing the mentees under their care.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

Awareness Programme on "Cyber and Other Crimes"

The Student Activity Cell, Students' Council and NCC Units of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru organized an Awareness Programme on "Cyber and Other Crimes" in association with Bunder Police Station on 15th December, 2020 in the College Auditorium. This programme was organized in view of the celebration of Crime Prevention month.

The Sub Inspectors, Sri Nagaraj, Sri Vijayaraj and Sri Rama Nayak from Bunder Police Station were on the



dais. Sri Vijayaraj briefed about the programme and Sri Nagaraj spoke on various crimes and specially about cybercrime and insisted the students be careful about the social media and the use of the electronic gadgets. He briefed students about the impact of drug addiction among youth and also advised the students not to be the victims of drugs.

Principal, Rev. Dr Praveen Martis, SJ presided over the programme. He said that the students should fulfill the society's debt along with their studies. He suggested that the students should respect and abide by the Statutory Laws and Regulations of our Constitution. He urged the students to be aware of the cybercrimes and join hands with the officials to prevent and also spread



awareness to their fellow beings. He also congratulated the officials of the Bunder Police Station for organizing such a meaningful programme which is the need of the hour.

During the programme, Mr Robin D'Souza, an alumnus of SAC and an expert on Cyber Crime Information gave insights on how to make proper use of the gadgets. He gave several examples of cybercrime victims and how they duped by frauds. He told the students to be aware of such crimes and not to allow themselves to be victimized.

Dr Ishwara Bhat, Dean of Student Welfare, welcomed the gathering and introduced the guests. Paloma Rodrigues proposed the vote of thanks.

Reported by Ms Chandrakala

AIMIT Welcomes Students Back to Campus

After the abrupt closure of educational institutions due to the COVID-19 pandemic in March 2020, AIMIT has geared up to welcome its final year IT and MBA students back to the campus.

With COVID-19 precautionary measures in place, the department of IT began offline classes on November 17, 2020 and the department of MBA began with second internal exams from November 19, 2020. Coming to the campus on Tuesday, Ron from II MBA said, "I'm glad I'm back at college. My temperature is checked every day. Social distancing is followed. Exam halls are quite hygienic. I feel safe in and around the campus of AIMIT. I really missed this place in the last 8 months." Another student of II MBA Elroy Braganza said that although it seemed scary to return to the College premises due to the prevailing pandemic, the College had made sure to thoroughly follow the required protocols with regard to social distancing and other required precautions. "The exams were conducted in an orderly manner by ensuring that all students went through screening as soon as they



arrived at the campus," he said.

Students have been strictly told to leave the campus immediately after the exams. Dean of MBA Dr Rowena Wright said the students were very cooperative. "Our vibrant campus was missing one vital component and that was 'our student community'. After almost eight months, the campus is buzzing once again. It is a joy to have the students back on campus. They have been very cooperative and have adhered to the COVID protocols.

The College has taken steps to ensure the safety of the students. Thermal check is conducted every day and rooms/halls are sanitised regularly after use. Class sizes have been drastically reduced to ensure social distancing," she added.

Student Placements/ Other News

List of students selected for Pin Click 2020

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Name	Course
1	182202	Jerwin Madtha	BSc PEM
2	183290	Amal mathew Sebastian	BCom
3	183142	Aaron christon dsouza	BCom
4	173360	Rayan Noronha	BCom
5	173440	Lancy	BCom

List of students selected for Winman Software

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Course	Name
1	189511	MCom	Avrel Martina Fernandes
2	173145	BCom	Jayashree R Shetty

List of students selected for ShopDoc

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Course	Name
1	174132	BBA	Harshith C M
2	174158	BBA	Sohan Gangadhar Bolar

List of students selected for Medoc enterprises Pvt ltd

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Name	Course
1	184122	Abdul Hameed Afeel	BBA
2	184125	Afnan	BBA
3	184742	Muhammed Aakif	BCA
4	184770	UT Mohammad Mashfooq Hussain	BCA

List of students selected for KPMG

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Name	Course
1	199551	Shirley Shilpa	MCom
2	199506	Ananya kv	MCom
3	198530	Shreya Shetty	MCom F& A
4	198501	Adlin Mishel Dmello	MCom F& A
5	198519	K Ashika Prabhu	MCom F& A
6	198527	sabah misbah	MCom F& A

List of students selected for an internship at ATMAS SOFTWARES

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Name	Course
1	174158	Sohan G. Bolar	BBA

List of students selected for an internship at KR6 Strategy Consultants

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Name	Course
1	183019	Tejus Prabhu	B.Sc

List of students selected for Hashtag India solutions

Sl. No.	Reg. No.	Course	Name
1	183584	BCom	Glencilla Fernandes
2	183585	BCom	Haniya Rhea Dsouza
3	184665	BCA	Joylin Francis

International Day of Persons with Disabilities:

Mitra Jyothi Trust in association with Dept. of Psychology, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), organized an awareness programme on Disability on the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities on December 03, 2020

Webinar: Onboarding: Role of HR

AI-Empower HR Forum - PG Dept. of Social Work organized webinar on Onboarding: Role of HR on December 19, 2020.

Resource Person - Jaideep K, HR Officer, R L Fine Chem Pvt. Ltd

Webinar: Employee Management

AI-Empower HR Forum - PG Dept. of Social Work organized webinar on Employee Management on December 17, 2020

R.P : Ashvi Uthappa - HR Career Consultant, Teksystems Co.

Guest lecture: Impact of Online Learning - Health Issues and Remedies

IT Club and Department of Computer Science, Application and Animation in association with Rural Health Care Development Centre Yenepoya (Deemed to be University) organized a guest lecture on Impact of Online Learning - Health Issues and Remedies on November 13, 2020

RANT : One of the Videos created and posted by the department of Sociology as a part of the unlearning series on the department of sociology's Instagram page "Rant" crossed 80k views and a story on it has been published.

<https://www.newindianexpress.com/cities/kochi/2020/dec/31/learningfromunlearning-2243294.html>

Webinars organized from September to December 2020

1.	September 04, 2020	Dept. of Political Science	A national webinar on Covid-19, Galwan and the Vortex of India-China Relations?
2.	September 04 & 05, 2020	Dept. of MBA	International webinar on Analytics “Business Intelligence & Analytics (BIA) for Smart Decision Making”
3.	September 05, 2020	PG Dept. of Commerce	National webinar on Indian Banking System: Challenges and Opportunities Ahead
4.	September 07, 2020	SAC	‘Revised Accreditation Framework for Autonomous Colleges’
5.	September 11, 2020	Journalism	Emerging Technologies in Film and Television Production
6.	September 14, 2020	NCC Army Wing	National Webinar on Fit India Movement 2020
7.	September 16, 2020	Dept. of Hindi & Hindi Sangha	National webinar on Future of Hindi in New Education Policy 2020
8.	September 19, 2020	Dept. of Commerce	International webinar on Demystifying ACCA
9.	September 24, 2020	St Aloysius Institute of Civil Services	Webinar on Crack IAS in First Attempt After Graduation
10.	September 25, 2020	Human Rights Cell	Webinar on Gender & Health: Sustainable Development
11.	September 26, 2020	PG Commerce	Webinar on “How to become an innovative Leader?”
12.	September 28, 2020	PG Commerce	National Level webinar on – Digital Innovations in Banking
13.	September 30, 2020	Dept. of Chemistry	Webinar on Crystal Field Theory to Ligand Field Theory to Molecular Orbital Theory
14.	October 05, 2020	Dept. of Political Science	International webinar on Mahatma Gandhi
15.	October 13, 2020	Dept. of Commerce	National Webinar on “Career opportunities for B.Com Professionals”
16.	October 15, 2020	Dept. of PG Commerce and Dept. of BBA	Webinar on Career Counselling for Commerce and Management Students
17.	October 15, 2020	Dept. of Mathematics	MATH FIESTA 2K20 - National Webinar on “Vector Representation of Line”
18.	October 16, 2020	PG Dept. of Food Science	National Webinar on the occasion of World Food Day Food Sustainability Spot light on Technology of Reduced fat Foods
19.	October 16, 2020	Dept. of Sociology	National Webinar on “Migrant Lives Matter”
20.	October 17, 2020	Dept. of Commerce (UG & PG)	National Webinar on Wealth Creation & Preservation
21.	October 20, 2020	Dept. of Botany	National Webinar on Regenerative Medicine A Ray of Hope Towards COVID – 19
22.	October 22, 2020	Dept. of Food Processing & Engineering, Dept. of Biochemistry, Biotechnology & Microbiology (UG)	World Food Day Celebration – Webinar on Career Opportunities in Food Sector”
23.	October 22, 2020	Dept. of Counselling	Webinar on Online Gamers Anonymous – Need of the Hour
24.	October 28, 2020	Dept. of Commerce	National webinar on “Discover the Diamond in you”
25.	November 02, 2020	PG Commerce	National Webinar on Eyes on the Ground for Agricultural Micro-credit
26.	November 03, 2020	NCC Wings	National webinar on Indian Air Force: Your way to Being a Cut Above
27.	November 04, 2020	Dept. of Political Science	National webinar on Know your Rights before you Fight
28.	November 07, 2020	Human Rights Cell	Webinar on Government Health Initiatives and Challenges in Dakshina Kannada in time of Covid - 19
29.	November 09, 2020	Dept. of Commerce	International webinar on “Leveraging Culture for Organizational Growth”
30.	November 11, 2020	Dept. of Commerce	National Webinar on IT Returns – A Practical Approach
31.	November 12, 2020	Dept. of MSW	Webinar on Cancer Prevention and Healthy Lifestyle
32.	November 12, 2020	Dept. of Computer Science, Application & Animation	Webinar on Production Pipeline in Animation
33.	November 17, 2020	STRIDE in collaboration with the Dept. of English	National webinar on “The Folk in Theatre: Colonial Encounters and the Idea of a Genre’
34.	November 17, 2020	Entrepreneurship & Innovation Cell	Webinar on Startups at New Normal – A journey of an Entrepreneur
35.	November 18, 2020	Dept. of Computer Science, Application and Animation	National Webinar on IoT Technology
36.	November 21, 2020	Dept. of Physical Education	Webinar on RED-S: Specific Concerns of Female Athletes (Relative Energy Deficiency on Sports)
37.	November 24, 2020	Dept. of Computer Science, Application and Animation	Career Orientation Programme “ My Experience with Numbers”
38.	December 02, 2020	Dept. of Chemistry	International webinar on Water Splitting Catalyst for Green Hydrogen Energy
39.	December 03, 2020	MSW & MA Journalism & Mass Communication	Webinar on Prevention and Control of HIV/AIDs
40.	December 10, 2020	PG Dept. of Social Work	Webinar on Human Rights in India Today : A Challenge
41.	December 11, 2020	PG Dept. of IT	Webinar on Social Media in the Age of Artificial Intelligence
42.	December 16, 2020	Dept. of Training, Placements and Careers	Webinar on ‘Become future leaders with Teach for India’
43.	December 17, 2020	Dept. of BBA	Webinar on Education to Employment
44.	December 17, 2020	Dept. of MSW	Webinar on Employee Management
45.	December 17, 2020	PG Dept. of Commerce	National webinar on Investment Awareness Program
46.	December 18, 2020	STRIDE	National Webinar - ದೇಶ - ಪ್ರದೇಶ: ಕರಾವಳಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಜಕಾರಣ

Student Excellence

Ex Cdt Cpt Ashika Shetty of NCC Naval Wing of St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, was commended by the Chief Minister of Karnataka for her exceptional service in NCC during the year 2019-2020 with a Certificate and a Medal.



Cdt Ashika Shetty has joined NCC Naval Wing of St Aloysius College NCC Subunit in 2017 as a Cadet. She attended the first camp of NCC Annual Training Camp in May 2018. She also attended NCC Attachment Camp held at OTA Gwalior in May 2019. She has participated in All India Nav Sainik Camp-2018 at INS Kadamba, Karwar from Oct 14 to Oct 22, 2018. She has won Silver in SW Boat Pulling, Bronze in All India Best Cadet Competition and was a part of Champion Directorate 2018. Besides this, she has secured 'A' Grade in NCC 'C' Certificate Examination in 2020.

Placements: PG Biotechnology

- Dr Smruthi G Prabhu from PG Biotechnology cleared UGC -NET exam.
- Students named Pooja and Prajan got placed at Bhami Research Labs, Managluru.
- Amal P George, Bhagyalakshmi E and Ashwathi Damodarangot placed at Molbio Diagnostics, Goa.
- Dhanusha C Nair got placed at Molecular Connections Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru
- (Shreyoshree Mukherjee got placed in Clinisysd Research Global Solutions, Bengaluru

Poetry Writing: NIA FAREEN from I BA bagged first place in the poetry writing competition that was conducted by St Joseph's Law College, Bangalore.

SUO Advaith NCC Army wing got Chief Minister award for securing first place with gold medal in para jump on December 10, 2020. He stands first in the country by jumping from 2000ft height.



Cleared KSET 2020 Examination

- Merita Stanley - M.Sc Chemistry
- Avishma Jolen Lasrado - M.Sc Physics
- Namratha Ullal - M.Sc Chemistry
- Vinita Deepa Lobo - M.Com General
- Amina Luthfa - M.Sc Chemistry
- Harsha (2018-20)
- Deyona (2018-20)
- Sachinraj (2017-19)
- Ms Pallavi Bhat - M.Sc Biochemistry
- Ms Rakshita M—M.Sc Biochemistry
- Neil Calvin Sequeira - (2018-20) M.Com Genral
- Fr Anil Avild Lobo (2018-20) - M.Com General

CLEARED UGC - NET HELD DURING JUNE 2020

Anwith G Kumar (2016-19)

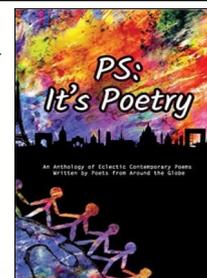
Aleena M Jolly (2015-18)



Mr Savan Damian D Souza

Former Student and Former Cadet of NCC Airwing.

PoetrySoup, a worldwide poetry community and poem resource, has published its first poetry anthology. PoetrySoup has almost 40,000



members, but only about 1% were chosen for inclusion. Congrats to **Nia Feren**, BA first year, who has been selected for the same. Her poem, The Tree That Never Outgrew Love can be found on page 438 in the book PS: It's Poetry.

Faculty Excellence

DR GIRISH N., PG Dept. of English

Trans Tales: Anthology of Translated Stories of Kannada, Malayalam and Hindi comprising thirty two short stories, translated by 32 students of PG Dept. of English of both St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore and Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheswhara College (Autonomous), Ujire has been published. The anthology is edited by Dr Girish N (SAC) and Dr Shankaranarayana K (SDM)



DR LOVEENA LOBO, PG Dept. of Social Work

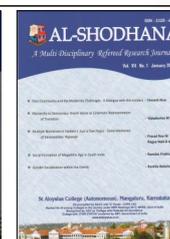
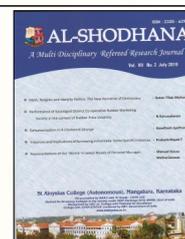
Resource Person: Delivered an online Lecture for MBA students of SDM college of Business management on the topic "Managing Stress to achieve Positive Life" on 07 December, 2020.

Publication: Thomas Jubin, Lobo Loveena. *Social Support and Quality of Life among Rural and Urban School teacher Retirees of Kozhikode District*, Deeksha, Bi-Annual Peer Reviewed Journal of Social Work, Volume 18, Number -1, March 2020

DR FLORIN SHELOMITH SOANS, Dept. of Economics/Commerce

Publication: Paper title: Tourism and Economic indicator. International Journal of creative Research thoughts. ISSN:23202882, Impact factor: 7.79. Published on 17.12.2020

Dr Girish N, from PG Studies and Research in English edited the College Research Journal **AL-SHODHANA**, Vol VII- 2 Issues



Faculty Recharging

FR DENZIL W LOBO SJ, Dept. of Social Work

- National Webinar on “Mitigating discrimination and exclusion of marginalized during pandemic” organized by UG & PG Dept. of Social Work, on June 24, 2020
- Webinar on “Financial Management and FCRA” organized by Financial Management Service Foundation, 24 October, 2020

DR DEENA D SOUZA, Dept. of Social Work

- Webinar on “Navigating through stress and anxiety during pandemic” organized by St Agnes College (Autonomous), Mangalore & Mangala Alumni Association (MAA), Mangalagangothri, on 28 May, 2020.
- National Webinar on “Migrant Workers: A long walk ahead’ organized by the Dept. of Sociology, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), M’lore, on 12 June, 2020.
- International webinar on “Covid 19 implemented strategies in Taiwan” organized by IQAC & department of Social work, Hindustan College of Arts and Science, on 17 June, 2020.
- National Webinar on “Mitigating discrimination and exclusion of marginalized during pandemic” organized by UG & PG Dept. of Social Work, on June 24, 2020
- International webinar on ‘Compassion and self care’ IQAC & Department of Social work, Hindustan college of arts and Science on 2 July, 2020
- National Webinar on "Open Educational Resources and Effective Search Techniques' organized by the Department of Library, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, on 06 August, 2020.
- National Webinar on “New Education Policy 2020: An overview” held on 07/08/2020 organized by the Department of Economics, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru.
- Webinar on ‘Guidance for financial Assistance through various financial schemes for the patient’s treatment in hospital. Role of medical Social Work Professionals’ organized by AIIMS Medical service officer Association & Madras Christian College(Autonomous), Department of Social work Chennai, on 22 August, 2020
- National webinar on “ National Education policy 2020 (Policy vision and higher education)’ organized by St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru in association with Centre for Educational & Social studies, Bengaluru, on 25 August, 2020
- Colloquium on “National Educational Policy 2020” organized by St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, on 26, August 2020, under Paramarsh scheme
- Webinar on ‘Revised Accreditation framework for Autonomous Colleges’ organized by St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru in association with NAAC Bangalore on 17 September, 2020
- International Webinar on ‘Gandhi and the Ethics of nursing: A Pedagogy of care in times of the Corona Virus’ An expert session by Prof Vinay Lal, An eminent historian & Gandhi Scholar, University of California, Los Angels (UCLA), Organized by Neharu Study Centre, Mangalore University in association with Department of political Science, St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru, on 5 October 2020.

MS SAVITHA D SOUZA, Dept. of Social Work

- International Webinar by Dr. Alka Raghuvansi, First Indian Trained Art Curator, on the topic Dwindling Folk Performing Arts organized by St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore under the aegis of STRIDE SCHEME-UGC on 12 August 2020
- National Webinar on ‘National Education Policy-2020’ organized by B.V.V.S Akkamahadevi Women’s Arts, Science and Commerce College, Bagalkot held on 02/08/2020
- Webinar on “Walk and Talk with Youth” held on the occasion of International Youth Day, 12 August 2020
- Participated in the online Five-Day International Symposium on “Women’s Rights During Covid-19 Pandemic- Myths And Realities – organised by the PG Department of History and Department of Sociology and Social work, Fatima College (Autonomous), Madurai between 27th -31st July, 2020
- Webinar on Research And Method In Literary Studies organized by St. Joseph’s College
- National Webinar on Regenerative Medicine- A ray of hope towards COVID-19 by Dr Kavina Ganapathy, Senior Scientist, ONNSA Research and Innovations PVT Ltd. Bangalore, organized on October 20, 2020 by Department of Botany, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore.
- National Webinar on “Migrant Lives Matter” held on 16 October, 2020
- International Webinar on ‘Gandhi and Ethics of Nursing: A Pedagogy of Care in Times of the Corona virus’, an expert session by Prof Vinay Lal, eminent Historian and Gandhi Scholar, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), organized on 5.10.2020.
- National Webinar on ‘Indian Air Force: Your way to being a cut above’ held on 03/11/2020 organized by NCC Wings of SAC (Autonomous) Mangalore.
- National Webinar on “Know your Rights Before You Fight” held on 04 November, 2020

MS ROLLIN PREETHA VAZ, Dept. of Mathematics

- Participated in the colloquium on “New Education Policy 2020” on August 26, 2020 organized by St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore.
- Participated in National webinar on “New Education Policy 2020” on August 25, 2020 organized by St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore.
- Participated in National webinar on “Application of Mathematics in Real Life” on August 17, 2020 organized by PSG Polytechnic College
- Participated in the FDP on Fixed Point Theory and its Applications held on August 08 & 09, 2020 organized by St Joseph’s College of Engineering, Chennai.
- Attended the invited talk on “ Role of Mathematics in Cyber Security” held on August 15, 2020 as the part of webinar series; MATHS ECSTASY: on Online Odyssey through mathematics organized by Career Development Centre, Kerala.

DR CHANDRA SHEKHARA SHETTY T, PG Dept. of

Physics : Participated in 10 days FDP on Teaching Learning and Assessment between 23rd Nov - 3rd Dec, 2020 organised by Central University of Rajasthan.

Faculty Recharging

MS SUCHETHA VIJAYAKUMAR, PG Dept. of Software Technology

- Attended ATAL FDP on Blockchain Technologies from October 12 - 16, 2020 hosted by NMAMIT, Nitte
- Attended a National Level Webinar on "Healthtech - Current Trends and Challenges" organised by IEEE Student Branch Srinivas University on November 6, 2020
- Attended a National Level Technical Talk on Industry & Company Analysis - A Research Perspective organized by IEEE Student Branch Srinivas University on November 30, 2020
- Attended ICARA 2020, International Conference on AI, Robotics and Automation on October 14, 2020
- Attended ICIHPE 2020, International Conference on Advances in IoT, High Performance and Edge Computing on October 15, 2020
- Attended ICSEHV 2020, International Conference on Advances in Sensors, Energy and Hybrid Vehicles on October 16, 2020
- Attended ICSCES 2020, International Conference on Signals, Communication and Embedded Systems on October 17, 2020

MR THOMAS C G., Dept. of MCA

- Attended ATAL FDP on Blockchain Technologies from October 12 - 16, 2020
- Attended NIRF Workshop - Strategic approach to NIRF Excellence organized by ICT Academy and KPMG in India on November 5, 2020
- Attended a National Level Webinar on "Healthtech - Current Trends and Challenges" organised by IEEE Student Branch Srinivas University on 6.11.2020
- Attended a National Level Technical Talk on Industry & Company Analysis - A Research Perspective organized by IEEE Student Branch Srinivas University on November 30, 2020
- Attended ICARA 2020, International Conference on AI, Robotics and Automation on October 14, 2020
- Attended ICIHPE 2020, International Conference on Advances in IoT, High Performance and Edge Computing on October 15, 2020
- Attended ICSEHV 2020, International Conference on Advances in Sensors, Energy and Hybrid Vehicles on October 16, 2020
- Attended ICSCES 2020, International Conference on Signals, Communication and Embedded Systems on October 17, 2020

MS LAVEENA C CRASTA, Dept. of MCA

- Participated & completed successfully AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy Online FDP on "Data Sciences" from 2020-10-5 to 2020- 10-9 at Central University of Tamil Nadu.
- Attended an expert Session on "Machine learning" Conducted by TCS in collaboration with ISI, Kolkata
- Attended an International Webinar on "Recent Advances in Biostatistics and Data Science", organized by the Department of Data Science, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) Manipal on October 20, 2020

MS MANIMOZHI R, Dept. of MCA

- Attended- AICTE's eSIP: Online Student Induction Program 2020 from 8th – 13th and 16th – 20th November 2020.
- International Webinar on "Gandhi and the Ethics of Nursing: A Pedagogy of Care in times of the Corona virus", an expert session by Prof. Vinay Lal, eminent Historian and Gandhi Scholar, University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), on Oct 5th 2020.

MS NAUSHEEDA B S., PG Dept. of ST

- Participated & completed successfully AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy Online FDP on "Artificial Inteligence" from 2020-10-19 to 2020- 10-23 at Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology.
- Participated & completed successfully AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy Online FDP on "Machine Learning and Deep Learning for Video Analytics" from Nov 02 to 06, 2020 at Mangalore University.

MR RAKESH KUMAR B., Dept. of MCA

- Attended - AICTE's eSIP: Online Student Induction Program 2020 from 8th – 13th and 16th – 20th November 2020.
- AICTE Sponsored 6 Days short term training programme on "Cyber Security and Block Chain Technology" organized by department of Information Technology, Sanjivani College of Engineering, Kopergaon Maharashtra from 23-11-2020 to 28-11-2020
- Attended ICARA 2020, International Conference on AI, Robotics and Automation on October 14, 2020
- Attended ICIHPE 2020, International Conference on Advances in IoT, High Performance and Edge Computing on October 15, 2020
- Attended ICSEHV 2020, International Conference on Advances in Sensors, Energy and Hybrid Vehicles on October 16, 2020 Embedded Systems on 17.10.2020.
- Attended ICSCES 2020, International Conference on Signals, Communication and Embedded Systems on October 17, 2020

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Faculty Excellence

MS RANJITHA, Dept. of Chemistry

- Authored a research paper which has been accepted and published online (Dec 9th 2020)- R.Ranjitha et.al., "Rapid Photocatalytic Degradation of Cationic Organic Dyes using Li-doped Ni/NiO nanocomposites and their Electrochemical Performance", *New Journal of Chemistry* published by RSC publications.
New Journal of Chemistry, 2020, DOI: 10.1039/D0NJ05268J

Online Courses completed by the faculty:

Sl. No.	Name	Department	No. of Courses	Source
1.	Dr Deena D Souza	Social Work	4	Coursera
2.	Fr Denzil W Lobo SJ	Social Work	2	Coursera
3.	Ms Savitha D Souza	Social Work	1	Coursera
4.	Mr Udaya	Librarian	1	Coursera
5.	Ms Laveena C Crasta	MCA	4	Coursera

MR THOMAS C G., Dept. of MCA

Completed a Certificate Course on "Digital Teaching Techniques" from November 23-28, 2020 organized by ICT Academy and earned a Digital Badge of "Certified Digital Teacher" by ATOS Syntel

MR HARIPRASAD SHETTY, Dept. of Zoology

Attended as a speaker in the symposium held at National institute of mental health and Neurosciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru during December 16-17th, 2020.

DR NORBERT LOBO, Dept. of Economics

Resource Person: "New Education Policy 2020: An Overview:" The Generalate Ursuline Franciscan Educational Society, Deralakatte; December 16, 2020.

MR REUBEN MACHADO, Dept. of Journalism

- A instrumental challenge held by T-Series, for a song of Tulsi Kumar, Reuben Machado won first place in this Instrumental Challenge.



- Won 2nd place in Mangalore's got Talent, organised by Namma Flea.

DR ROWENA WRIGHT, Dept. of MBA

- Dr Rowena Wright took a session on 'Answering the right way - interview techniques for aspirational nurses on December 3, 2020 for the students of Fr Muller College of Nursing as part of a webinar titled "Communication: The Sky's the limit".

MS ROLLIN PREETHA VAZ, Dept. of Mathematics

- participated and scored 90% in the Mathematics Quiz for Undergraduate Students organised by Department of Mathematics, Seth Kesarimal Porwal
- College of Arts and Science and Commerce, Kamptee, Nagpur, Maharashtra on 14-8-2020.

MR CLIFFORD D'COSTA, Dept. of MBA

- Mr. Clifford D'Costa spoke on the topic - Mastering the spoken word, on December 3, 2020 for the students of Fr Muller College of Nursing as part of a webinar titled "Communication: The Sky's the limit".

MR REJI P JOHN, Dept. of Economics

- His Article on the topic, 'An Analysis of Breast Cancer Awareness Among Christian and Muslim Women in Dakshina Kannada District of Karnataka State' has been published in SAMBODHI a Multidisciplinary Journal (Print) Vol-43, Issue - 04. ISSN: 2249-6661

DR RAJANI SURESH, Dept. of MBA

Conducted a session for Staff Training College, Karnataka Bank on the topic: Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code

DR S.N. RAGHAVENDRA, PG Dept. of Food Science

- Chair a session for oral presentation by the conference delegates on the theme Affordable strategies for Food Technology on 22nd Dec 2020.
- Participated & completed successfully AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy Online FDP on "Waste Technology" from 23-11-2020 to 27-11-2020 at B.M.S. College of Engineering.

DR NORBERT LOBO, Dept. of Economics

- NEP 2020: To the Governing Council Members of CE-SU of Udupi Diocese. 27.11.2020
- NEP 2020: To the correspondents of all the institutions under CBE of Mangalore Diocese. 23.11.2020
- NEP 2020: To the Heads of Institutions managed by CBE of Mangalore Diocese. 16.11.2020
- Career opportunities for Commerce and Arts After PUC, St Aloysius PU College, Harihara, 12.11.2020

DR ADARSHA GOWDA, of B.Voc Food Processing and Engineering

- has conducted online Ph.D Viva Voce online examination of a student from Saurashtra University Gujarat
- Speaker at the 2nd International Symposium on Food and Nutrition (2nd ISFAN) via Online on the topic Sharing experiences in sport nutrition for athlete's performance organized by Food and Nutrition Society of Indonesia.
- Resource person for the webinar on Career Opportunities in Food Sector on November 13, 2020 organized by P.A First Grade College, Mangalore

DR RICHARD GONSALVES, Dept. of Chemistry

Resource Person : Webinar on History, Scope and Opportunities in Chemistry on November 02, 2020 organized by St Aloysius Pre-University College, Mangalore

Felicitation: Dr Richard Gonsalves felicitated on November 28, 2020 in the A G M of SACTCC Society for serving as Secretary of the Society for the period from 1999 to 2020.



Faculty Excellence

Awarded Ph.D: Shekar P., a research student of St Aloysius Advanced Research Centre, Mangalore has been awarded Ph.D. in Economics for his thesis "New Technology and Labour Utilisation in Agriculture: An Empirical Study in Ramanagara District in Karnataka State" by Tumkur University. He was successfully guided by **Dr Norbert Lobo**, Head of the Department of Economics, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangalore.



CLEARED UGC - NET HELD DURING JUNE 2020

- Mr Sonal Steevan Lobo
- Ms Smitha D K
- Mr Ananth
- Dr Smruthi G Prabhu
- Ms Renita Menezes

MS ARATI SHANBHAG, Dept. of BBA

Resource Person: Guest Lecture on Personal Financial Planning on November 23, 2020 organized by SDM College of Business Management PG Centre for Management studies and Research, Mangalore.

MS SWETHA S. MANGALATH, Dept. of Journalism

Paper Publication :

- Paper entitled "Performance Goes Online: Usage of Social Media Platforms by Classical Dance Practitioners of Kerala at the Time of Covid-19 Pandemic" got published in International Journal of Arts Humanities and Social Science Studies- Volume 5 Issue 9, ISSN: 2582-1601
- Paper entitled 'An aesthetic analysis of virtual art festivals' (Translated) got published in a Multi-disciplinary Journal in Malayalam 'Sanghatitha' Vol-17, Issue- 10. ISSN: 2319- 9741.

Guest Speaker in webinar : Resource person for National level Webinar conducted by Sree Sankara University of Sanskrit- Kalady, Ernakulam, Kerala. Took the session on the topic 'Media as a Performance space'.

MS JYOTHI SIMAV VAZ, Dept. of Chemistry

Delivered a Guest Lecture on "Culinary Chemistry-Chemistry in Kitchen" on November 6, 2020. The guest lecture was for the Science students and faculty of St. Aloysius Pre University College, Harihar.

Commendation by Chief Minister of Karnataka 2020 to **Capt Shakin Raj**, NCC Officer Army Wing, in a programme held on December 10, 2020 at 11am at the NCC Office, Mangalore.

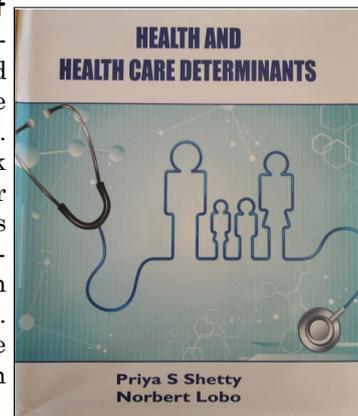


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DR PRIYA S. SHETTY AND DR NORBERT LOBO from the Department of Economics

have published a book titled **Health and Health Care Determinants** in 2020. This is the research work of Dr Priya guided by Dr Norbert Lobo. The book is published by Mohit Publications, New Delhi with ISBN 978-81-7445-762-2. The book is useful for the students dealing in Health Economics.



KSET FOR ASSISTANT PROFESSORSHIP HELD DURING SEPTEMBER 2020.

The following staff members have cleared the examination.

- Ms Severine Pinto – UG English
- Mr Ajith - B.Voc (Pharmaceutical)
- Fr Felix Victor SJ – BBA
- Ms Ashwini – Chemistry
- Ms Jennifer Maria Quadras – PG Commerce
- Ms Deshel L. Fernandes – Commerce
- Mr Santhosh Notagar – Dept. of BCA, CS & Animation
- Ms Aswini T – Economics
- Ms Joyline Jessica Correa – Commerce
- Mr Glavin Rodrigues – Zoology
- Ms Sowmya –Physical Education

Awarded Ph.D - Nandini Shet, Dept. of UG Chemistry and Research scholar of St Aloysius Advanced Research Centre affiliated to Tumkur University, successfully defended her thesis entitled 'Electrochemical investigation of corrosion and corrosion inhibition of 316 stainless steel in acid media' on December 19, 2020 at Tumkur University under the guidance of Dr Suchetan P.A. of Tumkur University.



Awarded Ph.D - Ms Rachael N. Mary, Dept. of UG Chemistry and Research scholar of St Aloysius Advanced Research Centre affiliated to Tumkur University, successfully defended her thesis entitled 'Study of Electrochemical Behaviour and Corrosion Resistance of Maraging Steel in Acid Media' on December 19, 2020 at Tumkur University under the guidance of Dr Suchetan P.A. of Tumkur University.



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